

CONTEMPT CHARGE MAY FACE MAYOR

Seattle Executive Refuses to Tell Reporter's Name.

JURY LEAKS ARE CHARGED

Investigation as to Source of Information From Grand Jury Room Is Begun.

SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 12.—(Special.)—The probability that Mayor Caldwell will be cited for contempt of court and the calling of Mrs. Maude Sweetman, the "mystery woman," in the street car probe furnished two sensations in the King county grand jury proceedings today.

Mrs. Sweetman is a deputy in the county clerk's office. She was in the grand jury room for three-quarters of an hour. That she knows something about the \$10,000 "investigation" fund, used, in whole or in part, by W. M. Whitney, the mayor's special investigator, is the common belief.

Whitney probably will also be summoned. He is a lawyer and prominent as a republican politician. It is known that he went east to the mayor to get information on the street car transaction.

Reporter's Name Not Revealed. The mayor's citation for contempt may result because of his alleged refusal to tell the grand jurors the name of a newspaper reporter with whom he is said to have discussed proceedings before the inquirers.

Charges of "leaks" from the grand jury were made freely today. They were started by the mayor himself. When court convened Mayor Caldwell complained to "President" Judge Ronald that "there was a leak somewhere" as to what was transpiring in the grand jury room.

"Your honor," he declared, "the first time I learned I was to be summoned before the grand jury was in reading the newspaper. Proceedings in the jury room were chronicled in the daily papers—faithfully or not, I don't say."

Caldwell then stated that as an official of the city he considered it his duty to find where the leak had occurred. He asked the judge to call in the grand jury and place the facts before it for its action.

Prosecutor Denies Leak. Prosecutor Brown indignantly denied that any information of grand jury proceedings had come from his office.

Judge Ronald cautioned the grand jury that all proceedings before it were absolutely secret, told the jurors to read the newspaper articles to ascertain if there was an essential leak and to determine who was responsible.

"If you find that anyone has been divulging information concerning what goes on in the jury room, you will indict him," Judge Ronald concluded.

Calling Brown out into the corridor, Mayor Caldwell vigorously demanded that the prosecutor assign an assistant to handle any grand jury proceedings in the newspaper articles to determine Brown resented the mayor's attitude as "political."

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OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, Nov. 12.—(Special.)—Sigma Delta Chi, national honorary journalistic fraternity, has just granted a charter to the Associated Journalists, local organization at the college.

Information definitely announcing this was received today from Kenneth C. Holgate, national secretary. Installation will take place following the Thanksgiving vacation. Frank Thayer, associate professor of journalism of Washington State college, a member of the executive council, will be in charge of ceremonies.



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Four Bulls Who Are Bears on Harmony.

"NONSENSE"

Yearning for excitement! And they found it in the wild, wild west where the good get bad and the bad get worse.

William S. HART in "The Cradle of Courage"

STARTS TODAY FOR ONE WEEK



A musical ride by a platoon of artillery, is the regular army officer in charge of the tournament.

8 MERCHANTS DEFRAUDED. Forger Passes Checks on Klamath Falls Business Men.

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None of the checks was large, ranging from \$40 downward. The police say the checks were all easily detected forgeries, the signatures and indorsements being in the same handwriting.

Cadet Colonel George A. Powell of Portland is chairman of the committee on arrangements; Cadet Major Sterling W. Smith, Portland, chairman of the financial committee; and Cadet Major Grady D. Epps, Hinton, Okla., seating; Cadet Major Orville Bode, Bay City, publicity; master of ceremonies, Glenn E. Spriggs, Medford; Major William F. Sharp, field

in checks to the police, and it was suspected that they were not all of Smith's victims.

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Fifteen years ago Mrs. Grossman commenced doing business in the Alisky building at Third and Morrison. After a long and very successful, though unusually eventful career, she has decided to forego the business world and retire to private life.

The sale will commence today at 10 A. M. when reductions will be offered which will make it good policy to buy Christmas presents even earlier than usual this year.

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Gun squad exhibitions and firing by a picked staff from each of the cadet field artillery batteries will provide one of the most spectacular events. Last year, after weeks of practice for the tournament, so much speed was attained that the winning squad was credited with breaking the army record for going into action.