

5 NEW BABY BEATING CASES FOUND IN DAY

Blacksnake Whip Reported Used by One Father.

OTHER CRUELTY CHARGED

One Little Boy of Four Is Said to Have Been Whipped Unmercifully and Slapped.

"We are succeeding very well in our efforts to protect babies and children who are being fogged and abused by their fathers and mothers," said Mrs. P. W. Swanton, general manager for the Oregon Humane society, yesterday.

"We find sometimes that cases reported to us are exaggerated, or that neighbors, through spite, tell us tales which are unfounded on fact. A surprisingly large number of the pitiful stories which reach us, however, are only too true."

Had Tempers Blamed.

Mrs. Swanton does not try to account for the actions of these uncharitable parents, who turn upon their children at slight provocation and inflict cruel punishments upon them. She says that anger, uncontrolled, is responsible for the mistreatment, in many cases, of these little children.

All cases, when reported to the society by telephone or by letter, are investigated by Mrs. Swanton and her staff as quickly as possible. Five cases were reported yesterday. One message stated that a father was using a blacksnake whip over his two sons, aged 7 and 8, and that the neighborhood was up in arms over his action. The use of such a whip is prohibited by law and if the report is found to be true, Mrs. Swanton will swear out a warrant for the father's arrest.

Another case was of a stepfather who beats a boy of 19 until he is almost dazed. The little boy does all of the housework and takes care of two smaller children in the family.

This Mother Is Inhuman.

Still another account of abuse is a mother's actions toward her 8-year-old child. She apparently wishes to get rid of him and not only refuses to care for him, but mistreats him in many ways.

The fourth case is of a little boy of 4, who is beaten unmercifully and slapped by his parents. "The fifth case we will not investigate," said Mrs. Swanton. "It isn't worth it. No children are involved, anyway, but it's just a sample of the queer things related to us."

Elderly Couple Quarrel.

"The message came by telephone and stated that a man and his wife, 60 years old, residing in one of Portland's suburbs, quarrel continuously and disturb the neighborhood with their uproar.

"We try to handle our cases out of court if possible. What we want is to have the children properly cared for and if we can frighten the parents into taking good care of their sons and daughters without taking the matter into court that is satisfactory to us."

POLICE OFFICER MISSING

INSPECTOR COLEMAN ACCUSED OF THREATENING SUPERIOR.

Verbal Attack on Lieutenant Day Followed by Disappearance of Veteran Detective.

Police yesterday were trying to find Inspector Tom Coleman in order to take him before Mayor Baker for an investigation into determining the facts of an alleged verbal attack and threats which Coleman is reported to have made against lieutenant and inspectors Joe Day in the foyer of the Oregon hotel one night early this week.

According to information at police headquarters Coleman has not been seen since the occurrence and men were assigned to try to locate him. Chief of Police Jenkins left yesterday afternoon for Oak Ridge to join his wife on a week's vacation and said definite action against Coleman would be postponed until he returned. In all probability, the chief thought the affair would result in the suspension of Coleman from the detective force for a month or longer, but he said that if the facts of the case warranted dismissal, such action would be taken.

Coleman is said to be the best yegg detective on the Pacific coast. He has approximately 15 weeks to serve yet on the police force until he is subject to retirement on pension.

SPECIALTY STORE TO OPEN

Establishment to Carry Women's and Misses' Wearing Apparel.

L. N. Levinson, who has been connected with one of the department stores of the city as buyer and manager of the cloak and suit department for the past several years, has established a specialty store in women's and misses' wearing apparel on Morrison street, southeast corner of Park street. The new store will be opened to the general public Monday.

The store building has been completely remodeled for the accommodation of the new store, and the interior has been beautifully tinted and fitted with cabinets.

BLUE BOOK IS OFF PRESS

1921-1922 Edition Compiled by Secretary of State Received Here.

The 1921-1922 edition of the Oregon Blue book, compiled by Sam A. Koser, secretary of state, is just off the press and a copy of it was received in Portland yesterday.

In addition to an official list of state, county and municipal officers, the volume contains general information concerning the personnel and functions of all state officers, boards, commissions and institutions, as well as all federal departments maintaining offices in the state. There is also included much statistical data relative to the state and the various state activities.

IRE OF HOLMAN AROUSED

Wrangle Over Poor Farm.

D. D. Jackson, who presented a petition signed by about 300 prominent

citizens, applying for appointment as superintendent of the county farm, has aroused the ire of Rufus Holman, chairman of the county commission, by so doing. The controversy between Mr. Jackson and Mr. Holman has reached the "question of veracity" stage and each disputes the statements of the other.

Letters have been sent by Mr. Holman to the signers of the petition, asserting that they have been imposed upon, that the petition doesn't set forth the true facts, and Mr. Holman declares that the county farm is "an example of excellent public administration" and is showing a profit. In an open letter to the public, Mr. Jackson declares that Mr. Holman is "the most dangerous and expensive luxury Multnomah county has ever enjoyed" and that between 1916 and 1920 the salary increase at the county farm has been 100 per cent and the supplies have increased 71 per cent.

VICTIM'S NAME UNLISTED

SHIP LINE HAS NO RECORD OF MRS. GRIMES.

"Company Told Me Wife Missed Boat," Says Husband of Woman Drowned on Alaska.

Mrs. W. J. Grimes, who lost her life on the steamer Alaska, was not listed on the company's record of passengers and it was not until Monday night, when her body was picked up by a fisherman's boat, that her name was known.



Mrs. W. J. Grimes, Oregon woman who lost her life on the Alaska.

husband, who was in Eureka, learned of her death, Mr. Grimes, who brought the body to Portland yesterday for burial, said that he was assured by company officials in Eureka that his wife must have missed the boat, since her name was not on their lists.

Mrs. Grimes, who had come to Sherwood, Or., to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Stabineck, had purchased a round-trip ticket upon leaving Oakland three weeks ago on the Ross City. Mr. Grimes met a young man in Eureka, whose name he did not recall, who said he had helped Mrs. Grimes into the second lifeboat, which capsized.

Funeral services will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Grimes' parents at Sherwood. The Rebekah lodge of Wilsonville will assist in the services.

Mrs. Grimes spent her girlhood days in Sherwood. She had lived in California for a number of years and for several years was principal of the theory department of Health Business college at Oakland, Cal. She narrowly escaped death at the time of the San Francisco earthquake.

She was a member of the Golden Chain chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star, which held special services for her in Oakland. She is survived by her husband, whose home is in Oakland, by her parents and five brothers, Dan of Colton, Or., and Rufus, Robert, George and Archie of Sherwood.

TRADE EXPERT ENGAGED

Services of Dr. Frank R. Rutter Secured by University.

Dr. Frank R. Rutter, recognized as one of the leading authorities of the country on tariff and foreign trade, will be a member of the foreign trade department of the University of Oregon this year, according to an announcement made yesterday by Professor E. C. Robbins, dean of the school who conferred with officials of the Chamber of Commerce relative to work for the coming year.

In addition to his duties with the university, Dr. Rutter will act as advisor to foreign trade firms in Portland and will spend Monday of each week with the Chamber of Commerce. Both Professor A. L. Lomax, who is now with the foreign trade department of the university, and Dr. Rutter will conduct extension work classes in Portland.

Dr. Rutter has been assistant director of the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce in Washington, and was at one time commercial attaché at Tokyo, Japan.

BIG DELEGATION PLANNED

Reactors Prepare for Convention at Rainier National Park.

Plans for sending a record-breaking delegation to the annual convention of the Interstate Realty association at Rainier national park, August 24 to 27, were taken up at a special meeting of the Realty board held at the Portland hotel yesterday. Coe A. McKenna, president, appointed a committee headed by Harry Beckwith to have details of details of securing that Portland is adequately represented at the gathering.

Chester Fair announced the plans for the annual summer party of the Realty board to be held on the Bluebird Tuesday evening of next week.

Reports on various phases of the national convention of real estate boards recently held at Chicago were made by A. T. Ritter, Frank Epshaw, T. W. Zimmerman and L. A. Jones.

SUIT FOR DAMAGES FILED

Automobile Salesman Asks \$3000 for Injuries in Collision.

SALEM, Or., Aug. 12.—(Special).—W. T. Grier of West Salem, who was seriously injured recently when his automobile collided with a truck driven by Henry Kroeger, has filed a suit in the Marion county circuit court for \$3,000 damages from the owner of the truck. Mr. Grier is an automobile salesman.

Mr. Grier charges in his complaint that the Kroeger vehicle was operated carelessly, and in violation of the traffic regulations.

MEIER & FRANK CO. THE QUALITY STORE OF PORTLAND. ESTABLISHED 1857. THE AUGUST SALES OF FURS AND FURNITURE CLOSE THEIR SECOND WEEK OF SUPREME VALUE-GIVING TODAY.

Saturday—a Big Day in the Summer Sales for Men



EXTRA SPECIAL! 150 New Fall Suits \$37.50. Just received and just unpacked. 150 new fall and winter suits at a remarkably low price, quality considered.

Good looking velour and tricotine suits in plain and fancy embroidered styles. Desirable shades of black, navy, brown, taupe and reindeer. Many have large nutria fur collars; others are of the material. Regular and extra sizes.

Come in and see these new suits in this first of the season sale at \$37.50.

Jersey Sports Coats \$5. Final clearaway of 125 jersey sports coats of the better kind. Black, navy and brown; a few green and red. Styles with Tuxedo collars and patch pockets. Some are half price at \$5.

New Fall Skirts Just In. 100 new fall skirts just received by express. Shown in fancy pleated models—striped effects and plaids. Moderately priced at \$12.50 to \$19.50.

Summer Neckwear 35c. 3 pieces \$1. White and colored organdy collar and cuff sets, some vestee sets. Plain and lace-trimmed models. A few Peter Pan styles. Suitable for sweaters and dresses. Less than half price while any remain.

New Guimpes. Neckwear \$2.50. Made of white and ecru net with lace trimmings, some have bands of embroidered net and venise laces. With sleeves for jumper dresses. \$1.69, \$1.95, \$2.19 and \$2.49.

"Mystery" Veils 1/2 Price. Regularly priced \$2.25 to \$4; now \$1.13 to \$2. Chiffon trimmed "Mystery" veils for motoring. Jade, sand, grey, rose, navy, maize and black.

Take Kodak Pictures. "Picture Ahead," Kodak as you go—take kodak remembrances of the things you see and the places you visit. You will enjoy looking over these pictures in later years.

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Get your over-Sunday films here today—a fresh supply of Eastman films always on hand.

For best results in developing, printing and enlarging, bring us Monday the films you expose tomorrow.

This Electric Fan \$10. When it's sweltering hot! When there isn't a breath of air stirring. When you're nearly dead from the heat—one of these fans will come to your rescue.

Works on alternating or direct current. Blades are 8 inches in diameter. Fan is entirely nickel finish. Can be used on a desk, or wall. Guaranteed for one year.

Other fans at moderate prices. Meier & Frank's, Basement, Sixth Street, (Mail Orders Filled.)

SATURDAY In the Girls' Own Store

Newest arrivals and special sales will be featured Saturday in the Girls' Own Store.

New Middies. New Bob Evans middies of navy, red and green flannel with white, gold and black braid trimming. Sizes 6 to 22 but not all sizes in every kind. Priced \$4.95, \$5.95, \$6.95.

New Dresses. Mostly "Jack Tar" khaki dresses, also some from other well-known makers. Regulation style. Sizes 8 to 16 years, special \$2.55. Broken sizes 6 to 16 years, special \$3.95, \$5.95 and \$6.95.

Smocks \$5.95. Navy, brown and red jersey smocks with collars, cuffs and pockets. Sizes 10 to 16 years.

Wash Dresses. A broken assortment of styles, sizes and colors in these gingham dresses, some with organdy trimming. Sizes 6 to 14 years. \$1.98 dresses \$1.45, the \$2.95 dresses \$1.95, the \$4.95 to \$6.95 dresses \$3.95.

Wash Dresses. Children's gingham, poplin, devonshire, chambray and crepe wash frocks in many styles—plain colors, checks and plaids. Sizes 8 to 16 years. \$0.95 to \$1.5 dresses special \$0.85.

New Jantzen Bathing Suits. Women's new Jantzen bathing suits in Harding blue and gold, scarlet and white, robin and gold, navy and gold, orange and black, kelly green and gold. Priced \$6.75. Socks to match, \$2. Caps to match, 75c.

Children's Jantzen bathing suits, sizes 2 to 14 years, \$3 to \$5.25. Meier & Frank's, Second Floor, (Mail Orders Filled.)

Boys' New Fall 2-Knicker SUITS \$12.50. These new fall all wool suits for boys are the best values at the price we have had in years. These suits are the kind of clothes boys like, the kind that will wear well and look well for months to come.

Buy these suits for "best" and—it's not a bit too early to select the boys' school clothes.

Sizes 6 to 17. The coats are in knife pleated Norfolk style with yokes. Double cloth belts. Fully lined and finished with inside cash pocket. Knickers are fall cut and full lined and are finished with watch pocket.

New mixtures of brown, tan and grey, also PLAIN BLUE SERGES.

New Fall Caps. Boys' new fall caps in neat patterns and colors with non-breakable visors, sizes 6 7/8 to 7 1/4 are \$1.50, \$2 and \$2.50.

New Sweaters. We have ready a big selection of new sweaters in many styles and colors and in all sizes at \$3.85 to \$9.

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Drugs and Toiletries. 25c Woodworth's Arbutus, Rose and Violet Talcum, 19c. Colgate's Coleo Soap, doz. cakes \$1.10, cake 10c. Palmer's Lotion Soap, cake 19c. Colgate's Turkish Bath Soap, cake 15c. Lysol Soap, cake 25c. Mary Fuller Nail Polish, cake 39c. Glazo Liquid Nail Polish, 50c. Telva Lotion, 50c. Santisepic Lotion, 45c.

Dr. Lyon's Tooth Powder, 23c. Revelation Tooth Powder, 25c. Pepsodent Tooth Paste, 45c. Milk of Magnesia, 16 oz. bottle 50c. Sugar Milk, B. 55c. Razor Blades for Gem and Everready razors, pkg. of 3 blades 10c.

Bathing Capes Special \$4.98. Less than half price for 16 bathing capes in assorted colors.

Mirro Aluminum Sauce Pans 59c. Mirro utensils last a lifetime. They are made of heavy pure aluminum. These 1 1/2 quart aluminum sauce pans (one illustrated) have extra strong well riveted handles. Limited number at 59c while any remain.

Meier & Frank's, Basement, (Mail Orders Filled.)

65c "Home-Made" Specials 39c. A delightful assortment of Meier & Frank quality candies—all made on the premises. 1500 pounds in two-piece boxes tied with ribbon and 1500 pounds packed in folding striped boxes. None delivered at this special price; pound box 39c. Meier & Frank's: Main and Ninth Floors, Basement Balcony.

Because almost every man will need some of these right away or real soon and because a man can use to excellent advantage the savings to be had in these summer sales. In addition to the special values in furnishings that continue today the Store for Men, Third Floor, announces

A Remarkable Sale 135 Fine Suits \$25

Most of the suits in this sale were marked "special \$39.85" and at the former price were excellent values—at \$25 they are wonders.

Single and Double Breasters. Made of finely serviceable finished and unfinished worsteds, cassimeres and chevils. Neat pin stripes, overplaids—in fact every pattern that a man would want. Styles for young men (all sizes), a few for more conservative dressers (larger sizes and stouts). We advise early selection if you would secure one of these fine suits at \$25.

Meier & Frank's: Third Floor, (Mail Orders Filled.)

Save on Furnishings

Third day of our great summer sales of men's furnishings in which we offer staple every-day-wanted articles for men at great savings:

Shirts. Eight special groups—tub silk shirts at \$3.95 (tax 10c), fiber silk striped Russian cords at \$4.95 (tax 20c), high-grade cotton shirts at \$1, white madras shirts at \$2.50, white oxford shirts at \$1.95, black saaten and Jumbo chevot work shirts at \$2.50, Victor flannel shirts at \$2.50.

Ties. The feature group is a sale of 4800 four-in-hand ties (nearly half are hand slip-stitched shouldered ties) at \$1, wash ties at 60c, genuine Irish spun knit ties at 85c and \$1.65.

Underwear. Three special groups—"Kool-weve" athletic union suits and Monarch mesh union suits at 75c, Stuttgarter athletic union suits at \$1.85, separate cotton ribbed undergarments at 75c.

Collars, Gloves, Suspenders and Other Furnishings Are Also Reduced.

"Knothe" Pajamas \$1.85. Just received by express. Knothe pajamas are famous for their wearing qualities, good looks and comfort. Made of extra fine percale in gray, blue, tan and white. Sizes 15 to 18. Limited number.

Meier & Frank's: Main Floor, (Mail Orders Filled.)

GOLFERS, ATTENTION! Dunlop 31 Golf Balls 65c

Here is a good opportunity to stock up with the famous Dunlop 31 (made in England) golf balls at 65c each or \$7.50 per dozen—the regular price is \$1 each.

For many years Dunlop golf balls have been identified with the finest there is in golf equipment—for distance and accuracy they are in a class by themselves. Limited number at these prices.

New Shipment Golf Clubs. We have just received a new shipment of the famous Wright & Ditson golf clubs. Our assortments of golf clubs are the finest in the city.

Come in and practice on the new Craig Golf Machine.

Get Ready for the Deer Season. Now is the time to prepare for the deer hunting season which opens August 20. We are prepared now with fine stocks of Remington and Winchester guns and ammunition.

Meier & Frank's: Sixth Floor, (Mail Orders Filled.)