PIONEER WOMAN KILLED BY CAR

Miss Mary Osborne Douthit Is Knocked Down on Morrison Street.

DIES FOUR HOURS LATER

Victim of Accident Is Teacher, Authoress and Prominent Worker in Cause of Woman Suffrage for Fifteen Years.

Knocked down by east-bound depot car No. 326, yesterday afternoon, shortly before 5 o'clock, at Morrison and Lownsdale streets, Miss Mary Os borne Douthit, one of Oregon's piones women, an authoress, teacher, promi-nent suffragist and a resident of Portland for the past 15 years, sustained a fractured skull and died four hours later at the Gwod Samaritan Hospital, after surgeons had operated in the vain

hope of saving her life.
According to the several witnesses who saw the accident, Miss Douthit was attempting to cross the street at the time. The east-bound car was hid den from her view as she was from the view of the motorman on that car by a west-bound car in the rear of which she walked across the tracks. No warning bell was heard. The motorman, J. A. Walters, said that Miss Douthit was between eight and ten feet from the car when she attempted to cross and that he had not time to do anything to prevent the accident, but apply the brakes as quickly as possible. The corner of the car struck her and knocked her to the pavement. She struck on her forehead with terrine clolence and lay unconscious until moved to the drug store of Dr. J. A. White, Morrison and Tenth streets.

Applies Brakes Too Late.

The conductor of the car, D. A. Brown, maintained that the car had been brought to a standatill as quick as possible. He says that he measured the distance and found the car had stopped within 62 feet from where Miss Douthit lay. Strangers picked her up and, assisted by the carmen, carried her to the drugstore. Both Dr. White and his wife who are necessity. carried her to the drugstore. Both Dr. White and his wife, who are personal friends of Miss Douthit, were in the store at the time, and Dr. Moore, who was formerly an Army surgeon, administered stimulants.

Miss Douthir did not regain con-sciousness. While Dr. White was at-tending her a surgeon in the employ of the street railroad company hurried of the street railroad company hurried to the scene and requested that the woman he removed to the hospital. As Miss Douthitt, in the opinion of Dr. White, had not sufficiently recovered from the shock, he refused to allow her to be removed from his store.

Dr. White telephoned to Miss Minnie Swank, the niece and only relative of Miss Douthit in this city. Miss Swank hurried to the drugstore and, after learning the facts, agreed to have her

learning the facts, agreed to have her relative removed to the hospital. Here is was found that the frontal bones were preasing on the brain, threatening death momentarily, and she was placed on the operating table to relieve this condition. She died within a short time after the surgeons had finished operating. finished operating.

Author of Book on Pioneers.

Miss Douthit had been more or less in the public eye eyer since she took up her residence in Fortland, is years ago. She was well known among the teachers and advocates of woman suffrage. Until a few years ago she was a teacher in the public schools. She gave up teaching then and devoted all her time to literary work and the agitation of the suffrage question. She was the authoress of "Pioneer Reunion," a book pertaining to the reminiscences of prominent Oregon and Washington women, which and Washington women, which came out in 1995, just prior to the Lewis and Clark Exposition. Beside this, she had written a number of brilliant papers on educa-tional and suffrage subjects.

Miss Douthil was a native of South Carolina, her family moving out to Ore-gon in 1853, making the trip across the plains. The family settled in Eastern pusits. The family settled in Eastern Oregon. She received her education in the convent at Salem and before teaching in the Portland schools, taught in the convent at The Dalles, where the family lived for a number of years. Her brother, John Douthit, was a newspaper man and worked on the first paper published in The Dalles. He still resides there, but is now in the real estate business. Besides her neice, Miss Swank, he is her only living relative, it is said.

ta her only living relative, it is said. Worked for Woman Suffrage.

At one time Miss Douthit conducted a sriodical in this city in the interests of roman suffrage, but it was not a success and was discontinued. Her father took great interest in the agricultural future of Oregon and was one of the strongest sgitators in the movement which resulted in the reliablement of the State Fair Salars.

Miss Douthit never established a per-Miss Douthit never established a por-mainent residence in Portland blu made her home from time to time with friends. For the past year she had been living with Mrs. M. O. Moore, at 1898 Sellwood streat. Her mece, Miss Swank was present at the deathbed of her aunt last tight at the hospital and was overcome with griss.

Douthit had just completed plans to make a tour of the coast counties of Oregon, where she intended to give bec-tures on the pioneers of the state and on woman suffrage.

Olucies is a part of the great ice sheet that covered the American Continent, practically in all its parts, 30,000 to 40,000 years ago. Of this it carries its own record. The ice composing the body of the giacier is absolutely pure, without sediment when melted, hence its beautiful blue. The reason of this is that at the time of its deposition the American Continent was covered with an ice sheet, so that no part of it was visible above that ice. The dust and rubbleh from growing vegetation from decaying rocks that now prevail are carried northward, swept into the farthest Arctio regions by the winds, and the gnows that fall in those regions are corrupted with their presence and always produce sediments when melted. When the ice forming the Muir Glacier was faid down the atmosphere was absolutely free from dust, because of the lack of dust-producing conditions, hence its absence now in the ice.

From a selfish point of view it may be regretted that the wonderful and grand Muir Glacier will soon be no more, but in it there is a prophery cast upon the screen for the benefit and comfort of all living creatures. The passing of these glaciers proclaims to the world is surely and steadily growing warmer, and will so contline till the

the world that the "climate of the world is surely and steadily growing warmer, and will so continue till the frigid regions of the North will become fitted for the abade of all things living. fitted for the feeding-ground of the elephant, the horse, the ox. Let them go. Balder, with his benign influence, will take their place, and the frost giants will be vanquished from the earth.

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SIMS WORKS LIKE BEAVER

Government Attorney Decides Course in Standard Appeal.

CHICAGO, July 25.- President Roose velt's statement of the Standard Oil de-cision had the effect of a galvanic battery on the Government's legal forces in Chicago yesterday. District Attorney Sims and his assistants are straining every nerve to regain the \$29,240,000 fine.

every herve to regain the \$23,240,000 fine, which slipped through their fingers in the decision of the Court of Appeals.

The Government prosecutor realizes that te go to trial again would even, in the event of a conviction, mean a much smaller fine. He, therefore, bases his hope on the theory of Attorney-General Bonaparte that the issues may be appealed to the United States Supreme Court through application for a writ of certiorari. The course of the action as now mapped out by the Government is understood to include an application by the Attorney-General for a writ of certiorari and a petition for a rehearing before the United States Court of Appeals.

Mr. Sime and his aides, Jamea H. Wilkerson and Hairry A. Parkin, were in tel-Mr. Sime and the allnes, James H. Wilkerson and Harry A. Parkin, were in telegraphic communication on this subject
with Mr. Bonaparte yesterday. The local department of the Bureau of Justice
will probably devote its attention to the
application for a rehearing, while Frank
Letters who will be called here the B. Kellogg, who will be called into the case at the suggestion of President Roosevelt will, it is understood, prepare the action that is to be presented to the Supreme Court.

INDULGES IN SENTIMENT

Roosevelt Writes Autograph Letter to Miss Kohlsant on Wedding Eve.

CHICAGO, July 5.—President Roosevelt has penned an affectionate little note to his old friend, Herman H. Kohlsaat, anent the approaching marriage of Mr. Kohisaat's daughter, to whom he referred as dear little Pauline. The President enclosed an autograph letter for Miss Kohisaat herself. The note conveyed Mr. Roosevelt's heartiest congratuations, his best wishes for her future happiness, and tucked in neatly at the end an expression of his love, the President assured Miss Kohisaat that "there are no lovers like wedded lovers."

This was President Roosevelt's wedding gift to Miss Kohisaat on the eve sant, ment the approaching marriage of

ding gift to Miss Kohisaat on the eve of her wedding to Potter Palmer, Jr., which takes place Monday. In his letter to Mr. Kohisaat, the President begs him to hand the enclosed to "dear little Pau-

line, of whom I am very fond."

The President then goes on to assure his friend that there can be no one outside of her own family who wishes her all possible happiness more sincerely

LIGHTNING KILLS THREE

Storms in Pennsylvania and New Jersey Do Much Damage.

PHILADELPHIA. July 25 .- Three lives were lost, several persons were injured and much damage was done by severe electrical storms in Pennsylvania and New Jersey last night and early today. Kathryn Wagner, a 5-year-old girl, was killed by lightning while watching the storm from a window of her home in Camden. dow of her home in Camden, N. J. Charles Keisler, a IZ-year-old boy, was struck dead in his home near York, Pa., and other members of the family were injured. James Cumliss was killed in this city by lightning.

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Reports from vanious parts of the
state show a very heavy rainfall,
reaching the proportions of a cloudburst in some places. All trains on the
Reading & Columbia Railroad, a branch
of the Reading System, have been annulled because of numerous washouts
and weakened bridges. Many streams
are out of their banks.

WATCHES SCHOONER LOU

Immigration Inspector Detailed to Investigate Smuggling Charge.

SAN DIEGO, July 25.-The schoone SAN DIEGO, July 25.—The schooner Lou, which according to Andrew P. Nelson, tittill Thursday a satior on board the vesset, has engaged in snuggling Chinese into this country, arrived at La Jolla tonight. On the beach, keeping watch of the craft, is a local immigration officer acting under orders of Inspector Engelke to investigate the craft and her crew. The inspector says that he has not been requested to apprehend.



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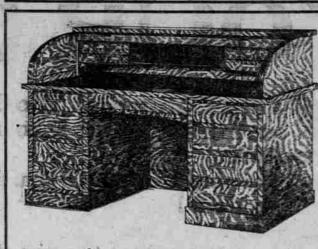
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apparatus and the number of passen-gers carried had been violated. An inspector was sent here and the Secretary of the department has agreed with the complaint made by Gohl. Dorn is out of the service and cannot be reprimanded, but it is likely no further demonstrations of the kind will be

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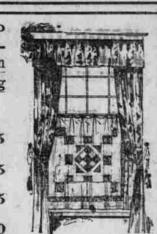
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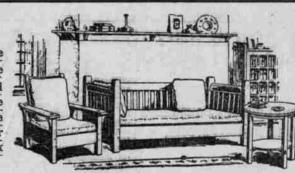
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