DOGS RUN DOWN FLEEING CONVICTS

Two Trusties, Who Escape From Salem Penitentiary, Are Caught Quickly.

GUARD RAISES HIS RIFLE

Fugitives, Worn Out by Five-Mile Flight, Readily Surrender and Are Back in Cells Within Few Hours.

SALEM, Or., Oct. 30.—(Special.)—Prompt pursuit by the prison officials and the splendid behavior of the prison bloodhounds foiled the escape of two convicts at the State Penitentiary this afternoon.

The convicts were Thomas Copp, sent up from Linn County last March to serve one year, and U. C. Alexander, who was received last June from Baker County to serve one year. The men were trusties and were employed on the farm just across the road from the prison.

Soon after being taken out to work after one o'clock the two convicts started on a run toward the south. They paid no attention to the shouts of the attendants, who were unarmed. Guard Mark Gage, who has charge of the dogs, was called and a number of armed guards were ready in a few minutes to take the trail. The dogs took the scent at once and held it until the men were captured, notwithstanding the fleeing convicts waded creeks and traveled through swamps to throw the dogs off the scent.

A short distance south of the Penitentiary the convicts concealed themselves in the thick underbrush, and no doubt would have been passed by but for the dogs, who frightened the men from their cover and sent them scurrying on through brush toward the south.

When just opposite the Reform School, about five miles from the Penitentiary, Guard Busick caught sight of the convicts and promptly covered them with his rifle, ordering them to throw up their hands. The command was complied with instantly, and the nearly exhausted men were soon on their way back to their cells. The entire episode had consumed less than two and one-half hours.

Recently the prison management adopted a new method of training and caring for the bloodhounds, and the result was shown in the speedy capture of the two men today.

STYLES BLAMED FOR SINS

Court Thinks Modern Clothes for Women Cause Delinquency.

CHICAGO, Oct. 30.—Reform of women's dress, in the interest of morals was advocated by Harry A. Smoot, general superintendent of the Juvenile Protection Association, in his report presented at the annual meeting of the association yesterday. Declaring that prevailing styles accentuated disease and were responsible for the downfall of many young girls and boys, Mr. Smoot urged that the association use its influence with the sources of fashions, as well as with the girls themselves, to introduce more modest styles.

"On walking up and down our streets, especialy in the downtown district, cannot help but be impressed with the belief that the extreme styles in dress which the young are prone to wear must surely be contributing causes to delinquency," said Mr. Smoot. "Frequently every article of dress is so designed and so arranged as to accentuate the wearer's sex."

CAPTIVE BALLOON ESCAPES

Photographer Lands Safely After Thrilling Experience.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 30.—A. G. Pillsbury, of this city, landed safely in Newark, Alameda County, late today, after a thrilling flight in a captive balloon which broke loose from a launch to which it was attached while the aeronaut was taking pictures of the local waterfront.

After completing his work Pillsbury signalled to the crew on the launch to draw the balloon in. The windless had turned but a few times when the cable broke. With the snapping of the strand the balloon ascended so high that it was barely discernible to the crowds watching it in the city.

Pillsbury was not injured.

ROAD ASSESSMENT STANDS

Douglas County Insists $38,000 Per Mile Is Value of S. P.

ROSEBURG, Or., Oct. 30.—(Special.)—The Douglas County Board of Equalization closed its work this evening, and in a majority of cases it upheld Assessor Calkins in valuations and assessments. Principal among the objectors was the Southern Pacific, which is assessed at $38,000 on its roadbed and rolling stock. This vote by the board was unanimous.

It is officially announced by the board of Josephine County that the Southern Pacific has been given the same valuation there and also in Jackson and Clackamas Counties. In two instances the valuation was raised and in seven only was it lowered.

AUTO'S WILD RUN FATAL

Big Machine Gets Away on Hill, One Killed, Two Hurt.

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—Speeding to the Vanderbilt cup race today, a big automobile ran wild on a steep hill in East New York and crashed into a wall of the National Cemetery, instantly killing William Burnett, of this city, and injuring two other occupants.

The injured are not expected to live.

PRATT'S RECALL URGED

Two Hundred Petitions Circulated in Spokane.

SPOKANE, Wash., Oct. 30.—(Special.)—Two hundred petitions for the recall of Mayor Pratt were placed in circulation this morning by a citizens' committee, acting in conjunction with the committee appointed at the Kenwood mass meeting last week. No petitions will be placed in saloons. To secure a recall election 3200 or 3300 names will be necessary.

The petition says:

"The grounds on which the removal of the said N. S. Pratt, as petitioned, are his utter failure to meet the wishes of the people in the matter of the building of the extensions to the city water plant. Viewing the proper solution of the water question as the issue of the greatest moment now facing the people of this city, we are convinced that the said N. S. Pratt is no longer in sympathy with the people on this question and, therefore, is not longer fitted to be identified with this undertaking, most vital to the prosperity of the city.

"We further believe that the domination of the said N. S. Pratt by the Spokesman-Review and the Cowles newspaper interests, contrary to the best interests and general welfare of the city, has greatly impaired his usefulness in the office and rendered him incapable of longer fairly and impartially administering the duties of Mayor of said city."

NEW INDIAN AGENT APPOINTED FOR THE UMATILLA RESERVATION.

Major E. L. Swartzlander.

PENDLETON, Or., Oct. 30.—(Special.)—Major E. L. Swartzlander has just been appointed Indian agent for the Umatilla Reservation. He is the man upon whom the Indian Service will depend for the enforcement of the rules recently promulgated to govern the leasing of the Umatilla Indian lands to white renters.

FARMERS' VOICE HEARD

PROTEST AGAINST ACTION OF SEATTLE MARINE LEAGUE.

Movement to Compel Foreign Vessels to Return in Ballast Is Aid to Shipping Trust.

PENDLETON, Or., Oct. 30.—(Special.)—Declaring the efforts of the Merchants' Marine League, of Seattle, to secure an order compelling foreign vessels which bring coal to Pacific Coast points for use of the Navy to return to their original loading port in ballast, is in the interest of a shipping trust, the farmers and citizens of Umatilla County, in mass meeting assembled, this afternoon voiced their protest against the scheme.

Resolutions were adopted which are to be circulated generally throughout the county, and copies of which will be sent to every member of the Oregon Congressional delegation and to the Secretary of the Navy. All farmers and commercial organizations of the Pacific Coast ar called upon to co-operate with the local people in their protest.

Judge Stephen A. Lowell, of this city, was named as chairman of the meeting, while State Representative C. A. Barrett, of Athena, was made secretary. Congressman W. R. Ellis was present and made a short address. He heartily approved of the action being taken by his copstituents, and promised his unqualified support and co-operation.

Speeches were also made by the president of the Inland Graingrowers' Association and the county organization of the Farmers' Union. All were of one mind, and the resolution of protest was adopted without a single dissenting voice. It is pointed out in the resolutions that the wheatgrowers of the Pacific Coast are compelled to rely upon the export trade for the disposal of their wheat, and that the shipping rates constitute a vital element in fixing the prices.

It is also declared that there should be the freest use of all available vessels for transporting the wheat to the markets of the world, and that it is to the best interests of the growers that the present shipping conditions be maintained.

Included in the resolutions is a vigorously worded protest against the action of the Marine League, and against the Government or any officers granting the application of the league.

FAKE DUEL IS STARTLING

New Stunt Introduced by Newly-Initiated Elk.

SPOKANE, Wash., Oct. 30.—(Special.)—Turning the tables on the Elks, who were initiating candidates, Sam Cone, special officer of the United States, and J. H. Love, a mining man from Pierce City, caused a small-sized panic in the Lewiston, Idaho, hall last week and caused more real sport for the candidates than the members had secured from their initiation of candidates. The incident has just leaked out.

After putting on the regular work, Love proposed that the "third degree" be administered. Cone came to the rescue of the candidates, declaring that some of them were his friends, to whom he had recommended the order, and that he would object to further initiation.

Love rose angrily and declared that he knew Cone, who had searched his grip on the reservation for booze and that he proposed to tolerate no more insults, even if Cone was a Government officer. With that he pulled a big revolver and fired point blank at Cone, who is a dead shot.

Cone immediately pulled his revolver and began firing. Members made a mad rush for the doors, knocking one another over, almost breaking the doors in an effort to get out of range.

While the two men were firing some one in on the play turned out the lights for an instant, and when they were flashed on again, Cone and Love were shaking hands and hooting the frightened members, who returned to their seats considerably abashed.

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For any case of Kidney, Bladder or Rheumatic trouble Hall's Texas Wonder cannot cure if taken in time and given a fair trial. One bottle often perfects a cure. Sold by all druggists or mail, $1.00. Send for testimonials. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive st., St. Louis, Mo.

FIVE DOCTORS TO PROBE WEIRD CASE

Ernest Harps, Said to Have Odd Power, Will Be Quizzed by Medical Men.

MOTHER TAKES LAD AWAY

Examination of Boy, Blamed for Disturbance in Sanders Home, to Be Held Today in West Side Lodging-House.

Little Ernest Harps, the 11-year-old boy said by his uncle to be the cause of the strange upheaval of the furniture and fittings of the house, at 546 Marshall street, occupied by the lad's grandparents, last Thursday afternoon, will be examined by five physicians today. None of the doctors would give his opinion of the case or assert why examination of the lad had been determined upon by them as a body.

The examining board will be composed of Dr. V. C. Birney, who has attended the boy for several months; Dr. P. S. Kaadt, of Clinton, Ia., an alienist visiting Portland; Dr. J. A. Pettit, Dr. J. Allen Gilbert and Dr. Robinson who is associated with Dr. Gilbert in practice here.

"We will not only examine the boy," said Dr. Birney last night but will investigate every phase of the strange case."

Peace and quiet reign in the home, at 546 Marshall street, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Sanders, grandparents of the lad, saying the strange disturbance which rent their home last Thursday afternoon ceased at 6 o'clock that evening a sofa jumping higher than a foot in the air being the last of the odd movements that had continued intermittently beginning at 1:30 o'clock. The sofa was one of the first articles of furniture to be impelled by the strange power early in the afternoon. At 5:30 o'clock the end of the lounge raised three times and after absence of all movement in the house for half an hour the sofa, without the aid of any human agency, raised itself in the air and dropped with a thud that was heard next door.

Said Boy Had Devil in Him.

Throughout the night, Mr. and Mrs. Sanders reported to neighbors, not an unnatural movement stirred any article in any room of the house. Friday afternoon Ernest Harps, the boy blamed for the weird rumpus, was taken away by his mother to a West Side lodging-house where he will be examined by the quintet of physicians this morning.

R. Sutherland, owner of the house which was subjected to the odd manipulations of the unknown presence, did not insist on the boy's removal from his property. His words to the grandparents of the lad, Mrs. Annie Harps, his mother, and George R. Perry, the boy's uncle were:

"I feel that the boy is the cause of the strange disturbance but, if he is not, he may remain with his grandparents in the house. If he is the cause, I will have to ask you to find another home for him."

That afternoon, after the boy had been prescribed for by Dr. Birney, his mother led him away from the house of mystery.

Night Passed Quietly.

"Mr. Perry, the uncle of the boy," said Mr. Sutherland yesterday, "first told me that the boy was possessed of the devil. He came to my house and made that statement voluntarily in the presence of my family. I would never have thought of blaming the little fellow if it had not been for his uncle. The boy's grandparents and his mother have since admitted to me that the boy has been most peculiar ever since his birth. I did not actually tell them to take the boy away, but left it to them. He left with his mother yesterday afternoon. I feel positive that the Harps boy was the cause of the strange movements in the house, but for the sake of giving everyone a square deal, I will have the house examined by an expert electrician, although I am positive there is not a live wire in the house."

Inquiries among neighbors, at A. J. Allen's drugstore across the street, and among people who had visited the house of mystery during the furniture and crockery shakeup, elicited the information that little Ernest Harps was not allowed to go down into the cellar throughout the disturbance. The cellar was the only part of the house not visited by the mystifying phenomena.

Mr. Sanders, it seems, fearing heavy articles stored in the basement would fall on his aged wife or the little boy, cautioned them not to descend the steps, saying he would investigate. He returned upstairs, reporting nothing had moved below. This quiet was maintained in the basement throughout all the odd doings of the afternoon and evening.

DESCHUTES APPLES WIN

Oregon Fruit Carries Away Hill's Prize in Montana.

In a telegram received yesterday from Louis W. Hill, president of the Great Northern Railway it was stated the first prize for the individual display at the Farming Congress just held at Billings, Montana, was won by residents of the Deschutes Valley. The telegram was sent in care of William Harder, general agent of the Great Northern Railway.

Mr. Harder said yesterday that L. W. Hill gave a cash prize of $1000 for the individual display in addition to the trophy. A sample Wolf apple from the Deschutes Valley in possession of Mr. Harder measured 16½ inches in circumference and weighed 27 ounces.

The telegram from Mr. Hill read as follows:

Minot, Oct. 30.—To the Editor: We are pleased to advise you that Deschutes Valley has taken the largest silver cup prize for best individual display at Farming Congress, Billings; also other prizes and cups.

LOUIS W. HILL,
Pres. Great Northern Ry.

TEAMSTER HIT BY AUTO

Alexander Goffin Run Over by Machine, but Not Badly Hurt.

Alexander Goffin, a teamster, was struck last night by an automobile driven by Dr. A. E. Rockey, and after being carried for a few feet on the running board of the car, he fell to the pavement and the machine passed over one of his legs. His in injuries proved not to be of a serious nature.

Goffin had been drinking before the accident occurred, and this is believed to have been responsible for it. He was crossing Morrison and Sixth street when the machine hit him. As the car was slowing down at the time, Goffin dropped onto the step and sat upright on it for a little while before he fell under the wheels.

Dr. Rockey picked Goffin up and drove him in his automobile to the Marquam building, where he treated the man's wounds before sending him to the Good Samaritan Hospital. A few bruises below the knees were the extent of Goffin's injuries.

Constipation And Appendicitis

The Latter Usually Caused by the Former, Which, in Turn, Has Its Origin in Intestinal Indigestion.

Chronic constipation is a disease which is about as prevalent as dyspepsia and indigestion. Nearly every one suffers from it occasionally, but there are millions of people who endure it habitually, and who are accustomed to resort to the use of laxatives and cathartics daily.

Many people seemed to have developed a perfect mania for taking pills, and instead of trying to ascertain the latent cause of the disease, and removing it by appropriate treatment, they are content to continue the reckless use of laxatives, aperients, drastic cathartics and violent purgatives, until finally inflammation of the bowels occurs, which reaches the appendix, and the result is appendicitis.

In investigating and tracing the causative factors of constipation and its frequent sequel, appendicitis, it has been noted by physicians that the majority of cases were preceded and accompanied by a long-standing gastro-intestinal indigestion.

The idea that appendicitis is brought on by foreign bodies, such as seeds, etc., becoming lodged in the appendix, is an exploded theory. It is now definitely known that constipation is the most prolific cause of this dread disease, while the constipation itself is previously induced by intestinal indigestion, or amylaceous dyspepsia—the inability to digest starches—so the relation between cause and effect is readily seen and appreciated.

The absurdity of attempting to cure constipation by the use of physic should be apparent to every one. Laxative drugs and powerful purgatives will never cure a disease of this sort, and those who make frequent or regular use of them will, sooner or later, set up an inflammatory condition of the intestinal system.

A person with first-class digestion will never be annoyed with chronic constipation, and when this trouble does exist, instead of slugging the system with pills, liquid laxatives, candy cathartics, etc., use a remedy which will cure the gastro-intestinal indigestion, and you will find that the constipation no longer bothers you, and with its removal, the risk of developing appendicitis will be reduced to the minimum.

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EXHIBITS TAKE PRIZES

Pacific County Proud of Showing Made at Seattle Fair.

SOUTH BEND, Wash., Oct. 30.—(Special.—H. J. Hubler and George Foster Pacific County A.-Y.-P.-E. Commissioners, have returned from Seattle and brought with them the official list of prizes awarded to Pacific County and several of its citizens.

Including Pacific County, there were 20 Pacific County exhibitors, and, all together, they received two grand prizes, seven gold medals, six silver medals, 11 bronze medals and one honorable mention. The exhibits consisted of salmon, other fish, native and Eastern oysters and clams; general display of county resources; fruits, vegetables, small fruits, fir and spruce lumber, collection of wood samples, manufactured furniture, model of oyster dredge boat.

In addition to these, Eli Rockey, president of the Pacific County Good Roads Association, won three first prizes on his fine team of English carriage horses and also won a blue ribbon on the same team at the Seattle Horse Show. Hardly a county in the state made as good a showing.

Ten jars of shellfish, properly labeled, were left to become a part of the State University's museum. The balance of the exhibits will be brought home and placed on exhibition in the city.

Evangelist Van Marter Coming.

RAYMOND, Wash., Oct. 30.—(Special.)—Evangelist Van Marter, who has been holding meetings in the Methodist Episcopal Church here during the past week, has been greeted with large audiences nightly. Mrs. Van Marter, who accompanies her husband, assists him in his work and in singing. The next engagement of these evangelists will be at the Sellwood Methodist Church, of Portland. Mr. Van Marter is the conference evangelist of the Oregon Conference of the Methodist Church, and will spend most of the coming season in and around Portland.

Water Users Lay Campaign.

PENDLETON, Or., Oct. 30.—(Special.)—In order that nothing may be left undone to secure an appropriation from the Reclamation Service funds for an extension of the Umatilla project in this county, an important conference is being arranged for the very near future. It will be held in this city under the auspices of the Pendleton Commercial Association, and an effort will be made to have the Oregon Congressional delegation present. These men will be communicated with and a date fixed which will be satisfactory to all of them.

Marriage Licenses.

ELLIS-HEISE—Frank Ellis, 21, city; Edith Heise, 18, city.

GREENE-NICHOLS—Ezra Greene, 35, Vancouver, Wash.; Mrs. Ada M. Nichols, 20, city.

PERKINS-GRAY—Cloan N. Perkins, 21, city; Grace W. Gray, 18, city.

MALAR-HEACOCK—Anton Malar, 22, Baring Or.; Nina Heacock, 22, city.

SCOTT-CHAMBERS—Horace R. Scott, 27, Corvallis, Or.; Leonora V. Chambers, 19, city.

LAFREN-SPARMEAN—Carl Lafren, 28, city; Anna Sofia Sparmean, 19, city.

JOHNS-BRONKEN—Claude M. Johns, 24, city; Rose Bronken, 23, city.

WERTZ-BRYANT—E. J. Wertz, 38, city; Lillian Bryant, 35, city.

DU GAS-MATHEWS—Leon H. Du Gas, 21, city; Nora A. Mathews, 19, city.

HOUGHTON - SHEPARD — George H. Houghton, 29, city; Mabell V. Shepard, 21, city.

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NEED MORE COWS

Condensers Close Down Because of Lack of Milk.

FARMERS SELLING HERDS

Hillsboro Board of Trade Is Aroused to Seriousness of Situation and Mass Meeting in Courthouse, Brings Out Big Attendance.

HILLSBORO, Or., Oct. 30.—(Special.)—The big dairymen's meeting at the courthouse today taxed the capacity of the Circuit Court room, and scores were unable to secure seats. The occasion of the meeting was the diminution of Washington County's milk supply, and the fact that many who have engaged in dairying have been selling their herds this Fall, owing, it is said by those so doing, to the high prices for feed, and the lack of profit in the business.

E. H. Stuart, president of the Pacific Coast Condensed Milk Company, which has condensers here and at Forest Grove, took up the question as a result of a call by the Hillsboro Board of Trade, occasioned by the fact that the condenser closed down here early this month, and will not resume unless the factory is furnished milk in larger quantities.

He advocated putting in better strains of milk cows and more producing of green feed, which, in turn, means less purchase of mill feed and a better profit to cow men. He stated that as compared with two years ago the Forest Grove condenser had received 800,000 pounds less milk in October, 1909, and that if this decrease continued it would be but a question of time until the condenser at that place must close—and this notwithstanding the fact his company is now starting to build a factory at Whatcom, Wash., and has more orders for cream than can be filled.

Portland Creates Demand.

One great cause of the milk reduction in the condenser supply is due to the increased demand for milk in Portland, where the dairy disturbances has thrown many dairies out of commission, coupled also with the closing of many dairies by the high water. The Portland buyers have canvassed east Washington County and offered what is deemed a better price for cream than that paid by the condensers, and this leaves the dairymen their skimmed milk, which is an important factor in raising of calves and swine.

Dr. James Withycombe, of the Corvallis Agricultural College, addressed the audience on the topic of dairying, and dwelt upon the fact that through the dairy interests Washington County had jumped from eighth to first place in production; had rejuvenated the soil by fertilization incident to keeping large herds of cows, and that today the farmer is much better off than under the old regime of hay, grain and vegetables.

Home Market to Be Developed.

The Hillsboro condenser will remain closed until the milk supply is materially increased, and the Board of Trade will make an endeavor to interest farmers in sending their product here instead of to an outside market.

Judge W. H. Hallis, president of the Washington County Development League, presided over the session. Other speakers were Dr. J. P. Tamlesie, president of the Hillsboro Board of Trade; J. W. Hughes, of Forest Grove; Mayor J. W. Connell, Hillsboro, and H. H. Stuart, former manager of the Forest Grove and Hillsboro condensers, now of Seattle.

COOS BAY IS ENCOURAGED

Hears Rumors That Northwestern May Build to Coast.

MARSHFIELD, Or., Oct. 30.—(Special.)—A press dispatch from New York, stating that the Northwestern was planning a bond issue for the completion of the lines of the company to the Pacific Coast, has created some interest here, because rumor has connected the name of the Northwestern with one of the local railroad surveys.

There is some hope felt that the Northwestern may make Coos Bay a terminus.

Raymond Business Man Weds.

RAYMOND, Wash., Oct. 30.—(Special.)—Word has been received here of the marriage of Jacob Siler, president and manager of the Siler Mill Company, of this city. The wedding was celebrated at Riverside, Cal., the bride being Miss Sarah K. Miller, librarian of the University of Southern California. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Freeman D. Bovard, president of the University. Mr. and Mrs. Siler are expected home in about two weeks.

This Bridal Tour Unique.

ALBANY, Or., Oct. 30.—(Special.)—Jesse C. South and Addie C. Attridge, of Waterloo, who were married in this city yesterday afternoon by Rev. W. S. Gordon, started today on a unique wedding trip. They will make their home in Crook County and will drive across the mountains by the Willamette Valley and Cascade Mountain wagon road. As it is unusually late in the year for trips across the mountains they will probably encounter considerable snow.

Eugene Business House Sold.

EUGENE, Or., Oct. 30.—(Special.)—The Crescent Dry Goods Store, on Willamette street, between Seventh and Eighth, has been sold to George McMoran & Washburne, who will take possession of the business on January 1. The Crescent is one of the big local dry goods stores and has been conducted by Oscar Campbell. The new owners have conducted the S. H. Friendly store.

Convict Foundry Rebuilt.

SALEM, Or., Oct. 30.—(Special.)—The shops destroyed at the Penitentiary early in the Summer have been rebuilt and the new buildings will be ready for occupancy on Monday, November 1. The buildings will again be occupied by Lowenberg, Going & Co., employing convict labor in the manufacture of stoves and ranges.

Coos Invites Kentucky Pastor.

MARSHFIELD, Or., Oct. 30.—(Special.)—The Christian Church of Marshfield has extended to Rev. W. H. Barnes, of Lexington, Ky., a call to become pastor of the local church. The congregation is rushing the preliminary work for a new church building to be erected here.

Editor's Home Burns.

GRANTS PASS, Or., Oct. 30.—(Special.)—The residence of C. G. Coutant, editor of the Rogue River Courier, was burned last night, together with a portion of the contents. The loss is about $800, partially covered by insurance.

Judges Go to Pendleton.

SALEM, Or., Oct. 30.—(Special.)—The Supreme Court justices will leave Monday for Pendleton, to hold the regular November session of the court at that place.

THREE JUDGES DECIDE

WASHINGTON COURT LAYS DOWN MAJORITY RULE.

Case Sent Back for Rehearing Is Affirmed and Precedent Firmly Established.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Oct. 30.—(Special.)—Three judges may be a majority of the nine judges of the State Supreme Court, is the unanimous decision of the nine members of the present High Court in a decision rendered today, in a case wherein it was contended that under the state constitution it would require a majority of the entire bench to render an opinion.

When the Court some time ago decided that Matt H. Gormley was legally entitled to retain the office of Treasurer of King County because the Treasurer elected had failed to qualify, the decision was signed by but four judges.

Application was made to the court for a rehearing on the contention that the new law dividing the court into two departments of five judges each, of which a majority, or three, could render a decision, was in violation of the constitution.

To settle this question the court granted the rehearing and today reaffirmed by a vote of seven to two the decision sustaining Gormley in office, and by unanimous vote held that the constitutional provision fixing a majority of the court required only three members, that number being a majority of the original bench.

The constitutional language reads: "The Supreme Court shall consist of five judges, a majority of whom shall be necessary to pronounce decision." Later the constitution provides that the Legislature may increase the number of judges and may provide for separate departments.

Horse Kicks Child.

SALEM, Or., Oct. 30.—(Special.)—A little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Frohmaer was seriously injured this afternoon by being kicked by a horse. The child is expected to recover.

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