

MOB TRIES TO SAVE CAMORRIS GANG

Riot Marks Arrival of Italian Conspirators at Viterbo for Trial.

FRIENDS ASSAULT POLICE

Heads of Secret Society Which Terrorizes Italy Brought to Justice as First Step to Extricate Whole Association.

VITERBO, Italy, Jan. 7.—Detachments of police and carabinieri, both heavily armed, surrounded the station here today in anticipation of the arrival of 22 members of the Camorra, who are to stand trial for the murder of James Cuccolo, a leading member of the band, who had incurred the vengeance of the Camorristas for alleged acts of treachery. Cuccolo's body was found on the sea shore near Naples in June, 1906, and the mutilated body of his wife was discovered shortly afterward in a house nearby.

Extraordinary precautions had been taken by the authorities to guard the prisoners and to prevent any attempt at release. They have been in close confinement for more than three years and their friends and relatives gathered at the station. Police detachments were stationed at various points, and when the train arrived from Naples there was a scene of riot and disorder. It was known that nothing would be left undone to effect a rescue, and orders had been issued to put down any such attempt by whatever means necessary.

Mob Threatens Police.

The prisoners descended from the car in groups of five chained together. They comprised all varieties of the social scale from dandy to lazzarone. Chief among them was Enrico Alfano, better known as Ericone, head of the Camorra, who was arrested in New York in April, 1907, by Detective Petrosino. He appeared thinner and grayer than ever. He was wrapped up in heavy furs and seemed hardly able to stand.

The mob, temporarily held in check by a show of authority, broke into cries, shrieks and execrations at the sight of the prisoners, and attempted to break through the lines to get near them, but the carabinieri pushed them back with their guns. Intense excitement reigned and the surging mass of people threatened an attack upon the police.

Light Likely on Petrosino Murder.

The men were marched to prison, surrounded by heavy guards, and the crowds dispersed. Caputo, the marshal of the carabinieri, who has distinguished himself in exposing the Camorra, is director of the police arrangements. The trial will begin shortly, and Viterbo, which is 32 miles from Rome, was selected in order that all concerned in the prosecution would be removed from the direct influence of the association, which has been a terror for all law-abiding Italians.

It is believed that the prosecution will shed light on the killing of Detective Petrosino at Palermo in March, 1909, where he was sent by the New York Police Department to secure information on Italian criminals. Scores of murders are charged against the Camorristas now in the hands of the police, although the coming trial will have to do only with the assassination of Cuccolo and his wife.

This is the beginning of a far-reaching movement which the Italian Government contemplates against the Camorra Association, which, according to the Minister of Justice and other members of the Cabinet, must be wiped out.

ROBBER SUSPECT FOUND

Finding of Black Mask Helps Pursuers of Nevada Gang.

WINNEMUCA, Nev., Jan. 7.—Two men, believed to be the robbers who held up the Inlay saloon here last night, killing Jean Quilic, the proprietor, and mortally wounding his wife, were captured today and are now in the Winnemucca jail. The men secured \$1200, part of a sum drawn from the bank yesterday by the saloonman. Sheriff Lamb struck the robbers' trail at daylight, accompanied by the Indian trapper. Shortly after leaving town they picked up a black mask and almost immediately met a man searching along the trail, evidently looking for the mask. He was arrested, and the trail was followed to a camp farther on, where another man was found. The third had made his escape.

J. J. HILL PLEDGES AID

(Continued from First Page.) able of the old endowment. When we have raised \$250,000 in cash additional Mr. Hill's \$50,000 will be available. This will make a total of \$425,000. It will then be necessary to secure \$25,000 additional before Mr. Booth's conditions are met. Mr. Booth's contribution will be the last to be added. It will make a total of \$500,000, of which \$500,000 will be endowment fund and \$10,000 for a new building.

Subscription First on Coast.

With \$500,000 in the endowment fund, Willamette University will be the most heavily endowed denominational institution in the Pacific Northwest. Mr. Hill's subscription is very liberal and will send inspiration not only to the friends of Willamette University, but also to all friends of education. Mr. Hill has been a generous friend of denominational education in the Middle West, but this is the first time he has extended his beneficence to any school on the Pacific Coast.

In his letter to Mr. Hill, President Homan said:

"Ever since I received your first letter assuring your help I have been quietly, but persistently, planning for the time when your gift would be the inspiration which would bring success to the movement. I feel sure that will be the result of your splendid contribution.

"Through the months of October and November I sent out hundreds of let-

ters and pamphlets to citizens of Oregon, endeavoring to educate them to the importance of this campaign, and to get them prepared for it. The great interest centered in your big abroad operations in this state, furnishing such a psychological moment that it would seem the publication of your offer would give the greatest possible momentum to our campaign.

Gratitude Is Sincere.

"I am greatly grateful for your magnificent gift. It will certainly inspire a sincere spirit of gratitude in the hearts of the lovers of higher education throughout Oregon and the United States."

Willamette University, the oldest in the Northwest, was founded in 1844 by Methodist missionaries and has been continued under the auspices of that denomination. It was the first educational institution west of the Rocky Mountains.

"The school has graduated many who have risen to positions of prominence in the business and professional world of the Northwest," said President Homan. "Among the more prominent are Chief Justice Alshie, of the Idaho Supreme Court; Justices Dunbar, Chadwick and Fuller, of the Washington Supreme Court; the late John B. Wardo, at one time Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Oregon; Henry H. Gilfry, chief clerk of the United States Senate; Samuel L. Simpson, poet and journalist, who died in June, 1899; Justice Eakin, of the Oregon Supreme Court; Representative Hawley, of the First Oregon Congressional district; B. F. Irvine, associate editor of the Oregon Journal; Edgar B. Piper, managing editor of The Oregonian; J. B. Horner, professor of English in the Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, and E. Steeves, ex-Lieutenant-Governor of Idaho. Every elective state office in Oregon has been held by a Willamette student.

Great Future Planned.

"The school has several departments. The college of liberal arts is ranked high in the state, maintaining standards equal to the best. There are departments devoted to music, oratory, theory, law, medicine and education. In addition the university maintains a high-class academic course.

"The trustees and friends of the university have great ambitions for the future. Plans which go into the future as much as 50 years are being prepared. The trustees are continually improving the business management. They are determined that the affairs of the institution shall be conducted along strictly business lines."

The following constitute the present board of trustees: T. S. McDaniel, Portland, president; G. F. Johnson, Portland, vice-president; I. H. Van Winkle, Salem, secretary; A. N. Bush, treasurer; C. B. Moores, Portland; C. P. Bishop, Salem; A. M. Smith, Portland; R. J. Ginn, Portland; Rev. Fletcher Homan, Salem; Rev. E. S. Sale; Rev. J. W. McDougall, Portland; B. L. Steeves, Salem; Robert Eakin, J. N. Duncan, Albany; Rev. B. F. Rowland, Salem; Rev. W. B. Hollingshead, Portland; Rev. M. C. Wire, Newberg; R. A. Booth, Eugene; J. Isaac Jones, Cottage Grove; A. A. Lee, Salem; General W. H. Odell, Portland; Rev. M. H. Marvin, Fullerton, Wash.; Rev. C. O. Kimball, Walla Walla, Wash.; Rev. Walton Skipworth, Portland; A. E. Eaton, Union, Or.; George A. Cleaver, La Grande, Or.; Rev. G. G. Halsey, Payette, Idaho; P. J. Brix, Astoria, Or.; W. W. Brown, Prineville, Or.; A. F. Fiegel, Portland, and Bishop C. W. Smith, Portland.

HILL REACHING SOUTH

HE IS BEHIND RAILROAD FROM SAN JOSE TO LOS ANGELES.

Believed to Have Control of Western Pacific, He Projects Link in Southern California.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—(Special.)—The United Properties Company, the new Oakland merger, will at once begin the construction of a line from Oakland to San Jose, using the line of the San Francisco, Oakland & San Jose Railroad for that purpose. This road will later be extended south through the San Joaquin Valley to Bakersfield and eventually to Los Angeles.

It may be taken as settled that Hill interests are behind this programme and that the road, when completed to the Southern California metropolis will form an important link in the Hill-Western Pacific system in California.

As a matter of fact, the Western Pacific is no longer controlled by the Goulds, and there is good and substantial reason for the assertion that the control of that great property has passed into the hands of Hill and his associates. There are several available routes by which Los Angeles can be reached after leaving Bakersfield. One of these, which is looked upon with considerable favor, crosses the Tehachapi Mountains through the Tejon Pass, touching at Santa Barbara. Another route from Bakersfield to Los Angeles is the Santa Barbara, by way of the San Emidio Pass, which lies about 15 miles west of Tejon Pass.

There is said to be a third route through the mountains, following the old post road, and this is said to be even more desirable in many respects than either of those described.

The surveys that "Borax" Smith had made at great expense from Ely, Nev., to a point on the Tonopah & Tidewater Railroad, near Goldfield, will also be valuable when the Western Pacific extension southwest from Salt Lake to Los Angeles is undertaken.

The Quickest, Simplest Cough Cure

Easily and Cheaply Made at Home. Saves You 25.

This recipe makes a pint of cough syrup—enough to last a family a long time—and uses up as much as good cough syrup for \$2.50.

Simple as it is, it gives almost instant relief and usually stops the most obstinate cough in 24 hours. This is partly due to the fact that it is slightly laxative and stimulates the appetite and has an excellent tonic effect. It is pleasant to take—children like it. An excellent remedy for the commonest cough, sore lungs, asthma, throat troubles, etc.

Mix one pint of granulated sugar with 2 pints of warm water, and stir for 2 minutes. Put 2½ ounces of Pinex (50 cents worth) in a pint bottle and add the Sugar Syrup. It keeps perfectly. Take a teaspoonful every one, two or three hours.

Pinex is one of the oldest and best known remedial agents for the throat membranes. Pinex is the most valuable concentrated compound of Norway white pine extract, and is rich in medicinal and all the other natural healing elements. Other preparations will not work in this formula. The prompt results from this recipe have endeared it to thousands of householders in the United States and Canada, which explains why the plan has been initiated often, but never successfully. Some of the best-known Portland druggists, such as Laue-Davis Drug Co. (distributors) and others, think so well of the above recipe that they guarantee it to give satisfaction or refund the purchase price.

Every Department Represented in This Great Bargain Event. Goods of Every Description Are Involved. Garments for Every Member of the Family. Wearables of Every Character. Dress Requisites and Home Needfuls a Plenty. The List of Bargains is Long and Interesting. Study it Well and Profit by This Great Sale

Special Clearance in Notions

LITTLE THINGS AT A BIG SAVING

- 20c Dress Shields 10c
- 15c Dressing Combs 10c
- 35c Hair Rolls 25c
- 15c Writing Tablets 5c
- 25c Box Paper 19c
- 50c Elastic Belts 39c
- 15c Hose Supporters 10c



Special Clearance in Notions

LITTLE THINGS AT A BIG SAVING

- 20c Finishing Braid 10c
- \$1.00 Steel Shears 49c
- 10c Hair Nets 5c
- 10c School Tablets 5c
- 8c Safety Pins 5c
- 35c Barrettes 25c

LOOK FOR THE SPECIAL PRICE TICKETS IN EVERY SECTION

CLEARANCE SALE

EVERY PRICE TICKET IS A MILE-POST TO ECONOMY

REDUCTIONS ARE SO LIBERAL THAT EACH PURCHASE MEANS A BIG SAVING

Price economies without a parallel are offered in every section of the store. Stocks are vastly broader in every department and better in every possible way—demonstrating, as usual, the supremacy of this store as giving the best values. In fact, the most ruthless reductions have been made on the most reasonable merchandise in the most dependable qualities. That our extremely low prices and enormous assortments are appreciated is shown by the record-breaking sales of the past week. Here are inducements for you to buy Monday and Tuesday:

Art Department Doilies, 18 Inch at 19c

Best 35c Values

An extra fine offering of handsome Doilies, shown in both round and square effect. They are full 18-inch Doilies and are neatly trimmed with lace edge and embroidery. Regular 35c values, Clearance Price.....19c

Scarfs and Squares

Reg. \$1 Vals. 59c

An exceptionally fine showing of pretty Scarfs and Squares, suitable for bureau or dresser. They come handsomely embroidered or trimmed with German cluny lace edge. Regular \$1 values, Clearance Price 59c



Marvelous Reductions in the Suit Department

Extraordinary clearance sale reductions prevail throughout our entire suit department. Garments that are strictly in style and of materials that are the best are reduced to a surprising extent. Never before have we offered greater inducements. You may judge the values by these offerings:

REMARKABLE SUIT OFFERINGS

We challenge competition to anywhere near approaching these remarkable clearance sale offerings in women's suits. They are elegantly tailored in the season's best models. Coats are of medium and three-quarter lengths and semi-fitting. Skirts are pleated or gored. Fabrics are the most popular, including serge, cheviot or tweed, in plain colors and stylish mixtures. Values up to \$25.00, Clearance Sale Prices..... \$12.50 and \$15.75

RAINCOAT REDUCTIONS

Special values in women's Raincoats, and many of them reduced as much as one-half. They are full-length, semi-fitting, with combination storm and notch collar. Made of good quality rubberized silk or mohair in plain or striped effects. Popular colors. Values up to \$15.00. Clearance Sale Price \$7.50

LONG COAT SPECIALS

Clearance Sale reductions on Long Coats. They are shown in stylish, semi-fitting effects, with storm, notch, Presto or military collar, and excellently tailored in every detail. Made of the following popular coatings: Broadcloth, serge, cheviot and tweed in plain colors and mixtures. Values up to \$17.50, Clearance at.....\$10.90

SILK PETTICOATS

Extra fine quality silk taffeta Petticoats. All the popular dark and light colors in plain and changeable effects. Deep circular flounces in plain, corded effects and others with shirring and corded ruffle. Underfounce with dust ruffle. Two special lots at Clearance Sale Prices.....\$2.95 and \$3.50

CHILDREN'S DRESSES

Many special bargains in children's Dresses in sizes ranging up to 15 years. Sailor suits and one-piece garments, plainly finished or braided trimmed. Materials are serges in blue, brown and red or black and white checked and plaid worsteds. Sale prices from \$1.58 to \$5.85

Wonderfully Reduced Prices on New Plain Swiss Messaline Silks

The very finest messaline Silks it is possible to buy. The very lowest prices they have ever been sold for. That's the magnet for this clearance sale. Values are away beyond the usual—extraordinary! It is a selling occasion you will not care to miss. Assortments are so large that every taste may be gratified.

75c and 85c Silks

59c At this sale tomorrow you have choice from a splendid assortment of real Swiss Messaline Silks—fine, soft, durable silks, shown in all wanted staple and evening shades, as well as cream and black. They are full 19 inches wide and strictly all pure silk.

\$1 and \$1.25 Silks

89c Beautiful Swiss Messaline Silks, full 27 inches wide, shown in all the new plain shades, as well as cream and black. Silks of extra weight and quality and perfect in both weave and finish. Regularly sold at \$1.00 and \$1.25 a yard, now on sale at eighty-nine cents.

Yard-Wide Black Messaline Silks, \$1.50 Quality at 98c

A special underpriced offering of imported French Messaline Silks of double weight and warp, guaranteed not to split or break, and perfect in weave and finish, yarn-dyed silks in a rich deep black, best \$1.50 quality, priced for this sale at ninety-eight cents.

Woolen Dress Goods Remnants at Half Price

Hundreds of remnants to choose from in all lengths, weaves and weights, this season's fabrics, in both plain shades and novelty patterns, suitable for waists, skirts, suits, coats and children's dresses. A most extraordinary offering, for you have choice of all at one-half the marked remnant prices.



Scarfs and Squares

Regular \$1.25 Values 79c

A showing of pretty Scarfs and Squares neatly embroidered in handsome designs; also a line of Tapestry Scarfs and Squares in pretty patterns. Regular \$1.25 values, Clearance Price79c

Kid Gloves

\$1.25 Values, 89c

A sale of women's heavy Cape Kid Walking Gloves, made with P. X. M. seams and shown in tan colors. They come in all sizes, and are regular \$1.25 values, Clearance Price.....89c



Women's-Children's Union Suits and Hosiery Reduced

These garments are selling at unusually low prices. You'll save money if you buy now. Clearing out all odds and ends and broken lines. The following items to the top, with material alterations in their prices:

WOMEN'S UNION SUITS, REGULAR \$5 VALUES, \$3.19

A sale of women's Union Suits, made of excellent quality silk and wool material and shown in all sizes. The well-known Globe make, that sell regularly at \$5.00 a suit, Clearance Price.....\$3.19

WOMEN'S UNION SUITS, REGULAR \$3 VALUES, \$1.98

A showing of women's Union Suits, made of fine white wool, and shown in all sizes. They are of a fine rib and perfect fitting. Regular \$3.00 values, Clearance.....\$1.98

CHILDREN'S HOSE, BEST 35c AND 40c VALUES, 25c

A fine offering of children's Hose, made of good quality fast black cashmere, shown in all sizes 5½ to 9½. Regular 35c and 40c values, Clearance Price25c

IMPORTANT CLEARANCE SALE REDUCTIONS In Men's Section

Following we list a few of the great many bargains we are offering in our popular men's section. The most seasonable merchandise has been especially reduced, and we are now offering better values than ever before. Tomorrow we specialize these items:

ALL LINES OF UNDERWEAR REDUCED

- Men's heavy ribbed Cotton Shirts and Drawers, regular 50c values, priced, per garment.....39c
 - Men's medium weight Merino Shirts and Drawers; regular 75c values, priced, per garment.....49c
 - Men's heavy-weight Merino Shirts and Drawers, regular 85c values, priced, per garment.....65c
 - Wright's ribbed Worsted Underwear, buckskin color; \$1.50 values, priced, per garment.....\$1.15
 - Men's heavy-weight wool, plush back Underwear, natural gray color; \$1.50 values, per garment.....\$1.25
 - Men's natural gray wool Shirts and Drawers, regular \$2 values, priced, per garment.....\$1.69
 - Men's Underwear of Australian lambswool, regular \$2.25 values, priced, per garment.....\$1.98
 - A line of men's Coat Shirts, regular values up to \$1.50; specially priced, per garment......69c
 - A line of men's outing flannel Pajamas, best regular \$1.75 values, priced, per suit.....\$1.35
 - A special line of men's soft and stiff Hats, regular \$2.50 values; clearance price, only.....\$1.69
- Great Reductions on All Blue Flannel Shirts.

Greatest Muslin Underwear Values

Never before have we had such phenomenal values in such beautiful muslin Underwear. Every garment is well made, finest of materials and exquisitely finished. Every piece cut full and built to give comfortable wear and splendid service. Note these wonderful values. Many others equally as great:

MUSLIN GOWNS, \$2.25 TO \$2.75 VALUES, \$1.59

Closing out odd lines of women's Nightgowns, made of fine quality nainsook or cambrie in the low-neck slipover style, with short sleeves. All are well made and neatly trimmed with fine embroideries, linen, laces and ribbons. Regular \$2.25, \$2.50 and \$2.75 values, Clearance Sale.....\$1.59

COMBINATION SUITS, OUR BEST MUSLIN GOWNS, OUR BEST REGULAR \$2.50 VALUES, ONLY \$1.39

An extra fine showing of the popular Combination Suits, of corset cover and drawers or skirt. They are made of very good quality nainsook, with dainty trimmings of embroidery, lace and ribbon. All cut good, full width and length and neatly finished. Regular values up to \$2.50. Clearance Sale price, only.....\$1.39

MUSLIN SKIRTS, REGULAR \$2.50 VALUES, CLEARANCE PRICE, \$1.69

A fine line of women's Underskirts, made with cambrie top and extra deep embroidery flounce, with rows of wide insertion to match. Other styles with flounce of rows of fine Val. lace insertion. All are made very full and neatly finished with cambrie dust ruffle and underpiece. Regular \$2.50 values, Clearance price \$1.69

