

DR. LYMAN OFFERS HIS GUARD \$1000

Fifteen Minutes of Freedom All Physician Asked, Says Deputy Marshal Beatty.

DOCTOR DUE HERE TODAY

Nurse Thorne Still Uncaught—Escapes From Jail Will Be Object of Probe—Illicit Letters Have Been Mailed.

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., Oct. 7.—(Special.)—One thousand dollars was offered as a bribe yesterday by Dr. J. Grant Lyman to his new guard, Fred Morley, if Morley would leave the room and remain away 15 minutes, according to Deputy United States Marshal Beatty, of Portland.

Beatty asserts that Lyman promised Morley \$100 in cash, the balance to be forwarded by express as soon as the doctor made his escape. Beatty says he only made this discovery after Dr. Lyman had left for Portland this morning in the custody of Leslie M. Scott, United States Marshal.

Unless Lyman has notes hidden in the bandages around his ankle, Beatty is confident he is penniless, but says that Lyman maintains he can obtain funds if the authorities will permit him to receive them.

Lyman will be given a preliminary hearing in Portland and then will be taken to San Francisco, where he will be tried in the Federal court for using the mails with intent to defraud in connection with a Panama land deal.

Before taking his departure, Marshal Scott declared an investigation would be held of the escape of B. F. Thorne, Dr. Lyman's nurse, from jail here, where he was in charge of Sheriff Barnes.

The sheriff says Thorne could have been kept in the same cell as that occupied by Lyman, but Deputy United States Marshal Americh objected and insisted that the pair be confined separately.

Lyman, it is asserted, has been able to dispatch letters and telegrams from this city, through the indulgence of his guard, George Mapleson. This the authorities have tried to prevent.

Thorne is still at large and has now been free six days. He escaped from jail last Sunday in company with four other prisoners. Although it was believed none of the quintet had any funds they seem to have made good their escape.

Local officers of the United States Marshal's office expect Lyman to arrive at 7 o'clock this morning.

LIQUOR SALES NOT BARRED

Bachelors' Club at Woodburn Immune From Action, Court Holds.

SALEM, Or., Oct. 7.—(Special.)—Making the Bachelors' Club of Woodburn immune from prosecution, at least until such time as the Oregon State court on the decision of Judge Galloway in the Equity Court here, Judge Kelly today held that the grand jury could not indict the proprietors of the club for selling liquor without a license, as the general license law exempted cities and towns and placed them under the jurisdiction of such cities.

The grand jury heard about 15 witnesses relative to the sale of liquor by the Bachelors' Club in less than gallon lots, and found a presentment against the club only to be faced by Judge Kelly's exposition of the law. The members then asked if the club could be prosecuted under the general nuisance statute. Judge Kelly said if it could be shown that the club was haunted by low and vicious characters and that it was generally a menace to the welfare of the city, that such prosecution would be possible. The grand jury then retired for a short time, but on emerging from the grand jury room failed to find an indictment.

MAN ARRESTED NOT DRUNK

\$5000 Asked Because Astoria Officer Misjudged Disability.

ASTORIA, Or., Oct. 7.—(Special.)—A claim for damages in the sum of \$5000 for false arrest and imprisonment was filed with the City Auditor today by Alexander Miller, of this city. Mr. Miller was arrested on September 11, by Officer Steinwald on a charge of being drunk, but was later allowed to go upon depositing bail. He appeared for trial in the Police Court the following day and the evidence brought out the fact that he has a physical disability which causes him to reel when walking when fatigued after a hard day's work. This caused the officers to think him intoxicated.

The case was dismissed on motion of the City Attorney. Mr. Miller alleges to have suffered greatly in both mind and body as a result of the indignity to which he was subjected.

Jones Sought Rectorship in Klamath

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., Oct. 7.—(Special.)—Rev. Owen Jones, who was arrested in Portland for drunkenness, was here three weeks until Tuesday, presiding over services in the Grace Episcopal Church, and last Sunday preached a special sermon to the Elks, Jones being a member of the Elks lodge at Grand Forks, N. D. He said he was the special representative for Eastern Oregon of Bishop Paddock, and that the Ladies Guild passed resolutions asking the bishop to appoint him to Grace Church rectory, the parastate being vacant now. He is said to have expressed the hope to be appointed. He left Tuesday saying he was to report to the bishop.

"Aggies" to Honor Columbus Day.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, Oct. 7.—(Special.)—Columbus day, which has been made a legal holiday by action of the Oregon Legislature, will be observed at this institution October 12. A joint faculty and student committee has been appointed and is now at work on the programme for the day. The convocation hour, which falls on Wednesday preceding Columbus day, will be postponed and the time given to the celebration on the 12th.

Sons of Veterans to Organize.

OREGON CITY, Or., Oct. 7.—(Special.)—Meade Post, Grand Army of the Republic, and the Women's Relief Corps, at a meeting Saturday afternoon, made preliminary arrangements for the organization of the Sons of Veterans in this city and county into

LETTER MAY SPLIT IDAHO DEMOCRATS

Chairman of State Central Committee Issues Attack on Harmon.

CONSPIRACY IS CHARGE

John F. Nugent Asserts in \$2000-Word Communication That "Big Business" Is for Ohoian as President.

BOISE, Idaho, Oct. 7.—(Special.)—The Democrats of Idaho are excited over the recent issue of a letter from state headquarters, written on Demo-

STATE UNIVERSITY SENIORS ELECTED CLASS OFFICERS LAST WEEK.



ROBERT N. KELLOGG, PRESIDENT; JESSIE M. BIBBE, VICE-PRESIDENT; EDWARD J. HIMES, SECRETARY; MISS PANSY SHAVER, TREASURER.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Or., Oct. 7.—(Special.)—Of the four university seniors who were honored with important class offices in the spirited election of Thursday, three, Miss Jessie M. Bibbe, vice-president; Miss Pansy Shaver, secretary; and Edward J. Himes, treasurer, are registered from Portland.

On Robert N. Kellogg, the popular athlete from Baker, falls the honor of heading the largest graduating class in the history of the University of Oregon. The class enrollment now is 114, which is 30 or 35 per cent larger than any former class entry.

Kellogg is center on the football team and captain of the track team, on which he is the star point-winner in the weight and field events. He is registered in the department of electrical engineering.

At the initial meeting the seniors voted unanimously to adopt the sash and "roze punches" hat as the official insignia of the class. All senior men will be expected to wear this headgear exclusively while on the campus and no other students will be allowed to infringe upon the privilege.

GUARD WILL WATCH O'NEIL

Idaho Banker Arrested in Vancouver May Not Fight Extradition.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Oct. 7.—Barney F. O'Neil, president of the State Bank of Commerce of Wallace, Idaho, who was arrested in Vancouver last night, charged with receiving deposits after he knew that his bank was insolvent, has been living for some time at 259 Bidwell street with his wife. He says that he has not yet decided whether to fight extradition or go back to Wallace voluntarily, but it is expected that he will return to Idaho to face the charges. He telegraphed to the Sheriff in Wallace stating where he could be found, and the arrest followed. O'Neil was a Republican candidate for governor of Idaho last fall. His troubles began with the failure of the Carnegie Trust Company, of New York, of which he was a director.

Arrangements were made today, following telegraphic instructions from Wallace, to have O'Neil released on parole. A plainclothes man will sleep in his house at night and accompany him around the city during the day.

GOLDENDALE BABY IS PRIZE-WINNER

Master James Hall, Golden Dale, Wash., Oct. 7.—(Special.)—Master James Hall, who won first prize at the baby show in this city September 30, is a son of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hall. Mr. Hall is proprietor of the Hotel Central, this city.

DENTAL COLLEGE MOVED

The North Pacific College of Dentistry has moved from Fifteenth and Couch streets to East Sixth and Oregon, near Holladay and Grand avenues. Take Union avenue to Grand avenue cars. Persons desiring dental work are invited.

Clackamas Rosarians Meet.

OREGON CITY, Or., Oct. 7.—The Clackamas County Rose Society met at the Commercial Club parlors this afternoon. It was arranged for a lecture to be given soon on "Fall Culture of Roses." A committee was appointed to select a lecturer. Plans are under way for a larger rose show than ever to be held here next June. Many new features will be introduced. The meeting of the organization will be held in the Commercial Club rooms hereafter instead of at the homes of members.

Nugent Joined Mormons.

Immediately following the murder of ex-Governor Frank Steunenberg, Nugent was secured as an attorney for the defense of the Western Federation of Miners. During the state campaign following the murder of Steunenberg Nugent became piqued through an apprehension that he was being overlooked, and early in the campaign following he took voluntary charge of a revolt within the party; he joined with the Mormons and organized a bolt for the Twin Falls convention convened

to elect a delegation to the National Democratic convention. In the first campaign under his leadership, the anti-Mormon element of the party were simply out of it. They paid no sort of attention to politics, many supporting the ticket in toto, but a large number picking out candidates here and there and otherwise refusing to vote for anyone.

In the next campaign, which was the last in the state, Nugent favored the re-nomination of Alexander for Governor. He assumed a leadership more dominant than any in the party since the organization of Idaho Democracy. When Rice, of Canyon County, announced his candidacy for Governor, Nugent charged "bad faith" on the part of Rice, because, he claimed, Rice had promised that he would run to be the candidate for Supreme Court Judge, Alexander to be the candidate for Governor.

Hawley's Friends Nominated Him. Then Hawley's friends nominated him for the gubernatorial race. Following the withdrawal of Alexander, Nugent turned the party organization to Rice. Hawley carried every county in the state at the direct primary. Naturally, the retirement of Nugent was prophesied. It was the expectation of the candidate for Governor that Nugent left him free to choose a chairman from among his own personal devotees, a privilege usually accorded the nominee party. When the candidates met, McClure nominee for Judge, Bowen nominee for Congress and Moore nominee for Attorney-General, insisted on Nugent.

Hawley yielded and Nugent was named. Scores and scores of Democrats refused to visit headquarters through the election and in a short time the chairman abandoned his office and took the stump and remained in the field until towards the close of the campaign. Governor Hawley succeeded at the polls by 800 votes out of a poll of 108,000.

DOUBLE MURDER RETOLD

ALLEGED SLAYER OF MR. AND MRS. COBLE BEFORE JURY.

Prosecution Says Prisoner Is Moral Pervert and Killed Couple—Evidence Domestic Trouble Barred.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Oct. 7.—(Special.)—After completing the selection of 12 men today to try George H. Wilson, of Rainier, on a charge of killing Mr. and Mrs. Archie Coble as they were July 10, the state and the defense made their opening statements to the jury. The state maintained it would show that Wilson was a moral pervert and that his troubles with the Coble family furnished the motive for the murder. The defense promised to prove that the accused had nothing to do with the crime.

After two witnesses were called to introduce plates and drawings of the scene of the murder, Mrs. William McNett, an aunt of the murdered woman, for whose death Wilson is on trial, with Olga Christy, told of entering the house and of touching the bed but fearing to pull down the bed clothing when they saw the two still bodies under the covers. The prosecution wanted to question Olga Christy about the Wilson domestic troubles, but the court sustained the objections of the defense.

Louis Eddy told of how the women came to him and how he went into the Coble home, unaccompanied, to clean the alarm. The prosecution then introduced the bloody, double-bitted ax used to kill them and Eddy identified it. Eddy was on the stand when court adjourned.

SKAMANIA COUNTY LOSER

Total of \$2085 Paid Out on Illegal Claims; Errors Benefit.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Oct. 7.—(Special.)—Skamania County has paid out \$2085 on illegal claims and claims illegally collected. He telegraphed errors have resulted to the benefit of the county, during the period from January, 1895, to June 30, 1911, according to the report of State Auditor J. S. G. Jones, now in report with the Attorney-General. Irregular claims are charged up as follows: County Commissioner, \$48.65; Road Supervisors, \$90.75; School Directors, \$99.65.

The County Auditor made one mistake that cost the county \$250, but another cost him \$100, so the county owes him \$150. The State also owes \$130. The report shows that Skamania County has been careless in its book-keeping, but that it has assets in excess of liabilities amounting to \$42,506. Its liabilities are only \$11,469, of which \$10,000 is a bond issue. The cost of the audit was \$573.10.

"Aggies" See Many Changes.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, Oct. 7.—(Special.)—The last of the several private houses which have been within the natural boundaries of the college campus for many years is now being moved. Two large white houses, previously occupied by Dr. Withycombe and Regent E. E. Wilton, have been purchased and the last one is now being pulled across the campus to be located outside of the grounds. This will open up the east quadrangle of the college property and greatly improve the appearance of the campus. The old horticultural building and the frame building, which has been used during the past year for the pharmacy department and which was previously the girls' dormitory, are being skidded off the college campus in order to make room for the new and modern structures.

Corporation Suit Delayed Week.

SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 7.—The suit against Nome, a scrap iron dealer and creditor of the Western Steel Corporation, for the appointment of a Receiver for the company, was postponed a week when the case came up in the Superior Court today. Creditors of the \$20,000,000 corporation are in conference with the stockholders, seeking to adjust its affairs. A plan of reorganization, leaving out of the new company James A. Moore, the president and promoter, is under consideration and Moore has been in New York some time, seeking to borrow money on the securities of the company.

Killing Bear by Auto Is Latest Sport.

MONTESSANO, Wash., Oct. 7.—(Special.)—Shooting bears from automobiles is a new form of sport engaged in by Montessano hunters. Last Sunday Ed Bacon, Bud Wilson, Ed Hoover and Mrs. Watson went out in an automobile and, after an exciting time, during which they all managed to kill Mr. Bacon and get him into the automobile. The bear was a big black fellow and weighed when dressed 197 pounds.

CARD OF THANKS.

To all who either by their presence, aid or tokens of remembrance assisted us during the late illness and death of our beloved wife and mother, we wish to extend our most sincere thanks. W. K. BENZIE AND DAUGHTER RUTH.

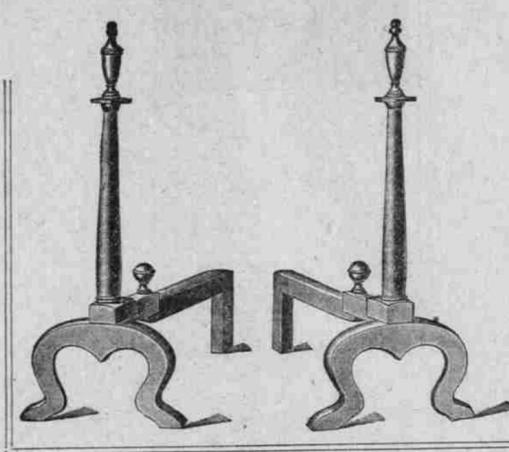
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Mrs. A. W. Unruh Refers to Them as Beer Agitators—Portland Chosen for Next Convention.

MEDFORD, Or., Oct. 7.—(Special.)—Characterizing Secretary Knox as an agent for the brewers and Secretary Wilson as honorary president of the beer-makers league, Mrs. Ada Wallace Unruh, state president of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, delivered an address today at the state convention now being held in this city.

With proper organization, Mrs. Unruh said, she expected Oregon to vote "dry" and for equal suffrage on the statute books. She painted the horrors of the saloon and white slave traffic in Portland in gruesome colors, attributing the source of the trouble to man-made laws.

"Women will not bring the millennium," she said, "for as long as they are daughters of their daddies they will make mistakes. But woman suffrage is the paramount issue of the day and with its passage justice will at last

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