## SELF-STYLED WIDOW

to Prove Pension Right.

CANADIAN WIFE

Court Refuses to Annul Latest Marriage, Asserting Claims

Mrs. Gertrude Lahey of Portland is held an adventuress who has sought to rob the widow of a Canadian sol-dier of the pension due from her gov-

der of the pension due from her government, in a decision handed down by Circuit Judge Morrow yesterday afternoon, which refuses to annul her marriage to J. E. Lahey, despite her elaim that her undivorced first husband was alive in Belgium when she wad for the second time.

She failed to prove to the satisfaction of Judge Morrow that Sergeant RELSO, Wash, Nov. 29.—(Special.)

Robert J. White of Portland, who was killed with the Canadians at Weincourt, Belgium, in August, 1918, was the Robert J. White she married in Seattle on April 3, 1916.

The ruling of the court explodes the deal identity theory, but still leaves insolved many features in the most pussling case which has occupied local courts for years. Plotures of Sergeant White were introduced in evidence by his Canadian wife and identified positively by Mrs. Mary Kuisschan of Portland as her son, who was reared and educated in this city. Mrs. Lahey presented pictures which were a starfiling likeness, but which Mrs. Kuisschan said were not taken of her son.

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It was on the testimony of the young man's mother that Judge Morrow placed greatest confidence in deciding the case. The unexplained phases include the uncanny familiarity of Mrs. Lahey with the early life of the Canadian veteran and of his actions up to the time of his purported marriage to her in Seattle, two months prior to his wedding to Mrs. Alice White at Victoria. Though the latter produced many letters which her husband had written her from Belgium, Mrs. Lahey offered but one scrap of handwriting, scrawled on the bottom of a postcard and unsigned. As with the photographs, the writing hore remarkable resemblance to that of the soldier.

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\$1.000,000 During Year.

ALBANY, Or., Nov. 29.—(Special)—Albany's bank resources have increased more than \$1,000,000 in the past year and have reached an aggregate of almost \$4,250,000.

Statements issued by the four local banks on November 1, 1918, showed total resources of \$3,158,091.97. On the call of November 17 this year the same banks reported total resources of \$4,223,210.67, thus showing a net gain of \$1,065,118.70. Each of the four banks in the city reported a substantial gain in resources in the past year.

of the soldier.

A weak spot in Mrs. Lahey's case was her failure to remember on which hand her purported first husband had lost a finger. Undisputed evidence of the man's mother, Canadian wife and enlistment papers showed that two fingers were missing from his right hand. Sefere there was any testimony fingers were missing from his right hand. Before there was any testimony from the latter sources, however, Mrs. Lahey had said her husband had been crippled by the loss of a finger while in the plumbing trade in Fostland. Sergeant White had been a plumber and had lost his fingers in that occu-nation.

Scattle Wedding Unquestioned.

As there was no question of the validity of the marriage license found in Seattle records showing the wedding of the Portland claimant to one Robert J. White, mystery surrounds the fate of that White, now that the couff has determined that he was not the Whie who died overseas.

Mrs. Laker said that her first husband left her after a short honeymoon, wrote her from San Francisco that he was going east to work in moon, wrote her from San Francisco that he was going east to work in an explosives factory and that she heard from his no more. On reading in a Portland newspaper of the death of one Robert J. White in a munition factory explosion in New York in 1918, after months without word from her husband, she concluded he was

She made no effort to verify the death by writing to the munition plant, contenting herself with telling her mother she "Just knew it was Bob" and six months later marrying

Lahey.

Subsequently learning of the death of Sergeant White through a newspaper notice inserted in Portland gapers by Mrs. Alice White for the purpose of informing friends of her husband of his honorable death in action. Mrs. Lahey withdrew a divorce action already begun against Lahey and began new proceedings for annulment of marriage. In the meantime she made application to the pension bureau in Canada, submitting purported photographs of her first husband and marriage certificate to support her claim.

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Mrs. Lakey was sent \$200 as first payment on her pension claim and \$4250 a month until the claim of Mrs. Alice White was filed with the Camadian government and immediately recognized as valid.

"I am convinced that the Lakey woman has been faking," commented Judge Morrow after his decision.

"Though strangely familiar with details of his education and raising. In material matters Mrs. Lakey has failed to produce convincing proof. I believe that it was when Mrs. Lakey saw the notice of the death of Sergenni White in a Portland paper that she first conceived the idea of claiming a pension from the Canadian government. She immediately started an investigation of the life of White, which produced remarkable results and gave her much knowledge of intimate details of his career.

"She had no concern for the real widow, but to make her claims solid began this annulment proceeding. She already had sourch a divorce, but if

widow, but to make her claims solid began this annulment proceeding. She already had sought a divorce, but if that had been granted would have been unable to claim a pension, as she would have been the wife of an-other man while her supposed hus-bend was overseas. So she withdrew that action and sought to annul her second marriage, making her claim more secure.

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"The absolute indifference and beartlessness with which Mrs. Labey received the pews of the supposed death of her husband in a powder factory imparts an atmosphere of cold-bloodedness to her character which would make later actions possible I do not believe, however, that her real husband—for there must have been a Robert J. White, according to the Seattle marriage records—was the Seattle marriage records—was killed by the powder explosion. My opinion is that he simply quit, as hus-bands have been known to do."

BLACK RUST IS STUDIED

Oregon Agricultural College Cereal Men Inspect Fields.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COL-LEGE, Corvallis, Nov. 12.—(Special). —G. R. Hoerner and F. J. Dietgeh, representing the federal office of ce-real investigations at the college, have returned from an inspection of wheat fields in idaho, Washington, Montana and Oregon to investigate the over-wintering and dissemination of the black stem rust of grains. The stem rust is frequently serious in irrigated and moist, cool coast dis-tricts. It is not usually much of a factor in dry-farming regions, but on OREGON AGRICULTURAL COL-

factor in dry-farming regions, but or the whole is capable of doing consid-

ng epidemics. These problems will further considered during farmers'

O. A. C. MAN GETS POST Private Ambulance and Other

Mrs. Gertrude Lahey Unable H. A. Lindgren Associate Editor of

Western Farm Life. OREGON AGRICULTURAL COL EGE, Corvallis, Nov. 29 .- (Special.)

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Kelso to Have Chautauqua.

KELSO, Wash., Nov. 29,-(Special.) -Kelso's winter Chautauqua festival programme has been arranged for the coming attraction, which is under the mangement of the Ellison-White bu-reau, and the local committee of 25 nembers is busy with necessary ar

## KLAMATH GETS HOSPITAL

WARREN HUNT INSTITUTION TO BE OPENED SOON.

Equipment Will Be Available for Caring for Sick.

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., Nov. 29. LEGE, Corvallis, Nov. 25.—(Special.)

—H. A. Lindgren, graduate in animal husbandry in 1911, recently has been made associate editor of Western Farm Life, published in Denver, Colo. Farm Life, published in Denver, Colo. He specialized in livestock after finishing college, at one time being in charge of animal husbandry in one of the Oregon experiment stations. He helped to work out the marketing problems of the farmers of the western slope of the Cascades while iocated in Oregon.

Mr. Lindgren will spend considerable of his time traveling through the west as an authority on livestock while on the staff of the farm publication,

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chased from I. E. Solomon a lot, 28 by 100 feet, at 430 and 430<sup>1</sup>½ Washington street, between Eleventh and Iwelfth streets. The price was announced as \$35,000.

The deal was closed through the

NON-PARTISAN GIVES UP

Professor Walter Mills Cancels Speaking Date at Yakima.

YAKIMA, Wash., Nov. 29 .- Informa tion received here last night from Sunnyside was that Professor Walter Mills, Non-Partisan league lecturer, who was scheduled to speak in Sun-nyside last night, canceled his date at

This action, it was said in the telephone message from Sunnyside, lowed a meeting of citizens at wi esolutions were adopted opposing the

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they apply every time. Dentistry (and I might include other professions very properly) is not a science, because it is ever changing

and changeable. We learn certain principles in college, we familiarize ourselves with the study as condensed in textbooks; we attend clinics, and we listen to the lectures of those who have attained distinction and therefore authority in the profession, and THEN WE GO OUT INTO OUR SEV-ERAL OFFICES AND GIVE DIFFERENT DIAG-NOSES AND DIFFERENT ADVICE IN IDENTICAL CONDITIONS.

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