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WHAT KELLY DID.

Dan J. Kelly, champion amateur sprinter of the world, on his way to Jamestown, sent to the Oregonian the other day a suggestive postcard. It pictured an unfortunate individual who was being made the target of all sorts of missiles and who was plainly getting the worst of it. "Enough is enough," said the postcard. It is. In Kelly's case it is too much. Here is a youth, a native of Oregon and a student of the State University, who has won in fair

competition the title of fastest short-distance runner in the world. The claim to that distinction has been the subject of a searching and impartial investigation by the American Amateur Athletic Union, and has been allowed. Kelly, by his remarkable prowess, has shed special luster on Oregon amateur athletics. Oregon ought to feel proud of his unequalled achievement. It does. Yet a noisy gang of towel-holders and rubbers-down have been quarreling over Kelly and his record. It is barely possible that these gentle-

men who were not there, know more about what Kelly did at Spokane in that marvelous race than the authorized representatives of the highest athletic body in America. But The Oregonian thinks not. It does not become any one in Oregon to doubt an achievement that has been fully credited on the records by official authority. The main reason why any one here should question what Kelly did appears to be founded entirely on doubt that any one in Oregon could do it. That is not a good reason.—Oregonian.

HELD UP THREE DAYS.

STOCKTON, August 29.—The town of Carnegie, in the southern part of San Joaquin county, is once more open for business after being practically closed and held up for three days by a man who believed he had been mistreated by the Tesla Gravel Company. From 100 to 150 carloads of gravel for street work and ballast for railroads are usually shipped out of there daily, but for the last three days not a car has been moved.

Theodore Shade caused all of the trouble. He was engaged as an expert in handling a large steam shovel, which loads the cars, and as soon as he assumed charge he declared the machine had to be taken down and practically rebuilt. The owners objected and dismissed Shade, but he would not leave unless he was paid a month's salary, which the company refused to do. Shade then took charge of the shovel and stopped all business in the town of Carnegie for three days.

A constable was called but he neglected to secure a warrant and Shade still held the fort. District Attorney McNoble finally took the case in hand and issued a warrant for Shade, charging him with disturbing the peace. About this time a compromise was arranged and Shade accepted three day's pay, after which the case was dismissed, he having agreed to leave town and not cause any further trouble. Immediately gravel trains commenced moving and business generally was resumed.

TWO CENT RATE IN KANSAS.

TOPEKA, Kan., Aug. 29.—Frank Grattan newly appointed attorney for the state board of railroad commissioners, is out in a statement today favoring the calling of a special session of the Legislature by Governor Hoch for the purpose of passing a flat 2-cent-a-mile passenger fare in the state of Kansas.

SCORES THE BOARD

For Allowing Infected Prisoners to Come in Court.

PUTS OFF CASES 30 DAYS

Judge Cook Says That If The Doctors Will—Parties Held on Bail Will Be Tried by Judge.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 29.—From his bench in his court yesterday Judge Carroll Cook sharply criticised the manner in which the Board of Health has handled the outbreak of smallpox in the County Jail. He virtually accuses the Board of Health of having through negligence or incompetency, been so lax in its execution of the quarantine rules that many persons were exposed to contagion and a spread of the disease outside of the jail made possible.

In Judge Cook's court are many cases for arraignment, trial, judgment and sentence, the defendants, in most cases, being confined in the County Jail. In calling his calendar yesterday morning, the imprisoned defendants were unable to appear in court, on account of having been quarantined for the third time in the jail, on account of later cases of smallpox.

"In these jail cases," said Judge Cook, "I will state to counsel that there have been two quarantines put on the County Jail where these prisoners have been confined, and each one has been raised sooner than it should have been, and the health of everyone on the street has been imperiled through the negligence of either the physician in charge or the Board of Health."

"On last Wednesday, a man was brought into court and pleaded guilty, and was sentenced by the court for the crime, to which he pleaded guilty. The defendant was taken out to the jail in the van with the other prisoners, and was, on the same day, sent to the Pest House."

"I do not propose to subject the

jurors, officers of this court, and the public generally, to that kind of risks; therefore this court will now make an order that there will be no cases tried for the next 30 days where the prisoners are confined in the County Jail.

"If the doctors cannot quarantine the jail, I will. There are some cases where the parties are on bail; those cases will be tried."

All of the jail cases were then continued until September 30th, as fast as called. The cases of persons out on bail were disposed of in regular order, all of them being continued for periods varying from one day to a week.

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