

ACCUSES HUSBAND OF KIDNAPPING

Mrs. L. Partridge, Divorced Wife of Portland Carpenter, Misses Her Boy and Girl--Both Parent and Children Disappear.

Gladys Partridge, aged eight years, and Roland Partridge, aged three years, have been absent from their home at 324 Third street since 10 o'clock last Saturday morning.

Sunday he would not be able to do much. "This remark seemed very strange to me, for I could not see why he could not do as much on Sunday as any other day. No officer came to see me until last night. This was about 20 hours after the children disappeared.

Mrs. Partridge obtained a divorce from her husband last November. At that time there was an agreement made that the father might see the children once each week. He has been in the habit of calling Saturday and accompanying the children to the Seventh Day Adventist church on East Everett and Eleventh streets.

GLADYS PARTRIDGE

after it reported that the children had disappeared. Detective Hartman is now working on the case, and I think that if anything can be done now he will do it. But if Partridge has taken them away he has been able to get a big start.

ROLAND PARTRIDGE

Partridge is a carpenter. He is a typical Englishman. He is described as being 5 feet 11 inches tall, dark brown hair, sandy mustache, blue eyes and weighs about 145 pounds. He is 39 years old.

HUNT FOR VIOLATORS OF SALMON LAW

H. G. Van Dusen, state fish commissioner of Astoria, and H. A. Webster, deputy state fish commissioner of Clackamas, are in the city to investigate the charges that Portland market men are dealing in fresh salmon, caught in the Columbia river during the present closed season.

MYERS DEFENDS THE CAMPAIGN CIGARS

Jefferson Myers, president of the Lewis and Clark state commission, recently resents the imputation that his generous distribution of Lewis and Clark cigars killed all chances for an increased appropriation.

Eczema

Salt Rheum, Ringworm, Itch, Acne, or other skin troubles, promptly relieved and cured by Hydrozone

HEINZE AGAIN TO THE FORE IN HELENA

Helena, Mont., April 11.—Former Senator Carter today sustained a decisive defeat in the Republican county convention called to select delegates to the state convention, which meets here tomorrow, when by a vote of 88 to 47, Mayor Edwards, the Heinze candidate, was elected temporary chairman.

DAVIS TRIAL CONTINUED

San Francisco, April 11.—The trial of Tom Davis, porter of the steamer Alliance, accused of assaulting Mrs. A. E. Ames, of Marshfield, Or., on a voyage from San Francisco, went over till next Thursday.

PUTS IT UP TO THE TAXPAYERS' LEAGUE

CHAIRMAN EISENHARTMAN, OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE, SAYS HE WILL NOT REPORT ON ANNEXATION UNTIL INVESTIGATION BY LEAGUE—PORTLAND TO PAY BILLS.

"The statement that I am trying to defeat the annexation of Mount Tabor and Montavilla because I am a Democrat and am afraid of the Republican votes of those two suburbs is the most absurd thing I ever heard of," said Chairman E. Eisenhartman, of the special committee of the city council on annexation.

"The Taxpayers' league is investigating the matter at present, and until they make a report to me I will not even call a meeting of the committee. This is not a question of whether the citizens of Mount Tabor and Montavilla want to be annexed; it is a question of whether the citizens of Portland want to annex them. And until I know how they stand, I will take no action whatever."

ARREST SUSPECT FOR BAR HONORS MEMOIR OF F. N. STRONG

As a fitting tribute to the many excellent qualities possessed by the late Frederic N. Strong as a man and his eminent qualifications as an attorney at law, resolutions were adopted by the Multnomah County Bar association at a meeting held this morning in department No. 1 of the state circuit court.

LEATHER WORKERS TO DECIDE TOMORROW

Resolved, That in the death of Frederic Robinson Strong the bar has lost an upright and able member, and the community an exemplary citizen and honest man; that we deplore the death of our friend and brother, and extend to his family, in this hour of bereavement, our heartfelt sympathy.

RIVER AND HARBOR APPROPRIATION BILL

Washington, April 11.—The house considered the river and harbor appropriations today. The bill carries \$3,000,000 to be expended only where improvements have not been made for more than \$50,000 must be expended upon any one project.

BELIEVE KAISER'S LIFE IS THREATENED

Berlin, April 11.—The police have arrested several persons who are supposed to be anarchists, and the police here and in other European capitals have been warned by Scotland Yard detectives to maintain the strictest vigilance for persons going to Malta and other points at which the Kaiser will touch on his present trip.

MRS. BOTKIN SAYS SHE HAS NO COUNSEL

San Francisco, April 11.—The arraignment of Mrs. Botkin, charged with murdering Mrs. Deane at Dover, Del., was postponed until tomorrow.

FEVERISH ANXIETY

Excitement of Russians Causes Pilot Boats to Be Fired Upon.

(Journal Special Service.) Niu Chwang, April 11.—A misunderstanding of the customs house flashlight signals caused great excitement here last midnight.

Officers in command of forts thought the Japanese were making an attack and opened fire on a fleet of pilot boats to merchantmen outward bound.

ARREST SUSPECT FOR BIG FUR ROBBERY

The fur store of G. P. Rumelin, near the corner of Second and Washington streets, was burglarized last Saturday night or early Sunday morning. Three sealskin jackets, two electric sealskin coats and one other coat with sable trimmings value at \$1,300 were stolen.

SPEAKS OF LATE CONSUL'S LIFE WORK

Two lectures were delivered by Commander Booth-Tucker of the Salvation Army at the Marquam theatre yesterday to immense audiences. The speaker told of the death of his wife, Consul Booth-Tucker, who was killed in a railroad wreck in Kansas last October.

PLAN STEAMER LINE TO SOUTH AFRICA

A regular steamship service is to be established at once between Portland and South Africa. As near as can be ascertained at this time it will be practically a monthly service. It is believed that the backers of the proposition are Alfred Holt & Co. of London, owners of the China Mutual line and the Ocean Steamship company, who have freighters plying between many of the leading ports in the world.

LATE MARKETS

Table with columns for Bid, Ask, and various market items like Boston Copper Market, New York Coffee Market, and Chicago Local Stocks.

CHICAGO LOCAL STOCKS

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SAN FRANCISCO LOCAL STOCKS

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FLOOD DUE FIRST WEEK IN JUNE

Far back in the mountains to the east and north, near the headwaters of the Columbia, elements are at work preparing for a monster flood whose crest will reach this city early in June, according to forecasts which have been made by the national weather officials.

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SUES CHIEF HUNT FOR STOLEN JEWELRY

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