

WARRANTS SERVED ON ALL GAMBLERS

Proprietors of Three Big Gaming Houses Arrested and Released on Bail—Games Are Not Closed But May Be Tomorrow.

Information charging the proprietors of three gambling establishments with breaking the law were filed in the circuit court shortly after noon today by District Attorney Manning. Charges were preferred against August Erickson, Eugene Blazier and the proprietors of the Portland Club—Peter Grant, Nathan Solomon and Harvey Dale.

Bench warrants of arrest were issued by Court Clerk Marion R. Johnson by order of Presiding Judge George and placed in the hands of Sheriff Word for service. Bail was fixed at \$100 in each case. The first warrant served by the sheriff was upon Solomon at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon. The others for whom warrants were issued were afterwards served, cash bonds being given by each man.

Employees of the house were not interfered with in any way, nor was any of the gambling paraphernalia seized. While the proprietors of the three gambling houses were expected to be placed under arrest, none of them ceased to carry on his business and all the devices were in full blast when service of the warrants was made. It was not until this afternoon as if nothing had happened.

Strong pressure, it is said, was brought to bear upon Mayor Williams yesterday to visit the houses. James McDevitt open a gambling establishment in connection with the Orpheum theatre, but he refused to consider such a proposition.

"If the gamblers keep running their establishments we will lay more charges tomorrow," said Attorney Dan R. Murphy, representing McDevitt. "Of course, they may stop in the meantime. All I care to say now is that if McDevitt does not open the others will have to close."

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FIFTH AND YAMHILL STREETS

HIGH OFFICIALS VISIT PORTLAND

President Howard Elliott, with a number of other officials of the Northern Pacific, reached the city yesterday from a trip through Washington, and will remain here for several days. This afternoon Mr. Elliott and party will be the guests of General Manager Calvin of the O. R. & N. on a river trip.

Jared How, a classmate at Harvard with Mr. Elliott, and now a prominent attorney, is in the party. Among the railroad officials are: J. M. Hannaford of St. Paul, second vice-president; C. M. Levy of Tacoma, assistant to the president; Thomas Cooper of St. Paul, land commissioner; C. W. Bunn of St. Paul, general counsel for the Northern Pacific; B. S. Grosscup of Tacoma, general division counsel; E. J. Pearson of St. Paul, chief engineer; G. S. Fulton of Portland, assistant general freight agent; R. W. Cook of St. Paul, private secretary to Mr. Elliott; F. H. Ford, private secretary to Mr. Hannaford; and G. W. McDougall, secretary to Mr. Pearson. A. C. Charlton, assistant passenger agent of this city, will accompany the party when it leaves for Seattle Wednesday morning.

President Elliott is very much pleased with the outlook for the Northwest, and declared that crop conditions and business generally are extremely satisfactory. He was here last November, but declared that even in that time there had been a great improvement in this city. He is a director of the St. Louis fair, and as such takes much interest in the Lewis and Clark fair.

The officials will remain in this city for several days to acquaint themselves with conditions here and to learn the needs of Portland in connection with their road. This afternoon they made a trip up the river and viewed the city's waterfront. They also visited the company's terminal grounds near the union depot.

Tomorrow they will go to Goble on a trip of inspection and in the afternoon will visit the grounds of the Lewis and Clark fair. Local officials will show them the various points of interest about the city. Wednesday the party goes to Vancouver and from there to Seattle and other points in Washington, where they will remain a week or 10 days.

"This is merely a trip of inspection," said Mr. Elliott. "I am here to get acquainted with the country and conditions so that when questions pertaining to the interests of this section arise we will know what should be done. Most of the other officials are with me for the same purpose."

"I know nothing definite at this time about the question of the Puget sound outlet. I think, however, that such a scientific undertaking will not be considered until after the fall campaign. The bridge across the Columbia to take the place of the ferry will come in time, in my opinion, but it is a question whether it would pay under present conditions."

VARIETY MANAGERS OF COAST COMBINE

Vaudeville theatre managers on what is known as the continuous circuit, embracing 21 houses on the coast, have organized an association, the aims being social and mutual protection. At a recent meeting held in San Francisco 20 managers were present. Officers were also elected, and S. Morton Cohn of the Star and Arcade theatres of this city was placed on the arbitration board. Meetings will be held quarterly, the different cities in the circuit taking turns in the entertainment of the managers.

The officers elected are as follows: President, Ed Homan, of the Bell theatre, Oakland, Cal.; vice-president, Tony Laubeck, of the Novelty theatre, Oakland, Cal.; treasurer, Sid Grauman, of the Unique theatre, San Jose, Cal.; secretary, Archie Levy of San Francisco. Executive board—S. Harris, chairman, Bell theatre, Oakland, Cal.; C. W. Godard, of the Acme theatre, Sacramento, Cal.; Charles Murry, of the Broadway theatre, San Francisco, Cal.; Sergeant-at-arms, Fliskey Barnett, of the Novelty Grand theatre, Stockton, Cal.; board—S. Morton Cohn, of the Arcade theatre, Portland, Or.; M. Goldsmith, of Seattle, Wash.; Henry Lubelski, of the Novelty theatre, Denver, Colo.; Alex. Katz, of the Novelty theatre, Stockton, Cal.; I. Lerner, of the Park theatre, Alameda, Cal.

GENERAL M'ARTHUR HERE

General McArthur and his party are in the city en route to San Francisco. The party will leave this evening via the Southern Pacific. General McArthur and his party have been in camp at American Lake for the past week.

PORTLAND SALESMAN UNDER GRAVE CHARGE

The charge upon which the arrest was made is the alleged drugging and taking to a questionable resort a young woman named Clark.

Miss Clark says that she accepted an invitation to lunch with Mutch and that it was during the progress of the meal that her entertainer "hoped" a cup of coffee and that she remained sitting there until she awoke next morning and was surprised at her surroundings. The officers, it is said, do not place much credence in the girl's story.

James Mutch is a traveling salesman for the firm of Honeyman, McBride & Co. of this city. Mr. McBride of the firm for whom Mutch worked stated today that he had a letter from Mutch dated Friday which stated that he was then on his way to Red Lodge. Mr. McBride said that he had heard nothing more from Mutch.

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FATALLY SHOT, ABLE TO RIDE ON HOME

Walter Boylan, a prominent farmer who lived six miles from Estacada died yesterday morning as the result of wounds accidentally received while hunting Saturday. He was four miles from his home when he finished hunting and mounted his horse to return.

In drawing the rifle on the horse after him the trigger was caught on the saddle and the weapon was discharged. A steel bullet passed through the man's body, entering on the left side, penetrating a lung and emerging from the back. He rode home but it was several hours before surgical assistance reached him.

He was thought to be recovering yesterday morning. While lying in bed he asked two of his friends, who had called, to turn him over. They did so and he died almost immediately. He was well known in the vicinity and leaves a family.

DECISIONS RENDERED BY SUPREME COURT

Salem, Or., July 18.—The supreme court today reversed the decision of the lower court in the case of Ferguson vs. Ray from Jackson county, and also reversed the decision in the case of Walls, Fargo & Co. vs. Millard Morgan. It affirmed the lower court's decision in the case of Wright Blodgett & Co. vs. the Astoria company, and also in the case of Harrington vs. Demaris from eastern Oregon.

MORO DELEGATES TO LEAGUE CONVENTION

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Moro, Or., July 18.—At a meeting held in the Moro opera house for the purpose of naming delegates to attend the Oregon Development League convention, to be held in Portland, August 2 and 3, the following were named:

W. McCoy, R. F. Pike, L. Barnum, W. H. Ragsdale, G. P. Hulse, Dr. O. J. Gorfin, O. W. Axtell, J. M. Parry, G. T. Parr, L. C. Ireland.

After the meeting it was decided to organize a board of trade to attend to the business of the State Development league and to look after all local matters.

PIONEER FATALLY INJURED.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Creton, Wash., July 18.—J. L. Hillis, a well known pioneer, was probably fatally injured in a runaway today by being thrown from the wagon in which he was riding. One of the horses was killed.

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WHITE RIBBON DAY AT CHAUTAUQUA

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Gladstone Park, July 18.—"White Ribbon Day" has always had a place on the Chautauqua program, and today unusual interest and activity are manifested. The day breaking beautiful and bright, the camp was alive and buzzing almost at the first peep of the sun, and a perfect chorus of voices broke forth all over the ground. The gloom and chill of the past few days is having its reaction in hilarity and enthusiasm, and with the promise of good weather the crowd is being swelled by every incoming train.

DIAMOND MEDAL CONTENT.

An oratorical contest is the main feature of today's program. It is for a diamond medal and will be contested for by those who have previously won silver, gold and grand gold medals in similar contests. It will be under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. who have decorated the stage beautifully in anticipation of it.

Schedule of Steamer T. J. Potter.

The seaside steamer T. J. Potter will leave Portland, Ash street dock, for Astoria and Ilwaco as follows:

July 19, Tuesday, 8 a. m.
July 20, Wednesday, 9 a. m.
July 21, Thursday, 9 a. m.
July 22, Friday, 9 a. m.
July 23, Saturday, 1 p. m.

Get transportation and berth tickets at O. R. & N. ticket office, Third and Washington streets.

Visible writing means the Underwood Typewriter.

MALHEUR CITIZENS MEETING AT VALLÉ

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Ontario, Or., July 18.—An enthusiastic meeting of the citizens of Malheur county was held in the courthouse at Vallé Saturday afternoon for the purpose of organizing a water-users' association to co-operate with the government in the establishment of an irrigation system for this section, for which \$2,000,000 has been set aside by the secretary of the interior.

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