

SHERIFF RAIDS THE KENO GAME

QUESTION AS TO WHETHER THIS DEVICE CAN BE STOPPED WILL BE SETTLED IN COURT—OFFICERS ALSO STOP A CHESSER "BLACKJACK" GAME.

Whether or not keno comes under the head of gambling under the statute is to be determined by the courts. Sheriff Word and his deputies raided the game at the Portland club last night and arrested the proprietors and five players. They were released on their personal recognizance and this morning were arraigned before Justice Seton, pleading not guilty. Their trial began at 1 o'clock this afternoon.

Money and paraphernalia were seized by the officers. The amount secured was about \$70. The "goose-neck," which the heavy balls bearing numbers are shaken, was a part of the property of the club taken as evidence. "Goose necks" are hard to obtain and there will be no keno at the Portland club until the determination of the matter by the courts.

A raid was also made on a blackjack game conducted in the establishment of Lal Wal, on Couch street. The raid caused a commotion, though it was expected. The door was slammed in the sheriff's face and the lights put out. Many of the players escaped to adjoining structures over boards placed from window to window.

When taken before Justice Seton this morning Lal Wal's bonds were placed at \$150 and those of the players at \$50 each. One Japanese hid under a bed and had to be hauled out by Sheriff Word. A Chinaman lost his head and ran wildly around the room until he was captured by a deputy, when he was covered in a corner and permitted the handcuffs to be placed on his wrists. The money on the tables, the cards, a poster reading "Limit 15" and a trunk were taken as evidence. Including money in Wal's pockets and in the trunk, the officers secured about \$500.

The raid on the Portland club was attended by little excitement. The officers assembled on the corner of Fish and Alder streets, and when Sheriff Word and Under Sheriff Morden entered the club quickly followed. The door of the keno room was barred and the names of the players, about 40 in number, taken. Several escaped by a rear entrance. Peter Grant accompanied the sheriff to the court house and agreed to stand personally responsible for the appearance of his employees. They were then released.

Several irregularities have been found in the gamblers' bonds. They do not invalidate the instruments but have attracted attention. On one bond of August Erickson only the name of H. D. Griffin, his manager, appears as a surety. The law requires two sureties. Pat Powers, a bartender at the Portland club, is on the bond of Grant, Solomon and Dale. On a bond given July 20 Erickson appears as his own surety with H. P. Christensen. A man cannot legally go on his own bond.

The trial of Grant and Solomon, proprietors of the Portland Club, for conducting a keno game, is being heard this afternoon by Judge Seton in Justice Reid's court.

TRUST COMPANY CHOOSES OFFICERS

Officers and directors were elected yesterday afternoon at the annual meeting of the Trust Company of the City of Portland. The Trust Company of the City of Portland is a member of the Chamber of Commerce building. Reports of officers were received.

The company's affairs were declared to be in a most prosperous condition and the increase in business during the past 12 months has been satisfactory, all the departments having shown a large increase in business.

The company has recently opened a savings bank, with a capital of \$50,000 set aside for special protection of depositors.

The directors elected were: William M. Ladd, J. Thorburn Ross, T. T. Burkhardt, Frank M. Warren and George H. Hill.

Subsequently the directors met and elected the following officers: William M. Ladd, president; J. Thorburn Ross, vice-president; Frank M. Warren, manager; and T. T. Burkhardt, secretary.

On the other hand, George Whitaker appears on the legal side in the role of injured husband. He brought suit for divorce this morning from Adeline Whitaker, declaring that for three years she has treated him with extreme cruelty. She frequently "goes wild with rage," according to his complaint, and empties the vials of her wrath upon him. These manifestations of unbridled passion, he declares, are accompanied by language of such a nature that "the words do not need to be reproduced here."

Whitaker is willing that his wife shall have one of their three children. He desires the custody of the other two.

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IS DASHED FROM WHEEL AND KILLED

While riding a bicycle from which the chain had been removed, down a steep incline near Gresham yesterday afternoon, John Seasanson, 17 years old, lost control of the wheel and was thrown violently against a stump near the roadside, sustaining injuries from which he died a short time later.

The lad lived with his parents four miles from Gresham. He had been riding the wheel most of the afternoon. The chain slipped off. He was going down a steep grade. The speed became so great that he was unable to stop and was thrown against the stump.

Persons who had witnessed the accident found the lad unconscious when they reached him. He died a few minutes later. Coroner Finley was notified and investigated the case.

DAZED SLEEPER PUZZLES POLICE

Confined in the Good Samaritan hospital is a man whose case puzzles City Physician Zan and all of the officials of the institution. He was picked up by the police last night, taken to the central station and later removed in a patrol wagon to the hospital.

The man gave his name to the police as J. H. Drummond last night, but whether that is correct is questioned by the officials. He is not insane, in the usual meaning of the term, but is not mentally right. The subscriptions were made by giving "knockout drops" in some saloon in the north end, but until he comes to himself it will not be possible for the police or the city physician to ascertain anything definite.

Drummond, as he gave his name, was found last night by Special Policeman Andrews. He was lying prostrate on the sidewalk on Union avenue, and was unable to speak when the policeman addressed him.

At the police station Captain Moore attempted to ascertain the circumstances surrounding the man's case, but was unable to learn anything definite from him. He seemed dazed and was hardly able to speak. He had no money in his pockets, and it is thought perhaps he was "doped" and robbed by thugs. An effort to learn if he has relatives here has proved unavailing. In a rambling way he explains his condition, saying he simply went to sleep.

GENEROUS AID FOR BATTLING BROTHERS

Since the beginning of the present war between Russia and Japan the sum of \$16,000 has been raised by the Japanese of Portland for their country's cause. The amount is equivalent to twice that sum in Japanese denominations.

The amount has been forwarded and the patriotic Japs of this city declare their willingness to send more in case it is needed. The subscriptions were voluntary and were made without the least solicitation on the part of any government representatives.

The fund that was started by Chinamen in this city for the benefit of Japanese soldiers who are wounded in battle is rapidly growing. It was started only a few days ago, but something over \$400 has been donated. The sum is expected to increase rapidly as the purpose of the money becomes known to the Chinamen. Comparatively few Chinamen are in the city at present. Large numbers are fishermen and are away during the fishing season. It is expected that they will contribute readily to the fund when they return to the city.

PRISONER SCREAMS IN VAIN FOR OPIUM

The first morphine eater to run up against the recent order of Chief of Police Hunt regarding the feeding of "dope" to prisoners is Ralph Fosney. He is serving a 60-day sentence in the city jail for vagrancy, and today his screams pierced the air in the prison, as he yelled wildly for the drug.

"I will not permit morphine to be administered to inmates of this jail except by physicians," said Chief Hunt.

FIRE SLUMBERED UNDER HIGH WATER

After a month elapsed and after the spits had been covered for a number of days by the high water in the Willamette river, the fire had been smoldering all that time broke out late yesterday afternoon in the sawdust at Wren's mill on the Macadam road, and became so menacing that the fire boat was dispatched to the scene and remained there three hours.

The original fire, in which the Day and Wren lumber mills were wiped out a month ago, was not entirely quenched by the many heavy streams of water which it had been raining, and after being covered over with water, the recent freshet did not get out. The hot sunbath of the past few days evidently brought it to life again, and both last night and Monday night it broke and caused the fire boat to respond to a call.

SERIOUS FIRES THREATEN FOREST

Since Sunday a destructive forest fire has been raging along the line of the Benson Logging & Lumbering company's railway near Clatskanie in Columbia county. Several bridges along the road have been destroyed and considerable damage has already been done to the timber holdings of the company.

A large force of men have worked incessantly since Sunday in vain efforts to extinguish the flames. The rain which began today, though scarcely more than a mist, has assisted in the fight against the fire.

The Benson road taps a timber belt of many thousand acres, and several bridges and sawmills are located near the road. During the excessively dry weather in June, sparks from a passing locomotive started a blaze in the dry brush near the tracks and it was with difficulty that the sawmill of the Keystone Lumber company was saved.

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MANY PIONEERS AT CHAUTAUQUA

George H. Himes, assistant secretary and curator of the Oregon Historical society, has returned from Oregon City where he has been attending the annual sessions of the Chautauqua. During the session of the Chautauqua Mr. Himes had an opportunity of meeting many of the pioneer residents of this state, particularly during the latter part of last week, when many of them gathered for pioneer day.

The oldest of these is William Vaughn of Molalla, who came overland to this state from Missouri in 1845. Mrs. John McArthur of Oregon City was interviewed by Mr. Himes. She came across the plains in 1845 with three children, two daughters and one son, who were also at the sessions of the Chautauqua.

Mr. Himes, who conducted a cigar and candy store at 90 Russell street, and a suit of clothes from Hans Nelson, bartender for Peter Schranz. Detective Hartman will go to The Dalles tonight for him.

ENJOINS CITY FROM CONSTRUCTING SLIPS

Roderick Macleay has threatened to bring suit against the city enjoining it from granting the approach to the Bellwood ferry. Mayor Williams and Auditor Devlin were notified to that effect today.

It is stated that Macleay claims the land through which the approach is being constructed and that he is very much opposed to the ferry landing at this point, for the reason that it will mar his property.

On the other hand, Auditor Devlin stated this afternoon that the approach to the ferry, which is now being graded by the contractors, is an old county road and owned by the city, although it has been abandoned for some time.

The approach is now being surveyed by Surveyor Galvani and the rights of the city fully established to construct it.

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MAKING SURVEYS FOR SALEM LINE

Engineers are in the field surveying the proposed route of the Portland Southern Electric company, whose articles of incorporation were filed with the county clerk yesterday. For the past week a corps of engineers have been at work south of Oregon City.

The first construction work of the new road will be done between Oregon City and Salem. When it is completed between those two points it will be extended into Portland, then from Salem to Eugene through Albany on the other end. The distance between Oregon City and Salem is 28 miles.

Construction work on that section of the road will be begun within a short time, it is announced. The road will be standard gauge, enabling the transfer of cars or other equipment from any other road. The system will in all probability be operated by electricity. The line will parallel the tracks of the Southern Pacific and will penetrate one of the richest and most populous sections of Oregon.

GAUGHN AT THE DALLES

John Burns, aged 19 years, was arrested last night at The Dalles on telegraphic instructions from the local police. He is wanted here on charges of burglary and larceny. Detective Hartman, who is handling the case, states that he wants the young man for stealing a black suit of clothes, a watch and a razor from J. Graham, who conducts a cigar and candy store at 90 Russell street, and a suit of clothes from Hans Nelson, bartender for Peter Schranz.

WAS VICTIM OF FERVID POLITICS

It had been decided to ship the body of Herbert B. Huntley to Seattle tonight. His brother, O. A. Huntley, who has been here since the disappearance July 7, will have charge. Interment will be made here in Seattle probably tomorrow.

As published last night, the body was found late yesterday afternoon 30 yards from the Mount Tabor sanitarium, from which the unfortunate man escaped. He got away, clad only in a night robe, by forcing his way on top of a fence and making a break for the dense woods surrounding the institution, where he had been confined for some time because of nervous trouble. He was inclined toward suicide and from the first it was thought he had taken his own life.

William Gantenbein found the body. It was suspended from a limb of a fir tree, 20 feet from the ground. He had hanged himself with his night shirt. The finding of the body was accidental. The young man went into the woods for a fishing pole and while returning came by the place where the body was hanging. He reported immediately to Coroner Finley.

CHINESE WOMAN ARRESTED

Goo Gum Yip, a pretty Chinese woman, was arrested by federal officers at the Union depot yesterday on her arrival in this city and will explain her right to remain in this country. As soon as the girl's arrest became known in Chinatown two wealthy merchants from the settlement hurried to the United States marshal's office and deposited bonds in the sum of \$250. She was released from custody and her hearing will be heard before Commissioner Sladen, Friday.

LIST OF DELEGATES TO LEAGUE GROWS

List of delegations from Oregon towns and counties to the Portland meeting August 2 for organization of an Oregon Improvement League continue to flow into the Commercial club with every mail. The following delegations were received today:

Astoria Chamber of Commerce—James W. Welch, president; C. H. Higgins, secretary; Q. A. Rowley, John E. Grable, John H. Smith, J. T. Ross, P. A. Stokes, Frank J. Taylor, Albert Dunbar, C. A. Heilborn, Frank J. Carney and J. S. Dellinger.

Columbia county, Judge R. S. Hattan; W. H. Powell, St. Helens; E. C. Gray, St. Helens; P. A. Frakes, Scappoose; N. A. Perry, Houlton; John Campbell.

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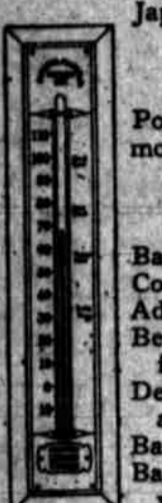
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And many other bargains too numerous to mention.



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