

### GAMBLERS HAVE A DAY IN COURT

Fighting Habeas Corpus Proceedings Brought in the Interest of Deputy Sheriffs.

### CORONER FINLEY MAKES A PECULIAR ANSWER

Case Goes Over Until Monday, When Attorneys for Pool-sellers Promise Contest.

Six more days must Deputy Sheriffs Morden, Hollingsworth, Wise and Cordano, "remain in custody" and be "restrained of their liberty" for when the habeas corpus proceedings were called in Presiding Judge George's court this afternoon at 2 o'clock, the case was continued until next Monday.

And the promise was given by Attorney Spencer for the Portland club that it would not be served upon Mr. McGinn until a copy of the replication which Mr. McGinn will make to the answer of Coroner J. F. Finley be served before Monday, in order that he might have an opportunity to plead further in the case, which under those circumstances promises to languish in the courts for many days before adjudication.

It was not until the case had been called and all the interested parties were in court this afternoon that Coroner Finley's answer to the writ of habeas corpus was served on Mr. McGinn, attorney for the sheriffs, by Attorney Spencer. This gave him no opportunity to make a reply and it was unnecessary to ask for more time. It was understood yesterday when the case was continued that this answer was then ready and would be served upon Mr. McGinn at once, but for some reason known only to the Portland club and their attorneys, this case was delayed until the last minute today.

### MANY CONDUCTORS COMING TO PORTLAND

E. E. Clark, grand chief, and W. J. Maxwell, grand secretary, of the Order of Railway Conductors are in Portland today to arrange for the twenty-eighth biennial convention of the order which will be held in Portland next May.

### FELONY CHARGE AGAINST LENA WALTON DISMISSED

San Francisco, Dec. 12.—The charge of felony and embezzlement against Lena Walton, the so-called "Queen of the Klondike," was dismissed today. She was accused by Max Cutler of selling him an interest in a mine to which she had no legal right.

### CRUSHED TO DEATH BETWEEN BUMPERS

Shocking Fall of Edgar M. Watson at the Northern Pacific Freight Yards.

Edgar M. Watson was instantly killed in the Northern Pacific freight yards this morning.

From a train of box cars on the siding near the Northern Pacific freight shed, at the foot of North Park street near Hoyt street, the last car was uncoupled that it might be moved nearer the shed. Four employees of the railroad company were engaged in pushing the car back and Watson jumped in to help them. Instead of pushing on the bumpers he pressed his body against the drawhead, another car was "kicked back" and Watson was crushed to his death between the bumpers.

E. B. Dews, A. Abbot, William Abbot and Samuel Johnson, the men who were engaged in shifting the car, state they did not see Watson until the cars came together, when they heard a faint outcry; looking up they saw the boy falling to the ground, but one of their number caught him before he fell; but death was almost instantaneous.

Coroner Finley, after hearing their story, did not think an inquest necessary.

### Killing Lottery Schemes.

Of late the boys' and children's clothing business of this city has been conducted on lines that are both degrading to business and despicable to parents. Teaching boys to try their luck on guns, etc., in order to attract their attention is just as much gambling as selling race horse pools or lottery tickets.

### DRESSES LAY FIGURE IN YOUNG'S CLOTHING

New York, Dec. 12.—Dr. Charles Phelps, police physician, in the Patterson trial today, testified as expert of gunshot wounds. He said the fatal shot had been fired from left to right at a distance of four inches. A lay figure was then dressed with the dead man's clothes, beginning with the bloody undershirt. Miss Patterson recoiled from the sight. The witness explained the reasons for his opinion as to the way the shot was fired, using the lay figure to illustrate.

### POSTMASTER GENERAL DISMISSES TWO MEN

Washington, Dec. 12.—Postmaster General Wynne today dismissed Frank Cunningham, president of the Rural Carriers' association, of Omaha, and James Keller, of Cleveland, holding the same position. Both men are charged with political activity.

### GETTING PHOTOS OF SCHOOL HOUSES

Official Photographer for Oregon Educational Exhibit Visits Lane.

### BADLY BRUISED IN RUNAWAY ACCIDENT

Work on Telephone Line Between Eugene and Florence Begins at Latter Place.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Eugene, Or., Dec. 12.—George F. Coan, the official photographer for Oregon's educational exhibit at the Lewis and Clark exposition, is in Eugene for the purpose of making a collection of photos of the numerous school houses in Lane county to make up a part of the educational exhibit. Coan will cover the entire county and obtain photographs of nearly all the school houses, which number probably more than 100 in the county.

### WOULDN'T DARN SOCKS AND THEY FOUGHT

Then He Gave Her Laudnum, Which She Took to Show She Was Game.

Because, as he claimed, his wife would not darn his socks, J. B. Goggin, 414 North Third street, engaged in a fight last night with his wife. Then he gave her a bottle of laudnum.

### DO NOT BELIEVE IN LAUDING AN OUTLAW

Portland, Dec. 12.—To the Editor of The Journal—Any one who knows the record left and the misery caused by outlaws such as originated in Jackson county, Missouri, when the James boys were growing up cannot help but regret that our papers are now engaged in advertising Frank James as a part of a show that is soon to be in our city.

### OREGON-OHIO LOCAL SENDS LITERATURE

Much good will be accomplished for the Lewis and Clark exposition by the Oregon-Ohio local, which has furnished the company with long lists of former residents and friends of Portland, and Mr. Kollock is seen to be to that literature of the fair is sent to each through station agent, traveling passenger agent and other representatives of the road.

### HURLED TO DEATH BY SHRAPNEL BLAST

Three Men Killed Outright and Probably Dozen Others Fatally Injured in Tunnel.

(Journal Special Service.) Niagara Falls, N. Y., Dec. 12.—Three men were killed outright and it is reported that 12 others were probably fatally injured in a premature dynamite explosion in the Toronto and Niagara Falls Power company's main tunnel shortly after noon today.

### SHERIFF SECURES A CONFESSION

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### MONEY-SAVING INFORMATION.

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### SENTENCE OF MACHEN AND GROFF SUSTAINED

Washington, Dec. 12.—The court of appeals this afternoon handed down an opinion sustaining the verdict in the postoffice conspiracy cases which resulted in the conviction of August W. Machen, Diller E. Groff, Samuel A. Groff and George R. Lorenz, imposing sentences of two years' imprisonment and a fine of \$10,000.

### TWO DOG EATERS TRY TO KILL THEIR CHIEF

(Journal Special Service.) Seattle, Wash., Dec. 12.—Two Moros, who escaped from the Philippines party, while passing through North Dakota from the world's fair to Seattle, and were caught just to show later, made an unsuccessful attempt to assassinate Chief Datto Facuno, because he aided in their capture. Another name given the alarm as the murderers were about to strike. A knife in the chief's back. The assailants are now kept heavily chained and Datto is closely guarded. The affair may result in a native feud.

### ODD FELLOWS CELEBRATE.

Industrial lodge N. 99, I. O. O. F., of Albina, celebrated the fifteenth anniversary of its organization last night in Albina hall. The lodge room was decorated in the national colors and cedar boughs. Besides the members of the order, their friends and members of their families were present.

### THANKS TO GUILD.

The Visiting Nurse association wishes to make public acknowledgment of the donation of new garments and bed linen from the Needlework guild. Coming from the Needlework guild. Coming from the Needlework guild. Coming from the Needlework guild.

### MRS. CLARENCE H. NICHOLS, Secretary and Treasurer.

### WIFE AND COUSIN.

(Journal Special Service.) San Francisco, Dec. 12.—A dispatch received here this afternoon announces the marriage of Mildred, the Sacramento actress, who was recently injured in an automobile accident near Los Angeles, in which a millionaire named Prager was killed, to Jefferson Graves of Fresno, Cal., who is the only heir of the late millionaire Jefferson James of San Francisco.

### INJURED LITTLE SISTER.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Meadows, Wash., Dec. 12.—The three-year-old son of Lester Sly, while chopping wood with a double edged axe, threw it over his shoulder and struck his little sister in the eye, cutting a long gash in her forehead. She may recover.

### FARMHAND FOUND DEAD.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Winona, Wash., Dec. 12.—Jacob Rumbach, a farm hand, was found lying in the road dead here yesterday. He is thought to have been drunk and fallen from a wagon, as a wheel had passed over his body, which was cold when found. Nothing is known here of his relatives.

### TOO SOUND A SLEEPER.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Palouse, Wash., Dec. 12.—Daniel Harper, who was under arrest, was last night placed in charge of Night Watchman Charles Summers. Summers took Harper to his own home and slept with him, owing to the weakness of the city calaboose. When he awoke his prisoner had escaped, leaving no clue.

### ESCAPED FROM THE ROCKPILE.

The first escape from the newly established city rockpile was made this afternoon, when Jacob Trubee made a dash for liberty and got it. He was sentenced December 7 to 30 days on conviction of disorderly conduct, having been found guilty of living on the earnings of his sister.

### TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

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### DIES AT COLLIER PLACE.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Collier Place, Dec. 12.—Mrs. N. H. Greene, for more than 10 years a resident of this county, died yesterday. She leaves a husband and two daughters.

### WHERE IS CORNERS.

(Journal Special Service.) San Francisco, Dec. 12.—It is authoritatively stated today that M. Michener, a Sacramento pawnbroker, is the man who sold the revolver with which the Weber family was murdered, and that Adolph Weber purchased it.

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