JOHN MANNING COULD NOT JUSTIFY ANY MAN

Interviews Stated Before District Attorney's Action That True Bill Would Fail.

"As a friend of Mayor Williams. I gard a dismissal of the indictment aimst him, on the motion of the distinct attorney, no vindication at all the first place, John Manning could trindicate anyone, and in the second not vindicate anyone, and in the second place, vindication in reality could only come by submission of the case to a trial jury of his peers, who, looking into the facts and evidence, would pass their judgment in a manner to becord Judge Williams exoneration. But dismissal by District Attorney Manning, after the frand jury had censured him to its final report, is no exoneration."

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The foregoing statement was made tolay by a man who professes strong loylity to Mayor Williams. Many such
comments were heard upon the sensational episode of the circuit court, when
Mr. Manning dismissed the indictments

Mr. Manning dismissed the indictments against the mayor and the chief of police.

Undoubtedly an impression was created that the action of the district airorney was due in part to the severe strictures passed upon him by the county grand jury. In its final report that a "zealous and competent attorney" he appointed by the court to prosecute the indictments returned, in view of what the jury believed to be indisposition on his part to try the cases with zeal and desire to convict.

The assertion is made that Mr. Manning promised the grand jury to draw all indictments desired by the jury, and to prosecute them with vigor. The members of the grand jury feel that in dismissing the indictments the district attorney has not kept his promises.

Among the stories that have gained currency, is one to the effect that the dismissal of the indictments was arranged by the mayor or his friends and the district attorney. In an interview printed in the newspapers of the country prior to the final reporting of the grand jury, but subsequent to the return of the mayor's indictment, Mayor Williams made the statement, thay williams made the statement to the return of the mayor's indictment, mayor williams made the statement to the return of the mayor's indictment, hayor williams made the statement to the return of the mayor's indictment, hayor williams made the statement that he believed the indictment never would be pressed, and that the case never would come to trial. Asked concerning this statement, the mayor declared that he did make such as assertion to a representative of a press association, and that it was his firm expectation before the district attorney moved the dismissal. In this connection, District Attorney Manning was today asked this question:

"Mr. Manning, when the mayor said in an interview that the did the speak advisedly, and with knowledge that you were going to move the court to dismiss the indictment."

"The mayor never asked me to dismiss the indictment."

ing to discover a new lover if her whim adjectment?"

The major never asked me to dismiss he indictment," was the reply, "never poke to me from the time the indictment, asked until it had been dismissed, and, in fact, has not yet even hanked me for doing as I did. Furthermore, he did not know I was going to dismiss the indictment, so far as I know, and I am not informed that any one outside of my office knew that such a step was contemplated. My deputies, of course, were posted as to what was coming, but no one else, according to my best knowledge."

Regarding the report that the grand furry's censure of him had been an element in the act, Mr. Manning denied the fourth of such a story, allegting that its band, and William G. Beach, also an element in the act, Mr. Manning denied the fourth of such a story, allegting that its band, and William G. Beach, also an element in the act, Mr. Manning denied the fourth of such a story, allegting that its band, and William G. Beach, also an element in the act, Mr. Manning denied the fourth of such a story, allegting that its band, and William G. Beach, also an element in the act, Mr. Manning denied the fourth of such a story, allegting that its band, and william G. Beach, also an element in the act, Mr. Manning denied the story of the carrier in Portiging the content in the act, Mr. Manning denied the story of the carrier in Portiging the content in the act, Mr. Manning denied the story of the carrier in Portiging the content in the dispatches from New were printed.

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From here the prima donna went to spread the carmine paint. When she returned to the east the elder Padieford gave her a large sum of money to take another name and she chose Girard. The next time she visited Sma Francisco and the carmine paint. When she returned to the carmine paint. When

jury.

William C. Elliott, ex-city engineer, was arraigned before Judge M. C. George on the charge of obtaining money by false pretenses, and was given five days in which to plead. He was allowed to go on his own

### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* OMBIBUS BILL PASSED.

(Journal Special Service.) Washington, D. C., Jan. 9.-The sen ate today passed the omnibus claim bill, carrying \$2,500,000. Senator Morgan of labama spoke in opposition to the

### AS TO COLDS

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### BETTINA GIRARD NOT VINDICATION MAKES FINAL EXIT

Married Daughter of Gallant General Ordway.

CHAMPAGNE DRUNK FROM SLIPPER BY ADMIRER

Presence in Portland Threw Shadow of Divorce Court Over Many Homes.

Hettina Girard is dead at Roosevelt hospital. New York, supposedly of acute preumonia.

There has never been nor will there ever be an actress whose career is more weirdly sensational than that of Bettina Girard, daughter of an army officer, but child of Bohemia, lover of notoriety, spoiled by the Four Hundred and victim of appetite.

The history dates back to the hour that Gen. Albert Ordway, a man whose splendid war record placed him high in the esteem of the government, introduced his pretty daughter Betty to the exclusive set of Washington, D. C. She was a charming debutante, was winsome, beautiful, bright, witry and original full things. She was idolized and petied, dined and feted, until the attentions showered upon her almost turned her head.

One night at a banquet, in an exuberant spirit created by wine, she leaped upon a table, danced wildly to the accompaniment of society applause, and ended by tearing off one of her slippers, filling it with champagne and challenging any man in the party to drink it. One poor fellow, enraptured by her grace, did so. The affair could not be hushed up. It stirred Washington from end to end, and within 24 hours the name of Betty Orijway was upon all lips.

\*\*Wits of Padelford.\*\*

And as time went on and she became more conspicuous, society was startled by the announcement of her betrothal to Arthur J. Padelford, son of a multi-millionaire. They were married. They lived together for more than a year. One day she was taken ill. She was supposedly upon her death bed. To her hushand she made a confession, the nature of which may only be guessed. It caused him to go to Europe; he secured a divorce. Sook the divorced wife began to improve and almost before their acquaintances realized it, Bettina had made her debut upon the stage in "The Seven Ages." This was in 1859. Not more than a year afterward she made her way to the Pacific coast as prima donna of the Hyatt Opera company. They played in San Francisco, then came to Portland. After a brief season at the New Park theatre

pany. Their union was brief. Harrison J. Wolfe, an actor, was her third husband, and William G. Beach, also an actor, her fourth. The kaleidoscope was being turned rapidly.

BLAZIER AND FRITZ

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General Ordway died in 1897 of a broken heart.

COUNTRY IN CLUTCHES OF GREEDY MONOPOLY

(Journal Special Service.)
Washington, Jan. 9.—George Mead, a
member of the National League of Commission Merchants of Boston, was on the stand today before the interstate commerce committee of the house in a hearing on bills to further restrict

carriers. He testified that the private car lines were owned by Armour & Co. and prac-tically control the perishable food com-modities of this country. He maintained hat Armour was operating without a

He said: "Private car concerns can break men, firms and even states by their traffic rates. Rafiroads would be glad to be freed from the domination of Armour lines, which he held over them as a threat to destroy their busi-

PENNSYLVANIANS WILL GATEER.

Pennsylvanians, how residents of Oregon, are requested to meet in the lobby of the council chamber, city ball, this evening at 8 o'clock sharp, to consider the advisability of organizing a Pennsylvania association to welcome visitors from the Keystone state during the Lewis and Clark exposition. Entrance to city hall on Fifth street.

"Have you ever been rejected before, Mr. Huddleston?" she asked sympathisingly and almost te..lerly. "Once," he said, a spism of pain contorting his features at the recollection. "By a life insurance company. I tell you it hurt—that time,"—Chicago Tribune.

A man living near Hillsboro will plant an acre of celery, being assured that his land is equal for that purpose to the Kalamusoo land.

Was Prejudiced Before Grand Jury.

SAYS HENRY M'GINN WAS IN ROOM TO HIS HURT

the Riners Say Facts Are Insufficient.

Eugene Blazier today filed a motion in the circuit court to dismise the perjury indictment against him, for the reason that Henry E. McGinn was present when the grand jury-was investigating his case and that he took part in the proceedings. Blazier makes affidavit that McGinn is prejudiced against him, and says that by his counsel he influenced the jury to find and return the indictment.

the indictment.

The indictment was returned against Blasier for swearing that he had not owned or conducted a gambling house or game during three years past; in the circuit court is a record of his plea of guilty to owning a gambling house within a year past, and the records of the municipal court show that he had pleaded guilty twice a month and paid a fine for the same offense.

Demurrers have been filed to the indictments against William C. Elliott, Henry Chandler, J. M. Caywood, R. M. Riner and E. W. Riner on the ground that they charge more than one orime and also the usual general demurrer "that the facts stated in said indictment do not constitute a crime."

SPECIAL VENIRE DRAWN THIS MORNING

A special venire of jurymen was drawn this morning to fill the panel. So many of the regular veniremen were excused from attendance that the spe-cial venire was necessary, though this is the first day of the new term of

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The talismen are: Henry E. Albert, pressman; Victor A. Avery, merchant; E. A. Baldwin, president Union Printing company; N. D. Beutger, shoes; John W. Chamberlain, patternmaker; Frank Doernbacher, manufacturer; H. S. Gile, capitaliat; Joseph M. Healy, real estate; Thomas W. Jenkins, agent; N. A. King, real estate; William Klumpp, card engraver; Charles H. Levy, commission merchant; D. B. McBride, merchant; J. G. Morgan, saddler; E. H. Nicoll, books; J. N. Nickum, sand; Eric Olson, carpenter; John Patterson, painter; Thomas W. Patterson, farmer; F. M. Suppord, farmer; R. Tegart, farmer; I. K. Tuerck, machinist; Charles Urfer, carpenter; E. W. Wadcher, clerk; E. M. Zahl, laborer.

**ALBANY'S MAYOR SAYS** NOT GUILTY OF FRAUD

Mayor W. H. Davis of Albany, whe was recently indicted by the federal grand jury in connection with the fraud cases, pleaded not guilty this afternoon, through his attorneys, Weatherford and Wyatt. The case was not set for a hearing, but will be taken up with the others now pending.

REID, VICE CHOATS.

(Journal Special Service.)
Washington, D. C., Jan. 9.—The president today entertained Whitelaw Reid at luncheon. It is now stated authoritatively that Reid will succeed Choate as ambassador to Great Britain.

(Journal Special Service.)

Washington, D. C., Jan. 9.—The president today sent to the senate the nomination of Frederick Stratton as collector of customs at San Francisco.

AT THE THEATRES.

Trained Dogs at the Grand.

Concer's troupe of trained dogs heads the program at the Grand in the new bill which opens this afternoon and which will be on for the remainder of the week. The next really clever thing is the ventriloquous act of Hugh McCormick. He has nine talking figures going at the same time, and the whole thing is very humorous. Then comes Holmes and Deane in a high-class musical act. Following are St. Clair and Carlysie, comedy wire duo, and Cook and Oakes, singing and dancing acrobats; Morgan and Chester, in a new and sparkling comedy, and a host of other good things, including a fine into f new story films, the very best ever exhibited here.

Empire's "Two Little Waifs."

"Two Little Waifs," Lincoln J. Car-"Two Little Waifa," Lincoln J. Carter's strong melodrama, will be on for three nights at the Empire theatre, commencing Thursday of this week. The story tells an uplifting and agreeable tale, has a plot quite intricate and involved, and is replete with stirring melodramatic situations. There will be a matinee Saturday. The feature of the production is the work of two children, who are by far the cleverest juvenile actors that will be seen here this season.

The Star's Cluster of Diamonds.

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This afternoon the new program for the coming week is opening at the Star theatre, and it promises to be a cluster of theatrical diamonds. The bright particular ster of the bill will be Raymond Teal, the greatest monologist of the world. Mr. Teal was one of the men who made Billy West's ministrels famous in years gone by, and his departure from that organization has left a yold which every theatre-goer in the country knows has never been filled.

Divorce Suit at Arcade.

A divorce suit is in progress at the Arcade theatre today. The occasion is the opening of the new program for the coming week, and anybody who sees it will have secured a divorce from solemnity for some time to come. The bill is crowded with clever acts, comedy sketches, pretty girls and graceful dancing, while Lilly Paloma will sing a beautiful illustrated song.

A flarprise Party.

A pleasant surprise party may be given to your stomach and liver, by taking a medicine which will relievo their pain and discomfort, viz.: Dr. King's New Life Pills. They are a most wonderful remedy, affording sure veller and cure, for headache, dissiness and constipation. 25c at Red Cross Pharmacy, Sixth and Oak streets, on the way to the postoffice

Mayor's Friend Says Setting Eventful Career of Seven-Times Eugene Blazier Alleges His Case Reverses Point of Lower Court in Case of Assurance Company Vs. O. R. & N. Co.

> SUSTAINS OPINION AGAINST WOODSON GRAY

Elliott, Caywood, Chandler and Convicted of Manslaughter and Appealed to Higher Tribunal But Resulted in Conviction.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Salem, Or. Jan. 9.—The following opinions were banded down by the state supreme court today.

Virgil Moore, appellants, against the Oregon Railroad & Navigation company, respondent, on appeal from Umatila county. Plaintiffs seek to recover damrespondent, on appeal from Umatilla county. Plaintiffs seek to recover damages for loss by fire alleged to have been occasioned by a passing sngine through the negligence of the railroad. The judge in the lower court instructed the jury that it must find that the fire was caused by the particular engine described in the complaint, although swidence showed that other engines had shortly before passed the place and scattered fire. On this point the lower court was reversed.

The state of Oregon, respondent, against Woodson Gray, jointly indicted with Wade Gray. Defendant was convicted of manulaughter and appealed to the supreme court, which reversed and remanded his case. His second trial also resulted in conviction and now the lower court is sustained.

J. H. Barnes and D. Barnes, partners as J. H. Barnes & Bon, respondents, against John H. Leidigh and J. R. McLauren, partners doing business in partnership under the firm name of the Lake Superior Lumber company, appellants. Appeal from Union county, Robert Eakin judge, affirmed. Opinion by Justice Bean.

Phila B. Clark, respondent, against W. C. Hindman and Tollia M. Douthitt-Hindman, appellants. Appeal from Baker county, Robert Eakin judge, affirmed. Opinion by Chief Justice Moore.

**WOLVERTON SITS TODAY** AS CHIEF JUSTICE

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Salem. Or., Jan. 9.—Hon. Charles E.
Wolverton today assumed the office of
chief justice of the supreme court. On
account of a provision under the new
law, Judge Moore held the office of
chief justice six months longer than his
regular term. Formerly the change took
place on July 1, but under the new law
the change is made on the first day of
the meeting of the legislature.

cruelty. It was recently rumored i McKee was about to marry Mrs. H Tevis of California.

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