

DISMISSAL WAS NOT VINDICATION

Mayor's Friend Says Setting Aside Indictment Did Not Clear Him of Charges.

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 regard a dismissal of the indictment against him, on the motion of the district attorney, no vindication at all.

The foregoing statement was made today by a man who professes strong loyalty to Mayor Williams. Many such comments were heard upon the sensational episode of the circuit court, when Mr. Manning dismissed the indictments against the mayor and the chief of police.

"Undoubtedly an impression was created that the action of the district attorney was due in part to the severe strictures passed upon him by the county grand jury. In its final report the jury had recommended to the court that a 'zealous and competent attorney' be 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 mayor never asked me to dismiss the indictment," was the reply. "I never spoke to me from the time the indictment was filed until it had been dismissed, and, in fact, had not yet even thanked me for doing as I did.

BLAZIER AND FRITZ FINED AS GAMBLERS

Eugene Blazier and Fred Fritz, recently convicted in the circuit court of running gambling houses, were this afternoon fined \$500 each by Judge Arthur Frazer.

OMNIBUS BILL PASSED.

AS TO COLDS

Feed a cold—yes, but feed it with Scott's Emulsion. Feeding a cold in this way kills it. You cannot afford to have a cough or cold at this season or any other. Scott's Emulsion will drive it out quickly and keep it out.

BETINA GIRARD MAKES FINAL EXIT

Eventful Career of Seven-Times Married Daughter of Gallant General Ordway.

CHAMPAGNE DRUNK FROM SLIPPER BY ADMIRAL

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

Betina Girard is dead at Roosevelt hospital, New York, supposedly of acute pneumonia.

The history dates back to the hour that Gen. Albert Ordway, a man whose splendid record placed him high in the esteem of the government, introduced his pretty daughter Betty to the exclusive set of Washington, D. C.

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 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.

From here the prima donna went to San Francisco, where she continued to spread the carnal paint. When she returned to the east the elder Padelford gave her a large sum of money to take another man, and she chose Girard. The next time she visited San Francisco Betina became the wife of John J. Raffael, tenor of the Tivoli Opera company.

COUNTRY IN CLUTCHES OF GREEDY MONOPOLY

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 common carriers.

PENNSYLVANIANS WILL GATHER.

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 be assured a divorce from matrimony for some time to come.

ASK COURT TO DISMISS THE INDICTMENTS

Eugene Blazier Alleges His Case Was Prejudiced Before Grand Jury.

SAYS HENRY M'GINN WAS IN ROOM TO HIS HURT

Elliott, Caywood, Chandler and the Riners Say Facts Are Insufficient.

Eugene Blazier today filed a motion in the circuit court to dismiss the perjury indictment against him, for the reason that Henry H. McGinn was present when the grand jury was investigating his case and that he took part in the proceedings.

The indictment was returned against Blazier for swearing that he had not owned or conducted a gambling house or game during three years past.

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 special venire was necessary, though this is the first day of the new term of court.

ALBANY'S MAYOR SAYS NOT GUILTY OF FRAUD

NEED, VICE OREGON.

STROTTON REAPPEARED.

AT THE THEATRES.

Trained Dogs at the Grand.

Empire's "Two Little Waifs."

The Star's Cluster of Diamonds.

WILL FURNISH YOUR HOME

A Surprise Party.

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

SUPREME COURT GIVES DECISIONS

Reverses Point of Lower Court in Case of Assurance Company vs. O. R. & N. Co.

SUSTAINS OPINION AGAINST WOODSON GRAY

Convicted of Manslaughter and Appealed to Higher Tribunal But Resulted in Conviction.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Salem, Or., Jan. 8.—The following opinions were handed down by the state supreme court today:

Manchester Assurance company and Virgil Moore, appellants, against the Oregon Railroad & Navigation company, respondent, on appeal from Umatilla county. Plaintiffs seek to recover damages for loss by fire alleged to have been occasioned by a passing engine through the negligence of the railroad.

Phila B. Clark, respondent, against W. C. Hindman and Tullis B. Doubtless, appellants, on appeal from Baker county. Robert Eakin judge, affirmed. Opinion by Justice Bean.

WOLVERTON SITS TODAY AS CHIEF JUSTICE

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Salem, Or., Jan. 8.—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.

WOMEN DIVORCED.

(Journal Special Service.) Pittsburg, Jan. 9.—Judge Evans today granted a divorce to Eliza McKee from A. Hart McKee on the ground of cruelty. It was recently rumored that McKee was about to marry Mrs. Hugh Tevis of California.

HUNTER BALTIMORE RYE

WAS CONSPICUOUSLY HONORED IN THE HIGHEST DEGREE AT THE ST. LOUIS EXPOSITION BY THE AWARD OF THE

GRAND PRIZE

IT HAS PASSED THE GOAL IN THE RACE WITH COMPETITION AND HAS REACHED THE ZENITH OF

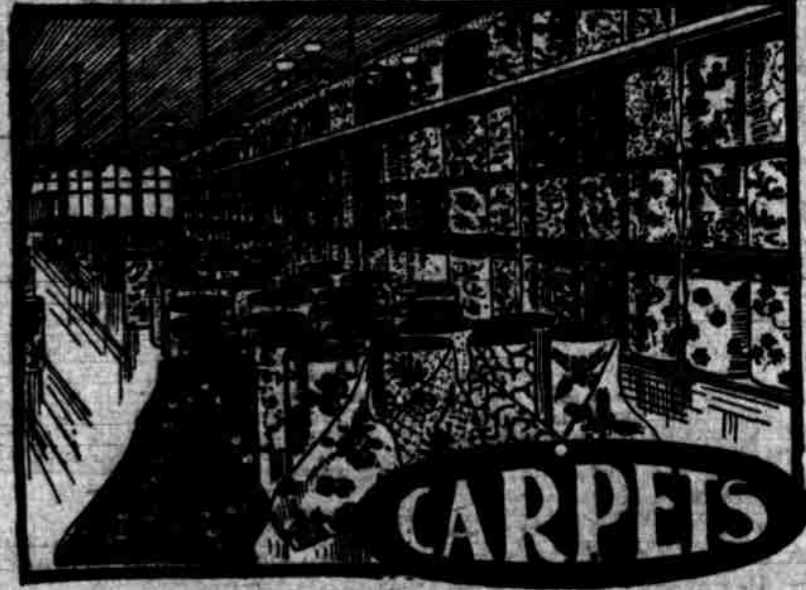
APPROBATION

Sold at all first-class cafes and by jobbers, WM. LAMAHAN & SON, Baltimore, Md.

RIDDANCE SALE

OF RUGS, CARPETS, LINOLEUMS, MATTINGS, LACE CURTAINS AND PORTIERES

Prices Unmercifully Cut on All Grades— From 10 to 35 Per Cent Reductions



Our FURNITURE DEPARTMENT and Our BEDDING SECTION Also Offer Remarkable Riddance Sale Reductions. Prices Will Never Be Lower. Supply your household wants NOW. Terms Will Never Be Easier.

Advertisement for 'Two Little Waifs' at the Empire Theatre, featuring a large graphic of a dollar sign and the text 'WILL FURNISH YOUR HOME'.

Advertisement for Eastern Outfitting Co. featuring images of bedding and furniture, with text 'In connection with our great bargains we also make you The Easiest Possible Terms'.

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