

# TELLS HOW THE SANTA FE COMPANY ENTERTAINS ITS MEN

S. E. Busser, Superintendent of That Road's Reading Rooms, Explains the Plan.

EMPLOYEES AND FAMILIES ENJOY THESE ADVANTAGES

Has Charge of Twenty-Five Fraternity Buildings, Forty-Five Thousand Books, Bowling Alleys, Pool and Billiard Tables and Pianos.

A man who has charge of 25 fraternity buildings, 45,000 books, 28 billiard and pool tables, 11 pianos and 14 bowling alleys for the Santa Fe Railroad company was a Portland visitor today. His name is S. E. Busser and he is superintendent of reading-rooms of the Atchinson, Topeka & Santa Fe.

On his visiting card is printed the following motto of the Santa Fe literary department: "Give a man a bath, a book and an entertainment that appeals to his mind and hopes by music and knowledge and you have enlarged, extended and adorned his life, and as he becomes more faithful to himself he is more valuable to the company." Mr. Busser, besides having charge of the reading and recreation features, every year conducts a lecture course, a symphony concert tour or an opera company over the route and does other stunts along the line of amusement for the railroaders and their families. The reading-rooms are always open to the families of the men.

Large Amount Spent. According to personal traits, some men like to spend their leisure hours reading while others take delight in the



S. E. Busser.

and their families appreciate it, too. You will find that railroad men everywhere are usually willing to quit their places to go to the Santa Fe, and a man who is working for that company feels it a hardship to be deprived of his position and have to go to any other railroad.

**Operated on Coast Plan.** The bowling alleys and billiard tables are operated on the coast plan. The men pay the expense of keeping the rooms open and clean and the repairs on the equipment. A party of men playing tennis pay 5 cents a game, the 5 cents being usually paid by the man with the lowest score at the end of the



View of the Winslow Reading Room in Winter.

rolling of billiard balls or bowling tenpins. The Santa Fe has spent about \$250,000 for the entertainment of its 48,000 employees by these methods.

"It is somewhat unusual for a corporation to invest money in this class of securities, but they pay a handsome dividend of the Santa Fe company could not afford to take this money out of the company's treasury and put it into that kind of property," said Mr. Busser, who was formerly an Episcopal clergyman. "I spent last week \$5,000 for bowling alleys and billiard tables. We have expended more than \$6,000 for scientific lectures from the faculties of Cornell and other eastern colleges. The company is constantly putting more money into books, buildings and amusements for the employees. These men

game. It costs 5 cents to use a billiard or pool table an hour, the nickel being paid by the player who gets the smallest number of points. Even at this nominal rate, a bowling alley or billiard table will earn \$25 to \$40 per month, so popular are the rooms.

It is said the Southern Pacific company has under consideration the inauguration of a plan similar to that of the Santa Fe for the benefit of its employees. Several consultations have been held between the company and Mr. Busser. He is in Portland today to visit at the home of C. A. Burbank of the Aetna Life Insurance company. The wives of the two men are sisters.

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# If The Average Young Man

Would read JOURNAL WANT ADS as closely as the baseball news he would find that he had as many "chances" as a first baseman; and by accepting some of them he would hasten the day when he could attend the games in person.

# WILL GO TO JAIL FIRST, SHE SAYS

Laura Coykendall Refuses to Give Bond to Keep the Peace When Ordered to Do So.

# MERRIMENT IS CAUSED IN MUNICIPAL COURT

McCoy Fires Sassy Questions at Her While Defending Himself on Assault Charge and Demands That Woman Be Searched for Weapons.

"If the court please, that woman has been threatening to kill me for some time and I ask that she be searched, as I believe that she is armed."

It was during the progress of the trial of George McCoy, charged with having committed assault and battery on Mrs. Laura Coykendall of 397 Thurman street that the defendant appearing as his own attorney made this startling request of Judge Cameron. Upon the objection of Deputy City Attorney Fitzgerald the unique spectacle of having Mrs. Coykendall searched for concealed weapons was not allowed.

Mrs. Coykendall had alleged that McCoy had struck her during an altercation on Thurman street, between Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth, last Monday evening.

The case was postponed until this morning and both sides to the controversy appeared in court reinforced by a number of witnesses. McCoy conducted his own defense, fortified with a series of witty questions.

Mrs. Coykendall was called to the stand and refused to be sworn, preferring to affirm. Her story was to the effect that McCoy approached her on Thurman street and sneeringly said: "Well, you can see from the papers what people think of you now," and at the same time applied a vile epithet to her. "I struck him with my umbrella," testified Mrs. Coykendall, "no man living can call me such names if I have anything in my hand. Then he choked me and struck me in the face three times."

It was at this juncture in the proceedings that McCoy interposed his plea that the woman be searched. "Why did you say that it would be the happiest day of your life to attend my funeral?" was the first question asked by McCoy on cross-examination. "I never said that," snapped Mrs. Coykendall in reply.

"Is it not a fact that you are non-compo-mentally with McCoy's next ally, Judge Cameron refused to allow this question and the next interrogation was, "Did you not tell several parties that your love of McCoy had turned to hate?" This aroused the ire of the witness and she retorted that she would not disgrace herself by even associating with him and denied ever making the remark in question.

"Did not your defeat in the \$1,000 damage case against me in the circuit court make you thirst for my gore?" was next on the list and Mrs. Coykendall admitted declaring that she would get even. "Is it not a fact that you took shot at your husband?" inquired McCoy, but Judge Cameron sustained an objection to this interrogatory.

McCoy then launched forth into an argument declaring that Mrs. Coykendall was mentally deranged and he feared that she would take his life. Judge Cameron decided the case by ordering both the complaining witness and defendant to file bonds in the sum of \$200 to keep the peace. Mrs. Coykendall inquired what the penalty would be if she refused and was informed that she would be placed in jail.

"Well, gentlemen, you can lock me up for I will not give a bond," she retorted defiantly and stalked from the courtroom. She was given until 4 o'clock this afternoon to file her bond, and in the event that she fails to do so the police will take her into custody.

# PORTLAND WAS TO HAVE BEEN DESTROYED TODAY

This is the day upon which, according to the prophecy of a Chicago seeress made two months ago, the city of Portland was to be shaken from its foundations by earthquake, the ruins were to be leveled by the force of the sea and the elements to raise destruction generally. The beautiful hills along the Columbia were to be leveled by the force of the shake and the river itself become more like a great lake inundating northern Oregon from The Dalles to Astoria. At 1:19 o'clock this afternoon Portland still lived, and since the wives have brought no tale of disaster from neighboring cities it is taken for granted that the disaster has been postponed on account of rain.

# The Dalles Will Celebrate.

The Dalles, Oregon, will hold a monster Fourth of July celebration this year. As an inducement for this and other celebrations that day the O. R. & N. Co. will sell one and one third fare tickets July 2, 3 and 4 with final limit July 4.

# SUGAR TRUST CASE TO BE TRIED

Punishment of Railroads and Trusts for Violating Laws Near at Hand.

# MANY RAILROADS MADE DEFENDANTS IN CASE

Carriers Accused of Pooling Business and Dividing It Among Themselves—Rebating at an End for the Present in New York.

(Journal Special Service.) New York, June 29.—A special term of the criminal branch of the United States circuit court is scheduled for today to try the sugar rebating cases and the indictments returned in the tobacco trust contempt proceedings. The defendants in the sugar rebating cases include the New York Central railroad, the American Sugar Refining company and their agents. The tobacco cases involve the J. S. Young company of Baltimore, the MacAndrews & Forbes company and Karl Jungbluth and Howard E. Young. They are charged with having conspired to violate the Sherman anti-trust law.

The evidence on which these indictments were found was furnished the department of justice by William Randolph Hearst.

The sugar trust complaint charges the carriers at New York with having entered into a combination with one another and with the American Sugar Refining company of New Jersey, engaged in the business of refining and selling sugar, for the pooling of freights in all sugar refined in the cities of New York and Philadelphia, consigned to or beyond the cities of Wheeling, West Virginia; Pittsburg, Pennsylvania; Parkersburg, West Virginia; Buffalo, New York; Salamanca, New York, and Suspension Bridge, New York, so that the said tonnage was divided between them in the following proportions:

New York Central	19.94
Erie	18.59
Pennsylvania	20.14
Baltimore and Annapolis	7.82
West Shore	7.24
Lehigh Valley	10.16
D. L. & W.	6.00
N. Y. O. & W.	2.05
Central Vermont	2.15
Chesapeake & Ohio	2.50
Total	100.00

The defendants in the sugar trust case include the New York Central & Hudson River Railroad company, Erie Railroad company, Pennsylvania Railroad company, West Shore railroad, Delaware Valley Railroad company, Lehigh Valley Railroad company, Lehigh Valley Railroad company, New York, Ontario & Western Railway company, Central Railroad of New Jersey, Chesapeake & Ohio Railway company and Philadelphia & Reading Railroad company.

There is little doubt that rebating out of New York, at least, is at an end. It has become too dangerous a game. Of common accord the traffic managers of the various roads have sent word to their big shippers that no more favors can be granted. They must pay the scheduled traffic rates until the storm blows over at least.

# AT THE THEATRES.

"The Telephone Girl" at the Heilig.

Robert Pitkin, who has worked for Savage for a few years and now is with the Kendall Musical company, is a host in himself in the staging of "The Telephone Girl," running the week at the Heilig theatre, Fourteenth and Washington streets. He handles the scrupulously funny part of Hans Nil, the telephone inspector. The whole performance is finished, racy, beautiful and immensely satisfying. Matinee tomorrow (Sat.), popular prices. Seats now selling at the Heilig theatre box office for the entire week.

"Wang" at Heilig Next Week.

Next week at the Heilig, the fourth week of the musical comedy season, "Wang" will be the bill. Chester Goodwin and Wren Morse did well indeed when they compiled that stirring, catchy light opera. De Wolf Hopper had the greatest success to hold the affection of the public ever since. Lottie Kendall, Beulah Tunnell, Robert Pitkin, Millie Bacon, J. J. King, Ben Lodge, and all the popular artists of the Kendall company, will be in the cast. Seats are now on sale at the Heilig theatre box office for the entire week.

French Court Life.

You gain a fine insight into the life of the court and the real thoughts of the people under the empire in France at the beginning of the nineteenth century when you witness the performance of "Madame Sans-Gene" and "Serious" great comedy, now running at the Baker theatre. The Baker stock company gives a rare, good performance of this very vivacious play.

"Rip Van Winkle."

The opening of the eighth week of the Baker season will take place at the regular Sunday matinee, July 1, when "Rip Van Winkle" will be the bill. Everyone knows this beautiful, poetic story, which was first brought to America by Washington Irving, and was Joseph Jefferson's chief basis of fame for a lifetime.

VAUDEVILLE AND STOCK.

At the Lyric.

As a rule the merits of a play are measured by its power to entertain during the presentation of "David Garvick" by this scale we are forced to the conclusion that the production is all that can be reasonably expected.

Pantages.

Have you seen the wonderful trained kangaroo boy with Professor Edwards? This and other fine acts make up the bill at Pantages this week. On the program also are Melrose, female impersonator, and "Maderville and Other," in a laughable comedy.

TREMENDOUS DOWN-POUR DELUGES LONDON CITY

(Journal Special Service.) London, June 29.—The rainfall this morning is the greatest, except twice, in the history of the city. The Thames rose and flooded many buildings. During the storm 106,679,040 tons of water fell.

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KELLY CLAN TO HOLD ITS ANNUAL MEETING

Gathering of Descendants of Clinton Kelly Will Take Place Tomorrow at Kenilworth.

The widely known Kelly clan will hold its annual meeting tomorrow at the residence of Dr. Richmond Kelly at Kenilworth, on the Woodstock car line. The members of the clan are the descendants of Clinton Kelly, an early Oregon pioneer, who hailed from Kentucky. It is expected that from 75 to 100 members of the clan will be present from the states of California, Oregon and Washington, most of whom are residents of Portland and vicinity. A number of strange faces will be present, having become members of the clan within the past year by marriage. The clan has been increased since the last meeting by about a dozen births. The program for the day will be in charge of Mrs. Van B. De Lashmuit. It is the custom of the clan to invite a few old-time friends to their annual gathering.

The banquet will be served at 1 o'clock, after which the clan historian will read the clan's history and the minutes of the last meeting. Several addresses will be delivered by members of the clan. The principal address of the day will be made by Rev. Mr. Flynn of Vancouver, Washington, the last living Methodist missionary of Oregon. Rev. Mr. Flynn is one of the ten special guests invited to attend the clan meeting this year. The Clinton Kelly school

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was named for the site of this clan, publican national committee, is quoted as saying that if the national convention were held now, in his belief the Republican nominee for the presidency would be Charles W. Fairbanks or Leslie M. Shaw.

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