

### EXITS LOCKED AT SOME SCHOOLS

Public Safety Board Discovers Unfavorable Conditions in Several Buildings.

### DANGER TO PUPILS IN TIME OF FIRE

Will Recommend in Report That Changes Be Made to Render Safety of Children More Secure During School Hours.

Further reports of the conditions of the public schools will be made to the executive board this afternoon by the fire chief.

In several schools locked exit doors have been found. In nearly every building visited the keen eyes of the public safety officials detected danger from rubbish piled up near entrances and chimneys.

In the North Central school a locked exit door was found. In case of fire this door might be opened in time to allow the children to pass through it, and again it might not.

Several private institutions were also visited. A few changes were recommended, but all were found to be in fairly safe condition so far as fire is concerned.

### LOCAL FRATERNITY FORMED AT SALEM

Salem, Oct. 15.—The new college spirit which is permeating Willamette university has manifested itself in the organization of a fraternity.

The members of the fraternity are: Foster P. Wentz of Santa Rosa, California; Winlock W. Stetler of Jefferson; Orley Lowell of Salem; John Moore of Salem; Lloyd Wesley of Salem; Paul Bowers of Spokane; Washington, and Russel Stephens of Portland.

### PYTHIAN SISTERHOODS TO BE CONSOLIDATED

Rathbone Sisters to Unite With Sisterhood to Form One Order.

(Journal Special Service.) New Orleans, Oct. 15.—The feature of last night's Pythian meeting was the decision to consolidate the Pythian Sisterhood of 7,000 members and the Rathbone Sisters, which has 15,000 members.

The supreme lodge elected the following officers: Supreme chancellor, Charles A. Barnes, Jacksonville, Ill.; supreme vice-chancellor, Henry B. Brown, Cleburne, Texas; supreme prelate, Leo A. Caro, Grand Rapids, Mich.; supreme keeper of records and seal, H. L. White, Nashville, Tenn.; supreme master of the exchequer, Thomas D. Meares, Wilmington, N. C.;

The following officers were elected by the National Grand Keepers of Records and Seal association: U. S. Burns, Milwaukee, president; Alonzo Bedell, New York, first vice-president; A. D. McLean, New Orleans, second vice-president; H. D. Walker, Iowa, third vice-president; B. W. Bartlett, Little Rock, Ark., secretary; H. M. Quinn, Jackson, Miss., treasurer.

### HUSBAND PELTED HER WITH \$50 AND \$100 BILLS

Mrs. Fannie Eberson Tells of Spouse's Generosity Before Wedding Ceremony.

(Journal Special Service.) St. Louis, Oct. 15.—Mrs. Fannie Eberson, wife of A. A. Eberson, a St. Louis capitalist, testified in her divorce suit today that before their domestic troubles began Eberson had a playful habit of pelting her with \$50 and \$100 bills rolled into little wads.

Mr. and Mrs. Eberson still live at the Washington hotel, but have separate apartments now. In itemizing her expenses she testified that she cost her \$3 a month, as "you really can't get waited on without tipping."

### FUNERAL OF FATHER FLOHR HELD TODAY

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Walla Walla, Wash., Oct. 15.—Funeral services over the late Father M. Flohr, pastor of St. Patrick's church, who died Tuesday evening after a lingering illness, occurred at 10 o'clock this morning and were attended by some 20 of the most prominent Catholic priests in the northwest, including Bishop O'Reilly of Seattle and Bishop O'Reilly of Baker City.

### MRS. DELRICHS IS SUCCESSFUL TO DISFRANCHISE NEGROES

Mississippi Governor Outlines Plans for Repeal of Fifteenth Amendment.

### SECURES MILLIONS FOR SONS FROM HIS RELATIVES

Charles M. Oelrichs and Mrs. William Jay Make Terms With Widow Who Originally Gave Husband Fortune He Willed Away.

(Journal Special Service.) New York, Oct. 15.—The Journal says: Mrs. Hermann Oelrichs, it was stated positively by one of the lawyers in the case, has forced a compromise in her contest of the will of her late husband, and by her determined fight against her husband's relatives has won millions for her 15-year-old son.

The case, after being adjourned twice, came up in surrogate's court again yesterday and was adjourned for a third time. This is taken as corroborative of the statement of the lawyer as to the compromise. The exact terms of the compromise were not disclosed.

### BURGLAR'S SLAVE

(Continued from Page One.) of the theft after Cordero was gone" asked the court.

"I was afraid. I never was myself after I met that man. He would threaten to put me out of the way if I opened my mouth and he used to strike me in the face, and I had to tell my father. I had bumped myself."

According to the testimony, Cordero called on the misguided girl two weeks later and compelled her to search the cellar, where, after considerable digging, a crook with coin enough to have delighted Captain Kidd was discovered.

### GRAY-HAIRED BUNKO MEN ARE ARRESTED

(Journal Special Service.) Fresno, Oct. 15.—Carrying in a grip over \$5,000 in gold and bills secured by a bunco game from Mike Dutra, a farmer at Hanford, two old gray men of about 60 years were captured by the officers while walking along the railroad into Madaga yesterday.

The men induced Dutra to draw the money from the bank as a surety of good faith in selling a ranch. The money was in a barley sack, and the bunco men substituted another sack filled with iron washers, getting a long start before the deception was discovered.

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"I have no doubt that they intend to try it. They could do so to some extent, possibly, but let them try it. Instead of meeting with the exporters' committee in the city hall yesterday afternoon, the grainhandlers telephoned at the last moment that they would send their legal representative, Russell A. Sewall, to the office of Balfour, Guthrie & Co., where he would attempt to reach a basis of arbitration with the committee. This plan was accordingly followed, but no agreement could be reached, as Sewall insisted on the strikers going back to work under present conditions, while the exporters flatly refused to recognize the union, as formerly. A second meeting of two hours' length was held this morning, but the same difficulties were met with."

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The flags have been hoisted since the time a half dozen striking longshoremen boarded the German ship Neride at the davit dock and tried to persuade the sailors not to assist in lowering the vessel. The longshoremen were ordered to leave the ship, but refused to do so until they saw fit, so the captain reported to Assistant United States District Attorney James Cole, and this led the other skippers in the harbor to take precaution by sending their colors aloft.

Any one boarding a vessel under these conditions without permission, however, will do so at his own peril, and international complications might easily arise should trouble of this character occur.

### PENNSYLVANIA ELKS LOSE THEIR NEW HOME

(Journal Special Service.) Altoona, Pa., Oct. 15.—Mishap threatened the new home, and silver brothers furniture store were destroyed by fire this morning. The loss amounts to half a million.

### MISSISSIPPI GOVERNOR OUTLINES PLANS FOR REPEAL OF FIFTEENTH AMENDMENT

Chicago, Oct. 15.—Governor J. K. Vandaman of Mississippi, who is an aspirant for senatorial honors in an interview in the Tribune this morning outlines a campaign for the repeal of the fifteenth amendment.

"I favor unqualifiedly and without reserve the abrogation of the fifteenth amendment to the constitution," said the governor. "It is my hope through the United States senate to demonstrate to the nation that there is only one practical way of settling this matter, and that is by plainly showing the negro his proper place in our system of government."

The race question must be settled and that very soon. It cannot be disposed of, however, until the nation as a whole has been convinced that there is a distinction between the white race and the black.

The abrogation of the fifteenth amendment will simply place the negro where he belongs. The criminal instinct which is the reason for the negro's crime is an outcropping of the desire to attain social equality fostered by the present legal equality which the amendment compels.

### WATERFRONT TROUBLE

(Continued from Page One.) point defeat if the arbitration plan is laid aside, or that they may yield a goal anywhere along the line. Judging by their attitude today, the battle will be long and hard and will result only in the decisive defeat of one side or the other.

Had there been no arbitration, the waterfront Federation would have declared a general strike of its 1,200 members on last Tuesday. If arbitration is abandoned, the Waterfront Federation must resume its preparations for a general strike, or it must recede from its aggressive policy of the past two weeks.

If arbitration is abandoned, the Exporters' association will either surrender or it will endeavor to launch a general lock-out extending to as large a number of employers of union labor as it can influence.

The method of warfare of the unionists will be to cease working, to prevent the exporters from employing other men in their places, to injure the business of the exporters, and to enforce cessation of activities in the warehouses, by the boycott, and by tying up all other interests contributory to the business of the exporters.

The method of warfare on the part of the exporters will be to put every union man on the waterfront out of a job, and to get every man out of a job every union man in the city who supports the waterfront union men, to import strike-breakers to operate their plants and to do everything in their power to ensure the open shop, no matter what the waterfront put throughout the whole city.

If the contest continues, as is expected by both sides, it must extend in some degree to every union town as well as to many employers of labor besides members of the Exporters' association. Members of the Citizens' alliance, which is only another name for a large proportion of the employers of union labor, have frankly admitted that that organization has taken the most hearty support. Proprietors of lumber mills along the river are said to have promised to shut down their plants if the waterfront men were to be ordered, if such is issued, to stop every mill in the Citizens' alliance and the Exporters' association.

Both men were well dressed and were held today in the city hall yesterday. The waterfront men were being formulated in detail for quick action in case the result of this afternoon's meeting is adverse to a peaceable settlement. No one was taken today of any kind. Certain owners of tied-up import cargoes, who have no direct connection with the Exporters' association, called on the executive board of the Longshoremen's union today and requested that the cargoes be sent directly by the longshoremen, but they were told that the longshoremen on all deep-sea cargoes of all kinds would be continued for the present.

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## House Work

Need Not Wear Her Out

The drudgery of house work seems never ending to tired-out, dispirited women who suffer from female complaints or irregularities. Inflammation and ulceration cause fearful bearing-down pains which are aggravated by much standing on the feet, and lifting necessary in house work.

But let no woman despair of relief from this torture. That famous tonic reconstructor of diseased or disordered female organism,

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has cured more than one million American Women, and it will cure you. When troubled with painful irregularities, when back-aches and headaches drive out all ambition, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will bring back health, strength, and happiness.

It Gave Me New Life and Vigor

DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—Last spring, while we were moving, I did considerable more work than my strength permitted, and, having mental trouble at the same time, my health broke down completely and I found myself unable to rest or eat. My nervous system became shattered and I was pale and emaciated and had to take to my bed. My sister advised me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and, although I had no faith in patent medicines, I was so miserable that I would take anything for relief. I found that it made a complete change for the better, inducing appetite and restful sleep and imparting new life and vigor to my entire system. I gained nearly fourteen pounds, my complexion looked fresh and clear, and my best friends were surprised and pleased at the change and could hardly credit the fact that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound had accomplished it.

HONORA LILLIAN HEWER, Director Seattle Dramatic Club.

1118 31st Ave., South, Seattle, Wash.

Do not let disease make headway. Write at once to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass. Her advice is free and will contain information of great value to you. Mrs. Pinkham is daughter-in-law of Lydia E. Pinkham, and for twenty-five years under her direction and since her decease, she has been advising sick women free of charge.

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### GREAT LOSS IN HAVANA

(Continued from Page One.) as a result of the storm were quartered in the frame shacks which were torn to pieces. A score or more foreigners are numbered among the dead already reported and some of these were Americans. Accurate reports from some of the poorer outlying sections, which were swept like doll toys before the gale, have not been obtained, the only estimate of the dead so far having been made in the city.

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## CONSUMPTION CURED



MRS. ANNA HENKE.

including washing. This letter is given of my own free will and that it may, if desirable, be used publicly that other sufferers may learn of my wonderful cure. I am a lifelong resident of Milwaukee, and the mother of five children.—Mrs. Anna Henke, Milwaukee, Wis., April 12, '06.

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If you wish to keep strong and vigorous and have on your cheeks the glow of perfect health, take Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey regularly, according to directions, and take no other medicine. It is flammable to fill your system with drugs; they poison the body and depress the heart while Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey tones and strengthens the heart action and purifies the entire system. It is the only whiskey recognized as a medicine, and contains no fuel oil. This is a guarantee. Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey has stood severe tests for fifty years and has always been found absolutely pure and to contain great medicinal properties.

CAUTION—When you ask your druggist or grocer for Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey be sure you get the genuine. It's the one absolutely pure medicinal whiskey and is sold only in sealed bottles; never in bulk. Look for the trade-mark, the "Old Chemist," on the label, and make sure the seal over the cork is unbroken. Price \$1.00. Medical booklet and doctor's advice free. Duffy Malt Whiskey Co., Rochester, N. Y.



## Great Piano Sale

### SPECIAL VALUES

"The House of Quality" has the largest variety of reliable pianos in the city. We only ask you to visit our store and see the great display. You will find the great Steingway and Knabe pianos, the sweet-toned Everett, the old reliable A. B. Chase, the well-known Hardman, Fischer, Packard, Ludwig, Kingsbury, Estey, Emerson and many other famous makes.

### SPECIAL SALES

Monday we had seventeen special sales—Tuesday eight sales—and Wednesday six, making thirty-one sales for the first three days of this week.

We are having what may be called a GREAT SPECIAL SALE, viz: Monday, seventeen specials; Tuesday, eight specials; Wednesday, six specials. We mean by that, that every customer is given SPECIAL ATTENTION and shown SPECIAL COURTESY and that every one is TREATED FAIRLY. Our prices are right—our values correct—the quality of our pianos the highest—and that is why our business grows apace.

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