

ROASTED HUSBAND BUT NOT MEAT

Refused to Cook It Because He Bought It From Female Butcher.

NOW HER HUSBAND WOULD BE DIVORCED

Deposition of Brother Also Says Wife Stuck Hatpin in Her Husband's Arm and Exhibited Evidence of Terrible Temper.

Anna Ballinger would not roast the meat her husband bought from a woman butcher, but roasted him for patronizing a handsome butchess. Such is the testimony given by Byron Ballinger in the suit of his brother, Harry Ballinger, for a divorce from Mrs. Anna Ballinger. Byron said that when Anna refused to cook the meat that Harry bought, Harry left the house and Anna followed him four blocks discarding volubly on the evils of patronizing a female butcher.

Other occasions of cruelty on the part of Anna were related by Byron. He said that Harry was engaged in putting up a stove, and because his method did not exactly suit his wife she stuck a hat pin into his arm. Anna had a very bad temper also, according to Byron. He said he had seen her become angry at his brother when there was no apparent occasion for anger.

Once when Byron and Harry went to a store in the evening to purchase some carpenter's tools, contrary to Anna's wishes, they returned to find the house locked and everything dark. After vainly trying to get in they were about to break the lock on the door when Anna appeared and opened the door for them. She had been sitting alone in the dark and was so angry that she would not speak to either of them.

Byron lives in Indiana. His story is told in the form of a deposition. The deposition was filed in the state circuit court of this county yesterday, and will be used as evidence at the hearing of the divorce suit. Attorney W. Y. Masters appears for Ballinger.

MRS. FRED M. OLSON TO SING AT ELKS' SERVICE

Mrs. Fred M. Olson, wife of the Justice of the peace of East Portland,



Mrs. Fred M. Olson, Vocalist.

will sing today at the Elks' memorial services at Salem. She is a talented vocalist and the Salem lodge regards itself as extremely fortunate in securing her services.

PRESIDENT CASTRO IS FAILING RAPIDLY

(Special Dispatch by Leased Wire to The Journal) Port of Spain, Dec. 1.—Reliable news has been received here that President Castro of Venezuela is failing rapidly and that he is suffering from gangrenous tuberculosis, which demands frequent operations on the lymphatic glands.

It is generally understood that the bringing of President Castro from Antisime to Caracas recently was a political move to give grounds for the official statements that he had completely recovered his health. The true state of affairs is that he is just as incarcerated now in Caracas as he had been for months in Antisime and in Vacato, and it is said that to move him it is necessary to administer powerful stimulants which leave him in a worse condition than ever.

The government electric light plant, which is stationed near President Castro's house in Caracas, has been shut down, as the noise could be heard by him.

Perhaps Mrs. Sage will consider Standard Oil a needy and deserving object of financial aid.

ARE HEIRS TO MILLIONS



Children of Lord and the Late Lady Curzon, Who Are Bequeathed Their Mother's Estate. Seated in the Chair Is Cynthia, Aged 7, Holding Alexander, Aged 3. On the Floor Is Irene, Aged 10.

TO BUILD EAGLE VALLEY LINE TO 7 MILLIONS

Road That Means Millions to Eastern Oregon and Part of Idaho. Agnes Quirk, Employed at Wellesley, Inherits Great Fortune.

(Herald News Service.) Wellesley, Mass., Nov. 29.—Agnes Quirk, a pretty waitress at Pomeroy Hall, and her sister Florence, a waitress at Cazenove Hall, have just learned

Harriman is thought to have taken up this long-delayed enterprise—indications that deal will be closed tomorrow in Portland.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Baker City, Or., Dec. 1.—It is believed in Baker City tonight that the Eagle Valley railroad is assured. W. L. Vinson, the promoter, has just returned from Portland and while he refuses to give any definite information on the subject it is learned from a reliable source that the officials of the O. R. & N. will probably take up the project, accept the \$100,000 bonus offered by the people of Baker City and build the new line.

Vinson announces that he will leave for Portland again Monday and it is understood that the deal will be closed at that time.

Both the O. R. & N. and David Eccles, of Salt Lake, owner of the Sumpster Valley railway, have had the Eagle Valley road under consideration for several months, but it is now believed that Harriman will build it.

SHOT FIRED

(Continued from Page One.) back room to the street, where he sent up a cry for help.

Shoots at Proprietor. When the groceryman bolted the big robber fired at him, but missed. He then called to his partner to let the last man go, and together they ran to the street, fled north on Twenty-ninth to the Base Line road, where they disappeared.

The victims of the robbery say that the larger man was very cool, and that his voice was deep. The smaller man, on the other hand, was nervous and plainly a novice at the game.

The revolver from which the bullet was fired was an automatic, the other a Smith & Wesson.

Police headquarters were notified as quickly as possible, and Detectives Tichenor and Jones hurried to the scene in an automobile. After an investigation they announced that they believed the robbers to be the same men who robbed the gun store of C. J. Moss in Vancouver the previous night and stole 12 revolvers of different makes, two of which were automatics.



Miss Agnes Quirk.

that they are heirs to \$7,000,000 left in Scotland 57 years ago by Kennedy McIsaac, a distant relative.

The fortune would have reverted to the crowd if not claimed within the next three years, and the sisters learned of their good luck just in time. They are not carried away by their good fortune, but are retaining their positions until they learn definitely that the money awaits their coming, and they will then journey to Scotland.

The girls declare they will live simply and try to do good with the fortune.

FALSE ARREST IS NOW ALLEGED

Katharine Huntsman Demands Twenty Thousand Dollars as Damages.

FILES SUIT AGAINST MAN SHE ACCUSES

Declares R. I. Eckerson Maliciously and Wrongfully Persecuted Her and Caused Her Much Chagrin and Humiliation by His Actions.

Suit for \$20,000 damages for alleged malicious and wrongful arrest and prosecution was filed in the state circuit court yesterday afternoon by Katharine Huntsman against R. I. Eckerson. Mrs. Huntsman was acquitted by a jury in the circuit court some time ago of the charge of obtaining money by false pretenses.

In her complaint Mrs. Huntsman alleges that in May of this year Eckerson maliciously and without probable cause swore to an information charging her with the crime of obtaining money from Amelia Houch by false pretenses. Because of the arrest, says Mrs. Huntsman, she sustained a great nervous shock which made her dangerously ill, and for a long time her life was despaired of. She states that she was confined to her bed for months.

On September 24 she was bound over to the circuit court, and on October 2, at the instigation of Eckerson, according to the complaint, the circuit attorney filed an information in the circuit court charging her with the crime. Later she was tried and a jury returned a verdict of not guilty.

It is alleged that the arrest and trial were given great publicity by the newspapers, and that the accounts were read by many of the friends of the plaintiff, which greatly chagrined and humiliated her.

She states that she has suffered mental and physical anguish worth \$20,000; that she had to expend \$350 for attorneys to defend her in the criminal action, and \$250 for medical attendance. Spencer, Davis and Farrell appear as attorneys for Mrs. Huntsman.

ANNUAL POULTRY SHOW IS IN PREPARATION

Special Prizes, Cups and Ribbons to Be Awarded Winning Fowls.

The twelfth annual exhibition of the Oregon State Poultry Association will be held from January 16 to January 22 inclusive, in the Charles H. Lilly block, Front and Salmon streets.

H. C. Schellhaus, secretary of the association, announces that prizes will be awarded for incubator and all kinds of breeds. Something like 25 cups have been chosen for the awards and other prizes will be presented for 33 different varieties of chickens. Ribbons will be offered for special breeds from the different national clubs in the United States and the entries are opened to the whole of America and British Columbia.

These will be several features, but it is deemed too early to announce the majority of them. One feature, however, which will be the star attraction will be a pigeon exhibit that has already been carefully arranged for.

Anyone desiring information as to entries or wishing to see a list of prizes can secure same by addressing H. C. Schellhaus, 1035 Denver avenue, Portland, Oregon.

AMERICAN MEAT IS ADMITTED TO ITALY

(Special Dispatch by Leased Wire to The Journal) Washington, Dec. 1.—As a result of negotiations between the Italian and Washington governments, announcement has been made of important concessions in favor of American meat products in Italian ports.

Some months ago the microscopic examination of pork intended for Italian markets was discontinued by the Department of Agriculture, because examination seemed useless.

The Italian authorities insisted on making their own microscopic examination for trichinae and charged the expense to the American firms; they would not recognize the certificate of such examination by the United States authorities. Accordingly as it was of no use, the government discontinued making the examination for Italy, whereupon the Italian government refused to admit American pork.

There was a correspondence between the two governments and explanations were exchanged and the announcement that adjustment had been reached. The Italian government has agreed that meats shall be admitted under the white certificate without microscopic test in America, but subject to that test in Italian ports. All Italian officials have been notified of the ruling.

CHANCE TO EARN THREE THOUSAND IN AN HOUR

Within one hour after purchasing the Brownell block for \$37,500 Charles J. Schabel was offered \$30,000 for the property. The Brownell block is a three-story brick on a quarter block on Russell street, near Williams avenue.

The Albina sub-station of the postoffice occupies rooms on the lower floor. Schabel refused the offer of \$30,000, which was made to him a short time after he took the deed to the property to the court house to have it recorded. He purchased the building from Reed, Fields & Tyman.

Big Game in the Transvaal.

From Transvaal Agricultural Journal. A great deal can be accomplished toward reducing the numbers of the larvae of the swainson fly butterfly by destroying the butterflies. The most effective instrument for this purpose is a light fowling-piece loaded with dust shot or coarse salt. It may seem ridiculous to advocate the shooting of butterflies, but an insect with such a large wing expanse affords a very good target.

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Smoking Sets	2.00 to 10.00	Lockets	.50 to 100.00
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		Baby Bracelets	1.50 to 5.00
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		Knives and Forks	1.50 to 5.00
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GILLETTE'S EVIDENCE

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tending agony of the young girl suddenly become a woman. They tell the story of her love, even when she knew that Gillette was faithless. They tell of threats of bodily harm and death made by the young man.

Writing from her home, in South Otsego, a few days before her mutilated body was found in Big Moose lake, she said:

"If you fail to keep your promise, Chester, to come to me Saturday, I will surely come to Cortland and you will have to see me there. I cannot possibly wait any longer. You have fooled with me too long.

Only a week before she had written him:

Mr Pathetic Fiddling.
You remember, Chester, that you told me once that you would never come to this section until my dead body was brought back. I have heard that you have washed my dead and out of your way. I cannot and will not stand such treatment. You must come to me as you promised."

About a month before she disappeared, she wrote:

"I am nearly crazy with worry. I can not sleep night or day. Why don't you do something for me?"

These letters were found in Gillette's rooms in Cortland. Nearly 50 such letters, together with others written to Miss Brown by Gillette and turned over to the state by her parents are in evidence.

The story of the tragedy is one of such pathetic character that it has created great sympathy for the family of the simple young village girl who left her home just two years ago this month to earn her living and to help in the family support by working for \$8 a week in a Cortland shirt factory owned by an uncle of Chester Gillette.

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