A CURIOUS BLENDING

Dead Wife of Ding Wing, Wealthy Portland Celestial, Laid at Rest With Occidental and Oriental Ceremonies.

A curious blending of the oriental and the occidental is seen at the home of Ding Wing, 267 Salmon street, where the wife of t... wealthy retired merchant died last Saturday night.

Mrs. Ding was 40 years old and had lived in Portland ever since she was 15 when she came over from China with her mother to marry Ding Wing. From 15 to 40 is a matter of some 25 years and at 15 one is but a child and one's habits have hardly become fixed.

Ding Wing himself was only 21 when he came to America five years earlier and his excellent education and en-

Mrs. Ding Wing.

lightened adaptability led him to adopt American dress and customs readily. Six children were born to them and all deem themselves more American than Chinese.

Harry Ding, aged 21, would this year have finished the Portland High school but went to New York to arrange for a college course in December. He will return to enter Columbia for a civil engineering course or Yale for a literary course.

The other three sons, Edward, Henry and Poy, attend the Atkinson school and for the two daughters, Tim and Gue, a private teacher is engaged because they had to be at home to help their mother whose feet, only two inches long, did not permit her to walk much, and because in China girls are considered more respectable if they do not mingle with boys even in school.

Mrs. Ding Wing was a leader in Chinese reforms for women and knew all the Chinese in town. She was greatly beloved and so it is that many visitors arrive all day long. For their sake Mrs. Ding Wing asked that the Chinese ceremonies be observed in her death because her friends would be happier. So all the children are dressed in sackcloth robes with sackcloth hoods and sandals and white hose and when a friend enters they cast themselves on the matting before the coffin and bow their heads to the ground in loud mourning while the friends burn incense as a sacrifice to the gods for the sake of the dead.

But the children are Christian, baptized into local churches and the ceremonies are merely form with them. They move about the rooms when no visitors are present though they are not allowed to cook or do any housework. Close friends come in to do those duties and tear up white linen to wear about their faces at the funeral, for that is the Chinese color of mourning.

The funeral this afternoon was a Chinese one indoors and American outdoors. The coffin was taken from the midst of Chinese surroundings into a hearse in American fashion, though the children "followed the dead" in oriental fashion—that is, walked behind to show their respect, and there was an American band and procession of carriages. But after crossing the river the children rode to the cemetery and after the ceremony they donned American mourning costume and returned from the grave in black, to wear it for a year.

Ding Wing, the wealthy merchant who furnishes the Chinese labor for the O. R. & N., does not go through the mourning ceremonies, for he is the husband and ranks the wife. The wife would have to observe them for him and a son must observe them for father or mother but not for a younger brother.

SWINDLERS WILL GO TO PRISON

Idaho Bankers Convicted of Land Frauds Sentenced to Terms in Jail.

(Journal Special Service.)

Moscow, Ida., June 18.—In the land fraud cases, which were tried here, sentences were imposed last night.

William Dwyer was given 18 months in the penitentiary and fined $100, C. W. Robnet, eight months and $100 fine and William F. Kettenbach, president, and George Kester, cashier, of the Lewiston National bank of Lewiston, Idaho, were each sentenced to eight months and $1,000 fines. They were convicted of conspiracy to defraud the government of timber lands.

WILL DECIDE STRIKE QUESTION TOMORROW

(Journal Special Service.)

New York, June 18.—The announcement was made at the headquarters of the telegraphers, where the executive committee is meeting this afternoon, that the question of a strike will be declared definitely settled tomorrow.

LENTS COW LAW BEING ENFORCED

Owners of Animals Indignant Because Authorities Refuse Pasture Room.

Much to the indignation of owners of cows at Lents the cow law enacted in that precinct by the initiative last June is at last being effectually enforced. For a year there seemed to be no way to compel people to keep their cows up, although the law had been passed by a good majority at the last general election. Recently, however, the Lents Push club came into existence and through its efforts cows have been banished from the streets.

E. L. Rayburn, appointed deputy by the sheriff, has been active; so much so, in fact, that there is a movement now on foot to obtain his removal by the sheriff.

A petition largely signed has been circulated by owners of cows who wish to pasture their stock on the streets to the effect that Mr. Rayburn is too active and is taking cows up for personal gain. The petition also states that the deputy should also take up cows in the whole district which includes several square miles instead of confining his efforts to the town of Lents.

When Rayburn or his assistants find a straw cow on the street it is carefully taken in tow and put in a feed stable in Lents. Rayburn charges the owner, who has violated the law, $1 for his trouble, if he comes at once to claim the cow, and if he does not come at once Rayburn charges the owner 50 cents for each day he delays.

This is the personal gain alleged against Rayburn by the wrathful owners who become indignant when their cows fail to come home.

Yesterday there were six cows in Rayburn's pound, netting 50 cents per head to the man who stabled them. The owners were in the city advising with the district attorney to see what might be done. It is very possible that suits may be filed soon, but as the law is valid in Woodstock and other sections where city laws do not affect, citizens are confident the law can be enforced at Lents.

ASK MINISTER TO REMAIN HERE

Resolutions of Unanimous Loyalty Passed by White Temple Officers.

Last night the officers of the White Temple, together with the officers of the various societies and chairmen of committees, met in the White Temple parlor to hear a statement from Dr. Brougher in regard to the calls which he has recently been offered by other churches. The meeting was a large and enthusiastic one. Everyone seemed to be thoroughly determined that Dr. Brougher should not be determined to leave Portland. At the close of a statement by Dr. Brougher a set of resolutions was unanimously adopted protesting against the withdrawal of Dr. Brougher from the pastorate of the White Temple and assuring him of the continued loyalty and suport of tphe entire congregation.

Dr. C. A. Woody, superintendent of missions for the Baptists on the Pacific coast; Dr. Arnold Lindsay, C. J. Willis, Captain J. A. Sladen and Dr. S. J. Barber all urged Dr. Brougher to dismiss all thought of severing his connection with the White Temple.

W. O. Haines called attention to the fact that Dr. Brougher was intimately connected with the Baptist college at McMinnville and various other lines of denominational work in Oregon and on the Pacific coast and was specially adapted both by nature and training to lead in this character of work in the west.

Mrs. J. T. Hoyt, Mrs. H. M. Clinton and Mrs. Sylvia McGuire expressed the conviction of the women of the congregation that Dr. Brougher ought to remain in Portland.

Dr. Brougher stated last night that he had been strongly impressed by everything that had been said, and that he would be prepared to announce his decision in the matter next Sunday. It is confidently expected that Dr. Brougher wil remain in Portland.

PLEAD GUILTY AND PAY FINES

Fourteen furniture dealers appeared before Judge Charles E. Wolverton in the United States district court this morning and pleaded guilty to forming a combination that had for its object the restraint of trade. All but one were fined the usual amounts of $10 and $25. One firm, the Standard Furniture company of Baker city, was fined June 15, and its appearance this morning was due to a misunderstanding of its attorneys.

Meier & Frank was the firm that pleaded guilty this morning and was not fined. Judge Wolverton withheld sentence until Monday morning, at which time he will also fine Lipman, Wolfe & Co., who pleaded guilty yesterday and were to have been fined today.

Those who were fined this morning and the fines assessed were: Standard Furniture company, Queen City Furniture company and E. P. Vorux, all of Baker City, each $25; V. Stroble, Pendleton, $10; O. S. Vandecar, North Powder, $10; Robert Folsom, Baker City, $25; Davis-Horton company, Tacoma, $25; A. R. Zellar, H. Hansen, N. R. Mueller, Paul Geisler, Henry Schroeder, J. Ellis, all of Portland, each $25.

WOMAN UNABLE TO ESTABLISH HER CLAIM

Oregon's treasury will be enriched by $15,000 by the addition of the property left by Henry Wilson, who died in 1899, apparently without heirs. Mrs. Christine Enger, who asserts that she is the sister of the dead man and therefore entitled to the property, was declared not to be Wilson's sister by the jury in Judge Gantenbein's department of the circuit court that heard the trial.

This is the third time that Mrs. Enger's claim to Wilson's property has been decided against her. The trial was that of a proceeding brought by the state to escheat Wilson's estate.

BOUND TO GRAND JURY FOR ALLEGED ASSAULT

John Porter, head carpenter at the Portland hotel, was bound over to the grand jury in Judge Cameron's court this morning for assault. He and J. D. Asher, the chief engineer at the hotel had an altercation Thursday which lead to blows, Porter striking Asher on the head with a hammer.

BIG DIVIDEND TO BE DECLARED

Managers of Adams Express Company Will Distribute Twenty-Four Millions.

(Journal Special Service.)

New York, June 18.—The board of managers of the Adams Express company has decided to make distribution of the company assets to the value of $24,000,000. The distribution amounts to an extra dividend of 200 per cent. It will be paid in collateral trust distribution bonds, to bear 4 per cent interest, payable in 40 years. These bonds are secured by assignment of bonds and stocks belonging to the company having an aggregate value of $24,000,000, which transfer was made to the Standard Trust company.

In 1898 the company made a similar distribution to stockholders, amounting to $12,000,000, or an extra dividend of 100 per cent. The company pays a regular dividend of 8 per cent.

Levi C. Weir, president of the company, has sent out a circular informing the stockholders that they can get a $200 bond for each share they own.

SOFT DRINKS IN SALOONS ON LIST

Soft drinks in saloons on Sunday will have to pass along with the harder kind, if the saloonmen generally do not refrain from jealousy and stop contention, according to District Attorney Manning. Much discussion is now being indulged in by various saloonmen as the result of Blazier and one or two other men keeping their places open Sunday last for dispensing soft drinks. It is being argued that if one man can keep open and sell nonintoxicating liquids, all ought to be allowed the same privilege.

According to District Attorney Manning he is following out the same plan observed in Seattle and other places. He has allowed the pool and billiard rooms to remain open. Where saloons have pool tables and billiard rooms in connection he had decided to allow them to run their billiard games provided they sold no liquors. However, if any evasion of the law is attempted either by those who maintain the billiard tables or others it will result in the closing of all places irrespective of whether they have billiard rooms or not.

WILL PREPARE FOR JAP WAR

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Washington, June 18.—The war department has completed plans for a joint drill of the militia versus the coast artillery on Puget sound July 4 to 13.

The problem will be to defend Seattle from a sea attack. The fleet will attempt to run by Forts Warden, Casey and Flagler, while land troops take the forts from the rear. The attacking fleet will be composed of vessels from San Francisco and other coast points. The purpose of the problem is to get information to use in the event of a Japan-American war.

TWELVE YOUNG WOMEN WERE GRADUATED

Friends and Relatives Attended the Forty-Eighth Commencement of St. Mary's Academy.

Friends and relatives formed a large audience attending the forty-eighth commencement of St. Mary's academy and college at Murlark hall last night when 12 young women were presented with diplomas. Ex-Senator John M. Gearin delivered the address to the class. Governor Chamberlain was unable to be present owing to a delayed train.

Members of the graduating class follow: Mary Catherine Biswell, Colfax, Washington; Delia Frances Grogan, The Dalles, Oregon; Cecilia Rose De Lorimier, Havre, Montana; Grace Lucille Dorothy Dunne, Portland, Oregon; Golda Marie Goulet, Portland, Oregon; Letitia Jane Imbrie, Hillsboro, Oregon; Katharine Verna Kern, Portland, Oregon; Ethel Marsh, Colfax, Washington; Estelle Cecilia McKay, St. Paul, Oregon; Catharine Genevieve O'Hara, Portland, Oregon; Mary Eleanor Springer, Portland; Oregon; Mildred M. Waite, Portland, Oregon.

A splendid musical program was rendered after which Archbishop Christie awarded the following medals:

The Archbishop Christie medal for general excellence in the resident student department to Miss Ruth McCallum of Anaconda, Montana; Winifred Henriot and Myrtle Laseigne, honorable mention; L. C. Henrichsen company medal for general excellence in the day student department to Estella Guerber; Cecelia Bloomer and Grace Jennings, honorable mention; the Knights of Columbus medal for mediaeval and modern history to Gertrude Sinnot of Astoria; Mary Springer and Evelyn Mooney, honorable mention; alumnae medal for prose composition to Mary Eleanor Springer; Cecelia de Lorimier and Delia Brogan, honorable mention. Miss Mary Jessup received the junior diploma.

LOUIS GILBRIDE WAS RELEASED ON BAIL

Louis Gilbride, who was arrested Saturday for complicity in the Sellwood and St. Johns postoffice robberies, furnished bail in the sum of $1,000 and allowed his freedom. Gilbride was arrested Saturday afternoon and owing to the lateness of the hour a misunderstanding arose in which it was thought that he would be unable to give bail. Accordingly an item was published to that effect. Gilbride was the man who secured a quantity of the stamps stolen from the St. Johns postoffice and sold them to Butterfield Bros. for $180.

ALLEGES STOCK WAS IMPROPERLY HANDLED

Assistant United States Attorney James Cole filed a suit in the United States circuit court this morning against the O. R. & N. railway company for carrying stock for more than 28 hours without providing rest and food for the animals.

The complaining witness is Henry Ervin, of Payette, Idaho, who shipped 81 hogs to Portland by the way of Huntington. The penalty for the offense is $500.

Shoes! Shoes! Shoes!

The samples of 15 great factories go on sale Thursday at the Golden Eagle. See tomorrow's ad.

GALLAGHER IS BAY CITY MAYOR

Confessed Bribe-Taker Replaces Schmitz at Head of Local Government.

GRAFT PROSECUTION IN COMPLETE CONTROL

Reported Plan Is for Member of the Board of Supervisors to Resign in Favor of Reformer, Who Will Be Elected Acting Executive.

(Journal Special Service.)

San Francisco, June 18.—Although one of the supervisors who confessed to accepting bribes, James L. Gallagher is acting mayor of San Francisco, having been elected to that office late yesterday afternoon by the board which at the same time took action declaring Mayor Schmitz, convicted of extortion and awaiting sentence in the county jail, temporarily unable to attend to his official duties. Mr. Gallagher will immediately assume the duties of his office.

Mr. Gallagher denies that he is pledged to resign the mayorality upon command of the graft prosecutors to make way for a reform mayor yet to be selected, but it is generally understood that this is the program. According to the plan of the prosecution, it is said, one of the supervisors will resign his seat and Gallagher will appoint the man slated for mayor to fill the vacancy. As soon as this is done the acting mayor will drop the reins of government and the new board member will be elected to the office he now fills.

Heads Will Fall.

When the reform mayor takes his seat a general lopping off of heads is expected. Officials who reigned under the Schmitz regime will be slaughtered without mercy and a general housecleaning held. New officials will be elected to fill their places and the reform element will be in full control.

These new officials will hold their seats until January when the candidates chosen by the people at the November election will step into office.

It is fully expected that the attorneys for Schmitz will fight the action of the supervisors in electing Gallagher acting mayor, as they have declared that it was illegal. Quo warranto proceedings are expected.

Supervisors Tvelmoe and O'Neill were the only members of the board opposing the action taken yesterday.

The trial of Chief of Police Dinan on charges of extortion has been postponed by Judge Lawlor until next Wednesday.

San Francisco, June 18.—Mayor Schmitz this morning appealed to Judge Lawlor to widen the scope of his order made yesterday, permitting him to consult his attorneys between 11 and 4 o'clock, on the ground that an effort is being made to deprive him of office. Schmitz refuses to recognize the legality of the action of the supervisors in appointing Gallagher acting mayor. Lawlor refused his request.

The gas and United Railroads cases went over until Friday.

BELIEVE WOMAN WAS MURDERED

(Journal Special Service.)

Reno, Nev., June 18.—The finding of the body of Miss Ella Holtzlander in the rushing waters of Truckee river yesterday afternoon at first was thought to be a case of suicide, but a coroner's inquest yesterday afternoon developed what is probably the most sensational crime perpetrated in Reno for some time. At almost the close of the investigation Ned West, a prominent citizen here, testified that two women had just told him they saw a man throw a woman into the river after a quarrel with her on the power plant bridge north of the city.

Miss Holtzlander, who for some time was employed in the local Western Union office, was about 30 years of age. Her landlady says that for some time she acted as if she was exceedingly worried, and a man was supposed to enter the case. She became despondent Sunday afternoon and when she left she said she would never return. This led to the suicide theory, but later developments show that she met a man and walked up the banks of the Truckee. The jury will attempt today to ascertain who the man was.

YOUTHFUL SWIMMER DROWNS IN THE RIVER

Eddie Murphy Went to Death in View of Companion Who Tried to Aid Him.

Eddie Murphy, an 18-year-old youth, residing at East Twelfth and College streets, met his death by drowning in the Willamette yesterday afternoon at a point opposite the Multnomah box factory. The lad was in swimming with Charles Bush and Robert Gray, but despite heroic efforts on the part of the former Murphy lost his life.

The body was subsequently recovered and the coroner removed the remains to Finley's undertaking parlors. Deceased was the son of Mrs. M. E. Murphy and was held in high esteem in the neighborhood in which he resided.

The point where Murphy came to his death is ordinarily beyond the shore line, but owing to the prevailing high water is covered to a depth of several feet. The water extends up to the meadow lands and Murphy, who was unable to swim, unaware of the proximity of the bluff, waded out to his death.

UNION WILL PROBABLY ADOPT AMENDMENT

(Journal Special Service.)

Denver, June 18.—The Western Federation of Miners' report from Nome, Alaska, contained the word "dynamite," to which some members objected. Nome was voted gasoline launches to use in their country. Attorney Murphy presented a report advising the miners to buy stock in the mines where it was possible, so as to avoid strikes.

Delegates donated to the Haywood defense fund. The proposed amendment to the obligation, "The union exacts no pledge or obligation from you conflicting with the duty you owe your God, country or fellowmen, or conflicts with your religious or political belief," will probably pass.

CHINESE REBELS ARE KILLED IN BATTLE

(Journal Special Service.)

London, June 18.—A Hong Kong dispatch says the government troops killed 100 rebels in a battle at Nassu, near Pakhoi.

LE BRUN ENJOYS HIS OWN AGAIN

Supreme Court Decides an Interesting Case From Marion County.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Salem, Or., June 18.—Chief Justice Bean today affirmed the judgment of the circuit court of Marion county in the case of Firmin Le Brun, appellant, against Firmin Le Brun, respondent, on appeal from the circuit court of Marion county. This is a suit to cancel a deed from plaintiff to defendant for 319.13 acres of land near Gervais. The land in controversy is worth from $15,000 to $18,000. Expecting to die soon, Firmin Le Brun conveyed, on December 14, 1900, the land to his nephew, Charles, who, together with his wife, executed a deed reconveying the property to the defendant, which deed was left in custody of Father Schell, a Catholic priest. Firmin Le Brun recovered from his illness and obtained from Father Schell the deed executed in his favor by his nephew and filed it for record, whereupon suit was commenced to cancel the deed, on the ground that it was wrongfully delivered.

"The conveyance from defendant to plaintiff," says the opinion, "was in the nature of a gift causa mortis, and was probably revoked by his subsequent recovery. But whether it was or not the deed to him from plaintiff was intended to revest the title in him in case of recovery, and should be given that effect."

Commissioner Slater, having been counsel in the case, took no part in the decision.

Union County Case Reversed.

Commissioner Slater reversed a judgment of his present colleague, Justice Eakin of the Oregon supreme bench, in the case of Frank Binhoff, appellant, against the state of Oregon, respondent, on appeal from the circuit court for Union county. Binhoff was arrested and convicted of trespass, in justice court for the South La Grande district, in having trespassed on certain enclosed lands belonging to J. D. McKennon. After verdict the plaintiff moved for a rest of judgment on the ground that the complaint did not state facts sufficient to charge a breach of statute. The plaintiff was fined $15 and he petitioned the circuit court to set aside the judgment of the justice court. The petition was dismissed and he appealed. After reviewing the case, Commissioner Slater says it follows that the judgment should be reversed and the cause remanded with instructions to set aside the judgment in justice court and dismiss the complaint.

Justice Moore dismissed the appeal in the case of Willis Kramer, T. H. Humphrey and W. D. Mahney, appellants, against Canfield Marsh, Sophia M. Marsh and Lester W. Humphrey, respondents, on appeal from the circuit court, Marion county, William Galloway judge.

SCHOOL MAN AN ELECTION ISSUE

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

The Dalles, Or., June 18.—At the annual city election yesterday there were only 45 votes cast. There was no opposition on the mayoralty and J. L. Kelly was elected to succeed himself. The same was true of the candidate for city treasurer, Ed Kurtz. In the first ward Fred W. Wilson, Pat Fagan and J. W. Carey were elected councilmen without opposition, the first for three years, the second for two and the third for one year, and Andrew Keller for water commissioner for two years.

Frank P. Taylor for councilman for three years, and J. W. Koontz, water commissioner for two years, had no opposition in the second ward. In the third ward Leo Shamo, councilman for three years, was elected by 49 majority over A. Seufert, and Hans Hansen was elected water commissioner without opposition.

The charter amendment, authorizing the city council to contract with Andrew Carnegie for the maintenance of a public library, was lost by a tie vote and the one providing for the erection and maintenance of a city hall was carried by a majority of 141.

Contest in School Election.

The greatest interest centered in the election of a school director for three years and there were 458 votes cast. Nearly all women who were taxpayers exercised the elective franchise, and carriages were constantly coming from and going to the polling place during the hours for voting. The direct issue was made in supporting or not supporting the course of the city superintendent, Professor Whitney. E. O. McCoy, the Whitney candidate, received 150 votes and John Gavin, the anti-Whitney candidate, received 308. This is a decisive victory for the anti-Whitney element. Betting was quite lively on the school director question and it is understood that $2,000 changed hands as the result of the election.

BEACH REELECTED TO SCHOOL BOARD

Only One Vote Cast Against Candidate—Lents and Portland Districts to Consolidate.

By a vote of 568 to 1, J. V. Beach was yesterday reelected to the city school board, the solitary vote being cast for George Fawcett, bailiff at the courthouse. Consolidation of the Lents school district with the Portland district also carried by a vote of 300 to 123.

After the canvass of the vote by the school board last night Mr. Beach retired as chairman and the position fell to H. Wittenberg, who immediately appointed his committees for the year.

Following were the committees appointed by Chairman Wittenberg:

Examination of teachers—Mrs. L. W. Sitton and Superintendent F. Rigler; judiciary, J. V. Beach and H. C. Campbell; finance, Mrs. Sitton and I. N. Fleischner; insurance, I. N. Fleischner and H. C. Campbell; construction of new buildings, H. C. Campbell and I. N. Fleischner; supplies, I. N. Fleischner and Mrs. Sitton; repairs, J. V. Beach and Mrs. Sitton.

CRACKS SKULL AND EATS VICTIM'S BRAINS

(Journal Special Service.)

Morelia, Mex., June 18.—Suffering from hydrophobia, Louis Vinder, an Austrian mine manager, near Zitacuro, beat Elijo Serrato to death with a club, cut off his victim's head, broke open the skull and devoured the brains. It was necessary to resort to a lasso to take the maniac. He died a few hours after his capture.

NAVAL OFFICER IS CLEARED OF CHARGE

(Journal Special Service.)

Washington, June 18.—The treasury department today ordered the vindication of the commander of the cruiser Charleston of an attempt to defraud the government of duties at San Diego, California.

RICHARDSON SUCCEEDS IN TANGLING ORCHARD

Two Big Victories Are Won by Defense in Haywood Trial at Boise This Afternoon—Favorable Ruling Is Made by Judge Wood.

By John Nevins.
(Journal Special Service.)

Boise, June 18.—Attorney [illegible] telegram, sent from Spokane to Orchard at Caldwell, stating he would come to defend him, was introduced and identified in the Haywood trail today. Miller will be called by the state to explain why he sent the telegram before Orchard notified him he was in trouble.

Orchard declared that before Simpkins left Caldwell he told him if he got into trouble over killing Steunenberg Miller would be sent to defend him. The prosecution took up the matter of the letters sent by Orchard to his wife; resulting in a fight between counsel. The court overruled the defense and Orchard identified the letters he wrote to his wife telling her he was going to Alaska. He wrote these after consulting Haywood, who told him his wife was trying to locate him. He gave the letters to Paddy Mulloney to deliver to his wife. Orchard identified one dated Cape Nome, which he wrote to his wife and gave to Marion Moore, a member of the executive board of the federation, and asked him to mail it at Cape Nome.

Not Known as Hogan.

Orchard said that in Spokane he was not known as Hogan. He swore Haywood, Pettibone and Moyer told him to wire them for lawyers and not hire any himself. He swore Adams was locked up with him in the penitentiary a month before McParland came. He had talked with his lawyer before he saw the detective. The prosecution scored a decided victory by having the court rule that Orchard could [illegible] ter in connection with his talks with Adams in his cell. Counsel argued this point for nearly an hour before the court ruled. Orchard declared he had not extracted a confession from Adams.

After overruling the defense a dozen times Judge Wood finally put an end to the re-direct examination by ruling that the question whether Adams ever declared in the presence of Orchard, Borah and Hawley that his confession was extorted, was improper. This was the first important ruling for the defense today.

Confused by Letter.

Richardson brought out the fact that the letter written by Haywood to Mrs. Orchard was dated November 18, 1905, and that he hadn't seen Haywood since July. Orchard couldn't explain the great discrepancy in dates other than he thought Haywood forgot to write when he asked him to do so in July. He said he did not know whether or not the letter introduced was the one sent in response to a leter from her. This was a distinct victory for the defense, the second of the day.

Orchard was excused at 3 o'clock.

Ed Boyce, former president of the federation, followed.

Boyce gave the history of the organization of the federation.

Borah announced he would introduce various articles from the Miners' magazine tomorrow.

Court adjourned to give the defense an opportunity to examine such articles.

PIONEER OLDS DIES ON TRAIN

While on Way to Portland Reunion—Home Was in McMinnville.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Forest Grove, Or., June 18.—George Olds, an Indian war veteran and pioneer of Oregon, died suddenly on train No. 3 between Dilley and Forest Grove this morning while on his way to the Indian war veterans' reunion at Portland. He was in company with his wife and several veteran comrades, who will take his body back to his home, McMinnville, for burial tomorrow.

No illness was suspected until he became unconscious. The cause of death is thought to have been heart trouble.

Mr. Olds was a pioneer of 1850 and one of the best known and respected citizens of Yamhill county. He was 76 years of age. He leaves a wife and a daughter, Mrs. Ella Durham, of Portland. The body will be taken back to McMinnville this evening and interred in the home cemetery.

WELL GROOMED WOMAN FACES A BAD CHARGE

Party Giving Name of Mrs. M. C. Dalton Arrested in Department Store for Shoplifting.

Mrs. M. C. Dalton, a fashionably attired woman, was arrested in Meier & Frank's department store late yesterday afternoon by Special Detective Frank Snow on a charge of shoplifting. It is alleged by Julius Meier that he saw the woman secrete two valuable skirts under her dress and when detected dropped the garments on the floor beside her.

Mrs. Dalton stoutly denied the crime charged and without any display of resistance accompanied the officer to police headquarters. She absolutely refused to reveal anything about her antecedents except that she came here from California and is married. She was possessed of about $1,200 worth of diamonds, which she turned over to her attorney, John L. Logan, to guarantee her bail of $600 deposited by the lawyer. In the police court this morning the case was continued until June 30 for hearing.

Mrs. Dalton did not put in an appearance but was represented by counsel.

EXPERTS OF FER DON MAY LOSE LICENSES

Proceedings to revoke the licenses of Giles Lider French, "Fed Don's" Berlin medical expert, and of Joseph Kelly, another of "Fer Don's" doctors, were commenced before the state medical board this morning by Attorney H. M. Easterly. Both French and Kelly the charged with unprofessional acts and dishonorable conduct by employing what are popularly known as "cappers" or "stearers" in the person of one "Fer Don" and others whose names are unknown.

The doctors are cited to appear before the state medical board on June 29 at 2 o'clock and show why their licenses should not be revoked.

PROMPT ACTION OF OFFICER SAVES LIFE

Mrs. P. A. Kramer, wife of a vaudeville performer, while suffering from melancholia, attempted to end her life at an early hour this morning in her appartments in the Occidental hotel, First and Morrison streets, by swallowing a quantity of chloroform.

Sergeant Wendorf who was detailed on the case administered oil to the woman as an antidote. The action of the officer undoubtedly saved the woman's life.

CAT SCRATCH ENDS J. R. ABBEY'S LIFE

(Journal Special Service.)

Los Angeles, June 18.—While playing with a cat a few days ago, J. R. Abbey, station agent here who was formerly superintendent of the Oregon Pacific railroad, allowed the animal to scratch his hand and yesterday morning died as a result of the wound. Blood poisoning set in shortly after the cat scratched Mr. Abbey and although he was given medical attention the surgeons were unable to save his life.

ROCK PILE WORKMAN SUSTAINS BAD INJURY

A. Mactine, aged 47, employed on the rock pile at the head of Sixth street, fell off of a bluff at the place where the men were at work this morning and sustained a compound fracture of the left leg. He was taken to St. Vincent's hospital.

GUN MEN BEAT STATE WITNESS

Jack Frye Assaulted by Meldrum and Bartell While on Way to See Hawley.

(Journal Special Service.)

Boise, June 18.—Jack Frye, a witness for the prosecution in the Haywood case, was badly beaten at noon today by Bob Meldrum and Claude Bartell, two gun men. Their attack took place in the hallway of Hawley's office. Frye was trying to enter the office in response to a subpoena from Hawley. Meldrum and Bartell stopped Frye and demanded where he was going and told him to beat it. He showed his orders, but the guards said they made no difference, knocked him down and kicked him into the street. The affair created a decided sensation. Frye says having been beaten by state officers he will refuse to testify.

Meldrum and Bartell were arrested charged with assault. Bartell pleaded guilty and was fined $50. Meldrum pleaded not guilty and will be tried later.

COMMITTEE AGAINST FULL PAY VACATIONS

Councilman Belding's Resolution for Ten Days' Recreation for City Employes May Die.

There will no vacations on full pay for employes of the city this coming summer if the attitude of the ways and means committee has any weight with the council. Councilman Belding's resolution introduced some time ago, giving every one of the employes a 10 days' vacation on full pay provided they had worked for the municipality a year, was referred to the council for solution but a number of the members of the committee expressed themselves as opposed to the resolution.

The ways and means committee also favors the purchase of the $500 painting of Colonel L. D. Hawkins, father of the museum, executed by F. LeBarre Goodwin. The portrait will hang in the museum.

TWO-CENT FARE IS TO BE GIVEN A TRIAL

(Journal Special Service.)

Kansas City, Mo., June 18.—The railway's application for a temporary injunction as to the minimum freight laws was sustained here yesterday afternoon by Judge Smith McPherson of Red Oak, Iowa, in the federal district court, and the 2-cent rate law ordered in effect June 19 for a period of three months for trial. The court will act upon the matter further at the end of that time.

MILES OF LANTERNS FOR PRINCE FUSHIMI

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Vancouver, B. C., June 18.—Prince Fushimi left Moosejaw, Saskatchewan, this morning for Vancouver and will arrive on Saturday. He will be accorded a great reception by the citizens. Japanese residents are erecting large arches and will have over 4,000 men in a lantern parade Saturday evening.

STEAMSHIP COMPANY SUED FOR DAMAGES

In the local United States circuit court this afternoon the case of Andrew Carlson suing the San Francisco & Portland Steamship company for $15,000, alleging personal injuries due to a broken ankle, is on trial.

Judge Webster Thinks Otherwise.

In the county court yesterday at the hearing of a number of non-support cases some remarks were made concerning the arrest of husbands on the complaint of jealous wives, and the ability of men to forecast the action of women, in quoting the remarks of Judge Webster and the district attorney, the things said by each were confused, and sentiments were attributed to Judge Webster which he does not entertain.

PRESIDENTIAL RACE TOO SWIFT FOR TAFT

(Journal Special Service.)

Washington, June 18.—The possibility of Taft retiring from the presidential race is being discussed by his friends. They state that his health is one reason, and that the other is his heart is not in the fight.