

ELECTED QUEEN OF OREGON

WOMAN HAD NARROW ESCAPE

Bullet Fired by Fourth Celebrator Came Very Close to Injuring or Killing Mrs. Hansen Standing in Front of Window—Fainted From Excitement.

While standing in front of a window examining some cards to be used in a piece of fancy work which she was working this morning, Mrs. C. R. Hansen, Jr., of 164 Sixteenth street, narrowly escaped being shot and possibly killed by a stray bullet from a pistol discharged by a celebrator. The woman was standing at an angle which showed it must have been fired from the street. It passed within an inch and a half of Mrs. Hansen striking the wall and falling to the floor where it was eventually found.

Mr. Hansen is manager of the Hansen Employment bureau of this city.

PUBLIC SCHOOL FRATS ROASTED

Solis D. Cohen of Portland Says They Tear Home From Classroom.

TEACHERS' SESSION CLOSES AT SALEM

Professor Kerr Speaks in Favor of Manual Training to Take Place of Too Large Amount of Work in Latin and Greek.

CHICAGO OPERATORS TO VOTE ON STRIKE

Chicago, July 4.—When a vote is taken by the telegraphers' union here Sunday it will be determined whether or not the operators shall go on strike. The operators of the union are hoping that a peaceful settlement can be reached before that time, but they are quite sure that if no such settlement is reached, they will give way. It is reported that a last appeal will be made to President Roosevelt this week and that upon his action the vote next Sunday will hinge.

WILL FORCE ESPEE TO RUN ON SCHEDULE

Salem, July 4.—Because the Southern Pacific company has repeatedly failed to keep its Oregon trains on time, the state railroad commission is discussing a plan to proceed against the corporation. One scheme advanced by Commissioner West is to reduce the fare, his contention being that when 5-cent a mile service is denied the passengers should not be required to pay that price.

UNION PACIFIC MAKES REPORT OF EARNINGS

Bozeman, Mont., July 4.—The Union Pacific reports that its operations for 11 months as follows: Gross earnings \$8,326,329; increase, \$1,270,063; operating expenses and taxes \$4,184,323; increase, \$885,289; net earnings, \$3,752,127; increase, \$371,750. Gross, \$29,455,034; increase, \$1,590,772; operating expenses and taxes, \$23,698,204; increase, \$5,042,116; net, \$9,756,830; increase, \$2,385,658.

COLFAX FARMER IS HIT BY LIGHTNING

Colfax, Wash., July 4.—While trying to save 80 tons of hay from the storm which swept over this country yesterday afternoon, William Roberts was struck by lightning and stunned. The working with and the ensuing flames consumed the entire lot. Roberts is rapidly recovering from the effects of the blow.

STORE CLOSED TODAY—BUT COME AND SEE OUR WINDOW



WHAT'S YOUR GUESS?

Choice of a \$50 Piano Credit Certificate or a fine Violin or a good Talking Machine to the one who guesses nearest; and other substantial prizes for the next fifteen nearest guesses. Counting to be done in our window, publicly, Saturday evening next, beginning 7:30 p. m. Contest closes Saturday, July 6, at 12 o'clock noon.

Advertisement for C. E. Hansen's Piano House, 353 Washington Street, Cor. Park. Includes text about piano quality and a coupon for a window contest.



Mrs. Mary R. L. Wood, Aged 120 Years.

FROST FOR KAISER FROM THE DANES

Emperor and Empress Given Lukewarm Greeting on Arrival at Copenhagen.

OREGON EASTERN

Weed the road skirts the foot slopes of Mount Shasta, crossing the north arm of lower Klamath to Klamath Falls. Here it enters the region of the government reclamation project, which will open about 200,000 acres of land to cultivation. On the California end of the line fine timber country will be served.

IMPORTANT CASE

stepchildren for possession of the property, alleging that his wife interfered by custody in all his wife's property. It has been generally held among attorneys that the husband's custody is extended to a life interest in all the wife's property, but Judge Cleland held that the wife's separate property was not subject to the right of custody and that Runyan had no interest whatever in the property held by Jennie Wingate and her brothers.

SQUIRES IS PLAYED

At 1 p. m. the bleachers were crowded. Nat Goodwin entered the arena, and was greeted by cheers. There are approximately 7,000 people inside the arena, and 425,000 in the grand boxes.

PLACED TORPEDOES

It was not learned that Dukes had been in the employ of the street railway until after he left the police station, and it is not known whether he was discharged or quit work at the time of the strike.

ELECTRICAL STORM BEATS DOWN CROPS

Spokane, Wash., July 4.—One of the worst rain and electrical storms ever experienced here swept over the inland empire late yesterday afternoon. Crops were beaten down and grain damaged to some extent, while water was running six inches deep in the gutters.

STEAMER IN DISTRESS OFF CANADIAN COAST

Victoria, B. C., July 4.—From Carmanah there is reported a large tow-masted steamer in distress. It has a black funnel with a white band or ball. Two tugs are alongside. The steamer is about 15 miles southwest of Carmanah.



George H. Williams.

GREAT PARADE

where, arm in arm, the veterans of the blue and the gray walked under the shadow of the Stars and Stripes. The third feature was the division containing the army, the navy and the young veterans of the Spanish-American war.

JUSTICE GOODMAN RELEASED

Astoria, Or., July 4.—Late last evening Justice Goodman dismissed the case against J. H. Bowlsby, charged with murdering Cleve Jennings, saying he did not think Bowlsby was responsible for the act.

WOULD COLLECT COIN FOR KILLING SPOUSE

Albany, Or., July 4.—The local office of the Twenty-five Hundred, a life insurance organization with headquarters at this city, are in receipt of a communication from Hardin & Hurlburt of Bellingham, Washington, asking that the amount carried by the deceased wife of their client, R. F. Walker, be forwarded to him and paid to him as her beneficiary.

PROSPERITY WRECKS ANARCHIST COLONY

Tacoma, July 4.—The Mutual Home association, an anarchist colony run on the communistic plan for 10 years at Joe's Bay, 14 miles from Tacoma, is going to pieces. With the coming of good times prosperity visited the colony, and with its advent the dove of peace got up and dusted and seems to have forgotten the way back.

RAILROADS STOP

leaving excursions nearly every road in Illinois will show a large deficit in interstate traffic in comparison with the earnings during the same period last year and the loss will be ascribed to the local order in willing to pay the money to a duly appointed administrator of the estate to be applied to the use and benefit of the children of the decedent.

COFFEE

Takes two things to make good coffee: (1) good coffee; (2) the know-how.

TO HELP SETTLE OPERATORS STRIKE

Government to Mediate Between Contending Parties in Chicago and Frisco.

BAY CITY JAPANESE FILE DAMAGE SUIT

San Francisco, July 4.—Charging that they have been damaged to the extent of \$2,575, the Japanese proprietors of the Horseshoe restaurant and adjacent bathhouse have brought suit for that amount against the city and county of San Francisco. This is the first damage suit resulting from the announcement of the government that the Japanese shall have due reparation for any damages sustained during the recent troubles.

SAYS SCHMITZ CAN NOT BE CANDIDATE

San Francisco, July 4.—After examining the law on the point in question, Assistant District Attorney Harrison states that he does not believe Mayor Schmitz can run for reelection. The mayor has declared that he will be a candidate and expresses confidence in the outcome of the campaign, but the prosecutor says that his conviction of extortion bars him from candidacy.

PLATES

Best Rubber \$7.50. Good Set for \$5.00. Same kind all our reliable dentists use; only difference is the profit. Bridge work or teeth, with our plates, per tooth, \$2.00 to \$5.00.

Lily Dental Co.

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Don't Miss It—

The annual Columbia mid-season sale is now in full swing. As a special inducement to get acquainted with our superior work and our popular prices we offer now

An Extra Pair of Trousers Free WITH EVERY SUIT COSTING \$22.50 OR MORE

There's a clear gain of about a third in extra value, besides the saving of another third between the high class tailor's prices and those here. You'd better investigate!

Columbia TAILOR

Grant Phegley, Manager Elks' Building Seventh and Stark

These Are Some of the Letters Sent to John Blaauw in a Friendly Contest Before July 4th, From Children

Portland, Or., June 23, '07. Dear sir: I saw your advertisement in the paper that was for getting to give the children money for the 4th of July. So I got mamma to buy a package of Golden Grain Granules. We have used the whole package and I like it fine, and will buy some more of it. It is better than coffee. I don't like coffee.

It was the best I drank before. Our grocer's name is Tompson & Dullum. I am 14 years old. I like to go to school. The name of our school is the Silverton public school. The Golden Grain Granules, it is called the family drink because it is raised in America. The way to put 13 packages of Golden Grain Granules in a box without leaving a vacant space is this way.

Troutdale, Or., June 24, '07. Mr. Blaauw: Dear sir: I saw your advertisement in the Oregon Journal and I thought I might try to get prize. 1. My mamma ordered a package of the Granules. 2. I will send you the empty carton. 3. I am sure that it can be done very easily. If our grocer would get a case I am sure that it would not last very long. 4. The reason why I like it so much is because the American family drink is because it should be used in every American home and because it is a family drink. 5. Two pounds is the exact weight of the package we got from our grocer. 6. I am 9 years old. LENA BELL, Troutdale, Or., R. F. D. 2, box 84. I thank you for your kind offer.

Portland, Or., June 14, '07. Dear sir: I was out playing one evening when a boy told me about your ad in the Journal. All the big boys were trying to get prize. I asked mamma if she would please get me a package of Golden Grain Granules. She did not want any she said. — was good enough. So I saved my nickel and bought a package and asked her to please use it. She used it and she says she won't use any more better than she. Papa says it's the best thing. And I think it is better than any other drink. Mamma took me to a friend's house and there was a boy and she asked mamma how her boy was so well and rosy cheeks, and I thought our boys would like it too, and I would feel better if they used it. You asked me to give the name of my grocer. His name is Mr. Sorenson & Son; his store is 145 Bell. You asked me the name of my school. It is Glenco school. Golden Grain Granules is called the family drink because it don't hurt anybody, or it is good for everybody and is used in all families. The exact weight of one package is one pound and 13 ounces; the package alone weighs 2 ounces. One way to get 13 packages in the box is to lay four (4) packages down and four (4) on the top of each one (1) and five (5) is standing up on the other side. This is all. JOE WALKER GEISLER, 90 E. 44th St., Mt. Tabor, Or.

The Prize Winners!

The judges of the \$100 cash prize contest are not in an enviable position. They have toiled long and faithfully in the work of judging who had most truly won the

Reed-French Piano Co.

Cash prize, and who should receive the additional prizes. So many excellent phrases were received that to name one as THE BEST seemed an impossibility. Fifty were finally selected, separated from their owners' names so that we could not know whose they were, and subjected to the severest discussion and analysis. We imagined each one at the head of our advertisements, in our letters, on our literature, in every conceivable position, we considered it from the standpoint of freshness, originality, catchy wording, our house policy, etc. Under the fire of this sharp criticism phrase after phrase dropped out until only seven maintained their positions in sharp defiance of every onslaught. Then we had a hard tussle with that seven.

- 1 "All for Harmony and Harmony for All." This expresses the idea of music, of harmony in our house dealings, and of harmony in the home containing one of our low priced pianos. Fits us well.
2 "Cash or Credit With Courtesy." Exactly our system of dealing with the public. A good phrase though alliteration is not popular.
3 "We're Not Satisfied Till You're Satisfied." This is absolutely true of the Reed-French Co. We take no satisfaction in a sale unless we feel that the customer is more than pleased with her bargain.
4 "Results, Not Promises." This hits home. Our popularity is owing to the result of each piano sold; it is gotten cheaply, straight from the factory, it is found to wear well, and it is sweet-toned. The neighbors and friends all like it, thus the piano itself extends the good will with which we are regarded.
5 "It's the Piano Store on Burnside Street." You may not see much in that phrase at first glance, but think a minute; doesn't it sound awfully homey and pleasant—the common everyday way one person would direct another to the place where she bought her piano bargain? It's so off hand and natural—like we were just one of your neighbors—which we are—selling you the piano our house makes—over on Burnside, out of the retail district—it some way conveys the "Make-yourself-right-at-home" spirit, and it sounds good to us. You see we are comparatively new here—just a year in business—and the familiarity and hominess of that phrase strikes right at our hearts. Do you see all in that homely, plain little phrase that it has conveyed to us?

- 6 "Yours in Any Case." That catchy little phrase with its many meanings got into the heap of discards and was rescued on the last general re-reading. The more you say it to yourself the better you like it. It's kind of a first cousin to "Your bosom friend" without being an imitation. How do you like it?
7 "You Make the Middleman's Profit." A straight statement of a well known fact. Our people make the best piano that first-class workmanship and the highest grade materials could produce, and they sell it directly from the factory to you, thus the profit that would ordinarily go to the "middleman" GOES TO YOU; you actually buy at factory prices. See what you save.

Now consider carefully and thoughtfully each of these seven phrases and see if you agree with us. Our preference finally fell on two, "Yours in any case," which we find to be submitted by Margaret M. Griffin, 182 East Seventh street, North Portland; and "It's the piano store on Burnside street," submitted by James Frennd, Oregon City (he gives only his postoffice box, No. 14). Not being able to decide between these two, and liking them both immensely, we will split the \$100 prize, and award each one \$50. Will successful contestants kindly call at our office and receive an order on Woodard, Clarke & Co. for the money that has been exhibited in their window during this contest? The additional prizes, valued from \$50 down to \$20, will be awarded by mail. Please credit any delay to the "Fourth" breaking into the business week.

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