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## SHOOTSELF WHEN DESERTED BY ABUSED WIFE

### ASK PROSECUTION OF MILWAUKIE CLUB

### NOT IN FAVOR OF GAMBLING

Taxpayers of Milwaukie Seek Permanent Closing of Club—Names on Petitions Mostly Those of Transients or Patrons.

Oregon City Ministers Express Sentiment of People When Credit Is Given The Journal for Forcing Gambling Hell to Close Doors.

Residents of Milwaukie—the taxpayers, the solid ones—those who approve of moral conditions—are unalterably opposed to the notorious Milwaukie club, notwithstanding the fact that a petition containing numerous signatures of alleged residents and taxpayers was presented to Milwaukie authorities asking that no detrimental steps be taken against the infamous resort.

Residents of Oregon City were jubilant yesterday when they received word that the notorious Milwaukie club had been closed. All felt relieved to know that the fight had ended so successfully almost at the outset, having expected a long and hard fight from the club.

**Kelso's Solicitation.**  
A large part of the signatures to the petition were obtained through the solicitation of Justice of the Peace Kelso, and his work in this connection will be roundly denounced in the resolutions which the law-abiding citizens of Milwaukie and vicinity are preparing to draw up at a general meeting tonight in the Evangelical church.

All of the ministers of Oregon City give the Journal credit for compelling the club to close. Rev. J. R. Landborough said that had it not been for the official should prosecute the offenders and have written letters commending The Journal upon the fearless and open stand it took in the movement.

Church members and business men stated this morning that fully 90 per cent of the solid residents of Milwaukie in every shape and form and the list of signatures which will be attached to the resolutions setting forth the position of these residents will represent the bulk of the business and farming interests in the community.

**End of All Gambling.**  
In an interview today Rev. J. C. Oakley of the Congregational church at Oregon City, said: "We are glad gambling has been stopped at the club. I think merely shutting up the club is not enough. The officials should prosecute the offenders and the committee will take up this phase of the question at its next meeting."

**Freshened Against Club.**  
Rev. F. M. Fisher, pastor of the Evangelical church at Milwaukie, in his sermon last night preached against the club and the apparent attempt of some of the officials to continue with its continued breaking of the law.

The matter will not blow over. The committee has not been disbanded and will not be until the club has been removed out root and branch. There will be much for it to do even if it is only to watch the officials to see that they do not become derelict in their duty.

**Hard Work to Spend His Cash.**  
Youthful Fortunate From Nevada Throws Away Gold Pieces in Michigan.

**Canadian Violates American Treaty by Claiming Neutral Territory.**

St. Joseph, Mich., Aug. 5.—Jack West, aged 24 and handsome, has so much money that he is disgusted in trying to get rid of it. Ten years ago he was tending on a farm near this city, but the family moved to Nevada and got in early on two of the gold properties which made the boy a quadruple millionaire.

Port Arthur, Ont., Aug. 5.—Capt. S. C. Young returned today from a trip to Isle Royale, where he was successful in planting the Union Jack, meeting with no opposition in any quarter. He claimed the island is north of the 49th parallel, and consequently rightly belongs to Canada, and describes the action of the Ashburton commission in making it a neutral island as a disgrace to British diplomacy.

Today he tried to buy his home city. Falling in that he amused himself by rolling \$5 gold pieces down the pavement for newboys to chase. He let the hotel bellboy carry a wad of \$30,000 for an hour, just to see if the lad would run away. Incidentally he flooded the streets with champagne, cleaning up the entire stock in the city.

The affair has caused a sensation here, and it is expected international complications will result. The action of Young is endorsed by the Canadian government, who were in ignorance of the affair until today, when they were officially notified.

### BLAME AND PRAISE GIVEN TO ROOSEVELT

Freewater, Or., Aug. 5.—A sensation was created yesterday at the Socialist picnic for southeastern Washington and northern Oregon, held at the City Park, when Mrs. F. Wells of Walla Walla said in her speech: "I would like to take President Roosevelt to Cripple Creek, Colorado, put him at work in the mines for the C. F. & T. for six months to earn a living for his family. At the end of that time Roosevelt might be a mule, but not a Republican. Neither would he have a large family, if he were to take these means of earning a living for them."

At the same time at another meeting Bishop O'Reilly, who delivered an address to the Catholics of this section, answered her statement as follows: "President Roosevelt has been called an undesirable citizen. He is not such, but a pure, honorable man, worthy of the respect of every citizen of the United States. We as a nation love him. He is a man of the highest intelligence."

### FORMER PEERESS EJECTED FOR ROOM RENT



MAY YOHE, FORMERLY LADY FRANCES HOPE, THEN MRS. PUTNAM BRADLEY STRONG.

### NO MONEY TO PAY ROOM RENT

Ejection Proceedings Taken Against Actress by Her New York Landlord.

New York, Aug. 5.—Ejection proceedings have been taken against May Yohe, once Lady Frances Hope, and afterwards wife of Captain Putnam Bradley Strong, for failure to pay the rent of her apartment in the Garfield apartment house.

### TURKS MURDER MANY CHRISTIANS

Eighteen Men, Fifty Women and Children Massacred by Troops in Persia.

Tehran, Persia, Aug. 5.—Eighteen Christian men, 50 women and children, were massacred by Turkish troops recently in the Persian village of Mavahoko. The massacre has just been officially reported. The Turks forced a small Persian garrison, defending the town, to evacuate, then bombarded the village.

### ARRESTS FAKE UNCLE FOR SAKE OF GIRL

New York, Aug. 5.—James Cathoan, who states that he is a Seattle business man, had John Bitty arrested when the American liner New York docked for bringing to this country a young woman from London under the pretense that she was Bitty's niece. The case will be turned over to federal officials.

### RUSSIAN GOVERNOR SLAIN BY ASSASSINS

St. Petersburg, Aug. 5.—General Karangosoff, former governor of Odessa, was assassinated today. The assassins escaped.

**Thank the Journal for Closing Club**  
Oregon City, Or., Aug. 4, 1907.—Editor Oregon Daily Journal, Portland, Or.—My Dear Sir: I write to let you know that the community which I serve in Oregon City heartily appreciates the efforts of your paper in helping to close up the Milwaukie club. When I told them of your efforts this morning your paper made many friends. Personally, I fully appreciate what you did. I hope that you will keep up the fight. I shall be glad to be of assistance in any way possible. Very cordially yours,  
JOHN M. LINDEN,  
Pastor First Baptist Church, Oregon City, Oregon.

**Mock Duck is Accused of Crime**  
Notorious Chinese High-binder Arrested With Six Others for Murder.  
Boston, Aug. 5.—Mock Duck, one of the New York leaders of the Hip Sing tong, who is said to be the most notorious Chinese highbinder in New York, is suspected of being concerned in a murderous attack which members of his long committed in Boston's Chinatown Friday night.

**Secretary Wilson is Ill**  
Secretary James Wilson of the department of agriculture is ill at the Portland hotel. Strict orders have been given, and are being rigidly observed, that no callers shall be admitted to his room. Absolute rest and seclusion have been prescribed.

### BULLET IN BRAIN AS HE LIES IN BED

W. H. Woodruff, Manager of Portland Hotel Laundry, Kills Himself When His Pleas for Wife's Return Are Denied.

Hard-Working Woman Was Choked Nearly to Death Saturday Night After One of the Frequent Family Quarrels.

After going to the offices of the Clackamas Lumber company on the fourth floor of the Raleigh building, Sixth and Washington streets, to plead with his wife, whom he had nearly choked to death Saturday night, and induce her to return to his home with their little 2-year-old daughter, W. H. Woodruff, manager of the laundry of the Portland hotel, returned to the apartments occupied by the family at 350 Montclair street and at about 10:20 o'clock shot himself through the right temple. He died at 12 o'clock noon.

### HARRIMAN'S DAUGHTER ENGAGED TO MARRY



SNAPSHOT OF MISS HARRIMAN AND HER FATHER

### CASE OF LOVE AT FIRST SIGHT

Railroad Magnate's Daughter to Marry Consul-General at Mukden.

### GIRL MURDERED; HER ESCORT SHOT

Pawnbroker's Daughter Assassinated at Dayton, Ohio—Salesman Wounded.

New York, Aug. 5.—E. H. Harriman's daughter, Miss Mary Harriman, is engaged to William Straight, American consul-general at Mukden, Manchuria, according to a cable received in this city. The reported match is another romance growing out of Mrs. Nicholas Longworth's famous trip to the orient. It is said that Miss Harriman greatly surprised her father recently when she informed him she and Mr. Straight had been engaged for nearly a year. They were introduced in Pekin by Mrs. Longworth, then Alice Roosevelt, and it is stated that it was a case of love at first sight.

Dayton, Ohio, Aug. 5.—Anna Murkowitz, daughter of a pawnbroker, was assassinated last night near the old soldiers' home, and Abe Cohen, a traveling salesman, is suffering from a bullet wound as the result of an attack supposed to have been made by a de-generate. Bertha Murkowitz, a sister of the dead girl, escaped and gave the alarm. After Cohen was beaten up and shot, Anna Murkowitz was dragged away and strangled to death. Many tragedies have been committed at this same scene. Jacob, James and Bertha Murkowitz, brothers and sister of the murdered girl, were later arrested. The police are under the impression that they were following Cohen and Anna.

### LANDIS WIPES OUT FURNITURE TRUST

Chicago, Aug. 5.—The furniture trust was officially wiped out of existence today when Judge Landis, who fined the Standard Oil, entered a formal order permanently enjoining the American Seating company, A. H. Andrews and twenty-five other members of what is known as the "Prudential club" from entering into another trust agreement. The trust was recently indicted under the Sherman anti-trust law, all the members pleading guilty, except the E. H. Stafford company, which intends to fight the case.

### SECRETARY WILSON IS ILL

Secretary James Wilson of the department of agriculture is ill at the Portland hotel. Strict orders have been given, and are being rigidly observed, that no callers shall be admitted to his room. Absolute rest and seclusion have been prescribed.

It is hoped that he will be recovered sufficiently tomorrow to receive visitors and possibly accept formal attention from local commercial bodies. The intention of the Portland Commercial club ever since the secretary's departure from Washington had been to tender him some form of public entertainment on his arrival in Portland. A dispatch was sent to Washington three weeks ago asking if his itinerary to the coast included Portland, and it was expected that this query would lead to his coming to this city.

### Advertising Record for Week Ending August 4

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| The record of the volume of advertising carried by the three daily papers of Portland for the week ending August 4 was as follows: |          |            |           |
|  | Journal: | Oregonian: | Telegram: |
| Local, inches  | 6,199    | 5,302      | 5,170     |
| Foreign, inches  | 695      | 779        | 607       |
| Classified and Real Estate, inches   | 2,800    | 2,931      | 1,524     |
|  | 9,694    | 9,012      | 7,301     |

The volume of advertising carried by The Oregonian was very large for a summer week, exceeding that of the Journal for the same time and number of insertions by 682 inches, and exceeding that carried by the Journal for the corresponding week of last year by 2582 inches. The average circulation of The Journal for the last week in July last year was 25,013, while for the corresponding time this year it was 28,206, a gain in circulation for this year over last year of 3,193 copies daily. The Journal is growing in both circulation and advertising, growing in both intelligence and quality, growing all the time; growing in popularity; growing in the confidence of the people, whom it is doing its best to serve.