

# ARTIST OF NATIONAL FAME FORMERLY PAINTED STORE SIGNS IN PORTLAND

### Louis Akin Dropped His Coarse Brushes 14 Years Ago and Has Since Won Fame by His Work in More Artistic Lines.

The exhibit of paintings now open at the Art Museum brings to Portland people an unusual opportunity that of becoming acquainted with the work of a Portland man who has been winning many honors in eastern cities and who is fast becoming one of the leading artists of America.

Fourteen years ago Louis Akin dropped brushes and paint pots with which he was painting signs for Portland business men, and bravely venturing went to New York to study art. For 10 years more only a small circle of friends kept in touch with his work, encouraging him and believing in his future. Studying in the Art League of New York, he gave some of his time to magazine work and kept always alive in his heart the love of western scenes and life.

### Indian Work Superior.

Last year his Indian picture, "In the Orabi Plaza," was exhibited in the National Academy and was one of the few selected for reproduction in the catalogue. His Indian work has been reproduced in magazines, as typical and sincerely representative, and of its faithfulness and artistic value no one can doubt who studies his "Cachina Weaver" or the "Corn Grinder." Mr. Bernstein has in this collection 11 of Mr. Akin's pictures, all of them dealing with western subjects.

It is possible that the casual observer will not understand his "Grand Canyon," the largest of his works and one which when it was exhibited in the Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts last year was an unusual praise. It is a phase of the Colorado wonderland which we have not seen attempted before and it is handled with consummate skill.

### Color is Wonderful.

The wonderful color is there, glowing with the matchless, bewitching hues, but the whole is draped and softened by gauzy clouds of mist. It is not a picture to grasp in one hurried glance, but stand before it a while and see the mist clouds rise and fade—before long you will find yourself gazing into that most wonderful gorge, entranced by a glowing radiance and



Louis Akin, Artist With the Brush.

growing into a full sympathy with the beauty which Mr. Akin saw and painted. Artists from far and near, and the most astute critics have united in praise of Mr. Akin's Grand Canyon scene, and the brightest future is predicted for this man, who is one of Oregon's own sons. A remarkably interesting collection is this which is open to view until September 25.



"In the Orabi Plaza," One of Louis Akin's Indian Pictures.

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# Grape-Nuts

## J. D. Rockefeller Bases Belief on Friendship With Prisoner's Father.

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
Cleveland, Ohio, Sept. 7.—John D. Rockefeller, Standard Oil king, doesn't think Harry K. Thaw, slayer of Stanford White, is as bad as he has often been pictured. He bases this belief on his recollection of Thaw's father, Roger O'Mara, the Pittsburg detective, who is active in the Thaw defense, is authority for Rockefeller's opinion being made public. O'Mara had a talk with John D. Rockefeller and the fans case was one of the oil king's principal topics of conversation. He said Thaw's father was his closest friend and that if his son had any of the Thaw's traits he must possess some good.

"I never knew William's son," said Rockefeller, "but he must have good in him if he is at all like his father."

"Harry K. Thaw would be a free man today if it had not been for the childishness of his lawyers," said O'Mara. "Every one was fighting for notoriety. They apparently forgot a man's life was at stake and that upon those actions and advice Harry Thaw would be sent to the electric chair or to his wife's arms."

And the state, too, was fighting for notoriety. Why should such a case have been dragged out as it was? Why should all the time have been wasted? Why, except to attract attention to the men who were attempting to increase their reputations? The defense next time will be emotional insanity. Thaw will be a free man before the first of February under ordinary circumstances.

## PROMINENT WOMAN WILL HEAD SCHOOL

### Mrs. Clara G. Esson Begins Duties at Rodney Avenue Christian Church Today.

The remarkable growth of the Rodney Avenue Christian church during the past year and a half has made possible the employment of an additional worker. The pastor, F. Elmo Robinson is to be assisted in the work by Mrs. Clara G. Esson.



Mrs. Clara G. Esson.

will take charge of the Bible school today, this being a part of the work assigned to her. Mrs. Esson is a native of Oregon, where she has been engaged in religious work since she was a child. She is a graduate of the Eugene Divinity school and a regularly ordained minister in the Christian church. She has had a wide experience in Bible school and general church work. For about 12 years she has been a Bible school superintendent. She has been honored with the presidency of the Sunday school department of the Christian church of Oregon since June 1899. For the past year Mrs. Esson was pastor of the Ashland Christian church. Arrangements are being made for a reception.

## CAR STRIKE IS RESULT OF PLOT

### Isidor Jacobs Charges That Patrick Calhoun Conspired With Schmitz.

(Pacific Coast Press Leased Wire.)  
San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 7.—A local paper, in a sensational article today declares that it has positive evidence, backed up by a statement made by Isidor Jacobs, a prominent merchant and a member of the first labor conciliation committee, that the street car strike in this city is the result of a plot between Patrick Calhoun, ex-Mayor Schmitz and James Bowling, secretary of the Carriers' union.

Jacobs, in his statement, asserts that he secured evidence of the existence of the plot, but from whom he refuses to say. Continuing he says that he taxed President Cornelius of the Carriers' union with knowledge of the alleged plot at a meeting of the conciliation committee but Cornelius pleaded ignorance.

Schmitz, hearing of the charges made by Jacobs, called Jacobs to his home and asked for an explanation. When Jacobs according to his statement, told the ex-Mayor the source of his information, Schmitz admitted that he and Bowling had conferred with Calhoun, but for the purpose of preventing and not forcing a strike.

The alleged purpose of forcing a strike, according to the article, was to divert attention from graft prosecutions.

## PETTIBONE'S TRIAL TO BE DATED ANEW

### Occurrence of the Borah Trial Causes Shifting of the Time—Adams Trial Also Figures.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)  
Boise, Ida., Sept. 7.—Judge Wood of the district court has decided to reset the time for the Pettibone trial, but has not announced the exact date. As the matter now stands the trial will not be held until after the trial of Senator Borah has been concluded.

Steve Adams' trial at Wallace may also interfere with the Pettibone trial, as the federal attorneys appear in both cases. Judge Wood stated the attorneys for the defense would be consulted as to the date of the Pettibone trial. He will fix the date of this trial Tuesday.

The attorneys for Pettibone will renege the motion to release their client on bail.

The federal authorities announce it will require four weeks to complete the Borah trial, but the senator's attorney, James H. Hawley, contends it should take no longer than two weeks. It develops that Mr. Borah wanted the case set for September 16, but the government refused and set the trial for September 23.

## HAY DERRICK BREAKS IDAHO MAN'S SKULL

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)  
Boise, Ida., Sept. 7.—M. Parsons, who lives a few miles west of this city, was seriously injured by a portion of a hay derrick falling on his head and fracturing his skull. An operation was performed and a piece of the skull removed. He is now in a precarious condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Parsons have been employed as teachers in the Salmon City schools and were getting ready to return to work there. They had been on their ranch during the summer and were finishing haying when the accident occurred.

## COLEMAN WANTED FOR EMBEZZLEMENT

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)  
The Dalles, Or., Sept. 7.—H. J. Hamlin, deputy sheriff of Spokane county, arrived in this city this morning, and will leave tonight with C. A. Coleman, who has been indicted at Spokane for embezzlement. Coleman was arrested by Sheriff Christman yesterday on the local train on a telegram from Spokane, H. J. Peterson, the complaining witness, charges Coleman with defrauding him of \$200 by false representations. Coleman has a wife, but no children.

## SMALL DAMAGES BY CIRCUIT COURT JURY

The jury in Judge O'Day's department of the circuit court yesterday awarded John C. Hertz a verdict of \$75 damages from Paul Strain for alleged malicious prosecution. Hertz charged that Strain had hit and arrested on charges of assault and battery, and testified that it was Strain who had done the hitting.

The case was dismissed in the police court. Strain said he had consented to the dismissal at the instigation of Hertz. Hertz brought suit for \$5,000 damages.

## NEW FALL FABRICS.

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## PROMISE OF TAFT DELIGHTS SEATTLE

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)  
Seattle, Wash., Sept. 7.—Secretary Metcalf promised Senator Piles and Congressman Humphrey today that if he can find a legal excuse for the award of the contract for the construction of a new dry dock at Bremerton, he will authorize the work when he returns to Washington. Secretary Metcalf will come from the navy yard to Seattle tomorrow and leave immediately for the east. He spent the day inspecting the navy yard.

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## SAFE BLOWN WITH PLAIN GUNPOWDER

### Artists at Hood River Do Good Job and Get a Hundred.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)  
Hood River, Or., Sept. 7.—With an explosion that aroused the entire neighborhood, burglars blew open a safe in the store of J. T. Holman here at an early hour this morning and secured \$100 in cash. Although living some distance away Mr. Holman heard the explosion and hurried to his place of business, armed with a shotgun. On arriving he found the rear door of the store, which had been piled open, ajar and the door of the safe blown from its hinges and blown a distance of 40 feet toward the front of the building.

Armed residents of the neighborhood who had been awakened by the explosion soon came running to the scene, and with the arrival of Deputy Sheriff Schmitzer and Night Officer Van Blarcom peace was organized. A search of several hours failed to round up the burglars and no trace of them has so far been obtained.

An examination showed that the explosive used was black powder, which was set off by a long fuse still hanging to the safe. The robbery took place about 2 o'clock this morning and it is thought to be the work of professionals.

A half-inch rope which had been bound about the safe several times and is supposed to have been put there to keep the door from blowing away, was reduced to shreds.

This is said to be the first safe-blowing ever attempted in the city.

The Holman place of business is located on Hood River heights, some distance away from the center of town, and is thought to have been selected for robbery on that account, as a much larger haul could have been obtained in the downtown portion of the city.

## WALKER SAYS TEDDY IS INVITING A FIGHT

### Speaker Alleges Selfish Motive for Every Move Roosevelt Makes.

(United Press Leased Wire.)  
New York, Sept. 7.—Declaring President Roosevelt is inviting war with Japan by sending the Atlantic fleet to the Pacific, John Brisson Walker, speaking at Cooper Union today, attacked the president. That Cortelyou and not Taft, is Roosevelt's choice for president; that he is a friend of the trusts; and that 10 days before he branded Harriman as a traitor, he had sent his "love" to the railroad magnate. The speaker alleged a selfish or political purpose for almost every act of the president. But when he called for a vote on whether the fleet should remain in the Atlantic, there was an overwhelming negative.

## JURY SECURED TO TRY MAN ON BAD CHARGE

Having given a surety bond for \$500 after his bail was increased to that sum from \$100, John Conrad appeared in Judge Gantenbeta's department of the circuit court yesterday afternoon to stand trial on the charge of permitting his wife, Onoma Conrad, or Essie Walkins, to be an inmate of a disorderly house.

The entire afternoon was devoted to drawing a jury, and as soon as the twelve men had been sworn court adjourned until Monday, when the taking of testimony will begin. The twelve men who were chosen are Thomas Hinson, C. C. Cline, Fred N. Laxley, F. I. Walkley, Andrew M. Westrem, Charles J. Radmacher, J. M. Brooks, James B. Slemmons, R. E. Case, and J. O. Hanthorn.

## GUARDIAN APPOINTED FOR GOODE ESTATE

Petitions asking for the appointment of Charles H. Carey as guardian of Helen and Henry Goode were filed in the county court yesterday afternoon by Mrs. Edith Goode, widow of H. W. Goode, late president of the Portland Railway, Light & Power company, who died at Atlantic City, March 31.

Helen Goode, who is 16 years old, and has the right to name her own guardian, filed a nomination of Judge Carey as her guardian. Mrs. Goode's petitions allege that a guardian is necessary in order that the property left to the children may be properly cared for, and says that no guardian has ever been appointed either by will or otherwise.

## TWO AT PENDLETON FOR MURDER CHARGE

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)  
Pendleton, Or., Sept. 7.—George Horsman and James Sawyer, charged with second degree murder, were brought before Judge Bean for arraignment today.

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On behalf of Horsman, Colonel Raley and Judge Fee, his attorneys, filed a motion asking that the complaint against him be set aside. Horsman will plead when that motion is disposed of. The regular jury session will begin September 16. A large number of important criminal cases are pending.

Judge Bean and District Attorney Phelps have gone to Heppner. Circuit court begins there Monday.

If Colonel Watterson really wants to get back to the constitution he will have to come over and support Knox.