

MRS. R. D. INMAN DIED THIS MORNING

Wife of Prominent Lumber
Mill Operator Came of
Pioneer Family.

Mrs. Frances Laura Inman, wife of Robert D. Inman, died at the family home, 883 East Ninth street, early this morning as a result of complications arising from a lingering illness from which she had been a sufferer for a number of years. The funeral will be held Wednesday morning from the home, at 10 o'clock.

Mrs. Inman was very well known in Portland, having been born here, having spent her girlhood near her birthplace and having lived out her married life in the city. She was the daughter of Peter Gould, who settled on a donation land claim, part of which is yet known as Gould's lake. In the early days, Mrs. Inman was born at the old Gould place, August 12, 1827, and was consequently over 82 years of age at the time of her death.

For the past 20 years Mrs. Inman had been an invalid and during that period of ill health had not indulged in much suffering. In spite of this suffering her life had been marked by its cheerfulness and bravery. It was the gradual wearing away of her strength by her sufferings that caused her death.

Besides her husband, Robert D. Inman, of the Inman-Poulsen Lumber company, Mrs. Inman leaves two daughters in her immediate family, Miss Minnie M. Inman and Miss Ivy Frances Inman. Three brothers and one sister are also living, B. C. Gould of Woodland, J. F. Gould of Portland, Charles G. Gould of Payette, Idaho, and Mrs. Isabel Neeland of Portland.

LOCAL FREE SPEECH MARTYRS GIVE AID

Spokane free speech martyrs were pledged support by Portland Socialists in members of the Industrial Workers of the World at a meeting held at the Socialist headquarters yesterday afternoon. In addition to the pledge of moral support given, a collection was taken up and the money secured will be sent to the leaders of the movement in Spokane for their use in trying to overcome the inhibition of the Spokane anti-free speech ordinance.

E. S. J. McAllister, a Portland attorney, was one of the speakers at the meeting. He contended that the dictatorship of the police had become in this country more severe than in Russia. The whole system of police interference with free speech is wrong, Mr. McAllister contended, and advised that good solid men go to Spokane and make speeches in order to take their part in fighting the noxious ordinance.

E. J. Lewis said that the men in Spokane did not go to jail because they liked it, but because they were fighting for principle. They were suffering indignities in Spokane so that men would not be called upon to suffer them in Portland, he argued. Mrs. Forber said that the press reports from Spokane were wrong and that no committee had been appointed to call the fight off. She said the champions of free speech in Spokane were working men and that they would win their fight because they were in the right.

PERSONAL

I. M. Barr and J. W. Clark, real estate brokers at the Hotel Oregon, are registered at the Hotel Oregon.

Dr. and Mrs. Morrison and daughter of Spokane, Wash., are guests at the Imperial hotel.

T. H. Crawford, an attorney of La Grange, Ore., at the Imperial hotel.

R. M. Miller, a lumberman of Sacramento, Cal., is at the Imperial hotel.

A. S. Hammond, an attorney of Coquille, Ore., is at the Imperial hotel.

F. C. McKnight, an attorney of Marshfield, Ore., is at the Imperial hotel.

Frank R. Minkler, inventor of the Sequoia spark-arrestor, leaves for Fresno, Cal., tonight, and will be absent several weeks. His visit will include a Christmas visit with old friends in the Rainier City, where he was formerly connected with the police department, but is primarily designed as a business trip to attend the annual meeting of California stockholders in the corporation interested in his patent. Mr. Minkler is president and manager of the company.

Arthur W. Clothier, a merchant of Wasco, Wash., is a guest at the Imperial hotel.

W. D. Davenport, formerly with the Home Telephone company of Portland, who for the last three months has been manager of the Port Townsend, Wash., system, has returned to Portland, and will again be connected with the local concern. Mr. and Mrs. Davenport are at the Hotel Oregon.

P. J. Ward, a caterer of Blaine, Wash., is at the Hotel Oregon.

COUGAR SPRINGS, BUT HORSE SAVES VICTIM

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Pennington, Dec. 20.—August Zuck, a well known retired farmer, brought news to this city today of the thrilling adventure of Walter Mosier, a resident of the Cold Springs country, with a cougar. Mosier was riding leisurely along Saturday evening when a huge cat sprang at him, landing on the back of his horse. The horse sprang forward, dislodging the animal, carrying the frightened rider to safety. This is the first time a cougar has been reported in the Cold Springs district. It is supposed the cold winter and heavy snow drove the animal from the mountains.

Traction Company Incorporated.

Salem, Ore., Dec. 20.—The Oregon & Washington Traction company, a Washington state corporation, organized for the purpose of furnishing electric power and building a system of electric railroads in the inland empire, comprising parts of Oregon, Washington and Idaho, filed articles today at Salem. The principal place of business of the corporation will be Walla Walla.

The incorporators are, trustees named in the articles are: Max Daumiller, E. S. Isaacs, Allen H. Reynolds, John Smith, W. A. Ritz, S. L. Sharpstein, Samuel Drumheller and C. K. Holloway. The company is incorporated for \$500,000.

The electric line will be built connecting Walla Walla with Pendleton, Baker City and all the prominent cities of the inland empire.

PAINT ENOUGH TO COVER 10,000,000 SQUARE FEET OF SURFACE



Traffic of Ten Cars That Arrived Last Week in One Shipment for the Marshall-Wells Hardware Company Over the Canadian "Soo" Road.

ON TRIAL FOR MAIL ROBBERY

It's Charged Young Man
Stole Money to Buy His
Sweetheart Finery.

William H. Craig, 19 year old stage driver, who is charged by the government with robbing the mails to secure money with which to buy finery for his sweetheart, was put on trial before a jury in Federal Judge C. E. Wolverton's department of the United States district court today.

Craig was driver of the stage and Star Mail route carrier between Madras, Ore., and Rainier, Ore. On October 20, at this post, one of the mail pouches entrusted to his care, was rifled. With \$117 secured from registered letters addressed to postmasters at Portland, Ore., and Chicago, Ill., Craig is alleged to have cut a dash in Madras society, and to have dined his inamorata with presents.

Seneca Pouts, who is representing Craig, in his opening address to the jury today, said he would prove beyond the measure of a doubt that his client was innocent. Walter Evans, deputy United States district attorney, is conducting the prosecution for the government.

ARDREY NAMED AND CONFIRMED

He Will Be Receiver at Port-
land Office—Other
Nominations.

(Washington Bureau of The Journal.) Washington, Dec. 20.—The nomination of J. C. Ardrey to be receiver of public moneys at the Portland land office was confirmed today by the senate.

Chester G. Coad was confirmed as postmaster at Dallas, Or.

The following were nominated to serve as postmasters in Oregon: Arthur Wheelhouse, at Arlington; Harvey S. Buck, at Sumpter.

Amly other nominations sent to the senate were the following: To be receiver of public moneys, Oliver R. W. Robinson, at Los Angeles; to be register of the land office, Frank Buren, Los Angeles.

PEPPER GAME FAILS; WOMAN KEEPS COIN

(United Press Leased Wire.) Seattle, Dec. 20.—Mrs. Daniel Fuhrman, wife of a well known tailor of this city, was severely and perhaps seriously injured early today by a man who gave his name as R. D. Hardy, who, after throwing pepper into her eyes, snatched her handbag, which contained over \$500, and fled. Hardy ran into E. J. Keane's saloon, where he was later tried to stop him, fired two shots from a revolver at the postman. Neither shot took effect. Keane then grappled with the robber and held him until men in the vicinity rushed up and overpowered him. Hardy was taken to the city jail.

Mrs. Fuhrman, who, with her husband, owns considerable property in the city, had just returned to her home on Washington street from a collecting trip when the robber attacked her.

NETWORK OF ROADS TO COVER THE STATE

President George B. French of the Spokane, Portland & Seattle line returned from Spokane last evening after having accompanied the James J. Hill party over the North Bank road in the special which left here Saturday morning. Mr. French said that the veteran railroad magnate had divulged no plans for publication at this time.

That Mr. Hill has in view the spreading of a network of roads over the state of Oregon to serve as feeders for the Hill system is firmly believed to be on the program for the near future, but to make announcements of plans along this line in advance, Mr. Hill stated when here simply would be to block them.

Notarial Commissions.
(Salem Bureau of The Journal.) Salem, Ore., Dec. 20.—Notarial commissions have been issued to J. Frank Graham and M. T. Miller, Portland; M. H. Parker, Greenville; Ernest P. A. Blittzer, Medford.

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FANCY POULTRY SHOW OPENS

Thousand Chickens Are on
Exhibition—Cats and
Dogs Coming.



C. D. Minton, Superintendent of Exhibits at the Poultry Show.

Every anticipation of the officers of the Oregon Poultry and Pet Stock association was fulfilled this morning when their poultry show was opened to the public at the Washington street market, First and Washington streets. The number of chickens exhibited, the class shown by the exhibitors, the showroom and all came up to every promise that had been made for them. The show rooms will be open all week from 8 a. m. till 10 p. m.

One thousand chickens are on display in the big room. Every variety of standard and bred chicken is shown there, some in large and others in small numbers. The cats, advertised to occupy space in the show, will be in Thursday morning early. The largest display of any one breed is that of the game chickens. One hundred and sixty of these little fighters are shown in the pens.

White Wyandottes occupy the first

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Gold-filled wire and pearl shell brooch pins.

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This beautiful brooch will be appreciated more than anything you can get for \$3.50.

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