



Hours of Sensational Trial at

attorney general first called to the at-tention of the jury the scene in the courtroom—the aged father of the ac-cused man, sitting on one side of the closure and the old mother of the murdered girl, on the other; one bat-tling for the life of his son and the ther in memory of her wronged daughter. Then he portrayed the grief of Morton Crossan, the aged homesteader, whose mind has been wrecked by the

Pepcon was unnerved by the argu-tent. He did not try to conceal his ar. His hands trembled and twisted; his head was bowed and not during the morning session did he take his shifty eyes from the floor: Edward P. Pepoon, his aged father, who sat at his side, was in tears. Little Mrs. E. D. Wolcott, . Portland, bore up bravely under the strain while the state officer swept dra-matically through the history of the alleged crime. She sat perfectly quiet, now and again wiping away a tear. Mrs. Pugh wept. Many in the crowded court-room gasped with horror at the thrilling detafis

The Girl Wife's Death.

In a grewsome word picture Lawyer Los showed the woman writhing in the agony of her awful death, and of Pepoon gazing from the window on her struggles. He told of the husband, who referred to the murdered woman as "dear dead wife" on the stand, going from the house when forced to do so, and of him standing idly by while others worked to resuscitate, remarking, "a physician won't do any good now." He referred to Pepoon's remark to the un-dertaker when buying a coffin: "How much will the G- d- thing cost," and of his saying, when given a death cer-tificate to fill out, "I don't know any-thing about the G- d- thing."

"Moral and physical coward," the attorney called Peppon, while the de-fendant turned and twisted in his chair,

Coiville, Washington—Court Room is Crowded. The most successful week hight services the minister the of the services the minister the close of the services the minister the close of the services the minister held a meeting to confer about future being the the first week in June. The was decided to hold the services the minister held a meeting to confer about future the trial of George L Peppoen for the murder of his girl with were marked today by meenes unpartal-lieled in the history of Stevens county Women crying hysterically were taken

The set in the history of Stevens county. We man criting hysterically were taken from the courtroom, scores of special into and vivid description are to compare the index of a life and the index of the give dollar and the index of th Dean had been doing a heavy washing on two of her visits. While the detective was testifying

rally will be held and a women's meet. ing in a separate church. The tabernacie funds will be raised on next Tuesday Mrs. Dean was occupying a cot in Judge Gatens' chambers. Ever since night. Portland is having an opportunthe trial started she has appeared under a great nervous strain, and at times ity to hear one who is perhaps the most successful evangelist in the United States. He preaches at 3 p. m. and at 7:45 each day, except Saturday. Evangelist Hart preached last night by stage play. in "Hypocrites."

Mrs. Dean was hurt in a collision between a Waverly-Woodstock car and a Mt. Scott car at Hawthorne and "There is but one standard for all." he said, "Lying is lying in the church and outside the church. Stealing is Grand avenues on September 24 last.

stealing within and without the church. Adultery is wrong everywhere. But one and all will find that out when they EASTERNERS COMING get beyond this life and appear before God. This idea of a general father in heaven and all children down here has done immense harm."

H. M. Adams, general freight and passenger agent of the Spokane, Port-land & Seattle railroad, returned this "The foolish idea that if you teach your children to dance and play cards and drink and swear and steal and commit adultery in the home they will morning from Chicago, after having attended a meeting of Great Northern and Northern Pacific passenger agents. The conference was devoted principally to the discussion of plans for summer schedules, but no definite plans were decided upon not want to do these things anywhere else is the most childish nonsense imaginable. You may find some exception to the general rule drummed up in the imagination of some shallow writer upon theological and moral subjects who decided upon, Mr. Adams reports that a great deal of interest is being taken in Oregon had better spend his time developing some subject of material progress."

hroughout the east and that the Rose Festival is going to draw a very heavy travel. "The Rose Festival is very well with Wilcox, and did not sing the song travel. advertised throughout the states," said Mr. Adams, "and I look for a heavy movement of travelers toward Port-

with Wilcox, and did not sing the song alleged by Massie Downs. When counsel for defense finished with the girl the state did not waste much time on her. She' testified she was working as a servant in the Pepoon household on the day of the woman's death, and was too excited and terror stricken because of the murder to re-member, the circumstances and details, She was then excused by the state. land." WULLNER WILL SING HERE AGAIN MONDAY

She was then excused by the state. Dr. L. B. Harvey of Colville took the

Last Lap of Fourteen Hun-

The party leaves here tomorrow mornng, going via auto to Ashland, from where it will go by auto 'to Portland. The party will have traveled 1400 miles when Portland is reached. Hill says had been hysterical. The company is there is lots of good country between seeking to prove that she was not badly injured and is trying to fool the jury great future for this section and heavy

immigration, but, he makes no promise when the Hill road will be built. He thinks the interior towns are wonderful. He says he likes Oregon'and will help to bring in the people. He is fascinated with Klamath lake, and says it is likely

he will build a summer home here. He predicts a double track railroad race course along the lake abore. He will come back here this summer to visit **TO ROSE FESTIVAL** Crater lake. He believes the Klamath country is the greatest country of all

central Oregon. Learns Much About State

The party left Lakeview Monday ber of signatures to enable the initia-morning and drove 150 miles to Cres-tive bill to be presented to the people cent, where the night was spent. The at the November election.

party arrived at the agency on the In-dian reservation Tuesday at noon. Hill is standing the trip well. He says he now knows more about Oregon than most of its oldest residents. Hill looks like a rancher in his khaki suit and cowhide boots. Hill criticises the reclama-tion service for its dilatory methods

Hé urges the people to cooperate in bringing in settlers. He says the roads should be improved.

COURT WILL HAND

The, date of Dr. Ludwig Wullner's Portland recital has been set for next Monday night at the Masonic temple. The liedersinger is to give what is

Yo Sup, a Chinaman, arrested last night in the rear of the Boo Woo Chinese Tailor company's shop at \$1 Sixth street for conducting a lottery game, of the Missouri state militis trying to was fined \$50 this morning by Judge hold in check 2100 striking amployes of Bennett. James Whitaker, clerk for a the Atlas Portland Cement company, local wholesale grocer, who was arrest. must be reinforced today or further feited his ball of \$10.

the police have not feit justified in making a raid. Boo Woo, owner of the tailor shop, last night made his escape through a back door. When Patrolman Ackerman attempted to enter the place the door was slammed in his face, but he broke the lock and entered. Tickets for nine different Chinese lottery companies were found.



(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Pendlaton, Or., May 18.—At a meeting of representatives of the Pendleton, Athena and Weston commercial clubs ast night in this city, a movement was initiated to create a new county from the northeastern portion of Umatilla county, to be called Hudson county, and thus the people of Oregon will be forced to choose between the formation of this county and that of Orchard county, the move to create which has been in pro-gress several weeks. The launching of this new division plan has grown out of the bitter hostility of the residents of these three towns to the boundary which are extended so as to include deal was consummated by J. S. Gaither, Athens and Weston and their tributory country. The lines of Hudson county would

leave these two towns in Umatilia, but would still leave the new county suf-ficient acreage to comply with the state law. Petitions will be circulated immediately to secure the necessary num-ber of signatures to enable the initia-

HAMILTON'S BONDSMEN CALLED TO ACCOUNT

(United Fress Lessed Wire.) Olympia, May 18.—The company which bonded former Adjutant General Ortis Hamilton, now serving a term in the penitentiary at Walla Walla for embezzlement of state funds, has never paid the bond to the state. Attorney DOWN DECISIONS General Bell has called on the local attorney representing the bonding com-pany, demanding the money, and unless prompt action is taken the state will

RIVER PIRATE MONDAY

(United Press Laused Wire.) Danco, Mo., May 18 .-- Weavy from

their 24 hour vigil, the two con hold in check 2100 striking employes of Since their arrival yesterday morning

gunboats are lying within wireless call the guardsmen have been unable to of Bluefields today, awaiting a measage upon by men hidden in a dense thicket to the Nicaraguan city and prevent its The guardsmen returned today and pillage by the forces of President Ma-charged into the brush. None of the driz,

soldiers was hurt. Lientenants Clemens and Robinson, leading a platoon which had arrested two liquor dealers, had great difficulty in getting their prisoners through the lines of strikers. They were jeered and hoot-ed by hundreds of men and many Couriers who have reached here from Couriers who have reached here from

The commanding officers of the two companies here last evening wired to Jefferson City for more troops. It is expected, that companies at Columbia, Tranton and Unionville will be here be-Couriers who have reached here from Rama report that the loss in the fight-ing yesterday was very heavy. Skir-mishing is still in progress and it is believed Madris army will advance on the Estrada forces for a general attack before nightfall. Should they be vic-torious they would have a clear road to Bluefields and the city's last defense would have hear crushed. fore night.

MYRTLE CREEK BANK DIRECTORS CHANGED

to Blueneids and the city's last defense would have been crushed. The Venus has today established a complete blockade of the harbor. The Venus fired several shots at the Es-trada custom house, which is three miles from Bluefields. As yet no dam-(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Myrtle Creek, Or., May 18.—One of the largest financial deals in this locality waa, closed yesterday, when James R. Lasswell acquired the interests of H. J. Howland, president of the Citizens State age is reported from the gunboat's shots Residents of Bluefields are in a state of panic. They fear the city will be sacked and pillaged by the Madris bank, and G. W. Huffman of Woodburn acquired Nelson's real estate and bank stock. Lasswell and Huffman succeed roops. The American consul here has warned Madris against allowing his army to enter Biuefields, but the fact that the

LOUISIANA BOOSTERS **GOING TO WASHINGTON**

right to send an army into Bluefields if 8 ao desires (United Press Leased Wire.)-Baton Rouge, La., May 18.--Members of the general assembly of the Louisians will start next Tuesday for Washington

The United States government once before forbade Madriz to enter the city. American residents have asked for protection and it is believed that if the to lay before the various congressional committees New Orleans' claim as the site for the proposed Panama exposition Madriz troops endeavor to enter the city the three waiting gunboats will be rushed to the scene. Should the Venus fire on the gunboats when they in 1915. The members will travel in a special attempt to enter the harbor interna-tional complications may follow. Should it be necessary to call the gunboats to protect property interests in Bluefields it is believed here that train, the expense of which will be de-frayed by the exposition committee.

Roseburg Plans for Hill.

Sane Fourth at Baker.

skyrockets, firecrackers, Roman candles,

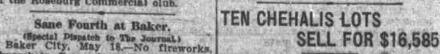
the United States would intervene to put an end to the revolution. It is be-lieved here that the state department Roseburg, Or., May 18.-Arrange-ments for the reception and entertainment of Louis W. Hill, president of the at Washington has already considered Great Northern rallway, upon his ar-rival in this city within the next few days are being perfected by a committee of the Roseburg Commercial club. this question and that it may be walting only for some plausible reason to

German consul resentiy called on Mad-ris, virtually recognizing his govern-ment, has caused the Nicaraguan pres-ident to take the stand that he has a

ity of Bombarding Bluefields

(United Press Laused Wire.) Bluefields, May 18 .- Three American

-Madriz Recognized.



ed for participating in the game, for- trouble may result. The lottery joint has been under sur-The lottery joint has been under sur-rellance for some time but heretofore sleep. One of the companies was fired that may come at any moment to rush

him, when repeating the testimony that called in an attempt to impeach the tes-Pepoon allowed the paroled convict. Ray Wilcox, to occupy his insane wife's Featherkile, and one of two of the deroom for two nights.

once refined man, degenerating to the judge the opportunity to prepare his inon level of a criminal associate, structions. the attorney drew attention to the indifference of the suave student to the memory of his wife a few hours after her death, to the remarkable per-fection of the accused man's story on the stand and to the "hypocritical manner of his testifying."

Lee wasted no points and made his argument most the sensational, by massing facts and evidence, in the annals of criminal prosecution of the state of Washington. He drilled into the grating circumstances of the grim tragedy unrelentlessly, and spared no feelings, grinding down the defense and showing no mercy for the accused man, who was in a state of nervous collapse when the

midday recess was taken. When the evidence against George L. Pepoon goes to the jury after the clos-ing of arguments, the jurors will be allowed either of two verdictsguilty, or guilty of murder in the first degree. Judge H. L. Kennan today dis-sipated the doubt that instead of instructing for either of two verdicts, he would order any one of four-murder in the first degree, second degree, manslaughter and not guilty.

Judge Issues Instructions."

On the subject of conspiracy, the judge made himself plain, saying: "If a conspiracy having murder as its

object, is fully proved, then the acts and declarations of each in furtherance of the conspiracy are acts and declarations Thursday of each of the conspirators. If the jury believes from the evidence that the oil developer in the Vale district, is reg-scate has proved a conspiracy between istered at the Imperial hotel. the defendants, Ray Wilcox and George Pepoon, to take the life of the deceased. you are charged and instructed perial. that, in considering the guilt or inno-cence of the defendant, George L. Pepoon, you may take into considera-

hotel.

tion every act and declaration of each member of the conspiracy." Further, the court instructed, "It is

iot necessary to prove that the defendants came together and actually agreed intered at the Imperial from Richmond specific terms to have that design Or. and proceed to accomplish it by common consent. Under the new law it is Wheeler county, and a prominent Fossil not necessary for the state to prove ma-merchant, is at the Imperial.

lice, but premeditation only, and for that eason no instruction need be given on that point." . Cornelius hotel.

The state is most pleased because of the conspiracy instruction, as it is important when it is considered that both Wilcox and Peppoon are charged with the crime of murder. According to the Portland. present arrangement, arguments will continue unfil tomerrow, when the case goes to the jury.

SEVENTEEN-YEAR-OLD MAY JONES GOES ON STAND FOR DEFENSE

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Colville, Wash., May 18.-Seventeen year old May Jones went on the witness, siand for the defense in the Pepoon trial yesterday afternoon and repeated the story of Edith Pepoon's death. This was the fourth time the story had been decorlbed to the jury.

day night by the College Dramatic club, that it has been decided to present the the principal corroborative witness for ceeds of both performances going to-ceeds of both performances going to-

examination by counsel for defense that the did not see either of the doses de-errihed by Morton Crossan and Massie Downs given to Edith Pepoon. Her-Jack Smith, who was arrested given to Edith Pepcon. Her late hour last night by Officer Stanton falled her in testifying to ma- on the Burnelde bridge for fighting. terial facts and circumstances. She said she remembered, however, that George Repean did not make a remark about his etters conduct while in the hammock the bridge tender,

nd "Depraved human being," he termed pert. After Morton Crossen had been The liedersinger is to give what is known as his "Witch's Song" program The recital which Dr. Wullner will give will be his second last in America. here speaking of the well educated and journed about 3 o'clock to allow the The final concert will be sung in Seattle. Dr. Wullner's finest program has been

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selected for rendition here. It has come to be known as the "Witch's Song" pro-gram because if includes Wildenbruch's poem by that name. The "Witch's Song'

SEEK DIVORCE

IS INCORPORATED

covers a period of 35 minutes. It will John Butterworth, president of the Thirteenth Division of the Railway Mail form part four of the program. Parts one, two and three will be given over to the works of Brahms, Schubert, ssociation, which comprises Alaska, Idaho, Montana, Oregon and Washing-Schumann, Hugo Wolf, Hermann and ton, left last night for Kansas City, where he will attend the national con-Sinding.

vention of the railway mail cierks, which will commence there May 24. DESERTED WIVES City Auditor A. L. Barbur and Deputy City Auditor M. A. McEachern went to Newberg today on the special

Charlotte A. Lacy has begun suit for train carrying delegates to the district convention of the Woodmen of the divorce from Henry C. Lacy Jr. in the circuit court, alleging desertion. They were married in Spokane, Wash., in April, 1896, and she says he left her in World. Mr. McEachern will go from Newberg to Eugene, tonight to be present as a delegate to the grand lodge of Odd Fellows, which is now Ia leptember, 1966. She desires to resum ter former name, Charlotte A. Hall. ession at the college town.

J. J. Dunning, deputy county coroner Another deserted, wife who wants a ecree of divorce is Alice B. Brizee, who who has been on a vacation at Sea-side, has returned to his office. Dunmarried Bert N. Brizee in Santa Ana. Cal. in February, 1906. She charges he left her without cause in June, 1908. ning underwent an operation five weeks ago at St. Vincent hospital for appendi-citis, after which he was compelled to

take a long rest. A complete recovery THREW ORANGE PEELS has resulted. M. J. Everett, a real estate dealer of Tacoma, is registered at the Nortonia AT RELIGIOUS SPEAKER

L. A. Stockdale was arrested in the Mrs. S. Swirsky is at the Good Samarnorth end last night for disorderly con-duct for throwing orange peels at a religious speaker. He resisted the ofitan hospital, doing nicely after an operation performed by Dr. Parker last

ficer and ran four blocks before he was J. P. Wilbur, a Union, Or., banker and captured. He was fined \$20 this morning in the municipal court. Oswald West, state railroad commis

INVESTMENT COMPANY lioner, and wife, are guests of the Im-

Eugene France, an Aberdeen timbe baron, is registered at the Perkins. J. D. and H. S. McGowan, Ilwaco,

Articles of incorporation have been filed by I. Rogolotti, J. Chiotti and J. Wash., cannerymen, are registered at the Imperial hotel. R. N. Donnelly, ex-representative Maylie for La Gascogne Investment

Play Is Success.

Fined for Fighting.

ompany, capital \$25,000. from Wheeler county, and wife, are reg-The Portland Block Book company has een incorporated by L. S. Munson of Los Angeles and C. L. Merade and J. A. Taylor of Portland; capital \$50,000.

W. W. Hoover, ex-county judge of Look for Thieves.

H. F. Bothfur, a Moster orchardman, is in Portland and is stopping at the

(Salem Burean of The Journal.) Salem, Or., May 18.—Authorities in Marion and neighboring counties are on F. D. Strucker, a Grants Pass real the lookout for thieves who entered the harn of D. J. Fry, a Salem druggist, Saturday evening and took a complete operator, is at the Cornelius. . Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Sanborn, promi-nent residents of Astoria, are at the set of light buggy harness, parts of two ortland. Ben Norman, president of the Port- bridles, a black overcoat with a velvet

land Hotel company, is registered at the collar, a slicker, a pair of driving gloves Portland from Tacoma. and two leather flynets.

Charles F. Couture, a new tenor from San Francisco, known in repertoire, has arrived and will be added to the cast Vale Schools to Close Friday. (Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Vale, Or., May 18.—The public schools of Vale will close Friday with appro-priate exercises. Principal Saunders of the National Opera company at the Portland theatre. Miss Florence Camer-on, a soprano, will be assigned to parts fitting her ability in future productions.

s most anxious to have all the parents visit his room on that afternoon, as he has much to say for the betterment of the schools. He is most anxious that (Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Mt Angel College, On. May 18.—Such success attended the presentation of "Handy Andy" in the city hall last Sunseveral more grades be added to form a good high school. The lower classes will spend next Friday picnicking along

the Malheur river.

Flouring Mill at Underwood.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) White Salmon, Wash., May 18.-De-ment Bros., millers of Walla Walla, are perfecting their plans for a big flour mill at Underwood, where the White Saimon empties into the Columbia The site for the mill is two miles from this city. The dam will be put in at the gorge on the Gameron farm. So close together has nature crowded the rock valls, 35 feet high, that it is a natural site for a power plant.

merits, while the others are held over the state from former Highway Com-from the time Judge Bronaugh was action would be taken until the next presiding judge. Judge Bronaugh is session of the legislature. Searing up matters pending in his court as fast as he can reach them,

TRIAL OF ALLEGED so he may leave a clean slate to his successor when he retires June 1. The cases to be decided tomorrow are as

follows: James Gladstone Howe against L. E. Kern and others; demurrer to complaint. American Tool Works against G. E. ferges; on merits. Alexander Jones against Robert M

Aistrop and others; demurrer to answer Marie Engh against Mary A. Cass; on

FOR WATER SYSTEM

YACOLT VOTED TO BOND

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Yacolt, Wash., May 18.-By a vote

42 to 14 Yacolt yesterday voted to bond

for the new water system. It will be a gravity system. The source of supply

North Yakima Mill Burned.

is Big Creek falls.

ment was new.

George Feran, the alleged river pirate, who was jointly indicted with George Burke for theft of property from th O. R. & N. company, will be placed on trial in the circuit court next Monday. This was the announcement by Presiding Judge Morrow in the circuit' court this morning, the case having been

postponed several times because of the congestion of business in the courts. Burke has already been tried and convicted.

'(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Chehalis, Wash., May 18.—This after-oon the Chehalis school board sold 10 toy pistois, canes, guns or explosives o any kind can be used in this city or July 4, according to an ordinance passed ots off the old high school site. Joseph by the city council. The measure pro Schuss bought the corner at Pacific avenue and Park, 25x100, for \$2750; T. hibits the sale of such articles, and allows them to be used only for a pyro-C. Rush bought the adjoining lot for \$2210; C. O. Gingrich the next for \$2000, T. C. Rush the next for \$2100, and W. technic display when a permit is ob-tained by a reputable person. M. Urquhart the lot fronting on Park

Club Women Close a Theatre. Chicago, May 18.—Club wom

Chicago, May Is.—Club women of Chicago won a victory today when the management of the Cort theatre was ordered by Judge Scanlon to stop the production of a musical farce which the women declared immoral. Judge Scan-lon made an order dissolving an injunc-

for \$2409. Four lots on Pacific avenue sold respectively to Sherman Murphy \$1050, T. C. Rush for \$1000, R. Getz for \$1050, and C. O. Glifgrich for \$1300. The tenth lot went for \$725 to T. C. Rush. The total realized by the district was \$18,585 for the ten lots.

"Bread and falads" is the subject of Miss Tracy's cooking lesson tomorrow tion restraining the police from the doors of the theatre. afternoon

BANK CLEARANCES SHOW INCREASE OF 131 PER-CENT Bank clearances for today show a gain over those of one-year ago of 131 per cent. The increase in balances was 247 per bal-

(United Press Leased Wirs.) North Takima, May 18.—The Takima ity flour mill at Takima City was comcent. The figures for today are: pletely destroyed by fire last night with Clearances, \$2,394,812.10; ances, \$508,325,83. For this day one year ago the clearances were a loss of \$16,000. It will be rebuilt by Henry J. Snively, the owner. He plan \$990.751.75, and balances \$146,a much more extensive plant. He car-628.57 30 years old, though much of the equip-



No. 3847 was the first number drawn, and the ticket corresponding to same being held by Mrs. M. E. Jones of Elgin, Oregon, she was awarded the diamond ring valued at \$100. She is also the happy possessor of a beautiful IVERS & POND PIANO.

No. 790 was the second number drawn, and the ticket corresponding to same being held by F. H. Simpson of Cornelius, Oregon, Route 2, he was awarded the lady's solid gold watch valued at \$75. His purchase was a fine WALLWORTH PIANO.

The awarding of these beautiful and expensive free prizes took place at our store Tuesday evening, May 17, at 8 o'clock, as advertised, Mildred Katharine Hatton, aged 4 years, drawing the numbers.

Now a Word to Our Friends

We wish to congratulate those who were successful in winning the free prizes, and to thank all who took part in our great advertising contest, and especially those who took advantage of our special sale of high grade pianos. In this we have proven to the people that we not only have in the APOLLO the greatest player piano the world has ever known, but 15 of the greatest makes of pianos that have ever been sold in this territory, and at prices far below the usual selling price of same. For the balance of this month we propose to give everybody an opportunity to buy planos at factory prices. IF YOU NEED A PIANO DON'T FAIL TO SEE US THIS MONTH

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