

ROBERTS EMPLOYS COUNSEL TO FIGHT CHARGE OF MURDER

Confessed Slayer of Dell McConnell, of Colfax, Claims Self Defense—Will Plead Thursday.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Colfax, Wash., Aug. 23.—James Roberts, the 18 year old boy who confessed to the killing of Dell McConnell here on the Fourth of July, listened unmoved yesterday while the arraignment was read by Deputy Prosecutor Sherrey, charging him with murder in the first degree.

Roberts has employed the best legal talent obtainable in Whitman county. He asked the statutory time to plead and Judge Pickered fixed the time as 10 o'clock Thursday.

Detective Sheriff William Cole brought Roberts in from his father's ranch, west of Steptoe, Friday. Saturday the young man confessed killing McConnell in the New Castle saloon.

Cites Very Few.
For the past six weeks members of the sheriff's office have been working on the clues left by the slayer of McConnell. These were very scanty. The murderer in his haste, dropped his hat on the left side of the road. It was found on the bank of the Palouse river, back of the saloon, a month after the crime was committed. It had lain in the water till the drying of the river exposed it to view. McConnell made a dying statement giving a poor description of the man who had shot him. He was not able to give a clear description, nor could he tell much of the story of the shooting. According to his statement, the shooting had been done by a man whom he had never seen before after a short drunken quarrel at an outdoor back of the saloon. There were no men in the place at the time who could give a clear description of the man who had done the shooting.

Victim Left Family.
Dell McConnell, the murdered man, was the son of James McConnell, a prominent rancher living near Diamond. Mr. McConnell is much elated at the success of the sheriff's office in securing the murderer of his son. Dell McConnell owned a ranch near Kamsack Butte. He left a wife and two children. After the shooting he was hurried to the St. Ignatius hospital, where he died the following day. The bullet had struck him below the heart, lodged downward and to the right and glanced in the right groin.

When Deputy Sheriff Cole arrested Roberts the young man was at first inclined to show fight, but soon decided to come quietly with the officer. According to Roberts' story, as he stepped from the saloon in the rear of the saloon, McConnell, who appears to have been of a quarrelsome disposition when partly intoxicated, as he was at that time, insulted him. After some words McConnell struck Roberts twice, once on the nose and once of the top of the head. McConnell, who appears to have been of a quarrelsome disposition when partly intoxicated, as he was at that time, insulted him. After some words McConnell struck Roberts twice, once on the nose and once of the top of the head.

Had Plenty of Money.
As Roberts has confessed, there is no doubt that self defense will be the grounds. When arrested, Roberts had \$120 on his person and was, no doubt, intending to flee.

It appears that after the shooting the proprietor of the New Castle rushed to the back of the saloon and seized George Littleton and a brother-in-law of McConnell by the name of Bowman and searched them for weapons. Littleton then passed out of the saloon and, going up the street, met the brother of Roberts. He said something to Roberts, who turned pale, and passed Littleton a handful of bills. Littleton then hurried north, intending, doubtless, to supply young Roberts with money if he could be found.

Littleton has aided in concealing the crime, having denied knowledge of the affair when questioned by the officers. Jim Roberts stated that he bought the

NORWEGIAN SINGING SOCIETIES TO MEET

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Spokane, Wash., Aug. 23.—The Norwegian Singing Society of Spokane, of which Rev. August Peterson, pastor of the Norwegian-Danish Methodist church, is director, has arranged to send 22 delegates to Eureka, Cal., to participate in the festival by the Norwegian singing societies of the Pacific coast, September 1 to 5. An invitation will be extended to meet in Spokane in 1911, and in this the local society will have the support of Seattle, Tacoma, Portland and other cities on the Washington Oregon coast.

The special delegation will be composed of Jacob Olesness, A. Troen, A. Lihak, B. Stanness, A. Harnish, A. Holup, L. Peterson, Albert Iverson, P. Tolofson, S. Anderson, S. Vinther, J. Wings, Joseph Hopperstad, C. Rued, H. Wings, T. Jensen, F. Anderson, G. Flasen, Rev. C. August Peterson, leader; P. Harnish and A. Teisberg. Others joining the party are A. Bakke, J. Bakke, T. Moen, S. Vestaunet, M. Vestaunet, Rev. C. Nargaard and Harold Swenson.

IT'S MULLIGAN SURE NOW FOR MULLIGAN
Detroit, Aug. 23.—Love in a flat has everything else beaten a mile and then some. I've got the sweetest little woman in the world for a wife. I don't know why the fact that she was a chorus girl is held against her by any girl in society I ever met, and I've met a few.

Thus discouraged George Mulligan, ex-neo-fa million, in the engineering of the steamer Western States at Detroit. He married a pretty chorus girl and was given permission to get out of the house as quickly as possible by George L. Mulligan, Sr., while Mrs. Mulligan is housekeeping in a flat in New York. Mulligan is now second electrician on the Western States at \$35 per month and board. On the boat he is regarded as a hard-working, modest young fellow who has fallen in with the discipline of the boat quickly.

TOM HART, FUGITIVE, IS STILL AT LARGE
(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Roseburg, Or., Aug. 23.—Tom Hart, the man who is wanted in the justice court here on a warrant charging him with assault with a dangerous weapon, is still at large. It is thought by the officers that he is being shielded by friends in Wilbur. One man told one of the deputies there that if the charge made against Hart was changed from assault with a dangerous weapon to a simple assault Hart would come in and give himself up. This may cause the arrest of other parties if Hart is not brought in before many days. District Attorney Brown is making an investigation in the case, and will let no one escape punishment that he thinks is assisting him to avoid arrest.

PLANS TO FORM NEW FRUIT RAISING SECTION
(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) White Salmon, Wash., Aug. 23.—A movement is on foot to amalgamate the fruit growing sections of the Columbia river and designate the whole under one name, as famous sections in Oregon are known to the world as "The Willamette Valley," "Rogue River," and other places. It is proposed to take in Hood River, White Salmon, The Dalles, Lyle, The Little White Salmon Valley, Underwood and perhaps clear to Peasie. The section a suitable name and advertise it to the world. The movement emanated from Hood River and is being heartily aided by the White Salmon Development league.

SET APPLE ORCHARDS ON WESTON MOUNTAIN
(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Weston, Or., Aug. 23.—Over 100 acres will be set out this fall in apple orchards on the Weston mountains, and, also, the canvassing is at being continued. It is probable that this number of acres will be doubled or more before the season is ended. As an apple raising country the mountains east and south of Weston have no superior and it is only of late that efforts in the direction of making a specialty of apple orchards have been undertaken. Irrigation is not necessary—sub-irrigation supplying all needed moisture.

I. O. O. F. Officers on Tour.
(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Roseburg, Or., Aug. 23.—The head officers of the Oregon Old Fellows will make an official visit to many lodges in Douglas and Coos county next week. L. Wimberly, grand patriarch, and Thomas F. Ryan, grand master of the order, will leave this city next Monday, going to Gardiner, and from there they will visit Marshfield, Tuesday; North Bend, Wednesday; Coquille, Thursday; Bandon, Friday; and Myrtle Point, Friday. This includes the coast district, which is yet very difficult to visit at any time of the year. Other official visits will be made later, when the two or possibly more of the grand officers will visit most of all the lodges of the state.

Funeral of Kate Flavel.
(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Astoria, Aug. 23.—The funeral of the late Miss Kate Flavel took place from the family residence and was attended by an immense concourse of relatives and friends. Rev. Hiram Soule, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Portland conducted the services, assisted by Rev. W. S. Gilbert of the First Presbyterian church of this city. The interment was in Ocean View cemetery, where the funeral party proceeded in a special train, services at the grave being private. The active pallbearers were Fred Fulton, Harvey Allen, Wilson Stone, Ted Higgins, Merwyn Lounsbury and Emil Nyman. The honorary pallbearers were J. J. Taylor, B. Van Dusen, John E. Gratke, G. C. Fukun, R. Carruthers and S. S. Gordon.

Portland Man Dies in Surf.
Astoria, Aug. 23.—Jacob Gannoneder of Portland, proprietor of the Bismarck restaurant, died yesterday of heart failure, while bathing in the surf at Long Beach. He was on his summer vacation with his family. He was noticed floating with his head under water, and when brought ashore was dead. The deceased was 38 years of age and leaves a widow and five children. The deceased was a large man weighing about 235 pounds and was subject to heart trouble.

Pasco Bank Increases Capital.
Pasco, Wash., Aug. 23.—The First National Bank of Pasco has increased its capital stock from \$25,000 to \$50,000, permission to make the increase having been wired from Washington, D. C., this week. Practically all of the capital stock has been taken up by local people.

Y. M. C. A. CAMP TO BE BROKEN SEPT. 3

Last Group of Boys Leave Portland to Enjoy Outing Near Lake.

In charge of L. A. Lucas, assistant boys' secretary of the Portland Young Men's Christian Association, the last group of boys to visit the Y. M. C. A. camp at Spirit Lake left the city yesterday. The boys will stay until September 3, when camp will be broken for the season.

J. C. Clark, who has been in charge of the camp throughout the summer, has returned to his desk at the Y. M. C. A. He says that no previous outings conducted by the Y. M. C. A. has compared with the one this year. Over 100 boys visited the camp and all enjoyed themselves greatly.

"Nearly every week a trip was made to the top of Mount St. Helens," said Mr. Clark. "Altogether 84 boys climbed the peak and not one of them was injured. Spirit Lake proved an ideal place for a boys' camp. During the last week we were there we discovered what is practically a new trip from Spirit Lake. This is to the top of Mount Margaret, a peak 7200 feet high, the tallest one in the district except St. Helens. We had to walk about five miles, and two miles of this distance there is no trail. We had to climb over logs and force our way through underbrush.

"The view from the top of Mount Margaret, however, is well worth the trip. In fact, it is better than the view from St. Helens, because we can distinguish the surroundings more clearly. Probably a half dozen lakes can be seen and the entire country is so rugged and wild that it gives one a thrill. The United States geological survey has a station on the mountain." Among the most pleasant events of the outing was a party given for the boys by R. C. Lang, the pioneer resident of the Spirit Lake district. Not only the Y. M. C. A. boys, but all the campers at the lake were invited.

J. C. Moohan, one of the Y. M. C. A. secretaries, and Ernest Kiss, 14 years old, made the walking record for the camp. They "hiked" from the camp to Castle Rock, a distance of 46 miles, in 17 hours steady walking. As the walk was over a typical mountain road, the record is considered an exceptional one.

ITALIAN LABORER SHOOT HIS ENEMY

Kalama, Wash., Aug. 22.—George DeBoll, an Italian, shot and seriously wounded Antona Massa Saturday night and was captured by Sheriff Carline yesterday near Kelso. He had a gun and considerable money. He confessed the shooting, saying Massa had stolen money from him, his reason for trying to kill him. This is discredited and it is said Massa was the leader of an Italian organization, and failing to carry out some instructions given him, DeBoll was hired to put him out of the way. Massa is in a Tacoma hospital, reported improving.

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Never in the history of this store have we been so well prepared to cater to the tastes of particular people as now. Every good shape, shade and leather is represented in our new fall lines—styles to suit the most fastidious and prices to suit the most economical. These three lots are specially underpriced:

- Women's Oxfords at \$2.37**
An extra fine offering of Women's Shoes and Oxfords shown in all sizes and the very latest fall styles; light, medium and heavy sole; they come in vici kid, tan kid, patent colt and gunmetal; in button and lace; high and low heel; regular \$3 and \$3.50 values, priced for this sale \$2.37
- Boys' Oxfords at \$1.39**
An extraordinary showing of Boys' Shoes and Oxfords, all styles and leathers; patent colt, vici kid, box calf, gunmetal, tan and velour; heavy and light sole; extra good shoes that will wear fine. Reg. \$2 and \$2.50 values, special \$1.39
- Misses' Oxfords at 99c**
A good showing of Misses' Shoes and Oxfords, made of solid leather with full vamp and heavy sole. They come in all sizes and styles; blucher, lace and button; tan, vici kid, box calf; \$1.50 and \$1.75 values, specially priced for this sale 99c

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We've prepared an exceptionally fine showing of women's new style Sweater Coats. Included are all the nobbly shapes for mountain, beach and outing wear. Fitted, semi-fitted and full-back models in the most popular lengths. They come in all colors and sizes and are the best possible values to be had from... \$2.50 to \$6.00

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- New Plaid Blankets \$2.90**
We have just received a special underpriced purchase of New Plaid Blankets. They come full double size and are shown in a large variety of pretty color combinations. Fine, durable, pure wool blankets that are fully worth one-third more than \$2.90
- New Baby Blankets 65c, 75c, \$1.00**
By very special arrangements with one of the best mills we are enabled to offer very unusual values in Baby Blankets. These are of good quality, neatly finished and shown in a large assortment of pretty patterns—cats, dogs, bears, chickens, rabbits, etc.—colors white, blue and pink. Three 65c lots to choose from, priced at \$1.00, 75c and 65c
- BATH ROBE MATERIAL**—Comes full 32 inches wide, shown in all the new designs and colorings. Sale price per yard 40c
- VELOUR FANNELLS**—In a large assortment of wrapper and kimono patterns in all colors. Sale price per yard 15c

The Eudora Gloves for \$1.50

Maggiore-made gloves of the finest Italian kid, shown in the new styles, with Paris point stitching on back. They come in white, black and every wanted shade. All sizes. Regular \$1.75 values on sale \$1.50 at \$1.50

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Maggiore-made gloves of the best grade Italian lambskin. Perfect fitting, well finished with fancy stitching on back. All the new shades and black. The kind that sell regularly at \$1.25, now on sale \$1.00 sale at \$1.00

New Satin Ribbons Best 50c Grade at Half

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