

WESTMAN'S STORY  
TO DEGRADATION

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Westman was married in the summer of 1908. Myrtle was working in a can factory at the time. Before her marriage she lived with her adoptive parents in Portland. She was 19 years old and Westman was 24. A baby was born.

Until six months ago Westman worked as a street conductor, dishwasher in a restaurant, in a shoe and at other things in Portland, Oregon City, Tacoma and Vancouver, Wash.

Last spring Myrtle Westman began work in a laundry. Finally Westman decided not to work any longer himself. On the 15th of last month he told his wife of his decision. He said that she would have to support him and that she could not do so on \$10 a week in a laundry. He said that she could make \$10 a night easier.

"Then he told me to go out and pick up some man," said the wife. "I went out and he followed behind me. I could not muster up courage enough to change anything but he told me to finally after tramping up and down the streets for a long time a Greek followed me to my room. My husband went away then and brought up two more men. He came back before the night was over with still another man. He took all the money."

She engaged a room for me at the Portland rooming house. Then he went down into the North End and told the bartenders in many of the saloons of his locality to send up male visitors. Shortly after that he said that my cousin Carrie was in town staying at the Hart lodging house. I and my husband visited her. We told her where we were living, but I didn't tell her what I was doing.

PUZZLING CASES WILL CONFRONT HIM ON FIRST DAY IN JUVENILE COURT.

Circuit Judge Ostera, will hold his first session as judge of the juvenile court this afternoon. The initiatory session is well calculated to test out the new judge, for today's docket contains some puzzling cases of mingled criminality and dependency.

Mrs. Charles Farris, who is presently best president for non-support in the county court, alleges he has threatened to kill her and her six children unless she drops the case, and the whole matter has fallen into the hands of the juvenile court to determine what shall be done with them.

Five boys who made a joint attack on an automobile left standing on the street by the owner constitute another case. They left the auto airless, hookless and lightless.

A 10-year-old boy classed as a moral pervert makes up another problem. Equally difficult is a case wherein a young girl makes a serious charge against her father. Another instance of immorality is a boy of 18, charged with a statutory offense.

Two little girls who have been living with their parents on the peninsula, are alleged by their neighbors to lack sufficient clothing and food. Willie Butler, 13 years old, is also in the dependency class, his father having sent word the boy must shift for himself after the father, so it is alleged, had misrepresented Willie's age and tried to place him as a messenger boy.

WETTEST NOVEMBER IN UMATILLA'S HISTORY. Precipitation so far is 2.4 inches and more in excess of the normal amount for the entire month and indications are that there will be considerable more rainfall before the first of December.

GOOS COUNTY IS NOT YET DECLARED DRY. Marshfield, Or., Nov. 22.—On account of an injunction court Judge Hall was unable to declare Goos county dry. The injunction, which was asked for by the liquor interests, restrained the county judge from issuing the order. The hearing for a permanent injunction is set for the December term of the circuit court.

MARSHFIELD CITY TICKET IS CHOSEN. Entries at Emeryville. Emeryville, Cal., Nov. 22.—Entries for tomorrow: First race, futurity course—Decar 109, Ben Greenleaf 104, Great Caesar 110, Louie B. 109, Clara Hampton 108, Abella 104, Cona Thau-thu 104.

DIFFERENT LIQUOR INTERESTS HAVE IDEAS OF THEIR OWN THEY WOULD TRY.

The Oregon Home Rule association and its attorneys are still wrestling with the model liquor license ordinance which it was intended will be presented to the city council at its meeting tomorrow. Owing to the fact that the measure is not completed and many new problems are continually presenting themselves, it is possible that the draft of the ordinance will not be ready for submission tomorrow.

The Home Rule association is shaping up a big bunch of reform amendments, which the organization believes should be incorporated in the home rule ordinance. Many of the suggestions of the association have been adopted by the home rule people. It is the intention of the retailers to propose those things which they desire in the shape of amendments in case the Home Rule association does not finally incorporate them in its proposed ordinance.

UNION TO ENTERTAIN NATIONAL PRESIDENT. (Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Portland, Or., Nov. 22.—Members of the Farmers' Educational and Cooperative union in eastern Oregon are planning for a great gathering in this city on Friday, November 25, to do honor to their national president, C. A. Barrett of Atlanta, Ga., who is scheduled to be here on that day.

MUST NOT SELL TO INTOXICATED MEN. A crusade against dealers who sell liquor to men already intoxicated is to be started by Municipal Judge Leo Taswell. The judge this morning instructed Officer Perry and Johnson of the North End squad to bring in every saloon keeper they can find breaking this law. He will also talk with Chief of Police Cox today relative to instructing all officers to do the same.

REVOLUTIONISTS BLOW UP RAILWAY BRIDGES. Eagle Pass, Texas, Nov. 22.—Revolutionists dynamited two bridges today on the line of the Mexican International Railway near Ciudad Porfirio Diaz. Soldiers are repairing the damaged structures. Two men suspected of the outrage were arrested.

LOCAL MAN DENIES LAW IS VIOLATED. (Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Salem, Or., Nov. 22.—The Democratic state central committee has violated the law regarding the filing of the statement of its expenditures in the late campaign. The corrupt practices act provides that a statement of the committee must be filed within 10 days after the election. The time expired Saturday, November 13.

FRISCO FAIR BOOSTERS WATERWAYS DELEGATES. (United Press Leased Wire.) Sacramento, Cal., Nov. 22.—Governor Gillett today appointed Leon Sloss, A. W. Scott Jr., R. B. Hale, H. T. Scott, M. H. De Young, James McNab and Frank L. Brown, all boosters for the world's fair in San Francisco in 1915, as delegates to the seventh National Rivers and Harbors congress at Washington. The session will be held on December 7, 8 and 9.

LEAVES ESTATE WORTH \$300,000.

L. Therkelsen, who died November 13, left an estate close to the \$300,000 mark, as shown by the petition for probate of his will, filed in the county court today. It is estimated there is \$225,000 in cash, yielding yearly rentals of \$12,000 and \$70,000 in notes and mortgages.

Municipal Securities Bring One Half of One Per Cent Premium; \$475,000 Sold. Municipal Improvement bonds to the amount of \$475,000 were sold yesterday afternoon by the ways and means committee of the city council. The highest price paid for any part of this issue was one half of one per cent premium. There were 18 bidders. Bond buyers took \$395,000, and the city treasurer took the remainder of the sale.

WESTERN UNIVERSITIES PRODUCE INSURGENTS. (United Press Leased Wire.) Boston, Mass., Nov. 22.—The west is graduating 2000 or 3000 college men, creating a brand of red-hot progressives and insurgents, according to President David Starr Jordan of Stanford university, California, who is here.

O. R. & N. TUNNEL WILL SOON BE COMPLETED. (Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Portland, Or., Nov. 22.—Within the next few days the final touches will be put upon the O. R. & N. tunnel through Horsehoe curve between this city and Yastum. This tunnel 54 feet long and is the longest along the entire length of the O. R. & N. line. It is by far the most important piece of work in connection with the improvements being made between this city and Yastum at a cost of more than a million and a quarter dollars.

ARGUE MOTION FOR NEW TRIAL FOR GARRISON. (Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Marshfield, Or., Nov. 22.—A motion for a new trial has been argued in the case of Frank Garrison, found guilty of murder in the first degree for killing Roy Perkins. Judge Cooke has taken the matter under advisement. Garrison killed Perkins near Marshfield and sunk the body in the bay.

SUNNY MONDAY. Sunny Monday laundry soap is most efficient for cleaning carpets—removing grease spots from clothing—washing lace curtains and doilies—and for every other cleaning purpose. It contains no rosin, washes woollens and flannels without shrinking, and works in any kind of water. Its marvelous dirt-starting quality spares your back and saves your time.

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FUNERAL OF COLONEL WILLIAM F. BUTCHER. The funeral of Colonel William F. Butcher of Baker City was held at Baker City Saturday last. Colonel Butcher was one of the leading lawyers and Democratic politicians of eastern Oregon for a number of years.

INSURANCE COMPANY SUED. George H. Morgan, representative of the St. Paul Fire & Marine Insurance company, who has been suing to adjust losses caused by fire on the steamer Falcon some time ago, has been sued in the circuit court by six firms of Portland merchants for the value of goods and damages.

USED BRIGHT LANGUAGE. Mary M. Vogel says E. W. Vogel threw a spool of thread at her on November 12 and has used frightful language, so she wants a divorce. Two or three months ago she started a millinery store at Grisham, she says, and her hubby has since hung around the place, an unwelcome guest. She says he became heavily and annoying. She asks the court to enjoin him from bothering her. They were married in Portland in 1888.

OPPOSE STREET VACATION. By a rising vote of all present the Montaville Board of Trade last night expressed unanimous opposition to the proposed vacation of east side streets to the railroad company. Dr. J. M. Yany was elected president. Representative men were present from various sections of the city.

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RECOMMENDATION OF FINANCE COMMITTEE IS RECEIVED FAVORABLY BY SCHOOL BOARD AT LAST NIGHT'S MEETING. The salaries of Portland teachers will be raised approximately 10 per cent if the taxpayers approve of the action of the school board taken last night. Principals of high schools will receive \$5000 a year. The salaries of assistant principals will be increased. Salaries of all grade teachers will be advanced approximately 10 per cent.

ALMOST COLLISION; TAFT IN DANGER. Hampton Roads, Va., Nov. 22.—When the Tennessee, with President Taft on board, arrived here today, the sailors told of a narrow escape the vessel had from colliding with an unknown steamer 150 miles out at sea Friday night. The cruiser was steaming behind its convoy, the Montana, off the shore of Cuba, when suddenly the lookout reported a vessel dead ahead across the Tennessee's bow.

MOUNT HOOD ROAD BUILDING HIGH TRESTLE. Work has been commenced on the construction of the trestle that will form the approaches to the bridge over which the Mount Hood railway is to cross the Sandy river. About 1400 feet of trestle work will have to be put in on one side of the river and about 400 feet on the other.

FILLING CAUSE OF CAVE-IN. The cave-in of a Standard Oil company wagon yesterday morning at Fourth and Alder streets was due to improper filling around a retaining wall for the new building on the northwest corner of those streets. This is the opinion of City Engineer Morris, who made an inspection of the affair. The contractor building the wall filled in back of it but the dirt was not packed sufficient to withstand a heavy load.

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