

SUITS SPRING UP AGAINST HEAD OF WOMAN'S LEAGUE

Receiver for Various Companies in Which E. G. Lewis is Interested is Asked by Dissatisfied Stockholders.



E. G. Lewis, president of American Woman's League.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
St. Louis, June 14.—Suits asking a receiver for the various companies in which E. G. Lewis, head of the Woman's League, is interested and seeking an injunction against a syndicate of magazine publishers from taking over the Lewis publications, are on file in the federal court here today. It is expected the case will come up in the next few days.

The suits which are directed against Lewis and the University Heights Real Estate and Development company and the Lewis Publishing company, charge that the indebtedness of the various companies amounts to \$5,000,000, while their combined assets are about \$2,000,000.

San Bernardino, Cal., June 14.—Asserting that the suits against him in St. Louis are only the result of dissatisfaction of a small per cent of the stockholders who are endeavoring to block the reorganization scheme which has been worked and put in the hands of three trustees elected by 40,000 stockholders of the Star Publishing company, the Lewis Publishing company and the University Heights Realty company, E. G. Lewis, here today, was apparently unworried over the case. Lewis yesterday delivered two lectures in the interests of the American Woman's League. He said this organization was in no way affected by the suits.

PORTLAND MEMBERS OF LEAGUE REGRET MOVE MADE AGAINST LEWIS

Members of the American Woman's League of Portland have only regret that E. G. Lewis' schemes seem doomed to failure. He is looked upon by them as a man who has worked for the cause and who deserves success.

Dr. Mae Cardwell, first president of the Portland chapter, said today: "Mr. Lewis is a man with lofty ideals and is unselfish and altruistic. He deserves a better fate than he has gotten and the fault lies mainly with the women. Had they worked harder to help themselves, Mr. Lewis would not now be in this trouble. Portland women are to blame, too, for they have done but little. California is the banner state. At Los Angeles alone there are more than 2000 members of the league."

Lewis is now in California and it was expected that he would arrive at Portland shortly for the purpose of working up enthusiasm. A reception and banquet was being planned in his honor. It is now probable that he will not come here at all.

In order to become a member of the American Woman's League a fee of \$52—\$1 a week—is demanded. This money may be paid in cash or by soliciting subscriptions to magazines, an agency for which Mr. Lewis operated. He received 50 per cent of the subscription money, said Dr. Cardwell, and this went toward paying the fees of the members. After 500 members had been secured in any community, a chapter house would be built for them by Lewis on land which they must own. There are about 225 members in Portland and the women are deploring the fact that there are not more.

"I feel very sorry for Mr. Lewis," said Dr. Cardwell. "I was a delegate to the convention held at University City last year at which over 7000 women were present. Every delegate felt then and does now that Mr. Lewis was working only for the good of women and not himself. He is a dreamer, but is extremely unselfish. He couldn't help but give away everything he has."

Dr. Cardwell's niece bought \$100 worth of stock in the Lewis institutions for which she was promised 6 per cent interest, beside a liberal bonus. Dr. Cardwell paid her membership fee in cash. The women believe they will lose their money.

Mrs. Amelia Taylor, Tenth and Columbia streets, is now president of the Portland chapter, Dr. Cardwell refusing to serve any longer owing to the de-

mands of her practice. Mrs. Agnes Lane, 27th Vista avenue, is secretary of the chapter.

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paid for information leading to the arrest of the murderer.
The remainder of the reward will be paid to the person or persons making the arrest.

No portion of the reward shall be paid until after trial and conviction.
In the event of dispute between rival claimants, in the event of uncertainty as to the rights of an claimant, all questions as to the payment of the award shall be determined by a committee of arbitration consisting of the governor of Oregon, the mayor of Portland, the editor of The Journal.

The Journal is working in cooperation with the county officers of Clackamas and Multnomah in its efforts to locate and apprehend the murderer.
Chief Magistrate of Clackamas county, Sheriff Stevens and Deputies Phillips and Leonard have been working almost without sleep since the crime was discovered, running down the various clues that have presented themselves. Although nearly worn out with the strain of the hunt, they are keeping at it systematically and are looking up every clue that is presented, either to The Journal or to the sheriff's office or police headquarters.

May Be in Portland.
Yesterday people living near Milwaukie were inclined to think a man living in a canvas covered skiff near the mouth of Johnson creek might be connected with the affair. He was found to have nothing to do with it. All others investigated have managed to clear themselves beyond possibility of suspicion.

It is the belief of the sheriff's office that the murderer has come to Portland and is in hiding here. The possibility that he is the same man who murdered little Barbara Holtzman several months ago is being given consideration by the officers. The crimes, in some ways, were similar and the man who killed the little Holtzman girl has never been found.

Residents of the district about Ardenwald, where the Hill murders took place, have been quietly arranging to track the murderer if he is captured in that neighborhood and extreme care will be taken by the officers in case any suspect is arrested to lodge him in the Multnomah county jail before any of the former neighbors of the Hills have opportunity to seize and lynch him.

RUSHLIGHT MAKES

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mittes, as there may not be funds for this expense," remarked the mayor, "and I believe the city attorney should examine the laws governing special elections and report to the council anything he may deem necessary in the way of amendments to either of these ordinances. The measures are all right, I suppose, but they were sprung on the moment, and I was not looking for them."

"These things are always sprung on the moment," was the rejoinder of Councilman Baker, who was smiling broadly at the effect of the coup engineered by Mr. Rushlight and himself.
Councilman Wallace suggested that while he had no objections to the calling of a special election, that it might be putting the cart before the horse to name the date before the charter commission has prepared a charter. He voted with the rest of the councilmen, however.

"Mr. Rushlight had thought the election could be called early in November," said Councilman Baker, just after the council had passed the ordinance, "but out of courtesy to Mayor Simon, who has announced his determination to work for a commission government, and who has said he wants it as soon as possible, the date in the Rushlight ordinance was left blank, so that Mayor Simon could fill it."

"BROADWAY PLEASANT," HE SAYS; COSTS 10 DAYS

(United Press Leased Wire.)
New York, June 14.—Because he remarked "Broadway is a mighty pleasant street to walk on, kid," Maurice Daly is doing 10 days. Miss Grace Puller, to whom the remark was addressed, broke her umbrella over Daly's head. Magistrate McAdoo said he was sorry the umbrella was broken and wished he could have presented her with a black thorn stick instead.

LAD RESISTS ROBBER; HIGHWAYMAN KILLS

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Riverside, Cal., June 14.—The police of Riverside and adjoining towns today are seeking a highwayman who last night shot and killed Henry Anderson, 14, when the latter refused to turn over his valuables. Anderson had accompanied several friends to a car, and was on his way home when attacked.

Postal Savings at Eugene June 19.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Eugene, Or., June 14.—Eugene's postal savings bank will open next Monday, June 19. All the supplies have arrived and Postmaster Fago recently made a trip to Olympia, Wash., where he received special instructions as to the conduct of that department of his office.

Flag Day in Capital.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Washington, D. C., June 14.—Flag day, commemorating the adoption of the Stars and Stripes as the national emblem on June 14, 1777, was celebrated in the national capital today with exercises under the auspices of the patriotic societies and with a lavish display of the national colors on all public buildings.

West Virginia Teachers.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Bluefield, W. Va., June 14.—West

Virginia school teachers took Bluefield

by storm today and practically every accommodation in the city is taxed to provide places for them. The occasion is the forty-first annual convention of the West Virginia Education association. The gathering was formally opened today and will remain in session over Friday. State Superintendent M. P. Shawkey is presiding.

Honor Stowe's Memory.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Hartford, Conn., June 14.—The universal regard in which the memory of Harriet Beecher Stowe is held was given expression throughout Connecticut and elsewhere in New England today by exercises commemorating the 100th anniversary of the birth of the author of "Uncle Tom's Cabin." In Litchfield, where the famous author was born, and in Hartford, where she spent the latter part of her life, the principal public observances were held, but there was scarcely a school or literary society in this section which did not devote some time to the memory of the writer.

CHARITIES CONFERENCE COMES TO CLOSE TONIGHT

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Boston, June 14.—After one of the most successful meetings in its history, the National Conference of Charities and Corrections will close its thirty-eighth annual convention tonight with a great general session, at which topics relating to various phases of philanthropy will be discussed by men and women of national wide reputation. The general session

ing among the delegates to the conference

is that the various social and economic problems of the country have been brought measurably nearer solution through the deliberations of the gathering about to close.

At University of Illinois.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Champaign, Ill., June 14.—President Edmund D. James was the principal speaker today at the fortieth annual commencement of the university of Illinois.

LIVELY APPOINTED ON CHARTER COMMISSION

Mayor Simon yesterday afternoon appointed D. O. Lively to a place on the new charter commission to act instead of W. F. Olds, who was unable to accept the appointment on account of the pressure of personal business. The commission will meet at the city hall tomorrow afternoon at three o'clock.

Journal Want Ads bring results.

Every piece without reserve, on sale at 1/4 Off

Manicuring and Haldressing Parlors, 2d Floor—Ice Cream Parlors in the Basement
Delightful Luncheon Served in Tea Room, 4th Floor—25c Dairy Lunch in Basement

A Great Sale of Dainty Wash Laces

Regular 35c Values Special at 9c a Yard

Wash fabrics call for Wash Laces, and these warm days remind us that the cool, dainty dresses and waists all trimmed with laces will be in great demand. Therefore, for tomorrow, we offer Wash 9c Laces in every wanted pattern, 2 to 4 1/2-inch, 35c yard, at only 9c

A Sale of Real Cluny Laces

Our Entire Stock at One Fourth Off

Our lace stock is more complete, more extensive, than ever before. In our Cluny lines there is every evidence of our buyers' expert knowledge of quality and excellent taste in selecting patterns. Our entire stock of Real Cluny Laces in a vast assortment of styles and patterns. Festoons, bands, galloons, medallions, edges and insertions. 1/4 Off

The Greater Olds, Wortman & King Store

Shoe-Shining Parlors Located in Basement
Our Rental Department is on the Third Floor
Picture-Framing a Specialty — Fourth Floor

Window and Door Screens — Refrigerators
"Vudor" Porch Shades and Hammocks
Tents—Camping Outfits—Fishing Tackle

Our Annual "June White Days" Sale

Women's 50c Vests at 21c Sale "Clover Leaf" Butter 50c Hose, 3 Pairs for \$1.00

Reg. 33c Gauze Vests 27c Two Pound Square 50c \$1.25 Silk Hosiery for 95c

2000 women's Merode Vests with long or short sleeves, low or high necks. A complete line of sizes in 21c

Women's Swiss Rib'd Gauze Vests, styled with neck, no sleeves; plain or trimmed. Our regular 33c sell—27c

Tomorrow in our Pure Food Grocery Store, 4th floor, we will sell Our Own "Clover Leaf" Butter, put up expressly for Olds, Wortman & King—made from pure pasteurized cream from the milk of cows that graze on the green coast pastures—2-pound square, special at 50c

Women's fine lisle thread or cotton Hose, black or tan; double tops and high spliced heels and toes; 50c value, 3 pairs \$1.00

A splendid line of Women's fine sheer silk Hose with lisle tops and soles; splendid \$1.25 values—lay in a 95c supply tomorrow, pr. 95c



Wash Goods Specials In the "Aisle of Cottons"

30c Imported Zephyrs 20c

A splendid showing of those very popular flaked plaid effects in Imported Zephyrs for Summer dresses 30c val. 20c

30c Tissues at 20c Yard Printed Flaxons at 17c

The word "bargain" has a meaning in the aisle of cotton. This sale is proving a greater success than any in years past. Tomorrow the aisle will be made more attractive by the addition of many new lines, for instance: Imported flaked tissues in rich plaid combination effects; our regu- 20c lar 30c sellers, special for this sale

65c Marquissettes at 38c 12 1/2c Gingham 9c Yard

Women of refined taste will appreciate this offering of dainty printed Marquissettes, the choicest and most wanted fabrics of the season. It's a fine, sheer cloth, which makes up very effectively, has a graceful swing and pleasing appearance. A 38c regular 65c fabric, special at, yard 38c

Reg. 20c Batiste Argenton 12 1/2c

An ideal Summer fabric, white or colored ground, in the most pleasing patterns; dots, stripes, etc.; 20c val. 12 1/2c

Scotch Cheviots In 45c Values at 23c

Scotch Cheviots are in great demand this season. Woven Madras and Zephyrs are also popular. In the "Aisle of Cottons" we have grouped a big lot of our best patterns, which sell regularly 45c a yard. Priced special 23c

Madras Waistings 20c Values for 10c

No woman should be without a Madras Waist for everyday or outing wear, and for house dresses madras has no equal. It will launder perfectly. Here's an offering of splendid patterns, reg. 20c values, special at only 10c

Sale White Goods 20c Grades for 10c

10,000 yards of White Goods, such as dotted Swisses, fancy plaid and striped Lawns, etc. Suitable for white dresses, waists, aprons, children's wear, etc. Our regular 15c and 20c values. Special 10c during this sale at, a yard 10c

Sale Old Bleached Linens 60c to \$1.25

Old Bleached Dress Linens for suits, skirts, dresses, etc., the most serviceable of all Summer fabrics. Priced 60c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25 yard. Ripplette, the popular new "rough-dry" fabric—requires no ironing. Special, the yard 15c

\$35 Dresses at \$13.95

Positively Thursday Only

Every one of these beautiful yet practical dresses is ready for immediate wear—Every one contains its own beauty of design and individual style—The materials employed are figured and bordered foulards, pongees, taffetas and messalines in all the popular colors and pleasing patterns—Without question the best made, the most stylish lot of dresses you ever had the opportunity to choose from—They were selected from our regular stock values to \$35.00 each—Positively for tomorrow's sale only \$13.95



A Carload of Standard Sewing Machines

Sold on the Easy \$11 to \$55 Payment Club Plan

Another carload of "Standards" just received, in time to do your Summer sewing. And among them is a good supply of the latest improved

HYGIENIC STANDARD "CENTRAL NEEDLE" SEWING MACHINE

The demand on the factory for this wonderful machine has been so great that they were unable to fill orders promptly. It's a revelation to the sewing world. Don't fail to see it. We also have complete lines of all other styles in the Standard Rotary Shuttle Machines, from \$22.50 to \$55.00.

Hand Machines for Tourists \$11.00 to \$20.00

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