CONSUMERS' LEAGUE BACKS DR. WILEY; BELLBOY ON PORTLAND WOMEN WILL NOT BE SCARED

Attempt to Throttle Official in Fight on Adulterated Food, Condemned.

The Consumers' league of Portland has taken up the cudgels in behalf of Dr. Wiley, food expert at Washington, whose scalp is said to be desired by Secretary of Agriculture Wilson.

The league, whose membership is made up from the most prominent and public spirited women in Portland, among them being Mrs. A. E. Rockey, Mrs. Helen Ladd Corbett, Mrs. W. B. Ayer, and Mrs. Henry Russell Talbott, has adopted resolutions condemning what is termed the persecution of Dr. Wiley, and it is ready, if necessary, to send a representative to Washington to testify as to the value of Dr. Wiley's work in protecting the people of Oregon and the west against manufacturers of adulterated foods. The league has adopted as its own a statement made by Alice Lakey, chairman of the pure food committee, National Consumers' lesgue, which in part reads: "Can't Be Scared."

"The present controversy between Dr. Wiley and the secretary of agriculture is not merely a difference between two officials of this government. It is far more than that.

"Behind Dr. Wiley and his loyal co-workers stand nearly 90,000,000 con-sumers, who have found in him an official faithful to their interests and one who can neither be 'bought' nor 'scared.' "If Dr. Wiley were allowed to enforce food law as it was intended it should be enforced when first it was enacted not alone the consumer but the mest manufacturer of foods and drugs would be protected. The consumer protected from the evils of poisoned, adulterated, misbraded and harmful foods, drugs, liquors and medicines; the honest manufacturer would etition in business.

mous forces of commercial greed. the Denver convention in 1908 the association state and national ed and dairy departments, Secretary Wilson forced the association to vote in favor of sodium benzoate, thereby

aking it reverse its vote against the drug of the year previous. Aids Special Interests.

referee board was created the influence of Secretary Wilson. He has recently stated, 'I want you to understand that the referee board was organized and put into action for the purpose of conserving the in-terests of the manufacturer. He might have gone a step further and said it was created for the purpose of helping a few 'special interests' to evade the law. "The referee board decided against the use of saccharin in foods but here we have another illustration of how fertile in resources Secretary Wilson is when a 'business' is interfered with.

saccharin manufacturers and others, it is stated, appealed to the had been already issued.

'It was promptly rescinded and permission was given to these men to continue in the use of a drug which is injurious to health for another six Have we any certainty that this permission will not be extended in- retary Wilson. definitely (if Secretary Wilson is still

LAT OUTON DUMOUTO O

BRING FREE RIDES

to Be Rearrested at

Centralia.

(Special to The Journal.)
Centralia, Wash., Aug. 21.—W. J.
Murray, chief detective of the Great

Northern railway, was in Centralia

yesterday conferring with Sheriff Urquhart in regard to rearresting R. R.

Boyer, the short change artist and hat

check swindler, who was convicted some

time ago for short changing the ticket

agent at the local depot, and whose

month. Before short changing the local agent Boyer is believed to have worked

a similar trick in Tacoma, and later on

Great Northern train, and it is for the

latter alleged offense and for using counterfeit hat checks that Murray

wishes to rearrest him. When first ar

rested in Portland Boyer had a set of

punches in his possession with which to

make hat checks. The conductors were

finding hat checks for which they could

not account, and the arrest of Boyer

partially solved the mystery, but it is

believed that the man has imitators.

It was decided to arrest Boyer the min-

IS HOLD-UP VICTIM

ute his sentence expires and take him

Kittanning, Pa., Aug. 21.—While C. C. McGregor, a lightning rod dealer of

India, Pa., was driving from Alcola to Clarion Saturday, he offered a woman "a ride." A few minutes later

the muzzle of a revolver. The "woman"

turned out to be a man, dressed in wo-

man's clothing, who relieved McGregor

SNOW-CAPPED PEAKS

For the first time in five

peaks of the Cascade mountains

are plainly visible. Last Sat-

urday's heavy rain cleared the

atmosphere from all the dust and

smoke. Mount Hood, Mount St.

Helens, Mount Adams and even

Mount Rainier, 105 miles away,

of the year as the smoke and

dust are as a rule very thick."

to Tacoma to stand trial.

of \$68 in cash

MAJESTIC VIEW OF

WOULD-BE GALLANT

will expire the first of the

Alleged Swindler of Railroads Stockton Capitalist Is Killed:



Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, Chief of the Bureau of Chemistry.

food and drugs act became operative. In that time no rulings have been made the labeling of malt liquors. 'A hearing has at last been set at Washington. Meantime it is announced that Secretary Wilson is the honorary presbrewers to be held in Chicago next October.

"The consumer recalls that one firm of manufacturers was able to secure permission to label their product 'corn syrup' when it is not a syrup but is glucose. One recalls that the law has be protected from unfair and unjust never been enforced as to the labeling

of polished rice. "Behind Secretary Wilson and the "It was supposed that men who do his bidding stand the enor-law was passed to 'It was supposed that the pure food protect the consumer from the evils of adulterated foods, drugs, etc. Judging from concessions granted to certain manufacturers it would appear that the law was enacted for them, as has been claimed by the attorney for a certain 'whiskey' firm.

Where Dr. Wiley Stands. "Dr Wiley stands for the consumer

and the honest manufacturer. "Secretary Wilson stands for the 'special interests.

"Which man is of the most importance to the American people? Will the public voice its approval of Dr. Wiley's splendid work for the consumer by sending telegrams to President Taft and letters protesting against the removal Wiley from office?

"Incidentally a suggestion that the resignation of Secretary Wilson would be 'good for the service' might hasten the dawn of a better day for the con-

"The public is tired of seeing the pure food law betrayed into the hands secretary against the decision which of its enemies and made a sham and a humbug. "Give the consumer the protection

that the law provided for him before weakened and emasculated through the concessions granted to the 'special interests' by the help of Sec-

"Give the consumer the protection office)? that the rigid enforcement of the law "Six years have elapsed since the as planned by Dr. Wiley will afford."

All the Others Are

Injured.

(United Press Lessed Wire.)

steering gear to respond properly while

turning out on a hillside road to allow

a buggy to pass caused F. H. Martin,

Stockton capitalist, to take a party

of six over the embankment to a creel

20 feet below, causing death to him-

self and injury to five others. Mar-

tin's daughters, June and Lois are to

day suffering from cuts and bruises; H.

R. Wiley, an instructor at the Univer-

sity of California, has a broken arm,

and Mrs. Wiley sustained body injuries.

Beeth Wiley, daughter of Professor

5300 WITH NEW LIST

(Salem Bureau of The Journal.) Salem, Or., Aug. 21.—Although

the number of automobiles in

Oregon was estimated at 5000,

the registration number today is 5300 with new applications in

every mail. There have been 1098 chauffeurs' licenses issued

Noted Texan Dies.

San Diego, Cal., Aug. 21.—Henry Schley Ervay, reconstruction mayor of

COMING IN EACH MAIL

Wiley, received a broken arm.

AUTO LICENSES REACH

Berkeley, Cal., Aug. 21 .- Failure of his

18-Year-Old Lad Charged With Millionaire's Murder on Verge of Collapse.

(United Press Leased Wire.) New York, Aug. 21.—Paul Geldel, the 18 year old bellboy who is charged with having murdered William Henry Jackson, an aged Wall street millionaire, was placed on trial today. His attorneys being unable to bolster up his nerve, the against a blade as it is moved baboy was almost dragged into the court- and forth along any smooth surface.

room on the verge of collapse, two sturdy guards supporting him. Geidel's mother was not permitted in the cham-ber. His sister also was barred. When the case was called the attorneys for the defense, who it is understood are being paid by a Hartford, Conn., millionaire, who has indicated his willingness to supply more than \$56,000 if necessary, moved for an adjournment on the ground that important witnesse were absent. The motion was denied, and the cases ordered to proceed.

Geidel's attorneys offered to enter a plea of guilty of second degree murder, which is punishable by life imprisonment, but District Attorney Whitman fused to agree to this. Geidel wept copiously throughout today's proceedings.

To Sharpen Safety Razors. A new automatic strop for safety razor blades looks like a miniature lawn mower, a spiral leather being pressed against a blade as it is moved back

That there is a "hoodoo" of some nature hovering over her while she is in Portland is the opinion of Miss Tiny ist with the Broadwick family at the Oaks. Sunday afternoon Miss Broadwick essayed a triple parachute drop at the big amusement park, but a sudden wind squall drove her big balloon shot and shell that the Japanese poured shot and shell that the Japanese poured shot and shell that the Japanese poured shot of the move, which attorneys de-Oaks. Sunday afternoon Miss Broadagainst the trees. Ten minutes later he ascended in an emergency balloon, which had been held in readiness; but the air currents were too severe for her to attempt more than a single parachute drop.

Sunday evening, in spite of the stiff m. from Washington street dock. Fare breeze that was sweeping over the river, \$1 each way. Music, dancing.

Jack Broadwick made an ascension, set-ting off fireworks while in midair. Oth-er night ascensions will be made on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday of this week at 9:80, and Saturday afternoon Miss Tiny Broadwick will again essay a triple drop from the clouds.

Just before the balloon ascension last night Russian citizens of Portland pre-

sented a gigantic floral harp to Band master Phillip Pelz, leader of the Rus sian band playing at the Oaks. This token of esteem from his countrymer was presented to Pelz as a tribute to his services for the czar in the Russo in upon the Russians in the closing battles of the war.

Astoria Centennial. Fast steamer Monarch daily at 7 a

Pittsburg, Aug. 21.—Negotiations are ander way today, according to Pittsburg steel men, to merge the Republican Iron & Steel company, the Bethlehem Steel company and the Lackawanna into back of the move, which attorneys de-clare will not be prohibited under the supreme court interpretation of the Sherman law. The new consolidation will compete with the big steel corpora-

Journal Want Ads bring results.

New Fall Butterick Patterns and Fashion Books—Special Offer: Delineator, 2 Years for \$1.50 Amsterdam's Orchestra Plays Daily 11:30 to 2 in 7th Floor Restaurant - 25c Lunch in Basement

45c Linen Paper, 23c

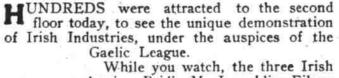
SOMERSBY LINEN STATIONERY-A splendid quality of paper that sells ordinarily at 45c. Box of 50 sheets of paper and 50 envelopes to match. Specially 23c, priced for Tuesday's selling only, box 23c,



\$5EyeGlasses\$2.98

F YOUR eyes feel strained and in need of Glasses, don't put it off. Tomorrow we offer regular \$5.00 Eye Glasses-"Perfection" stay-tight, finger-piece mountings, \$2.98 best individually ground lenses, at \$2.98

Gaelic League's Exhibit Irish Industries



lassies, Bridie MacLoughlin, Eileen Noone and Brigit O'Quinn, are demonstrating the making of Irish Lace, Neckwear, Embroidery, Rugs, etc. Their execution of the exquisite patterns and marvelous handiwork was the wonder of all.

To the left is shown Miss Eileen Noone, wearing the elegant Irish hand-made Lace Robe, valued at

Visit the Exhibit tomorrow!

Our Stock of Irish Neckwear, Lace at Fourth Less In connection with this Exhibit of

Irish Industries, we offer our entire stocks of genuine hand-made Irish Crochet Neckwear and Laces at precisely 1/4 less the regular, everyday

Irish Neckwear, \$2 to \$30 at 1/4 Less Irish Laces, from 75c to \$8, 1/4 Less

HERE'S news that is bound to bring women hurrying to the Silk Store tomorrow!

Best \$1 grades of Fancy Silks, including Taffetas,

Messalines, Brocades and striped effects in the de-

green, wistaria, lavender, red, etc., for DYC

sirable Fall shades of navy, brown,

waists and dresses. Tomorrow, yard

\$2.48--Cleanup on \$3 \$4-\$7WashFrocks

JUST the pretty little Frocks that you'd want for morning and wear-about-the-house all the year

Lawns, Ginghams, Swisses, Washable Foulards, etc., made with high or Dutch necks, long or \$2.48 women's. \$4, \$5 and up to \$7, tomorrow

White Tub Skirts A final clearing-out of all

White Duck and Rep Skirts, made in plain gored or cluster-plaited effects-all extra and regular sizes. Regularly \$1.50 to \$2.25 at 89c; regularly \$2.50 to \$1.48 \$25 to \$35, \$14.65 \$5, now at only \$1.48

\$1Fancy Silks. Fall Shades. 69c

Cleanup of All To \$35 Summer Suits at \$14.65 A final grouping of Tail-

ored Suits for misses and women, gray and tan mixed Tweeds, Worsteds, Black Satins, etc. Plain tailored and fancy models. Formerly



Photo Contest

entries for this first Meier & Frank Amateur Photo Contest, when the store opened this morning.

Contest will be held from September 4 to 16, inclusive; open to the states of Oregon, Washington, Idaho and Montana. Entries received at the Executive Office, Sixth Floor. Grand Prine-\$75 cash for the best set

Second Prize-340 cash for the best Third Prize-\$250 cash for the second best single picture.

And 14 Class Prizes \$10.00 Each in Photographic

Best Landscape-\$10 order. Best Auto Picture-\$10 order, Best Still Life-\$10 order,

views, not over two.)

Sewing Machine Needles

-All makes. In dozen lots,

Sewing Machine Thread-

ers-Save the eyesight. Spe-

special 20¢

Best Portrait—\$10 order. Best Animal Picture—\$10 order.

Best Picture Showing Motion-\$10 order Best Picture Telling a Story-\$10 order. Best Marine or Seashore-\$10 order.

Best Picture of Flowers-\$10 order. Best Humorous Picture-\$10 order. Best Freak Picture-\$10 order. Best Set of 6 Postcards, showing scenes

of the Meter & Frank Store (exterior

Merchandise

Best Hunting or Fishing-\$10 order. Best Picture of Baby-\$10 order.

The Big Handbag Purchase--



brought eager throngs today, and the astonishing savings were the wonder of all who came! Around 1600 smart fabric and leather Handbags in every wanted style and shape, at a third to a half below the prices they were made to sell for. Again tomorrow

The smart cordeliere styles, of satins, moires,

suedes. Also regular shapes in all leathers. Handsome-9 for Bags worth \$5 to \$7.50. Genuine seals, goat seals, walrus ly mounted, lined and fitted with separate coin purse. all the new shapes. Also rich Louis

\$2.50 Crepe Meteors-Rich, shimmering silken fabric, for afternoon and evening gowns. Helen pink, old rose, King's blue, navy, brown, Alice, cream and black. Full 40-inch, \$1.69 tomorrow, only, yard

lb. 103/4¢

ORDER BY MAIL

New Silk Waist Patterns-An innovation! Silk Marquisette Waist Patterns, printed in three beautiful designs. Can be made up in a few minutes. For tomorrow's selling are priced \$2.50 at \$4.50, \$4.00 and

MEIER @ FRANK'S--FIRST FLOOR



for Bags worth \$3 to \$4.

XVII and cordeliere styles with extra long handles. 50c to 75c Belts priced again tomorrow at only 23¢

Fresh Eggs, Dz. 27c PURE FOOD GROCERY-BASEMENT

GUARANTEED Fresh Oregon Ranch Eggs at a price we don't believe is equaled in the city! For tomor-27c row's selling extra special, dozen 27c Royal Baking Powder-lb. 39c; 1/2-lb. 21¢ Log Cabin Syrup-gal. \$1.15; 1/2-gal. 60c; qt. at only 32¢ Little California Picnic Hams-Sugar cured,

Lowney's or Huyler's Cocoa-1/2-lb. 22¢ Hams-Delicious East'n sug. cured, lb 19¢ English Style Bacon-"Sweet as a nut." Special, lb. 17¢ 60c India-Ceylon Tea-Special, lb. 376

Tetley's Sunflower Tea-lb. cans, 57¢ Tetley's Green Label Tea-lb. cans 53¢

Every Home Needs a Willamette Club Plan---\$2 Now, \$1 a Week

later a resident of Colorado Springs, and head of many mining companies, died here today after an iliness of five Your Liver

IN THESE modern days every home needs a good, reliable Sewing Machine. Our famous "Willamette" combines the good points of nearly every other

WEEK-no interest whatever.

On our Club Plan you'll have a "Willamette" Sewing Machine paid for before you know it! It matters not whether you select the \$20 model or our finest at \$45, PAY ONLY \$2 AND THE REST AT \$1 A

Willamette Rotary, Pictured, \$35

Exactly as pictured to the left. Handsome oak in Mission design, complete with full set of nick-el attachments. Willamette Rotary unequaled at \$35

Sewing Machine Oil-15c Sewing Machine Supbottles 12c; 10c bottles 7¢ plies, Oil Cans, Beltings, Titus , Family Darnersetc., in our Willamette No other on the market to Sewing Machine Store, equal them at this low price. Reg. 50c, tomorrow at 35c 4th floor.



E bought 300 of these solid oak Telephone Tables, with hairs to match, expressly for the August Sale!

Exactly as illustrated to the left, finished in golden, Early English, or fumed oak. Bought in the regular way we could not attempt to sell them for less than \$7. Extra special Tuesday only, set \$4.49.

Entire Stock of Library Tables at 1-3 Reduction

MAY BE HAD TODAY is Clogged up years in August the snowcapped d Sorts-Have No Appetite. CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS in a few days. They do

can be seen perfectly from any their duty. of the higher points around Port-"The mountains are plainly visible this morning with the exception of Mount Jefferson." said A. Duchamp, manager, of Council Crest, "and Jefferson will be when the clouds raise. This is very unusual at this time

McGregor found himself looking into Dallas, Texas, after the civil war, and

That's Why You're Tired Out of

SMALL PILL, SMALL DOSE, SMALL PRICE Genuine must bear Signature