Criticism of Referee Cleland Judge Lovett and Mrs. Lovett are now in the Coeur d'Alene country inspecting and Wakefield & Co. Basis the system's properties. Sawyer and Dana Sleeth.

Contempt of court proceedings were Pacific coast visit to Oregon. started yesterday in the circuit court against Councilman James Maguire, Edfor the paper. The complaint was filed to issue warrants for the arrest of the three men, citing them to appear and show cause why they should not be punished for contempt.

The complaint is the outgrowth criticism of the Wakefield company and week or more in and about Portland. former Judge John B. Cleland. The latter is sitting as referee in the case of the company against the city to recover MURDERER OF CHILD IS \$408,000 for building the Mt. Tabor res-

Councilman Maguire is taken to task for introducing and speaking in favor of a resolution before the city council, calling for the appointment of a committee to find out who is responsible for the appointment of Judge Cleland as

referee, The editor and special writer are comcompany and Referee Cleland, to Eugene. Each of the three defendants is accused

of intimidating the court. Attorneys Thomas Mannix, E. E. Coovert and the firm of Wilbur, Spencer & Dibble appear for the Wakefield company in the civil suit and the criminal contempt suit. The contempt action is brought in relation to the state, therefore must have the signature of District Attorney Cameron. That official had four inches tall, about 40 years of age, not signed the complaint at noon, but his signature was promised for this aft-

In the complaint against Councilman davit which sets forth that the Wake- painter. field case is on trial before Judge Cle Swigert recites that at a council meeting August 19 Councilman Maguire introduced a resolution, and in the course of his remarks upon its adoption accused the Wakefield company of wrongful methods in obtaining the ap-

pointment of Judge Cleland as referee. "This outfit (meaning the company) al Thursday from injuries received which is bringing this case against the about two weeks ago at the Willamette city is the rottenest aggregation of Pulp & Paper company's mill. Yoder grafters in the county," is one expres- was burned on the chest by a hot brass sion Swigert swears the councilman Accusing the company officers he was removed to the hospital, of being "a dirty ring," is another alleged statement objected to. "Wakefield 'this is not the first time by any means

Editor Sawyer is accused of using articles in the Daily News on July 12 urday afternoon at the Methodist taxes, he certainly overlooked women's know why he did not care to live and July 26. The articles are set forth church, Rev. T. B. Ford officiating. suffra, e," said Cathrine Countiss this longer, George W. Potts, aged 23 years, in the affidavit of Swigert, who dewith the intent to impede the progress SILVER TROPHY FOR of justice in the case. The articles, as well as the statements of Councilman Maguire, are further declared by the plaintiffs to intend to cast aspersions on the court and inflame public opinion against the plaintiff company.

Man Gorel by Bull; Scriously Injured William Scott a killer employed by the Union Meat company was gored and perhaps fatally injured this morning the Great Northern that L. W. Hill, chairman of the Great Northern executive board, is the Great Northern executive board, is the front of the bouse, the business and the Great Northern executive board, is the great Northern executive board, is the stage end, and DACC

WILL ARRIVE SUNDAY

Judge Robert S. Lovett, chairman e executive committee of the Harrinan system, will arrive in Portland next unday evening to remain in this par of the state possibly a whole week Judge Lovett and Mrs. Lovett are now

It is now more than a year since of Action Against Maguire, Judge Lovett was in Portland, his intended visit here last spring having been canceled on account of matters coming up in New York that required his personal attention when he was in San Francisco planning to extend his

Since his last visit here the Harriman system has begun work on several mond O. Sawyer, editor of the Daily important projects, particularly the east News, and Dana Sleeth, a special writer and west line from Vale into central Oregon and the electrification of lines in behalf of Robert Wakefield & Co. In western Oregon as well as the con-Judge Kayanaugh agreed this morning to struction of a line from Eugene to Coos take the matter up at 3 o'clock this aft- Bay. Judge Lovett will, in all probabilernoon, when he will determine whether ity, make an extended tour of the Willamette valley and western Oregon, although the only information received here so far is to the effect that he will arrive at the Union depot Sunday evening with the intention of spending a

UNCAUGHT; REWARD BIG

(Special to The Journal.)
Eugene, Or., Aug. 23.—Officers here
have reached nothing new today in the search for the murderer of Mildred Green. Citizens have raised practically \$1500 as a reward for his capture, which, together with \$1000 offered by the counplained against for articles appearing in ty court, makes a total of \$2500 offered the Daily News. These articles are al- here. The negroes arrested at Roseburg leged to have reflected upon the Wake- and Medford have not yet been brought

A man answering the description of the one sought for the murder of Mildled Green boarded a Broadway car yesterday morning. Patrolman Pender saw that discouraged the coroner's office his arrest in a spirit of revenge. him, but let him get away. The police last night were asked by the Eugene officials to look for a man about five feet with red face and light curly hair, who had been working in Eugene for the Oregon Electric company, and who declared he was coming to Portland to Maguire, C. F. Swigert makes an affi- cash his pay check. The man is a

PAPER MILL WORKMAN

Oregon City, Or., Aug. 23 .- Walter E Yoder died at the Oregon City hospitcylinder. Blood poisoning set in and

Deceased is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Yoder of Oregon City; notorious for just such schemes," and four sisters, Mrs. J. Morris of Rock this is not the first time by any means Island, Ill.; Mrs. C. F. Antonsen of that he has been connected with such a Portland; Mrs. E. J. McNeel, of Port-proposition" are other statements cred-land; four brothers, Levi D. Yoder, of ited to the councilman. Each statement British Columbia; Fred and Robert and insinuation is declared false by Yoder of Oregon City, and Harold Yoder of Spokane, Wash.

The funeral services will be held Sat-

COMMUNITY EXHIBIT

F. W. Graham, industrial and immi- and women. west Land Products show, that he has Countiss, and I am perfectly sure in Maud, Stevens by a huge bull which he was about to immensely interested in making the ness end as well as the stage end, and passenger AGENTS slaughter, when the animal swung on him and one of its horns struck the man that he will offer a \$50 silver trophy knowledge I have qualified to voice an interested in manual in in the head. He was rushed to St. for the best community exhibit of agri-vincent's hospital in the Red Cross am-cultural and horticultural products. In that concern me. So it is with all bulance where he is unconscious and addition to this trophy, Mr. Hill will women. It is their right to say what where it is feared he may not survive, give 100 first and second prize ritbons laws shall govern them and who shall Scott lives at Kenton and has a family, for individual awards at the show.

IT'S JUST LIKE GIVING THEM AWAY

Entire Stock of Pianos and Player Pianos, the Famous Knabe and Lindeman and Schubert and Howard and Starck and Haines Bros. and Others-Baby Grands and All Must Be Sold.

No Time to Lose Now in the Reed-French Piano Company's Quitting-Business Sale—Lease Expires Just a Week From Tomorrow-Positively the Lowest Prices Ever Seen in This or Any Other City—Terms Can Be Arranged—Drop in Today or This Evening.

No matter how much or how little design of these instruments is beyond you have been figuring on investing in description. Drop in and look in and a good plane or player plane, you'll find instead of paying the regular cash price in this Closing-Out Sale an instrument of \$550 you can take your choice at the just to your liking, and instead of being Closing-Out Cost prices of \$338, \$314 compelled to pay the regular and custo- and \$326, and pay by the month if you mary retail price, you can secure one at | choose just about the bare cost now.

We know these are strong statements, But profit is out of all question now. We're positively quitting the piano busi-We'll give \$1000 to charity if we do not close up shop and absolutely quit. Our lease expires August 21. Homes must be found for each and every piano still on hand in our big establishment.

That's why we've out and slashedyes, actually slaughtered prices, if you please, to the lowest point ever seen in this or any other city. Don't take our word for it. Come and see and judge for yourself.

JUST ABOUT A HALF LESS.

Examine and critically test the fine full size, latest styles, strictly brand new uprights-splendid tone and action -pianos, that have never sold for less than \$300. Compare them with pianos offered elsewhere for \$325 or \$350. These go now at Closing-Out Cost of \$168, \$172 and \$129.

Others a little plainer styles at \$118, \$112 and as low as \$96. For a little less than \$200 we are offering several strictly highest grade and magnificent uprights-the equal of which will cost \$400 and \$425 elsewhere. You have choice of mottled mahogany, English burl walnut, genuine quarter-sawed oak sale, and delivery right after sale closes, and other rare costly woods.

as art styles. We guarantee these can-not be purchased, even in the east, for 1906. Sixth and Burnside streets their combined weight is 31/2 pounds. less than \$650 cash. The tone and case (Commonwealth Building),

PLAYER PIANOS, TOO.

Everybody knows that Player Planos and as high as \$1000 for the fanciest rests last night made several more deand most elaborate designs. In this tentions but all of the persons arrest-Closing-Out Sale we are offering the ed were to be held as witnesses for the very finest \$650, \$700 and \$800 Player grand jury. Planos-the very latest 88-note instruments, with all the newest improvements, for \$477, \$362 and \$330. The Chief Slover declares that the city is marked \$319 and some are marked as characters. Those arrested last night

PRICES IN PLAIN FIGURES.

that prices have never been as low on highest grade dependable planes as will 104% North Sixth street; Helen Myers be found in this bona fide Closing-Out Third and Flanders, and Gertrude Hall Sale. Remember, each and every instru- at Park and Burnside streets. ment is fully and unconditionally warranted. We guarantee the quality and we guarantee the price. You take no chances whatsoever. "Money Back" if places where they went to investigate not exactly as represented and satisfactory after delivery. Payments of \$15. \$20 or \$25 down, and at the rate of \$6, \$8 or \$10 a month can be arranged.

EVERYTHING MUST GO.

Store and office fixtures, typewriters, desks, safes, rugs, carpets, shelving, cases, oil paintings, everything is for Make us a bid. Open day and night un-Also several special uprights known til everything is disposed of. Reed-Both are well and hungry,

Letter, Governor Reopens Case of Grace Dow, Killed in Auto Accident.

A preliminary step by Governor West in his announced plan for a law en-forcement campaign is Portland is seen today in a communication addressed to Coroner Ben Norden, in which the governor asks Norden why no inquest was held on the body of Miss Grace C. Dow, who was killed in an automobile collision on the Base Line road on the morning of July 31.

Speaking in connection with his letter to the coroner, Governor West, in Portland today, intimated that he beleved an inquest should have been held, "Rumors regarding the case have come to my ears, and I simply want to know the facts," said the governor.

"I have not received Governor West's

communication relating to the Dow case," said Coroner Norden, "but when do I will answer it promptly and give all reasons why no inquest was held. At the time Miss Dow was killed I was in the hospital recovering from an operation, and for this reason an inquiry was made by my deputies. 'I told them to look into the case

said no criminality was involved in the girl's death and that it was accidental. In addition, members of the woman's let the affair drop." It has been commonly reported that

to bear from official and private sources upon the goroner's deputies who inves-It is believed that the governor has heard similar reports and is now seeking to ascertain whether the influences

not to hold an inquest were inspired. Miss Dow, who was 35 years old, was employed as a telephone operator at the Oregon hotel, a position she had held for six years. She was riding in an automobile driven by Karl V. Lively, of McCargar, Bates & Lively, insurance brokers. F. L. Simmons of the Simmons-Heppner company, druggists, accompanied them. The machine struck

near Russellville. Miss Dow was hurled from the machine, her skull was fractured and her DEAD FROM INJURIES neck broken. She was taken to the Portland sanatorium, where she died a short time after the accident. The party had been riding several hours and had enjoyed a midnight lunch at the Twelve Mile House prior to the col-

ASSERTS SUFFRAGIST

"When Mark Twain said 'there is eague luncheon at the Multnomah hotel,

at the luncheon which was attended by himself through the heart.

enforce those laws.

"Give the women credit for what the do and you will give them the right of franchise. Had Eve not nibbled at that apple in the Garden of Eden there would now be no market for all of your great Oregon apples.

"The question of woman suffrage is really a question of civilization. Become civilized and you will vote to give women the right to vote." J. N. Teal was one of the speakers of the afternoon

GAIN OF \$730,000 IS SHOWN FOR A WEEK IN BANK CLEARINGS

Bank clearings for the week ending at noon today show a gain of \$730,000, or 7.7 per cent over the clearings of the same week one year ago. The figures in detail are: 1911, \$9,452,-485.32; 1912, \$10,182,957.62. A gain of practically \$1,000,-000 was made last Saturday over 🌢 the clearings of the same date in

POLICE CONTINUE ACTIVE; MORE ARRESTS ARE MADE

Following the several raids that were made on the disorderly houses in the north end last Wednesday night and good ones—always bring \$550, \$650 ficers who were responsible for the aryesterday morning, the plain clothes of-

Just how far this order to clean up the city will go is not yet known, but \$525 Player Planes are now to be thoroughly renovated of all such were Mike Pulas at Fifth and Couch streets; Florence Mattson, Sixth and Again we say—and most emphatically North Sixth street; George Willis Fourth and Everett streets; Della Good

> Two of the plain clothes men who were making the rounds last night replaces where they went to investigate affairs and they consider this an indication that the various places about town are being "tipped off" of all approaching danger. This will be investigated and the leak will be stopped

Twins Mere Specks. (United Press Leused Wire.)
Monica, Cal., Aug. 28.—The mallest twins on record here are thriv-

(Salem Bureau of The Journal)
Salem, Or., Aug. 23,—At 11 o'clock oday, exactly 60 minutes before the hour set for the execution of H. E. Roberts, sentenced to be hanged at 12 o'clock for the murder of Donald Stewart, Governor West announced a reprieve until Friday, December 13. The governor said the reprieve was granted because the abolishment of capital pun-lahment is being submitted to a vote of

is people at the November election. Roberts is the fourth condemned murderer whose reprieve expires on the fateful day in December. These do not include the two Humphreys brothers, convicted of the Griffith murder, whose case is still in the courts.

Roberts, an ex-convict, endeavored to hold up an automobile party for the counts with Portland to purpose of robbery, He killed Stewart and collect items direct. outright and wounded one of the other ccupants.

BRIDEGROOM LAYS

R. S. Young, a bridegroom of two nonths, who formerly was in the automobile business at Medford, Or., was arrested last night by Detective Royle, on a warrant from Medford, charging him with fraud. He is alleged to have and hold an inquest if they believed it mortgaged a rented house to a loan necessary. They took it up with Deputy District Attorney Fitzgerald and he able dogs, and is charged with obtaining a talking machine and a motorcycle on false pretenses. Young has been in Portland a month, leaving Medford shortly family did not want an inquest, so we after his marriage to Miss Josie Talent, a prominent girl of that city. He is now being held pending the arrival of much indirect influence was brought officers from the southern Oregon city. The young man claims that he knows of nothing to cause the arrest, but lays tigated circumstances surrounding Miss it to practical jokers. - He stated that some time ago, when a friend got married, he was tied in a bear cage of a circus, and paraded through the town He now believes that the friend caused

GRAND JURY CONSIDERS BAKER ASSAULT CASE

The Adam Baker case was taken be fore the grand jury this morning, Oscar Carlin, Charles Christensen, Harry Leece and Robert Burns are held for Baker's a Japanese fruit wagon in the road death, which was caused by a beating the quartet gave him at second and Yamhill streets, three weeks ago. Detectives Hellyer and Howell were before the jury, relating how the four young men met and assaulted Baker. They also submitted the confessions of the arrested men.

Witnesses held by the police in raids made last night against disorderly houses were also taken before the jury. Charges in the municipal court against the men and women arrested are held in abeyance until the grand jury acts. The consideration of these cases is the only work the grand jury has done along

STRANGER COMMITS SUICIDE BY SHOOTING

Leaving a note paying a tribute to nothing certain in life but death and his mother and saying that she would afternoon at the College Equal Suffrage yesterday morning committed suicide in Miss Countiss was the first speaker 125 1/2 North Sixth street, by shooting about 150 persons, including leaders for was not discovered until late yesterday the cause of equal suffrage, both men afternoon when the landlady entered the room. Potts was not known to her, gration agent for the Great forthern "I have always felt that it is no more as he had not rented the room, but had railway, today notified G. E. A. Bond, than a matter of right that women gone there unseen to end his life. The secretary-manager of the Pucific North-should be allowed to vote," said Miss note was addressed to Mrs. J. D. Potts, county, Wash. received a letter from General Immi- my own mind that the time is coming young man had been employed as a laborer at one of Twohy Bros,' grading

TO BE ENTERTAINED

The Portland Transportation club will have charge of the entertainment of the 200 or more general passenger agents who will arrive in Portland, Monday, September 16, on their way home from the annual convention to be held in Seattle September 13 and 14. The party will arrive at 2:30 in the afternoon and will be met at the depot by a committee with automobiles and taken for a ride about the city. The committee will represent other civic and commercial organizations of the

After the auto ride the visitors city. will be guests at a dinner at the Portland Commercial club, Committees on reception, en entertainment and finance have been appointed by President Werlein of the Transportation club and are now at work mapping out a program

JAS. J. HILL SAYS:

"Are you able to save money? If not, drop out! You will lose. You may think not, but you will lose as sure & you live. The seed of success is not in you."

To safeguard your future -secure independence and make real headway in the world, save money! Make your salary, no matter how small, pay a dividend. The amount you save will help you to a higher level-to independence. We pay 4% interest on savings; \$1 opens an account. Start today.

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Seven Days' Interest, Together With Taxof 3 Per Cent, Will Be Charged.

Philadelphia, Pa., Aug. 23. - Every heck, draft and note dated Portland hereafter deposited with any Philadelphia trust company will be taxed 3 per cent of the face value plus seven days' in terest at 6 per cent "for collection." This levy must be made now to prevent vast losses through the rigid enforcement of a clearing house rule. To avoid charging and paying these costs the trust companies will open reciprocal accounts with Portland trust companies

count Portland checks and drafts 3 per HIS ARREST TO JOKERS cent. The proposition to charge seven his body. warded from Portland is not unreason-

able, as it takes about that length of time to get returns back to Philadelphia on Portland bank paper.

"There must be some mistake about that 3 per cent discount," declared Edward Cockingham, vice president of the Ladd & Tilton bank. "Such action by the Philadelphia trust companies would destroy all business between the banks of the two cities. Such a proposition is preposterous."

(Washington Bureau of The Journal.) Washington, D. C., Aug. 22,—Owing to be oposition of the house conferees, engtor Bourne's amendment for \$100,-1 000 for Crater Lake park was cut to \$50,000 and favorably reported.

Lineman Grasps Live Wire, Dies. Tacoma, Wash, Aug. 23.—Grasping live wire while working at the top of feeder line pole belonging to the Tacoms Local bankers ridicule the proposal Railway and Power company yesterday, of Philadelphia trust companies to dis. John Nelson, a lineman, was instantly electrocuted, 500 volts passing through

Journal Want Ads bring results.

AD CLUB'S BALL TEAN

If you want to succeed in baseball do not practice before the game or you will be too stiff to hit the ball or to

This sort of advice was delivered to the members of the realty board and Ad club baseball teams before they met in spirited conflict on the diamond at Multinoman field yesterday. Consequently most of the men who sell land and those who advertise it looked more like football players than baseball scientists, and the weird yet fascinating brand of ball that they put up for the benefit of eight spectators, including five young women, was carried with interspersions and aspersions through nine long innings, from 4:30 until 7 p. m .- yet the Ad men were beaten 5 to 4

German Editors in Session. (United Press Lessed Wire.) Clinton, Iowa, Aug. 23.—The German

American Press association of the west, which includes the German press of Illinois, Iows, Nebraska and the two Dakotas, began its annual convention here today with more than 100 editors in attendance.

Men's Fall Suits

You owe it to yourself to come in now and see these new Fall Suits we have just put on display. Here are handsomely tailored fabrics from both foreign and home looms

-styles to please anyone—the box back, the conservative, the English and the semi-English.

Never have we shown a more comprehensive collection of fine apparel for mennever a wider range of sizes and models. You'll be pleased, we know, with this mighty gathering of fabrics from the world's best looms.

On every suit you'll find that guaranty of integrity and honesty in style and workmanship, the Ben Selling label. All are modestly priced—

Take your choice of the few Summer Suits that are left at just half price. They're good ones, worth every cent of their original price.

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TAKE THE ELEVATOR

No other store in the city is showing such an immense variety of models and fabrics in Tailored Fall Suits and Coats for ladles and misses. We want every woman in Portland to see what the New York ladies' tailors have produced for us this season. You are cordially invited to come now and inspect this great showing of ladies' and misses' wear. Our collection of these garments is so large and varied you can easily make an early selection of your Fall Suit and Coat. Do not fail to come -you'll be delighted.

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