THE WEATHER
Rain tonight and Saturday; with southeasterly winds.

Oregon Daily Journal

SHE FLIES WITH HER OWN WINGS — THE UNION

TEMPERATURES TODAY

Boston, 8 a. m.	20	Portland, 8 a. m.	41
New York "	18	Seattle "	44
Charleston "	32	Boise "	38
Wash'ton "	20	San Fran. "	48
Chicago, 7 a. m.	26	Roseburg "	42
Kan. City "	32	Spokane "	34
St. Paul "	22	Marshfield "	48
Portland humidity, 5 a. m.			80

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ROCKEFELLER WILL GO BEFORE 'MONEY TRUST' COMMITTEE

Subpena Servers Have Been Hunting Him for Weeks but He Escaped Them; Archbold Agrees to Get Him to Testify

BROKERS ADMIT DEALS "OF GAMBLING NATURE"

Attempt to Justify Short Selling, "Wash Selling" and "Matched Sales."

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Washington, Dec. 13.—John D. Archbold, president of the Standard Oil company, came to the rescue today of the house "money trust" investigating committee and agreed to assist the committee's sergeant at arms to serve a subpena on William G. Rockefeller. For weeks servers have been trying to reach Rockefeller, but without success. Archbold agreed to confer with Rockefeller, and advise him of the committee's purpose and suggest that he either accept a subpena or give deposition.

The committee desires to question Rockefeller regarding his connection with financial interests and his alleged corner in 1907 of the copper market.

Frank K. Sturgis, of the brokerage firm of Strong, Sturgis & Co., a former president and a member of the board of governors of the New York stock exchange, today resumed his testimony. Sturgis explained "split" commissions and short selling. He said short selling was defensible, asserting it depended on circumstances. He admitted if a panic were raging short selling might increase it.

"It is a question," he said, "between a man and his conscience. Some approve of it; others do not., I approve of it in some circumstances.

Sturgis did not deny that the exchange could stop short sales if it wished, and admitted it was gambling pure and simple. He denied a large part of the daily transactions in Wall street constituted gambling, but refused to state the probable average proportions of real and speculative trading.

Rudolph Keppler, a governor of the New York stock exchange, was the next witness. The brokers present laughed when he admitted that "some part of the transactions are somewhat of a gambling nature."

Keppler tried to justify short sales, "wash selling" and "matched sales."

PROSECUTOR PLEADS GUILTY OF LARCENY; OFF TO REFORMATORY

District Attorney Pattison of Colfax, Wash., Falls Before Liquor and Cards.

(Special to The Journal.)

Colfax, Wash., Dec. 13.—Pleading guilty to the theft of $638, given to him as a private attorney to pay off indebtedness on the estate of Mrs. Henrietta Harper Knox, Prosecuting Attorney Paul Pattison of Whitman county, 35 years old, was this morning sentenced to an indeterminate sentence in the reformatory at Monroe. He started immediately without an attendant to begin serving sentence. He is the son of John Pattison of Spokane, Democratic state committeeman.

Liquor and gambling are blamed for the young man's downfall. He admitted having taken the money in question, converting it to his own use, then writing worthless checks to pay off the indebtedness of the estate. Sentence was passed by Judge Thomas Nield at Colfax this morning.

The complaint was filed by Pattison's deputy, E. L. Stottler, the charge being embezzlement in estate funds.

Pattison was serving his first term as prosecutor.

CONVICTS ELECT JOHN D. AND ANDY TO LEAGUE

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Phoenix, Ariz., Dec. 13.—Notification of their election as honorary members of the Mutual Improvement league of Florence is en route to John D. Rockefeller, Andrew Carnegie and Governor Hunt. The active membership is confined to inmates of the state prison.

Lantern Starts $1,000,000 Fire.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Bayonne, N. J., Dec. 13.—The knocking over of a lantern by a watchman, it was ascertained today, was responsible for the fire which last night damaged the big barrel factory of the Tidewater Oil company, a Standard Oil subsidiary, to the extent of $1,000,000.

WATCH FOR "THE NET" By Rex Beach

The newest, most daring and thrilling of all the stories by this author.

IN THE SUNDAY JOURNAL Magazine, beginning

NEXT SUNDAY

Four Men Hanged Today

Top to bottom—Frank Garrison, Mike Morgan, H. E. Roberts, and Noble Faulder.

WALLA WALLA PRISON WARDEN SAYS HANGING DEFEATS ITS PURPOSE

Many Jurors Free Murderers Purposely, He Says; Favors Restriction of Pardoning.

(Special to The Journal.)

Walla Walla, Wash., Dec. 13.—The anti-hanging law to be proposed in the coming session of the legislature will have an ally in Warden C. S. Reed of the state penitentiary, who has expressed himself as being decidedly against capital punishment.

"It does not do any good," says the warden, "and on the other hand, it is the cause of many criminals being set free. In states where capital punishment has been abolished, the number of murders has not been increased. It kills the man, it is true, but beyond this does no good. Many are against the abolishment of capital punishment because they believe murderers might soon be pardoned, and this is a good stand unless some preventive measure is included in the law; and I believe that some provision should be made whereby governors could not pardon murderers. After serving 20 or 30 years, it might be well in some cases to parole them if their record is good.

"But in many instances, men are put on juries and vote against conviction for murder because they know it means hanging and they do not really believe in hanging. Women are now serving on juries and this might add to this trouble, although I cannot say, of course."

CANDY TRUST MUST COME OUT OF ITS BOX

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 13.—Charging that the Philadelphia Jobbing Confectioners' association has conspired to coerce candy manufacturers from selling direct to retailers, consumers or jobbers except members of the association, Attorney General Wickersham filed today a civil suit here to dissolve the alleged "candy trust."

ALL 4 MEN WALK FIRMLY AND DIE UNFLINCHINGLY

No Scene Is Made by Any, Although Garrison Begins 10 Minute Speech, Which He Is Unable to Finish.

MAINTAINS TO THE LAST HE IS WHOLLY INNOCENT

Faulder and Garrison Are the First to Die; Then Come Roberts and Morgan.

The Men and Their Crimes.

Noble Faulder and Louis Gebhart were employed in a grading camp 30 miles north of Klamath Falls. Gebhart was cook. Faulder's dog was killed. Partly drunk, he thought Gebhart did it and shot him. He later shot himself, but recovered.

Frank Garrison and Roy Perkins were partners in chittim bark peeling in Coos county. At Sumner they quarreled about some clothing. Perkins started for Marshfield, nine miles away. Garrison followed. Perkins' body was found weighted in the bay. Garrison was twice convicted.

Mike Morgan was employed by John E. York, a transient grader doing work on Grants Pass, Or. streets. July 13, 1911, at night, he killed York, threw his body into Rogue river and made off with the outfit. They had quarreled.

H. E. Roberts was a highwayman. He held up an auto containing several young men and when the auto refused to stop shot after it and killed George Hastings and Donald Stewart.

(Salem Bureau of The Journal.)

Salem, Or., Dec. 13.—H. E. Roberts, Mike Morgan, Noble Faulder and Frank Garrison went to the scaffold with firm steps and faced death without flinching today. To the very last Garrison maintained he was innocent of the killing of Roy Perkins.

Faulder and Garrison were executed first. They were brought into the death chamber at 11:32 o'clock. The death traps were sprung at 11:39½ and Faulder was pronounced dead at 11:54 and Garrison just two minutes later by Drs. Byrd, Van Winkle and Keene.

The traps for Morgan and Roberts were sprung at 12:30, and at 12:45 Roberts was pronounced dead and Morgan just two minutes later. Father Moore accompanied Morgan to the scaffold, repeating a prayer, and the party ascended the steps.

Garrison was the first of the four to ascend the scaffold, followed closely by Faulder.

Close to 100 witnessed the ceremony. Governor Oswald West was not present.

The condemned men made no scene.

Noble Faulder and Frank Garrison mounted the stairs to the scaffold unaided by the guards who marched with them and took their places on the traps.

Garrison, a wild, uncultured woods-

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SAN FRANCISCO HOLDS 24 HOUR PROTEST TO PREVENT EXECUTIONS

Meetings Kept Up All Night While Crowds Block Streets to Hear Arguments.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, Dec. 13.—With the crowds increasing as the day progressed, San Francisco's 24-hour protest against the hangings today in Salem, Or., appeared to have been in vain, but the demonstration will continue until 6 o'clock this evening. The watchword of the crusaders is, "Thou Shalt Not Kill," and thousands of persons with views both for and against the denouncers of capital punishment are stopping to listen to the speakers.

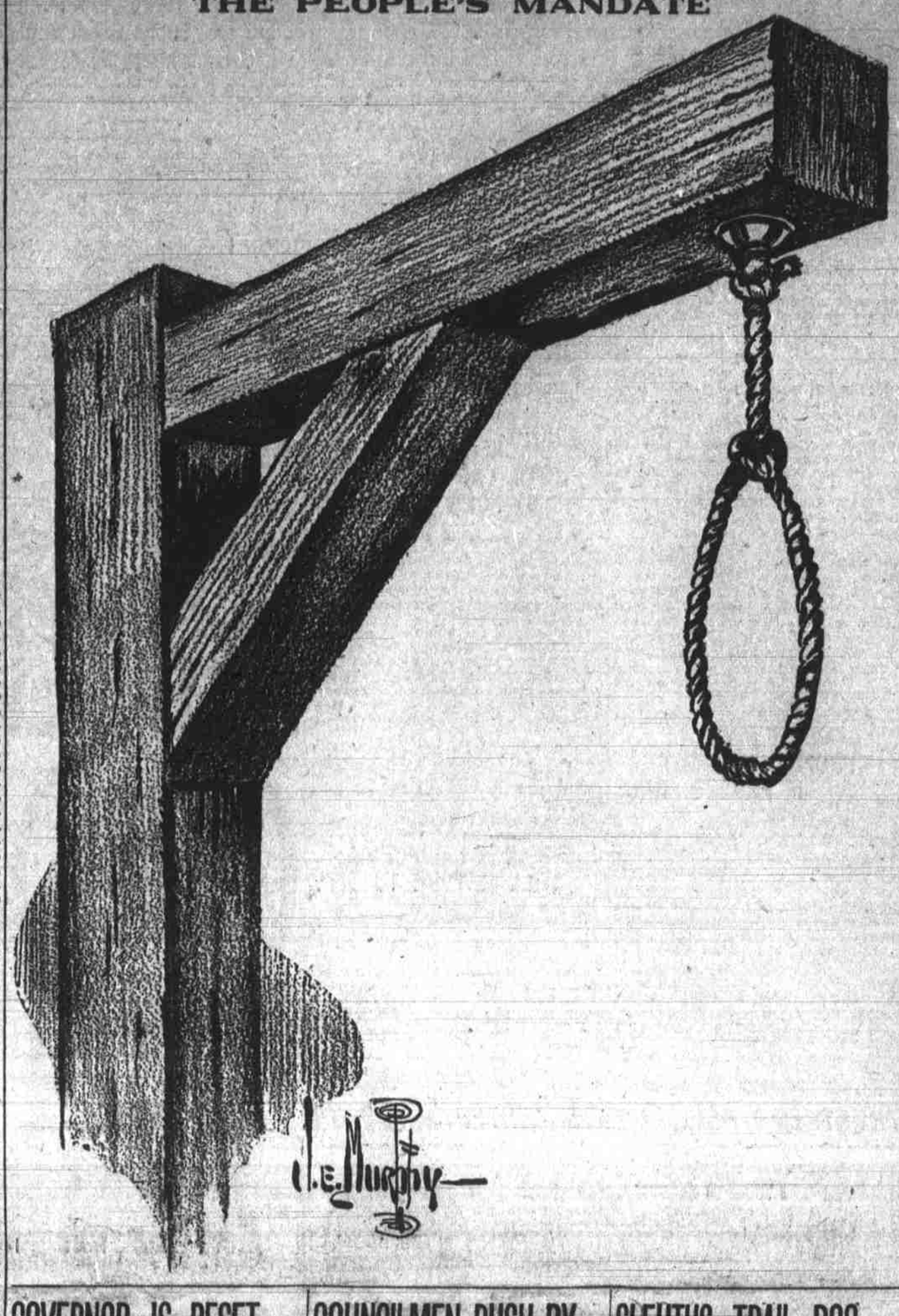
Throughout the entire cold, foggy night the denunciations continued. At 4 o'clock this morning the discomfort of both speakers and audience was so great that everyone was forced to move in a trot about the automobile which served as a forum to offset the cold. At that hour the audience numbered about 100 men and women, and it was a strange mixture of creeds and callings.

At first the audience was composed of a mixed crowd of workingmen, Christmas shoppers and tourists from the hotels, attracted by the unusual spectacle of ministers, rabbis, labor organizers, socialists, women politicians and women writers and reporters, following each other with speeches on the one theme—'Thou Shalt Not Kill.' Later the theater crowds tarried on their way to the cafes. As the morning hours began to pass, Barbary Coast contributed to the audience. Then the night workers stopped on their way home and listened to the preachments against capital punishment and descriptions of the horrors of the death chamber.

Anton De Haas presided as chairman, and remained all night on the job, introducing the speakers. The speeches will continue until 6 o'clock this evening.

The meeting was originally planned to protest against the hanging of Manuel Bombela at San Quentin, but when he was reprieved the speakers turned their attention to the Oregon hangings.

THE PEOPLE'S MANDATE



GOVERNOR IS BESET UNTIL LAST MOMENT BY FOES OF HANGING

With White Face He Stands Them Off; "I Am Obeying the People," He Says.

Salem, Or., Dec. 13.—While penitentiary officials were hanging the four murderers, Governor West was at the capitol, having it out with the friends and foes of capital punishment. The attorneys for Morgan did not give up hope of reprieve until the last moment.

"Every good movement to succeed," said the governor, his face as white as paper, "must have a yellow dog for its foes to kick. I'm that dog. Hanging is all wrong. It is a medieval, barbaric practice. But the people of this state last month voted against the abolition of capital punishment. In letting these men hang, I am obeying the mandate of the people. They asked for this. Well, out at the prison at this moment they are having a bloody feast."

"But, Mister Governor," cried an attorney, "Morgan did not commit this crime. He didn't get a fair trial. He never had a day in court or a chance to tell the story."

The governor rose wearily. "I believe you. I believe Morgan didn't kill York with premeditation. All the more reason why he should die today. If I reprieve him now I know—I tell you I

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PORTLAND TRAVELING MAN DIES STRANGELY IN HOTEL AT SPOKANE

(Special to The Journal.)

Spokane, Wash., Dec. 13.—Another mysterious death, which many are inclined to include in the list of poisoned whiskey tragedies, came to light here this morning when J. J. Fowler, a traveler for the Clarke-Woodward Drug company, Portland, was found dead in his room at the St. Nicholas hotel.

An autopsy probably will be held because of uncertainty as to the cause of death. Despite the theory advanced because of the poisoning of three women during last week, Coroner Schlegel thinks apoplexy caused death.

Mrs. Frank Javies, who it was said was the fourth woman victom of poisoned liquor this week, is slightly improved at the Sacred Heart hospital. Doctors have practically concluded she is suffering from morphine poisoning.

Incident to the deaths of Mrs. Ralph Scott, Mrs. William Rost and Mrs. Jessie Ross, the health department has ordered all whisky of a similar brand in the saloon analyzed.

COUNCILMEN RUSH BY DOOR GUARD TO AVOID TAKING UP FRANCHISE

Attempt of President Baker to Force Consideration of Heilig-Dickinson Grant Fails.

Assistance of the police force had to be invoked by President Baker of the city council yesterday afternoon to prevent the members from leaving the council chambers when the Heilig-Dickinson application for a street car franchise came up for consideration.

Representatives of the Heilig-Dickinson company has been waiting on the council at several previous sessions and they were promised yesterday that their franchise would be given attention just as soon as the council finished with the reading of the Portland Railway, Light & Power company's franchise.

But no sooner had the council voted to send the latter franchise to the executive board for valuation, after a long afternoon of debate, than a motion was made to adjourn. Councilman Baker and other friends of the Heilig-Dickinson ordinance defeated this motion and the clerk was ordered to read the franchise section by section.

Monks Pushes By.

The clerk started to read, but another motion to adjourn interrupted him. This also was defeated. Mayor Rushlight then abdicated the chair in favor of Councilman Baker. Councilman Burgard at this juncture declared he had an important business engagement and would have to leave. He was excused and there was a general rush of councilmen to get out of the council chamber. President Baker ordered a uniformed policeman to keep the councilmen inside. Councilman Monks refused to stop, however. He brushed the guardian of the portal aside and strode through the doorway.

This act of Councilman Monks aroused the wrath of Councilman Maguire, who

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CITY WORKS INCREASE 400 PER CENT IN YEAR

Statistics compiled by City Treasurer Adams today make the enormous growth of the city during the past 18 months stand out in bold relief. The figures show that the amount of street and sewer assessments on which annual installments must be collected by the treasurer has increased since July 1, 1911, more than 400 per cent. Mr. Adams was sworn in as city treasurer on the first of July, in 1911. At that time collections were being made on improvements totalling $2,494,509. Today installments on $13,153,233 of street and sewer improvement bonds are being collected.

SLEUTHS TRAIL DOG TO FRONT PORCH AND FIND ROBBERS WITHIN

Young Thieves Arrested Within Hour After Butcher Shop Was Entered.

Within an hour after John Campbell and Fred Mellbrandt had robbed the butcher shop of Adam Freber, 495 Failing street, at midnight last night, the two burglars were behind cells in the city jail, part of the stolen goods were recovered, and the case was on the road to the grand jury.

A large black dog owned by Campbell gave his master away. Patrolmen Willett and Nutter locating the two men by reason of the animal.

Several hams, sides of bacon, Bologna sausage, veal cutlets and a pair of shoes were found in the room of the two men, which is at 750 East Eighth street North. The shoes were taken from the shop of John Harding, 493 Failing sreet, which is next door to the meat shop of Freber.

The burglary was committed shortly after midnight, a driver for a creamery company seeing the two men and dog in front of the shop. He reported this to the two patrolmen. They began a search of the neighborhood for a dog answering this description.

They found it on the front porch at 750 East Eighth street. Campbell and Mellbrandt were inside in bed.

They admitted taking the meat and shoes, explaining that some of the shoes were taken to another place, but the officers were unable to find them. Burglary is the charge against the two men. Campbell is 18 years old, while Mellbrandt is 24 years old.

MOTHER STARVES SELF TO DEATH IN AN EFFORT TO RESURRECT CHILD

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Calgary, Alberta, Dec. 13.—Wasting her strength for more than a month in the hope that her fast would bring back to life the babe that had perished two months after birth, Mrs. Henrietta Irvine, wife of a rancher, living 10 miles from Calgary, died December 8, and yesterday the stricken husband reported the affair to the coroner.

Since October 1 the babe has lain in the cottage, hidden by coverlets, dead. Nightly prayers have been spoken for the salvation and resurrection of the child. For weeks the mother, father and aunt of the child fasted in the hope that the babe would be returned to life. Eventually the mother died.

WILLAMETTE RIVER PROJECT IN SIGHT IF PEOPLE AGREE

Government Seeks Cooperation in Providing Six Foot Channel Between Portland and Eugene, Says McIndoe.

SYSTEM OF LOCKS WILL HELP SOLVE PROBLEMS

Attitude of Interests Helped by Work Must Be Favorable Before Aid Is Given.

By dividing the entire upper Willamette river into pools, a channel with minimum depth of six feet of water at all stages of the river, summer and winter, may be secured between Portland and Eugene. This was the statement made by Major F. J. McIndoe, United States engineer's corps, today.

"There is plenty of water in the river at all times of the year," explained Major McIndoe, "and all there remains to be done to open navigation for the entire distance to Eugene, is to properly direct the flow of this water by means of dams and locks."

Congress has asked for a report on the proposed project with a view of making an appropriation for the work, but its action will depend largely upon the extent of cooperation indicated by the valley interests.

Committee Is Named.

For the purpose of organizing the various interests in the valley a committee was appointed at a meeting in Salem to start a campaign among the commercial organizations of the valley for their support. The sooner these organizations get to work, the sooner will the government be in position to act. J. W. Morgan of Corvallis has been appointed chairman of the committee and it is understood that he will without delay make a canvass of the situation and urge immediate action on the part of the various bodies.

Major McIndoe has made estimates of the cost of the project, but these figures will not be announced for the present. Customarily in carrying projects of this kind, the government expects the local community to be benefited to provide dollar for dollar expended by the government, although exceptions are sometimes made to this rule, if found to be of more than local importance.

What Project Means.

That the opening of the upper Willamette to free and unobstructed navigation from Oregon City to Eugene would mean a tremendous impetus to traffic in the Willamette valley is conceded by all interests. It would provide additional facilities to the electric transportation facilities and relieve them of a great deal of traffic that could be hauled to better advantage and more cheaply than by rail, and thus increase the facilities for the handling of freight requiring rapid dispatch. In this

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FOR 3 SOUL KISSES KISS WALTZ ACTRESS BUYS FRESHIE'S CAP

Youngster at U. of O. Regrets He Is Not a Hydra-Headed First Year Man.

(Special to The Journal.)

University of Oregon, Eugene, Or., Dec. 13.—Three kisses was the price paid by an actress, a member of the Valeska Suratt "Kiss Waltz" company, which played in Eugene last night, for a freshman green cap. The freshman, one of the number earning its way through college, was employed as a stage hand at the theatre. On the back of his head was pasted his little green cap, which all freshmen are required to wear off the campus and on.

In fact, there were two freshmen, each with a green cap. The request for "one of those cute, little green caps" met a refusal on the part of the older of the two. But the younger smiled a smile so foolish that the alluring dancer was moved to further advance.

"I'll tell you what I'll do," she said, "I'll teach you the soul kiss for that lid."

The freshman held out for more, but at last agreed to the terms. Three long, "soulful," osculations completed the lesson. The freshman was heard to regret that he had not more caps.

The head-pieces cost 50 cents.

Game Protection

Hunting and fishing is one of Oregon's important resources. Its maintenance constitutes a big problem. The people who regard game protection as a legal question rather than an economic one are in error. Game cannot be made abundant by legislation. Police methods fall short of the mark. Intelligent propagation and protection of the bird and fish against factors other than hunters are essential.

These are a few of the pointed statements made by William L. Finley, state game warden, in the first of a series of articles that is to appear in THE SUNDAY JOURNAL magazine for December 22.