

HAD LOTS OF PRACTICE

AT THE FELINE CLUB

TRUE ART

WISE JUDGE

TO FIX IT RIGHT

DISCRIMINATIVE

'HE'S THE GUY'



Tall Actor—"I have a great many imitators."
Little Ham—"Yes, I heard that your system of skipping a board bill works fine."



Miss Hollowneck—"I met Jack Higgins in a dark hall last evening and he grabbed me and kissed me twice before he could get away."
Miss Tarte—"I wonder who he thought you were."



First Critic—"How did Daubo happen to take up painting?"
Friend—"He wanted to wear a flowing robe and needed an excuse for it."



Prisoner—"Judge, your honor, I'm a foreign nobleman."
Judge—"Then it would be useless to fine you; take thirty days."



The Repair Man—"That little lever seems to be jammed, but I can easily fix it so the machine will work freely."
The Proprietor—"But I don't want it to work freely. That's a nickel-in-the-slot machine."



First Surgeon—"What did you operate upon Jones for?"
Second Surgeon—"Nephritis, gastritis, an appendicitis."
First Surgeon—"And what did you find allied him?"



The One—"That man you just introduced doesn't look like a great literary genius. What's his special claim to distinction?"
The Other—"Why, he's the man who first put 'home' and 'alone' together in the popular song writers' rhyming dictionary."

Short Stories Tell Delayed News

Resume of the Events of Friday Afternoon and Night; Paragraphed for Quick Digestion by Journal Readers.

Eastern.
Seven correspondents, four for the husband and three for the wife, were named in the divorce suit and counter suit of Mrs. William Gould Brokaw and husband which came up Friday in the supreme court in Brooklyn on motion by Mrs. Brokaw's counsel for alimony and attorney's fees. The proceedings are the climax to five years of discord between husband and wife.
A new application of the recall will be attempted at the coming session of the Wisconsin legislature. Heretofore such a law has been proposed to apply only to elective officials, but a bill will be introduced which will apply the recall to all appointive offices, especially the railroad, industrial and tax commissions.

The United States court at Philadelphia has appointed Samuel P. Wetherill receiver for the Philadelphia & Gulf Steamship company, which operates a line of freight steamers between Philadelphia and New Orleans. The company was organized in 1908, with a capital of \$1,000,000.
Representative John G. McHenry of the Sixteenth Pennsylvania district died at his home in Benton, Pa., Friday. He had been in failing health for six months and did not seek reelection last November.

An Clara Lemay, aged 14, was entering the Cordis cotton mill at Millbury, Mass., she was shot and killed by Charles Adams, 15. The boy then shot himself, inflicting injuries from which he died later. The police say the shooting was due to jealousy. The mill employees were dispersed by a shooting that the management closed the plant for the day.

Mrs. Ella Montague was stabbed to death in Chicago Thursday night by her husband, Pasquale Montague, in the presence of their 19-year-old son. Mrs. Montague gave her husband a small Christmas remembrance and afterward served a beefsteak for supper. After scolding her for being extravagant, Montague drew a stiletto and killed her.

Judge Neelen in district court at Milwaukee Friday fined Martin Femak \$25 because he spat on a Bible.
Cipriano Castro, ex-President of Venezuela, said to be on board the steamer La Touraine, due at New York from Havre Sunday, will be detained at the Ellis Island immigration station until Secretary Nagel of the department of commerce and labor has passed on his admission to the United States.

Dr. Israel Abrams of London, reader in the studies of the University of Cambridge, told the Jewish Chautauqua society at Memphis Friday that he found the children of America woefully ignorant of the old world, and urged that the United States congress be petitioned to remove the tariff on English educational books that the children might have more opportunity of enlightenment.

Colonel Roosevelt, speaking Friday night on "Highways of the World" in the Symphony hall, Boston, addressed members of six national associations now holding conventions there. He is president of one of these societies, the American Historical association. He argued that the United States should welcome the entrance of its domain of every science, and that future historians should make use of material from every possible source to convey vivid and lifelike pictures of the past.

Fewer cattle by 281,258 have been recorded as the Chicago stockyards this year than in 1911, according to figures given out Friday night. Despite this fact, more money was paid for beef in 1912 than in 1911 by \$3,282,735. The total paid out this year was \$183,488,399. The increase in price is explained by the fact that the population in the United States has increased in the last 20 years 20 per cent, while the increase in cattle production has been only 8 per cent.

Three thousand snow pliers and truck drivers employed in removing snow and ice from the streets of New York city quit work Friday as a result of the rainfall. The men "simply couldn't stand the rain," according to reports received at the office of the street sweeper.
In a suit in Pittsburgh against Sidner Fleming by his wife for maintenance, "Auntie Morgan," aged 101 years and an aunt of Mrs. Fleming, testified that for months she had done knitting, mending and fine needlework to support her niece, who was not strong enough to work.

The final fight against the so-called "book trust" opened Friday in the supreme court, where a printed argument was filed for an injunction against the carrying into effect of agreements between publishers and book sellers, alleged to control the supply and sale of books.

Pacific Coast.
Coxswain William Weist of the gunboat Vicksburg's steam launch was drowned at Vallejo, Cal., Friday, when

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Contracts for Hard Surface at Kalama
Kalama, Wash., Dec. 23.—A contract has been let to the Warren Construction company of Portland for putting in a hard surface fill on River street from the north side of Elm street to the south side of Geranium street. Second street will also receive hard surface from the north side of Elm to the south side of Geranium. The macadam work on Elm street, which was begun on First and Elm some time ago will continue on the west line of Fourth street, and also on Fourth and Fallair from the south line of Elm to the south line of Clark street.

Journal Want Ads bring results.

HOOD RIVER JOBS HAVE CANDIDATES

City Attorney, Surveyor and Marshal Will Be Named Monday Night.

(Special to The Journal.)
Hood River, Ore., Dec. 23.—Candidates for city attorney, surveyor and marshal are announcing themselves in view of the fact that the council meeting to be held next Monday night will conclude the city's fiscal year and appointments will be made by the mayor for the ensuing year. Attorney A. P. Reed, of the law firm of Reed & Reed, is being groomed for city attorney while friends of City Attorney Derby are urging his reappointment. It is thought by the political seers that a dark horse will be nominated. John Cahner will accept the job of chief of police at the hands of the new council if tendered him, while friends of Chief Lewis are urging him to remain. P. M. Morse, city surveyor, is without a rival for the office at present.

Hood River Valley Snow-Covered.

(Special to The Journal.)
Hood River, Ore., Dec. 23.—With a northerly wind traveling yesterday, four inches of snow fell in the city and 10 inches fell in the upper section of the valley. The ground was slightly frozen and sleighs are in service in parts of the valley where the snow is of sufficient depth. The snow now falling on the highlands will remain till spring. The storms prevailing on the high mountains and in the higher altitudes has driven deer to the lowlands and

hunters say they are more plentiful than last year.

Big Dee Mill Shuts for Season.
Hood River, Ore., Dec. 23.—The large mill of the Oregon Lumber company at Dee, employing over 200 men, has closed down for the season on account of the snow fall in the mountains. Manager Charles T. Early says the mill has made one of the most profitable runs this season that it has made since it was built, as no shut-downs were necessary on account of lack of logs.

Irrigating District Is Opposed.

(Special to The Journal.)
The matter of organizing the farmers of the East side into a bonded irrigating district, is causing great interest among the fruit growers of this section. The East side apple growers are, largely, the owners of matured orchards and as many of them do not believe in irrigating the orchards, considerable opposition to the organization is being aroused. In bonding the district every acre that can be benefited by the water must stand its proportionate share of the assessment annually regardless of whether the water is used by the person whose property is assessed.

STATE'S SCALP BOUNTY FUND IS ALL USED UP

(Salem Bureau of The Journal.)
Salem, Ore., Dec. 23.—Secretary of State Olcott is sending out notices today to the county clerks of the state informing them that the amount appropriated by the last legislature to cover its one-half of the amount paid out during the last biennial period by the counties for bounties is not sufficient to meet the claims. He asks that they make early reports of the amounts paid out so the deficit for the state's share can be put up to the legislature. He also asks for a statement of all claims for support of non-resident poor, so these may be put up to the legislature.

NEW MEMBERS ELECTED TO STATE LEGISLATURE



H. von der Hellen of Wellen, state senator from Jackson county.

(Special to The Journal.)
Wellen, Ore., Dec. 23.—H. von der Hellen, Republican state senator from Jackson county, was born in Germany, and after completing his education, engaged in commerce as a member of a firm of shipping merchants in Burma, East Indies. He was appointed consul for Germany at Rangoon, and served six years. He located on a ranch at Wellen, Jackson county, in 1889. He served a number of the houses at the 1905 session and was elected state senator in the general election two years ago. At the session of 1911, he was chairman of the committee on roads and highways and devoted much of his time to the advancement of the good roads bills. He is a member of the board of regents of the Oregon Agricultural college.

AMERICANS RUSH OVER THE BORDER

Canadian Officials Jubilant Over Prospects for Next Spring.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 23.—That American immigration into western Canada will total no less than 200,000 persons for the fiscal year of 1912-13 is the prediction of W. J. White, head of the Canadian agencies in the United States, who is in Ottawa this week. This is an increase for the year of 70,000. Mr. White predicts another big rush this coming spring, as the big crop of western Canada for last season has been a great advertisement. Many American settlers from the west have been visiting in their home states and have been booming Canada.

The rush to the west is becoming so large that many of the states are becoming alarmed. This year four states refused Canada space at the state fairs. They were Illinois, Indiana, Ohio and New York. South Dakota was considering such action, but decided that to put a ban on Canada would only be an additional advertisement.

WEEK OF GLEE IS OVER FOR CHEMAWA STUDENTS

(Special to The Journal.)
Chemawa, Ore., Dec. 23.—With a moving picture show this evening Chemawa will round out week's continuous entertainment, which has strengthened the regard of the 600 pupils for Superintendent H. E. Wadsworth and his employees, who made the affair a success. Monday evening the pupils presented a cantata, while Tuesday evening was given up to a tree, upon which was placed a gift for every pupil. A midnight band concert and early Christmas carols were among the features. On Christmas day exercises were held in the chapel, and at noon a formal dinner was served, while the evening was given up to dancing. The remainder of the week was devoted to moving picture shows, a new machine having just been purchased for the use of the school.

COOK RUNS WITH DRESS ABLAZE; MAY NOT LIVE

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Seattle, Wash., Dec. 23.—With her clothing ablaze, Anna Hoff, 24 years old, a cook at the home of Sam Brown, ran through the neighborhood this morning. The girl was in the kitchen when a can of gasoline she was using to build a fire exploded, setting her clothing ablaze. She ran through the house screaming. She was running although the yard she entered the house of a neighbor, where the flames were extinguished. She was frightfully burned and probably will die.

Great Britain's textile mills employ more than 1,000,000 persons.

SAILOR THROWN INTO SEA BY MATE

Sharks Are Believed to Have Made Short Work of the Victim.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
San Francisco, Dec. 23.—That J. Berberman, second mate of the power schooner Leonor, now being held by the Mexican authorities, threw overboard Thomas H. Hunt, a big negro, following a terrific battle during the early hours of December 18, and that a general mutiny followed, is declared in mail advices here today. The ship was off the coast of Mexico at the time.
The fight was the result of threats issued against Berberman. It is said, because of his treatment of the crew. Hunt was alone at the wheel. About 2:30 a. m. cries for help were heard. Investigation revealed traces of blood all over the aft deck, smashed woodwork and other evidence of a frightful struggle.
The wheel was lashed and the negro missing. The schooner laid to for five days in the hope of finding Hunt's body. The sea was infested with sharks, and it is believed the negro was devoured almost as soon as he struck the water.

\$10,000 WILL BE ASKED FOR BENSON-HYDE SUITS

(Salem Bureau of The Journal.)
Salem, Ore., Dec. 23.—It has been decided that the state land board will ask the legislature to appropriate \$10,000 to carry on the suits to be instituted to recover about 50,000 acres of land alleged to have been fraudulently filed on during the Benson-Hyde land operations in this state.

Big Bronze Elk for Temple Front

Walla Walla, Wash., Dec. 23.—A huge bronze elk, one and one half times life size, has been ordered by the building committee of the local Elks' lodge and will be placed upon a 20 foot pedestal on top of the new temple which is nearing completion at Fourth and Alder streets. It will be illuminated at night with small incandescents.

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EVERYBODY COME NEW YEAR'S NIGHT

Mrs. Oswald West Reiterates That Reception Is for Entire State.

(Salem Bureau of The Journal.)
Salem, Ore., Dec. 23.—Mrs. Oswald West, wife of the governor, today emphasized that the people of the entire state are invited to attend the reception to be given at the capitol building New Year's night in honor of former governors and their wives or widows by Governor and Mrs. West. She said no formal invitations were being issued, but that the public was invited through the announcements made in the press.

OLD TIME SHEEPMAN DIES AT NORTH YAKIMA

(Special to The Journal.)
North Yakima, Wash., Dec. 23.—George Wright, one of the oldest stockmen of the northwest, died here yesterday, aged 74 years. He was a member of the Yakima Sheep company of Seattle, and had in 1887 been president of the Puget Sound Pressed Box & Packing company of Tacoma, and prior to that in 1882 was a resident of Portland. He was one of the earliest shippers of cattle from Canada to Great Britain, and was a friend and contemporary of Philip Armour. He was a native of England.



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1
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2
HE GOT SO STUCK UP HE WOULDN'T SPEAK TO THE REST OF THE GANG



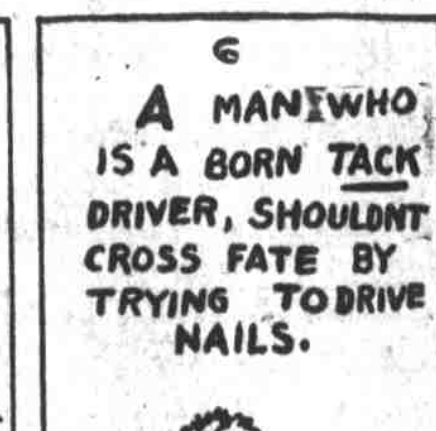
3
FINALLY HE WENT TO THE BOSS, THREW UP HIS JOB AND MOVED UP IN THE WORLD BY JOINING THE STREET SWEEPERS



4
HE SOON GOT MOODY AND GROUCHY HOWEVER. HE COULDN'T SLEEP AND HE LOST WEIGHT SO HE TOLD HIS WIFE THE TROUBLE



5
HE SAID HE WAS ALL RIGHT ON STRAIGHT SWEEPING BUT THE NERVOUS STRAIN OF SWEEPING AROUND THE LAMP POSTS WAS KILLING HIM—SO HE WENT BACK TO PICKING!



6
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