

PORTLAND MAN GIVES VIVID DESCRIPTION OF GREAT NOME DISASTER

Nat Wither Says Suffering There Not So Great as Was Stated; Loss Overestimated

Nat Wither, mining superintendent of Portland, arrived in Nome, Alaska, the day before its partial destruction by storm. He had walked 63 miles from the Goose Creek dredge mine, passing through Solomon and Safety on the way.

Mr. Wither arrived in Portland, yesterday evening, first of the Nome survivors to reach here. He came to Seattle, arriving there yesterday on the steamer Victoria at 11 a. m.

He vividly described the storm. The wind had blown several days with force, but it suddenly acquired a velocity of 75 miles an hour. It lifted a wave-wall of water 10 feet high into the city. Nothing could remain in the path of the flood. People left their goods and ran in bitter cold to the highlands.

The diet for days, then, was doughnuts and coffee. It happened that uptown bakeries had not been disturbed and they were equipped for the production of emergency quantities of doughnuts. Prices were not raised, either. One could get all he wanted of doughnuts and coffee for 15 cents, said Mr. Wither.

"Nome is rebuilding," he said. "Where Solomon, a distributing point, was, is now but a sandbar. The city was not so badly damaged. I find, since my arrival in Portland, that a subscription for the relief of Nome has been started. I do not consider this necessary, unless it be for a few very poor families, principally Eskimos.

"The merchants saved 55 per cent of their stocks. Their losses averaged \$100 to \$1000 apiece. Some claims for \$2000 to \$3000 were put in by those who didn't suffer any harm at all. These relied on the sympathy the results of the storm created.

It was reported that the total loss was \$1,500,000. "I think this is much," Mr. Wither has been engaged in gold mining operations in Alaska during the past three years.

VON KLEIN AGAIN LOSES IN TRIAL FOR LIBERTY

(Salem Bureau of The Journal.) Salem, Or., Oct. 24.—The attorney for E. C. Von Klein, who is in Multnomah county jail under indictment for an assault and battery, pursued the wrong course when he endeavored to free his client by asking the supreme court for a writ of mandamus to compel Judge Morrow to dismiss the indictment against Von Klein and release the prisoner. He should have taken his case before the supreme court as appeal from Judge Morrow's order refusing to dismiss the indictment.

This is the opinion of the supreme court handed down yesterday afternoon, immediately prior to the departure of the court for Pendleton to hear Eastern Oregon cases. The opinion, which was written by Chief Justice McBride, who at first peremptorily denied the application for a writ of mandamus and later changed his mind and permitted the attorney for Von Klein to argue the matter before the court, says that such an extraordinary action will not be taken when provision is made for an appeal from the order of the lower court refusing to dismiss the indictment.

STATIONARY ENGINEERS CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY

Portland's stationary engineers, celebrating the twenty-first anniversary of the founding of the national association, entertained fellow craftsmen from Salem and Baker Wednesday night with a banquet at the Commercial club. About 70 persons attended, though all were not engineers of the "stationary" type.

W. L. Barley, chief engineer of the Portland Railway & Power company, is vice president of the local association and acted as toastmaster. Brief addresses were made by nearly everyone present, with "Education" as the general topic. Reports were made by Oregon's delegates to the international convention that recently was held in the east.

Broken Glasses Replaced

Right on the premises. On short notice. Kryptok lenses. Essie the wearer to. Notice both the actor and the programme at the same time.

Glasses properly fitted. Leave no doubt in your mind. As to the results, when scientifically fitted by me, and you see with greater ease than trying continually to see without glasses or cheap ones. Reap the benefit of years of experience and ability. Plus the knowledge of eyes. Lawyers, doctors, accountants and laymen cannot but appreciate the effort that brings about the desired relief from properly fitted glasses.

J. D. Duback. Eyeglass Specialist. 5th Floor Selling Bldg.

INJUSTICE DONE COUPLE THROUGH INADVERTENCE

Substitution of Names Involving Mr. and Mrs. Wempe, Was Unintentional.

Unintentional injustice was done Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wempe of 399 East Twenty-sixth street North, Wednesday, by the publication of a story of friction between Mr. Wempe and Adolph Schoenberg, which terminated in a police court hearing.

By inadvertence, Mr. and Mrs. Wempe's names appeared where Mr. and Mrs. Schoenberg's should have been. The story was based on an assault case which was heard before Judge Stevenson in municipal court. The judge dismissed the case. According to the evidence introduced Mr. Schoenberg went to the Wempe home for the purpose of seeing whether Mr. Wempe, a contractor, had a position open.

Wempe began questioning Schoenberg in regard to his discharge from the army and as to his personal habits, and as a result the engaged in a scuffle. Later Schoenberg swore out a warrant charging Wempe with assault.

On the stand Wednesday Mrs. Schoenberg testified that prior to her marriage to Schoenberg, she was in the army and that he secured his discharge by pretending to be a morphine fiend, so they could be married. She stated that she provided him with the drug to carry out the scheme, and that he was finally given his discharge after the officers had confined him to the guard house for some time in an effort to break him of the "habit."

In the published story, Mrs. Wempe's name was used in place of Mrs. Schoenberg's. Mr. Wempe never was in the army and Mrs. Wempe was not called to the stand. V. A. Crum, noted as attorney for Mr. Wempe in the proceedings. People who have known Mr. Wempe for many years speak highly of his personal and business reputation.

MRS. ZARILDA MILLER STRICKEN AT SALEM

Was Pioneer of Oregon and Associated With State's Early Growth.

(Salem Bureau of The Journal.) Salem, Or., Oct. 24.—Zarilda Miller, widow of the late John F. Miller, died here at 2 o'clock this morning from acute indigestion, which attacked her yesterday while she was visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. James R. Coleman, near Salem. Mrs. Miller was one of the pioneers of Oregon, and her husband was prominently identified with the early history of the state. She was 85 years old. She was born in Missouri in 1832.

In 1848 she was married to Mr. Miller in Randolph county, Missouri, and in 1851 they crossed the plains and settled near Portland. From there they went to Jackson county and took a donation land claim. Mr. Miller participated in the Rogue River Indian war, after which he was commissioned by the government to transfer the Indians to the Grande Ronde reservation, where he was Indian agent for four years. He was a major general in the Modoc Indian war.

The couple moved to Salem in 1869. Mr. Miller was one of the commissioners who supervised the building of the capitol. He died in 1901. Mrs. Miller leaves four daughters, Mrs. James W. Cook of Portland, Mrs. James R. Coleman, who lives near Salem; Mrs. P. H. Dawson of Boise, and Mrs. S. L. Hayden of Salem.

The funeral will be held here Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Episcopal church, Rev. Mr. Gill officiating.

COURT TELLS WHEN AGENT BECOMES PEDDLER

(Salem Bureau of The Journal.) Salem, Or., Oct. 24.—The question of when an agent for an eastern supply house ceases to be an agent and becomes a peddler, is illuminated in an opinion handed down yesterday afternoon by the supreme court in connection with the application of R. G. Case for a writ of habeas corpus directed to the sheriff of Coos county. The writ is denied.

In an opinion written by Justice Eakin, the court holds that so long as an agent takes orders for goods in this state and sends out to another state to have those orders filled his activities come under the regulations of the Interstate Commerce act, and he is not subject to paying a peddler's license; but so soon as he ships into this state a supply of goods which he has on hand before he fills his orders and from which he fills his orders, then he becomes a peddler and must pay a peddler's license.

GRANTS PASS VOTES FOR RAILROAD BONDS

Grants Pass, Or., Oct. 24.—Grants Pass yesterday by a vote of 947 out of 1165 votes cast, authorized a municipal bond issue of \$200,000 for the building of the first 10-mile unit of the railroad to the coast. The Grants Pass-Oreocent City line.

This first unit to be constructed by the city will extend to Wilderville in the Applegate valley. It is believed that this action on the part of the city will assure the financing of the road the balance of the way to the coast.

Hebrew School Election. Among the officers of the Portland Hebrew school for the next year were re-elected were Jacob Asher, president, and Sanders Hurmits, financial and recording secretary. The president reported that the school is in a flourishing condition and that there is a large attendance of children of both sexes, all of whom are eager to learn more of their native religion and language. He also reported that the financial affairs of the school were in good condition.

Commissioner Is Informed. (Salem Bureau of The Journal.) Salem, Or., Oct. 24.—Information has reached Corporation Commissioner R. A. Watson that the Water-Mobile Underwriters, a concern with headquarters at Vancouver, B. C., is soliciting the sale of stock in this state without complying with the corporation laws. The concern is not even incorporated in British Columbia.

New classification. In the Sunday Journal you will find some exceptional chances to save money furnishing your home; look under "Household Goods" in the classified section. You can turn a look into money. (Adv.)

Lipman Wolfe & Co. Merchandise of a Merit Only

Girls' School Dresses Of Winter Weight Wash Galatea Of Serges and Heavy Ginghams Go on Sale Saturday for First Time



\$1.50 Galatea Dresses 98c. —Made of excellent grade of heavy galatea in three different styles. Come in brown, light or dark blue stripes on white ground. Trimmed with bands of contrasting colors and neat braids. Waisted styles with pleated skirts. Sizes 2 to 6 years.

\$6.00 Serge Dresses \$2.95. —Plain blues and brown serges, trimmed with silk and soutache braids in a number of pretty styles. Excellent quality material that will give long wear and make ideal school dresses. Well finished in every particular.

85c Girls' Gingham Wash Dresses, Special 59c. —Of checked ginghams in various size checks—blue, brown and pink combined with white. In long French waisted styles with pleated skirts. Waists trimmed in three different styles. Some with square neck and short sleeves, others high neck and long sleeves, yoke effects and side-trimmed effects. Also bloomer dresses in straight belted style, trimmed with bands of contrasting materials and neat braids. —Fourth Floor

For Children's Knit Underwear No Store Is as Satisfactory as This Store

35c Garments, Special 25c. —Vests, pantalets or drawers, heavy weight, white or silver gray, cotton, fleeced vests have collarette neck with mercerized trimming that will not turn yellow in laundering. Full sized and finely finished.

75c Garments, Special 50c. —Winter weight wool mixed ribbed vests or pantalets, white or silver gray, ages 1 to 16 yrs. Durable, soft, fine garments that are designed for warmth and long wear.

65c Union Suits, Spl. 50c. —Union suits for girls or boys, fleece lined, white or gray, fine ribbed cotton, heavy, soft and warm. For ages to 10 years. —Same as above, larger sizes, on sale at 65c.

75c Boys' Underwear, 50c. —Boys' shirts and drawers, heavy, warm, ecru cotton or medium heavy white or ecru, fine ribbed cotton, for ages 6 to 18 years. Shirts have stayed shoulders that keep the sleeves in place. Drawers have double gussets and setecron fronts.

90c Union Suits, Spl. 75c. —Boys' silver gray cotton union suits, heavy, soft and warm. Made with closed crotch, collarette neck, and stayed shoulders.

\$1.25 Union Suits, \$1.00. —Boys' union suits, heavy weight wool mixed, or warm ecru Balbriggan. Also medium weight cotton in white or ecru. Made with the collarette neck, stayed shoulders and cuffs on sleeves. Flat, non-irritating seams throughout. —4th Floor

185 New Coats for Children 2 to 8 Years Old Scarcely Two Alike In an Immense Variety of Materials Representing an Entire Manufacturer's Sample Line That Sell Regularly at \$3.50 to \$6.00 Saturday \$2.50

—These little garments were secured from a manufacturer whose entire supply of materials was entirely sold out, and for this reason we were able to purchase all his sample coats. It is not within the bounds of possibility for any house to offer a greater assortment of the newest and prettiest children's coats at anywhere near this price. Of fine cloths, corduroy and chinchillas in navy blue, cadet, rose, red, tan, brown and black. Made in the box style, with and without belts. Trimmed with velvet or plaid collars and cuffs, or self-materials, and fancy buttons. —Fourth Floor

These Are the Smartest and Newest Silk Dresses for Juniors That You Can Buy Anywhere for \$15.00 Priced Here Saturday at \$11.95

—Made of soft messaline in navy, plum, copenhagen, mahogany, wistaria or dark wine colors. Two different styles, both made with vests of white net or tulle over silk foundation, trimmed with tiny accordion-pleated frills, and shell pearl buttons. Round neck, long sleeves. Skirts are made in new draped models. Some of these dresses have a touch of contrasting colored silk in vest and girdle. —Handsome dresses that have never been offered at anything like this price. Beautifully finished in every particular. —Fourth Floor

Glove Sale \$1.90 Novelty Caps \$1.18. —Cape gloves with embroidered backs, made of soft, flexible stock. One-clasp P. X. M. sewn. Shown in black, tan and white. Glove that will give you excellent wear. \$1.25 Lambakin. 95c. —Heavy pique sewn embroidery back lambakin gloves in tan, white and gray. \$1.50 Glace Gloves, \$1.29. —A fine pique sewn glace glove, embroidered in black, white and contrasting shades. —First Floor



The Most Striking and Exclusive Trimmed Hats Of Softest Velvet and Plush Exact Reproductions of Original Imported Models Very Special \$4.95

—Note particularly the chic effects of these hats—they have an individual style which one seldom finds in the average "copied" hats. We had them reproduced to our special order, line for line and size for size, exactly as the original hats. And these original French models were created by a famous Parisian designer, who is noted for his extremely clever creations. They are made of fine, soft plush and velvet in styles as are shown in the above illustration and can be had in black, taupe, and midnight blue, with the trimming on the front and side. And this trimming is either imitation aigrettes or soft imported "grass" which is also shown in various attractive colors as well as black. —Second Floor

Just in the Nick of Time 100 Boys' Suits Arrive for Saturday's Sale Of Serges, Mixtures, Checks and Diagonals Go on Sale Saturday for \$5.00

—The very best suits that money can buy—suits that reflect the best in tailoring—having taped seams—and finished in a manner that would do credit to a made-to-order garment. Made of extra quality blue serge, good-looking mixtures, new diagonals, checks and herringbones. In tans, browns, grays, oxfords and blues. Norfolk and sack styles. Some of the suits come with an extra pair of knickerbockers. Sizes from 6 to 18.

Another Special Offering of Boys' \$1.25 Corduroy Knickerbockers 79c WHICH IS BOUND TO CREATE GREATEST ENTHUSIASM. —Extra knickerbockers made of good serviceable brown and mouse colored corduroy, finished with taped seams throughout. This is the most practical kind of parts for the growing boy. All sizes from 6 to 18 years.

Boys' \$1.00 School Blouses and Shirts, Special 75c. —Blouses of striped percales and plain soisettes in the tapeless style having soft golf collar. For boys from 6 to 14 years. The shirts are made of a good quality percale in sizes from 12 1/2 to 14.

Boys' \$3.00 Blanket Bathrobes, Special \$2.49. —Bathrobes that are "just like father's"—made of Beacon blankets in bordered styles, with cord tie at the neck, lay-down collar and heavy cord girdles. In red, gray, blue and tan. For boys from 2 to 16 years.

Boys' Caps at 35c to \$1.75 Each. —Nowhere else in town will you find such a variety of caps for the small boy. There are all the new English shapes in soft mixtures, as well as the regulation styles. In plain serges, and the mixtures are in colors that match the prevailing shades in the boys' suits. Lined and unlined. —Fourth Floor

One Cent Combination Sale of Drugs and Toilet Requisites

—In this sale you have the opportunity of selecting any article you wish in Column No. 1, and by adding 1 cent to its cost you may have any article in Column No. 2. —For instance you may purchase a regular 50c jar of Pompeian Massage Cream for the special price of 29c and by adding 1c more, you may also purchase a nail file, face sponge, or any other article in Column No. 2, making the total for both articles, 30 cents.

- Column No. 1: 50c Theatrical Cream 39c, 60c Pompeian Cream 29c, 25c Spuibs Talc. Par. 19c, 50c Almond Meal. 18c, 50c Hind's Cream. 35c, 25c Frostilla. 14c, 25c Kolyons Paste. 16c, 25c Packer's Tar Soap 16c, 25c Woodbury's Soap 19c, \$1 Listerine. 69c, \$1 Glyco Thymoline. 69c, 50c Laviora. 39c, 25c Peroxide. 19c, 50c Vanila Extract. 26c, 50c Bay Rum. 39c, \$1.00 Sutherland's Hair Tonic. 69c, 50c Stearn's Rouge. 25c, 50c La Vida Rouge. 25c, 50c Pond's Extract. 35c, 50c Capillaric. 39c.
- Column No. 2: Orange Wood Sticks. 1c, Chamomile Skin. 1c, Emory Boards. 1c, Glycerine Soap. 1c, Oatmeal Soap. 1c, Eye Cup. 1c, Cough Drops. 1c, Nail File. 1c, Pumice Stone. 1c, Quinine Capsules. 1c, Tweezers. 1c, Lamb's Wool Puffs. 1c, Camphor Ice. 1c, Epsom Salts, pound. 1c, Rose Water, 2 ounces. 1c, Absorbent Cotton, 1 oz. 1c, Seidlitz Powders. 1c, Face Sponge. 1c, Shampoo Powders. 1c, Medicine Glass. 1c.

Halloween Is Close at Hand

—Do not let it find you without your party preparations completed. We are here to assist you by supplying all your wants in the way of decorations, favors, invitations, greetings and novelties for all manner of uses. Table decorations are especially gorgeous and varied and we can furnish everything to complete your table from place cards to centerpieces. —Table decorations such as witches, skulls, black cats, devils and comic fruits, pumpkin heads, Jack o' Lanterns. Priced from 5c to \$1.50 each. —Dinner favors, \$1 doz. —Pin favors, horns, masks, etc., 3c, 5c and 10c each. —Pumpkin vines for decorating, 40c the spray.

—Place cards, 35c to \$3 the dozen. —Decorated crepe paper, 15c the roll. —Paper plates, quaintly decorated, two sizes, 25c and 35c the dozen. —Halloween lunch sets, 25c and 35c. —Halloween stickers, 10c box. —Halloween cards, 35c a dozen. —Basement

\$1.50 H. & W. Brassieres Special \$1.00

—Cross-back style brassieres with round neck and reinforced under the arm. Made of sloop embroidery and finished with narrow embroidery in scallop design. —In all sizes and suitable for stout, medium and slender figures. —Fourth Floor

Frances Hodgson Burnett's Latest Novel "T. Tembarom" Now on Sale.

New Arch Supporters Special \$1.00 Pair

—In this era of progress, where HUSTLE is the watchword, it requires a quick, snappy step to maintain the pace. You cannot do this if your feet are paining you every time you step. —Do not wait until you have fallen arches before you adopt precautionary measures, but give your feet the added protection they deserve by getting a pair of arch supporters. —These are the newest improved arch supporters, and are much lighter than the ordinary kind, yet give satisfaction in every particular. —And the price is less than one-third what you usually pay for guaranteed arch supports. —Basement

Custom Made Shoes For Misses and Children

—The very latest and most fashionable high shoes for misses can be found here in all sizes. There are shoes of patent colt vamp with black cloth tops. Prices \$3.00 and \$3.50

Storm Boots

—Just the kind for all-around-about wear, of dull calf button style, and gunmetal calf vamps, with matt calf topplings. Nature-shaped lasts, choice oak leather soles, Goodyear welt process. Prices \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.50 —Basement