

STRANGE KILLING OF INDIANAPOLIS DOCTOR TO BE AIRED IN COURT

Trial of Dr. Craig for Murder of Dr. Helen Knabe Promises to Be Sensational.

The Knabe Murder Mystery. Dr. Helen Knabe, a leading woman physician of great physical charm, found dead in her Indianapolis apartment on morning of October 24, 1911. Police decided she cut her own throat, but gave no satisfactory motive, coroner declared it was murder.

Dr. William B. Craig, handsome widower, and intimate of dead woman, charged with her murder in grand jury indictment, December 31, 1912.

Craig trial opened Friday in Shelbyville, on charge of venue. Indianapolis club women who raised funds to prosecute search for murderer and later to hire eminent counsel to assist state in Craig trial, now keep in background on account of current rumors.

Shelbyville, Ind., Nov. 29.—The light will be turned in Monday on Indiana's greatest crime mystery—the murder of Dr. Helen Knabe, woman physician of rare physical beauty and mental attainments, who was found dead in her apartment in Indianapolis on the morning of October 24, 1911, her right robe rolled under her armpits and blood seeping from a gaping wound in her throat.

Inman, famous criminal lawyer, hired by Indianapolis club women to assist the state, will make the opening statement for the prosecution. He will charge that Dr. William B. Craig, the defendant, shot Dr. Helen Knabe after a bitter quarrel that resulted from Craig's refusal to marry the victim. Dr. Craig, the state will charge, broke his promise to the woman physician in order to sue for the hand of another woman.

Suicide Is Defendant's Claim. When court adjourned today 14 jurors were in the box, and after the twelfth had been selected Monday, Inman will arraign the Indianapolis veterinarian.

The defense, it is announced tonight, will not state its case to the jury until the state's direct evidence is in. The nature of the defense is shrouded in secrecy, but in examination of prospective jurors, Dr. Craig's attorneys indicate they will incite to the police theory that Dr. Knabe committed suicide.

The secretiveness of the state regarding its list of witnesses added keen interest to the case tonight. On the surface, the prosecution's case is admittedly circumstantial. The state announces it will offer a witness who saw Dr. Craig leave Dr. Knabe's apartment on the night of the murder, other witnesses who will testify regarding alleged intimacies of the woman physician and the handsome veterinarian, in whose college she was a lecturer, and the testimony of clairvoyants and fortune tellers whom Dr. Knabe, despite her intellectual gifts, is said to have consulted.

Dead Woman Pressed Case. This much has been known since private detectives employed by the Indianapolis club women after the police dropped the case, secured the indictment of Dr. Craig. It is the possibility that the state will unlose a bomb in the shape of direct proof, that makes the trial itself of tremendous interest.

Dr. Craig will take the stand in his own behalf, his attorneys asserting that a frank statement from him of the facts regarding his alleged friendship for Helen Knabe will offset any circumstantial evidence the state can present. If the defense adopts the suicide theory, it is expected it will attempt to show that Dr. Knabe's practice had not been profitable, and that she was despondent.

The state will rebut this testimony with evidence to show that Dr. Knabe through her work as a physical instructor, had become a perfect specimen of female beauty, in splendid health, well poised and cheerful; that her finances did not worry her and that she had just reached the point where fresh laurels were being heaped upon her.

The case was brought here on a change of venue. During the examination of witnesses today and yesterday, none of the Indianapolis women who contributed to the fund to employ private

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vate detectives and attorneys to solve the mystery, has been in the courtroom. It was current rumor tonight that their support has waned since it was reported that the defense had made preparations to attack the murdered woman's character.

ARMY'S VICTORY OVER NAVY ELEVEN SEEN BY NOTABLE THROG

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9. Navy 6, and while the president was transferring his allegiance from the land fighters to the sea dogs, the Army rooters took the kinks out of their voices for the big celebration that was to come. Brown, standing behind the old Navy gun, which had not been spiked, put over the final score for his fellow tars in the third period and the Army then proceeded to show just how far it could go when it comes to uncorking the unexpected. Merritt peeled off his great run in this session. Forward passes were tried repeatedly, the old line smashing being secondary in the attack and the gains were made by sweeping open plays. The Navy reverted to kicking at every turn in order to stop the rush, but in the fourth period the followers of the double mule put over the final punch. An intercepted forward pass, which the Navy tried, and a return by Hobbs of 30 yards, put the ball on the Navy 30 yard line. Pritchard again chose the new game and shot the ball over the heads of the middies to Merritt, who was waiting at the goal line. The Army kicked the ball into the touchdown, but no attempt was made on the last.

The Army entered the game as the "under dog." Betting favored the Navy, 10 to 6, but while the Army mule could back up and stop the plunging of the Navy backs, the goat was not nimble enough to stop the fast open play.

Notable Array of Celebrities Present. President Wilson was given a great ovation as he crossed the field between the halves to take his place in the Navy stands. Between watching the preliminary and final crisis and keeping an eye out for notables, the crowd all but wore its eyes and neck out in twisting and turning. In addition to the president's party, those in the stands included Governor Goldsboro of Maryland; Governor Glynn of New York; Mayor Kline; William F. McCombs, Secretary of the Treasury; Rear Admiral Robert F. Peary; Major General Leonard Wood and a host of other rear admirals, secretaries and officers of various rank in the army and navy, as well as United States senators and congressmen.

ROSEBURG WILL GET DEVELOPMENT MEETING

Delegates from Portland to the third development meeting held so far in Oregon in the campaign to exploit individual cities and towns for the benefit of Panama exposition tourists, will leave the Union depot at 8:15 Wednesday night for Roseburg, where the gathering will open Thursday morning.

GOTHAM REALTY VALUES ARE EVER CHANGING

New York, Nov. 29.—The values of real estate on Broadway, below Third-street, are rapidly increasing, although the changes in conditions in part of Manhattan have really not been particularly favorable to such increases in value. The other day the estate of Lucy Gilsey, who died in January of 1912, came up in the surrogate's court for appraisal. Miss Gilsey left a net estate of \$119,869, of which about \$871,500 was in realty. This realty represents the land at the southwest corner of Broadway and Thirty-ninth street, appraised at \$1,008,438, less mortgages, one of the expert witnesses testified that the neighborhood had outlasted its usefulness as a theatrical district. He said that the Fifth avenue theatre, a vaudeville playhouse, had been sold in 1906, at auction, for \$1,490,000, and that in November, 1912, the theatre had been leased for \$60,000 a year. The witness said that the neighborhood was good only for offices and lofts. The class of patronage formerly enjoyed by the Fifth avenue theatre had moved northward.

BILL PROHIBITS THE WATERING OF R. R. STOCKS

Washington, Nov. 29.—Indicating the probable angle of interstate commerce legislation during the coming session, Representative Sims of Tennessee today introduced a bill to prohibit the watering of railroad stocks.

PRELIMINARY SURVEY OF COLUMBIA IS ASKED

(Washington Bureau of The Journal.) Washington, Nov. 29.—Senator Lane has introduced a joint resolution for the preliminary examination and survey of the Willamette and Columbia rivers from Portland to the sea.

Irrigation Survey in Washington.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 29.—Secretary of the Interior Lane announced here today that an agreement had been entered into between the government and the state of Washington, by which each is to pay \$10,000 for a survey to determine the feasibility of diverting water from the Palouse river to irrigate Franklin county lands.

Turkey and Chicken Dinner 50c.

Will be served at the Perkins Hotel Restaurant from noon until 9 p. m. today. Rainbow Trout, China Phasant and Pheasant skins prepared to your order and liking. (Adv.)

By inventing delicate apparatus a Russian scientist proved that light waves exert a measurable mechanical pressure.

WATER IS GENERAL SUBJECT OF HEALTH BOARD BULLETIN

Quarterly Just Issued Treats of Pollution and Infection, School Inspection, Typhoid Fever and Kindred Topics; Law's Penalties Are Declared Insufficient.

The quarterly bulletin of the Oregon State Board of Health for July, August and September, just issued, treats of the pollution of streams, school inspection, summer resorts, hop yards and typhoid fever.

On the subject of pollution of streams the bulletin says that the Oregon law is sufficiently definite, the only trouble apparently being that it carries little or no punishment for its violation. If the board wins a pending injunction suit, an extensive campaign will be carried on against all of the cities, and water supplies of the state will be kept fit for human consumption.

On October 1 the board began an experiment in the matter of inspection of rural schools. Mrs. Katherine Kelley, a graduate nurse of experience in school inspection work, has been employed to devote her entire time to the rural schools, to make sanitary surveys of the surroundings and the buildings themselves.

She will get some definite knowledge of the water supply, the enforcement of the rule forbidding the use of the common drinking cup, and inspect the children for bodily cleanliness, deformities and defects in vision and hearing. It is not the intention of the state board to undertake the treatment of any of these cases, but to follow up bad sanitary con-

"not why so many people have typhoid, but, rather, why so many escape." That milk, not from its own contamination, but from the water used in washing the cans, is another grave source of infection, says the bulletin, which has been demonstrated in the state the past two months.

The bulletin further points out the necessity of better supervision over the conditions of those persons engaged in preparing and serving food for large numbers of people, in order to guard against infection from the fingers. That there is danger from this source, a case is instanced where unquestionably one woman handling the food supply of a number of others has infected them with typhoid.

GROCERS' ASSOCIATION IS BLAMED FOR H. C. OF L.

Washington, Nov. 29.—Charges that the Grocers' Wholesale and Retail Association "is the cancer spot in the cost of living problem," were filed today with Attorney General McReynolds by an anonymous writer who claims to be an employe. Hundreds of letters of approval of suggestion in the era and meat inquiry continued to swamp McReynolds' office.

Returning Prosperity

Indications are not wanting—the thousands of purchasers of Pianos and other Musical Instruments during the Graves Music Co. Removal Sale furnish good surface index to returning prosperity. One of the surest, best, most hopeful and most creditable is that many a child will get a piano and the beginning of a Musical Education now or for Christmas, who has been waiting for years—waiting too long. See adv., Page 14, Section 2. (Adv.)

STEAMSHIP INQUIRY WILL BE THOROUGH

Investigation of Loss of Life Aboard President to Be Sweeping.

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 29.—John K. Bulger, United States supervising inspector, announced today that every charge made by the passengers of the steamship President would be completely investigated before the hearings commenced by Inspectors Guthrie and Dolan on Friday have been completed.

Guthrie and Dolan declined to state that there would be any further investigation when the President returned from San Diego on Tuesday, but the statement of Bulger eliminates the possibility of staying the proceedings until Friday have been completed.

Whatever the result of the investigation, to be resumed after the President returns from the south, may be, it is now believed that the inquiry will be followed by one which will cover the general conditions which obtain on every vessel plying out of the port.

It is claimed that some of the eucalyptus of Australia, taller than the California redwoods, hitherto considered the highest trees in the world.

WATSON WOULD HAVE CHARTER CANCELLED

Oregon Inland Development Company, He Holds, Is Guilty of Fraud.

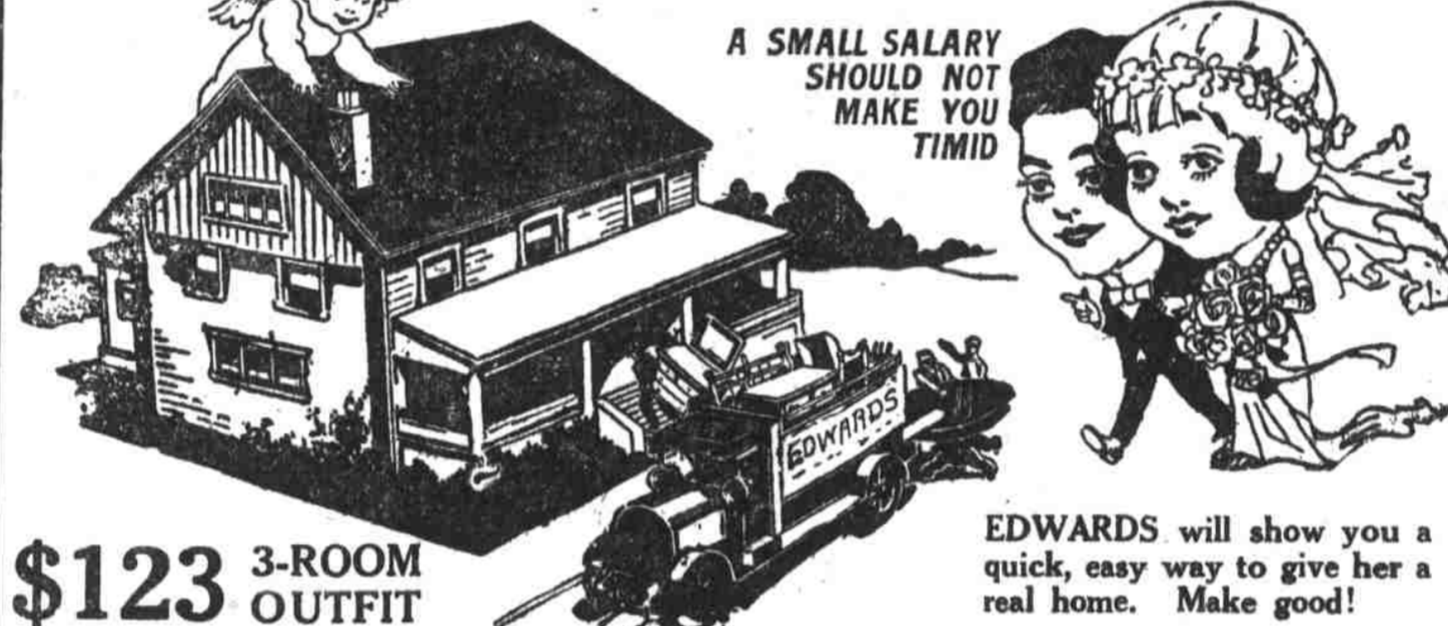
(Salem Bureau of The Journal.) Salem, Or., Nov. 29.—Corporation Commissioner Watson, today asked Governor West to take steps to secure the cancellation of the charter of the Oregon Inland Development company, which is now being tried in the federal court in Portland on charges of defrauding the public in connection with its land schemes. In his letter to the governor, Commissioner Watson said:

"I have followed the course of the case in the federal court being prosecuted against the Oregon Inland Development company, since its beginning. It seems to me that the government has more than demonstrated the fact that this company has been conducting a fraudulent business, contrary to the statutes of this state and in violation of the powers conferred upon it by its articles of incorporation.

"I would suggest, therefore, that you follow the authority granted you by statute and request the attorney general to institute action against this company for the abrogation of its charter and such other action as the circumstances may warrant."

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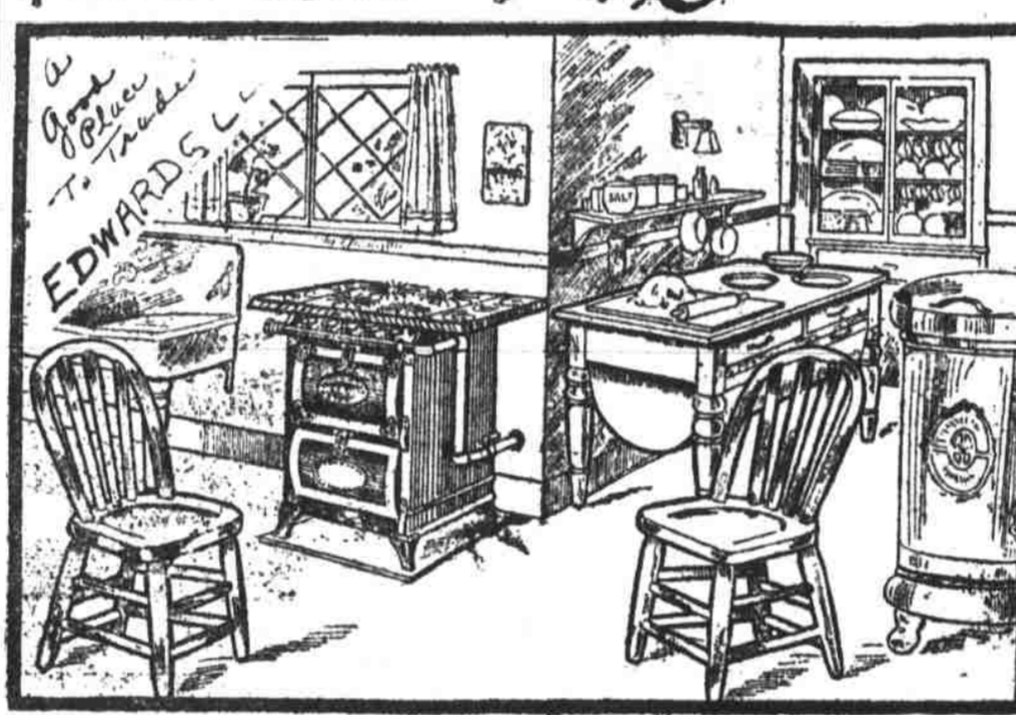
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Dining Room \$41.00

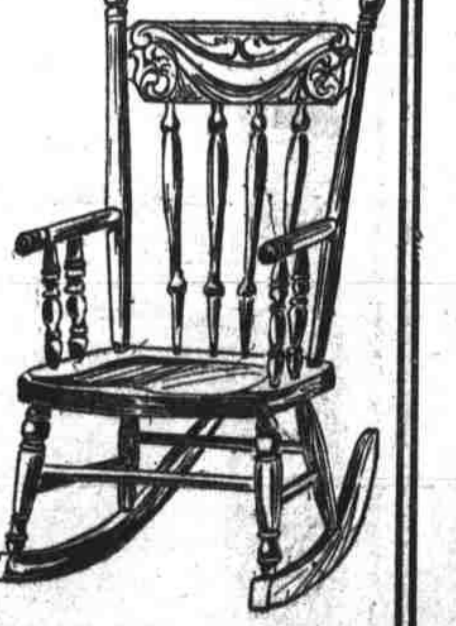
Handsomely furnished with a six foot solid oak Pedestal Extension Table, built on plain straight Mission lines, four massive quarter-sawn oak box seat Dining Chairs, upholstered in genuine leather; a solid quartered oak Arm Rocker and a genuine 9x12 Brussels Rug.

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