

CROSSLEY, MORRIS ARE NOMINATED TO COMMAND LEGION

James J. Crossley and James Morris were nominated for the office of commander of Portland post, American Legion, for 1922, at the post's monthly meeting Monday night at the legion clubrooms at Sixth and Pine streets. For the post of vice commander E. V. Stretcher, Ben S. Morrow and D. J. Mon- teith were proposed.

Douglas McKay was the sole nominee for the office of adjutant. E. C. Meares and W. A. Quinn were nominated for finance officer. Nominations for directors were: Miss Marjorie McKewen, Joseph Rowley, E. W. Jorgensen, W. R. Hall, Kenneth Cooper, Glenn Ticer, William H. Beveridge, Joseph Devine, L. C. Chausse, Howard Haines, Arthur A. Murphy, Martha Randall, C. A. Fuller, M. P. Brennan, William Murray, Rex Paralus, John A. Beckwith, Byron J. Beatty, Dr. Eugene Rockey, S. R. Payne, Henry Boyd, Jerrold Owen and Milton R. Klepper.

1922 FAIR INDORSED
After Mayor Baker, by special privilege, had addressed the post on the benefits to be derived from the fair, the post voted its support to the 1922 exposition. Admiral Mayo, former chief of the American navy, was a guest of the post

and made a brief, trenchant speech on the disarmament situation. It was found that he was not a member of the legion, whereupon Bernard McDonald, who served under the admiral during the war, anticipated the admiral's dive for a pocket and presented the sea dog with a membership.

ASK SUPPORT OF BILL
Commander Boyd was authorized to appoint a committee to ask the support of the board of directors of the Portland Chamber of Commerce for the federal adjusted compensation bill for World war soldiers. The action followed a report by Cassius Peck, past commander of the post and chairman of the chamber's committee on legislation, that the committee's favorable report on the bill was not approved by the board of directors. The post's committee will appear before the chamber board Wednesday afternoon.

Soviet Government Grants Amnesty to Anti-Red Soldiers

Riga, Nov. 8.—(L. N. S.)—The Soviet government has issued a decree granting amnesty to all soldiers who fought in the anti-Bolshevik armies of Admiral Kolchak, General Wrangle and other leaders, said a dispatch from Moscow today. The "white" soldiers living abroad are permitted to return to Russia on a war prisoner basis. The decree was issued in connection with the celebration of the fourth anniversary of the Russian revolution.

A new electric clothes washing machine is so designed that it serves as a table when the top is closed.

W. HARRY TALBOTT, PROMINENT GRAIN DEALER, IS SUICIDE

La Grande, Nov. 8.—The break in the wheat market just before the railroad strike order was called off, followed by further drops last week, is held responsible for the death of W. Harry Talbott, one of the leading business men and grain buyers of this city, who committed suicide Monday afternoon by shooting himself through the heart. Talbott, it is understood, bought heavily just before the strike situation caused wheat to drop and lost heavily.

In his usually cheerful spirits, Talbott Monday afternoon purchased a .32 automatic pistol about 5 o'clock. Late in the afternoon his 12-year-old daughter, Laura Jane, returned from school and saw her father sitting in an arm chair in the living room, his arms hanging down. She became frightened and telephoned to Miss Edith Muller, a trained nurse with whom her mother was visiting, that her father was either "dead or dying."

PAPER TELLS STORY
Upon the arrival of Mrs. Talbott and Miss Muller Mr. Talbott was dead. Death was probably instantaneous, as the bullet pierced the heart, going directly through the body and part way through the heavily upholstered chair. By his side, on the floor, was the gun, with the safety released. On the arm

of the chair was a box of cartridges. The only clue to the reason for the tragedy was a slip of paper on which he had been calculating as he was sitting in the chair, where he met his death. There was a mass of figures ending in "4100 loss." Pencil marks indicate that he had checked and rechecked the figures. At the foot of the sheet was a hastily written note to notify Lot Snodgrass, intimate personal friend and member of an undertaking firm.

HOME LIFE HAPPY
Talbott was 48 years of age and came here from Cincinnati, Ohio, about eight years ago. He had been connected with the grain business in Union county since that time, first being with the Pioneer Flouring mills of Island City and later with the Wallowa Milling & Grain company. With the latter company he remained until it closed its local office, of which he was in charge, early last spring. Then he opened a grain buying office of his own.

He is survived by his wife and one daughter. His home life was happy.

Dry Commissioner Haynes and Canada Form 'Agreement'

Washington, Nov. 8.—(L. N. S.)—Prohibition Commissioner Haynes announced this afternoon that he has entered into a "gentlemen's agreement" with Canadian authorities to prevent liquor smuggling between Canada and the United States.

The commissioner stated that under the agreement there will be close cooperation between the officials of both countries in an effort to check illicit trafficking in liquor.

POLICE FACING STONE WALL IN MOVIE ROBBERY

After 24 hours of investigation police inspectors and private detectives working on the spectacular robbery at the Liberty theatre, where three masked bandits stole \$912.25 after binding and gagging two men and two women employees, found themselves this morning with virtually no clues. All day Monday and all Monday night details of detectives were busy investigating and running down tips and suggestions received from various sources, but in no case was information of value received.

R. E. Charles, the auditor, who was first confronted by the highwaymen, just as he opened the safe at 9:30 Monday morning in the office on the second floor of the theatre, informed the police he thought he recognized one of the bandits by the man's eyes. But police inspectors working on this clue have been unable so far to make anything of it. This information bears out the theory at first entertained by a number of the inspectors, who said immediately after learning the details of the robbery that some former employee of the theatre who was familiar with the office arrangement and the routine work of the auditor must have planned and aided in the execution of the crime.

Descriptions of the three men were sent to all cities on the coast and all

peace officers notified to watch for the men. So far no reward for their capture has been offered.

Detectives experienced in cases of this kind expressed opinions that morning that there was only one hope left for the recovery of the money and the arrest of the men.

That hope, they say, is through some

woman. Sooner or later the men will tell some woman.

VANCOUVER MARRIAGE LICENSES
Vancouver, Wash., Nov. 8.—The following marriage licenses were issued Monday: Charles A. Andrews, legal, and Edna M. Porter, legal, Portland.

Ray E. Baker, legal, and Agnes M. Madson, legal, Portland; Otis Yates, legal, and Lillian Bloom, legal, Roseburg, Or.; Lora C. Burford, 21, and Nellie M. Sheehy, 21, Camas, Wash.; Earl Charles Bailey, legal, Washougal, and Esther Elizabeth Ober, legal, Fargo, N. D.; Philip N. Drake, 21, and Verma Hymor, 19, Portland.

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