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RESULTS OF THE BIG GAMES YESTERDAY

NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE.

At Portland—Portland, 3; Spokane, 0.
At Seattle—Aberdeen, 0; Seattle, 4.

Standing of the Teams.

Team	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Seattle	29	11	.725
Spokane	24	17	.585
Portland	18	21	.462
Aberdeen	16	23	.410

Batteries Today's Games.
At Portland—Tacoma, Jensen and Ostleik; Portland, Kinsella and Murray.
At Seattle—Aberdeen, Selver and O'Brien; Seattle, Thompson and Custer.
At Vancouver—Tacoma, Samuels and Kellack; Vancouver, Hall and Stanley.

COAST LEAGUE.

At San Francisco—Portland, 0; San Francisco, 3.
At Los Angeles—Oakland, 1; Los Angeles, 2.
At Sacramento—Vernon, 9; Sacramento, 11.

Standing of the Teams.

Team	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
San Francisco	37	20	.649
Los Angeles	33	23	.589
Sacramento	28	26	.519
Portland	26	27	.491
Vernon	22	34	.393
Oakland	20	36	.357

Batteries Today's Games.
At San Francisco—Portland, Graney and Armbruster; San Francisco, Henley and Berry.
At Los Angeles—Oakland, Koestner and Hogan; Los Angeles, Wigners and Orendorf.
At Sacramento—Vernon, Hogan and Rogers; Sacramento, Whalen and Byrnes.

EASTERN GAMES.

National League.

At Boston—R. H. E. 7 9 1
Pittsburg 0 6 3
Batteries—Pittsburg, Willis and Gibson; Boston, Lindaman and Graham.
All other National league games were postponed on account of rain.

American League.

At Detroit—Boston-Detroit game was postponed.
At St. Louis—R. H. E. 5 13 1
Cleveland 2 7 3
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Batteries—Cleveland, Joss and Easterly; St. Louis, Peltz and Stephens.
At Chicago—R. H. E. 2 10 2
New York 1/2 6 6
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Batteries—New York, Warhop and Blair; Chicago, Smith and Sullivan.
Game was called at 10th inning to let the players make the train.

ABSURDITIES OF NEW STATE ROAD LAW

Salem, Ore.—So replete is chapter 143 of the general laws of the last legislature (house bill 81) with ambiguities and contradictions that if the strict letter of the act were to be followed out, now that it is in effect, it would be unlawful for any vehicle with tires measuring six inches or more in width to be hauled over any improved road in a county west of the Cascades carrying a load of less than 4500 pounds in weight. No maximum weight is prescribed for this character of vehicle.
House bill 81 is intended to regulate the weight of loads of cordwood, sawlogs, lumber, ties, timbers, piling or heavy merchandise to be hauled on the improved public highways of the several counties of the state, and gives the county courts jurisdiction to make the necessary regulations by order. No doubt the intent of the author of the bill was to limit the maximum weight to be hauled upon wagons of different widths of tire to protect the improved highways from damage by being cut up. It is difficult to say, however, what view a court would take of the act as a whole should the occasion arise to test its legality.

Section 3 of the act, after reciting the powers of the county court in making an order regulating the weight of loads to be hauled over a certain road, says: "The maximum weight thereof (load) shall not be less than 3500 nor more than 3500 pounds for any vehicle having tires of any width less than four inches, nor less than 3500 nor more than 4500 pounds for any vehicle having tires of more than four inches and less than six inches in width, nor less than 4500 pounds for any vehicle having tires of six inches or more in width." etc. From the latter clause it would appear that it would be unlawful to haul a vehicle having tires of six inches or more in width over an improved road unless it carried a load of not less than 4500 pounds.

SEATTLE MAN KILLS GIRL, WIFE AND HIMSELF

Seattle.—Unsuccessful in his attempt to effect a reconciliation with Mildred Payne McComb, his 17-year-old wife of a year, and to get her to accompany him to Los Angeles, where they might start married life anew among strangers, J. W. McComb, aged 38, shot and killed her at an early hour Wednesday morning as she lay asleep in a second floor bedroom of their home at 3436 Erie street, near Leschi park, and then, crawling over her dead body, sent a bullet into his own brain, which must have caused instant death, according to Deputy Coroner William Barthwick. His arms and the weapon, an old-fashioned .41-caliber Colt, fell upon the young girl whom he had loved. The double tragedy was not discovered until late in the afternoon. McComb was a conductor on the Yesler Way cable line.
The couple became estranged three weeks ago and McComb left the house, going to live with a sister, Nell McComb, who resides a few blocks away.
Neighbors heard two shots fired at

1:30 o'clock this morning and it is believed that the tragedy occurred at that hour.

GET FORTUNE OF \$75,000 IN A SINGLE BLAST

Downville, Cal.—Between \$75,000 and \$100,000 in almost pure gold was loosened by a blast in the Eldorado tunnel at Allegheny, this county, last evening. Halfpounds of gold with particles of quartz attached were picked from the floor of the tunnel. This find promises to eclipse even the Sixteen-to-One and the Tightener, both near neighbors. H. L. Johnson, owner of the Tightener, bonded the Eldorado two weeks ago for \$25,000.
The Morning Glory mine, nearby owned by Rohrig Brothers, has just broken into rock of immense value, big slabs sprinkled and seamed with gold being exhibited. The owners refuse to say what their strike broke, but it is said to be \$70,000.
An old-fashioned rush is on to Allegheny from all directions, and men of every vocation and of every age are flocking into the district to stake claims.
H. L. Stark, consulting engineer for George Wingfield, the well-known millionaire mining man of Goldfield, was there some time ago trying to buy and consolidate the Tightener, Sixteen-to-One, Eldorado, Morning Glory and other rich properties, but Mr. Wingfield's wealth proved inadequate. Excitement is running high.

ALDRICH BILL DISPLEASES FRENCH LACE MAKERS

Paris.—The free admission of a certain type of lacemaking machine granted by the senate tariff bill in Washington has tempted only one lacemaking firm in Calais to establish a plant in Senator Aldrich's state. This it is asserted, is one reason why the bill permits the entry of only one kind of machine, while nine others used in Calais are excluded.
M. Sayoux, secretary of the Federation of French Merchants and Manufacturers, predicts a tariff war of retaliation.
"This is an attempt to rob France of one of her most important industries," said M. Sayoux. "Even before the bill allowing free importation of this lacemaking machine was made public, lacemakers of Calais had been visited by agents of American railways and steamships, offering transportation of their machines at far below usual rates.
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SAYS WESERN JAPS ARE CHRISTIANS

Denver, Colo.—That the Japanese resident of the west is a better Christian than the one who seeks to keep him out of the schools and the country was the intimation of Dr. A. W. Halsey of New York, secretary of the board of foreign missions, in his address before the general assembly of the Presbyterian church here.
"I have received a letter," said he, "from a man representing 1000 Japanese in various western states. He says that his people have raised \$2000 for the evangelizing of the Japanese, and he wants the assembly to give a like amount. They are scorned, but they are Christians, and I wonder if they are not better than the ones who scorn them."

The report of the board indicated that there are 500,000,000 heathens in the world who have never heard of the Bible, and Dr. Howard A. Johnston of Colorado Springs suggested that for each 1000 Christians in this country to send one missionary would mean a teacher for each 25,000 heathens, and this would be only equitable. Dr. Halsey drew criticism toward the church in America as he contrasted it with the missionary work done by natives in almost every foreign country. He did not speak of the missionaries, but said that great credit is due the unschooled natives for their zeal for the church.

Dr. George B. Stewart, president of Auburn Theological seminary, presented the report of the educational committee. He said there was not such a present need of money as of insisting on a better moral and religious influence in the home. He said if the influence of the home were properly directed there would be a better fitted class of men and women for the missionary fields.
Dr. Sylvester W. Beach of Princeton, who formerly was a worker in the Latin quarter of Paris, spoke of the work among the American students there. He said there were 2000 American boys and girls there when the work was first taken up, and at that time there was no religious influence of any sort. Now, he said, there is a large Sunday night attendance at regular services maintained in a studio.
The assembly adopted resolutions of support in the cases of W. H. Morrison and W. H. Sheppard, the latter

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WOULD BLACKMAIL TREASURER QUICK

ABSTRACT COMPANY WANT HIM TO BURN RECORDS

County Treasurer Connected With Firm That Has Extensive Set of County Books—Others Propose That Official Burn the County Records—Could Then Sell Out At Their Own Price—Arrests Made.

St. Helens, Ore.—J. Kendall Blakesley, better known as "Toots" Blakesley, and Jack McCarty are under indictment here on a charge of attempted blackmail of County Treasurer E. E. Quick, who says he has already given them \$500. Blakesley has been arrested and placed under bond.

Quick is connected with an abstract company that has an extensive set of county books. He says Blakesley proposed to him two years ago that McCarty and Blakesley cracked safes of the old courthouse, burn the building and destroyed the records, thus enabling Quick's abstract company to sell out to the county at its own price. Quick says he refused the offer. The old courthouse was not burned and the records were transferred safely to the new structure, but Blakesley later secured \$150 from Quick with which to get McCarty out of town. From time to time they kept extracting money from him, till finally a demand came for \$300, at which Quick balked. This was on May 9. Quick ignored the letter, and a second came on May 21, containing additional threats. Quick told Frank Prescott, who advised laying the letters before the District Attorney. The last letter follows:

"Houlton, Ore., May 18, '08. — To Mr. Quick, St. Helens, Oregon.
Dear Sir—I am pretty sore at Toots, for he has passed me up like a cold chip. Now I tell you, Mr. E., no one can do that without having trouble. I met with failure with the last money you sent me. I purchased the diamond drills and put them into a vault, and as it was so dark I broke them all, and as they cost \$250, it was a hard blow. I have to keep under cover over here at Houlton. Detective Joe Day, of Portland, has been around here for a couple of days, but he hasn't seen me. I understand the grand jury at St. Helens is liable to be in session for another week. What I want is \$300, and immediately upon getting this letter send Blakesley out to Houlton with the money. I have my eye on a big haul, and am going to do the job all by my lonesome, and you will get one-half by express. Now I never had to be vexed at you, and I don't want to now. The man that I killed that time in San Francisco was a fellow who undertook to throw me at the last minute.
"None can do that and live. Now, Quick, send Toots over this afternoon with the \$300, and I assure that within ten days you will be handsomely repaid. I know your official position places you so you can get the money easy. Don't say anything to Blakesley about that I am to give you. Oh, I am so nervous, from ten days \$2500 is your money. Don't forget this afternoon.
(Signed) Jack Blakesley has long been bailiff of the circuit court here. He is expected to make sensational disclosures.
What time will the clock stop?"