

# CONGRESSMAN CUSHMAN, HUMORIST OF LOWER HOUSE, DIED OF PNEUMONIA TOAY

New York, July 6.—Francis W. Cushman, representative in congress from Tacoma, Wash., died at 5 o'clock this morning at the Roosevelt hospital, of pneumonia. At his bedside, besides the doctors and nurses, were United States Senator Samuel H. Piles, of Washington, and Andrew S. Burleigh, of this city, a lifelong friend.

Congressman Cushman underwent an operation a short time ago and pneumonia resulted.

Washington, July 6.—While Representative Cushman possessed the unchallenged title of the "house humorist," he was universally regarded as far from that. His high ability as a legislator, particularly in the committee appointments, particularly in his selection to fill the vacancy on the ways and means committee at the time when a great tariff bill was to be reported to the house for consideration. One striking thing about Cushman was that he never displayed his gift of humor to the detriment of his duties, but always with the object of impressing his views more forcibly upon that body.

His homely appearance had quite as much to do with the effect as his humorous remarks. He will probably be long remembered by reason of the effectiveness of his humor in the debates on the Payne tariff bill in the house. His speech in defense of retaining the duty on lumber secured several additional votes for that schedule.

### Arrange for Funeral

Washington, July 6.—Sergeant-at-arms Cannon, of the house, and the Washington delegation in congress, have telegraphed Mrs. Cushman for an expression of her wishes as to sending the body either to Cushman's home in Tacoma or his birthplace, near Brighton, Iowa, and as to arranging for a congressional escort to the burial place. The house will not be in session until Thursday, when final action will be taken.

# MISSIONARY SCHOONER IS REPORTED LOST

The J. F. Adler When Last Seen Was Battling With a Heavy Storm

San Francisco, July 6.—The schooner Monterey, Captain Anderson, arriving today from Kuskowim, Alaska, reports the possible loss of the missionary schooner J. F. Adler and a score of lives. The Adler sailed from Seattle June 3 with a crew of eight and twelve or thirteen passengers. When the Monterey arrived at Bethel, to which place the Adler was bound, Captain Anderson was informed by Indian trappers that the Adler had been sighted, struggling with a heavy storm, but had disappeared. Captain Anderson and another boat went out to sea to search for the missing schooner, but found no trace of her.

It is possible the Adler took refuge in Bristol Bay.

Report Not Believed  
Seattle, July 6.—The schooner P. J. Adler sailed from Seattle June 9 with nine passengers and a crew of eight men under Captain Edward A. Born, of this city. Mrs. Born, when told of the report of the Adler's peril, said she felt no alarm. Shipping men do not think that the Adler is lost.

# PEARSONS GIVES MORE MONEY TO WHITMAN COLLEGE

Chicago, July 6.—A gift of \$50,000 to Whitman College, of Walla Walla, Wash., by D. K. Pearsons, the Chicago philanthropist and friend of small colleges, was announced today. Pearsons' benefactions to the Washington institution now aggregate \$300,000.

# SLAYER OF SULLIVAN DIES IN JAIL

Salem, July 5.—William Hervey, who shot and killed Bill Sullivan at Gates, in this county, about six weeks ago in a sensational revolver duel, and who was being held here awaiting the action of the grand jury, which meets tomorrow, will never be tried. He died at the Salem hospital yesterday morning at 9:30 o'clock.

An operation had been performed upon him last Tuesday by Dr. W. H. Byrd, of this city, and Dr. Geo. H. Wilson, of Portland, consulting physician. At the time little hope was held out by the physicians for his recovery. The cause of his death was a gangrenous affection that had set in as a result of wounds received in the duel from the shots fired by the assailant in the hands of his opponent, Sullivan.

# SAWMILL AND PLANING MILL BURN

Ranier, Or., July 5.—Fire which broke out in the sawmill plant of Paris Brothers at 11:30 this morning, destroyed the saw and planing mill plant, together with the plant of the Eureka Planing Mill Company, whose plant was situated within a few feet of the sawmill.

# CORNELL WON EIGHT OAR RACE IN FAST TIME

Same College Also Captured First Place in Second Race

Poughkeepsie, July 2.—The freshman eight-oared race went to Cornell in 9:07 3-5. Syracuse second, Pennsylvania third, Columbia fourth. A new record. The old record, made by Cornell in 1903, was 9:18. The four-oared race, Cornell won in 19:01; Syracuse second, Columbia third, Pennsylvania fourth.

# VANDERBILT'S LOVE IS ALWAYS FATAL

New York.—Mrs. Ruiz was the second woman who killed herself within a year or so for love of Alfred Vanderbilt.

"She, after all, was only a 'blind' behind which he conducted his real love affairs—with the first woman who killed herself, a young matron of a splendid New York family."

# ALFRED GWYNNE VANDERBILT



Since his divorce he has been spending much time in London, driving his famous four-hand coaches and taking part as exhibitor and judge in various horse shows. His former wife, who retains the name of Mrs. Elsie French Vanderbilt, is living in Newport, going occasionally to her town house in New York and her farm in New Hampshire.

made here today by an American society woman, who was commenting upon the suicide in London of the pretty divorcee, who shot herself after the young millionaire allowed his attentions to her to grow lax, writes Vance Thompson in a special cable from Paris.

The society woman, whose home is in New York and who is a close personal friend of the former Mrs. Alfred Vanderbilt, declares that what she told is no secret to members of the Vanderbilt set in New York, although "outsiders" have not been aware of it.

blow her brains out. Why there isn't a woman in the younger set in New York who doesn't believe that he has the evil eye.

"Two women have killed themselves for him already, and we are all asking each other which one will be the next."

The New York woman then explained her declaration that Mr. Vanderbilt's affair with Mrs. Ruiz was only a "blind."

"Poor little Ruiz!" she said. "She was merely a pawn in the game of love. All the women in Alfred Vanderbilt's set knew that and nicknamed Ruiz accordingly. They called her 'alibi.'"

"The only woman with whom he ever really was in love was a young matron prominent in New York. But he was married, and so was this woman, and their meetings might have caused unpleasant comment."

"Therefore, this girl who killed herself in London was induced to pose as his innamorata. That was even before she became Mrs. Ruiz—when she was simply a pretty and popular member of the upper tenor."

"Her marriage—she didn't want to wed—was due to the insistence of young Vanderbilt. Soon thereafter she began to pose as his favorite, and he allowed his association with her to become known. She was to accept his visits, to ride and drive his horses and to accompany him to midnight suppers all in order that whatever scandal and obloquy might arise would be placed upon her and not upon the other woman."

"She was the alibi, literally—the living alibi."

# TORNADO SWEEPS THROUGH WINNIPEG, KILLING THREE

Winnipeg, Manitoba, July 3.—Three were killed and more than thirty injured in a tornado at Calmar, Sask., yesterday afternoon. The storm was widespread and accompanied by hail, doing great loss to wheat, fields and cattle.

# HAYRAKE PERFORATES BOY IN 100 PLACES

Halsey, Or., July 5.—The 18-year-old son of a farmer named Andrew Ayers, who lives near town, had a miraculous escape from death when a spirited young team hitched to a hay rake ran away, throwing the boy under the rake, which caught and carried him and in some manner perforated his body in over a hundred places. He was carried about 40 yards when the horses jumped a fence, which caused the rake to drop the boy.

Medical aid was quickly summoned by phone. It is thought the lad will recover.

# NO COUPONS WITH TOBACCO AND SNUFF

Washington, July 2.—The finance committee on tobacco decided today to prohibit coupons in tobacco and snuff packages.

# FIVE MILLS AT ABERDEEN RESUME

Aberdeen, Wash., July 5.—Two thousand men went to work this morning when, after a month's shutdown, five Aberdeen lumber mills resumed operations. Five more will begin tomorrow morning.

The mills which began work are Union, American, Wilson Bros., A. J. West and the Aberdeen Lumber & Shingle Company. Mills to begin work tomorrow are the Hartwood, S. E. Slade, C. E. Burrows, Anderson-Middleton, and the United States.

In all mills resuming work old hands, with a few exceptions, returned to work, and millmen report plenty of laborers. The wages for yardmen is \$2 a day. During the shutdown many of the mills have spent the time in making extensive and necessary repairs.

# BINGHAM OUSTED BY McCLELLAN

New York, July 1.—Mayor McClellan today removed Theodore A. Bingham from the office of police commissioner. Bingham refused to dismiss several of his most trusted lieutenants upon demand of the mayor.

# ONE MINISTER HAS MARRIED 3000

Bristol, Tenn., July 6.—The Rev. Albert H. Burroughs, the marrying parson of this Tennessee Gretna Green, has just brought his matrimonial record up to the 3000 mark. Parson Burroughs' specialty is tying knots for eloping couples from Virginia and West Virginia, who flee to this border city to take advantage of the more liberal laws governing matrimonial alliances. So great is the rush of business at times that the parson has married as many as five couples at one ceremony.

# NEBRASKA HAS DAYLIGHT SALOONS

Lincoln, Neb., July 6.—A law which is designed to send convivial Nebraskans home to their families at night went into effect today. The statute confines the sale of liquor between the hours of 7 a. m. and 8 p. m., and provides a severe penalty for saloon keepers who keep their places open at other hours. It is expected that the law will go far toward preventing drunkenness and undue indulgence in liquors.

It was while arguing in favor of the passage of this bill by the state legislature that former Governor Poynter was stricken dead last April.

# IN THE World of Sport

## KETCHEL GIVEN DECISION

Papke Says Robbery in Regard to the Referee's Verdict

San Francisco, July 5.—Stanley Ketchel retained the middleweight championship title against Billy Papke at the Mission street arena this afternoon in their twenty-round fight by the merest thread and largely through the courtesy of Referee Billy Roche. It was not a popular decision for one that was merited, and ninetieths of the vast crowd that was on

round, however, the little Illinois man had a lead over Ketchel, and if there was any shade to a fight that came to be a thorough disappointment before it was finished, that shade belonged to Papke.

"I was robbed," declared Papke. "I ought to have known better than to accept Roche as the referee. There was never a chance for Ketchel to lose, unless I knocked him out. A draw was the very worst I should have received."

Martin Sheridan, the giant New York policeman and a member of the Irish-American Athletic Club, the world's best all-around athlete, in-



PRESIDENT TAFT IN THE ROLE OF A BASEBALL PITCHER.

Mr. Roosevelt may well look to his strenuous laurels when he sees this picture of his successor on the baseball diamond. It is a snapshot of the president hurling up an inshoot at the opening of the Yale game which took place in Pittsburg recently. While Mr. Taft admits that baseball is a bit too strenuous for him, he probably is the most ardent fan that ever occupied the presidential chair. He not only knows all the fine points of the game, but keeps in touch with the standing of the clubs in the big leagues and knows something of the batting and fielding averages of most of the stars.

hand received the surprise of its life when Roche raised the hand of Ketchel in the air to signify that he had won on points.

To the fact that Papke held on for the last two or three rounds and that he was knocked down in the tenth, at which stage Ketchel was at his best, can be charged his defeat. Round by

# NEWS OF BUSY SPRINGFIELD

Big railroad contractors are now in the field investigating conditions along the line with a view of bidding on the work of the Natron extension, says the Springfield News. Four contractors from San Francisco passed through Springfield Monday and are now working east of Natron over the survey.

This fact confirms the repeated reports that Harriman at least intends to let contracts at once. The presumption seems to be that as soon as the contractors return contracts will be let.

Grange Meeting  
Following is the program for the Springfield Grange meeting on Saturday, July 10:  
Music—Orchestra.  
Essay—"Course of Reading for Women on the Farm," Miss Eva McEwen.  
Song—Mrs. A. B. Rudman.  
Essay—"Prevention of Disease," C. H. Gile.  
Recitation—"Thora," Miss Edna Bertsch.  
Song—Grange.  
The program will begin at 2 p. m. and will be an open meeting. All are invited.

Local Items.  
Joseph McArthur, of the engineering firm of McArthur & McClain, is making an estimate for the extension of the Springfield sewer system.

L. M. Beebe, editor of the News, is spending the Fourth at Forest Grove.

The family of C. L. Beadle left for their home in Hart, Michigan, Tuesday. They moved to Oregon a year ago.

V. F. Lyons received a very painful injury while working at the city rock quarry last Monday evening just before the quitting hour. He was prying a large rock that had become jarred partly loose from a heavy blast, and in so doing the rock fell and struck him on the knee.—News.

G. E. Simmons, who has been lo-

officers. Later he will go to other lodges in the district.

Five Yards to Be Built  
J. Newton Rhoads, for years a railroad man and for twenty months yardmaster at Junction City, and now a real estate man in Springfield, says that his chosen city has the site for the best railroad yards of any town between San Francisco and Portland, with the exception of Roseville, Cal. He has seen the blue prints of the Southern Pacific, and says that the railroad plans to put down ten miles of yards in Springfield.

He reports the following sales of property during the week: 64 feet on B street, from K. L. Hall to Carson Dixon; cottage on Sixth and B streets, to Effie J. Stanger; 3 acres and house from Mrs. Jane Dixon to P. Conley; Mrs. Eva Emery, one acre in Stewart's ad. \$250; house on B street to a prominent railroad man for \$1000.

In regard to Willamette valley soil he says:  
"There are three distinctive qualities of soil, all productive. The Willamette and McKenzie river bottom land is a black, sandy loam. The valley land is a light gray loam, and is easily cultivated. The foothill lands are a rich, red loam, suitable for cereals, grasses and fruit."

Eugene People Buy Property  
J. J. Browning reports that B. B. McKinley has purchased two lots on Main street, one in block 74 and the other in block 65. S. A. Sager has bought a lot in block 65, and two others north of the depot on Seventh street, one with a house on it.

G. H. Weaver has bought three lots on Seventh street and Raymond Powell two lots and a residence.

# RECEPTION TO FORMER EUGENE MINISTER

Rev. Geo. E. McDonald, Formerly Pastor of U. B. Church, Now in Portland

This morning's Oregonian tells of a reception given there to a former popular Eugene minister, as follows:  
Rev. Geo. E. McDonald, the new pastor of the First United Brethren church, East Fifth and East Morrison streets, was given a reception and welcome to that field last night at the home of J. R. Mann, 711 East Yamhill street. Rev. H. C. Shaffer, the retiring pastor and city superintendent, was also a guest of the evening, as he turned over the work to his successor, after five years of successive service.

An informal program of music and addresses was rendered. Rev. Mr. McDonald spoke pleasantly and hopefully of the prospects of the First church, and expressed the hope the year would bring results. He asked for the sympathy and co-operation of the members. Rev. Mr. Shaffer spoke of the five years he had spent as pastor of the church as years of great pleasure, and he thanked the people for their co-operation. Rev. C. H. Cline, D. D., of the Methodist church, also spoke.

Rev. Mr. McDonald arrived from Dayton, Ohio, a week ago and has entered on his work. "He has spent a number of years in different parts of Oregon as pastor. Rev. Mr. Shaffer and family will reside in Portland and he will look after church extensions in the conference.

After a month's shut-down the mills of Aberdeen, Wash., are to resume active operations next week. The decision was reached yesterday after a lengthy discussion by the millowners. The shut-down was due to a strike of yardmen, who asked a wage raise from \$1.75 to \$2. The strike spread to all the mill employees, a general increase of 25 cents a day being demanded. When the

increased his famous point score of 7130 1-2 to 7385 in the all-around championship contest of the Amateur Athletic Union yesterday at New York. Matsuke's score was shrldu York.

Eugene plays the Alco Club of Albany, at Midway Park next Sunday.



MRS. ELLEN F. VANDERBILT.

Former wife of Alfred Gwynne Vanderbilt, who took the name Mrs. Ellen French Vanderbilt when she obtained her recent divorce from her wealthy husband.

mills resume \$2 will be paid yardmen but no other increases are allowed.

Young lady (to Tommy, who has just announced that he is engaged to a young lady aged 12)—Why, I thought you always promised to marry me!

# NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the matter of the estate of Kate Houston, deceased:  
Notice is hereby given that B. F. Houston who has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Kate Houston, by the Hon. G. R. Christian, county judge of said Lane county. All persons having claims against the estate are hereby notified to present the same to the administrator at the law office of Geo. B. Dorris, in Eugene, Oregon within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice, with the necessary voucher.

# JUNE BUILDING PERMITS ARE HIGHEST YET

Record Month for Building in Eugene—\$100,000 Hotel Swells the Total

Building Inspector McFarland reports the largest month in permits during June in the history of his office. The month previous was the record month up to that time, but the new \$100,000 hotel helped to swell the total for June, establishing a new record. The permits aggregated \$145,725. During the month permits for 29 residences were issued, as against 28 for May. This does not indicate that there is much of a cessation in building, although it is admitted that there are not so many residences going up as there were in the early spring and last fall. The buildings for which permits were issued last month are as follows:

- Mrs. M. E. Heller, cottage; west Eighth street, between Jackson and VanBuren. \$600.
- C. N. Griswold, cottage; corner of Twelfth and Washington streets. \$1000.
- Miss S. Wilkinson, residence; Twelfth street, between Lincoln and Lawrence. \$1000.
- H. W. Hall, bungalow and barn; Thirteenth street, between Moss and Columbia avenues. \$1000.
- W. J. Lackey, residence and barn; Eleventh street, between Washington and Jefferson. \$1500.
- Mrs. M. L. Parson, addition to residence; corner Jefferson and Cheshire streets. \$125.
- F. E. Edwards, bungalow; corner Fifteenth and Oak streets. \$1500.
- W. E. Jirge, residence; corner of Sixth and Harrison streets. \$800.
- F. E. Taylor, residence; Oregon avenue, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets. \$1000.
- G. W. Breeding, residence; Villard avenue, between Thirteenth and Fifteenth streets. \$500.
- A. H. Hinkson, addition to residence; Fifth street, between Adams and Monroe. \$450.
- M. L. Elliott, residence; Washington street, between Third and Fourth streets. \$1000.
- Mrs. D. A. Harden, residence; Oregon avenue, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets. \$1500.
- D. Campbell, barn; lot 8, block 31, Fairmount. \$350.
- R. H. Nesbitt, addition to residence; Agate avenue, between boulevard and Nineteenth street. \$150.
- A. O. Bray, cottage; Nineteenth street, between Collier street and Agate avenue. \$500.
- G. H. Bogus, residence; Hilyard street, between Ninth and Eleventh. \$1500.
- C. A. Dalzell, residence; Eleventh street, between Hilyard and Alder. \$2500.
- J. C. Kirk, bungalow; Beech avenue, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets. \$500.
- Mrs. S. Lowell, bungalow; corner Sixth and Jefferson streets. \$2000.
- M. C. Hull, addition to residence; Eleventh street, between Washington and Lawrence. \$500.
- B. F. Wheeler, bungalow; Fourteenth street, between Mill and High. \$1000.
- A. A. Asby, residence and barn; Moss avenue, between boulevard and Nineteenth street. \$2000.
- A. A. Asby, cottage; Sixth street, between Washington and Jefferson. \$500.
- S. H. Friendly, concrete warehouse; Willamette street, between Eighth and Ninth. \$1500.
- V. L. Holt, bungalow and wood-house; Fourteenth street, between Mill and Ferry. \$1000.
- T. B. Luckey, bungalow; corner Ninth and Washington streets. \$1500.
- Julia Berkshire, bungalow; Agate avenue, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets. \$1500.
- Mrs. L. Mulkey, bungalow and barn; Eighth street, between Van Buren and Jackson. \$1500.
- W. Pennington, residence; Eighth street, between Charnelton and Lincoln. \$1000.
- Mrs. P. J. McPherson, remodel residence; Thirteenth street, between Patterson and Ferry. \$2500.
- S. J. Rider, residence; corner Harris and Eighteenth streets. \$1000.
- R. M. Pratt, brick warehouse; Willamette street, between Eighth and Ninth. \$2000.
- J. D. Matlock, remodel residence; Eleventh street, between Olive and Charnelton. \$1000.
- F. L. Chambers, remodel warehouse; Willamette street, between Seventh and Eighth. \$500.
- Wm. Bohart, cottage; Garden street, between Garden and Walnut avenues. \$150.
- Mrs. Z. F. Sigman, residence; Eighth street, between Adams and Jackson. \$1500.
- Mrs. Z. F. Sigman, residence; Washington street, between Sixth and Seventh. \$2000.
- J. M. Cox, bungalow and wood-house; Lawrence street, between First and Clark. \$500.
- Osburn Hotel Company, 5 1-2 story hotel; corner Pearl and Eighth streets. \$100,000.
- J. M. O'Farrell, schoolhouse; Willamette street, between Tenth and Eleventh. \$6000.

Total permits—\$145,725.

V. McFARLAND, Building Inspector.

565 Charnelton street.

Marriage licenses have been issued to the following couples: Edward P. Latin and Mrs. Nancy Ann Martin, both of Pleasant Hill; Enoch L. Norris and Miss Ella Allen, both of Eugene; John A. Moore and Miss Clara Hawkins, both of Eugene.