

STOCKS DECLINE BUT SOON RALLY

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—As a result of pressure brought to bear on stocks when the market opened here today all of the active issues declined. Steel suffered the brunt of this pressure and lost a point. Union Pacific, Canadian Pacific and Reading each fell a like amount. The short side of the market was favored again today by professional operators, active issues selling liberally for a time with resultant sharp declines. A loss of ten points was felt by American Express, which fell to its lowest price in ten years. When the floor traders ceased selling the market rallied easily. Conspicuous strength was displayed by Amalgamated. The bond market showed less tension, call loans opening at six per cent. The market closed steady. Bonds were irregular.

SUIT SETTLED OUTSIDE COURT

The suit brought by Frank H. Ray against the Clark and Henry construction company for \$13,000 has been compromised for \$3000 outside of court. The suit was based on a contract entered into between Ray and the company whereby the company was to operate Ray's quarry at Gold Ray and use so many carloads of crushed rock. The paving company failed to operate the quarry, whereupon Colonel Ray instituted suit.

PRISON FOR LABOR LEADERS

Frank K. Painter of Omaha was sentenced to two years. Edward Clark who changed his plea of not guilty to guilty at the outset of the trial was not included in the list of the thirty-eight convicted men. Before sentencing the defendants Judge Anderson read the following statement:

Anderson's Statement "Two of the defendants, Ortie McManigal and Clark, pleaded guilty and testified to knowledge of the conspiracy and of participating in its execution. The principal of these is McManigal whose story on the witness stand was given in such a manner as to carry a conviction of truth itself, but in addition to this, his testimony was corroborated by letters written by various defendants and from records furnished by banks, telegraph, express and telephone companies, post offices, hotel registers and other facts and circumstances, leaving no doubt as to the truth of his testimony either in substance or detail. "This campaign of dynamiting was entered into and carried on throughout the country, from the Atlantic to the Pacific and it necessarily involved the illegal transportation of dynamite and nitroglycerine. Many more than the twenty-five illegal instances of the transport of dynamite charged in the indictments were proved in this case. The evidence disclosed an appalling list of crimes in addition to those charged in the indictments. These crimes were all committed in the name of organized labor. I won't believe that organized labor approved of such practices. Any organization approving of or adopting the methods of these defendants is an outlaw and will meet the fate that outlaws have met since civilized society began.

Each Defendant Guilty "The evidence clearly establishes that each of the defendants convicted either aided or abetted in the unlawful transportation as charged in the indictment. The evidence shows that some of the defendants are guilty of murder but they are not charged here with that crime. This court cannot punish them for murder, nor should it be influenced by any such consideration in fixing the measure of punishment for the crimes charged."

"I will not sentence a man whom I believe to be innocent, regardless of the verdict returned by a jury." This announcement was made from the bench today by Judge Anderson in the United States court here, after he had denied a motion by the defense to stay judgment in the case of the thirty-eight union men convicted of unlawfully transporting dynamite, and had also denied a second motion for a new trial. Judge Anderson's statement came after giving the defense attorneys permission to speak in behalf of the defendants and allowing each prisoner the right to make a statement. Farrell Innocent The first prisoner called to the bar was Patrick F. Farrell of New York,

ROYAL ROSARIANS GREETED BY BAND

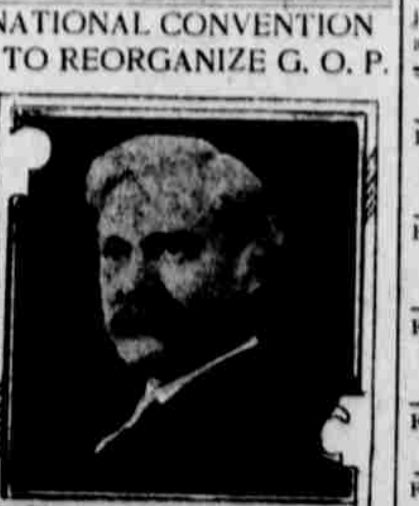
The Royal Rosarians, speeding to California to advertise Portland's rose festival, are today encouraged by the hospitality of Medford, Salem and other towns along their route in Oregon. A stop of several minutes was made by the Rosarians special in Medford, and the travelers were received by members of the Commercial club at an impromptu rally. At Salem the train was stopped to secure some Oregon holly, donated to the Rosarians by Secretary of State Olcott. This will be distributed at San Francisco. C. C. Craig, a leader of the party, came near missing the train at Salem when it started away while he was hastening to board it. He sprinted several yards and finally swung to the rear platform. The party reached Medford shortly after noon Sunday and were serenaded by the O. A. C. band and greeted by a large number of local people. The party was "under wraps" however, reserving their joyousness until San Francisco is reached.

a former member of the executive board of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Ironworkers. He was questioned by Judge Anderson and the fact that the court brought out a point favorable to Farrell gave hope to the other convicted men. Judge Anderson questioned Farrell about his appearance before the Ironworkers' executive board, regarding a strike in progress in New York at that time. "I understand," said Judge Anderson to Farrell, "that you voted to end the strike against the American Bridge. I do not believe this fact was brought out at the trial. "That's true," answered Farrell. "I was never in favor of a dynamiting campaign. I quit the union in 1908 and never attended any of its meetings after that year. "If Farrell," stated the court, "was opposed to dynamiting campaigns I think he is deserving of consideration."

Sentence Delayed "I certainly would have moved for his discharge," said Miller, "or at least have urged the defense attorneys to have presented a better for him. At this stage of the proceedings Judge Anderson voiced his determination to sentence any man whom he believed to be innocent. Farrell was then temporarily excused, no final action being taken at this time. James Cooney of Chicago, one of the business agents of the ironworkers, was then called. Judge Anderson instructed Cooney that he need not answer questions unless he felt so disposed. "You may ask me any question you like," said Cooney, "and I will answer it. I have nothing to fear."

Cooney said he was a member of the Illinois bar and believed in the constitution on which the United States government is founded. District Attorney Miller here put in a word for Cooney. No Evidence Presented "There has been no evidence presented," said the prosecutor, "that Cooney was implicated in the conspiracy except Ortie McManigal's statement that he and Cooney once talked over dynamitings in Chicago." Miller, however, opposed leniency for Cooney, saying: "Cooney is mentioned in a letter Hoekin wrote to John McNamara as the man who introduced McManigal to F. M. Ryan. Hoekin also charged him with talking too much."

Court was expected to convene at ten o'clock, but it was a few minutes before Judge Anderson appeared. It was expected that the sentencing of the prisoners would take an entire day. NATIONAL CONVENTION TO REORGANIZE G. O. P.



SEN A. B. CUMMINS On the advice of Senator Cummins, of Iowa, republican leaders in Congress are making plans for a national convention in an effort to reorganize the republican party. Senator Cummins has left Washington for his home in Des Moines to be at the bedside of his father, who is thought to be dying.



GULLIVER'S TRAVELS. The Pujiputs are very busy.

TACOMAN CHASED BY IMAGINARY SAVAGES

TACOMA, Wn., Dec. 30.—Attacked by an imaginary band of Indians, William Smith, a Seattle druggist, boarded the train in that city this morning and fled to Tacoma, according to his own wild story told to the police when he was arrested here at noon. The unfortunate man declared he and his wife had separated recently in Seattle. He said he had not worked at the drug business for some time, but that he now is a salesman. Smith says a band of savages chased him this morning down Second avenue, Seattle, to the interurban depot, where he was fortunate enough to swing aboard an outgoing train.

MINISTERS TO RESCUE OF POLICE MORAL SQUAD

SEATTLE, Dec. 30.—Ministers and prominent laymen are circulating petitions today calling for a referendum vote on the ordinance recently passed by the council, which curtails the power of the police moral squad. Mayor Cotterill vetoed this ordinance but it was later passed over his head and since that time members of the clergy claim there has been an increase of vice.

Notice. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will apply to the city council at its meeting to be held Jan. 2, 1913, for a license to sell malt, spirituous and vinous liquors in quantities less than a gallon at its place of business on lot 10, block 44, city of Medford for a period of six months. HOLLAND HOTEL CO. Dated Dec. 14, 1912.

No—not all real estate ads may be investigated at your leisure! One may appear—today, or any day—so important to you as to justify quick action on your part!

- TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY FOR SALE—Farm lands and stock ranches. See Barnett over Daniels for Duds. 244 FOR RENT—Housekeeping rooms Close in, reasonable. No children. 6 West Jackson street. 241 FOR RENT—Store room and office rooms. See Barnett, over Daniels for Duds. 241 FOR RENT—Houses. See Barnett over Daniels for Duds. 244 FOR SALE—Suburban store, living rooms attached. Good location, fine proposition. See Barnett over Daniels for Duds. 244

LOST—Young Airdale dog. Left hind foot lame from fox tail. Has black neck. Call W. A. Cornelius, Oakdale Cash Grocery and receive reward.

POOR LO MAKES LAST PLEA FOR JUSTICE

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 30.—Prince of Wales, chief of the Clallam, who have been without a home for 67 years is on his way to Washington today to make a final fight for justice from the white man. In 1846 the Clallam Indians surrendered all their lands on Cape Flattery consisting of an area larger than the state of Connecticut for a reservation of 2840 acres. They found this land occupied by another tribe of Indians and were forced to wander around from one part of the sound to another. Government officials made promises but ever supplied them with a permanent home.

22 OF AN INCH OF RAIN IN VALLEY

During the present rain storm 22 of an inch of rain has fallen in the valley with more predicted for tonight and tomorrow. It will also be colder. Warmer weather has resulted in higher water in local streams the snow melting much more rapidly. A cold snap is in prospect and this will check the floods.

MARRIED. Sunday by Rev. Goulder, Frank J. Curran and Ethel May Howard. Miss Howard is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Howard, a fruit grower near Jacksonville. Mr. Curran is well known in Medford where he is employed as foreman of the Gas company. Mr. and Mrs. Curran departed on the afternoon train for San Francisco where Mr. Curran has been transferred to take up the position of Inspector of Appliances for the Boardman company. They have the well wishes of a host of friends who wish them future prosperity.

LOSES HIS LIFE TRYING TO SAVE OLD HAT SEATTLE, Dec. 30.—Staking his life against a cheap battered hat, an unidentified man is in the morgue today. A gust of wind whistled around the tower of the Northern Pacific depot and whisked the man's hat out onto a glass roof of the trainshed. He crawled after it and fell through. His skull was crushed. The hat is still lying on the glass roof just beyond the gaping hole.

New Year's Issue

In accordance with its annual custom the Mail Tribune will on New Year's day issue a special edition descriptive of the growth and progress of Medford and the Rogue river valley during the past year. The issue will be profusely illustrated and be replete with cuts and maps descriptive of the valley's development. This is the only chance to send your friends the story of the valley brought up-to-date, to let the world know what we are doing in the march of progress. Send in orders early for extra copies. Price 5 cents. MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE.

HUMPHREY GUN STORE IS SOLD

R. L. Ewing, W. F. Backus and J. C. Morris of Portland have purchased the Humphrey Gun Store in this city and will conduct it after January 1. Messrs. Backus and Morris are the makers of some of the finest flies and fishing tackle in the northwest. Mr. Backus is famed throughout the state as a leading fly fisherman.

TWO MEN KILLED BY FALLING SIX STORIES

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30.—Falling six stories and smashing through a skylight Edward Hannan and John L. Crawford, painters, were instantly killed here today. The men were working on a painters' falls at the seventh story of the Whitney building when one of the ropes slipped.

FIFTEEN PERISH IN AVALANCHE AT FERNIE

FERNIE, B. C., Dec. 30.—Fifteen carpenters employed by the Crow's Nest Pass coal company were crushed to death here today. An avalanche demolished the buildings in which they were housed, burying them under tons of earth.

MEDFORD DRUGGIST DESERVES PRAISE

L. B. Haskins, druggist, deserves praise from Medford people for introducing here the simple buckhorn bark and glycerine mixture, known as Adler-ka. This simple German remedy first became famous by curing appendicitis and it has now been discovered that A SINGLE DOSE relieves sour stomach, gas on the stomach and constipation INSTANTLY.

TALKS ON TEETH



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