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ANOTHER MURDER MYSTERY.

HE KILLING of the Japanese woman, Mrs. Keda, her baby and another Japanese Thursday night at the Jap restaurant on Ferry street, will, no doubt, be cleared up soon; but at present, while suspicion points to the husband, there may be another man instead, who, prompted by jealousy, committed the foul crime. That it was caused by jealousy is pretty certain, for it has all the earmarks of that, and there seems no other

There are, however, several clues that are certain to lead to the discover; of the murderer. One of these is the bloody hand prints on the stair railing, and these were made by a short stubby hand, a hand that is at least very like that of the husband. Another suspicious circumstance is that when the husband was found after the crime he was near a local theatre with some other Japs; that he then claimed that he had been to the hospital to see a sick Jap friend, and that on the way bick he with his friends stopped at the picture show. In this connection it is important to remember that the dead Jap, who was evidently pretty familiar with the dead woman, made the excuse to his employer in order to get away for the evening that he wanted to go to the hospital to see a sick friend. He did not go to the hospital, nor did he inter I to. The idea of going to the hospital was suggested to him, perhaps by the fact that the husband had caused word to reach him that he was going to the hospital, in order to let him know that the coast was clear for him to visit

This is all speculation, simply an attempt to show the probable cause of the crime. It is, however, about the cusning way in which the Oriental mind works, and is plausible. It is known that the dead man and woman were very friendly, and the husband was probably aware of the fact.

Every Jap is born with an alibi, which he carries ready for all occasions, and it was at once in evidence here. The murders were committed with a knife belonging in the restaurant, and with a pistol said to belong to the dead man. The wounds were of such a character that they could not have been self-inflicted. If the murderer was some other than the husband, how did the murderer come to have in his possession the bread knife belonging in the restaurant! If the husband was guilty, what more natural than that he should have this same knife? Attacking the pair suddenly and unexpectedly, it would have been easy for him to overpower his victim, and taking his pistol away from him, use it to commit the murder.

Motorcycle Policeman Spencer says he was at the restaurant about 20 minutes before the crime was committed and that Koda and Joe Nakamurra were both there then. This adds to the suspicion that Koda had gone up the street to where he was arrested, for the sole purpose of establishing an alibi. He was with Nakamurra 20 minutes before the crime, and up the street shortly after it when the officers found him, and yet Jee Nakamurra was the man, who before the crime was made public took the baby to the Chinese doctor, and later rushed back, and carrying it upstairs, left it on the pile of quilts where found How did Nakamurra happen to be on hand and the husband away? Is it not probable that the father killed the child accidentally, and that his friend, at his suggestion, took it to the doctor to see if its life could not be saved? Is not the chain of circumstantial evidence against Koda a strong one?

It is practically certain that the crime was committed either by the hushand or by sems one who was jealous of the man who had a hold on the woman's affections, and as there is no evidence of there being another man in the case, everything barks back to the husband as the murderer.

TO STOP THE TIPPING HABIT.

ONDON, IT IS SAID, has inaugurated a war on tips. The custom had its rise there and it is proper that it should also get its death blow in the same place. A company that controls 175 restaurants in London started the movement, and has placed a sign over the doors of each of its retaurants that no tipping is permitted. Now, it is said, there are 500 cating places in the city that have these signs and on their menu the same request that reads as follows: "Visitors are earnestly requested not to offer tips to any of the staff, the acceptance of which involves instant dismissal."

It is claimed that this has caused a remarkable increase in patronage, and that all the hotels and restaurants that have not already adopted the system, will soon do so. The tipping habit was a had one, and one that had no excens for existence. It had become so bad that the tip cost about as much as a meal in many restaurants, and yet it was necessary to "come through" or get to service. It placed the burden of paying the waiter on the customer in addition to paying for what he got, instead of on the owner of the place, who often paid little or no wages, compelling the waiter to rely on tips, on the geneosity of the public for his pay. If Louden sticks to it, the tipping habit will soon cease in New York, where the ultra fashionable turn up their trous es when the cable announces that it is raining it Loudon. Of course, if it stops in New York, that will put an end to it all over the United States. It may re sult along with the Mulhall exposures in the tipping habit even being shut est

"SHE PLIES WITH HER OWN WINGS,"

REGON IS AGAIN IN THE LEAD, and sets the pace for the balance of the world in the matter of fixing a minimum wage for woman. It is an important movement, not that Oregon has set the price of wages high, but that she has set them at all. It is the principle of the thing, the fact that it is recognized that the laborer is worthy of his, or in this case, her hire, and that hire must be sufficient to sustain life decently.

It is one of the most important measures on which the seal of state approval was ever set. It is one of the few laws that put humanity above the dollar, that count human life as first and profits after. It is the first step toward climinating the slums, toward making city life better and more moral. Oregon has set the pace in many things, but twere is no other of which she has so much cause to feel proud. Conditions have commercialized the sex, but Oregon steps in and says that is doing so it must also pay the price of that commer cializing, and that there is a limit of pay below which the public will not a: low waman to work. If, under modern conditions she must work, Oregon in

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sists that she must be paid a sum that will support her decently. It is largely an experiment, and time will probably cause some change in the amount of wage, but the principal is adopted, and it is only a question of what the miaroun wage shall be. This will solve i seif, as conditions demand. Truly the old state is motto is a splendid fit, for she surely "Flies with her own wings."

A DANGEROUS PRACTICE.

HE CAPITAL JOURNAL has called attention repeatedly to the deadly trap caused by the passengers being compelled to get on or off street cars on the right side thereof. The passengers wishing to reach the left side of the street must pass behind the car, while autos and other vehicles pass the ear, meeting it on that side. It is only a matter of time until some one steps out from behind the car and directly in front of an auto or motorcycle and is hart or killed. Just this accident occurred in Portland a few days ago, and as the motorcycle was going at high speed, its victim was ent to the hospital, and very properly, its owner was at the same time seat to the rock pile.

The practice of passing street cars stopped at the crossings, as a high race if speed is general, and should be stopped. If a toists will a clow down, when passing street cars, of their ow volition, then they must be made to do to. The attention of the city council is again called to this, and some action is requested that will give a measure of protection to the public. The time to its this is now, and not after a me one has been burt or killed

X-RAYS. +++++

The first step toward success is to arouse criticism, the next is to heed it and profit by it.

A Boston preacher eays there will be no baseball in beaven. It might be added that there will be no preaching,

Anyway, of Salem five murders within the past week, none of them were due to booze.

Japanese alibi cuts no ice. Every Jap is born with one or more of then and is never thy.

Five deaths in six days from murder is a pretty big record for Salem.

in the Diggs and Caminetti trials, is in the jury finding them both guilty.

Under the ruling of the judge trying Diggs and Caminetti, if they took the min Dedrick, a negro porter testified, girls to Reno for immoral purposes, no with a wide grin, that he got a handmatter what the reputation of the girls some tip at Reno, when he assisted the was, they are guilty. This makes the party of four to alight from the train outlook for the two anything but pleas-

THE ROUND-UP.

A waterspoot hit Dixie creek near wife," Prairie City, Grant county, Thursday, turning that little stream into a veritable river. Bridges were carried away and roads badly damaged.

Mosier will hold an election in September to vote on incorporation.

An auto owned by R. R. Giltner, of Portland, was struck by a freight train at Albany Tuesday night, and was carried half a block and finally landed against a telephone pole. The occupants all jumped and escaped. The machine was not damaged materially.

Burns had a pienic last Sunday at which there more than 500 present.

Portland will give prisoners five days off on 30 for good behavior. This tarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's THLMAN IN CLASH is an inducement to get to the rockpile, Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free

There will be 2000 Chinese pheasants liberated in Eastern Oregon this

F. W. Settlemier, of Woodburn, has yielding nearly 100 bushels to the acre.

The Central Oregon Development Governor West will be there.

The old Pendleton Academy, one of the landmarks of that city, was destroyed by fire Tuesday night.

J. P. Roehl, for many years an employe of the Oregon City woolen mills, Wednesday morning fell between a moving elevator and a floor landing and was crushed to death.

On July 30, 1887, according to the Itemizer of that date, an eastern man was talking of establishing a toothpick factory at Dallas.

The electric plant at Burns is oper ated two forenoons of each week for the convenience of housewives who wish to do their ironing.

On the premises of R. H. Pearsons at Creswell, a well drill at the depth of 94 feet pierced a cedar log which, judged by the appearance of fragments pumped up, was in excellent preserva-...

The Cornelius Tribune's new editor, after a week or two on the tripod of that rejuvenated journal, says: "Our balance sheet is all on the bou just side

* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * so far. No brickbats—but there!

The residence of C. G. Long, at Independence, which was destroyed by fire last week, is said to have been the first lath and plastered house in Polk county. It was built in 1868 by Perry Watson, for L. Vandyne, who is now a res ident of Portland.

The humble foot passenger at Jefferson has a hard time of it, the Review bearing witness that "a number of sidewalks are in such a dilapidated condition as to be unsafe for use, and a pedestrian can't walk in the street on account of buzz wagons."

DIGGS GETS ONE LAUGH DURING SLAVERY TRIAL

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WINE.]

San Francisco, uAug. 9 .- For the first The principal interest the public has time during the course of his trial here on charges of violating the Mann white slave act, Maury I. Diggs, of Sacramento, laughed outright at yesterday afternoon's session when Far-

F A. Lindner, a clerk at the River side hotel, at Renn, positively identified Diggs and Caminetti as having + + + + + + + + + + registered there with two women March ◆ 10, last under the names of ** C E. En-. · · · · · · · · · · · · right and wife" and F. F. Ross and

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their summer vacation as they should harvested a five-acre field of cats that be. Now, notwithstanding much outdoor life, they are little if any strong er than they were. The tan on their faces is darker and makes them look League will have a big meeting at healthier, but it is only a mask. They Klamath Falls August 19, 20 and 21. are still nervous, easily tired, upset by Six counties will be represented, and trifles, and they do not cat or sleep well. What they need is what tones the nerves, perfects digestion, creates The Gazette-Times, Corvallis, says appetite and makes sleep refreshing, 1000 attended the opening of the new and that is Hood's Sarsaparilla. Pupils theatre, the Majestic, Tuesday night, and teachers generally find the chief It also gives a lengthy description of purpose of the vacation best subserved the beautiful new building and its by this great medicine, which, as we know, "builds up the whole system."

CONCLAVE PRELIMINARIES.

[UNITED PRESS LEARED WITE.] Denver, Colo., Aug. 9.—Although the thirty-second triennial conclave of the Knights Templar does not formally open until next Tuesday, the preliminaries began today, when Most Eminent Sir W. B. Melish, grand master of the Templars, arrived at 2 o'clock this afternoon, and was formally received by the grand commandery of Colorado. The constituent commanderies of Colorade scorted him to his headquarters.

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\$1.49, \$1.98 and \$2.50



the largest temporary stadium ever a brusque, discourteous manner." ter of the city. It is two blocks long man's name and number. The conducdium will be torn down after the conclave. It cost the knights \$26,000. All the prize drills will be hold there. More than 100,000 visitors are expected during the meeting.

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WITH CAR CONDUCTOR [UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]

Washington, Aug. 9 .- Senator Tillman, of South Carolina, is the Intest national legislator to clash with a street ear conductor, and today he is engaged ic "cooling off," as he expressed it. before determining whether he would file charges against the man. Within the last few weeks, Representative Sis. I son, of Misissippi, and Representative , Buchanan, of Illinois, have clashed with conductors on Pennsylvania aven-12 street cars.

"If this keeps up," said a senator teday,, laughingly, we will have to organize the Solons' Street Car Society for Conductor Chasing. It seems about to become the most popular summer sport with congress," Senator Tillman, with Mrs. Tillman, boarded a car at the capital to ride to their home. He



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electric lighting effects and for decor- the step, and, necording to witnesses, robs cuts and other injuris a ating downtown streets. In addition, he was ordered in on the platform "in don't exist. " Will do good is built has been erected in the civic cen- clash followed and the senator took the Only 25c, at J. C. Perry. and will seat 30,000 persons. The sta- tor denied that he had intended to be discourteous or abrupt.

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