

### TEN ELKHORN VOTES COST COUNTY \$60

Warrants for Salaries of Judges and Clerks Drawn Today—Board Checking Over Returns.

Votes of \$6 each are expensive, but this is the price that the county will pay to hear the expression of the electors of the Elkhorn precinct. The judges and clerks will receive \$55 for their services, the rent of the polling place cost \$2.50, and it will require an additional \$2.50 to pay for the transportation of the ballot boxes over the route twice, as they had to be returned to be properly sealed, and for the supplies, postage and other incidentals. There were ten votes cast at a total cost of \$60.

counts where there were constables, justices of the peace and precinct committees to be elected, it has been necessary to write in the names of at least 30 men on a single sheet. As a result the work of making the final count is slow and will not be finished for about two weeks.

#### ARRESTED ON SUSPICION.

Spokane, Wash., May 21.—On suspicion of being connected with the robbery of the State bank at Spangle, Wash., Tuesday, in which three bandits secured approximately \$4,000, Allen Hart was arrested in a Spokane suburb today a few miles from where the highwaymen were last seen. He was armed with a revolver, and a large amount of ammunition was found on his person.

#### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

J. D. Barber et ux to Katie Holmes, part B 12 University Add.—\$1.  
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J Lick to W A Wilson, L 3 Graberhorst F N 3.—\$10.  
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O O Steen et ux to L Robinson et ux, part L 25 Alden Add Silverton.—\$225.  
E M Alford et vir to S E Wolfe, L 7 and 8 B 10 Fairmount Add.—\$10.  
Quit Claim Deeds.  
R B Herrick Jr to J A Herrick, L 2 B 4 Depot Add.—\$1.

### ENGINEER CONFERS WITH GOV. WEST

P. R. L. & P. C. Offers to Give Proper Custodians Right of Common-User Over Portland-Vancouver Bridge.

Mr. Howard, of the engineering firm of Wardell & Harrington, is in the city having a conference with the governor and Railroad Commissioner Atcheson, in regard to the approach to the Portland-Vancouver bridge. It seems the P. R. L. & P. C. has a right of way 30 feet wide over the street leading to the bridge, and it offers to give the city, state or whoever is the proper custodian and owner of such things, a right of common-user over this right of way. The city is condemning a strip 25 feet wide on each side of this right of way and wants the absolute title transferred to it. This company owns Hayden's Island, over which the bridge will be built, and this right of way it offers to give absolutely to the state or proper authorities. In the meanwhile the suit to enjoin the building of the bridge, or the issuing of the bonds by Multnomah county, is yet to be heard, and some good lawyers insist that the bonds will not be issued. Those in charge, however, are not anticipating the decision of the supreme court, but are going ahead just as though the matter was settled.

### CHILD HAS THROAT SLASHED BY MAN

Harold Lawler, Photographer, Found Dead With Bottle of Poison Beside Him—Police Believe Murder and Suicide.

Elgin, Ill., May 21.—With the throat slashed from ear to ear, the body of Orville Magnus, 7 years old, was found today in the home of Charles Redean. In an adjoining room, Harold Lawler, aged 35, a photographer, was also found dead. An empty bottle which had contained poison was found near Lawler's body. The crime was discovered by Victor Magnus, Orville's father. Orville went to the home of Harold Redean, a playmate, late yesterday to spend the night. Lawler was caring for the house during the absence of his sister, Mrs. Redean. The police think Lawler murdered the lad and then committed suicide. Harold Redean was still asleep when slugs entered the house this morning. If he had known nothing of the crime.

#### PENDLETON TO HAVE A SEPARATE JAIL FOR WOMEN

Pendleton, Ore., May 21.—Because of startling revelations of conditions resulting from the lack of a private jail for women, the house committee of the city council today decided to recommend the construction of another jail. The action follows an investigation by the local ministerial association.

#### "FRIED CHICKEN"

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were issued here today for the arrest of Dr. J. O. Nibley, Dr. Kenneth T. Long and a brother of Dr. Long, whose given name has not been ascertained, on the charge of contributing to the delinquency of minors in connection with the crusade being made here against road houses and which resulted in Governor West ordering militia men to again close the Friars club at Milwaukie.

#### Girls Are in Custody.

Four girls, one 20 years old, and three under that age, are in the custody of the department of public safety for women and are being held as witnesses against the men for whom warrants were issued. According to the authorities the girls admitted that they visited road houses in company with Portland business and professional men and were served liquor.

#### REBEL LEADER

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"I'm not sure," said Kerr. "My removal was not political."

#### RECORD-BREAKING SALE.

The Wednesday surprise sale of aprons at the Meyers department store yesterday proved to be one of the most successful sale events in their thirty-four years of merchandising in Salem.

#### Federals in Bad Way.

At the same time, local constitutionals said, the five thousand rebels under General Torres, who have been besieging San Luis Potosi, certainly will do their utmost to prevent the fugitives from entering the place. While Torres' force will be outnumbered, it was pointed out, too, that with Villa hammering at their rear, the federals may have to abandon their attempt, make a detour and attempt to make the capital. Reports were also current here that a west coast rebel force was marching on Guadalajara, and many predictions were made that both that place and San Luis Potosi would be abandoned without a fight, in favor of a concentration and desperate last stand in Mexico City.

### SOB ARTIST TOUCHES HEART OF THE COURT

Nifty Lifter Attempts to Get Away With Stick Pins But Is Caught in the Act by Pomeroy.

#### REFLECTION IN MIRROR REVEALS PALMING OF JEWEL

When Held Before Judge Webster, Reagan Wept and Wrung Hands and Told Pitiful Story.

It is not often that the expert crook, the man and woman who get away with the game before the eyes of the keenest detectives, "make" the cities of the size of Salem, but such was the case yesterday afternoon when one of those clever persons tried, but failed, to lift two diamond stick pins from the jewelry store of Gardner & Keene on State street. He would have gone along swimmingly had not Charley Pomeroy spotted him when Mr. Crook attempted to carelessly handle some jewelry in his store. Evidently, the smooth customer was arrested, taken before the justice of the peace, and, after handing out that old, old story about high-strung relatives and "my first offense," etc., the unfortunate (?) man was fined \$25 and turned loose.

#### Finally Lands One.

Reagan stepped into the Smith jewelry store on State street, but would not attempt the trick there because Mr. Smith gave him no opportunity. He then dropped in on Gardner & Keene a few doors below and soon had a nice tray of stick pins out before him within easy reach. He asked for something which he knew was in the rear of the store, and as Mr. Gardner went back to get the article, Reagan slipped two pins worth \$25 into his trousers pocket. Making the excuse that he wanted to get back to the hotel for a sample chain, of which pattern he said he would have some ordered through the jeweler, Reagan walked out and up to the Oregon Electric depot.

#### Good Sob Artist.

When taken before Justice Webster, Reagan began his fine work in earnest. He wept, wrung his hands and acted for all the world like he was sorry for what he did, while all the time he was stalling to keep out of the penitentiary. He told a wonderful tale about having a sister in Portland and how they were "touring" the west, and that his parents were rich and lived in New York. Many other tales were related to the jurist and his intended victims, and finally the court, evidently touched by the lonesome and pitiful yarn, let Reagan down easy with a \$25 fine.

#### Good Sob Artist.

Reagan had \$15, which he turned over, and Messrs. Pomeroy and Keene gave their friend \$10 on the latter's gold watch and a brass stick pin.

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C. T. Dewar, then made an investigation and discovered that Reagan was registered at the Benson Hotel in Portland, and that there was a woman there registered at the Benson hotel in Portland with him. Reagan was then taken before Father A. Moore and questioned. He told Father Moore where he attended college. He said he is the son of rich parents and could not explain how he came to take the stick pins. Father Moore advanced Reagan enough money to get to Portland, and the fellow went as fast as he could go.

#### Good Sob Artist.

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# COLD FACTS

As a BUSINESS MAN you would not think of working yourself or your employes in office, store or factory where the temperature was excessively hot. You would take such measures necessary to make the surroundings comfortable and give the best working conditions. ∴ Then why do you expect your wife to work in a temperature you would not tolerate, when you can make her surroundings comfortable by buying a Gas Range and

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#### LINEUP OF WILLAMETTE NINE ANNOUNCED BY SWEETLAND

Aggregation of Ballplayers Has Several New Men—Will Meet Pacific U. Next Saturday.

Dr. C. J. Sweetland, coach of the Willamette university baseball team, announced this afternoon the lineup that will be used against Pacific university Saturday. Several new men will appear on the nine for the first time, according to statements made by the doctor.

Earl Flegel, the doctor's latest protege, has rapidly advanced the past few days from the outfield on the second team to the initial bag on the first nine. He is improving faster than any man who has been on the squad for seasons past and shows promise of becoming one of the best men on the squad.

The second bag will still be covered by Captain Homan. He is holding in nice form and his hitting and base running are right up to snuff. Grover Gates is holding down the third sack and is doing excellent work. His fielding ability is constantly improving and his batting and base running are also on the up grade.

Brazier Small, of track and football fame, continues to work at the short-stop position. Although his double work, carrying baseball and track at the same time, is somewhat of a handicap, he is delivering the goods in pleasing style. His ability with the stick and his sensational base running are the features of many of the practice contests.

Bain is the only old head who is still in the garden. He is working in nice form and the Pacific pill tossers will have to work some if they get one down in his field. His batting is also improving.

Graylopp, a second team recruit, is working in right field. While he is young at the game, yet he is getting along fairly well. Adams and Shisler are alternating between left field and the box. Shisler has lately won recognition as a twirler and is serving them over in good shape. Another season will find him a good strong heater. Adams continues to work in the box and is showing some improvement.

Dann who is doing the receiving most of the season is still on the job and is holding up the pitchers in very good form. His "peg" to second has improved remarkably and stealing the second bag has now become a very difficult feat.

#### ORDERED TO ARCTIC CIRCLE TO HUNT FOR MURDERERS

Vancouver, B. C., May 21.—Inspector Hettis, of the northwest mounted police, has been ordered to the Arctic circle to search for the murderers of Explorers Redford and Street, killed two years ago by savage eskimos. Hettis and his party plan to be gone at least three years.

The most northerly station of the northwest mounted police is at Cape Fullerton. This station will be transferred to Chesterfield inlet which Inspector Hettis will make his base. A May wedding may be just as pretty as one in June.

#### PROPOSALS INVITED.

Notice is hereby given that the Common Council of the City of Salem, Oregon, invites sealed bids for the making of an improvement of the alley in block 4 in the City of Salem, Oregon, from Chemeketa Street to Center Street with 6" Portland cement gravel concrete pavement, 6" crushed rock Portland cement concrete pavement or El Oso No. 2, consisting of 4" hydraulic cement concrete base and 1 1/2" El Oso asphaltic concrete wearing surface, in accordance with the plans, specifications and estimates on file in the office of the City Recorder of said City, which are hereby referred to and made a part of this notice.

#### LOOK AHEAD

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