

THE BOY MURDERER.

Lloyd Montgomery Confesses Killing His Parents.

TACOMA WINS WATER PIPE SUIT.

Columbia National Bank Receiver Sues Boggs and McCauley—Another Sutton Egger Convicted.

Albany, Or., Nov. 25.—Lloyd Montgomery, the 13-year-old boy under arrest for the murder of his father and mother and Daniel McKecher near Brownsville on Tuesday last, was unable to endure the weight of the terrible crime upon his mind, and this evening made a full confession, admitting that he killed all three of them.

THE TACOMA WATER PIPE.

Decision in Favor of the City and Against the Company.

Olympia, Nov. 25.—Special.—The supreme court affirmed the judgment in the case of the Tacoma Light & Water Company, appellant, vs. the city of Tacoma, respondent. Action was brought to recover possession of certain water pipe which respondent claimed to have purchased from appellant, controversy having arisen out of the sale by appellant to respondent of its water and electric light plant. A single question of law is presented, and that is whether the proposed ordinance, in the ordinance submitting it to the voters must govern, or whether the same could be modified and construed in connection with a proposition submitted by appellant to respondent and the action of the appellant and city council and other city officers of respondent subsequent to the passing of the ordinance and the adoption of the proposition to purchase by the voters.

Bank President Oliver's Bond.

Tacoma, Nov. 25.—Special.—Maj. Oliver, president of the Columbia bank, charged with embezzlement, will have his preliminary hearing Wednesday before Justice J. L. Murray. He remains most of his time in the Tacoma hotel in company with a guard. His friends are working to secure a good bond of \$10,000, and will present it when the hearing comes on. The defendant is charged with the embezzlement of \$10,000 from the bank, and the hearing is to determine whether the defendant will have a preliminary examination or waive it.

One Egger Convicted, Four Discharged.

South Bend, Nov. 25.—Special.—The case of the state against M. Mehan, charged with assaulting Rev. Sutton, the A. P. A. lecturer, went to the jury last Saturday night. This morning they brought in a verdict of guilty of simple assault. He will be sentenced by R. K. Boney, who is acting as judge. Judge Langhorne having been called to Chehalis this morning by the serious illness of his son. On motion of the county attorney, U. B. Stratton, the charges brought against S. H. Bell, Rev. Sutton, and Walter Ball were dismissed for want of evidence to convict.

Brief Tacoma News.

Tacoma, Nov. 25.—Special.—Receiver Andrew P. Burchell and Counsel James M. Ashton, of the Northern Pacific, and Receiver C. J. Smith, of the Oregon Improvement company, returned this afternoon from a successful goose hunting expedition in Eastern Washington. Their objective point was Klona, Wash.

The Tacoma Society Scandal.

The Wife of Bank Clerk Hopping Sues for Divorce.

Tacoma, Nov. 25.—Special.—Mrs. Katie E. Hopping, plaintiff, vs. her husband, Samuel M. Hopping, a bookkeeper in the London and San Francisco bank. The complaint makes serious charges of cruelty and neglect, and asks for a divorce. The couple were married in October, 1893, and are both young and widely known in Tacoma society circles.

COLUMBIA NATIONAL ASSETS.

Boggs and McCauley Sued for Overdrafts and Notes.

Tacoma, Nov. 25.—Special.—Receiver and Examiner Charles Lewis, of the Columbia National bank, today filed three suits in the superior court. One is against ex-City Treasurer J. W. McCauley on an overdraft of \$230, unsecured. Ex-City Treasurer George W. Boggs was sued on a note for \$200, and Judge W. H. Reid and J. W. McCauley on a note for \$300.

The Reply of Clump's Bondsmen.

Port Angeles, Nov. 25.—Special.—Attorney representing a number of M. J. Clump's bondsmen have filed an answer to the complaint of the prosecuting attorney, who is trying to recover the amount deposited by the county in the First National bank of this city. The suit is a large one, involving the bondsmen who are sued for this amount, and the law and renounce their liability. The complaint says that ex-Treasurer M. J. Clump failed to turn over \$2,000 of the county's funds on the expiration of his term of office, and prays that a judgment be granted against his bondsmen. The bond was for \$5,000, with the following sureties: Lewis Levy, C. E. Mallette, C. W. Thompson, Frank Chambers, D. W. Morse and Donald McInnes. The affirmative answer to the complaint is to the effect that C. W. Thompson, on the 24 day

CURATE ON FREIGHT.

Southern Pacific Hits O. R. & N. Co. a Hard Blow.

REDUCTION 50 TO 70 PER CENT.

Cheap Passenger Rates Make Enormous Travel, and Both Competitors Claim to Be Making Money.

San Francisco, Nov. 25.—Vice President J. C. Stubbs and General Freight Agent C. F. Smurr, of the Southern Pacific, returned yesterday from a tour of inspection, and as a result it was announced that the company was making a sweeping reduction in its rates on freight shipments between Oregon and Tacoma. The reduction will take effect Monday next, December 2. The reductions range from 50 to 75 per cent. from the existing Coast rates, and are calculated on the basis of the rate of the Southern Pacific and the Oregon Railway & Navigation Company. The reduction in freight rates between here and Portland is but a new feature of the rate war between the Southern Pacific and the O. R. & N. After studying the results of the first week's operations under the new passenger rates, Vice President Stubbs became convinced that the Southern Pacific would have to complicate matters still further to win a victory over its smaller competitor, for it was seen to every one that the O. R. & N. could continue the rate war indefinitely and carry passengers for nothing, if necessary. It is not yet known how the operating expenses of the steamers. This new feature has been added to the traffic squabble. The Southern Pacific will not now be content with the lower rates on freight business, but will make a vigorous effort to get a larger share of the freight traffic. If the reduced freight rates do not secure this result, the company is on a line of freight steamers between San Francisco and Portland to carry freight at \$1 per ton.

San Francisco, Nov. 25.—The rate war between the Southern Pacific and the Oregon Railway & Navigation Company has, within the brief period of a week, been productive of some very startling results. The low rates on freight business, which the steamers line between Portland and San Francisco, and also to and from the Sound ports reached by the steamers of the Pacific Steamship Company, has made a lot of business for the Oregon Railway & Navigation Company. During last week the steamer of the Oregon Railway & Navigation Company carried more passengers than they have carried in the same length of time for years. Both companies apparently are getting all the business they can handle. A careful review of the week's operations under the low rates has been made by the traffic officials of the Southern Pacific company, and they declare that the Southern Pacific has the best of the fight. On what they base this declaration is not clear to the Oregon Railway & Navigation officials, who seem to think that the Southern Pacific has suffered a very severe drubbing. Vice President J. C. Stubbs says that the Southern Pacific company is making money out of the rate war. The Southern Pacific has thus far been unable to get more than one-half of the business. Mr. Stubbs says he will stop not only the rate war, but will bring this fact into consideration, and the additional fact that both companies are content with the situation so long as the rush business comes, and are laboring in the political predicament. The resolutions highly probable that the rate war will continue for some weeks. When the novelty of making a trip to Portland for \$5 worth of freight will be a decrease of business, and not only the Oregon Railway & Navigation company come to an agreement for a division of the Portland business.

FOR RECOGNITION OF CUBA.

Resolutions Adopted by the Kansas City Board of Trade.

Kansas City, Nov. 25.—The board of directors of the Kansas City Board of Trade last Tuesday framed a resolution asking congress to grant Cuba the rights of belligerent nations, and to recognize her as an equal on an equality with the Spanish. "Resolved, That we respectfully request other boards of trade to pass resolutions in accordance with the following: "On change this document was read by Secretary Charde and supported by A. J. Johnson, who made a speech outlining Cuba's political predicament. The resolutions were adopted by the unanimous vote of the exchange. Secretary Charde will mail copies of the resolutions to Congressmen Tarsney and Sessions, and to the New York, Nov. 25.—The World this morning published a special cable from Santa Clara, Cuba, signed by Martinez Campos, governor general of Cuba. Gen. Campos says, among other things, "I think the Cuban's position at present gives them no claim on the United States for recognition. There is active rebellion in villages and in the interior of the country. There are numerous villages named on the map which consist of five or ten huts. Sometimes the insurgents remain in a village for a few days, and then disappear. When sent in columns of troops to try to disappear in the wild, pathless country that exists in the only districts in which they operate the great Cuban army of the interior. Gen. Campos covered the subject of recognition of the belligerency of the rebels in the former revolution. He stated in a public document that he had no objection to Cuba's being recognized when the people who sought recognition held no port or town. Gen. Campos said that he had no objection to Cuba's being recognized when the people who sought recognition held no port or town. Gen. Campos said that he had no objection to Cuba's being recognized when the people who sought recognition held no port or town.

THE STORM REACHES CLEVELAND.

Cleveland, Nov. 25.—The storm of wind and rain which has been blowing since Monday night, and in some places snow mixed with rain out off the West, including St. Louis and Chicago at 10:15 p. m. All communication was lost but one telegraph wire to the Atlantic coast. The telegraphic telegraph groundings of the wires at no great distance west of here. There are many broken windows and great signs of destruction. The storm is now blowing from the north, and is expected to continue for several days. The storm is now blowing from the north, and is expected to continue for several days.

The Storm Reaches Toledo.

Toledo, O. Nov. 25.—The heavy western storm in this vicinity has crippled the entire telegraphic and telegraph service in this city. The Western Union has lost every wire into Chicago.

Snowstorm in Italy.

Rome, Nov. 25.—Violent snow storms prevail in Turin and Aquila. A train running between Genoa and Aquila has been snowed up.

Breakthrough to Run for Congress.

Louisville, Nov. 25.—A special to the Post from Frankfort, Ky., says: "I. W. C. P. Breckinridge, of Lexington, is now undeterred, will make the race for congress in the seventh district next year. He is said that he has told his friends that he will make the race, and that he expects to win. During the last campaign Col. Breckinridge carried the district for the Democratic state ticket, and everywhere drew immense crowds.

Fast Rail Service to Tacoma.

The Northern Pacific is now running six trains a day each way between Seattle and Tacoma. Trains leaving Seattle at 9 a. m. and 2:45 p. m. make no stops and reach Tacoma in one hour. Fare only one way, \$1 for round trip.

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Cut Rates to Victoria.

Commencing today, and until further notice, the fare on the Rosalie to Port Townsend will be 50 cents, and to Victoria \$1.00. D. B. JACKSON, Manager.

SINGLE TAXES ON WATER.

They Are in Favor of the Debt-Increasing Ordinance.

The Single Tax Club was treated last evening to a stirring address on the Cedar river water proposition by Judge Winsor in Single Tax hall, corner of Third and Madison streets. He took the question not as affecting the city, but in its bearing on Populist principles, and his speech was followed by a general discussion of the subject. The members of the club, including Robert Bridges, A. H. Mackinnon and others, in which the general opinion favored the purchase of the plant by the city. The attendance was small, not more than fifty being present, and they were not very enthusiastically inclined.

A Death From Scarlatina.

There was one death and one new case of scarlatina reported to Health Officer Palmer yesterday. The death was 3-year-old Stella May Mero at 303 Lewis street, who has been ill with the malady for several weeks. The new case reported was Laura Mitchell, who lives with her parents in South Seattle, just inside the city limits. Beside the case reported yesterday, William McNamara, at 715 Bush street, Maggie O'Brien, 54 First Avenue street, and Harold Stinson, on the corner of Kentucky and Dearborn streets, were reported during the latter part of last week. There are at the present time twenty families under quarantine.

A Famous Communist Dead.

Paris, Nov. 25.—Arthur Arnould is dead. Arthur Arnould was born April 7, 1853. He was sentenced in 1872 to fifteen years' transportation in New Caledonia for his complicity in the Commune insurrection, but succeeded in effecting his escape to Buenos Ayres, where he remained until he was again arrested. He was the author of "La Fille du Pendu," which he was the author of "Le Mari," which had a run at the Grand Theatre several years ago. He also wrote a work on the French revolution. He published his novels under the pen name of "Mathy."

ELKS IN SOCIAL SESSION.

Daniel Sully Royally Entertained by the Seattle Lodge. The Elks know how to entertain with recitations, stories, songs and refreshments. A refreshment committee was organized by Daniel Sully's troupe assists in the event. Last evening at Turner hall a goodly number of members and guests listened to the merry merriment, and the night was spent in a most enjoyable manner. Past Exalted Ruler James Hamilton Lewis opened the programme with some characteristic stories, and then in serious vein lauded the profession acting and referred in eloquent terms to the honored guest of the evening—Daniel Sully.

Hancock to Be Buried at Arlington.

Washington City, Nov. 25.—It has been decided to remove the body of Maj. Gen. Winfield S. Hancock to Arlington cemetery from Norristown, Pa., where it has rested since 1866. None of the projects to erect a monument at Norristown has succeeded in securing the consent of the members of the family to the removal. It is planned to have the burial in Arlington cemetery next Monday afternoon. The funeral will be held under the auspices of the Masonic fraternity. Mr. Stinson having been a member of Centennial Lodge, No. 25, of this city, and Seattle Commandery, No. 2, of Seattle.

Mr. Fisher Still Alive.

Tacoma, Nov. 25.—Special.—The condition of William J. Fisher, the dry goods merchant who was badly shot while out duck hunting yesterday, was unchanged this evening. His physicians are trying to restore his strength sufficiently to stand the effects of an operation, as it has been decided that amputation of the leg is necessary. Mr. Fisher is at the Fannie Faddock hospital.

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Safe crackers broke the safe of the State bank of Alpha, Ill., Sunday morning, and got away with \$4700.

Gambling places for trading in mining stocks are being opened all over Colorado. There are four exchanges at Colorado Springs, and the Pueblo exchange was opened on Monday.

Monday's statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, \$178,782,202; gold reserves, \$2,033,782.

The Norwegian bark Isouaden was wrecked off Yarmouth, England, Monday during a gale. Twelve of the crew were drowned.

John Ford, a jealous painter, of San Francisco, shot his wife three times early Monday morning, inflicting injuries that will prove fatal.

Gen. Francis J. Marshall, a pioneer of Missouri, Kansas and Colorado, who has been identified with the mining, manufacturing and real estate industries of Colorado for years, being one of the owners of the famous Basin mine, died at his home in Denver, Monday morning, at the age of 82.

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25 pieces 3-4 Sicilian Serges, part wool, in browns, navy, cardinal, dark green, etc., only 10c yard.

36-inch All-Wool Imported French Serges, only 25c a yard.

52-inch All-Wool Navy Blue Storm Serges, only 35c yard.

36-inch All-Wool Scotch Cloths, only 25c yard.

Just Received.

New Plaid Dress Goods for Waists, etc., New Bottles, New Cambric Suitings, New Scotch Mixtures, New Mouair Brocades, New Wool Brocades, New Wool Diagonals, ranging in price from 25c to \$1.25 yard, all of which will be offered at a great bargain this week.

Wonderful Sale of Storm Serges.

Bargains of merit that are matchless. 25c—Navy and Black Plymouth Serges, 52 inches wide. 35c—Navy Heavy All-Wool Storm Serge, 54 inches wide. 50c—Navy Heavy All-Wool Storm Serge, 54 inches wide. 50c—Navy and Black All-Wool Imported French Serge, 54 inches wide. 50c—Navy and Black All-Wool Imported French Serge, 54 inches wide. 50c—Navy and Black All-Wool Imported French Serge, 54 inches wide. 50c—Navy and Black All-Wool Imported French Serge, 54 inches wide.

Plaid! Plaid! Plaid!

Everybody knows of the great advantage in the price of Plaid Goods, but our Plaid Goods are the best. Just bought in time to enable us to offer you for the coming week your choice from pieces just received at the former low price.

36 inches wide Wool Plaid, 25c. 40 inches wide All-Wool Plaid, 50c. 40 inches wide All-Wool Plaid, 50c. Just received another lot of French Broadcloth, 54 inches, special price \$1.00 value \$1.25.

54-inch All-Wool Ladies' Cloth, all colors, including green, only 50c yard. 58-inch Gray Melton, value 50c, only 40c yard.

Bargains in Linens.

Best English Kid Finished Skirt Lining, 4c yard. 10-inch Silken, only 1-10c a yard. Initials Hair Cloth, 75c yard. Black and Gray Crinoline, 75c yard. Best All- linen Elastic Canvas, 15c yard.

Thanksgiving Kid Glove Sale.

The Marguerite Foster 5-hook Glove Kid Glove, every pair warranted, only \$1.00 a pair. Foster 5-hook Glove, warranted genuine Kid, worth \$1.50, special Thanksgiving price, only \$1.00. Gloves will be promptly fitted. The 4-needle-button new embroidered back Glove Kid, with improved thumb, value \$1.50, only \$1.25 a pair.

Thanksgiving Underwear Sale.

Double your money's worth at this Great Sale of Underwear. We are so satisfied you cannot duplicate these values elsewhere. 5c for Nice 16 and Rise 3c a Size. For Children's Camels Hair Vest and Pants, finished seams, ribbed cuffs. 12c for Size 16 and Rise Only 3c. For Children's Natural Gray Vest and Pants, warranted over 60 per cent. wool. These are manufacturers' special.

Special Thanksgiving Table Linen Sale.

German Bleached Table Damask, 6 inches wide, only 60c yard. Full Silver Bleached Satin Damask, 6 inches wide, only 75c yard. Full Damask Dinner Napkins, at \$1.25, \$1.50 and up. All-Linen Huck Towels, only 10c and 15c each.

—New line of Ladies' and Children's Wool and Silk Mittens at 10c, 15c, 25c, 35c, 50c pair. Ladies' All-Silk Mittens, 50c pair.

Received.

Switches, Front Pieces, Wigs and Hair Goods of every description. Artistic Hair Dressing and Hair Dyeing a specialty. THE IDEAL HAIR BAZAAR, 429 Second Street.

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for Infants and Children.

MOTHERS, Do You Know

that Paregoric, Bateman's Drops, Godfrey's Cordial, many so-called Soothing Syrups, and most remedies for children are composed of opium or morphine?

Do You Know that opium and morphine are stupefying narcotic poisons?

Do You Know that in most countries druggists are not permitted to sell narcotics without labeling them poisons?

Do You Know that you should not permit any medicine to be given your child unless you or your physician know of what it is composed?

Do You Know that Castoria is a purely vegetable preparation, and that a list of its ingredients is published with every bottle?

Do You Know that Castoria is the prescription of the famous Dr. Samuel P. Pitcher, that it has been in use for nearly thirty years, and that more Castoria is now sold than of all other remedies for children combined?

Do You Know that the Patent Office Department of the United States, and of other countries, has issued exclusive right to Dr. Pitcher and his assigns to use the word "Castoria" and its formula, and that to imitate them is a state prison offense?

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Do You Know that 35 average doses of Castoria are furnished for 35 cents, or one cent a dose?

Do You Know that when possessed of this perfect preparation, your children may be kept well, and that you may have unbroken rest?

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