

PROMINENT WOMAN CAUGHT SMUGGLING

TRUNK WITH DOUBLE BOTTOM IS FOUND, CONCEALING DUTIABLE GOODS.

(By United Press.) NEW YORK, July 17.—An indictment for smuggling was handed down by the federal grand jury against Mrs. Fremont Chesbro, owner of the Chesbro Coastwise line of steamers running out of Boston.

The case was placed in the hands of the United States district attorney for the district of New Jersey, following the discovery of a double bottom in one of the trunks which Mrs. Chesbro brought to this country with her on the Kaiser Wilhelm II, last May.

MUSICAL STAR DROWNS.

(By United Press.) PEORIA, Ill., July 17.—Jeanette Dolan, famous throughout the country as a musical comedy star in Richard Carle's various casts, and her brother, James Dolan, of Chillicothe, O., were drowned off the island opposite Columbia park while fishing.

WILL TAKE CROWD TO IRONDALE THURSDAY

The Moore Investment company is to pull off one of the biggest excursions ever arranged here, for Thursday of next week. Lots of local business men like these Irondale excursions because they enable a busy man to see Irondale, in which the business community at large takes much interest, and get home early in the same day.

THIS KID REPRESENTS ALL OF THE U. S. IN AMATEUR GOLFING WAY IN SCOTLAND



JEROME TRAVERS.

This classy young player, who hails from New Jersey, was put out of the British amateur golf championship in the first round. Prior to the championship he had shown form calculated to carry him along toward the finals, but he was off his game, and played miserably.

AMERICAN WOMAN JAILED IN LONDON

(By United Press.) LONDON, July 17.—Miss Grace Johnson, of Buffalo, N. Y., was one of four suffragettes arrested yesterday afternoon in Downing street for refusing to obey the police order to leave the locality. The women were trying to deliver a petition to Premier Asquith. All of the suffragettes were sentenced to three weeks in prison in default of paying a fine.

THROWN FROM AUTO.

(By United Press.) BERKELEY, Cal., July 17.—Herbert P. Mackie, a prominent real estate dealer, was probably fatally injured last night, when he was thrown out of his automobile, which was struck by a Key Route electric train.

HOTEL ROOF TAKEN OFF IN A CYCLONE

(By United Press.) TUCSON, Ariz., July 17.—Guests of the Hotel Hotel died in terror last evening about 6 o'clock, when the roof of the house was ripped off by a tornado which suddenly struck the city and lasted about 20 minutes. The damage is estimated at \$25,000.

ROBBED OF \$13,000.

(By United Press.) JANESVILLE, Wis., July 17.—Ambassador Thompson, United States representative in Mexico, was robbed by a trusted employe of \$13,000 while absent from his post, according to a letter received here by Mr. Thompson.

NEW SHAH OF PERSIA

(By United Press.) TEHRAN, July 17.—The national assembly, composed of the chief Mullahs and the leaders of the Nationalist forces, proclaimed the crown prince, Sulthomahed Mirza, shah of Persia in the presence of an immense crowd. Parliamentary Secretary Asad Ul Mutk, head of the Kajar family, was made regent.

No Chance. Her—When are you going to speak to papa? His—I don't know. I've tried three times and he's always been in.—Cleveland Leader.

GEORGE RUSSELL LOOKING FOR MEN

PEANUT BUTCHERS FOR THE ELKS' BIG DAY ARE NEEDED.

Rumor has it that Geo. F. Russell, postmaster of Seattle, and the man who will have charge of the peanut butchers at the Elks' carnival at the exposition, July 28 and 29, is up against it for men and boys. The rumor states that after an exhaustive search of the employment agencies in the city, only a small number of the quantity wanted to sell peanuts and popcorn during the carnival could be secured.

Mr. Russell was not in his office this morning and a statement could not be secured from him on the question, but as it came from a member of the Elks lodge it has the stamp of authority.

The same member also stated that Mr. Russell had been advertising for men to call at his office and offer their services, but that very poor results had been secured.

The job is said to pay fifteen dollars per week, with a good percentage of the gross sales as a bonus. In view of the most excellent spending qualities of the Elks, as reputation has it, the usual mental job of peanut butchers should prove very lucrative to the right men.

The officers high up in the Elks lodge are racking their brains to hit upon some scheme to get a sufficient number of men to do this work, but as yet have not arrived at any solution.

They refer all applicants to Geo. F. Russell at his offices in the postoffice.

WANT NEW CITY HALL

The Rainier Heights Improvement club has filed with the council a copy of a resolution adopted by the club, urging the city and county to build a joint administration building on the property between Third and Fourth ays. and Yeeler Way, and James st.

The communication points out that the county and city buildings are inadequate and that the city is already paying out \$10,000 yearly in extra rentals.

BRIEFS BY WIRE

OLYMPIA.—Railroad companies will be required to move warehouses, etc., which block crossings.

LOS ANGELES.—Following a quarrel, Albert Ryan, of Colorado, general organizer of the Western Federation of Miners for this state, shot and killed H. E. Snyder and fatally wounded Otto Miller.

SALT LAKE CITY.—President J. P. Smith, of the Mormon church, was a guest at a banquet last night given to the International Council of Women, and the latter delegates handed him gingerly.

NORTH YAKIMA, Wash.—Apple picking has commenced.

BOSTON.—Mrs. Eddy, founder and leader of the Christian Scientists, celebrated her eighty-eighth birthday yesterday.

WALLA WALLA, Wash.—Wheat has commenced moving and the dollar mark has been already reached.

FORT WORDEN, Wash.—The state troops here in the maneuvers have donned the garb of the coast artillery.

SPOKANE.—Seven thousand filed here yesterday for entry for the Flathead lands.

NEW YORK.—Chin Sam, the oldest and best known Chinese actor in this country, died yesterday, after a most remarkable life.

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y.—Harry K. Thaw is anxious to take the stand in his own defense, believing he can convince the court of his sanity.

LARKSPUR, Cal.—William Von Meyerinck, an official of the State Savings and Commercial bank at San Francisco, died at his home here last night under mysterious circumstances. The family announced that the cause of his death was epilepsy, but it is persistently rumored that he shot himself through the head.

PORTLAND.—After throwing suspicion on Louis Quimby and J. M. Main by accusing them of firing the mysterious shot that nearly killed him Wednesday night, Rae F. Brackett, the Walla Walla electrical engineer, today admitted that he told a false story and completely exonerated the two men.

NEW YORK.—The Standard Oil company has announced a reduction in refined oil of 15 cents per 100 gallons.

HELENA, Mont.—The Great Northern railroad has filed papers declaring its intention to build a line from Hinsdale, Mont., to the Canadian line. The distance is about 90 miles.

PORTLAND, Or.—The largest single order for lumber ever placed with one sawmill has been given to the Booth-Kelley Lumber company, of Eugene, Or., by the Harriman lines, calling for enough material to build 4,000 cars, representing an expenditure of \$750,000.

TACOMA.—Because he treated O. W. Bundy, who had been adjudged an habitual drunkard, to a drink of whisky, W. T. Zenor, an old soldier from the Home at Orting, was fined \$100 and costs by Justice Alger of Orting, and in default of payment was taken to the county jail to serve 30 days.

VALLEJO, Cal.—Because Mrs. L. Tierney found a small particle of gold in the craw of a chicken, half the population is making investigations with the object of learning the former home and foraging grounds of the hen.

ANOTHER STORY IN BIG "ROBBERY" CASE

Dispatches from Duluth, Minn., tell of an interesting sequel to the home several months ago, which caused such a sensation, especially when the money was alleged to have been returned. A. J. Shea, husband of the woman who owned the money reported stolen, is now held in the county jail at Duluth, Minn., to appear before the superior court and show why he should not be held in contempt.

Shea is held in contempt because of his failure to pay \$5,333 to J. L. Washburn, an attorney, upon order of the superior court. This sum is only a part of a sum now in litigation, which Shea is alleged to owe Washburn, and it was while this case was pending in the courts that Shea's wife was reported to have been robbed in Seattle of \$20,000, the amount being sued for.

BAR SILVER QUOTATIONS. NEW YORK, July 17.—Bar silver is quoted to-day at 54 1/2.

50-YEAR-OLD LAWYER MAKES CIGAR SMOKING A



GEO. CLOSSON.

DES MOINES, Ia., July 17.—You can't smoke a cigar in Iowa more unless you want to be arrested, or at least pay a fine. Every policeman in the state is walking his beat, noting for any mistakable fumes which show there is a cigar smoker about the land.

Neither can you have the "ings" in your pockets, even if you don't smoke. This drastic law is the result of a new freak bill due to the work of Geo. Closson, special assistant in the office of Attorney General H. W. Bland. Closson, former state senator, is a law 50 years old and a cigar smoker since he was a boy. A law was passed before the Iowa legislature in 1858 which prohibited the sale of cigars in Iowa, and the people have gotten all about it.

Closson saw a chance to be issued to every chief of police in Iowa, and he did. He had issued to every chief of police in Iowa, and he did. He had issued to every chief of police in Iowa, and he did. He had issued to every chief of police in Iowa, and he did.

So now many cigar smokers are going about for the first time with their mouths full of "their mouths."

SEATTLE'S REALTY MARKET AND ALL THAT IS DOING THEREIN

UNUSUAL FRUIT LAND SCHEME

Calhoun, Denny & Ewing Will Farm Eastern Washington Tracts for the Investors.

Messrs. Calhoun, Denny & Ewing, besides being deeply interested in strictly local property, are at the present time busy themselves in opening up a large tract of land at Kiona, which lies at the east end of the Yakima valley, and are selling it on particularly favorable terms.

SUBURBAN TRACTS ARE IN BIG DEMAND

FIVE AND TEN ACRE TRACTS ARE WANTED BY MANY IN SEATTLE.

A report from the Black Land company, of the New York block, of which William Black is the manager, shows that during the past week there has been an increased demand for five and ten acre suburban tracts and large platting areas.

A great many people have been lured by the prospect of getting land for nothing in the government Indian reservations opened for entry in the Flathead, Coeur d'Alene and Spokane reservations, and it is estimated that fully 25,000 inquiries have been made at the local land office in the last 20 days.

It is needless to say that thousands of these people will be disappointed and that they will be out of the expense of making registration at the least. It would be more profitable to invest in local acreage, taking into account the cost and inconvenience of complying with government requirements.

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Operate over 17,000 miles of the best track in the world, traversing eighteen states in the Middle West, South and Southwest, affording our patrons every convenience, luxury and comfort known connected with perfect safety?

WE WOULD CONSIDER IT A FAVOR IF YOU WOULD CALL UPON US AND PERMIT US TO ASSIST YOU IN PLANNING YOUR TRIP.

August 11-12 are next Eastern Excursions. GEO. P. CAYE, 705 Second Ave., C. D. M'NAUGHTON, Gen. Agent, SEATTLE, City Pass. Agt.

GETS MANY TO GO IN ON THE NINETY NINE YEAR SCHEME

Ole Hanson & Co., suite 315 New York block, who began advertising their addition across Lake Washington, a week ago, report a strong market for suburban areas. Many people who heretofore have owned city lots are purchasing larger tracts farther out in order to anticipate the large advance which must take place as Seattle increases in population.

Mr. Hanson says that the surprise of his real estate experience took place when the uncleared land across the lake sold more readily than that which was held at the same price which was cleared. He says that many people paid cash, although most took advantage of the remarkably easy terms.

These terms were something of a novelty in real estate circles. Ninety-nine years' time, on or before, was given on all payments after one-half is paid, at 7 per cent interest.

Up to Wednesday evening 56 tracts were sold at \$250 per half acre. All but 13 were sold to residents of Seattle. The 13 were sold, six to people from California, one from Utah and one from Denver, the other two being Wisconsin folks.

H. E. ORR WILL OPEN ANOTHER BIG TRACT

The full 80 acres which comprised the H. E. Orr park, situated at the north end of Green Lake, has already been disposed of, although it was only put on the market a bare four weeks ago, and the firm of H. E. Orr & Co., flouting the public so eager in its desire to possess lots and acreage at this end of town, has ordered its surveyors to prepare a plat of 40 acres which they control immediately on the west of the park.

MORRIS GARDEN TRACTS NORTH OF THE CITY

Get in line and buy acreage NORTH of the city. Investments that are sure to pay out. The only outlet for Seattle's overflow population. This entire addition is high, level and slightly, and the soil is equal to any in the Sound country. MORRIS GARDEN TRACTS are platted in 5-acre parcels and can be had for

\$50 Down and \$10 a Month Prices Are From \$500 to \$1250 a Tract

For Full Information Call at Our Downtown Office. Morris Realty Co. 205-6-7-8 American Bank Building.

MANY TO PLAY LAND LOTTERY

Applicants Grow Careless and as a Result Many Will Lose Their Chances to Get Homesteads.

During the last week or so the movements of the local real estate market have been completely overshadowed by that much bigger market which is run by Uncle Sam from his office in the federal building.

Some twenty thousand people of all ages, sexes and sexes have kept the clerks in that office more than on the jump, but with ever urban courtesy and indefatigable attention they have been able to keep the crowds in a good humor most of the time, although some of them have rather wearily waiting to do.

The throwing open of the three Indian reservations has caused a tremendous flutter in the breasts of the bargain hunters, and it was extraordinary to note the number of women who thronged the office. And this is even the more extraordinary when the fact is taken into consideration that the chances are probably less than one in a thousand against any one individual drawing a homestead.

The directions for making registration are of the simplest, and yet it is enough to make the gods weep to note the utter carelessness of the applicants in making out and mailing their forms. And yet it is not only the applicants themselves who are careless, for one of the most frequent omissions in the secretary's mail. That these men who accept a fee for their work should often render an application useless by forgetting to affix the notarial seal is to be deplored, but after all

WILL OPEN UP NEW WEST SEATTLE TRACT

Within a very few days T. S. Henderson will open up a new adding across Lake Washington, which is pre-eminently suitable for home sites. Mr. Henderson has a long experience along this line, and what he states about the property is worth listening to. West Seattle, with the improved facilities for reaching it, has become a chosen spot for the small investor who wants a lot or a couple of lots at a reasonable price on which he can build his home.

A House on Lake Washington We have a large list of small homes, in low prices, and with such terms that you can afford to buy one and pay for it with your savings. We have picked this one because it will appeal to you.

Downing, Hopkins & Ryer, Inc. (Established 1893) BROKERS Stocks, Bonds and Provisions. Both Phones 279. Private Wire. 204-305-306 Alaska Bldg.

Just Across Lake Washington Four acres, half bottom land, partially improved, young orchard, abundance of running water, two room house, chicken houses; boat service as soon as you can work in town. Price \$750.

ROBERT MATHY, 919-929-921 Alaska Building.

WEST SEATTLE IN THE SPOT LIGHT

Many Want Homes Overlooking the Sound and Bay.

West Seattle property has for some time occupied a prominent place in the realty market, and that this will be the more assured in the future by reason of the work being done and about to be done in that district by the city, is acknowledged by all dealers.

The fact that city water and lights will be in within the year and the fact that a very large area at the top of the hill is now being graded and having sidewalks put in, has brought this property more immediately into the spotlight within the last few weeks.

It is essentially a home-builder's site and there are at the present time more people building their own homes in West Seattle than in any other part of the city. The

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T. S. HENDERSON, 301 Central Bldg.

MONEY! TO LOAN ON IMPROVED PROPERTY. WM. HAITZ 112 Columbia St.

A House on Lake Washington

We have a large list of small homes, in low prices, and with such terms that you can afford to buy one and pay for it with your savings. We have picked this one because it will appeal to you.

Rainier Beach, water front, four-room house, nearly new, corner lot, 16x120, fine view of shore of lake, nice graded lot, water in house. Price for lotting \$1,500. Owner will sell for \$1,200, on terms you can afford.

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Less than 20 minutes car ride from the business center. Price only \$250 and up on monthly payments of \$7.50 to \$10. Don't fail to see this property tomorrow.

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Take the steamship at Madison Park, get off at Stephens. Our team will show you the land. Our nearest tracts are 100 feet from the lake. Just 14 miles north of row Bay.

Just north of Meridian Bay. Just southeast of Cozy Cove.

These tracts have natural foliage. No slightly cleared, but old-looking lands. See Summit Acre at a day's outing.

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