Think Men Have Bad Records

The police believe that they have rounded up a number of men who have taken part in a number of the petty robberies in and around Tacoma lately.

R. C. Hoor, seller of phony jewelry; F. L. Sykes and F. H. Ledyard, supposed to be bad men, were picked up Saturday night by Detectives Brown and Recob on suspicion.

A thorough investigation will be made.

Miss Freda Lyon took the train from Chehalis for her home at Kelso a week ago and has not been seen since.

THE TRADE MARK BEST

YOU WILL BEGIN SAVING MONEY THE DAY YOU BEGIN BUYING YOUR GROCERIES HERE BECAUSE NOT HAVING TO HELP PAY FOR OTHER PEOPLE'S BILLS, IT DOES NOT REQUIRE AS MUCH MONEY TO SUPPLY YOUR NEEDS AS IT DOES AT A CREDIT STORE.

FOR INSTANCE:

15 lbs. of Sugar would cost you $1.25 anywhere else. Here we will sell you that amount tomorrow for $1.00

That's a saving of 25c on one of the most staple articles in your home.

A 50-lb. bag of Patent Flour costs you $1.40. We will sell you a better article for $1.30

That's another 10c saved.

But we would rather you make the comparisons yourself.

Here are some of our prices. How much more do you pay?

Blue Label Catsup, per bottle 20c
Royal and Prices' Baking Powder, per pound 40c
Kingsford Silver Gloss Starch, and Corn Starch, 3 for 25c
Gold Dust, per package 20c
Pure Lard, 10-pound pails $1.15
Good Fresh Eggs, per dozen 30c
Fine Creamery Butter, a pound 30c

20 lbs. Pure Granulated Sugar for $1.00
All this week with an order of $10.00 of other groceries.

6 lbs. of Rolled Oats for 25c
2 pkgs. of Grape Nuts 25c
Eagle Milk, a can 15c
3 pkgs. of Corn Flakes 25c
Best quality Cider Vinegar, gallon 35c
2 cakes of Baker's Chocolate 35c
3 lbs. of Ceylon Tea for $1.00

That equals most 60c Teas You take no chances, when you give it a trial, because it is fully guaranteed.

That is also true of Our Special Blend Coffee at 25c per pound

If it is not equal to any 30c or 35c coffee you are now drinking send it back and we will refund your money.

Meadowbrook Milk, 2 cans for 15c
Carnation Milk, 3 cans for 25c
Libby's Milk, 3 cans for 25c
3 cans of Toatoes for 25c
90c per dozen.
Blue Ribbon Seeded Raisins, per pkg. 10c

Those are only a few items. If you will make out your list and bring it down to the store we will make you a cash buyer because we will show you you can't afford to buy any other way.

SPECIALS FOR TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY

Babbitt has the soap business of the east—he is after it in the west. Special for Tuesday and Wednesday should introduce it.

7 bars of Babbitt's Naptha Soap 25c
7 bars Babbitt's White Floating Soap 25c
White Ivory. 6 cans of Babbitt's Cleanser 25c

Peaches are already gone in the lower Yakima valley. Look out for your canning stock at once. Tomorrow, per box.. 65c

Crabapples, Plums, Pears, Tomatoes, etc., this week. Prices will be right. Get our quotations.

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FUNNY SIGHTS IN FOREIGN SITES

CHINAMEN GAMBLE AND SMOKE OPIUM WHILE SAILING DEADLY YANGTZE, WHICH CLAIMS 100,000 DEAD A YEAR

Aboard the "Shutung," on the Yangtze.

Dear Bill:

This is the fourth day on the upper Yangtze, and we are still afloat in spite of the rapids and gorges. The statisticians figure that 100,000 lives are lost every year in the Yangtze and the death average at one rapids is three a day.

We have a miniature Chinatown on board. There are men and women of all walks of life—rich merchants, one or two mandarins, and heaps of common folks.

At dusk the sickish odor of opium begins to float around the boat and in each cabin and along the decks we can see Chinamen curled around their little lamps inhaling the dope. I don't know how much dope the average smoker consumes, but one chap I watched last night got away with five pills. During the day, the natives gamble.

Among the eight white passengers is an Englishman who has our deepest sympathy. He is agent for the Standard Oil company and has a wife who—well, this is what she did last night:

During dinner she gave us a hint as to her disposition in a rather unusual way. There were two Chinese women on the deck watching us dine. It is as curious an operation to them as theirs to us, and they were interested. The Englishman's wife picked up a glass of water and threw it through the window into the faces of the two women.

Yours,
WEB.

Who Wants a Farm? Uncle Sam Is Giving 3000 of Them Away

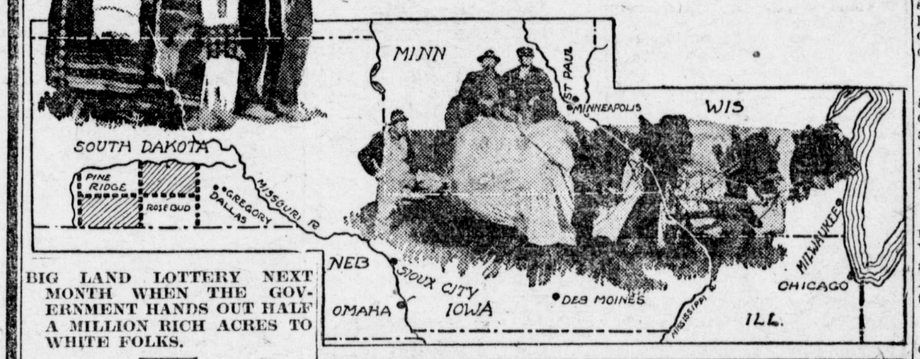
continuing until Oct. 21, during which time applicants for land may hand in their names at Dallas, Gregory and Rapid City.

Oct. 24 the drawing will commence. The first name drawn out of the pile of sealed applications will be given first choice of the farms. Often that first choice is worth many thousands of dollars.

These 466,562 acres are well watered, within reach of railroads, and suitable for agricultural purposes. Wheat and oats yield good crops.

The lands have been classified and appraised by the government at from 25 cents to $6 an acre. Payments may be made in annual installments covering five years.

It is expected that a great many more people will apply than there are farms to be given away, so it isn't advisable to pack up the household furniture before you hear your name read out among the first 3,000.



BIG LAND LOTTERY NEXT MONTH WHEN THE GOVERNMENT HANDS OUT HALF A MILLION RICH ACRES TO WHITE FOLKS.

The government is about to hand out nearly half a million of new, rich land.

Uncle Sam is going to squeeze back the Sioux tribes that now hold forth on Rosebud and Pine Ridge reservations in South Dakota far enough to sell some 3,000 farms, dirt cheap, to bona fide homesteaders. No speculators need apply.

Registration commences Oct. 2,

HOW TO GET ONE OF THESE FARMS

Register at Gregory, Dallas or Rapid City, South Dakota.

At any time between Oct. 2 and Oct. 21. (Both dates included.)

After the drawing the U. S. land office will notify you if you win.

On April 1, 1912, beginning at 9 a. m. entry may be made. One-fifth the purchase price must be paid then.

Then you will have to live on and cultivate thel and for 14 months if you have by that time paid the price (from 26 cents to $6 per acre); if not, you must remain there for five years, when if you have paid the amount a patent for the land will be issued to you, and you may then do with the land what you wish.

You cannot sell or transfer your claim until after the homestead period.

You have to apply in person to register. Writing will do no good.

Soldiers and sailors honorably discharged after 90 days' service, their widows, unless since remarried, their minor orphans, may register by agent, giving the latter a power of attorney, which may be procured by applying to Judge Jas. W. Witten, U. S. Land Office, Washington, D. C.

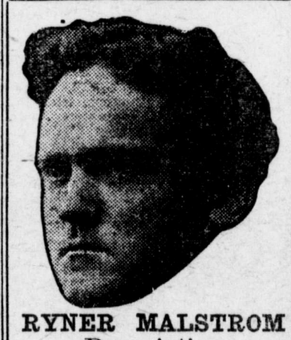
Any person with such power of attorney may register for but one soldier or sailor.

If you own 160 acres of land now you cannot register.

Minor children, unless the heads of families, cannot register.

Married women, unless they are the heads and supports of families, cannot register.

Residence on the land must commence within six months after entry is made.



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MELLEN QUITS BIG WORK

(By United Press Leased Wire.)

NEW HAVEN, Sept. 11.—It was officially announced here today that President Mellen of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad will retire soon. No date has yet been fixed.

Mellen was formerly president of the Northern Pacific.

Mellen has completed the program laid out for him, the amalgamation of all the transportation companies of New England.

Eight years ago Mellen assumed the presidency. In that period the road has grown from a 2,000-mile line to a property controlling all the trolley lines in Connecticut, Massachusetts and Rhode Island.

Mellen is 60 years old.

Partly as a consequence of Mellen's retirement, the eight per cent dividend rate will be lowered.

SO. TACOMA, WED., SEPT. 13TH
BARNES'
BIG 3 RING ANIMAL
CIRCUS
"A show that's different."—S. F. Chronicle.
Two Performances, 1:30 and 7:30 P. M.
Free Street Parade, 10:30 A. M.

TELEGRAPH TABLOIDS

BERLIN.—The third international congress for the protection of infants opened here today. Nathan Strauss, the American Jewish philanthropist, represents the United States.

BOSTON.—Play in the national amateur golf championships began here today.

CINCINNATI. — An accident fund and pension system for brewery workers will be advanced by the joint executive committees of the International Brewery workers, meeting here today.

KANSAS CITY.—To fight the formation of a National Bread trust, employing non-union labor, the International Bakers' union, in convention here today called for co-operation of all unionists.

CALGARY, Alta.—Reciprocity, immigration laws, the eight hour bill, the Gompers contempt case and the McNamara defense are among the important matters today before the trades and labor congress of Canada at the opening of the 27th annual convention.

NEW YORK.—The season's close at Coney Island began today with a week's Mardi Gras carnival.

ST. LOUIS.—For the first time in history capital and invention got together here today at the opening of the National Exposition of Invention.

YELLOWSTONE PARK.—National Park superintendents, government officials and railroad men opened a session here today which is expected to extend the usefulness of Uncle Sam's playground.

CINCINNATI.— The National Association of Stationary Engineers opened an annual session here today.

OKLAHOMA CITY.—The hearing of the investigation into freight rates on livestock ordered by the interstate commerce commission began today.

NEW YORK.—Representatives of the Retail Tobacconists association of New York met today to take steps for the freight on the tobacco trust when its reorganization comes before the supreme court. They principally object to trust stores giving away coupons.

ST. JOSEPH.—Interest of organized traction men of the United States, Canada and Mexico is attracted here today by the convention of the Amalgamated Association of Street & Electrical Railway Employes.

CHICO, Cal.—Live swallows make good bass bait. While I. W. Humble was fishing he noticed a swallow dart close to the water. A big bass leaped out and gobbled the bird.

TRUCKEE, Cal.—Bendu, an Indian, is in jail here for over-indulgence in firewater. He claims to be a deputy United States marshal and was gathering evidence against saloons selling to redskins. He gathered.

City Briefs

William Porter, a bartender, fell and injured his head on a curbstone at Twenty-first and Pacific avenue, yesterday afternoon. He had been drinking heavily.

Martin Miller and Peter Waller were arrested yesterday and forced to put up $10 bail for exceeding the motorcycle limit.

William McMullen was arrested by Detectives Geory and Milone for selling phony jewelry.

The Historical society will open its doors to the public October 7. The Ferry museum will be shown.

As the guests of the Puget Sound Navigation company, 1,000 Tacomans are invited to participate in a free excursion to Hood's Canal Thursday on the Iroquois.

VOTING TODAY ON LIQUOR IN MAINE

(By United Press Leased Wire.)

PORLTAND, Me., Sept. 11.—Estimates of the vote that is being held in Maine today on the question of repealing the prohibition amendment vary from 10,000 majority for the repeal to an extreme 13,000 for reaffirmation. Both sides appear confident of success.

On the last day of the campaign in all the principal cities of the state thousands of school children paraded the streets carrying banners inscribed "Vote for Us."

TWO BAND CONCERTS

The two final concerts of Ellery's band were given yesterday at the Armory. This was the farewell appearance of the band in the west. Those present encored the musicians repeatedly.

SAN FRANCISCO—Because ,he "400 list had grown to 700, society leaders have lopped off 300 names from the invited guests for the first ball of the season.

HAS RIGHT TO SPANK HIS WIFE

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Sept. 11.—Alderman Ricketts of this city discharged William Novalous of Ashley, who admitted spanking his wife because she was extravagant. His wife had Novalous arrested, and he did not hesitate to admit that he had beaten her.

"It is this way, your honor," he explained; "I gave her a sum of money every month on which to run the house. When, a couple of days ago, I found that she had used considerable of this money for another purpose, I got angry and spanked her with my razor strop."

As Mrs. Novalous appeared none the worse for the spanking, the alderman discharged the man.

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E. E. MORGAN, Pres.
Store Opens at 9:00 a. m. and Closes at 6:00 p. m. Daily. Saturdays from 9:00 a. m. Till 10:00 p. m.

Boys' Splendid School Clothes, the Prices Much Lowest Anywhere About

Here's your school outfit—snappy, well made, sturdy school suits in a host of pretty gray and brown mixtures, with knickerbocker pants and standard double-breasted coats; ages 6 to 16 years, and specially priced at $3.00

We are making an excellent showing of high class suits in imported tweeds and cassimeres, and new diagonal, homespuns and basket weaves. The coats are made double-breasted and are full cut, the trousers are all knickerbocker, and every garment is perfectly tailored—good for school or dress wear, for boys ages 7 to 17 years, and exceptional values at $7.50

We have another very high class line, though more moderately priced, showing all the new shades of gray, tan or brown, in fancy mixtures, suits that are made to stand the rough knock of school wear—all fine woolen materials, knicker trousers and double-breasted coats, priced at ... $5.00

Boys' Corduroy Knicker Trousers

These are just what you want for rough and ready wear, and we certainly have a choice assortment in all the various shades of tans and browns, extra full peg top, with side buckles and button flap pockets, some are made with a double seat; sizes 5 to 17 years, priced at—

$1.50, $1.75, $2.50

In a cheaper line we offer a big assortment, priced at $1.00

BEAUTIFUL TEETH AND CHARMING SMILES

—they go together. YOUR smiles will be charming if your teeth possess that strong, clean, even appearance that all admire.

And if your teeth are uneven or unhealthy, think what an improvement it would be to your good looks to come to us and have us give them the attention they need and put them in such a condition that you will be proud of them.

Our dentists are all experienced—no students—and they can fix your teeth WITHOUT PAIN.

And by coming to us you get absolutely the best of work and get it at a much more reasonable price than you can elsewhere.

22-kt. Gold Crowns and Bridgework ... $4.00
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