

SAW 16 MEN PASS "LITTLE GREEN DOOR" NEVER TO RETURN

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Maurice A. Lustig, one time occupant of the death house at Sing Sing today is a free man, by the reversal of his conviction for the murder of his wife. The memory of his two years proximity to "the little green door," through which he saw seventeen fellow prisoners "go away" has been made with an indelible impression on Lustig's mind. He can tell of his experiences on the life side of the little green door with vivid graphicness and today he was telling friends of what he saw and heard "up the river."

PRECIPITATION IN NOVEMBER BELOW NORMAL

Weather report for November, Medford, Station, 1912. Table with columns: Date, Max., Min., Rainfall. Rows 1-30. Summary statistics: Maximum 72, Mean of maximum 50.5, Normal mean maximum 53, Minimum 27, Mean of minimum 36, Normal mean minimum 35, Mean monthly temperature 43.2, Normal mean monthly temperature 44, Precipitation 3.28, Normal monthly precipitation for November 4.21, Deficiency for month 0.93, Number of clear days 7, Number of partly cloudy days 9, Number of cloudy days 14.

ITALIANS WANT RELIGION TAUGHT IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS. VAREZ, Italy, Dec. 3.—The public schools are facing today a strike on the part of the parents of the pupils. Unable to secure religious instruction in the schools, the parents almost unanimously refused to send their children to the opening classes for the year. All of the schools are closed as a result, with no solution of the strike in prospect.

OFFICERS WHO RECEIVED HONOR MEDALS FROM PRESIDENT TAFT



LEFT TO RIGHT: CAPTAIN JULIAN GAUJOT, CAPTAIN ARCHIE MILLER, SERGEANT JOSEPH HENDERSON, AND J. T. KENNEDY, AND SERGEANT JOSEPH HENDERSON.

DECISION MAKES NO LOCAL CHANGE

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 3.—"I cannot see where the decision of the supreme court will have any effect whatever upon local conditions," said W. W. Cotton, counsel for the O. W. R. & N., when a dispatch announcing the decision of the high tribunal was shown to him.

JANUARY 1 NEAR; AUTOISTS WARNED

SALEM, Ore., Dec. 3.—The automobile department of the secretary of state's office is today sending out 12,000 letters and application blanks to owners of motor vehicles and chauffeurs in the state who registered during 1912 and probably will want to register for 1913.

PINTO HAS STUNT WITH O. A. C. BAND

CORVALLIS, Ore., Dec. 3.—The concert season of the cadet military band at the Oregon Agricultural College opens this year December 13 with a big concert in the opera house at home.

ROAD DISTRICT 8 FALLS IN LINE TO BUILD GOOD ROADS

Road District No. 8, located high in the mountains of Evans creek embracing Asbestos has fallen in line for a special road tax for the purpose of improving the highways of that section and is making preparations to raise by special levy, as empowered by law, funds for that purpose.

ROGUE RIVER VOTES WET; WOMEN OUT

Rogue River went wet Monday at the annual city election by a vote of 45 to 33, practically a two to one vote. One hundred and seven votes were cast, 47 being women, the first suffragettes in southern Oregon to exercise the right of the ballot as given them at the last election.

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PICATO IN FINE SHAPE FOR MILL

"Habe," Picato who is to box Bud Anderson the ten round main event before the Medford Athletic club next Friday night, made his first local appearance yesterday in his workout at the club's gym. Picato looks well and it can easily be seen that he is by far the shiftest boxer yet to meet Anderson.

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