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## CALLED MONOPOLY

### American Tobacco Co. Operates in Opposition to Law

## FEDERAL COURT SO DECIDES

### Bryan's Daughter Said to be Taking Steps to Get Divorce—Idaho Farms Hit Hard

Special to the Evening Review.  
NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—The contention of the government prosecutors that the American Tobacco Company is a monopoly operating in restraint of trade was upheld today by the United States Circuit Court of Appeals. The decision of the court is that the concern is doing business in opposition to law. The suit was brought by the government some time ago with the object of dissolving the trust.

### Ruth Leavitt Wants Divorce.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 7.—A rumor that Mrs. Ruth Leavitt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jennings Bryan, is to take steps immediately to secure a divorce from her husband, was received today in an intimation made by a former member of the Bryan household. Of late Mrs. Leavitt has been living at the Bryan home at Fairview, Nebraska. Her husband, who is an artist, conducts a studio in Paris. Leavitt was divorced from a former wife prior to his marriage with Ruth Bryan.

### W. B. Cornish Dead.

CHICAGO, Nov. 7.—William B. Cornish, second vice-president of the Union Pacific railroad, and one of the best known railroad men of the

west, was found dead today in his room at the Auditorium Hotel. Heart trouble is supposed to have been the cause of his death. Cornish came here from his New Jersey home yesterday.

### How to Idaho Farmers.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Nov. 7.—Agricultural interests in the Couer d'Alene valley, in Idaho, were notified by their attorney in this city today that the Federal Court of Appeals had sustained the decision of the District Court of Idaho, dismissing their complaints against neighboring mining interests. The farmers and stockmen, representing \$800,000 in agriculture and livestock, represented to the court that the mining interests, valued at \$12,000,000, had filled the streams with silt, preventing navigation, injuring crops and poisoning livestock.

### Lumbermen Have Plan.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 7.—A central committee to be known as a lumbering inspection bureau for the Pacific Coast was planned today by local members of the Lumbermen's Exchange. A meeting of all bureaus on the coast will soon be held for putting the plan into effect. The three bureaus now in California, Oregon and Washington do not work in harmony. The idea is to have inspectors paid by shippers and importers.

## COUNTY COURT ORDERS.

Persons claiming bounty on wild animals shall present scalps to the county clerk or to any justice of the peace or notary public within the county within 3 days from date of killing, and shall thereupon make affidavit before such officer in support of such claim, whereupon, in cases before justices and notaries, said affidavits together with scalp or scalps shall be forwarded forthwith to the county clerk.

H. M. Sackett appointed supervisor of road district No. 47, vice T. A. Findlay, resigned.

O. H. Mortensen appointed constable of Glendale precinct, vice J. W. Beckley, resigned.

All road tax levied by the county upon property within the corporate limits of the town of Yoncalla refunded, because charter of said town gives its authorities exclusive jurisdiction in such matters.

## IDLE MEN RETURN TO WORK.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—The National Association of Manufacturers publishes in the current issue of the American Industries, its official magazine, a statement on trade conditions issued by its 3000 members, representing every branch of the industry.

A resume of the information contained in replies to telegrams sent by the magazine shows: The percentage of replies received indicates that an average of 135 men each will be added to the majority of manufacturing plants in the association by December 1. The reports show that at least one-half of the 3000 members of the National Association of Manufacturers expect to add to their forces more than 200,000 workmen.

## DELEGATES TO RIVER CONGRESS

SALEM, Or., Nov. 6.—Governor Chamberlain today appointed the following persons to represent Oregon at the National Rivers and Harbors Congress, which will meet in Washington, D. C., December 9 to 11: George Flavel, J. E. Higgins, F. J. Taylor, J. H. Smith, James Finlayson, Astoria; A. B. Steinbach, A. B. Graham, J. B. O'Shea, S. M. Mears, Charles Kohz, John Wood, A. H. Devers, Hermann Wittenberg, Phillip Buchner, Edward Newbegin, William McMaister, C. J. Jackson, W. R. McGary, J. G. Mack, R. R. Hoge, George Taylor, Peter Kerr, Portland; E. Hofer, J. H. Albert, Salem; Walter Lyon, Marshfield; B. I. Dasant, Albany; Peter Loggie, North Bend; J. T. Peters, The Dalles; J. N. Teal, Portland; W. J. Mariner, Hilo; Allen Lewis, Portland; John H. Hartog, Eugene; C. F. McKnight, Marshfield.

## SLAYS TWO WOMEN

### Pittsburg Man Then Ends Own Life With Chloroform

## ACQUITTED ONCE OF MURDER

### California Bank Cashier Confesses to Embezzlement of Funds Totaling \$3,000

Special to the Evening Review.  
PITTSBURG, Pa., Nov. 7.—A double murder and suicide was revealed in East Pittsburg today, when the body of Mrs. Wm. Casey was found in bed at her home with her throat cut from ear to ear, on the floor beside the bed the dead body of her daughter with the head almost severed from the body and squeezed in an open trunk with a vial of chloroform close to his nose the body of George Hartzell, son-in-law of Mrs. Casey. The discovery of the horrible crime was made by Mrs. Casey's husband upon his return from a Republican jollification.

Beside the body of the daughter lay a blood-stained razor, with which she and her mother had been slain. The police are satisfied beyond a doubt that Hartzell killed the two women and then crawled into the trunk and inhaled the chloroform. He was breathing his last when Casey reached home. Detectives traced the purchase of the chloroform to a local drug store, Hartzell explaining that it was to be used in killing dogs.

Last December Hartzell was tried and acquitted on the charge of murdering his wife, his mother-in-law, who was the principal witness for the state, refusing to testify against him.

## Glue-Fingered Cashier.

HALF MOON BAY, Calif., Nov. 7.—L. M. Contente, cashier of the bank of Half Moon Bay, under arrest here on a charge of embezzlement, today confessed that he stole \$3,000 worth of the bank's funds and falsified entries in the books. Contente ran accounts at various banks with the stolen money, which, he said, he needed to support his family in proper style. President Goldman discovered the shortage in the bank when he learned that Contente failed to make an entry of \$1,000 turned in by a depositor.

## DRAIN NEWS.

Mrs. W. P. Reed, of Gardiner, has just returned from a visit to her former home in Rhode Island. Arrangements are being made to resume operations at the Skelly saw mill, with Mr. Lantz as head sawyer again.

Mrs. Jake Ritchey has returned home from Berkeley, Cal., where she spent the past year at the home of her daughter.

Mrs. Wilfred Brown, of Camas Valley, is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Putnam, and other relatives.

Marsh Enaley is very sick with dropsy.

A. E. Shiria, the well known saw mill man, is here this week arranging to move the old Mack saw mill to Glendale, where he will operate it.

Miss Bee Whipple left today for Monmouth, where she will attend the normal school there the present term. Miss Whipple recently finished a very successful term of school at Ash, near Gardiner. During her stay there she shot three wildcats, that the dogs trod, which proves that she is pretty "nifty" with the rifle.

A daughter was born Nov. 1 to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brand.

Lloyd Whipple is now at Columbus, Montana, with his brother, Ralph, who is in the stock-raising business. Lloyd expects to teach the school at that place this winter.

L. N. Whipple is organizing a local lodge of Modern Brotherhood of America, at Drain. He has already secured the names of 25 charter members.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rode left this week for San Diego, Cal., where Mrs. Rode will spend the winter for the benefit of her health. A portion of the family will remain here at their home in East Drain.—Nonpareil.

## APPLES RULE MARKET.

### Winter Banana Brings Top Price. With Spitzenberg Second.

PORTLAND, Or., Nov. 6.—This is the time of the year when the Oregon apple comes to the front, and it is here. With the Winter Bananas, which is reputed to be the flower of apple evolution, holding first place and selling at the retail stores at two for a quarter; magnificent Spitzenbergs in second place and moving at \$5 a box, the apple list just now is a big one, and there is in it everything that anybody could want.

In the displays of apples at the still here are Ortleys, Kings, Newton Pippins, Baldwins, Jonathans and half a dozen other favorite fall and winter varieties, all the equal of the best apples grown anywhere in the east, and selling at retail here at \$1.50 to \$2.50 a box. Local dealers say that the demand for apples, now that the summer and short-season fruits are more or less out of the way, is steadily growing stronger. It is now the main feature of the fruit market.

## THE POULTRY YARD.

Better clean out all surplus stock. Do not winter any stock that will not give profit.

Don't forget to gather in road dust or sifted coal ashes, so that the hens will have something to wallow in this winter.

If eggs have become soiled in the nest, wash them with clean water with the chill removed. Soap must not be used.

Close up the leaks in the roof and all crevices in the poultry house before cold weather sets in. It will prevent discomfort and sickness.

Profitable winter eggs can not be secured from old hens. Such hens are apt to be profitable in the spring and summer. Rely upon pullets only for winter eggs.

Never allow any one with soiled hands to gather eggs, for a little grease or oil on the shell of an egg will make it worthless as far as hatching is concerned.

The pullets have no doubt been on the wide range this summer. If hatched in April or May, they should be put into their winter quarters by the first of November at the latest.

No matter how you feed and care for them hens two years old or over will not begin to lay until late in the winter, and then not enough to pay the expenses of keeping them.

Brown-shelled eggs will command two cents a dozen more in the market than the pale or white-shelled ones, but the farmer generally believes that to the commission man to find out.

Whitewashing poultry houses two or three times a year, with a little carbolic acid and coal-oil in the wash, will destroy mites and lice.

Use the wash hot and thin, and put it into all cracks with a little brush.

The idea that all brown-shelled eggs are rich in nutritive qualities and white-shelled ones poor, is an old notion and not supported by facts. The eggs of the White Leghorn have good substance and avor.

Eggs will keep for some time in a dry atmosphere—hen's eggs for about ten days; ducks' eggs for one week; turkeys' and geese eggs for twenty days. Nevertheless, for hatching purposes they should be as fresh as possible.

Carelessness in leaving old water dishes standing about where the hens can have access to filthy, stagnant water, and allowing the fowls to eat decayed animal matter, cause great trouble in the shape of bowel diseases and limberneck.

Too many farmers consider the location, construction and condition of the poultry house of little importance. The same people growl about the amount of feed the fowls consume and find fault with the hens because they cease to lay when eggs are high in price.

Now is the time to crowd the late chicks if you want to get them in the market before the price falls. I have found curd, made from sour milk seasoned with salt and pepper and a few spoonfuls of blood meal and ground bone mixed in, a great appetizer; it makes the chicks grow rapidly.

Do not be deceived by thinking that if your fowls get the roup they can be easily cured. Genuine roup, when once seated, is a very difficult disease to eradicate, and it is a very easy matter to avoid it. Keep the hen house dry by allowing free ventilation and avoid allowing the hens to roost in a draft.

Few eggs may be expected from the hens that roost in tree tops, old sheds or any place that they may find. The poultry house should be placed in a dry location so that the fowls will not have to wade in mud all winter. Damp houses are often responsible for roup and other diseases. Make the hens comfortable; it pays.

—From November Farm Journal.

## OPERATION KILLS HER.

### Oregon Girl Denied Privilege of Marrying Boy She Eloped With.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 6.—As the result of a clandestine love affair and a runaway trip to San Francisco of a boy and a girl from Cove, Or., Vesta Van Vlack, pretty and 15 years old, lies dead at the morgue, her companion, James H. Gilbert, occupies a cell in prison, and Dr. George W. O'Donnell, of this city, has been arrested on a charge of murder. The boy has been going by the name of Gibson and was supporting the girl by acting as a waiter at the Fairmount Hotel.

Dr. O'Donnell was arrested and arraigned before Police Judge Conlan this morning on a charge of murder, in causing the death of Miss Van Vlack by performing an unlawful operation. The girl's death occurred on November 2 at the Habermann hospital, ostensibly as the result of an operation for appendicitis, performed by Dr. Ward, of that institution. Yesterday the hospital authorities applied to Coroner Leland for a death certificate. The report they entered aroused the suspicions of the Coroner and an investigation followed, which resulted in the discovery that the operation had been performed by Dr. O'Donnell, whose arrest followed.

Then came the entire story of the young couple's flight from home, because of the opposition of Miss Van Vlack's father to their marriage. James H. Gilbert is the youth in the case. Some weeks ago they eloped and came to this city. Without their parents' consent they could secure no marriage license, but being alone in a big, strange city they lived together as man and wife. For some weeks they roomed at the Winchester Hotel. Here the girl fell ill and Gilbert applied for assistance to Dr. O'Donnell, who is alleged to have treated her.

## HOW DID YOU VOTE?

Well, it don't matter, now election is over and all seem satisfied. Prosperity is on every hand. Real estate is double what it was two years ago, crops have been good and prices are excellent, there is plenty of work at good wages; perhaps the most marked evidence of prosperity and confidence the people have in the country is the fact that Burr's Music House has sold two carloads of the famous Bush & Lane pianos in about two months and a half and have the third (3rd) car on the road. We attribute our success largely to the prosperity of the country, yet there are other things which should come in for their share of credit; firstly, we have never been able to offer such piano values before and, secondly, the people are waking up to this booster spirit and see the advisability of patronizing home merchants, who are helping to advertise and build up the community and for which we are very grateful; and, thirdly, we have adopted a one-price system to everybody and this price away below any competition, when quality is considered; because we are satisfied with a moderate profit and our expenses are nothing in comparison with a city house.

We use no high salaried salesman, yet we are shipping in carload lots, taking cash discounts, etc., and those who have investigated found our prices so reasonable they have not even asked us to cut these prices even for cash. The prices are the same, where time is needed. But we ask you to pay a small rate of interest on the deferred payments. If you are needing anything in the line of musical instruments we ask you to please remember that the old reliable Burr's Music House is still doing business at the old stand.

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