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Outlaw Beaten With Own Gun in Butte Drug Store

PAL FLEES WITH BAD WOUND

Wreck Kills Conductor—Carmack Case Opens Tomorrow—Wife Killer Denied New Trial

Special to the Evening Review. BUTTE, Mont., Nov. 10.—"Paddy" Rogers, the last of the band of desperadoes which has terrorized Butte and vicinity for several years past, who, during his notorious career, has killed three men and escaped from jail three times, is in jail here today after a fierce revolver fight in a local drug store last night. Rogers and a companion entered the drug store and commanded the clerk and three customers to throw up their hands, but the demand was ignored and shooting began on both sides. During the battle, Rogers and the clerk engaged in a hand-to-hand struggle, and the clerk beat the outlaw into submission with his own revolver and turned him over to the police. Rogers' pal received a bullet in the groin and fled. His capture is regarded as only a matter of time.

Wreck Fatal to Conductor. BUTTE, Mont., Nov. 10.—Arthur F. Beers, a freight conductor, is dying in a hospital here with both legs cut off as the result of a collision of St. Paul passenger and freight trains seven miles east of here. Five freight cars were piled up, and Beers was caught in the wreckage. Passengers were thrown from their seats, but no one was seriously hurt. The

collision is supposed to have been due to a misunderstanding of signals.

Carmack Murder Case. NASHVILLE, Tenn., Nov. 10.—A special session of the grand jury is called for tomorrow to consider the cases of Duncan B. Cooper and his son, Robin, the latter of whom shot and killed ex-United States Senator Carmack on the streets yesterday. It is understood that the defendants will waive preliminary examination this afternoon in order that they may be placed on trial before a jury at the earliest possible date. Although Duncan Cooper did not fire a shot during the tragedy, he will be accused jointly with his son because he stood by, revolver in hand, while his son exchanged shots with Carmack.

Wife Slayer Must Hang. OLYMPIA, Wash., Nov. 10.—The supreme court today affirmed conviction of murder in the first degree of Frank O. Bridgman, who shot and killed his wife at Centralia, Nov. 21, of last year. Bridgman will be hanged.

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Seattle Postmaster Solicited Campaign Funds

ROOSEVELT ISSUES ORDER

Taft Asked to Keep Atlantic Fleet in Pacific Ocean—Kaiser in Balloon Flight

Special to the Evening Review. WASHINGTON, Nov. 10.—President Roosevelt today removed Geo. M. Stewart, postmaster at Seattle, Wash., on the charge of soliciting campaign contributions from employees. The president's action is supposed to be the result of affidavits filed several weeks ago with the civil service commission here. The fund which Stewart is alleged to have collected was used in the King County campaign of 1906.

Keep Fleet in Pacific. SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 10.—A set of resolutions asking that the Pacific battleship fleet be retained permanently in the Pacific Ocean and that it be augmented by the Atlantic fleet was forwarded today to Wm. H. Taft, by officers of the California branch of the National Red Cross Society. Taft is president of the national body.

Nearer His Subaltern God. BERLIN, Nov. 10.—Kaiser William made an ascent with Count Zeppelin in his reconstructed dirigible balloon, "Zeppelin I," at Lake Constance today. The flight was witnessed by 300,000 people.

Japan's War Budget. TOKIO, Nov. 10.—The treasury department today announced a budget

for next year, aggregating a total of \$258,560,000. This means a curtailment for military, naval and civil enterprises of \$84,000,000.

Oregon Factories Closed. SALEM, Or., Nov. 10.—According to the report of State Labor Commissioner O. P. Hoff, made public today, 151 factories in Oregon either closed down or went out of business entirely during the 16 months from June 1, 1906, to October 1, of this year.

A SOCIAL SESSION. To be held by Commercial Club on November 20th.

At the regular meeting of the Roseburg Commercial Club Monday evening it was decided to hold a social session on Friday evening, Nov. 20, at which time it is expected that a good number of the citizens of the town will be the guests of the Club. Several committees were appointed to take charge of the arrangements and the invitations will doubtless be issued within a few days. It seems that a considerable number of people do not realize the amount of work that is being done by the Commercial Club for the advancement of Roseburg and Douglas county, and a social session, such as is now proposed, will doubtless be of benefit to the entire community—both for members and non-members of the Club. Every live town nowadays has an active Commercial Club and the Roseburg Club is ready to demonstrate that it is on the map. The commodious new Club rooms will soon be ready for occupancy, but the Club is meanwhile going ahead with its work just the same. A large amount of literature regarding Douglas county has been distributed abroad during the summer and more new home-seekers are now coming here than ever before.

For the coming social session of the Club an appropriate list of exercises is being arranged and refreshments will be served. Every invited guest is assured of a good time, in addition to promoting the united effort for the advancement of our town and county.

F. E. ALLEY CASE DISMISSED.

Kohlagen, Gilpin and Shipley Cases Set for Nov. 30, Dec. 1, Dec. 2.

PORTLAND, Or., Nov. 9.—Vigorous use was made of the pruning knife in the Federal court this morning by Judge Wolverton on recommendation of United States Attorney McCourt and many cases which have been on the calendar for years were dismissed.

In the District court 11 criminal cases are being arranged and set for trial, the ones passed including the old Heney cases. The criminal cases passed in the Circuit court include those against Horace G. McKinley, Guy Huff, S. A. D. Pater, F. P. Mays, George Sorenson, Earl Benson, S. B. Ormsby et al., W. W. Stolver, Binger Hermann and former Congressman Williamson, John H. Hall, Frank E. Alley et al., James Benson, C. Sam Smith and Dr. VanGenser and Charles A. Graves et al.

Trials were set in criminal cases in the District court as follows: United States vs. James H. Parker, Nov. 25; James M. Hazelwood, Nov. 27; Job Gilpin, Dec. 1; Leroy Shipley, Dec. 2; J. B. Mead, Nov. 27; Albert Cassin, Dec. 3; Louis Kohlagen, Nov. 30; Frank B. Roberts, Dec. 4; Chas. W. Spencer, Dec. 7.

DEMOCRATS WILL CONTEST

Election of Governor Deeneen Alleged to Have Been Irregular. CHICAGO, Nov. 9.—Declaring that if the truth were known Adlai E. Stevenson, former vice-president of the United States and a Democrat was elected governor of Illinois on Tuesday instead of Governor Deeneen, republican, the incumbent, the democrats are preparing to contest Deeneen's election. They will demand that every ballot cast for governor be recounted. Charles Boeschstein, chairman of the democratic central committee, says he is reasonably certain that a recount will show Stevenson was elected.

CORTELYOU STAYS IN CABINET.

Financial Interests Bring Pressure to Bear on Taft. WASHINGTON, Nov. 9.—Information reached Washington today from reliable sources that Mr. Taft will retain Mr. Cortelyou as Secretary of the Treasury, and that Mr. Loeb, now secretary to the President, will not be in the next cabinet. It is stated that strong pressure has been brought upon Mr. Taft by financial and business interests to retain Mr. Cortelyou. He has given complete satisfaction to President Roosevelt in the official discharge of his duty, and, while pleasing the president, he has been able to carry the commendation of those large business interests which have to do with his department.

There has been some talk of Mr. Meyer, at present postmaster-general, being transferred to the Treasury portfolio by Mr. Taft, but it is stated that Mr. Meyer has such business interests that he is not eligible for the place. Many of these interests have been inherited by Mr. Meyer and he has no disposition to sever his connection.

It is emphatically stated by the authority quoted that Mr. Loeb will not be a member of the next administration in any capacity.

GIVES HIS VIEWS

Rev. Hawkins' Statement of Clark-Summers Case.

NOT ACQUAINTED WITH HIM

Helped Clark in Securing an Attorney But Hopes He Will be Punished if Guilty

Roseburg, Ore., Nov. 11th, 1908. Roseburg Review.

L. Wimberly, Editor. Dear Sir:—I hereby permit me the use of a conspicuous place in the columns of your paper. I wish to correct a most grievous misrepresentation in your issue of Nov. 9th. Your reckless use of my name in connection with Rev. Clark or Summers, I strongly resent. You accuse Rev. Clark of a most glaring crime and paint him as criminal of deepest hue; and then close your sensational item by representing me as his defender. You say that I have interested myself in his behalf, and that I will raise money, if necessary, to defend him. And you do this without one word of personal inquiry from me as to the facts. This kind of treatment I strongly resent. Since my name has been so freely used in connection with this case, I hope you will grant me the privilege of making a statement according to facts. Although Rev. Clarke has been preaching in the Oregon Conference since 1904, I am not personally acquainted with him. When he was brought to Roseburg Saturday night, I had no knowledge of his being in the city. I was away from the parsonage, when he came to seek my aid. On my return home I found the man guarded by a deputy, and in deep distress. He pleaded his innocence, claiming that it was a case of mistaken identity and asked me to prevent, if possible, his spending the night in the county jail. I immediately made careful examination of the Oregon Conference Journals of the Methodist Church, the official publication of the Conference, published annually, and found that he came to the Oregon Conference in 1904; that he was admitted to the Conference in 1905 on credentials from the Methodist Church, South, which church received him as a minister in 1889. Clark also had in his possession a certificate signed by Bishop McDowell, the presiding officer of the Oregon Annual Conference, held at Albany, Ore., in 1905. This paper certified that the Conference had recognized the credentials as those of Rev. Geo. Clarke. With this evidence quickly gathered, I naturally came to the conclusion that this man was either George Clarke, or he had forged his credentials, and passed them off on the Conference. Knowing the care taken by the Board of Conference Relations in passing on such matters I thought forger's next to impossible. Not knowing of the other evidence presented later by The Review, my sympathy went out strongly for the man and was willing to do what I could to keep him from jail until he had a chance to present his case to the governor and only did for him what I would gladly do for anyone under similar circumstances. I was firm with Clarke and told him in the presence of Sheriff Fenton and others that I hoped he would get what was coming to him if he was guilty. As to my raising funds or securing the employment of attorneys to defend him, will say, I made no promise, nor have I any intention of giving him such aid. At his earnest solicitation I secured the advice of a lawyer. This was done for the purpose of keeping him out of jail until he could get his case before the Governor.

As a minister of the Gospel I want only to stand for right and justice. I hope hereafter to have The Review consult me personally about any news of such a serious nature, before associating my name with it, and feel that in asking this I am only asking the courtesy that is due to any citizen. I will believe you desire to do the square thing if you will give this article as much prominence in your paper as you did the one with which my name was associated.

PLEADS WITH GOVERNOR.

Gardiner Minister Bears Favorable Letter From Rev. T. B. Ford. SALEM, Or., Nov. 9.—What is either a remarkable case of mistaken identity or a rank instance of hypocrisy was called to the attention of Governor Chamberlain today, when Rev. George C. Clark, of Gardiner, Douglas county, appealed to the governor for protection against extradition. Clark has been arrested upon the theory that he is Rev. George C. Summers, who is wanted at Throckmorton, Texas, to answer a charge

of embezzlement. Though the circumstances point almost conclusively to the identity of Clark and Summers, yet Mr. Clark has a letter from Rev. T. B. Ford in which the latter declares that he knows both men and that they are not one and the same.

Rev. George C. Summers left his wife and family at Throckmorton in 1904 and eloped with Elizabeth Massey, a young girl. He embezzled money at the same time. Since then his whereabouts have been unknown.

Rev. George C. Clark says that he formerly lived in Throckmorton, Tex., but that he left there in 1900, in which year at Dallas, Tex., he married Elizabeth Massey, who, however, is not the same Elizabeth Massey who was married by Rev. George C. Summers. Clark came to Oregon in 1904, soon after the time of Summers' disappearance. He occupied the Methodist Episcopal pulpit at Wilderville and was later transferred to Gardiner, where he is now preaching.

Clark admits that he looks like Summers and that the circumstances are strongly against him, but he protests his innocence. At his urgent request he was brought to Salem today by the sheriff of Douglas county in order that he might tell his story and protest against the granting of extradition. A number of Methodist ministers called upon the governor today, but as they knew nothing about the facts in the case, they merely asked that the governor make a thorough investigation so that no injustice shall be done.

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ADVERTISED LETTERS.

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REHEARING DENIED

Government Loses Once More in Standard Oil Case

SUPREME COURT ONLY HOPE

J. W. Scriber, Cashier of Defunct Bank at La Grande, Furnishes Bond in Sum of \$40,000

Special to the Evening Review. CHICAGO, Nov. 10.—The Federal Court of Appeals today denied the petition of the United States government for a rehearing in the case against the Standard Oil Company, wherein, originally, the Standard was convicted in the lower court of accepting rebates from the Alton railroad and fined \$29,240,000 by Judge Konesaw M. Landis. The denial of the petition is a second defeat of the government, the appellate court having previously set aside Judge Landis' decision.

The government's only recourse now is to carry the case up to the United States Supreme Court. This will probably be done by Attorney-General Bonaparte.

Scriber Furnishes Bond.

PORTLAND, Or., Nov. 10.—Through the efforts of his cousin, L. H. McMahon, an attorney of Salem, J. W. Scriber, cashier of the defunct Farmers' and Traders' National Bank of La Grande, charged with embezzlement, furnished a bond of \$40,000 late yesterday afternoon and was released from jail. He announced today that he does not know what he will do between now and the date of his trial, but says he will remain in Portland indefinitely. Scriber declared that he is not afraid to return to La Grande, as he does not think anyone there would harm him.

The rumor is revived today that Scriber's relatives and friends are holding a conference with a view to making good his shortage, which the government officials declare amounts to \$123,000. Scriber disputes this, however, asserting that he is short not more than \$70,000.

SEEKS TO OUST HIM.

Washington Justice Brings Serious Charge Against Ex-Judge.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Nov. 9.—Charges of corrupt solicitation and alleged payment of money involving the names of Justice Milo A. Root, of the supreme court and Judge N. J. Gordon, formerly chief justice of the supreme court, but later division counsel of the Great Northern at Spokane, are to be investigated by a committee from the State Bar Association, appointed at the suggestion of the supreme court.

Judge Gordon resigned from the employ a few weeks ago and since then charges have been published that his resignation was due to an alleged shortage in his accounts to the amount of \$50,000.

The report that Judge Root laid before his associates today was that Judge Gordon and his attorneys had been claiming this money was paid to Root at the latter's solicitation to influence his decisions in railway cases pending before the supreme court.

Judge Root has been on the supreme bench since 1905 and on last Tuesday he was re-elected to a term of six years. Judge Gordon was elected to the supreme bench in 1904 and served until July 1, 1905, when he resigned to accept a position in the legal department of the Great Northern.



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