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BULLET EXTRACTED

Heney Gains Strength—Chats With Langdon

RUEF REMAINS LOCKED UP

Attorneys Apply For Change of Venue at Resumption of His Trial This Morning

Special to the Evening Review.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 16.—The bullet embedded in Francis J. Heney's jaw, about an inch in front of the ear, was removed this morning, and the patient's condition is greatly improving. The operation was performed by Dr. Wallace Terry, chief of the emergency service, and its success caused a general feeling of relief. Mrs. Heney has not left the hospital since her husband was taken there.

Heney was able to hold a long conference with District Attorney Langdon today.

Ask Change of Venue.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 16.—Alleging that their client's life is not safe in San Francisco and that the fierce and burning prejudice that exists here makes it impossible to secure a fair trial in this city, Ruef's attorneys asked for a change of venue when the trial was resumed this morning under heavy guard. In Heney's place as assistant to District Attorney Langdon were attorneys Matt I. Sullivan and Hiram W. Johnson. The attorneys for the defense asked for the discharge of the jury, which required 11 weeks to secure. The prosecution asked for time in which to file affidavits in opposition to a change of venue. This was

granted until tomorrow morning, after which adjournment was taken.

In their affidavit, the attorneys for the defense say that some of the jurors heard the shot fired at Heney by Haas, and by reason of this could not give Ruef a fair trial. They also declared that he had been threatened over the telephone with lynching.

As expected, the courtroom was overcrowded with spectators, who were railed off by a stout fence. When adjournment was declared, Ruef was returned to jail, guarded by nine detectives.

Burns Gets Busy.

Detective Burns is preparing to examine Abridge, the special jailer, who was detailed to watch Haas and who failed to prevent his suicide. More than anything else, Burns will endeavor to find out why he was not permitted to see Haas just prior to his suicide. Burns intimates that the outcome of his investigation will be charges against Chief of Police Biggy, who will be asked why he gave out the statement declaring that the attempt to assassinate Heney was not the result of a conspiracy. Burns believes that the derringer with which Haas killed himself was passed to him by his wife, who visited him at the jail a few hours before. Biggy insists, however, that Haas carried the gun concealed in his elastic shoe supporters when he entered the cell and that Capt. Duke failed to search him closely enough to find it. Duke says this is untrue.

Haas' Suicide.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 15.—Morris Haas, who yesterday attempted to assassinate F. J. Heney, last night committed suicide by shooting himself through the middle of his forehead with a pistol he had concealed about his person.

Haas went to bed at 8 o'clock at the county jail and covered up his face with a blanket. At 8:40 a shot was heard from his cell, and when the guards entered, it was found that he had rolled out of bed and was lying dead on the floor with a bullet-hole in his forehead. A 41-caliber single-shot derringer was grasped in his hand.

His left trouser leg was pulled up and examination showed a mark on his leg where the weapon had rested while concealed in his left shoe. Haas wore garters with elastic aides, which

made this possible.

After he had shot Mr. Heney yesterday, Haas was searched by Police Captain Duke, Detective Burns and a police officer. After he had been taken to the county jail he was again searched, but at neither time were his shoes examined. Haas went to bed last night with his shoes on and again tonight, and when he was asked why he did this said that he would rather sleep with them on.

His wife called on him today, but two officers were present during the interview, and they say she could not possibly have slipped the weapon to him.

It is reported tonight by District Attorney Langdon that Haas made a confession today and named the people who hired him to shoot Mr. Heney, but Mr. Langdon declares he will not divulge the names.

OREGON NEWS.

After being out for 29 hours, the jury in the Jack LaRose case brought in a verdict of murder in the second degree, in Portland, Saturday night. LaRose is known as the "gas-pipe" thug, and was charged with the murder of Hyman Neuman, a second-hand dealer, May 11, last. LaRose was arrested the following day, after he was caught almost in the act of assaulting John Chong, a Chinese tailor. In this case a piece of gas-pipe similar to that with which Neuman was slain, was the weapon.

The largest single sale of land in the Willamette Valley in years was closed in Albany Saturday, when 30,000 acres of farm land in the old Yaquina Bay grant in Benton and Lincoln counties was sold to J. H. Streeter & Co., George W. Taylor and Geo. E. Adams, all of Minneapolis, for a price said to exceed \$250,000. The land is to be sold in small tracts to newcomers.

Fire visited the business section of Tillamook, Sunday, destroying \$15,000 worth of property.

"Had dyspepsia or indigestion for years. No appetite, and what I did eat distressed me terribly. Burdock Blood Bitters cured me."—J. H. Walker, Sunbury, Ohio.

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EVERYBODY BOOST

Big Good Roads Meeting Next Friday Afternoon

BUSINESS HOUSES TO CLOSE

Judge Wonacott Unites With the Commercial Club in Urging a Large Attendance

Good Roads for Douglas County!

Yes, that's the slogan, and it has become so loud that no one can hereafter fail to heed. A monster mass meeting is to be held in Roseburg next Friday afternoon and so great is the public interest therein that every business house in Roseburg has signed an agreement to close from 2 to 4 o'clock p. m., while the meeting is in progress, so that everybody may attend. This occasion promises to be a demonstration in favor of good roads such as has never yet been witnessed in Southern Oregon. Every citizen of the county is earnestly requested to be present and the ladies are especially invited.

Hon. John H. Scott, president of the Oregon Good Roads Association, will be present and deliver the principal address. Judge Scott was for eight years county judge of Marion county, and during that time gained a state-wide reputation as a good roads builder. Building good roads is not "hot air" talk with him. He has the actual results to show for his work. He is now endeavoring to get the whole state interested in the good roads movement and a number of counties are already at work along this line. Help put Douglas county at the front in this movement by attending the big meeting at the court house next Friday afternoon.

Douglas county soil and climate are unsurpassed. What we need most is adequate means of travel and transportation of products at all seasons of the year. In order to accomplish this, good roads are a prime necessity. With good roads properly adjacent thereto will increase in value many times the amount such roads will cost, and the products of the county will be rapidly multiplied. Good roads are a paying investment in many ways. Let's have them as soon as possible.

From Judge Wonacott.

Roseburg, Ore., Nov. 16, 1908. To the Road Supervisors and Citizens of Douglas County: A county good roads convention is to be held at the Court House in Roseburg next Friday afternoon, Nov. 20th. It is desired to have every Road Supervisor and every citizen present, who can possibly be there. Judge Scott, former county judge of Marion county, and others, will deliver addresses on building good roads. This is an opportunity that no citizen can afford to miss. A county good roads association may be formed and you are requested to come and participate in this general movement for good roads in our county. The ladies, both of the city and county, are earnestly requested to be present.

Very respectfully,  
G. W. WONACOTT,  
County Judge.

KILLS SEVEN MEN.

Negro Desperado Then Burns Himself, after Being Shot Down.

OKMULGEE, Okla., Nov. 15.—Eight persons were killed and ten others injured this afternoon in a fight between Jim Deckard, a negro desperado, and local officers.

The disturbance began at the railroad station, where Deckard engaged in a fight with an Indian boy, Steve Grayson, and beat him into insensibility. Friends of Grayson notified the police and when Policeman Klaber went to the station, Deckard fled to his house nearby, barricaded himself in and when Klaber approached, Deckard shot and killed him.

Sheriff Robinson gathered a posse in a few minutes and hurried to the scene. Part of his posse was made up of a group of negroes, whom the sheriff commissioned as deputies.

As the posse approached the house Deckard opened fire with a rifle, firing a rapidly as he could load his weapon.

Sheriff Robinson fell first, killed instantly. Then five of the negro deputies were slain.

Deckard's house was surrounded by a frenzied mob of armed men. Fire was set to a house just south of Deckard's, volleys were poured into Deckard's house, and he was shot down.

He was seen to roll over on the floor, strike a match and set fire to his own house, which was soon roaring furiously. His body was cremated.

BIG DEMOCRATIC GAIN.

Nearly 7,000,000 Votes for Bryan—Only 5,080,207 for Parker.

NATIONAL APPLE SHOW.

Has Paved 60 Blocks.

Eugene Property Values Advance in Greater Proportion.

Portland Oregonian: The popular plurality for Taft over Bryan appears to be about 1,100,000, perhaps as much as 1,250,000. It is just one-half the popular plurality of Roosevelt over Parker four years ago, or perhaps a little less. Yet on the whole Taft has had more votes cast for him than Roosevelt had. Roosevelt in 1904 had 7,529,000 and Parker 5,089,207. It is likely that 8,000,000 will be found to approach Taft's total and Bryan's to be somewhat less than 7,000,000. The total vote for all candidates will be found to be about 16,000,000 or nearly that. The Socialist vote has apparently been little increased over 1904 when it was 401,380, while the Prohibition vote of 358,295 is about stationary, or perhaps a little diminished. When the full information on these subjects is available, The Oregonian will promptly procure and print it.

EUGENE, Or., Nov. 15.—Within the past 18 months Eugene has paved 60 blocks with bitulithic pavement, at a cost of over \$250,000. The street improvements during the last 12 months, outside of the paving, amount to more than any former period of five years. The paving season will close for the winter in about two weeks, although Eugene will not stop paving at that time, as petitions are in from property-holders to continue the work as long as practicable.

While there were a number of people who opposed the paving in the beginning, the increase in property values in every case has amounted to much more than the cost of laying the pavement. Many who first opposed the movement are now its strongest advocates, and Eugene is not satisfied with having the best paved streets of any city outside of Portland in the state, but she will push the improvements in every direction as rapidly as conditions will permit.

It is possible now to drive more than two miles in one general direction without getting off the paved streets. In the business section of the town the cross streets and alleys have been paved in such a way that the traffic is easy to all parts of the business district.

BILLEK LEGALLY DEAD.

Novel Plea in Defense of Murderer Under Death Sentence.

CHICAGO, Nov. 16.—That Herman Billek, the Bohemian hypnotist and fortune teller, who was convicted of the murder of several members of the Vrazil family, is legally dead, is the novel plea to be made by Attorney Hinkley before Judge Barnes in the allowance when the court convenes to pronounce sentence on the "evil-eye" poisoner tomorrow.

Billek was sentenced to be hanged last summer. The day of execution took place, but the United States court came a hand in the case and Billek was given leave to appeal to the Supreme Court of the United States. That court found that it had no jurisdiction in the case and it came back to Judge Barnes for re-sentence. It is now claimed that in the absence of any order rescinding or postponing the previous sentence of death, Billek in legal theory, is already dead, and hence cannot be sentenced to pay any penalty whatsoever.

It is not considered likely that this plea will be upheld by the court and it is highly probable that the arch-poisoner will again be sentenced to be "hanged by the neck until dead." Catholic priests and sisters have been active in attempting to prove Billek's innocence, but while their efforts have tended to discredit some of the evidence adduced at the trial, it has not been sufficient to remove Billek from the shadow of the gallows.

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WASHINGTON LOSTS FIGHT FOR VALUABLE TIMBER LAND

A QUESTION OF BOUNDARY

Medford Girl of 14 Victim of Friends—Sec. Root Willing to Succeed Senator Platt

Special to the Evening Review.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 16.—Valuable timber lands along the Columbia River were declared today to be a part of the State of Oregon by the United States Supreme court. This ends the boundary dispute between that state and the state of Washington which has been pending several years. In 1905, the Washington authorities brought suit to restrain the State of Oregon from disturbing the people of Pacific county, Wash., in possession of lands involved in the dispute, and the decision in the supreme court today, setting aside the claims of the plaintiff, gives the eminent title of the land final determination.

Last Hope is Gone. The United States supreme court today dismissed the appeal for a new trial of Albert T. Patrick, the noted New York lawyer, serving a life sentence in Sing Sing, for the murder of Wm. Rice, a Texas millionaire.

Root is Willing.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—Secretary of State Elihu Root today announced that he will accept the New York senatorship if elected. In a statement he said: "If the legislature of New York feels that I can render useful services to the country and the state in the United States senate and calls upon me for that service I shall respond to the call and accept the office."

War on Nickel Enters.

LEWISTON, Idaho, Nov. 16.—A victory for the reform forces in this city was scored today, when Judge Steels ordered all slot machines in saloons and cigar stores confiscated. News of the order preceded the sheriff, however, for when he searched for the machines only a few could be found.

Aeronauts in Sad Plight.

LOS ANGELES, Calif., Nov. 16.—After being driven to sea four times and losing all ballast except two sacks of sand, the balloon "America," the first starter in the transcontinental race, landed a mile east of Hermosa beach at 3:30 this morning. Capt. A. E. Mueller, pilot, and J. E. Hutchinson, his assistant, narrowly escaped death in the ocean. They were tossed about in a gale for twelve hours.

Girl Victim of Friends.

MEDFORD, Or., Nov. 16.—Cleo Hurst, aged 14 years, of this city, was kidnapped Friday night and returned home at 3 o'clock this morning in a precarious condition. She had been brutally mistreated. The girl left home to visit with neighbors and was seized and thrown into a carriage. She remembers nothing more until she awoke near home. Her assailants are unknown.

Defeat or Sickness?

VANCOUVER, Wash., Nov. 16.—J. E. Harris, recently defeated for city clerk, is suffering from the effects of laudanum, said to have been swallowed by mistake yesterday while ill. One report, however, is that Harris took the poison with suicidal intent because of despondency over his defeat.

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