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## SLEUTHS SHADOWING PROSECUTORS

(Scripps News Association)  
New York, July 6—Charles Hartnett, private secretary to the late Stanford White will be examined today by the assistant district attorney in connection with the habits of White in an effort to disprove the statements made by Thaw's friends who are endeavoring to justify the murder. P. L. Berghoff, White's body guard says that four detective agencies had been employed by Thaw's interests to watch everyone connected with White's side of the case, including all attaches at the district attorney's office. The murdered man's private papers were today given to Garven, the assistant prosecutor, and it is thought that they may have some bearing on the incidents and the probable cause of the murder.

Joe Burns, formerly night chauffeur for Stanford White, declares that at least twice since her marriage Evelyn Nesbitt has road in White's automobile, once alone and once with another lady, and he also told of the greetings between them. Evelyn would call White "Stannie." Burns continued by saying that White always road alone in his electric hansom except when he took his wife or a club friend, and that he never drove to Madison Square in company with women. He further declared that White was a man who was too kind and whose possessions were always at the disposal of any in apparent trouble, and always loaned his hansom to women in threatened storms and bad weather but never accompanied them.

Pittsburg July 6—Mrs. Holman, the mother of Evelyn Nesbitt denies that she ever introduced her daughter to White or any other theatrical persons. She says he always accompanied her because the girl was determined to go and she would not permit her to go alone.

## WILL INTEREST ART LOVERS

(Scripps News Association)  
Rome, July 6—Art lovers throughout the world will be pleased to learn that in the near future they will be able to inspect one of the finest art collections ever formed. This collection has never seen the light of day since Pope Leo X., that mighty patron of art and learning, got it together. That was some four hundred years ago. Since then the collection, known as the Sancta Sanctorum, has been shut away in the Chapel of the Scala Sancta. It contains specimens of ecclesiastical vestments that go right back to the very beginnings of the Christian church. There is goldsmith's work wrought by the greatest medieval masters of the craft, illuminated manuscripts, ancient enamels, pictures by artists unknown to moderns, glorious things that were among the treasures of the old Emperors; all are there. Prof. Grisar, a Jesuit and a great archaeologist, has obtained permission to overhaul the collection, photograph it, and write a book on it. Later, probably, it will be arranged for the public to view it. Then Rome will have added yet another attraction to the many she already possesses for the world at large.

## BRYAN IS NOW IN LONDON

(Scripps News Association)  
London July 6—Col. Bryan dined today with Major Bacon the American military attaché at London. The prospective candidate met D. O. Mills, Paul Morton and other prominent Americans.

## TURKS AND PERSIANS IN FIERCE CLASH

(Scripps News Association)  
Constantinople July 6—Upon dispute on the boundary line between Persia and Turkey a battle finally occurred in which the Turks were driven back by the Persians and held back of the frontiers post which the Sultan's cavalry had seized. There was heavy loss on both sides.

## A NEW EPOCH IN RUSSIA

(Scripps News Association)  
St Petersburg July 6—With freedom much vermin and bitterness the deputies attacked the government, in the Douma today during the discussion on the Bialystock massacres. Deputy Jacobson sited the appalling list of outrages against defenseless people committed by soldiers and declared that the actions were upon the order of the government and its apparent appeal for order was really an insidious incitement to bloodshed. This was the text of other speakers. It all created an immense impression throughout the city and people accustomed to speak of such a thing with greatest fear are discussing the question freely and congratulating themselves that the delegates in Douma do not fear the Czar.

## SCANDINAVIAN SINGERS HOLD FESTIVAL

(Scripps News Association)  
La Crosse, Wis., July 6—The eighth biennial musical festival of the Northwestern Scandinavian Singers' Association will open here this evening with a grand concert. The city is already full of visitors who have come here from all parts of the Northwest and it is expected that the number of visitors during the four days of the festival will reach from five to eight thousand. An elaborate program has been arranged for this festival and the large chorus will be supported by a fine orchestra and several prominent soloists.

## NEGRO ASSAULTER HANGED

(Scripps News Association)  
Lexington Ky., July 6—James Pearsall a negro was hanged this morning in the presence of several hundred for criminal assault. He attempted to assault three women within one hour. Twice he was frightened away and the third time he shot R. L. Jones an aged man and his wife. He left both unconscious.

## PIONEERS TO MEET IN COVE NEXT

The pioneers who met at Elgin yesterday were entertained with a splendid program and but for the extreme heat would have enjoyed themselves immensely. Besides listening to the program the pioneers held their annual business meeting at which they elected officers for the ensuing year and decided to hold their next meeting June 25 of next year. Mrs. Minerva Eaton gave an interesting and well received plea for the establishment of a historical association through which endearing relics, pictures and in fact everything that has to do with the early Grande Ronde civilization could be preserved. Similar organization are in vogue everywhere and will no doubt be organized here. There are many relics of great value and the proposition is culminated the pioneers will have somewhere to keep them. T. A. Rinehart also gave an interesting address and did much to make the meeting the success it was. The following officers were elected: Pres. Hon. D. A. McAlister; Secretary Henry Rinehart re-elected.

Following is the program:  
Music By the Band  
Prayer Rev. S. A. Parker  
Music By the Band—America  
Recitation Miss Alice Proctor  
Song La Grande Quartette  
Recitation Miss Rena Masters  
Song Elgin Male Quartette  
Address Hon. T. A. Rinehart  
Music By the Band  
Benediction Rev. Smith  
Dinner.

## EXPERT COMPLIMENTS YANKEES.

(Scripps News Association)  
Washington July 6—George U. Winlock the British expert military tailor who was brought here to cut clothes for American soldiers, says that the Yankee soldiers are the best formed, and smartest appearing in the world. He specifically states that they are less "beefy" than the British, more active and more haughty in carriage than the Germans, Frenchmen or any other European soldier.

## RIVERS HIGH IN STOCKTON.

(Scripps News Association)  
Stockton, Cal. July 6—The rivers are alarmingly high at Orwood this morning and the river is four inches higher than ever in the history of California. It is believed that Victoria and the middle division of Union Island is doomed.

## TANNER IS PARDONED.

(Scripps News Association)  
Portland, July 6—Judge A. W. Tanner, law partner to the late Senator Mitchell and upon whose testimony Mitchell was convicted of land frauds, has been pardoned by the president. He had pleaded guilty to perjury before the grand jury but had never been sentenced.

## SUSPECTED ANARCHIST ARRESTED

(Scripps News Association)  
Berlin July 6—An anarchist, named Roseberg and believed to be connected with the plot to kill the Kaiser, was arrested immediately upon his arrival here from America.

## TICKET BROKERS RESTRICTED.

(Scripps News Association)  
Salt Lake July 6—Federal Judge Marshall today granted a temporary injunction restraining ticket brokers from selling Rio Grande and Southern Pacific tickets.

## SHIP AND CREW LOST

(Scripps News Association)  
Norfolk Va. July 6—The schooner Phelps enroute to the Bahamas for pine apples was lost today with a crew of six on board.

## A SECOND THAW

(Scripps News Association)  
Kansas City, July 6—After pondering over the Thaw-White case, in which he thought he saw a resemblance to his own troubles, T. W. Parks a manager of the Dye Shop here today shot and killed T. J. Corbin a plumber, and surrendered to the police. He claims that Corbin has been paying too much attention to Mrs. Parks

## TOBACCO IN CHINA.

(Scripps News Association)  
Washington, D. C. July 6—In reply to many inquiries from this country as to the possibility of building up a trade in American leaf tobacco in China, Consul George E. Anderson has sent a reply, in which he says: "Already there is considerable business done in foreign leaf. Shanghai alone importing \$150,000 worth last year; but this was mostly for use of foreigners. The real Chinese trade is not reached. When it is considered that the same port imported through the customs alone \$1,250,000 worth of prepared native leaf and \$353,000 worth of native leaf, with probably a similar or even a greater amount of each imported through the Likin routes, it can be seen that the real tobacco trade of China is enormous. But the greater portion of the tobacco consumption gets into no trade reports for the leaf is produced, largely among the mulberry trees, cured, and consumed on the farms or in the villages.

## SERIOUS ACCIDENT

The little four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Becker of Lower Cove, met with a serious as well as a painful accident this morning. The little one was playing near a young colt which in some manner kicked her in the face knocking five teeth out and otherwise cutting and bruising her face in a frightful manner. The little one's wounds were dressed by Dr. Corps who reports that she will not be permanently scarred.

## BEATS CHILD TO DEATH

(Scripps News Association)  
Youngstown, Ohio, July 6—Mrs. Jennie Anderson has been held responsible for the death of her daughter. The coroner's jury decided that the girl met her death at the hands of Mrs. Anderson after being beaten by her.

## GRAIN MARKETS

(Scripps News Association)  
Chicago July 5—Wheat opened at 79½ closed at 79½; corn opened at 51½ closed at 51½; oats opened at 35½ closed 35½.

## MOB STORMS FLOUR STORE IN 'FRISCO

(Scripps News Association)  
San Francisco, July 6—A mob of fifty women refugees, angered by the slowness of delivery supplies this morning, descended upon the Moulder school where relief flour is stored. Here they seized a twenty-five pound sack of flour a piece and made good their escape, after throwing out a newspaper photographer who attempted to take a snapshot of the raid.

## THE MILL CONTRACT IS SIGNED

After many days and nights of anxious waiting the contract between the La Grande Commercial Club and the George Palmer Lumber Co. binding the said lumber company to erect a saw mill in this city has signed. For several days the George Palmer Lumber Company has been ready to sign the agreement and accept the mill site, but the Commercial club has not been in a position until today to fulfill its part of the contract. At a meeting last night of the Commercial Club a committee was appointed which consists of Messrs. John Collier, J. B. Gilham, A. V. Andrews to call upon the subscribers tomorrow and secure the money pledged and purchase the site and turn the same over to the company. Thus another enterprise has been added to the city of La Grande which will mark another milestone in advancement of this city.

## HOLDING A GREAT CHERRY FESTIVAL

(Scripps News Association)  
Salem July 5—A great Cherry Festival is held here today under the auspices of the State Horticultural Society. The exhibit of cherries is remarkable for its variety and excellent quality. Among the finest exhibits are those of Lamberts Royal Anns, Deacons, Binge and Black Republicans. In connection with the exhibit there will be a distribution of prizes donated by some of the leading firms interested in the fruit growing industry. There will also be an important meeting of producers, dealers etc, for the discussion of the cherry industry. Among the prominent horticulturists who are here to attend the conference are, Dr. Cadwell Colonel Dosch, Commissioner W. K. Newell of Gaston, H. C. Atwell of Forest Grove, H. S. Gille, M. McDonald H. M. Williamson of Portland, L. M. Gilbert of Salem, Fruit Commissioner Reie, Commissioner Park J. R. Shepard, Loyd Keynolds of Chemawa, E. C. Armstrong, George Lamberson and others. For tomorrow the Oregon Nursery has arranged for a sight-seeing expedition in Salem and vicinity.

## STONE MOUNTAIN BAPTIST MEET

(Scripps News Association)  
Dexter, Ga., July 6—The Stone Mountain Baptist Sunday School Convention will open here this evening at the Dexter Baptist Church. It will open with a song service followed by several addresses. W. J. Northen will speak on the Sunday School and citizenship and W. B. Spilman on "The Modern Sunday School Movement." The convention will close with a religious service on Sunday evening. Judging from the large number of delegates who have already arrived here the attendance will be large. An interesting program has been prepared and many prominent speakers will deliver addresses before the convention.

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