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SUPREME HEAD OF CHURCH HERE

CARDINAL GIBBONS HERE BRIEFLY

HEAD OF OBLAT HERE TOO

LOCAL PEOPLE MISS OPPORTUNITY TO SEE THEM.

WERE ON THEIR WAY TO PORTLAND

The Newlins and Meyers' Warm Friend Pass by Unawares to Them.

Cardinal James Gibbons, the supreme head of the Catholic church in the United States, whose headquarters are in Baltimore, Md., and Superior in General of Oblat Bishop Döntenwill with headquarters in Rome, with a large circle of other high officials of the Catholic church in the United States and from the city of the papal throne, were in La Grande for a few minutes this morning as passengers on the west bound train No. 7. The cardinal who was the chief factor in the dedication of the new cathedral at Salt Lake City recently, was recognized only by a few notwithstanding that he alighted from the train and as the train left, stood on the steps waving a farewell to those who knew and saluted him. While Catholics and Protestants alike would have enjoyed the privilege of meeting and conversing with His Eminence.

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Martyr Hanged.
LONDON, Aug. 17.—Going to death with an air of satisfaction resulting in the belief of a martyr for his country's cause, Nadar Lal Dhingra, the Indian student, paid the penalty today for the murder of Sir Cruzon Wylie, Dr. Calas Lalca. He was hanged at nine this morning, at Pentville prison. Authorities are anxiously awaiting the result his death will have on the situation of India. Thousands here made the occasion a religious ceremony.

BUILD LINE FROM INTAKE

PERMANENT TELEPHONE WILL BE CONSTRUCTED.

Caretaker's Cabin Also to be Erected at Once.

Construction of a permanent telephone line from this city to the intake of the Beaver Creek water project pipe line, 18 miles away, and the construction of a caretaker's cabin to be occupied by the man who is to stay at the intake day and night to attend to the proper running of the supply of water, will go hand in hand with the digging of the trenches and the paying of the steel pipe, according to Engineer Dutch and Engineer Pickler, who are here today resting after three days strenuous climbing and arduous exploration of the proposed pipe line. Mr. Dutch is fresh from his eastern office and climbing hills has not yet been made a part of his vocation. After today the men will

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WITNESS PLACED IN COUNTY JAIL

STATE WANTS HIM AS A WITNESS

ONE WITNESS SHIPPED OUT

STATE PROSECUTION WILL NOT LET HIM ESCAPE.

MEANS A MONTH IN COUNTY JAIL

Will Appear as Witness in Two Trials Against Atkinson.

Albert Keller the witness in the cases in the city court charging Ralph Atkinson with selling liquor, was today placed in the county jail to await the sitting of the grand jury where he will appear as a witness in the state cases against Atkinson, preferred last night. Last evening Atkinson was arrested on three charges on warrants sworn out in the justice court, each one charging him with selling liquor in violation of the local option law. They are separate to those in the city court.

Keller is held as a witness on two charges against Atkinson, the bonds being \$300 on each count. Being unable to meet the bond, he was placed in jail to spend a month there at least that he may appear as a witness.

One witness which the state had corralled, was shipped out of the city, it is said by the saloon element and to avoid a duplication of the trick, Keller is in jail.

IS CONSIDERING THE EVIDENCE

INTEREST STIRRED IN TRIAL

EVIDENCE IS CONTRADICTORY

ATKINSON DENIES ALL CHARGES OF SELLING BOOZE.

WILL RENDER DECISION TOMORROW

Very Few Witnesses Were Examined in Both Cases.

In the two cases in which Ralph Atkinson was charged with selling liquor held before Recorder Cox this morning the matter was taken under advisement until tomorrow morning.

The testimony of the defense and the prosecution was contradictory. The first witness called in the first case was Chief of Police Rayburn and he testified that he asked the man Keller the man who is claimed purchased the whiskey from Atkinson, if he, Keller, could get any whiskey in town and that Keller stated that he could and Rayburn asked him to purchase it for him. Rayburn says that a short time later Keller came to him with the whiskey. Keller was called and he corroborated Rayburn in saying that Rayburn had asked him to purchase some liquor for him and that he purchased the liquor from Atkinson.

When Atkinson was called he denied ever having sold any whiskey to Keller, and stated that Keller came into his place of business and demanded that he sell him some whiskey. When he refused, he said that Keller grew belligerent and tried to force him to sell him whiskey.

The case was taken under advisement and the second case was called. After Recorder Cox had overruled the demurrer that was filed by Judge Ramsey, the council for the defendant, Atkinson pleaded "not guilty."

The first witness in the case was Chief Rayburn and he stated that when he received the first bottle of whiskey, which was the bottle exhibited in the first case, he asked Keller if he could get another and Keller stated that he could and the Chief then gave him the money and told him to go and get it. Before Keller started to get the whiskey Rayburn stated that he made sure that he had no other bottle with him and that he then followed Keller and saw him enter the Palace Saloon and remaining there for a few moments he came out and went around to the Recorder's office where he delivered the whiskey to Rayburn. When Keller was called he corroborated Rayburn in his testimony and also stated that he secured the whiskey from Atkinson.

Atkinson was called and as before he denied selling the whiskey to Keller and stated that he never worked in the saloon at all on Sunday morning and that the only time that he was behind the bar was when he went to put some change in the till.

William Koozer was called and he testified that he was tending bar there on Sunday morning and stated that Atkinson was in and out of the place all the morning and also stated that he never saw Atkinson sell any whiskey to Keller or any one else for that matter.

Both bottles of whiskey were held as exhibits in the case. A decision will be rendered tomorrow in both of the cases.

lay in Election.

On account of the light membership present last night the election of the president and four directors was postponed. Plans for the future were discussed and planned, the county fair coming in for greater part of the time.

Man Wanted.

CHICAGO, Aug. 17.—Senator Borah of Idaho, is looking for a man in overalls to marry Mrs. Grace Harman, a Chicago woman. Mrs. Harman wrote to Senator Borah urging him to find her an Idaho husband, and said: "He must be a working man wearing overalls. I want no dressed up chaps for mine. My experience has been that most Chicago men are looking for a snap and want to marry a woman to support them."

BAY STATE TO GET BIG FIGHT

BERGER SO INDICATES BY HIS ACTIONS.

Will Clinch McCarty's Offer if Croffoth Doesn't Satisfy.

CHICAGO, Aug. 17.—Sam Berger, representing Jeffries in the preparations for the Jeffries-Johnson fight is to leave tonight for California where he will make all final arrangements for the world's championship battle. He said that he had received the offer of \$62,000 from Tom McCarty, the Los Angeles promoter, but was waiting to see Promoter Jim Coffroth of San Francisco, before clinching the arrangements. It is apparent from Berger's manner that he believes the fight will be pulled off in the state of California.

Nothing to Bid on.

News of the coming of Berger has aroused little interest here. "What is there to bid on?" when asked if he prepared to make a substantial bid when Berger arrived. Coffroth said: "There isn't a match on between the big fellows, as I see it." Many fans take a similar view.

Posse After Robbers.

TULSA, Okla., Aug. 17.—A posse is pursuing the two robbers, who after attempting to rob the Kiefer bank, shot the Cashier Webbing, and killed Town Marshal Inford in a street battle late yesterday evening. Webbing will probably die.

FIRST SALE OF WHEAT AT ISLAND

ENTIRE CROP FOR 76 AND 1-2

WHEAT MARKET IMPROVED

TURBULENT STATE IS IMPROVING

FORTY-FOLD CROP BOUGHT BY U.

B. COUCH.

Several Days of Stability Welcomed by All Concerned.

That the wheat market is loosening and that new Union county wheat is moving is evinced today by the sale of an entire crop at Island City, purchased by U. B. Couch for the Pacific Coast Elevator company. This is the first crop of new wheat sold in Island City this year. In view of the instability of the market since threshing commenced, it is encouraging news.

The size of the sale is not announced but the price obtained for the number one forty-fold is 76 and 1-2, a price that is as good as has been paid in the valley for that class this year. Very little wheat has been sold however, and each sale is an item of much interest, as delay in disposing of crops retards the free circulation of the thousands of wheat money represented in the Union county crop.

This makes several days in succession that there has been general and marked stability in the market, no fall having occurred since late last week.

PICK JUDGES BY PRIMARY.

Washington Supreme Court Judges to be Named Differently.

OLYMPIA, Aug. 17.—The Campbell bill providing for the nomination of the supreme court judges by a direct primary will probably be reported favorably today, having received the approval of the house committee on privileges, elected last night.

Common Sense Shoe Talk--Now Listen?

DO YOU HAVE SHOE TROUBLES?
DO YOU HAVE CORNS OR BUNIONS?
DO YOUR FEET SWELL AFTER
STANDING ALL DAY? IF SO, WE
WANT YOU TO COME AND INSPECT
OUR NEW COMFORT SHOE.

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It is on entirely different construction from the ordinary shoe, REQUIRES NO BREAKING IN. It is fitted to the foot and not to the toe and heel, but around the instep and allows free play to the ball of the foot. The sole is perfectly flexible and heavy enough not to tire the foot when walking.

MAKES WALKING A PLEASURE

Twenty different styles in Oxfords, High Shoes Juliettes, and Congress. PRICES—\$1.75 to \$3.25 per pair. NOT THE CHEAPEST BUT THE BEST.

THE FAIR

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THE HOME OF QUALITY

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IN SOME LINES OF BUSINESS THERE MAY BE GOOD REASON FOR HAVING A VARIETY OF GRADES—NOT SO IN THE DRUG LINE. WHEN DRUGS ARE NEEDED ONLY THE BEST WILL DO. ANYTHING LESS THAN THE BEST IS DANGEROUS.

WE CARRY THIS PRINCIPLE OF QUALITY THROUGHOUT OUR ENTIRE STOCK. IN SOME LINES, LIKE BRUSHES, WE CARRY THE FINER GRADES WHICH CANNOT BE FOUND IN THE ORDINARY STORE.

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