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## BECKER PLANS TO FIGHT TO LAST

NEW YORK POLICE LIEUTENANT PREPARES FOR MAKING APPEAL

## JUSTICE GOFF'S CHARGE IS ASSAILED

Prisoner Maintains Iron Nerve, and Attorney Says Verdict Will be Reversed by Higher Court

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—Police Lieutenant Becker spent today in the Tombs planning his fight to annul the verdict of the jury that convicted him last night of the murder of the gambler, Herman Rosenthal.

Becker has lost none of the iron nerve that bore him through the trial and the ordeal of hearing himself condemned as guilty, if his appearance and every action today count for nothing. He awoke refreshed from a sound sleep and after a hearty breakfast summoned his attorney, John F. McIntyre.

After the conference Mr. McIntyre announced that immediate notice of appeal would be filed. Without this appeal, Becker, who is due to be sentenced next Wednesday, if the usual procedure were followed, would take his seat in the electric chair the first week in December. The filing of the motion, however, will act as a stay, and nine months may elapse before his fate is determined.

"I don't mind saying that we expect a reversal," Becker's attorney said. "The appeal will be on the grounds that the verdict was against the weight of evidence; that the justice's charge was of a character to injure the chances of the defendant; on the justice's failure to rule that Sam Schepps was an accomplice in the murder and on the error of law in the refusal of the justice to allow testimony submitted by the defense."

Either "Whitey" Lewis of Lefty Louie" will be the next of the seven men indicted for the murder to be placed on trial. District Attorney Whitman announced, November 7 is the date fixed. Meanwhile, Jack Rose, "Bridle" Webber, Harry Vallon and Sam Schepps, the four informers, will be kept in the West Side prison.

## W. C. T. U. DELEGATES ARE GUESTS OF CITY

Two carloads of delegates to the Women's Christian Temperance convention which was held in Portland, visited this city Friday. The delegates were met by committees representing the Commercial Club and the Woman's Club. Ex-Mayor Sullivan showed the visitors through the Hawley Pulp & Paper Company's mills and the plant of the Oregon City Manufacturing Company, the Messrs. Jacobs assisting him. They were also shown through the home of Dr. McLoughlin, founder of Oregon City.

The rose bushes at the McLoughlin home were rifled for souvenirs of the historic spot. Some of the delegates visited the grave of Dr. McLoughlin and all departed expressing regret that the time was so short.

## FIVE DEGREES OF DIVORCE GRANTED

Circuit Judge Campbell granted decrees of divorce Friday in the following cases: Clara G. Thiel against Otto D. Thiel, plaintiff given custody of daughter and defendant custody of son; Grace M. Emerson against Wilbur R. Emerson, plaintiff awarded custody of child and \$20 a month alimony; William B. Dibble against Helen Dibble; H. A. McClintock against Jennie McClintock; Minnie R. Smith against Will C. Smith, plaintiff awarded custody of child. Anna Richardson filed suit for a divorce against W. F. Richardson, cruelty being charged. They were married February 18, 1903, in Troutdale, Or. The plaintiff asks the custody of their two children.

## ADVANCE MADE BY BULGARIANS

ALLIED ARMIES AWAIT CAPTURE OF SCUTARI BY SERBIAN COMMANDER

## TURKS ARE GUARDING ADRIANOPLE

Many Guns and Food are Captured at Kirk-Kiliseh—loss of Life Great on Both Sides

LONDON, Oct. 25.—The Bulgarian and Greek armies have carried out successfully their part in the first stage of the war waged by the Balkan States against Turkey by the capture of Kirk-Kiliseh and the Turkish base in the town of Serbia. Their allies, Montenegro and Servia, are now working desperately to do their share by overcoming the Turkish posts at Scutari and Kumanova, which latter is the key to Uskup.

It is said that the Bulgarians expected Kirk-Kiliseh to hold out longer and its speedy fall is considered a great achievement. The victors in the great battle are now content of their ability to cut the communications between Adrianople and Constantinople.

The capture of Adrianople, in the opinion of military experts will be difficult. Its forts are thoroughly up to date and are connected by underground motor railway line.

The Bulgarians captured many guns much ammunition and food at Kirk-Kiliseh. Particulars as to the number of prisoners of war have not been given out.

Even after the fire of the Bulgarians finally overcame the fortress, fierce fighting took place in the streets, said a special dispatch from Stara Zagora today.

The Turks declare the evacuation of Kirk-Kiliseh was a "strategical retirement," a phrase which became familiar during the Russian retreat in Manchuria. They still have a big army at Adrianople and along the line to Constantinople.

A dispatch to Lloyds from Burgas, the Bulgarian port on the Black Sea, says the Turkish fleet is blockading the bay.

## THRILLING RUNAWAY STOPPED BY TEAMSTER

A team of horses belonging to W. B. Hiddleston ran away on Washington Street Friday but before they got out of the city limits they were caught. Mr. Hiddleston had come to this city, bringing with him several sacks of potatoes, one of which he delivered at the Burke home on Third and Washington Streets, when the horses started to run. They ran from Thirteenth to Twelfth Street on Washington, and turning at the corner of Twelfth, ran up the cement walk between a cement wall and a telephone pole on which was a United States mail box. The box was torn from the pole, and the cement wall slightly damaged. The wagon was upset and the remainder of the potatoes were thrown out. The horses were making good time when a teamster stopped them.

## WOODMEN WOULD AID CITY'S MORALS

The Woodmen of the World initiated three applicants for membership into the order Friday evening and received four applications. The Woodmen of the World stand mainly for sanctity of the home and the main topic of the evening was the betterment of the conditions in Oregon City along these lines. Those present realizing that the conditions among young people in Oregon City and vicinity are not what they should be, lingered a long time after lodge and discussed ways and means for their betterment.

After the installation of the candidates and a discussion of local conditions the lodge enjoyed a banquet in the banquet room. A movement is on foot in the camp to organize several degree teams so that Oregon City Lodge Number 148 will be able to initiate candidates better than any other lodge in the state.

## THE OUTLET PERPETRATED BY WALT McDOUGALL

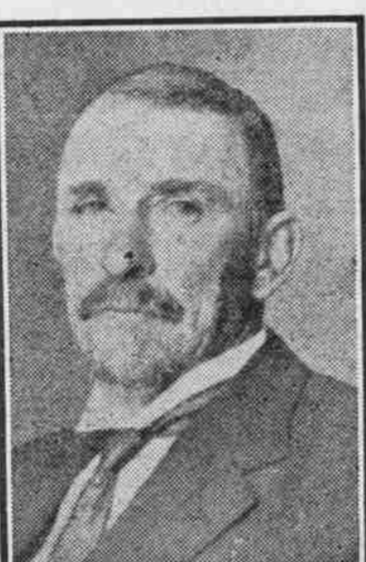
MODERN CAVE-MEN; THE FAMILY UPSTAIRS.



MORNING.



NIGHT.



Henry Mergenthan, chairman of finance committee, Democratic national committee.

## MISS HOLMES TAKES CHARGE OF LIBRARY

Miss Frances Louise Holmes, who has been librarian in the Portland library for the past two years, and who was recently appointed librarian of the Oregon City library, has arrived in this city and taken up her duties. She will be librarian of the new Carnegie library.

Before arriving in Portland two years ago, Miss Holmes was librarian in Galesburg, Ill., having attended and taken the course in library work in the Knox college, after which she took a similar course in the Wisconsin library school at Madison. Completing her studies there she went to Portland, and while employed there gave entire satisfaction.

The Oregon City library is visited daily by many of the residents of Oregon City. Among the magazines provided are the American Magazine, Century, Country Life, Delineator, Educational Review, Everybody's, Ladies' Home Journal, Life, McClure's, Popular Mechanics, St. Nicholas, Saturday Evening Post, Sunset, Survey, Women's Home Companion, World's Work, Youth's Companion, Outlook, The Paper. The latter magazine is published weekly and is especially interesting to men who are employed in the paper mills of Oregon City. It gives valuable information on the manufacture, sale and use of paper. All the popular books have been provided.

The library is open from 2 o'clock p. m. until 9:30 p. m. and on Sunday the hours are from 10 a. m. until 9:30 p. m. Although the weather has been stormy for the past week there have been many visitors at the rooms.

**TOOZE TO LECTURE.**  
 Professor F. J. S. Tooze, superintendent of the Oregon City schools, will lecture on "Christian Education" at the Christian Church, Gladstone, Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

If it happened it is in the Enterprise.

## SHAW TO SELL FINE HUNTING DOG AT AUCTION

In the city pound is a handsome Llewellyn Setter, which will be sold at auction Monday morning at 10 o'clock by E. L. Shaw, who recently held a successful auction sale of dogs. Many dogs were sold and all found good homes. The dog in the pound now is a fine specimen of its class.

## OREGON SPENDS NEARLY \$5,000,000 IN 21 MONTHS

SALEM, Or., Oct. 25.—A total of \$4,821,313.63 has been disbursed by the state of Oregon during the first 21 months of the biennial period from January 1, 1911, to September 30, 1912, according to a statement just completed by Secretary Olcott. This is an average monthly expenditure of \$230,062.41.

## SHIELDS SCORES IN TAX DEBATE

SEATTLE MAN DECLARES U'REN HAS DISPOSED OF ALL HIS REAL ESTATE

## DEBATE TO BE HERE THIS EVENING

Oregon City Lawyer Admits that \$40,000 Has Been Spent by Single Taxers in Present Campaign

HOOD RIVER, Or., Oct. 25., (Special)—While the second of the Shields U'Ren debates on single tax held here tonight was not characterized by the fire that marked the first one in Portland, Charles Shields charged W. S. U'Ren with having sold all his land and invested "every cent of it in bonds and mortgages."

"So it does not matter to you whether we have single tax or not, you know that under single tax you will escape taxation and you want the other fellow to have the pleasure of paying," said the Seattle man. Heil Bronner halls was packed to the doors to hear the men debate single tax.

Mr. Shields was applauded again and again and while every thrust of his opponent was well received, it could easily be seen that at Hood River the doctrine of single tax had received its death blow. Mr. Shields said U'Ren's statement that single tax would make the taxes lower by increasing the taxation on land reminded him that when he was in Seattle the electric light company raised his rates, telling him he would pay less. His bills were higher however.

In reply to question by Mr. U'Ren Mr. Shields said he was paid no salary at all for his work as secretary of the Oregon Equal Taxation League, that he was vice president of the Spokane Grain Company and drew his money from this concern, that he worked in Oregon because he helped defeat single tax in Washington where the Fels slush fund was spent liberally for single tax and that as the same man came to fight for single tax in Oregon he followed them. Mr. U'Ren admitted that under his supervision alone the single taxers had spent \$40,000 in the present campaign in Oregon. The men will debate in Oregon City tomorrow night and in Salem Monday.

A small classified ad will rent that vacant room.

## SHELDON URGES BETTER LIVING

AUTHOR OF "IN HIS STEPS" MAKES FINE IMPRESSION IN OREGON CITY

## BANQUET SETS ATTENDANCE RECORD

Edwards, Tooze, Dye, Milliken and Cross Make Fine Addresses—Temperance and Purity Work Urged

Dr. Charles M. Sheldon, the noted author and minister, was a guest of Oregon City Friday and he frankly admitted that he liked the town. Dr. Sheldon, however, was here for business and he did not have much time for giving encomiums. At the Congregational Church in the afternoon he spoke to an interested congregation of workers of the various churches of the city. Among other plans which he proposed was that of the starting of a great christian paper, clean and standing for all things that the church es stand for. He declared that men of means everywhere were calling for the formation of a syndicate to publish a christian daily. The speaker also advocated giving the young people charge of the evening services at the churches. For a month preceding Easter he advised holding Children's services, and urged that all children possible be enlisted in the cause of Christ.

About 200 men were present at the old-fashioned church supper at 6:30 o'clock at the Baptist Church. It was a chicken supper and the guests enjoyed it to the fullest extent. Hon. H. E. Cross, toastmaster, called the meeting to order at 7:15 o'clock and the Rev. George Nelson Edwards presented a plan of federation of the local evangelical churches for social, evangelical, temperance and purity work, which was unanimously endorsed. The plan provides for a central council which will be composed of three members of each of the cooperating churches and will have charge of the work of the federation. Mr. Cross, speaking upon the federation theme, said that there was a great task before the men of Oregon City and environs in abolishing the evils that destroy social and political organizations.

F. J. Tooze responded to the toast, "Federation of the Young People". He spoke upon changing the twentieth century conditions, and the need of trained christian leadership. He said the three r's have been taught in the past and suggested that to

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