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CANOE UPSETS; BOY DROWNED

BROTHERS ON OPPOSITE BANK
SEE CANOE OVERTURN
IN DEEP WATER

UNABLE TO SWIM; WALERY GRAVE

Drags Rake Bed of Stream for Hours
and Hooks Finally Catch
Near Where Man
Goes Down

Within sight of two brothers, who were unable to help him, Severin Erickson, 23 years of age, was drowned about noon Sunday at the lower end of Cedar Island, near Oswego.

Erickson was unable to swim and was paddling about in a canoe Sunday afternoon while his brothers and other members of the picnic party were swimming. When he reached the opposite side of the river from the swimmers, he became overbalanced, upset the canoe and sank immediately.

The brothers were too far away to aid him. They later went to Portland and secured the services of the municipal grapple who found the body near where the accident happened. The body was taken to Erickson's home in Portland and turned over to the coroner. He had lived in that city for some time at 376 Irving street. Shortly after the accident, Coroner Wilson was notified as were also the authorities in Portland. The river was dragged for some time before the body was discovered. The current had taken it but a little way from the place where the boat overturned and the hooks entered the clothing and brought the young man to the surface. The accident had happened so quickly that the brothers on the other side of the river had been able to do nothing and reached the spot only after the boat had gone over and their brother had been thrown into the water.

CUNSPIRACY IS THAW CHARGE

BATCH OF WARRANTS ARE ISSUED FOR MANIAC AND ACCOMPLICES

IS AN EXTRADITABLE OFFENSE

Sheriff May Bring Him Back to Asylum From Any State in the Union—Possibly Goes After Him

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Aug. 18.—If Harry K. Thaw has not left the country he will be arrested on a warrant charging him with conspiracy and returned to the Mathewau State hospital for the Criminal Insane. Action with this end in view was taken in a special term of the supreme court here this afternoon when Justice Joseph Morschauser issued a writ for the arrest of Thaw, charging him with conspiracy with Keeper Howard Barnum and five other men in making his escape from Mathewau.

Similar warrants were issued for Richard J. Butler, Roger Thompson, Michael O'Keefe, Eugene Duffy and Thomas Flood, Thaw's alleged accomplices. Keeper Barnum, the guard who opened the hospital gate when Thaw escaped has been held without bail for examination Thursday.

Justice Morschauser issued the warrants for Thaw and his five alleged accomplices after taking the evidence of several witnesses this afternoon. District Attorney Conger says conspiracy is an extraditable offense and that Thaw can be brought back to Dutchess county, no matter to what state he fled.

Armed with the warrants, Sheriff Fred Hornbeck and his deputies left here tonight for the eastern part of the county. The party departed hurriedly and the Sheriff made it known that he had received an important clew which he expected to lead to the arrest of the five accomplices.

Cannon Roar In War Game as Forts Attempt To Guard New York City From Battleships.



Photos by American Press Association.

Stubborn resistance, technically speaking, was made by the three forts, Terry, Wright and Michie, at the entrance to Long Island sound to the attack of the north Atlantic fleet in the war game attempt to capture New York city. The upper view shows the artillerymen of Fort Terry using their mortars. The lower, coast artillery in action.

STATE HEALTH BOARD BEGINS CAMPAIGN ON TYPHOID GERMS

Back to the first cause and the primary reason for the disease, the state board of health will probe every suggestion that tends in any way to throw light on the number of cases of typhoid fever that have made their appearance in Oregon City in the last few months.

Specialists will be in the city in a short time to get to the bottom of the trouble and to determine each and every factor that has been at work here during that time and that has resulted in such an unprecedented number of cases. Now that the city water has been carefully examined by the experts in the hunt for trouble breeding "bugs" and has been declared pure, the state authorities propose to find the real cause for the epidemic and to take such measures as may be necessary to prevent a recurrence of typhoid in the county.

Men who are experts in the handling of all sorts of epidemics and in tracing the cause of the disease to its source will soon be placed in charge of the investigation and will make every effort to determine just what has been responsible for the number of cases that have been called to the attention of the local physicians.

So many factors may be encountered by the campaign for the source of the trouble that the investigators plan to make the work thorough and complete and to find the accurate and full reason for the spread of the disease. With the knowledge that they can gain after several days or weeks of study in and about the city, they plan to begin a campaign against the breeding points of the trouble and to aid the local authorities in every way possible to prevent the city being effected the same way again.

Conferences with the doctors of the city and county will be held by the state authorities in the next few days and a full report of the facts of each case will be made to the investigator in charge. With these reports in his hands, he will try to determine whether or not there is a suggestion that will lead him to the source of the trouble and that will give the authorities something to work on in their fight against the disease.

Just now, the local and state authorities are puzzled as to the cause of the epidemic. It is unprecedented spread through so many families in the city and through the county has been a cause of concern to many physicians. Though reasons may be assigned for the typhoid in a few of the homes, the doctors cannot understand why it should have spread through so many of them and are confident that there is a primary cause somewhere that, when found, will enable them to combat it successfully.

It will probably take the doctors several days before they have a complete report on all of the cases that have occurred here and a basis on which to begin their investigation. After that report is received, they plan to leave no stone unturned that will give them an inkling of the hiding place of the typhoid laden "bug."

Secretary Freytag and the members of the Oregon City Commercial club plan to co-operate with the state board in exterminating the disease and in finding the reason for its attack on so many families in the city. The club has promised the board its heartiest co-operation and will exert every effort to get for the doctors the information that they will need in their campaign.

BISEOP DEDICATES CATHOLIC CHURCH

With beautiful services of the Catholic church, St. John's Cathedral was dedicated Sunday morning in the presence of a large proportion of the congregation. Bishop J. J. Lawler, of St. Paul, an old schoolmate of Father A. Hillebrand, the pastor, delivered a strong sermon on the further enlargement and beautification of the church and pointed out that while church members are busy with the raising funds for the furtherance of Christian work, they are willing to spend their money lavishly and extravagantly in other ways.

Archbishop Christie had charge of the dedication services of the morning and Bishop Lawler presided at the mass by the pastor, Rev. A. Hillebrand and Rev. F. S. Beck, Loesche's mass in F was sung by the choir with Miss Lou Draper at the organ and the director, B. T. McBain, in charge. The membership of the choir consists of: M. C. McChesney, bass, Frank Rottler, Sr., Francis Rottler, Jr., Pete Rottler, alto; Misses Anna Michels, Emma Quinn, sopranos; Misses Irene Hanny, Ross, Justin, Florence Draper, Frances Draper, Charlotte Baker, Tillie Meyers, and Martina Finigan.

After the celebration of mass, the benediction of the Blessed Sacrament was had. The services were beautiful the music excellent, and the decorations of the church artistic. The blessings of Archbishop Christie and Bishop Lawler were bestowed on the members of the congregation. In the audience were a large number of non-Catholic residents of the city as well as a large proportion of the membership of the church.

St. John's Cathedral holds the distinction of being the oldest Catholic church on the Pacific slope north of California and has stood on the outskirts of the city for the years that have seen the early settlement at the end of the Oregon trail grow to a thriving community in a wealthy and populous state.

STEAMER SINKS; TWENTY-FIVE DEAD

JUNEAU, Alaska, Aug. 18.—Twenty-five or more passengers and seven members of the crew on the Pacific Coast Steamship company's iron steamship State of California perished at half past 8 o'clock Sunday morning in Gambier Bay, 30 miles south of Juneau, when the vessel struck an uncharted rock and sank in three minutes, with many passengers imprisoned in their staterooms.

The steamship left Seattle last Wednesday night for Skagway and was en route to the eastern part of the unusually heavy on account of the stampede to the Shushanna gold field. The pursuer lost all of his records, and it is not possible to give a complete list of the missing.

A great hole was torn in the bottom of the State of California.

The vessel and cargo, mail and express are a total loss. The ship was valued at \$400,000. A number of horses for use on the Shushanna trail were on the vessel. The steamship Jefferson of the Alaska Steamship company, southbound, heard the wireless call of the sinking steamship and turned back to rescue the survivors, who had taken to small boats and life rafts. Ten of the passengers had suffered so severely from exposure that it was necessary to take them to hospital for treatment.

Miss Lillian Ward died after taken off a life raft. The uninjured survivors of the crew and passengers are being taken to Seattle on the Jefferson, and will arrive there Thursday.

Two of the dead, Miss Blanche Fridt and Miss Minnie E. Harlan, were from Monmouth, Ore.

FIRST CASE READY FOR NEW OFFICERS

Commitment papers are awaiting the signature of the newly elected county judge, H. S. Anderson, in the first case that will come before the county court. Mrs. Charlotte Wiklund was arrested Monday on a complaint charging her with insanity and the matter has been allowed to rest until the new officers are qualified to handle the county affairs.

Judge Beatie, while still holding the office of county judge, has removed his personal effects from his desk and has gone back to his farm, leaving the county in the hands of the newly elected judge and commissioner. The officers will not take charge, however, until after the canvassing board has met at noon Tuesday, counted the votes, and declared the two candidates elected under the provisions of the recall law.

At that time, they will be sworn in to office and the first case that will come before the new judge will be that of Mrs. Wiklund on an insanity charge. The canvassing board will meet at noon Tuesday and will consist of W. W. Jesse, of Har'ow, and John Sievers, of Oregon City, justices of the peace, and W. L. Malvey, county clerk.

Stores Used to Think August a Dull Month

Now they sell more furniture and other household goods in August than any month of the year.

Every merchant knew that furniture could be bought at lower prices for August selling because it is bought in dull months.

But they didn't think it could be sold until one of their number showed them that advertising would do the trick.

Now August Furniture Sales are a national institution.

If you need furniture or furnishings we especially urge you to read the advertisement now appearing in The Enterprise. It is the time to buy—at a profit to yourself.

Read what all the merchants have to offer in The ENTERPRISE during this month.

It will pay you in real dollars and cents just as it is paying your neighbors.

THREE WIVES HAVE CRUEL HUSBANDS

Within a few days after the justice court gave him a fine of \$10 for beating his father-in-law, Oma Klock filed suit for divorce from Harper Klock on the grounds of cruelty and inhuman treatment. The plaintiff cites numerous instances in which she says her husband was cruel to her and alleges their domestic affairs had reached such a state that she can live with her husband no longer. They were married in Oregon City July 20, 1910.

Two other divorce cases were filed with the county clerk yesterday, also alleging cruelty as the basis for the action. Mabel Moss and R. G. Moss were married in Salida, Cal., on Christmas day 1900, and since that time, there have been many instances of domestic unhappiness in the family, according to the complaint. One child, Margaret E. Moss, has been born as the result of the marriage.

Leonia Bell brought action Monday against J. T. Bell on the same grounds and asks for the custody of Gladys V. Bell, the child, and \$25 alimony a month. They were married at Oak Grove, Oct. 29, 1907.

Mrs. Kock asks in her complaint for the custody of the two minor children, Orren K., aged two years, and Bruce, aged three months, together with \$30 a month alimony, and \$100 suit money.

PORTLAND RIOT IS BIG FIZZLE

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 18.—(Special)—Following announcement in the afternoon papers that Seneca Fouts and John A. Jeffrey would test the Albee-Ward "anti free speech" campaign at Sixth and Oak streets this evening, a crowd estimated by the police at containing between 3,000 and 4,000 people, gathered along lower Sixth street to watch developments. At eight o'clock they saw Seneca Fouts, candidate for district attorney at last year's primaries, climb on a soapbox and begin denouncing Sheriff Tom Word as a four-flusher. One minute later they saw Tom Word arrive. Fouts and carry him off to the county jail in his automobile.

John A. Jeffrey watched the performance and concluded not to test the law himself.

The police then arrived on the scene in two platoons, and ordered the crowd to move on. Four youths didn't move fast enough and were arrested. Then the crowd dwindled rapidly, and half an hour later there was no sign of excitement.

Seneca Fouts was held in the county jail for 20 minutes, after which he was released in \$25 bail.

HOODLUMS RANSACK BURNED BUILDINGS

Vandals have been ransacking the burned buildings on Main street and have taken a large number of valuable Chinaware from the place where the restaurant formerly stood. Some of the goods is of the finest and was unharmed by the intense heat of the fire. Mattresses, beds, anything and everything of value that the vandals could lay their hands upon has been taken from the site of the fire as rapidly as possible and it is estimated that a considerable amount of valuable goods has been stolen.

Most of the furniture was untouched by the flames consists of goods from the restaurant and includes the best Chinaware, canned fruit, canned and boxed foods of all kinds. There is still about \$200 worth of plate and stock that was not damaged by the fire and that can be used. Part of this has been taken from the burned buildings and cannot be recovered.

PLAYHOUSES IN GRIP HARD TIMES

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—A number of the New York playhouses have their doors tonight, and another week or two will see the theatrical season of 1913-14 begun in earnest. The theatergoers who have "signed up" are happy that an end has come to "our summer of discontent." But many of the prominent players and virtually all the leading actors are in the prospect with feelings of doubt. Last season was a poor one from a financial viewpoint and it is feared that the season about to begin may be worse. Evidence of the general feeling that prevails in the "profession" is afforded by the fact that numerous actors and actresses are seeking higher pay than they have received in the past year or more. Many of the leading players are playing safe by beginning the season with their successes of last year.

The "movies" are blamed in large part for the hard times that have come to the actors. Many of the critics however, attribute the situation to the changing taste of the public and the failure of the producers to rightly interpret the public pulse. To use a popular phrase, the managers are "up in the air" as to just what the public desires in the way of theatrical entertainment. The old-time melodrama is dead, the plays of the higher order fail to draw as in days of old, and even the musical shows appear to be on the wane. Some of the big managers are pinning their faith to elaborate productions, but these will not be put on until late in the season. Many of the leading players are playing safe by beginning the season with their successes of last year.

Negro Business League Meeting

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Aug. 18.—Delegates from many states are arriving in Philadelphia to attend the fourth annual meeting of the National Negro Business League. The sessions will begin Wednesday morning and continue until Friday evening. Booker T. Washington, president of the league, will deliver his annual address at a public session to be held Wednesday evening in the Academy of Music.

In Session in Cincinnati

CINCINNATI, O., Aug. 18.—The twelfth international convention of the Metal Polishers, Buffers, Platers, Brass and Silver Workers' union of North America began its session in Cincinnati today. Delegates from local branches of the organization in many cities of the United States and Canada are in attendance.

EXTENSION WORK KLAMATH FEATURE

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, Ore., Aug. 18.—The Central Oregon Development League meets in convention at Klamath Falls on August 19, 20 and 21, in which the Oregon Agricultural college will be represented by the division of extension, now holding farmers' schools in that part of the state. The staff of instructors is composed of five members of the college faculty, assisted by W. S. Schrook, deputy state dairy and food commissioner, and Mrs. Orla Buxton, representing the state Grange.

The program of the extension division for the three days is announced as follows:

August 19—"Management of Klamath Farm and the Bank Account," H. D. Scudder; "Preparing Poultry for Market," A. G. Lunn; "Fruit Picking, Packing, and Marketing," W. S. Brown; "Dairying," M. S. Schrook; "Home Cooking," Miss Ava B. Milam; "Rural Problems," Mrs. Orla Buxton.

August 20—"Dairying, the Cornerstone of Agriculture," Dr. James Withycombe; "The Klamath Farmers' Problems and How to Meet Them," H. D. Scudder; "Farm Poultry" (illustrated) A. G. Lunn; "Orchard Culture and Management," Prof. W. S. Brown; "Dairying," M. S. Schrook; "Home Helps," Miss Ava B. Milam; "The Rural Community," Mrs. Orla Buxton.

August 21—"The Demonstration Farms (illustrated) H. D. Scudder; "Marketing Farm Eggs," A. G. Lunn; "Orchard Cover Crops," W. S. Brown; "Dairying," M. S. Schrook; "Home Problems," Miss Ava B. Milam; "The Rural Home," Mrs. Orla Buxton.

YANKEE'S NEW SPEED MERCHANT" SHOWS GREAT CLASS IN FIRST GAME



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Fritz Miesel, the \$15,000 beauty from the Baltimore Orioles, has made his debut with the highlanders. He displayed an abundance of speed on his first day, but failed to make a hit. Miesel was a little nervous at the start, and more so in the ninth, when the fans gave him an ovation after he made the play on Austin's bunt. Stovall followed Austin, and grounded to Miesel, but the new player in too much of a hurry to throw the ball, and made a wild heave.

The new beauty made four trips to the plate. In the first inning he met the first ball and drove it to left into Johnston's hands. The next time he was rolled out to the pitcher. He struck out in the fifth, and in the seventh went to first on four balls and stole second.

Keep Cool!

A nice shady place, where you can get the cool breezes from the river. Ice cream and all kinds of soft drinks.

The Open Air Ice Cream Parlors
At West End off Suspension Bridge

KAFFIR CORN FAVORABLE FOOD FOR HOGS

Kaffir corn as a food for hogs is rapidly taking a firm hold on the farmers of Clackamas county. Secretary Freytag of the Commercial club received Monday an excellent stand of the corn from the farm of Judge G. B. Dimick, one of the most up to date stock ranches in the state. A clean bundle of oats was also brought into the Commercial club by Henry Boege.

Both of these samples will be used by the club in making up the county's exhibits at the state fair.

Kentucky Elks to Meet

COVINGTON, Ky., Aug. 18.—Covington is putting on holiday attire in anticipation of the assembling here tomorrow of the annual state convention of Elks. The sessions will be held at the Elks' Home and will last three days. A reception, ball, barbecue and other features of entertainment will be included in the program.

The classified ad columns of The Enterprise satisfy your wants.

Omaha to Vote on Gas Franchise

OMAHA, Neb., Aug. 18.—A special election will be held in Omaha tomorrow to determine whether or not the city shall extend the franchise of the Omaha Gas company for twenty-five years. In return for an extension of the franchise the gas company agrees to reduce the price of gas to one dollar per thousand feet. Notwithstanding the promised reduction in price, the proposal to extend the franchise is being vigorously opposed by real estate and improvement clubs and by many business men and individual citizens.