

GIVES HIMSELF UP

Murderer Williams Walks Into City Jail.

WEARY OF BEING A FUGITIVE

Slayer of George Hicks Eludes Pursuit for a Week Only to Go Voluntarily to Certain Punishment.

James Williams, alias McDonald and Lee, who shot and killed George Hicks alias "Cockney George," at North Second street, Sunday night, May 11, surrendered himself to Jailer George Mitchell at the County Jail, last night at 11:30 o'clock.

Jailer Mitchell had retired for the night when he was awakened by a thunderous knock at the outer jail door, and when he swung back the bolts, he was astonished to see Williams standing before him. The two had met before.

POISON IN THE CANDY?

Mr. Bailey Tries an Experiment, With Unknown Results.

Food Commissioner Bailey is anxious in regard to the fate of one of his friends, who, he has reasons to suppose, poisoned himself yesterday. On entering his office yesterday morning he found a paper sack on his desk which had evidently been thrown in through the transom. On examining it he found that it was filled with peanut candy, and attached was a card signed by a responsible citizen, stating that he believed the candy to be poisoned, and asking that it be analyzed. He had hardly seated himself at his desk when a young man entered in search of news, and while endeavoring to dig some information out of Mr. Bailey, amused himself with eating the candy with which the sack was filled. He remarked several times that the candy was very good, and from the rapidity with which it disappeared, he evidently knew when he struck a good thing. Finally, when it was about all gone, he asked where the candy came from. Mr. Bailey said he did not know, but that there was a card attached to the sack which would explain. The young man read the card and, turning deathly pale, exclaimed:

"Good God! is this candy poisoned?"
"I am just waiting to find out," replied Mr. Bailey. "If you die, I shall know it is, and I will be saved the trouble of making an analysis. If you survive after eating so much, I shall take it for granted that the candy is wholesome."
The young man rushed out as if going for a doctor, and, as he has not been seen since, Mr. Bailey is slightly worried about the result of his experiment.

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WATER COMES UP SLOWLY

Just an Ordinary June Rise, Say the Experts.

The water in the river is still slowly rising, and as usual at this season, many are predicting a flood, because there is "much snow in the mountains." Those who say this as a general thing know nothing about how much snow there is in the mountains, which are numerous and scattered over a vast territory, as the sources of the Columbia extend away into the Rockies.

Food Commissioner Bailey, who visited Montana a short time ago, says there is but little snow in the mountains, as there was no good sleighing between here and Helena. This, however, cuts no particular figure in the matter of a flood, as there is always enough snow "in the mountains" at this time of year to flood the low lands along the river if a hot spell should bring it all out at once. This is something that seldom happens, and the cool weather at this season, which some complain of, is what prevents floods in the Columbia.

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are off, and on top of any rise, and it would be water on their wheels in every sense of the phrase. If the lowlands are flooded they would have lots of business carrying the inhabitants to higher ground.

B. FRIEMANN IN LONDON.

Well-Known Portland Caterer Turns Up in England.

Many who were residents of Portland from 19 to 20 years ago will remember Ben Friemann, a well-known restaurateur of those days, commonly known as "Leave-it-to-Me" Friemann, from his habit of telling his patrons who wished a good meal to leave it to him. Sometimes, when the bill was made out, they wished they hadn't. Friemann started a coffee-house here 13 or 14 years ago, and after a varied experience, became proprietor of one of the finest restaurants in the city. He made money, but could not save it. He was married and divorced and again married while living here, the last time to an employe of a dressmaker, who, it was said, thought he had plenty of money and who thought he was rich, and they were both disappointed. He finally went from here to Honolulu, in 1898, leaving many who have ever since had an interest in him. His career in Honolulu was much the same as here, and he finally went from there to Australia with a slight-of-hand man, and the last heard of him he had left Australia for Egypt. In a copy of the Hawaiian Gazette, of Honolulu, of May 10, appears a letter from London, stating that he had met Friemann there, and enclosing Friemann's business card, which read as follows:

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- Beeswax, cake.....10c, 20c, 30c
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- Fluoridora Hairpins, box.....5c
- Belmont hairpins, box.....4c
- Champion hairpins, box.....5c
- Millard's needles, box.....20c
- One bunch (100) hairpins.....4c
- "Wire" hairpins, box.....5c
- Hinde's patent curler, box.....20c
- Acme crimping pins, box.....30c
- R. & B. crimped and straight hairpins.....10c, 20c, 30c, 40c
- Assorted steel in K. & B. box.....10c
- Duplex skirt supporters.....15c
- Globe pins, each.....10c
- English pin books, each.....30c
- "Wire" hairpins, box.....5c
- Aluminum thimble, each.....1c
- German silver thimbles, each.....30c
- "Duplex" skirt supporters.....15c
- Tracing wheels, each.....10c, 20c, 30c
- Blind-stitch supporters.....15c
- Assorted safety pins, card.....20c
- Safety pins, each.....4c
- Assorted safety pins, card.....20c
- Curling iron heaters.....17c
- Curling iron heaters.....17c
- Tourist curling irons.....50c
- Braids, in black and colors, at piece.....30c
- Brush braid, black and all colors, yard.....40c
- Washington pins, 3 papers.....5c
- Adamantine pins, 3 papers.....5c
- Meier & Frank Co. pins.....4c
- Century gilt pins, paper.....7c
- Cube pins.....4c
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- Bank pins, each.....3c
- Bone casing, 100 kind for 7c, 3c kind for.....3c
- Black pins, 3 papers.....5c
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- Black adamant pins, box.....4c
- Press shields, sizes 3 and 4, 20c values for.....30c
- Fitzwell dress shields, for shirt waists, at pair.....50c
- 10c, 15c and 16c horn bones.....12c
- 10c and 5c genuine bones.....12c
- Invincible hairpins, 6 bunches for.....10c
- Invincible pins, package.....3c and 4c
- Pearl pins, card.....4c
- Colored pins, card.....4c
- Binding ribbon, bolt.....5c
- Black and white hooks and eyes, sizes 1 and 4, card.....2c
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WHAT WILL DRYDOCK COST?

BOARD OF TRADE HEARS REPORTS ON THE SUBJECT.

Mr. Guinean Thinks It May Reach \$250,000—Tariff Reduction With Islands Favored.

Two reports in regard to the construction of the proposed drydock were read to the Board of Trade at its meeting last night. One was from James M. Moore, who stated, after an interview with Clerk Stevens, of the Port of Portland Commission, that Designing Engineer Blackwell will go East "to examine the various docks now in use, also to acquire information as to any recent improvements and guard against any infringements." The Commission of the Port of Portland has estimated the cost of the dock at \$170,000. If the plans furnished by Mr. Blackwell are rejected he is to receive 2 1/2 per cent of this amount. Should they be satisfactory he will receive 5 per cent, and agree to visit the work once or twice per month. Should he be compelled to come oftener he is to receive \$20 per day and traveling expenses. For all other work, such as locating the site of the dock and all work that is not strictly confined to the construction of the dock, he receives extra pay. The Port of Portland calculates on \$170,000 for the construction of the dock, but your committee is in charge of work; second, the second was from Thomas Guinean, who added to Mr. Moore's report in relation to Blackwell's trip East the words, "and knowledge as to how a drydock should be built," and "it is the opinion of your committee that the drydock is as yet in the air, as the site is not yet selected, nor the kind of dock decided upon; in fact, everything is chaos." On the cost of the drydock, which the commission placed at \$170,000, Mr. Guinean said that "from what your committee has seen in regard to it, it will be nearer \$250,000 or \$300,000," and that there should be a penalty for mistakes in faulty work. The reports were placed on file.

Thomas G. Greene, a member of the legislative committee, presented the following resolution, which was adopted:

We cordially endorse the report of the committee on foreign commerce and the revenue laws of the Chamber of Commerce of the State of New York, for a reduction of the tariff on imports from Cuba, adopted April 10, 1902.

We favor a reduction of at least 50 per cent in the present tariff on Cuban products first, as a National moral duty, and second, as a commercial necessity. And when such reduction is made, each be only half right. The arguments for a 50 per cent reduction are conclusive for a total abolition of the tariff. If it is necessary and right to make a reduction on imports from Cuba, which is not a part of the United States, and where the flag will be hoisted down on May 20, 1902, what justification is there for a tariff on imports from the Philippine Islands, which are a part of the United States, and where our flag still flies? We have been promised trade expansion as a result of the reduction of those islands, but there can be no such expansion if we are compelled to climb high-tariff walls erected by ourselves against our own possessions, and against our own commerce and against our people. Exploitation of the islands by recipients of special grants and privileges is not merited in particular. The Pacific Coast desires commerce with the islands and their people, not private snags and special favors, and this organization in particular demands not merely a reduction in the Philippine tariff, but its total abolition.

The improvement of the mouth of the Columbia was spoken of by President Beach, and Judge Seneca Smith was authorized to draw up a resolution favoring the passage of the river and harbor bill now before Congress, and asking the New York Chamber of Commerce to assist in securing its passage.

A letter was received from John W. Paddock, recorder of Industry Lodge, A. O. U. W., in regard to the resignation of the delegates to the supreme lodge of the order, which will meet in Portland in June. The board was requested to appoint a member of the reception committee, and by unanimous consent President Beach was named for the honor.

The advisability of establishing a smelter in Portland was discussed briefly, and Messrs. Albert Croft and Fisk were appointed a committee to investigate and report at the meeting to be held June 7.

Mr. Guinean called attention to the miserable condition of crosswalks in some sections of the city, and said that stone blocks should be laid instead of planks, as at present. Mr. Guinean and Mr. Appel were appointed a committee to look into the matter, to request the Lewis and Clark Civic Improvement Association to

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welcome another time, than "The Silver King." Very cordially.
ERNEST BROSS.
Portland, May 18.—Mr. Ernest Bross, Managing Editor Oregonian—My Dear Sir: I take pleasure in assuring you that both Mr. Stuart and myself will take immediate steps to secure the right to play at the Baker Theater "The Silver King," which you have requested. The play is one which, we believe, the company can present adequately, and we shall use every effort to give a performance of it that shall justify the confidence you have expressed in the organization. Thanking you for your interest, I remain, yours truly,
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