

# DISAPPEAR FROM SIGHT UTTERLY

## No Clues Found of Men Who Held Up East Side Bank, Getting \$14,743.90.

# BANK'S LOSS IS SMALL

## Insurance to Extent of \$10,000 Carried—Many Trails Followed Out by Officers on Case—Rig Used by Escaping Robbers Found.

Had the three robbers who held up the East Side Bank late Monday afternoon boarded an airplane five minutes after abstracting a comfortable fortune from the cash trays, their disappearance could not be more complete than at the present time.

There are clues and trails—countless numbers of them—and that's one trouble the battalion of detectives working on the case have to contend with. There are too many clues. Half the county seemed to be engaged in the business of evolving clues and theories yesterday and of course all these had to be looked into. For the authorities can afford to overlook nothing that might bring them in touch with the real trail.

The whole affair was a masterpiece of crime. Off the authorities have become fully convinced after working on the case 24 hours. They think the three robbers are criminals of resource and cunning and they are giving greater care than the actual holding up of the bank.

This much that is new the officers learned yesterday:—After leaving the bank and running by an indirect course to East Seventh and East Alder streets, they climbed into a single rig which was waiting at a dark point just south of the southwest corner and drove swiftly south to East Morrison, thence east and south, gradually working the horse into a gallop and leaving the rig at East Thirtieth and Division streets. A buggy in which they rode was found attached to a nearly exhausted horse, which was wandering down Division street.

**Direction Taken Unknown.**

Now whether they left this buggy and climbed into another buggy or went out in the brush to change their clothes and evade the spot or proceeded on horseback or by automobile into the country, or disappeared into some rendezvous in the district, cannot be said with any degree of certainty. All of these suggestions form favored theories of various workers on the case. It is also believed that they separated and returned to the business district by streetcar or carriage.

The bank didn't experience the least difficulty with its depositors yesterday morning as a result of the announcement of the heavy loss. In anticipation of a possible run on the bank, funds had been secured by President H. H. Newhall sufficient to meet all demands. But the first depositor to appear had money to put in. And so did the second and third. Not a single patron of the bank was around to withdraw his account.

When the loss was figured out on the books by a complicated process, it was found that the sum taken was exactly \$14,743.90. Of this amount \$10,000 was insured, and the loss to the bank is \$4,743.90, less \$200 which was picked up by a deputy sheriff four blocks from the bank in the trail of the fugitives. The official itemized statement of cash stolen is: \$5000 in wrapped \$20 gold pieces, \$1200 in \$10 gold pieces, \$1000 in \$5 gold pieces, all wrapped; \$1000 in loose \$20 gold pieces, one \$500 bill in legal tender, 19 \$50 bills, mostly gold certificates, 70 \$20 bills, 50 \$10 bills, \$200 in loose currency, \$200 in silver, 100 cents, 100 dollars, 40 in nickels and dimes in a small canvas sack.

**Bank's Condition Good.**

Bank Examiner Steel was early at the bank and made an investigation of the affairs of the institution, finding that it was in good condition financially. President Newhall last night wrote his personal check for \$24,750 to cover the deficit. He will recover \$10,000 of that amount as soon as a settlement is effected by the surety companies.

Location of the rig in which at least two of the three robbers were riding, finding of a small amount of the stolen money lying in the muddy street and discovery of an umbrella belonging to one of the men were the only concrete developments of yesterday's work by the officers on the case, who worked unceasingly.

The rig came to light early in the morning, although it was found about 5:30 o'clock by Ed Campaugh, employed at 223 Pine street. It was at East Thirtieth and Division streets, when he saw a driverless gray horse attached to a light top buggy. The horse was walking slowly westward. Its head was hanging and it was covered with foam. Campaugh stopped the stray rig, but instead of notifying the police of his discovery, he took it to Peter Van Hooms's stable, at Twenty-ninth and Division streets, and had it put up for the night.

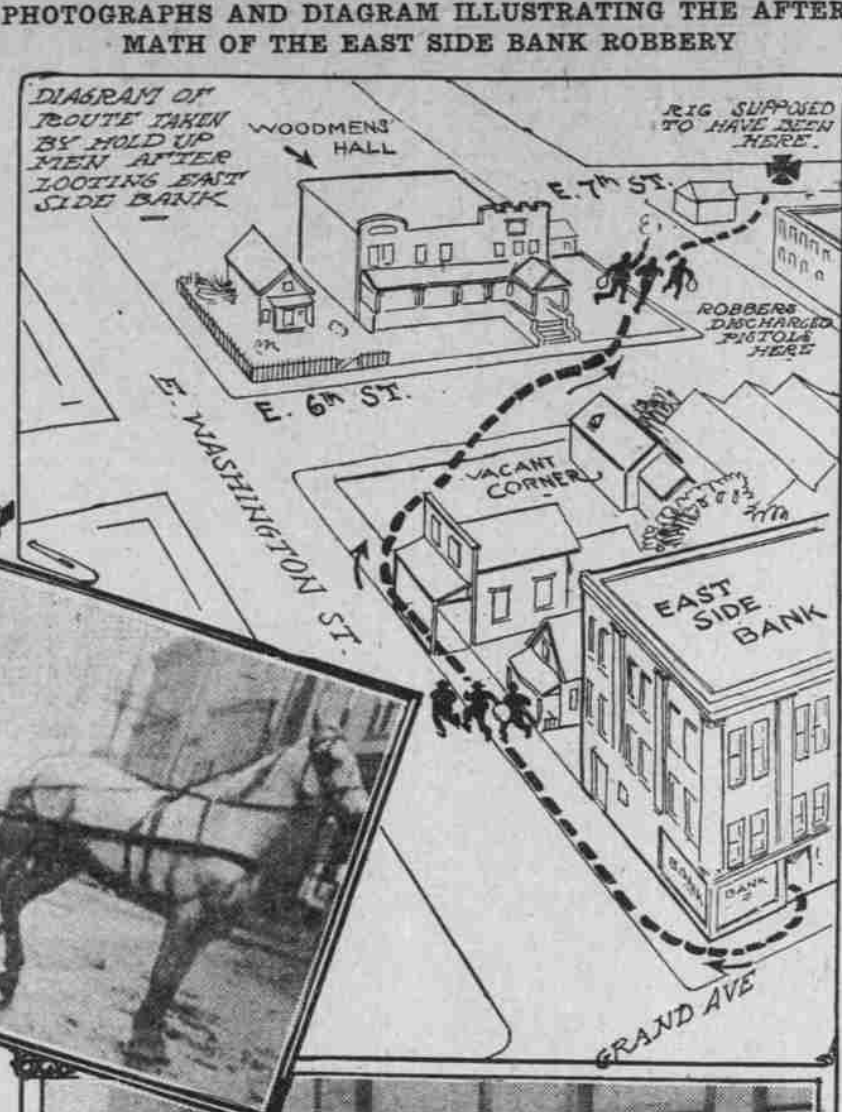
This rig was found by Anderson livery stables at Second and Jefferson streets, about 4 o'clock Monday afternoon by one man. He gave his name as J. Lawrence, living at the Monarch Hotel, Park and Stark streets. Frank Anderson, who rented him the rig, observed the fellow closely, because he makes a practice of looking over a patron before entrusting him with a rig.

**Man Renting Rig Described.**

This man was well-dressed. Mr. Anderson informed the police. He was not more than 30 years old, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, would weigh about 150 to 175 pounds, had brown hair and dark eyes and wore a black derby hat, blue suit, white shirt, spotless collar and light tan overcoat. He asked the rent price for a single rig up to 8 o'clock and paid the price asked, \$2.50, without comment. This answered the description of the man who held the sack at the bank. While no person of the name of Lawrence has lived at the Monarch for several months past, the police learned, yet there was such a person there a year ago and his description answers that of this man. It may be a mere coincidence, but the police are anxious to find that particular Lawrence.

The \$200 recovered was picked up by Deputy Sheriff Frank Beattie at 7 A. M. just off the curb near the southwest corner of East Seventh and East Alder streets. It had been trampled in the mud either by one of the robbers or by officers in the darkness. The money was in \$5 gold pieces wrapped in a small hole in the gunny sack in which most of the gold was carried away from the

# PHOTOGRAPHS AND DIAGRAM ILLUSTRATING THE AFTERMATH OF THE EAST SIDE BANK ROBBERY



Washington street from the north side of the bank just before the robbery. After canvassing everyone who saw the rig and everyone on the streets, the police proceeded on the first theory that the three men actually seen in the bank had no hidden rendezvous in the city.

Joseph M. Woodworth, clerk at Woodmen Hall, reported having met the fugitives just after they rounded Grand avenue from the front entrance of the bank. One of them, running low, with a sack held close to his chest, dodged into the street, while the other two kept to the sidewalk. He gave them a wide berth, he said. He saw the rig across the street at the point described by the fireman.

**Seek Men in City.**

The various theories as to whether the robbers were in the city, hiding in the outskirts or had left the city altogether were being worked up vigorously last night. At a late hour the detectives were searching for a streetcar man on the Waverly-Richmond line who is reported to have carried three men into the city from the district in which the abandoned rig was found. One of these three men carried a suitcase, which seemed to be very heavy, from the way he strained at it, so the officers were told. Nothing had come of this report at an early hour this morning.

**What Is Done on Case.**

Here is what was done yesterday by Deputy Sheriff, police detectives and Pinkerton men in the most puzzling chase they have ever yet engaged upon:

Trail picked up at bank and followed to where robbers must have taken rig, at East Seventh and East Alder streets. The sum of \$300 was found during this work.

Attempt made to take up the trail east of Thirtieth and Division streets, where the abandoned rig was picked up the night before. Detective Tennant finds marks at Thirty-sixth and Division streets where three men and possibly three got out of a buggy or other vehicle and took to the sidewalk. Trail lost. Neighboring brush patches searched without results, the theory being that the men may have changed their clothing there.

Every resident of the entire district interviewed by officers, but no one had seen the fugitives.

Union Depot employees seen and car crews on many East Side lines interviewed, but without success because the theory being that the men may have changed their clothing there.

Details sent to the North End to watch for carousers, the idea being that possibly the robbers might attempt to celebrate their big haul.

Two hundred descriptive circulars sent out to various Western and Coast towns and cities.

Trip made out on I. A. M. freight to Troutdale by Deputy Sheriff Leonard and Special Agent Fitzgerald, the officers doubling back on the roads east of the city and making inquiries at all farmhouses.

Smaller adjacent towns, including St. John, Linnton thoroughly canvassed. Learned at Linnton that three men, spattered with mud, stopped at that place at 10 o'clock Monday night and bought liquor. These men prove to be innocent loggers.

Canvass made by detectives and Deputy Sheriff of Montavilla, Brooklyn, Mount St. Helens, Mount Tabor, Sellwood and South Portland.

Police records and rogues galleries carefully gone through in the hope of placing the names of the three men.

State Penitentiary visited by Sheriff Stevens, who goes carefully through the records there and interviews several criminals who know most of the big bank workers and yegmen.

Every inch of abandoned buggy carefully searched and nothing found but a worn, cheap state with thick curved handle set off with silver tip.

Reports run down of two men buying food at a grocery at Forty-fifth and Belmont streets early yesterday morning; of three suspicious men buying tickets to leave on an early morning boat down the river; of a stranger stopping at an East Side residence and borrowing the morning paper to read an account of the robbery; of four men hanging about a store at East Twenty-eighth and Ankeny Monday afternoon and talking mysteriously of "a job worth while."

and predated at the two sessions. The president's address was followed by a talk by Secretary B. L. Barry, of Hills, Columbia, has never known a seriously "faulted" or broken vein.

Saying nothing of the two immense companion veins of free gold quartz and talc, measuring respectively 30 and 40 feet in width and which can be worked from the same tunnel now under way and still two other true fissure veins of the same material, the property is well equipped with ore cars, burleigh and hand drills, miner tools, explosives, dynamite, team, and all the buildings, stables, sheds, shops and housings pertaining to a well-established mine.

Nothing now remains but to complete the working tunnel, erect a mill, mine shaft and hoist, and the ore can be conveniently got at by tunnels without the cost of sinking and pumping, and then install a good strike plant for the lower level.

The total capitalization of the Cardinal Mining Company is 1,250,000 shares of the par value of \$1 each, and has never been paid up. The company's assets with all our big bodies of ore in sight, there still remains in the company's treasury over \$100,000, constituting a fund amply sufficient

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The Eldorado vein in which the big free gold strike was recently made in the Cardinal Mining property, has a northeasterly and southwesterly trend, cutting obliquely through an immense dyke of gneiss, diorite, and hornblende, and dips easterly down into the depths of the earth at an angle of 25 degrees from the vertical.

The apex of highest point on the vein is near 60 feet in width, and as usually happens in all good mining localities, the richest gold ore is at that point where the vein intersects the hard rock of the dyke, and in this instance good surface values show well down the mountain side where both walls are argillite, proving conclusively that in the up-building of this remarkable vein there was gold to spare.

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Three years should be ample time in which to work out the upper levels of the central Eldorado vein, which, after deducting the cost of sinking and pumping, and also providing a complete deep sinking plant, should easily pay 100 per cent on the entire capitalization, or about 200 per cent on the present price of stock.

But what dividends may be confidently expected above the 300 foot level, it is in the greatest degree uncertain. The owners of the property, however, are confident that they will be able to pay for their stock at a price which will be

# CARDINAL MINES, Via Baker City, Oregon

At the morning session, President Haggerty appointed the following legislative committee: B. L. Barry, C. B. Merrick, L. T. Reynolds, E. W. Haines and Representative-elect Buchanan, of Roseburg. The committee reported on the \$5000 deposit made at the afternoon session yesterday, led by Judge W. H. Hollister, of Forest Grove.

Six mutual fire insurance companies of the state are represented at the convention and about 25 delegates are in attendance. The different companies represented are: Beaver State Merchants Mutual, Forest Grove; Oregon Fire Relief, McMinnville; Oregon Merchants Mutual, Dayton; Bankers & Merchants Mutual, Forest Grove; Horticultural Mutual, Salem, and the Pacific Home Mutual, Forest Grove.

# HANDKERCHIEF SALE.

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# Rich Strike at Blue River.

EUGENE, Or., Dec. 8.—(Special.)—Word comes from the Blue River mines that the richest strike yet recorded in that region was made last week at the Hawkins claim. It is claimed the new ore runs 80 to the ton, and large pieces of free gold are found in the ledge.

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# MUTUAL COMPANIES MEET

Oregon Insurance Associations Hold Their Annual Convention.

Oregon mutual insurance men met in annual convention yesterday morning at the Commercial Club auditorium. There was a large attendance at both sessions. The convention will continue today, adjourning tonight. Yesterday's gathering was the first in the history of the organization when officers, directors and agents for mutual companies were brought together. These sessions will be annual events hereafter.

President W. C. Haggerty called the convention together yesterday morning

# Diseases of Men

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Varicocele results from partial paralysis of the delicate nerve fibers that have a part in controlling local circulation of the blood. The muscular coats of the veins, being deprived of nervous communication and control, become inactive, weaken and relax. The outflow of blood from the pressure within, the circulation in the parts becomes sluggish, and frequent stagnation pools form in and about the veins. These pools, constantly enlarged as the relaxation continues. The possibility exists that clots may form in these stagnant pools and then pass out into the general circulation. Should one find himself in a state of the heart, the result might be instant death or should it be carried to the brain, general paralysis would follow.

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# NETVOES UP TODAY

Southern Pacific Permit Again Before Council.

OTHER BUSINESS IS HEAVY

Washington Y. M. C. A. to Meet at North Yakima.

Paving War Will Probably Be Continued and Heavy Mass of Routine Municipal Matters Has Accumulated for Disposal.

The Washington State Y. M. C. A. convention will open at North Yakima at 10 o'clock Friday morning. The convention sessions will be held in the new \$5000 association building opened a few weeks ago. Among those who will be present are William E. Sweet, president of the Denver Y. M. C. A.; E. W. Peck, state secretary of Minnesota Y. M. C. A.; William Parsons, field secretary of the international committee, who has his headquarters at Minneapolis; A. E. Roberts, international boys' secretary, from Chicago; Gale Seaman, Pacific Coast college secretary, from Los Angeles; L. B. Rhodes, state secretary for Oregon and Idaho, and H. W. Stone, general secretary of the Portland association. City, railroad, industrial, student, Army and Navy associations will be represented and all phases of the work will be discussed.

Marked progress has been made among the associations of Washington during the past month, \$15,900 having been raised during the past month for a new association building at Olympia. Immediately after the close of the convention a canvass will be made for \$20,000 to erect a new building at Centralia.

The City Council will meet at 9:20 o'clock this morning, and as there is a large accumulation of business, it is certain that the entire day will be consumed before everything is disposed of. Among the important items coming up for consideration are the vetoes of the ordinances revoking an employment agency's license for furnishing saloons without a state permit, extending the Southern Pacific's time on Fourth street, the paving questions and whether or not there shall be issued liquor licenses to certain large restaurants.

Mayor Lane's veto of the ordinance revoking the license of "Wachsen & Jones" employment agents at 121 Burnside street, will be the first matter to come up for action this morning. If the veto is sustained, it will force the State Commission to make a legal battle for its existence and to determine just what is its authority under the law. The council will also consider the ordinance which would furnish saloons to certain ships without the certificate of authority furnished by the State Commission. Up to this time it has been popularly supposed that saloons could be furnished only by those operating under a state permit, but Mayor Lane declares that any regularly licensed employment agency can do so, as long as he pays his license and obeys the law otherwise.

It is virtually certain that there will be a big debate over the recommendation of the liquor license committee that licenses to dispense liquor with meals be granted to eight restaurants in the downtown districts at \$200 a year. Some councilmen will refuse to vote for any of the licenses at any price, while there are some who would be willing to vote for them if the license fee is increased to \$500 a year. Councilman Vaughn opposed to granting any of them "until the Collins ordinance is straightened out," while Councilman Vaughn demands that the Collins ordinance be straightened out. Mr. Farnham's numbers included scenes from Shakespeare's "Romeo and Juliet" and "Measure for Measure." Other selections which included Mrs. Farnham to display her versatility were Chase's "The Bull Fight," Nicholson's "Hagar" and Browning's "Clive." Each selection was given in appropriate costume.

Miss Harriett Johnson's solos, Dudley Buck's "Sunset" and Lane's "An Irish Love Song," were well rendered and added much to the pleasure of the entertainment. The White Temple Quartet contributed two selections, "Come All Ye Lads and Lassies," and "Gentle Dawn," from "Flora's Holiday."

Tomorrow (Thursday) last day for discount West Side gas bills. Don't overlook gas appliance sale.

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