

# COOPER STICKS TO STORY OF CRIME

### Grueiling Cross-Examination Is Borne Well by Leading Defendant in Trial.

## SHARPE VARIES TESTIMONY

### State Lays Foundation for Its Later Efforts in Latter's Account of Details of Murder—Big Crowd Is Present.

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"When did you telephone Mrs. Burch, your sister, to find your father?"

"About 8:20."

"And you wanted your sister to keep him off the streets?"

"Yes, sir."

"Still your father had left you a moment before?"

"Yes, sir."

"When did you learn that your father was armed?"

"When he reached my office that morning."

"Did you see the gun?"

"I did."

"Bring in the revolver, all of them," said McCann.

"Is either of these your father's revolvers?"

"I don't know. The nickel-plated one looks like it. I only glanced at it."

The state's object was to identify the revolver Colonel Cooper carried. Its contention is that the gun said to have been found near Carmack's body was, in reality, Colonel Cooper's, substituted for the one carried by Carmack.

Young Cooper said the automatic revolver with which he shot Carmack was the first one of its kind he ever held in his hand. He denied that he ever practiced with one.

It developed, too, that while looking for his father the day of the tragedy, Robin Cooper met Governor Patterson and walked through the arcade with him at the Governor's request.

"Were you armed at that time?"

"I was."

"Did you talk with the Governor about the trouble?"

"Yes, sir."

"How often had you talked to Governor Patterson that day?"

"Twice. Once in front of the Tu-lane."

"And were you armed then?"

"No, sir. I got the revolver after I saw the Governor that first time."

"You suggested to your uncle, James Bradford, to arrange the difficulty?"

"Yes."

"You knew Bradford hated Carmack?"

"No, sir. I knew he did not admire him."

"You know the newboy, John Tyndall?"

"I do."

**Contradicts Witnesses.**

"Do you know of any motive why he should perjure himself to harm you?"

"I do not, but we made no remark to the effect that 'We will get him, or he will catch it.'"

"Do you know whether there is any reason why Mrs. Eastman or Charles Warwick or Carrie Folk should perjure themselves to deprive you of your life or liberty?"

"I do not."

"So when Carrie Folk said, 'Let's go up here,' and your father replied, 'No, let's wait here awhile,' he is mistaken or swearing falsely?"

"Yes, he misunderstood the conversation, I think."

"When you saw Senator Carmack over half a block away, you began to hurry your father away?"

"Yes, sir."

"Did your father stop?"

"Yes, turned around."

"And didn't your father say, 'There's that damned rascal now, we will go out and shoot it out with him'?"

"No, sir, he did not. He said, 'There's Senator Carmack. I want to talk to him.'"

"And you did not say 'Yes' to your father's statement I have quoted?"

"No, sir; father went on over towards Carmack, despite my protests, and I stood still for a few seconds."

The Attorney-General had the witness on up to the time of the shooting, trying to get a contradiction, but the boy was careful and stuck to his story. Efforts to swager him were fruitless.

"Was your attention exclusively on Senator Carmack from the time you saw him draw?"

"Yes, sir."

**Carmack Concealed Gun.**

"Will you say what Senator Carmack was doing with that pistol from the time you saw him draw until you got in his line of fire?"

"He was holding it behind Mrs. Eastman."

"But he did not shoot until you got around the pole, did he?"

"No, sir."

"What was Senator Carmack doing when you began to fire?"

"He was aiming his revolver directly at me."

The Attorney-General handed Robin a revolver, and had him stand as he stood when he opened fire. Next he had the witness represent Senator Carmack. The jury watched the pantomime intently, and the great crowd stood up and leaned forward.

"There had been no unpleasantness, and you did not draw your revolver until you were shot?"

"I did not. I was shot before I opened fire."

"Would you object to showing the jury the wound in your shoulder?"

"No, sir."

The young defendant opened his collar, unbuttoned his shirt, and drawing the clothing away, walked slowly along the jury box. The jurors raised up curiously, and one of them pulled the boy's shirt further back in order to trace the direction of the scar.

The witness admitted that the range of the bullet was upward, and was permitted to don his clothing.

**Sharpe Denies Meeting.**

"Did you meet the other defendants on the morning of November 3?"

"No, sir."

"When did you see the other defendants?"

"I saw Colonel Cooper in the Maxwell House about 3 P. M. that day, talking to Mr. Williams," spoke and passed on."

"When did you see Robin Cooper?"

"I saw Robin about 4 P. M. in the Arcade, near the alley that intersects it. I was on my way to the Tu-lane when I met Representative Mathews. He wanted me to order a suit of clothes. While there talking the Coopers, Colonel Duncan and Robin came up."

"Was there any arrangement to meet there?"

"There was not. Colonel Cooper asked me to go to the Governor's mansion and I agreed."

"Did you know of any meetings in Bradford's office?"

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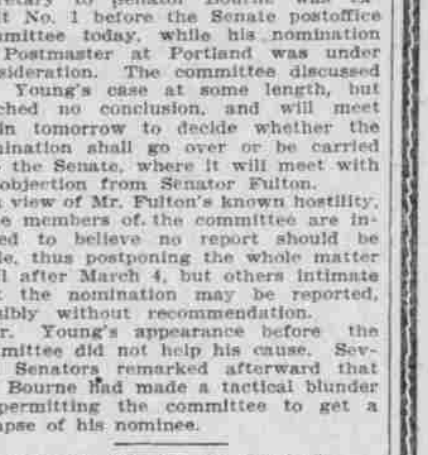
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Agents for the Royal Worcester Corsets

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Agents Ladies' Home Journal Patterns

## "Baby Week"

The regular month-end bargain feast for Portland mothers now in progress. Greater enthusiasm is manifested over this sale than any of the tremendously successful ones that have preceded it. Merchandise that particular mothers recognize as the daintiest and best obtainable offered at prices so pleasingly low that not to buy is nothing short of extravagance. The specials listed below offered for this week's selling and, in addition, everything in baby supplies on sale at specially reduced prices for this week. Don't fail to see these interesting low-priced specials.

<b>Baby Long or Short</b>	<b>INFANTS' KNIT COTTON BANDS</b> , regularly worth 25c each, special this sale..... <b>17c</b>	<b>INFANTS' KNIT BOOTIES AND PIQUE SLIPPERS</b> , few slightly soiled, values to \$2.25, at..... <b>87c</b>	<b>HAND-MADE BABY SLIPS</b> and Short Dresses, in nainsook, lawns or linens, nicely finished, worth \$1.50 to \$17.00, at..... <b>ONE-THIRD LESS</b>
<b>Flannel Skirts</b>	<b>INFANTS' MUSLIN SKIRTS</b> , long or short, fine materials, lace or embroidery trimmed—Reg. values to 50c, special <b>19c</b>	<b>BABIES' FINE CASHMERE SACQUES</b> , trimmed with fancy stitching, \$2.25 to \$2.50 values..... <b>\$1.38</b>	<b>INFANTS' LONG MUSLIN SKIRTS</b> , plain or fancy, regular values \$2.00 to \$11.50, on sale at..... <b>ONE-THIRD LESS</b>
Plain hem, waistband attached Values to 50c, special at <b>27c</b>	Reg. values to 90c, special <b>39c</b>	<b>BABY BASSINETS</b> , finest thing in the world for baby to sleep in, a \$6.00 val. sale price..... <b>\$4.19</b>	<b>BABIES' TOILET BASKETS</b> , untrimmed... <b>89c</b>
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Values to \$2.00, special <b>\$1.19</b>			
Values to \$2.50, special <b>\$1.47</b>			

## Spring Display of Dress Goods and Silks

All Portland is enthused over the magnificent collection of smart dress fabrics for Spring wear, shown in our windows and on our counters. The mind of the woman who follows fashions is made up as soon as she views these fabrics as to where the materials for her Spring gowns will come from. We've taken unusual care in the choosing of this magnificent stock and now we take equal pride in presenting to the most discriminating buyers of the Northwest a stock that has never been equaled in our history as merchants, for value and style. Come and look through it well, feel that you are more than welcome, and that you will not be importuned to buy. Counter after counter, table after table, spread with such a satisfying assortment of the season's choicest fabrics as to elicit enthusiastic praise from the most fastidious choosers.

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MANDARIN SILK  
MIRAGE SILK  
PAGODA SILKS  
TUSSORAH SILKS

### The Wanted Woolen Goods

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NEW BROADCLOTHS  
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JETTY PILES SWEEP TO SEA

Damage From Sunday Night's Storm Estimated at \$400 to \$600.

FORT STEVENS, Or., Feb. 22.—(Special.)—In the storm of Sunday evening 60 of the piles supporting the jetty were swept to sea. As they are valued at 15 cents a foot and are over 50 feet in length it follows that the loss is between \$90 and \$100. The loss of the piles does not affect the strength of the jetty materially, as they were swept from different portions. This is the greatest number of piles ever detached without causing a portion of the jetty to be swept over the bar.

Henry Erickson, an engineer employed in construction work on the jetty, died at his home from quick consumption, February 20.

**ARREST ANOTHER SUSPECT**

Arizona Authorities Think They Have D. & R. G. Robber.

ASH FORK, Ariz., Feb. 22.—Charles Casey was arrested here last evening on suspicion of complicity in the Denver & Rio Grande train robbery. Casey came from Phoenix on February 17, and has since been drinking and spending money freely.

**DEEP-SEATED COUGH**

CURED IN 5 HOURS.

New Home-Made Syrup.

(Cut This Out.)

From Boston Press.

Progress in medical compounds never ceases, and now it is stated by a prominent medical man that any deep-seated cough or cold on the lungs can be actually cured in five hours by the clock. Opium and morphine have been resorted to in the past, as relief measures. But now it is learned that the system must be treated to rid it of inflammation and congestion. A tonic laxative cough syrup does the work so quickly and thoroughly as to be almost magical. What heretofore has taken weeks to cure can be accomplished in hours. Get this formula filled or mix it at home and always keep it on hand: One-half ounce fluid wild cherry bark, one ounce compound essence cardiol and three ounces syrup white pine compound. Shake the bottle and take twenty drops every half hour for four hours. Then take one-half to one teaspoonful three or four times a day until the system is purified and toned up. Give children less according to age. One filling will usually cure a whole family, as the dose is small.

## CASTRO WOULD COME HOME

Longs to Return to Venezuela and Retire to Private Life.

DRESDEN, Dec. 22.—Cipriano Castro, the former President of Venezuela, is planning to return to that country and resume the position of a private citizen. Some time ago he sent a letter to President Gomez, setting forth his purpose of returning and voluntarily retiring from the Presidency, but he has received no reply.

Burglars Loot S. P. Station.

FORT WORTH, Tex., Feb. 22.—Burglars early today dynamited the safe in the Southern Pacific Railroad station at Sour Lake and secured several thousand dollars. The robbers escaped.

## IDAHO WANTS BELL, TOO

Legislature to Ask That Relic Be Exhibited in Boise.

BOISE, Idaho, Feb. 22.—(Special.)—There was a short session of the Senate this morning, at which Kern's employers liability bill, providing heavy personal damages to miners disabled or who contract disease while employed about mines, smelters or reduction works, was passed with only a single dissenting vote.

A resolution was passed in the Senate petitioning the Philadelphia authorities to permit the liberty bell to be exhibited in Boise and some cities of North Idaho.

The bill to correct boundaries between Latah, Shoshone and Kootenai counties was passed under suspension of the rules.

There was no session of the House.

**Miners Fight in Lonely Cabin.**

CANYON CITY, Or., Feb. 22.—J. K. Vanderberg, a miner, is in the County Jail, charged with a murder with a dangerous weapon. He and a miner named Jack Walsh occupy the same cabin on Canyon Mountain. Early this week they had a fight in their cabin, in which Vanderberg used a heavy bar of iron on Walsh, inflicting an ugly scalp wound, and fracturing two ribs. Walsh suffered a broken finger. Vanderberg had preliminary hearing before Judge Duffin, and was held under \$300 bonds to await the action of the next grand jury.

**Leaves \$50,000 to Poor.**

SEATTLE, Feb. 22.—Henry H. Dearborn, a well-known pioneer resident of this city, where he had been in the real estate business for 30 years past, died today at his home at 1117 Minor avenue. In his will he bequeathed a block of islands, valued at \$50,000, to the worthy poor of Seattle. Mr. Dearborn was a native of Canada, N. H., and 64 years of age and was a widower. He leaves one daughter, Miss Beatrice Dearborn, a brother, L. F. Dearborn, whose home is in this city, and several nephews and nieces.

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