

KILLS HIS BROTHER AND Buries BODY

Twelve-Year-Old Boy Admits
Crime, but Refuses to
Give Reason.

AIDS IN ALL-DAY SEARCH

Admits Killing Six-Year-Old Boy
When Body Found Buried in
Hogpen—Strange Crime on
Farm in California.

MODESTO, Cal., June 24.—After aiding all day in the search for his 6-year-old brother, who was believed to have been kidnapped, Cecil Hopkins, the 12-year-old son of a farmer living just south of this city, confessed tonight that he shot and killed the child last night and buried the body in the hog-pen, where it was uncovered by the searchers.

Cecil was placed in jail tonight. He has maintained an air of indifference and refused to make any statement beyond saying that he shot his brother and buried the body.

The shooting took place last night during the absence of the boy's parents. The neighbors noticed that the younger child was missing and, believing that he had been kidnapped, called upon the police to aid in the search. Throughout the day the surrounding country was scoured and every canal or pond dragged without result. Cecil declared that he was utterly innocent of his brother's whereabouts, and helped the searchers, without giving a sign of his guilty knowledge.

Tonight the searchers found the body of the child in the hog-pen. The child had received the full charge of a shotgun in the back, and death was probably instantaneous. When Cecil saw the body recovered and was again questioned, he admitted that he had fired the shot and buried the body, but refused to give any reason for the shooting. He was removed to jail, but even this did not break his clamor, and the questions of the officers remained unanswered.

MAY TAKE CLEAR TITLE

Ballingee Lets Irrigators Pay Cash
Down for Land.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, June 24.—Under an order just issued by Secretary Ballinger settlers on all Government irrigation projects may make full payment for their water right as soon as they fully comply with the requirements of the law as to residence, cultivation and irrigation. Heretofore final payment for building charges could not be made until five years after water was turned onto their lands.

Mr. Ballinger's modification makes it easier for settlers with money to get absolute title to their land, especially settlers who went on the land before water was ready.

BLOCKS CONTRACTOR'S GAME

Ballingee Suspends Contract When
Company Tries to Quit.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, June 24.—The Secretary of the Interior has suspended the contract with the Standard Building Company of San Francisco for the construction of the Sulphur Creek waterway of the Sunnyside irrigation project in Washington. The company has suspended the contract, given a bill of sale for its machinery and attempted to move the same from the ground in direct violation of the terms of the contract.

New Oregon Postmasters.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, June 24.—Oregon postmasters appointed: Blake Owen, Mrs. Mary McKinnley, Clem. L. D. Phillips, Kellogg, George F. Miller.

Confirms Hurlt as Collector.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, June 24.—The Senate confirmed the nomination of Orlando V. Hurlt as Collector of Customs at Yaquina.

VISITORS GATHER IN FORCE

Campus Crowded for Commencement at University of Oregon.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Or., June 24.—(Special.)—Visitors at the 25th University of Oregon commencement exercises came from all parts of the state and a large number registered from Eastern cities. Among the Portland people who visited Eugene during commencement week and on the Wednesday's commencement day's excursion were:

John M. Scott, W. H. Jenkins, J. F. O'Brien, C. A. Malboer, J. Chapman, J. M. Lister, H. A. Ackerman, J. M. Thompson, C. N. McArthur, C. E. Lockwood, Sam. Connel, Miss Florence Dutton, Doctor Moore, wife and daughter, Dr. H. Hall, Mrs. J. J. Montgomery, Lee Harding, C. B. Harding, E. B. Hutton, Mrs. W. Hill, John U. Baker and wife, A. S. Wilson, and wife, H. A. Sargent, J. C. Miller, J. A. Haseltine, A. A. Anderson, H. J. O'Connell, J. E. Carson, Bernard C. Jackson, W. L. Johnson, John Abbott, Virgil Earl, John A. McOmmer, John La. Bourrette, Condon R. Beach, Virginia Cleaver, E. Camp, Arthur Vozzle, Mrs. H. S. Bean, Chester A. Hood, Mrs. G. Zimmerman, Ter Stee, E. Cline, A. Standard, Mrs. Ira Snow, Henry Wessinger, Philip Hart, William M. Gregory, F. Ralph Penton, William H. Ruth, Mrs. Hurley, Evelyn and Mabel Hurley, Mrs. Huston, Miss Mary Mackay, Luis Goddard, Jessie Chase, Lillian Connaway, Judge R. S. Bean, F. Holman, J. C. Ainsworth, C. D. Dolph, E. M. Underwood.

LINN COUNTY PIONEER DIES

George F. Simpson, Aged 74, Passes
Away at Albany.

ALBANY, Or., June 24.—(Special.)—George F. Simpson, a pioneer of 1860, died at his home in this city last evening at the age of 74 years. He was born in Winchester, Ky., crossing the plains with his parents to Oregon when 15 years old. He was married in 1886 to Miss Mary Nanny, who survives him.

Mr. Simpson was for many years engaged in stockraising on his ranch near this city, moving to Albany in 1913, where he has since resided. He was a member of the Masonic and Oddfellow lodges and one of the most widely known men of Linn County.

Chehalis Appoints Delegates.

MONTESANO, Wash., June 24.—(Special.)—The commissioners of Chehalis County have appointed Charles Gant, of

Modesto: A. C. Girard, of Hoquiam; J. J. Carney, of Aberdeen; E. C. Ribbe, of Elma, and Thomas Hallan, of Oakville, as delegates from Chehalis County to the National Irrigation Congress to be held in Spokane next August. The appointees are all newspaper men.

GOVERNMENT DROPS SUIT

Bay State Authorizes Joining of New
Haven and Boston & Maine.

WASHINGTON, June 24.—The Attorney-General today directed the dismissal of the Government's suit against the New York, New Haven & Hartford and the Boston & Maine railways and others for violating the anti-trust laws. The Massachusetts Legislature has expressly authorized the consolidation of those roads.

OFFICERS FEAR ANNUAL TEST

Naval Men Not Enthusiastic Over
Strenuous Stunts Required.

WASHINGTON, June 24.—With Washington in the grip of a hot season, naval officers are wondering if their superiors

CHOSEN JUDGE OF NEW YORK HORSE SHOW.



NEW YORK, June 23.—(Special.)—Lord Lonsdale is to judge horses at the next New York horse show. He is one of the best judges of horses in England. The invitation was extended to him informally by Judge William H. Moore, who is exhibiting at the Olympia horse show in London. He expressed Lord Lonsdale the hope that English horse-owners would exhibit at the New York horse show, and that he would come over as a judge. Lord Lonsdale is a great chum of the Kaiser.

will order the physical tests, to which they are subject, during the summer days. The officers have the option of riding a mile or walking 30 miles. The penalty of retirement on three-quarters pay if they fail to stand the strain of the test chosen makes the duty of the fiscal year something to be dreaded.

It is estimated that nearly 300 officers of various ranks in rear admiral down to midshipman will take the tests some time during the year in the vicinity of Washington.

TEN MILLIONS FOR CENSUS

After Bitter Fight, House Passes
Emergency Appropriation.

WASHINGTON, June 24.—On the eve of the expiration of the current fiscal year the House today authorized an emergency appropriation of \$10,000,000 for defraying the expense of taking the 13th census.

In presenting the bill, Tawney, chairman of the committee on appropriations, announced that unless the money was forthcoming the Census Bureau would be compelled to suspend business next Wednesday. Notwithstanding this warning the bill met with much opposition and it was only finally passed after Macon of Arkansas had forced a rollcall on a point of no quorum.

ELK PRESERVE BILL PUT IN

Congressman Hawley Takes First
Step in B. P. O. E. Plan.

WASHINGTON, June 24.—Representative Hawley today introduced a bill at the request of the order of Elk, setting aside sections 12 and 13, T. 10, R. 10 W., to be known as the Siletz Elk Preserve. The bill authorizes the appointment of a superintendent of the preserve at a salary of \$200.

At the meeting of the Grand Lodge of Elk, which convened in Dallas, Tex., last year, a resolution was adopted asking the Government to set aside a suitable preserve for the better protection of elk.

Taft to Open Harbor Congress.

WASHINGTON, June 24.—President Taft will make the opening address at the sixth annual convention of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress, to be held in Washington September 8-10. The congress of which Representative George A. Randall, of Louisiana, is president, numbers among its membership prominent men from all parts of the country. The congress favors a National policy of waterways development and a \$50,000,000 bond issue for that purpose.

Humphrey Introduces Bill.

WASHINGTON, June 24.—The first active state ship subsidy legislation in the Sixty-first Congress was taken today when Representative Humphrey, of Washington, introduced in the House his ocean mail subsidy bill.

Bank Statement Called For.

WASHINGTON, June 24.—The Controller of the currency today issued a call on all National banks for report of their condition at the close of business on June 23.

DELAYS ANNOY U'REN

Complains That Baggage Checking
Staff Is Insufficient at Depot.

SALEM, Or., June 24.—(Special.)—William S. U'ren, in making complaint regarding the service in the baggage department at the Union Depot in Portland, says: "I have been obliged to check trunks in or out of that hole five times in the past 10 months, and have had to wait from 15 to 30 minutes. The whole cause of the trouble is that they are trying to get from two to three men's work out of one employee. The men were working hard enough."

MRS. GOULD DENIES ANY WRINGDOING

Used No Endearing Names in
Addressing Farnum, Saw
Him Only in Parlor.

FARNUM BACKS HER DENIAL

Home Broken Up, Millionaire's Wife
Sought Diversion in Going Back
to Stage—Always Met in
Others' Company.

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allowed the deposition to be read, and Mr. Shearn asked the privilege of also calling the actor Monday, if he could get him.

Farnum's Meeting With Mrs. Gould.

Dustin Farnum deposed that his first met Mrs. Gould six or seven years ago at a charitable benefit given by a number of New York society women. Mrs. Lounsberry introduced him to Mrs. Gould.

The second time he met her was at Castle Gould, where he went with Miss May Robson, the actress, and Mrs. Gould drove them for two hours about the estate. In August, 1906, the actor took lunch at the St. Regis Hotel with Mrs. Gould, upon her invitation, the witness deposed.

"I went there on a matter of business, as Mrs. Gould was thinking of going back on the stage, and wished to talk it over with me," the witness said. "We had lunch in the parlor of Mrs. Gould's apartments, and I stayed about an hour and a half. Mr. Sells was to have been there, but he came in just as I was leaving."

Farnum told of meeting Mrs. Gould in Hartford, Conn., when he was touring the New England cities in "The Virginian."

Mrs. Gould and Miss Sells and another young woman and the actor had supper at Mrs. Gould's hotel after the play.

"I remained about an hour and then returned to my hotel. Next day I invited Mrs. Gould to lunch with me at my hotel."

Auto Ride and Dinner Together.

The deposition covered the week Farnum was playing in Brooklyn in the theater with a friend and Farnum accompanied them to New York, and they had dinner at a cafe, Farnum went directly to his hotel, he said. On another occasion Farnum, Mrs. Gould and his manager rode over from Brooklyn to New York in Mrs. Gould's automobile. They talked about Mrs. Gould's ambitions to return to the stage. They left the manager at his hotel at St. Regis and had a bite to eat in the restaurant with Mrs. Gould.

"Did you go up to Mrs. Gould's apartments afterwards?" was a question asked. "No, sir; I bade her good night downstairs and returned to my hotel," was the answer.

Never Alone at Philadelphia.

Farnum described his meeting with Mrs. Gould at the Bellevue-Stratford, Philadelphia, where he had supper in her apartments. Miss Sells and another young woman were present at the time, and afterward they all went to Atlantic City, where Farnum was to play. A dinner was given there in Mrs. Gould's honor, and Farnum, Mrs. Gould and the two young women were present. Miss Robson entertained the witness said. He remained a little while after the young women retired with Mrs. Gould and Miss Robson and the maid, and then retired to his own room. He was not alone with Mrs. Gould at any time on that occasion.

Not Even Admitted to Room.

The witness deposed that he met Mrs. Gould and Miss Sells in Washington one night after the theater and took them to an oysterhouse. He left them at their hotel afterward. Farnum described his meeting with Mrs. Gould in Lynchburg, Va., at the Hotel Carroll when he was playing in the Southern cities. He received an invitation from Mrs. Gould to Elise Gap farm, but later received word that Mrs. Gould was ill and he did not go. He heard at the Carroll Hotel that Mrs. Gould was there ill and he went to her door and knocked and asked if he could do anything for her. "She looked very ill, and as though she had been poisoned," said the witness. "She said there was nothing he could do, so he left. He visited Mrs. Gould in the parlor. The waiter was there all the time, he said. Farnum did not breakfast in Mrs. Gould's rooms in the Hotel Carroll, he said, as witnesses for the defense have testified. It was at a restaurant that they ate, he said. Farnum declared he had never embraced Mrs. Gould nor addressed her in endearing terms.

Mrs. Gould Makes Denials.

Mrs. Gould, taking the stand this afternoon as witness in rebuttal, denied that she had caused disturbances at Castle Gould and had called Malloy, the manager, offensive names. She declared it was not true that the steward had sent seven bottles of brandy to her room within two weeks.

"Richards, steward at Castle Gould, testified that one night all the bells were rung by Mrs. Gould and also the burglar alarm. Is that true?" Mrs. Gould was asked by Mr. Shearn. Mrs. Gould said it was not.

"What was the occasion of having the burglar alarm at Castle Gould?" asked Mr. Shearn.

"I was so much alone at night that I had the outside door wired, and when Mr. Gould opened the door the bells and the alarm began to ring," answered Mrs. Gould. "He came upstairs and was angry and accused me of spying on him and threatened to quit me."

Mrs. Gould said she never called her husband "a little pup" and never applied any other epithets to him. She also denied that she swore or used abusive language to the servants on any occasion.

Newport Gets Better Service.

NEWPORT, Or., June 24.—(Special.)—A new railroad schedule went into effect yesterday, providing for two trains each way on the Corvallis & Eastern Railroad, which will divide the heavy traffic to the Coast. The train arriving at noon will not carry mail this year, but it will bring express and The Oregonian. The weather continues to be cool, so each afternoon many people are seen on the beach.

Judgment for Unsettled Bill.

In the United States Court yesterday Judge Wolverton directed the jury to return a verdict for the plaintiff in the suit of the Concordia Creamery Com-

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Also the new Jumper Dresses, that can be worn with or without guimpe. These are shown in the same materials as the Wash Dresses.

CHILDREN'S WHITE DRESSES—As complete in assortment as our Tub Dresses. Made of India linen, Victoria lawn, percale, imported repps and Irish linen. These Dresses are shown in both the Dutch neck and high-neck styles and are just as dainty as can be and strictly tailored. Also the dainty Linen Dresses beautifully trimmed with lace or embroidery. Priced from \$1.25 to \$15.00.

New Dining-Room Furniture in Matched Suites

Just recently placed on our floors are some new medium-priced dining-room suites in the fumed oak and in the golden oak in the popular and practical dull finish. These suites are made up of table, buffet, china cabinet, five dining chairs and arm chair. Tables can be extended to six feet without dividing the pedestal. If it is desired to extend the table to eight feet it can be done by releasing a locking device, after which the pedestal separates and gives the table more rigidity. The workmanship, design and finish of the various pieces compare favorably with those in the higher grade. One of these new suites in the fumed oak is priced as low as \$168.00.

IN THE FREE COOKING SCHOOL TODAY MRS. WHELOCK WILL PREPARE FOLLOWING MENUS

Commencing at 10:30 A. M.:
Chocolate Nut Cake.
Dutch Cake.
Cherry Pudding.

Commencing at 2:30 P. M.:
Wreath Salad.
Fruit Cookies.
Turkish Coffee Cake.

pany, of Concordia, Kan., against W. N. Daniels, doing business as the La Grande Creamery Company, of this city. Plaintiff company brought suit to recover about \$3700, alleged to be the balance due on an unsettled account. The case had been on trial for three days.

Jury Districts in Cowlitz.

KALAMA, Wash., June 24.—(Special.)—Judge McCredie, of the Superior Court, has made an order dividing this county into three jury districts, in compliance with the law passed by the last Legislature. District No. 1 consists of the following precincts: Min-

DO YOU HAVE RHEUMATISM?

And Are You Satisfied With
the Treatment You Have
Had?

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Mrs. W. V. Radtke, of No. 1381 Biddle street, St. Louis, Mo., says:

"I suffered with inflammatory rheumatism for about seven years and found no relief until I tried Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I was confined to bed for six months at a time during three years of my sickness. I was so sore all over that I could hardly tell where the pains were. My right hand was crippled and I had no use of my left hand. My limbs were swollen and I had no use of them. I was perfectly helpless. I had no appetite and there were days and weeks when I took but little food. When I could be up, I had to walk with crutches. I had constipation, which the doctors said was due to the medicine I was taking."

"I was treated by four physicians, who relieved me for a time, but any change of the weather would cause me intense suffering. After some time the doctors pronounced me incurable. I was taken on a stretcher to a hospital where I remained for two months. When I left the hospital, I was treated at my home for some time longer but was not helped. Then I started to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I could see some improvement after taking only a few boxes and kept using the pills until cured."

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