

HUSBAND DROWNS IN WIFE'S SIGHT

Woman Then Keeps Lone Vigil Through Night at Scene of Tragedy in Clackamas.

LEADS SEARCH NEXT DAY

Edward Clevinger, of Oregon City, Swept Away With Pack Animal Near Casadero While Trying to Ford Stream.

MISCHIEF IS CHARGED

ESTACADA, O., July 29.—(Special.)—Caught in the swift current of the Clackamas River, ten miles east of Estacada, Edward Clevinger, of Oregon City, was swept off his feet along with a pack horse he was leading, and drowned, at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

COLUMBIA LIFE EXPANDS

Local Life Insurance Company Increases Capital Stock to \$200,000.

C. S. ROGERS NOT GIVEN UP

Improvement Is Reported in Condition of Newspaper Man.

HENEY OFF FOR INTERIOR

Starts Overland via Skagway for Yukon Territory.

CONDENSED NEWS BY WIRE

FRUIT LANDS ARE VISITED

PERSONAL MENTION.

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engagement of her daughter, Josephine, to Abe Friedman. At home Sunday, August 1, from 3 to 5 P. M.

Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Gilbert, of this city, who left three months ago to visit a number of the principal cities from Chicago eastward to the Atlantic Ocean, returned late last week.

A. C. Jackson, advertising manager for the Harriman lines at Portland, because of illness, has been obliged temporarily to give up his work.

CHICAGO, July 29.—(Special.)—Portland people at Chicago hotels: Congress, W. C. Stricker; Stratford, Lenora Cardwell; Palmer House, J. C. Edwards.

OIL IS SPREAD OVER PAVEMENT OF HASSAM COMPANY.

Manager Hyland Says Deliberate Attempt Was Made to Ruin His Company's Reputation.

Strife between rival paving companies for the city's extensive paving business was stirred to renewed bitterness yesterday by a man for the Hassam Paving Company, preparing to treat a quantity of crushed rock on Grand avenue, between Hawthorne and East Clay street, with the patent cement mixture which binds it firmly together and makes the Hassam pavement, discovered on the west side of the thoroughfare for 150 feet some one had saturated the rock with oil, apparently with the deliberate purpose of preventing the cement from adhering, and thus ruining the pavement.

Charles Byers, the foreman, noticing the layer of rock was not quite level, ordered his workmen to smooth it down, when he thought he detected a peculiar substance on some of the bits of stone. He picked one up and discovered it was covered with oil. Further examination revealed the fact that for 150 feet on the west side of the avenue, from car track to curb, the rocks were soaked. In some places the oil had been thrown on so thickly that it spots beneath the pavement the ground was saturated with it to the depth of an inch. It was spread on as though someone had walked along the curbing with a bucketful and dashed it on the rocks.

George M. Hyland, manager of the Hassam company, immediately gave directions for the rock to be picked up and carted away and a fresh foundation laid. It was found necessary for the workmen to shovel away an inch of the underlying earth so that no trace of the oil might be left.

In case the oil had not been discovered and the cement grouting had been spread over the rock, officials of the company and cement experts said yesterday the oil would certainly have prevented the cement from binding the stone. The result would have been the early disintegration of the pavement, and the fact that they chose what will probably be the business portion of Grand avenue for their operations for paving a match of the traffic over the new Madison bridge will swing into the west side of Grand avenue at Hawthorne. This includes such heavy traffic as the lumber wagons of Dr. J. P. Poulson. If the pavement disintegrated under this travel, enemies of the Hassam company would be in position to say the pavement could not stand heavy traffic.

Though he named no names and made no direct inferences yesterday, Manager Hyland intimated an enemy of the Hassam Company, and one which would profit if this pavement had disintegrated, might be at the bottom of the matter.

"We thought we had gone up against every possible obstacle in paving company trying to break into the field here would have to undergo," said Mr. Hyland, "and when we had finally got the contract for paving Grand avenue, we were actually carrying out the work, we supposed we would not be hindered any more. However, we never supposed anything like this would happen.

"We realized also we were in competition against a paving combination that has operated in nearly every city in the country—and has been outlawed in most of them—but in no city does it control the market so absolutely and have such a foothold as here in Portland. The combination has done everything possible to prevent us from getting contracts, even to a extent of having representatives hid in work against us. And only yesterday an agent of a paving company in this city was inquiring if any assessments on this same Grand avenue paving were due, thus trying as a last resort to hold us up there when everything else had failed.

"There is close connection of events all around in this matter. The spreading of the oil was a miserable piece of work, that is all that can be said about it. However, we are going to the bottom of the incident. We have placed it in the hands of a local detective agency and will run down the perpetrator if we can do so."

New York.—Mrs. Anna Rosant, president of the Theosophical Society, is expected to arrive in this city Saturday to start a tour of the country.

Chicago.—Chicago will have a population of 5,000,000 in the year 1940, according to an estimate by Statistician Francis Shaw, in his city manual for the current year.

Harrisburg, Pa.—Harrisburg is said to have the largest number of General Frequent's first expedition to California, was found Wednesday, lodged in a freight car at the Lake Road station. It is believed he committed suicide.

Beno.—The King has informed the Ministry of the Interior to send Prince Vittorio, son of the Duke of Genova, to visit the Italian colonies in South America. Another Prince, probably the Duke of Abruzzi, will go later on a mission to North America.

Stockton, Cal.—Fred M. West, president of the Stockton Savings & Loan Society Bank, died Thursday, aged 70 years. Death was due to complications of influenza due to a cold he contracted in the city of Stockton, where he was a member of the original board of directors of the Western Pacific Railway Company.

Pittsburg.—Three women who went out early to pick berries on a farm about three miles from Pittsburg, Pa., were rescued Wednesday by farmers after having been buried in an abandoned coal mine for some hours during which they fought continually with a nest of huge snakes.

Tipton, Ind.—William H. Marker, cashier of the First National Bank, member of Noah R. Marker, the missing assistant cashier, who is charged with the \$250,000 disappearance, has resigned. Noah Marker borrowed money from many friends and was preparing for his departure for a week before he left the city.

New York.—The largest number of warships ever brought together on this side of the Atlantic and the largest international fleet ever assembled anywhere will take part in the Hudson-Putnam celebration next Fall. Not less than 80 warships will take part in the present on the Hudson River. Fifty-on the sea will represent the United States Navy.

CONBOY ASKS JOB

Bay City Police Captain Who Shot Man Fights Removal.

MAKES APPEAL TO COURT

Officer Declares Dismissal Is Too Great Punishment for Offense, and Questions Rights of His Superior Officers.

LAND TO BE IMPROVED

Government Provides for Stocking Yakima Reservation.

CUBAN CABINET RESIGNS

Action Taken to Save Embarrassment of Removing Officials.

LAST REID DINNER GIVEN

American Ambassador Entertains Swedish Royalty.

NORDICA WEDS IN GLORY

American Diva Becomes Wife of New York Banker.

CONDENSED NEWS BY WIRE

GALE MAY DELAY ROYALTY

Czar and Family on Way to Visit French President.

RUSH FOR LAND STILL ON

Applications Continue to Pour in for Indian Reservations.

REVOLT NEAR IN COLUMBIA

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Angered by a report that President Reyes, when he fled Colombia for Europe, took with him \$20,000,000 in gold and a bag containing millions of dollars' worth of jewels as his plunder from the government, the people of the republic are on the verge of a serious revolution. Only the lack of a forceful and daring leader seems to be keeping the movement from breaking into a civil war against the government.

In Cartagena martial law has been declared, and the port is closed to all vessels. No newspapers are admitted to the country from any other country, and no meeting of more than three persons is allowed on the streets or elsewhere if the authorities can prevent it.

REYES TO ENTER BUSINESS

Ex-President of Colombia to Remain in Europe.

LONDON, July 29.—General Rafael Reyes has informed his friends here by telegraph that he has received official notification of the acceptance by the Colombian Congress of his resignation as President of the Republic. He declares that he will not return to Colombia.

NOTED CAREER IS ENDED

General Henry C. Worthington Dies in Washington.

WASHINGTON, July 29.—General Henry C. Worthington, formerly member of the California Legislature, delegate in Congress from Nevada, diplomat and jurist, died at the Garfield Hospital here today from cerebral hemorrhage. He was 81 years old.

General Worthington had been collector of the port of Charleston, S. C., headed a vigilance committee in California, had been Minister to Uruguay, judge of a United States Court, Major General of Militia, and is said to have come within two votes of being elected United States Senator from Nebraska.

General Worthington made his fortune as one of the "forty-niners" in California's gold mines. A year later he joined the expedition of William Walker to seize the State of Sonora and return from Mexico.

Of late years he lived in Washington. It was while leaving the capitol early in July that he had a stroke of paralysis, and was removed to the hospital, blind and helpless.

BULLET SHATTERS SKULL

Bone Splinters and Portion of Bullet Removed From Boy's Head.

ASTORIA, Or., July 29.—(Special.)—"Cleo Carver," the six-year-old son of Mrs. J. E. Carver, of Westport, who was shot in the left temple a few days ago, by the accidental discharge of a .22-calibre rifle, with which the lad's eight-year-old brother was playing, was more seriously injured than was at first supposed.

An examination made of the wound last evening showed that the bullet had split and the skull had been splintered. Several small pieces of skull, as well as a portion of the bullet were removed, but the other part of the bullet has not been located.

Today the boy is conscious and appeared somewhat improved, but he is still in a precarious condition.

THIEVES GET GOOD HAUL

Thieves entered and robbed the rooms of Mrs. J. E. Souce, who lives in a rooming-house at 24 1/2 Grand avenue, yesterday. Jewelry valued at more than \$100 was missing. The list of stolen articles includes one lady's gold watch, a turquoise and diamond stickpin, a pair of diamond cuff buttons, a turquoise and pearl ring, a turquoise and diamond ring, an amethyst and pearl ring, and several plain gold rings. The case was referred to the detective department and an investigation is under way.

Tom Richardson Visits Albany. ALBANY, Or., July 29.—(Special.)—Tom Richardson, manager of the Portland Commercial Club, is in Albany tonight, while on a trip through the Willamette Valley. He spent this afternoon driving about Albany in an automobile with Manager Struble, of the Albany Commercial Club, and Postmaster Van Winkle, secretary of the club.

Agents for Fay Hosiery for Children

MAIL ORDERS PROMPTLY FILLED

Agents for Henderson's Corsets

REMEMBER SILVERFIELD'S FURS.

MERIT MADE THEM FAMOUS.

WRITE FOR OUR NEW FUR STYLE BOOK FOR 1910. MAILED FREE.

Cor. Fourth and Morrison Sts.

Great Alteration and Expansion Sale Still Going On

For Friday and Saturday the Offerings on High-Grade Merchandise Will Be Phenomenal in the Way of Value-Giving and Price-Reductions

NOTE THESE EXTRAORDINARY BARGAIN OFFERINGS

Closing out of balance of ladies' silk, linen and pongee coats, for Summer wear, as well as evening wear, actual values to \$35 at the ridiculously low price of \$7.85. Only a limited number of these coats on hand; if you want one you must be here early.

Ladies' fine man-tailored wash suits—in plain and fancy stripe materials. This season styles, values to \$12.50, special price \$2.89.

Fine ladies' wash suits, handsomely trimmed with lace and pearl buttons, values to \$18, special price at \$6.89.

Notice to the Public

Owing to the contractors working in our windows, we are unable to make any window displays, but come and see and judge for yourself the great bargains offered throughout our entire establishment.

Remodeling and Repairing of Furs at Summer Prices

Don't neglect your furs over the Summer months, bring them in and let us care for them, have them remodeled into the latest styles for the coming season. Special prices now.

Special Sale

Hart Schaffner & Marx Fine Suits

- \$20 Hart Schaffner & Marx Suits Sale Price \$14.50
- \$25 Hart Schaffner & Marx Suits Sale Price \$19.50
- \$30 Hart Schaffner & Marx Suits Sale Price \$22.50
- \$35 Hart Schaffner & Marx Suits Sale Price \$26.50

Special Sale

Boys' Knee Pants Suits Latest Styles in Plain and Fancy Patterns

- \$5.00 Knee Pants Suits, Sale Price \$3.35
- \$5.50 Knee Pants Suits, Sale Price \$3.70
- \$7.50 Knee Pants Suits, Sale Price \$5.00
- \$10 Knee Pants Suits, Sale Price \$6.65

Boys' Washable Suits 1/3 Off

Sam' Rosenblatt & Co. Cor. Third & Morrison Sts.

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UNUSUAL HOSIERY SPECIALS

Closing out of several lines of hosiery that will appeal to all economical buyers. Note these values: All lisle hose, in plain and embroidered designs in all colors, actual values to 75c cents, for 42c.

Ladies' Silk Hose at Less Than Cost

Special lot: All silk hosiery with garter top, and others with lisle feet, at the following values and prices. Silk hose, values \$3.75, at \$2.15. Silk hose, values \$2.75, at \$1.50. Silk hose, values \$1.75, at 98c. Hosiery for all occasions, specially priced at 18c. A limited number of ladies' hose in black and tan, cotton and lisle, values 35c, only 18c.

Great Values Throughout All Dep'ts

Closing out of babies' wear, corsets, muslin underwear, kimonos, wrappers, etc., etc., all at sacrifice prices.