

ACCUSED SAVANT AS OWN LAWYER

Man Whose Name Is Connected With Mysterious Crime Defends Himself.

MILLER HELD FOR THEFT

Prisoner Admits Pawned Diamonds of Murdered Man, but Insists Police Have No Evidence Against Him.

SEATTLE, Oct. 29.—Peter Miller, formerly a lecturer on sociological topics, on trial in the Criminal Court for robbing a house in this city last June, and whose name has been mentioned by the police in the garrotting of Hugh McMahon, a bartender, in this city last fall, is acting as his own lawyer and displaying all the skill and learning of an experienced attorney. He is examining the witnesses closely.

Educated in Berlin.

According to his own story Miller was born in Germantown, Penn. 26 years ago, the son of a prominent lawyer and an actress mother. He was educated in the University of Berlin. He graduated from the University of Berlin in 1894, and received his doctor's degree in philosophy from the University of Vienna in 1897. He has served as a regimental surgeon with the Boers in their war with England, and after the war made a tour of the New England states lecturing on sociological topics.

Lectures Bring Him Income.

"I am not an anarchist or a Socialist, nor do I belong to any party," said Miller, in addressing the jury today at the opening of his trial. "I have sustained myself by lecturing in many parts of the country and by my writings. The University of Vienna published my essay on the Kilderpost parasite, written after the Boer war. From all these I have gained a livelihood. I have never been robbed, nor have I ever been in serious trouble. I have been a student all my life."

Victim of Thugs Wore Diamonds.

Hugh McMahon was manager for Patrick Sullivan's American cafe and bar. After closing the cafe one night last December, McMahon started home. He was wearing diamonds valued at \$5,000 and carried several hundred dollars in cash. The following morning the body was found in McMahon's own yard, with his Great Dane dog keeping vigil.

Crime Carefully Concealed.

A few days after Sullivan had started his force of private detectives on the case, a tie which had been worn by McMahon was found in a vacant building near his home. The tie was found with a gag made from a handkerchief. McMahon is supposed to have been strangled to death with the gag.

BAGS DEER, CAMPS ALONE

Friends Go In Search of Hunter When He Fails to Return.

HOQUIAM, Wash., Oct. 29.—(Special.)—Word reached this city tonight that Councilman Sherman Hoover, who had been reported lost in the woods near the Huxley River while out hunting, had returned to his camp late in the evening.

Hoover went hunting Thursday morning, and Thursday night failed to reach his home. His friends were so anxious for his return that they started out to search for him, and about dark he reached camp with a large deer. He had spent the night in the woods where darkness overtook him, and the day carrying out his prize.

CANNON ROAR ON STRAITS

League to make him Minister of Marine. Colonel Torbas declined to enter into the proposals and an angry scene ensued, Lieutenant Tibaldos retiring to prepare for the revolt which followed today, and Colonel Torbas to inform Premier Mavromichalis.

Government Shows Hesitation.

The government, however, displayed curious hesitation. It took no steps to arrest Lieutenant Tibaldos and permitted him and his party to carry out his plans before any measures in opposition were taken. Even this morning, in order to prevent the shedding of blood, the government dispatched a friendly officer to endeavor to dissuade Lieutenant Tibaldos from his wild design.

Aged Marshfield Woman Dies.

MARSHFIELD, Or., Oct. 29.—(Special.)—Mrs. Frances Scott, a well-known Marshfield woman, died today at the home of her son, Lorenzo Scott. She was aged 83.

and was compelled to surrender when Lieutenant Tibaldos threatened to employ force.

At midnight troops still occupied the shores opposite the arsenal and were ordered to fire upon any of the mutineers attempting to land.

One Torpedo Boat Roams Sea.

It is officially announced that only two men of the loyal fleet were wounded. The loss of the mutineers is not known. One of the torpedo boats was disabled and another fired in the direction of Eleusis on the Bay of Lousina. A third reached the Pharo naval station, where it met with a hostile reception and again out to sea.

The loyal fleet tonight was cruising off Pirous to prevent any attempt at landing on the attack on the town and also to close the Salamis straits. Ex-Premier Ralli tonight predicted the crisis would result in the overthrow of the government and the transfer of the Military League into office.

The cause of the naval revolt in Greece is thought probably to be the recent failure of the Greek cause in Crete, when the powers, on Turkey's protest, removed the Hellenic flag at Crete.

Several weeks ago two battalions of troops at Athens mutinied. Retiring to the suburbs, they demanded the surrender of the places held in the army by Crown Prince Constantine, commander-in-chief; Prince Andrew, a Captain of cavalry; and Prince Christopher, a sub-Lieutenant in the infantry.

The cause of the mutinies was opposed by the Military League, which on October 15 forced the Chamber of Deputies to vote a measure abolishing the right of the Crown Prince to hold the post of commander-in-chief and of the other Princes to hold military commands. Early in the day King George had persuaded his sons, the Princes Constantine, Nicholas and Christopher, to resign their commissions in the army.

UPON THE PASSAGE OF THE MILITARY BILLS IN THE CHAMBER OF DEPUTIES, THE PRINCES WITHDREW FROM THE CHAMBER.

OREGON SENDS 24 MEN

WILL USE TWO TEAMS TO DEFEAT WILLAMETTE.

Forbes Intends Game at Salem Shall Be in Nature of Try-out for Varsity Squad.

SALEM, Or., Oct. 29.—(Special.)—When the University goes on the field for tomorrow's game here with Willamette University it will be represented by two complete football teams. This unique condition of affairs is due to the fact that Coach Forbes brought 24 men with him from Eugene today. These players comprise two full eleven's, with two men over for substitutes. Both line-ups will hold signal practice on the field before the game.

This is the greatest number of players that was ever taken on a football trip by any Northwest college. The result is that Forbes and Assistant Coach George Hug will have at least two men for each position. Almost every man on both of Oregon's teams is in splendid shape. Pinkham, the varsity's mainstay at tackle, is a bit stiff from too hard practice, so Scott will be played in his place at left tackle during the first half.

The other team will consist of Kellogg, center; Hardig, right guard; Storie, left guard; Henderson, right tackle; Pinkham, left tackle; Hixson, right end; Dodson, left end; Latourette, quarter; Means, full; Sullivan and Oliver Huston, halves; Johnson and Bartell will be substitutes.

The officials for tomorrow's game are: Referee, Kirk, of Salem; umpire, Leacock, of Albany; line-man, Turner, field judge, Winslow.

There was an enthusiastic mass meeting of Willamette students today, and the university team will put up a good fight. The Willamette team will average about 150, and the Oregon 185.

A preliminary event tomorrow will be a game between the first team of the Salem High School and the second team of Willamette.

WOODLAND SHOWS APPLES

Visitors Are Surprised at Products of Lewis River Valley.

WOODLAND, Wash., Oct. 29.—(Special.)—Visitors to Woodland attending the session of the Pomona Grange are greatly impressed with the display of fruit and farm products that have been gathered from the Lewis River valley, and the rooms of the Woodland Commercial Club are thronged by visitors from daylight until closing time at night.

The display of apples is opening the eyes of many people to the possibilities of this suburb of Portland. The fine fruit on exhibition was raised without irrigation, and on land that is not expensive.

SEASIDE ISSUES GROW

Nineteen Questions Submitted to Voters at Coming City Election.

ASTORIA, Or., Oct. 29.—(Special.)—Fifteen questions are now filed asking that five more amendments to the Seaside city charter, making 19 in all, be submitted to the voters at the coming municipal election on December 2.

Among these five amendments are one providing that there shall be five councilmen-at-large in place of two now each; one providing for a city seal; one providing for the holding of an election each year; one creating a water commission, consisting of R. R. Cole, A. W. Duncan, W. S. Heninger, A. E. Miller and F. H. Moore; and one providing an assessment plan for making street improvements.

BIG RACE DRAWS MORBID THROUG

Thousands Gather to See the Start of Contest for Vanderbilt Cup.

SHORT COURSE ADDS PERIL

Turns Banked, but 26 Entries Make Event Dangerous — \$100,000 Bond Put Up to Protect County Against Any Damage.

GARDEN CITY, I. L., Oct. 29.—Although the race for the Vanderbilt cup will be started at 9 o'clock in the morning instead of daybreak, the same fantastic scenes, which in former years have made the night before the race so picturesque and weird, were witnessed tonight during the hour preceding the unleashing of the 26 competing cars.

SIXTY-FOUR-YEAR OLD MAID FINALLY GETS A HUSBAND— BUT SHE HAD \$300,000.

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—(Special.)—The frequent attempts to get a husband made by Miss Jeannette Suffer, the 64-year-old heiress of New York and New Jersey, culminated in another remarkable wedding Friday, when she was united in marriage to Frank S. Hiseock.

The strange fact in the affair is the fact that her new husband is a brother of the "Hostler Bob" Hiseock, whom she married in Ridgewood, N. J., three weeks ago, only to find out that he already had a wife in New York. Hiseock, bridegroom, gave his age as 25 and his business as an engineer in New York City. Miss Suffer, or rather Mrs. Hiseock, is worth about \$300,000 and claims she can trace her ancestors back to the Crusaders. She is very fond of her favorite team of bay horses, with which she and Hiseock toured New York after their wedding.



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to a man of wide, successful business experience. Such a man they found in Otto T. Barnard.

Robert R. Moore, Democratic candidate for controller, brought suit today for \$100,000 for libel against W. K. Hearst because of an article printed in the morning American, charging that Moore had been used as a "dummy" to obtain large loans for Charles W. Morse.

WHITE SLAVERY DOES EXIST

Jenks Confirms Charge That Traffic Greatest in Metropolis.

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—Jeremiah W. Jenks, professor of political economy and politics at Cornell University, gave out a statement here today, declaring "white slavery" does exist in New York, as charged by a recent anti-Tammany magazine article, but he does not hold any political organization responsible. Professor Jenks, who was a member of the commission appointed by

GRAVE NOT BLAMED

Chicago Sympathizes With Recalled Minister.

LETTER OF CONFIDENCE

Business Men Join in Invitation to Banquet in Honor of Former Associate — Think He Was Unfairly Dealt With.

CHICAGO, Oct. 29.—An invitation, signed by 50 Chicagoans, who stand at the head of the city's commercial, professional and social endeavors, was sent today to Charles R. Crane, whose resignation as Minister Designate to China caused a sensation. Mr. Crane, at present in New York, is asked to be the guest of honor at a dinner to be given at his convenience.

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MARX & BLOCH advertisement: 'ARE HEADQUARTERS FOR WALTHAM WATCHES', '283 MORRISON ST., Near 4th', 'Here we carry a complete stock of all sizes and grades, be it a 23-jewel or 7-jewel; every movement is inspected and correctly timed before leaving our establishment.'

MARX & BLOCH advertisement: 'LARGEST DIAMOND DEALERS IN OREGON', 'MASTER CRAFTSMEN IN PRECIOUS METALS', '283 MORRISON ST.'

Testimony was also given tending to connect with the case William Matthews, who was arrested in Idaho some weeks after the others were apprehended.

GUARDIAN, a tailor of Kansas City, identified Matthews and Grigware, another of the defendants, as having visited his place of business on April 3, at which time he measured Matthews for a suit.

Captain James P. Shaw, Department Commander of the G. A. R. of Oregon, left Portland last night for a lecture tour through the eastern part of the state.

The Tenderfoot Farmer advertisement: 'It was one of these experimental farmers, who put green spectacles on his cow and fed her shavings. His theory was that it didn't matter what the cow ate so long as she was fed. The questions of digestion and nourishment had not entered into his calculations.'