

HUSBAND MURDERS RIVAL, KILLS SELF

Double Tragedy Enacted on
Busy Tacoma Corner, End-
ing Domestic Woe.

WIFE FAINTS OVER BODIES

E. J. Templeton, Washuena, Fires
on Clyde A. White, After Spend-
ing Night Together—Letter Re-
veals Great Love for Mate.

TACOMA, Aug. 4.—Clyde A. White, aged 37, a traveling salesman for a Tacoma grocery house, was shot and killed on the corner of Eleventh and A streets, one of the busiest corners of Tacoma, at 5:30 o'clock this morning by E. J. Templeton, of Washuena, Wash., a former traveling salesman for a Spokane grocery house.

Templeton then sent three bullets through his own breast and dropped dead on the pavement a few feet from the body of his victim.

The murder and suicide are declared by the police to have been the result of an estrangement between Templeton and his wife, whose photograph was found in the pocket of each of the two men, and who, when the murder occurred, was waiting for White at the corner of Ninth and C streets two blocks away, with White's brother, Frank L. White.

The trio had planned a fishing trip for the day and White had a fishing outfit in his pocket when the shooting took place.

Reconciliation Efforts Futile.

Templeton came to Tacoma Saturday in an ineffectual effort to effect a reconciliation with his wife. Meeting White, the two men spent last night at a Turkish bath house together. What passed between them on the street this morning is not known.

In a letter addressed to Mrs. Templeton, which he had written Friday morning in a Seattle hotel, the slayer told of his love and the great sorrow that had come to him by the separation.

The farewell letter, now in the hands of Coroner Shaver, is as follows:

"Dear, Sweet Sadie: Forgive these last lines. To the end I love you, trying so hard to do right, and I did believe in you and did not think you would fail me. Am sure you think you are doing right in leaving me, but God forgive me as I hope he will forgive me. My last thoughts are of you and I hope you will think of me at times and see the good that was in me. We could have been so happy together. (Signed) Temp."

"P. S.—Take care of me, dearie, and in some one of God's arms find me a resting place. To the end I love you. God forgive me and bless and take care of you. Love to all."

Wife Faints at Scene.

A second postscript followed:

"Sadie: One of my policies is in your trunk. The other is with Mr. T. C. Spokane."

Shortly after Coroner Shaver arrived at the scene Mrs. Templeton and Young White pushed into the crowd. Mrs. Templeton forced her way to the center of the crowd and looked over the Coroner's head into the dead faces of her husband and White. At that moment the Coroner was reading the farewell note.

"Oh, it's him—it's him, my God," exclaimed the woman, and fell unconscious on the pavement. When she recovered the police lifted her and led her through the crowd away from the bodies.

TRACKLAYING IS CHECKED

Oregon Electric Forced to Resort to
Slow Method for Time.

HARRISBURG, Or., Aug. 4.—(Special.)—The rapid progress of the Oregon Electric south from this place has been stopped because the steam-laying machine could not be used through the south part of the city, and the steel has been laid by the old-fashioned pusher method.

This has been caused by the narrow streets and the failure of the grading crew to remove the dirt excavated far enough from the track. Saturday night more than one-fourth mile of steel was laid, while ordinarily two miles is put down.

Today the men have been given a much needed rest after laying a half mile of sidings here, the work will be pushed forward rapidly to the bridge across the Willamette, as the track-laying machine can again be put into service.

BENSON MAY MAKE RACE

Friends of Klamath Judge Urge Him
to Be Candidate for Governor.

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., Aug. 4.—(Special.)—Circuit Judge H. L. Benson is being put forward by his friends as a candidate for Governor. The judge has not declared himself yet. He has four years more on the bench before his present term is completed.

Henry L. Benson came to Oregon from California, his native state, in 1888. In 1896 he was a member of the State Legislature and in 1898 he was elected Circuit Judge for this district, which then covered four counties. He served as Circuit Judge in the old district and in the new, which consists of Klamath and Lake counties, from that time until 1908, when he resigned to practice law in Klamath Falls. He was nominated again and elected Judge in 1910.

HILLMAN TO SEEK PAROLE

Millionaire Hopes to Leave McNeil's
by February Next.

TACOMA, Wash., Aug. 4.—(Special.)—Clarence D. Hillman, millionaire realty promoter of Seattle, now serving a 30 months' sentence in McNeil Island Federal prison, is preparing to apply for a parole. Hillman began his sentence in April and by February will have served ten months, one-third of his term, which makes him eligible to parole.

It is regarded as probable that the parole board will grant his petition, as Hillman has been a model prisoner every minute he has been at McNeil's and is popular with both guards and convicts alike and manifests constant good humor.

WOMAN CANDIDATE FILES

Member of Seattle's Fair Sex Would
Be Land Commissioner.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Aug. 4.—(Special.)—Leola May Blinn, of 1832 Twen-

ty-fourth avenue, Seattle, filed her declaration of candidacy for the office of State Land Commissioner with Secretary of State I. M. Howell today. She is the second woman to become a candidate for that office, and with the four men already filed it means that there will be six contestants for the office.

Out of 88 candidates who have filed their declarations she is the third woman to file. The feeling is general that the women are going to poll a heavy second choice vote as a mere matter of courtesy, and it is believed that the large number of men candidates for the office of Land Commissioner a woman has a fairly good opportunity to receive the nomination if she is in the field. There is considerable speculation as to the result of there being two women candidates for State Land Commissioner.

Secretary of State I. M. Howell today filed his declaration of candidacy to succeed himself in the position he now holds. Two other candidates have filed their declarations already for the same office.

Other filings today were: Chester F. Miller, of Dayton, for Superior Judge of Columbia, Garfield and Asotin Counties, and A. R. Coleman, of Port Townsend, for Superior Judge of Jefferson, Clallam and Island Counties.

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CLARK COUNTY PREPARING
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Reservations for Space Have Necessi-
tated New Buildings for
Housing Stock.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Aug. 4.—(Special.)—A small army of men is busy making preparations for the third annual Harvest Show to be held by the Clark County Fair Association at its grounds in this city, September 9 to 15, when about \$5000 in prizes and premiums will be given away.

Throughout the counties of Clark, Skamania and Cowlitz, which are holding this tri-county fair, reports come that the crops are exceptionally good, except prunes, and that there will be unusually fine exhibits in all lines of fruit and agriculture.

In Clark County 20 school children have planted gardens and will enter their products in the school contest, for which liberal prizes will be offered. Next year each school in the county will have an exhibit, besides the individual exhibits of the pupils.

Generous prizes have been offered for the best grape exhibits, and already many calls have been made upon G. P. Larsen, fair manager, for reservations. The space in the large pavilion this year is being increased by the building of a platform 30 feet wide and 100 feet long, nine feet from the floor.

On this the women's department, art, paintings and school exhibits will be displayed.

So great will be the livestock exhibits that the association has found it necessary to supply additional accommodations for exhibitors and cattle. The new buildings are between the main pavilion and the grandstand.

TWO HURT AT KLAMATH

Boy Crushed on Steamer at Picnic
and Millhand by Fall.

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., Aug. 4.—(Special.)—Two accidents, either of which might easily have been fatal, are reported here. The Methodist Sunday school chartered the steamboat Vincennes for an excursion to Upper Lake points. A large number of people went, including many children. Edwin Cain, son of a merchant here, in some way fell or was thrown under one of the big beams of the steamer and two of his toes were crushed.

The other accident occurred at the lumber mill of the Big Basin Lumber Company in West Klamath Falls. The ratchet-setter, L. W. Johnson, in placing a log, fell on the carriage, which was moving rapidly toward the big circular saw. While somewhat hurt by his fall, he had time to throw himself from the carriage and was saved from a horrible death.

CANDIDATES ARE NAMED

Prohibitionists Have Placed Ticket
in Field in Coos County.

MARSHFIELD, Or., Aug. 4.—(Special.)—The Prohibitionists of Coos County will have a ticket in the field this year. A convention has been held in this city and several candidates named.

Rev. G. Leroy Hall was nominated for State Representative. He is the Baptist minister who is to have charge of the college here, which will be operated on Coos Bay by the Baptist Publication Society.

For Joint Representative from Coos and Curry counties, E. P. Johnson, a Councilman of Marshfield, was nominated. C. C. Carter, of Myrtle Point, was placed on the ticket for Sheriff.

The Prohibition candidates for Congress and United States Senator will soon make a visit to Coos County to hold campaign meetings.

STRANGER RETURNS PURSE

Pocketbook Stolen From Albany
Woman, Returned by Man.

ALBANY, Or., Aug. 4.—(Special.)—Mrs. Gertrude Fry, residing at Walnut and Cottage streets, in this city, recovered a stolen purse in a remarkable manner yesterday.

When Mrs. Fry returned home Friday night she discovered that her purse, containing her watch and chain and several rings, had been stolen. She notified the police, but no trace of the robber was secured. Yesterday afternoon, when she was going to work in the home restaurant, she was approached by a man who asked her if she knew Mrs. Gertrude Fry. She told the stranger that that was her name, and he handed her the missing purse. He said he had secured it from a little boy and had ascertained the name of the owner from a card in the purse. Mrs. Fry had never seen the man before. He hurried away before she could question him.

Runaway Car Kills Man.

CHEHALIS, Wash., Aug. 4.—Joe Gavia, a Portuguese, was killed last evening in the logging camp of the Chehalis Shingle & Lumber Company, four miles southeast of here. Gavia had overloaded a logging car and started it down grade without setting the brakes, at the same time riding the car, which went through a trestle at the foot of a hill. Gavia was single and 26 years old. A coroner's jury exonerated the company from blame for the accident.

Land Board Balks on Purchase.

SALEM, Or., Aug. 4.—(Special.)—Although, through condemnation proceedings, the state secured the right to purchase a tract of land from the Savage heirs adjoining the state penitentiary, for \$2000, it is probable that the Land Board will balk and not pay the price, which would make an average of \$500 an acre. Secretary Olcott is opposed to the purchase on the ground that the price is excessive.

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ALBANY, Or., Aug. 4.—(Special.)—The mystery surrounding the anonymous threatening letter received by Chief of Police Daughtry yesterday, purporting to come from some one who is determined to stamp out liquor selling in Albany, was complicated today when it became known that three local men, whom rumor charges with conducting "blind pigs," received threatening letters at the same time.

The letter received by one of these men reads as follows: "This is the last warning. Clean up, lock up, or stay off the streets. Death." The other two letters are reported to be of similar wording.

All three of these letters were written on the same kind of paper and mailed in exactly the same kind of envelope as that received by Chief Daughtry. All were written with a pencil, all of the characters being printed, and all four were signed "Us."

All of the letters were dropped in the Albany postoffice at noon yesterday, the postoffice stamp on the envelopes showing that all were mailed at the same time.

Chief Is Alarmed.

Chief of Police Daughtry said today that he was puzzled by the letters. When he received his letter yesterday he was not inclined to take the matter seriously, but when it came to his knowledge today that the same person had sent three other threatening letters he has begun to believe that the matter is not a joke. He takes the view that a person who would go to the trouble to print out laboriously four letters of this kind is at least trying to stop liquor selling by a bluff and if that fails that he might possibly take other means.

Little attention would be paid to the letters except for the fact that two buildings containing alleged "blind pigs" were destroyed by incendiary fires last week. The officers think that that fact makes these letters worthy of consideration. Others believe, however, that from all the circumstances these two fires were not caused by the same parties and if that is the case these letters may be merely the work of some jokester who is seeking an opportunity to inject them into a situation ready for sensational developments.

Business Man Takes Note.

One business man has thought seriously enough of the situation, however, to remove his team from a barn, where, it is asserted, liquor is sometimes sold. This man remarked that if someone has started in to burn up the "blind pigs" this barn might be destroyed, and he didn't want to "take chances on losing his team."

The situation is arousing considerable interest here and speculation is rife among local officers and citizens, as well as to the purpose or motive of the threatening letters. Among the many reports that are being circulated regarding the situation is a rumor that some of the men who have been convicted of violating the local option liquor law in the past and have paid fines or served jail sentences for the offense have been heard to make threats against certain areas. "Blind pigs," who, they charge, had "thrown them down."

BUTTER FAT SALES LARGE

Tillamook Cheese Factories Pay Out
\$74,000 in June.

TILLAMOOK, Or., Aug. 4.—(Special.)—The average price paid for June butter fat at the factories for which Carl Haberlach acts as secretary-salesman was 37.6 cents. There are 12 factories included in this average. They compose the Tillamook County Creamery Association and approximately eight-fifths of the milk produced in this county is handled by them. The highest price paid for the June butter fat was 39.7 cents and the lowest was 35 cents.

There is a wide difference in butter fat prices, owing largely to the difference in the test and yield. The highest average butter fat was at Long Prairie Creamery, 41 per cent. The highest price per 100 pounds was paid at Fairview, \$14.68-10, with Long Prairie second, \$14.59-10. The sales for May showed \$11,711, and for June more than \$74,000.

All of the cheese manufactured by the factories in the association is tested by Fred Christenson, who is hired as cheese inspector by the association. It is the united efforts of the members of this organization that has made Tillamook cheese what it is today.

THREE CHILDREN STRICKEN

Infantile Paralysis Reported From
Whitman County.

COLFAX, Wash., Aug. 4.—County Health Officer Skaffe has reported three cases of infantile paralysis in one family to the State Board of Health, and State Health Officer Kelley, of Seattle, is expected to take action.

The family resides six miles south of Hay station in western Whitman County, being the L. N. Wade family. Pauline, aged five, died after one day's illness; a boy, aged eight, is very low, and a girl of 11 was taking the disease Saturday.

Winlock Wants New Schoolhouse.

CENTRALIA, Wash., Aug. 4.—(Special.)—The school directors of District No. 202 have called an election for August 12 to decide whether or not a new schoolhouse will be erected at Winlock. Since the Winlock district was consolidated the school is not adequate to accommodate the pupils properly.

Centralia Wants Special Election.

CENTRALIA, Wash., Aug. 4.—(Special.)—Special services were held in the Centralia churches today for the discussion of the local option question. A petition is being circulated to call an election.

Centralia Registration Low.

CENTRALIA, Wash., Aug. 4.—(Special.)—The total registration in Centralia to date for the primary election to be held September 10, is 1016. The registration last year was over 400.

TALES of the TURKISH TROPHIES

TALE II—THE ROYAL TREASURER'S DILEMMA

"THE cash drawer is clean and the people will not stand for further taxes," reported the Royal Treasurer, in a quavering voice. "Which report tells me that you are a lineal descendant of Bonehead I," retorted the Kink.

"Why don't you jump the tariff on Turkish Trophies? Nobody will object, even if they cost twice the money."

"A wise solution, your Majesty," answered the Treasurer. "Turkish Trophies will save us."

TURKISH TROPHIES CIGARETTES

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