

JAIL VERN OF A DOG

Hungry, He Steals Food at The Dalles, and Is Caught.

MURDERER IS HIS TUTOR

With Bible as Textbook Jack Cook Starts His Education—Jailer Finds Place for Him Where He Can Earn a Living.

THE DALLES, Or., May 27.—(Special.)—On Wednesday next there will be released from the County Jail here a youth whose career is not unlike that of Jean Valjean. Jean Valjean stole a loaf of bread and was hounded by the police of Paris. Jack Cook stole, not alone a loaf of bread, but a couple of jars of fruit and some potatoes, and was actually caught in the act of cooking the vegetables when arrested. Jean Valjean stole because he was hungry. Jack Cook, ignorant, uneducated and an orphan at 11 years, stole because he was hungry.

Jean Valjean was prosecuted for stealing a loaf of bread. He was thrown into jail, but escaped. Jack Cook, 18 years old, untutored and bereft of his family at a time when boys most need the guiding hand of a fond mother, the crowning of her cradle-song and her prayers, and was convicted for stealing something to still the gnawing at his vitals, and has just completed a sentence of three months and 11 days in the Wasco County Jail.

The Dalles is a little place now. Once there was a time when this town bade fair to be the greatest town in Oregon. This was before the days of railroads, when dozens of bullock trains thronged the streets, when it was the distributing point for Eastern Oregon. Since the advent of the railroads it has deteriorated until there are many unpopulated buildings here. In spite of this retrograde movement, the law is upheld and a crime is a crime, whether committed by a hungry or out of sheer viciousness.

The Dalles and its administration of justice, like the cosmopolitan cities of Chicago, New York and Boston, or even Portland, have a way of administering a law to the rich and the poor. Jack Cook was poor. This seems to have been his principal crime, and from all accounts, justice was meted out to him on this scale.

Worked and Is Not Paid.

This boy, with no indications of mischief, worked his way from Spokane, Wash., to this place by helping shovel wood and coal into a firebox of an engine. He landed here without a cent in his pocket. He was a sturdy youth, given with a stomach that called for food. He was willing to work, and not choose to be the kind he did. Like the animal, the man may be judged more by mental analysis than by mental must be fed.

Willing. That was his dominant trait. He was so willing to earn his food and drink that he did anything that was offered to him. He was employed by a thing that were trawlers. This man was a vulpine thing, the kind that prey upon the sophisticated. He preyed upon the gullibility of Jack Cook, ignorant and only 18. This human cheat employed the boy and agreed to pay him the munificent sum of 75 cents a day, an agreement that he knew he never intended to keep.

The boy worked for him all day, washed dishes, cleaned windows and washed the floors. The boy was growing hungry, and this man not only failed to pay him the paltry 75 cents due, but failed to feed him. That night, after his work was through, the curse of hunger gnawed at his stomach. Philosophizing in his ignorant way, he fancied that the world owed him a living. It was his right, he thought, if he could not get it honestly, if he could not get it that way, he made up his mind to get it by other means. This Jack Cook crooked ways. He broke into a store and stole things that would satisfy his hunger, but he was satisfied in his own ignorant way.

Caught by His Camper.

That was all he took. The man who owned the place that had been rifled started a hue and cry, and the Marshal began hunting for the man who stole something to eat and nothing else. He found Jack Cook, bending over a bit of a fire on the river bank. He had eaten his fill and submitted to arrest, as any other well-filled-bellied animal would, to capture.

Murderer Turns Tutor.

Norman Williams, who seems to be destined to round out his life on the scaffold, was an inmate of the jail when Jack Cook arrived. Williams had reached the stage in his career when he must give himself up to meditation. Williams, although condemned to die, found time to teach this boy to read and to write. The Bible is Williams' beacon light in his fading career. The Bible was Jack Cook's primer, and halting and stumbling over this great book of hope and promise, Jack Cook was taught his first lesson in reading. Jack is a slow-thinking youth. He is a German, in addition to Norman Williams' Bible, a New Testament was added. This is the property of Jack Cook. Much of this book is a mystery to him, yet he reads on, hoping, as he

says, some day to master its entire contents.

This was the part that Norman Williams played in Jack Cook's life. The part that Jailer Fitzgerald has played is most important. After Jack Cook had been thoroughly tested as a trusty, Jailer Fitzgerald, like the practical man he is, began casting about for a home for this boy. He found an honest farmer, one unafraid, Jack Cook, who he bids good-bye to the Wasco County Jail on Wednesday, will go to this man's farm. He will be paid \$30 a month, not in promises, but in money, and will be sheltered under a roof that, while they know that he has once fallen, will treat him, not as a criminal that has reformed, but as a boy striving to be a man among men.

WILLAMETTE COMMENCEMENT

Exercises Begin May 29 and End June 15.

WILLAMETTE UNIVERSITY, Salem, Or., May 27.—(Special.)—The following programme has been arranged for Willamette commencement week:

May 29, 8 P. M.—Graduates' recital, college of oratory.

June 2, 8 P. M.—Dramatic recital, college of oratory; Grand Opera House.

June 5, 8 P. M.—Undergraduates' recital, college of music; First Methodist Church.

June 8, 3 P. M.—Graduating exercises, college of oratory; First Methodist Church.

June 8, 8 P. M.—Dramatic reading, Henry Lawrence Southworth, dean Emerson College of Oratory; First Methodist Church.

June 10, 2 P. M.—Intercollegiate track and field meet.

June 10, 8 P. M.—Willamette University, Oregon Agricultural College, Pacific University; State Fair grounds.

June 12, 8 P. M.—Public programme, literary societies; chapel.

June 12, 10:30 A. M.—Baccalaureate sermon, the Rev. Bishop David H. Moore, D. D.; First Methodist Church.

June 12, 8 P. M.—Address to Christian Associations, the Rev. H. D. Kimball, D. D., pastor Vincent M. E. Church, Spokane, Wash.; First Methodist Church.

June 12, 8 P. M.—Examinations, graduating exercises, college of music; First Methodist Church.

June 13, 8 P. M.—Examinations, annual meeting of Board of Trustees, 8 P. M.—Graduating exercises, normal school and preparatory department address, the Rev. T. B. Ford, D. D., pastor M. E. Church, Sunnyside, Portland, Or.

June 13, 2 P. M.—Art exhibition, art studio.

June 13, 8 P. M.—Business meeting of alumni; society halls.

June 13, 8 P. M.—Reunion of alumni; chapel.

June 15, 10 A. M.—Class day; campus.

June 15, 8 P. M.—Commencement; address, Hon. C. E. Wolverton, D. C., Chief Justice Supreme Court of Oregon; First Methodist Church.

BRIDE IS BURNED TO DEATH

CLOTHING CATCHES FIRE FROM LAMP AS SHE DOZES.

Husband of Beautiful Italian Roused by Screams, Finds His Wife Writhing in Agony.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 27.—(Special.)—Mrs. Jennie Caldagarie, a young and beautiful Italian woman, died at noon today from the effects of an awful burning last night. She was found in her home at 427 Union street, lying in a terrible suffering for 12 hours.

Mrs. Caldagarie was a bride of a few weeks. Her husband had retired early last night, but she remained up to read a newspaper. As she explained before death ended her agony, she fell asleep on the table beside which she sat. The flame of the lamp caught the paper and was communicated to the woman's clothing. She was wrapped in fire when she awoke.

Caldagarie, aroused by his wife's screams, rushed into the parlor of their little home. He found Mrs. Caldagarie writhing on the floor, her clothing practically burned from her body. As best he could he tried to alleviate her suffering and hastily summoned medical aid, but the young bride had been roasted and charred.

Mrs. Caldagarie retained consciousness until shortly before her death. She was able to explain how the accident happened. Her husband is half crazed with grief.

The young woman was known as one of the most beautiful in the Italian quarter. She was very popular and her marriage to Caldagarie was a social event of importance among her people.

FOR GOOD ROADS ASSOCIATION

Convention Will Be Held at Weiser June 8.

WEISER, Idaho, May 27.—(Special.)—Wellington F. Locks, organizer of the National Good Roads Association, met here today with the Weiser Commercial Club and arranged for the organization of a good roads association in this county. Arrangements were made for a good roads convention to be held in this city June 8, under the auspices of the Commercial Club. A special train will arrive that day bearing Colonel W. H. Moore, president of the National Good Roads Association; Hon. Martin Dodge, director; Hon. William Bradburn, consulting engineer; Hon. T. P. Rixey, lecturer of the Good Roads Association, and a number of others of note who will make addresses on good roads.

Railroads have granted special rates to those attending. A special train containing men and machinery will arrive during the summer and will build a mile of road as a demonstration of their method of road building. The National Good Roads Convention meets at Portland June 23, 24, and 25, and the special train conveying the party will go from Weiser to that place.

Four cities in Idaho have been chosen as places of organization for the Weiser, Boise, Pocatello and Idaho Falls. The people of this section are enthusiastic over the meeting and a big crowd will be here on the day of the convention.

Urged to Visit Sound City.

SEATTLE, Wash., May 27.—(Special.)—In a telegram to Senator Piles, President Charles Warren Fairbanks said today that he would reach Seattle on the night of May 30, and leave two hours later for Portland, Seattle and Tacoma. He said that he would spend the night at each of the two cities before he leaves the Exposition.

HAS A RUBBER NOSE

Young Girl Also Given an Artificial Palate.

GREAT FEAT OF SURGERY

Nasal Catarrh Had Eaten Away the Face Until Speech Was Gone and the Patient Reduced to a Mere Skeleton.

SEATTLE, Wash., May 27.—(Special.)—A rare victory in modern surgery has just been achieved by Dr. Lee Baker, of Seattle, who performed an operation on a young girl of Friday Harbor, in which she was supplied with a nose, a palate and a set of teeth, all of which were artificial in their entirety.

The girl was 14 years old when Dr. Baker's attention was attracted to her. She had been afflicted with nasal catarrh in one of its most destructive phases. Her nose and palate had been eaten away. Not only was the flesh gone, but the bone had been destroyed and all but three of her teeth were gone. Her health was very poor on account of the effects of the malady and she was reduced to the minimum in weight.

Dr. Baker took the young woman under his care for a month and built her a nose of vulcanized rubber. It is held in place by springs inserted in the nasal cavity. The palate is put in according to well known surgical methods. Since the operation the girl's health has improved and her speech, which was almost totally destroyed, has returned and she now laughs and sings as normal folks.

WEST SELLS HIS INTEREST.

San Franciscans in Control of Big Mill at Aberdeen.

ABERDEEN, Wash., May 27.—(Special.)—S. R. Slade and T. F. Moulton, of San Francisco, came to Aberdeen last night and negotiations which have been under way for a month for the sale and transfer of A. J. West's interests in the West of Slade Company on Gray's Harbor and in San Francisco were completed. Mr. Slade, who is at the Washington Hotel, said that he did not care to say anything about the deal and had made no arrangements as to the business, having been in the city only a few hours.

The consideration in the deal is not set out, but it is understood to be close to the \$150,000 mark that Mr. West will receive for his mill interests alone. The decision of either party to sell was reached a month ago, but negotiations were not concluded until midnight last night when Mr. West and Mr. Slade were in conference.

Mr. West's future plans are not divulged, it is reported he will build a mill either on Whips Harbor or on Gray's Harbor. He has been looking at sites at South Bend and up the Wishkah River. As his interests are altogether in Aberdeen it may be that a new mill here will grow out of his withdrawal from the West-Slade Mill Company. Mr. West is the pioneer millman on Gray's Harbor, and erected the first mill in Aberdeen.

The West & Slade Company owns a half dozen sail vessels, but these are not figured in the deal, it is understood. The sale is one of the most important in good condition for some time.

HARD STUDY BLINDS HER EYES

Terrible Fate of Ambitious High School Girl.

HEALDSBURG, Cal., May 27.—(Special.)—While studying last night Miss Madeline, a popular high school student of Healdsburg, was suddenly stricken blind. Miss Shire is only 17 years of age and very pretty. She has long been regarded as a brilliant scholar. Last night, as she was studying, she was preparing her lessons by lamp light. Suddenly she called to her mother that the light had gone out and that the room was in darkness.

Her mother entered the room and seeing the lamp burning brightly thought the girl was jesting. When her daughter again declared that the room was in darkness, Mrs. Shire furnished that something was wrong and summoned medical aid. The doctors fear the girl will never see again.

BONES BELOW LAKE FLOW

FIND OF PREHISTORIC REMAINS ON SNAKE RIVER.

Government Engineers Uncover a Specimen That Cannot Be Classified at Washington.

BOISE, Idaho, May 27.—A remarkable find of remains of prehistoric animals has been made where the Government is building a dam in this city, near the Snake River, for reclamation purposes. In excavating a diversion channel, the engineers have cut through 12 feet of lava. Below this is a bed of sand from six to eight feet thick and below that are other lava flows. The bones are in the sand. In a space 25 feet square four species were met with.

The skull of a horned animal was found, the horns spreading six feet from tip to tip. While being removed the skull crumbled, but the horns are perfect. They resemble those of the musk ox. A tusk like that of an elephant has been taken out that is 26 inches long.

Another find is a lower jaw resembling the jaw of a horse. It is perfectly preserved and is about the size of the jaw of a fully-developed horse.



RUSH AT THE CLOSE

Resolutions Pour In on the State Grange.

Referendum for Weapon

Speculation Has Already Been Started as to Whom Will Be Elected at Next Year's Meeting at Albany.

FOREST GROVE, Or., May 27.—(Special.)—The closing hours of the Oregon State Grange were marked by a rush of resolutions and recommendations pertaining to the good of the order. The resolutions were of various kinds, some of the most important being those relating to the referendum for a weapon.

The political and economic aspects of the Grange were not overlooked at this session. The Grange now has a strong offensive weapon in the initiative and referendum and has authorized four measures for the voters of Oregon at the general election in June, 1906.

The most important measure to be presented at that time will be a bill drawn up by Judge R. P. Boes, providing for a tax on earnings of corporations. The bill is very comprehensive and provides for a tax of 1 per cent on all gross earnings of corporations, and telephone companies, together with penalties for a failure to comply with its provisions.

The present laws affecting taxes on farmhands will also be the subject of the initiative. A bill will be drafted by the executive committee of the State Grange and will be submitted to the people of the state at the next general election.

A third measure to be brought before the people at the same time will empower the Governor to exercise his veto power in a more efficient manner. A blanket appropriation bill. This will have in come in the form of an amendment to the state constitution. The executive committee will have the amendment prepared.

The fourth measure which the Grange will seek to mould into a law will be an act to levy a tax of 1 per cent on all gross earnings of corporations, and telephone companies doing business in Oregon.

The same measure also provides for a clause or separate law making it a misdemeanor to issue or receive railroad tickets in exchange for money or other valuable consideration. These provisions may be divided into separate bills. The whole matter rests in the judgment of the executive committee.

State Printing by Contract.

A measure touching upon a tender spot in Oregon's political affairs was considered at the bill to initiate into oblivion the office of State printer and to provide that all state printing be let out by contract. It was not adopted, but will become a burning issue at the next annual session as it was not deemed expedient to place too many measures before the people at one time.

The committee on legislation favored, as a Governmental policy, that the Pannam Railroad be operated by the Government as a common highway and that the rates of traffic be fixed at a sum not greater than the cost of efficient service. Their recommendations were approved.

Increase of the Granges.

Next year, at Albany, new officers will be elected by the State Grange. An effort will be made to increase the number of Granges, as more Granges mean more delegates. Who the next state officers will be is already being agitated, as there are many good persons who would like the honor. State Master Leedy will then have served three terms, and State Secretary Mrs. Howard will round out four terms.

There are now 53 Granges in the state, and a few in Idaho which belong to the Oregon jurisdiction, as Washington once did. During the coming year the executive committee will make organizers into Idaho, with the object in view of creating a separate jurisdiction, so as to give that state a representation in the National Grange.

There is much competition among the country towns for the honor of receiving the State Grange during its annual convention. As they can only be accommodated once about ten years, their people are always ready to welcome the delegates and visitors in the most royal manner, and the sessions do much good for the social way, as well as doing work for the advancement of the order.

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Going to House-keeping

The "June Bride" was certainly in evidence last year and we are expecting "history to repeat itself."

Are you one of the lucky fellows? If you've got the girl and she's willing, your troubles are over, for we have the clothes for the occasion. You'll find the fit, material and workmanship perfect, and the price is just right.

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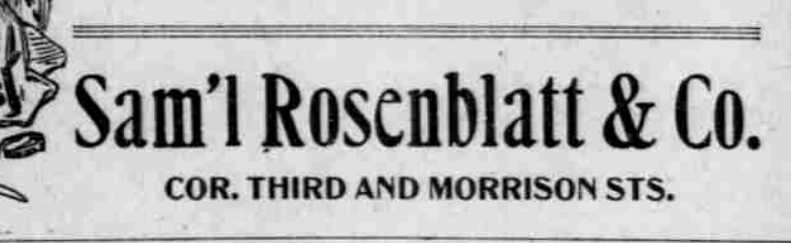
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Halfbreed Divorcee Held on Bail.

NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., May 27.—(Special.)—Justice Taggard today held Mrs. Josephine Lillie in \$2000 bail for trial in the Superior Court on the charge of attempting to take the life of Alena Lillie, the wife of her divorced husband. Mrs. Lillie alleges that while engaged in removing some fence posts from her own property, Nevada Lillie, her former husband, attacked her with an ax and she shot in self defense. One of the bullets passed through the skirt of Mrs. Alena Lillie. Mrs. Lillie, the defendant, is the owner of the Topper town and is estimated to be worth \$5,000. She is a halfbreed Indian.

Nearly 2000 at Hood River.

HOOD RIVER, Or., May 27.—(Special.)—M. P. Isenberg, working as a deputy for Assessor Stogdill, has practically completed the census of the city of Hood River, and finds a trifle over 1500 people within the corporate limits of the town. A portion of one addition not wholly within the corporate limits would add over 100 to the population of Hood River. In 1900 Hood River had a population of 621, showing a gain in five years of over 200 per cent.

Requisition on New York.

SALEM, Or., May 27.—(Special.)—Governor Chamberlain today issued a requisition upon the Governor of New York for the extradition of George B. Randolph, who is wanted in connection with a charge of passing a worthless check upon Ben Selling.

MRS. EDDY'S TOWN HOUSE

Buys in Swell Boston District, but Remains at Concord.

BOSTON, Mass., May 27.—(Special.)—Mrs. Mary Baker Eddy, of Concord, N. H., today took title to valuable property in Boston, a new town house with a view of the city. It is between Massachusetts avenue and Charles East in the most exclusive part of Boston and comprises a four-story, octagon front, brick dwelling, standing on 220 feet of land. The tax value is \$32,000. Rumors today that Mrs. Eddy will come to Boston to reside were denied at the headquarters of the Christian Science Church.

Mayor for Four Years.

ALBANY, N. Y., May 27.—Governor Higgins today signed the bill restoring the four-year term of the Mayor, Controller and borough presidents of New York City. The order does not affect the present administration.

ACROSS COUNTRY.

The signs of the times point to an enormous increase of intelligent public interest in health; to a new campaign with purer, stronger blood and therefore more active, braver brains and body. No physical or mental health, no robust healthy person ever succumbed to grip, consumption, or any other germ disease. But with a weakened system, a stagnation of the blood, a torpid liver means a stage in a fatal condition for the growth of bacteria—the germs of disease—because our stomach is disordered or our liver is torpid—in either case the result is a new germ disease. Get the proper nourishment. A torpid liver means a stagnation of the blood and an accumulation of poisons which furnishes a weak spot for bacteria to enter.

To enrich the blood and increase the red blood corpuscles, Dr. Pierce's young man found a vegetable compound, which he called Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, that would quickly cure the bad symptoms by increasing the red blood corpuscles and thereby feeding the nerves on rich blood. This "Medical Discovery" also acts upon the digestion and assimilation of food, so that the blood gets its proper elements from the products of digestion. Feed the lungs, stomach and heart on rich red blood and you have a healthy body which will throw off the germs of disease which lurk everywhere. Get as much strength as you can. A medicine made entirely from botanical extracts and which does not contain alcohol is the safest. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery contains neither alcohol nor narcotics.