

SHOOTING UNCLE OF GIRL HE LOVES

Angry Student Wounds Judge Emory.

VICTIM IS EXPECTED TO DIE

Assailant Seizes Children and Carries to Nursery.

MOB CRIES FOR VENGEANCE

Surrounds House at Seattle, Where Young Chester Thompson Barred Himself and Defies Arrest—Father Is Prominent.

SEATTLE, Wash., July 7.—(Special.)—Chester Thompson, the 13-year-old son of Will H. Thompson, lawyer, poet and orator, shot and seriously wounded Superior Judge G. Meade Emory tonight because he imagined the latter was trying to prevent him from meeting Miss Charlotte Whittlesey, Judge Emory's niece, and daughter of a former King County Treasurer, with whom young Thompson has been infatuated for two years.

"You cannot, she's not here," said Judge Emory, and he put out a hand to restrain young Thompson as he attempted to dart into the house. "I know where to find her," snarled Thompson, as he swung about, revolver in hand. Three times he fired at Judge Emory, one bullet striking the left lung within three inches of the heart, a second striking the abdomen above his hip, and the third missing him entirely.

Baricaded in Bedroom. Young Thompson sprang up the stairs toward the nursery, grabbed Clara Emory, aged 3, and Tom Emory, aged 4, away from their toys and hurried them into a bedroom. A bed was hurriedly turned against the door, and then, from behind the baricade, young Thompson defied anyone to take him.

For an hour and a half, while the police gathered and an angry crowd gathered around for his blood, young Thompson remained baricaded in the room, threatening to shoot any one who interfered with him. In the meantime his father had been summoned, and after a long wait he arrived.

Will H. Thompson, a veteran of the Confederacy and a man grown old in the practice of the law, leaped from a carriage and ran up the stairs without speaking to any one. He knocked at the bedroom door and called: "Chester, do you know your father? I am here and everything is all right. Come out and give yourself up to the police. I am here to protect you."

There was no immediate response, and Mr. Thompson called again to his son. The latter replied that he was taking the shells out of his gun, and a moment later stepped out of the room and walked up to his father. Mr. Thompson seized his boy's hand, held it a moment, and then, turning to Captain of Police Ward, said: "Take him."

The police formally arrested the boy, then made a hurried search of the room, finding that after he had shot at Judge Emory young Thompson had reloaded his gun and prepared for a fight.

Children Fall Asleep. In the meantime the two children with him had snuggled up in a corner and fallen asleep. The police dragged young Thompson down a back stairway and into an automobile, then hurried him to the Police Station. He is held there pending the outcome of Judge Emory's wounds.

An uncle of Judge Emory's assailant was Maurice Thompson, the famous historical novelist and author, and was an officer in the National Guard and another is a young newspaper man.

Years ago, while the couple were in the High School, young Thompson fell in love with Miss Whittlesey, but his violent passion finally led to his exclusion from the Whittlesey home. Recently, Miss Whittlesey returned from a boarding-school, and Thompson attempted to renew his suit, but was blocked by parents and relatives.

Young Thompson's mother is said to have suffered from mental disturbances.

GREEKS LOOK FOR TROUBLE

Revolutionists in Macedonia Annoy the Sick Man of Europe.

LONDON, July 8.—Since the rupture of the relations of Greece and Roumania the activity of Greek revolutionists in Macedonia has increased and the authorities have their hands full in suppressing them.

at Constantinople who stated distinctly that he did not speak for the favor of the Ministry, but simply gave his private views, and that the present position is not ended soon the Ottoman government will be compelled to resort to drastic military measures.

Scrap Heap for House of Lords. LONDON, July 7.—David Lloyd George, president of the Board of Trade, speaking at Shrewley Spa, Durham, tonight, and referring to what he called "worn-out parliamentary machinery," declared that the House of Lords ought to be placed on the scrap heap. He said further that the beneficent measures ever conceived will have been passed by the time Parliament is prorogued, and that this probably would occur in December.

Relic of Zeigler Expedition. ST. PETERSBURG, July 7.—Fishesmen near the Lapland coast found off Cape Teriberka, June 22, a cork boat which belonged to the Zeigler Arctic expedition, and was thrown overboard by members of the expedition, June 28, 1902, in longitude 26.40 east and latitude 89.21 north.

King to Give Up Horseracing. LONDON, July 8.—(Special.)—According to a local newspaper, King Edward has decided to give up horseracing, and his example will be followed by the Prince of Wales. This is true, and will be a blow to horse breeding and racing in the United Kingdom.

FROM CASH TO THEOSOPHY

RUMOR THAT LYMAN J. GAGE HAS RESIGNED.

Ex-Secretary of the Treasury Buys Residence Site at Point Loma, Cal.

CHICAGO, July 8.—(Special.)—A local paper this morning will state that Lyman J. Gage, ex-Secretary of the Treasury, financier, until recently president of one of the largest of New York's trust companies, will forfeit a salary of \$20,000 a year to purchase a site on a rock promontory adjoining the Tingley mansion. It is also stated that Gage might devote his life and fortune to the spread of theosophy. His grandchildren and children, it is said, will attend the Rajah Yoga school at the university of theosophy, and an angry crowd gathered around the school for the cult, and his relatives and brother and sister will occupy houses adjoining his.

Depew Goes Abroad.

NEW YORK, July 7.—The Tribune tomorrow will say: "The announcement is made on good authority that Senator Depew, who was absent from his desk at Washington almost the entire winter, suffering from a nervous breakdown, had practically recovered. He is said to have no intention of resigning from the Senate, but to be intending to make a trip to Europe for the summer."

PUTS BULLET IN HEAD

GIRL OF FIFTEEN FALLS FROM SEAT IN WINDOW.

Angered Because Father Objected to Her Going Out With Young Men at Night.

Angered because her father admonished her against going out with young men at night, Maud Cullison, a 15-year-old girl, sat in the window of her parents' lodging at 825 1/2 First street and blew out her brains at 12:30 this morning. The girl fell from the window to the sidewalk, a distance of 20 feet. She was picked up from the sidewalk and taken to Good Samaritan Hospital in the police ambulance. She lived only a few minutes before she died. The bullet pierced the head back of the right ear and came out at the top of the skull. The father of the girl, C. J. Cullison, came to Portland recently, and with his wife is conducting the lodging-house at 325 1/2 First street. Miss Cullison, the father said, had suffered for years with St. Vitus' dance.

HAIL RESCUER AS SAVIOR

Passengers Adrift Eleven Days Carry Captain on Shoulders.

NEW YORK, July 7.—The Italian steamer Dinamare, which towed the disabled and averted, Fabre Line steamer America to Bermuda on July 4, arrived here tonight. According to the crew of the Dinamare, the 116 passengers of the American were greatly alarmed throughout their drift of 11 days at the sea's mercy, and when Captain Penco, of the Dinamare, went aboard the America at Bermuda, the passengers swarmed about him and carried him about the deck. The men, as well as the women, of the steamer hailed him as their savior and it was with difficulty they got ashore.

"We were going along our regular course on June 27," said Captain Penco, "when I saw something off the port bow at 4 P. M. that looked like a sailboat. Through the glass it looked like a fishing schooner, and I was somewhat puzzled at her presence in such an out-of-the-way place. When we got closer I saw it was a steamer in distress with signals set for assistance. We bore down at a safe distance and hailed the America. The captain said he was broken down beyond repair."

GROWTH OF CITY IS VERY MARKED

Portland Third in June Building Gains.

PROSPERITY UNPRECEDENTED

With Duluth and Atlanta Percentage Is Over 100.

DECREASE IN BIG CITIES

Returns from Philadelphia, Chicago, New York, Washington and Other Places Show a Loss Compared With a Year Ago.

Table with columns: City, P.C., and values for various cities like Duluth, Omaha, New Orleans, etc.

CHICAGO, July 7.—(Special.)—Portland ranks third in building gains for June, with the phenomenal increase of 106 per cent. Building in 23 cities for June shows in the aggregate only a moderate increase, but in many of the cities taken separately there were heavy gains compared with the corresponding month a year ago.

The most significant feature of the decrease is that they are confined to the larger cities. Philadelphia showing a loss of 23 per cent, Chicago 14, New York 4, Washington 16, St. Paul 23 and Des Moines 1. In Chicago, however, permits were taken out during the month for the construction of 303 buildings, against 71 for the corresponding month a year ago, a marvelous increase in the number of new buildings.

The smaller cities are responsible for some notable increases, which is quite natural when the general prosperity of the country is taken into consideration. For example, there are three cities in which the increases are phenomenal—Duluth, 158 per cent; Atlanta, 137, and Portland, Or., with 106 per cent. It is worth while particularly to note

BRYAN SAYS HE IS WILLING TO RUN

Provided Reform Party Is Still in Control.

WRITES TO EX-SENATOR JONES

Country Needs Application of Jeffersonian Democracy.

DOES NOT ASK NOMINATION

Willing to Sacrifice Freedom of Public Life if His Leadership Holds Out the Best Hopes of Victory.

WASHINGTON, July 7.—Ex-United States Senator James K. Jones, of Arkansas, who was chairman of the Democratic National Committee, when William J. Bryan made his campaign for the Presidency in 1896 and 1898, has received a letter from Mr. Bryan, in which he announces that he will accept the nomination for President for the third time if it is tendered to him. The letter is dated June 18, at Stockholm, and is as follows: "I have been watching political developments and have noted with gratification the vindication of Democratic principles. You have correctly stated my position. As I wrote to Colonel Wetmore, I shall do nothing to secure another nomination, and do not want it unless the conditions seem to demand it. I may add that I enjoy the freedom of private life and feel that I can do some good without holding any office."

"There are, however, certain reforms which I would like very much to see accomplished, and to assist in the accomplishment of these reforms I am willing to become the party candidate again, if, when the time for the nomination arrives, the advocates of reform are in control of the party and think that my candidacy will give the best assurance of victory. If some one else seems more available I shall be even better pleased."

"I need not assure you that I am more interested in seeing our principles triumph than in the personal success of the ticket. The country needs to have Jeffersonian Democracy applied to all the departments of the Government, state and National, and I am content to help make this application."

"W. J. BRYAN."

HIS IDEAS ON IMPERIALISM

Bryan Says He Does Not Approve Seizure and Despotism Control.

LONDON, July 7.—(Special.)—William Jennings Bryan and John Burns, member of Parliament, breakfasted together at the Nebraska's rooms in the Hotel Cecil yesterday. Mr. Bryan left his guest long enough to say: "They tell me that some people in America and England discover the fact in my Independence day speech that I have become an Imperialist. I would say to such people that if they can get pleasure out of this interpretation they should make the best of it before I have a chance to

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MIDDLE WEST IS FOR BRYAN

Representative Towne Returns With Strong Impressions.

WASHINGTON, July 7.—(Special.)—Representative Charles A. Towne passed through the city today from a trip to South Dakota and Illinois, where he gathered some distinct impressions of political conditions in the Middle West. He said: "Among the Democrats in the West only one man is being talked about—Bryan. It is taken for granted that he is to be the Democratic candidate for President, without any consideration, and conceded that the people discussing politics and platform forms. There is absolute harmony among Democrats in the West, the Gold Democrats and the former opponents of that fact being in thorough accord as to Bryan's candidacy."

Indorsed by Louisiana House.

NEW ORLEANS, July 7.—(Special.)—By a vote of 45 to 19 the Louisiana House of Representatives today indorsed William J. Bryan for President, as "embodying all that is pure in public and private life." Opposition to the measure was not due to any unfriendly feeling for Bryan, but to the belief that it was none of the business of the Legislature to express itself on the subject.

BANDIT HALTS STAGES

YOSEMITE TOURISTS ROBBED OF MONEY AND JEWELRY.

At Curve in Road Highwayman, Single-Handed, Makes Clean-Up From Five Convoys.

WAWONA, Cal., July 7.—Five Yosemite Valley stages were held up this afternoon by a lone highwayman, who obtained a considerable amount of money and jewelry from the passengers. The convoys were halted in rapid succession at a curve in the road near Ahwahnee, at the identical spot where a lone bandit, operating a year ago, relieved several wealthy tourists of their valuables.

IDAHO TOWN IS BURNED

FIRE LOSS AT CAMBRIDGE ESTIMATED AT ABOUT \$40,000.

Explosion of Coal Oil in Cook Stove Starts Conflagration—Bucket Brigade's Work.

BOISE, Idaho, July 7.—The town of Cambridge, in Washington County, today suffered a \$40,000 loss from fire. The flames started from the explosion of coal oil used to start a fire in a cookstove by Mrs. Lee Barley. A bucket brigade was started but abandoned and the attention of the citizen volunteers was directed to saving the contents of buildings.

KILLED THE WRONG MAN

When Californian Found Victim, He Is Shot Down.

AUBURN, Cal., July 7.—A sensational shooting took place this morning at Last Chance, a mining town in the mountains, 38 miles from Auburn. From what can be learned of the tragedy here, it appears that Charles Dorka, a saloonkeeper, became jealous of Frank Tilletson, superintendent of the Home Tilletson mine, and started out to kill him. He met William Pollock, and taking him for Tilletson, shot him dead.

SUNDAY LAWS LEFT TO THE PROVINCES

Dominion Bill is Very Much Modified.

SATISFACTORY TO THE FRENCH

Day of Rest Not Enforced by Federal Law.

STREET RAILWAYS EXEMPT

Restrictions on Other Methods of Transportation Remain, but Legislatures Are Given Large Measure of Control.

OTTAWA, Ont., July 7.—(Special.)—The Lord's day bill passed its third reading in Commons early this morning after an all-night session and vote of 77 to 32. It was a party vote and about 100 members were paired or absent.

The bill at one time threatened to disrupt the Liberal party in Quebec by its vexatious interference with settled customs in that province. It has, however, emerged from the committee stage in the House in such an amended and modified form as to render it fairly satisfactory to the masses of the French people.

Sunday is now declared a day of rest throughout Canada by force of Federal law and its infringement is punishable by criminal process. But an amendment to this clause, and the most important accepted by the government, makes its application subject to any law now in force or that hereafter may be passed by provincial Legislatures acting within the scope of their legislative authority.

This sweeping amendment largely delegates to the provinces the power to make regulations for the observance of Sunday.

Another radical amendment emanating from the operation of the bill all street railways under Dominion charters, clause authorizing Constables to enter any suspected premises without a warrant is deleted.

The exemption proposed for Jews and Adventists was defeated, and upon this question the Cabinet itself was divided. The Premier voting for the exemption. It is said that an attempt will be made to reintroduce the clause when the bill comes up in the Senate.

The restriction placed upon railroads and other transportation facilities remain, but Provincial Legislatures have a large measure of control over those within in the provinces. The movement of grain will not be interfered with between the 15th of September and close of navigation.

The bill has undergone such a transformation as to make it more acceptable to the public generally. The government, however, does not yet appear to be rid of its dilemma, for the measure promises to assume a politico-religious aspect for the future. A clause has therefore been inserted providing that the act shall not come into force until March 1 next. This will give the provinces an opportunity to enact laws and will also afford time for further consideration and amendment if necessary by the federal Parliament in the autumn session.

The bill now goes to the Senate, where it is believed it will be passed through all its stages without serious opposition. It has proved the most contentious piece of legislation during the present session. Parliament prorogues next week.

ANARCHIST IS ARRESTED

Former Seattle Resident Faces Serious Charge in Germany.

SEATTLE, July 7.—The police today received positive evidence that August Rosenberg, the Seattle man who is under arrest at Altona, Prussia, on suspicion of forming a plot against the assassination of the German Emperor, was in league with the late Johann Most, the notorious anarchist.

The police say that Rosenberg presided at a meeting held in Seattle five years ago that was addressed by Most and that he was the loudest in his applause of Most's anarchistic utterances.

The facts have been laid before German Consul Geiseler, who will inform the Imperial Government of the new evidence against Rosenberg.

COSTUMES WERE INFECTED

Wichita High School Girls Taken Down With Scarlet Fever.

WICHITA, Kan., July 7.—(Special.)—As a result of wearing infected costumes in a class play, eight girl members of the Wichita High School are in a serious condition, having a malignant form of scarlet fever. Several other members of the class who took part in the play were stricken with the fever, and attending physicians assert their cases are as severe as the others. The costumes were purchased of an Omaha firm, and the parents of the girls will demand an investigation.

