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...TAL DUEL WITH BANDITS IN BRITISH COLUMBIA TOWN

...stable and One Bandit Killed, Two Arrested and One Escapes.

...IEVED TO BE TRAIN HOLD-UP MEN

...ed Posses and Blood Hounds In Pursuit of Murderer.

(By Associated Press.)

...MLOOPS, B. C., June 29. — ...hounds and armed posses are ...ing the hills south of Ashcroft ...effort to locate the bandit who ...night shot and killed Constable ...t. His capture is believed to ...eminent. When the two ban...anded at Ashcroft, Constable ...r went down to arrest them. ...f them covered him with a pis... ...ying, "We're here, now arrest ...

...r a brief parley, Decker and ...robber opened fire at the same ... One bandit fell dead. Decker ... down, shot above the thigh. ...other robber seized a shot gun ...blew off the top of Decker's ...

...o other fully armed men were ...ed. The men are believed to ...embers of the gang that held ... Canadian Pacific train last ...

...o robbers have been traced to ...d mining tunnel at Red Gulch ...e they probably will make their ...stand. Both are well armed. ...dead robber has not been iden...

...EVE GALLIER IS RE-ELECTED

...ats L. J. Radley For Mayor of Bandon By Big Vote.

(Special to The Times.)

...NDON, Ore., June 29.—At the ...ction in Bandon, Steve Gal... ...as reelected mayor over L. J. ... by a decisive vote.

...ak (reelected), Nels Ras... ..., W. Winsor, Herbert Man... ..., F. Morrison and James ... were elected members of the ...ncil. C. R. Wade for record... ... Geo. P. Topping for munici... ...y were reelected without op...

...Elizabeth left yesterday for ... with a full passenger list and ... with lumber. The Bandon ...afternoon.

...KS, RATS IN A BOTTLE.

...ORT HOLLY, N. J., June 29.— ...e residence of Lawyer Eckard ...on High street an olive bot... ...e thrown into the garbage bar... ...when someone went to cart ...e refuse the bottle was dis... ...to have served the purpose ...trap for three rats, while a ... had involuntarily substituted ...t for a cork.

...supposition is that the rats ...became imprisoned when un... ...to turn around and crawl out, ...that the one wedged like a cork ...tacked a hole too small for its ...

...en Mr. Budd failed to offer ...bstance to the imprisoned rats ... the first time in recent years ...he has failed to plead for the ...e of prisoners.

...HERRIES are ripe at C. W. Wol... ...'s Grocery, Phone 97-J.

...NT FLOUR $1.75 per sack at ...'S.

INSTITUTE ELKS LODGE

"Going to Be a Big Night Tonight!" at Redmen's Hall.

Elks
Tonight
Redmen's Hall.

A herd of twenty-five all wearing antlers will meet this evening to renew their vows and pledge their faith anew to their favorite fraternal society.

This will mark the institution of the first Elks lodge on Coos Bay as it is a requirement of the Grand Lodge that a city must have 5,000 population before a charter is granted. The charter list of the new Marshfield lodge is composed entirely of individuals who are at present members of the order in various sections of the country and there will be no initiations. Officers will be installed and provisions made for regular meetings.

Later a goat will be imported and after being acclimated and properly trained a number of prominent citizens of the bay will be given a ride, several applications being already on file.

The installation will be in charge of District Deputy W. S. Levens of Baker City, Oregon, who arrived today via Myrtle Point.

PLAGUE KILLS LARGE NUMBER

Health Officers Report 177 Deaths In Amoy In Two Weeks.

(By Associated Press.)

AMOY, China, June 29. — The Health Department reports 177 deaths in Amoy during the fortnight that ended yesterday. It is feared that the plague is spreading rapidly.

HAS STRAWBERRIES AT SEA.

Kaiserin Auguste Victoria Adds a Kitchen Garden to Her Novelties.

NEW YORK, June 29.—The Hamburg-American liner Kaiserin Auguste Victoria, has a strawberry and lettuce garden on the after boat deck. Passengers watched the gardener, who is the chief steward, too, picking strawberries and cutting lettuce as the ship passed a tall iceberg off the banks. Among the Kaiserin's passengers were Mr. and Mrs. Russell A. Tiger, the baroness von Kettler, Mrs. C. M. Oelrichs, A. M. Thackara, American consul general at Berlin; Frederick F. Marquand, George Douglas Turner and Arthur Whitney.

Mrs. Anna Kreft, a steerage passenger, gave birth to a boy baby and the cabin passengers contributed $150 to the mother. His name will be August. The Cunarder Campania, in from Liverpool and Queenstown, also had a birth in her steerage, and the boy was christened Campania Baker.

When in town for the **FOURTH** or the **RACES**, don't forget to drop in at **THE GUNNERY** and get your hunting and fishing **LICENSES**.

"CASTLEWOOD" at the **P. K.**

Sanitary **PLUMBING** at **MILNER'S**

Do you want to buy something? Try a Times Want ad.

WASHINGTON IS SWELTERING NOW

Members of Senate Have to Combat Torrid Weather As Well As Hot Time Over Income Tax Amendment.

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 29.—Many people defied the torrid weather and went to the Capitol today to see started the first senatorial battle for the income tax. The heat was almost intolerable and the senators were clad in the coolest garments obtainable. Pages distributed palm leaf fans among the senators.

Senator Brown endeavored to obtain unanimous consent to take up the income tax resolution but Senator Bailey demurred urging that his previous amendment should be first considered. Aldrich said he would move to lay on the table any other amendments that might be offered at this time.

The income tax question was put aside to enable Senator Tillman to present his amendment fixing a duty of ten cents a pound on tea. The amendment was defeated.

In course of his answer to questions in the Senate today, Senator Aldrich said he would support the corporation tax amendment as a means of defeating the income tax. He expressed the opinion that the corporation tax would be repealed after two years or at any rate materially lowered.

RELIEF IS PROMISED.

Cooler Weather In Middle and Eastern States.

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 29.—Relief from the intense heat of the past week is in sight. The weather Bureau forecasts cooler weather in the middle Atlantic states tonight and Wednesday and in the Lake region and the northwest.

AUTO PARTY IS HELD UP

Seattle Pleasure Seekers Relieved of $400 and Valuables.

(By Associated Press.)

SEATTLE, June 29.—Harry Weston, an undertaker, and four companions, two of them women, were held up and robbed while auto riding on Lake Washington Boulevard last night and robbed of money and valuables. Weston alone was relieved of $400.

SEEK MURDERER IN NEW JERSEY

Fifty New York Detectives Sent There On Sigel Case Clue.

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, June 29.—Fifty of the best detectives on Inspector McCafferty's staff have been sent into the territory comprising Paterson, Passaic, Hackensack and other neighboring towns in New Jersey in connection with the Sigel murder. The concentration of so many men in that district tends to the belief that important information is in possession of the police which they decline to make public.

WHALE WHIPS SHIP.

Levithian of the Deep Retains Its Freedom.

LONDON, June 29.—A wonderful story of a fight between a steamer and a whale was told by the captain of the whaler Samson, which left Plymouth for Sanderfjord.

An explosive harpoon was fired from the gun in the bows of the Samson at a blue whale 120 feet long. The whale was hit in the side and the harpoon held, but the whale dashed away. The crew paid out hundreds of fathoms of four-inch rope but the whale towed the steamer at such a rate that the bow wave threatened to swamp her.

The captain ran his engines three-quarter speed astern, which normally would have given him a backward speed of 10 knots, but the whale towed the Samson ahead at about eight knots for four hours. Then the weather grew stormy, the line parted and the whale escaped.

OPEN EVENINGS.
THE WOOLEN MILL STORE announces that it will be open evenings during this week.

Jar Rubbers and Caps at **MILNER'S**

YOUNG CHILD IS SCALDED

Four-Year-Old Son of Andrew Christianson Upsets Hot Fruit On Himself.

Lawrence Christianson, the four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Christianson of Ferndale, was quite badly scalded yesterday by upsetting a kettle of hot fruit on himself. The injuries are very painful, but it is not believed that the little fellow will suffer a permanent ill effects from the accident.

Mrs. Christianson was putting up fruit and had just lifted a kettle of it off the stove when the door bell rang. While she answered the summons, Lawrence attempted to see what was in the kettle and pulled it over on top of himself.

Mr. Christianson, the child's father, a week or so ago sustained a severe injury to his leg in an accident at the Kruse & Bank Shipyards at North Bend. He had just recovered sufficiently to be moved to his home yesterday.

SHAVES WITH CANDLE.

Illinois Man Has New Scheme to Trim Whiskers.

DANVILLE, Ill., June 29.—Not content with being the only "steeple jack" in the Wabash valley, Bluff Cummins of this city, claims distinction as the only man in the country that can shave himself with a candle.

"How is it done?" exclaimed Cummins, when asked for an explanation. "Well, a candle or an ordinary wax taper, such as I use daily in lighting the gas in my home, is as great an improvement over the old-fashioned way of shaving with a razor as the safety razor is over the ungainly hoe.

"All you have to do is to light the taper or candle, swing it once or twice about the face, singeing the wiry beard and causing it to shrivel up. A rough towel serves to remove the singed part and a smooth shave is the result in less than two minutes."

FORTUNE-TELLING IS ILLEGAL IN TEXAS

AUSTIN, Tex., June 29.—Clairvoyants, palmists and fortune-tellers are no longer legally conducting their vocations in Texas, as the vagrancy law, which went into effect June 12, put them on the undesirable list. These characters were licensed to operate under the old tax law, but the grant of that privilege is abrogated by the enactment of the vagrancy law and no provision is made for the refund of the unearned portion of the occupation taxes which were enacted of them.

FRESH CHERRIES just received at C. W. Wolcott's. Phone 97-J.

RIFLE Cartridges at **MILNER'S.**

ONE KILLED, ONE DYING AND ONE BADLY HURT BY AUTO

Tragic Record of Machines In One Day In Portland and Seattle.

TRAIN HITS CAR WITH SEVEN PEOPLE

Rose City Boy Run Down and Instantly Killed On Streets.

(By Associated Press.)

SEATTLE, Wash., June 29. — A Northern Pacific freight train early today ran down an auto in which seven persons were riding near Georgetown. It is expected that Grace M. Thompson, aged 21, will die. Chauffeur Carle Schott was badly injured. His skull was fractured and he is in a serious condition.

BOY IS KILLED.

(By Associated Press.)

PORTLAND, Ore., June 29.—Walter Razling, aged eleven, was killed by an auto driven by H. L. Keats, an automobile agent. He jumped out from behind an ice wagon directly in the path of the auto. He died in the hospital. Witnesses say Keats could not possibly have avoided the accident.

TODAY'S WHEAT MARKET.

(By Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, June 29.—The wheat market closed as follows: July, $1.16 1-8; September, $1.11 3-4; December, $1.09 7-8; May, $1.12 3-4.

WANT BOATS FOR PARADE

Owners of Pleasure Craft Urged to Enter Them For Event.

The Coos Bay Motor Boat Club is making strenuous endeavors to have every pleasure craft on the Bay participate in its water parade along the Marshfield water-front next Saturday evening. It is hoped to have at least thirty or more gaily decorated boays entered.

There are about thirty Marshfield boats and over twenty North Bend boats, besides the large number owned by residents of the various inlets that are eligible for the event.

Dr. Bartle of North Bend, in discussing the matter today said that all boat owners, regardless of whether or not they are members of the club, should participate in the event. The plans of the club include a cruise to Sumner in the morning, returning at noon or shortly thereafter. Then in the evening about 8 o'clock, all boats are to assemble off Ferndale and decorate for the parade. Japanese lanterns and colored lights will be an important feature in the decorations. Prizes are being offered for the best decorated boats.

Some of the boat owners are planning to meet off Ferndale Friday evening to practise for the parade.

BAD ACCIDENT NEAR BANDON

Two Men Probably Fatally Hurt and Third Badly Injured.

(Special to The Times.)

BANDON, Ore., June 29. — Two men injured and not expected to survive and a third less seriously injured is the record of the last two days in the Bandon mills and wharfs. The names could not be secured.

COUPLE HAS HOT TIME.

Learned Missouri Couple Are Divorced.

CHILLICOTHE, Mo., June 29. — William L. Garvey, socialist nominee for governor last year, was granted a divorce here from his wife, Catherine Garver, the authoress, on charges of inhuman treatment, following a quarrel over the expense of the printing of "The Sphinx," published by Mrs. Garver.

Garver testified he was compelled to cook their meals when they did not dine out, and one morning, enraged over the coffee he had prepared, she dashed a kettle of oatmeal at his head, badly burning him, and in a fight which followed she nearly stripped him of his clothing.

The couple were married in 1901, three days after their first meeting as a result of her reading his book, "A Bride in the Third Degree."

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Bids will be received at the office of W. S. Turpen, architect, for the labor on an automobile garage for Isaac R. Tower.

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"CASTLEWOOD" at the **P. K**

Fruit Jars at **MILNER'S.**

BRANDENBURG IS NOT GUILTY

Author Is Acquitted But Is Immediately Arrested Again.

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, June 29.—Broughton Brandenburg was acquitted today on the grand larceny charge growing out of the sale to the New York Times of an article purporting to have been signed by the late Grover Cleveland. He was at once arrested on the charge of kidnapping his stepson, James Shepard Gabanne, in St. Louis.

The genuineness or Cleveland's signature was not material in the case, the only question the jury allowed to consider being as to whether or not Brandeburg stole $500, the price said to have been paid for the article.

SETTLE CAR STRIKE.

Labor Trouble In Pittsburg Finally Adjusted.

(By Associated Press.)

PITTSBURG, Pa., June 29.—Following the settlement of the street-car strike, the cars are running on every division today.

DIES PLAYING HYMN.

Aged Musician Succumbs During Sacred Melody.

DETROIT, June 29.—Terribly pathetic was the death of Frank E. Webster, an old musician, here. Calling at the home of Peter Lucas on Mt. Elliott avenue, Webster sat down to the piano and played with much pathos the opening bars of his favorite hymn, "Nearer My God to Thee." Suddenly he dropped his hand to his heart and, with a cry of pain, fell to the floor. He was picked up dead.

Sherwin-Williams Paints and Varnishes at **MILNER'S.**