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NO DEFINITE CLEW FOUND IN BANK ROBBERY CASE

Believe That New Westminster Bandits Are Hiding In Vancouver, B. C., Today.

NUMBERS OF BILLS TAKEN ASCERTAINED

Actual Amount Stolen Is \$258,000—Big Reward Is Offered.

By Associated Press to the Coos Bay Times.)

NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C., Sept. 16.—The theory of the police of Vancouver and New Westminster is that the five robbers who stole the \$258,000 from the New Westminster branch of the Bank of Montreal are hiding in Vancouver, waiting for a chance to get away with the booty. One hundred and fifty thousand dollars of the paper money stolen is in new five and ten dollar bills and the numbers are posted in every bank in Canada and on the American border. An attempt to pass any of these bills may lead to arrest. The \$20,000 in gold and \$88,000 in bills of various Canadian and United States Banks are available for use by the robbers, however. There are no clues.

The impression is gaining ground that the robbers divided the money between them before leaving the bank building.

The bank of Montreal today offered a reward of five thousand dollars for the capture and conviction of one or more robbers. It also allow a bonus to the finder of five per cent on any money that may be recovered through any arrests made.

The impression is gaining ground that only three men were in the plot.

A curious coincidence is that Clark, an old pal of Bill Miner, train robber and outlaw, was released after serving a long term in the penitentiary here Thursday morning. It is not believed by the police, however, that he had anything to do with the crime.

MONEY IN VANCOUVER.

One of Stolen Bills Recovered but Passer Is Uncaught.

By Associated Press to the Coos Bay Times.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Sept. 16.—That the robbers who looted the bank at New Westminster are in Vancouver is almost certain today. A ten-dollar bill (C-561017) included in the list of the stolen bills has been paid into the Trust company here by a customer who remembers who he got it from. The detectives have already traced it through three persons. Among the ten-dollar bills taken was the series numbered (C-561001 to 562,000).

SECTION MEN PLAN STRIKE

Maintenance of Way Union on Delaware and Lackawanna Takes Action.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

SCRANTON, Pa., Sept. 16.—Twelve hundred and fifty foremen and section hands on the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western have been ordered by President A. B. Lowe to strike at six o'clock.

Lowe is president of the Maintenance of Way Employees Union.

The strike is the result of the refusal of the company to arbitrate differences with the men.

TAFT SPEAKS IN SYRACUSE

President Delivers First Address of Long Western Tour Today.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Sept. 16.—President Taft arrived in Syracuse early today to remain until 3:40 o'clock this afternoon on his visit to the State Fair here, this being his first engagement on his 13,000-mile trip to the west. In spite of the early hour of his arrival he was greeted by a good crowd. He attended a breakfast at the Chamber of Commerce where two hundred guests listened to a brief speech at its close. The principal address of the day will be at the Fair Grounds where he was escorted by state troops later in the forenoon.

PLACE BAN ON SLOT MACHINES

Coos County Grand Jury Serves Notice That Owners Will Be Prosecuted.

(Special to The Times.)

COQUILLE, Ore., Sept. 15.—The Coos county grand jury in its final report recommends that the slot machines be banished from every place in this county. The matter was laid before the grand jury by Deputy Prosecuting Attorney Liljeqvist who had complaints from several towns about machines being in operation. The grand jury recommended that notice be given the owners of the slot machines and if they do not desist by the next term of court that they be indicted and prosecuted.

The grand jury did not return any true bills.

The Bandon deer case involving the finding of a spotted fawn's carcass near the camp of a minister and party by Deputy Game Warden Morgan, was investigated but it was not mentioned in the report.

SHAKEUP IS EXPECTED.

BEVERLY, Mass., Sept. 15.—That Taft's statement of the Wiley decision indicates a serious shake-up in the Department of Agriculture next winter is freely predicted here.

BOGUS MONEY ARTIST CAUGHT

Secret Service Officials Think Chicago Suspect Is Old Offender.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 16.—Secret service officials said today that they believed that Rudolph Swanson, who was taken yesterday in Chicago charged with passing counterfeit national bank notes, belonged to a gang which has been passing bogus money in the Pacific coast cities for years.

Whenever you want FLOUR try HAINES'.

WHITE HOPE GETS AWFUL DRUBBING

Morris Made Awful Poor Showing Against Jim Flynn In New York Bout Last Night.

(By Associated Press to the Coos Bay Times.)

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Fight fans agree today that in last night's fight

with Jim Flynn, "White Hope" Morris received the worst drubbing of modern times in the prize ring. He was as a baby in Flynn's hands and only his fifty pounds advantage in weight and six inches in height saved him from a worse defeat. As it was "White Hope" is a misnomer so far as his pugilistic aspirations and the hopes of his friends are concerned.

FIND MARSDEN GUILTY FRIDAY

Jury Reduces Severity of Charge Against Him For Bennett Assault.

(Special to The Times.)

COQUILLE, Ore., Sept. 16.—After being out nearly twelve hours, the jury in the case of Jack Marsden, charged with assaulting J. W. Bennett, in Marshfield with intent to kill, brought in a verdict of guilty of assault with a dangerous weapon. Some of the jurors from the start were against convicting Marsden of the serious crime charged in the indictment and finally they compromised by agreeing on a less serious charge. Marsden is to be sentenced next Tuesday afternoon.

Ralph Jackson of Marshfield after a trial was found guilty of contributing to the delinquency of a minor, Miss Emma Ingram, of Marshfield. He will be sentenced next week.

These two cases clear the criminal court docket and next Monday the trial of civil cases will begin. The case of Farrin & Farrin vs. the Simpson Lumber company is the first one on the calendar.

BAD MAN IS CAUGHT TODAY

Assailant of Manitoba School Teacher Captured in North Dakota.

By Associated Press to the Coos Bay Times.)

HANNAH, N. D., Sept. 16.—Eluding the vigilance of Canada's mounted police and the posses, and escaping across the international boundary to North Dakota only to be captured by a party of six residents of Hannah, was the fate of "Bill" Miner, the alleged abductor of Miss Price, the Snowflake, Manitoba, school-teacher. Miner was taken as he was laying in a hay mow and made no resistance. He asked to be taken to Hannah instead of Snowflake, evidently fearing violence.

Miner confessed his real name is E. H. Davis and that he escaped from the California penitentiary in 1902 with twelve other prisoners after having served eighteen months of a 33-year sentence for highway robbery. He said he was willing to return to California without extradition. When the Canadian mounted police and officials arrived at Hannah shortly before noon, they sent for Miss Price and will ask her to identify the man whom she says, abducted her. Davis confessed he has been in the vicinity of Snowflake yesterday morning. He declared that since his escape from the California prison he had been in South America until three years ago.

JUST ARRIVED—Ladies' Suits and Coats, and Misses' Coats at Mrs. Elrod's.

GOING! to get FLOUR of HAINES'.

See Briggs' real estate ad on page three of today's paper.

T. C. RUSSELL BUYS CORNER

Beaver Hill Purchases Property at Second and Central Avenue.

It was announced today that T. C. Russell of Beaver Hill had concluded negotiations for the purchase of the property at the northwest corner of Second and Central avenue from Mrs. Maggie Kimball of Portland. The price is understood to have been about \$17,000.

The corner which has 100 feet frontage on Central avenue and 50 feet on Second street was known as the Zimmer estate property. It belonged to the widow of the late Mr. Zimmer, who married Mr. Kimball a few years ago.

It is understood that Mr. Russell bought it purely as an investment, the property being regarded as one of the best locations in the downtown district.

Shermann Cutlip and family passed through Sumner yesterday on their way to Eugene where the children will attend school this winter.

WARD FLIES FAST TODAY

Aviator Makes Mile a Minute Flight Towards Buffalo This Morning.

(By Associated Press to the Coos Bay Times.)

SUSQUEHANNA, N. Y., Sept. 16.—Ward made a fine flight from Callicoon, N. Y., to this place today. He flew 56 miles at the rate of nearly a mile a minute. He will continue his journey this afternoon toward Buffalo.

FOWLER IS DELAYED

Aviator Unable to Complete New Biplane Today.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

COLFAX, Calif., Sept. 16.—The incomplete state of his reconstructed biplane forced Aviator Fowler to postpone the resumption of his flight from San Francisco to New York until tomorrow.

FOR WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

Five Governors Will Speak on It Tonight.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—The governors of five states which have approved woman suffrage, are expected to make speeches tonight in the cause of votes for women at a suffrage meeting in Cooper-Union. Governors Hay of Washington, Hawley of Idaho, Shafroth of Colorado, Carey of Wyoming and Spry of Utah are advertised as the speakers.

MRS. ELROD announces the display Fall styles in Ladies Suits and Coats, and Misses' Coats.

Foto supplies and finishing—Walker Studio.

O'BRIEN AND MILLER WILL COME HERE ON STEAMSHIP

PAYMASTER IS THUGS' VICTIM

David Steen Killed and Robbed Near Pittsburg by Bandits Today.

By Associated Press to the Coos Bay Times.)

PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 16.—David Steen, paymaster of the Pittsburg Coal company was held up and shot dead and robbed near Bresto, 12 miles out of this city. It is said Steen carried several thousand dollars in cash as Saturday is the regular pay day at the company's mines.

Steen was formerly employed by the Pittsburg Coal company as paymaster. He was superintendent of the Wilman mine No. 2 which was leased by his father. The robbers obtained not more than \$3,000.

GOVERNORS TO BE ON SPECIAL

Chief Executives of Western States to Visit Eastern Sections.

By Associated Press to the Coos Bay Times.)

ST. PAUL, Minn., Sept. 16.—Former Governor Brady of Idaho and Rully Atkinson, secretary of the Boise Commercial club; and L. W. Hill announce plans to have been perfected for running "governors special" to eastern cities and land shows this fall. The purpose of the tour is to extend an invitation to the people of the east to visit the west and get acquainted with the scenic, agricultural and industrial attractions. The governors in the party will be Johnson of California, West of Oregon, Hay of Washington, Hawley of Idaho, Norris of Montana, Eberhart of Minnesota, Burke of North Dakota, Shafroth of Colorado, Spry of Utah, Carey of Wyoming, Odde of Nevada and Vessey of South Dakota.

PRAYERS FOR STOLYPIN.

By Associated Press to the Coos Bay Times.)

KIEV, Russia, Sept. 16.—A bulletin of the physicians this morning says Premier Stolypin's condition is satisfactory. At religious services in all local churches today a prayer was offered for the recovery of the minister.

THE PORT OF PORT ORFORD

SPECIAL ELECTION TO BE CALLED TO INCORPORATE CURRY COUNTY HARBOR—HISTORY OF EFFORTS TO IMPROVE IT.

(Special to The Times.)

PORT ORFORD, Ore., Sept. 13.—The county court of Curry county has ordered the special election on the question of incorporating the Port of Port Orford to be held on Monday, the 30th of October. Attorney W. H. Meredith presented the petitions to the court representing the Port Orford Commercial club which has been pushing the port project. As

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Southern Pacific Officials Abandon Overland Journey on Account of Roads. WILL ARRIVE HERE LATE WEDNESDAY

May Possibly Return Overland But This Will Depend on the Weather.

Supt. W. F. Miller last evening received a telegram stating that Vice-president J. P. O'Brien and Traffic Manager Miller of the Southern Pacific had abandoned their plans for the overland trip to Coos Bay owing to the recent storm and will reach here next Thursday morning on the Breakwater from Portland.

The rain and storm in the Willamette Valley and in the Coast Range made traveling overland difficult and Messrs. O'Brien and Miller decided to come in by steamer instead of encountering the delays and difficulties attendant on the heavy roads. If the weather improves so that the roads get better, they may go out overland. Otherwise they will remain here and go out on the Breakwater a week from today.

The Breakwater will leave Portland next Tuesday evening and cross out from Astoria early Wednesday morning. If the weather is good and the tide right, they may cross into Coos Bay next Wednesday evening, instead of Thursday morning.

Mr. O'Brien was at Roseburg Thursday where he met the local business men relative to a \$22,000 depot the Southern Pacific is to build there. He evidently intended to start in from Eugene right after this trip if the weather permitted.

Are Buying Property

Word was received here today that the Southern Pacific now has a right of way crew working between Gardiner and Coos Bay and are securing right of way around Ten Mile for their line down to Coos Bay. Their operations have been kept quiet and no transfers have been filed yet, options and contracts being signed up.

NEW ROSEBURG DEPOT.

O'Brien Promises Southern Pacific Will Build.

A telegram received in Roseburg from General Manager J. P. O'Brien, of the Southern Pacific company, at Portland, announces that he has been authorized to proceed at once with the construction of a new passenger depot in this city. Mr. O'Brien adds that the plans for the structure, now in his hands, will, in his belief, satisfy the people, but he suggests that they be inspected by a committee, named by the Roseburg Commercial club, either in Portland or in Roseburg. He urges immediate action, as, he says, "we are very anxious to get started on the building at the earliest possible date."—Roseburg Review.

DEVELOPMENTS AT EUGENE.

Southern Pacific Lets Option on Right of Way Go.

EUGENE, Ore., Sept. 16.—The Guard prints the following: "It will shake the faith of a good many persons who believed that the Southern Pacific company intend to build a railroad from Eugene to Coos Bay to know what the option taken by Wendling on the 40-acre, McClaren tract adjoining town has been allowed to lapse. The option expired Thursday and the payment made to hold it was forfeited.

"It looks reasonable that the Southern Pacific company will require additional land here to justify the business of a branch road."

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