

IS ALWAYS EASIER TO TRIP UP A WALKING MAN THAN SOMEONE AT A STANDSTILL

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HOLT TRIES TO KILL HIMSELF

Assault of J. P. Morgan Attempts to Commit Suicide in Glen Cove Jail Today

OPENS AN ARTERY

Uses a Lead Pencil to Make Wound in His Wrist but is Rescued

MUCH BLOOD WAS LOST

Though Act Was Discovered Soon by Attendant, Prisoner Had Succeeded in Greatly Weakening His Condition

[By Associated Press to Coo's Bay Times.] GLEN COVE, July 6.—Frank Holt, J. P. Morgan's assailant, who also attempted to settle the bomb that exploded in the capitol at Washington, Friday night, attempted to kill himself at midnight by trying to cut an artery in his left wrist with a lead pencil. Holt, lying on his side in the county jail at Mineola, N. Y., was seen by an attendant to writhe in pain. The attendant entered the cell and found blood flowing from the wound and bound up the wrist. Withstanding the promptness with which Holt's attempt was discovered, he lost a considerable quantity of blood.

Morgan Much Better

Morgan continued improving today. He felt so much better that he wanted to get up, but this was approved of by his physicians. Physicians are so encouraged by his progress that they have virtually reached the decision to issue more bulletins on Morgan's condition.

Gets Telegram

Holt was cheered somewhat today by the receipt of a telegram from his mother at Dallas. It read: "Have best news here. Advised to rest and get well. You must do same. Send greetings hourly. Beautiful letter to you in both evening papers here. I am tarrying for details of your finances. I will come when I need me. Do not be afraid."

BOY WAS DROWNED

MELVIN ROOSDALE, AGED 7 YEARS, SLIPS FROM PLANK

While Playing on Edge of Mill Reservoir Back of Bunker Hill—Pulmotor Comes Too Late

Melvin Roosdahl, aged 7 years, drowned last evening when he fell from a board into the C. A. Mill reservoir just south of Bunker Hill. Adolph, his brother and aged 6 years, was unable to help him. The boy had disappeared when he returned and it was 45 minutes before the body was found and then it was too late for a pulmotor to be used. The little fellow is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Roosdahl, the father an employe at the Smith mill. Shortly before supper time the boys went playing near the water's edge. It is said that Melvin stepped onto a heavy board and pushed from the bank. When several feet from shore he fell off and into the water, about eight to 10 feet in.

HOPSON ESCAPED

Former Marshfield Man Has Not Yet Been Found.

The cases against the officers and salesmen of the United States Cashier Company, charged with using the mails for fraudulent purposes have been called for trial. One of the salesmen, Joseph Hunter, pleaded guilty and will be sentenced July 12. All of the men concerned in the alleged fraud have been apprehended and are out on bond excepting Otho L. Hopson, formerly of Marshfield, who managed to make good his escape.

The government charges that the company sold all its treasury stock of \$1,250,000 for more than \$1,000,000 on the fraudulent representation that it owned the patents to five change-making machines which it purposed manufacturing. Legal entanglements led to dissolution of the company, whose business is now handled by a concern in Terre Haute, Indiana. At one time it operated a factory in Kenton.

BRING LONG BACK

FORMER LOS ANGELES DEPUTY PASSES WORTHLESS PAPER

Man Who Cashed Worthless Sight Drafts in Marshfield and Curry Co. [Black Sand Schemes Caught]

Sheriff Alfred Johnson, Jr., today announced that Deputy Sheriff Laird was bringing back R. J. Long, the former deputy sheriff at Los Angeles, who is wanted in Marshfield and in Curry County for cashing worthless sight drafts on a Los Angeles bank. Long was apprehended in Portland and is expected in today in custody of Deputy Laird. Long, who is a nephew of Col. Rosa of Bandon, came here several months ago to develop some black sand projects. He was a nice appearing chap and readily obtained credit. H. J. McKeown of The Chandler cashed several sight drafts for him and the first were all right but the last one for \$100 was turned down. Cell Ireland of the Pullman cashed a \$25 sight draft for him and this was turned down. Deputy Sheriff A. P. Davis had guaranteed the one that Ireland cashed. Frank Lowe is said to have advanced Long \$250. Besides this, J. L. Koontz had about \$150 coming from Long for some machinery Long ordered and which he paid for with a worthless sight draft. Besides this, he is said to be wanted in Curry County to account for about \$600 he got from different parties.

Wants to Settle

Last evening, Long called up from Portland and tried to settle the matter, saying his father would make the worthless sight drafts good.

Sheriff Johnson said that he could not settle—that Long would either have to furnish \$1,000 cash bond or return and face the charges. Later Long's father at Los Angeles wired Sheriff Johnson that he was telegraphing \$170 to square up his son's accounts but Mr. Johnson has not received this yet.

Laird Got Him.

It was known here that Long had gone to Portland and Sheriff Johnson appealed in vain several times to the police there to arrest him but they stated that they could not find him.

The other day when Deputy Sheriff Laird took Neva Fletcher to Salem to serve time, he proceeded on to Portland and quickly found Long whom the police there claimed they could not locate.

DRESSES BURNED

ROMAN CANDLE SHOOTS FIRE IN CROWD ON FRONT ST.

James Skaros is Arrested and Pays \$12 for Ruined Dresses—Only Fireworks Accident

When James Skaros lighted a Roman candle on Front street late Saturday and turned the shooting rocket toward the sidewalk, Mrs. George Herron had a new dress completely ruined and a large hole was burned in the dress worn by Miss Spence Wilson. The man was immediately arrested by Chief Carter on the complaint of Assistant City Attorney H. Murphy, who was standing near by. The man was released when he promised to pay for the dresses.

This is the only accident of any sort from fireworks that was reported to the police during the Fourth of July celebration. The affair cost Skaros \$12 and the Chief took a bundle of Roman candles away from him.

GO AFTER SALOONS

SHERIFF JOHNSON TURNS COMPLAINTS OVER TO CITY RECORD

Says City Authorities Must Handle Them—Protests Made Because Saloons Stayed Open

Sheriff Johnson said this afternoon that he had turned over four complaints about the Marshfield saloons remaining open until 1 o'clock Sunday morning and 1 o'clock this morning to City Recorder Butler. He did not give out the names of the parties making the complaint. Mr. Johnson explained that under the Home Rule law, the city officials have to enforce their own liquor laws consequently that it is a matter for the Marshfield authorities to handle.

It seems that the saloons under an old understanding did not close at 12 o'clock as provided by the city ordinance. It has been the custom of the city officials during celebrations to grant the saloons an extra hour at night.

Whether anything further will be done about it is not certain but it will probably depend on whether the parties who entered complaint to Sheriff Johnson will insist on prosecuting them.

RUINS HIS CAR

Donald Charleson Has Accident Coming From Bandon

Engineer Donald Charleson, coming from Bandon last evening, ran into some timbers on the road and his car was completely demolished. He was not hurt.

MEXICANS HAVE BLOODY BATTLE

Six Hundred Carranza Troops Killed, it is Reported, in All-Day Battle

18,000 MEN FIGHT

Attempt Made to Capture Paredon Near Monterey Causes Total Casualties of 2000

ATTACK RENEWED TODAY

Although Fight is Hard One Carranza Force Fails to Take the City—Reinforcements Arriving Assist the Army in Another Assault

[By Associated Press to Coo's Bay Times.] LAREDO, Texas, July 6.—Six hundred Carranza troops, it is reported, were killed in an all-day battle yesterday in a fruitless attempt to capture Paredon, 30 miles northwest of Monterey. Eighteen thousand men are reported to have been engaged with the total casualties on both sides reaching 2000. Carranza reinforcements renewed the attack today.

ATTACK CAPITAL

General Gonzales Has Reinforcements for Fresh Assault

[By Associated Press to Coo's Bay Times.] WASHINGTON, D. C., July 6.—Officials today awaited word of the result of General Gonzales' renewed attack on Mexico City. Carranza agency advices said the attack began with fresh re-inforcements.

LEADERS ARE HERE

VILLA MEN VISIT THE UNITED STATES OFFICIALS

In Washington to Give Their Views on the Political Situation in Mexico

[By Associated Press to Coo's Bay Times.] WASHINGTON, D. C., July 6.—Miguel Diaz Lombardo, minister of foreign affairs in the northern branch of the convention government, was here today with other Villa leaders in an effort to lay his views on the Mexican political situation before the officials of the United States. While Carranza has consistently declined peace overtures by Villa, Washington officials count upon Charles A. Douglas, legal adviser of Carranza, who has gone to Vera Cruz to persuade the first chief to adopt a more conciliatory attitude.

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APOLOGY OFFERED

RUSSIA MAKES AMENDS TO SWEDEN FOR VIOLATION

Shell Dropped in Swedish Waters During a Fog and by Accident

[By Associated Press to Coo's Bay Times.] LONDON, July 6.—The Russian government has apologized to Sweden for violation of the latter nation's neutrality due to the fact that a stray shell, "accidentally" fell within Swedish waters owing to a fog during the pursuit of a German vessel.

The German mine layer Albatross was run ashore in a naval battle on July 2nd. The incident is likened to the affair off the coast of Chile when British cruisers sank the German cruiser Dresden. Great Britain on that occasion apologized for the violating of neutrality.

RESIST ADVANCE

HARD FIGHT BEING MADE TO DEFEND WARSAW

Russian Lines Are Apparently Holding up Excepting at One Point Near Krasnik

[By Associated Press to Coo's Bay Times.] LONDON, July 6.—Dispatches indicate that a stiff resistance to the advance toward Warsaw is being offered by the Russians from day to day. Along the eastern battle front of approximately 850 miles from the Baltic to Bessarabia, the Russian lines are apparently holding except at one point, near Krasnik, in southern Poland, Arch Duke Bernard's army broke through and continued to advance toward the Polish capital.

Repulse French

In the west Berlin reports two French attacks which were repulsed at Les Eparges. Paris says the British took some trenches in Belgium and the Germans were repulsed on the Meuse Heights and near the Le-Prete forest.

Berlin calls attention to Great Britain's action in torpedoing a hospital ship and an unarmed passenger ship in Turkish waters without warning, while she at the same time was protesting against the submarine warfare of Germany. The Italians report a satisfactory development of the defense on the Carnic Plateau.

RATE HEARING IS UP

FORTY-SIX ROADS ASK FOR AN ADVANCE

Attorney Says Higher Labor Cost Causes an Increase in the Operating Expenses

[By Associated Press to Coo's Bay Times.] CHICAGO, July 6.—The Western passenger rate hearing, in which 46 Western roads hope to prove that the present rates, said to be unremunerative, should be advanced, began here today before Examiner Thureloff, of the Interstate Commerce Commission. In the opening statement C. C. Wright, for the railroads said: "It will be shown that the increase in expenses is largely due to increases in the cost of labor and to taxes and an increased volume of business not sufficient to meet the increased cost of operation."

IS NOT TO TESTIFY

EVELYN NESBIT THAW WILL NOT BE WITNESS

Says She Will Stand on Constitutional Rights and Refuse to Give Evidence

[By Associated Press to Coo's Bay Times.] NEW YORK, July 6.—Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, summoned by the state to testify against Harry K. Thaw, her husband, in the jury proceedings to determine his mental condition, reached New York today from her summer camp and announced that she would stand upon her constitutional rights and not take the stand against her husband.

EUGENE—The members of the board of inquiry investigating the collision of a Southern Pacific train with an auto truck, found that the railroad employes were blameless.

WIN IN APPEAL

Two River Captains Get Back Their Licenses

[Special to The Times.] COQUILLE, July 6.—Two captains, David Perkins and George Levene won in their appeal to the steam boat board at San Francisco from the sentences of six months' suspension imposed by Inspectors Fuller and Edwards. Their licenses were returned to them, only 45 days after they were taken away. The original judgment in their case was practically equivalent to ordering that each boat on the river must carry two licensed navigators.

Times Want Ads for results.

GERMAN VIEW MADE KNOWN

Ambassador Gerard Sends Dispatch From Berlin to Secretary of State

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But It is Believed That Dispute With Germany Will be Amicably Settled

WOULD CLEAR SITUATION

Efforts Being Made to Learn Just What Kind of a Proposal Regarding Submarine Warfare Will be Accepted by United States

[By Associated Press to Coo's Bay Times.] WASHINGTON, D. C., July 6.—Secretary of State Lansing today stated that a dispatch had been received from Ambassador Gerard giving informally the views of the German government on submarine warfare, but this government has not replied. While declining to discuss the contents of the dispatch, Secretary Lansing let it be known that the proposals contained in it are similar to those which were already discussed in the Berlin press dispatches, indicating a desire to clarify the situation before making a formal answer.

Efforts of the German government to learn informally as to what proposals would be acceptable to the United States, so that when embodied in the German reply they might be acceptable as a basis for negotiations, created a distinct impression in official quarters that the dispute between the two governments will eventually be amicably settled.

Means to Protest

The message gave no indication as to the time when the formal reply would be made. It is known the aim of the German government is to insure the safety of Americans traveling on passenger ships and at the same time maintain the effectiveness of the submarine.

It is understood Germany has proposed a joint system of inspection, through which it shall be established to the satisfaction of German Consuls in the United States that belligerent ships sailing from American ports are primarily engaged in passenger traffic.

Will Give Warning

While no definite assurances have been given, officials believe further attacks without warning will not be made against vessels, whether neutral or belligerent, at least until the means of insuring the safety of Americans on the high seas is agreed upon in the present negotiations.

BRYAN MAKES TALK

ADDRESSES THE PEACE CONFERENCE OPENING TODAY

Talks About Newspaper Business and Lays Aside Peace and Politics for the Occasion

[By Associated Press to Coo's Bay Times.] SAN FRANCISCO, July 6.—William Jennings Bryan put peace and politics aside today and appeared as a journalist before the opening session of the International Press Congress at the Panama Pacific Exposition. He advised signed stories and editorials in newspapers and suggested the passage of a law to compel editors to show any financial interest in the policies they advocated.

MANY AT FUNERAL

HONOR SHOWN THE LATE GEN. DIAZ OF MEXICO

Services Held in Paris and Body Will be Brought Soon to America

[By Associated Press to Coo's Bay Times.] PARIS, July 6.—The funeral of General Porfirio Diaz, former president of Mexico, was held today in the Catholic Polish church of St. Honore D'Eylau. The ceremony was largely attended and included representatives of the Government of France and the City of Paris. Mexico was represented by Francisco De La Barra. The body was deposited in the church vault where it will await shipment to America a few days hence.

FLORENCE—The stockholders of the Glenade Cannery Association held a meeting and elected directors and the company expects to have a cannery in operation by next spring.

SPRINGFIELD—J. T. Witter, a pioneer of Lane county, aged 82 years, died at his home in Springfield.

TRAIN WRECKED

EIGHTEEN HURT

Second Excursion Section Dashes Into Two Helper Engines at Ashland Today

FIREMAN WILL DIE

Train Was Returning From Montague to Grants Pass When Accident Occurred

[By Associated Press to Coo's Bay Times.] ASHLAND, Ore., July 6.—Eighteen persons were injured, one probably fatally, when the second section of an excursion train on the Southern Pacific returning from Montague, California, to Grants Pass, collided with two helper locomotives here today. Loyal Taylor, the fireman on one of the helpers, is not expected to recover. The helper engines tried to run onto the main track ahead of the train but collided at the switch.

SEVEN MEN KILLED

EXPLOSION IN QUEBEC IS FATAL TO WORKMEN

Accident Occurs in the Plant of the Canadian Explosives Company Today

SACRIFICE IS GREAT

NINETEEN DEAD AND 903 INJURED ON THE FOURTH

Figures Compiled by Chicago Tribune Show an Increase in Accidents Over Last Year

[By Associated Press to Coo's Bay Times.] CHICAGO, July 6.—Nineteen persons dead and 903 injured was the nation's sacrifice to a two-day celebration, according to corrected figures compiled today by the Chicago Tribune. The figures show an increase over last year when 12 were killed and 879 injured. The fire loss this year was \$239,325, as compared with \$99,545 last year.

AIR ATTACK FAILURE

BRITISH ATTEMPT ASSAULT ON GERMAN POSITION

Report Says War Ships Accompanying Air Craft Were Forced to Make a Retreat

[By Associated Press to Coo's Bay Times.] BERLIN, July 6.—(Wireless to Sayville)—A great British aeroplane attack was directed against the German positions in the Agerman Bay of the North Sea on the morning of July 4th, according to an official statement. The attack failed. The aeroplanes were accompanied by cruisers and torpedo boat destroyers. The vessels were forced to retreat.

TRIAL IS STARTED

COURT MARTIAL OF ROBERT ROSENTHAL OPENED TODAY

Charged With Naval Espionage and Had Passport Issued by Embassy When Arrested

[By Associated Press to Coo's Bay Times.] LONDON, July 6.—The court martial of Robert Rosenthal, accused of naval espionage, who, when arrested had a passport issued by the American Embassy in Berlin, was opened today in Berlin. Major General Baron Cleyesmore, whose wife is the daughter of the late F. O. French, of New York, presided over the court.

PRESENT NEW PLAN

U. S. URGED TO CHECK SHIPMENT OF WAR MUNITIONS

Appeal Made to Refuse Clearance Papers to Any Boat Carrying Such Cargo

[By Associated Press to Coo's Bay Times.] WASHINGTON, D. C., July 6.—The United States is urged to refuse clearance to any ship carrying munitions of war in a petition presented to Secretary Lansing today by Representative Buchanan and former Representative Fowler of Illinois, and former Attorney General Monnett, of Ohio, acting in behalf of the National Labor Peace Council.

GO AFTER BANDITS

OFFICERS AT BROWNSVILLE, TEXAS, TO ARREST MEXICANS

Band of Men Guilty of Depredations Are Surrounded and Will be Captured

[By Associated Press to Coo's Bay Times.] BROWNSVILLE, Tex., July 6.—A posse of 35 officials and special deputies today surrounded twenty or thirty Mexicans in the brush thickets forty miles northeast of here near the Gulf coast. The Mexicans are supposed to have committed depredations about 50 miles north of here and are alleged to have planned raids on the small country banks.

MILL NOT TO OPEN

Report That Geo. W. Moore Plant to Start Was a Mistake

[Special to The Times.] BANDON, Ore. July 6.—A report printed in Portland that the George W. Moore mill here was to be started has been investigated, but there is no one here who knows of any such plans. It is said that the Moore mill at Toledo may start soon.

FRANKLIN

Rev. Arthur Thomas is holding a series of revival meetings which are being well attended by the Franklin people.