

# JOURNAL GATHERS EVIDENCE

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nickle-plated Smith & Wesson, 38-calibre revolver, with long barrels. He was perfectly cool and polite, and from his work gave evidence of being an experienced hand at the business, and from his talk was a man of more than average intelligence.

## The Small Man.

The second robber who relieved the passengers of their valuables in the rear end of the car was the smallest one in the bunch. His description is: Height, five feet five inches; weight, 125 pounds; age, 22 years; gray or blue eyes and brown hair; he had long, soft, pliable fingers, with the nails nicely manicured. He wore an old polka-dot handkerchief around his face and a badly-battered campaign hat. He had a mild way of speaking and was self-possessed, although his hands trembled with nervousness during the entire proceeding.

## The Large Man.

The leader of the gang was a large man who fired the bullet into the body of Fred Day, and was stationed on the rear platform giving orders to the others. He is described as follows: Height, five feet 11 inches; weight, 185 pounds; square shoulders and well-built. He was well disguised and no one was able to get a look at his features. He had a cloth over his face which looked like a part of a brown bathing suit. He wore a black slouch hat.

## Why Day Was Shot.

As previously reported the shooting of Fred Day was without any provocation except to gratify the lust for blood of the robber. Investigation has shown that this was not the case, and that before shooting, the big man had warned Day three times to throw up his hands, which Day refused to do, and started to go into the car, taking his hands from his pocket and making a side movement, which appeared in the semi-darkness like an attempt to draw a gun. At this the robber fired and Day ran to the front of the car and took a seat. At this the large man remarked "It hoo," that the boy is not badly hurt, but he should have the common sense to do as he is told under circumstances like this. I could have killed him, but I have given

him a chance and he will know better next time."

## How the Robbers Worked.

The hold-ups had their plans well made and carried them out to a nicety. Contrary to the general reports and impressions that six men did the work, but three men were concerned in the actual job, while it is possible, although not probable, that there were several smallest men jumped on the front platform one on each side. On the left hand side the door of the vestibule was closed. The glass was smashed by a blow from a pistol and the catch of the door unlocked. The motor man was held up and told to go inside the car. At the same time the large man jumped on the rear platform and ordered everyone inside and shot Day, who succeeded in reaching the front of the car before the other robbers entered there. He was at once robbed by the front end man who did not know that he was shot, as Day had reached the position before the men entered. When everything in the car had settled down and the passengers were under control, the large man in the rear of the car gave the order "Get busy, boys." The smallest man got off from the front platform and went around the outside of the car and came in from the rear and started to relieve the passengers of their valuables. He worked deftly in searching the people, using both hands, and while so engaged, holding his gun between his knees. The man who was working from the front end of the car to the rear kept his gun in one hand while conducting the search. Twice the motor man was ordered to move the car ahead for a short distance with the object of making it appear that everything was all right with the car and that the stops were being made for the roll on the floor. When the car had been worked the two searchers dropped off from the rear platform and the large man ordered the car to go ahead and remained until it was some distance from the spot, where he dropped off.

## Some Saved Money.

William Curtis, an employee in the office of the City Engineer, who resides at Sellwood, robbed the robbers of a roll of \$300 in bills, by retaining his presence of mind, and with the assistance of George Thomas, Curtis, realizing that he would have to give up his money unless he outwitted the robbers, dropped the roll on the floor. They noticed the move and when they came to search him made him come out in the aisle and examined where he had been standing. In the meantime Thomas got the roll under the instep of his shoe and managed to keep it there by shuffling his feet and it was overlooked.

Samuel Craig saved \$17 by putting the money on the seat under his wife's dress. When she stood up five dollars in silver rattled to the floor through the seat. This attracted the attention of the robber who picked it up and did not notice the bulk of money on the seat.

Miss Eliza Stevens, who had arrived that evening from San Francisco, visited her parents at Sellwood, had a considerable amount of money pinned on the inside of her waist which was not found. She also saved her watch by pushing the chain around her neck back under her jacket. Mrs. Wilson, the wife of the Sellwood brewer, saved a diamond

ring and pin by dropping them into the pocket of her little boy. She had but 70 cents in her purse which did not look good to the robbers, who insisted that she give up the rest of the money. Upon being assured that this was all she had, he stated, "I am sorry but this will help some." A silver watch was returned to Gladstone Jones with the remark, "You keep the watch, it is no good to anyone but yourself."

## D. Bradley's Account.

D. Bradley, a piano salesman who was on the robbed car, gives a good description of the holdup man that operated in the front end of the car. "He was not a large man," said Mr. Bradley, "and I judge he weighed about 140. He had a mask on when he entered the car, but it slipped down, exposing his chin. His nose and chin were rather sharp. His hands were short and stubby and evidently those of a working man. The robber's hair was light, but I couldn't make out the color of his eyes, as he was black slouch hat he wore shaded the upper portion of his face. He appeared to be a young man."

"The holdup wore a new overall jumper, into the pockets of which he dropped his spoils. He carried two revolvers. One was an old buldog with a sextagonal barrel."

Mr. Bradley says the robber kept up a ceaseless flow of talk while robbing the passengers, but other than snatching watches and breaking chains he did not handle the women roughly. "At least I did not see him. If he did, I broke my wife's watchchain in taking the watch, but he ordered her to remove a ring, which she did."

Mr. Bradley says that if he had had a gun he could have killed the man. "However," he continued, "there were the other holdup men at the other end of the car, and if anyone had started trouble they would have opened fire and perhaps killed several passengers."

"I am a big man and I was not frightened," he made me pretty angry to stand there and let a little fellow take my property."

"I caught Day as he staggered through the car and my wife assisted the wounded man to stand while the robber went through his pockets. It is a mistake to say that the robber was obliged to sit down, he was so frightened. I did not observe anything in the conductor's manner that led me to believe he was so terribly shaken by the appearance of the highwaymen."

An expert on the subject of robbery, Mr. Bradley, said that the robber continually said, "Are you all settled down there," addressing his companions. Besides a watch and about \$25 in cash Mr. Bradley was robbed of a gold nugget stickpin. "The robber took one from another man," said Mr. Bradley, "remarking, 'hold on, boys, I've struck some nuggets.'"

## What Police Are Doing.

There were practically no developments in the Sellwood robbery case in police circles today. Chief Hunt says his men are all working energetically on the clues at hand but no arrests of any importance have been made.

Detective Kerrigan went to Sellwood yesterday afternoon for the purpose of interviewing the victims of Tuesday night's holdup but he stated that it was a difficult matter to find those who had been on the train. The official claim that he got a list of about a dozen but that nearly every person gave a different description of the thugs. Accordingly it is a difficult problem for the detectives to solve.

Details of officers in plain clothes are still scouring the city and suburbs for suspicious characters. Of the many who were taken to the station yesterday practically all could account for themselves and it is not thought that any of them were involved in the holdup. Two arrests were made last night.

Henry W. Breeze, who claims to be a longshoreman, was seen standing at Seventh and Madison streets at a late hour. Patrolmen Price and Kay thought the fellow looked suspicious and when interrogated he told the officers that his identity was none of their business. He was arrested and upon his person was found a 44-calibre revolver.

An arrest that was thought would result in developments was that of Judson Wilson, a resident of the East Side, who was taken to the station by a special officer employed at the Oregon Water Power & Railway Company. Two persons who had been robbed on the Oregon City car stated that Wilson was the man who had lost his mask during the robbery. However, Will Curtis, who was on the Sellwood car, said in no uncertain terms that it was not Wilson and he was released.

## Oregon City Suspects.

When the information was received that two suspects were being held at Oregon City a Journal representative at once went to the scene and interviewed the men. They told a straightforward story and the papers in their possession which substantiated their statements.

One gave his name as J. R. Raines and had papers acknowledging valuable services in the recent political campaign between Heinze and Clark in Montana. He also had a number of cards and letters which would indicate that he was an honest man. His partner F. H. Perkins who was carrying concealed weapons, was a barber and had recently been employed in the Yellowstone Park. They claimed that they had been at Troutdale on the night of the hold-up, and gave the name of a man by whom the statement was later verified over the telephone. Later in the day the men were pumped by Detective Snow of the city and one of the railway company detectives, but nothing developed and they were released by Chief Burns.

## Tiffany's Charges.

The publication yesterday of the startling statement of Superintendent Tiffany that the Oregon Water Power & Railway Company that he had concluded not to ask the police to unravel the Sellwood car robbery mystery, caused a sensation.

Superintendent Tiffany stated the reason was that a certain detective had demanded money of him before he would investigate a previous robbery. Detectives denied the car man's assertion and claimed that they had run down every clue in connection with the holdup, but had not asked for any money. They demanded that Mr. Tiffany call at Police Headquarters and point out the officer who had asked a retaining fee.

Superintendent Tiffany has not called at Police Headquarters nor has any action been taken in the matter. However, it has caused no end of comment among citizens in general. The members of the Police Commission have reached the conclusion that police affairs need attention and it is expected that this action will be aired at their next session.

## DETECTIVES OBEYING ORDERS FROM CAPTAIN

Capt. Sam Simmons is now Chief of Detectives, in fact as well as in name. The complaint made by Chief Hunt to the Mayor and the members of the Police Commission yesterday that the detectives were not doing their work systematically, and that they failed to make proper reports to their immediate superior, Capt. Simmons, has had its desired effect. Today the Captain has been directing the work of each sleuth.

This morning Capt. Simmons was closeted with the members of the plainclothes detail and each man told him what he was doing and in turn was given orders by the Captain. The publication of the statement made by Chief Hunt to the Police Commission

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As above stated, two of the pianos have already been purchased. This leaves but seven remaining. If buying continues as lively and people are so fortunate in making a lucky choice, the price will be sold very soon.

Of course, it is impossible at the present time to publish either the names of the purchasers who have received this discount or the names of the pianos which might be construed by some as leading other purchasers to avoid those which the price has already been granted. At the close of the Carnival, however, the full list will be published. As all our pianos are plainly tagged with the retail selling price, any one who desires may then come to our store and convince themselves that this is a real saving. The store is at the Elmer Piano House, Washington street, corner Park. Large, flourishing stores also at San Francisco, Cal.; Spokane, Wash., and Sacramento, Cal.

## Money Saved

Chief Hunt claims that some of the statements attributed to him before the Police Commission were inaccurate, but he admits that the subjects of detectives and other police affairs received consideration. On the other hand, two detectives stated this morning that the Chief had denied to them that he had "roasted" them, as was stated in The Journal. The Chief in return denied that he had repudiated his assertions before the commission, but claimed that some of them had been inaccurately quoted.

The result of the Chief's conference with the Mayor and commission yesterday was the issuing of the following order:

## New Orders Issued.

"The authority of the Captain of Detectives must be recognized. The detectives must work under his supervision and must report to him the progress of their work."

he remained a nominal prisoner in the Vatican, and before that, although he was in Rome much of the time, he seems never to have had a very close acquaintance to inspect the new church, which is a mile or more beyond the city gates. Near by is a curious little chapel erected 200 or 400 years ago to mark the spot where St. Peter and St. Paul had their last interview and embraced each other before going to martyrdom.

It was supposed that Pius IX would be buried in the new basilica of St. Paul, in which he took so great an interest, but to the surprise of everybody he selected the old church of St. Lorenzo, in the most disreputable part of Rome, near by the principal cemetery. He was provided with a beautiful tomb in a subterranean chamber, lined with the finest modern mosaics in the world. The sarcophagus was a very plain piece of marble, severe in its simplicity, but its surroundings are superb.

Shortly before he was taken ill Pope Leo XIII expressed to Cardinal Satolli his wish in regard to his funeral and burial, and it is probable that he indicated in his will the same desires as to where he would like to lie, though it is possible that a number of years may elapse before the final disposition of his remains is made. That was not until 1882, many years after his death, that the remains of Pius IX were finally removed from St. Peter's to the Church of St. John Lateran. The spot he designated is on the left of the apse above the entrance to the sacristy, corresponding to the opposite niche in which is the monument erected by himself in 1891 to Pope Innocent III. It is said that a statue of Pope Leo, forming part of the monument, has already been made. In other respects the tomb will resemble his predecessor's, consisting of a sarcophagus with a bas relief, two niches, two statues and two medallions.

WASHINGTON, July 17.—War Department advises from the Philippines today that "Faustino Guillermo, the most famous bandit in Luzon, has been captured. It is predicted that this capture will end disorder in the Rizal province."

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# CRAR OF RUSSIA TURNS DOWN KISHINEFF PETITION

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and dignity of the signatures attached are considered.

OYSTER BAY, July 17.—President Roosevelt believes that despite Russia's refusal to accept the petition that a moral effect was obtained. It is now learned that had Roosevelt followed his own impulse he would have thrown the petition to the imperial palace door and then told the Czar to make the most of it. Secretaries Hay and Root, however, convinced him that the United States must take the usual formal course or violate all diplomatic precedents.

The President agreed that the United States had no more business in meddling in Russia's internal affairs than they in ours.

The incident is closed and will undoubtedly have a bearing on future diplomatic dealings with the Czar. A high source says it adds just one more straw to the bitterness and suspicion the President feels toward Russian statesmanship, and when the time is ripe in the future to express resentment in more emphatic terms, no one who knows the President will doubt his doing so, as he never forgets. The President has often said that he believes war with Russia is more likely to occur than with Germany, in spite of all written to the contrary.

# CONTINUED FOR SENTENCE

Cases Against Truckmen Who Drove on Seventh Street Asphalt Are Leniently Dealt With.

The cases against the dozen truckmen who were charged in Police Court with violating a new city ordinance by hauling heavy loads over the Seventh-street asphalt were heard by Judge Hogue today.

Several of the truck companies were represented by attorneys who asked the leniency of the court, as the drivers were ignorant of the new law. These being the first violations, Judge Hogue continued the cases for sentence, so that future offenses will be punished by a fine.

# TO ADVERTISE OREGON

The Advertising Committee of the Chamber of Commerce will hold a meeting next Monday night at the office of L. Samuel, third floor, Oregonian Building, for the purpose of devising different ways and means of advertising the State of Oregon. This meeting will be attended by W. E. Coman, general passenger agent of the Southern Pacific Railroad. Mr. Coman will discuss with the committee on the different ways in which the railroad can be of service. The committee appointed to attend to this cause is composed of H. C. Wortman, A. H. Devers, F. A. Jones and A. C. Capron.

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