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TWO TOWNS WIPED OUT BY CYCLONE

Eight Persons Killed by Storm at Gainsville, Five More at Village of Henning

Snowstorms in Central West Block Traffic and Cause Immense Damage to Farmers—Worst Blizzard of Season Raging in Minnesota and Dakota.

(Publishers' Press by Special Leased Wire.)

Fort Worth, Texas, April 27.—Advices here by telephone state that eight persons were killed by a terrific wind and rain storm near Gainesville, 60 miles north of this city today. Soon after the information reached this city wire communication with Gainesville was cut off and no confirmation of the report could be obtained.

It is known, however, that a severe gale spread over the country in the vicinity of Gainesville and it is believed that the storm blew down the telegraph and telephone wires, severing connection with the district. Trains are arriving here behind schedule time and the crews bring word of the storm, but details as to the loss of life and damage are lacking.

Later advices state that the hail was the heaviest that ever fell in that section. Hail fell so thick that trains for Dallas are indefinitely delayed and indications are that the storm will continue throughout the night.

Dallas, Texas, April 27.—News reached here at 10:30 that the village of Henning, in Cook county, was destroyed by a cyclone this evening. Five persons are dead and nearly 20 injured. The dead:

William Alexander, 15 years old; infant daughter of Mrs. Jennie Wilkinson; two men, names unknown; one identified girl about 6 years old.

No list of the injured has yet been received.

The village of Henning is located several miles from any railway line and as wires were all prostrated news had to be sent by courier to Gainesville, the county seat.

Relief is being sent from Gainesville, Henrietta and other towns. The path of the storm is said to have been 500 yards wide and nearly a mile long and everything was swept clean. It is feared that other disasters have occurred.

BLIZZARD RAGING

From Six to Ten Inches of Snow Covers Central West.

(Hearst News by Longest Leased Wire.)

St. Paul, April 27.—The most furious snowstorm that has occurred in the northwest this season has prevailed for 24 hours. All over the Dakotas as far west as Montana the ground is covered with six to ten inches of snow. Railroad traffic is delayed five to 15 hours. Farmers have been delayed in their seeding and will be forced to replant. In Minneapolis and St. Paul the street

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LABOR'S STAND WORRIES TEDDY

Administration Already Seeing Signs of Rich Man's Conspiracy in Attitude of Unionists Over Moyer Incident.

(Publishers' Press by Special Leased Wire.)

Washington, April 27.—Administration leaders are growing fearful over the attitude of organized labor in the Moyer-Haywood cases. Those close to the president have already been informed that the criticism by labor leaders of the president's reiterated denunciation of these officials of the Western Federation is merely a part of the "rich men's conspiracy" to undermine President Roosevelt.

It is hinted that the latest opposition has found its main source in the headquarters of certain corporation speculators and politicians who are bending every energy to inflame labor. Efforts have been made recently to secure an expression from President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor. Failure has been assumed by some to mean that labor does not stand as a unit for the Idaho men.

It was pointed out tonight, however, that at the last meeting of the executive council of the North American Federation of Labor a resolution was unanimously adopted. It characterized the arrest of Moyer, Haywood and Pettibone as brutal kidnaping without any decent regard for their lawful and natural rights; declared that the operation of the legal machinery justified the belief "that a conspiracy exists to convict them of the heinous crime regardless of their consistency," extended the men the sympathy of organization and assurances of assistance.

RICH DOWER GOES WITH INDIAN MAID

Klamath Brave Offers Fifty Thousand Dollars for Son-in-Law With White Skin

Henry Jackson Disowns His Dissolute Son, Who Is Slowly Dying in Multnomah County Jail, While Awaiting Trial for Stealing a Cow.

"I will give any white man $50,000 who marries my daughter," Henry Jackson, a wealthy Indian living on the Klamath Indian reservation is reported to have said.

Here is an opportunity open to any presentable, matrimonially inclined Oregon youth who is willing to take for his wife as handsome a young squaw as any Indian ever offered to a prospective son-in-law.

Stranger yet, Jackson has a son languishing in the Multnomah county jail because the young man cannot furnish bail in the sum of $1,000 for stealing a cow on the Indian reservation. And why should young Jackson want to steal a cow?

Owns Much Cattle.

Jackson pere is repuated to own more cows than any Indian can count yet the young man who was indicted by the federal grand jury last week is wasting away from consumption at the rate of 16 pounds a month, because his father refuses to post bail in the amount named by Judge Charles E. Wolverton of the United States district court.

Young Jackson is said to have caused his father much trouble from the time that firewater first touched the lips of the young brave until the present day. Time and again the youth is said to have fought brave but hopeless battles against the insidious beverage of his white brethren, always to be vanquished. Now comes the time that he needs his father most. His liberty is hanging upon the word of the old brave, and yet the son is allowed to spend his time in the county jail, a prisoner to the federal authorities, while the father offers $50,000 for a white son-in-law.

Despite the apparent lack of interest the old brave takes in his son, such cannot be said of the daughter.

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STOREY MAY WED DESPITE HIS DIVORCE

Emma Eames' Husband Defiant of Court's Ruling Forbidding His Again Marrying

Sculptor Says Songstress Listened to Tales Told by Idle Gossips While His Lips Were Sealed by Honor—Snaps Fingers at Referee's Ruling.

(Hearst News by Longest Leased Wire.)

Philadelphia, April 27.—Julian Storey, artist and divorced husband of Cantarice Emma Eames, returned late tonight to that same suite at the St. James hotel where, in bitter anger, his famous wife had parted from him on the night of the famous ball last spring when she had heard the story of his devotion to a beautiful Philadelphia debutante.

"It is all over," he said with a shrug of his shoulders.

"I am very sorry. Madame Eames was wrong. She was not injured. I give my word of honor that never in act was she injured. I am a gentleman. She did not understand. That is all. I am sorry.

"I cannot tell you of the proceedings before Referee Buck. I was not there. It was not possible for me to be there. I had agreed not to contest the suit of Madame Eames if she mentioned no names. I did not fear for myself, you understand, but I could not have any innocent woman brought into this terrible affair.

Eames Is a Genius.

"Madame Eames is a great artist. Madame Eames is a genius. Madame Eames has imagination in the superlative degree. Faced with all these attributes of genius, what is a poor gentleman with the reputation of innocent ladies to consider, to do? Nothing but keep quiet. Therefore I kept quiet and Madame Eames is free once again.

"Had it not been that the reputation of innocent women would have suffered I assure you that I would not have kept quiet. Never, never; no, never. I would have fought this thing to the utmost.

"What a sentence; what a penalty. Consider — Madame Eames may do as she pleases, but I must live in single

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ENJOIN MRS. MACKAY

This picture is from a snapshot of Mrs. Clarence W. Mackay, who has been enjoined from tearing down an old church on Long Island which had been replaced by a new one at her expense.

POINT SCORED FOR M'MANUS

State Witnesses Impeached who Swore McManus Made Unequivocal Threats to Kill—Illness Lengthens Trial.

Pendleton, Or., April 27.—The adjournment of the McManus trial at a late hour this afternoon became necessary because of the illness of Jurors W. W. Atherton and Charles McBee, a physician being called for the first named. The jurymen were dismissed immediately after the defense rested, at the request of counsel for both sides, with the injunction to reappear at 9 a. m. Monday, when arguments by counsel will begin.

Sensational features developed during the last day of the introduction of testimony in the impeachment of the testimony of the state's witnesses, John Kees and Ed Money. The former testified during the trial that McManus told him he wanted to buy a pistol with which to kill a man who had robbed him. Kees said he refused to let him have the weapon. The impeachment consisted in proving that Kees at the inquest held over Estes' body testified merely that McManus told him he wanted a pistol to kill a man who had robbed him, in case the man made another attempt to rob him.

The impeachment of Money consisted in proving by three witnesses that after being summoned to testify he declared he knew nothing about the case whatever, and did not know why he had been summoned; whereas, in the trial, Money testified that McManus told him on the day of the killing of Estes that he intended to kill a man who had robbed him.

The witnesses by whom Money was impeached were George Cairns, S. L. Morse and H. H. McReynolds, the latter marshal of Pilot Rock, McManus' home town.

Thaw's Sister Sails Abroad.

New York, April 27.—Sailing on the American liner Philadelphia for Southampton were Mr. and Mrs. George L. Carnegie, en route for Paris. Mrs. Carnegie is a sister of Harry K. Thaw and the Countess of Yarmouth.

INACTION OF COUNCILMEN CONDEMNED

Railway on Fourth Street Declared to Be a Nuisance and Menace to the Public

Mass Meeting in South Portland Denounces Members of Council as Dangerous Representatives of City and Appeals for Defeat at Polls.

Portland's city council was condemned in no uncertain terms last night at a meeting of citizens of South Portland in Jones' hall. The councilmen were specifically condemned for their action on the Fourth street franchise proposition and a set of scathing resolutions was adopted by a unanimous vote. P. J. Mann was chairman.

The meeting was called to order by Attorney Robert O'Neil, who was the author of the resolutions. There were between 75 and 100 citizens present, and among the speakers were Mr. O'Neil, Dr. Cotteil, P. J. Mann and Colonel Thomas Guinean. The resolutions follow:

"Whereas, the Southern Pacific Railway company, an unscrupulous, a grasping and law-defying corporation now operates and has for more than a quarter of a century, operated its steam cars, both passenger and freight, on Fourth street, in this city, at all times during night and day, until the same has become a public nuisance and a menace to the public safety, and against the protestation and wishes of the citizens of Portland.

Citizens' Rights Ignored.

"Whereas, this incorrigible corporation has influenced many of our present officials in supporting its system and in ignoring the rights of the citizens of our municipality;

"Whereas, about 18 months ago an ordinance was submitted to our city council providing for the abatement of this public nuisance;

"Whereas, many of the councilmen now seeking renomination, then had an opportunity to vote for the suppression and abatement of this public nuisance,

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ROBBED OF LAST PENNY BY BIGAMIST

Mrs. E. J. Hadden Was Deserted in Chicago by Notorious Sharper in Quaker City Jail

St. Johns Woman Confers With Portland Victims and Finds That They Were Fleeced by Wily Rogues That Looked Very Much Alike.

Married to John Mathias Williams, the Philadelphia arch-bigamist, who robbed her of $2,600, took her to Chicago and swindled her out of $100 more, then left her penniless in the Lexington hotel, where she was thrown upon the mercy of the guests, Mrs. E. J. Hadden of St. Johns is waiting patiently the time when she can bring a formal charge against the man arrested in the eastern city a few weeks ago on a charge of having 150 wives.

As the weeks pass by Williams' victims are being found in all parts of the United States. Mrs. Hadden admits that she is one of them. She came to Portland about four weeks ago, since which time she has taken up her residence in the suburb. Just now she is making an effort through Chief of Police Taylor of Philadelphia to ascertain whether any of her letters to Williams have been found in his possession, thus drawing tighter the evidence against the man. Mrs. Hadden corresponded with Williams for five months before she became his wife.

Williams Has Bureau.

Mrs. Hadden's marriage to Williams, who went under the name of Charles Williams, took place in Colorado Springs, July 12, 1904. Some months prior to that time she had begun a correspondence with him through a matrimonial bureau in New York City. Since his arrest in Philadelphia it has been discovered that Williams himself conducted this bureau through which he swindled so many of the victims who became his wives.

The correspondence between the two was carried on for several months when Williams wrote that he was making arrangements to visit Colorado

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TRUST IN CONTROL OF ALL SHOWS

Shuberts Join Octopus Giving a Knockout Blow to Independents Fighting Combine

Number of Theatres to Be Cut Down and Many Playhouses Closed—Hard Times Ahead for Many Actors — Belasco Left In Lurch.

(Hearst News by Longest Leased Wire.)

New York, April 27.—The anticipated merger of the Shuberts and Klaw & Erlanger, the theatrical managers, came to pass today with the incorporation of the United States Amusement company in New Jersey. By the terms of the amalgamation Klaw & Erlanger add to their interests the 23 theatres with which the Shuberts have heretofore fought the syndicate.

The "legitimate" and vaudeville enterprises throughout the country are equally affected by the merger. A. L. Erlanger is president of the new corporation, Lee Shubert vice-president and Marc Klaw treasurer. The nominal amount of capital stock issued to cover the new trust is $1,000,000, "paid in," the incorporation papers say, to cover the transfer of theatres to the amusement company by the parties to the contract.

From Shubert Bros. the trust gets playhouses in the following cities: Brooklyn, Buffalo, Chattanooga, Columbus, Denver, Kansas City, Louisville, Milwaukee, New Orleans, Pittsburg, Rochester, Springfield, Worcester and the Majestic theatre in New York. Klaw & Erlanger contribute the Trement theatre, Boston; Grand opera-house, Brooklyn; New Forrest theatre, Philadelphia, and the New York theatre here.

Will Paralyze Independents.

Just what a blow the merger strikes at the independent theatrical managers of the country is shown by the fact that Shubert Brothers were the main dependence of Belasco, Henry Miller and Mrs. Fiske in the fight they made against Klaw and Erlanger, the Frohmans and other members of the trust.

Not long ago it was announced by David Belasco that the Shuberts were with him and his colleagues, and that the trust would be fought with their aid to the bitter end. Owning so many theatres in the west, the Shuberts, standing neutral, controlled the balance of power between the trust and the independents. They were able to give any manager with whom they threw their lot enough playhouses to book any number of attractions throughout the entire dramatic season. Now that they have entered the trust, it is said the independent managers will be compelled either to stand idle half the season or else build new theatres in all the principal cities.

More Popular Price Houses.

In an announcement made tonight, Klaw and Erlanger declared:

"The new management will at once clear the theatrical atmosphere. There

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OFFER LIVES FOR TYRANNY

Twenty-Five Peasant Deputies in the Douma Visit Czar and Swear to Spend Last Drop of Blood Fighting for Autocracy

St. Petersburg, April 27.—The delegation of 25 peasant deputies of the douma who today waited upon Czar Nicholas over the protest of other douma members who insisted a caucus should select the deputation, so that it might accurately represent the views of the deputies, declared that the peasants are ready to give their last drop of their blood to preserve the autocracy. In a formally prepared address presented to the monarch the peasants' deputies said:

"We are poor and have no land. But we believe your majesty's word can accomplish miracles. We are ready to give the last drop of our blood for the preservation of the autocracy."

This swearing of allegiance to the czar, his absolute government and the autocratic regime which has been the object of attack of the reform parties and terrorists has created a great sensation. Reactionaries and supporters of the old regime are overjoyed.

They declare the address of the peasant deputies clearly indicates that the government now dominates the douma, which was expected to become revolutionary in its tendencies. Without the support of the peasants, it is declared the enemies of the government can do nothing.

It is predicted in circles friendly to the government and the autocracy that the douma, as a power in the state is a thing of the past. Consternation has been caused among the opposition parties in the douma, and it is feared they may be driven to radical measures to offset the motive of the peasants.

MYSTIC FIGURES LINK BRIBES

Entries Found in Home Telephone Books Correspond to Amounts Supervisors Confessed to Having Taken

(Hearst News by Longest Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, April 27.—To explain discrepancies found in the books of the Home Telephone company by the grand jury expert, J. A. Brown, secretary of the corporation, and E. M. Martin, treasurer, were called before the inquisitorial body today.

The period during which the men were on the stand was stormy. They objected to answering the questions put to them by Heney. When pressed by the assistant district attorney, Brown declared he would not incriminate himself.

It was the evidence turned up by William Stuart, expert accountant, who was sent to Los Angeles to go over the books of the company, that brought the two officials before the body. In the report made by the expert it was found that there were in the ledgers of the corporation several mysterious entries whose amounts tally with those sums the supervisors confessed to having received for their votes.

The manner of the witnesses was such that they were frequently warned. Their voices were raised in anger from time to time, and as the inquisitor continued to push them for replies the word "perjury" was frequently heard. The officials, in the face of the fact that the books of their company had showed the mysterious entries of significent amounts, denied that they had any personal knowledge of the bribery. For half an hour they continued to proclaim their ignorance and innocence until finally they were dismissed. It is probable they will be called again.

BOURNE OUT OF CITY CAMPAIGN

Senator Denies That He Is Building Up a Political Machine, but Makes Loyalty to Himself a Qualification for Office.

Washington, D. C., April 27.—Senator Bourne tonight gave out the following statement pertinent to the allegation that he was taking a hand in the mayoralty contest in Portland published in the Portland Spectator:

"I am not taking and have not been invited to take any part in the mayoralty contest in Portland. Neither am I attempting to build up any Bourne machine. I am simply trying to attend to official duties here to the extent of my ability.

"Under the Oregon primary law there can be no machine except the people's machine. No man is strong enough to go against the will of the people and have any following with the people. The sole duty of every public servant is to make good to the people. If he does his retention is inevitable as long as he holds his mentality and efficiency. A united congressional delegation and co-operation with the administration must give the best possible results to Oregon. In federal appointments I favor candidates possessing the following qualifications: Honesty, ability, party loyalty, loyalty to the administration and loyalty to the Oregon delegation.

"This is an application of business principles to the government service. The dominant party is responsible to the electorate for its success or failure. By the adoption of this method not set forth for the selection of federal officials the best results for the government, state and party should be obtained."

SOME BEARDED PORTLANDERS TELL WHY THEY WEAR WHISKERS

HOW SOME WELL-KNOWN PORTLANDERS WOULD LOOK, IF THEY WOULD LET THEIR WHISKERS GROW

Whiskers have always been a sacred matter to those who possessed them. They must be reverently mentioned in the presence of the growers.

"Oh, my ears and my whiskers!" cried the White Rabbit to Alice in Wonderland to express the utmost concern as to his fate if he did not hasten.

"No, no! Not by the hair of my chinny-chin-chin!" swore each of the three little pigs when the occasion warranted his most solemn swear.

Knowing the sacredness of the subject humanity in general mentions it only in hushed whispers. But now the New Jersey legislators have dared to rush in where angels feared to tread and proposed to tax beards.

They sacrilegiously classified them as liable to a higher or lower rate of taxation, according as they are ordinary whiskers, side whiskers, Vandykes, "muttonchops," or "billygoats," and according as they are red, black or white. No statement has been made concerning what class of assessable property they will fall (literally) under—household goods, improvements, merchandise, personal effects or livestock.

Everyone who wears a beard has his reason for so doing, and Portland men, proud of their possession, have experienced some fears lest the pruning epidemic come westward and they be forced to remove their hirsute appendages, or find their household expense account greatly increased. They have been given a chance to record their feelings on the matter, and have replied what they deem good and sufficient reasons why their beards should be retained. Their reasons are varied, but not one among them alleged that he was a young practitioner and wanted to impress his clients or patients with his extreme maturity.

Gray Grew His Own Whiskers.

"I don't see why my whiskers should

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