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THE EVIDENCE TO CONNECT HAYWOOD WITH CRIME

State Has as Yet Made No Case Against Chiefs of Western Federation of Miners

STORY TOLD BY ORCHARD NOT ENOUGH

Narrative Has Only Shown a Human Soul in Awful Travail, a Palpitating Tragedy, but No Convincing Proof of Conspiracy.

Prosecution Played Its Trump Card in Assassin's Vivid, Poignant Story of Fathomless Sin and Black Murder.

(By Hugh O'Neil, Special Commissioner of the Oregon Journal and Denver Post.)
Boise, Ida., June 15.—Orchard has come and Orchard has gone, and now we know that we have not been dreaming. Orchard has come and Orchard has gone, and now for the two days since his going we have been building in grain by grain, atom by atom, as some insects build in the southern seas, the white walls of fact that are to fill in the steel frame of evidence which his incredible story riveted beam to beam and beam to breastwork.

Orchard has come and Orchard has gone, and he went as he came, that breathless morning a week ago, a small, short, thick-set, inscrutable man in a gray tweed suit, looking straight before him with fathomless, fearless, wide-set eyes, believing, as he said, in the Everlasting God, and thinking—also he said—there might be sold well and cheaply if it brought indemnity throughout eternity.

What the Defense Predicted.
He told his tale to Halsey briefly and without gestures, and it gained into our ears as a dream might, a dream of prodigious, inhuman impossibilities. He told his tale in the southern seas, and so, it was a dream no more, but a biting, vivid, poignant story of fathomless sin and black murder, and if we could see it, we would see a human soul writhing through the fires of hell.

Before Orchard came the defense had told us that he never would say on the stand what he had said to McParland. He was mad, they said, or half-mad, or diseased. They doubted whether he had ever killed Steunberger. They denied that he had ever tried to kill Bradley in San Francisco. They went further and said that he had never been to San Francisco. They laughed at the story that he had ever blown up the independence depot. They did not know that he was going to charge himself with the murder of Lyte Gregory. They sneered at the attempted assassination of Governor Gebbert and Peabody and Sherman Bell. They said he was a degenerate, a craven, cowering fugitive, with no heart for any fight and no faith in any God.

What the Defense Realized.
They predicted immediate and final annihilation of McParland. They said McParland had grown old and foolish, a slippered pantaloon, gibbering in vain things, mouthing of his past. They were prepared to sweep away the whole case of the state in less than 24 hours. They were prepared to prove that the whole thing was a foolish and vain and wicked conspiracy. They were prepared for anything. They were prepared for everything.

But they were not prepared for Orchard; the man who said that he believed in a life after death and wanted to make his peace with God and wanted to tell the truth. He was for them a problem in the fourth dimension, and they left him quite unsolved.

And so did we. He admitted arson; he admitted bigamy; he admitted murder; he admitted burglary; he admitted assassination attempted and assassination failed; he admitted lying; he admitted

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MAD CZAR DISSOLVES HIS DOUMA

Newspaper Criticism Will Be Considered Crime to Be Punishable by Fine of Fifteen Hundred Dollars and Jail Term.

Refusal of Lower House to Approve Arrest of Men Accused of Plotting to Wreck Government Given as Emperor's Excuse.

(Hearst News by Longest Leased Wire.)
St. Petersburg, June 15.—2 a. m.—An order has been issued by General Drachevskiy, prefect of St. Petersburg, directed to the municipal press and announcing that any article appearing inimical to the government will be considered a misdemeanor and punishable by a fine of \$1500 and three months imprisonment in jail.

This is the most drastic order issued since the days of the black reaction. If it is enforced it will entail the suppression of every liberal newspaper in the city. The socialist Tvarisch has thrown up the sponge and will attempt to disappear this morning, feeling that suppression is inevitable.

The sleeping populace was aroused this morning by the tramping of additional transports and by evening the guard of the city will be doubled. Soldiers are camping in the streets. Possible collisions between strikers and the soldiers are anticipated for today, but the revolutionaries are not strong enough to cope with the troops.

Provision for Future.
When Emperor Nicholas affixed his signature to the imperial ukase abolishing the douma, he ordered that election to his successor, which is to meet November 14, be held under the new election law, which provides against the submergence of the educated classes by the uneducated masses.

This act was a virtual coup d'etat, overriding the provisions of the constitution of the realm proclaimed by the emperor on the eve of his coronation of the first douma. It was declared that the electoral can never be changed without the consent of parliament itself.

Lower House Abolished.
The threat of the czar to dissolve the douma was carried out tonight after the recalcitrant members of the lower house had announced an adjournment to Monday instead of replying to the government's demand for the exclusion of the 55 social democrats accused of a conspiracy against the government and the approval of the arrest of the 16 deputies accused of being leaders in the conspiracy.

When an order was issued this afternoon, that the members of the douma had not only refused to acquiesce to the emperor's immediate action on the sensational indictment against the 55 deputies, but had also, in order to delay the issue, moved an adjournment to Monday, the czar's cabinet gave orders that troops be sent at once to surround and close the Tauride palace, where the douma has held its sessions, and to prevent any one entering the building.

Dissolved After Midnight.
He was induced, however, to reconsider this action, as it was represented that in the present temper of the people a bloody clash might result. Therefore the edict of dissolution was not promulgated until after midnight.

DIVORCE REVEALS SECRET MARRIAGE AND ENDS ROMANCE OF THE GORDONS

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The first intimation that the Gordon infidelities had come to an abrupt end was received over the telephone last evening when Miss Lerch said to The Journal over the wire: "Wake up! Get next! I got divorced at Oregon City this afternoon."

McBride Grants Divorce.
The judicial words which severed the nuptial knot of the Gordons were thus cleared up a part of the mystery surrounding the couple, were pronounced by Judge McBride. The divorce suit itself came as an afterthought of a suit which Gordon had filed to quiet title to property in which his wife claimed an equity.

The court began hearing testimony in the case Friday, but continued the session until yesterday, when Gordon took the stand. He claimed that the woman had repeatedly disrupted various real estate sales by appearing about the time they were to be consummated and asserting her right to title in the property.

While giving his testimony the matter of his marriage so discomfited Gordon that he first asserted that she was not Mrs. Gordon. Half an hour later he changed his mind and testified that they had been married in Vancouver some seven or eight years ago. He didn't remember just how long ago. Then the question of the dummy, whom Mrs. Gordon influenced into posing as E. S. Gordon and married at Vancouver over a year ago, was brought up, but before the mystery surrounding this man who impersonated Mr. Gordon No. 1 could be swept away, the lid was closed down tight.

Attorneys Discomfited.
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Wealthy Coos Bay Lumberman Ends Quarrels With Nemesis—Denies Marriage, Then Admits It—She Secures Divorce.

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REPAY PIERCE FOR KINDNESS

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Austin, Tex., June 15.—With the filing of a bid in the sum of \$2,500,000 by John Kirby today, the receivership in the Waters-Pierce Oil company's case was vacated and the company will be enabled to continue its business in Texas until its appeals are disposed of. It is not thought probable that the appeals can be decided before two years' time.

Behind the signing of the bond by Kirby is a story of how he repaid the friendship of Clay Pierce, who five years ago, according to Kirby, Pierce at that time was on his bond for \$150,000. This saved him from ruin. In the bond Kirby made an affidavit to being worth more than \$3,000,000 in property in Texas. Had it not been for the fact that Pierce went on his bond, Kirby would have been ruined by financial pressure. Thus he repaid Pierce's friendship.

Salem High School Defeated.
(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Salem, Ore., June 15.—The West Side high school baseball team of Portland today defeated the Salem high school team in eleven innings; score 5 to 3.

UNDERTAKERS REFUSE TO CONDUCT FUNERAL OF CONCRETE CORPSE

(Publishers' Press by Special Leased Wire.)
Boston, Mass., June 15.—Unable to find an undertaker willing to bury the remains of Herman Unger, the Pittsburgh suicide, Unger's brother Odd follows here have written to his home lodge asking them to take charge of their embarrassing bequest.

Difficulty arises from the fact that in pursuance of Unger's dying request, the Odd Fellows of Boston had his body cremated and mixed the ashes with cement, making a concrete brick weighing over 100 pounds.

For several days this huge brick was lying in the yard of the water proofing company. Not only have undertakers refused to handle it, but Hebrew cemeteries have declined to receive it because Unger was a suicide. The Odd Fellows have a burial cemetery, however, and unless the undertakers make terms, the Odd Fellows take charge, Unger's remains are likely to bake in the sun at the brickyard for an indefinite period.

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AMERICANS WILL SOON BE IDIOTS

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Minneapolis, June 15.—The American people are becoming a nation of idiots. There can be no legitimate question about the fact, for indisputable evidence, figures and statistics were presented by the national conference of charities and corrections by Dr. J. H. Kellogg of Michigan.

Weak-kneed, bear-eyed, whobby and various other things is the fate which Dr. Kellogg holds out. And the summation of this dire fate is not far distant. Three hundred years from now the people of the state of Illinois will be driving idiots without even resembling quality. The state of Illinois was taken as an example, and when the state of Illinois goes crazy the rest of the nation is expected to follow in line.

Dr. Kellogg, with earnest enthusiasm, painted the picture of a nation of slant-heads, a condition of mind in which even the wise ones of Chicago and contiguous suburbs would participate.

"In just 50 years," said Dr. Kellogg, with his finger on the statistical key, "insanity has increased 300 per cent. Not only is the race going to the demagogue, but the race is going to the demagogue."

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GIGANTIC POSTAL SCANDAL UNEARTHED BY INSPECTORS

Secret Investigation of the Office of Assistant Postmaster Results in Alarming Disclosures—Large Sums Lost to Government in Road Contracts.

Washington, D. C. June 15.—A post-office scandal that threatens to assume even greater proportions than that which involved Rathbone and his confederates in Cuba several years ago, was revealed today when it was learned that a secret investigation of the office of the second assistant postmaster general has been under way for two months in which disclosures have already been made to show losses of millions of dollars to the government in mail contracts.

The investigation began shortly after W. S. Shallenberger was succeeded by Congressman McCreary to the position of second assistant postmaster general and has been prosecuted silently and thoroughly by expert postoffice inspectors in every part of the country.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY MANNING'S ORDER TO CLOSE ALL THE SALOONS ON SUNDAYS WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED BY POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Fashionable Clubs Having Bars Have Also Been Notified That No Liquor May Be Served to Members—Some to Respect Decision.

District Attorney Manning's Order to Close All the Saloons on Sundays Will Be Strictly Enforced by Police Department.

Portland saloon men will make a test of the Sunday closing law today, according to indications. While as a general thing the saloons will remain closed it is expected a few of them will disregard District Attorney John Manning's injunction and open their doors as usual.

In spite of the evident intention to fight the dictum of the district attorney, however, it is generally believed that Portland will be a thirsty city today. While certain places may open as usual for the purpose of testing the authority of the district attorney, yet the police have been given strict instructions to see that all places are closed.

Police Will Enforce Order.
If this order is enforced, and Chief Grimsbacher says it will be, then the saloonkeepers will be arrested as fast as they disobey the order, and their places will be ordered shut by the policemen. This action will afford the material for a test of the law, but at the same time not ally much threat.

Excursions to Wet Places.
Third consumed residents of Portland are planning to take no chances and crowded excursions will leave the city in every direction bound for those places where the Manning lid does not reach. Special arrangements have been made at Vancouver, Astoria and other places to handle large crowds and many are planning to leave the Rose City early and return late.

There has been no change in the situation and both sides are resting quietly. The state law is being made the lid tight while the liquor men predict that the courts will be asked to interpret the law. Whatever the decision, the liquor men say they will abide by the decision of the court.

FUNERAL FOLLOWS FOOLHARDY WAGER

(Hearst News by Longest Leased Wire.)
North Vernon, Ind., June 15.—Charles Dawson bantered Fred Ochs to see who could remain on the railroad tracks the longest before a freight train, which was approaching.

The time of his funeral has not yet been fixed. Ochs was so badly injured that he will not be able to attend. He was barely able today to tell the details of their foolhardiness and its tragic results.

ROOSEVELT ONLY CANDIDATE LEFT TO REPUBLICAN PARTY

President Logical Choice of Next Convention as Taft and Knox Are in Positions Which Forbid Their Standing Upon Platforms Built by Executive.

(Publishers' Press by Special Leased Wire.)
Washington, June 15.—The signs of the times as analyzed by political minds are unerringly to Theodore Roosevelt as the only man who can stand squarely on the Roosevelt platform which he has already outlined for his party and his successor.

The belief is becoming strengthened that the president has presented policies of such striking importance as to inevitably make him the logical choice in the next national convention. Although the subjects of an income or a progressive inheritance tax will have no place in the Republican platform and while it is conceded that governmental ownership of public coal and oil lands and an eight-hour day, federal

incorporation or licensing of interstate corporations and characterization of power will be ignored in the declaration of party doctrine, these, undoubtedly, will be the issues upon which the nominating struggle will be fought out.

Taft Not Logical.
Some of the most striking of the policies which the president has declared must be perpetuated if he can accomplish it are: fastening upon employers full liability for injury to the employee and child labor; further regulation of interstate carriers to include their operation within a state as well as between states; legislation to prevent abuse of government by injunction. There never was the possibility of Secretary Taft, the administration's presidential favorite, executing the president's policies in substance as well

as in spirit. It is believed that the last four policies enumerated, and some of them advocated only quite recently, will prove a stumbling block of formidable dimensions to the folks in the confidential councils of the administration intimate that he cannot accept them without stultifying himself.

It is Secretary Taft's enunciation as a doctrine of vested rights and the illegality of employees banding together to deprive their employers of their labor, or the labor of others, that blazes the way for other "government by injunction" decisions, according to labor leaders.

Knox Out of Harmony.
Senator Knox, who has been spoken of as the administration's second choice, following his endorsement by the Pennsylvania Republicans, could never subscribe to the belief that the constitution gives the general government the right to regulate interstate carriers within a state, or to control all corporations within a state by denying their products transmission by interstate carriers.

During the consideration of the railroad rate bill he took issue with the president upon limiting the former of the courts. The senator was known as a "broad court review man" and his stand lost him prestige because he appeared to have the admiration of the railroads.