

GETS DESERVED BLOW ON JAW

Officious Collector Interferes With Wedding Ceremony and Is Thrashed.

Rule No. 1—If you are best man at a wedding and an officious bill collector attempts to present a dun to the bridegroom, as the wedding party is leaving the church, the proper course of action is to swat the collector in the jaw.

It was the above rule and the execution of its provisions that brought about the undoing yesterday of E. L. Cantonwine. Robert Cahill and Miss Freda Grischau were to be married at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. As the wedding party approached, there was Cantonwine, an officious collector, who held in his hand a bill for \$2.50 for wedding invitations printed and delivered.

Cantonwine pressed forward, but before he could get within dunning range the doors of the church closed behind the party and presently the voice of Father Murphy could be heard repeating the solemn words of the marriage ceremony. Then the doors of the church swung outward and the wedding party was seen approaching.

Cantonwine was still waiting at the church. This time he was not to be denied. He presented the bill, together with an emphatic demand for its immediate payment. Then the unexpected happened. Cahill raised a strong arm to ward off interference and the best man applied rule No. 1.

Cantonwine picked up his hat and his bill, brushed the mud from his clothes and concluded he had made a mistake. The pretty bride pressed her husband's arm in approval, smiled her thanks to the bolliest best man, and the incident was closed.

It appears that some wedding invitations were ordered of Cantonwine, and that he had been instructed to delay putting them on the press until such a time as the attorney had received the bill could be fixed upon. Instead of doing this, it is claimed, he arbitrarily fixed the hour of 9 o'clock as the time for the ceremony, printed the invitations and delivered them. Payment was refused on the ground of violation of contract.

It was when Cantonwine had failed to collect his bill in the ordinary course that he hit upon the plan of waiting at the church.

LAYS BARE SECRETS

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not be involved in any conspiracy because of his harshness and unbending attitude towards the fencing case when the witness had visited him in Portland. Hendricks said that he did not remember the attorney pleading guilty, but he had had it because Hall had been harsh with him when he first went to see him.

Immunity Pact.
The witness then went on to testify in his answer to Judge Webster's questions that he had had a conversation with T. E. Neuhausen more than a year ago regarding his pleading guilty to the land fencing charge. He had gone to his attorney Henry McGinn, the witness continued on Sunday, January 12, the day he had reached Portland for the opening of the trial and had told McGinn that he was going to plead guilty, making the attorney to send for Neuhausen as he wanted to talk the matter over.

Hendricks said he had been convicted of subornation of perjury and innocent of the charge and that he had come to the conclusion he stood no chance against the government. Besides he was guilty of the land fencing charge and so concluded that he would confess. He had not been called on to plead Monday, when the case was opened, though he had been read to do so at that time.

Neuhausen the witness said, had promised to do what he could to have the witness pay a fine but this promise was given with the stipulation that Hendricks was to tell all he knew of the workings of the Butte Creek land case and the connection of Hall with the conspiracy.

Judge Webster then began to examine the witness on his knowledge of the fraudulent nature of the proofs made before him. This brought strenuous objections from Mr. Henry, who contended that the witness was intending to plead his former case, that the claims had been used against him as evidence in that case, and that the government had not questioned him in regard to these matters out of a spirit of fairness to the witness.

Judge Webster contended, however, that he had a right to ask the questions as he did and the court sustained him through Hendricks pleading guilty as a defendant to avoid the ordeal.

Didn't Know Lead.
Continuing under the ruling of the court the witness testified that he did not know where the lead was that the men filed on whether the witness on the claims as required. He admitted that he was practically certain that the claims were being taken for the benefit of Zachary and the company and that either Zachary or the company were paying for them.

The witness said he had never tried to cross-examine the witnesses, as the law required, and contended with some heat that he had not done so because the United States had ever done such a thing up to a short time ago. He justified his actions by the custom of the courts in the United States, which he claimed he had never lived on their claims except theoretically.

Hendricks also said that Loomis had had an investigation and had suggested to him that he have the claimants on their claims when he visited the land. The men had visited the claimants, however, much to the disgust, not only of Loomis, but of witness as well.

B. Zachary, another confederate, will in all probability be the next witness for the government, he having pleaded guilty to the charge against him yesterday afternoon. Following him it is expected that W. W. Steiwer will be called to the stand by the government. There is also a rumor that F. P. Mays, brother of E. M. Mays, will take the stand as against Hall, though not giving testimony which would involve his brother.

Fred W. Ball, Captain J. H. Alexander, a special agent, J. Lauren Combs, C. Henry Neuhausen, W. S. Thompson and J. C. Yantis were on the stand during the afternoon session yesterday giving testimony regarding the fencing of the Butte Creek pasture.

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MORE ADDITIONS TO CAR SERVICE

Express Cars to Run on 10-Minute Schedule on the Mount Scott Line.

As an evidence of the desire of the Portland Railway, Light & Power company to handle its east side traffic satisfactorily the following program will go into effect Monday, January 27.

During the rush hours of morning and evening the Mount Scott cars will not make any stops to take on or let off passengers between Grand avenue and Mount Scott Junction or Forty-eighth street. Additional cars will be put on service to the Mount Scott line and a 10-minute regular service on Hawthorne avenue.

The present system of operating Mount Scott line with two-car trains has proved satisfactory, but during the rush hours of morning and evening a 10-minute headway during the day, and a 10-minute headway on Hawthorne avenue as far east as Forty-eighth street.

The Mount Scott cars will also do local business on Hawthorne avenue except during the rush hours of morning and evening. This gives a through service to the Mount Scott line and a 10-minute regular service on Hawthorne avenue. The present system of operating Mount Scott line with two-car trains has proved satisfactory, but during the rush hours of morning and evening a 10-minute headway during the day, and a 10-minute headway on Hawthorne avenue as far east as Forty-eighth street.

Should the above additions to the east side service not meet the requirements the company declares it will then be ready still further to increase the facilities afforded for regular and comfortable service.

SOCIALISTS DEFY

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Chief of Police Shippy has made preparations to call out the entire police force if such a witness is necessary to prevent the demonstration. Realizing that his plans would be interfered with by the police, the leaders of the Socialist party made an effort to call the march off, but failed. The unemployed would not listen to any change in the original plans and declared they would show their strength in spite of the police.

When the idle men took this stand Ben Reitman, self-styled "King of Tramps," issued a general order for the parade.

"We will march and the police will not terrorize us," declared Reitman, who will lead every man who will join me. If the police are determined to shoot us down let them do it. My mind is made up. I would sooner be dead than live in a country where brutal authority tramples on the rights of citizens. This condition of affairs has gone too far. Let the police start to club us there will be hell."

Braving an attack of 200 policemen who had been instructed to prevent the proposed demonstration, 3,000 Chicago men unemployed, under the leadership of Ben Reitman, self-styled "King of the Tramps," started on their march from the lake front to the city hall.

The parade had proceeded but a short distance when Reitman, in the midst of a speech, was jammed in the streets along the line of march, blocking all traffic, was taken in custody by the police. The arrest of their leader seemed to stir the marchers new life rather than discourage them, and while Reitman was being led to the city hall his followers marched on.

When the crowd of unemployed gathered on the lake front they were greeted by Reitman. They formed a long line and an envelope of "King of Tramps" to give the signal to start.

Several hundred were in line when Reitman, standing out in front of the crowd, gave the word. Then the police charged the mob and scattered it in all directions. In spite of this attack Reitman quickly formed another line with 3,000 men and marched through the crowded streets until he was nabbed by Chief Shippy's men.

THAW BEGGED
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White the former cherished a hatred for the architect.
"Thaw characterized White as a blackguard, a pest, and frequently expressed surprise how any woman could yield to the influence of a man who was red-headed and resembled an ape," said Dr. Wagner.
Dr. Wagner proved an excellent witness for the defense, giving testimony in a clear, calm manner, and employing the most convincing technical terms. It was apparent that the jury paid close attention to his words. He may be on the stand the remainder of the day.
General Express Messengers.
Counsel representing Harry J. Kendall Thaw, on trial for the murder of Dr.

We Are Now Scooping Out Groceries!

Two More Days of Free Groceries

FRIDAY and SATURDAY are the last days to secure groceries absolutely free with purchases throughout our entire store, besides every article sold at special clearance sale prices.

Don't be blind to your own interests—you can just as well have a bunch of free groceries every week as not. I am no kicker—I believe in Portland—I believe in her people—and if we all would go ahead and—DO—TRY—WORK—to the best of our abilities—instead of getting scared until we imagine we can see the shadow of the poorhouse gates—there would be no hard times. I say, help yourself to the best of your ability—if you don't, nothing will be doing. That's what I think and what I am doing.

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Values up to \$3.50
\$1.65
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There will be matinees on both days. The great fight took place in London on December 1, the American heavyweight winning in 10 rounds, knocking the Briton cold with a punch on the jaw.

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CHIEF RIPS OFF POLICE CENSOR

Gratzmacher Asks Aid of Newspapermen in Return for Giving Out News.

The police censor is out of a job. Chief of Police Gratzmacher issued an order last night to the captains of police under his command to the effect that in the future they are at liberty to act as human beings and exercise such common sense as has been vouchsafed them by a kindly providence. The order follows: "Captains of Police—It is not the

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\$1.95 for Men's \$3.00 Dress Shoes, any size.
\$2.95 for Men's \$5.00 High-Top Shoes, in tan or black, for one day only.
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49¢ for Men's \$2.00 Dress Pants, in black only.
25¢ for Boys' \$2.50 Overcoats, small sizes.
5¢ for Boys' Odd Coat Collars, slightly damaged.
\$1.00 for Boys' \$2.50 and \$3.50 Suits, all sizes.
9¢ for all styles of Men's Vests, all sizes.
25¢ for Youths' and Men's Overalls, blue, with bib.
\$2.50 for Men's \$5.50 Aquapelle Full-Length Coats.

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\$2.50 for \$7.50 Long Coats, stylish and well made.
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48¢ for Men's \$1.50 Embroidered House Slippers.
95¢ for Boys' \$1.50 School Shoes, all sizes.
\$1.10 for Ladies' Fine Vici Kid Shoes, worth \$2.50.

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GOODWIN FUNERAL HELD THIS MORNING

The funeral services of S. Allen Goodwin the former member of the Ben Treat company, who died here Monday, were conducted by the Rev. Mr. Lees, of the English Lutheran church at Finley's undertaking rooms this morning. A few friends of the deceased man were present at the simple ceremony and a quartet from the English Lutheran church sang several hymns. The interment was at Greenwood cemetery. The British Benevolent society of this city had charge of the arrangements.

FINISH TITLE EXAMINATION SOON

The examination of the affairs of the Title Guaranty & Trust company, which is being made at the request of A. M. Crawford, attorney general of Oregon, is to be completed in about two weeks. The report is then to be made to Judge Wolverton of the United States district court. Examiner Collins appeared before the court this morning and stated that within two weeks time he thought his work would be finished.

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