

### HERMIT'S ARREST CALMS FEARS OF TIMOROUS ONES

#### Bearded "Wildman" Had Terrorized Residents of Johnson Creek—Carried Dynamite and Garter Snakes.

Residents of the Johnson creek country are much pleased over the arrest of a man who has for some time inhabited the brush and lived as a wildman, terrorizing women and children by his occasional visits to farmhouses in search of food. His capture is due to United States Deputy Marshal McSwain. McSwain did not go man hunting yesterday, but went on a pleasure trip along the banks of Johnson creek. His attention was attracted by the strange action of a rough clad, bearded man, who peered from behind a log and was calculated to inspire terror by his wild appearance.

McSwain engaged the man in conversation and he talked willingly, but with a strong foreign accent. He showed his visitor a five gallon oil can, in which a number of small garter snakes were carefully covered with a cloth. He said these were for making medicine. The man was barefooted, and on looking for his socks, McSwain was startled by finding one of them filled with dynamite sticks, caps and fuses. There were eight sticks of the explosive.

Upon making this discovery, McSwain telephoned to Gresham for assistance and an automobile was sent from that place. The man made no resistance, but insisted upon taking his can of snakes to jail with him. He also quit talking English, which he spoke fluently enough at first, and adopted a foreign jargon. He is believed to be an Austrian. No information could be obtained from him after he learned he was in charge of officers.

While waiting for the arrival of officers from Gresham the wild man showed McSwain the picture of a woman in the society column of an old newspaper.

paper. "That other fellow kill her like this," he said, indicating a thrust with a knife. "He kill her. This thing got to stop."

While there is only the remotest suspicion that this man knows anything of the Hill murder, the residents of the Johnson creek country feel less nervous now that he is removed from his haunts in the woods. He is said to have entered many houses, without the formality of knocking, to ask for eggs and other food, and what he might have done with his supply of dynamite is a matter of speculation.

### WANT POOL TABLES IN ONE BIG ROOM

#### Burgard Prepares Ordinance Providing for Unobstructed View of Players.

Councilman John H. Burgard is preparing an ordinance providing that all pool and billiard rooms shall be open to the view of the public and that the tables operated in such places shall all be in one large room free from alcoves and partitions.

"I will submit this ordinance as a substitute for the one introduced two weeks ago, providing for the closing of pool and billiard rooms Sundays," said Mr. Burgard this morning. "In addition to the provision relating to the unobstructed view of the cue resorts, I will ask that a license fee be charged for each pool and billiard table. I am not in favor of closing amusement establishments of this character Sundays any more than week days. If they are all right on week days they should be permitted to operate Sundays, also, and if not, they should be closed altogether."

#### Wages Raised in Germany.

In Thuringia, Germany, owing to the increase in the cost of living, wages have been raised in many of the factories during the last year or two. The daily working time has been reduced from 10 to 9 hours in the glass factories.

### OBJECT OF GRANT TRIAL EXPLAINED

#### Presbyterian Church Must Retain Doctrinal Authority, Says Rev. Babcock.

(Salem Bureau of The Journal.)  
Salem, Or., June 19.—That in the trial of ministers and teachers on charges of heresy, the Presbyterian church does not presume to try their sincerity as ministers, or their state of belief, but only their right to preach or teach by the authority of the Presbyterian church, doctrines that are not in conformity with the doctrines of the church, was the declaration of Rev. Henry T. Babcock, of the Presbyterian church, of Salem yesterday, in addressing a large audience on the subject of the trial of Dr. Grant by the 113rd General assembly of the Presbyterian church in America at its recent session in Atlantic City. Mr. Babcock was one of Oregon's commissioners to the general assembly and participated in rendering the verdict convicting Dr. Grant.

"The significant thing in connection with the conviction of Dr. Grant," declared Rev. Babcock, "was that the ministers of the assembly had the courage to take an action which was sure to meet with much popular disapproval so that they might affirm their faith in the deity of Christ. Dr. Grant was found guilty of being false to his vows as a Presbyterian minister and was suspended from the church until such a time as he should renounce his doctrines to his own presbytery and pledge his faith to the confession of the church. But the case was up to general assembly on an appeal from presbytery and the lower body had already acquitted Dr. Grant and he had published his confession so his reinstatement is only a matter of a short time."

#### Day of Kerezy Trials Not Done.

Rev. Mr. Babcock made it plain that the age of heresy trials had by no means passed in the Presbyterian church, but that the ministers and elders of that church stood at ready to defend the system of doctrines

against the onrush of the modern wave of free thought. He quoted Dr. Princeton as saying that 100 years ago the test of truth was found in what the Bible said of it, but that now the Bible itself was being tested. Upon motion of Dr. Wiley of New York City a committee headed by the dominating spirit of the assembly, Moderator Dr. Carson, was appointed to work to bring about a closer cooperation and a better understanding between the Presbyterian church and Union Theological seminary. This school has for years been under the ban of the Presbyterian church because of the liberal views of the deity of Christ and of the Bible held by its professors.

#### Assembly Keeps Present Size.

Another significant feature of the work of the general assembly was its failure to decrease the representation of presbyteries in order to make the assembly smaller. Although sentiment in favor of a smaller assembly was strong, legal obstacles were interposed to prevent action. When it was found that to consolidate two home missionary boards for instance would endanger property rights, a suggestion was made to have the same directors rule both, which meant consolidation in fact but not in name. Dr. Moffitt prevailed against this move by declaring that such action would be to follow the example of the great corporation mergers of the country in violating the law while seeming to follow out the letter of the law.

### STORM ISOLATES TOKIO; HEAVY LOSS REPORTED

(United Press London Wire.)  
Tokio, June 19.—A severe storm is raging throughout Japan today and heavy losses and severe damage are reported.

Communication inland is cut off and Tokio today is virtually isolated except by cable.

#### Millmen Return to Work.

Six hundred millmen in St. Louis, who had been on strike for two months, have returned to work, a satisfactory agreement with the employers having been reached.

Journal Want Ads bring results.

### EPISCOPALIANS CLOSE MEETING

#### Twenty-Third Annual Convention Ends—Election of Officers Held.

The Twenty-third annual convention of the Episcopal church closed yesterday, when a number of country clergymen filled the city pulpits of the Episcopal church and told of their work in different parts of the state.

Following is a complete result of the elections to the offices and boards for the ensuing year:  
Standing committee—Rev. H. M. Ramsey, Rev. H. R. Talbot, Rev. Barr G. Lee, Dr. S. E. Joseph, R. L. Gilman, H. D. Ramsdell; chancellor of the diocese, Rodney L. Gilman; secretary and registrar, Rev. W. A. M. Brock; treasurer, R. W. Hastings.

#### Board of Church Extension.

Rev. H. M. Ramsey, Rev. John Dawson, Rev. H. M. Ramsey, Rev. C. W. Baker, Rev. H. D. Chambers, Rev. T. F. Bowen, Rev. H. R. Talbot, H. D. Ramsdell, J. N. Desandorf, G. C. Burton, C. N. Huggins, C. P. Pfahler, A. E. Anderson, W. Whitfield.

#### Hospital Trustees.

Rev. J. Dawson, Rev. T. F. Bowen, Rev. H. R. Talbot, R. L. Gilman, Dr. George F. Wilson, Dr. S. E. Joseph.

#### Episcopal Fund Trustees.

Rev. T. F. Bowen, Rev. Barr G. Lee, Rev. C. W. Robinson, H. D. Ramsdell, William Macmasters, George C. Nicholson.

#### Board of Equalization and Assessments.

Dr. S. E. Joseph, James Laidlaw, H. D. Ramsdell, W. R. Hastings, Rev. W. A. M. Brock.

Delegates to Missionary Conference—Rev. H. R. Talbot, Rev. H. M. Ramsey, Rev. William Lucas, Rev. H. D. Chambers, A. C. Newell, C. E. Pfahler, F. B. West, Frank Spittle.

Auditors—James Laidlaw, W. C. Al-

vord, J. C. Robinson.  
Social Service Committee—Rev. H. R. Talbot, Rev. H. M. Ramsey, Rev. Jerrald Potts, Rev. John Dawson, C. A. Bell, R. Hahn, Dr. L. W. Hyde.  
Licensed Lay Readers—J. Laidlaw, G. C. Burton, Mr. Swanton, Dr. Fixott, Mr. Spittle.  
Sunday School Committee—Rev. Jerrald Potts, Rev. W. B. Hamilton, Rev. Barr G. Lee, Ralph Hahn, Mr. Withercombe.  
Emmanuel, parish, Marshfield, and Grace Memorial parish, Irvington, and St. Michael's mission, Rosemead, were admitted into membership with the convention.

Important legislative action was taken in doing away with the old method of taking periodical canonical offerings for missions, and there was substituted a systematic plan of the weekly duplex envelope, a missionary committee in every parish and an every member canvasser.

#### "SWEAT" TO BE APPLIED

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ler in the woods back of the Deik home. The officers do not believe the man was in the woods or that he was seen by their informant and they think he may be able to explain why he gave them what they think to have been false information.

#### Dogs Bent Back.

While the bloodhounds were hunting through the woods he ran up to where Sheriff Mason and Stevens were standing, told them he had seen the man run through the woods, as if chased by the dogs. McDermott, who ran the dogs, saw nothing of the man nor did any of the deputies who surrounded the woods and beat through them up as far as the Deik house.

The dogs were taken back to Washington last night, it being evident so long a time had lapsed since the murder of the Hills that they were useless in the case. It was hoped they might find the trail of O'Brien's assailant but as the man dropped no article of clothing and as there was nothing else from which to take the scent, this was found to be impossible.

#### New Suspect.

Two suspects were arrested yesterday on the chance they might know something of the case. Informations charging them with insanity were filed

### WILL NOT PERMIT WOODEN BUILDINGS

#### Councilman Burgard on Trail of School Board—Inspector to Investigate.

"I have been informed," said Councilman John H. Burgard today, "that the board of education is constructing wooden school building additions in defiance of the city building code. If this is a fact the board should be prevented from violating the law and I shall take steps to see that it is prevented."

City Building Inspector H. E. Plummer says that no permit has been issued from his office for any frame school building addition and that if such construction is under way that he does not know it. He said he would investigate the matter.

The school board has been persistent in its efforts to persuade the city council to amend the present building code so that many additions to wooden school edifices could be built. An ordinance providing for such additions came before the council at its meeting last week, but was laid on the table.

against both by Sheriff Stevens this morning.

At the least one of them, Edward Ramsey, who was arrested opposite the Oaks by Deputy Sheriff Leonard, has been terrorizing suburbanites southeast of the city for the past three years. He has been wandering around, living in the woods and stealing his food. He came down the river from the mouth of Johnson creek on an improvised craft yesterday and landed on a little island across from the Oaks. Here Leonard caught him and brought him to jail.

Felix Cassut, the other supposedly insane man, had a can of garter snakes and a sock containing five sticks of dynamite, for neither of which he was able to give a coherent explanation.

Journal Want Ads bring results.

Manicuring and Hair Dressing Parlors, 2d Floor—Take Lunch in Our Tea Room, 4th Floor—Bakery Department, 4th Floor  
Marlette Corsets—Mme. Helene, Marquise, Royal Worcester and Bon Ton—Howd, La Beau, Rengo Belt Corsets—2d Floor

### Summer Bedding Reduced

The most complete stock of Summer Bedding in the city is here for your choosing.



- \$1.25 Comf'ts 95c
  - \$6 Comf'ts \$4.75
- In the big Bedding Store, 3d floor, we will place on sale 8 different lines of Comforts in the Summer weight, filled with pure white cotton, covered with silkoline, dimity or silk. Reduced at follows:
- Regular \$1.25 Comforts at only, ea. 95c
  - Regular \$2.00 Comforts at only \$1.45
  - Regular \$2.50 Comforts at only \$1.95
  - Regular \$2.75 Comforts at only \$2.10
  - Regular \$3.50 Comforts at only \$2.85
  - Regular \$3.75 Comforts at only \$2.95
  - Regular \$5.50 Comforts at only \$4.25
  - Regular \$6.00 Comforts at only \$4.75

### \$1.75 Camping Blankets at \$1.45

Heigh Ho! for the mountains. We'll pitch camp on the highest peak. Must have good, warm blankets. Here's a heavy cotton fleece blanket, in tan or gray; good sellers \$1.75, for \$1.45

### Reg. \$5 Vicuna Blankets at \$3.25

The best of all the good ones for outing use. The Vicuna is easy to clean, it's a good, warm blanket for either coast or mountains. A regular \$5.00 value, offered special at, pair \$3.25

### Wool Blankets \$3.25 Vals. \$2.65

The plain gray—ideal for camping or household use. Hotels and rooming-houses might well lay in a good supply.

- \$3.25 Wool Blankets priced at \$2.65
- \$4.00 Wool Blankets priced at \$3.25
- \$5.00 Wool Blankets priced at \$3.75

### Big Sale Women's Gowns

In the big Underwear Store, 2d floor, 1000 fine quality Gowns, made of very good grade material. Neatly trimmed and styled in every imaginable design. Come early.

\$1.50 Gowns, special 98¢	\$2.50 Gowns, special \$1.69	\$3.50 Gowns at \$2.29
\$1.75 Gowns, special \$1.19	\$2.75 Gowns, special \$1.89	\$4.00 Gowns at \$2.69
\$2.00 Gowns, special \$1.39	\$3.00 Gowns, special \$1.99	

### \$20.00 Curtains for \$8.48

Real hand-made Battenberg Curtains, a broken lot. Only 20 pairs in this offering worth regular to \$20, on special sale at low price, pair \$8.48

## 20,000 Pairs Lace Curtains 30 to 50 Per Cent Discount

Tomorrow we will launch our Annual Clean-Up Sale of Lace Curtains, in order to reduce stock and close out all odd pairs and broken lines before our buyer starts to market—This sale affords the broadest range for choosing of any Lace Curtain sale that has ever been held in Portland—New homefurnishers who are in need of curtains for the whole house, those who are housecleaning and find need for but one or two pairs, hotel and rooming-houses may now renew their curtains at a great saving from the regular prices

- \$1.25 Curtains for 98c
- \$2.00 Curtains at \$1.38
- \$2.25 Cable Nets \$1.28
- \$2.75 Nott'hams \$1.89
- Real Cluny Curtains Regular \$6 Values for \$3.48

### Brussels Curtains \$7.50 Vals. \$3.98

Ten patterns in real Brussels Curtains in dainty designs, suitable for living rooms; very striking \$7.50 values, offered special for this sale at low price of only, pair \$3.98

### \$3.00 Irish Points Only \$1.48 a Pair

500 pairs of Irish Point Curtains in ecru color, patterns which will appeal to people of good taste; \$3.00 Cur- \$1.48

### \$30.00 Curtains Now \$11.49

600 pairs of hand-made imported Lace Curtains, in white and Arabian colors. Regular values for \$30.00 pair \$11.49

### \$17.50 Arabians Now \$9.49

A splendid assortment of hand-made Arabian Lace Curtains in good, desirable patterns; regular \$17.50 values, undepreciated for this sale, special at only, the pair \$9.49

### Sale Women's Drawers

Women's Drawers in the open or closed styles, made with fitted yokes, umbrellas or butterfly styles; or of fine muslin, cambric or longcloth; lace or embroidery trimmed.

75c DRAWERS AT 49¢	\$1.50 DRAWERS AT \$1.19	\$2.00 DRAWERS AT \$1.65
\$1 DRAWERS AT 69¢	\$1.75 DRAWERS AT \$1.39	\$2.50 DRAWERS AT \$1.89

### Great Sale of French China in Odd Lines

We are closing out odd lines of Decorated French China at extra special prices. These are specially suitable for Summer homes and extras for entertaining. All this week we price them at great savings, thus:

- Bread and Butter Plates, \$1.75 vals., doz. \$1.00
- Bread and Butter Plates, \$2.00 vals., doz. \$1.35
- \$1.25 doz. Fruit Saucers, only 80¢
- \$3.10 doz. Breakfast Plates \$2.20
- \$4.00 doz. Dinner Plates at \$2.85
- \$4 doz. Teacups and Saucers \$2.85

### Semi-Porcelain Dinner Sets Are Greatly Reduced \$27 Set \$17.95

French China, border decorated, sold in sets only, 100 pieces of well selected dishes; regular \$17.95 \$27 values, all week \$17.95

### Haviland China Dinner Sets \$65 Vals. \$39.95

Haviland China Dinner Sets, with gold band border and pink flowers; 100 well selected, good shape pieces; regular \$65.00 value, \$39.95 special price, the set \$39.95

### \$36 Dinner Sets Special at \$25.20

Full gold and green and pink flowers, 60-piece Dinner Set, \$36.00 value, at \$25.20

### German China Fancy shape, full, gold line, small pink border pattern, priced like this: 50-piece \$11.75 Dinner Set at \$7.35 60-piece \$14.50 Dinner Set at \$9.10 100-pce. \$21.50 Dinner Set \$13.40

## Stirring Bargains in Summer Underwear for Women, Men and Children--Sale Continues Tomorrow, Wednesday-Shop Early