

Hank Thought He Heard a Deer --- By Farren



Short Stories Tell Delayed News

Resume of the Events of Friday Afternoon and Night; Paragraphed for Quick Digestion by Journal Readers.

Congressional.
A bill calling for an appropriation of \$2,000,000 for a suitable government exhibit at the Panama Pacific exposition was introduced in the house Friday. The measure is similar in every respect to that introduced in the senate Thursday by Senator Perkins of California. A \$1,000,000 drydock in San Francisco Bay will be asked of congress by Secretary of the Navy Meyer in a recommendation he will soon send to the house appropriations committee. The appropriation will be included in the naval appropriation bill.

Representative Rucker of Colorado, who holds the endorsement of the Colorado delegation in congress and of William J. Bryan and others for appointment to the post of United States Minister to Cuba after the inauguration of Woodrow Wilson, left Friday for Havana to spend the Christmas holidays, looking over the situation.

With the announcement that it had been decided to establish public headquarters at Washington, committee on the appointment of various committees to forward the work of organization, the executive committee of the progressive party adjourned a two days' session in New York Friday to meet again January 1.

With an armful of papers and documents, Samuel Gompers and Frank Morrison, president and secretary, respectively, of the American Federation of Labor, called on President-elect Wilson Friday to urge constructive legislation for the betterment of the laboring classes.

Eastern.
Reported to be the oldest living Mason and newspaper editor in the world Joseph Lomax celebrated his 103rd birthday anniversary at Kalamazoo, Mich., Friday. Lomax was the first president of the Grand Rapids and Indiana railroad and at one time was owner of the Kalamazoo Gazette.

The committee on food supply of the Pittsburgh Chamber of Commerce has started an investigation of the high cost of living as a result of information that a trainload of vegetables have rotted in local produce yards while high prices have been maintained in the retail markets.

Women from all stations of life, rich and poor alike, elbowed their way through the crowds which thronged the "egg stations" in various parts of Chicago Friday. One million, one hundred thousand eggs of April stock were placed on sale by club women in 30 places, the price being 24 cents a dozen.

Characterizing the Arkansas penitentiary under the lease system as a "hell-hole," something hell, concerning human beings, who are being fed into it in a manner which results in nothing but making fortunes for contractors, Governor Donaghey on Friday issued a statement in defense of his action in stopping the issuing of pardons to 316 state convicts.

John S. Huyler, aged 19, the youngest son of the late John S. Huyler, millionaire candy manufacturer, was fatally injured at Morrisville, N. J., Friday, when he fell beneath a train.

John Derr, apprentice seaman in the United States navy, who confessed to the California authorities recently that he killed William Barkis, a wealthy reclusive man at Atchison, Kansas, three years ago, in a subsequent confession, said robbery was the motive and that he stole between \$5000 and \$6000.

Sweated oranges, which had been subjected to a high temperature to bring out a yellow color, were placed under the ban at Chicago Friday by Federal Judge Landis, who ordered the confiscation of eight cars of oranges shipped recently from California and seized by the government.

Evidence taken before the tax appraiser at Utica, N. Y., Friday, indicates that the estate of Vice-President Sherman will be at least \$400,000 and probably larger. The estate consists entirely of stocks, bonds and securities, as the real estate is all in Mrs. Sherman's name.

The American Tobacco company has a verdict Friday night by decision of Judge Mayer in the United States District court in New York, which was brought by E. Lockyer & company, Brooklyn tobacco jobbers. The Metropolitan Tobacco company, co-defendant, received a similar verdict. It was alleged the companies had violated the anti-trust law.

Representative Oscar W. Underwood, leader of the house, is confined to his home in Washington by illness and for several days has been unable to attend to his duties on the ways and means committee.

The trustees, doctors and executive committee of the National Educational association have inaugurated a campaign to secure a million dollar fund for the proper maintenance of its work and the prosecution of expert educational studies and investigations.

RICHES COME TO HIM UNBIDDEN

Porter Chucks Job and "Buys" for Everyone, When He Gets News.

New York, Dec. 21.—Without once tripping on its name, the Marowline sailed from South Brooklyn for faraway St. Eustatius recently, carrying with her two brothers who have beaten the record for riches and thrilling adventure by several blocks.

To be lost for 20 long years, to turn up in the Bowery and have to work there for five of those years on porter's wages, and then to be told there is a fortune of \$200,000 waiting for you—it's almost worth it.

St. Eustatius is in British Guiana and as this story begins there, that step aboard the Marowline and go back to that romantic country and the year 1870. That's far enough, thanks.

In that year, Jameson Blake, who was of an adventurous and roving disposition, left Derby, England, to see the world and make his fortune. He saw a pretty good slice of the first and got a regular chunk of the second in British Guiana. In fact, he struck it rich and had more money than he knew what to do with.

Back in Derby were two nephews, Charles and William Blake, now 42 and 36 years old respectively. When Charles was 12 he got the wanderlust just like his Uncle Jameson, only he had it worse.

That was five years ago. His family had lost track of him years before. Charles was playing in bad luck. He couldn't get a berth on a ship, so he finally settled down as a porter in a Bowery hotel, and there he had been ever since.

In the meantime, Uncle Jameson had died in 1892, leaving more money than Charles ever heard of. He left it to his two nephews, and Brother William, after getting his, started out to find Brother Charles, whom he hadn't seen in more than 20 years. His search took him pretty much all over the world, too, and three years ago he gave up. He couldn't find Brother Charles anywhere.

About two weeks ago, William ran across a man who recalled that several years previously he had been on a ship with one "Cockney" Charles. He described the man and said he had last heard of him on the Bowery.

The scar was found on a porter in a Bowery hotel, and although the porter had to give in when William recalled old times. There was a happy reunion, and then William told him of the fortune awaiting him in British Guiana.

Apparently there was only one man buying on the Bowery last night, and that was Brother Charles. He had chucked his job as porter and was buying for everybody in sight.

THIRD DEGREE METHOD OF POLICE DENOUNCED

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 21.—"Third degree" methods used by police to extract confessions from criminals in custody are condemned by Professor Edwin R. Keeley in the current issue of the Journal of Criminal Law and Criminology.

Upon the conduct of the Sophia Singer murder case in Chicago the Northwestern university law school instructor has written an editorial under the heading "The Third Degree" and Trial by Newspapers.

In this article he has likened such tactics as pursued by the Chicago police to the thumb-screw and rack methods of the dark ages.

As a remedy for these so-called evils in criminal procedure he has suggested that a statute or statutes be enacted providing for the following: Imprisonment for any police officer exerting mental or physical force in extorting an admission or confession of guilt from any prisoner.

Illegality for any admission or confession so extorted.

PHONOGRAPH FURNISHES MUSIC AT A FUNERAL
Boston, Mass., Dec. 21.—The only funeral service for Daniel E. Caswell in Melrose was a succession of hymns on a phonograph, playing favorite selections of the dead man. There was neither clergyman, singing, eulogy prayer nor pallbearers. Every one attending was requested before entering not to talk or whisper.

Mr. Caswell for 10 years conducted the Humanitarian Temple near his home at 221 Franklin street, Melrose. Weekly services were led there by him. His main teaching was an application of the golden rule to everyday life.

Scores of Melrose and Malden people attended the funeral. By the head of the coffin a large phonograph played hymns named by Mr. Caswell when he

NEW MEMBERS ELECTED TO STATE LEGISLATURE



Clarence L. Reames of Medford, representative-elect from Jackson and Douglas counties; Democrat.

Medford, Or., Dec. 21.—Clarence L. Reames of Medford is the first Democrat to be elected from the Ninth district (Jackson and Douglas counties). At all previous elections the large Republican majority in each of the two counties has insured election of a Republican.

His majority in Jackson county of 1349 over C. E. Whisler, Republican, attributes in a large measure to his stand on the equal suffrage amendment. Whisler is a pronounced anti-suffragist, and made a campaign of the district upon this issue. Reames made speeches all over both Jackson and Douglas counties in favor of the women, and had the endorsement of the equal suffrage club.

Mr. Reames is a native of Jackson county, and has lived there all of his life. He practiced law for eight years in Jacksonville, and has practiced in Medford for the past four years. He was among the first of the lawyers in the state to advocate a governmental policy that would require the Oregon & California Railroad company to sell its lands to actual settlers for the price stipulated in the grant of \$2.50 per acre.

A former student of the University of Oregon, his friendship for the university can be relied upon in the next session.

He is now serving his second term as exalted ruler of the local lodge of Elks; he has been grand lecturer for the Oregon grand chapter of the Royal Arch Masons for two years.

felt his end approaching. An undertaker's assistant changed the records when necessary.

Mr. Caswell was 87 years old and a native of Lynn. He came to Melrose 20 years ago, and after his wife died, established his Humanitarian Temple. He was philanthropic.

The northern states that will be represented wholly by Democrats in the next congress are Oregon, New Jersey, Montana, Colorado, Indiana and Nevada. In addition to these, Kansas, Nebraska, Ohio, Delaware, Maine and New York will each have one Democratic representative in the senate.

It takes a practical fisherman to detect the lie in a fish story.

CATARH MAKES YOU REPULSIVE TO OTHERS

There is nothing so repulsive to healthy people as Catarrh, that unwholesome, sniffing, ill-smelling ailment of the mucous surfaces. Not only is the Catarrh victim disagreeable company to others, but he is himself miserable and uncomfortable. With watery eyes, clogged nostrils, choked throat and tubes, he is in a condition which renders him liable to infection of all kinds. His lungs and other vital organs are unable to do the work which nature intended for them. And this is all so unnecessary.

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MUST MARRY TO INHERIT FORTUNE

Man Starts Out to Find Wife but Falls into Hands of Police.

Omaha, Neb., Dec. 21.—With an option on \$15,000 willed to him by his dead father, possession of which he would obtain providing he should marry, Carl Shoemaker of 1909 North Twenty-seventh street, sought the acquaintance of a young widow with three children, by means of correspondence.

His letter writing, however, provoked a series of answers written by detectives and his arrest resulted. Magistrate Foster dismissed Shoemaker on Tuesday morning.

The widow in said to be Mrs. Myrtle Zinn, Twentieth and Vinton streets.

It has been alleged by the police that Shoemaker had seen the object of his unwelcome attentions on the street and had followed her home to ascertain her identity. But Shoemaker told a different, and undisputed story in court on Tuesday.

Shoemaker said he entered into his campaign of letter writing with perfectly good intentions.

His Intentions Good.
"I have never seen the woman," he said. "My first attention was attracted to her when an article appeared in the World-Herald some six weeks ago relative to a woman living in the southern part of the city, a widow with three children, who was out of funds and about to be the object of a church charity fund."

"I thought to help the woman and wrote her the first letter, asking her if she needed help and telling her I would like to meet her and talk the matter over. I received a reply to that letter and to two others. I don't know whether or not the officers wrote all three replies. Had I not received the first reply, I would not have written again. But my correspondence seemed to have been encouraged. The final answer proposed our meeting at the Paxton hotel, where the officers were waiting for me."

Copy of Will Produced.
"It has since developed that the woman has wealthy relatives and was not in need of the help as was represented by the newspaper story. The circumstances have been greatly misrepresented."

Shoemaker produced a copy of his father's will wherein he is named heir to \$15,000 provided he married in five years. The will was written four years ago.

Shoemaker admitted having killed a man in Kansas City, Mo., five years ago, and to having served a sentence for manslaughter in the Jefferson City penitentiary. He said he served his sentence and was liberated before the limit of his time because of good behavior. He charges that his killing of

TOWN TEARS DOWN TELEPHONE LINES

Vernonia, Or., Ends in Sharp Way Its Rumpus With Company.

(Special to The Journal.)
Vernonia, Or., Dec. 21.—About six weeks ago the city council cut off all telephone lines of the Nehalem Telephone company running into this city and since that time Vernonia has been practically without any telephone service. The city gives as a reason of cutting these wires that they were a public nuisance.

The Nehalem Telephone company, tired of not being connected to the switchboard at this place, proceeded on Monday to connect those lines, which was completed Monday evening. On Tuesday morning the city marshal was ordered to take down all the Nehalem Telephone company's lines within the city limits, which was done.

The company now expects to build its line around the city and this will leave Vernonia with scarcely any telephone service.

There is some bitter feeling among people living outside the city over the acts of the city, and there is talk of getting someone to build a store just outside the city limits to contain the new central office.

QUEEN WILL VIOLATE 1500 YEAR CUSTOM

Vienna, Dec. 21.—Queen Olga of Greece intends to visit the 21 monasteries on Mount Athos, 80 miles southeast of Salonika, thus breaking a rule that has been in existence for 1,500 years prohibiting women from visiting the sacred mountain, says a dispatch from Athens.

Eddy Case Rests.
Los Angeles, Dec. 21.—The court sitting in the trial of former City Prosecutor Eddy, charged with contributing to the delinquency of Mrs. Allos Phelps, a minor, rested today. The trial will be resumed Monday morning.

John Burke, who is finishing his third term as governor of North Dakota, is mentioned for a place in the Wilson cabinet.

The man resulted from the attempt of his victim and a woman to work a "badger" game on him.

Sailboat Capsizes, Two Drown.
(Valley Times Special Wire.)
Eureka, Cal., Dec. 21.—Charles Convin and Peter Demebrelis, waiters, are dead here today as the result of the capsizing of a sailboat in Humboldt bay. William McMillan, a fellow employe, had a narrow escape from death. He clung to the overturned boat until rescued.

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The Blind Doctor
A great French doctor once said: "Nature is fighting with a disease; a blind man armed with a club—that is a physician—comes, lifts his club and strikes at random; if he hits the disease he kills it; if he hits the patient he kills him."
The doctor who uses drugs generally hits the patient first. His medicines contain poisons, which wreck the stomach and vital organs before the disease is reached. Instead of giving you something to help Nature cure, he hopes your system with drugs, which eat up your vitality and make the ailment worse.
Drugs don't restore health, because they contain nothing that builds up health. Nature wants nourishment, not poison. Our way of curing is to help Nature cure. We do this by giving her the power to combat disease and drive it out of your system. This power is electricity. It gives strength to every vital organ. It vitalizes the blood and increases the circulation. It is food to weak nerves.
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