

SLUGGED GIRL'S CHANCE TO LIVE GAINS SLIGHTLY

Reports from St. Vincent's hospital this morning indicated a possibility that Louise Bender, viciously slugged as she slept, might recover. Although still unconscious, it appeared that she was somewhat stronger. City Physician Ziegler performed an operation on her skull Thursday afternoon, relieving the pressure on the brain and cutting away several sections of bone tissue that had been crushed by the blow from Elvin Benoit's club Wednesday night.

Benoit talked rather freely of his crime this morning, still insisting, however, that he could not explain it. Dr. Calvin B. White's diagnosis that she shows signs of perversion was supported by the statement of Mrs. Georgia Florence, sister of the girl, who said Benoit had raped on Louise's window one night about two weeks ago while the girl was preparing to retire. Since then, she said, Benoit has been of a different nature.

Benoit is still being held on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon, pending the outcome of Miss Bender's injuries.

WILL EATS, TICKETS LURE DELEGATES FROM HIRAM?

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Johnson is metaphorically pictured by the Wood and Lowden people, on the one hand, and the deep, deep sea of political obliquity which, the Johnson leaders are contending, is waiting to engulf them should they desert the Californian before all hope of his nomination has fled.

Some of the delegates, if current relations are true, already are under obligations to the Wood and to the Lowden managements and will be more and more so as the days slip by between now and the time they return again home, Oregon, in the current acceptance of the law at least, makes no provision for financing delegates to the national conventions, and it is a long, long way to the Coliseum and back again.

JOHNSON MEN CONFIDENT
Honor has it, and the rumor persists with quite a bit of definiteness, that the campaign fund of General Wood's headquarters paid for more than one round trip ticket from Oregon stations to Chicago and return. It is also contended that the same thing is true as to the Lowden fund. The Johnson camp, secure in its belief in the binding force and effect of the instructions shrouding the Oregon delegation, seems not to have bothered about railroad tickets, Pullman reservations, eats and hotels.

The Johnson people, of course, expect that the Oregon delegates will stick to him until it is apparent that he has no chance of nomination. They will not be at all satisfied should Oregon start the breakup by leaving the Californian.

BOTH MAKE CLAIMS
Wood and Lowden, naturally, are anxious that the Oregon delegates break with Johnson at the first opportunity, on the second ballot if they will. They both expect to benefit by that break, for Wood claims all of the delegation when it comes, and Lowden claims part of it at least. An early drift of favorite sons and loosely instructed delegates into their respective camps means much to

CLUBBED IN SLEEP BY NIGHT PROWLER



Louise Bender

them, for it has been convention history that the candidate who does not continually build his vote during the early ballots has but little hope when the general break takes place. Conversely the departure of the Oregon delegation from Johnson might well mean the beginning of the end for him. So, those denied the journey to the big show but who know who are now engaged in it, are waiting for the balloting to begin with much interest and expectation. If the Oregon pilgrims desert Senator Johnson on the second or the third ballot, leave it to the Johnson camp to emit some bloodcurdling far Western warwhoops. If on the other hand, they fail to go so they may in all probability face the icy eye that chills ungrateful and unwelcome guests. Being a delegate these days is a strenuous and puzzling pastime.

Delegates Seated Far Back Will Hear Outcome by Phone

(By United News)
Chicago, June 4.—Delegates to the Republican national convention seated in the rear of the auditorium will hear speeches from the platform by telephone.

A new system is being installed whereby a transmitter of speech is raised a few feet above the speaker's platform and wires strung throughout the hall, each ending in receivers with wooden horns pointed in various parts of the building. The entire apparatus has been concealed by bunting and flags and the system so perfectly synchronized that while the speaking voice will not be heard distinctly the telephones will reproduce the voice louder than the natural volume.

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Frank L. Smith's, 238 Alder street.
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Smith's hot meat chicken, 30c.
T-bone and tenderloin steaks, 15c.
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Roast pork, 20c. Port chops, 25c.
Legs and chops spring lamb, 25c.
Bacon, 35c. Lamb shankers, 18c.
Frank L. Smith's, 238 Alder st.—Adv.

PRESIDENT ACCEPTS POLK'S RESIGNATION

Washington, June 4.—(U. N. S.)—President Wilson today accepted the resignation of Under Secretary of State, Frank L. Polk, effective June 15.

Mr. Polk has contemplated resigning for some time because of ill health and need for a rest. He has remained at his post, however, in order that the state department might have his services during the transfer of the office of secretary of state from former Secretary Lansing to Secretary Colby.

Norman H. Davis, now assistant secretary to the treasurer in charge of foreign loans, has been tendered the post under secretary of state to succeed Polk, it was learned today.

WOOD SUPPORT IS CRUMBLING

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campaign in Oklahoma, charged that the Lowden delegation from his state was secured through a \$50,000 loan from "Jake" Hamon, Lowden's oil millionaire chieftain and present national committeeman.

The storm struck while a sub-committee was investigating the Wood-Lowden contest in the Fourth district.

McGraw issued a statement containing his charges against the Hamon-Lowden machine. Things went the Lowden way, he said, the day after Hamon made his "loan" to Vernon W. Whiting, chairman of the Republican state committee.

Hamon and McGraw met face to face in the national committee room and precipitated a bitter tilt.

"Now, McGraw, tell the truth about this," shouted Hamon after he had read the charges.

"It's true, every word of it," retorted McGraw. "The courthouse records down in Oregan county prove it. A mortgage on Whiting's home and personal property is recorded there."

"There are \$50,000 transactions every day in my business," said Hamon. "I don't know anything about such a loan. If one was made—and I doubt it—it was made by my company without my knowledge."

McGraw turned and walked away. As he did so, Hamon shouted after him: "He's a cheap baby; that's what he is—a cheap baby!"

**COMMITTEEMEN HAVE WARM
DISPUTE REGARDING FLORIDA**

Chicago, June 4.—While the contest over South Carolina was under way, National Committeeman J. W. Tolbert charged that National Committeeman Bean of Florida and other Florida Republicans and a group of Republicans from the District of Columbia had tried to break up the South Carolina state convention.

Tolbert drew tremendous applause by his demonstration of how contesting delegates bolted the state convention when he executed a double shuffle and ran straight down the aisle in the committee room.

Evidence regarding delegations from the four remaining districts was that Bean and Sidney Beaver of Washington, D. C., had appeared at each. Tolbert attorneys charged the two had been a disturbing element in each case. The charge was made also that Beaver went before the state executive committee to urge the use of fake names on the convention roll.

Beaver, appearing as attorney for the contestants, prefaced his case with the

remark that there appeared little use of his saying anything "as the committee seems to have prejudged the case." After a sharp rebuke which elicited an apology, he proceeded.

The statement brought a laugh with remarks that it was peculiar an attorney should be needed before there was a contest.

Beaver said Bean attended the meetings through friendship. Charles Hamon, Virginia, another who attended all conventions, said the Tolbert faction previously did the same thing, sending L. P. Summers of Virginia to the sessions.

Summers was in the room. He jumped to his feet.

"That's a bald-faced lie," he exclaimed. "I was there on official business for the national committee itself."

The statement brought nods of verification from committeemen.

Honorary Degree Recommended at U. of O. for J. N. Teal

University of Oregon, Eugene, June 4.—Conferring of the honorary degree of master of arts in public service on Joseph N. Teal, Portland attorney, in recognition of his untiring work in railroad rate matters for Oregon, was recommended by the graduate council of the faculty to the board of regents.

President Campbell characterized Teal as one of the leading rate authorities of the country.

The faculty also recommended similar degrees to the following all of whom have performed distinguished service for the state: J. A. Churchill, state superintendent of public instruction; Mrs. Ellen Condon McCormack, a graduate of 1878 and daughter of the late Professor Thomas Condon, pioneer geologist and member of the faculty; and Harold N. Lawrie, former head of the state bureau of mines, who is serving as economic expert for the American Mining congress.

Approval was given a proposal that work for the degree of doctor of philosophy be offered whenever occasion arises.

Oregon Delegates' Expenses Will Not Be Paid by State

Salem, June 4.—Oregon delegates to the national conventions of their respective political parties must enjoy the distinction and honor wholly at their own expense.

At least the delegates cannot hope for reimbursement from the state, as was provided under the act of 1911, which, according to an opinion prepared this morning by Attorney General Brown, was repealed by the act of 1915.

Brown's opinion is given in reply to an inquiry from John H. Stevenson of Portland, and to the Democratic national convention.

"There can be no question at this time as to the fact that the statute providing pay for delegates to the national conventions has been wholly repealed."

There is no other provision of law known to the writer," Brown's opinion reads.

Nurse Falls Dead On Bed of Mother Of New-Born Babe

Vancouver, Wash., June 4.—At the moment a son was born this morning to Mrs. George H. Wilde, wife of a Vancouver automobile dealer, Mrs. Minnie Robertson, her attendant, died. She died across the foot of the bed on which Mrs. Wilde lay. Heart trouble caused the death.

Mrs. Robertson was about 40 years old and the wife of Walter O. Robertson, a Portland driver. She lived at 140 Webster street, Portland. She died at the Wilde home, 2114 G street, Vancouver.

Dyke Family Deported
Klas Dyke and his family, who have been living at Dallas, were started on a journey across the Canadian border this morning in charge of Inspector E. T. Gooch of the United States immigration service at Astoria.

Five Houses for Sale
Five new three and four room summer cottages in the heart of the mountains on Zigzag river and Still creek near Rhododendron postoffice near base of Mount Hood for sale at \$1000 each. Large lots, warranty deed furnished, running water piped to lot, large rooms, fireplace. Terms, write to Mrs. Emil Franzetti, Rhododendron, Or.—Adv.

Attorney Simmons' Funeral Will Take Place on Saturday

Funeral services for J. Curtis Simmons, prominent Portland attorney who died suddenly late Wednesday, will be held at Finley's chapel Saturday at 10:30 a. m. The last rites at the Portland Crematorium will be in charge of Columbia lodge No. 114.

Active pallbearers will be: C. E. Glafke, E. A. Robinson, R. A. Stewart, Charles Steele, H. J. Blasius, Henry Hartje, George W. Woodley and Sidney White. Honorary

pallbearers are: Judge Gatens, Wallace McCann, R. S. Tucker, Henry McCall, John F. Logan, Harrison Allen, E. B. Seabrook, A. M. Dibble, Dan Marlarke, H. B. Beckett, S. C. Spencer and Dr. J. R. Westervelt.

Simmons dropped dead as he was returning to his home in Rose City Park. Heart disease was the cause.

Simmons was born January 1, 1880, at Skistown, Mo. He had lived 15 years in Oregon and was an active member of Al Kader temple of the Shrine, Columbia lodge, A. F. and A. M., and the Wilcox building.

Besides his wife, who resides at 577 East Fifty-second street north, and who is secretary of the Portland Rose society and a widely known singer, he is survived by his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Simmons; four sisters, Miss Jennie Lee Simmons and Edna Simmons of Portland, Mrs. E. S. Funk of Walla Walla, Mrs. R. W. Counts of Colorado Springs, and a brother, Dr. W. T. Simmons of Portland.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 10:30 a. m. at Finley's chapel, Dr. John H. Boyd officiating. The body will be cremated.

1921 Chautauqua Assured
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Ladies' Rubber Hair Combs10c
Pyralin Fine Tooth Combs8c
Rubber Hair Pins, pkg.10c
Invisible Hair Pins, pkg.3c
Wire Hair Pins (large cabinet) for8c
Mourning Pins (large cube) 10c
Hat Pins, dozen20c
Lead Pencils (rubber tipped) 3c
Rick Rack Braid13c
Bias Tape (1/2 inch)10c
Pearl Buttons (plain, fancy)5c
Carpet Tacks4c
Silk Sewing Thread (all colors) for16c
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Coronet Cambric, yard37c
Long Cloth, yard25c
English Nainsook, yard29c
Pepperill Bleached Sheetting, 8x4 yard79c
Pepperill Bleached Sheetting, 10x4, yard89c
Elephant LL Sheetting (unbleached), yard18c
Linhurst LL Sheetting (unbleached), yard19c
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Glenwood Sheetting (unbleached), yard23c
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Pebeco Tooth Paste39c
Colgate's Tooth Paste (large size)19c
Colgate's Tooth Paste (small size)8c
Prophy-lac-tic Tooth Brushes for33c
Colgate's Shaving Bar5c
Colgate's Shaving Stick29c
Williams' Shaving Powder29c
Lazelle Shaving Stick23c
Colgate's Talc (all flowers) 15c
Lazelle Talc15c
As The Petals Talc33c
Colgate's Cold Cream29c
Lazelle Face Powder25c
As The Petals Face Powder43c
Leblanche Face Powder49c
De Meridon Face Powder39c
Melba Face Powder43c
Creme De Meridon23c
Spencer Perfumes (all flowers)10c
Lazelle Perfumes (all flowers)35c
Menthholene15c
Nail Brushes8c
Hind's Honey and Almond Cream39c
Colgate's Shaving Powder29c
Shaving Brushes23c
Cerate De Meridon23c

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