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COWARD, LIAR, THIEF AND CUR

Few of Epithets Hurlled Against Accused Bank Wrecker by Prosecuting Attorney.

BARNETT SITS UNMOVED THROUGH IT ALL

Prosecutor Cook Delivers One of the Fiercest Invectives Ever Hurlled Against a Prisoner at the Bar—Declares Accused Banker Broke Faith With the Dead, is Guilty of Breach of Trust and Laws of Finance—Calls Upon Jurors to Find Him Guilty.

San Francisco, June 22.—Coward, liar, thief and cur are some of the epithets applied to Walter Barnett, the accused wrecker of the California Safe Deposit & Trust company, by Assistant District Attorney Cook in one of the fiercest invectives ever hurled against a man at the bar.

Cook went at length into the evidence that had been introduced and frequently pointing his finger at the defendant, who sat unmoved.

Cook asked for conviction on the first count on which Barnett is being tried, that of stealing \$31,700 as a special administrator of the estate of the late Ellen M. Colton.

"That man Barnett," cried Cook, "is guilty of the worst kind of a breach of faith. He failed and was false to the trust put him in by the dead. He is guilty of a breach of the laws of finance.

"Gentlemen, upon your verdict depends the financial confidence of the city."

It is said that Brown, Barnett and Treadwell are responsible for the wrecking of the bank. Brown is serving a term in the penitentiary. The defense speaks this afternoon and the case will probably go to the jury tonight.

DEVILCHASERS STARVE WOMAN Religious Fanatics Are Placed on the Law's Carpet.

Chicago, June 22.—Following the allegation she was starved to death by "Devil Chasers," the police today are making an investigation of the circumstances surrounding the demise of Mrs. Louise Thompson, wife of Rev. Adam Thompson, of the new cult in Zion City.

Sensational exposures are promised. There have been no arrests so far. The woman was buried Friday.

It is reported that the cult decided Mrs. Thompson was possessed of a devil. She submitted to the fasting treatment to "expel the devils." She went without food or a drop of water according to the story, when she begged for a morsel of food and water, crying that she was being gnawed to death by the pangs of hunger and burning with thirst, the watchers refused, saying: "Hold out a little longer, dear sister, and the evil one will be defeated."

The woman's body was emaciated, and drawn with horrible lines, indicating the most excruciating suffering.

The "Devil Chasers" are a cult of fanatics.

NOTABLES MEET DEATH IN TRAIN WRECK.

Baton Rouge, La., June 22.—Several are reported killed and many injured today in the wreck of Baton Rouge & Eastern railroad. State Representative Jones is said to be among the dead, while several senators and representatives are injured. Specific details are lacking.

PAPER MANUFACTURERS FINED.

New York, June 22.—Federal Judge Hough today fined 24 manufacturers of Manila paper \$2000 each on pleas of guilty to the charge of violating the Sherman anti-trust law; Twenty-three were members of the alleged combination indicted by the federal grand jury last week.

RUSSIAN WOMEN BARRED FROM SCHOOLS

St. Petersburg, June 22.—The czar today promulgated one of the most sweeping measures ever issued in Russia, by which all women students are ordered expelled from Russian universities. The order affects 2200 many of whom are nearing graduation.

SUICIDE A GRAFTER. Man Found Dead at Tacoma Wanted in Philadelphia.

Port Townsend, Wash., June 22.—Information has reached here leading to the belief that the body of the dead man found here two weeks ago was that of J. G. Brain and that he committed suicide because of exposures in the state capitol graft cases of Pennsylvania recently.

The tailor's mark and a part of a letter head bearing the name of a Philadelphia architectural decorating firm assist in the identification.

The body was found in the shrubbery near the city park. Sixteen dollars were found in the pockets and near by a scrap of paper on which was pencilled the words: "May God forgive me."

He is supposed to have been en route to Treadwell, Alaska, as a strike-breaker.

WIFE 14, DENIED DIVORCE.

Yonahful Pair in Court at Butte—Husband Said to Have Sent Her Back to Her Mother.

Butte, Mont., June 22.—Suit for divorce was begun today by Mrs. Jessie Bryant, aged 14, against her husband, Luke E. Bryant, aged 29. The trouble followed a visit by the girl to her mother, the youthful husband, it is said sending her clothes and telling her to stay.

At the hearing it developed that Bryant is carrying a gun for protection against the girl's father, who is a pugilist. The court refused the decree.

BANKERS MEET TALK AND EAT

MEN OF FINANCE DO NOT FORM ORGANIZATION

Each of Thirteen Financial Institutions in Umatilla County Represented at Gathering in Pendleton Saturday Evening—Visitors Were Guests of Local Men at Banquet—Closer Relationship Promoted.

With most of the financiers of the county in attendance the bankers' banquet was held at the Hotel Bowman Saturday evening and it proved a decidedly pleasant affair. The outside men were the guests of the Pendleton bankers and they were entertained in a most fitting manner.

The gathering was for the purpose of bringing the bankers into closer association and it is possible that some time in the future a regular county organization will be formed. No formal action of that kind was taken Saturday, but the subject was discussed and many were found favorable to such a plan.

According to the bankers the object of their gathering was to bring the different banks of the county into closer touch with each other and to talk over matters of general interest in the financial and industrial fields of the county.

MINISTERS ARE EGGED.

Wallace Preachers Arouse Ire of Liquor Interests.

Wallace, Ida., June 22.—Attacked by a crowd of three hundred men, Rev. Charles McCaughey of the Congregational church, and Rev. J. D. Neilan, of the First Methodist church of this city, were bombarded Sunday with eggs in an alley and forced to lock themselves in a barn from which they were rescued by Chief of Police Adams and a policeman.

For some time the two ministers have been prosecuting a crusade against the liquor interests. They were entering an alley in the rear of John Watson's saloon when the crowd saw them. Some one cried they are going to cause Watson's arrest. Another person threw an egg, and this was followed by several.

The ministers might have been roughly handled if they had not run into the barn.

Shot Himself While Discouraged.

In a fit of despondency, Jennie Cassidy, aged 35 years, shot herself at the home of Mr. Perry, near Luther postoffice, Idaho, Friday. She died shortly afterwards.

HURLED FROM CAR, PRESIDENT OF BIG WATER COMPANY SEVERELY BRUISED.

San Francisco, June 22.—Hurled from his automobile in a collision with a speeding San Mateo car, A. H. Payson, president of the Spring Valley Water company, escaped death Saturday night by the merest chance. Mr. Payson was driving his own touring car on his way to his home in San Francisco and when crossing the tracks at Mission and Amazon avenue the car crashed into the machine with terrific force, plowing half way through the side. Payson was severely bruised by the first force of the collision, but was thrown free of the seat and landed in the street. His injuries are not of a serious nature.

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Washington, June 22.—Frederick A. Hyde and Joost Schneider were found guilty on all counts, John A. Benson and Henry Diamond not guilty, in the land fraud cases.

SIXTEEN RIGHT OF WAY DEEDS FOR ELECTRIC LINE ARE FILED.

Sixteen right of way deeds covering land between Milton and Athena were filed with the county recorder today and they indicate the extension of the Walla Walla-Milton line southward.

The instruments filed today are agreements for right of way deeds for an electric line and eight of them are given to E. S. Isaacs, trustee, while eight are to S. M. Drumheller, both being Walla Walla men.

In each instance the parties agree to grant right of way deeds for an electric line under certain conditions and the consideration is named at \$1 in each case. Those giving agreements to E. S. Isaacs are T. J. Watts, Narvesta, A. Steen, C. E. Simonds, C. A. Barrett, George Carmichael, J. A. Badley, Ralph E. Key and Alex Johnson. Those made out to Drumheller are Frank Dickerson, T. J. Beagle, J. O. Hendrickson, J. N. Campbell, Fred Press, J. F. Kilgore, T. J. Conrad and H. E. and Jennie Turner.

All of the land described in the agreements lies between Milton and Athena and this fact would indicate clearly the intention of the traction company to extend its line to the Umatilla county wheat belt.

CHICAGO IN GRIP OF HEAT WAVE

Two Killed and Many Prostrated by Sun's Rays This Morning.

ALMOST IMPOSSIBLE TO WALK ALONG STREETS

Pavements and Stone Walls Throw Off Heat Waves—Thousands of Electric Fans Merely Keep Hot Air Stirring—Hospitals Prepare for Rush Treatments—Ambulances Dashing Through Streets With the Prostrated—Suffering in Congested Skyscrapers Intense—No Relief Promised.

Chicago, June 22.—This city today is in the grip of a terrible heat wave. Before noon there were two deaths, and a dozen prostrations.

William Hobson, aged 55, dropped dead in a downtown alley, while Frank Pass, aged 35, was overcome and died in a swoon in Lagrange, a suburb.

The weather man promises no relief until night. In the business section the pavements and stone walls are throwing off heat waves and it is hardly possible to walk the streets. The suffering is intense in the skyscrapers where congested conditions exist.

Electric fans are going by thousands but merely keep the hot air stirring and offer no relief. Hospitals are prepared to give quick attention to the prostrated, and ambulances are dashing through the streets.

Reports say there are many prostrations in the stockyards. The city has a tropical languor.

HEAVY FROST AT DAVENPORT. Farmers Express Fear for Crops as Water Is Scarce.

Davenport, ash., June 22.—The weather has been cold and disagreeable for several days and Friday night there was a heavy frost. It is feared that the wheat has been damaged. The crop needs rain and warm weather.

It is reported that Sam DeRacken, at one time a newspaper man of Davenport, who is now at Manila, P. I., is coming back to this country.

The K. C. C. drum corps will furnish music for the Fourth. It is practicing every night.

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TRY STEVE ADAMS TODAY. Report of Conspiracy to Free Alleged Murderer.

Grand Junction, Cal., June 22.—Steve Adams is here to be tried for the murder of Arthur Collins, manager of the Smuggler-Union mine at Telluride, Sheriff Meldrum having arrived with him at 2 o'clock Saturday morning.

One hundred venemen will be summoned for the case, and in this connection there has developed what is said to be one of the most carefully laid plots ever mapped out by the Western Federation of Miners to free Steve Adams. For more than a month, it is alleged, paid spies of the federation have been coming into Mesa county and circulating literature concerning the "persecution" of Adams.

Directed by the headquarters here, the county has been thoroughly canvassed by fluent talkers who have endeavored to disguise their object, but have industriously circulated stories of how mineowners, after failing to convict Haywood and Pettibone, have been moving heaven and earth to hang Adams and terrorize the federation.

Federation men have sought employment in every industry in the county with the object of being drawn on the Adams jury. The orders from headquarters are said to be "go the limit to acquit Adams."

District Attorney Selig, General Buikley Wells and their associates in the prosecution say they will defeat the conspirators, and have made plans to overcome the handicap the inner circle has placed around them.

ARRESTED FOR HORSE STEALING

CHARLES MILLER IS LODGED IN JAIL

Rents Rig of McBride Stables at Athena and Neglects to Return It—Believed by Officers to Be Same Man Wanted in Gilliam County to Answer to Charge of Forgery.

Accused of having stolen a horse and buggy from the McBride stable at Athena, Charles Miller is now in the county jail and in addition to the case against him here it is very probable that he has a forgery charge facing him in Gilliam county.

Last Saturday Miller rented a rig of the McBride stable and failed to return it at the time he had promised to do so. Fearing that he was intending to steal the outfit the liverymen notified the officers and Miller was apprehended while passing through Milton. He is said to have offered the rig for sale to people along the line.

Last night the accused man was brought to this city and on his arrival here it was found that he answers closely the description of a man wanted at Condon on a forgery charge. The name on the description is given as Ireland, but circumstances indicate that Ireland and Miller are one and the same man.

Until the full facts of the present case are learned the prisoner will be held here. Then should there be any doubt of his conviction here he will be turned over to the Gilliam county sheriff, provided he proves to be the right man.

Robbed While Praying.

San Francisco, June 22.—The police are looking for a young woman who is believed to have been making a practice of robbing wealthy women while at prayer in St. Mary's cathedral here, the largest Catholic church in the west. The latest victim is Miss S. Constance Seawell, of Norfolk, Va., who lost a hand bag containing \$105 in gold, and valuable stones. She rose from prayer to learn another handbag had been substituted for hers.

\$744 Per Hour.

Reno, Nev., June 22.—According to a smelter report just made public, the Rogers mining syndicate has completed a record week in gold production, having taken out \$744 per hour from the mine between June 3d and 10th.

POODLES TREATED BETTER THAN HUMANS

University of Oregon, June 22.—"There are women in Boston who send their poodles to hear Caruso and they get their dogs' nails manicured. Indeed, I have seen doggies taken to ride in coaches for their health, with maids holding a parasol over each one."

This statement was made Sunday by Rev. Herbert S. Johnson, pastor of Warren street Baptist church, Boston, who delivered the baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class. It created a stir in local society circles.

CELEBRATIONS BY INDIAN

Double Affair Will Be Held Off on Umatilla Reservation July Fourth.

CHRISTIAN AND PAGAN REDS TO DIVIDE Festival by One, While Paint, War-Dance, Horse Races and Other Characteristic Events Will Mark Other—Old Agency Grounds Scene of First, While Second Will Be at Cayuse Station—Commencement Exercises at Agency School Next Wednesday.

Although Pendleton is seemingly to have no Fourth of July celebration this year the Indians of the reservation are more patriotic and a big double celebration is now being planned by the three tribes under the care of Major McFarridge.

At the camp ground near Cayuse station the old time Indians, those who paint and dance, will hold a characteristic celebration and war parade along the lines followed three years ago and at other times in the past. It will be necessary to hold the celebration at Cayuse this year because the old camp ground just above the agency has been partly plowed up and the race track destroyed.

While the warlike members of the tribe are holding their pow-wow at Cayuse the Christianized redskins under Rev. J. M. Cornellison will hold a festival at the old agency grounds, this side of the present agency.

People of this city who desire to watch the Indians celebrate will find it possible to visit both camps on the Fourth and thereby see both the new and the old methods of observing the day.

Agency School Program.

On the evening of June 24, Wednesday, the agency school will close for this year and an appropriate program will be held in the assembly room at the agency school. The program will consist entirely of numbers by the Indian children and white people of the city are invited to attend. In the afternoon of the 24th a field meet will be held.

ACCIDENTAL SHOOTING FATAL.

Todd Brockman, Wounded by Employer, Dies at Washtucna.

Washtucna, Wash., June 22.—Injuries received June 2 by Todd Brockman of Kahlotus at the hands of his employer, Judd Matthews, a butcher, proved fatal, as he died at 10 o'clock Friday night. The shooting was purely accidental, as the men were playing with revolvers in the rear of the shop. To the last Matthews absolved Brockman, who admits the possibility that Brockman's own weapon may have done the fatal work. The bullet took effect in Brockman's lung. He will be buried at Watsburg.

CATTLEMEN KILLED IN DUEL.

Quarrel Over Trade, Draw Guns and Fire Simultaneously.

Albuquerque, N. M., June 22.—R. M. Sallier and Edward Jones, cattlemen, were both killed in a duel last evening. The fight took place near St. Vrain, N. M., 200 miles east of here. The men were neighbors and quarreled over a cattle trade. Guns were drawn and fired simultaneously. Both men were instantly killed. The quarrel is said to have been the outgrowth of an old feud. Both men were wealthy and highly respected.

Fight on Gambling.

New York, June 22.—Justice Blanchard of the supreme court postponed until Wednesday the temporary injunction restraining Police Commissioner Bingham from interfering with the "orderly collection of crowds at Sheephead track." The postponement was taken to give the state more time for to prepare for a hearing, leaving the temporary order in force pending the hearing.