

Probably showers to-night and Tuesday.



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BEATTIE ON WITNESS STAND RELATES MURDER INCIDENT

DECLARES LOVE FOR WIFE, NONE FOR BEULAH

Denies Making Confidante of Cousin Paul and Explains "Dear Kid" Letter—Insists Bearded Man Fired Fatal Shot—Jury Impressed.

Chesterfield Court House, Va., Sept. 4.—With the ownership of the "automobile with the woman on the running board" having been definitely fixed by Defendant's Attorney Smith, onto Gastelberg, instead of Henry Clay Beattie, Jr., charged with wife murder, and the defendant himself on the witness stand today telling the jury frankly his story and not sparing himself, in the matter of his relations with Beulah Blinford, the "other woman," the celebrated trial is today beginning to reach its zenith, which, however, may not come until tomorrow when it is expected that Prosecutor Wendenberg will introduce some sensational rebuttal testimony, much of which will be given by Beulah Blinford.

Following a conference among the counsel for the defense Counsel Smith announced that Beattie's demonstration of manner, in which the events surrounding the murder took place will be demonstrated by Beattie and then the defense would close.

"MONA LISA" STOLEN BY FOREIGN NORLEMAN

Paris, Sept. 4.—Crazed by love of "Mona Lisa," the painting which was stolen a few weeks ago from the Louvre, a baron attache of one of the foreign embassies here stole the picture and now has it hidden in his apartments, according to a story told today to the government authorities by a waiter who wants \$40,000 to disclose the name of the titled thief.

Altitude Record Broken

Paris, France, Sept. 4.—Almost lost to view, Aviator Garros today set a new world's altitude record by attaining a height of 12,845 feet above the sea in a flying machine.

COMES AFTER HORSETHIEF

Oregon Sheriff Gets Extortion Papers for Redding Prisoner. Redding—Sheriff Collier of Grant county Oregon, arrived here with extradition papers signed by Governor Johnson for the return to Canyon City of Harry Creighton, who is wanted there to answer charges of horse stealing and jail breaking. Creighton was arrested in Dunsmuir, but escaped and came to Redding, where he was taken into custody. Before the arrival of the sheriff, he had almost succeeded in breaking out of the local jail.

Three Killed by Train

Wellington, Ohio, Sept. 4.—Three men excursionists were killed last night by a Big Four train.

Two Autoists Killed

Ventura, Calif., Sept. 4.—Dr. and Mrs. E. S. Pillsbury, were instantly killed in an auto last night.

REPORT OF RUNAWAY SON'S DEATH BRINGS HEARTBROKEN PARENTS TO CITY; ERRONEOUS

Searching for their 14-year-old runaway son whom they think an adventurous spirit and the lure of the wild west has led into eastern Oregon, J. R. Chapman and wife of Salem have been in Pendleton since Friday but so far have found no trace of the missing boy. They know that he and his companion, another Salem boy of the same age, have been in this city and believe that they will again be attracted here by the Round-Up and, in hopes that he may find them in the crowd, the father will remain here through fair week. The two boys, Sam Chapman and Ben Minton, according to the story Mr. Chapman tells, were students in the Salem high school but shortly before commencement last May, they suddenly and without announcement, forsook the dull prosaic school room and set forth in quest of adventure. Neither boy, Mr. Chapman says, had any bad habits but were full of life and ambition which, with the reading of many wild west books, led them to leave home and friends that they might share in the life of which they had been reading.

of the actual world. But as time went on and no word of the runaways was received, fear and anxiety began to grip their hearts and they began a search for their sons. They traced them east to the mountains, found where they had stopped over night several times, discovered that the snow had forced the intrepid youngsters to turn back and then followed their trail to Oregon City, where it was lost. Everywhere dwellers along the road told them of having seen the boys and none believed them anything but two school boys out on a vacation. During the Rose Show in Portland Mr. Chapman haunted the streets expecting the boys would drift in to participate in the festivities. He was disappointed, however, and returned sadly to his home. There, he remained without further clue to the whereabouts of the boys until a short time ago when a school friend received a postcard from Pendleton from young Minton. Mr. and Mrs. Chapman prepared at once to come here and last Thursday just as they were starting, Mr. Minton brought them a report that their boy had been killed near this

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100,000 CHINESE LOSE LIVES IN TERRIFIC FLOOD

Wide Scope of Remote Country, Made Desolate by Rair.fall

Shanghai, China, Sept. 4.—Telegrams that have been received here from American missionaries at Wu Hu, say that the greatest loss of life in the modern history of China has occurred within the last few days as the result of a series of torrential rains which have completely flooded the entire country along the Yangtze Kiang river. Almost the entire province of Anh Wei is inundated, according to the report and the crops have nearly all been completely destroyed. An accurate estimate of the number of lives lost is impossible at this time, but many of the parties making the reports declare that the death list will total one hundred thousand. For a distance of more than one thousand miles along the river, the country is in a state of desolation and the condition of refugees is described as terrible.

GOTCH MAKES RUSSIAN QUIT WITH TOE HOLD

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 4.—Frank Gotch is still world's champion wrestler. Before a crowd of more than thirty thousand fans who filled the stadium and forty thousand on the outside, the American again made George Hackenschmidt, the Russian Lion, quit with his famous toe hold. Gotch won the first fall in fourteen minutes, fifteen seconds, with a leg and wrist lock. In the second both men resorted to rough tactics and finally Gotch secured his toe hold. Hack, after a brief show of resistance, rolled over on his back, and the American was declared victor. The second fall was secured in five minutes, thirty-two seconds. Just before the men entered the ring the odds stood at 2 to 1 against the Russian.

EX-CHAMP BUSTER ROUND-UP JUDGE

Clayton Banks, twice declared by judges to be the best broncho rider in the world, will himself act as a judge in a bucking contest next week. The Round-Up directors have just closed a contract with this renowned frontier character whereby he will be one of the three men who will sit in the judge's stand and cast their critical eyes upon the contending animals with a view to picking the buckaroo who will ride away with the \$250 prize saddle and wear the title of northwest champion for the next year. Banks is known to every cowboy in the west as one of the most daring riders that ever straddled a mustang and, inasmuch as he has twice carried away championship honors, should know whereof he judges. The other two judges are practically secured but announcement will be held pending definite word from them.

Big Game Hunters Return

Name—The power schooner Polar Bear, Captain Louis Lane, returned from Wrangell Island, where the expedition headed by Captain Lane killed twenty-four polar bear and thirty-six walrus.

Has Anyone Seen Jones

Under the belief that Jones, the missing assistant clerk of the Hotel Oregon, who has disappeared, may have wandered to Pendleton to see the Round-Up, friends of his in Portland are searching for him here. Dan P. Smythe, who is a patron of the Oregon, today received a message from Portland asking that he report the fact if Jones is seen here. It is feared he has wandered away while demented.

Woolgrowers Meeting

By action of the executive committee of the state woolgrowers' association, November 14 and 15 have been set as the dates for the holding of the annual meeting of the association this year. The convention is to be held at Baker.

Kills 180 Feet of Snakes

Oxford, Conn.—A new record for killing snakes is claimed by Clifford B. Hawley, an Oxford farmer, who killed 180 feet of black snakes in seven minutes, assisted only by his woodchuck dog Spot.

Superintendent Lev

according to the Roseburg News, reports excellent progress with the water and light plant at Winchester. It will cost \$89,000.

DAUGHTER MAKES DESPERATE EFFORT TO SAVE FATHER

Webb, Murderer, Doomed to Die, Girl Begs Names to Petition.

Portland, Ore., Sept. 4.—Suddenly realizing that the time scheduled for the hanging of her father is only a few hours off, Miss Julia Webb, the pretty seventeen year old daughter of Jesse Webb, the convicted murderer who is to pay the extreme penalty for his crime tomorrow in Salem, today began a desperate hunt for persons who will sign a petition which she will tomorrow present to Governor West, to commute the death sentence to life imprisonment. The slip of a girl today presents a pathetic sight as she goes trudging through the rain, her clothes covered with the mire gathered in many parts of the city, as she hurries from place to place, beseeching every one to add his name to the petition. It is believed here that the girl's desperate attempt to save her father as it is thought that the governor will not hear her appeal.

Clark Boomed

Davenport, Ia., Sept. 4.—More than five thousand laboring people here today heard Congressman Champ Clark speaker of the lower house of Congress, make a Labor Day oration, after a labor parade in which he occupied a carriage. Mr. Clark, in his speech, said that the United States is the greatest wealth producer in the world, but that the problem with which the country was confronted, is how to get the wealth equitably distributed. At a reception which was given in his honor, Mr. Clark was pledged the support of this section, in his presidential boom.

INDIANS WILL TAKE PART IN ROUND-UP

That the Indians of the Umatilla reservation are coming to the Round-Up in numbers is the message brought to the city today by Poker Jim, noted leader among his tribesmen. Poker Jim brought in a list of Indians who would be here with their families, horses and trunks to Roy Bishop, who has charge of that department of the Round-Up. A number of chiefs were in the city and held a conference with the directors to learn what accommodations had been prepared for their people and what inducements will be offered. Yesterday a general powwow was held on the reservation, the result of which was brought into the city by Poker Jim. The association has arranged to take care of the Indians and the outfits and to pay them a liberal sum as well, all of which appeals to the red people.

UNITED STATES TO SUE SOUTHERN PACIFIC

Portland, Ore., Sept. 4.—It today became apparent that the United States government is determined to sue the Southern Pacific Railroad company and the Kern Trading and Oil company, a subsidiary corporation, for the recovery of about one hundred thousand acres of oil lands, located in California, and which are valued at about \$400,000,000. The suit will be brought on the grounds that the grant under which the companies secured the lands, provided that all mineral lands were to be exempted from the grant. Special Assistant Attorney General Townsend, of Washington, D. C., has arrived here and will direct the cases against the corporations.

ANOTHER ATTEMPT TO SETTLE MOROCCAN MATTER

Berlin, Sept. 4.—Moroccan negotiations were resumed today by the foreign office, when a compromise proposition by France was presented to Germany. The offers are for territorial concessions, if Germany recognizes France's supervisory rights in Morocco. It is believed Germany would accept another serious rupture will develop.

La Grande Star

The Grand Ronde Lumber company has made surveys for a logging railway up the river to Jordan creek with the expectation that the work will be completed this fall.

LABOR DAY ORATORY HOLDS FORTH THROUGHOUT COUNTRY

CAPITAL WAGES WAR UNFAIRLY, SAYS MORRISON

Mc Namara Affair Only A. temp to Cast Odium on Unionism Declares Leader--Champ Clark's Presidential Boom at Unionist Meeting Supported

Binghamton, N. Y., Sept. 4.—Declaring that Capital can now war on Labor only by campaigns of misrepresentation, Secretary Frank Morrison, of the American Federation of Labor, in his Labor Day address today, reviewed the progress of Unionism. He said that the arrests and kidnapping of the McNamara brother, was simply a step taken by the Employers' association to cast an odium on the entire labor movement and that the association does not expect to be able to convict either of the two men of the crimes charged against them.

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Gompers' Speech

San Francisco, Sept. 4.—Speaking this afternoon Samuel Gompers upheld the movement for the recall of the judiciary and the fight for initiative, recall, referendum, and said that Julius Kruttschnitt made a mistake in not recognizing the federation, as the unionists intend to organize on the broadest possible lines as the system is exactly the same, as a big corporation finds patent.

Los Angeles Disappointed

Los Angeles, Calif., Sept. 4.—Much disappointment was felt by union men here today, by the refusal of Mayor Alexander to allow the parade of 25,000 men to go down Temple street and pass the county jail where John McNamara is confined. In order that the celebrated prisoner might view the parade, the Mayor feared a riot. A big barbecue is being held this afternoon.

At Seattle

Seattle, Wash., Sept. 4.—With seventy thousands represented, a parade in which thousands of union men participated was given today and this afternoon an oration and other exercises are being held at Fortuna park.

Rain at Portland

Portland, Ore., Sept. 4.—No Labor Day program was carried out here today. A fall of rain seriously interrupted the parade.

CONTRACTOR ARRIVES AND GETS BUSY WITH OPERATIONS FOR BRANCH ASYLUM

For the purpose of entering at once upon the task of erecting the branch asylum building Allen J. Olson, of the contracting firm of Olson & Johnson of Missoula, Montana, is here today. He is already at work with active preparations for erecting the buildings and it will be but a few days until crowds of men will be at work west of town. "We are now getting bids on the excavation work" said Mr. Olson to the East Oregonian this afternoon. "If the bids are low enough we will let this work out by contract. If they are not low enough we will do the work ourselves. We will know tomorrow about this point. The excavating will be started the latter part of this week." According to Mr. Olson his partner, Fred Johnson, will reach here on September 29 and will take charge of the local work while he, Olson, will devote his time to general supervision of the contracts now held by the firm. Aside from the Pendleton job the firm has contracts for the erection of nine other buildings. Two of these are government buildings, in Montana, one being a home for the

5,000 at Spokane

Spokane, Wash., Sept. 4.—Five thousand union men participated in the Labor Day parade here today.

At Tacoma

Tacoma, Sept. 4.—Labor Day was spent here in picnicking and will end tonight with a grand fire spectacle in which 35,000 will take part.

"Save McNamaras" Is Cry

New York, Sept. 4.—"Save the McNamaras," was the slogan of nearly 100,000 union men and women marching along Fifth avenue today in a mammoth Labor Day celebration. Thousands purchased McNamara Defense Fund buttons.

Money for McNamaras

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 4.—Labor Day parades were dispensed with here today and the money usually expended in this way will go to the McNamara defense fund.

DANCING FIEND DIES AFTER 7 HOURS SPIN

St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 4.—Andrew Scott is dead here today as the result of his challenge to Miss Minnie Webb, for an endurance contest at dancing. The couple started dancing at 6 o'clock last evening and kept it up continuously until 1 o'clock this morning, when the man admitted himself exhausted. He died as he started to take a glass of soda water.

Injured in Accident

Everett, Wash., Sept. 4.—C. S. A. Talbot of San Francisco, was seriously injured yesterday when his automobile skidded and overturned where it struck the street car tracks. Mr. Talbot sustained a broken collar bone and was badly bruised about the head and body. It is feared he was internally injured. With him in the car were his wife, two daughters, a maid and a chauffeur. Mrs. Talbot's head was slightly cut. The others escaped injury.

Viaduct Blown Up

Mount Vernon, N. Y., Sept. 4.—One of the sections of the viaduct of the New York, Westchester and Boston electric railroad was blown up last night. Three men, said to have carried sticks of dynamite, were seen in the vicinity of the viaduct shortly before the explosion. The bridge is being built by non-union men.

Mine Plant Destroyed

Winning, Minn., Sept. 4.—The Halls and Mines Smelter plant was destroyed by fire last night. Loss, \$100,000.

Mother Shoots Son

Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 4.—Mrs. George W. Stone, temporarily insane, shot her four year old son last night.

The Concrete Work

All told the branch asylum buildings will cost the sum of \$129,000 and it will be the largest job the firm of Olson & Johnson has ever had. Nevertheless the contractors have done some big work in the past. They built the new Hot Lake sanitarium in 1904 and they also erected the Chamber Hotel in Marshfield, a seven-story structure. According to Mr. Olson they will set most of their workmen here or from Portland, though they will bring their foremen out from Montana.