

BRUMFIELD IS CAUGHT; ADMITS HIS IDENTITY

Tone of Market Better

Demand Stronger and Slight Price Advances Reported; Few Canners Benefit

Steady strengthening of the market price for canned fruits and berries and a stronger demand for foodstuffs of this kind are being reported in the buying centers...

Apples Show Advance. Present quotations on canned apples, looked upon as the barometer of the canned goods market...

Packs Sold Before Rise. Practically the same situation exists in the cherry, strawberry and gooseberry markets.

Most of the canneries were financed by the banks this year and the uncertain condition of the market during the early season...

The Douglas county court has been asked by the state board of health and other health agencies to provide funds for the employment of a county health nurse...

Woman's Dying Statement Sheds Light on Murder

Spokane, Wash., Aug. 12.—A reported dying statement of a woman who was represented to have declared that she shot down Ring Hutchinson, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A. here in 1904...

Boy's Ambition To Grow by Stretching Neck Causes Death

Butte, Mont., Aug. 12.—Physical culture literature describing methods of neck stretching is believed by police and county officials to have been the direct cause for the hanging of Charles N. Roberts, 15 year old son of Dr. C. M. Roberts...

A friend, Jess Daly, a 19 year old boy, said that the Roberts lad had an ambition to grow big and strong and that he had been reading closely physical culture literature describing how the neck could be developed.

The father of the boy is being held pending additional investigations.

Liquid Evidence Cost County Neat Sum; Never Seen

What became of the liquor, alleged by the Anti-Saloon League to have been purchased by its "operatives" as evidence in the league's crusade against liquor law violators in Marion county...

Again the county court presented the league with \$19.70 for the "miscellaneous expenses" of its operators when the bill for the period June 30 to July 12 was presented and allowed.

All of the liquor presented as evidence in the trials of cases growing out of the activities of the league "operatives," except that seized in the various raids, has not totalled more than two quarts.

Club Lacking Only \$1074 To Finish Drive

Reports of the Commercial club committees today working in the drive for additional funds for the support of the club for the remainder of the year, brought the total amount now subscribed up to \$4925.50.

The reported memberships today were \$292.50 while those of yesterday were over \$100, leaving a remaining sum of \$1074.50 to be raised before the \$6000 mark is reached.

Hubby Accuses Wife of Trying To Poison Him

Charging that her husband accused her of trying to poison him and basing her claims for divorce on cruel and inhuman treatment, Rena Jackson, filed suit in the circuit court this afternoon against Benjamin F. Jackson, now a resident of Clackamas county.

Mrs. Jackson states in her complaint that her husband after a trip to California from which he returned after six months' absence, refused to eat breakfast until he had washed all the dishes with hot water, fearing that she was attempting to poison him...

Soviet Wants Politics Kept Out of Relief

Riga, Latvia, Aug. 12.—The Russian soviet government will combat any attempt to interject political questions into the Russian famine relief, but it is sufficiently practical to see that if the holding of Americans in prison is an obstacle to the feeding of a million Russian children, it is best that Herbert Hoover's stipulation in this respect be granted.

Maxim Litvinoff, soviet special envoy, told American newspaper correspondents here last night. In addition to those held in prison in Russia, declared the soviet envoy, every facility to leave would be given by the soviet government to any Americans in the country, even to the extent of advertising for them in the newspapers.

Brown Told to Proceed With Russian Relief

Riga, Aug. 12.—Walter Lyman Brown, European director of the American relief administration, today received authorization from Washington to proceed with negotiations with Maxim Litvinoff, representative of soviet Russia for an agreement to carry out American relief measures in the famine district of Russia. Late this afternoon Mr. Brown was endeavoring to arrange a conference with M. Litvinoff for this evening.

Finder Says Devil-Man Had Wings

Knoxville, Tenn., Aug. 12.—Further information as to the petrified body of gigantic proportions found near Helwood, in Scott county, Tenn., has been received here. Cruise Sexton of Helwood, found the "devil" as he calls it, July 20, last, while prospecting for coal.

Thompson Will Speak Today at Quinaby Park

A total of about 125 young people are expected to attend the Sunday school and the Keystone League Christian Endeavor convention this afternoon and tomorrow which is being held in conjunction with the Evangelical camp meetings at Quinaby. As a feature of this evening Rev. J. W. Thompson of Lock Haven, Pa., a prominent leader of the country, will speak on the "Young People and Their Lord."

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Suspected Slayer Rented Car Similar To Kidnaper's Auto

Police Draw Lines of Evidence Closer Around Man Who Led Them to Priest's Grave; Searches for Woman and Man Accused by Hightower Are Continued

San Francisco, Aug. 12.—A letter written Wednesday by William Hightower, held for investigation in connection with the murder of Rev. Patrick Heslin, to Dolly Mason and un-called for at the San Francisco postoffice was opened today by the San Francisco police, with Hightower's consent.

The letter asked for further facts concerning the story of a casual visitor, who Hightower said had given Dolly Mason the information which led to the finding of the priest's grave. The police have not been able to locate Dolly Mason.

The letter follows: "Dear Miss Dolly:—I believe there is something to what that drunk told you. I know what he meant by the chap frying hot cakes and I found two covered places, but not caves and something is or has been buried there for the sand is loose as ashes.

"If it is a booze cache we will get it as soon as the hunt for the priest dies down so it will be safe. I am beginning to think it might have something to do with the priest anyway. Try to remember all the things he said and watch for him. This talk about killing a man and the big black pistol may not be booze talk at all for I found an empty 45 caliber shell at the place.

"See me at once as there is a reward offered. "W. A. HIGHTOWER, "General Delivery."

It was in the evening of the day this letter was written that Hightower led the police and a group of newspaper men to the grave.

Infernal Machine Found. A search of Hightower's room disclosed pieces of bloody hurlap a rifle and a contrivance described by the police as an "infernal machine." This was so adjusted that ten shells loaded with buckshot might be fired simultaneously by pulling a string. Hightower admitted to the police he had taken this with him on his preliminary tour of investigation to the Salada Beach district where the grave was located. He did not disclose his purpose.

It has been found that Hightower had rented a typewriter and the police are comparing the type with a typewritten letter demanding \$6500 reward for information of Rev. Heslin.

The records of the La Febre Auto Sales company here disclose that on August 2, about 6 o'clock, a few hours before the priest left the parochial residence in company with an unidentified stranger, Hightower had taken from the garage under rental a small automobile of the same make as the

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Oregon Insurance Business Exceeds Billion For Year

Insurance business written by the 379 companies operating in Oregon during 1920 aggregated \$1,004,843,702.43 on which premiums aggregating \$24,678,018.29 was collected, according to the annual report of the state insurance department for the year ending December 31, last, which has just been completed by A. C. Barber, state insurance commissioner.

As showing the remarkable growth of the insurance business in this state, Barber's report calls attention to the fact that ten years ago there were only 130 insurance companies operating in this state, the collection of premiums aggregating only \$6,350,167 or only slightly more than one fourth as much as that of 1920.

Losses and claims paid by insurance companies for the year aggregated \$9,183,644.63 leaving net premiums of \$11,494,478.24.

The report shows that there were 9400 agents licensed to transact insurance business of one kind or another in this state in 1920.

"While the increase in the amount of insurance and premium income was not so marked as

Twins Weighing 11 and 17 Ounces Smallest Babes

Bogalouss, La., Aug. 12.—* Billie and Jack Adams, twins * * of Mr. and Mrs. William * * Adams, are believed by local * * doctors to be the smallest * * living folk. Billie weighed * * eleven ounces at birth and * * Jack seventeen. Mrs. Adams * * six other children are of normal size. The midwife ap- * * pear to be in perfect health. * *

one in which Rev. Heslin and his abductor rode away in response to what the priest believed as a "sick call." Hightower returned the automobile at 1 o'clock in the morning of the following day.

The police today continued their search for Dolly Mason and for Dorris Shirley.

Hightower broke down and sobbed this morning when shown a delayed telegram telling of the death of his wife in Stillwater, Okla. This was the first emotion he has displayed during the inquiry, the police said.

The telegram was sent from Stillwater on July 4 by Mrs. Laura McClain, a sister of Mrs. Hightower, but the telegram company had been unable to locate him until today, when the message was turned over to the San Francisco police for delivery.

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