

TRIES TO KILL HENEY

REJECTED JUROR ATTEMPTS TO SLAY PROSECUTOR IN COURTROOM.

Morris Haas, the Assassin, Mysteriously Secures Pistol in Jail and Commits Suicide.

San Francisco, Nov. 16.—The condition of Francis J. Heney, who was shot and seriously wounded in the crowded courtroom by Morris Haas, an ex-convict, is making an excellent progress on the road to recovery. He passed a comfortable night, sleeping most of the time.

The shooting occurred during a brief recess in the third trial of Abraham Ruef on the charge of bribery, which is now in its 11th week. With uniformed policemen in the hall, half a dozen of the prosecution's special detectives within a few feet, one of them detailed especially as his bodyguard to see that no attempt was made upon his life, and several court bailiffs and attaches scattered about, the aggressive special prosecutor was shot in sight of 500 persons.

The bullet fired by Morris Haas at Mr. Heney was removed from the muscles of the lower left maxillary, where it was located by means of the X-ray. The operation was successfully performed. Mr. Heney bore the ordeal well and is reported to be resting quietly, showing no ill effects from the operation.

The suicide of Haas, who killed himself with a pistol concealed about his person, is the subject of much discussion and the police authorities are investigating how Haas was able to conceal the weapon with which he took his life, after being searched two or three times. Two theories are advanced, one was that he had the pistol hidden in his shoe from the time he attempted to kill Mr. Heney, and it was overlooked by the police; the other theory, the one that the District Attorney's office holds, is that the pistol was passed to Haas by some interested person while he was in custody.

NEW HEAD OF NAVY

Metcalf Out of Sympathy With the Administration.

Washington, Nov. 15.—Ill health is the ostensible reason of Secretary Metcalf's withdrawal from the Cabinet, but persons in Washington who think they know say the resignation has been pending for a week; that it was not to be offered without some heartburning and that his ill health was only a perfunctory reason. Assistant Secretary Newberry was appointed Secretary.

It is reported that friction between President Roosevelt and Secretary Metcalf developed from the time of the recent Newport naval conference on the battleship designs. Ever since the naval controversy developed last winter Metcalf has sided with the Bureaucrats.

CHILD ALONE FOUR DAYS WITH HIS DEAD FATHER

Victoria, B. C., Nov. 15.—Alone in the house for four days with the dead body of his father is the sad tale of a little six-year-old boy that comes from the Nass River, in the northern part of this province.

A white man named Haines, who was married to an Indian woman, was the unfortunate who met death under such strange circumstances. Haines' wife had gone on a visit to her people, who lived some distance up the river, leaving the little boy with his father. During her absence Haines' boat got adrift, and the man swam out into the ice-cold waters to recover it.

He caught cold and, finding he was a very sick man, cooked up a quantity of food and told his little boy that he was sick and was going to sleep for a long time and that he must not be frightened. The lad was told to cover his father's face with a cloth when he found he was asleep and not to disturb him and, as there was lots of food, he was not to bother but to eat all he wanted when he was hungry, and the mother would be home again in a short time. Haines died and the little boy was alone in the cabin for four days with the dead body of his father before any one reached the cabin.

Ruef Demands Change of Venue. San Francisco, Nov. 16.—When Ruef's case was called this morning, Attorney Dozier announced that he had a motion to make on Ruef's behalf, and asked that the jury be dismissed. This was done and Dozier filed an affidavit signed by Ruef asking for a change of venue to some court in another part of the state, as he was convinced that he could not obtain a fair trial in this court.

Government Sues Sugar Combine. New York, Nov. 16.—The United States Government has brought six suits against the American Sugar Refining Company to recover forfeitures and customs receipts of about \$3,600,000 on sugar delivered by the Havenmeyer and Elder refineries in Brooklyn during the last six months, which the government alleges fraud in weighing shipments.

WILL PROBABLY AMEND FISH LAWS ON COLUMBIA RIVER

Portland, Or., Nov. 16.—That Astoria gillnetters will fall in their efforts to drive out salmon wheels and traps is the plain evidence on several sides. The United States Fish Commission opposes them and so do the authorities of Oregon and Washington. It is altogether probable that the Washington commission of 13 members, which met in Seattle last week, will oppose the gillnetters and will call for regulation of all kinds of fishing gear, and that the Oregon Conservation Commission, a committee of which is investigating the matter, will do the same. Oregon's new fish warden takes this view and declares that all gear should be regulated and none abolished.

Affairs have reached such a stage that the closed season will undoubtedly be lengthened by the two legislatures this winter. There are now only two closed periods, one 20 days long, between March 15 and April 15, and the other 16 days long, between August 25 and September 10. These were the closed seasons up to the enactment of the inoperative initiative laws in Oregon.

Round-Up of Bison Falls. Missoula, Mont., Nov. 15.—The strenuous work of the past two months on the Flathead Reservation in rounding up and corralling the 250 bison of the Pablo herd, purchased by the Canadian government, has come to naught and there will be no shipment of the animals to Canada this year.

Despite all the precautions that had been taken to insure the success of the drive, the enclosure into which the buffalo had been driven preparatory to loading them into cars at Ravalli proved insecure and the herd is now roaming at will on the reservation.

Race Riot in Oklahoma Town. Okmulgee, Okla., Nov. 15.—Eight persons were killed and ten others injured this afternoon in a fight between Jim Deekard, a negro desperado, and local officers. The disturbance began at the St. Louis & San Francisco railroad station, where the negro engaged in a fight with an Indian boy.

WORLD'S NEWS IN BRIEF

The new divorce law, increasing the period of residence from six months to one year, was carried in South Dakota by a vote of 2 to 1.

If the recovery of Postmaster E. W. Morgan, of New York, who was shot last week, continues, he will be at his desk the first week in December.

Official election returns show that the Unionist party carried all seven districts of Porto Rico. The Unionists advocated independence and self-government.

President Roosevelt has appointed George S. Terry to be Assistant Treasurer of the United States, in succession to Hamilton Fish.

The United States Steel corporation has decided to expend \$5,500,000, the greater part of which will be used to increase its capacity for pressed steel cars.

The Home Missions of the Methodist church last week appropriated \$900,000 for mission work in America. The funds are to be used largely for work in the city slums and at frontier posts.

The grand jury at Nashville, Tenn., returned a true bill in which Colonel B. Cooper, his son, Robin B. Cooper, and ex-Sheriff J. D. Sharp are jointly charged with murdering ex-Senator Carmack and in which Sharp is indicted also on the charge of being an accessory before the fact.

Professor Mark W. Harrington, formerly chief of the United States Weather Bureau, who mysteriously dropped out of sight nearly 10 years ago, has been found, a hopeless mental wreck, in the New Jersey Asylum for the Insane at Morris Plains. Such is his condition that he has been unable to tell the asylum officials anything about himself. His wife recently visited the asylum and identified her missing husband.

PORTLAND MARKETS.

Wheat—Track prices: Club, 88c; red Russian, 86c; bluestem, 93c; Valley, 91c.
Barley—Feed, \$26; rolled, \$27@28.
Oats—No. 1 white, \$31; gray, \$30.
Hay—Timothy, Willamette Valley, fancy, \$15; do. ordinary, \$12; Eastern Oregon, mixed, \$16; do. fancy, \$17.50; alfalfa, \$12.
Butter—Extra, 35c; fancy, 33½c; choice, 27c; store, 18c.
Eggs—Extra, 35@38c; Eastern 28@32c.
Hops—1908, choice, 8@8½c; primo, 7@7½c; medium, 5½@6c; 1907, 3@4c.
Wool—Valley 14@15½c; lb; Eastern Oregon, 8@16c, as to shrinkage.
Mohair—Choice, 18@19c.

SEATTLE MARKETS.

Wheat—Bluestem, 95c.
Oats—\$30@31.
Barley—\$26.
Hay—Eastern Washington timothy, \$16 per ton; Puget Sound hay, \$10@11 per ton; wheat hay, \$12 per ton; alfalfa, \$9.50@10 per ton.
Butter—Washington creamery, 34c per lb; ranch, 21@23c per lb; Oregon, 28c per lb.
Eggs—Selected local, 42@43c per doz.; Eastern, 32@35c per doz.; Oregon ranch, 34c per doz.

OREGON BRIEFLETS

The complete returns of the Presidential election in Oregon are as follows: Taft, 62,118; Bryan, 27,775; Chas. S. 2646; Debs, 7994; Hagan, 227.

What is declared to be the first discovery of bog iron in the United States was made near Salem last week. There is said to be an immense ledge of great value.

The Corvallis & Eastern railroad shows a corporate net loss of \$1156 for the year of 1908. The majority of the stock is owned by E. H. Harriman and held in trust for the Southern Pacific Company.

Tracklaying has been resumed on the Corvallis & Alsea railroad, and is so far advanced only about a mile remains to be laid, when the town of Monroe will be connected with Corvallis by rail.

The complete stock of the Merlin Supply Company was burned last week, with no insurance. Mr. and Mrs. William Richards, of Merlin, and G. B. McEwen, of Astoria, were badly burned, the latter two with but slight chances for recovery.

R. D. Hume, the millionaire salmon-packer of Curry county and known throughout the state as the king of Rogue river, is reported to be dying at his home at Wedderburn. He is suffering from a severe attack of kidney trouble.

The Secretary of the Interior has withdrawn from entry two small tracts in Clatsop county, with a view to creating National parks. The withdrawn areas embrace Saddle Mountain and Humbug Mountain. The creation of parks can only be by congressional action.

Seven hundred head of ownerless sheep, valued approximately at \$2000, have been found by C. E. Carlile, of Unity, Baker county, and are being held for the owner. So far no woolgrower in that vicinity can be found who has missed that many animals.

While in a temporary fit of insanity, Mrs. Emma Slaughter, of Pendleton, made an unsuccessful attempt Sunday at self-destruction. She shot herself with a double-barrel deringer, but the wound will not prove fatal.

Sales of farm and orchard lands within a radius of 12 miles of Medford, made through the agency of real estate men, are \$1,000,000 greater for 1908 than for the year 1907, reaching a grand total of \$1,500,000.

A verdict of acquittal was returned last week by the jury in the case of Joseph Shaughnessy, on trial for the killing of A. Wilcox in The Dalles on October 1. The verdict was a surprise, since it was proved that Wilcox died from three wounds inflicted by a knife in the hands of Shaughnessy during a quarrel over a dog.

While two boys, sons of E. Kaunlaas, were playing in their house at Hobsonville, near Tillamook Saturday, and while the older brother was standing with his hands at his back against a door, the younger lad picked up a shotgun and fired it at the door, the shot partly tearing his brother's hand to pieces and then entering his back, injuring him so severely that he cannot live. The boys are 7 and 10 years of age.

Robert McCulley, a prominent Lake county sheepman, shot and killed C. M. Finucane, another sheepman, last week. McCulley was driving his sheep to water at a point about 30 miles east of Lakeview, when he encountered Finucane, who objected to McCulley crossing that particular point of the range. Finucane attacked McCulley, who drew a revolver and fired the fatal shot.

Mrs. Mary F. Neas, of Eugene, has requested the supreme court of the District of Columbia to issue a writ of mandamus against Secretary of Interior Garfield to compel him to recognize and follow the decision of the United States circuit court of appeals for the Seventh circuit, which held it unnecessary for her personally to inspect a tract of public land before making timber and stone entry thereon. She declares in her petition that Garfield declines to follow this ruling, claiming that he construes the law differently.

That the Pullman Company expects its porters and waiters to "work" the public for a large part of their compensation, and probably for more, is the opinion expressed by State Labor Commissioner O. P. Hoff in his biennial report to the Legislature. That the company receives a part of the "tips" is a deduction Mr. Hoff makes from the fact that the gross receipts of the company in Oregon, as reported to the State Treasurer, amounts to \$61,095.16, while the amount paid out in wages alone, as shown by the report to the Labor Commission, almost equals that amount.

Frank E. Guild, a night guard at the Barnes Cash Store of Salem, was clubbed over the head, gagged and bound by two burglars early Sunday morning and was left in that condition, while the robbers gathered up a quantity of clothing and made good their escape. Apparently the two robbers secreted themselves in the store before it closed the night before. At 2 o'clock in the morning when Guild awoke they were standing beside his bed. As soon as he opened his eyes they clubbed him and, after binding and gagging him, warned him not to try to make a disturbance. They took \$10 from his pockets and what clothing and shoes they wanted and left. Though severely injured Guild will recover.

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15 per cent off Steel Ranges
20 per cent off Cast Cooks

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To every customer who buys a stove, whether it is a heater, range or cook stove, we are going to give a \$1.50 14 oz. nickel plated copper teakettle for 93c.

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We have cut prices on the above goods and we are going to offer in connection with them something for you to cut with, viz.

Cissors, all sizes, - 25 per cent off
Butcher Knives, - 25 per cent off
Razors and Pocket Knives 33½% off



Please note our window display of the cutting goods

Remember, fifteen days only, commencing November 13th and ending November 28th in order to get the goods at the price named, they must be bought at the time specified so make this opportunity yours and buy now.

R. M. WADE & COMPANY

W. E. CRAVEN, Mgr.

Independence, Oregon

RICKREALL.

Mrs. B. F. Lucas and daughter, Mira, returned Friday from a visit to Salt Lake City.

Wm. Byers and wife of Cleone, Oregon, visited relatives here last week.

Hon. Levi Aukney and wife from here.

Wm. Rowell and wife, accompanied by Miss Ada Byers, visited Salem Saturday.

The Rickreall Milling Co. is installing a new vetch machine.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Wait were in Salem last Friday.

James Hickerson took a load of apples to Salem Monday.

Thielson Bros. have started a gasoline plow on their place near here and have been operating it quite successfully.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, County and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY.
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

(SEAL) A. W. GLEASON,
Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by all druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Hops Move at Fair Price.
Klaber, Wolf & Netter recently bought the 1908 crop of hops of Geo. L. Rose at 8 cents. There were over 900 bales in this sale and it is one of the largest individual sales made this year. Eph Young sold his lot, consisting of 190 bales, to Ralph Williams at 8½ cents.

Youth's Companion Club Rate
The Youth's Companion and Independence Enterprise will be sold together this Fall, the two for \$2.25. This is the best offer ever made in connection with the Youth's Companion. Renewals to that paper will be accepted with this paper at that price.

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10-qt. Enameled Dish Pan 35c.
Sale price 25c
14-qt. Enameled Dish Pan 50c.
Sale price 35c
17-qt. Enameled Dish Pan 60c.
Sale price 40c



Tin Boilers, usual price 85c.
Sale price 65c
Galvanized Boilers, usual price \$1.00.
Sale price 75c
Tin Boilers, copper bottom, usual price \$1.00.
Sale price 75c
Tin Boilers, copper bottom, usual price \$2.00.
Sale price \$2.70

Tin Boilers, large and heavy, usual price \$2.25.
Sale price \$1.65
Tin Boilers, large and heavy, usual price \$3.00.
Sale price \$2.20
Tin Boilers, large and heavy, usual price \$3.50.
Sale price \$2.70

We have a fine assortment of twenty kinds and sizes. Our stock is at present complete, but will not remain so very long at the above prices.



17-qt. Tin Dish Pan, regular price 35c.
Sale price 20c

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Granite Iron Pie Plates 10c.
Sale price 5c

No. 10 Enameled Fry Pan, 30c.
Sale price 20c

No. 9 Granite Iron Jelly Cake Pans 10c.
Sale price 5c

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Sale price 35c

No. 10 Granite Iron Jelly Cake Pans 15c.
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Fine line of dairy pails at less than the cost of manufacture.

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