

KILLED BY A FALLING TREE AT SAGINAW

Albert McPoland, Employed by the Booth-Kelly Company in the Logging Camp, Meets an Untimely End - Formerly Conducted the Oregon Hotel at Springfield

Albert McPoland, a young man employed by the Booth-Kelly Lumber Company in the logging camp in the mountains above Saginaw, was killed this morning by being struck by a falling tree. Particulars of the accident are hard to obtain, and little is known of the occurrence further

than the man was at work and as a huge tree began to fall he ran, thinking he was getting out of harm's way, but it seems that the tree fell in a different direction from what the men expected it to, and young McPoland was crushed beneath its big limbs. The unfortunate man was aged about 24 or 25 years and formerly lived at Springfield, where he conducted the Oregon Hotel until about three months ago. He was well liked there. It is said he was engaged to be married to a young lady of that place, and the wedding was to have taken place within a few days.

The Eugene sawmill is again idle for a few days on account of a break in the machinery yesterday afternoon, after the governor had been repaired and the machinery started again.

The notarial commission of Attorney S. D. Allen, of this city, was filed with the county clerk yesterday afternoon.

ASK DAMAGES FROM MURDERERS OF THEIR FATHER

Lexington, March 13.—Suit to recover \$100,000 damages was filed last night in the Fayette county circuit court against James Hargis, Edwin Callahan and Elbert Hargis by E. P. Cardwell, guardian for Edward, Luch and Brackie Cox, children of Dr. D. R. Cox.

In the petition it is alleged that these defendants, who are awaiting trial for complicity in the murder of Dr. Cox, conspired with each other and others, whose names are not known, to murder Dr. Cox.

ALBANY BREWERY WILL
CLOSE TILL LIXX GOES WIT
Salem, Or., March 12.—It is only

a question of two or three months until the Albany brewery will be abandoned entirely, except for the ice plant. This is the statement of Manager F. G. Deckebach, of the Salem Brewery Association, which a month ago absorbed the Albany plant, formerly the property of Faber & Neils.

At present the Albany plant is kept in operation to supply the local and export trade, but as soon as the Salem plant completes its improvements the Albany brewery will be closed until Linn county is again voted "wet."

The Albany brewery carries the largest payroll in that city. Lee Hoselton goes to Portland in the morning to have the wires, with which the bones of his injured arm are tied together, removed. It will be remembered that while out hunting a couple of years ago his companion mistook him for a bear, and shot him twice, once in the arm, shattering the bones, and once in the face.

WITNESS SMITH IS AGAIN ON THE STAND AND HUMMEL FOLLOWS

New York, March 13.—Smith was again on the witness stand in the Thaw trial this morning. Replying to questions from Delmas the witness said he had returned to the United States at the request of District Attorney Jerome, who called him, as nearly as the witness could remember.

"Your evidence of most importance; your presence is desired." He communicated his evidence to his attorneys, and later reduced to writing his conversation with Thaw upon the roof garden. He was excused.

Attorney Abe Hummel took the stand and was questioned regarding the meeting in his office with Evelyn Nesbit and Stanford White. He stated after the meeting that he dictated something to his stenographer.

Jerome asked the witness: "Did Mrs. Thaw tell you that Thaw wanted to injure White and put him in the penitentiary, and that Thaw begged her time and again to swear to documents he had prepared involving Stanford White and charging that he had drugged and ruined her, and that Thaw had beaten her because she would not sign the papers?"

Delmas objected to such questioning as not proper in rebuttal, and the lawyers went into an argument on that point. Jerome made an impassioned appeal to the court, declaring that an answer on this point was vital. He declared he wanted to prove that this young woman had under oath denied that she ever told such a story to Thaw. If she did not tell this story, Jerome continued, then the cause of Thaw's insanity instantly disappears.

The case went over until tomorrow, partly to allow Delmas an opportunity to consult authorities and prepare an argument in answer to Jerome, and also to allow Jerome to finish framing a hypothetical question, Jerome saying that if this could be done he would close his case in rebuttal tomorrow night. Jerome said Delmas had assured him that the cross-examination of the prosecution's experts would not be long.

Yesterday Afternoon.
Smith resumed the stand at yesterday afternoon's session. He identified the map, positions of himself and White. Watched the Thaw party pass him. Thaw stood still a moment, looking over the heads of the people. Then walked toward witness and spoke to him. Said it was funny he could only get three seats. Said he was going to take a stroll, but discovered a seat next to witness and

sat down, offered him a cigarette, conversed about the merits of the play, which Thaw approved. Thaw suddenly asked if Smith was "very much married." Witness didn't understand the question. Thaw answered:

"Are you above meeting a nice little girl?"
"Who do you mean? Is she here?"
"No, she is not in the garden, but I expect to go away, and will be glad to arrange for you to meet her."

Movements of Thaw.
Thaw described the girl as a brunette, not particularly good looking, but nice. He told him he was much obliged, but he didn't think he would bother with that kind. Thaw then asked if he knew the men of his party. Witness replied that he knew McCaleb. Soon after defendant left him, going toward the south end of the garden, turned at the end of the aisle and walked toward the elevator. White's table was in that direction. When he reached the entrance nearest the elevator Thaw turned and walked back, still looking in the same direction. He passed Smith and went to the table with Evelyn, Deale and McCaleb.

McCaleb gave him his seat. Thaw then got up and walked down the aisle and back again to Evelyn. He then walked over to the entrance, looking toward the place where he subsequently shot White. He then disappeared three minutes, going into the gallery. As he came back he stopped and looked intently over the audience with smiles; nodded as he passed the witness and went back to his seat. The whole party got up to go, and then I heard three shots. I jumped to my feet, and as the smoke cleared away I saw Thaw with the revolver. I went to the place where the dead man lay, with his face black from the smoke and unrecognizable. He was my brother-in-law, but I failed to identify him, and left the building without knowing who was killed.

Mother Stands by Her.
Pittsburg, March 12.—Mrs. Holman, the mother of Evelyn Thaw, defies the Thaws, saying: "Let them cast her off after her sacrifice. She is my daughter, and will return to me in time." Hitherto the mother has shown resentment against Evelyn but is now anxious for a reconciliation with her daughter. She did her best to be a good mother. "Florence will realize this when she is a little older, and away from her present influences."

TOWN WOULD HAVE THE SALOONS AGAIN

Coquille, Or., March 12.—Business men, and in fact the majority of the residents of Coquille, are chagrined at the effect of the anti-saloon ordinance which they have passed. It is claimed that all business has fallen off one-third since it has been rigorously enforced. There is an almost unanimity of opinion in favor of reopening the saloons, and to this end steps are being taken to hold a special election in June. It is claimed that Bandon and the Bay are getting a heavy percentage of the Coquille business, especially of the men from the logging camps.

There were once four saloons in Coquille, and it is said that there are more drunks on the streets on certain days now than before the saloons were closed. The authorities have been unable to shut off altogether the liquor traffic, and much is said to be shipped in by boat from Bandon.

The vote by which the saloons were closed was a very close one, the saloon element losing by twenty-seven votes. It is thought that at the special election they will be reinstated by a heavy majority.

Debert, the 4-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Faust, while playing at the home on East Eighth street, fell and broke both bones of his left forearm.

ABE RUEF'S CASE POSTPONED TILL MONDAY

Affidavits Filed in Contradiction of Defendant's Allegation That Judge Dunne Is Biased - Court Orders That Trial Jury Be Empaneled to Try Case

San Francisco, March 13.—When the case of the people against Abraham Ruef, accused of extortion, was called for trial today Assistant District Attorney Heney offered and filed counter affidavits of Judge Dunne, Dr. Robert Patek, F. J. McManus and himself in contradiction of the affidavits of Ruef and Paul M. Nippert, alleging bias and prejudice of Judge Dunne toward the defendant.

The trial of Judge Dunne was postponed until Monday, and Judge Dunne ordered the empanelment of a jury.

SWOLLEN STREAM CAUSE OF WRECK

Pittsburg, March 13.—Three trainmen drowned, a railroad bridge washed out and an engine and five cars in the water are the results of the rapid rise during last night of Deer creek, near Hannamsville, Pa., on the West Pennsylvania railroad. The bridge gave way when the train ran upon it, and the cars went into the water.

NEW STATE RESTRICTS VOTING OF WOMEN

Guthrie, March 13.—The right of women to vote in the new state was restricted further last night by the constitutional convention, when the privilege to vote on all matters relating to schools was changed to read that women should vote only in school district elections.

HUNDREDS EXECUTED BY COURT MARTIAL

St. Petersburg, March 13.—Statistics published today regarding drum-head court martials show that up to March 5, when their activity was suspended, 764 persons were executed an average of almost five daily. The majority of the executions occurred in Poland and the Baltic provinces.

MRS. EDDY'S COUSIN PARTY TO LAWSUIT

Concord, N. H., March 11.—Fred W. Baker, of Epcom, N. H., a second cousin of Mrs. Mary Baker Eddy, and Dr. E. J. Foster Eddy, of Waterbury, Vt., Mrs. Eddy's adopted son, have become additional parties plaintiff as "next friends" of Mrs. Eddy, to the bill in equity brought to secure an accounting of her property against the heads of the Christian Science church. In joining the bill in equity Dr. Foster Eddy says in his petition that he has "become convinced that Mrs. Eddy is, and has for a long time been incapable of intelligently conducting or receiving an account of her business and property, and that the same is being managed wholly by the defendants, without a proper accounting thereof."

JOHN D. INTERCEDES FOR RAILROAD GANG

Washington, March 11.—J. Pierpont Morgan, of New York, was in conference with President Roosevelt for two hours today. The financier came here at the request of certain business men of New York to discuss the business situation, particularly as affecting the railroads. He asked the president to grant an interview to four railroad presidents, which request was granted. The object of Mr. Morgan's visit was to urge the president to take some action to allay the public anxiety now threatening to obstruct railroad investments and construction. Mr. Morgan pointed out to the president that the financial interests of the country are greatly alarmed at the attitude of the administration toward corporations, particularly railroads.

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Signs of Spring and Easter are blooming daily in gay colored novelties here. Come in and enjoy an inspection of these new things. We know the temptation there is to buy when styles are winning and prices right.

Only three weeks to Easter. You'll have to hurry if you want to make yourself a dress suit or coat. Replenish your wardrobe now and get ready to greet the sweet fragrant breeze of an Easter morning.



New Coats and Skirts

Our showing of natty short Box and Pony Coats this season is superb. Many of them are lined throughout with the best quality of satin. Also have a nice assortment of skirts for street wear, gored, tucked and made with folds and box pleats; very stylish looking; have them all sizes, all colors and prices from

\$3.50 up

Attractive Silk Display

Our silk display this season is very attractive. The qualities are dependable. The prices are extremely moderate. Have all the popular kinds, such as Taffetas, Peau de Soie, Crepe de Chine, Pongee, fancy silks in checks, plaids, stripes and dots and India silks in pretty designs. Can find silks here to suit every purpose, whether for linings or for dress materials. Come in and get an idea of the patterns and prices. We are pleased to show you.

Dress Goods

New Spring and Summer dress goods are here and our showing is immense, and nearly every express adds to it. All the latest shades in the pronounced weaves are here in abundance, in all wool and silk and wool mixtures, dress patterns and waist patterns, and in all desirable materials and colors in gray, brown, blue, shadow plaids, invisible checks and fancy, plain and diagonal weave effects. Our usual moderate prices prevail. Buy your new dress now and save money.

New Trimmings

Our trimming department is larger this season than ever before, and consequently our showing is prettier and daintier than those of last season. All popular trimmings are here: Boutache braids, Persian braids, cream and white braids, draw braids, black and colored silk braids, Rose Point edgings, drop ornaments, medallions in fancy and black, black and white frogs and applique lace in black and white colors, and many more too numerous to mention.

Men's Department

Men's New Spring Apparel



Mens' New Spring Suits

All the very latest fashions in worsteds, chevrons, serge and tweeds. All the very newest patterns and weaves. Beautifully tailored and finished throughout. Sack Coats, four button vests, single or double-breasted coats and pants with or without belts and folds. Very moderately priced. Come in and select your new suit for Easter.

New Ladies' Suits

We are showing a very handlot of ladies' tailored-made suits this season. They maintain that rich, wholesome, stylish effect that are characteristic to all up-to-date, reliable garments. The popular styles this Spring are Etons and Pony Jackets, trimmed with fancy trimmings, neat buttons and soufache braids. The skirts are cut full, and the entire garments are made on the models of the most exclusive Parisian Spring Suits for 1907. Come in and see them. Our prices are exceptionally low.

Gloves for Easter

We are prepared to meet you in our glove department with everything new and up-to-date. All colors, makes and qualities to suit both old and young. Each pair is dependable, new and perfect; strong sewed and carefully made of elastic knit, which fits perfectly to the shape of the hand. Have them from

75c up



New Waists

Everything new and handsome in waists made of rich look silks, good wearing linens, serviceable lawns, batistes, etc., trimmed with round and square yoke of embroidery insertion and allover laces, short and long sleeves, all sizes, and popular shades, and prices from

60c up