

SALESMAN KILLED AND DIAMONDS ARE MISSING

Benjamin Goodman's Body Is Found Under Pile of Rubbish in Street Gutter

San Francisco, Nov. 21.—The body of Benjamin A. Goodman, a salesman for a local jewelry company, was found today in a heap of refuse in a gutter on Oregon street, near Front.

It is believed Goodman was lured to a place near where his body was found and murdered. Two deep wounds on the head are said by examining physicians to be more than 24 hours old.

INDICTED PACKERS FIGHT FOR DELAY

Chicago, Nov. 21.—Counsel for the nine Chicago packers indicted for criminal violation of the Sherman law, prepared to seek delay in their trial today when they appeared to the United States supreme court.

EVIDENCE SECURED AGAINST GEN. REYES

San Antonio, Mex., Nov. 21.—Copies of three manifestos calling on the Mexican army and Mexican people to revolt against the Madero government, and signed in print with the name of General Bernardo Reyes, is in the hands of the local secret service men today, and will be laid by them before the United States district attorney here.

MOTHER KILLED BY SEVEN YEAR OLD CHILD

While Attempting to Defend Her Mother Pistol Was Accidentally Discharged

Watsonville, Cal., Nov. 21.—Mrs. Geo. Hall, of Vega station, five miles from here, was accidentally shot and instantly killed last night by her seven-year-old daughter, who was trying to shield her from an attack by the girl's father.

COMMERCIAL CLUB AT HOME IN NEW QUARTERS

Finest Club Rooms in the State Outside of Portland Are Open to Members

The Commercial club has finally moved to its new quarters, and while all of the furniture has not yet arrived, enough is on hand to enable the officers to get to work and to provide for all the practical necessities and luxuries of the members and guests of the club.

The large lobby is furnished with heavy mission furniture. The cozy library and splendid assembly room are covered with axminster carpet, the upholstery on the furniture being heavy leather.

The ladies' room is just north of the assembly room and also has axminster carpet. The furnishing of this room is solid mahogany, upholstered with green panne mohair. There is a fine billiard room with court carpet and cushioned seats around the walls for interested spectators, there being six tables.

There is a bowling room with two alleys and a card room with eight tables. The large banquet hall is appropriately furnished and is of sufficient size to meet any emergency. As a necessary supplement to this department is the kitchen, with its two fine gas ranges and all the utensils needed for cooking and serving meals.

And we must not forget the promotion department, from which literature has gone forth to the uttermost parts of the earth and has attracted sellers from all over the East and from foreign lands. This department now has rooms adequate to the task before it—a large reception room and two smaller rooms for the director and secretary.

APPEAL FROM ORDER OF COMMERCE COURT

Washington, Nov. 21.—The appeal from the temporary injunction granted by the Commerce court in the Spokane and other transcontinental freight rate cases is expected to be taken today. The government's counsel will file a motion for an appeal to the United States supreme court, and it will be granted. It is also said that the commerce court will enter a final decree making the issue go to the supreme court in a definite form.

COAL CREEK STRIKE HAS BEEN SETTLED

Ferne, B. C., Nov. 21.—The mines of Coal Creek were in operation yesterday for the first time since April. Five hundred men were employed in clearing up preparatory to the employment of the normal force of several thousand men. The miners apparently are well pleased that the strike has been settled.

PAPER COMPANY MANAGER ARRESTED

Coudersport, Pa., Nov. 21.—Fredrick J. Hamblin, superintendent of the Bayless Pulp & Paper company, the bursting of whose dam on September 30, caused death and destruction in the town of Austin, was arrested today on a warrant charging him with manslaughter. He came here to consult attorneys.

HETTY GREEN IS YOUNG AND HAPPY

New York, Nov. 21.—Today is Mrs. Hetty Green's 76th birthday. She declared herself too busy to celebrate, and said a birthday was as good as any other day for hard work. She said she was "still young and still happy."

NEW MASTER OF NATIONAL GRANGE

Columbus, Ohio, Nov. 21.—Oliver H. Wilson, master of the Illinois state grange, was elected today master of the national grange in session here.

The Wheat Markets

Portland, Nov. 21.—Track prices.—Club, 79 5/8; bluestem, 82 3/8; forty-fold, 89 5/8; red Russian, 77 1/8; valley, 79 3/8.

Tasmania, Nov. 21.—Bluestem, 82 1/2 3/8; forty-fold, 89 5/8; club, 79 1/2 3/8; red Russian, 75 1/2 3/8.

ARMY AND NAVY BOARD TO INSPECT THE MAINE WRECK



Washington, Nov. 21.—The personnel of the board of officers which will go to Havana to inspect the wreck of the battleship Maine has been announced by the secretary of the navy as follows:

Rear Admiral Vreeland, aid for inspection, president; Chief Naval Constructor Richard M. Watt, Colonel William M. Black of the army engineer corps, an expert on powder and explosives, and Commander Charles F. Hughes of the board for the inspection and survey of ships.

DARROW OBJECTS TO RULINGS OF COURT

Old Trouble Breaks Out Again Over Right of State to Challenge for Cause

Los Angeles, Nov. 20.—One of the most bitterly contested points in the McNamara case was reopened today when Attorney Darrow protested again to the court against the option by the state of challenging talesmen opposed to conviction on circumstantial evidence, or not, as the state's counsel sees fit. The privilege of challenge on this ground long ago was refused the defense. Today, when Talesman M. F. Mooney, an Irish Catholic, and member of a labor organization, Darrow protested, but the court allowed the challenge. A moment later, Talesman L. W. Traver was asked by the court if he opposed the infliction of the death penalty, and said he was in a case involving circumstantial evidence.

"I hold that this man should be excused, your honor," said Darrow. "The statute and decisions are that a man with such a belief shall not be allowed to serve—that the court shall not permit him to serve."

WANTS REWARD FOR HIS CANCER SERUM

Cologne, Nov. 21.—Dr. Otto Schmidt, a cancer expert of this city, has applied for the Italian prize of \$20,000 offered to the discoverer of a cancer serum. He has been cases by means of his remedy. Schmidt asserts he is able to prove forty cures.

TWO MISMATED COUPLES ARE GIVEN FREEDOM

Charles Godon Divorced from Lella and A. W. Sturtevant from Emma

Judge Harris of the circuit court, today granted two divorces, one to Charles E. Godon from his wife, Lella, and the other to Albert W. Sturtevant from his wife, Emma. The Godons were married in San Francisco on July 19, 1908, and have no children. In his complaint Godon alleges that his wife treated him in a cruel and inhuman manner and so testified in court.

NO CORRUPTION FUND FOR BILL'S ELECTION

Chicago, Nov. 21.—Neither Edward Hines, the lumberman, nor Edward Tilden, the packer, was custodian of a \$100,000 fund or other fund, which was to be used to pay off the expenses of the election of William Lorimer to the United States senate, according to expert reports submitted to the senatorial investigating committee today.

S. P. WILL BUILD LONG SPUR TO HALL LOTS

George T. Hall Will Then Erect Large Concrete Wholesale Warehouses

While in Eugene, with the head officials of the Southern Pacific company this forenoon, Superintendent L. R. Fields announced that the company would soon begin the construction of a long spur in the western end of the Eugene yards. Primarily the spur will accommodate Mason, Ehrman & Co., who have erected a fine two-story brick warehouse bordering on the railroad grounds, but the spur will be extended to a point back of the freight depot past Geo. T. Hall's park hotel and warehouse, and end near the western end of the depot park. The spur will extend past Mr. Hall's vacant property, which he recently purchased from J. C. Watkins, just west of the Park hotel, and Mr. Hall announces that in the spring he will cover the entire 150 foot frontage with a large concrete building for wholesale firms.

At the present time he is negotiating with three wholesale companies with a view of building and he thinks that he will be successful in his negotiations. When this new track is built this location will be one of the best in the city for wholesale houses. Aside from the S. P. track accommodations, it is convenient to the Oregon Electric railway, which will be built along Fifth street only a few yards away. J. C. Watkins' residence property is between the Hall property and Fifth street, but Mr. Hall is said to be negotiating for this, and in case he is successful in securing it, this warehouse site will have immediate trackage facilities on two lines.

The new spur which the Southern Pacific company is to build at the Hall properties will extend through property which the company bought over two years ago from private owners just west of the freight depot, giving plenty of room for the big curve in the track that will be necessary to reach the Hall property.

SARAH BERNHARDT TO MARRY YOUTH

New York, Nov. 21.—The engagement of Sarah Bernhardt, the actress, to Lou Tellegen, a Flemish actor, who plays minor parts in her company, is announced from Paris. Mme. Bernhardt is sixty-six years old, while Tellegen is only twenty-six. The famous actress is a great grandmother.

AMERICAN WARSHIPS TO SAN DOMINGO

Washington, Nov. 21.—To safeguard American interests and prevent a state of anarchy at Santo Domingo, as a result of the assassination of President Caesars, the cabinet decided today that the armored cruisers, Washington and North Carolina, of the Atlantic fleet be dispatched with all speed to Santo Domingo city. The vessels are now engaged with the rest of the fleet in practice off Chesapeake Capes. They have been communicated with by wireless and will come into Hampton Roads and pick up Mr. Russell, the American minister, and convey him to the Dominican capital.

BUSINESSMEN TO TRY MURDER CASE

Denver, Nov. 21.—With excellent prospects of securing a jury before tonight, the counsel in the Patterson murder trial today resumed the work of examining talesmen begun at the opening of the trial yesterday. Gertrude Gibson Patterson, charged with the murder of her husband, will be tried by a jury of representative Denver business men.

EXTRA SESSION OF CALIFORNIA SOLONS

Sacramento, Nov. 21.—Governor Johnson issued today an official call for an extraordinary session of the legislature to begin November 27. Free text books, transportation, a presidential preference primary, the enactment law to put to operation the several amendments to the state constitution, are among the several subjects included in the call.

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CINCINNATI'S YOUNG MAYOR-ELECT AND HIS CIVIC RECORD



Cincinnati, Nov. 21.—The mayor-elect of this city, Henry T. Hunt, will be one of the youngest municipal executives in the country. He is only thirty-three years old, but has a record as a "progressive" in the political activities of his home town. It was he who as county prosecutor caused the indictment of George E. Cox on the charge of perjury. Mr. Hunt is married and has three children.

NO SESSION OF REFERENDUM CASE

Portland, Nov. 21.—The University of Oregon referendum case was adjourned today because of the meeting of the State Bar association, of which Judge W. T. Slater is president. There was no session, and probably will be none tomorrow.

RICORD TESTIFIES TO HIS PART IN TAR PARTY

Was to Have Assaulted School Teacher Previous to Attack by Ambushed Party

Lincoln Centre, Kan., Nov. 21.—Contrary to the general expectations, Miss Mary Chamberlain did not take the witness stand in the tar party case at the morning's session of the trial today. Prosecutor McCants intends to close his case with the testimony of the school teacher, the victim of the assault.

A new feature developed today in the cross-examination of Edward Ricord, a confessed assailant of the young woman. He testified that he planned to commit an immoral act before the eyes of the mob at the place selected for staging the "tarring." The mob was then to have attacked the girl, Miss Chamberlain repulsed him, he said, and thus the scheme was foiled.

Ricord also admitted that he had been threatened with the penitentiary if he testified that he had been intimate with Miss Chamberlain. Ricord testified that the threat was made by Sheriff Samuel C. Wolford.

TARRING STORY TOLD IN COURT

Lincoln Centre, Nov. 20.—While the young victim sat motionless, betraying not the least sign of tears, Chester Anderson, a laborer, related to the jury this afternoon the startling story of how ten men, himself one, dragged Miss Mary Chamberlain from her buggy and administered a coat of tar to her naked body.

Under cross-examination, Anderson admitted that he had never heard any gossip against Miss Chamberlain and said his part in the tarring followed a talk on that day of a "party" when he, so he testified, refused to deny the girl out himself, but arranged to get Ed Ricord to do it.

He said he was forced to laugh at the scene of the tarring, for there stood Everett Clark, a wealthy miller, with a grumpy look over his head through which eye and breathing holes had been punched, and by his side was Jay Fitzwater, his head covered with a mill bag. Anderson said that when Ricord and Miss Chamberlain drove up, he and Delbert Kindelberger stepped into the road and holding a toy pistol at them, halted the pair.

Two masked men, said Anderson,

STATE WILL PAY DEFENDANTS OF VICTIMS

First Trial of New Industrial Insurance System in the State of Washington

Seattle, Nov. 21.—The state industrial insurance commission will pay \$8449 to the dependents of the eight girls who lost their lives by fire in the plant of the Imperial Powder company at Chehalis last month. The money will be paid in monthly installments of twenty dollars in each of seven cases, and of ten dollars in the eighth.

The commission has only \$700 in the powder insurance fund, but will begin monthly payments at once and will collect \$1297 from the Imperial Powder company as a penalty for employing two girls under sixteen years of age, and the rest of the money will be obtained from assessments levied against three powder companies having plants in this state. The assessments are proportioned according to the size of the companies' payrolls. The Dupont Powder company, the most extensive plant in the state, will be called upon to contribute the largest amount toward the carrying of the Chehalis sufferers.

MALHEUR CANYON SCENE OF ACTIVITY

Engineers Said to Be Making Permanent Surveys for Road From Ontario to Coos Bay

Ontario, Or., Nov. 21.—Actual construction on the Oregon & Eastern railroad through the Malheur canyon will begin not later than spring, in the statement made by a prominent Harriman railroad official to a leading Ontario business man. The statement is borne out by the dispatching of a party of 12 engineers for the purpose of making the final changes in the permanent survey through the 70 mile Malheur canyon, the key to the great Oregon inland empire. It is also authoritatively stated that two more crews of surveyors will be sent into the canyon to hasten the work.

The inclination of Secretary of the Interior Fisher to favor the irrigation enterprises where the rights of such projects and railroad construction work conflict is supposed to be the cause of the present activity of the Harriman people, and the visit of President Lovett and other prominent Harriman officials to Ontario, Vale and Emmett the past week is supposed to be in connection with the right of way of the proposed lines through the Malheur and Payette river canyons.

The time limit of the Oregon & Eastern right-of-way through the Malheur canyon will soon expire and as the government holds an irrigation reservoir site near the mouth of this canyon, it is absolutely necessary for the railroad to commence actual construction in order to protect its rights. The company has held the right of way through the Malheur canyon for 20 years by occasional surveys and filing plats, but the activity of the government in protecting rights for irrigation reservoirs, has made it necessary for the railroad people to make a more permanent move, and it looks as though the connecting link of the Oregon & Eastern, through the central part of the state from Ontario through Eugene to Coos Bay will now be rushed to completion.

UNWRITTEN LAW IS LEARY'S DEFENSE

Philadelphia, Nov. 21.—Whether a father is justified in taking the life of a man who betrays his daughter and refuses to marry her is the question which came up in the case of Frank W. McMahon, who was placed on trial here today charged with the murder of George A. Leary. McMahon was a saloon keeper and Leary, a well-to-do dealer in real estate.

Justifiable homicide was the coroner's ruling, but McMahon was re-arrested on a warrant sworn out by Leary's relatives, charging him with murder.

He came up and took Mary out of the buggy. Another man held a tar can; Anderson said two of the men were Everett Clark and Fitzwater. The third he did not know.

"On what part of her body did they put the tar on?" Anderson was asked.

"On her lower limbs, as near as I could tell," he replied.

Anderson said that after the act was accomplished, Miss Chamberlain was helped into her clothes and with the tar dripping from them, got into the buggy and drove away with Ricord. Afn Linderbaum, one of Anderson's companions, corroborated the testimony.

before adjournment Ricord was called. He recounted his act of dragging Miss Chamberlain to take a ride. His account of being "held up" was similar to that of Anderson. After the tarring Chamberlain drove back to Shady Bend.

STORM IS OVER AND DAMAGE NOT GREAT

After Fifteen Days of Rain and Wind, Sound Country Has Sunshine

Seattle, Nov. 21.—After fifteen days of almost continuous storm, beautiful weather is prevailing in Western Washington, with no rain in immediate prospect. In a financial way the damage done by the wind and flood is small, and the railroads expect to have all lines in operation tonight or tomorrow morning. The greater part of the city of Seattle will be without water until Saturday night, owing to the breaking of the pipe which carries the city water supply across the Cedar river. The schools are closed, but tubs are used only for storage of the water supply, and the streets are dark at night, because the municipal power and light plant is temporarily out of commission.

No Train Service

Bellingham, Nov. 20.—Bellingham and northwestern Washington are still without train service, with little prospect of its resumption before tomorrow. This city has mail once daily by boat from Seattle, and a local train running between Bellingham and Blaine, on the Great Northern. The damage by flood is small save to the railroads.

EVELAND ACQUITTED OF MANNAUSAW KILLING

The Dallas, Or., Nov. 20.—Fred Eveland was justified in taking the life of Dave Mannasaw, whom he shot to death in this city on the morning of October 13, said the jury before whom he was tried in the circuit here. After being out all night at 10:30 o'clock Sunday morning the jury announced it had arrived at a verdict of acquittal.

Eveland was apparently unmoved. Throughout the trial he had kept his nerve remarkably, and maintained all the time that he would be cleared, since he felt that he was justified in taking the life of the man he killed, and did not feel the least remorse.

From the beginning of the trial sympathy has generally been with him, and public sentiment has been pretty general that at most he would not be convicted of a greater crime than manslaughter.

The fact that Mannasaw was a large, powerful man and Eveland was a mere stripling, created sentiment in favor of the latter, and, too, the fact that Mannasaw was cursing Mrs. Eveland just at the time the shooting began, and that he was acting in defense of his wife, served to cause the jurors to excuse his act.

Immediately after the verdict Eveland was released and will probably go to North Yakima with his parents.

THREE ARE DEAD IN HOTEL FIRE

Nashua, N. H., Nov. 21.—Three are dead and a fourth is in the hospital here in a serious condition as the result of inhaling smoke in a fire that today burned out the interior of the Denton hotel.

HARMONY ABSENT FROM LABOR CONVENTION

Mitchell Creates a Sensation, and President Gompers Is Criticised for Action

Atlanta, Nov. 21.—Vice-President John Mitchell sprung a surprise on the convention floor of the American Federation of Labor today, when he made the charge that the Columbus convention of the United Mine Workers, which passed resolutions directing its delegates to request the renomination of Federation officials, who were officials of the National Civic Federation, was packed with delegates who did not belong there.

The adverse report on the resolutions, demanding that President Gompers and four other officials of the American Federation of Labor sever their connection with the National Civic Federation, is expected at today's session of the Federation. A heated discussion is expected when the matter is precipitated. The expected content developed later in the day. The protagonists of the resolutions attacked Andrew Carnegie and other capitalist members of the Civic Federation.

Marriage licenses were issued by the county clerk today to the following couples: John R. Peard, of Albany, and Miss Mabel A. Tiffany of Eugene; Gale H. Boies of Portland, and Miss Lucile C. Addison of Lorane.