

BANNER FEAT OF DETECTIVES

Arrest of Dr. H. H. Crippen and His Typist Redeem Scotland Yard From Charges of Incompetency—Only Slight Clues to Work Upon.

LONDON, July 29.—The apprehension of Dr. H. H. Crippen and his typist, Mlle. Ethel Claire Leneve, will bring to a close one of the most spectacular detective feats in the history of Scotland Yard.

The yard received but the slightest tip that the suspects were aboard the liner Montrose when that vessel cleared from Antwerp. Ordinarily the clue would have been discounted, or, at best, the officials would have left matters in the hands of the Dominion police.

The honor and prestige of the great London detective bureau, however, was at stake. The police had been caustically criticised for having allowed Dr. Crippen to slip through their hands once, and therefore when word came from the Montrose by wireless of the suspicions of the captain of the ship regarding a man and a "boy" among the passengers, Inspector Dew of Scotland Yard hurriedly left England on the steamer Laurentie in an effort to overtake the couple and assist the Canadian police in their capture.

Should the suspects prove to be Crippen and Mlle. Leneve, as every indication shows, Scotland Yard will have redeemed itself by unusual aggressiveness.

Again the far-reaching wireless has been brought into play successfully in a case where time was the principal factor. According to yard officials, the Montrose was 60 miles off the English coast, bound for Canada, when the authorities here received the first flash of the captain's suspicions. A series of communications followed until the Montrose was 100 miles on her way. Then the wireless fell silent, for the Montrose carries only secondary apparatus. Dew just managed to catch the Laurentie before she sailed and the race to Canada was on.

The wireless messages that were transmitted between the Montrose and Scotland Yard were not made public in England. The first authentic news London had of the presence of the suspects aboard the vessel was contained in United Press cables yesterday, which told Europe and America of the approaching capture of the man by the London police.

Following this news, search for Crippen and Mlle. Leneve on the continent and in England ended. The police here began again to bend every effort toward identifying the mutilated body whose fragments, excised of bones, were found in the cellar of No. 39 Hilldrop Crescent, North London, two weeks ago. Belle Elmore Crippen disappeared last February. The police of America and Europe have been seeking her and no trace has been found.

The detectives here have received minute descriptions of physical characteristics of the supposedly murdered woman, including certain birthmarks, and they express hope that these will lead to the identification of the body.

Meanwhile the arrival of the Montrose at Father Point and word of the couple's arrest is awaited here anxiously.

ARMY ENGINEER PLANS RECLAMATION PROJECTS

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 29.—Army engineers in charge of the work of apportioning the \$20,000,000 recently voted by congress for the completion of pending federal reclamation projects, concluded their preliminary labors today and started for the west.

They will visit the projects on the Pacific coast, in Montana, Idaho, Wyoming and the Dakotas. The engineers first will meet in Chicago and gather in Salt Lake City later to arrange for the Pacific coast inspection tour.

CHECK UP EARNINGS OF WESTERN RAILROADS

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 29.—Within a few days a corps of about 50 rate experts of the interstate commerce commission will be sent west to check up the Hill and Harriman lines and ascertain the earnings of the roads on a business affected by the commission's tentative decisions in Spokane and affiliated cases, and in the Pacific coast distributive rate cases, both on the basis of rates now in effect and reduced rates which the commission suggests be made operative this fall.

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YOUNG PEOPLE ASK LAW BE ENFORCED

Young Men and Women of Klamath Falls Circulate Petitions Asking That Present Conditions Be Abolished—Menace to Town.

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., July 29.—Two petitions are being circulated and extensively signed by the young people and citizens of this city with the object to have the local option laws enforced. These petitions follow:

"We, the undersigned young men and women of the city of Klamath Falls, affirm that conditions exist in our city that contribute to the delinquency of the young boys and girls and are prejudicial to the moral and social uplift of the young men and women, and in fact to every resident of this municipality. We further affirm that we believe that these conditions exist with the knowledge of the mayor, city council and every member of the city police force. We, therefore, feel that we have the right to demand that the laws of the state over which the city has any jurisdiction be enforced. We further demand that all drinking emporiums, near-beer joints, saloons or other places where intoxicating liquors are sold be closed up. We further demand that all police officers who do not seem to be able to cope with conditions be relieved from duty forthwith, and men put in their places who will give the service for which the taxpayers of this city are paying.

"We, the undersigned citizens of Klamath Falls, heartily endorse the efforts of the young men and women to improve the morals of our city and join with them in demanding the strict enforcement of local option and all other laws."

NATIONAL GOOD ROADS CONVENTION IN SESSION

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., July 29.—With delegates from all parts of the country attending, the national good roads convention opened its sessions here today. The convention was presided over by Congressman William Sulzer, who made a stirring speech after calling the delegates to order, urging especially the need for big expenditures of money in the near future for the improvement of the country's roads.

The opening session of the convention was devoted principally to preliminary business.

Notice.

All Modern Woodmen of America will please call at room 207, Taylor & Phipps building, and learn something to your interest. By order of COMMITTEE.

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BLOODED STOCK FARM PLANNED

H. C. & P. A. Bonney Purchase From Joseph Randall Three Hundred Acres on South Fork of Little Butte for \$16,000.

H. C. and P. A. Bonney have purchased the Charles and Joseph Randall place of 320 acres on the south fork of Little Butte, paying \$16,000. The Bonney brothers will immediately start a stock ranch, raising only blooded animals.

The place consists of meadow land and alfalfa. There is an abundance of water. The place is ideal for the purposes for which it was purchased.

Jackson county has long needed the introduction of blooded stock. Probably there is no better stockman in Southern Oregon than H. C. Bonney, and in his hands the venture is certain to be a success.

Hogs, cattle and horses will be raised. Mr. Bonney now has an imported German coach horse and intends to send at once to Germany for three mares. Hereford cattle are to be raised, the stock all being brought from some of the best-known stock ranches. Blooded Poland-China hogs will also be raised.

P. A. Bonney will reside on the ranch.

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Allen Accepts Franchise.

John R. Allen was in the city yesterday and filed his acceptance of the street railway franchise which was granted him at the special election on the 23d inst.

Having gone through with this formality, it is taken for granted that such action implies that something will soon be done along active construction lines, and that this much-talked-of improvement will in due time become an accomplished fact. —Ashland Tidings, July 28.

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For Sale--Land Near Central Point

- 65-acre ranch adjoining city, 52 acres in alfalfa, balance in pears 1 and 2 years old; good house, large barn, 2 wells; price \$26,000, half cash; a snap.
- 43-acre alfalfa ranch, 1 mile out, new 8-room house, large barn, three good wells; price \$21,500, half cash; will pay 8 per cent on investment.
- 29 acres alfalfa land, fine land, no buildings; price \$7500, \$2000 cash.
- 36 acres, 1 mile out, 6 acres in 2-year-old apples, balance in pears 1 year old; new 5-room house and large barn, good well and outbuildings; price \$12,600, half cash; a good buy.
- 31 acres, 1 mile out, 27 acres set to apples and pears 1 year old; 7-room house, barn and outbuildings, 2 good wells; fine building site; price \$15,000, half cash.
- 20 acres, 1 mile out, 16 acres in trees 1 year old; no buildings; good well; price \$7000, \$2500 cash.
- 14 acres, 1 mile out, 10 acres in trees, balance in alfalfa; price \$4200, \$2500 cash.
- 6 acres, 1 mile out, set to trees, fine building site, good irrigation well; price \$2400, \$1600 cash.
- 20 acres, half mile out, set to pears 1 and 2 years old; price \$10,000, half cash.
- 2 acres in town, small house, good well, a fine garden tract; price \$1300.

W. J. Harvey

R. F. D. NO. 1, CENTRAL POINT, OR.

P. C. HANSEN

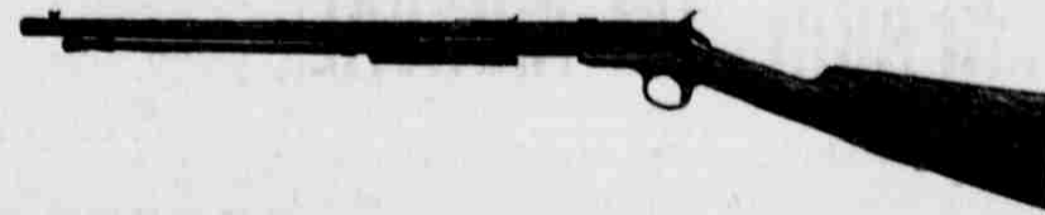
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FORTY-TWO PROVINCES RAVAGED BY CHOLERA

ST. PETERSBURG, July 29.—Forty-two provinces of Russia are ravaged by Asiatic cholera, according to official reports today. A statement by the government commission on health is to the effect that 16,651 deaths have occurred in 37,652 cases since last May.

MUCH SMOKE AND EFFLUVIA; LITTLE FIRE

Some bacon being cured in the Warner, Wortman & Gore smoke-house caught fire Thursday evening and the volumes of smoke pouring out led to the belief that there was a real fire. A judicious application of a few pails of aqua pura extinguished the flames and when the fire

ing except some black smoke and a smell of scorched hog.

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This Direct Question is Addressed to All Farmers.

who have sold their ranches, and also applies particularly to those who expect to sell this fall. Do you intend to engage in the business of alfalfa growing, dairying, cattle, hog or chicken raising? Or do you prefer the orchard industry, where you can plant any variety of fruit you can think of—Figs, Oranges, Lemons, Olives, Peaches, Apricots, Prunes, Pears, Cherries, Apples, Walnuts, Almonds, Grapes, etc., etc., where Berries and all kinds of Garden Truck and Corn grow to perfection, where two crops of Potatoes can be harvested each year, if you will take the trouble to plant them?

If You are Interested in These Matters, Read On!

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THE WATER SUPPLY is from the Los Molinos river, which rises at Mt. Lassen, 10,400 feet high, and is perpetually clad with snow.

THIS RIVER carries the most water during the summer months, when the snow is melting, and at the time when the water is most needed.

Remember this Statement About Water Supply

Transportation now by railroad, main line Southern Pacific, station on our lands; by river steamers, from three landing places, and next year the

ELECTRIC LINE will be completed and running through our lands, Red Bluff to Chico to Sacramento, now operating between Chico and Sacramento, which puts you in touch with cash markets for all and anything you wish to produce and at highest prices.

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Come in and make arrangements to join our next party. The expense is small, and we will be gone only a few days. If, after investigation, you find that a single misrepresentation has been made, I will willingly refund your expenses.

FRANK G. ANDREWS

RESIDENT AGENT,
NO. 6 SO. FIR ST., MEDFORD, OREGON.

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