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OF AX CUTS FEELS HEAD OFF

AGENT DIES FROM RAID SHOT

ITAL BUSINESS LEADING INDUSTRY

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AS SEES HOPE RELIEF FROM HEAT

PORT ORFORD CEDAR STOCK MANIPULATED

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HARRY R. NEALON SUFFERS INJURY IN RANCH FALL

Harry R. Nealon of the Table Rock district, who sustained a bad fracture of the left shoulder and head injuries late yesterday...

You take a plane, I'll take a plane, says Puffy to the Bun. We'll run a race on our next trip, just for the sake of fun.

Meteorological Report

Table with columns for Local Data, Temperature (degrees), Highest (last 24 hours), Lowest (last 24 hours), etc.

FIRE SITUATION UNDER CONTROL

The forest fire situation continues to improve with the new lines reported in Crater national forest...

EXIT by Harold Bell Wright

SYNOPSIS: Pierre, unaware that the mine is promoted by his estranged father, gives Bruce his mother's savings to invest in it...

Chapter 21 LATE CALLERS

WHEN Martin Bevis came home from the bank that evening it was apparent even to his indifferent powers of observation that his daughter was in a state of nervous excitement very unusual to her serene nature.

When her father appeared in the archway between the hall and the living room she was on her feet, white and trembling, her sewing crushed in her hands...

"Why, Ann! What's the matter, child—are you sick?" She shook her head. "Pierre! Where is Pierre? Have you seen him?"

"I have been at the bank all the evening, working on my books." "Oh, where is he? Why doesn't he come home?" she moaned...

"What in the world has happened, child?" She did not answer but went to a window and tried to see out into the night.

"Is anything wrong with Pierre?" She turned from the window and resumed her nervous movements about the room: "I've worried until I'm almost crazy."

"But what's the trouble? Can't you tell me what has happened?" She whirled on him suddenly, with an outburst which startled him: "You know well enough, Bruce has taken Pierre's school money. It's the meanest, wickedest thing I ever heard of and you are just as bad as Bruce. Just because he is so anxious to make us happy; because he loves us so, you two beasts have hounded him into wrecking his own life as if he didn't matter at all."

"Nonsense!" said Martin sharply. "Of course it's nonsense to you—everything but money is nonsense to people like you and Bruce. How could you two money worshippers understand a great soul like Pierre Donovan? Pierre is not like common people; he is a genius; he is an artist. You and Bruce have taken from him something that means more to him than life itself. You have driven him nearly insane, I tell you. In the state of mind he is in now he is liable to do anything—kill himself or somebody else."

"Crazy!" cried Martin. "Bosh! The boy has done the most sensible thing he ever did in all his life. He may or may not be the artist you think he is, but when it comes to business, Pierre Donovan is just a natural-born darned fool. If ever anybody needed some honest, competent business man like Bruce to take care of his money for him, he does, I guess when the returns from that mine come rolling in, you and Pierre won't feel so bad about it."

A knock at the front door prevented Ann's reply. Martin looked at her, expecting her to go to the door. She started but paused and turned back. "You go, Pa, I'm afraid."

Martin gazed at her stupidly. "Afraid of what?" "Pierre—something has happened to him."

The knock came again. "Oh, why don't you go?" cried Ann, stamping her foot in an agony of suspense. Martin went into the hall. Ann waited, wringing her hands in nervous apprehension.

Martin's voice was heard: "Hello, Tony, what the deuce brings you out this time of night?" "Father Tony!" cried Ann, running to meet him. "Is it anything about Pierre? Where is he?"

"I was so worried I could not sleep," the old actor answered. "Hasn't Pierre come home yet?" "No, no," moaned Ann. "What were you worried about?" asked Martin.

"Really, Martin, I fear you will laugh at me, but I don't know exactly. I seemed to feel Harriet very near. I felt that her boy was in trouble. I couldn't sleep—I retire early, you know, so I got up thinking I would walk in the fresh air. Then I—I saw him."

"Pierre?" cried Ann, "You saw Pierre, Father Tony?" The old man nodded, unable for the moment to reply.

"Where was he, Tony?" asked Martin. The old actor answered as if he himself doubted the truth of what he said: "Down town, near the bank—he passed."

"Well, go on," said Martin. "Yes, yes, Martin. I went to the drug store first. Then I thought I would come up here just to see if he was home and all right. I walked around the square and just as I turned around the corner late Elm Street I met him—right near the bank. I spoke to him; called him by name, and—he turned and ran! Really, I don't know what to think. Has anything happened, do you know?"

NO MANHANDLING OF AGED WOMAN OFFICERS ASSERT

An answer was filed today by the district attorney's office to the damage suit of Mrs. Nettie Marcho, an aged woman, against O. W. (the) Dunford, county jailer, and Dr. R. C. Wilson, county physician, in which she seeks \$13,000 bail for alleged injuries. O. M. Wilkins of Ashland is her attorney.

The answer sets forth that the plaintiff, at the time of her alleged manhandling, was a patient in a ward at the Sacred Heart hospital with four other patients and, it is asserted, Mrs. Marcho created a disturbance and the county physician was telephoned to come and remove her. He did so and took her to the court house at night.

Duty Force Used Following a conference with Jailer Dunford, and futile efforts to locate the woman's husband and friends by telephone, it was suggested to her that, owing to her mental condition, she spend the night in the women's ward of the county jail. O. W. Marcho agreed and, according to answer, entered voluntarily.

It is specifically denied that any force was exercised. The next morning it is recited, the husband called for her and thanked the defendants for their courtesy.

Mrs. Marcho alleges in her suit that she was dropped on the street, causing injuries. Advice received by county officials say that Mrs. Marcho made an appeal to Governor Meier and was referred to the district attorney.

CHAMBER DRAFTS PENNEY PROGRAM

The forum committee of the chamber of commerce is in session this afternoon considering plans for entertainment of J. C. Penney, president of J. C. Penney and Company, who will arrive in Medford August 3.

Forum luncheon will be held at the Hotel Medford Monday afternoon at which time Mr. Penney will address the chamber.

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NORTHWEST RECTAL AND COLON CLINIC

EMPLOYEES OF COPCO HEAR BUSINESS CHEER

The Copco Forum, employees' club of the California Oregon Power company, enjoyed a talk on the Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Co. and general business conditions at the regular weekly Forum luncheon this noon.

PROSPECT RANCHER CONFESSES LIQUOR

Nels Olsen, a homesteader of the Prospect district, this morning in justice court at Jacksonville entered a plea of guilty to liquor charges and was sentenced to 15 days in the county jail and to pay a fine of \$400. Olsen's car was confiscated. It was his first arrest.

PORT ORFORD CEDAR STOCK MANIPULATED

PORTLAND, Ore., July 23.—(AP)—Charges of stock manipulation were alleged in a suit filed in federal district court here today by the Port Orford Cedar Products company of Marshfield against six of its principal stockholders.

RATE RAISED TO HALT OUTFLOW

July 23.—(AP)—The rate was raised today from 10 to 12 percent on the bank rate was raised by the directors of the bank to a protective measure because of a shortage of gold which, during the week ending yesterday, totaled \$75,000,000.

FORMER RESIDENTS OF VALLEY ENJOY VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Armstrong, who made their home in the Sams Valley district for many years, are in Medford today visiting old friends and will spend most of the summer vacation in southern Oregon. They have been living in Willamette valley for past 16 years and are glad to be back in Medford, they stated this morning.

LEGION COMMANDER HOME FROM CONFAB

Commander Holmer, post commander of Medford post of the American Legion, returned yesterday from Eugene where he attended a conference of Legion Junior baseball officials. Mr. Holmer states that southern Oregon people are big for a real game Sunday when Medford meets the Salem champions in the state semi-finals to be held at the local fair grounds. Both teams are in excellent form and a splendid game is bound to result.

DRUM CORPS PARADE ADVERTISES FROLIC

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