

## ROBBERS KILL FOR SAKE OF PLUNDER

### BULLETS IN VICTIM

**ONE SALOON KEEPER KILLED OUTRAGED BY ESCAPING THUG WHILE ANOTHER DIES FROM WOUND INFLECTED**

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STOCKTON, Jan. 15.—William Newman, a saloon keeper known as Diamond Bill, was shot dead in his Hofman cafe at 1 o'clock this morning by a masked holdup man, who escaped without any plunder.  
Newman was closing the saloon and five men were playing cards in the rear of the room. When the robber saw the men he opened fire, and Newman fell, shot through the heart.

Another in San Francisco  
SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 15.—In a terrible battle with three robbers who tried to plunder his saloon, Assemblyman John E. Mullally was shot fatally this morning. Sixteen shots were exchanged. The rogues escaped. John Craig, an onlooker, was shot in the thigh.  
Mullally died in the Emergency hospital.

### "HOLY SPIRITS" ADVICE GIVEN TO CHAMP CLARK

Maiden Prophet Lays Out Formula for Elixir of Life, Dry Snow for Food, Cheese From Straw and Luminous Fogs by Electricity

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 15.—Four hundred and fifty pages of advice from the "Holy Spirit" in micro-scopic handwriting have been placed at the disposal of the legislative branch of the government, through Speaker Champ Clark of the house.  
"Irene, the Maiden Prophet," who says she is 68 years old, declares it took her a solid year to write the book, which is an account of her "trance visions, in communion with the Holy Spirit."

Among other interesting information, Irene communicated to the speaker the formula for the long-sought Elixir of Life. It follows:  
"Two ounces sugar of lead; three ounces of oil of camphor, one ounce of 'Muedleed' silver; one ounce of caustic bromide of lasein; thirty grains of chloride of gold; one quart of boraxide of potash and three gallons of water."  
Irene is certain that the use of this elixir in the bath will preserve life from 100 to 200 years.

Irene recommends "dried snow" for food, and gives a formula for drying the product without melting it. Cheese from straw, shoes from the skin of dogs and salmon, stone from sand, fogs made luminous by electric current, and a score of other wonders are described in the manuscript. A personal letter to the speaker from Irene, whose earthly name is Irene Love Van Sant, or Mrs. Judge F. T. Reid of Seattle, Wash., accompanied the manuscript. It reads as follows:  
"Dear Chairman—I will send you seven or eight more of the records containing a copy of the word intrust-

ed to my care, just as fast as I can get it copied. I want you to allow W. J. Bryan, Mr. Taft, Teddy Roosevelt, Secretary Cortelyou, the Chief Justice, the secret service and all statesmen to know and have copies of this and all the other books that will be sent to you. It takes a year of constant writing to make a book. This copy of the dictated 'Word of the Holy Spirit' voiced through me in trance sleep for the last nine years, belongs to the heads of the government. It is state-ship. If allowed it will glorify our country. If disobeyed, America is doomed to follow Sodom and Gomorrah. I am commanded to distribute this word as did God's scribes and servants, the apostles. Your loving spiritual mother in Christ, "IRENE."

### MINING MEN WILL GATHER AFTER LONG PREPARATION

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Chemical Expert of Government Suggests to Men That Bathrooms, With Hot and Cold Water, in House, is as Important as Silo in Barn

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BURLINGTON, Vt., Jan. 15.—"Your wives are just as important as your cows, and should have just as good care," declares Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, chief of the bureau of chemistry of the department of agriculture.  
"A bathtub with hot and cold water in the house is just as important as a silo in the barn," he concluded.

### MISS SCHALLOCK NOW MRS DAGGETT

WELL KNOWN YOUNG PEOPLE HAVE QUIT HOME WEDDING AND LEAVE FOR SOUTHERN JOURNEY

A wedding of unusual interest among the young people of this city took place Sunday, when Miss Orpha Schallock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Schallock, became the bride of John Daggett. The young woman is well known in Klamath Falls, and deservedly popular, while the groom is also fortunate in having numerous friends. He is connected with the freight department of the Southern Pacific railroad in this city. He is a brother of County Treasurer Claude H. Daggett.  
The ceremony yesterday was witnessed by a company of about twenty-five relatives and friends, and was performed at the home of the bride's parents by Rev. J. S. Stubblefield, the pastor of Linkville Presbyterian church. Following the rites the young people were the recipients of a number of handsome presents.

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The club has received no communication from the county board, and it looks as though both sides were playing a waiting game, each standing pat to let the other make a move. No plans for the proposed new courthouse building on the Hot Springs

site have as yet been invited by the county court, and it is uncertain, at least in the public mind, when any will be.  
The club members say they have given the court something to think about, and further than this they will not go, except to use verbiage which indicates that there will be considerable interesting developments in case the court starts ahead with putting the new building on the ground it decided on in its announcement made about three weeks ago.