

EDITORS ARE TO GO TO JAIL

SENTENCED FOR CONTEMPT FOR CRITICISING COURT

COMMENTED ON AN INJUNCTION

One Gets Four Months and the Other One, While the Paper Must Pay \$300 Fine

SEATTLE, Dec. 19.—Leroy Sanders, editor, and Hugh Allen, managing editor of the Seattle Star, have appealed from their conviction by the Seattle superior court for contempt for criticizing the use of injunction by the court in the case of Stone vs. Webster. It is a case of the traction company and the people of the Duwamish Valley. The Star sided with the people in the fight, and criticized the temporary injunction restraining the people from interfering with the property of the company. Sanders was sentenced to four months and Allen to one, while the Star company was ordered to pay a \$300 fine. The newspaper is most bitter, and says it will fight the case to the highest court.

The imprisonment of the Star editors for contempt of court will be made a legislative fight during the next session. Bills taking the right from a judge to try contempt cases occurring in his own court and abolishing constructive contempt outside of the court room are being drawn up. Protests against the court's action against the editors has been widespread. Hundreds of messages are daily received at the offices of the Star urging the paper to keep up the fight for a "free press and the right to comment on court decisions."

USED TEMPLE'S NAME TO GET COIN

G. W. CAIN IS THE VICTIM OF OVER-CONFIDENCE

J. W. Norris Is Placed in the County Jail—Officers Investigating His Case

A man giving his name as J. W. Norris last Friday afternoon secured a check from G. W. Cain and had the same cashed at the Portland Store. Norris was later arrested and is now locked up in the county jail.

On Friday afternoon Norris came into Mr. Cain's store and presented a letter purporting to come from M. K. Temple, in which he said that Norris was O. K., and that if Mr. Cain would advance him the money it would be a favor to him (Temple).

Cain hesitated about giving the check, and Norris then said that Mr. Temple would call him up or else call in person. A few minutes later a telephone call came to Mr. Cain's and a voice which stated that the speaker was Mr. Temple told Mr. Cain that Norris was all right, and for him to let Norris have the check. Mr. Cain then did so, and Norris had it cashed at the Portland Store, where he purchased a suit of underclothes, a hat and some socks, the whole amounting to \$7.

Norris gave his personal note as security, and also offered to bring in a surveyor's transit as further security. Cain declined the deposit of the transit, but accepted the note. He later found that Mr. Temple had not authorized the loan, and ordered payment of the check stopped.

Norris says that the transit was the property of a man named Duffy, whom he had known for some three or four weeks, and that he, Norris, was to get \$10 for getting \$75 on the transit, and that Duffy was to pay \$100 back on December 23d.

From investigation by the police it seems that the man Duffy cannot be found, and that the transit in question is one that belongs to Alfred F. McConnell, who is with E. B. Henry, the surveyor, and that it was taken from his office without permission, for the lock appears to have been tampered with.

ADVOCATES TEACHING MORALITY IN SCHOOLS

An Eastern Professor Declares This Subject Should Have Special Attention

"The subject of morality must be given more specific attention in the common schools of the country," said Professor Charles H. Johnston dean of the school of education of the university of Kansas, according to the Detroit News, addressing the State Teachers' association on the subject, "The Moral Mission of the Public Schools."

"The United States," he said, "is one of the few nations of the world

which does not include morality in its educational platform. Several of the states, however, have taken up the movement to have the subject included in the text-book of the school curriculum and the plan is endorsed by such prominent educators as Professor Elliot of Harvard, Professors Reinsch and Sharpe of Wisconsin and others equally prominent.

GOVERNMENT PREPARING FOR GREAT TIMBER SALE

Over Three Hundred Billion Feet in Crater Forest Is to Be Placed on the Market

MEDFORD, Dec. 15.—M. L. Ericson, supervisor of the Crater National forest, has announced that the forestry department is preparing to place 340,000,000 feet of timber on the market. Of this 190,000,000 feet is classified as burned over, and 150,000,000 feet as green. The sale price will be in the neighborhood of \$1,000,000.

The offering of the green timber along with the burned over is to give an added inducement to buyers. Much of the green timber is said to be ripe, and should be cut to avoid decay. On the other hand only a small percentage of the trees in the fire-swept district are dead.

In order to log the timber to be sold a total of forty-five miles of railroad must be built, one road of fifteen miles from the south fork of Rogue River to Butte Falls, two of ten miles each from Clover Creek to the Klamath River and from Elk Creek to Rogue River.

BOY KILLS PLAYMATE WITH "UNLOADED" RIFLE

Shoots His Little Friend While Playing Soldier—Bullet Pierces the Heart

AUBURN, Calif., Dec. 16.—While playing soldier Sunday night, Otto Walter Jr., aged 11 years, shot and instantly killed Louis Castle of Ophir, aged 6 years, at the former's home. It was another case of the "unloaded" gun.

The two boys were playing soldier when Otto Walter pointed a 22-caliber rifle, supposed to be unloaded, at his playmate. The weapon was discharged and the bullet struck young Castle in the heart, killing him instantly. Young Walter is heartbroken over the accident, and both families are deeply grieved over the tragedy.

JACK JOHNSON AND LANGFORD MAY MEET NEXT YEAR

Colored Champion Is Willing to Meet the Winner of the Fight to Be Held in February

CHICAGO, Dec. 16.—Jack Johnson, champion heavyweight pugilist, agreed last night to meet the winner of the Langford-Jeanette fight, scheduled to occur in Paris next February, in a twenty-five round bout, to take place in France next April, for a purse of \$25,000, provided the money is posted in America and an American is the referee.

"The reason I insist on an American as a referee," said the champion, "is because I do not want any lemons handed me. If they don't come across with my two conditions then there will be nothing doing."

BORROWED MONEY COSTS RECEIVER LARGE SUM

Secures Loan of \$1,400 and Pays \$11,042.13 for It Before the Account Is Settled

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 16.—Martin Kedon Jr. has paid \$11,042.13 for the use of \$1,400 that he borrowed from Henry S. Bridge before his mother died leaving an estate of \$16,000 to him and his sister, according to the record of a case closed today in Judge Sturtevant's court.

The court gave Bridge a judgment for \$2,905.90 as the final payment. Kedon borrowed the money in 1903 at 2 1/2 per cent a month, deeding his interest in the estate of his mother, then living, as security.

GIRL WHO ELOPED WITH WAITER GETS A FORTUNE

Granddaughter of Wealthy Seed Man Inherits His Millions—The Money Is Protected

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 15.—Roberta De Janon of Los Angeles, the granddaughter of Robert Bulst, the millionaire seed man, who eloped last year with Frederick Copen, a waiter, will inherit the Bulst fortune, with restrictions protecting it from adventurers. Mr. Bulst died last night, and Roberta is en route to this city.

Sail for the Orient

Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Jennings left last Friday for San Francisco, from which point they will sail on the 20th for the Orient. They will visit in China, Japan and probably the Philippine Islands, and expect to be absent about three months.

FRUIT GROWERS TO ORGANIZE

MEET WITHIN THE NEXT SIXTY DAYS IN PORTLAND

Big Wheat Cargo Taken to Europe, Cruiser Boston Given to Oregon Naval Reserve

PORTLAND, Dec. 16.—Oregon's recent apple show was not only a great fruit exposition, but it marked the beginning of a movement to organize the fruit growers of the whole Pacific Northwest on a practical basis for more profitable handling of their product. President Atwell included the suggestion in his annual address, and, as a result, a call will be issued by him in the next sixty days for a meeting at Portland, where the matter will be gone into thoroughly.

Prominent apple growers, representing the various districts, will participate in the formation of the company, which will be along the lines of the raisin growers of the Sacramento Valley, the orange growers of Riverside, Calif., and the pear growers of the Rogue River Valley. Hopes are entertained that the organization to be formed will be a strong factor in bringing about better and more profitable market conditions for Northwest fruit growers.

The biggest wheat cargo ever sent away from the Columbia River was that taken the past week by the Norwegian tramp steamship, the Bjornstjerne Bjornsen, which sailed with 206,866 bushels for Europe. This is the second largest cargo of wheat ever loaded on the Pacific coast.

Oregon has a population of 672,765 according to the figures of the thirtieth census, an increase of 62.7 per cent over ten years ago, when the state had 413,536. The increase in twenty years has been 114 per cent. The gain shown by the census figures entitles Oregon to another representative in congress two years hence, even if the ratio of representation is increased, in accordance with custom.

Medford has a chance to crow over the showing made by the late census, as disclosed in the report recently issued. With one exception, says the census bureau, Medford shows the greatest percentage of growth of any city in the United States during the last ten year period. The city that outdoes Medford is Oklahoma City, Okla., which has a percentage gain of 398. Medford's percentage of growth is 392 per cent.

The protected cruiser Boston has been ordered turned over to the Oregon Naval Reserve for use in maneuvers and in perfecting the training of the volunteer sailors who make up the organization. The cruiser will first be put in good condition, certain repairs being necessary to fit her for the purpose, and she will then be turned over to the Oregon Reserve to be used as an armory for the men and a training ship to teach naval service to those who have enlisted.

LOSES MUCH FLESH THROUGH OPERATION

Nevada Penitentiary Prisoner Is Relieved of Seventy Pounds of Tissue

RENO, Nev., Dec. 15.—One of the most remarkable operations ever performed in Nevada was successfully conducted yesterday at the Nevada state prison, when Molly Harrison, a prisoner from Humboldt county, was relieved of seventy pounds of tissue by an excision for the disease known as elephantiasis.

The disease is rarely found outside of the tropics. It is distinguished by an abnormal growth of the mammary organs, and in this case the woman's bust measure was nearly six feet—sixty-eight inches, to be exact. She weighed 220 pounds, a weight to which the disease contributed largely. She has been afflicted with the disease for six years, but owing to poverty and lack of definite diagnosis no successful treatment had ever been prescribed.

The operation was performed by Drs. George McKenzie and Hartzell of Reno, assisted by Dr. E. T. Krebs of Carson and Dr. McLean, the prison surgeon. It occupied one hour, and was entirely satisfactory.

STANDARD OIL COMPANY MUST PAY A \$20,000 FINE

United States District Court Exacts a Penalty for Accepting Concessions in Transportation

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 16.—The Standard Oil company of New York must pay the \$20,000 fine imposed upon it by the district court for the Western District of New York for acceptance of alleged concessions in the transportation of petroleum, as the Supreme Court of the United States refused today to review the case.

MEXICAN TROOPS VICTORIOUS

DEFEAT THE REBELS NEAR GUERRERO

Over Three Hundred Are Killed or Wounded—Reinforcements Have Joined Revolutionists

GALVESTON, Dec. 15.—Mexican cables today say that General Navarro, commanding the federals near Guerrero had again routed the rebels from their entrenchments, capturing many. The horsemen are pursuing the fugitives. The cable says that over 300 were killed and wounded, chiefly among the rebels. The latter retreated, and it is reported that heavy reinforcements have joined them.

FLEE FROM WRATH OF RED MAN

DR. HORDORN AND E. L. THOMPSON PASS ANXIOUS NIGHT

Get Away in Safety, But the Doctor Still Feels to See if His Scalp Is Still in Place

A good story is being told at the expense of Dr. Hordorn and Ed Thompson, the horse buyer, relative to an experience they had among the Indians on the Klamath reservation. The facts given in the story were furnished by C. E. Weikert, who accompanied the gentlemen on the trip to the reservation, although Mr. Weikert denies all responsibility of starting the story.

The trip to the reservation was made last week, and the party arrived at Yainax on Friday. Here Dr. Hordorn and Mr. Thompson procured a couple of Indian ponies on which to ride to the home of Tim Brown, an Indian. Mr. Thompson is a very large man, and the cayuse given him to ride was only large enough to keep his feet from dragging on the ground. He is a thorough horseman, and has quite a reputation as a rider, but evidently he was unacquainted with the bucking qualities of a Klamath Indian pony, for he hadn't gone only a few hundred yards before he was lying at full length on the ground. However, peace was finally made with the cayuse, and the pair proceeded to Tim Brown's.

They were met at the door of the cabin by the Indian with a jug of whisky. The doctor refused, but Thompson had more experience, and accepted. The refusal of the doctor evidently was not accepted as friendly on the part of the Indian, who used some strong language, and remarked: "White man no drink with Indian." The Indian acted pretty fierce during the evening, and must have had the white men rather badly scared, as it is said the doctor went to bed without removing anything but his hat, and that he kept in one hand. Thompson, however, was at ease sufficient to feel safe in removing his coat, vest and overshoes. The Indian soon went to sleep, and the two men must have dropped into a doze, for the first thing the doctor knew someone had hold of his hair, and he awoke to find the Indian beside him with a knife six inches long—the doctor insists the blade was anywhere from sixteen inches to two feet long. The Indian then abandoned the knife and got a rifle and began hunting for shells. He finally found one in his pocket. Afraid for his life the doctor knocked the shell from the Indian's hand. He was the first to pick it up from the floor, and with Thompson started on a run for the corral where they left their horses. They did not stop to lower the bars in leaving, but the horses cleared the fence without touching a rail.

The nearest place of safety was Henry Jackson's, which was across

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the river, about a mile distant. In fording the river Thompson was still so excited that he forgot to raise his feet or make any effort to keep from getting wet. It is said he was a sight when he reached the opposite shore, being soaked from his shoulders down. Occasionally even yet the doctor feels of his head to see if his scalp is still intact.

SENATOR YOUNG OF IOWA MAKES HIS FIRST SPEECH

Opposes the Tariff Revision Schedule Advocated by His Colleague, Cummins

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 15.—Senator Life Young of Iowa, in his maiden speech in the senate today, opposed the resolution of his colleague, Senator Albert Baird Cummins, providing for a schedule revision of the tariff. He said he believed in a revision scientifically by schedule as President Taft had suggested. He feared the present plan would permit the beginning of an agricultural schedule, to which he is opposed. In his speech he defended the Payne bill.

Auditing County Clerk's Books

Ernest Hubb and Allen Sloan have completed their work on the sheriff's books, and are now auditing the books of the county clerk. The county treasurer's books will be gone over next.

Gone East

A. Kershner left last Friday for an extended trip east. He expects to be gone the greater part of the winter, and will visit friends and relatives in Indiana and Grand Rapids, Mich.

A bar of iron that would make horseshoes worth \$12, if converted into watch springs would be worth \$25.00.

ENGINEERS MAY GO OUT SOON

STRIKE THIS WEEK IF INCREASE IS NOT GIVEN

WANT OVER THIRTEEN PER CENT RAISE

Labor Commissioner Neill Endeavoring to Avert Trouble Between Railroads and Men

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—President Stone of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers today made a statement that the sixty-one railroads whose engineers were asking for an increase in pay, must settle this week or a strike would be certainly called. If the engineers do strike the railroads will get fifteen minutes and no more. He said: "We are tired of this dispute, and must have action. If the roads do not want war the roads must decide soon."

Labor Commissioner Charles P. Neill is endeavoring to avert the fulfillment of Stone's threats. This morning Neill conferred with railroad representatives and this afternoon he conferred with engineers, and he declined to predict the outcome. The engineers assert they will not accept less than a 13 to 17 per cent increase.

E. S. Phillips, county road superintendent, is checking up the expenditures made for work on the county roads during the past season. They will total over \$11,000.

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