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### MURDER IS A MYSTERY

Girl Student of California University Shot and Killed

OLD-TIME LOVER

Paul Schmidt, Her Slayer. Then Turned the Gun Upon Himself

PAIR HELD CONVERSATION IN DOORWAY AND WHEN GIRL STEPPED OUT TO TELL TROU-BLES TO A FIREMAN SCHMIDT BEGAN TO SHOOT.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 15 .-- Josephine Mead, a student of the University of California, was shot and killed today by Paul Schmidt, who afterwards committed suicide, Miss Mead was formerly a teacher in the Los Angeles public schools. Schmidt also is said to be prominently connected at Los Angeles.

On leaving her lodging house Miss Mead was met by Schmidt, and they adjourned to a nearby doorway where they stood for a few minutes, talking earnestly. Miss Mead stopped and approached a fireman, saying: "I beg your pardon, but this man-"

shooting. He sent four bullets into the girl's body and then shot himself. Schmidt and Miss Mead were at one time engaged to be married. The young woman was a niece of Vicar General Hartnell, of the Southern California diocese, and was of excellent reputation.

### His Gun Failed Him.

Butte, Mont., Oct. 15 .-- A special to killed was the wife of the murderer. His intention was to kill fourteen more gether. but a shell stuck in the rifle rendering

### LIFE FOR GIBSON

BUT HOLD-UP MEN GIVEN FIVE YEARS BY JUDGE HANNA.

GRANT'S PASS, Or., Oct. 15,-Yesterday afternoon Judge Hanna passed sentence upon Jefferson Gibson, recently tried for murder and against whom the jury returned a verdict of murder in the second degree. In a few words the judge passed the life sentence upon the convicted man, the only sentence allowable under the law Gibson was very nervous, and could hardly stand on his feet when the words were spoken that condemned him to the penitentiary for life. He turned to the crowd assembled in the courtroom and started to speak, beginning with the assertion that he was innocent, but the court interrupted him and he was led away by the sheriff. boy, Peter Garvin, who were found

guilty of assaulting and robbing two young men in this city recently, were also given sentence by Judge Hanna. They are sent to the penitentiary for a term of five years each.

### FIRED AT BURGLARS

OLYMPIA WOMAN PUT TWO MEN TO FLIGHT WITH A RE-VOLVER.

OLYMPIA, Oct. 15 .- Plucky Mrs. Arthur Keady fired three shots at burglars last night about 12 o'clock. The house breakers tried to effect an entrance through the dining room window and were heard by Mrs. Keady, who procured a revolver from a bureau drawer and started to look for something to shoot at. She found a burgiar half way through the dinirg room window and opened fire immediately. Fortunately for the burglar there was no light in the room and the bullet did not take effect. As the burglar fled Mrs. Keady ran to the window he had opened and kneeling beside it fired three more shots at the fleeing men. She plainly saw two of them, but did not recognize either.

This is the second time in two years that Mrs. Keady has beaten off wouldbe house breakers. Mr. Keady is a linotype operator on the Olympian and is not at home nights.

### From Natural Causes.

San Francisco, Oct. 15 .-- The coroler's jury in the case of A. L. Kohn, be Chicago millionaire, who died der peculiar circumstances, returna verdict today that the deceased ded from natural causes.

### GAVE LIFE FOR MEAL

NEW YORK TEAMSTER ATE, RE-PUSED TO PAY, AND DIED.

ing was unprovoked. The anger of the erowd in the street was excited when Expapas, according to the police, stood in the doorway and fired two shots at the victim, already wounded and lying on the sidewalk. Threats were heard in the crowd as it rushed toward the restaurant, and the man ran inside and locked the door.

By this time three policemen had arrived. They had to use their clubs to drive back the crowd and secure entrance to the restaurant. The officers forced the door, and seized Expapas, who stood in the middle of the room holding a revolver. The young man was pale, and as the policemen started toward the door, outside of which the crowd was still shouting for revenge, he fainted and fell to the floor. Later he as revived and taken to the police station.

### A BODY BLOW FOR CANADA

English Paper Concedes Alaska Decision Is Favorable To America

INFORMATION SAID TO BE OB-TAINED FROM A THOROUGHLY RELIABLE SOURCE -- ALASKA BOUNDARY COMM'SSION LAN-QUETED BY LONDON SOCIETY.

LONDON, Oct. 15 .-- The Morning Advertiser announces that it regrets At that moment Schmidt began to learn from a source which it regards as beyond question that the decision in the Alaska boundary tribunal virtually concedes the American case. The Advertiser, which appears to be thoroughly satisfied with the reliability of its statement, says the news will be received in Canada with consternation.

### Was Notable Assemblage.

London, Oct. 15 .-- The dinner given the Miner from Browning, Mont., says. by the Pilgrims' Society to the Alas-James Little Plume confessed to the kan Boundary Commission, at Clar-murder of seven people Sunday mornidge's tonight, proved the most notative of Two Medicine Among the ing at Two Medicine, Among the ble assemblage of Englishmen, Americans and Canadians ever brought to-

In addition to the Commission, the British Cabinet Ministers, the American Ambassader, and the most promipublic life were present. Among the speakers was ex-Senator Turner.

### The First Delegates.

Seattle, Oct. 15 .-- Alaska has chosen its first delegates to the National Republican Convention of 1904. Judge C. S. Johnson and Colonel W. T. Perkins vision of the district.

### THEY FLIPPED NICKELS

JURORS ORIGINAL METHODS MAY GET THEM INTO SERI-OUS TROUBLE.

CHICAGO, Oct. 15 .- A dispatch to the Tribune from Lawrenceville, Illinois, says: In the Lawrenceville circuit court here a jury trying the case of the state against George Ryan, charged with assault to commit mur-The two negroes, Joseph Pinckney der, could not reach a verdict after and Charles McArthur, and the white being out thirty-six hours, when one of them suggested flipping nickelsheads to convict, tails to acquit. Each juror put a nickel in a hat, a shake and toss and the nickels fell on the table, six and six, necessitating another toss. and eight tails, resulting in acquittal. The court accepted the verdict, but did not know how it was reached until today. The state will get a new trial, and the jurors may be indicted.

### FAITH AGAINST LAWS

IF PATIENT DIES "HEALER" MUST ANSWER TO A CRIMI-NAL CHARGE.

NEF YORK, Oct. 15 .-- As a result of the affirming by the court of appeals of the conviction of Luther Pierson, who was charged with depending upon faith curists instead of calling a physician to attend his child when it was stricken with pneumonia, Judge Platt, nation brought forth for her preserva- for a nation to be stirred to present at White Plains, will immediately decide the demurrers to indictments in the case of Mr. and Mrs. John Quimby and J. C. Lathrop, known as a healer. They are accused of being responsible for the death of little Esther Quimby, in relying simply in the laying on of hands to cure her when ill from diphtheria. They are under indictment for manslaughter. Pierson is now residing at Shiloh,

### HOLD-UPS HELD UP

Me., where there is a religious colony.

WALLA WALLA MAN TURNS TABLES ON A TOUGH PAIR OF THUGS.

WALLA WALLA, Oct. 15 .-- When two men tried to hold up William Miller last night he escaped and hid behind a tree along a dark part of the hind a tree along a dark part of the names of these and of the names o he stepped out with a gun and torces sacred the included sacred th



## OF SHERMAN

nent representatives of the English Glowing Tribute to Soldier by President Roosevelt

UNVEILING CEREMONIES

have been elected from the Nome di- Were Most Impressive and Were Viewed By Thousands of People

> RECOMMENDS ERECTION OF STATUE TO ABRAHAM LINCOLN AT CAPITAL ARMY AND NAVY SHOULD BE KEPT AT HIGHEST POINT OF EFFICIENCY.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15 .- With impressive ceremonies the equestrian statue of William Tecumseh Sherman was unveiled here this afternoon in the presence of the officials of Washington, the President at its head, and thousands of veterans, members of so-The second trial showed four heads cieties and the army of Tennessee, Cumberland, Ohio and Potomac.

As the two large flags enveloping the statue were drawn aside by Wilfiam Tecumseh Sherman Thorndyke, the nine-year-old grandson of the dead chieftain, the cannon of the Fourth Artillery boomed a salute and the Marine Band struck up the "Star Spangled

The President, who delivered the address of the day, was introduced by General G. M. Dodge. As he arose the veterans gave him round after round of cheers. The speech was frequently interrupted with applause. The Presi-

### Tribute to the .tero.

"Today we meet together to do honor, to the memory of one of the great men must also show itself forth in our stake and of the outcome the greatest shameful thing for a nation, if these of modern times, but it was also, tak- memories stir it only to empty boast verity of the fighting, and the size of from present abasement, to that selfthe armies engaged, the greatest since satisfaction which accepts the high rethe close of the Napoleonic struggles, solve and unbending efforts of the age burned ever highest in the su- men of the Civil War what they were both pair of hands aloft. Miller then the figures of Grant lives to strive after not the thing lives to strive after not the thing which is merely pleasant, but the thing sagar, a teamster, who, he asserted, left and to pay for a meal and attacked hing. Eye witnesses declare the shoot.

The figures of a restaurant in Wells street, last night shot and killed John Cassaga, a teamster, who, he asserted, left and the figures of Grant lives to strive after not the thing which is merely pleasant, but the thing lives in a thinly settled part of the wind up of Grant's great lieutenant, Sherman, a teamster, who, he asserted, left and of Grant's great lieutenant, Sherman, whose status here in the national way to do. The life sign to pay for a meal and attacked hing. Eye witnesses declare the shoot.

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long roll of Sherman's might feats. IC ADDECTED They are written large throughout the history of the Civil War. Our memories would be poor indeed if we did not recall them now, as we look along Pennsylvania avenue and think of the great triumphal march which surged down its length when at the close of East and of the West met here in the capital of the nation they had saved.

"There is a peculiar fitness in commemorating the great deeds of the soldiers who preserved this nation, by suitable monuments at the national capital. I trust we shall soon have proper statue of Abraham Lincoln, to whom more than to any other one man To Destroy Train and Track this nation owes its salvation. Meanwhile, on behalf of the people of the nation, I wish to congratulate all of you who have been instrumental in securing the erection of this statue to General Sherman.

### Grateful to Soldier.

"The living can best show their re spect for the memory of the great dead by the way in which they take to heart and act upon the lessons taught by the lives which made these dead men great. Our homage today to the memory of Sherman comes from the depths of our being. We would be unworthy citizens did we not feel profound gratitude toward him, and those like him and under him, who when the forward with such gallant eagerness to answer that call. Their blood and their toil, their endurance and patriotism, have made us and all who come after us forever more their debtors. They left us not merely a reunited country, but a country incalculably greater because of its rich heritage in the deeds which thus left it reunited. Pacific detectives and officers, left is now improved. As a nation we are the greater, not only for the valor and devotion to the finding of the powder was reduty displayed by the men in blue, who won in the great struggle for the Union, but also for the valor and the loyalty toward what they-regarded as right of the men in gray; for this war, thrice fortunate above all other recent wars in its outcome, left to all of us the right of brotherhood alike quished.

"Moreover, our homage must not only find expression on our lips; it whom, in the hour of her agony, our deeds. It is a great and glorious thing The Civil War was not only triumph by the splendid memories of in the importance of the issues at triumphs in the past. But it is a ing into account its duration, the se- ings, to a pride that does not shrink Among the generals who rose to high father as an excuse for effortless ease position as leaders of the various or wrongly directed effort in the son armies in the field are many who will We of the present, if we are true to be remembered in our history as long the past, must show by our lives that as this history itself is remembered, we have learned aright the lessons Sherman, the incarnation of fiery en- taught by the men who did the ergy and prowess: Thomas, far-sight- mighty deeps, of the past. We must ed, cool-headed, whose steadfast cour- have in us the spirit which made the preme moment of the crisis; McClel- the spirit which produced leaders BOUND, BEATEN, DRUGGED lan, with his extraordinary gift for or- such as Sherman; the spirit which ganization; Meade, victor in one of the gave to the average soldier the grim decisive battles of all time: Hancock, tenacity and resourcefulness that made type of the true fighting man among the armies of Grant and Sherman as the regulars; Logan, type of the true formidable fighting machines as this fighting man among the volunteers- world has ever seen. We need their the names of these and of many others ruggedness of body, their keen and

### 13 AINLUALD ON SUSPICION

the war the victorious armies of the Man Found In Deserted Barn West of Helena

ANOTHER ATTEMPT MADE phia.

### On Northern Pacific By Dynamite

SIX STICKS OF EXPLOSIVE FOUND UNDER A RAIL--EXTRA FREIGHT TRAIN PASSED OVER WITHOUT EXPLODING IT -- DE-TECTIVES ON THE TRAIL.

HELENA, Mont., Oct. 15 .- Six sticks of Cynamite were found on the Northem Pacific track near Birdseye, eight country called in her dire need, sprang miles west of Helena this morning by work, as is admitted he did. The rivers, The new hatcheries at Onpassed over the powder during the night without exploding it. It had been placed under the rail, the fish plates from her late attack of typhoid fever Treasury, representing the total of which had been removed.

Chief of Detectives McFetridge, St. Paul, in charge of the Northern Ed. S. Coates, has been quite ill, but of September. The amount is accountwith a pack of bloodhounds soon after

George Hammond was arrested this morning a half mile from where the Oregon trip. exclosive was found on the track and brought to Helena. Fe was found in building a residence in Turner a deserted barn with his horse. He confessed to stealing supplies in the vicinity where he was found. Two with valiant victor and valiant van- other arrests have been made in the same vicinity, but the names of the men are not known, and they will not be brought to town until late twight,

### MADE A RICH HAUL

BUT OVERLOOKED 400 POUNDS OF GOLD DUST LYING ON A TABLE.

SEATTLE, Oct. 15 .-- A special to the Post-Intelligencer from Nome states and visitors in the city often go there that two masked men robbed R. D. Hunter, of the Northern Light Company, on Ophir creek, of more than \$7,000, of which 375 ounces was in gold

The men were heavily armed. They overlooked 400 ounces of gold dust, which lay on a table.

A LOS ANGELES WOMAN'S EX PERIENCE WITH TWO BURLY BURGLARS.

The life city. Her brutal assailant was a daylight burglar, and the fact that the woman lives to tell of her sufferings STATESMAN'S PIANO CONTEST.

In mother at myrtic Point, where is now living. Frank spent his living. Frank spent his living. Frank spent his living.

### was found unconscious by her husband when he returned home at 6 o'clock last evening. The assault occurred at the Burch

home in the southern part of the city, and was committed by two burly ruffians, one of whom stood guard, After binding and gagging the woman, he chloroformed her, kicked her in the side as she lay helpless on the floor, and then stole \$8 from a purse in a bureau drawer and made his escape.

Unconscious from chloroform, she was found by her husband lying on a pile of matting when he returned home from work. A physician restored her to consciousness, but she was hysterical for hours afterward and it was with difficulty that she could tell the story of the crime.

### JIM TILLMAN IS ACQUITTED

Jury Brought In Verdict of "Not Guilty" In Twenty Hours

ONE MAN STOOD OUT FOR CON-VICTION ALL NIGHT AGAINST THE MAJORITY -- FIRST BALLOT WAS TEN FOR ACQUITTAL AND TWO FOR CONVICTION.

LEXINGTON, S. C., Oct. 15 .-- James H. Tillman, charged with the murder of N. G. Gonzales, the editor of the State, in Columbia on January !4 last, was acquitted this morning. The jury press Companies pay their employes. was out twenty hours before reaching

Soon after the jury went out yesterday a ballot was taken, which resulted in a vote of 10 to 2 for acquittal. Soon Ninety men are involved. after one of the minority joined the majority, leaving one juror standing out. He held to his views and kept about twenty minutes before the ver-

### Now Able to Move.

Denver, Oct. 15 .- Albert E. Bell, the alleged forger and mail robber, recovered sufficiently to leave St. Anthony's Hospital. The United States District Attorney will apply to the Federal Court tomorrow for an order for the prisoner's removal to Philadel-

### TO OUST ROBERTSON

RESIDENTS OF TURNER DISTRIC ARE PETITIONING FOR HIS REMOVAL

There is a movement on foot to dis place Postmaster Robertson, of Turner. Petitions and counter petitions have been circulated in this neighborhood. The signatures have been all

counter petitioned Bickers, of the Reform School, He has scratch yours" should be repudiated in missioners.

all public service. and is about again.

Mrs. D. W. Vanderbilt is suffering everely from rheumaticm. Mr. and Mrs. Adam Missler have returned to Turner from their Eastern

County Surveyor B. B. Herrick, Jr., is Miss Alice Cirardin is attending

school in Salem Pleasant Point, October 15.

### ALL OVER THE STATE

THE LADIES OF CONGREGATION-AL CHURCH HAVE EARNED A REPUTATION.

The good ladies of the First Congregational church of this city have British legation Tuesday night during for their famous chicken pie suppers, to take pointers.

They will give one of these suppers this evening, and it is safe to say in a native city. scores and hundreds of the best people in the Capital/City will be there to enoy the good things and have a social time There will be plenty for them all, and to spare.

FORCED TO THE W. . LL. this morning states the stock exchange settlement proved disastrous for one of the lafgest brokerage firms, whose losses are estimated at £5,000,000. Failure was only prevented by forced city. Mr. Tichenor has for some ye LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 15.--Gag- so huge the city did not dare allow the World, and he has now

## is due to good luck, for she lay four hours alone in her house before she THREATENS TO

Employes of the Pacific Express Company on Strike

IN THE SOUTHERN STATES

Ten Per Cent Increase In Wages

SUPERINTENDENT OF WESTERN DIVISION SAYS MEN ARE SATIS-FIED AND WILL NOT JOIN THE STRIKE -- COLORADO MINING TROUBLE MAY BE SETTLED,

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 15 .-- A strike was declared this morning by the Pacific Express messengers in St. Louis, Last Tuesday the members of the local brotherhood submitted a demand for an increase of 10 per cent in wages.

Superintendent Gentsch said tonight: 'Less than 100 men are affected by the strike here. We were prepared for the situation and are supplying the vacancies rapidly.

More Strikes Declared. Wichita, Kan., Oct. 15 .-- The Pacific Express employes in this city struck tonight. They demand the same wasten as the Wells Fargo and Adams Ex-

Satisfied in Northwest. Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 15 .- The employes of the Pacific Express Company here went on a strike tonight

Offers to Mediate

Salt Lake, Utah, Oct. 15 .-- J. W. the jury up all night. It was only Rogers, superintendent of the Pacific Express Company, whose district diet was heard this morning that he tends from Salt Lake to Portland, tonight stated that there would be no strike on his division. The employes being satisfied with the conditions under which they were working.

> Cripple Creek, Oct. 15, -- President Moyer, of the Western Federation of Miners, who has been in conference with the mineowner and union leaders in this district, said today that James F. Burns, the president of the Portland Mining Company, which is employi union miners, has offered his services as a mediator between the strikers and the mine owners' association,

### ON TOUR OF INSPECTION

BOARD OF FISH COMMISSIONERS STARTED OUT TO VISIT HATCHERIES.

Secretary of State Dunbar and State Treasurer Moore, constituting the Board of Fish Commissioners, departed on the afternoon overland for Port-We are sorry to lose Superintendent land yesterday, where they will be joined by Master Fish Warden H. G. Van Dusen and the trio will go out made an efficient official and is a upon a tour of inspection of the sevpleasant and genial citizen. "Political eral fish hatcheries of the state and promises" nor any other kind should the numerous salmon packing plants not displace a man who does good on the Columbia and other Oregon the section men. An extra freight, principle of "scratch my back and I'll tario is the objective point of the com-

Master Fish Warden Van Dusen yen-Miss Lenna Cavanagh has recovered terday deposited \$1152.35 in the State amount of fines and license fees col-·Little Timmle, son of Mr. and Mrs. lected in his office during the month ed for as follows:

District No. 1.

1 gill net license ......

2 set net licenses ..... trap license ..... seine (800 feet) ...... 5 dealers (first class) ...... District No. 2. Fine (Otto Krouse) ..... 61 gill net licenses ..... 152.50 58 set net licenses ......

5 canners' licenses (first class) 875.60 3 dealers' licenses (first class), 30.00 Total .....\$1252.35

WHILE THE BRITISH DANCED LONDON, Oct. 15 .- A Pekin die patch to the Times describes an attempt to blow up the magazine at the a military ball. The wires were hild but were not connected with the armory. At the same time the bres blocks and sights of a 4.7 gun were stolen, but have since been discovered

SARAFOFF REPORTED KILLED. SALONICA, Oct. 15.—The military operations in Macedonia are slacks ing, although there are occasional r ports of fighting. Reports have be LONDON, Oct. 15,-The Chronicle received here that Boris Sarafoff in killed October 12 in a skirmish

> Frank Tichenor and wife are in the his mother at Myrtle Point, where