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## Crutal Tramp Attacks Pretty Portland School Girl

### Kaiser's Health is Poor

### Family is Alarmed

### Favorite Nephew is Murdered—Checked Plot to Blow Up Military Council and Minister at St. Petersburg

Nov. 1.—The Kaiser's health is poor today, when it was known that the Kaiser may abandon the idea of going to England to visit King George. That no information has been given concerning his condition to strengthen the report that he is again suffering from throat trouble.

### Pope's Nephew Killed

Nov. 1.—Enrico Scamponi, the pope's favorite nephew, and director of a large factory at Monza, was killed by a discharged soldier. The pope is inconsolable. Scamponi's murderer has been arrested.

### Plot to Assassinate

St. Petersburg, Nov. 1.—The arrest of several military clerks has led to a plot to blow up the entire military council, including the minister, at the next weekly meeting.

The prisoners are young men of high families. Bombs sufficient to wreck the entire building in which the minister of war and his advisors meet were found. The conspirators will probably be tried by military courts and executed.

### A REGULAR FIRE-EATER.

But the Other Man Being an Office-Holder Had to Refuse.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

New Orleans, Nov. 1.—As a climax to a series of political sensations Donaldson Caffery, son of the late United States Senator Donaldson Caffery, asked his friend to wait upon Lieutenant-Governor J. Y. Sanders, and demand a written retraction of certain statements made by Sanders in his speech at Jeanerette. As a result of Sanders' refusal, Caffery challenged him to fight a duel. Friends of Sanders declined to consider or accept his challenge, on the ground that it would disqualify Sanders from holding or running his office. Charges against the public record of Sanders in a speech by Caffery caused Sanders to reply to it last Tuesday. It was to these differences that Caffery took exception, resulting in his demand for a retraction.

### Killed by Street Cars.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, Nov. 1.—Two deaths due to street car accidents were reported to the coroner this morning. G. Levin, whose residence is unknown, was injured in a smash-up at 19th and Mission streets last night, and died at 8:30 this morning. Charles Fitzwater, a United Railroad motorman, died shortly after midnight as the result of injuries received in a collision between his car and a Fillmore street car at Hayes and Fillmore streets.

### Ford Trial Still Off.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, Nov. 1.—On account of the legal holiday, the Ford trial again went over today.

## HITCHCOCK MYSTERY UNSOLVED

### HAS GONE TO EUROPE

### Police Think He Had Knowledge of Indictments—Reported That He Fleed to Europe Taking 11 Year-Old Bella McKinzie With Him

(United Press Leased Wire.)

New York, Nov. 1.—That some powerful influence was exerted upon Raymond Hitchcock, the comedian, to induce him to abandon his career, leave his friends in the lurch and disappear permanently is the belief of Henry W. Savage, by whom Hitchcock was employed.

Information, which the police consider reliable, has been received at the central office that Hitchcock took passage at 10 o'clock Wednesday on the White Star steamer Majestic, bound for Plymouth, Cherbourg and Southampton. A prominent New Yorker who knows Hitchcock well, told a central office detective that he saw the actor board the steamer only a few minutes before she left her pier. He sent word to the police the moment that he learned Hitchcock was a fugitive from justice.

A wireless message was sent from police headquarters to the Majestic's captain, asking him to take Hitchcock in custody and to turn him over to the English police when the steamer reaches the other side. The message included an accurate description of Hitchcock.

Assistant District Attorney Garvin states that two of the crimes charged against Hitchcock are extraditable offenses.

Evidence furnished by the Children's society leads to the belief that Hitchcock is accompanied in his flight by Bella McKinzie, the 11-year-old girl who disappeared from her home about a month ago. The McKinzie girl met Hitchcock in September, 1906, when he was playing at the Montauk theatre, in Brooklyn. At that time she was living at home with several younger brothers and sisters.

It was several months later, while Hitchcock was touring in the far West, that Bella fell into the hands of the Children's Society. She made a full confession, in which she accused Hitchcock of taking her from home.

Colonel Savage is deeply chagrined over Hitchcock's disappearance, and it is learned on good authority that he is confident the comedian's disappearance a few hours before the indictments were found against him, was due to some powerful influence. Mrs. Hitchcock remained up all night assisting in directing the search for her husband. She will not listen to any theory which includes flight, insisting that she believes he has been the victim of foul play.

In support of her contention she declares that Hitchcock made absolutely no preparation for flight.

It is stated in the Savage offices that an officer was in the Astor theatre Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock with a warrant for Hitchcock, but, strangely enough, no general alarm for Hitchcock's arrest was sent out, and the police department was not notified until nearly midnight. He had at least 15 hours in which to get away before the police were put on his trail.

At just what hour Hitchcock left his hotel Wednesday morning is not definitely known, but it was probably shortly before 9 o'clock. His wife, Flora Zabelle, says her husband awakened her and said he was going out to a Turkish bath.

Employees in the hotel say they saw him leave and that it was shortly before 9 o'clock. This was three hours before the grand jury found six indictments against him on evidence given by three little girls. It is being generally asked, however, how did Hitchcock know in advance that indictments would be found.

Several days ago Hitchcock was induced to go to the office of the district attorney, without the knowledge of his counsel or any one connected with the Savage office, and was put through what is known as the "third degree." What admissions he made at that time and whose names he brought into the affair are not known.

That the actor will never return is the firm belief of Colonel Savage and the members of his staff.

At the request of Attorney Fromme, Assistant District Attorney Garvin agreed to allow the lawyer one week in which to produce his client. If he is not produced by that time, his bail of \$3000 will be declared forfeited. To provide this bail Colonel Savage advanced the actor \$1000 in

cash, and Harris Copley, of Colonel Savage's office, pledged his home for the remaining \$2000.

As showing that the actor's flight was carefully planned and premeditated, an incident witnessed in the Hotel Astor Tuesday night is significant. Hitchcock and his wife sat at a table in the hotel safe after the performance at supper. It was noticed that they were discussing some question very earnestly, and that both seemed excited.

At times Mrs. Hitchcock was seen to wipe tears from her eyes, and the actor appeared to be crying. They exchanged several papers, after carefully examining them, and during the conversation Hitchcock frequently patted his wife on the back and on the hand, as if reassuring and encouraging her.

About 1 o'clock both appeared to be more cheerful and shortly afterward left the hotel. As Hitchcock and his wife are known to be very affectionate the incident is thought to be significant.

Boston, Nov. 1.—News received here from various points indicates that Raymond Hitchcock is in Canada or on his way there. From Pittsfield, Mass., comes the report that a man who knew Hitchcock saw him and two companions board a train Wednesday morning for North Adams, Mass., and a North Adams hotel clerk says a man resembling Hitchcock was a guest at his hotel Wednesday.

New York, Nov. 1.—Dr. F. Sefton, an alienist of national reputation, says he has not the slightest doubt that Actor Raymond Hitchcock is insane. Sefton has been a friend of the Hitchcock family for years. Hitchcock's acquaintances at his old home agree with Sefton.

"Hitchcock's father was insane,"

## OREGON vs. WILLAMETTE

SATURDAY, NOV. 2, 1907. WILLAMETTE FIELD.

Game Called at 8:00 p. m.

Admission 50c. Grandstand 10c

arrested and is now being examined by the police.

## BIG STRIKE MADE IN ALASKA

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Valdez, Alaska, Nov. 1.—Thomas Meredith, a well-known California miner, arrived this morning from Valdez creek, at the head of the Sushitna river, and says that a placer strike has been made there by Peter Monohan which is the biggest ever struck in Alaska. Monohan has 40 feet of pay streak in sight which is running from \$1 to \$3 to the pan. Monohan will arrive here soon with the dust from his cleanup, which will run into the five figures. The news has already caused much excitement, and it is predicted that a stampede of large proportions will be on within the next ten days. Meredith came out for supplies and will return with his dog team in a few days to the new diggings. Every creek prospected is rich.

## HANFORD RESTRAINS RAILROADS

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 1.—At 11:25 last night, after three hours' argument and maneuvering by the railroad and lumbermen's attorneys, United States Judge C. H. Hanford signed an order temporarily restraining the Northern Pacific, Great Northern, Burlington and the Harriman railroads from collecting freight rates on lumber and shingles shipped from the state of Washington to the East and Central West, as provided by the new tariffs filed more than 30 days ago, and which were scheduled to be effective today. Three hundred lumber and shingle men from various parts of Western Washington gathered here yesterday forenoon and last night to celebrate their victory over the railroads. They thronged the federal court last night, and during all the animated discussion among the attorneys, preceding the signing of the order and the approval of a \$250,000 bond, filed by the Pacific Coast Lumber Manufacturers' Association and the shingle mills bureau, the mill men hung about the court room, filling every seat and watching the proceedings with the utmost interest.

## Puget Sound Lumbermen Draw First Blood in Freight Rate Fight

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 1.—Mrs. Geo. Osborne, wife of the policeman who died of bubonic plague, died last night. She is the sixth victim, and the fourth one in this family to succumb. Dr. F. Montizambert, director general of the public health of the Dominion of Canada, arrived here last night, and will look over the situation. Dr. M. W. Glover, of the United States health and marine hospital service, from Juneau, Alaska, has also arrived to report for plague duty.

## PORTLAND GIRL IS ASSAULTED BY FIENDISH TRAMP

### SIXTEEN-YEAR OLD AGNES ALBERS OF PORTLAND DRAGGED INTO UNDERBRUSH BY FIEND, AND IS RESCUED BY BICYCLIST WHO HEARD HER CRIES

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Portland, Or., Nov. 1.—Dragged from the sidewalk and into the underbrush of Sullivan's gulch, in the heart of the exclusive residence section of Irvington addition by a tramp, 16-year-old Agnes Albers, the daughter of Bernard Albers, of the Albers Milling Company, of Portland, was choked and beaten into insensibility this morning shortly before 9 o'clock. Only the chance passing of George Stewart, a machinist, who heard the half-strangled cries of the struggling girl, and who dashed to her assistance and drove off her assailant, saved the girl from the fiend's foul purpose. A tramp, who says his name is Anderson, and who answers to Stuart's description of the man whom he attacked, has been

## ANOTHER BANK IN TROUBLE

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 1.—The Commercial State Bank of Grand Island failed to open its doors this morning. The bank examiner is in charge. The cause of the suspension was the suicide of Frank Crocker, president of the Carlton, Iowa, bank yesterday. The bank's commercial deposits aggregate \$380,000.

## TRIED TO STEAL THE RECORDS

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Chicago, Nov. 1.—The hearing of Etta McLean, chief stenographer in District Attorney Sims' office, on the charge of "conspiring" to steal a decoy document bearing on the Walsh bank case, was postponed today to give the prosecutor more time to unravel the mystery. It is understood that the girl made a partial confession, in which she involved a prominent attorney.

## WALSH TRIED TO STEAL THE RECORDS

(United Press Leased Wire.)

John S. Miller, attorney for Walsh, says he was approached by a man resembling Alexander B. Gordey, arrested with the stenographer, who told him a former attorney for John R. Walsh was going to be indicted, and that he knew a good deal about the Walsh case. Miller paid no attention to him. The decoy letter was written in an effort to learn who had been stealing the evidence against Walsh.

## GOOD NEWS FOR WOODBURN.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

That City to Get a Spur From Portland-Salem Electric Line.

Woodburn, Nov. 1.—The best news this week is that John McCormick has sold to the Oregon Electric Company 20 acres of his farm for depot and switch purposes, and that a spur will be run into Woodburn over the old narrow gauge right of way. It is said the narrow gauge roadbed would be used from Woodburn to St. Paul.

## Guard Against Plague.

Aberdeen, Wash., Nov. 1.—Active measures are being taken to enforce the quarantine regulations at this port. Some of the captains coming here are quite averse to taking the trouble required by the officers, but the law will be rigidly enforced. William E. Kindred has been appointed a special officer by Health Officer Chamberlain to enforce the regulations in regard to the use of rat funnels, and also to see that the vessels that tie up to the docks keep the regulation distance from them.

## INJURED IN STREET CAR COLLISION

(United Press Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, Nov. 1.—Shortly before 12 o'clock last night an inbound Castro street car crashed into a southbound Fillmore street car at the junction of Market, Church and Fourteenth streets, seven persons being injured, three of them seriously. The Fillmore street car was crowded, and when the crash came the passengers were hurled into a heap. The accident is said to have been due to defective brakes on the Castro street car, which was beyond control of the motorman when it crashed into the Fillmore street car.

The injured are: Raymond Wood, both legs crushed, necessitating amputation and severe internal injuries.

Mrs. C. A. Lavree, severe abrasion and internal injuries.

Mrs. H. D. Shumacher, shock, bruises and possible internal injuries.

Otto Thompson, shock, bruises and cuts.

E. W. Powell, serious lacerations. Policeman William Isaacson, who, though cut and bruised himself, managed to pull the other injured persons out of the wrecked Fillmore street car.

## KILLED BY RECKLESS AUTOIST

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 1.—Mrs. Johanna Annetay, 60 years of age, was hurled to death by an automobile last night at Ninth and Valencia streets, as she was alighting from a street car. Her skull was fractured, and she died while being taken to the receiving hospital. The force of the impact skidded the automobile, but the chauffeur, without attempting to ascertain the extent of his victim's injuries, quickly disappeared. The police are making every attempt to apprehend the driver.

## ANOTHER VICTIM OF THE PLAGUE

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## Served Out Her Sentence.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, Nov. 1.—Alice Roper, aged 60 years, was discharged from the state penitentiary at San Quentin yesterday, after having served three years and nine months of a five-years' sentence for passing counterfeit money.

## CHICAGO STORE PEOPLES BARGAIN HOUSE

### WE HAVE MARKED QUICK SELLING PRICES

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Rubberized Silk Coats, Silk Petticoats, Furs, Silks,  
Imported Dress Goods, Fine Dress and Waisting Silks, Outing  
Blankets, Comforts, Hosiery, Underwear, Ladies' Shoes and  
Clothing.

### GREAT VALUES

Offered this week in Ladies' Suits, Coats, Millinery, Silk Petticoats and Furs.

Ladies 16-button, Long  
Gloves, Double Tip Fingers  
Regular \$2.00 quality. Special price, pair  
**\$1.39**

Ladies and Men's Gloria Silk  
Corsets, \$1.50 quality. Special for this sale  
**98c**

Yards of good Standard Out-  
Flannel, 6 1/4c quality. Special sale price, yard  
**3c**

Men's Wool Sox, 25c  
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**15c**

Yards of New Plaid Silks for  
\$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.45  
Going for  
**65c, 75c, 98c yd.**

Children's \$5.00 Coats.....\$2.98  
Ladies' \$10.00 Coats.....\$6.90  
Ladies' \$15.00 Suits.....\$9.90  
Ladies' Silk Petticoats.....\$3.50  
Ladies' \$5.00 Silk Waists.....\$3.50

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