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SMITH CARVES CRAVER

Vicious Convict Slashes Fellow Prisoner Until Beaten Off by Guards—Victim Will Probably Die.

Soon after going to work this morning, or a few minutes after 5 o'clock, Convict Charles Smith, serving a 15-year sentence for burglary, from Wasco county, got in a quarrel with John Cravers, a fellow convict, the row starting, according to Craver's statement, over Smith's insisting that he, Craver, should do a larger portion of the work assigned them. Suddenly Smith drew a knife—a vicious looking little blade—evidently manufactured in the prison shops, and slashed Cravers across the face, cutting through the ear, and the flesh both in front and behind it, for a couple of inches, and slashing deep enough to penetrate the drum of the ear. With another vicious slash he gashed the abdomen of his victim, exposing his intestines, and with another slash he cut Cravers' throat so that the carotid artery and the jugular vein were exposed, though neither was severed. He also gashed his victim's wrists, and in fact had a regular whittling match. The whole affair was done so quickly that the guards could not interfere.

Dr. Shaw, the prison surgeon, repaired the damages so far as possible, but is somewhat doubtful of Cravers' recovery. Those who saw the affair say it was one of the most vicious and venomous attacks ever made by a human being upon another. Smith's actions being more those of a tiger than a man.

A Shipment of Booze.

Though prohibition went into effect in Tillamook county three years ago, and carried again last year, a writer in the Herald says that people drink as much there now as ever. On the last trip of the Elmore, he says, there were 27 barrels of beer consigned to local parties besides kegs of liquid refreshments, and there may have been as many more boxes containing smaller shipments of the brew of hops. The 27 barrels contained about 500 gallons of beer. The whisky and wine shipments this week alone would give everybody in Tillamook one glorious week's jag. The Herald representative counted no less than 35 boxes of booze consigned to local people. There was enough in those boxes alone, we have since figured out, to give every person in Tillamook county the jim-jams if divided up and taken in one dose.—Medford Tribune.

Truth Comes Home Slowly.

"I guess," said the wise old codger, "the public must be satisfied that I've been nothing but an old fool for the past 20 years or so." "What led you to that conclusion?" "The fact that I'm just beginning to realize that I'm not as young as used to be."—Catholic Standard.

Miners Will Be Rescued.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Ely, Nev., Jan. 4.—Two weeks, and possibly four, will have passed before Brown, McDonald and Bailey, the three miners entombed in the Alpha shaft a month ago today, will be rescued.

With the exception of Brown, their physical and mental condition is as good as could be expected. Brown is suffering from insomnia, due to mental strain.

The rescuers have reached the 600-foot level, and are nearing the entombed trio at the average rate of ten feet a day. Better progress will be made when solid ground is struck at a depth of 630 feet. Experts say it is hardly possible, even under the most favorable conditions, to reach the men inside of two weeks. As the miners have lived so far, it is thought they will be able to endure life in their miserable prison a few days longer.

Outside of the Ring.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, Jan. 4.—Abe Attell, the American featherweight champion, and Kid Farmer, the Chicago welterweight, who has been acting as the little Hebrew's trainer, mixed it on Fillmore street last night, Attell getting the decision, after landing a heavy left foot in Farmer's groin. The boys had a disagreement over money matters, and in the course of argument Farmer called Attell a "cheap guy." Attell retorted by calling Farmer an ingrate and then the fists began to fly. Attell struck Farmer in the face, and a mixup followed. After the breakaway Attell turned loose his foot and the stuff was off, friends interfering and preventing further damage.

Martial Law in Indiana.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Indianapolis, Jan. 4.—Martial law was declared in Muncie, Ind., where the street car men on strike and their sympathizers have been creating scenes of disorder, this afternoon, by Governor Hanley. The militia will take possession of the city at once.

The probability that the militia will be called out to preserve order in Muncie, where the striking street car men and their sympathizers have created a reign of terror during the past few days, become stronger this afternoon, when the police realized that they were utterly powerless to cope with the situation. Larger crowds than ever are this afternoon gathering around the car barns. It is feared that a successful attempt may be made to fire the barns.

Some Big Fines May Follow.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Buffalo, Jan. 4.—Decisions handed down by Federal Judge Hazel today in the case of the demurrer of the Standard Oil and Vacuum Oil Companies to indictments charging them with practicing rate discriminations were all against the companies. The case probably will be tried during the March term of court. If convicted fines ranging from \$20,000,000 to \$34,000,000 could be imposed.

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CIRCUIT COURT MEETS

There will be a big criminal docket at the term of court which will convene on next Monday. The grand jury will not be called but District Attorney McNary will grind out a number of indictments on his own account.

The case of the state vs. Carey Martin, indicted at the last term in connection with the Laper divorce case will be brought to trial. Luper is still serving his term in jail, not having been able to get bonds.

The statutory case will be up for trial. C. E. Doty for enticing the Davis girl under age, and Arthur Hitchman for the same offense against Cora Nelson.

The state vs. Geo. Case is a Butteville controversy, where Case is charged with swatting Dave Miller over the caput with an iron rod, over some difference at a threshing machine last fall.

C. N. Matlock of Silverton will probably be indicted for violation of the Sunday law, which is a new thing in the peaceful and religious town of Silverton.

Marshal McMillan of Silverton is also to be indicted for refusing to serve a warrant on the aforesaid Matlock, but pleads not guilty because Mayor Wolf and the whole city council ordered him not to do so. Chief McMillan says he has served warrants on more than 300 people in Silverton in the last ten years and has never failed to get his man, and if they will let him alone he will serve his man with a warrant this time or die in the attempt.

Lee Jeffrey will be indicted for selling liquor at Gates without a license, and it seems about half the people up there who wear trousers have business for a man who deals in Missouri hair tonic whether he has a license or not and some of the rest of them like to come down to the Capital City for the fees and the mileage.

Henry Carmody has just served his biennial term in the county bastille for the same offence, and will probably be down again in due time. Those offenders from the dry precincts are regular features of a Marion county term of court.

"AX BILLY" TAKES HIS DEPARTURE

Edward Harris, alias "Ax Billy," or Rev. Edward Harris, who has for the past few weeks, with a stranger, conducted a would-be department store at 326 North Commercial street north of the Savage feed store, decided a few days ago that the climate of Salem did not altogether agree with his nature, and proceeded to remove his personal effects, his merchandise and his chattels and "vamoose" without saying au revoir to his friends and creditors. It seems that the latter were especially interested in "Ax Billy." A representative of the Honeyman Hardware Company, of Portland, was in the city yesterday to see what had become of Billy and his department store, and immediately had an attachment sworn out for the establishment.

After investigating the contents of the store, which had been deserted by Billy it was found that nothing had been left except empty boxes and debts. It is said that Harris has given many Portland and San Francisco firms "the Ax," and is ahead several hundred dollars.

On his store on Commercial street in big black letters are signs "Groceries," "Dry Goods," "Hardware," etc., which show that Billy was telling the truth when he represented himself to be the proprietor of a department store. The neighbors say that most every day Billy was assiduously working bringing in goods, while at night, so the rumor runs, the goods were taken out again, to be brought in the next day. The last night Billy forgot to come back, and where he went no one seems to know.

The Mystery of the Nude.

New York, Jan. 4.—Love for another woman on the part of Theodore Whitmore is said to have been at the bottom of the trouble between him and his wife, whose body was found in a muddy pool near Passaic, N. J., several days ago.

The police say they have learned the name of a girl who is said to have been with Whitmore several days after Mrs. Whitmore disappeared. Detectives working on the case are said to be weaving a net of circumstantial evidence around Whitmore.

JAPS TANGLE WITH THE POLYGAMISTS

Ogden, Utah, Dec. Jan. 4.—With cries of "Hang the Japs" 150 white men charged upon that part of the city where 500 or 1000 Japanese laborers room early last night, and attempted to drive out the Orientals. But for the arrival of Chief of Police Browning and all the available members of the police and sheriff's forces much bloodshed would have resulted. As it was missiles were thrown and a number of men slightly injured. Several arrests were made.

Most of the attacked party fled, many of them leaving Ogden on the trains. The whites who led the riot are insistent that all Japanese leave the city, and it is believed that they are waiting for the present excitement to blow over, when they will renew the attack.

The trouble followed the discharge a week ago of 30 Americans employed in the Southern Pacific ice plant and the substitution of Japs at less pay.

If you want the family healthy, strong and active during the winter, give them Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 'Twill surely make and keep the whole family well. 35c, Tea or Tablets. For sale at Dr. Stone's store.

After Hoboes.

Chief of Police McMillan of Silverton came over to Salem Friday and notified the sheriff's office of the whereabouts of a camp of tramps who have committed a number of petty crimes of late. This week these criminal yeggmen raided a camp of the Silverton Lumber company and got away with a lot of clothing and boots and shoes, besides getting some money and a silver watch and chain. Deputy Minto and Marshal McMillan went over and took them in today. There were 12 hobos in the camp, but the two criminal leaders were the only ones taken in custody. They made a show of fight but were soon overpowered.

When you need a cough cure you need one that will cure your cough. Kemp's Balsam, the best cough cure, will do it. All druggists sell it for 25 cents.

Missed the Cashier.
(United Press Leased Wire.)
Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 4.—A terrific bomb explosion in the basement of the First National bank, the largest financial institution in the city, today wrecked a part of the building and injured a plumber, a porter and two or three bank employes. The explosion caused intense excitement, both in the bank and street. The first impression was that an attempt had been made to rob the bank. An explanation of the explosion has not been offered.

It Does the Business.
Mr. E. E. Chamberlain of Clinton, Maine, says of Bucklen's Arnica Salve. "It does the business; I have used it for piles and it cured them. Used it for chapped hands and it cured them. Applied it to an old sore and it healed without leaving a scar behind." 25c at J. C. Perry's drug store.

First Congregational.
Corner of Liberty and Center streets. Preaching Sunday morning at 10:30 a. m. and in the evening at 7:30 by Rev. Arthur J. Folsom, of Forest Grove, state superintendent of Home Missions for Oregon. Sunday school at 12 o'clock. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7:30 p. m. All persons are cordially welcomed to these services.

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Thinks Steamer Lost.
Victoria, B. C., Jan. 4.—A private dispatch from Toronto says the Canadian Pacific railroad has given up hope for the steamer Mount Royal, overdue at Antwerp with 400 passengers.

Caleb Powers.
Georgetown, Ky., Jan. 4.—The Powers jury was discharged at 11:45 this morning. It reported that it could not agree.

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