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# POPULAR LOAN GOES

## YAQUIS GO ON WARPATH AND MASSACRE MEXICAN MINERS BODY HACKED TO PIECES BY BLACK HAND

### STREET PAVING BONDS TAKEN BY THE PEOPLE

The city finance committee has decided to make a popular loan of the street improvement bonds ordered by the city council for \$24,808.76. The bonds are against the following property:

D. E. Moores	\$ 727.91
Chas. B. Moores	145.59
Mrs. E. M. Waite	91.53
Lois Wake	810.13

Willamette University	10,997.85
General Electric	12,935.75
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$24,808.76</b>

These bonds run ten years, on or before, at 5 per cent, and are a first-class lien, guaranteed upon the city records, and among the very best securities. If the amount was larger

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### SALEM BUSINESS MEN TALK

#### FOR GOLD CREEK SMELTER

Otto Hansen, Dr. Byrd, Clarence Bishop, J. L. Stockton, Wm. Brown, J. L. Freeland, H. S. Gile, A. A. Lee, Wm. M. Mahony, H. W. Myers, J. N. Smith, Dan Miller, Chas. Weller, A. Huckestein, W. I. Staley, H. B. Thielson, Frank Meredith, Chas. McNary, W. C. Tillson and others appeared before the county court and made short talks for aid for the county road to the Gold Creek mines.

**What They Said.**  
A. Huckestein, president Business Men's league: "Will give us bigger payrolls. Mining communities are the most prosperous. This will employ more people, and is the best thing yet offered this county."

Deputy District Attorney Chas. L. McNary: "If we can have any reasonable assurance that the smelter will go in the county would be justified in helping to build the little piece of road."

H. S. Gile, Willamette Valley Prune association: "It is the business of the court to reach the outlying parts of the county, and these mines will be another Treadwell, supporting 200 to 300 families."

H. B. Thielson, consulting engineer of the city of Salem: "As a taxpayer I would endorse the most liberal support of this proposition. Nothing would do as much for the farms of this county as the development of a mining district."

J. L. Stockton, merchant: "Help them out with a good road. It is an investment of money that will come back to us."

H. W. Meyers, merchant: "I believe in the development of every line of industry in the county and mining is one of the greatest and best."

Wm. Brown, hop and wool merchant: "I am in favor of liberal support if the county court is satisfied that the smelter will go in. Spend \$5000 if necessary."

W. C. Tillson, prune packer: "Transportation alone will give value to those great bodies of ore that we know are in the Gold Creek mines. Only a trivial amount is needed compared to what we will get back."

**Mr. Gadsen Talks.**  
Paul R. Gadsen, who represents the smelter people made an extended statement and was asked a great many questions as to the practical working of the mines. He said his company was under contract with the patentees to put in a 500-ton smelter in Oregon, or five 100-ton smelters. The Gold Creek district was the best copper district they

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### MAY BE WORK OF VENDETTA

#### BODY FOUND IN CANAL

Chicago, Aug. 6.—The head of a boy whose dismembered body was taken from the drainage canal here yesterday, was found by the police today near the spot where the torso was found. The head was sticking in a hole in the clay near the edge of the canal bank.

It was first thought that the legs found yesterday were those of a woman, but the investigation showed that they fitted a torso of a boy found later.

The finding of the head today, with long dark hair, completed the corpse, with the exception of the arms, which have not yet been located. It is difficult to say whether the head was mutilated, owing to its condition.

The police are secretly holding a suspect, who refused to give his name. He is suspected of being the leader of the padrone system here.

With the severed head were found four human ribs, broken at the ends, evidently having been torn from a body, and twisted loose when the head was torn off.

The head was that of a Greek boy. Together with the ribs, it was wrapped in a newspaper bearing the date of July 7, 1908. Boys discovered the head while they were playing along the canal.

United States District Attorney Sims today declared that the whole legal power of the government will be used to capture the perpetrator of the murder.

The identity of the victim is still unknown.

Chicago, Aug. 6.—Mrs. Shisheln, a Syrian, identified the clothing found near the dismembered body of the boy as having been worn by her son, Toffee Shisheln, 13 years old, when he disappeared from his home, August 2.

#### Broker Runs Amuck.

Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 6.—It was decided today to have a sanity commission to examine O. H. Burbridge, a prominent broker, who ran amuck at his duck farm here yesterday, and was captured only after a hard fight.

Burbridge chased the Japanese laborers about the place with a knife, held up his family with a shotgun and terrorized the whole ranch before he was captured.

He was arraigned on the charge of threats to kill, but was so incoherent that his examination had to be postponed.

California fruit and vegetables are going to waste and restaurants over the state have been asked to serve them at cheap prices, so as to consume the over-supply.

### TEN HURT IN CAR ACCIDENT

#### RUNS AWAY DOWN STEEP HILL

San Francisco, Aug. 6.—Ten persons were injured, three seriously, when a heavy electric car, loaded to the steps with workmen, on their way down to work, ran down a steep grade on Connecticut street early today, and dashed around a sharp curve with such speed that the passengers were thrown into the street.

The injured are: Rank De Brown, San Francisco, severely bruised, internal injuries; Mrs. M. Allen, San Francisco, possible fracture of the skull; A. M. Fredericks, Hanford, Cal., severely bruised.

Motorman Tillson started down the hill at a high rate of speed, thinking that he could check the car with the air brakes. They refused to work, however, and the crowd became panic stricken, when they realized that the car was beyond control. Some of them jumped before the foot of the hill was reached. Others of the crowd waited, and when the heavy car hit the sharp curve, were thrown far into the street. The weight of the car kept it on the rails, and prevented further disaster.

#### WOULD SECURE PARDON FOR MINT THIEF

San Francisco, Aug. 6.—A plea for the pardon of Walter N. Dimmick, who is serving a sentence in San Quentin pen for the alleged theft of over \$30,000 from the San Francisco mint in 1901, was today forwarded to Washington, with a letter written by President Benjamin Ide Wheeler, of the University of California. The letter is addressed to Secretary Loeb, requesting him to take up the matter with President Roosevelt.

President Wheeler writes: "The interests of justice will be subserved by his pardon. It is doubtful if he was guilty at all—at least of any more than participating in the lax methods commonly in vogue."

Eighty friends of Dimmick have signed a petition which will also be sent to Washington. The signers express the firm conviction that he is innocent of the charge against him.

Dimmick was confidential clerk of the mint under former Superintendent Frank Leach. During an annual inventory in July, 1901, six sacks of gold double eagles, amounting to \$30,000 disappeared, and Dimmick was accused of taking them.

He was arrested, convicted and given three sentences, aggregating altogether nine years. Dimmick has already spent six years in prison.

Wm. Stamm, an Illinois farmer, is under arrest for the murder of his two sons. One of them was found chopped to pieces.

### THIRTEEN KILLED BY INDIANS

#### SWOOP DOWN ON MINERS

El Paso, Texas, Aug. 6.—Thirteen persons were killed at the Lampazas mine, in Mexico, by Yaqui Indians, who are now threatening to attack the Promontorio mine, where the survivors have taken refuge, according to private advices received here today. The letter, telling of a massacre which took place July 24, was received by friends of A. D. McPhee, superintendent of the Promontorio mine, which is located 20 miles from Montezuma, Sonora.

Without warning a band of Yaquis swept down upon the Lampazas and slaughtered 13 members of three families. The other persons at the mine saved their lives by fleeing to the Promontorio. An alarm was sent to the ranchers throughout the country, who have also taken refuge at the mine, and at the time the letter was sent was aiding in preparations to resist any attack.

#### PIONEER IN ALASKA COMMERCIAL WORLD

San Francisco, Aug. 6.—Keen regret was expressed in local shipping circles today over the sudden death of Captain Gustav Niebaum, president of the Alaska Commercial Company, who expired of heart failure at his home in this city last night.

Captain Niebaum has been a prominent figure in Pacific coast trade for many years. In the early days of Alaska's development he spent most of his time there, perfecting the remarkable series of supply posts along the Yukon and on the coast from St. Michael northward, which aided the early gold seekers and packers.

Until the Klondike rush began, the Alaska Commercial Company had a practical monopoly of the trade in the north.

Long before the company was organized, Niebaum had developed extensive interests in Alaska, and it was this that led to the organizing of the company to seek partnership.

Captain Niebaum was 66 years of age, and a native of Finland.

#### SUICIDE SAYS WITNESS; FRIENDS DISAPPROVE

San Jose, Cal., Aug. 6.—Upon the testimony of Arthur Islicker, the only eye witness to the drowning of Curtiss M. Barker, near Halfmoon bay yesterday, the coroner's jury brought in a verdict of suicide. His friends today discredit Islicker's story, and state they will attempt to disprove it so as to remove the stigma from the dead man's name.

Islicker said that Barker deliberately jumped into the bay, after having spent three days in drinking heavily.

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