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## MEDFORD MURDERER IS CAUGHT

JULIAN A. MOCK, WHO STABBED J. C. SMITH TO DEATH TUESDAY IN A ROW OVER A DOG, IS CAPTURED IN THE HILLS NEAR TALENT.

Medford, Ore., Sept. 24.—Julian A. Mock, who has been at large since last Tuesday night when he stabbed and killed J. C. Smith in this city in a quarrel over a dog, was captured this morning by a posse made up of citizens of Talent, south of this city.

Since the crime Mock has been lying in the hills back of Talent. Last evening, his provisions being exhausted, he came out to a little cabin and finding a woman there alone, compelled her to give him supper. The woman complied with his demands and sent her 11-year-old boy to Talent with word. A posse was immediately made up and Mock was captured without difficulty. He is now lodged in the county jail.

**Murdered by Mexicans.**  
[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]  
El Paso, Tex., Sept. 24.—C. H. Hughes and W. H. Dent, construction bosses on the Durango extension of the Mexican National railroad, were stabbed to death near here today by Mexicans. The men are said to have been drinking, celebrating the centennial, and to have attacked Hughes, killing him after a struggle. Dent rushed to Hughes' rescue, and met the same fate.

## BUILDING COLLAPSES NONE HURT

THREE STORY BUILDING FALLS IN SAN FRANCISCO—WAS USED AS LODGING HOUSE BUT ITS TREMBLING FRIGHTENED LODGERS OUT.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]  
Sacramento, Calif., Sept. 24.—Search in the ruins of the Blauth building, which collapsed at 1 o'clock this morning, revealed no bodies buried beneath the debris and the authorities believe that Peter Anderson was the only person killed.

An investigation will be started at once to fix responsibility for the cave-in of the structure, a three-story building. It is believed that excavations made adjacent where a building is being erected, caused the building to fall.

The second and third stories of the building were occupied as a lodging house. Mrs. L. R. Carty, the landlady, felt the building trembling and warned her lodgers. She was caught in the debris, but was not severely hurt.

## OLD BOER WAR VETERAN ATTEMPTS LIFE

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]  
San Francisco, Sept. 24.—Sydenham L. Glennister, a retired sergeant of the Seaforth Highlanders, of Great Britain, attempted suicide here today, when he tried to effect a reconciliation with his wife, whom he believed had deserted him.

Glennister served in the Boer war, and lost his sword arm in service. His wife left him two weeks ago, the police say.

## SHEEP MAN MURDERED BY STEP SON

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]  
Marysville, Cal., Sept. 24.—Jeff Thomas, 45, a sheep and cattle man, of the Cabbage Patch district, died today at the local hospital, as the result of wounds inflicted by his stepson, Arthur Hunt, 28, late yesterday. Hunt, who gave himself up, is in the county jail here, charged with murder.

The men quarreled over the distribution of property, left by Frank Hunt, father of the man in jail. Bad blood is said to have existed between them for several years. Hunt says he shot in self-defense.

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## THE VOTE IN SALEM IS HEAVY

AT 2:30 ABOUT ONE-THIRD OF VOTE WAS CAST AND INDICATIONS ARE THE VOTE WILL EXCEED THE REGISTRATION.

At 2:30 this afternoon, after the polls had been open but two and one-half hours, the indications were, in the several wards of the city, that the vote would greatly exceed the registration, and will probably be much greater than any vote previously polled at a primary election. In wards 1, 2, 3 and 4 of the city more than one-third of the registered vote had been cast at 2:30 this afternoon, and many of the votes had been sworn in. Since the voters are silent concerning their sentiments, the result of the election cannot be prognosticated, nor even guessed at, until after the votes are counted this evening.

## NO CERTAINTY THAT BODY IS EVA SWAN'S

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]  
San Francisco, Sept. 24.—Although the police still hold to the theory that the body found in the basement of the Eureka-street house is that of Eva Swan, former school teacher at Paso Robles and recently employed as stenographer in San Francisco, the identification was shaken this afternoon by Mrs. Harry Weir. Mrs. Weir who keeps the rooming-house at which Eva Swan lived, believes that the detectives are mistaken. She bases her belief on the clothing found in the trunk in the basement of the house where the body was discovered.

The wisps of hair found in the trunk beneath the concrete correspond with the color of Miss Swan's hair. Mrs. Weir declares and the color of the hair on the head of the girl, though stained from the acid poured over it after death, is dissimilar.

The report goes on to say that the internal organs are decayed. Both legs are sawed through near the ankle, the partial amputation was probably performed after death, the physicians think.

The report does not give the probable cause of death. There is no mention made of any operation having been performed.

**Exactly Like Crippen Case.**  
Berkeley, Calif., Sept. 24.—Miss Marie Messerschmidt, who is under arrest with Dr. Grant in San Francisco in connection with the finding of the body supposed to be that of Eva Swan, lived here most of her life. Her father is Conrad Messerschmidt, a shoemaker of South Berkeley, and she has several brothers and sisters living.

Miss Messerschmidt attended the public schools of Berkeley at Roosevelt hospital. Until five or six months ago she lived with her father. Since then she has been living at the home of her sister, Mrs. L. Nissen in San Francisco. Her relatives say she has been employed by Dr. Grant for about 10 months.

No formal charge has as yet been made against either Dr. Grant or Miss Messerschmidt. The police are first desirous of discovering all possible evidence. Dr. Grant and Miss Messerschmidt both refused to discuss the matter when newspaper men called today. They referred the questioners to their attorney, John Greeley.

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Ben Gordon was questioned again by the police during the morning. His statement was taken down by stenographers.

Detectives today say that they have discovered a witness who saw Miss Swan return to the office of Dr. Grant on the day of her disappearance. The name of the witness has not been given out.

The witnesses asked to identify the body of the girl were shown jewelry which was found in the possession of Dr. Grant. Among the articles shown were rings from which the setting had been removed. Clothing found in the trunk taken from the Eureka-street house were also given these persons for identification. A worn skirt and a number of undershirts, torn and soiled, were found in the trunk. Homer Hatch telegraphed the detectives today that he would come at once to San Francisco and help them as much as possible in clearing up the mystery of the girl's death. Hatch is a graduate of the Leland Stanford university. He has known Miss Swan since both were students at the Paso Robles high school and they have long been close friends. After the girl's disappearance, the police say, Hatch helped them in the search for her.

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## BALLINGER TO INVESTIGATE LAND FRAUDS

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]  
Spokane, Wash., Sept. 24.—A wholesale inquiry into alleged land and coal frauds in the states of the Northwest and Alaska, is believed to have been quietly started before the federal grand jury in session in Spokane, at the instance of the interior department, acting in conjunction with the department of justice. Special Government agents have been very active in Spokane in the last few days and masses of documentary evidence have been sent here from Washington. It is believed that the inquiry will cover some 400 entries of coal, mineral, timber and grazing lands and that some very prominent citizens of the Inland Empire will be summoned to explain.

Among men in touch with federal policies it is believed that the investigation is part of a plan for the vindication of Secretary of the Interior Ballinger prior to the report of the congressional committee. Ballinger was in conference with some of the special agents taking part in the present investigation during his recent visit to the Northwest.

Similar investigations are planned to be held at other cities in the Northwest.

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