

GRIEF OVER WIFE'S DEATH CAUSES MAN TO COMMIT CRIME

Oxford Graduate Kills His Three Children and Follows This With Suicide

SEEKS TO DEFEND HIS AWFUL CRIME

After Killing Children Writes Out Minute Description How It Was Done

SOUTH THOMASTON, Me., Aug. 28.—Grief over the death of his wife...

Letter to Minister. The letter is addressed to the Rev. Mr. Wood, pastor of the Episcopal church...

BANDITS RAIDED A MINE. TL PASO, Tex., Aug. 28.—Seven bandits raided the Pedrazzini mine...

PAUL'S TESTIMONY VERY DAMAGING TO HIS COUSIN HENRY

Profound Sensation When Witness Says Henry Beattie Told Him Twenty-Four Hours after Murder He Was Sorry "He Had Done it."

CHESTERFIELD COURT HOUSE, Aug. 28.—Between gulps of intense emotion, Paul Beattie, cousin of Henry Clay Beattie, Jr., who stands indicted for the murder of his wife...

Paul Beattie, at the coroner's inquest, a nervous wreck, but today strong and determined, poured out a tale which confessedly has troubled his mind not only because he purchased the shot gun for Henry...

"Told Me to Stick to Him." "I hated to testify against my own flesh and kin," he murmured as the muscles of his throat pulsed...

The gasp that rose simultaneously from the throats of those in the stuffy court room was strikingly audible for a moment the crowd held its breath...

"Henry told me that he wanted me to stick by him, but I said to him, 'this looks mighty black to me and you've got me into a lot of trouble.' Henry then told me, 'I wish to God I had not done it. I would not have done it for a million dollars, but she never loved me, she only married me for my money.'"

Paul Beattie paused and his plaintive tone sank lower, but he did not break down. A hushed stillness prevailed in the room as his next words were awaited...

POSTOFFICE DEPT ISSUES IMPORTANT ORDER TO COUNTRY

No More Adhesive Stamps Except Postage Stamps May be Used on Letters

INCONVENIENCE HAS RESULTED FROM IT

Will Affect Red Cross, Panama Exposition and M'Namara Defense Fund Stamps

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—Serious inconvenience in handling the mails from particular localities is being experienced by the postal authorities...

Tens of thousands of stamps now are being used, including Panama exposition stamps and what are known as the McNamara legal defense fund stamps, authorized by the American Federation of Labor...

After considering the matter, Postmaster General Hitchcock decided not to modify his previous order in any respect.

SEVEN KNOWN DEAD PROPERTY LOSSES ABOUT A MILLION

Wind at Charleston Sunday Reached 94 Miles an Hour, Tearing up Wires and Completely Isolating City—Many Houses Flooded.

CHARLESTON, S. C., via Summerville, S. C., Aug. 28.—Seven persons known to be dead, many injured and property damage of more than \$1,000,000 seems to be the sum total of the damage wrought by the terrific storm which struck Charleston Sunday afternoon...

Great relief was felt when it was learned late today that the people on Sullivan's Island were all safe, having been taken off by the ferryboat Lawrence, which tied up over night at the Mount Pleasant wharf.

All trains tonight are leaving the city from the old depot, the new station being entirely under water. The Southern railway officials expect to resume regular schedules tomorrow, but no mail trains were operated...

FORMER ENEMIES MAY NOW BECOME BEST OF FRIENDS

Felicitations Exchanged Between Rulers of Empire and Japanese

CLAIMS SETTLEMENTS ARE NOW BEING MADE

Indemnity For Losses on Both Sides of War Between Countries Settled

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 28.—The emperor of Russia and the emperor of Japan exchanged telegrams today on the occasion of settlement of certain questions which have been under consideration for years.

"I am sure that your majesty will graciously share my conviction that the settlement will contribute to solidify still the good relations between our two countries."

CLARK SAYS HE'S GOING AFTER PRESIDENT TAFT WITH HAMMER AND TONGS

Says Insurgents Can Take Care of Themselves, He'll Reply for Democrats

"GARBLED THE FACTS"

QUINCY, Mass., Aug. 28.—Champ Clark, speaker of the house of representatives, who is here, did not learn of President Taft's key note speech at Hamilton, Mass., Saturday.

SUMMERVILLE, S. C., Aug. 29.—The gale that has been sweeping over the South Carolina and Georgia coast for the past 36 hours was completely subsided last night at 11:30 o'clock...

BOSTON, Aug. 28.—Patrolman J. C. Clarke, Patrolman A. C. Cooper and Patrolman R. Doherty were shot and seriously wounded early this morning in a fight with alleged Black Hand men in Dorchester.

TARIFF TO BE THE MAIN ISSUE OF 1912 CAMPAIGN IF TAFT IS CONSULTED

Tariff Revision Will Receive Most of His Attention on Western Trip

TO PROMISE REFORM

BEVERLY, Mass., Aug. 28.—So far as President Taft himself is concerned, the tariff will be the main issue of the 1912 campaign.

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REPUBLICAN PARTY MADE TARGET FOR BAD CHARGE

"Colored Votes Keep Them in Power While Being Being Reduced to Slaves"

POISON TO CHECK RAVAGES

TUPELO, Miss., Aug. 28.—The army worm or caterpillar has made its appearance in lowlands in great numbers. Aromatic of lead is being distributed over many fields and the ravages of the worm may be checked.

SAN MARCOS LITE SETTLED. Norfolk, Va., Aug. 28.—About 20 battleships, cruisers and supply ships returned to Hampton Roads tonight from Tangier Sound...

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—Forecast: North Carolina; rain Tuesday; cooler east portion; brisk to high shifting winds; Wednesday fair.

VACCINATION AGAINST TYPHOID FOR SOLDIERS

Every Officer and Enlisted Man Under 45 Will Submit to Ordeal

COTTON INTERESTS OPTIMISTIC

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 28.—Sol Wexler, chairman of the bill of judicial committee of the New Orleans cotton exchange announced today that a meeting of the committee would be held tomorrow when the question of the date for the reference of southern cotton and banking interests on the cotton bill of lading controversy would be considered.

BIG MASS MEETING. NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 28.—New Orleans cotton exchange with the cooperation of the dock and cotton council labor organization composed of all the levee labor unions, will hold a big mass meeting on the floor of the exchange Wednesday night in an effort to avert the impending strike on the Illinois Central railroad.

LAST BODY OF VICTIMS THEATRE PANIC CLAIMED

Funerals of Two Held Yesterday, Rest Will Occur Today

HIS GRATITUDE

CANONSBURG, Pa., Aug. 26.—Two victims of the theater panic of Saturday night were buried today. A majority of the twenty-four others, it is expected, will be interred tomorrow.

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 25.—The final celebration on American soil in honor of Admiral Count Heihachiro Togo took place here today when one hundred business men sat with him at a banquet given in his honor by the chamber of commerce and the commercial club.

FINAL CELEBRATION FOR ADMIRAL COUNT TOGO TOOK PLACE YESTERDAY

Banquet by Business Men of Seattle Sails on Tamba Maru Today

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Nominate a Candidate. Nomination Blank—Good for 1,000 Votes. The Asheville Citizen \$5,640 Subscription Contest. Candidate Address Telephone No. Only One Nomination Blank for Each Candidate Will Count at 1,000 Votes. Cut out and bring or send to The Citizen.