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KILLED BY STORM

WAS STRUCK BY LIGHTNING.

Found Lying Dead in Field Several Hours After Storm—Little Child Killed by Falling Into a Well—Mother's Brave Effort at Rescue

High River, June 22.—News was received here today of two fatal accidents in the vicinity of High River, both of which occurred yesterday.

J. J. Hapsjold, a well-to-do and very prosperous farmer, living twelve miles east of Calgary, was struck by lightning on Monday morning. He lived alone and no person witnessed the terrible disaster. P. A. Sheppard was driving past and saw a man lying in the field. On going over he saw that it was the farmer himself, and that he was dead. There are unmistakeable evidences of death by lightning, but an inquest will be held. The deceased was about forty-six years of age.

Little Child Killed.

The young child of G. S. Lane, living sixteen miles south-east of High River, near Bronx, was killed yesterday morning. He was about three years of age, and was playing in the yard. He got up on a box to look into the open well in the yard and tumbled over. His mother bravely attempted the rescue and got a ladder and descended into the well. The little one had struck his head in falling and was dead when the mother got to him.

B.C.'S AGREEMENT WITH C.N.R.

Formal Execution of the Legal Documents Were Completed Yesterday.

Victoria, B. C., June 24.—Attorney General Bowser yesterday morning completed the formal execution of the various legal documents embodying and supplementing the guarantee granted by the Canadian Northern Pacific railway as a portion of the Canadian Northern transcontinental system through to a final Pacific terminus on Baskley Sound. The obligation as to control of rates is one of these, that as to the establishment of car works in the vicinity of Victoria is another, that as to the establishment and continuous operation of a fast Island-Mainland ferry is a third, both companies now being equally bound in this connection, while paragraph one embodies the Canadian Northern indemnification of the government against possible loss expenditure. The province has also received a first mortgage covering all properties whatsoever of the Canadian Northern Pacific railway company, given by that corporation to the National Trust company of Toronto, and the British Empire Trust company of London, acting on behalf of the province of British Columbia.

These and sundry other documents have now been signed for the government by Finance Minister Bowser, and were yesterday afternoon delivered to the Canadian Bank of Commerce for transfer to Toronto. Then upon the handing over to the representatives of the government of a specific guarantee against the utilization in any case of Asiatic labor in accordance with the assurance in this behalf already given Mr. William Mackenzie and the delivery to and deposit with the Canadian Bank of Commerce of $21,000,000 worth of bonds or debentures of the railway company, the provincial government guarantees will be handed over to the railway builders and the trust mortgage will be registered here with the registrar general of British Columbia to cover all the assets of the company in this province, both real and personal, inclusive of the ferry, upon which also a marine mortgage will probably be effected.

DEAN MAKES SENSATION.

Pays a High Tribute to the New Monarch.

London, June 21.—The Dean of Norwich made a remarkable address in a church near Norwich yesterday, in which he referred to King George "as a man to my personal knowledge of intense self sacrifice and of a high character."

He then mentioned "two accusations brought, as I think, by that part of society which is not society at all."

Does Not Get Drunk.

He went on: "Firstly, that the King is sometimes accused of insobriety. You may take me on undoubted authority that that is a libel. So far as his close friends have noticed, he has never been intemperate throughout his life. On the contrary, he is a man who even from the point of view of health, has to be abstemious. He does not desire to be anything else.

"The other accusation is still more unworthy, viz.: that prior to his marriage to the present Queen, he had what is called a secret morganatic marriage, with children by it. That is absolutely untrue, root and branch. The King is a man who, with a wife of like disposition as himself, has been wont during his leisure to sit in his garden with his young children around him just the same as any of us might."

Newspapermen Gamble.

Winnipeg, June 19.—A successful police raid was made last night by Chief Robertson, when he entered the Tribune and raided a room in which he discovered several employes of the paper playing poker. "You had better cash in," said the inspector, and the players then handed their chips to a man named Orris and he paid their equivalent, establishing the case for the police. It is understood that they will all plead guilty.

INCREASE IN IMMIGRATION.

More Have Come to Canada Already This Year Than Last.

Montreal, June 23.—It is figured by the railway officials that the immigration into Canada this season, since January 1st, from Europe is almost 112,000 people, which is considerably more than for the whole of last year and much more than twice as much as for the same period last year.

The most surprising thing is the continued activity. In past years the rush of immigrants always dropped off towards June, but this season every boat keeps coming out loaded to its capacity with settlers. This is shown by the fact that the Canadian Pacific has so far during June handled 12,416 settlers, as compared with about 8,000 for the whole of June last year, while the total immigration during the first three weeks of this month was almost 28,000, and there are now some 6,000 people on the Atlantic due to arrive here at the end of the week.

The present year will easily break all records for immigration, almost doubling previous figures.

THE PRICE OF UPPER BERTHS UNSETTLED

This Interesting Point Has Not Yet Been Decided By the Railway Commission—Famous British Shipbuilding Firm Proposes to Construct Drydock at Montreal.

Ottawa, June 22.—The price of an upper berth in a sleeping car remains as yet an unsettled point. It had been hoped that a discussion of the question could have been had at today's sittings of the Railway Commission, but the argument in reference to the interpretation of an inter-switching order took up all the available time, and it has been agreed that sleeping car matters shall be adjourned until next week, when it is hoped to have the interesting point decided in Toronto.

Frank Hodgins, K.C., of Toronto, was present today on behalf of the Pullman Company, and it is his intention to ask that the Canadian board defer their decision in the matter until the courts of the United States and the Interstate Commerce Commission have settled the legal points involved.

The Great Northern Railway Company secured an order from the courts staying the decision of the Interstate Commission until the traffic arrangements were examined. This may be a good argument as it affects the American railways, but it is believed here that Commissioner Mabee and his colleagues will decide that Canada can settle the point for itself, irrespective of what the United States does, but it is recognized that the international traffic between the two countries complicates the situation.

Dry Dock at Montreal.

Albert Vickers, of the big British shipbuilding firm of Vickers Sons and Maxim, saw Hon. Messrs. Pugsley and Brodeur today with regard to the plans for a new dry dock at Montreal. It is proposed now that the industry will be on a more extensive scale than was previously announced. In addition to the construction of a floating dry dock and ship repair plant, it is proposed to go extensively into the manufacture of car wheels. The firm, it is understood, aims to turn out seven-eighths of the wheels required by the Canadian railroads. Shipbuilding will also be carried on, and it is not improbable that some of the smaller ships of the navy will be tendered on.

J. W. Leonard, manager of the eastern lines of the Canadian Pacific, who is here today, was asked as to what would be done in regard to the award in the trainmen's case.

"I have not seen details of it," he said, "but our company will abide by the finding. I am not in a position to discuss the details." Mr. Leonard added that he did not anticipate trouble.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier will not be able to accept an invitation he has received to attend the Columbia Day celebration of the Knights of Columbus in Chicago about the middle of October. Hon Chas. Murphy, secretary of state, will in all probability attend.

In consequence of the holding of the provincial elections in Manitoba, July 11th, the date fixed for Sir Wilfrid Laurier's meeting in Winnipeg, the prime minister has decided to postpone the meeting until the following evening, July 12th.

MASONIC TEMPLE STARTED.

Prince Albert to Have One of Finest Structures of West.

Prince Albert, June 18.—The corner stone of the new Masonic Temple was laid this evening by the Grand Master of Saskatchewan, Rev. W. B. Tate of Qu'Appelle, in the presence of a large crowd of citizens. The building, which is to be of brick, has reached two stories in height, and when completed will be one of the finest structures in the West. The ceremony was attended by a large number of the Grand Lodge officers who had just concluded their annual session at Saskatoon and came on to Prince Albert for the occasion. Mayor Holmes introduced the officers who participated in the ceremony. The structure has been erected by the Prince Albert Masonic Temple.

LAURIER EXPLAINS

NO FOUNDATION FOR STATEMENT.

Sir Wilfrid Issues Unqualified Denial of the Charge That Judgeship Is for Sale—If Charge That Judge Paid for Appointment Were True Could Be Impeached.

Ottawa, June 23—Sir Wilfrid Laurier this morning gave to the press a signed statement in respect to a despatch from Winnipeg to the Montreal Gazette in which it was asserted that Hon. Robert Rogers had stated that a friend of Sir Wilfrid had tried to sell a judgeship for $10,000.

"The charge of a rake-off on contracts we are familiar with, and can be set aside without comment, but an attack upon the honor of the judiciary is too serious to be allowed to go unchallenged. I do not believe there is the slightest foundation for the assertion of Mr. Rogers, and as far as the government may be concerned I give it the most unqualified denial. On behalf of the government I add that if it were true that a judge had paid a single dollar to anyone in connection with his appointment that judge would not be fit to sit on the bench and the charge, if true, would warrant impeachment."—SIR WILFRID LAURIER.

WILL MEET IN BOSTON.

Congress of Chambers of Commerce Accept Invitation for 1912.

London, June 22.—The International Congress of Chambers of Commerce today accepted an invitation to hold the session of 1912 at Boston. The invitation was extended through Frank D. Lalane, of Philadelphia, president of the National Board of Trade.

HEAVY STORMS END THE LONG HOT SPELL

Rain Has Brought Welcome Relief to Parched Districts of Manitoba and Saskatchewan — Electrical Storms Were Very Severe—Some Damage Caused.

Winnipeg, June 22—After the most prolonged and intense hot spell in the history of the Red River valley, a heavy thunder shower last night gave welcome relief, and in most of the districts suffering from the heat and drought reports show that from half to three-quarters of an inch of rain fell.

Probably another twenty-four hours of similar conditions to those of the past few days would have destroyed the spring wheat plant over wide areas of Central and Southern Manitoba, and relief has come none too soon.

A general feeling of optimism is to be noted today around the Grain exchange, where yesterday the crop was almost despaired of. Undoubtedly the percentage of spring wheat and oats has suffered considerably in the districts affected, but these after all are probably but a quarter to a sixth of the entire spring wheat country, as Western Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Northern Alberta have not been affected by the extreme heat of this section.

Reports from North Dakota continue to be very pessimistic. It will be some days before the extent of the damage in this section can be ascertained.

Halbrite, Sask., June 22—The intense heat yesterday ended in an electrical storm, accompanied by a gale which did much damage. A barn belonging to Geo. Vogel was demolished and other buildings were damaged.

A blacksmith shop and livery barn at Bancroft, twenty miles southwest of here, were destroyed.

Much damage has been done by the hot winds to the late grain and moisture is needed to save the crop. Flax has suffered least of all.

Rains Help Crops.

Portage, la Prairie, June 22.—The city and district was visited by a heavy downpour of rain last evening, but as far as can be learned little or no damage was done in the city. In the country the wind was exceptionally heavy and J. D. Leetins' barn was blown down.

The crops are greatly benefited by the rain and this morning look 100 per cent. better. The excessive heat of the past few days was working great havoc on the growing crops and growth was practically stopped, but this morning conditions are changed and the advancement will be rapid. Grain in this district is nearly a foot in height.

WINNIPEG TO OCEAN IN 1912.

Chairman of National Transcontinental Says So.

Quebec, June 22.—In an interview here this morning Hon. S. N. Parent, chairman of the National Transcontinental Railway commission, who is here on an inspection tour, announced that by the end of 1912 the Transcontinental will be completed from Winnipeg to Montreal and that while waiting for the completion of the Quebec bridge, a car ferry will be employed to cross the St. Lawrence.

"I have the greatest confidence in the future of Quebec," said Mr. Parent, and referring to the construction of terminals and erection of the Union station he said that the plans will be drawn up as soon as the contract with the city, relative to the purchase of Champlain market site is signed.

BRIEF RESPITE FOR BACKERS.

Judge Landis Upholds Their Appeal, But Orders New Investigation.

Chicago, June 23.—A sweeping Federal indictment in the Beef Trust was wiped out today by Judge Landis in the United States District Court, when he sustained the demurrer of the packers. He declared that the lengthy indictment drawn by a government expert from Washington after the grand jury hearings, covering six weeks, charged no specific crime and that it was faulty in the extreme.

That the decision meant but a brief respite to the National Packing Company and its ten subsidiary companies was shown when Judge Landis immediately ordered the drawing of a special grand jury venire of 75 men for July 14th. A new grand jury will then be selected and the re-indictment of the Packers will proceed forthwith.

CROPS ARE GOOD ALONG CANADIAN NORTHERN

The Reports Are Glowing in Their Nature—Everything Is in Excellent Condition, the Expectations of the Farmers Having Been Exceeded by Present Conditions.

Winnipeg, June 22.—The C.N.R. crop report for the week ending June 18 is of a glowing character. The progress which has been marked within the past month has been sustained, the general comment being that expectations have been exceeded.

White Plains reports — "Ideal weather for crops; rapid growth; prospects increasing."

Gladstone evidently realize that brevity is the soul of wit. They say: "Crops looking fine."

McCreary—"Very warm weather during the past week; grain in fine shape; farmers all pleased with present prospects."

Ochre River says—"All crops in this district are looking good."

Ruddell—"Weather for the past week has been very favorable for the growth of the crops wheat 12 to 18 inches high."

Edmonton—"Weather fine, crops doing well."

Carman says—"Weather warm; crops good; everything looks good, but rain would prove beneficial."

Rossendale—"Weather warm; everything growing fast; if present condition continue there should be a record crop."

Cartwright—"All crops in the pink of condition; weather all that could be desired."

PROVISIONS OF U. S. SAVINGS' BANK BILL

Institutions Will Be Under Control of Government Board—Depositors May Invest Their Savings in Government Bonds—Two Per Cent. Interest to Be Charged.

Washington, D.C., June 22.—The important provisions of the Savings Bank bill as passed by the U. S. Senate are:

All banks are to be controlled by a board of three trustees composed of the Postmaster-General, the Attorney-General, and the Secretary of the Treasury.

That the board shall designate the offices to be banks or depositories, and to make all rules and regulations. Any person may make deposits to his own personal account in multiples of $1 up to $500.

The limit of individual deposits is $500. Two per cent. interest will be paid on all deposits.

Depositors may at their option invest their savings in government bonds in denominations of $20, $50, $70 and $100.

Any deposit may be withdrawn at the will of the depositor.

Five per cent. of the deposits shall be retained in the treasury as a reserve, to pay depositors on demand; thirty per cent. shall be invested in government bonds, and 65 per cent. shall be deposited in local banks.

BRITISH CASE ENDED.

Sir Robert Finley Finishes Eight Day Oration at the Hague.

The Hague, June 18.—Sir Robert B. Finley, whose speech occupied eight entire days, concluded yesterday the presentation to the arbitration tribunal of the British contentions in the Newfoundland fisheries dispute betwen the United States and Great Britain. Professor Heinrich Lammasch, of Austria, is presiding.

FAILED TO SETTLE.

Paris Diamond Dealer Wants $100,000 From Sister Candide.

Paris, June 18—Trouble continues to pile up for Sister Candide, who is in jail for frauds in connection with her alleged charitable work. Another complaint has been logged against her, the victim this time being the famous dealer in precious stones, Christian Caesar, who alleges that he sold her $100,000 worth of diamonds and pearls for which he never could get her to settle.

BIG HORSE RANCH

IN PEACE RIVER DISTRICT.

R. W. Matheson, one of the Largest Cattle Owners in the Dakotas, is one of the Party—Will Await the Arrival of the Railway There.

Four Dakota ranchers at present in Edmonton will leave the city at the end of the week for the Peace River country, where they intend to start a big horse ranch. R. W. Matheson, of Pierre, South Dakota, who several years ago was one of the largest cattle owners in the Dakotas, is the leader of the party. Mr. Matheson had a herd of seven thousand cattle on his ranch six or seven years ago.

"The settlers have been gradually crowding us out, and I have been selling the stock off during the last couple of years," said Mr. Matheson to the Bulletin Friday morning. Mr. Matheson had heard from reliable sources of the great possibilities of the Peace River country for ranching and made up his mind to leave Dakota for the Far North. He is accompanied by his son, Kenneth Matheson, and George Osendorf and M. Post. Mr. Matheson, senr., will accompany the party as far as the proposed location of the ranch in the prairie plateau to the northwest of Grande Prairie, returning in the fall of the year. The other members of the party will remain in the north throughout the winter.

Early next spring Mr. Matheson will take up a bunch of thirty or forty high-class mares to the Peace River range as a nucleus of the ranch. Mr. Matheson calculates that by the time a railroad reaches Grande Prairie he will be ready to place his stock on the market.

SPAIN WILL BREAK WITH THE VATICAN

Rupture Imminent on Subject of Church and Non-Catholic Societies —Government Will Not Tolerate Interference—Premier Has Decided to Settle Religious Question.

Madrid, June 23—It is believed that a rupture is immirent in the negotiations between the government and the Vatican on the subject of the Church and non-Catholic religious societies.

Premier Ganalajes has received by telegraph a summary of the Vatican's reply to his proposals and he has had a conference with the King to discuss future action. It is understood that the Vatican's reply is unsatisfactory.

A semi-official note recently issued intimated that if the Vatican insisted on coupling its protest against the royal decree of June 11, with the negotiations to revise the concordat, the government would be obliged to break off all negotiations.

To Live up to Constitution.

Prior to the issuance of this note, the premier declared in the chamber of deputies that the government was resolved to live up to the constitution and settle the religious question from the standpoint of reform.

At a meeting of the Catholic defence societies it was announced that before the policies outlined in the speech from the throne would be permitted to become law, Spain would have to undergo perilous crisis, as Catholics preferred civil war to the Laic school system. A clerical situation is growing in Barcelona and Seville, while the Madrid clericals have begun a strong campaign against the ministry.

Seven Schools Closed.

Madrid, June 23—The government today closed seven schools conducted by the order of Christian Brothers. The action was taken in fulfillment of the royal decree of May 31, which directed that unauthorized religious orders seek immediate authorization under the law of 1887, under pain of dissolution and the closing of their establishments in the event of non-compliance.

WAGE DISPUTE SETTLED.

Canadian Pacific Railway Offers Increase to Telegraphers.

Montreal, June 19.——It is announced that the wage dispute between the Canadian Pacific Railway Telegraphers and the company was settled on Saturday, when the company made an offer of an all round increase of $5 a month per man, to go into effect at once. This was by way of a compromise, and was accepted by the representatives of the men, who have already returned to their homes. The increase amounts to about seven per cent. and will affect several thousand men.

The dispute between the commercial telegraphers and the company is still under negotiation. The men's schedule was one similar to that in the States, with a maximum of $95 a month, shading down according to work and capacity to $75; while they claim that now their best men are getting $80 a month. Their officials said this evening that the negotiations are friendly, and they look for an amicable settlement during the coming week.

The 75 delegates from the Conductors' and Trainmen's Unions are still marking time here, awaiting the report of the Toronto Board of Conciliation. If this proves satisfactory they will formally ratify it. If it is not satisfactory they will refuse it, and further development will depend upon the stand of the company.

POLICY IS NOT A GOOD ONE.

Of Bringing Natives of Foreign Lands to Civilized Countries.

Edinburgh, Scotland, June 23—The Rev. James L. Barton, chairman, today presented the report of the commission on the home base of missions, at the world's missionary conference. The report declares that in all fields the need of missionaries is increasing.

When foreign missions were begun, the commission says: "The policy was at once adopted, especially in the United States, of bringing to that country people, from the lands to be evangelized for the purpose of training them to return as missionaries to their own race. In practice this plan has proved to be a failure. It has been demonstrated that this is not effective or wise and economical."

Brandon's Bank Clearings.

Brandon, June 23.—The bank clearing house figures for the last week are $470,614.

FOUND DEAD AT THE GOVERNMENT OFFICES

Messenger Bradley Found the Night Watchman, John Lambert, Lying Dead on the Floor of the General Office of the Department of Agriculture.

When Frank Bradley, messenger at the Government buildings, reached the general office of the agricultural department about 7 o'clock Wednesday morning he was shocked to find the dead body of the night watchman, John Lambert, aged 40, lying on his back on the floor. The body was in the main entrance to the agricultural department, a short distance inside the door.

A hurried examination was made of the body by the messenger, but no evidences of foul play were discovered. The case was at once reported to the city police and the coroner, Dr. Forin, who made an examination, and arranged for an inquest to be held at two o'clock in the afternoon.

Death was apparently due to heart failure and judging by the appearance of the body the deceased had peacefully passed away some hours before the body was found.

On a table nearby were some canned sardines and cold tea which Lambert had been eating for his lunch. He had apparently been taken ill while eating and had laid down on the floor to rest. The sardines and cold tea were handed over to the provincial bacteriologist, Dr. Revell, to be held for analysis in case any suspicion of poisoning should arise.

The wife of the deceased died several months ago and since then he has at times been in a morose and melancholy mood. Recently, however, much of this feeling had passed away.

The remains were removed to the undertaking rooms of Connelly & McKinley, where the inquest was held, held.

WIRELESS AT CALGARY.

De Forest Company Is Arranging to Secure 20-Year Lease of Roof.

Calgary, June 19.—"We expect to close a 20-year lease for the erection of a wireless telephone station on the top of the Hull building at once, and the station will be erected before the end of the year. We are doing this in order that we may have our offices in the same building as our station," said Local Manager McCulla, of the North American Wireless Corporation.

The North American is the corporation Dr. Lee De Forest is interested in, and is not connected with the United Wireless which was raided on Thursday by the United States government. Both corporations have offices in this city, the United in the Cameron block and the North American in the Crown building, and both companies have man yshareholders in Alberta.

Mr. McCulla also stated that by fair time his company expected to have several exhibits ready and would have a proper demonstration outfit at the fair if possible.

"Some of our stockholders have been calling us up this morning, being of the opinion that we were mixed up in the United Wireless deal," he said later. "But we are not connected in any way. Their company is capitalized at twenty millions, while ours is only capitalized at half that amount. Our shares are selling at $6 while theirs are selling at $42."

Mr. McCulla declined to say anything about the United Wireless company as he had never had anything to do with it.

MAY BE THE GOUT.

Emperor William Shown Some Symptoms of This Affection.

Berlin, June 18.—The swelling in the Emperor's right knee is subsiding, the result of it being treated by massage and cold water bandages. He remains on a couch, from which he does not move even to take his meals. He is becoming so irritable that people at Potsdam are saying "After all, it is the gout, probably." The Lokal Anzieger also says the Emperor's affection is probably the gout and is local. Specialists refuse to express an opinion on the Emperor's illness, saying, with professional caution, that they have not seen his swelling knee and do not know the nature or cause of the swelling.

THE MURDERERS

ARRESTED BY CITY DETECTIVES.

Printer and Wife of Murdered Man Under Arrest—Trunk and Gruesome Contents Checked at Station —Discovery Made by Pool of Blood Which Had Seeped From Trunk.

Portland, Ore., June 23.—Suspected of the murder of William A. Johnson, whose body was discovered jammed in a trunk at the Union depot last night, Jesse F. Webb and Mrs. William Johnson, widow of the dead man, were arrested early today and taken to the police station.

The couple were apprehended by city detectives as they alighted from an automobile at the Wilamette rooming house, 322 1-2 Stark street, after they had been out riding all night.

Mrs. Johnson had $1,900 in cash in her purse which she said had been given her by her husband the day before.

Both Webb and Mrs. Johnson had been drinking.

Neither would talk much. Mrs. Johnson said that Webb and Johnson went to the park yesterday afternoon while she remained home with her seven-year-old boy as she was not feeling well.

Webb stated that he saw Johnson "down at the Union depot" last night.

The police today identified Webb as a real estate agent of Seattle. Webb, who sometimes goes under the alias of A. C. Powers, is known to the Seattle authorities.

Mrs. Johnson's possession of the large sum of money found in her purse was cleared up today when it was learned that she and her husband had just sold their farm at Kent, eight miles from Seattle.

The trunk was broken open and Johnson's body found jammed within. John Long, a porter at the hotel, who moved three trunks belonging to Webb and one belonging to Johnson, said that Mrs. Johnson and Powers spent the greater part of the afternoon packing and re-packing the trunks. They stated, Long said, that they purposed to move some household goods.

Later Long was called upon to move a trunk to Shaw's dray. At the morgue he identified the one which had held Johnson's body as the one he had moved.

Johnson's murder in room 119 in the New Grand Central Hotel some time yesterday afternoon, where his skull was crushed by some blunt weapon and a bullet shot through his head, was brought to light by the discovery of a smal pool of blood which had seeped from the trunk in the Union depot.

The trunk had been checked to North Puya llup, Wash., late in the afternoon.

The number of the check indicated that William A. Shaw, a trucker, had handled the trunk. He was awakened and said that he had moved the trunk from the New Grand Central hotel.

Came from Alaska.

Seattle, June 23.—J. F. Webb, alias A. C. Powers, held in Portland for the murder of William Johnson, came to Seattle a year ago from Nome, Alaska.

According to the police he engaged in a fake real estate transaction, attempting to raffle off a house, which he did not own. A warrant was issued for his arrest November 15 last, but Webb had disappeared in the meantime. He has not been seen in Seattle since.

Printers remember Webb, and recall that he carried a union card issued by International Typographical Union, Local No. 226, of Vancouver, B.C. He did not work at his trade while here.

No one at Kent recalls any family by the name of Johnson which has sold its home recently and left the village. There are a number of Johnsons in the vicinity of Kent, but none of them could offer any information concerning the identity of the murdered man or his wife.

1,000 LIVES LOST IN HUNGARY.

Damage to Crops and Property Will Run to Several Million Dollars.

Vienna, June 17.—The destruction of life and property by floods throughout Hungary exceeds all records. The total deaths have not yet been ascertained, but it is believed they will aggregate close to a thousand. The damage done to crops and property will amount to several million dollars. The entire harvest is seriously threatened with destruction. In the Kronstadt district three hundred bodies have been recovered. In the Moldavia district one hundred persons perished as the result of the sudden collapse of houses and in the Temesvar district 180 persons are reported to have been drowned.

Rivers Choked With Debris.

Vienna, June 18.—Nearly a thousand deaths are reported to have been caused by the floods in Hungary, which exceed all records. It is probable that the worst is not yet known. The roads, railways and telegraphs have been destroyed. Thousands of cattle, sheep and hogs have been drowned. The rivers are choked with carcasses, trees and the wreckage of houses. In some villages practically every building has been swept away. Thousands of acres of crops have been carried off with the soil in which they were growing. The people of the flooded districts are in despair.