

THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 1922

## BOY CONFESSES BRUTAL MURDER

Beat Old Man to Death and Stole Bills of Large Denominations and Bag of Gold.

Binghamton, N. Y., Nov. 4.—Emer Washburn, aged fourteen, is being held in the Susquehanna County Jail at Montrose, Pa., charged with the murder of Cyrus Payne, seventy-five-year-old recluse, whose body was found on Sunday in his cabin at Brushville.

State troopers investigating the supposed murder called Washburn from his classes in school today and invited him to take an automobile ride. They said they showed him the stock of a rifle found hidden in the attic of the Washburn home and said to fit the barrel of a gun with which the old man is believed to have been beaten to death.

Washburn broke down, the troopers said tonight, and made a complete confession, later leading the authorities to a woodshed where he said he had hidden money taken from the home of the murdered man. One bill of \$1,000 denomination, another of \$500, three of \$100, eight \$50 bills, nine \$20 bills and two \$10 bills were found in the cache, the troopers declared, with a bag containing \$92 in gold and some old coins.

It was learned that Washburn had formed a close friendship with the

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aged recluse and often visited him in his cabin. The old man occasionally showed the boy his hoarded gold and the authorities advanced the theory that the tempting sight of the money was too much for the youth, who wanted it for himself.

In his confession Washburn said, according to the troopers, that he had planned the murder carefully, entering the hut silently and striking the old man from behind as he sat at his table. "There are any number of ways I might have killed him," the boy informed them, the troopers said. "Why I could have put poison in his pan-cakes."

GREAT THEFT LOSSES.

French Railways Paid Huge Indemnity in Three Years.

Paris, Nov. 4.—French railroads in the past three years have paid a total of \$98,500,000 francs indemnity for merchandise stolen in stations and transit, lost or deteriorated, it has been announced. All but a few millions of this sum—which is considerably greater than the budget voted for France's army this year—covered the work of railroad robbers.

The figures explain the legislation passed by parliament last month increasing greatly the penalties of this type of theft and providing in extreme cases the penalty of hard labor for life.

The highest indemnity last year totaled \$6,600,000 francs, paid by the Paris, Lyons and Mediterranean, while the state railroads were forced to reimburse shippers to the extent of 42,000,000 francs. The lowest loss last year was that of the Railway Alliance of Lorraine, which approximated 5,000,000 francs.

NEGRESS SOLD DAUGHTER.

Girl Found Bound to Pennsylvania Railroad Track.

Clearfield, Pa., Nov. 4.—Nora Moore, a seventeen-year-old negro girl, from Philadelphia, who was found tied to the Pennsylvania Railroad tracks near Woodland late at night, recovered consciousness and told the authorities that her mother had sold her to a white man who brought her to Clearfield. "He gave me something to drink, and then he tied me up," she said. "The girl told the sheriff she did not know the man's name."

Frank Gilliland found the unconscious girl on the track a few minutes before the Pennsylvania passenger train was due to pass. Gilliland declared that the victim's legs and arms were bound and that the ropes were attached to the rails.

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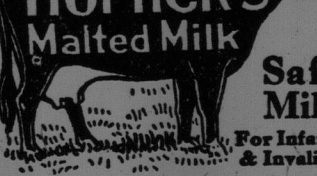
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## HAS A LIFE AND DEATH FIGHT WITH 'PACK OF WOLVES'

Sudbury Man Says Animals Attacked Him in Large Numbers.

Sudbury, Ont., Nov. 4.—While hunting in McCarthy township last week, John Surget of Sudbury had a life-and-death fight with a pack of wolves. About three o'clock last Wednesday afternoon Surget wounded a fine big buck, which bolted into a swamp after being shot. He trailed it for about two hours without success and was retracing his steps towards camp. Once or twice, he said, he thought he was being trailed by a wolf, for he heard the twigs snapping at intervals. He sat down on a log to light a cigarette, when a big female wolf crossed in front of him. Apparently she was teaching her young to hunt, as they were trailing her. Surget levelled his gun on the big animal, catching her the shoulder. She set up a terrible howl, and within a few minutes there were wolves coming from every direction. One of them he shot from five feet range. Surget used thirty shells and while three of the animals dropped in their tracks, he is satisfied that many more have bitten the dust by this time, because he had undoubtedly wounded many of them.

Surget says he does not want an experience like it again for a while. He does not believe a real concerted attack was made upon him by the wolves. Nevertheless, if he had not stood his ground and given them battle there is no telling what might have happened.

CALLS FATIGUE A DISEASE.

Chicago Physician Holds It Is Due to an "Accumulation of Toxin."

Peroria, Ill., Nov. 4.—Advancing a new theory, contrary to most previous beliefs concerning chronic fatigue, Dr. Edward H. Ochsner, Chicago, president elect of the Illinois State Medical Society, in an address at the Medical Association convention recently, defined the "tired business man" as suffering from "accumulation of fatigable material or toxin."

"The disease," he said, "is a condition particularly liable to affect hard working, successful business men at an age just when they are most needed in a growing business. The sloven, the lazeard, the phlegmatic and the weak-willed are rarely ever affected. Rest, while important, serves only to check the accumulation of fatigable material."

An important surgical discovery was introduced in an address by Dr. John T. Finney, head of the department of surgery of Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore. The new theory involved a new method of connecting the intestine to the stomach in an operation for disorders of that organ.

## WAS GUEST OF BADEN POWELL

Quebec Man Tells of Course of 600,000 Scouts

Wonderful Sight, Says Lt. Col. W. Wood on Return from England—His Observations on Politics—Fur Trade Centre Returning to London.

Quebec, Nov. 4.—The Canadian Pacific 14,000 ton steamer Melita from Antwerp, Southampton and Cherbourg in command of Capt. G. Hamilton with 634 passengers, docked at Quebec, at one o'clock yesterday afternoon and left for Montreal at four o'clock.

The third class passengers included 112 foreigners booked for the United States. The rest were British destined for the west, including sixty house servants, forty of whom were booked for Toronto and twenty for Winnipeg.

Among the passengers were: Lt. Col. W. Wood of Quebec, author and writer on military and naval matters. He was a guest of Baden Powell while in England and was present at a rally of Boy Scouts to the number of 60,000 held at Alexander Palace and reviewed by the Prince of Wales. He said it was a most inspiring sight. These boys gathered from all points of the empire included Cub Scouts of nine years of age to boys of nineteen. He said he would never forget the sight of those 60,000 well trained young lads. Boy Scout Mar of Aberdeen, Scotland, who went with Shackleton on the cruise to the South Pole, was at the re-union and ran up and broke out the royal standard amidst enthusiastic shouts from the others.

Colonel Wood said he was in England at the time of the political split and mixed with all political parties. He dined in the Reform Club, dined in the Devonshire Club, and dined with the die hards. He said there was great excitement in London on the night of the split. The "pups" were simply crowded and there was no other conversation to be heard. He said he had a meeting or rather a labor rally receiving an invitation from Mr. Thomas to be present. The meeting was a tremendous one, and the speeches were very good but when it came to questions of world politics they were not heard. The Hudson Company was now engaged in extending its field of operations and a programme of development was of considerable interest and no doubt later their activities in this direction would be announced.

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KILLS HUSBAND AGED 90.

Chicago, Nov. 3.—Isaac Glick, ninety years old, blind and feeble, was clubbed to death by his wife, Mary, who is sixty. She wrenched out the leg of a heavy chair and used it as a weapon. Neighbors, aroused by screams and the sound of fighting, saw the woman beating her aged spouse.

When the police arrived, Mrs. Glick said she and her husband had quarrelled over insurance, and that she struck him in self-defence. He was rushed to a hospital, but died as he was being carried in. His skull had been fractured.

Glick is said to have several well-to-do sons.

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PUTS PAPER IN MILK FOR SPITE, GETS 6 MONTHS IN WORKHOUSE

New York, Nov. 4.—A sentence of six months in the workhouse was imposed upon Max Moral of 340 Powell street, Brooklyn, in special sessions, Brooklyn, for throwing into a can of milk a piece of paper which hastened its souring.

Justice Salmon told Moral that he had earned the severest punishment because it damaged a food used by babies and the sick. Moral found the can in front of a grocery at 409 Howland avenue, Brooklyn, and put the paper in because the grocer there would not buy milk from the concern for which Moral worked.

FOR THUMB PLAINIFF SAYS EMPLOYER BIT

New York, Nov. 4.—A jury before Justice Aspinall in the supreme court, Brooklyn, awarded a verdict of \$5,000 to Joseph Grecco of 6180 Fourteenth avenue for the loss of his thumb. Grecco said that he tried to collect \$4 due him from Frank Picarello, a clothing manufacturer, on Aug. 22, 1920, for whom he worked. He declared that Picarello grabbed his right hand and bit his thumb severely, and blood poisoning developed as a result of his injury. He was compelled to have the thumb amputated and claimed that he could not therefore do his work properly as a clothing presser. He brought suit against Picarello for \$25,000.

AGED RECLUSE SET FIRE TO HERSELF.

Bahia Blanca, Argentine, Nov. 4.—Juanan Surata, an aged recluse, committed suicide by burning himself to death on a funeral pyre, which she had constructed herself.

According to the police, the aged woman had piled a quantity of wood shavings in the centre of the stone floor of her kitchen, poured oil over the wood, and, after saturating her own clothes, reclined upon the pile and touched a match to it.

An alarm from Box 231 at 10:15 o'clock last evening called the firemen to extinguish a small fire in the base of the house owned by J. J. damage was done.

Turn To The Right Instead of the Left

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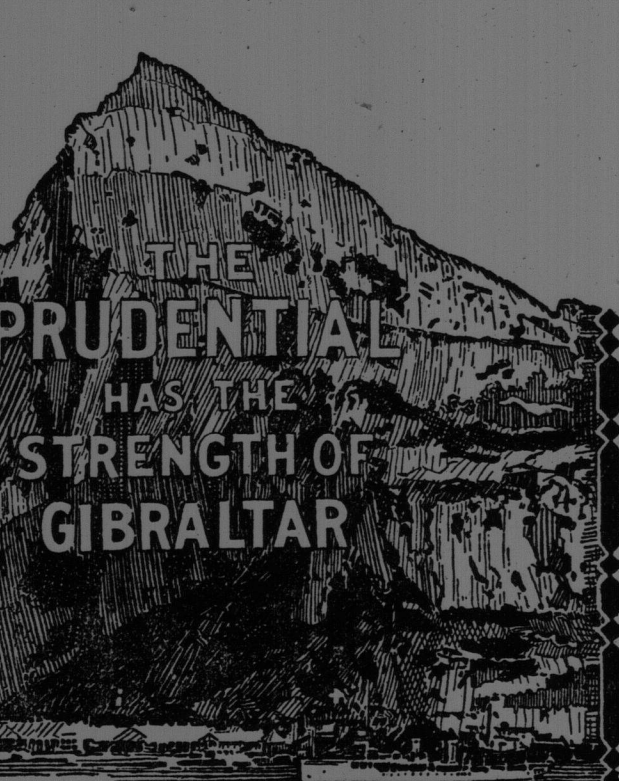
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