Dope Suspect in Flight From Trap Shot by Sheriff

Council Bluffs Barber May Die of Wound; Flees at Officer's Order to Halt.

Howard Coyle, Council Bluffs barber, was shot and seriously wounded by Sheriff P. A. Lainson, shortly after noon Wednesday, when he attempted to flee from a trap laid by the sheriff and narcotic agents for alleged leaders of a large drug ring. Lainson hurried Coyle to Mercy hospital in the county car. It was found he had been shot through the back and might not live.

Sheriff Lainson stated that he and narcotic agents had been working two weeks in efforts to obtain evidence against a ring of alleged Council Bluffs "dope" peddlers. Wednesday noon they watched Coyle and three companions loitering in the vicinity of Fifteenth street and Avenue B.

Omahan Drives Up.

"A well known Omaha dope peddler drove up," said Lainson, "and gave one of the men with Coyle a small package, then drove off. We closed in, but when Coyle and the others saw us they scattered in all directions.

"I yelled for them to halt, then fired, first at the man nearest me and then at Coyle. The second shot hit its mark. Then I turned and chased the man I had shot at first. He ran across a field and I noticed him conceal something behind a fence, but by the time I reached the spot he was out of sight."

Five Capsules Found.

The sheriff confiscated the package concealed by the fence. It proved to contain five capsules of morphine.

Frank S. Shipley, whose home at 902 West Broadway is said to be headquarters of the Bluffs ring, was captured by one of the narcotic officers after a short chase.

With the arrest of Shipley and Coyle Sheriff Lainson believes he has broken the largest dope ring ever discovered at Council Bluffs.

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PAGEANT FEATURE OF BUFFALO FAIR

Kearney, March 25.—The Buffalo county fair is to run four full days this year, August 25 to 28 inclusive. Night fairs will supplement the activities of automobile, horse and motorcycle races during the day. A squadron of fliers will furnish excitement.

The fair association has materially increased the premium list, especially in the various livestock classifications.

One of the new features which will be introduced in connection with this year's fair is the big historical pageant, in which every town in the county will be asked to participate.

While the dates are possibly set a bit early for the greatest advantage in farm products, the fair association believes the chance for fair weather more than offsets the problem thus introduced.

Mrs. McKeag of Osceola Dies at York Hospital

Osceola, March 25.—Following an operation at the York hospital, Mrs. Harvey McKeag, 25, died Tuesday. She was the daughter of August W. Johnson, active in Polk county affairs. She leaves a husband and two children. Funeral services will be held at Osceola Thursday afternoon.

Stellers Faces Assault Charge

Fred Stellers AND Elsie Meester

Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee.

Hastings, Neb., March 25.—Complaint charging assault with intent to kill was filed today against Fred Stellers, who has confessed attacking the four members of the Weirt Meester family early Monday.

Stellers has retained J. E. Willits, who defended Donald Ringer as counsel, and it is understood a plea of insanity is being considered. The attorney said he found him badly confused today. He said Stellers told him some one gave him a drink the night of the attack, and that he didn't remember much after that. Elsie Meester developed symptoms threatening meningitis last night, but was much improved today and her paralysis appeared to be diminished.

Mother in Germany Searching for Her Daughter in America

Lanham, March 25.—A hunt is on here for a daughter whose mother in Germany has not heard from her for 15 years. A letter was received by A. W. Christie, Burlington station agent of Hanover, Kan., just south of here, which was written in Germany by the aged mother ten days ago. It was addressed to "Station Master, Railway Station, Hanover by Lanham, Norde Amerika, Nebrasky." It was forwarded here, and it is thought that the mother will have her wish gratified and the daughter be located.

An attempt had been made by the mother to write her request in English on the back of the letter, but it appeared like she had used a German-English dictionary, and wrote down the literal translation word for word, and the grammatical positions of the translations in English were so jumbled that it was hard to understand. Two coupons of some kind were enclosed for return postage on the reply the woman solicited, and Agent Christie kept them for souvenirs and will pay postage back on the letter.

The mother's name is "Mrs. Sophie Erckemeyer" and she gave her address as Kanolke, Hanover, Germany. The daughter came to Gage county, Nebraska, in 1910, it is learned, and soon thereafter married Henry A. Barnshee, formerly a farmer located between Lanham and Hanover. Barnshee moved from here to Missouri in 1915, and he is being traced back to Kansas, where it is thought he will be found in a few days.

Burke Faces Third Charge of Liquor Law Violation

Plattsmouth, March 25.—Walter Burke was bound over to the district court on a charge of possessing and transporting liquor, after he had pleaded guilty. This is Burke's third time to face similar charges and he may get a penitentiary sentence if proven guilty. County Judge A. H. Duxbury placed the amount of his bond at $1,000, which he was unable to give.

Iowa Governor Won't Liberate "Thrill Bandit"

Refuses Pardon to Bluffs Boy Who Confessed Robberies and Went to Prison for Excitement.

Des Moines, Ia., March 25.—Gover Hammill today refused to grant a pardon to Ray M. Snodderly of Council Bluffs, the 19-year-old confessed member of a band of robbers.

Snodderly was sentenced by Judge O. D. Wheeler to a 25-year term, following confession to participation to a robbery at Council Bluffs. He later repudiated the confession, and said he pleaded guilty merely for the "thrill of it."

In arriving at his decision, the governor said the "court record showed no unusual procedure and that the courts treated the case with utmost consideration."

BROCK HOLDS LEAD IN DEBATE CONTEST

Pawnee City, March 25.—Pawnee City debaters, by a two to one decision here last night, lost to the Brock High school team in the debate on the league of nations question.

Brock debaters were Edgar Chard, Edgar Newman and Bryan Reeve, and the local team was composed of Charles Calhoun, John Morlan and Ralph Gordon.

Defeat of Pawnee allows Brock to maintain its lead in the southeastern district. The Brock team is undefeated.

Humboldt, March 25.—The Humboldt debating team, consisting of Florence Beutler, Glenn Reid and Worthy Montgomery, won a unanimous decision of the judges against the Syracuse team, consisting of Leslie Schoene, Cecil Murphy and Clarke Bassett.

The Humboldt debaters won their first debate team the Peru team and lost to the Auburn team and to the Brock team, which previously took a unanimous decision from the Lincoln High school debaters.

Widow Gets Entire Estate.

Columbus, March 25.—C. C. Jones, veteran Columbus baker, whose death occurred two weeks ago, left his estate estimated at about $20,000 entirely to his widow, except for a special bequest of $10 to his eldest son in Minneapolis. He has five sons, the other four being at home with their mother.

Burgess Bedtime Stories

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

One chance is quite enough if you
Decide aright just what to do.
—Peter Rabbit.

Peter Rabbit's Only Chance

Peter Rabbit had formed the habit of dropping around by the new home of Johnny and Polly Chuck very often. He liked to gossip a bit with Old Orchard. There was always some Johnny Chuck. Then, too, he liked the thing of interest going on there. So whenever Peter was near enough to easily do so he ran over where the Chucks were now living.

Now no one can do a thing over and over again for very long without

He liked to gossip a bit with Johnny Chuck.

having some one find it out. Reddy Fox makes it his business to find out the habits of his neighbors. Reddy says that the most useful knowledge he possesses is knowledge of the habits of others. It has filled his stomach more than once, and he knows it will fill his stomach many times again. So the instant Reddy finds that one of his neighbors has done a certain thing more than once he keeps watch to see if this is the beginning of a habit.

So when, on two mornings in succession, just after daylight, Reddy caught a glimpse of Peter going toward the corner of the Old Orchard where Johnny and Polly Chuck had made their new home, he began to do a little wondering.

"I must look into this," said Reddy to himself very craftily. "I must look into this. Twice I have seen Peter Rabbit over there in the same place. I wonder if he is making a habit of visiting Johnny Chuck? If he is I want to know it. I may be able to corner that long-legged rascal at last." This thought seemed to be a pleasant one, for Reddy smacked his lips two or three times.

The following morning Reddy was hiding where he could see that corner of the old stone wall. Just after jolly round red Mr. Sun began his daily climb up in the blue, blue sky Peter Rabbit visited Johnny Chuck. Again the next morning it happened. Reddy grinned. It was a satisfied sort of grin. In fact, Reddy almost chuckled.

On the following morning Reddy was up in the Old Orchard before daylight. Behind the trunk of an old apple tree he laid down. By peeping around it he could see the entrance to Johnny Chuck's house without much chance of being seen himself.

Just after the Black Shadows left Johnny Chuck came out. He yawned and then, after a look around, went straight to a patch of tender grass and clover, only a few feet away from his doorstep and began to eat his breakfast. In a few minutes he was joined by Polly Chuck. Reddy watched them, but he didn't try to catch them. In the first place, he knew that they would reach their house before he could catch one of them. In the second place, Johnny Chuck was too big. Reddy had a great deal of respect for Johnny's teeth and strength. So he merely waited and hoped.

Just as Johnny Chuck finished and sat up for a look around while he chewed the last mouthful of sweet clover, Peter Rabbit jumped over the wall at a low place. He jumped over not far from where Reddy Fox lay behind the apple tree and hurried to join Johnny Chuck. Reddy didn't wait for Peter to look around. He sprang out from behind that tree and was after Peter before Peter had a chance even to say good morning to Johnny Chuck.

Peter was in a tight place. Right along there the old stone wall was quite high and solid. There were no openings between the stones big enough for Peter to squeeze through. Peter had one chance and only one. And he knew it. He didn't hesitate a second. As fast as those long hind-legs of his could take him he started straight for that one chance for safety. Johnny Chuck and Polly Chuck were starting for it also. Can you guess what it was?

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