

**BANDITS ROB PENNSY Flier; SHOOT CLERK**

**Manhattan Limited Held Up East of Pittsburgh; Mail Car Looted.**

PITTSBURGH, July 30.—Four bandits boarded the Manhattan Limited west-bound on the Pennsylvania Railroad at Casandra, ninety miles east of Pittsburgh, this morning at 2:45 o'clock and after wounding A. J. Lantz, a mail clerk, riddled the mail car and escaped.

The robbery occurred between Galitzen and Casandra, while the train was in motion, two robbers having boarded the train when it stopped to drop the "helper," an engine which assists heavy passenger trains over mountain grades.

They climbed down over the coal in the tender and while the other two were at work in the mail car ordered the engineer to stop the train. This he did, and at almost the same moment a series of shots sounded from the mail car, which was hitched just back of the engine.

Two of the bandits upon boarding the car ordered the seven clerks at work there to throw up their hands. They quickly complied, and the bandits selecting Lantz, demanded to know from him where the valuable mail was kept.

Lantz told them that there was no valuable mail on board, at which one of the bandits opened fire on him, shooting him through both legs.

The gunman kept the clerks covered while the other robbers made a quick search of the car. Selecting a bag containing foreign registered mail, he backed toward the door, and calling to his companion prepared to leave.

Meantime the pair on the engine had done their work, and as the train pulled into the little station at Casandra they all dropped to the ground and disappeared in the darkness.

The conductor and brakemen, running toward the engine to ascertain the cause of the sudden stop, encountered mail clerks pouring out of the car. They gave Lantz such aid as was possible, and then took the train to Johnstown, where Lantz was removed to a hospital. Physicians there said his injuries were not serious.

Federal and county authorities were quickly notified, and hastened to Casandra, where search is being made for the bandits.

They were joined later by a detail of the State police, and a thorough search is being made of the mountains in the vicinity of Casandra. Soon after daylight they found a mail bag, evidently the one stolen from the car. It had been split open and the contents removed.

**SUCCESSION OF POISON MURDERS SUSPECTED**

**Body Will Be Exhumed in Investigation.**

CHICAGO, July 30.—Announcing that even greater quantities of poison had been found in the body of Fred Koize than were discovered in his wife's, Peter Hoffman, Coroner of Cook county, to-day said that the body of John Denner, who was a tenant of Koize at Koize, Cook county, Ill., would be exhumed at Colby, Wis., to-morrow.

Denner's widow became housekeeper for Koize after the death of Koize's wife eight years ago.

"The discovery of poison in the body of Mrs. Koize as well as in that of her husband is proof of a succession of murders," said Mr. Hoffman. "Our investigation was the first step in the affair. The next would naturally be a number of arrests."

Koize's body was examined after several anonymous telephone calls to the Coroner informed that official that the death on July 21 was not natural.

**MRS. C. A. SLOSSON DIES BY OWN HAND**

**Shoots Herself on Pier at Miramar Beach, Near Santa Barbara.**

SANTA BARBARA, July 30.—Mrs. Charles A. Slosson of New York, wife of a Wall Street broker, ended her life by shooting last night at the end of the pier at Miramar Beach.

Mrs. Slosson ordered her automobile soon after 3 o'clock Friday evening, telling her maid she would go alone for a short ride. Arriving at Miramar she told her chauffeur not to wait, that she would call a taxicab when she was ready to go home.

Mrs. Slosson's body was found later with a bullet hole in her right temple. She had seated herself on the edge of the pier, believing her body would fall into the ocean after the shot was fired, but she fell back across the pier.

Mrs. Slosson and her daughter, Miss Agatha Farrington, have been living at Sanyalro for a year and a half and were joined there in June by her son, William J. Farrington, who came here from Mesa, Ariz., where he teaches physics and mathematics in the Evans School.

Mrs. Slosson had been ill for years with some nervous affliction complicated by other physical ills and was not improving, and it was while suffering from melancholia and mentally deranged that she killed herself. She was Agatha Florence Jennison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Jennison of Bay City, Mich., and a graduate of Chestnut Hill Seminary, Philadelphia. Her first husband and the father of her children was William C. Farrington of New York, who still lives there and was formerly associated with J. J. Hill as a railroad official.

**SHIP'S ENGINEER LOST; FEAR HIGH SEAS CRIME**

**Late Letters Told of Trouble With Members of Crew.**

MILWAUKEE, July 30.—News that Frank McCauley, 35 years old, chief engineer of the steamship Patrick Henry of the Diamond Steamship Company, bound from Hamburg to New York, had been lost overboard and that murder was suspected was received by wireless to-day by his father, Capt. Con McCauley.

McCauley was believed to have been overcome, stabbed and thrown overboard by four of his subordinates, whom he had put in chains recently.

Only the bare facts were contained in the despatch received by the victim's fiancée, Miss Rosa Hansen of Brooklyn, and forwarded here said that he was having trouble with four of the crew and declared he feared they would attack and kill him at first opportunity.

**GIRL SLEEPS IN GUN; ITS NEIGHBORS FIRED**

**Chance Only Saves Child at Fort Worden.**

POST TOWNSEND, Wash., July 30.—Louise O'Brien, 14, missing from her home all night, was found at daybreak asleep inside the muzzle of a 14 inch gun of the shore batteries at Fort Worden. Other guns at the fort had been fired just before the girl was discovered.

According to military authorities she had gone for a horseback ride the previous afternoon.

Far from home, while she was dismounted, the horse ran away, and she, losing her way and weary of wandering in the darkness, took refuge in the long black object that suddenly loomed in her path.

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