

CHICAGO'S GREWSOME RECORD OF BLOOD

SECOND CITY OF THE COUNTRY AT THE MERCY OF FIENDS AND DEGENERATES—CHIEF OF POLICE'S ADMISION THAT WOMEN ARE NOT SAFE OUT AT NIGHT.

Life Term for Youths.

That the laws of Illinois are stringent enough if enforced, is indicated in the cases of Peter Brady, 20; Jos. Hase, 20, and Lawrence Roscoe, 19, who have just been sentenced to prison for life. They were charged with committing eight highway robberies in one night. They were convicted for a robbery that net them only 15 cents apiece. They blame DANCE HALLS and SALOONS for their downfall.

Special Correspondence of the Press.

CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—This city, used as it is to violence and crime, is aghast at a remarkable epidemic of homicides of the most revolting description. The latest victims were three women who were murdered by male assailants. The most terrifying murders, robberies and other serious crimes remain unsolved mysteries.

Holdup men lurk in almost every alley; gangs of mashers lounge in front of saloons on streets frequented by young women returning from work at dark; young rowdies prowl the streets; gambling flourishes under cover of bar rooms and "clubs," and burglars enjoy a nightly harvest in flats and stores.

Degenerates of the most abhorrent type infest downtown sidewalks and, despite the vigilance of 50 detectives detailed for the sole purpose of preventing their practices, these social outcasts subject women and young girls to insult of sight, sound and touch. They are so numerous they are recognized as a class.

Sixty-Two Murders in Six Months.

On the records of the police department are 200 unsolvable murder mysteries. Many of them are more gruesome and horrible than

he "Murders in the Rue Morgue." Since July 26 there have been 62 murders. Twenty-four of the victims were women who died at the hands of husbands, robbers and moral degenerates.

Sergt. John DeLong, statistician for the police, has a record of 1999 murders since 1872. Of the last 20 murderers, 10 have escaped.

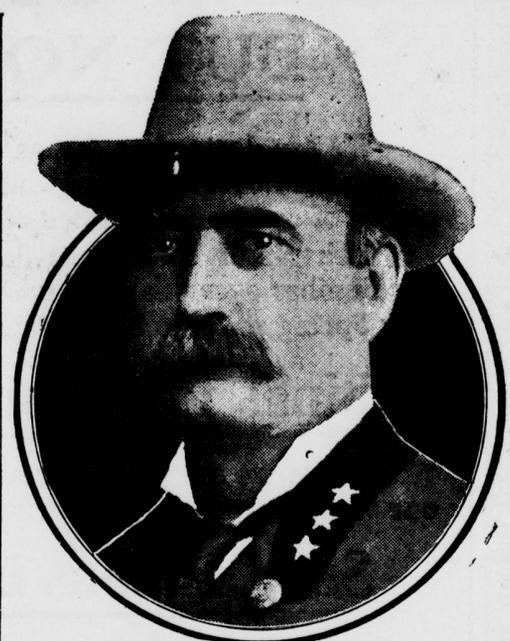
Fourteen persons accused of as many crimes have been exonerated within the past five months, only three have been sentenced to be hanged—Johann Hoch, bigamist and suspected slayer of 20 women; Robt. Newcombe, colored, slayer of Mrs. Florence Poor, Wm. Blue and Police Sergt. John Shine, and John Miller, who slew his wife and their two small children.

Dr. Oliver Hart, a young physician and pervert, drugged Irene Klokow, an adopted child, and fatally misused her. Hart pleaded guilty. In spite of abundant evidence of his outrages on other little girls, he escaped with a sentence of 45 years in an asylum for the criminal insane. If he recovers his reason, or convinces the authorities he has done so, he will be liberated. Dr. Hart's father, a rich resident of St. Louis, paid many alienists to prove his son's insanity.

Asks More Police.

Chief of Police Collins ascribes the prevalence of crime to an inadequate police force, a growing contempt for law, the abuses of the parole system which liberates habitual criminals from the state prisons almost as rapidly as the police send them there and the effectiveness of lawyers of political influence who prevent the enforcement of punitive laws. He says:

"Chicago has fewer policemen today than it has had since 1891. We need 1500 more young men and the displacement of 500 superannuated men now on the force. We need better educational facilities and abolition of the saloons and club rooms which afford rendezvous for young hoodlums. Habitual criminals should not be given pardons and criminals of the upper classes should be punished as well as the



CHIEF OF POLICE COLLINS.

moneyless and friendless criminals." Chief Collins made the remarkable admission that it was dangerous for women to be out at night in Chicago and advised them to remain indoors.

The Criminal "Pull."

In a remarkable annual report made to Chief Collins, Detective Woodruff, the department's expert, says:

"The police are hampered in the performance of their duty. The worst snag is interference. Everybody arrested is somebody's son. Politicians, clergymen, friends, relatives and fellow criminals go to extreme ends to defeat justice. The first move is an endeavor to induce the policeman to drop the prosecution. Criminals employ lawyers who are obstructively 'technical' if not worse. They procure

numerous continuances to tire out witnesses and officers. Annoyances of all kinds are encountered by the witness who prosecutes a criminal. They drop out at various stages of disgust. If the criminal is convicted interference continues. The judge is importuned in 'chambers' to be lenient, or grant a new trial. If the prisoner has money his attorneys seem to secure new trials and other legal processes without difficulty until his money is gone. If he is finally sentenced and started to the penitentiary he uses more money when it can be procured by misguided friends and relatives to induce the pardon board to liberate him. Every department of the courts is amenable to the influence money can buy. One of the commodities that is a staple, among others of judicial favor is the "Law's delay."

Morris Levy, who has promoted prize fights on the Pacific coast for years, has never made a bet on a prize fight or a horse race. "I don't bet," because I can get enough fun out of the sport without putting up my money to chance," he said the other day. "I have noticed that money that is won comes easy and goes a great deal easier, while money that is lost would come in mighty handy when the rent comes around."

Indianapolis will not get to play its Sunday games in Chicago after all, the clubs of that town having vetoed the scheme. Sunday baseball is not permitted in Indiana and the Hoosier team has felt the effect financially.

The national outdoor swimming championship has been awarded by the A. A. U. to St. Louis, Mo., during the last week in August or the first week in September.

LAND COMPANY TO BE EXPANDED

(Scripps News Association.)
NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—The stockholders of the St. Joseph Lead company will hold a special meeting here this afternoon to vote on a proposition to increase the capital stock of the company from \$6,000,000 to \$20,000,000. The directors and officials of the St. Joseph Lead company are very reticent concerning the reasons for this increase of the capital stock, but they deny with great emphasis that the increase has any connection whatever with the proposed merger of the two great Lead companies, the United and the American.

WANTS TO STOP RACE SUICIDE

(Scripps News Association.)
BOSTON, Jan. 31.—The resolution which Representative Newton of South Boston has presented in the house, to provide for the appointment by the governor of a commission to consider the matter of race suicide, is attracting considerable interest. The resolution reads as follows: "Resolved, that a commission of three persons be appointed by the governor to consider what steps can be taken to counteract the tendency known as race suicide, and especially to prevent discrimination by landlords against tenants with children."

PRESIDENT TO HONOR THE COMMON SOLDIER

(Scripps News Association.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 31.—President Roosevelt may be heard from later in regard to the uniform of enlisted men of the army and navy. His expression, if one is forthcoming, will be directed against those people, including officers of the service, who feel that there is something objectionable in the presence near them of a man dressed as a soldier or sailor. Tehre is no attempt to disguise the fact that the president heartily approves of the action of the army officer who recently preferred charges against a subordinate officer when the latter requested a soldier to leave his seat and go into another part of the theater.

LIPTON WILL TRY AGAIN

LONDON, Jan. 31.—It comes from the very best authority that Sir Thomas Lipton has not yet given up the hope of winning the America's cup and that he is making plans now for another campaign against the New York Yacht club next year, to win back the coveted cup, for which he has tried three times without success.

It is understood that Sir Thomas is considering plans for the building of a new challenger, which he hopes to bring to the United States in 1907. Just what plans he is making is not yet known, but Sir Thomas seems to think that the next time he will be able to make a better showing. It is understood that his next challenger will be free from excessive overhangs and other freakish features. It is even believed that he may bring a

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SUMMONS.

In the Superior Court of the State of Washington, in and for the County of Spokane.

W. H. Honefenger, plaintiff, vs. Charles T. Goodsell, defendant.

State of Washington to A. F. Narver, impleaded defendant, in the above entitled action:

Notice is hereby given that you are impleaded defendant in the above entitled action, and

You are hereby summoned to appear within sixty days after the date of the first publication of this summons, to-wit, within sixty days after the 31st day of January, 1906, and defend the above entitled action in the above entitled court, and answer the complaint of the plaintiff, and serve a copy of your answer upon the undersigned attorneys for plaintiff, at their office below stated; and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint, which has been filed with the clerk of said court.

The object of this action is to recover possession of, and to exclude you and your co-defendant from any interest or lien in or upon certain personal property in Spokane county, Washington, and described in plaintiff's complaint as follows, to-wit: All that certain script issued in lieu of certain other script placed on the east half of the southwest quarter and the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section fourteen, township nineteen, north, range thirty-seven east, W. M., by A. F. Narver, which said last named script is more particularly described as follows: Assignment of soldier's additional homestead entry, in the name of Lucinda Hamilton, wife of Albert Hamilton, deceased, additional to homestead entry number 79, and made at Washington, Arkansas, November 23, 1867, for the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section fifteen, township twelve, south, range twenty-five, E. Perkins & Honefenger, Attorneys for Plaintiff. Office and postoffice address, 322-23 Fernwell, Spokane, Spokane county, Washington. First published, Jan. 31, 1906.

PUBLICATION SUMMONS.

In the Superior Court of the State of Washington Sitting at the County of Spokane.

Benjamin F. Greider, plaintiff, vs. Rebecca J. Greider, defendant.

The State of Washington to the said Rebecca J. Greider:

You are hereby summoned to appear within sixty days after the date of the first publication of this summons, to-wit, within sixty days after the 31st day of January, 1906, and defend the above entitled action, in the above entitled court, and answer the complaint of the plaintiff, and serve a copy of your answer upon the undersigned attorneys for plaintiff at their office below stated; and in case of your failure so to do, you will be considered in default, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand and prayer of the complaint, which has been filed with the clerk of said court.

That the object of the action is to procure a decree of divorcement of the court, dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between you and plaintiff.

Perkins & Honefenger, Attorneys for Plaintiff. Post office, 322 and 323 the Fernwell, Spokane, Washington. First published, Jan. 31, 1906.

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Fighting Dick Hyland will not be seen in Spokane on Feb. 9. The match between Hyland and Scaler has been called off on account of the short time in which the Twentieth Century club would have to advertise the go.

The Puget Sound academy team, which has lost but one game on its present trip, the team which plays the Spokane Amateur Athletic club team Friday night, won the basketball game from the Washington state college at Pullman last night. The score stood 16 to 12. In the first half the Bound boys outplayed the college boys at every turn of the road. At the end of the first half the score stood 11 to 4. In the second half the college boys braced up and almost evened the score. At the end of the second half the score stood 16 to 12 in favor of Puget Sound academy.

Jack O'Keefe, who is to fight Kid Parker before the S. A. A. C. Feb. 16, is having a hard time of it. Jack can't find any place in which to train. Ollie Lindh is looking for a place for the Chicago boy to do inside work. He is anxious for Jack to start punching the bag and boxing.

Parker is using the Pastime club rooms. He is under the care of Indian Joe Gregg. He weighs 139 at the present time.

Al Wiseman has begun to teach a class of boys and men how to shoot. His idea is to get the class started at once and hold weekly shootouts at the Spokane Rod and Gun club house in Nataratorium park. Al has several on the string at the present time and will take a few more under his wing if there are any who would like to learn the art of breaking the clay birds.

SPORTING BREVITIES

The February fight attraction will no doubt be a "Battle of the Native Sons," says a "Frisco paper. It looks like James Edward Britt versus Edward Hanlon. Although Young Corbett and Willie Fitzgerald were just as anxious to swap punches with the ex-champion, Jimmy Coffroth, grand mogul of the pugilistic trust, seems to think that the two boxers who first saw the light of day on California soil would attract the most coin into the box office. Like all of the big monopolies, the mittologist trust has its eye on the almighty dollar, and in addition to its ardent desire to corner the fight market it wants to corner as much of the mazzama as it possibly can.

"Cute Eddie" has been on the trail of Jimmy for many moons and is tickled to death to think that he will at last get a crack at him. "If there is one man that I can like, it's Britt," said Hanlon in talking of the proposed match. "Not only that, but considering everything, I really am entitled to first call. Didn't I stay the limit with Herrera, who trimmed Corbett in short order? On dope I am the legitimate choice, and I think the public would rather see me hook up with Britt than any of the other boxers who are hankering after a fight with him. I am feeling all right now, and with a few weeks active training will enter the ring in magnificent fettle."

Coach Stagg will recommend two umpires in football games and four downs in 10 yards, fewer men in the scrimmage line. He would permit only five men in the line of defense, which would probably mean a secondary line of defense, which would naturally result in end running. Stagg thinks a set of rules for prep. schools different from college rules would strike at the root of the evils.

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Harry Steinfeldt, third baseman, whom Chicago secured from Cincinnati, has about made up his mind to quit the game and engage in the mercantile business in Texas.

Leo Pardello, a wrestler who was meeting all comers at St. Louis, has returned to New York to be treated for blood poisoning caused by another wrestler biting him on the hand during a wrestling bout.

President Faunce of Brown university, isn't afraid to voice his sentiment even when they conflict with popular clamor. He thinks football a rough game and that it should be retained by the colleges. "I firmly believe we ought to have one 'rough' game," he says, "one game in which college men conflict with each other. When people are now denouncing the game of football, the old drinking and carousing of a generation ago are forgotten, as well as the destruction of property that used to characterize youthful exuberance. These things are unknown in college life today, and it is a direct result of the rise of athletics, especial football."

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It is settled that the national amateur boxing championships for 1906 will be held in "Frisco under the auspices of the Olympic Athletic club. The date has not been fixed.

There is some talk about Dave Brain succeeding Fred Tenney as manager of the Boston team next season, but it is hardly probable to occur. Tenney did as well as anybody could have done with a weak team last year.

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Jimmy Britt is giving pointers to Terry McGovern on how to whip Battling Nelson. Well, Terry will need them.
