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WAYLAND POLICE CHIEF IS WOUNDED 1ST DAY OF TERM

Bradley Brothers Escape Following Battle With Officers Tuesday Night

SECOND OFFICER HIT

On the first day of his service as chief of police of Wayland, Ben Whitaker's right leg was broken by a bullet said to have been fired early Tuesday night by Ern Bradley, of Bethel.

In an attempt to arrest Bradley and two of his brothers, Woodrow and Sol, Deputy Policeman Kirtley's gun was snatched and County Patrolman Bill Sanders, of Bethel, was struck over the head with a revolver butt, it was said.

His thigh broken by a .44-calibre bullet, Policeman Whitaker was taken to the Paintsville hospital in the ambulance of G. D. Ryan. The Bradley brothers escaped from the scene of the shooting and had not been arrested Wednesday morning.

The wounded officer is quoted as saying that when he opened the doors of the Wayland theater at the close of the first show he saw Ern Bradley and another man in an argument and that Bradley had his revolver in his hand. When he told Bradley to put away his gun, he said, Bradley struck him over the head with the revolver and fired as the muzzle of the weapon was pushed downward by the officer.

A large crowd had gathered at the theater for the appearance of a group of players from a radio station, and only through sheer luck one of Bradley's brothers went wild while failed to go into the crowd.

Chief of Police Whitaker will recover, it was said at the hospital. He and Policeman Kirtley succeeded Ben Layne and Wood Meade as policemen at Wayland.

Miss Norcie Sturgill has returned from Hindman, where she spent the Christmas vacation with her parents, and has resumed work in the office of her uncle, Circuit Clerk Troy B. Sturgill.

MRS. BRANHAM DIES AT MAYTOWN JAN. 2

Mrs. Joe Branham, 33 years old, died January 1 at her home on Turkey Creek, near Maytown, after a month's illness. The daughter of the late Henry Beverly, she was born and reared in the community in which she died and was known as one of the county's best women.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Branham is survived by five children, her mother and the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. M. H. Staley, Lockey; Mrs. Ted Gibson, Sog and Ballard Dudley, of Maytown.

Funeral rites were conducted Jan. 2 from the home, the Revs. M. C. Wright and Martin Chaffin, of the Regular Baptist Church, of which the deceased was a devout member, officiating. Burial was made in the family cemetery under the direction of G. D. Ryan.

Prestonsburg Woman's Letter Wins P. & G. Prize

Mrs. Wither G. Stiles, of Prestonsburg, was notified by the Blackman Advertising Company of a special award by Proctor and Gamble for a letter entered in a Crisco contest. The contest closed some time ago and all prizes advertised were awarded at that time, so this special award came as a complete surprise.

A second letter from H. Brummel, department of public relations for Proctor and Gamble, stated that the letter was scheduled for broadcast Thursday, January 9, and the prize check would be in the mail by that time.

This is the second cash prize to be won by Mrs. Stiles in national contests within the last year.

CHILDERS AND BAILEY TAKE OATH OF OFFICE

Guy E. Childers and Harold Bailey Monday took the oath of office as members of the Floyd county board of education and on the same day the first meeting of the new board of education was held.

The board as it now stands is composed of Childers and Bailey, Dr. Dewey Osborne, Harry Balesden and Townsel Combs. Mr. Combs is chairman of the board.

ACTION ON NAMING OF POLICE PASSES

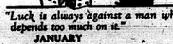
Council In Meeting Monday Night Removes Existing Differences

Threat of litigation following the appointment by the new city council at its December 27 meeting of three new policemen for Prestonsburg was removed Monday evening when the council met and ironed out existing differences.

The result was that the council's appointment of W. A. Willis as chief of police, Arthur Blackburn, Will Spradlin and Irvin Ford as deputies stood unchanged. Tuesday morning, the new police force began work. Mr. Ford is the only incumbent on the force.

License fees on mechanical music devices used in business places here was changed from the straight \$20 levy on each machine to \$30 on the first and \$15 for each succeeding machine.

Cal Clark is appointed city treasurer to complete the roster of city officials.



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JANUARY

- 1-Congress authorizes loan for relief of \$100,000,000.
- 2-The great Blizzard in Milwaukee, January 12, 1875.
- 3-First U. S. Aviation meet held in Los Angeles, 1910.
- 4-11 Glenn Curtiss sets all-time speed record of 55 miles per hour, 1918.
- 5-Jack London, famed novelist, born 1876.
- 6-The high price of flour causes serious riots in New York City, 1847.
- 7-Congress ratifies the Peace Treaty with England, 1794.

PAST MASTERS OF LODGE PAID HONOR

Zebulon Lodge Joined 1 Other Lodge Members In Annual Function

Living past masters of Zebulon Lodge, Free and Accepted Masons, were feted, the dead masters of the lodge paid tribute, at the annual past masters' banquet held by the lodge at the Auxter hotel here Monday night.

Masons from the local lodge as well as from other lodges of other counties composed one of the largest gatherings to attend this annual function. Alex H. Spradlin, and of the lodge past masters, presided as toastmaster and presented a program ranging from delightful vocal music to interesting addresses and talks dealing with Masonry and past grand masters of Zebulon lodge.

SPINAL MENINGITIS QUARANTINE LIFTED

Danger Of Further Spread Of Malady At Weekabury Believed Past

Quarantine established in the Caleb Fork section of Weekabury following the recent outbreak of spinal meningitis there was lifted Monday, Dr. Marvin Bannard, director of the Floyd county health department, announced Tuesday.

Danger of further spread of the disease has passed, it was stated. Last case to develop was that of a person who became ill December 24, and any other spread of the malady would have occurred, ere this, Dr. Bannard said. The incubation period of meningitis, it was pointed out, is from two to 14 days, with the average being within nine or 10 days.

Though the quarantine, during which armed guards were stationed at the entrance to Caleb Fork and at the homes of victims of the disease, has been lifted, the Weekabury schools will not re-open until next Monday.

SERMON INTERRUPTED BY PARALYTIC STROKE

Elder Hiram Hall, veteran minister of the Regular Baptist Church, suffered a paralytic stroke while preaching Sunday from the pulpit of Joppa Church on Left Beaver Creek. The left side of his body paralyzed, his condition Monday was critical.

Members of the congregation saw the minister suddenly clutch at the edge of the pulpit, then crumple to the floor. He was removed to the home of his daughter, Mrs. Hobart Gearheart, at Melvin.


Receive Appointments

Miss Maurine Mayo leaves this week for Frankfort, where she will be employed in the office of State Treasurer John E. Buckingham. G. B. Carter, of Glo, was recently appointed as an assistant in the office of state auditor Ernest E. Shammug.

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SALES TAX SEEN

Governor Chandler Prepares To Fulfill Campaign Promises

Opening of the 1936 General Assembly session was marked by swiftly dramatic preparations for the passage of legislation promised by Governor A. B. Chandler during the three campaigns he waged last fall, the unexpected death of W. B. O'Connell on the day following his induction into office as Clerk of the Court of Appeals, and by a reported rift between Governor Chandler and Garth K. Ferguson, Commissioner of Agriculture.

Earlier in the week Governor Chandler announced that the first bill to be introduced by the administration would be for a compulsory primary election law. He also announced that the administration would not be content to let the Sales Tax die a natural death with the expiration of the present law June 30 but would, instead, ask for its immediate repeal, with an emergency clause making its repeal effective as soon as it is passed and signed.

The Legislature opened with Governor Chandler in full control of the situation. Senate and House caucuses Monday night resulted in quick organization of both branches of the Assembly, with J. E. Wise, Elizabethtown, named president pro-tem of the Senate; Clarence E. Nickell, Nicholasville, Senate caucus chairman; John Kirtley, speaker of the House, and E. F. Shields, floor leader.

The reported rift between the Governor and the Commissioner of Agriculture is said to have resulted from the Governor's naming of all appointive members of the state board of agriculture after the old board had met with Commissioner Ferguson and named Eugene Flowers, former Commissioner of Agriculture, as secretary of the state fair.

WHEELWRIGHT NEGRO VICTIM OF GUNFIRE

Ill-feeling arising, it is said, at a negro party at Wheelwright Saturday night culminated Sunday in the fatal shooting of J. D. Thompson, negro, by Dave "Popcorn" Miller, a member of his own race.

The bullet struck the negro in the side and emerged at the base of his neck on the other side of his body. The slayer was arrested by Policemen Con Check and Gus Little and was lodged in jail here Monday.

AUDILL DIRECTS INTENSIVE PROBE INTO VIOLATIONS

Turner Named Grand Jury Foreman; 3 Charged With Murder

INDICTMENTS LISTED

Circuit court opened here Monday morning with Judge John W. Caudill's instructions to the grand jury covering various phases of crime prevalent in the county which directed the jury to make intensive investigation into violations.

J. M. Turner, Wayland, was named foreman of the grand jury; Henry Akers, members of the jury are Henry Akers, B. Pratt, Mrs. Flora Pratt, Green

At the conclusion of the grand jury's work Tuesday afternoon the following indictments for major offenses had been returned:

- Dave Miller, negro, murder of J. D. Thompson, negro, at Wheelwright, bond set at \$3,000.
- Dud Hicks, murder by stabbing of Charlie Marsillet, \$5,000 bond required.
- Ethel Slaughter, Wheelwright, negro, murder of Sarah Shears, negro, stabbing.
- Fred Bates, malfeasance in office, charged with collecting from Carl Allen \$15 in consideration of Allen's release from the Garrett jail. Bates was a deputy constable at the time, the indictment stated, and Allen was released without trial.
- Bill May, malicious shooting and wounding with intent to kill Guy Hall at Wayland, bond of \$2,000 asked.
- Willie Clifton and Charles Compton, grand larceny, alleged theft of Ernest Reynolds' auto.
- Rod Baker, malicious shooting and wounding with intent to kill Willie Cole, \$3,000 bond required.
- Curtis Bentley, grand larceny, alleged theft of \$20 from Troy Hall.
- Dick Keathley, hog stealing from Charley Clark.
- Frank Spradlin, of Bonanza, Bill Goble, of Cow Creek, and Frank Kidd, of Mud Creek, were named jury commissioners for the year by Judge Caudill. They were directed by Judge Caudill to place in the jury drum and wheel upon the names of at least 500 "sober, discreet citizens and householders of Floyd county," for jury service during this year.

The circuit clerk was directed to furnish the jury commissioners a complete list of persons who have rendered jury service within the last 12 months.

91-YEAR-OLD WOMAN SUCCUMBS FOLLOWING STROKE OF PARALYSIS

Following a paralytic stroke at 3 o'clock Monday morning, Mrs. Hettie Surgermer, 91 years old, died at 8 A. M. on the following day at the home on Town Branch, across the river from here, of her daughter, Mrs. Ida Woods.

Mrs. Surgermer had resided with her daughter here for the last seven years, and had many friends in this vicinity. She came here from Grays, Ky., where she was a charter member of Calvary United Baptist Church. She was born July 14, 1844.

Surviving Mrs. Surgermer are two sons and two daughters: John Surgermer, Harlan, Ky.; Sid Surgermer, Balkin, Ky.; Mrs. Ida Woods, Prestonsburg, and Mrs. Josh Hubbs, Periman, Ky.; one sister, Mrs. Phoebe Spitzer, Farristown, Ky., and one brother, Robert Stansbury, Lexington. She also leaves 16 grandchildren, 50 great-grandchildren and 11 great-great-grandchildren.

The body was taken to Grays, Ky., Wednesday morning in the funeral car of E. P. Arnold, and funeral rites were conducted from Calvary church there Wednesday afternoon, with burial following in the family cemetery.

Dr. R. A. Belt, of Ashland, was a business visitor in town Tuesday.

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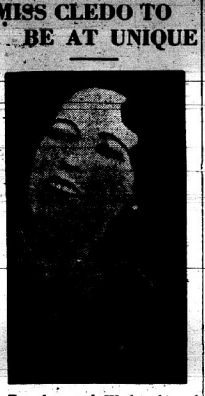
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FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT
M. M. Moore, Etc., Piff. Vs.—NOTICE OF SALE
W. E. Warix, Etc., Def't.
By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd circuit court rendered and entered at the Oct. term, 1935, in the above-styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Ky., to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on Monday, the 27 day of January, 1936, at one o'clock p. m., same being the first day of the regular term of the Floyd county court, upon a credit of 6 months, the following described property, to-wit:
Property to be sold is located in Floyd county, Ky., and is described as follows: Lots 59 and 60, town of Allen, Floyd county, Ky., each lot being 25 feet wide and 150 feet deep.
Or a sufficiency thereof to produce the amount so ordered to be made, amounting to \$66.40 and the further sum of \$125.00 probable costs to date of sale.
For the purchase price the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgment with a lien retained upon said property as a further security. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.
Given under my hand, this the 7 day of January, 1936.
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McGuire, Tolby—Lottie McGuire property... \$4.50
Porter, Faris—house and lot..... \$7.50
Salvarez, Ransom—house and lot..... \$4.25
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COMMISSIONER'S SALE
FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT
Green Turney, Etc., Piffs. Vs.—NOTICE OF SALE
Alvin Turner, Etc., Def'ts.
By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd circuit court rendered and entered at the Nov. term, 1935, in the above-styled cause I shall proceed to offer for sale at the courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Ky., to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on Monday, the 27 day of January, 1936, at one o'clock, p. m., same being the first day of the regular term of the Floyd county court, upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to-wit:
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Work of the Kentucky Public Service Commission has recently been particularly beneficial to the public in various parts of the state, and the Commission has an excellent opportunity to be of further service. Of service to the people of Prestonsburg, for instance.

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COMMISSIONER'S SALE

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

J. R. Dorman, Banking Commissioner, Etc., Plff. Vs.—NOTICE OF SALE Ellis Conley, Etc., Defts.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale rendered and entered at the May term of the Floyd circuit court, in the above-styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the courthouse door in the town of Prestonsburg, Floyd county, Ky., to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on Monday, the 27th day of January, 1936, at one o'clock, p. m., same being the first day of the regular January term of the Floyd county court, upon a credit of 6 and 12 months, the following described property, to-wit:

Being a certain tract or parcel of land situated in Floyd county, Ky., on the waters of Right Beaver Creek, on the Plummers Lick Fork of Raccoon Creek of Salt Lick Creek, and bounded as follows:

Beginning on a small dogwood standing opposite the upper end of the Fork East from field; thence up the hill on the left side of Plummers Lick Fork to a marked maple, beech and white oak; thence with a straight line up the same side of the creek to the top of the point;

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Or a sufficiency thereof to produce the amount ordered to be made, amounting to \$1,145.00 (one thousand one hundred forty-five) with interest thereon from May 9, 1931, at 6 per cent, until paid, and the further sum of \$125.00, probable costs to date of sale.

For the purchase price, the purchaser must execute bond with good and sufficient surety or sureties, bearing interest at 6 per cent from date of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a judgment, with a lien retained on the property.

Given under my hand, this January 7, 1936.

OSCAR P. BOND,
Master Commissioner,
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COMMISSIONER'S SALE

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

John Morgan Shepherd, Plff. Vs.—NOTICE OF SALE Abe Shepherd, etc., Defts.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Floyd circuit court rendered and entered at the Oct. term, 1935, in the above-styled cause I shall proceed to offer for sale at the courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Ky., to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on Monday, the 27th day of January, 1936, at 1 o'clock, P. M., same being the first day of the regular term of the Floyd county court, upon a credit of 6 and 12 months, the following described property, to-wit:

Situated on the Open Fork of Middle Creek, in Floyd county, Ky., described as follows: Beginning on a cross on a rock at the branch, the beginning corner of the tract of land this day laid-off to Morgan Shepherd, running a straight line; thence to the top of the point; thence running with the top of the point to the top of the ridge; thence with the top of the ridge to the Black Oak gap; thence on with the top of the ridge to Frank Shepherd's line; thence with Frank Shepherd's line down the hill to the branch; thence on with Frank Shepherd's line up the hill on the other side of the branch to the top of the point to the line of Morgan Shepherd; thence with Morgan Shepherd's line down the hill to the cross on the rock at the beginning.

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Or a sufficiency thereof to produce the amount so ordered to be made, amounting to \$915 and the further sum of \$125.00 probable costs to date of sale.

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Charter No. 7254 Reserve District No. 4

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

of Prestonsburg, in the State of Kentucky, at the close of business on December 31, 1935.

ASSETS

1. Loans and discounts	\$285,283.88
2. Overdrafts	185.84
3. Unfiled State Government obligations, direct and fully guaranteed	82,906.00
4. Other bonds, stocks and securities	202,545.18
5. Banking house, \$7,804.75 Furniture and fix.	10,904.75
6. Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	46,429.86
9. Cash, balances with other banks, exchanges for clearing house, etc.	211,664.84
10. Cash items not in process of collection	7.70
13. Other assets	3,100.45
TOTAL ASSETS	839,887.60

LIABILITIES

14. Demand deposits, except United States Government deposits, public funds and deposits of other banks	314,281.75
15. Time deposits, except postal savings, public funds, and deposits of other banks	316,488.88
16. Public funds of States, counties, school districts, or other subdivisions or municipalities	143,944.19
17. United States Government and postal savings deposits	5,000.00
18. Deposits of other banks, including certified and cashier's checks outstanding	8,782.14
Total of items 14 to 18, inclusive:	1,098,502.96
(b) Not secured by pledge of loans and investments	478,501.96
TOTAL DEPOSITS	788,501.96
30. Capital account: Common stock, 250 shares, par \$100.00 per share	\$25,000.00
Surplus	26,000.00
Undivided profits—net	665.64
Total Capital Account	51,935.64
TOTAL LIABILITIES	839,887.60

State of Kentucky, County of Floyd, ss: I, Henry Stephens, Jr., Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HENRY STEPHENS, JR., Cashier
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 5 day of Jan. 1936
RUSSELL HAGEWOOD, Notary Public
My Commission Expires Jan. 15, 1936.

Correct—Attest:
B. M. SPURLOCK,
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SYNOPSIS

As Alan Garth, prospector, is preparing to leave for his mining claim in the West, a strange, sinister, and mysterious emergency situation, it is Alan Garth, millionaire mining magnate; his daughter, Lillith; and Vivian Husby, pilot and mining engineer. Believing him to be only an innocent prospector, the men offer to make an air trip to Garth's claim, although they refer to his samples of platinum-bearing ore as nearly "worthless." Lillith, however, suspecting of the man's plan, is unwilling to let Alan Garth leave. Through Garth's guidance, the plane soon reaches the claim where Lillith and Alan, after making several tests, assure Lillith that the ore is nearly worthless, but to "encourage" Lillith's prospective father, they are willing to take a chance in investing a small amount. Lillith, however, is secretly receiving a part from the motor of the plane. Husby and Lillith want Garth to set their little own changes when they try to start the plane. Refusing to show them they try to force Garth to give up the missing part. Garth, who has the plane set the engine and the current carries it over the top of the peaks out that he is their only hope in guiding them out of the wilderness. Garth begins the work of reworking the motor. Lillith, however, states that the others help. Rammill and his daughter must be taken to the hardships ahead in their trek to the outpost on the Mackenzie.

CHAPTER IV

The Wilp Hand.

The girl locked her fingers and turned to stare curiously at the pieces of moose dangling from the end of the smoke. She spoke to Garth almost civilly:

"You go to rest like Dad. Do I have to wait for another piece?"

"Certainly not. But you've let the smoke go out. Keep this one going, and you can use it. Better cut another spit. Mind the knife edge, if you don't want to lose a finger."

She showed she could be deft enough when she chose. One stroke of the knife hacked off a willow twig, two cuts sharpened the end. Grasping the bottom of the hanging willow, she raised up lethargic, and she was to the sawdust thong. She poked the green wood from the near edge of the fire, piled and drenched the log alone down to hold her spit over the blaze.

Garth had at once begun to make snuff. It would be needed, to say the least, to keep the girls from sneezing and the girl was still more intently eyeing her meat when Husby came striding between the spears.

The once elegant engineer was sneezed with mud from his mallow-down to where the rock-melt water of the fire had drenched the log alone from his shoes and leather aviator trousers. Snags had scratched his flying jacket and even torn through one sleeve.

Worst of all, his bare face and neck was a swollen mass of mosquito-bite welts and the bleeding wounds of deer-fly stings. The skin had already begun to puff and discolor.

At sight of the girl's condition, Garth picked up his rifle. Even the most cold-blooded, calculating schemer can be tortured into crazed violence.

Miss Rammill glanced up from her cooking, and uttered a startled cry. It awakened her father from his doze. He sat erect to start at Husby.

"My dear Vivian, why do you sneeze? You look like something the cat brought home."

"Those d-d pests," Husby cried. "Left my headnet. Hey, you airplane thief, fetch me a drink, jump lively." Garth lifted his rifle. "Put up your hands. Do not reach for your pistol. Up with them, or I'll wing you—That's it. Now hold them there while Mr. Rammill takes your pistol. I've had enough of your threatening."

The millionaire looked at Garth's cool grey eyes, and heaved himself upon his feet to shuffle around behind Husby's shoulder. He pulled open the leather jacket and drew the automatic pistol from its high-slung sheath. Holding the butt forward, he brought the weapon to Garth.

"Keep it yourself," Garth told him. "You can give it back to him soon as he gets over this fly madness. There's your headnet, Husby. Better stand in the smoke till you get it on."

The tormented man first ran to tie down on the fill bank. Between deep drinks, he doused his bitten face in a pool and dashed the gravelly cold water over the back of his neck. The moment he stopped, the post buzzed at him again. He ran to the smoky side of the fire without stopping for his headnet.

For the first time since Garth had met Lillith Rammill, she showed consideration for someone else than herself. Her second piece of liver had been cooked enough to be eatable. She tore it in two and gave him the larger.

"It's good, Vivian. Try it. You must be famished."

Her unexpected graciousness calmed his battered nerves.

"Why, Lillith—you roasted this yourself! It will taste doubly delicious." She forced a laugh. "I can't resist take the food out of your mouth."

"I'll soon cook more. There's plenty." Garth caught Mr. Rammill's hungry look, and shook his head. "No, get for us, sir. We'll pack in some more of the meat before the wolves can get it."

He laid a mat of willow foliage, sliced up what was left of the second liver, and started off with Rammill.

"Though at first sight," the millionaire did not get out of breath so quickly as before. This was an encouraging sign. That easy climb to the claim and the fast return had been violent exercise for the mine investor. He could not have recovered so soon if his heart had been bad.

But when he opened his cigar case, Garth interposed.

"You have only four left, sir. Better hold them back to later of gradually. This change of diet is going to jolt you hard enough. No wine or whisky, either."

Mr. Rammill walked along quite a distance with the cigar case open, his face impassive inside the mosquito gauze of the headnet. When at last he looked up, he closed the cigar case and handed it to Garth. "You're the doctor."

Garth put the case in his shirt pocket.

"All right, sir. You'll get them when we'll do you the most good—and you'll get them all."

Again Mr. Rammill walked along with his side on the ground. They were near the smelter, standing before he looked up. He turned his shrewd gaze upon Garth, and spoke with blunt directness: "What's your game?"

"My game?"

"Yes, we may as well settle this now as later. Don't mix me up with your own business, please. You guessed we meant to cast off and leave you holding the sack. Otherwise you wouldn't have taken that key part from the plane motor."

Garth chuckled. "Did you ever outfit a fox, corner a pack of wolves, or trap a bear?"

"The ruddy face of the millionaire purpled. "What is the connection?"

"Nothing invidious," Garth assured him. "I had in mind only the fun of the game."

"So? Well, young man, it has already been admitted that you're so fast in all the tricks. I give you credit for more sense, however, than you showed when you cast loose the plane."

"I'm glad," Garth said. "I'm glad you're so fast in all the tricks. I give you credit for more sense, however, than you showed when you cast loose the plane."

"That's the lie. You cast the plane adrift. I was stung while trying to give it a shove back. I came within an ace of reaching the smogged line. Hadn't it been for the plane dragged into the water, I would have been over hellish falls!"

"I might remind you that you ordered me to cast off the line—at the point of your pistol."

The thrust proved too much for Husby. He sat silent. Garth went on with his quiet argument:

"All that is now past history. We're more concerned with the present and future. Mr. Rammill has shown his common sense by facing the facts of the situation. He has taken the line. The question is, do you and Miss Rammill throw in with us, or do you go on your own? If not with us, I'm to be chief. How about it?"

Husby had cooled down enough to see the point. "You win, I join up."

Miss Rammill looked puzzled and half alarmed. "What's the great idea, Vivian?"

"Very simple, my dear. He has the whip hand. He is boss. We must obey his orders, or we'll never get back to civilization."

"Oh! The despicable, cowardly—! She met Garth's cool gaze and felt silent.

He nodded. "I'll begin by rebuilding that fire. After that you'll cook the other liver for your father and yourself. You will then start graining the hair off the mosquitoes while Husby and your father go back for more meat."

"I will do no such thing!"

"Very well. That means you get no moccasins to replace your boots when those flimsy soles wear through on the rocks."

She flared: "Gallant Sir Galahad!"

"Leave her be, Garth," her father interposed. "I'll tend the fire and scrape the skins."

small shrilled into a shriek that nipped off into silence.

When Mr. Rammill rather hesitatingly followed Garth to the hanging legs of moose, he saw a three-foot, stubbled wildcat with black-tufted ears lying under a torn shoulder of moose meat.

A second cat, slightly larger, had leaped several yards away before dropping.

Garth drew his knife. "Only a pair of lynx. Not much for a trap, but we haven't any cartridges to throw away. But we can use the skins, and the meat will make a change from moose."

He flung the bodies, begged the best cut of meat in the skins, and hung them high. The next move was to see if Mr. Rammill could pack the hide of the cow moose. He made a game attempt to walk off under it, but at once began to stagger. Garth relieved him of the load, and in place of it gave him one of the bagged lynx skins. He himself bagged one of the bill moose quarters in the cowhide and heaved it upon his back.

But if Garth had to carry it with Mr. Rammill panting and sweating, Garth swung lightly ahead of him. He slipped off his heavy pack and stood looking at the idle couple on the hill bank. They had eaten their fill of liver, and stretched out to rest. All was quiet from the smelter to the smog-fire. Flies were beginning to cluster on the moose tongues and other meat.

"The girl met his look with contemptuous indifference. Husby stared with bloodshot hostility from between his swollen eyelids.

Instead of moving to the couple, Garth addressed the girl's father as he relieved him of the lynx pack:

"As I forecast, sir, I told Miss Rammill she could cook on the smog-fire if she kept it going. I will say now that I do not intend to shoot any more meat until the time comes when we have. There are none too many rifle cartridges. If the three of you getter bored, hangy about, I'll go to the last mountain trap with my traps at a time of spoiled fish and rotter walrus."

Husby, who had neck and neck was swollen and sore as if covered with boils. His temper was no less sore. "You're the one who put us in this fix, you wood louse!"

Garth gave him a pitying look. "That's the fly venom talking. No cool, calculating schemer in his right senses would risk for trouble when his hands were tied. I might point out, however, that the venom was due to your haste in trying to cut—appropriately my discovery claim."

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"No. Lie down. Whenever you work, it's to be on your feet. We must build up both your will and your muscles. Husby, I'll ask you to fetch that pot and the gold pan."

The unwilling engineer rose and started up towards the trough without a word of inquiry or protest. Miss Rammill's eyes widened. She gazed wonderingly from him to her father, and Rammill had no less obediently lain down as ordered.

Garth ignored the girl. He chopped deep notches in the trunk of the food-cache birch trees, about seven feet high. He then cut saplings to span across from tree to tree, and wedged in the notches. The next move was to fetch a number of skin poles.

When he returned, smoke was billowing up to drive the flies from the moose tongues and moccasins. Miss Rammill had rebuilt the smog-fire and raised down the liver, ready for slicing. She gazed up at him, stormy-eyed, ready to flare if he had shown the slightest flicker of amusement or gloating.

Instead, he gave her a curt nod of acknowledgment, laid his knife beside the liver, and turned to unlace the poles across the sapling framework to make a grill above the smogge. Upon this he laid the moose legs and the pieces of lynx meat.

Husby came back from the discovery stakes with the gold pan and little aluminum stove. He started in surprise at sight of Miss Rammill cooking the liver. She shrugged her slim shoulders, and drew back from the fire to give one spit to her father. After that she openly offered the other to Garth.

"Thank you," he said. "Let me suggest that you now fill the pot pan with water and slice into it one of the muffs. They don't look promising, but if you can make the sign of interest from the girl, she was no longer hungry. Garth ignored her sullenness."

"After starting that dish, you may cook as much moose as you like. We'll pack all to camp, the surer will be that that mouth do not get away with it."

He unbuttoned his pack, slung the pack-board on his back, and picked up his rifle and belt-ax. Husby trailed after him out of camp. They walked in line to the west around to the muskeg swamp, Husby with his gas fixed coldly upon the back of his mother's head.

At the swamp Garth cut a tote-pole and passed it through the tendons of two hind-quarters of moose. The tote-pole was raised from the ground to the pack-board. He rolled the second lynx skin for Husby to use as a shoulder pad. Upon it the mining engineer rested his head and shoulders.

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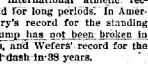
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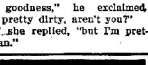
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