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Today's Markets

(Associated Press Local Wire) PORTLAND, Aug. 12.—There has been almost a record breaking peach movement in the local wholesale market during the past few days...

3 DIE IN BATTLE AT PENITENTIARY

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leader, encountered John Davison. Thrusting his knife at Davison, Murray muttered: "Give me the keys to the arsenal, or I'll cut your heart out."

Instead Davison lifted a foot and kicked Murray squarely in the abdomen, knocking him against a banister that guards a stairway leading downward, and almost preventing him from falling into the prison basement. There is a bit of humor about this incident because Davison, years ago when he lived in Umatilla county, was known as "Big foot" Davison.

Davison immediately left by the north door into the yard and ran to post No. 1 on the north wall and armed himself with a rifle.

Turnkey Slugged, Guns Secured. Going on into the turnkey's office the convicts found several officers to dispose of Murray thrust a knife at Pete White, a guard who was writing at the desk and demanded the keys to the arsenal.

"You're crazy," answered White, Murray, then recognizing him, and evidently knowing that White did not have the keys, gave his attention to James Nesmith, the turnkey. Jones also rushed Nesmith and slugged him in the jaw, forcing him and possibly breaking his jaw. Nesmith was in a dazed state until taken home. His keys were taken and the arsenal opened by the desperadoes.

Four Winchester rifles, a shotgun and two boxes of cartridges were taken from the arsenal, besides the cartridges in the guns.

The convicts began to shoot at once. Two shots were fired through the south window at Guard Charles McKinley on post No. 7 and McKinley's mouth was filled with brick dust when the bullets hit the tower.

Bloody Battle Recounted.

About the same time the convicts began shooting through the north window at post No. 1 wounding Holman and killing Sweeney. Holman was hit first. Sweeney ran along the wall from post No. 2 to relieve him and was shot through the head dying instantly. W. E. Gardner, another guard, went to aid Holman, taking his gun and helping him down stairs. A bullet from the convicts knocked the rifle from his hands. By this time Guard Davison had arrived at No. 1 post. He ran outside, prepared to open fire on the convicts. The convicts having left the building and crossed the yard, they entered the tower and killed Holman. Guard Lute Savage was returning from dinner along the penitentiary-state hospital road and rushed to post No. 2, where he was shot. The convicts got out of the prison enclosure by the stairs at post No. 2 and it was here that Davison killed Oregon Jones, drilling him through the head as he went over the wall. Jones pitched headfirst to the ground. Shortly afterward, Warden Dalrymple opened fire with his shotgun, wounding Murray. Fifteen bullet indentations were found in the north wall of post No. 1. Murray staggered, but recovered himself and with the other two ran toward the state hospital, a quarter of a mile north of the prison.

Trió Escapes in Taxicab.

At the hospital C. V. Ivits, an attendant, who had resigned, had called a taxicab to take himself and his belongings down town. The fugitives ordered C. N. Zinn, the taxicab driver, to let them into the car and also ordered Ivits to get in. Zinn was ordered to drive west, contrary to first reports that they had gone through Salem into Polk county, and which caused the first posse to cross the Willamette river in a direction opposite to that actually taken by the fugitives.

That Zinn and Ivits were not compelled to remain in the auto with the desperadoes at night, is probably due to Zinn's making the convicts believe the car was almost out of gasoline. Under their threats he drove the three to a school house a short distance east of Pratum, about nine miles east of Salem. Zinn said Murray seemed to know the country thoroughly.

Zinn kept telling the fugitives that he was almost out of gasoline, and that the engine was about ready to stop.

"Then drive behind that school house," ordered Murray. Zinn did so, and he and Ivits were ordered out of the car. The convicts exchanged several articles of clothing with them, and tied the two men to a tree and gagged them, warning them not to make a sound and to let where the convicts left the car. Soon after the convicts went on, Zinn and Ivits worked themselves loose and returned to Salem in Zinn's car.

Murray Claims Two Deaths. Before the convicts left them they robbed Ivits of over \$450 but gave him back \$40 and took several dollars from Zinn.

Zinn is an elderly man. "I have seen a good deal of gun play in my time," he said last night, "and have had some thrilling experiences, but never anything like I went through tonight."

Zinn said the convicts continually threatened him and Ivits during the trip. Murray, he said, claimed he killed both Holman and Sweeney. This is apparently the reverse of what was reported earlier. The convicts apparently did not know they had wounded Savage.

"I shot point blank at him and missed him," Murray said in the automobile. Zinn said Murray was wounded

in the arm and side from the warden's shot gun.

It developed today that the reason Guard Davison failed to eliminate more convicts from the hunt after he had shot and killed Oregon Jones was due to the fact that his ammunition failed. He had seized the gun used by Guard James Holman after Holman had been killed by a convict. Holman had been firing his gun at the escaping prisoners, and consequently but one or two cartridges were left in the magazine when Davison secured the weapon.

Holman and Sweeney, the dead guards, both leave families in Salem. Holman a widow, two daughters and a son, and Sweeney a widow, daughter and son. Holman was a brother-in-law of Warden Dalrymple, being a brother of Mrs. Dalrymple.

Murray Only 20 Years Old.

Oregon Jones, the dead convict, was received January 20, 1923, from Josephine county to serve 20 years for assault and robbery. He was 23 years old. With four other convicts, including Murray and Kelly, Jones escaped from inside the walls March 28, 1924. All the others were soon caught, but Murray not for months later when he was arrested in Sacramento.

Ellsworth Kelly was also received from Josephine county on the same date as Jones, and his crime was aiding the Jones brothers to escape jail. He was serving 20 years. He is 28 years old. Murray was received from Lane county December 31, 1923, for assault with a dangerous weapon in connection with the robbery of a bank at Florence in which he participated. He is 20.

Willis was received from Umatilla county April 13, 1924, to serve seven years for burglary. His age is 26.

"Want To Kill on Sight"—Order.

SALEM, Ore., Aug. 12.—Some 125 possmen are this morning combing the swampy country in the vicinity of Pratum, eight miles east of Salem, for some trace of the three convicts who last night made their escape from the Oregon penitentiary after killing two guards and seriously wounding another.

The men were last seen entering the brushy swamp along Pudding river, two miles east of Pratum, by the taxi driver and his passenger whom the fugitives forced to drive them that far. One of the trio is thought to be seriously wounded, and all are heavily armed. Farmers throughout the entire section have been warned and are joining the search. The possmen are under the general direction of Deputy Warden Lilley and Major Tom Rilyea of the national guard. All have been instructed to shoot to kill any of the three on sight.

Officers are confident that the men are still in the vicinity, arguing that Murray is apparently in no condition to travel and that his companions would probably be loath to desert their leader so early in the chase.

An ex-convict in a large automobile was seen just outside the prison gate last night by Warden Dalrymple just about the time the break occurred. There is a suspicion that he was in collusion with the escaping desperadoes and that he intended to hasten them away in the car. The warden believes he was trying to locate the automobile when he opened fire from the garage.

Standard Oil Station Looted.

The first clue as to the whereabouts of the fugitives was obtained today when information came that the Standard Oil distribution station at Silverton was broken into during the night by the three being sought.

The place was ransacked and a small amount of money was taken from a till. Additional details of the escape were related at the prison today. One of the first guards to rush to the relief of Post No. 1 was S. B. Sandefer. He, however, was shot and wounded. He and Holman and Davison in the post, Holman wounded and Davison using Holman's gun. Sandefer asked for a gun and was informed there was no other to be had. Holman asked for a doctor and Sandefer started running to the state hospital as the nearest place to get a physician.

"I heard a bullet whizz past me," said Sandefer, "and looked back. Here came the three of them and I sneezed up. They must have fired five or six times at me. I reached the hospital and gave the alarm, but was exhausted and had to leave the attention of a doctor myself."

As they entered the hospital grounds, the convicts grabbed Mrs. Alice Osburn and a man named McElroy, attendants at the hospital, shielded themselves behind them and ordered the man and woman to guide them to the highway, where they doubtless intended to commandeer an automobile. They freed the two when they suddenly spied Zinn and his taxicab.

Murray Tough Customer.

EUGENE, Oregon, Aug. 12.—Lane county officers, fearing that knowledge of the Lane county posse by the convicts who escaped from the Oregon state penitentiary last night, might lead the desperadoes to attempt the McKenzie Pass into Eastern Oregon, patrolled the highways all night last night. Nothing suspicious was noticed, however.

The local officers were aided in their search by two prison guards, James and Sandefer, and a 1924 Ford trusty, who came here upon receipt of word that a car carrying the desperadoes had headed this way. The "tip" proved erroneous. The patrol of the highways was continued today in the Eugene district.

Murray, one of the trio of escaped prisoners, was sent up from Lane county following the robbery of the Florence bank on December 11, 1923.

Murray, with two others, held up the bank and escaped with several thousand dollars, he was captured about a week later and was tried here on the hold-up charge. He was sentenced to

serve 20 years in the penitentiary by Judge G. F. Skipworth of the Lane circuit court.

He was known here as a dangerous man. In 23 years of age, he has been behind the bars in two states prisons, and since being sentenced to the state penitentiary at Salem, has made two escapes. On one he got as far as Butte, Mont., before being recaptured.

Pursuit System Faulty.

Deputy Warden Lilly of the state prison today joined the man hunters and intended to make an effort to organize the forces. A prison guard returned from the Pratum district with the report that the man hunters lacked organization and leadership and were making no headway.

John Davison, the guard who killed Oregon Jones, gave his own story of the shooting of the convict. He said the report that he had a gun with an empty magazine was untrue. Guard Holman had two guns, Davison said, and the one he seized when he rushed into tower No. 1 had a full magazine, but after he shot Jones the convicts were running at such an angle that he could not get a good shot at them. It now appears that the wound in the leader, Murray's hand, is from Davison's rifle. Warden Dalrymple's shot having lacerated Murray's side with buckshot.

Dee Jones, a brother of the dead convict, T. R. Hall and Mrs. Bessie Hall, and S. Green, came from Portland today to make funeral arrangements for the convict, but up to noon had reached no decision. They were said to have dropped the effort because of the constant stream of men and women who filed through the morgue all forenoon to view the body. This took place while the body was being embalmed.

An interesting time was experienced by several newspaper photographers today when they attempted to photograph Zinn, the taxi driver whom the convicts forced to take them into the country. Zinn violently objected, seizing rocks he fired them at the picture men with an aim that threatened serious consequences.

Fugitives Hide Till Night.

TRIPSON, Ore., Aug. 12.—Prison authorities looking back over the previous attempt of Murray and Kelly to escape this afternoon expressed the opinion that the fugitives would likely adopt the same tactics they used upon the former occasion—lie in hiding during daylight and travel at night, also doing their foraging for food under the cover of darkness by robbing country stores or raiding farm houses. According to these calculations the convicts are not yet sufficiently hungry to risk showing themselves, but will likely do so as soon as it becomes dark enough for them to travel safely tonight.

The officers are also inclined to give credence to the argument that it is entirely likely that the three will work their way southward toward Aumsville, a distance of nine or ten miles, the scene of their former hide and seek game with the possmen.

From Aumsville south through the Marion county to Jefferson the country is all familiar to Murray, who evaded the officers for a full week in that section. Another theory being considered is that the men will remain close to their present hiding place for several days until the enthusiasm of the searchers has waned and their vigilance relaxed and then steal another automobile and make a night attempt to get out of the country entirely. All of the officers are agreed that the situation is a potential duplication of the Tracy-Merrill rampage of 1902, and that Murray, at least, is as dangerous as either Tracy or Merrill.

Wardens and other officers have broadcasted to farmers and country stores to be on guard at all times for another murder or two means nothing to the convicts.

District Attorney John Carson, Sheriff Bower and their aides were at the prison this morning gathering evidence for the charges against the convicts if they are recaptured.

Paroled Convict Suspected

SALEM, Ore., Aug. 12.—Prison authorities and Portland police officers are today investigating to determine, what, if any, connection the presence of a paroled convict in front of a large automobile in front of the penitentiary just before 6 o'clock last evening, might have had with the escape plot which liberated three prisoners from the institution just a few moments after.

Warden Dalrymple saw the paroled prisoner in front of the penitentiary garage talking to a trusty convict just shortly before the break occurred. The warden asked him what he was doing there and the fellow replied that he just stopped to see one of "the boys." Ordered to get away from the prison and stay away from the man climbed into the automobile and drove off toward the state hospital, the same direction the fugitives took when they later got clear of the wall.

Dalrymple refused to divulge the name of the former convict at this time.

Death Improves Jones' Face.

SALEM, Ore., Aug. 12.—Crowds of people, totalling more than 7,000 in the estimation of attendants, had filed past the body of Oregon Jones, who met his death in last night's prison riot, by the creek this afternoon. A continuous stream of persons, beginning early last evening and continuing until midnight, resuming early this morning and continuing unabated into the afternoon entered the headquarters of the local coroner, passed down into the basement where the body reposes, viewed the remains and went on their way.

The crowds included women as well as men, young as well as old. Only the very youngest of children were refused admission. Women and girls, ranging down as low as ten years in age, comprised nearly half the crowd.

The face of the man who had made a name for himself among

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Oregon Jones' brother, D. Jones of Grants Pass, and his sister, Mrs. B. Hall of Portland, arrived in Salem early this morning to take charge of the body. It will be shipped to Grants Pass, the Jones' home town, in a few days, the brother stated this afternoon.

Legitimate Excuse.

PORTLAND, Aug. 12.—Portland police today investigated the presence of an auto near the state prison at Salem late yesterday, today expressed the opinion that it was a coincidence. The ex-convict told the chief of police that he was in Salem to see a girl, and that he had no knowledge of the prisoner's plan to escape.

Terminal Beauty Shop, phone

REVENUE CUTTER BEAR IS FLOATED

(Associated Press Local Wire) SEATTLE, Aug. 12.—After being ashore 23 hours at Cape Prince of Wales, Bering Strait, the cutter Bear of the coast guard floated at 2:45 yesterday morning.

Captain P. G. Dodge, commanding the Bear, and his headquarters here, received today the following radiogram from Lieutenant Commander Leon C. Covell, commanding the Bear: "Bear floated off shoals 2:15 a. m. August 12. Proceeded to Cape Prince of Wales village, where we anchored in seven fathoms of water. The only damage sustained by the vessel was the loss of a shoe from under the keel. The Bear is not leaking. As soon as the weather moderates we will proceed to Nome. Have sent a wireless message to the Algonquin that she will not be needed."

ENGLISH TOURIST DIES ON DIAMOND LAKE ROAD

(Associated Press Local Wire) MEDFORD, Ore., Aug. 12.—Dr. Charles Rathburn, an elderly man and resident of England, died today at the Sacred Heart hospital, as the result of a severe heart attack, which began last Tuesday, while he and his wife were camped on the Diamond Lake road several miles this side of the lake.

Dr. and Mrs. Rathburn had been touring the United States by automobile. When they reached the Diamond Lake country, the altitude was too high for the doctor. When first attacked, forest rangers phoned for the ambulance. When it arrived the sick man was unconscious.

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TESTIMONY ENDS IN DIVORCE CASE OF CONGRESSMAN

ALPENA, Mich., Aug. 12.—Taking of testimony in the divorce suit of Congressman Frank D. Scott ended at noon today and arguments by counsel for Scott and his wife, Edna Scott began this afternoon.

The final testimony brought denials from both sides of charges of misconduct, drinking and gambling.

Representative Scott, on the stand today declared there was no drinking in the smoking room of the steamer Cristobal during the congressional cruise of 1903 as testified in the deposition of Florian Ballaw, the Scott's serving man. Mr. Scott said, he could not say whether liquor was drunk in the staterooms of other congressmen.

To refute the deposition of Sikes, which was read yesterday, Mrs. Scott's counsel introduced denials from three Washington policemen from Mrs. Alice H. Forbes, New York and from Gilbert Bessinger of Washington.

Reynolds called Sikes "a mutual comedy detective." He denied ever having been alone with Mrs. Scott in her room at the Lee house, Washington, and denied also that he and Mrs. Scott ever went out on parties at which they became intoxicated, as indicated by Sikes.

Mrs. Kennedy took the stand to answer charges as "utterly false" the deposition of Dallow in which he said he had found her alone with Congressman Scott in the congressman's office at Washington.

Mrs. Scott, the last witness to testify, defended the character of her Massachusetts husband of San Diego, California. Her representative Scott had obtained to Mrs. Scott's satisfaction with Mrs. Rathburn, it was testified yesterday. Judge Frank E. Merrill, indicated this afternoon that when oral arguments are completed he will ask for briefs and that he will require two weeks or more before rendering a decision.

CLEVELAND ITEMS

Mrs. Fred Durham of Roseburg, visited by parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Reynolds last Tuesday.

Mrs. Woodruff and daughter, Lots of Roseburg, and Eva and Peggy Blackwell spent Sunday at John Krohn's.

spent the day visiting P. C. Trozelle and wife.

Little Hazel Doerner underwent a nose and throat operation at the hospital last Monday. She is getting along nicely.

Mrs. E. G. Trozelle spent a few days last week helping her parents, W. Post of Edenhower, harvest their pear crop.

The Cleveland community took their weekly bath at the "Forks" last Sunday afternoon.

Miss Leona Wright held services at the church last Sunday morning. A very interesting sermon was given and appreciated by those in attendance.

Harold Reynolds is leaving for Cottage Grove this week to attend the conference of the Free Methodist church to be held there.

Mrs. Minnie Becker and children ate ice cream with the Albert Becker family last Sunday.

A lively debate was held at the young people's meeting last Sunday evening on "Recreation." Erwin Striner was leader.

SUNDAY AT THE CHURCHES

Services by Rev. Jacobs 11 a. m. Sunday school 10 a. m. Christian endeavor 7:30 p. m. Alice Becker as leader. All welcome.

ITALIANS CELEBRATE FOLK HOLIDAY IN OLD TIME STYLE

ROME, Aug. 12.—The traditional St. John's Eve festival, one of the many ancient religious and folk holidays which have survived into the 20th century from the Italian middle ages, was celebrated this year with a wealth of popular gusto which belied the tale of Rome's fast becoming modernization.

Evocative the example of their ancestors scores of thousands gathered in the spacious square of the Basilica of St. John Lateran and, with whistles, horns, bells and other instruments, made merry almost through the night with a weird mass reminiscent of 500 years ago.

Great torches flickering from atop the ancient Roman wall, upon which the dimly lighted facade of St. John's looks down, lighted up a million mass of old and young, all making as much noise as possible. Ricketty booths and street hawkers sold bells and penny books made of rough clay and adorned with crude painted-made designs. Other sidewalk merchants did a thriving business in fresh lavender sprigs and carnations, for it is a tradition of the holiday that the betrothed—and newly betrothed—exchange carnations.

FOUR MEN BREAK JAIL WITH HELP FROM OUTSIDER

SAN JOSE, Cal., Aug. 12.—Four men escaped from the county jail here last night and are being pursued by a posse headed by Sheriff George W. Lyle and Chief of Police John Black. The fugitives were held by William (Red) McCarthy, bank robbery; Otis F. Smith, forgery; George Murray, burglary; Fred Trotter, statutory offense.

AMERICA OFFERS BELGIUM BETTER WAR DEBT TERMS

(Associated Press Local Wire.) WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—The Belgian government has asked

that a total of the debt be reduced through a computing of accrued interest at a rate lower than the 4 1/2 per cent at which the British debt interest was figured, but no agreement on that point has been reached.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—Negotiations between the American and Belgian debt commissions was suspended temporarily today to permit the visitors to receive instructions from Brussels as to a new Belgian offer.

A reply is expected overnight however, and the commission agreed to meet again tomorrow. At that time they will have before them also a new American proposal, embodying some concessions presented today to the Belgians.

BRUSSELS, Aug. 12.—The cabinet has been called to meet in an urgent session to examine the question of Belgium's debt to the United States. The government is firmly resolved not to take any decision on this question without the approval of parliament. Premier Poullet will inform the king of the situation after the cabinet meeting.

