

Accused Hammer Slayer Arraigned

PARIS, Tex., (AP) — Ward Wenger, accused of the hammer slaying of his foster mother in Astoria, Ore., July 10, was arraigned here Friday on a charge of unlawful flight to avoid prosecution.

Bond was set at \$10,000 for the 6-foot, 165-pound youth who was calm throughout the hearing. After his arrest Thursday, police described him as extremely nervous. He was captured at nearby Clarksville where he had stopped to have his car repaired. The car was wrecked in an accident Monday.

Wenger took it to a garage for repairs but was unable to pay for it. He called an Astoria insurance man about the bill. The insurance man, Ed Edison, notified police there who in turned called the Clarksville police.

Authorities here said they found a quantity of ladies' underwear in the car. Wenger had taped some to his body, Police Chief Curtis Lemon said.

Wenger was seen leaving the Astoria home of his foster mother, Mrs. Marie Wenger, 47, last Thursday. The next morning her hammer battered body was found under a pile of rugs.

The ancient Romans consider May an unlucky and June a lucky month for weddings.

CLEVER WAVE COMEDY AT INDIAN



ESTHER WILLIAMS, VIVIAN BLAINE and JOAN EVANS in a scene from MGM's musical fun hit, "SKIRTS AHOY"; in color by Technicolor.

Solon Asks Halt To Filibuster

CHICAGO (AP) — Sen. Benton of Connecticut moved Saturday, to wrest from southern senators the filibuster weapon they have used to kill federal civil rights bills. He demanded that Democratic

platform drafters call upon the Senate to revise its rules so a filibuster can be ended.

Assailing the Republicans, he said in a statement distributed in advance to newsmen:

"In their civil rights plank of two weeks ago, the Republicans pay the same old lip service to the ideals of equality under law but conspicuously ignore the cancer of the filibuster imbued with their aid in the Senate rule."

Under this Senate rule, named for the late Sen. Wherry of Nebraska, it takes a vote of 64 of the 96 senators to end "a talkathon."

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A VITAL MESSAGE

From Mayor Al Flegel

Twice within the past two months a budget for the City of Roseburg has been submitted to you and twice it has been defeated by your vote. In an endeavor to cut the budget to a level evidently desired by the electorate, the second election presented a budget modified by the amount of some \$9000. Upon the defeat of this budget the budget committee again reconsidered it, deciding unanimously to submit the second proposal for a third try. It was only after a careful consideration of the effects upon the city, if the amounts were drastically reduced, together with the realization that less than 10% of the qualified voters actually voted and, further, that the second vote was within 6 votes of winning that the budget committee made this decision.

It was only after the budget committee had considered the budget for the third time, and after the electorate had refused the budget twice, that the Douglas County Taxpayers League, through its municipal committee consisting of George Singleton, retired businessman; Harry Pargeter, manager of the Umpqua Savings and Loan Company; M. E. Ritter, retired business man; Lon Wilder, retired business man, and Glen Taylor, owner of the Fire Equipment Company, first voiced any protest. At that time they delivered an ultimatum to the budget committee to the effect that, unless the budget was cut to their recommendations, they would spend a large amount of money in radio and newspaper advertising to defeat the budget, thus forcing the city to operate for the fiscal year within the 6% limitation.

This ultimatum was delivered to the budget committee, and I would like to take this opportunity to name for you the men that have given their time and their efforts to submit to you a budget which to them is fair and equitable. Not by the most remote stretch of your imagination could you consider any of the men I am going to name as irresponsible spendthrifts or extravagant wastrels. They are: H. N. Jacobson, vice president and general manager of Youngs Bay Lumber Company; Harold Backen, Jr., manager of REA; Kenneth Ellison, truck rental and service station owner and operator; J. E. Dent, retired Railway Express Company manager; Arlo Jacklin, owner and manager of Jacklin News Service; Richard D. Coen, partner, Coen Supply Company; Dr. Bruce Hetrick, dentist; H. E. "Deb" Debernardi, "semi" retired business man. All those just mentioned teamed with the following council members to comprise the budget committee: Jack Hart, managing partner, New Service Laundry; Bernie Saar, owner-manager, Roseburg Wood Products Company; Gordon Harness, partner, Douglas Point and Hardware Company; Frank Ashley, manager, fuel department, Roseburg Lumber Company; Cecil Hugh, partner JC Sporting Goods Store and developer of Hucrest Subdivision; Bill Adair, owner, Adair's Associated Service Station and Parking Lot; Dr. Byron Woodruff, optometrist; and Harrison Winston, attorney at law.

The proposition presented to the last named group of sixteen representative citizens by the municipal committee of the Douglas County Taxpayers League was as follows: If the budget group would confine all salary increase to not more than 5% of the salaries paid in the year just passed, the taxpayer group would spend their war chest to help pass the budget instead of attempting to defeat it. The budget group, being men of reasonable qualities, felt it to be to the best interests of the city as a whole, that a dog fight be prevented; this despite the fact that they felt that the budget as it was originally presented to the voters was fair and equitable for a growing, progressive city.

Acting in good faith with the taxpayer pressure group, the budget was revised as agreed upon and everyone assumed that the trouble was over as far as a budget was concerned. But no, now this representative group of taxpaying business men, who as members of the budget committee have spent some considerable hours endeavoring to assist the City of Roseburg, have been delivered another ultimatum by the Taxpayers League. Despite assurance that the Tax League would support the budget, its committee now informs the budget group that unless another \$41,000 is chopped off the budget they will again open their war chest and spend prodigiously to defeat the fair and agreed upon compromise budget.

Despite this latest ultimatum by the taxpayers' pressure group, your budget committee has determined that they will once more submit to the voters a budget to spend approximately \$18,000 less than was originally submitted.

Yes, despite the threats of the pressure group; despite the threats of monies to be spent in defeating the budget, your mayor, your city manager, your city attorney, Paul Geddes, and your budget committee dare to resubmit the budget as agreed upon for your final decision.

Members of various civic groups have volunteered their assistance in getting out the votes on Tuesday, the 22nd of July. Among these groups are the Junior Chamber of Commerce, the Jay-Cettes and the Lady Lions. I am simply urging each and every qualified voter to make himself heard in this election. Vote as your conscience dictates—but vote.

It is the recommendation of your mayor that you approve this budget. It is of the utmost importance that you do not permit an overly cautious minority to reverse the progressive trend of our city.

This is a paid message, paid for in its entirety by Albert G. Flegel, Mayor, Roseburg, Oregon.

RADIO PROGRAMS

KRNR 1490 kc. 1240 kc. KRXL

DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME	DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME
4:00—Paula Stone—MBS	6:30—Open House
4:15—Hemingway—MBS	6:35—Once Upon A Time
4:30—Curt Massey Show—MBS	6:45—Del's Story Time
4:45—Sam Hayes—MBS	6:50—The Ambassadors
5:00—Convention Digest—MBS	6:55—Rhythm At Random
5:15—Songs of the B-Bar-B—MBS	7:00—Time For Music
5:30—Cecil Brown	7:05—Sports Spotlight
5:45—Magie Garden	7:10—The Lamplighters
6:00—World of Sports	7:15—Modern News
6:15—Bill Henry—MBS	7:20—John T. Flynn
6:30—Convention Digest	7:25—Curtis De You
6:45—Sam Hayes—MBS	7:30—T.H.A.
7:00—Convention Coverage	7:35—Lenny Herman
7:15—Glenn Hardy News—MBS	7:40—Your Editor Speaks
7:30—Convention to Conclusion	7:45—Allan Jones
7:45—Sign Off	7:50—Heidelberg Harmonies
TUESDAY, JULY 22, 1952	7:55—Logg's Weather Bulletin
6:00—Faves Of The Copers	8:00—Musical Hour
6:15—News and Coffee Club	8:05—Melody Time
6:30—Way of Life	8:10—Headlines In Harmony
6:45—Paula Stone—MBS	8:15—Midnight Flyer
7:00—Breakfast Gang—MBS	8:20—Headlines of Tomorrow
7:15—Musical Roundup	8:25—Sign Off
7:30—Cecil Brown—MBS	TUESDAY, JULY 22, 1952
7:45—Gabriel Heatter	6:00—Sign On
8:00—Faves Of The Copers	6:05—News In Nutshell
8:15—Over the Coffee Cup	6:10—Davenporters
8:30—Capitol Commentary—MBS	6:15—Weather Bulletin
8:45—Man About Town	6:20—Saberbrush Symphony
9:00—A Man and His Magic	6:25—Music for Tuesday
9:15—Tello-Test—MBS	6:30—Tops in Pops
9:30—Second Spring	6:35—Five Minute News
9:45—Bob Grant, Local News	6:40—Music for Tuesday
10:00—Music in Modern Mood	6:45—Say It With Music
10:15—Man of the Street	6:50—Soggy Spots
10:30—Local News	6:55—Modern News
10:45—Kirkwood Show—MBS	7:00—Ten O'Clock Morning
11:00—Music	7:05—Orchestra Guide
11:15—Fable	7:10—Date With Del
11:30—Assembly of God	7:15—Town Square
11:45—Convention Proceedings—MBS	7:20—To Be Announced
12:00—Paula Stone—MBS	7:25—Specialty for the Women
12:15—Hemingway—MBS	7:30—Variety Time
12:30—Curt Massey Show—MBS	7:35—Variety Tune
12:45—Sam Hayes—MBS	7:40—Moving Reporter
1:00—Convention Digest	7:45—Mid Day News
1:15—Bob Grant, World News	7:50—Market Reports
1:30—Songs of B-Bar-B	7:55—As You Like It
1:45—Cecil Brown—MBS	8:00—Record Party
2:00—Gabriel Heatter—MBS	8:05—South Of the Border
2:15—World of Sports	8:10—Myrtle Creek Presents
2:30—Bill Henry—MBS	8:15—Frank De's
2:45—Convention—MBS	8:20—Melody Matinee
3:00—Sam Hayes—MBS	8:25—Five Minute News
3:15—Convention—MBS	8:30—Fiesta Time
3:30—Newspaper of the Air—MBS	8:35—House of Melody
3:45—Convention to Conclusion—MBS	8:40—Five Minute News
3:55—Sign Off	8:45—Once Upon A Time
	8:50—Del's Story Time
	8:55—Ray Anthony
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	9:20—Modern News
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	9:30—The People Choose
	9:35—Lonesome Gal
	9:40—Michael Hyatt—MBS
	9:45—Shalliner Room
	9:50—John T. Flynn
	9:55—Logg's Weather Bulletin
	10:00—Vaughn Monroe
	10:05—Five Minute News
	10:10—Off The Record
	10:15—Logg's Weather Bulletin
	10:20—Pacific Coast Baseball
	10:25—Midnight Flyer
	10:30—Headlines of Tomorrow
	10:35—Sign Off

Mutual-Don Lee affiliate KFJI in Klamath Falls began its 30th year of broadcasting last Saturday.

KRNR offers belated congratulations. The Don Lee network personalities all offered salutes during the day on the various programs, to the 5,000-watt station, sending personal greetings to W. D. Miller, president, and Dick Maguire, station manager.

"The Moon Man," a story of murder disguised as suicide, is tonight's 8:00-8:30 dramatization on Mutual-Don Lee's "Let George Do It" mystery series. Investigator George Valentine is hired to prove that treachery was afoot when a pretty girl meets an untimely demise.

Mutual-Don Lee's commentator on the national scene, Gabriel Heatter, reports the latest effect of rising costs: "A sign which a department store has placed over its ice-water fountain reads... drink happily. This water is twice as free, since our operational costs have doubled."

"Curt Massey Time," heard each weekday 4:30-4:45 p.m., offers a vacation in melody for musical fare on his Tuesday show. Selections to be featured by the romantic Mr. Massey and "Lil'ini" Marilla Tilton, include: "Little Train," "Brazil," "Blue Hawaii," "Bermuda," "The Last Time I Saw Paris," and "Back In Your Own Backyard."

The Democratic convention is definitely underway now in Chicago, and again you are invited to tune to Mutual & KRNR for the highlights of this dramatic convocation. Throughout the day KRNR will break in for all important activities, in addition to the regularly scheduled events as listed in "Dial Log" last Saturday.

Party Climbs Mount McKinley

ANCHORAGE, Alaska (AP) — North America's highest peak—20,300-foot Mt. McKinley—was conquered this month by a party of four. Twenty-five other mountain climbers, including two women, were reported Saturday at various stages of the ascent.

The assault on the lofty pinnacle is the most concerted in its history. McKinley has been scaled by only 42 persons previously.

Grant Pearson, McKinley Park superintendent, said a group headed by Capt. William Hackett, Fort Richardson, Anchorage, completed the climb several days ago.

Park records showed Hackett was accompanied by Robert Goodwin, Anchorage; Ernest Baumann, Leadville, Colo., and Robert Anderson, Milwaukee, Wis.

Four other groups, including two expeditions from Mexico, began their climbs within the past month. Another party, composed of four Harvard University men, also is in the area attempting to scale hitherto unclimbed Mt. Brooks, 11,560 feet.

Cars Still Are Luxury Items

When you pay \$2000 for a new automobile, \$614 of it goes to taxes. This estimate was given recently by the Oregon State Motor Association in an appeal for relief from federal excise levies on passenger cars.

Federal excise taxes, which once were referred to as luxury taxes, are imposed on passenger cars along with such commodities as alcoholic beverages, fur coats and jewelry. The AAA club pointed out, now, long after the luxury label has worn off, cars are being taxed more heavily than ever.

Every day 59 million American adults use passenger automobiles. Nearly 70 per cent of this car use is for necessary purposes such as going to work. Over half of all the nation's employed persons use passenger cars for association stated.

It has been estimated that taxes account for about 31 per cent of the purchase price of a new car today. The estimated figure of \$614 in taxes on a new \$2000 car is broken down as follows: Manufacturer's taxes \$155, supplier's taxes \$154, dealer's taxes \$102, sales tax (average) \$37, and federal excise tax \$146.

Ousted Doctor Wins Appeal To Society

WALLA WALLA (AP) — Dr. Miles H. Robinson, who has sued for \$124,000 in connection with his being dropped from the Walla Walla Valley Medical Society, said Sunday that the Judicial Council of the American Medical Society has sustained his appeal of the expulsion.

Dr. Robinson claims in suit for damages that the charges which resulted in his expulsion from the medical society were wrongly based on an allegation he had revealed the nature of a patient's contagious disease to the patient's son-in-law.

Named as defendants in the damage suit are the Walla Walla Valley Medical Society, its officers and trustees, the Walla Walla Valley Medical Bureau, the Washington State Medical Association and two Walla Walla hospitals.

Foot Injured By Ice Encased In Ice Pack

INGLEWOOD, Calif. (AP) — Factory worker George D. Pauly, 35, dropped a 150-pound cake of ice early Saturday.

It landed on his big toe. Later at a hospital the doctor found Pauly suffered only cuts on the toe and advised:

"Go home and keep your foot in an ice pack."

COL. TOOZE PROMOTED

VANCOUVER, Wash. (AP) — The commander of the 104th Infantry Division reserve, Col. Lamar Tooze Sunday was promoted to the rank of brigadier general in ceremonies at Vancouver Barracks. The Oregon and Washington outfit left for a two-week summer training encampment at Fort Lewis Sunday.

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