

Portland Man Admits Assault On Hitchhiker

OLYMPIA (AP)—Thurston County officers Saturday were holding a 21-year-old railroad brakeman who confessed the assault of a California woman hitchhiker in the woods near McCleary Friday.

Being held was Merlin C. Long of Portland, who admitted in a signed confession after being apprehended at Chehalis that he assaulted Pearl Fulton, 26, of Ceres, Calif., near McCleary.

In his statement to officers, Long said he picked up Miss Fulton and Glenn Moore, 30, Modesto, Calif., Friday morning as he left Portland on a train to Seattle.

En route to Seattle he took the Chehalis-Elma cutoff from Highway 99 to U.S. 101 and drove toward McCleary. Before entering the small lumbering community, he said, he drove into the woods and stopped the car.

At gunpoint, the confession continued, Long forced the two women from the car and to disrobe. He tied their hands with leather thongs he had purchased on the way and then assaulted the Fulton woman.

Long's confession said he then herded the two women deeper into the woods and tied them to a tree, blindfolded. He left a knife within their reach so they could cut themselves free and then left, marking the way to the road.

The two women freed themselves and walked to McCleary, where they told Police Chief Rudolph Lindgren of the incident. They told Lindgren they had been on their way to Seattle to pick up a car that had been in storage.

Lindgren broadcast an alarm for Long's arrest and he was picked up by Lewis County authorities at Chehalis as he headed back towards Portland.

Oregon State's Lone Casualty Back On Campus

CORVALLIS (AP)—Oregon State's lone casualty of the University of Oregon Friday morning campus invasion here, was back home with a shaved head Saturday and reports of a gay meeting with similarly shaved Oregon students.

Gary Cooner, 17, Tulelake, Calif., was the OSC victim. He was abducted from the Delta Tau Delta fraternity lawn by a carload of Oregon students during the Friday morning fracas.

Taken to Eugene, he was held at the Delta Upsilon house where he found his captors "pretty good guys." Several were friends of his from high school days. But soon, he said, a group from the Sigma Alpha Epsilon house arrived and insisted that his head be shaved and he be put on public display.

That happened and he was forced to appear at a 4 o'clock assembly and sing Oregon's Alma Mater. He did, to the Oregon students' glee.

About then the Oregon men who had been captured and given head shaves at Oregon State, arrived back on the campus. Their greeting of Gary was good natured, he said, and all of the chafed-headed students organized a football game as a prelude to Saturday's Oregon-Oregon State game—the occasion for the original invasion.

In the evening an escape was arranged, he said, and his friends drove him to Junction City where fellow students from Oregon State met him and brought him here.

It was all very friendly, he said. College officials, he said, weren't going to take any disciplinary action—unless they find out who broke some windows.

WOODLOTS PAY

SALEM (AP)—More than 10 million feet of timber were cut this year on woodlots owned by farmers, the State Forestry Department said Friday. It netted the farmers \$225,536.

The department encourages farmers to grow trees. It gave technical advice to more than 270 farmers in the past three months. The department ships 1,225,000 baby trees to farmers each year.

English is the language of Liberia which was founded by Negroes from the United States.

YOUR BODY

ROSEBURG, OREGON — These health articles are written and paid for by Dr. B. A. SMITH, Chiropractic and Naturopathic Physician, 1500 Garden Valley Road, in the interest of public health and to help you understand the body function. Look for these informative articles every Saturday.

The thyroid gland lies in the neck, on both sides of the trachea or windpipe. The function of this gland is to produce thyroxine, a hormone which influences metabolism and growth.

If the thyroid gland is overactive, food is burned too quickly in the body. The individual will then lose weight, the pulse becomes rapid, and he becomes nervous and unable to sleep. If the thyroid gland is underactive, development of the body is also not normal. In an adult with a mildly underactive thyroid, there is great sensitivity to cold, the hands and feet are cold and the individual finds mental activity more difficult.

Some secretion of the thyroid gland is absolutely necessary for the maintenance of life. Complete absence of function of the gland produces a condition known as myxedema, which consists of a general swelling of the body; puffiness of the face and the skin becomes dry and wrinkled. There is a general decline in the activity of the body and a slowing of the heart, eventually terminating in death if not corrected. Arrest of development of the thyroid gland at an early age results in cretinism. In this condition growth is retarded. Stunting of the body development is linked with a corre-

Funeral Set Monday For Native Of Milo

Graveside funeral services for Damien B. Crispin, Milo, will be at 2 p.m. Sunday at the Thomas Cemetery at Drew.

Recitation of the Rosary is scheduled at 8 p.m. Saturday in the chapel of Ganz Mortuary, Myrtle Creek.

Crispin was killed in a logging accident near Milo Thursday.

He was born at Milo, Dec. 4, 1918, and had lived most of his life in that vicinity. He was graduated from Days Creek High School. In 1942 and 1943, he lived at Sprague River. He was a veteran of World War II and a member of the Roseburg Eagles Lodge.

He was considered a gun expert in the county and gained considerable attention with his hobby.

Survivors include his wife, Jessie; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Crispin; two sons, Francis Robert and Armand Steven; and a stepdaughter, Marie Elaine Jara, all of Milo; a sister, Mrs. George Shaffer, Seattle; two aunts, Mrs. John Howell, Milo, and Mrs. Archie Archambeau, Roseburg; and an uncle, W. K. McNeil, Port Ludlow, Wash.

Wilbur School Sixth Graders Put Out Paper

Newspapers published in Douglas County will soon be joined by a new publication.

Sixth graders of Wilbur School have announced plans to start a school newspaper, reports News-Review Correspondent Ody Moorhouse. The publication will be known as The Council News.

Other information concerning the paper's size and probable publishing dates are not available, Mrs. Moorhouse said.

Staff members will be: Maria Broszio, editor; Walt Edmonds, assistant editor; Lynn McKay, sports editor; Carol Everett, society editor; Fred Murphy, art editor; and Jack Anderson, reporter.

Elsewhere in the county a bi-monthly publication by students at Reedsport Union High School got underway earlier this fall. It is known as The Umpqua Chief, according to an article in the Reedsport Courier.

The council newspaper is edited by members of Jack Collins' journalism class. Collins serves as advisor. Romaine Lovelace was named first editor.

TV Singer Loses Eye In Accident

SAN BERNARDINO, Calif. (AP)—Sammy Davis Jr.'s left eye was removed by surgery Friday night after he was injured in a fall from a stage during a performance of the young night club and TV singer-dancer was hurt in a highway collision.

Betty Hutton came out of her 11-day announced retirement to join singer Billy Eckstine in replacing Davis in the floor show of the Last Frontier Hotel at Las Vegas, Nev., Friday night. Actor-singer Jeff Chandler will do the full Saturday night and Sunday, the hotel announced.

A nationwide television audience saw Davis perform on NBC's Comedy House only last Sunday night. The versatile, 28-year-old Negro singer, dancer, clown and does imitations as star of the Will Mastin Trio.

The trio's other members are his uncle, Will Mastin, and his father, Sammy Davis Sr., veteran vaudevilleans.

Dr. Frederick Hull, eye surgeon who performed the operation at Community Hospital, said young Davis was in generally good condition afterward but would be hospitalized here another week or 10 days.

HELD IN JAIL

Lee Ray McDuffy Jr., 26, Reedsport, has been lodged in the county jail at Roseburg following his arrest on a Lane County warrant charging him with driving a motor vehicle while his operator's license was suspended. Sheriff Cal Baird brought the prisoner to Roseburg from Reedsport. McDuffy will be turned over to Lane County authorities.

OLALLA DANCERS MEET

The Olalla Square Dancers will meet at the Olalla Community Hall Saturday night at 8:30. Herb Northcraft will be caller, and featured during the evening will be a children's square dance. The public is invited and women are asked to bring sandwiches.

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FANS PAY HOMMAGE TO BARRYMORE—Scores of his fans follow the flower-covered casket containing the body of Actor Lionel Barrymore into Calvary Cemetery, Los Angeles, Calif., where Roman Catholic funeral services were held. He body was laid to rest in a crypt beside those of his brother, John, and his wife, Irene Fenwick, who died 18 years ago. (AP WIREPHOTO)



LEADERS HUDDLE—French Premier Pierre Mendes-France, right, stands in a close huddle with U. S. officials as they talk at national airport, Washington, D. C., after the French leader's arrival for talks with President Eisenhower and Secretary of State John Foster Dulles. Left to right: Dulles, Vice President Nixon, French Ambassador Henri Bonnet and Mendes-France. (AP WIREPHOTO)

Westside Evangelist Services To Continue

The evangelist meetings which have been conducted at the Westside Christian Church, will continue through the coming week. The Rev. Harry Chapin, pastor, announced today. The series is being conducted under the direction of visiting minister Harry V. Atkins, of Duluth.

Scheduled for the week are the following topics: each to begin at 7:30 p.m.: Sunday — "The Forgotten Gospel"; Monday — "When the Wind and Waves Had Ears," solo by Mrs. Glen Wright; Tuesday — "If Anybody in Roseburg Is Lost, Who Cares?" Bible night, solo by Mrs. John Saunders; Wednesday — "Have You Been Baptized?" solo by the Rev. Harry Chapin, music night; Thursday — "Barriers On the Road to Hell," solo by Louise Chapin; Friday — "The Good Confession," solo by Jessie Crenshaw.

Fullerton Cub Scouts Slate Meeting Monday

The Fullerton Cub Scouts Pack 114 will meet Monday at 7:30 at the Fullerton School. The theme for the month is "Adventures In History" with each den portraying a scene in history.

The following boys are to receive awards: Bobcat badge — Paul Morgan, Murry Magness, Jim Hodan, Merlin Siebold, Dale Walker, Richard Spielman, Tommy Stanton, David Sevall, Wolf badge — Bobbie Pratt, John Cox, Dale Miller, Tommy Dodge, Bear badge — Jim Riggs, Richard Morgan, Gold arrow — John Cox, Jim Riggs, Dale Miller, Richard Morgan, Silver arrow — Austin Drake, Douglas Moore, Jim Riggs. One year service star — Kim Anderson, Jim Riggs, Ronny Mankins, Dick Morgan, Patrick Neal. Two-year service star — John Sigrist, Webelows badge — Bobbie Ellison.

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High Officials In Mock Attack On Washington

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Several hundred miles around Washington.

At least three Cabinet officers were participating in the six-hour test. All were with Fleming, although their own departments have separate relocation headquarters. They were Mrs. Oveta Culp Hobby, Secretary of Health Education; Douglas McKay, Secretary of the Interior; and James P. Mitchell, secretary of Labor.

All but one of the agencies — the exception was not named — have picked out emergency sites from which they will operate if and when orders arrive to evacuate Washington. All but one have cached away important records, at or near the rendezvous site, in a repository unlikely to be a target for enemy bombers.

The departments have been given to understand that the relocation, if once ordered, is for the duration of an emergency.

The sites are resort towns, colleges, and communities which have unoccupied federal buildings in Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia, and North Carolina, and possibly elsewhere. All are within 80 miles to the west and north of Washington and 300 miles to the south.

Chinese Nationalists, Reds Trade Air Blows

TAIPEH, Formosa (AP)—Chinese Nationalist and Communist warplanes traded air blows Saturday in the area of the Tachen Islands, a Nationalist outpost 200 miles north of Formosa.

Three Red bombers escorted by fighters dropped three bombs on the Nationalist's Pisha Island in the southwest Tachens, wounding two persons the defense ministry reported.

The planes escaped under fierce anti-aircraft fire, the ministry said.

Earlier, Nationalist warplanes bombed and strafed Communist gun positions on Tachen Island, Red outpost 14 miles northwest of the Tachens.

Although the raiders encountered anti-aircraft fire, all the planes returned safely after starting big fires, Nationalist headquarters said.

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Class Winners Announced For Annual Turkey Show

Following are results of judging in the first day at the 23rd annual Northwestern Turkey Show:

Trophy Winners

Dressed champion young tom, all breeds — Dave Cooper, Parkdale.

Dressed champion young hen, all breeds — Cooper.

Dressed champion old tom—Cooper.

Grand champion dressed tom—Cooper.

Grand champion dressed hen—George L. Routledge, Roseburg.

Champions

Grand champion of all dressed classes — Routledge.

Reserve champion of all dressed classes — Cooper.

Grand champion dressed hen in show — Routledge.

Grand champion dressed old tom in show — Cooper.

Live Classes (Breeder)

Bronze Young Tom

Medium (26 to 33 pounds)—No 1st, 2nd, 3rd: 4. Bernar Hansen, Roseburg; 5. Hansen, 6. Baum and Bonebrake, Days Creek.

Heavy (over 33 pounds) — 1. Dave Cooper, 2. Cooper, 3. Cooper, 4. George Arnett, Shedd; 5. Cooper, 6. Arnett.

Bronze Young Hens

Light (up to 17 pounds) — 1. Carlos Johnson, Oregon City; 2. Cooper, 3. Cooper, 4. Johnson, 5. Johnson, 6. Cooper.

Medium (17 to 20) — George Arnett, 2. Arnett, 3. Cooper, 4. Johnson, 5. Cooper, 6. Johnson.

Heavy (over 20 pounds) — 1. George Arnett, 2. Bernar Hansen, 3. Arnett, 4. Cooper, 5. Cooper, 6. Cooper.

Bronze Old Hen

1. Arnett, 2. Johnson, 3. Cooper, 4. Arnett, 5. Cooper, 6. Johnson.

Live Classes (Junior)

Bronze Young Hens

Medium (17 to 20 pounds) — 1. Michael Gavin, Roseburg; 2. Gavin, 3. Jerry Akey, Oakland; 4. Glen Jones, Camas Valley; 5. Larry Keith, Roseburg; 6. John Northcraft, Brockway.

Bronze Young Toms

Medium (27 to 33 pounds) — 1. Nolan Tanner, Roseburg; 2. Rogers, Rhodes, Roseburg; 3. Glen Jones, Camas Valley; 4. Jerry Akey, Oakland; 5. Gavin, 6. Gavin.

Local Radio Stations Airing School Series

Roseburg schools of the area will take part in an extensive program of bringing to the public by radio a picture of the activities carried on by the teachers and a pupils.

The first program in the series got underway at 11:30 Saturday morning and a re-broadcast of the same program will be heard Monday. The first airing was heard over Radio Station KRRN, and the duplicate will be heard Monday at 1 p.m. over KRRN.

The program is a discussion show, with moderator Ralph Snyder guiding Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Hamm; Mrs. Leone Dickenson and Alan Petersdorf through a half-hour discussion of the problems of a child starting school for the first time. Mr. and Mrs. Hamm have a first grader in Green School, who is a student of Mrs. Dickenson. Petersdorf is principal of Green School.

Scheduled for future shows are tape recordings of school board meetings, candid reports and conversations of parents and teachers connected with the school and other subjects which present themselves.

All equipment used in the broadcast is property of District 4. Dr. Marvin Smith, assistant superintendent of schools, is coordinator.

Whereabouts Of Field Is Being Kept Secret

ZURICH, Switzerland (AP)—A foreign office spokesman said Saturday authorities are keeping the whereabouts of Hermann Field, a secret at the personal request of his sister, Dr. Elsie Field.

Field, a Cleveland architect recently released from prison in Communist Poland, arrived here Friday by air from Warsaw and promptly vanished. The move was speculation that he would soon be joined in Switzerland by his brother, Noel.

A one-time employee of the U.S. State Department, Noel and his wife, Herta, were freed in Hungary earlier this week after Red authorities found their imprisonment was due to "judicial error." They are believed at present in a Budapest sanatorium.

Hermann looked pale and drawn on his arrival. He was met in a private airport office by his sister and wife, Katha. Newsman were kept at a distance. The family was spirited away from the airport by a U.S. consular employee who maneuvered his car to elude newsmen.

Nov. 1 when the Reds bombed the Tachens in their first air attack on Nationalist territory.

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Eureka Lumber Mill Closed By RR Strike

EUREKA, Calif. (AP)—The Sound Lumber Co. announced Friday night it shut down at the end of Friday's shift as a result of the strike on Northwest Pacific Railroad.

The shutdown affected 100 men in the plant and 50 loggers.

It was the first shutdown of a lumber company since the railroad strike began. Hammond Lumber Co. has announced it will close down next Wednesday, laying off 1,100 men.

The Hansen-Pacific Lumber Co. of Fortuna said it would close down operations Saturday at 3 a.m.—the end of Friday's night shift.

Prowler Sought By City Police After Break-In

Roseburg city police were looking for an unidentified man who broke into Keel Motor Co., 443 N. Jackson St., Friday night.

Police said the prowler was frightened away before gaining entry to a room containing the company safe.

Police said the prowler was spotted about 10:40 p.m. by a member of the merchant police.

He made his escape through a ventilator leading to the roof of the building they said. He was believed to have sped away in an automobile.

Investigating officers found the prowler had attempted to knock off the knob of the locked door leading into the room containing the safe. They said he had used a large screwdriver in trying to dislodge the lock.

Merchant police told officers that the suspect appeared to be between 25 and 30 years of age and stood about 5 feet 10 inches tall. He was described as having dark hair and being dark complexioned. He was wearing a grey top coat.

Police said they had questioned a man answering the description early Saturday morning. No arrest was made.

Umberto Maglioli Leads In Pan-American Race

MEXICO CITY (AP)—Umberto Maglioli in a 4.9 Ferrari won both laps of the Pan-American road race Saturday on the basis of unofficial times, and took the lead in the general classification.

Maglioli's time was above the record set by Piero Taruffi in a Lancia last year although the distance has been shortened about 2 1/2 miles. He took 47:30 compared to Taruffi's 46:25 for the short leg from Puebla.

Phil Hill of Santa Monica, Calif., who lost the general lead to Maglioli Saturday, was second across the line.

(See story on sports page.)

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