SLAYER OF SIX IS LYNCHED BY 80 MASKED MEN

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He was pushed off the rail and dropped about 20 feet.

No Shots Fired.

The mob dispersed. No shots were fired and, save for the sheriff and his deputy being tied up, no one else was bothered.

Sheriff Thompson, who lives two blocks from the jail, was seized when he came to investigate the noise of the timbers breaking down the doors.

Young Bannon was brought to the McKenzie county jail here several days ago from the Williams county jail at Williston, N. D., where he had been held for safekeeping since his arrest. He and his father were to have been arraigned here tomorrow on first degree murder charges for the Haven slayings.

All Wore Masks.

Officials estimated that 80 men were in the mob. All wore masks and some were armed. They gathered quietly at the jail, and then, using timbers, battered down the front door of the place.

Confession by Charles Bannon early in December that he had slain Mr. and Mrs. Haven and their four children climaxed one of the most sensational crimes in North Dakota's history.

Bannon had been employed on the Haven farm, near Schafer, which is in Northwestern North Dakota. Last February, he told authorities that after a quarrel, he shot and killed first one, and then another of the Havens and buried their remains in a barn on the place.

He told friends and neighbors that the Havens had left the farm and had gone to live in Oregon. No suspicion attached to him until late in November when he was arrested on a charge of selling property that did not belong to him—hogs from the Haven farm.

He was questioned repeatedly about the whereabouts of the Havens. Checking in Oregon failed to locate them. Finally he told authorities he had helped bury a baby which he said Mrs. Haven had killed during a fit of insanity.

He led the officers to where the body was buried. Further questioning and search eventually led to all the bodies and a confession that he alone was responsible.

Authorities continued a search for his father, James F. Bannon, who was wanted for questioning in certain details. He was arrested December 13, near Toledo, Oregon, at a tourist camp and returned to North Dakota. He has denied any connection with the killings.

A Moment of Sadness That Becomes a Comforting Memory

What is more comforting at a time of extreme sadness than the realization that every detail has been assumed by us, and will be attended to with a quiet, unassuming confidence that is truly comforting.

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PHONE MAIN 42

PERRY PERSONALS

By Mrs. LaVon Pierson
(Observer Correspondent)

PERRY, Ore. (Special)—Mrs. Frank Braden, who underwent a minor operation at the Grande Ronde hospital, has returned to her home and is reported to be recovering nicely.

The Wednesday Sewing club met with Mrs. Kenneth Pierson Wednesday of last week. Refreshments were served by the hostess at the close of a very enjoyable afternoon. Those present were Mrs. Earl Stein, Mrs. Alvin Carman, P. V. Carman, Mrs. Alvah O'Neil and Mrs. Glen G. Penson, of La Grande.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Pierson and children spent an afternoon and evening recently at the home of Mrs. T. E. Pierson, of La Grande.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Horstman and son, Jack, of Kameta, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Kelley Friday night and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Pierson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn G. Penson, of La Grande, Saturday evening.

Miss Lorraine Smith, Bessie and Wilda O'Neil attended a dance in La Grande Saturday night.

Mrs. Elmer Vermillion, of Summerville, who was visiting her daughter, Mrs. Bob Myrick, last week, returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Gorham, of La Grande, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Pierson Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Evans and daughter, Norma, of La Grande, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stein Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Pierson, accompanied by C. D. Kelley, were at Hot Lake Monday visiting Mrs. Ruek Stayner and daughter, of Buhl, Idaho. Mrs. Stayner is an aunt of Mrs. Pierson and has been a patient at Hot Lake for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Proctor and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Pierson visited at the Louie Evans home in La Grande Wednesday evening.

WOOL REPORT

BOSTON, Jan. 29 (AP) — Trading in wool continues fairly steady with some houses reporting a more active demand, while others note slightly less active business at about steady prices. Bulk of sales are on western grown 58-60's and finer wool. Sample lots of 50's fleeces are being moved but no large sales have been reported. Cable reports to private concerns indicate a light advance in prices at London.

WINNIPEG WHEAT

WINNIPEG, Jan. 29 (AP) — Wheat close: May 58¾; July 59⅞; October 61⅜.

Cash: No. 1 hard 55⅜; No. 1 northern 55⅛; No. 2 northern 52¾; No. 3 [illegible] of $58,747.24. Reciting that the moneys were kept on deposit in a bank by the state engineer from January 1, 1927, in the name of the state engineer and that interest was paid to him by the bank in the sum of $4,229.70, the presentment says that the sum was retained by him until demanded on August 25, 1930. At that time, says the presentment, the engineer paid the state treasurer $1800.20 and the balance was paid to the treasurer upon demand on October 10. The presentment also cites interest on small transactions in connection with certain irrigation bonds.

Grand Jury Asks If Acts Of John Doe Were Illegal

SALEM, Jan. 29 (AP) — In a "John Doe" presentment to Circuit Judge McMahan yesterday the Marion county grand jury asked the court as to whether certain acts in connection with handling of finances by a "John Doe" state engineer, between January 1, 1927, and December 1, 1929, were in violation of any law of Oregon and if so what law.

The presentment came as result of special instructions given to the grand jury several days ago by the court in which it asked the jury to investigate details of certain transactions of Rhea Luper, former state engineer, in handling of funds which had come into his charge. Luper resigned under fire after making payments of certain amounts to the state treasurer.

The presentment finds that "John Doe," the state engineer in question, on January 1, 1929, was responsible for $29,159.93 from various fees and $9,620.76 of miscellaneous funds on January 21, 1930, it finds that he had accountability for $31,645.27 from various fees and $9,628.81 from miscellaneous funds, and on September 30, 1930 was responsible for a total of $58,747.24. Reciting that the moneys were kept on deposit in a bank by the state engineer from January 1, 1927, in the name of the state engineer and that interest was paid to him by the bank in the sum of $4,229.70, the presentment says that the sum was retained by him until demanded on August 25, 1930. At that time, says the presentment, the engineer paid the state treasurer $1800.20 and the balance was paid to the treasurer upon demand on October 10. The presentment also cites interest on small transactions in connection with certain irrigation bonds.

HOUSE COMMITTEE OPPOSES MEASURE

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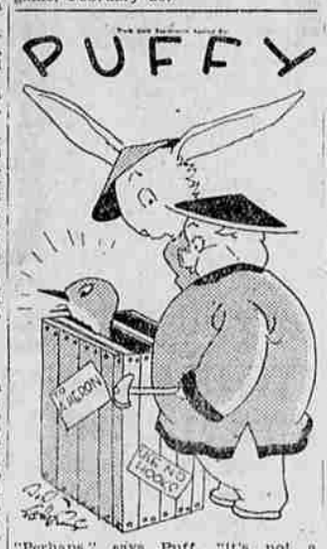
as the agriculture department.

The senate originally voted a $60,000,000 fund for loans to drouth stricken farmers which would have included loans for food, but the amount was cut to $45,000,000 and confined to feed, seed and fertilizer loans after opposition from President Hoover.

The co-ed band of the University of Kentucky will make its first appearance at the Vanderbilt-Kentucky game, February 20.



"Perhaps," says Puff, "it's not a dragon that we want to find,
A Chinese Nightingale's a better present, to my mind."
They scrape together pennies such as China people spend
And mail the bird to Captain Heron labeled, "Do Not Bend."

MARKET NEWS OF THE DAY

CHICAGO WHEAT

	Open	High	Low	Close
Mar. (old)	.79¼	.79⅝	.79⅛	.79⅛
(new)				
May (old)	.81¾@⅞	.82	.81⅝	.81⅞
(new)	.82⅞	.82⅞	.82⅜	.82¾
July	.65¼@⅜	.67½	.64⅞	.67@.68⅛

PORTLAND WHEAT

	Open	High	Low	Close
Jan.	.65	.65	.64½	.64½
May	.68	.68	.68	.68
July	.61	.61	.60½	.60½

Smelt Offered At Lower Price On Market Here

Quantities of smelt, which are now running in the Columbia river, are being received at meat markets in La Grande and are now selling three pounds for 25 cents. The smelt season lasts usually, only through the month of February.

Eggs remained the same today with Ucocos selling for 28 cents a dozen, a price which is much lower than that quoted on eggs this time last year. Other prices remained the same.

LA GRANDE RETAIL MARKETS

Sugar, 100-lb. sack	$5.90
Vegetables	
N. Gem potatoes, lb.	1½c
Sack	1.50
Parsley, bunch	5c
Cabbage, lb.	3c
Yellow onions, lb.	2c
Cucumbers	25c
Cauliflower, lb.	18c
Celery hearts, bunch	20c
Turnips, bunch	10c
Parsnips, lb.	3c
Lettuce, head	10@15c
Brussel sprouts, lb.	20c
Garlic, lb.	25c
Spinach, lb.	10c
Green pepper, lb.	35c
Squash, lb.	5c
Carrots, bunch	10c
Sweet potatoes, 3 lbs.	25c
Tomatoes, lb.	35c
Rhubarb, lb.	25c
New potatoes, 3 lbs.	25c
Green beans, lb.	30c
Fruit	
Florida grapefruit, 3 for	20c@35c
Bananas, lb.	10c
Apples, box	50c@$3.00
Lemons, doz.	45c
Oranges, doz	25@85c
Dry prunes, 30 to 40 size, 2 lbs.	25c
Dairy	
Butter, creamery, lb.	29c
Eggs, doz.	25@28c
Cheese, lb.	29@35c
Honey, comb	25c
Cottage cheese, lb.	20c
Flour	
Hard Federation, 49 lbs.	$1.25
Per barrel	4.75
Soft wheat, bbl.	4.00
Meat	
Beef boil, lb.	15c
Pot roast, lb.	15@17c
Chops and steaks, lb.	22@30c
Mincemeat, 2 lbs.	35c
Sausage, lb.	22c
Hamberger, lb.	22c
Fish	
Clams, lb.	10c
Salmon, lb.	30c
Halibut, lb.	30c
Smelt, 3 lbs.	25c
Poultry	
Spring, lb.	20@30c
Heavy hens, lb.	28c
Light hens, lb.	25c

Butter Higher Today; Produce Prices Steady

PORTLAND, Jan. 29 (AP) — Produce exchange quotations opened 1 cent higher on all grades of wholesale butter today as result of demonstrated strong technical position of the local market due principally to scarcity of fresh supplies of butter scoring from 89 to 90 points. The quotations advance brought about also a cent advance of the bid price of creameries for butterfat. Quote: butter, extras, 27c; standards 26c; prime firsts 25c; firsts 23c, and butterfat 23 cents f. o. b. Portland. Butter demand by retailers was reported good.

Egg market continued easy with quotations unchanged. Receipts were liberal and trade to retailers was of fair volume.

Fruit and vegetable market opened steady on practically all lines, only important change being a new decline of 25 to 50 cents a box for rhubarb to 90 cents to $1.25. Trade movement was reported good as to total tonnage volume.

Government market news service reported general conditions in the trade as follows:

Cheap apples continue to enjoy fairly good demand, but wrapped and graded offerings are moving very slowly. Most jobbers report the sale of 10-15 boxes of cooker apples, for every box of packed stock. Export loadings are heavier now, with movement from the Pacific coast during the latter half of January probably exceeding 700,000 boxes, according to steamship companies' reports. February loadings from the coast also promise to exceed 800,000 boxes.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, Jan. 29 (AP) — (U. S. D. A.)—Hogs 42,000; very slow; mostly 10-15 cents lower; bulk 130-210 lbs. $7.75@$8.00; extreme top $8.10; 220-300 lbs. $7.00@$7.65.

Cattle 5,000; calves 2,000; best around $11.00; bulk $8.00@$9.75; slaughter cattle and vealers: steers, good and choice 600-1300 lbs. $9.75@$13.25; 1300-1500 lbs. $9.75@$12.75; vealers (milk fed) good and choice $9.50@$11.50.

Sheep 10,000; fully steady; good to choice lambs $9.00@$9.50; lambs 90 lbs. down, good and choice $8.75@$9.50; 91-100 lbs. medium to choice $7.00@$9.35; ewes 90-150 lbs. medium to choice $3.50@$4.00.

SUGAR

PORTLAND, Jan. 29 (AP) — Sugar: steady; (sacked basis) cane, fruit or berry $5.00 per cwt. Beet sugar $4.80 cwt.

FLOUR

PORTLAND, Jan. 29 (AP) — Flour: steady; (city delivery prices) family patents, 49s $4.60; whole wheat, 49s $4.70; graham, 49s $4.60; bakers' hard wheat, 98s $5.20; bakers' bluestem patents, 98s $5.30; pastry flour, 98s $4.50.

PORTLAND PRODUCE

PORTLAND, Jan. 29 (AP) — Butter: all grades cent higher. (Prices to retailers) cubes: extras 27c; standards 26c; prime firsts 25c; firsts 23c. Creamery prices: prints 3c over cube standards

Milk: butterfat cent higher. Raw milk (4 per cent) $2.00 per cwt., delivered Portland less 1 per cent; grade C milk $1.50. Butterfat delivered in Portland 23c.

Eggs: easy, quotations unchanged.

Poultry, country meats, onions, potatoes, wool, nuts, hay, cascara bark and hops steady and unchanged.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK

PORTLAND, Jan. 29 (AP) — Cattle 85, about steady, calves 10. Steers 600-900 lbs. good $8.50-$9.10, medium $7.50@$8.50, common $6.25@$7.50; 900-1100 lbs. good $8.50@$9.10, medium $7.50@$8.50, common $6.25@$7.50; 1100-1300 lbs. good $8.25@$8.85, medium $7.25@$8.25, Heifers 550-850 lbs. good $7.50@$8.25, medium $6.50-$7.50, common $5.50@$6.50; cows, good $6.25@$6.75, common and medium $5.00@$6.25, low cutter and cutter $2.50@$5.00. Bulls (yearlings excluded) $5.00@$5.75, cutter and common and medium $3.50@$5.00. Vealers, milk fed, good and choice $10.00@$11.50, milk fed, medium $8.50@$10.00, milk fed, cull and common $5.50@$8.50. Calves 250-500 lbs. good and choice $8.50@$10.50, common and medium $5.00@$8.50.

Hogs 1550, including 1264 direct, 25 cents lower for slaughter classes; steady to strong for feeders. (Soft or oily hogs and roasting pigs excluded). Light lights 140-160 lbs. good and choice $8.00@$9.00. Light weight 160-180 lbs. $8.75@$9.00; 180-200 lbs. $8.75@$9.00. Medium weight 200-220 lbs. $8.00@$9.00; 220-250 lbs. $7.75@$8.75. Packing sows 275-500 lbs. medium and good $6.50@$7.75. Feeder and stocker pigs 70-130 lbs. good and choice $8.50@$10.00.

Sheep 100, talking steady. Lambs 90 lbs. down $6.75@$7.25, medium $5.50@$6.75, all weights, common $4.50@$5.50. Yearling wethers 90-110 lbs. medium to choice $4.00@$5.50. Ewes 90-120 lbs. medium to choice $2.50@$3.50; 120-150 lbs. $2.25@$3.25, all weights, cull and common $1.50@$2.25.

PORTLAND CASH

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 29 (AP)—Cash wheat: Big Bend bluestem 68c.
Soft white 66c.
Western white 66c.
Hard winter 63c.
Northern spring 63c.
Western red 63c.
Oats: No. 2-36 lb. white $22.00.
Today's car receipts: wheat 39; flour 8, corn 4.

Strong Tone In Street at Close

NEW YORK, Jan. 29 (AP) — The latest selling wave in the stock market spent itself without having attained more than ripple-size today, and share values recovered abruptly as shorts covered in the last hour.

The small volume of stock for sale on the decline cheered the bullish element, and recently expressed fears that the security market might have to handle a huge government loan for redemption veterans certificates were stilled by news that such legislation would be vetoed at the White House.

Although the market drooped during the major portion of the day, shorts found themselves pinched in several specialties in the late trading, and the list closed with a strong tone. Trading was light until the last hour, and transfers aggregated only 1,600,000 shares.

BUTTERFAT

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 29 (AP) — Butterfat f. o. b. San Francisco 25½c.

LIVERPOOL WHEAT

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 29 (AP) — Wheat close: March 59⅞; May 60⅞; July 62¾.

John McGraw, New York Giant manager, figures to start Fred Lindstrom, brilliant third baseman, in the outfield next season. The theory is that Lindstrom's hitting, already lusty, will improve.

Sixteen pitchers are included in the 33 players the New York Yankees will take to St. Petersburg, Fla., for spring training this year.

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TRAFFIC LAWS

Attention of the public is called to some of the important sections of Traffic Ordinances Nos. 1097 and 1155.

Parking in alleys is prohibited.

Parking within 15 feet of a fire hydrant.

Double parking is prohibited.

Parking between the hours of 2 and 5 a. m. in the fire limits.

No turning in middle of block.

Must make full stop at intersections of through streets.

The traffic officer and police have orders to rigidly enforce all traffic ordinances. The city asks the co-operation of the public. The police court is held in the City Hall at 7:30 each evening.

A. C. HAYNES, Chief of Police.
Jan. 29. Feb. 5-12.

Old time music at Zuber hall dance. Every Thurs. night. Tickets 65c, ladies 10c. Ray Buell. 1-28-2 tp.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

In the Matter of the Estate of BERTHA BERGER, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned, administratrix of the estate of Bertha Berger, deceased, has filed in the County Court of the State of Oregon for Union County, her final account as administratrix of said estate, and that the 2nd day of March, 1931, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the County Court room in the Court House of said County, has been fixed by the said court as the time and place for hearing of objections to said account and the settlement thereof.

IDA McMEEKIN, Administratrix of the Estate of BERTHA BERGER, Deceased.

E. R. RINGO, Attorney for Administratrix. Jan. 29. Feb. 5-12-19.

FOR VALENTINE'S DAY

You will find the cleverest line of Valentines suitable for every member of your family and friends, in the wonderful selection now on display at Richardson's Art and Gift Shop. Also clever Tally and Place Cards for your Valentine party, along with new things for your card prizes. Visit Richardson's Art and Gift Shop and enjoy the Valentines. 1-26-3 t.

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NOTICE OF BIDS TO BE RECEIVED

Sealed bids will be received on the following supplies by the Union County Court at the Courthouse, La Grande, Oregon, at two (2:00 p. m.) o'clock on the fifth day of February, 1931.

Gasoline, Kerosene, Oil, Greases and Culvert Pipe.

Bidding blanks and full information may be obtained at the office of the County Roadmaster, Courthouse, La Grande, Oregon.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids or to accept the ones deemed best for the County of Union.

S. B. MORGAN, County Roadmaster.
Jan. 22-29.

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GEORGE KOBAYASHI, Administrator of the Estate of George Yamada, Deceased.

E. R. RINGO, Attorney for Administrater. Jan. 29. Feb. 5-12-19.

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