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WORLD FLIERS UNREPORTED TODAY

8 MEASURES SURE TO GO ON BALLOT

Nineteen Referendums and Initiatives Not Filed This Morning.

DEADLINE IS 5:00 THIS AFTERNOON

Three Acts of Governor's Tax Program and College Consolidation Bill May Be Completed.

SALEM, July 7 (AP)—With the deadline set for 5 o'clock this afternoon only eight proposed measures of a total of 27 referendums and initiatives started have been completed and filed with the secretary of state. Several others, including the three acts of the governor's tax program and the college consolidation bill, may be filed before closing time of the department of state.

Of the measures proposed for action by voters, ten are constitutional amendments. Only three of these have so far been assured a place on the ballot and these three were referred directly by the state legislature in 1931. They are voting qualification of electorate on millage matters, amendment authorizing criminal trials without juries by consent of accused, and the six per cent tax limitation amendment.

The remaining seven constitutional amendment proposals have not yet been completed by initiative petitions and their status is not definitely

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Johnston, Degrace File Proceedings

SALEM, July 7 (AP) — Mandamus proceeding filed by Carl H. Johnston and C. A. Degrace, of Portland, ex-officers of the Prudential Savings and Loan association, who are seeking to have indictments returned against them by the Multnomah county grand jury dismissed, will be heard by the state supreme court here Saturday. The action was filed late yesterday.

Johnston and Degrace are charged with devising a scheme to defraud through the sale of stock in the Prudential corporation.

Dismissal of the indictments is asked on the ground that the trials were not held during the term of court following action by the grand jury.

DR. L. B. BOUVY IS ELECTED TO HIGH OFFICE

From among the doctors of seven states and British Columbia specializing in eye, ear, nose and throat treatment, Dr. Lee B. Bouvy was elected vice president of the Pacific Coast association at a meeting held recently in Seattle, according to word received here. Dr. Hans Barkan, an eye specialist of San Francisco, was elected president, while a Los Angeles doctor, Dr. Frank Freisen, was chosen as secretary.

Dr. Bouvy has been a member of the society for 12 years.

States and provinces included in the association are Washington, Oregon, California, Nevada, Idaho, Utah, Montana and British Columbia.

The 1933 convention city will be San Francisco.

Zimmerman, Jackson Coming on Friday

Guy L. Zimmerman and C. E. Jackson, nationally famous Iowa horseshoe pitchers and billed as the "world's best exhibition horseshoe pitchers," will be in La Grande tomorrow, giving two exhibitions at the courts back of the municipal building. The first will begin at 2:30 o'clock and the second at 7 p. m., thus giving all a chance to witness the two.

The visitors plan to stage an exhibition and also will play all comers.

WEATHER FORECAST

Oregon: Fair tonight and Friday; continued mild; moderate north and north west winds offshore.

WEATHER TODAY

7 a. m.—64 above.
Minimum: 48 above.
Condition: Clear.

WEATHER YESTERDAY

Maximum 84, minimum 48 above.
Condition: Clear. Range—36 degrees.

WEATHER JULY 7, 1931

Maximum 90, minimum 50 above.
Condition: Clear. Range—40 degrees.

Epworth League Institute Will Begin July 18

Western District of Idaho Conference of M. E. Church Will Send Young People to Lake.

The Wallowa Lake Epworth League institute, which includes the western district of the Idaho conference of the Methodist church, will be held at Joseph on July 18 to 24, it is announced by Rev. W. H. Hertzog, pastor of the local church, and dean of the institute. Nine leaders in the church have been selected to comprise the faculty for the event.

Dr. Harry S. Hamilton, of Gooding, Ida., will have the leadership of "The Morning Watch," which will be held every morning between 6:45 and 7:30, following the morning bugle which will sound at 6:15. Breakfast will follow the morning watch from 7:30 to 8:40, after which Rev. H. G. McCallister, of Boise, district superintendent of the Western district, and Rev. J. W. E. Bowen, of Shreveport, La., will conduct courses in Bible study and home missions.

The courses in Bible study promise to be particularly enlightening, since Mr. McCallister is reputed to be one of the best Bible teachers in the Northwest, Mr. Hertzog states.

An interesting personality at the institute will be Mr. Bowen, who is a young minister of the negro race who received excellent ministerial training and who took an appointment as a home missionary among the people of his own race. He will conduct two classes, "Home Missions," at 8:45 in the morning; and "Race Relations" from 9:40 until 10:30.

Recreation, under the direction of O. L. Dunlap and Rev. John Gresham, will follow at 9:30 for one-half hour. Mr. Dunlap comes from Caldwell, Idaho, will lead the recreation, while Mr. Gresham will help in organizing

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Bootlegging Of Milk New Worry; City Law Evaded

Rumors of milk bootleggers have reached the city hall, A. McAllister, city manager, reports. Unlicensed dairies are said to be furnishing milk for several local families, and the city manager warns the consumers that the city is not responsible for the purity of the milk obtained from such operators.

A city ordinance states that dairymen and others who sell food in the city, must have a license which is issued only after the herd and the equipment of the dairy have been examined by competent persons with regards to sanitation, cleanliness and health. A herd with a communicable disease is not allowed to furnish milk for public consumption, while a person with a communicable disease also is denied the right to hold a license, and it is necessary that any dairy where a communicable disease breaks

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Honan Hall May Be The Canning Headquarters

Honan hall probably will be the headquarters for the canning division of the county relief committee, Mrs. Frederick Gehring, chairman, announced this morning. Mrs. Gehring was recently appointed by Governor Julius L. Meier to head the committee which is a part of his program of relief for the needy throughout the state. To utilize Oregon products in a vast relief program is the basis of the movement started at a recent meeting of county officials with Governor Meier in Portland.

Mrs. Gehring appealed today to the public to co-operate in the philanthropic program which has been launched in La Grande so that the city will be able to help its 800 unemployed persons take care of themselves during the coming winter. While the materials will be solicited by a large committee, local women are asked to contribute their surplus jars, lids and sugar. Mrs. Gehring states that they appreciate money contributions from those who are unable to furnish jars, and the money will be used to buy canning supplies. The crucial time for canning many different types of fruit, much of which is going to waste, has arrived so the committee issues an urgent

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Audit Shows City Accounts All O. K.

Little more than routine business was attended to at last night's city commission meeting. The salary list for the month of June was allowed in the amount of $5953.14 and the manager reported the Conda J. Ham Audit Co. audited the city books last week and found everything in good shape.

Cash at the end of the week was $10,478.03, divided as follows: in bank $6953.32, cash $822.25, county general warrant $12.24, county road warrant $2.75, school district warrants $2,687.47.

NEW 5-POWER NAVAL MEET IS DESIRED

British Authorities Discreetly Launch Move in Geneva Today.

BALDWIN SPEAKS ON ARMAMENTS

Great Britain Willing to Go a Long Way With Hoover, But With Certain Limitations.

GENEVA, Switzerland, July 7 (AP)—A move to summon another five-power naval conference to achieve further reductions in sea forces was discretly launched by British authorities today simultaneously with the announcement in London of the government's counter-proposals to President Hoover's one-third arms reduction program.

The British would like to have this naval parley before the world disarmament conference resumes activity in the fall.

American spokesmen criticized the program announced in London as an attempt to reduce the size of American ships and therefore force them to remain in home waters.

BRITISH STAND ANNOUNCED

LONDON, July 7 (AP) — Great Britain told the world today she was ready to go a long way with Mr. Hoover on his proposal to cut armaments by one-third, but there were certain limits below which the number of units in the British navy could not be cut.

This message was contained in a white paper read by acting Premier Stanley Baldwin in parliament, in

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CUT SALARIES OF STATE EMPLOYES

Board of Control Announces Tentative Adoption of Recommendations

SALEM, July 7 (AP)—The state board of control today announced tentative adoption of the salary reduction recommendations made by the special committee appointed some time ago by Governor Julius L. Meier. The reductions ranging from 3 to 15 per cent will become effective as of July 1 for the remaining six months of the present biennium.

The reductions will apply to all departments and institutions under jurisdiction of the board, with recommendations that all other departments and institutions adopt a similar schedule. Further action on the schedule was referred to a committee composed of William Einzig, secretary of the board of control, and Henry Hanzen, state budget director.

The newly appointed committee was also directed to estimate the value of board and lodging and other items which might be deemed part of an employe's compensation where such items are furnished by the

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NO CONTAGIOUS DISEASES IN CITY OF LATE

La Grande has been fortunate during the past several months, Dr. A. L. Richardson, city health physician believes, since no serious contagious diseases have broken out and, no quarantines have been enforced inside the city limits. State reports show that several have been reported from other points in the county.

Only a few minor cases of mumps and measles have been reported locally.

$100,000 Fund Bill Approved By Committee

Would Provide Money to Send Bonus Marchers Back Home; Police Halt Threat of Trouble.

WASHINGTON, July 7 (AP)—The house voted today $100,000 to provide homeward transportation for the thousands of bonus marchers encamped here. The bill now goes to the senate.

WASHINGTON, July 7 (AP) — Responding to a request by President Hoover, the house appropriations committee today approved a $100,000 fund for transporting the army of bonus-seeking war veterans back to their homes.

This action came as police intervened to prevent what appeared to be imminent trouble at the bonus-marchers camp at Anacostia. A threatened disturbance quickly subsided when police stepped in.

The legislation to take the former service men away from Washington will be reported at once by Chairman Byrns to the house for action after disposition of the relief bill. The senate already has passed a bill to authorize loans to the veterans for their return home.

Figured As a Loan

The $100,000 would be spent to provide railroad transportation and subsistence at the rate of 75 cents a day for each honorably discharged war veteran encamped here. Advances not repaid would be deducted from the face value of the bonus certificates.

President Hoover made his request for the appropriation in a special message yesterday after capitol leaders urged quick action upon receiving reports of threatened rioting.

Trouble at the bonus marchers camp on the Anacostia flats started when John Pace, leader of a communist organization, the Workers Ex-Service Men's league, in a speech to the men demanded the overthrow of

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Garner-Wagner Relief Measure Passed by House

WASHINGTON, July 7 (AP) — The conference report on the Garner-Wagner relief bill, containing a provision which President Hoover has indicated will lead to a veto, was adopted today by the house.

The report now goes to the senate where Republican leaders planned to expedite action so that, in the event of a veto, a new measure can be worked out quickly to permit adjournment of congress.

Mr. Hoover opposed the provision sponsored by Speaker Garner to authorize the reconstruction finance corporation to make loans to all persons on adequate security.

President Hoover insisted at two conferences with Republican and Democratic coogressional leaders that restrictions be placed on those receiving loans.

Action came after three hours of debate.

The bill increases the capital of the reconstruction finance corporation from $2,000,000,000 to $3,800,000,000 and provides a $322,000,000 highway and building construction program.

The vote to adopt the report was 202 to 156 with Republican lines breaking.

To Initiate 350 Ontario Eagles

While the Eagles are holding their regular meeting tonight at 7:30 at the Eagles hall, C. E. Happersett, state treasurer, will go to Ontario to assist in the initiation of 350 members of the newly organized Ontario aerie, Arthur Bremer, president, announced this morning.

Initiation will be held at the La Grande aerie meeting and a report will be made on the picnic planned for later in the month. The date and place will probably be announced tonight, Mr. Bremer adds.

BORAH SHUNS THIRD PARTY NOMINATION

Unwilling to Accept Offer to Head Prohibitionists in Campaign.

DELEGATES ARE STILL HOPEFUL

Possibility Exists He Will Be Drafted as Dry Candidate For President Next Week.

UPSHAW NOMINATED

INDIANAPOLIS, July 7 (AP) —William D. Upshaw, former Democratico representative in congress from Georgia today was given a second ballot nomination for the presidency by the prohibition party's national convention.

Upshaw announced he would withdraw if Senator William E. Borah (R., Idaho) or some other outstanding dry leader agreed later to head a third party movement.

By Richard L. Turner
(Associated Press Staff Writer)

INDIANAPOLIS, July 7 (AP)—Without the name of Senator William E. Borah before them, but hoping he yet will be drafted as a dry third party candidate for the presidency, delegates to the prohibition party's national convention today turned to old party workers for their nominee.

With the convention apparently ready to nominate the Idaho statesman, leaders last night talked with him by telephone and then issued the following statement:

"The senator greatly appreciates the compliment which the convention confers upon him in its willingness to nominate him for the presidency. He advises, however, that the convention do not make such nomination as such a call should come, if at all, from a great united uprising of the people to be expressed at a subsequent convention representing the united moral forces of the nation."

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FRENCH SUB, WITH 73 MEN, SINKS TODAY

CHERBOURG, France, July 7 (AP)—The French submarine Promethee, with a crew of 56 and 17 others aboard, sank off Cherbourg harbor today.

Seven men were saved.

Besides the crew the submarine was carrying 17 engineers and other workers not permanently assigned to the vessel

Will Form Young Democratic League

A local oganization of the Young Democratic League of Oregon probably will be formulated here at a meeting to be held early next week at the Sacajawea Inn. Walter Pierce, ex-governor and candidate for congress, and Henry Hess, candidate for the state senate, will speak at the organization meeting.

In brief, the purpose of the league is to arouse the interest of young men and women in governmental affairs, national, state and local, to inform them of the candidates and issues, to stimulate a more active participation in the problems of citizenship, to develop a progressive leadership and to build a program for the sound future development of Oregon.

All young men and women are invited to attend. The definite date of the meeting will be announced later

BACK TO N. Y.

Coming home in defeat from his party's Chicago convention, Al Smith is shown here as he appeared upon his return to New York. Yesterday Smith announced that he would support his party, definitely turning down all appeals to head a third party.

BRIDE WITH HEIR WHEN SHOT FIRED

New Angle Enters Into Alleged Suicide of Smith Reynolds Yesterday.

WINSTON SALEM, N. C., July 7 (AP) —The Twin City Sentinel says today it learns from "high authorities" that Smith Reynolds and his bride, the former Libby Holman, Broadway revue star, were lying across a bed together when the heir to the Reynolds tobacco millions was fatally shot early yesterday.

The Sentinel says this statement was made to investigating officers by Mrs. Reynolds before she collapsed upon learning of her young husband's death.

First reports had said Mrs. Reynolds was in a nearby bedroom at the time of the shooting.

A. B. Walker, a friend of Reynolds, who was spending the night in the house, said he was on the first floor closing windows when he heard a shot, followed by Mrs. Reynolds' scream.

The Sentinel says officers have been unable to question Mrs. Reynolds since her collapse.

R. J. Reynolds, brother of the dead youth, was located by his attorneys today cruising in a yacht off the east coast of Africa.

Coroner W. N. Dalton, who pronounced the death a suicide, said he had heard nothing of the report that Reynolds and his wife were together on the sleeping porch when the shot was fired.

He said he understood the former singer was in another room.

Dalton said he was satisfied the shooting was a suicide and he considered the investigation closed.

Reynolds' body was removed from the undertaking establishment to his estate. Funeral services will be held tomorrow.

60 REPUBLICAN WETS TO SIGN BEER PETITION

WASHINGTON, July 7 (AP) — A petition to Speaker Garner urging immediate action on beer-for-revenue legislation was circulated today among Republican anti-prohibitionists.

The petition was agreed upon yesterday at a meeting of the Republican wet bloc.

Its drafting was completed today by Representative LaGuardia of New York and it immediately was passed from hand to hand by the Republican groups.

There was no plan to seek Democratic signers.

LaGuardia predicted sixty signatures would be obtained from the Republican side.

SLAYER KILLS HIMSELF

GREELEY, Colo., July 7 (AP)—Emile Baele, 55, Stoneham, Colo., rancher who was charged with slaying his housekeeper, Mrs. Violetta Phillips of Denver, July 5, hanged himself early today in his cell in the Weld county jail.

St. Paul Youth Is Returned By Kidnaping Gang

Tired and Unshaven But Unharmed, Haskell Bohn is Released; Three Men Are Arrested.

ST. PAUL, July 7 (AP) — Tired and unshaven, but otherwise unharmed, Haskell Bohn, St. Paul youth, was back home today, with a story of having been held captive by several men for nearly a week.

Whether any money had been paid for his release, as demanded in a note left at the home last Thursday when Bohn was seized by two men and thrown into an automobile, was not revealed. The writers had asked $35,000.

Three Men Held

Three men who are alleged to have attempted to extort $10,000 from G. C. Bohn, young Bohn's father, were being held by police.

Bohn walked into a farm house at Medicine Lake, near Minneapolis, late last night, and said his captors had just freed him. The sheriff's office at Minneapolis was notified and two of-

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Von Papen And Herriot Still Fail to Agree

LAUSANNE, Switzerland, July 7 (AP) —It was reported this evening that France and Germany had agreed on a formula settling the "war guilt" issue by writing into the treaty which will close the reparations conference here a phrase to the effect that it "completely replaces all previous reparations agreements." The treaty of Versailles, in the article dealing with reparations, requires Germany to assume the blame for the World war.

LAUSANNE, Switzerland, July 7 (AP) —Deadlocked over reparations and the "war guilt" stigma so irritating to Germany, Premier Herriot of France and Franz Von Papen, the German chancellor, held another fruitless conference this morning.

The chancellor, it was understood, suggested that the reparations and debts conference be adjourned. The premier said no matter what sort of settlement was reached he would not accept any political conditions.

Nevertheless the legal minds of the several delegations continued their work on the outline of a treaty by which they hoped to iron out the difficulties in a manner satisfactory to all interests.

It was understood that the principal points of the treaty are these:

1—A document recording whatever reparations agreement may be reached.

2—A gentlemen's agreement linking reparations with Europe's debts to America.

3—A debt agreement among the European nations.

4—A letter to Germany explaining the gentlemen's agreement.

It was learned today that a debts agreement between England and Italy and England and France which was reported yesterday provides that Italy and France will not be required to pay installments on their debts to England pending ratification of such agreements as may be reached here.

The text of the tentative agreement was practically completed this afternoon except for the filling in of the actual figures still to be agreed upon.

Acceptance of the agreement depends, of course, upon whether Chancellor Von Papen and Premier Herriot reach an accord on the points over which they have been bargaining since the beginning of the conference.

Albany, Ore. Man Signs Confession

ALBANY, Ore., July 7 (AP) — Gregario Perez was charged, with first degree murder here Wednesday following his alleged confession of the fatal shooting of Gerardo Martinez. Officers who said Perez signed a statement admitting the shooting said he claimed he shot in self-defense.

Doctor Convicted In Polygamy Case

HOOD RIVER, Ore., July 7 (AP)—Dr. Walter E. Nichol, of Hood River, was convicted in circuit court here Wednesday of a charge of polygamy.

Dr. Nichol obtained a divorce in Mexico several months ago and upon his return to Oregon he married Anna Mae Kingsley, of Portland. The Oregon law does not permit remarriage within six months of the time the divorce decree is granted.

Ida B. Callahan Dies at Oakland

ROSEBURG, Ore., July 7 (AP)—Ida B. Callahan, 69, instructor in the English department at Oregon State college for the past 40 years, died this morning at the home of her brother, B. F. Burnett, at Oakland, Ore. She was born May 10, 1863.

Mrs. Callahan served two terms as president of the Federated Business Women's Clubs of Oregon.

NO TRACE OF AVIATORS AT NOON TODAY

Fail to Reach Moscow After Hopping Off From Berlin Wednesday.

MAY HAVE GONE ON TOWARD OMSK

Points East of Moscow, However, Report No Sign of Missing "Century of Progress."

MOSCOW, July 7 (AP) — James Mattern and Bennett Griffin, missing between Berlin and Moscow on their round-the-world flight, were still unreported at noon E.S.T. today.

If they were still in the air at that time they would be forced down for that was the limit beyond which the fuel they took aboard at Berlin would be exhausted.

They had full tanks when they took off from Berlin at 3 p. m. E.S.T. yesterday. That was approximately 600 gallons, enough to keep them in the air 21 hours.

Officials at the flying field here sent inquiries to all points along the route from Berlin, but there was no word of the Americans.

There was a possibility they had passed Moscow in the night without being seen and kept on toward Omsk, 1600 miles to the east. Another supply of fuel awaited them there and it was assumed they knew the way.

But the airport at Kazan, three hours' flying time east of Moscow, reported that the "Century of Progress" had not been sighted there.

Omsk, however, is without good communication facilities and if the fliers had landed there word of their arrival might be delayed in reaching Moscow.

It was possible also they might have been forced down between Berlin and there. The terrain is such as to make an emergency landing possible, but there, too, communications are not of the best.

If they went straight to Omsk and maintained the speed of about 140

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GOV. HARTLEY HEARS GROUP FROM JOBLESS

OLYMPIA, Wash., July 7 (AP) — A committee representing two unemployed groups, who trekked to the state capital to seek legislative relief, finally succeeded in presenting their demands to the governor, but today were still in doubt as to the results of their demonstrations and demands.

Governor Roland H. Hartley, after a three-hour conference with the jobless representatives yesterday, said the question of an extra session of the legislature to act upon unemployment problems could not be answered until later. "The question is too vital, too important to the state to be solved by hasty action," he said. Newsmen were barred from the conference.

M. M. London, Bellingham, executive secretary of the United Producers league of Washington, said the committee "put the need of a special session squarely before the governor. He said he would give our demands full consideration but indicated he still was of an open mind on the question of a special session at this time."

Find No Trace Of Missing Curlew

NEW YORK, July 7 (AP) — The navy dirigible Akron still was nosing over the Atlantic today, more than 36 hours out of its hangar at Lakehurst, N. J., scanning the waters for some trace of the racing yacht Curlew.

The Curlew, manned by five amateur yachtsmen of New York City, had not been sighted since it left Montauk Point, L. I., for Bermuda twelve days ago. All of the 26 other entries either had reached the island or had been accounted for.

The Akron, which is supplementing scores of surface vessels in the search for the missing ketch, passed over Hamilton, Bermuda, early last night and caused much excitement among the island populace.

Wheat Today

CHICAGO, July 7 (AP) — Late reactions from price advances more than wiped out gains in wheat and other cereals today.

A sudden jump of 4⅞ to 6 cents in wheat values at Berlin had only a transient bullish influence here. Upturns in Chicago prices on wheat ran into standing orders to sell, largely of a hedging character.

Wheat closed unsettled ⅜ @ ⅝c under yesterday's finish, corn ⅛ @ 1c down; oats unchanged to ¼c lower, and provisions varying from 2 cents decline to a rise of 25 cents.

Chicago Beer War Flames

Garner to Speak in California During Campaign, William McAdoo Announces

WASHINGTON, July 7 (AP)—William G. McAdoo, said today after a conference with Speaker Garner that the Democratic vice presidential nominee had promised to speak in California during the campaign.

McAdoo, a former secretary of the treasury, said details had not been arranged, but added:

"He will certainly appear at Los Angeles."

McAdoo was in excellent spirits after his early morning talk with Garner and predicted the Democratic ticket "will carry California. Mr. Hoover's own state."

Pleased at Smith's Course

He expressed gratification at Alfred E. Smith's announcement he will support the party ticket and described as "Republican propaganda trying to stir up trouble" reports he had thrown California's votes to Governor Franklin D. Roosevelt because Smith blocked him in 1924.

"I felt sure that Governor Smith, a fine Democrat, would support the ticket," McAdoo said. "It was extremely unfair to the governor to suggest that he would not support the party.

"There was no element of revenge in any action of mine at Chicago. If there had been, why should I have gone to Roosevelt who led the fight for Smith in 1924?"

MacAdoo Happy

McAdoo smiled as he made this

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Two Gangsters Murdered; Third Man Is Wounded

CHICAGO, July 7 (AP) — The beer war apparently is raging again along Chicago's southside gangland front.

The process of eliminating one another from the city's crime picture was resumed last night, after a short intermission.

James "Red" McGee, a former policeman and Vernie Larkin, reputed henchmen of Edward "Spike" O'Donnell, were the victims.

Two gunmen invaded the Del Rio roadhouse, operated by McGee, and killed McGee and Larkin, known as "The Goat," with shotguns. A third man, George Vanderklaw, a waiter,

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