

Paul And Dushane Arraigned In Bank Robbery Case

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RETAIL, DRUG STORE CODE SIGNED

EXPECTED TO ENTER PLEAS DURING WEEK

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TOOK WRONG ROAD TO MAKE ESCAPE

Suspects Had Planned to Go to Walla Walla via Tollgate Road, Officers State.

Jesse B. "Slim" Paul and James Dushane, suspected of robbing the Stockgrowers and Farmers bank at Wallowa a week ago today, were arraigned in the Enterprise circuit court and waived preliminaries. It was learned here today. They are to enter pleas sometime later this week, it is said.

They were captured Thursday afternoon by Cliff McGinnis, ranger on the Grande Ronde river, and officers say all of the loot from the bank was recovered.

Sergeant J. A. "Dick" Robertson, of the state police stationed in La Grande, was one of the officers who took the two men from the McGinnis ranch to Enterprise. He said today that "Slim" talked freely to him in reference to the robbery. Sgt. Robertson said that "Slim" told him that he and his partner planned to ditch their car on a road heading toward Lewiston, and then double back on foot and head for Walla Walla over the Tollgate highway. But the officer reports that

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3 East Oregon Football Teams Remain In Race

With the fifth tie of the season for Baker High school chalked up in Baker Saturday when the Bulldogs held the Pendleton Buckaroos to a 7-7 score, the Northeastern Oregon football championship situation remains the same as Saturday.

La Grande, Baker and Pendleton all are undefeated in this section. The coming weekend may change matters somewhat with Pendleton playing in La Grande. The winner of the Friday afternoon game here probably will be a favorite to take the title.

Last Friday La Grande won from Enterprise 26 to 0, eliminating the Savages. Previously La Grande eliminated Mac-Hi 41 to 7. On the showing against Walla Walla, Pendleton is a slight favorite over La Grande, but pre-game dogs doesn't always hold true. And Coach Ira Woodie and his Tiger team plan to put in some hard licks this week with just one idea in mind—defeat Pendleton here Friday. It will be one of the biggest home games of the La Grande season.

ABLE TO GO TO HER HOME

Mrs. Hal Bohnenkamp, who suffered spine injuries when she fell down a flight of stairs at their home last Thursday, was able to be out of the hospital Sunday. She was taken to her home where she will be confined to her bed for a few days.

TWO MARRIAGE LICENSES HERE

Marriage licenses were issued by County Clerk C. K. McCormick to Philip C. Johnson, Berkeley, Cal., and Pauline Asper, Telocasset; Eugene A. Cates and Dorothy French on Saturday.

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WILL ROGERS says:

SANTA MONICA, Cal., Oct. 22 — Left Fort Worth, Texas, last night at 9, in Los Angeles at 7:30 a. m., regular American Airways passenger line. The co-pilot made our seats down into a regular bed and all the passengers slept through the taking on gas at El Paso, Douglas, Tucson and Phoenix, Ariz. There is your success of passenger aviation. For it as everybody can lay down and have a good sleep. The air is much better at night.

Been on a tour with this fellow Farley for three days. Thousands turned out to see him everywhere, lots of 'em looking for a postoffice. When he finished talking to 'em they all felt satisfied, even if they hadn't received as much as a postcard.

Quite a president maker, that lad. Presidents become great, but they have to be made presidents first.

Yours, Will Rogers

EAST NORMAL HOME-COMING THIS WEEKEND

Feature Sporting Event Will Be E. O. N.-College of Idaho Grid Game.

The biggest fall event of the Eastern Oregon Normal school is scheduled for this coming weekend, which will be observed as home-coming.

The feature attraction in the way of sports will be the football game Saturday afternoon on the E. O. N. field between the College of Idaho, northwest conference member, and the Mountaineers, coached by Bob Quinn.

In three games, the Mountaineers have scored 99 points to opponents' 0, and the Coyotes, mentored by Coach Baaler, formerly of Boise, the other day held University of Idaho to a one-touchdown victory. Sport fans believe it will be one of the best games ever played in Eastern Oregon.

The remainder of the home-coming program is expected to be announced shortly. Hundreds of former students are planning to return to La Grande this weekend for the home-coming events, and to renew old acquaintances.

KEY MEMBERS OF LIONS HONORED

Following the business session at the Lions luncheon today at the Scajawea Inn, the remainder of the hour was given over to recognition of key members. In addition, La Grande has the honor of being the only club in this district with two master key members.

Fred Henning announced plans for repair and distribution of Christmas toys, in cooperation with the firemen.

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STOCK JUDGING TEAMS DO WELL

Word received from Portland today was to the effect that in the Smith-Hughes stock judging competition at the Pacific International Livestock exposition, that both the Wallowa and Imbler school teams ranked among the leaders.

Wallowa was among the first 13 teams in the rankings and Imbler among the first 18 teams.

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last August. They started with three wagons but were forced to leave one, and Mr. Wright believes the relic is the wagon abandoned more than three score and ten years ago.

Youngest Head



Billie B. Johnson, 17, elected president of the Silverton, Ore. American Legion Auxiliary, is said to be the world's youngest. She was born in World War days.

TEXAS COMPANY BUILDING \$2170 STRUCTURE HERE

Building permits in La Grande passed the \$40,000 mark during the last week, with the Texas Co. taking out a permit to erect a brick hoist room on Adams avenue between Second and Third streets, the job to cost \$2170. J. G. Gietlhuber is the contractor. The work is being done at the Heasty Service station. The foundation is completed and brick laying will start tomorrow.

In addition the General Petroleum Co. took out a permit to spend \$64 in altering a service station on Adams between Greenwood and Fir.

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URGE PEOPLE TO NOT LEAVE CLOTHING OUT

A plea to people throughout this community to refrain from leaving clothing on clothes lines after dark was voiced today by the police department.

Several lines have been robbed during the last week or so. Police have investigated several cases but find it very difficult to find any traces of the persons responsible for the thefts.

SINCE THE GOOD OLD DAYS SEEM TO BE COMING BACK



COLLEGE FOR TEACHERS IS HELD NEEDED

Mrs. Pierce Speaks at Eugene on Oregon's System of Education.

JUNIOR COLLEGE PLAN MENTIONED

La Grande, Ashland and Portland Mentioned — Asks Co-operation of Oregon "Dads."

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Oct. 23 — A plea that fathers of University of Oregon students, as well as other people of Oregon, consider pressing problems now before the State board of higher education, was made Saturday night at the annual banquet of the "Oregon Dads" here by Mrs. Cornelia Marvin Pierce, of La Grande, member of the board. Study of the problems by committees of the "dads" was urged by Mrs. Pierce.

Finance was held to be of paramount importance as a problem to be considered by the public. "I look beyond the group of students now in Oregon institutions and see the 15 per cent of the former student body who have not returned to campuses this year," Mrs. Pierce said. "It is because they were disappointed in the university or because they lacked the means to finance themselves? In either case it is most serious."

Declaring that the economic situation must be taken into consideration

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Successful '49 Show Closes On Saturday Night

One of the most successful Days of '49 shows held in recent years closed Saturday evening at the Scajawea Inn with a record breaking crowd. The ball room was filled to capacity with dancers, spectators and players at the gaming tables. Jesse V. Andrews was chairman of the committee in charge of the show this year and proceeds will be used by the Elks lodge for juvenile relief and for the annual community Christmas tree for the kiddies.

A new form of relief has been accepted by the lodge this year and instead of dispensing baskets of food at Christmas time the lodge will carry on an extensive program of children's relief.

Girl Swims From Alcatraz Isle



While the nation discussed Alcatraz island, in San Francisco bay, as a place where hardened criminals could be kept by Uncle Sam with no chance to escape, "Babe" Scott, 17, upset these theories by swimming from the island to San Francisco in 47 minutes.

ELK HUNTERS IN EASTERN OREGON MOUNTAINS NOW

Reports this afternoon were that Ben Cox shot an elk today near Kainola. No further details were learned.

With thousands of big game hunters in the woods of Union, Umatilla, Baker and Wallowa counties today, no reports had been received here at 1 o'clock this afternoon of any elk kills. Local men, however, were expecting some reports of successes later in the day or by tomorrow.

The biggest deer of the season in this locality was brought in last night and entered in the Wagner Hardware Co. contest. The buck, a four-pointer shot near the Ruckles station, weighed 260 pounds and was shot by Otto Keller. This is a larger deer than the one that won the contest in 1932.

Reports from Enterprise during the

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JUST BEFORE PRESSTIME

CANNON GRANTED REVIEW
BRAINERD BANK ROBBED
HIGHWAY BOARD TO MEET
CHIEF FORESTER KILLED

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23 (AP)—Bishop James Cannon Jr., and his secretary, Ada L. Burroughs, were granted a review by the supreme court today of the ruling of the district of Columbia court of appeals holding they must stand trial on an indictment charging them with violating the corrupt practices act in failing to report contributions received during the 1928 presidential campaign. The case was set for hearing on December 4.

BRAINERD, MINN., Oct. 23 (AP)—Five sub-machine gun armed robbers overpowered 14 persons in the First National bank here today, shot up the inside and outside of the structure and adjoining buildings, and fled with at least \$32,000.

SALEM, Oct. 23 (AP)—An executive session of the state highway commission will be held in Portland tomorrow afternoon to consider further means of financing a proposed loan of from \$15,000,000 to \$20,000,000 for road work to be used in unemployment relief, it was definitely learned here today.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23 (AP)—Major R. Y. Stuart, chief forester of the national forest service, fell to his death early today from a window on the seventh floor of the downtown building housing the national headquarters of the service.

F. R. PLANNING TO INITIATE NEW POLICY

Gives Immediate Attention to New Monetary Plans After Talk.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23 (AP)—President Roosevelt concentrated today on preparations for immediate initiation of his new monetary plans. Discussions took place at the White House preliminary to the setting of a price the government will pay for newly mined gold, in proceeding toward its goal of higher price levels and a managed currency.

At the White House it was stated the president had received considerable reaction to his speech last night, principally favorable.

Chairman Fletcher of the senate banking committee, in a talk with reporters, gave wholehearted approval to the gold purchase policy, but said if this does not do the things hoped for, "less emphasis" should be placed on the yellow metal as a currency basis.

Firm control of the dollar's gold value was added by the president to the government's multiple efforts to lift commodity prices.

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TOWLER IS NAMED PRINCIPALS' HEAD

E. D. Towler, former principal of La Grande High school but who accepted a similar position in Astoria High school about a year ago, Saturday was elected president of the State High School Principals' association in session in Salem.

Wheat Today

The price of local wheat stood at about 53 1/2 cents today, according to quotations at the Pioneer Flouring Mills—an increase in the last several days of 11 cents. Portland cash 70 cents.

CHICAGO, Oct. 23 (AP)—President Roosevelt's address to the nation made wheat prices go soaring today reaching a point 10 cents above last week's low, the bottommost point this season.

An outstanding feature was notable scarcity of wheat offerings. Aside from the president's announcement of a policy of higher prices for farm products, much notice was also taken of his free gold market plan, which leading experts here construed as likely to accomplish in a gradual manner the same effects as a revaluation of the dollar.

Wheat closed strong, 3 1/4 @ 4 1/2 cents above Saturday's finish, corn and oats both 2 1/2 @ 3 cents up, and provisions unchanged to a rise of 25 cents.

NRA PROGRAM SWINGS INTO NEW COURSE

F. R. Exempts Stores of Less Than 5 Employes in Small Towns.

INDIRECT NOTICE OF "MERIT CLAUSE"

Drug Stores Included in Retail Code, Thus Eliminating Need for Separate Compact.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23 (AP)—The retail code, signed late last night by President Roosevelt, was made by an appendix to include all drug stores, thus eliminating necessity for a separate compact for them.

President Roosevelt, in approving the retail code, swung the NRA program into a new course by exempting both from the code and from the voluntary reemployment agreement, retail stores employing less than five persons in towns of 2500 or less.

Making public the text of the code, recovery Administrator Hugh S. Johnson said that this was done because "our experience shows that the amount of reemployment and wage increase in these establishments is not enough to offset the hardship entailed."

"He is asking those who can do so to continue under the former rule," Johnson continued.

"With all who do, the blue eagle remains. By all others, the blue eagle with the exemption chevron (a white bar across the face of the emblem) may be displayed.

"This should relieve the farmer of retail mark ups to increase expense." President Roosevelt, recording his approval of the retail code, took indirect notice of the recurring disputes over the "merit clause" in industrial codes with a notification to the NRA that it was his understanding that there was nothing in the labor clauses of the industrial control law to interfere with the "bona fide exercise of the right of an employer to select, retain or advance employes on the basis of individual merit."

The question has been somewhat of a thorn in the NRA side since the controversial clause was allowed in the automobile code, Johnson banning it thereafter.

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England Opposes Conference Delay

LONDON, Oct. 23 (AP)—It was indicated authoritatively shortly before a cabinet session today that the British government opposes an adjournment of the disarmament conference unless it is coupled with a provision for resumption of work at some future date.

2 WEDDINGS IN WALLA WALLA

Two La Grande couples received marriage licenses in Walla Walla during the past weekend. They are Clifford M. Alstott and Lillian J. Beaudette, Lonzo W. Dixon and Minnie Hutwell. They were married by Justice C. M. Wilbur in Walla Walla.

Another Plea For Short Work Hours

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23 (AP)—Another plea for shorter hours today accompanied organized labor's estimate that unemployment dropped 3,600,000 during seven months of the Roosevelt administration.

William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, said re-employment of 1,700,000 men in August and September, in making the new re-employment total, still left 10,089,000 unemployed.

ROCKEFELLER LIQUOR CONTROL DATA GIVEN

NEW YORK, Oct. 23 (AP)—John D. Rockefeller Jr. laid in completed form before the public today the report of his study into the problems of liquor control after repeal—a report which expressed the hope that legalized sale of alcohol might mark the beginning of real temperance.

The study, of broad sociological nature, regarded as its prime objectives the abolition of lawlessness, and the focusing of all forces of society on development of self control and temperance in the use of spirituous beverages.

Three points are stressed in the report—state control of liquor sales, elimination of the profit motive, and taxation primarily for social control rather than revenue.

"Only as the profit motive is elim-