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SENTENCE WALLOWA BANK ROBBERS

DUSHANE AND PAUL GIVEN LIFE TERMS

Glenn Simms, of Ukiah, to Serve Ten Years in Penitentiary. ALL THREE ENTER PLEAS OF GUILTY Paul to be Returned to Oklahoma Prison—Others Will Be Taken to Salem.

Jesse B. Paul, escaped Oklahoma convict; James Dushane, former inmate of a Texas prison, and Glenn Simms, of Ukiah, Ore., this morning entered pleas of guilty in circuit court at Enterprise to charges of assault and robbery being armed with a dangerous weapon. Judge J. W. Knowles sentenced Paul and Dushane to life terms in the penitentiary and gave Simms ten years. Paul and Dushane were captured four days after they robbed the Stockgrowers and Farmers National bank at Wallowa Oct. 16 of about \$2500 in cash and more than \$10,000 in bonds. Cliff McGinnis, Wallowa county rancher, captured the pair singly handed and turned them over to officers, along with the loot. Later state police arrested Simms and he confessed to furnishing Paul and Dushane with the car and gun they used in the bank robbery, and said that he was to share in a division of the loot. All three confessed to officers, following their arrest. Paul will be returned to Oklahoma to finish serving a life term there on a charge of slaying an officer. Dushane and Simms will be taken to the Oregon prison in Salem.

Hayward Coming To Attend Scout Court of Honor

H. L. Hayward, of Spokane, field representative of the Boy Scouts, will be in La Grande tonight and attend a special court of honor of the local Boy Scouts at the La Grande High school gymnasium. Merit badges and rank awards will be made to a large group of scouts who have passed the board of review.

MISS BIGELOW TO MEET WITH THE RED CROSS

Miss Alida Bigelow, field worker for the American Red Cross, will meet with the local chapter tonight at 7:30 o'clock. Plans will be made for the annual roll call. Rev. Paul Mortimore, president, announces.

KNOWLES HEARS CASE IN COURT

Judge J. W. Knowles, circuit judge, heard the case of Lindsey vs. Haines in circuit court Thursday and took the matter under advisement instructing attorneys to file briefs. The case involved the ownership of some land.

ELKS TO HOLD DANCE, REPORT

Victor Eckley chairman of the winter dance committee of the Elks lodge, reported last night when the lodge met at the hall, that a dance will be held during November, the date to be set later. Tonight at 7:30 at the temple, the committee appointed to prevent the killing of elk in Oregon will meet with Ernest Crockett, commission official.

"OLD GEORGE" SAVED FROM RIFLE BULLETS

Now the story about how "Old George" elk at Meacham, was saved from the bullets of hunters last week in spite of his lameness. The report received here today said: The patriarch of Oregon wapiti, known and loved by hillbilly and citizen alike along the broken ranges of the hills of his heritage, escaped the lethal end which named him and his kind as legal game for three days by remaining in a barn throughout the entire open season on elk, according to Lieutenant Richard Cecil Williams, Oregon state police. So venerable and friendly is this elk of Meacham that he has won himself a permanent niche in the hearts of

WILL ROGERS says:

BEVERLY HILLS, Cal., Nov. 2 — Well, I see today my old friend from Buffalo Bayou, Texas, Jesse Jones, went right out in the wide open market and announced to the cockeyed world (including ourselves) that we wanted to buy gold. Price was no object, the folks we bought it from was no object. Egyptians, Russians, Hindus, Zulus, bootleggers, or anything. The only thing we hadn't thought about, we got to give gold to get gold, Jesse couldn't start out with some of our paper money and buy a thimble full of gold between now and the big argument. (What do you mean, the big argument? Why, when congress meets. Yours,

Will Rogers

COMMISSION BEGINS ELK STUDY HERE

Ernest Crockett Conducting Inquiry—Kill Now Stands at 481.

The state game commission has lost no time in starting a survey of the elk hunting situation in Union, Umatilla, Baker and Wallowa counties. Today Ernest L. Crockett, representative of the commission, was in La Grande after spending yesterday talking with Umatilla county hunters in Pendleton. The commission will make no statement until all facts are gathered. Mr. Crockett said here: "The commission will go clear to the bottom of the situation," he said, "in an attempt to find exactly what actual conditions existed during the open season in these four counties last week." Today he was interviewing many

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PIERCE DIRECTS SHARP ATTACK AT GOVERNOR MEIER

Walter M. Pierce, congressman from the second Oregon district, launched an attack against Governor Julius L. Meier, and also aimed pointed remarks at those who seek to get credit for obtaining the appropriation for the Bonneville dam.

Mrs. Cornelia Marvin Pierce, wife of the congressman, and now a member of the state board of higher education, was appointed to that post by Governor Meier.

His talk, made in Portland Thursday before the Willamette Democratic society, is summarized as follows:

1. Announced his intention of running for re-election to congress next

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IVARENS TO GO TO TACOMA, WASH.

Farewell meetings for Captain Nils Ivarsen, who has been stationed in La Grande in charge of the Salvation Army for the last year, will be held Saturday and Sunday at 8 p. m. All friends are invited to attend. Captain and Mrs. Ivarsen have been appointed to Tacoma, Wash. and will precede there the first of the week. Lt. Col. Hopkins, field secretary of the Salvation Army, is to be in La Grande Wednesday, Nov. 15.

Sues Film Man



Marjorie White, known in films as Marjorie Gay, who filed a \$100,000 breach of promise suit against Harry Joe Brown, director-producer, who recently wed Sally Killers.

BOOK WEEK WILL BE OBSERVED HERE

"After all—there is nothing like a good book" and in view of that fact, national book week was founded nine years ago to encourage a love of books among boys and girls. The movement has grown until at present "book week" includes readers of all ages, and the ninth annual observance will open Nov. 12 at the La Grande public library and is designed to interest all ages of readers, Miss Mabel Doty, librarian, announces.

Two open houses will be held during the week which opens on Nov. 12. Tuesday and Friday evenings having been set aside for informal book chats in the boys and girls room at the library. Forty-five minute programs have been arranged for each evening. Four or five discussions will be presented on different books.

Two hundred and fifty new books will be borrowed from the J. K. Gill company of Portland and the La Grande Book and Stationery company, from which a number of volumes will be selected and added to the library shelves. A silver collection will be taken at both of the evening programs to help buy the books for

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Clean Capitol to Greet Congress



The nation's capitol will present a shining face to congressmen when they return to Washington in January for their next session. Firemen here are shown giving the historic structure its annual bath, playing powerful streams against its sides.

J. M'LACHLEN, EX-SHERIFF, PASSES ON

Man Who Lead Posse Which Captured Til Taylor's Slayers Dies.

ACCIDENT GIVEN AS DEATH CAUSE

Funeral Services For Pioneer Union County Officer Will Be Held Here Saturday.

John H. McLachlen, pioneer officer of Union county, died at the Grande Ronde hospital Thursday. Ten days ago while picking apples, he fell from the tree, breaking three ribs. The injuries and the shock to a man of his advanced years, are said to have caused his death. Funeral services will be held at the Snodgrass and Zimmerman mortuary at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, with the Odd Fellows in charge. Burial will take place in the I. O. O. F. cemetery. Mr. McLachlen was born in California, New York in the year 1850.

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Woodie Expects Hard Game With Union Tomorrow

Coch Ira C. Woodie expects to start his first string lineup against the Bobcats of Union High school at the Union stockshow grounds tomorrow afternoon. Anticipating a hard battle with the maroon and white eleven, Woodie plans to take no chances.

The Tigers, so far undefeated in Northeastern Oregon, have previously defeated Mac-Hi, Pendleton and Cove, and hope to be able to hurdle the Union threat tomorrow. Next week they will be host to Baker High in an Armistice day game that may decide the championship of this section.

Woodie is taking his full squad to Union tomorrow morning. The starting lineup is announced as follows: Irwin and V. Bean, ends; Hogenson and Walden, tackles; K. Webb and Halley, guards; Cowbell, center; Reynolds, quarterback; Earle DeBolt, fullback; Alvey and Ralph DeBolt, halfbacks.

The game is scheduled to begin at 2 o'clock. Earlier this week, the La Grande High school third team defeated the Union High reserves here 40 to 0.

She's Prettiest in the College



Weber College, in Utah, always claimed it had the prettiest girls in the west. Recently, the judges in a statewide beauty contest selected Utah's prettiest, who is Lulu Hodgson, a Weber coed, who has raven hair and brown eyes and also stands high in her studies.

CLEAR WEATHER PREDICTED FOR NORTHWEST AREA

With the weather man promising a break in the rainy weather prevalent during this week, the skies were partly cloudy this morning although a few showers occurred here. A hard rain hit the city last night, bringing 2.2 of an inch of rainfall, making the total for the last 72 hours .82 of an inch. The minimum this morning was 39 above seven degrees warmer than Thursday's low.

"BREAK" IS PROMISED

PORTLAND, Nov. 3 (AP)—A break in the weather that in the past few days has deluged the Pacific northwest with rain, was promised by the weatherman here today. "Fair tonight and Saturday," the forecast said, "with some fog at night. Little change in temperature. Northwest winds." The precipitation in Portland this week reached 5.43 inches last night.

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Sarraut Demands 'Sound Finances' For The French

PARIS, Nov. 3 (AP)—Premier Albert Sarraut today warned parliament "French destiny" is at stake in a ministerial declaration expressing a "passionate will" for a completely balanced budget to "avoid the anxious hours" of the past.

The premier's solemn challenge for "sound finances" was emphasized by the hoisting of the danger signal for the French franc by Finance Minister Georges Bonnet as parliament assembled for a vote of confidence in the new cabinet. The vote is expected Monday.

Sarraut declared for a strong tariff defense with a preferential quota system, a large public works program and a solution of the economic crisis by general measures. The latter would include his long dreamed of closely bound colonial empire. The finance minister told the radical socialists in a confidential note urging support of the budget balancing efforts that francs are being withdrawn from the banks and the sale of treasury bonds is diminishing.

R. Z. BAXTER TO SPEAK SUNDAY

When postal employees of Eastern Oregon meet here Sunday, among other items on the program they will hear a talk on the national recovery act, given by R. Z. Baxter, a Grande NRA compliance chairman.

Democrats Reply To G. O. P. Attack

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3 (AP)—Democratic House leaders said today that the recent Republican pamphlet discussing President Roosevelt and the NRA will be a boomerang on the minority party because it contains nothing but "destructive criticism."

JUST BEFORE PRESSTIME

KIDNAP SUSPECT NABBED FLEET TO VISIT ATLANTIC AUTO CODE NOW EFFECTIVE PROJECT GETS \$4,000,000

WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., Nov. 3 (AP)—John Lanier, 35, of Winston-Salem, was arrested here today and charged by police with plotting to kidnap Mrs. Richard J. Reynolds, wife of the millionaire tobacco magnate.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3 (AP)—President Roosevelt today authorized a cruise of the United States fleet into the Atlantic ocean next summer.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3 (AP)—The NRA halted today—the effective date of the motor vehicle dealers' code—as the passing of abuses in the automobile trade. Outstanding in the departure from the customs of many years was a provision for an authority to regulate used car allowances, and a ban on selling below cost and of selling outside the dealer's own territory.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3 (AP)—The public works administration made an initial allotment of \$4,000,000 to begin construction of the \$18,912,000 Verde irrigation and power project in Arizona.

SEATTLE, Nov. 3 (AP)—Senator Robert M. LaFollette (R., Wis.), in an interview here today said the "record of actual accomplishment has been disappointing," referring to the recovery program of the national administration.

WITHDRAWAL OF JAPANESE ARMY BEGINS

Full Division Now Available in North Manchuria Near Soviet Line.

PEIPING, Nov. 3 (AP)—With speculation rife regarding possible trouble between Russia and Japan in Manchuria, great interest has been aroused by Japan's sudden complete withdrawal of troops from the demilitarized zone.

The Japanese began withdrawing the troops some time ago in accordance with terms of the Tangu armistice. With the sudden complete withdrawal, a full Japanese division now will be made available in Northern Manchuria in case relations with the Soviets grow worse.

Reversing its former stiff attitude, Japan allowed Chinese police to bring

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APPLE PURCHASE PLAN UP TO R. F. C.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3 (AP)—Plans to purchase 1,000 carloads of "C" grade apples at an approximate cost of \$445,000 from the Pacific Northwest for shipment to Brazil were placed before the Reconstruction Finance corporation today by Ross R. Waffle, representative of a wholesale fruit and commission house in New York.

Waffle, who was introduced to the RFC by Frank T. Bell, commissioner of fisheries, hoped to obtain a loan

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Wheat Today

The price of local cash wheat stood at about 51 cents bulk today, according to quotations at the Pioneer Flouring Mills, Portland cash 70 1/2 cents.

CHICAGO, Nov. 3 (AP)—More because of selling pressure than because of urgency to purchase, cereal values went higher today, especially near the finish.

Extreme conservatism characterized trade, an outstanding feature being uncertainty as to developments likely from conferences at Washington between corn belt governors and administration officials. Another check to dealings was announcement the leading corn industry would grind the amount of corn on hand at western plants, and then shut down pending a government decision on the corn processing tax.

When closed firm, 1 1/2 @ 2 1/2 c above yesterday's finish, corn 1 1/4 @ 2 1/2 c, oats 1 1/4 @ 1 1/2 c advanced, and provisions unchanged to 120 higher.

ATTACK MADE ON AMERICA'S GOLD BUYING

New York State Chamber of Commerce Takes Definite Stand.

PERMANENT GOLD STANDARD ASKED

One of First Organized Moves Against Administration's New Monetary Scheme.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3 (AP)—The New York State chamber of commerce went on record today in strong opposition to a managed currency and demanded that the United States return to a permanent gold standard with the utmost promptness. The action was taken at a special meeting attended by men eminent in the financial and business affairs of the state and nation.

Leonor F. Loree, head of the DeWane & Hudson railroad, declared the abandonment of the gold standard by the United States was as great a violation of trust as Germany's disregard of Belgium's neutrality in 1914.

The sentiment of the chamber of commerce was one of the first organized attacks on the administration's new monetary policy, particularly the recent gold purchasing policy.

At the meeting of chamber representatives, financial interests of Wall street and much of the east were represented.

GOVERNORS MEET WITH SECRETARY

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3 (AP)—The conference between five midwestern governors and administration officials in an effort to lift farm prices ran into difficulty today and Secretary Wallace announced plans to this end would not be ready before tomorrow.

SIoux CITY, Iowa, Nov. 3 (AP)—Violence broke out in the farm strike in Woodbury county today when Vera McFarland and Ward Libby, both of Odebolt, were severely beaten by pickets.

SHAWANO, Wis., Nov. 3 (AP)—Dynamite blasts today wrecked creameries in the villages of Krakow and Zachow, where farm strike pickets have made energetic efforts to stop the marketing of milk.

Holiday Selling Period Promises To Be Busy Time

NEW YORK, Nov. 3 (AP)—The pace of business continues hesitant but actual declines generally are being held within narrower confines, the Dun & Bradstreet weekly trade review said today.

"With the best selling period of the year immediately ahead," asserted the Review, "The multiplied demands incident to Christmas shopping are counted upon to give the final impetus to the movement of any weighty merchandise accumulations, and thus revive wholesale markets and bring a more marked improvement to industrial centers by the full force of spring replenishment requirements."

"With the exception of some increases in orders for Christmas merchandise and covering of spring requirements in isolated instances, the general volume of wholesale trade held about to the level of the week preceding."

SCIENCE AGOG OVER ELECTRON PICTURES

By Walter B. Clausen (Associated Press Staff Writer) PASADENA, Cal., Nov. 3 (AP)—Photographic proof that positive electrons appear to have the same mass as negative electrons was announced here today by Dr. Robert A. Millikan, of the California Institute of Technology. This, he said, taken with the discovery of the positron by Dr. Carl D. Anderson, "is the most fundamental and far-reaching advance of the century." "It changes our concept of the physical world, of which we all are a part." "The cosmic ray," he said, "gives us the tool to get at the nucleus of the atom better than any other tool we ever had." Photographs taken this week in a Wilson cloud chamber of the path of particles result from cosmic ray energies revealed in one case two positrons and three negative electrons. Another photograph revealed twenty-six particles knocked out of an atom. About half of these were positive and half negative, and all of about equal energies. "The indications of the photographs are that these particles were knocked out of the Nucleus of the atom itself." (Continued on Page Two)