

JAILER LOCKED UP; FOUR MEN ESCAPE

Prisoners Walk Through City of Eugene and All Trace of Them Is Lost.

DEPUTY FIGHTS BUT LOSES

Previous Attempt Made to Saw Way to Freedom and Men Are Put in Steel Cage, but Combination Is Smashed.

EUGENE, Or., Nov. 30.—(Special)—With the jailer locked up in the innermost cell, four prisoners were fully locked up the County Jail and escaped at 5 o'clock tonight.

Scores of people saw them leave the jail and walk quietly through the business section. Fifteen minutes later the sheriff passed and found everything in normal order. Five minutes after this the cries of the imprisoned guard gave the first alarm.

The men are Forest Daugherty and James Clergy, to have been sentenced tomorrow for burglary, and Joe Thomas and James Allen, hardened criminals, whom the Sheriff picked up from stolen goods. Every road out of the county is watched and gunplay is expected before capture is effected.

The same men sawed in two with a bread knife a bar on the window of the jail less than two weeks ago, and were being kept in steel cages as a precaution.

Their escape was cleverly executed. The steel cage in the jail is divided into cells. These cells are unlocked from a central control in a steel box outside of the cages. One man was allowed outside of the cage to prepare supper, and this man had unlocked the steel box, broken the padlock holding the central control, allowing one confederate to come outside. The other three remained in their cells to give a normal appearance. But the cells were left unlocked.

The steel box was then closed, and when George Croner, Deputy Sheriff, opened the jail everything appeared normal. As he reached up to unlock the control box the confederate jumped on him from behind a door, the other men stepped from their cells and the four men attacked him.

The struggle lasted for 12 minutes and was a terrific fight for the possession of the officer's gun.

"I got my hand on my gun and was slowly drawing it into position," said Croner. "I was within one inch of shooting point blank when Croner threw his hand over the hammer."

IDLE, FED, WON'T WORK

Manager of City Hotel Quits When Unemployed Will Not Help.

SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 30.—Henry Pauly, manager of the Hotel Liberty, equipped by the city for the purpose of caring for the unemployed, resigned today, saying that he had been offered \$82 per cent at the institution not enough help to do the work about the place.

The men had refused even to carry in wood or potatoes. Last year Pauly was manager of the Hotel de Gink, which, being not directly under city control, excluded all men not willing to work. In the new hotel all corners are accepted.

Within the past week many men have been arrested for going into restaurants, eating gratuitously and then refusing to pay their bills, saying they had no money. This method of getting food was recommended by speakers at a recent meeting of the unemployed with Mayor Gill and Chief of Police Griffiths seated on the stage.

STARVING WOMAN FOUND

Seattle Needy Lack Material to Bake Bread for Meal.

SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 30.—(Special)—"They haven't enough to eat, much less anything which they could cook to sell."

That is the state of things Miss Katherine Mitchell, city sanitary inspector, found in some of the homes she visited Saturday afternoon in the course of her inspection of homes of women who are registered at the Women's Co-Operative Exchange, stall 43, at the Pike Place Market.

When the Mayor's Congress, with the backing of the general relief committee, established the exchange a few days ago, it opened an opportunity for many needy women to get bread out of their hands on sale. And it also opened vistas for further need, for some of them who applied for permits have not, according to Mitchell, the necessary material to make even the first batch of bread or doughnuts or jam.

BEACH SAND YIELDS GOLD

Miner at Marshfield Says He Gets \$26 a Ton From Ledge.

MAHFIELD, Or., Nov. 30.—(Special)—Samuel Archer, who has been working early-day miner, is exhibiting samples of black beach black sand formation which assays \$26 a ton. Mr. Archer is mining on the Government reservation at Charleston Bay and is working on a four-foot ledge. Fifty pounds of tailings from his washer netted him a \$16 check from a Puget Sound smelter.

OLD MAN PREFERS PRISON

Convict Unable to Do Heavy Work at Astoria Goes Back to Salem.

John, the 19-year-old mother living near Aurora, who killed her two children September 15 and inflicted wounds on herself and who was brought to the county jail Saturday night, District Attorney Hediges said tonight that he had not yet determined the course he would take, although it is understood that her sanity is questioned.

After a conference tomorrow with her physician, Dr. Glasey, of Aurora, the District Attorney probably will reach a decision. Sheriff Mass has not explained why the woman was taken into custody without a complaint or a warrant.

William Sohn, the woman's husband, has retained George C. Brownell to fight with the county officials. Officials may take. Mr. Brownell believes that she is now rational and was suffering from temporary insanity when she killed her children. Mrs. Sohn now seems to be fully conscious of her plight. She maintains, as she did when her husband found her, that the shooting, that the children are better dead than they were. She shows no grief over the tragedy.

Mrs. Sohn shows the effects of the isolated life she has lived in the Boone Ferry cabin. She was married at 15 and the first child came a year later. Her closest neighbor was some distance away and the loneliness seems to have had its effect on her.

FRUIT DISCUSSIONS SET

WENATCHEE PREPARING FOR STATE CONVENTION DEC. 9 TO 11.

Array of Speakers Engaged to Cover Wide Variety of Topics and Large Attendance Expected.

WENATCHEE, Wash., Nov. 30.—(Special)—Great preparations are being made for the annual state convention of the Washington State Horticultural Association.

Among those who will speak are: M. B. Waite, head of the Division of Plant Pathology, Washington, D. C., originator of the present successful method of blight control; Dr. A. J. Cook, Commissioner of Horticulture for the State of California; Governor Lester, Ira D. Cardiff, director of the State Experiment Station work at Pullman; W. H. Paulhamus, of Puyallup; E. H. Shepard, editor of "Horticulture" and C. L. Smith, agriculturist for the O-W-R & N Company. It is hoped to have A. V. Stubbs, professor of pomology, University of California, formerly of the pomological division of the Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., to read the special addresses.

A review of the subject to be discussed shows a wide range and it is worthy of the meeting will be well attended. The officers of the association are making every effort to get out a record-breaking attendance.

COPPERFIELD CASES SET

Saloonists' Damage Suits Against West Up December 17.

BAKER, Or., Nov. 30.—(Special)—The damage suits against Governor West and other officials brought by William Wiegand and H. A. Stewart, Copperfield saloonmen, were set today as the last cases on the calendar for the December term of court, the court apparently believing that the cases would take such an indefinite period that it would be unwise to have any other cases awaiting the termination. The cases were set for trial for Thursday, December 17.

The hope of the attorneys is that the cases may be finished before Christmas. That it will take a long time even to obtain an unprejudiced jury is the general belief. Testimony hearing on every phase of the Copperfield case will be brought in, it is said.

WOODBURN GENERAL LEVY 8 MILLS.

WOODBURN, Or., Nov. 30.—(Special)—The city tax levy provides for 11% mills on \$1,000,000 assessed valuation, 1% mill for interest on outstanding bonds, 2 mills for general purposes, 2 mills for the purchase of a city park and 1 mill for the support of the following officers for the ensuing year: Hiram Overton, City Attorney; W. I. Jerman, Street Commissioner; Dr. W. Chapman, Health Officer, and Allie Engle and Grover Todd, Marshals.

LAND OFFICES CONSOLIDATE.

SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 30.—Secretary of the Interior Lane today ordered the Olympia, Wash., Land Office consolidated with that of the general relief committee, established the exchange a few days ago, it opened an opportunity for many needy women to get bread out of their hands on sale. And it also opened vistas for further need, for some of them who applied for permits have not, according to Mitchell, the necessary material to make even the first batch of bread or doughnuts or jam.

OREGON LEGISLATORS NOS. 59, 60, 61

Robert N. Stanfield, Re-Elected Representative of Umatilla and Morrow; S. G. Irvin, Representative-Elect of Lincoln and Polk; Clay C. Clark, Representative-Elect of Gilliam, Sherman and Wheeler.



Robert N. Stanfield.

NO MORE HANGINGS, VERDICT OF VOTERS

Canvass Shows Majority of 157 in Favor of Abolishing Capital Punishment.

EVERY COUNTY IS CLOSE

Multnomah Strongest for Change With 2377 and Washington Leader on Other Side With 1100 More Opposing It.

SALEM, Or., Nov. 30.—(Special)—The constitutional amendment to abolish capital punishment was approved by the people at the recent election by a majority of 157, according to official returns received from all counties by Secretary of State Olcott. The vote in favor of the measure was 109,552 and the vote against it was 109,395.

Returns from all counties on measures and candidates have been received by the Secretary of State, and a corps of clerks is engaged in final checkings and obtaining totals. When the returns are obtained Mr. Olcott, in the presence of the Governor and State Treasurer, will canvass the vote, and the Governor will issue certificates of election to the successful candidates.

The vote was remarkably close in all counties on the measure to abolish capital punishment, Multnomah giving the biggest majority for it, 2377. Jackson County gave a majority in its favor of 1057 and Washington gave a majority against it of more than 1100. The vote by counties is as follows:

County	For	Against
Baker	2,444	2,378
Benton	2,178	2,303
Clackamas	4,201	4,973
Clatsop	1,371	1,484
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Cook	2,030	2,493
Curry	2,052	1,874
Douglas	2,904	3,146
Gilliam	314	815
Grant	947	905
Hood River	1,199	971
Jackson	4,220	2,995
Josephine	1,232	1,282
Klamath	1,228	1,287
Lane	5,794	5,811
Lincoln	3,512	4,179
Malheur	1,539	1,491
Martin	5,308	6,231
Morrow	692	823
Multnomah	2,377	2,718
Polk	2,292	2,718
Sherman	308	679
Tillamook	1,171	1,207
Umatilla	3,247	2,993
Union	1,943	2,043
Wallowa	1,191	1,127
Washington	2,825	3,944
Wheeler	359	430
Yamhill	3,193	2,816
Totals	109,552	109,395

SECOND TICKET IS NAMED

Use of Y. M. C. for Meeting in School Election Stirs Up Strife.

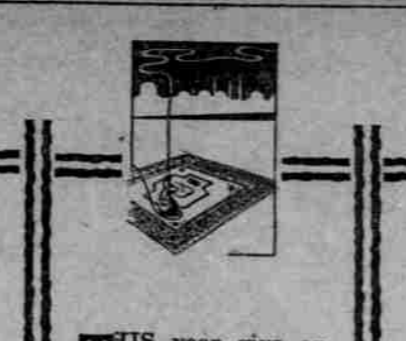
WALLA WALLA, Wash., Nov. 30.—(Special)—Holding of a mass meeting at the Y. M. C. A. recently, at which Dr. J. W. Summers, Grant S. Bond and Dr. J. Hanger were nominated as School Directors, in opposition to the present members, seeking re-election, J. T. Crawford, J. L. Sharpstein and Dr. C. B. Stewart have stirred up a row among the board of directors of the Y. M. C. A.

A few days before the mass meeting Ben F. Hill, a Board Director, introduced a resolution to the effect that no action should be taken by the Association or no meetings held in the building to take any action in any political or political fight as between any individuals, candidates for any office. The resolution was unanimously adopted. Mr. Hill says, but did not go on the minutes, at his request.

FOUR ACCUSED OF BRAWLS

Baker Grand Jury Indicts Men Following Shooting by Officer.

BAKER, Or., Nov. 30.—(Special)—Motions in quiet investigation has resulted in the indictment of four residents of Haines, alleged to have been engaged in a series of saloon brawls which finally resulted in one



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of their number being shot by Marshal Davis of Haines, while resisting arrest.

Max Mohr, who was shot by the Marshal, and another, who is alleged to have tried to prevent Mohr's arrest, were indicted on charges of threatening to commit a crime. They are alleged to have attempted to induce others to lynch Marshal Davis after he shot and wounded Mohr and to have threatened to kill Mr. Davis if he arrested Mohr.

Snake Millsite Is Investigated.

PASCO, Wash., Nov. 30.—(Special)—John P. Weyerhaeuser, of St. Paul, president of the Weyerhaeuser Lumber Company, yesterday investigated the site for a large sawmill on the Snake River about two miles below Pasco. This company has a large amount of timber in Idaho that has to be taken care of within the next two years.

PASCO WORKS FOR CITY PARK.

PASCO, Wash., Nov. 30.—(Special)—In response to the request of the City Council and Chamber of Commerce for donations for a park on the river bank, a party of business men yesterday helped set out shade trees as they did on Thanksgiving. Several hundred trees will be planted this winter and next summer.

NONAGENARIAN IS BURIED.

COLVILLE, Wash., Nov. 30.—(Special)—The funeral of Mrs. Susan McClung, who died at the age of 95 last Tuesday, took place at the Prindle Chapel Saturday. Rev. Gilbert B. Coulter, pastor of the Christian Church, officiating. She had lived to see the fifth generation.

A. E. WEYLAND BEGINS SENTENCE.

SPOKANE, Wash., Nov. 30.—A. E. Weyland, who was convicted by the United District Court of having used the mails to defraud, surrendered to the Federal Marshal today and began serving his sentence of six months in the County Jail.

FARMERS' CONVENTION POSTPONED.

GENESESE, Ida., Nov. 30.—(Special)—The Farmers' Union convention, which was to take place here December 4 and 5, has been postponed to a later date yet to be set.

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ACTS MAY REQUIRE EDICT OF GOVERNOR

Attorney-General Holds Measures Passed by People Await Proclamation.

ELECTIONS NOW INVOLVED

Controversy Centers About Right of Astoria Allens to Vote if Citizenship Law Prevails—Mix-Up May Grow.

Voters of Oregon have sanctioned several amendments to the state constitution by the initiative route, but in the mind of Attorney-General Crawford and A. W. Norblad, City Attorney of Astoria, the validity of the measures wait on the formal proclamation of Governor West or his successor.

In the meantime in cities and towns of Oregon holding any kind of an election, there is a general mix-up, particularly on the qualification of those of foreign birth.

The controversy arose at the primary election in Astoria, November 3, after it was practically established that the amendment changing the qualifications of alien voters had carried by a safe vote. City Attorney Norblad ruled that the statutes of Oregon showed the measure was not in effect at the time, and that all aliens who voted under the old qualifications, were eligible. Others contended the new measure, which had been passed, was in effect, and that City Attorney Norblad was in the wrong.

Need of Edict Asserted.

Attorney Norblad passed through Portland yesterday after consulting with Attorney-General Crawford, and obtaining from him a ruling as to when the amendments become effective. The ruling by Mr. Crawford is to the effect that the initiative measures proposed, which passed, is in effect until the day the Governor proclaims it, after the vote has been certified.

The ruling is expected to develop a controversy, as the law governs initiative measures, some of which are merely new statutes, while others are amendments to fundamental law.

Of the four initiative measures that carried, those changing qualification of alien voters, abolition of capital punishment and the measure governing merger of cities are constitutional changes, but the prohibition measure is not.

Official Gives Opinion.

Attorney-General Crawford's opinion is:

In accordance with your request for our opinion as to when the amendment of section 2 of Article II of the constitution of the State of Oregon so as to require voters to be citizens of the United States, and known as "citizenship amendment," goes into effect, I beg to say that the time when the constitutional amendment goes into effect is governed by section 1 of Article XXVII of the constitution, which provided among other things as follows:

"If the majority of the electors voting on any such amendment shall vote in favor thereof, it shall thereby become a part of this constitution. The voters for and against such amendment or amendments, severally, whether proposed by the Legislative assembly or by initiative petition, shall be canvassed by the Secretary of State in the presence of the Governor, and if it shall appear to the Governor that the majority of the votes cast at said election on said amendment or amendments severally are cast in favor thereof, it shall be his duty forthwith after such canvass, by his proclamation to declare the said amendment or amendments, severally, having received said majority of votes, to have been adopted by the people of Oregon as part of the constitution thereof, and the same shall be in effect as a part of the constitution from the date of such proclamation."

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Prison Sentence Passed for Theft.

WALLA WALLA, Wash., Nov. 30.—(Special)—Glenn A. Gilmour was sentenced Saturday from 18 months to 15 years in the penitentiary for larceny of an \$85 diamond ring from Charles D. Martin. It is charged that Gilmour gave a no-fund check for it. He was accused of passing checks

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