

KLECKER WANTED BY AGEE DEFENSE

Bloody Coat and Knife Are Produced in Court.

WITNESS REMAINS COOL

Man Who Told of Improper Relations With Murder Defendant Now Under Fire.

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Witness is Silent. "Did you ever see that blood on the sleeve of the coat before?" demanded the attorney, forcing Klecker's eyes to follow him. The man did not answer.

"No, you had nothing to do with the murder, did you? Yet you told all you could about that girl when her life was at stake to help in her conviction."

"I didn't want to tell it," muttered Klecker.

"Well, you did tell it, and you told it to save yourself," accused Collier. As he spoke he whipped from his pocket a small vial and exhibited it before the eyes of Klecker, who drew back from it slightly. The attorney waved a keen red-stained blade under the nose of the witness.

"Knife Thrust on Witness. "Look at that bloody knife and see that recalls anything to your mind?" demanded Collier.

Klecker appeared slightly bewildered. He said nothing.

"Never seen that before, have you?"

If Klecker answered his reply was lost in the further demand of Collier. "Take it. Take it in your hand and look at it closely!"

Klecker, with but slight show of reluctance, took the knife to be placed in his hand. His eyes traveled along its five-inch stained blade. The weapon gleamed wickedly in the red light of courtroom incandescents.

As the witness stared at him Collier fired his parting shot. He demanded to know if the presence of the knife and the piece of muscle which Klecker's thumb had identified in pockets of the coat was not the underlying reason for Klecker's willingness to discuss his former relations between himself and Mrs. Agee, furnishing the state with a love motive for the slaying of Mrs. Agee.

"No, sir," answered Klecker. "I never saw that before, have you?"

"Klecker Allowed to Go. The prosecution, still having faith in its star witness, did not object to the witness's leaving the court under his bail of \$500, which was demanded of him as a material witness in the case.

"After the insinuation had been made something to do with the murder of Agee in order to get him out of the way, was it not?"

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OFFICER TESTIFYING AT AGEE MURDER TRIAL AND ONE OF MOST INTERESTED ATTENDANTS.

where her condition was reported not to be serious. She was subject to such spells, it was said.

Direct examination of Klecker was conducted by Pierce. Klecker gave his age as 29 years and his residence as 255 Eleventh street. He said he met Mrs. Agee about three months before the last Rose Festival. She wanted to take lessons of him and telephoned him concerning this, he testified.

Blame is Shifted. A noticeable feature of his entire testimony was his apparent eagerness to throw all the initiative for their relations on the shoulders of the woman, avoiding everything himself but acquiescence.

He continued to give her lessons up to two weeks before the June 11, obviously evading the use of the word "murder." He said her children frequently were at home when he was giving lessons and that he saw her husband several times.

"Were there any acts of familiarity at home?" he asked.

"Yes, sir. The first one was when she went close to me and kind of leaned on me. This was about the third lesson. This was about the pick wild flowers, and I told her the woods were full of them."

"Yes, sir." "I never ever make any remark about her husband?"

Trip is Suggested. "She said she married him only because her folks wanted her to. She said she wasn't really in love with him. She said she wanted to go to a party and she wanted me to go with her. I said, 'Let's go to a hotel, but she said no. She said that we might go to the reservoir on the side hill. We left at 12 o'clock."

Clandestine Meeting Confessed. Klecker went on to say that Mrs. Agee called him several days before the murder and made an appointment with him. As he talked Klecker perceived from her manner that she was later later the beads or beads stood out on his forehead. Mrs. Agee listened to all the proceedings with an air of indifference. She appeared the least moved in the courtroom by some of the revelations.

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5000 Picnickers Get Home Tired but Happy.

NO DULL MOMENTS SEEN

Programme at Bonneville Joyous One Throughout; Every Event Goes Off Smoothly.

Two special trains and numerous autos brought about 5000 tired picnickers home to their homes in Portland and elsewhere last night following a day of festivities at Bonneville, where the grocers of Portland, Oregon City, Hood River and Vancouver made merry.

The program of sports, music and dancing began at 10:30 o'clock yesterday morning and lasted until 5 o'clock in the afternoon, not a dull moment being recorded, and all the events went off smoothly.

The athletic contests between the baseball game between the grocers' nine and the policemen's team, which resulted in a score of 15 to 9 for the grocers. An additional feature on the sports programme, which was hotly contested, was the tug-of-war between the grocers of Oregon City and those of Hood River. The Hood River men were victorious.

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Clackamas county, according to Brenton Vedder, school superintendent.

The total enrollment reached 7381 against 7592 for the previous year. During the year the percentage of attendance jumped from 94 to 95 per cent.

More teachers were employed last year than the year before, and the salaries paid averaged considerably higher. In 1921 the average salary for the male teachers in the county was \$132.72, an increase of \$22.18.

Salaries paid to the women increased 50 per cent from \$21.21 to \$31.81. Teachers in the one-room schools were raised on the average from \$12.21 to \$18.21, an increase of \$6.00, as against \$5.33 for 1920.

These increases have, in addition to fostering more efficiency, secured a better class of teachers, the report said. More than 100 inspectors employed last year came with advanced education. In 1920 Clackamas county had 100 inspectors, of whom 49 had college education. Last year this total came up to 38. Teachers who are employed in the county numbered 50, as against 47 the year before. Thirty-eight teachers had completed the prescribed two-year course in education. The total number of teachers was increased from 323 to 329.

The bonded indebtedness of the county increased from \$271,000 to \$290,500. Other indebtedness in the county increased from \$149,644.97, an increase of but \$2000.

HIGH TAXES ARE ATTACKED

Clarke County Meeting Lays Plans to Induce Economies.

VANCOUVER, Wash., July 27.—(Special)—The Clarke county taxpayers' committee in its Commercial club rooms this afternoon elected officers for the coming year and discussed ways and means of reducing taxes.

Will Du Bois acted as chairman and explained the necessity for a live or organized taxpayers' association. He told the taxpayers that the people were every year voting large sums for improvements.

The president was empowered to appoint committees on a county budget and one on education. The following officers were elected: W. S. Moody, Washington, president; Will Du Bois, vice-president; G. W. Callahan, secretary; Lloyd Du Bois, treasurer.

ADVERTISING PEAK URGED

Ad Club Called On to Induce Tourists to Visit Mount Hood.

Homer Rodgers, manager of the Cloud Cap Inn on Mount Hood, urged the Ad club members to use every effort to induce tourists to visit Mount Hood, at the luncheon of the club at the Benson yesterday. He said that \$50,000 a year spent in advertising would result in an additional number of tourists to the beautiful mountain.

No regular programme of speeches was announced in advance of the Ad club meeting, but a two-reel feature of comic pictures was presented. During the luncheon, W. S. Kirkpatrick, president, told of an experience of his recently in Seattle when his car was struck by a fire truck.

A number of naval reserve officers from San Francisco who are attached to the destroyers Meyer and Honshaw, in the harbor, were guests at the luncheon.

DEPUTY SHOTS SUSPECT

Albert Carr Wounded While Trying to Escape Arrest.

Albert W. Carr, 32, who said he lived at Hood River, was shot in the left shoulder and arrested yesterday morning by F. H. Snodgrass, a deputy sheriff and operative for the Burns detective agency, while Carr was trying to capture Carr on the roof of the Hoyt hotel, on North Sixth street.

Klecker testified to the police that he and another operative had been hired by the hotel management to capture Carr. Carr was shot from the hotel rooms. He said Carr climbed up a tree to the roof and was trying to escape when the shot was fired.

Carr, according to the police, was in his smoking room and carried a revolver. Physicians had been called to determine the seriousness of his wound at an early hour today.

CITY TANK COSTS \$730

Septic Receptacle for Cedars Is Approved by Council.

Expenditure of \$130.55 in construction of a septic tank at the Cedars got City Commissioner Manly into the spotlight yesterday in council meeting when an ordinance to appropriate the money from the general fund was read. The project was approved by the council.

Mayor Baker informed Commissioner Manly that the city had received more than \$250 more to be let by competitive bids, unless specifically authorized in an ordinance. The council approved the payment of the sum from the general fund and an additional \$390 for materials used in building a board fence at the institution.

At a meeting of the board of directors of Portland Opera association yesterday, Roberto Corruccini was re-elected musical director for the coming season. He has accepted the position since the formation of the association several years ago and much of his success work has been due to his efforts.

PARITY OF RATES SOUGHT

Commissioner Aitchison to Meet Washington State Officials.

Clyde B. Aitchison of the Interstate commerce commission will meet with the department of transportation of the state of Washington in Portland tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. The purpose of the meeting is to establish a common rate between the Northern Pacific and the O. W. R. & N. and other railroad running to a coal mine a few miles out of Centralia, Wash.

According to Mr. Aitchison, the two large companies have had different rates with the smaller common carrier and efforts will be made to establish a parity.

MASONS TO MAKE MERRY

Gul Reazer Grotto to Have Outing at Oaks Today.

Marriage of all kinds, picnic luncheon and dancing will be in order at the Oaks park this afternoon and evening, when members of the Major and Mrs. Gul Reazer grotto, 45, with their families and friends, numbering about 2000, will enjoy a day of recreation.

TERMINAL HUNT FAILURE

Stage Owners Still Unable to Find Central Station Site.

Efforts to meet the requirements of the city council relative to the establishment of a definite terminal for automobile stages were made, starting late last night, by 50 members of the Oregon Co-operative Stage Owners' association, but at a late hour no conclusion had been reached.

SCHOOL SALARIES HIGHER

Efficiency and Attendance Increased in Clackamas County.

TAX FOR EARLY PASSAGE

Revision Measure to Be Put Ahead of Tariff.

PROGRAMME AGREED ON

Harding and Senators Plan to Defend Action on Funding of Alameda and Railroads' Debts.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 27.—Legislative programmes in the senate and house today following conferences between President Harding and a number of republican senators, at a White House dinner last night.

Administration plans, as disclosed by senators, called for passage by the house of the internal revenue bill and of several senate bills by August 6, with a view to recess or adjournment of congress soon after until late in September or early in October.

Probably the most important feature disclosed was the president's desire to have the tax bill enacted before the tariff measure. The senate leaders urged this change, it was said, and now plan to hold the tariff bill until the finance committee until the tax measure is passed.

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No prices will be quoted over the phone but estimates will be made on the following day. Advertisements are taken on a daily basis. The Sunday Oregonian until 6 P. M. Saturday.

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ONE DAY ONLY

HELIX THEATER SUNDAY, JULY 31. Aft. 2:15, Eve. 8:15. Mat. 50c, Eve. and \$1.

THE FAMOUS GEORGE MURKINS

33RD SEASON. 40 PEOPLE 40. THE FAMOUS GEORGE MURKINS.

DR. PALMER IS SPEAKER

Director of National Tuberculosis Association at Library. "Tuberculosis is not a medical problem, it is a social problem, the biggest single social problem confronting us today," said Dr. George Thomas Palmer, consultant and director of the American Tuberculosis Association, addressing a public meeting last night at central library.

"There is no subject on which education is more needed than that of tuberculosis," said Dr. Palmer. "The layman part of physicians and nurses. Tuberculosis is not made an attractive study in the medical colleges and it is only within the past few years that special training in this disease has been given."

Dr