

PAIR HELD IN WARD CASE FOUND

Charley Ross and "Jack, the Speeder," Located.

WOMAN ALSO IMPLICATED

Story Told by Walter That He Was Offered \$500 to Commit Murder Is Verified.

NEW YORK, May 19.—(By the Associated Press.)—Charley Ross and "Jack the Speeder," missing characters in the Peter-Ward shooting case, were found today, private detectives notified William J. Fallon, attorney representing the family of the dead man. Ross was alleged by Ward to have been with him at the time he shot the latter near White Plains while attending a blackmailing trial.

At Mr. Fallon's office it was said that two men had been sent to question Ross as to his knowledge of Peter and Ward. It was believed that he would have to throw some light on the mysterious hold which the blackmailing band was alleged to have had on the millionaire baker.

After Mr. Fallon left his office on a mysterious mission, a woman claiming to be Ross' sister telephoned the lawyer's office.

Search was made in the New York woman said to have offered \$500 to a youth in a New York restaurant to commit murder in the New Rochelle home of Walter S. Ward, who admits he killed Clarence Peters because of blackmail, but keeps the nature of the blackmail secret.

A check by the police bears out the story told them by a waiter in a Broadway restaurant that a young woman dressed in black had taken him to New Rochelle, pointed out the Ward house and promised him \$500 if he would enter the house with her and shoot the person she pointed out to him.

He refused on the pretext that he was not prepared and promised to meet her Saturday night. He went with his story to the police, who watched for the woman, but she failed to appear. Other employees in the place where the woman worked corroborated his story that the woman had eaten in the place several times and had made an appointment with him.

EX-MATRON IS CITED

Court Orders Mrs. Biessecker to Appear for Examination.

VANCOUVER, Wash., May 19.—(Special.)—Mrs. Frances Biessecker, formerly matron of the Clarke county jail and accused of embezzling a large sum of county funds, must come here Wednesday from Astoria and be examined by a panel of physicians. Judge Simpson decided today that Mrs. Biessecker filed an affidavit recently in which she stated that she was too ill to stand trial, that the doctor ordered her to be examined. The ex-matron then claimed that she was too sick to travel.

Prosecuting Attorney Hall investigated for himself and was told in Astoria that Mrs. Biessecker had been working in a boarding house. He obtained an affidavit from an Astoria physician that she was able to travel. If the ex-matron does not appear Wednesday she is liable to the cancellation of her bail.

OLD CRATER SPOUTS LAVA

Overflow Occurs in Direction of Village; Fire Cauldron Stirred.

HILO, May 19.—(By the Associated Press.)—A volcanic outbreak occurred today at a new point in an old crater, Kilauea, in the direction of the village of Kilauea, and the seaside village of Kalapana, lava overflowing in the direction of the village. The outbreak was followed by a rapid lowering of the lava level in the old crater pit within 50 feet of the rim to a distance of 700 feet below it, accompanied by cracks in the falling crags from the inner walls of the pit.

Halemaumau, the great central fire cauldron in the Kilauea crater, apparently stirred by the eruption, omened, raised its lava level until its surface was twice its normal area. The Makapuu crater, seven miles from Kilauea, is burning the scrubby and trees that have grown for years on its inner walls.

NEGRO IS KILLED BY MOB

Suspected Killer of Farmer Shot to Death in Georgia.

SAVANNAH, Ga., May 19.—William Byrd, a negro living near Brentwood, in Wayne county, was shot to death by a mob late yesterday and his body burned, it became known here today. Byrd was accused of killing B. W. Moody, a farmer, who lived near him. He also seriously wounded Brown Weaver, it was charged, and shot Carlos Moody in the arm.

School Directors Appointed.

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., May 19.—(Special.)—Five school directors, to serve under the county school unit plan of supervision, were elected by the voters at a special election in connection with the primaries, have been appointed by the county court, as follows: J. H. Henshaw, Fort Stevens, northern district; O. S. Campbell, Loretta, easterly district; E. J. McCullum, westerly district; R. E. Bradbury, Henshaw, central district; and F. Z. Sack, Malin, southerly district. These directors will serve until the general school election on June 19, when directors for the ensuing term will be selected by vote.

Mill Officials Inspect Plant.

BEND, Or., May 19.—(Special.)—On a week's inspection of the company's Bend plant, T. A. McCann, vice-president; E. F. Dea, general superintendent of the mechanical department; and E. C. Shevlin, stockholder of the Shevlin-Hixon company, arrived here this morning. Mr. J. Scanlon, vice-president of the Brooks-Seaton Lumber company, owner of the second big pine mill here, leaves tonight for Minneapolis after a three-day visit.

OFFICIAL RECOGNITION IS GIVEN GERMAN AMBASSADOR TO UNITED STATES.



Left to right—Dr. Hans F. Riesen, second secretary; Dr. Otto Wiedefeld, ambassador to United States; Baron Edmund von Taurmann and Baron Leopold Plessen, third secretary.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 19.—The reception of Dr. Otto Wiedefeld, the new German ambassador to the United States, by President Harding at the White House was the official grant of recognition to the German ambassador and his staff leaving the White House after being received by the president.

VISIT HERE ANTICIPATED

MISS ROBERTSON LOOKS FORWARD TO SEEING FESTIVAL.

Only Woman Member in Congress Will Arrange Trip to Avoid Traveling on Sunday.

THE OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, D. C., May 19.—Miss Alice Robertson, only woman member of either branch of congress, said today that she was looking forward with pleasant anticipation to her visit to Oregon, where she is to be the guest of honor at the Portland Rose Carnival beginning June 20.

The trip will be started at a time, she said, which will make it unnecessary for her to travel on Sunday. Miss Robertson is not eccentric at all and she is in no sense a "nut," everyone of her colleagues will rise up to say at any time, but she is a strict Sabbatharian.

In her 67 years she has never traveled on a passenger train on the Lord's day. However, she does not object to any one else traveling on Sunday who feels differently about it. She has consistently and persistently fought all crank legislation, which she thinks should be sufficient demonstration of the fact that she is not herself a crank. One of her colleagues, a seasoned statesman, said a few days ago:

"Of the 435 members of the house there are 400 messengers boys. These leave 35 who rise to the heights of the secretary of war, and not the president, and Miss Robertson is one of the 35."

ARMY REMOVALS UPHELD

Review of Individual Cases by President Held Unnecessary.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 19.—In deciding a matter which has been discussed in army circles since the world war, the supreme court held today that it is not necessary for the president to review individual cases to make effective the work of the retirement board in removing officers of the army from the active list under the national defense act.

The decision was handed down in cases brought by John W. French and William F. Creary, who sought to have revoked their forcible, involuntary removal, the former by retirement and the latter by discharge, on the ground the secretary of war, and not the president, had approved the findings of the boards.

The status of a large number of officers who had been removed from active service was involved as well as the status of those officers who were promoted to fill the vacancies.

DEFENSE WITNESS HELD

Woman, Indicted After Codd Murder Testimony, Gives Up.

SPOKANE, Wash., May 19.—Mrs. Beatrice Sant, a defense witness in the murder trial of Maurice Codd, surrendered to the sheriff here today. She was indicted by a county grand jury recently on a charge of perjury in connection with her testimony. She was released on bond.

Mrs. Sant is the fourth person known to have been indicted in connection with the Codd case. Mrs. Rose Pagan, another defense witness, was indicted on a charge of perjury, and Fred E. S. and J. L. Cook were indicted for having assisted Mrs. Sant to evade service of a subpoena to testify before the grand jury.

TYPHOID EPIDEMIC RAGES

Medicine and Doctors Lacking to Fight South Seas Scourge.

PAPEETE, Tahiti, May 19.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)—An epidemic of typhoid, without a single doctor or a bottle of medicine to fight it, is sweeping the islands of the Austral group, south of Tahiti, according to agents of the Bishop museum at Honolulu, who recently have been making scientific researches in the island. The mortality among the natives is said to be very high.

HOTTENTOTS IN REVOLT

Trouble Reported in Southwest Protectorate of Africa.

LONDON, May 19.—A rebellion has broken out among the Hottentots in the southwest protectorate of Africa, said a Reuter dispatch from Cape Town.

MAN'S IDENTITY CHECKED

Frank Doran May Be Man Sought in Peters' Killing.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., May 19.—In further effort to ascertain the identity of Frank A. Doran, alias Davis, alias "Mac," under arrest here on a hold-up charge, District Attorney Weeks of Westchester county photographs and fingerprints of the man. This was done to see if Doran answered the description of either Ross or Jack, who are sought in connection with the shooting of Clarence Peters by Walter S. Ward. The theory that Doran may be the missing butler in the Taylor murder case has been abandoned by the authorities. They now are awaiting the description of the man, which has been sent by District Attorney Woolwine of Los Angeles. Fingerprints and a photograph of Doran have been forwarded to Mr. Woolwine.

FLIER JOINS AMUNDSEN

CANADIAN TO PARTICIPATE IN DASH TO FAR NORTH.

Schooner Maud Will Not Slip Out of Harbor Quietly as Planned, but Will Await Farewell.

SEATTLE, Wash., May 19.—Lieutenant G. L. Fullerton, well-known Canadian flier, arrived here from Ottawa today to join the Amundsen expedition, which leaves for the north Saturday. Lieutenant Fullerton is said to have had extensive experience in flying in northern climates and will act as air scout for the party, going on ahead to map out the course of the exploration ship Maud, and for the purpose of making meteorological observations.

Plans of Captain Roald Amundsen to slip quietly out of Seattle harbor Saturday night to avoid attracting too much attention have been altered out of consideration to the members of the crew. Captain Amundsen has declared that he believes his men are entitled to a public farewell and arrangements are being made for a fitting programme before the ship sails.

The schooner Maud will be ready to sail by 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Captain Amundsen declared today. Her first stopping place on the way north will be Nome.

SUICIDE IS IDAHO GIRL

Currency Leads to Discovery of Who Young Woman Is.

RENO, Nev., May 19.—Through the currency found in a purse of a young woman who committed suicide here April 10, positive identification of the body was made by M. J. Kerr of St. Anthony, Minn., who had been trying to locate her, as she left home on the morning of April 8 to go to Pocatello on a shopping trip. She apparently came directly to Reno and had destroyed every other means of identification. The body was disinterred today and will be taken to St. Anthony tomorrow.

MURDER TRIAL IS FIRST

Herbert Wilson Later to Face Charge of Robbery.

LOS ANGELES, May 19.—Herbert Wilson, held on federal charges of murder, the latter growing out of the fatal shooting of Herbert Cox, companion, during an attempt to escape from the county jail here today, will be tried in state courts on the murder charge first, it was decided today. The federal charge was taken directly to the federal court calendar today to be held in abeyance until the state murder trial is completed.

MOONSHINE OUTFIT SEIZED.

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., May 19.—(Special.)—Morris Johnson and Wallace Ware were arrested Saturday at Pine Flat, 19 miles from here, when a still, mash and a gallon of moonshine were seized. They started today for Portland in charge of Deputy United States Marshall Davidson to face trial in the federal court.

Johnson is now under bonds to appear in October before the district court at Medford on a prior charge. Jim J. Leonard, another former offender, is in jail for alleged violation of the prohibition law. He served 90 days in the Multnomah county jail last fall.

"Jack, the Grabber," Escapes.

BEND, Or., May 19.—(Special.)—County officials here received word today from Pendleton of the escape of Robert Stevens, "Jack the Grabber," from the state insane hospital. Stevens was committed from Bend in April after he had established insanity as a defense on a charge of attempted rape. Stevens terrorized the women of Bend for weeks before his capture. He broke jail here and was recaptured a week later.

Boy, Scolded, Kills Himself.

WOODLAND, Neb., May 19.—After he had been scolded by his mother, with whom he had been working in a garden, Harold, 13-year-old son of Charles Kirkpatrick, manager of the local station of the Standard Oil company, yesterday killed himself with a shotgun.

CHINESE CASE DECIDED

COURT HOLDS ORIENTALS CAN BE DEPORTED.

Administrative Order Declared Sufficient in Case of Those Coming Here Before 1917.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 19.—Chinese arriving in the United States prior to the immigration act of February 15, 1917, can be deported by an administrative order. It was held today by the supreme court in a case involving deportation of four Chinese by order of the commissioner of immigration at San Francisco.

The decision was given in the case of the deportation of Ng Fung Ho, also known as Ung Kip and Ng Tuen Shew, Gin Sang Get and Gin Sang Ho. Their deportation was ordered on the ground that they were laborers and did not possess certificates of residence.

The Chinese contended that the act of February 5, 1917, was not retroactive and could not be applied to them, because they entered the country before it took effect and that they were entitled to trial in the Chinese exclusion act and could not be deported by executive order.

Two of the Chinese claimed to be citizens, and as to those the court held they were entitled to trial in the Chinese exclusion act and could not be deported by executive order.

Justice Brandeis in rendering the opinion said that a person claiming citizenship is entitled to trial in the courts on that question before an administrative deportation order can be granted.

I. W. W. SUSPECTS HELD

Three Bound Over to Grand Jury on Syndicalism Charge.

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., May 19.—(Special.)—Preliminary hearing in the justice court this morning in the matter of the three I. W. W. members arrested last week on a charge of original syndicalism resulted in Leonard Bolton, Morris Dailey and Adolph Angelson being bound over to the grand jury. Bonds were fixed at \$2000 each, in default of which they were returned to jail.

Bolton, at the opening of the hearing, said he had no authority to employ counsel without consulting headquarters at Chicago, but he would act as counsel for himself and the other defendants.

Bolton argued that there was no evidence showing that they were members of the I. W. W. This contention was rejected by the court, and chief of police that all three admitted membership at the time of arrest.

Bolton said: "We do not admit membership in the I. W. W., but we do not deny it."

UNION AGAIN RESTRAINED

Striking Chauffeurs Prohibited From Interfering With Operators.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 19.—William C. H. Platts, president of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters and Local Union No. 10, today issued a second temporary injunction against the chauffeurs' union restraining that organization from interfering with the operation of automobiles belonging to companies involved in the chauffeurs' strike.

Today's injunction was in effect a continuation of the former order.

Steel Concerns to Merge.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., May 19.—An agreement to merge has been reached by officials of the Electric Alloy Steel company of Youngstown, and the Atlas Crucible Steel company of Dunsmuir, N. Y. It will be submitted to the boards of directors of the companies this week. It was announced here today by L. J. Campbell, president of the Electric Alloy, and A. H. Hunter, president of the Atlas company. Mr. Hunter will be president of the new company, and Mr. Campbell, who is the son of James A. Campbell, president of the Youngstown Sheet & Tube company, will be chairman of the board.

Bend Jail Overtaxed.

BEND, Or., May 19.—(Special.)—Bend's city jail was entirely too small to house the large number of prisoners brought in over the week end on disorderly conduct and liquor charges, and several cells in the county jail had to be used in addition. Among those arrested was "Smoky" Moore, famous round-up rider. He, with three others, will fight the charges preferred. Fines and bail money forfeited this afternoon in police court totaled \$265.

Farm Loans Approved.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 19.—Approval of 80 advances for agricultural and livestock purposes, aggregating \$100,000, was announced today by the war finance corporation. Distribution of the loans included: Idaho, \$17,000; Montana, \$58,000; and Washington, \$4,000.

S. & H. Green Stamps for Cash.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 19.—S. & H. green stamps for cash. Holman Fuel Co., coal and wood. Broadway 4333. 450-21-Ad.

WESTERN FARMERS ADVISED TO UNITE

Producers Open Conference at Sacramento.

100 DELEGATES ATTEND

Organization Is Declared Keynote to Avert Recurrence of Marketing Collapse.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., May 19.—Organization of the western departments of agriculture along lines of the western plant quarantine board for the protection and general advancement of agriculture in all the states of the Pacific slope was advocated strongly here today by C. H. Hecke, director of the California department of agriculture, in the opening address of what is declared to be the largest and most representative agricultural conference ever held in the west.

Delegates present for the opening meeting of the series numbered more than 100, representing practically every county in California, 11 western states, federal bureaus in Washington, British Columbia and the territory of Hawaii. The conference will last until Saturday.

Organized Action Held Need.

"It is a well-known fact," declared Mr. Hecke in his address, "that we have reached the point in the history of our agricultural industry a period when organized action is necessary. In an era of big business the efforts of the individual are not always successful, but through organizations of producers, of shippers, of distributors, and even of departments of agriculture, when action is taken, the results are purely for profit, large results have been forthcoming.

"The necessity for an agricultural organization among the states comprising the far west is more apparent than ever. An almost complete collapse in the machinery of distribution and marketing occurred in 1921.

How Deal Producers.

Vast supplies of staple crops were sold at prices far below the costs of production while the prices of articles the farmer has to buy have remained so high proportionately as to strike a staggering blow at his prosperity. "There were, of course, exceptions to this condition and none of the exceptions were more apparent than those that existed among the organized producers of the far west.

The epidemic distributing agencies, both co-operative and otherwise, of California, the northwest, Idaho and other western states, have proved their ability and worth beyond a shadow of a doubt."

Governor Warns of Pests.

In a statement issued in connection with the agricultural conference, Governor Stephens said: "California and the west have need to strengthen the bars against the introduction—particularly from the orient—of dreaded pests which infect orchards and fields."

"Insect pests caused an annual loss of \$200,000,000 to the principal crops of the United States. For the most part, the only barrier against them is the vigilance of the farmer."

Speakers and their subjects include: R. B. Barnes, pathologist, Oregon Agricultural college, "Plant Disease"; Lee Strong, chief of the California bureau of plant quarantine, "Quarantine Problems."

COLONISTS GO TO BRAZIL

Japanese Steamer to Take 1500 to South American Country.

YOKOHAMA, May 19.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)—The steamer Maru will depart in the near future for Santos, Brazil, to take 1500 Japanese colonists, according to an announcement by the foreign office.

The government recently investigated immigration conditions in Brazil and later announced a policy of colonization there, preferring to send immigrants to that country rather than to North America, where, the government said, they were less welcome.

RATE CUT HELPS TRADE

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Months there were no new employment opportunities in the United States. It is not expected, of course, that the volume of business will reach the maximum that America had during the height of the war. That would not be normal. But it is predicted and with great confidence, that America will shortly reach a volume of business activity and degree of prosperity far above what this country had before the war began. If the war economy had been merely the normal peace-time increase from year to year, the volume of business of 1923 would not have been greater than what is now being predicted for this year.

American business is about to go forward on the way to its post-war normal basis. America is past all the abnormalities. America is completely through with both the abnormal inflation of the height of the war and the equally abnormal deflation that followed immediately after the war. This new normal basis for the future is to be much better than was commonly expected.

America Suffers But Little.

The departments of the government which have charted this carefully show that in the final net result the volume of business done by each of the interruptions and dislocations of the war-time period.

The volume of business for 1923 promises to be at the point where it would have been if the war had never taken place. The year 1923 is expected to show the same increase in volume over 1918 that would normally have taken place through the gradual increases of ten normal years.

But while America is to be normal as compared with her own past, America is to be much more than normal compared to other countries. If the volume of business done by each of the countries of the world in 1913 be taken as the basis it is found that America is relatively much farther ahead on that basis than any of the other nations are.

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TODAY in every hamlet, town and city, America's millions will reverently bow to the Great Architect of the Universe and honor the memory of their loved dead.

In spirit will be clasped anew, hands that now lay in folded rest; and they who are wrapped in eternal slumber will live again in memory.

There is consolation in flags and flowers and tears. But there is nothing that gives such abiding comfort as the knowledge that your dead sleep, safe from harm, secure against the merciless elements tenderly guarded and at all times surrounded by beautiful things.

Come this afternoon and see how truly the incomparably better ways give to the living, deep peace of mind, and to the sleeping ones dignified, cleanly rest.

MEMORIAL DAY SERVICES ON THE CREMATORIUM GROUNDS

This Afternoon at 2 o'clock

Dr. B. Earle Parker will deliver the memorial address. There will be a musical program. The public is invited.

Portland Crematorium

East 14th and Bybee Take Sellwood Car

Incomparably the Better Ways

Of particular interest will be lectures by "Private" George of war fame and Chancellor George H. Bradford. The comedy drama, "Turn to the Right," will be presented by the Keighley players.

Sugar Refining company and the Dallas (Texas) Electric corporation. Corals in white and pink shades in four times more valuable than the brighter red.

ADVENTISTS END MEET

"THEORIES ANTAGONISTIC TO GOD'S WORD" RAPPEL.

Physicians in Church Urged to Let Public Know Theory of Evolution Is Opposed.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 19.—Tendencies of higher institutions of learning in America to teach what speakers termed "theories of science antagonistic to the word of God" were criticized at the closing sessions Sunday of the world conference of Seventh Day Adventists.

Physicians in the church were urged to use every opportunity to let the public know their opposition to the theory of evolution relative to the origin of living things and to explain that their objections are based on an abundance of scientific reasons.

Medical men of the denomination further disapproved "theories of science" which reform principles who have taken on the evil habits of the use of flesh food, tea and coffee.

C. S. Longacre, speaking on "blue laws and religious liberty," said that California and Oregon were the only states in the union whose laws were in harmony with the guarantees of civil and religious liberty conferred by the founders of the republic.

New Oil Manager at Kelso.

KELSO, Wash., May 19.—(Special.)—H. H. Samuelson of Portland has been appointed manager of the Kelso substation of the Standard Oil company. R. E. Solem of Kelso has been managing the Kelso and Kelso substations, but a division of the two stations was decided upon by the company.

Kelso Chautauqua to Open.

KELSO, Wash., May 19.—(Special.)—Kelso's Chautauqua, which will be here under the management of Ellison-White, will open tomorrow afternoon for a six-day stay. The tent will be erected tomorrow. Superintendent C. V. Stout has arrived and is busy with arrangements.

HAZELWOOD ORCHESTRA

J. F. N. Colburn, Director

TONIGHT'S PROGRAMME 6 to 8 and 9:30 to 11:30

1. "Some Sunny Day," Fox Trot Irving Berlin

2. "Summer Days," Valse Lente H. S. Perkins

3. "Wizard of the Nile," Selection Victor Herbert

4. "Three o'clock in the Morning," Waltz Julian Robledo

5. "Populaire Silhouette Maxime," Oreste Vessella

6. "Dreams".....Richard Wagner

7. "Circibiribi," Walt