

TRIAL OF RED MAN FOR MURDER BEGUN

Phillip Warren Faces Court for Killing Dry Agent.

JURY PANEL EXHAUSTED

Three Women and Two Men Excused Owing to Conscientious Scruples Against Hanging.

DALLAS, Or., Oct. 9.—(Special.)—Trial of Phillip Warren, Indian, for the murder of Grover C. Todd, one of the two federal prohibition agents killed during a raid on bootleggers at New Grand Ronde, in Polk county, the morning of September 3, was begun in circuit court this morning.

Before noon the regular panel of jurors had been exhausted, five of the first 12 drawn being excused because of conscientious scruples against capital punishment. A special venire of 30 names had been drawn last week and these soon were exhausted.

Additional Venues Ordered. Two additional venues, one of 15 names and one of 25 names, were ordered drawn by Judge Bell. At 2:40 court was adjourned until tomorrow morning, as the first two panels of jurors had been exhausted and the others had not yet reported.

Three women were examined for jury service during the first day of the trial, but all were excused when they stated they did not believe in capital punishment.

At the conclusion of the session 34 talesmen actually had been examined by the attorneys and seven had been accepted, subject to peremptory challenges.

Army Officer Is Passed.

J. R. Chapman, the second juror passed for cause, is a retired regular army officer and at one time commanded a company of Indian scouts on the western frontier. He stated this, however, did not prejudice him against the defendant because of his race.

HUNTER MEETS DEATH

Young Man, Accidentally Shot, Dies on Way to Medical Aid.

ABERDEEN, Wash., Oct. 9.—(Special.)—William Kaibner, 24 years old, son of Mrs. Amanda Kaibner, 214 East Market street, Aberdeen, died en route to the harbor in a coastguard cutter Sunday after having been accidentally shot while duck hunting at South Bay. Details of the accident, old before the coroner's jury Monday, showed the shooting to have been purely accidental.

The party, comprising five young men besides Kaibner, started for South Bay Saturday night in Kaibner's gasoline launch. They started shooting at daybreak and had bagged several ducks when they returned to the launch for breakfast.

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REED RECEPTION IS SET

ANNUAL EVENT TO BE HELD FRIDAY NIGHT.

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FURS FIND READY SALE

Day's Receipts at St. Louis Total Nearly Million.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 9.—(By the Associated Press.)—Receipts totaling \$900,000 were realized on the first day of the auction sale by the Fur Merchants' Association and the Foulke Fur company here today.

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OREGON CITY, Or., Oct. 9.—(Special.)—Mrs. Edward L. Walters, well known in Oregon City, where she and her husband resided until spring, and Mrs. J. J. Myers are in a hospital at Dunsmuir, Cal., where they are suffering from burns about the faces and bodies, caused from an explosion of an oil stove while camping out.

According to a letter received by Dr. L. G. Ice of this city, the two families were camped together and were preparing a meal when the explosion occurred. They were on their way to Oregon from Long Beach, Cal., where they had been enjoying an outing, and had made the trip by automobile.

\$500,000 DRIVE IS BEGUN

Eugene Bible University Banquet Opens Improvement Campaign.

EUGENE, Or., Oct. 8.—(Special.)—Two hundred and fifty Eugene citizens tonight were given a banquet at the Hotel Osburn by the Eugene Bible university as a beginning of a campaign to be statewide to raise \$500,000 for betterments on the school campus and for maintenance. Plans regarding the proposed hospital and sanitarium to be built here at an estimated cost of \$150,000 and other details of the future building programme of the school were outlined.

It was announced that an organization is being effected throughout the state to push the campaign.

Arrest Follows Auto Accident.

BEND, Or., Oct. 9.—(Special.)—John E. Carlson was arrested here this afternoon, charged with moving away from the scene of an automobile collision without stopping to give assistance, on the complaint of J. R. and D. J. Clark and F. R. Becora. Carlson, it is alleged, in passing the car in which the Clarks and Becora were riding, caused their automobile to overturn when the rear end of his machine swung into the front end of their car. Then, according to the complaining witnesses, Carlson continued on his way, while two of the wreck victims were left pinned underneath their automobile. The men crawled unhurt from under the vehicle.

Teachers Meet in Baker.

BAKER, Or., Oct. 8.—(Special.)—Three hundred teachers from Union and Baker counties are expected here tomorrow for the opening of a three-day joint teachers' institute. Same have been arranged by the local Chamber of Commerce for the educators tomorrow night.

MR. McARTHUR TO TALK

Accomplishments of Administration to Be Discussed.

Representative McArthur, candidate for re-election to congress, will be the principal speaker at the meeting of the Republican club of Oregon at room 525 courthouse Friday noon, choosing as his subject, "What the National Administration Has Accomplished," according to Charles E. Lockwood, president of the Republican club of Oregon. This speech will be the first of several that Mr. McArthur expects to make during the coming campaign for re-election.

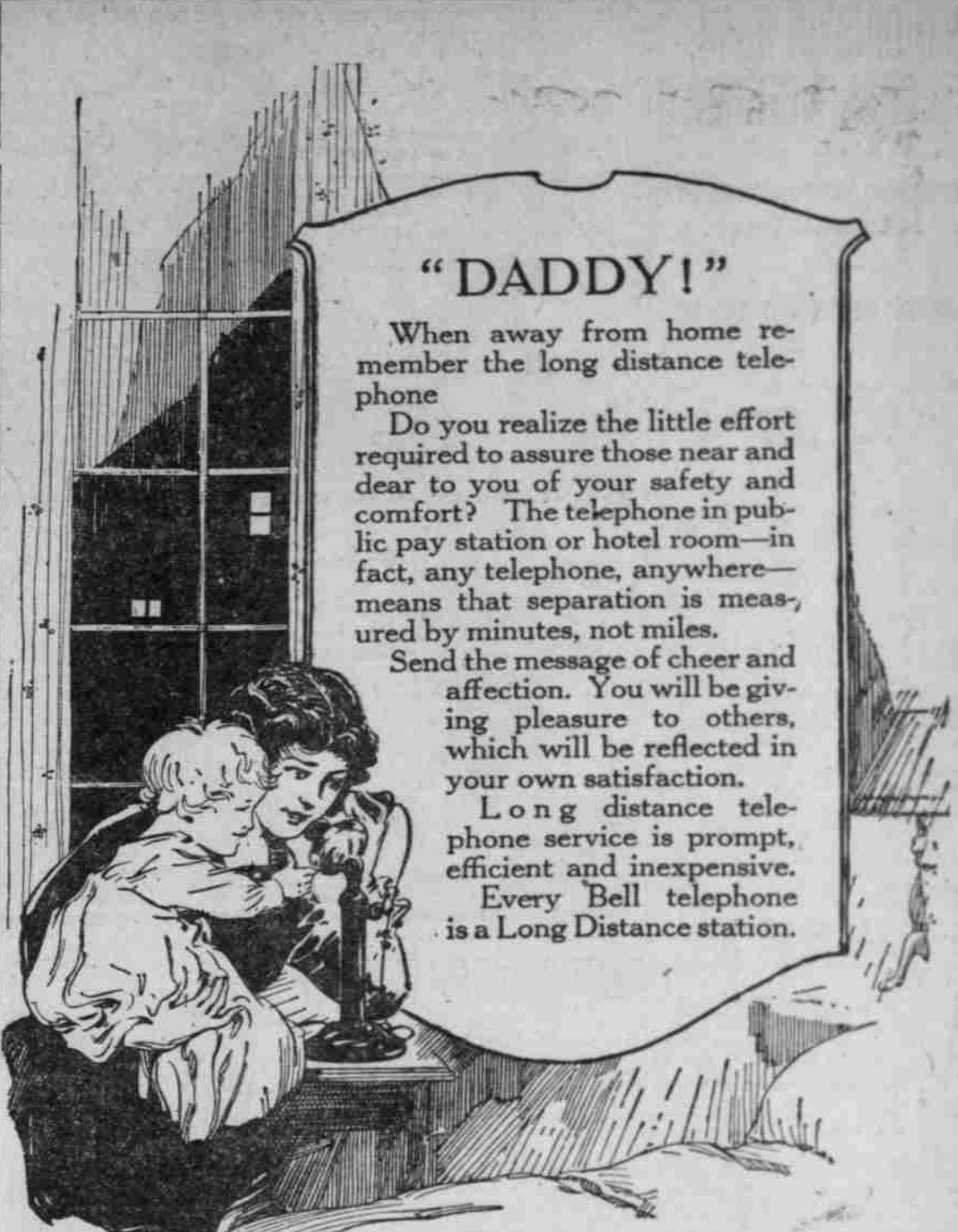
Organist to Give Recital.

Lucien E. Becker, prominent Portland organist, will give the first of a series of lecture-organ recitals on the Olds memorial organ in the Reed college chapel beginning at 8:15 o'clock tonight. He will feature Widors fifth symphony, supplementing it with lighter numbers. As was his practice during concerts of the last few years Mr. Becker will give the historical backgrounds of his selections as he plays them.

Fire-Prevention Expert Talks.

SALEM, Or., Oct. 9.—(Special.)—J. H. Shively, of the national fire prevention bureau with headquarters at San Francisco, was the principal speaker at a luncheon of local business men today. Mr. Shively deplored the increasing fire losses, and urged the city of Salem to support their fire department to the limit.

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