

SNOWSLIDE KILLS 3; BURIES TRAIN

Telegraph Operator Caught on Way With Orders From Dispatcher and Dies.

TRACKS ARE SWEEPED OUT

Cars Protected by Sheds Are Saved, but Snow Piles Up on Others as Train Stands Near Depot. Bodies Are Taken Out.

SEATTLE, Wash., March 24.—Three were killed and Great Northern train No. 4 partly buried by a snowslide near Embro, a station on the Great Northern near the summit of the west slope of the Cascades, yesterday.

John Hoff and J. Ross, laborers employed by a contracting firm which is completing snowsheds near Embro, were walking along the track and were struck by the slide and killed. Reese Wolfe, telegraph operator, had left the station and was walking to the train to give orders to the trainmen. His body was found today buried under 20 feet of snow.

The mail, baggage and smoking cars were buried by the snow. The remainder of the train was in a snowshed and was protected.

The Great Northern Railroad last summer constructed 16,000 feet of snowsheds near the summit, covering every foot of track believed to be exposed to slides. Two disastrous avalanches, causing loss of more than 100 lives, had descended in places near Tye, three trains having been carried down the mountainside.

MR. GUGGENHEIM WALKS OUT

Passenger Follows Down Mountain Trail to Rescue Train.

WALLACE, Idaho, March 24.—Simon Guggenheim, chairman of the board of the American Smelting & Refining Company, and ex-United States Senator from Colorado, arrived here today, after having been snowbound for more than 24 hours near the summit of the Coeur d'Alene Mountains.

A snowslide in front of the Northern Pacific train bound for Missoula, to which his private car was attached, stopped the train and before the train could be backed into Wallace another slide took away a trestle to the west.

Mr. Guggenheim was forced to walk today down a mountain trail to a special train that had been sent to rescue the snowbound passengers.

Members of the snowbound party said that Mr. Guggenheim seemed to enjoy the experience of last night. He fed the 40 passengers and train crew as long as the food lasted in his private car. He put aside a bed in his car for a woman and her baby.

Mr. Guggenheim, accompanied by Edward Brush and E. L. Newhouse, vice-presidents of the smelting company, will depart from here later, after he will take a train for Helena, Mont.

Idaho Tracks Swept Out.

EVERY, Idaho, March 24.—Snowslides in the Elter Root Mountains have forced the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad to detour its trains from Spokane to Wallace over the Northern Pacific. The slides continued today and at places carried away portions of the main-line tracks. A large motor, driving a rotary, was derailed twice by slides.

AMERICAN SEEN TO FALL

No Doubt Left as to Fate of Airman in France.

PARIS, March 24.—Further news from the front leaves no doubt, that Sergeant K. R. McConnell, the American aviator, who now has been missing five days after having been engaged in a combat with two machines over the German lines, was killed in action. Observers at a distance saw his machine fall in flames and his two German assailants returning toward their own lines, it is now learned.

Edmond C. Genet, another American aviator, who was wounded in the first contact with the Germans as he was accompanying McConnell, is a grandson of Citizen Genet, who was French minister to the United States during the Washington administration and subsequently settled in America.

ESTACADA MAY GET MILL

Springwater Men Figure on Moving Plant to Clackamas Banks.

ESTACADA, Or., March 24.—(Special.)—Messrs. Cox and Park, of Springwater, at Monday night's meeting of the Farmers' and Merchants' Club, presented a favorable report relative to their proposed installation of a single mill in Estacada.

The partners state they are now arranging to bid on the purchase of part of the Government cedar in the reserve up the Clackamas and if their bid is accepted and the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company will furnish the factory site, as reported, the mill will be moved from its present location on Clear Creek to the banks of the Clackamas, in Estacada, near the Springwater bridge.

CREDIT OFFER ATTRACTS

Members Are Gained for National Education Association.

SALEM, Or., March 24.—(Special.)—Teachers all over the state are taking advantage of a recent offer of J. A. Churchill, Superintendent of Public Instruction, whereby they will receive credit for reading circle work if they take out a certificate of membership in the National Education Association.

His offer was made to swell the membership of that society in the state by at least 1000 members before the association holds its National convention in Portland in July.

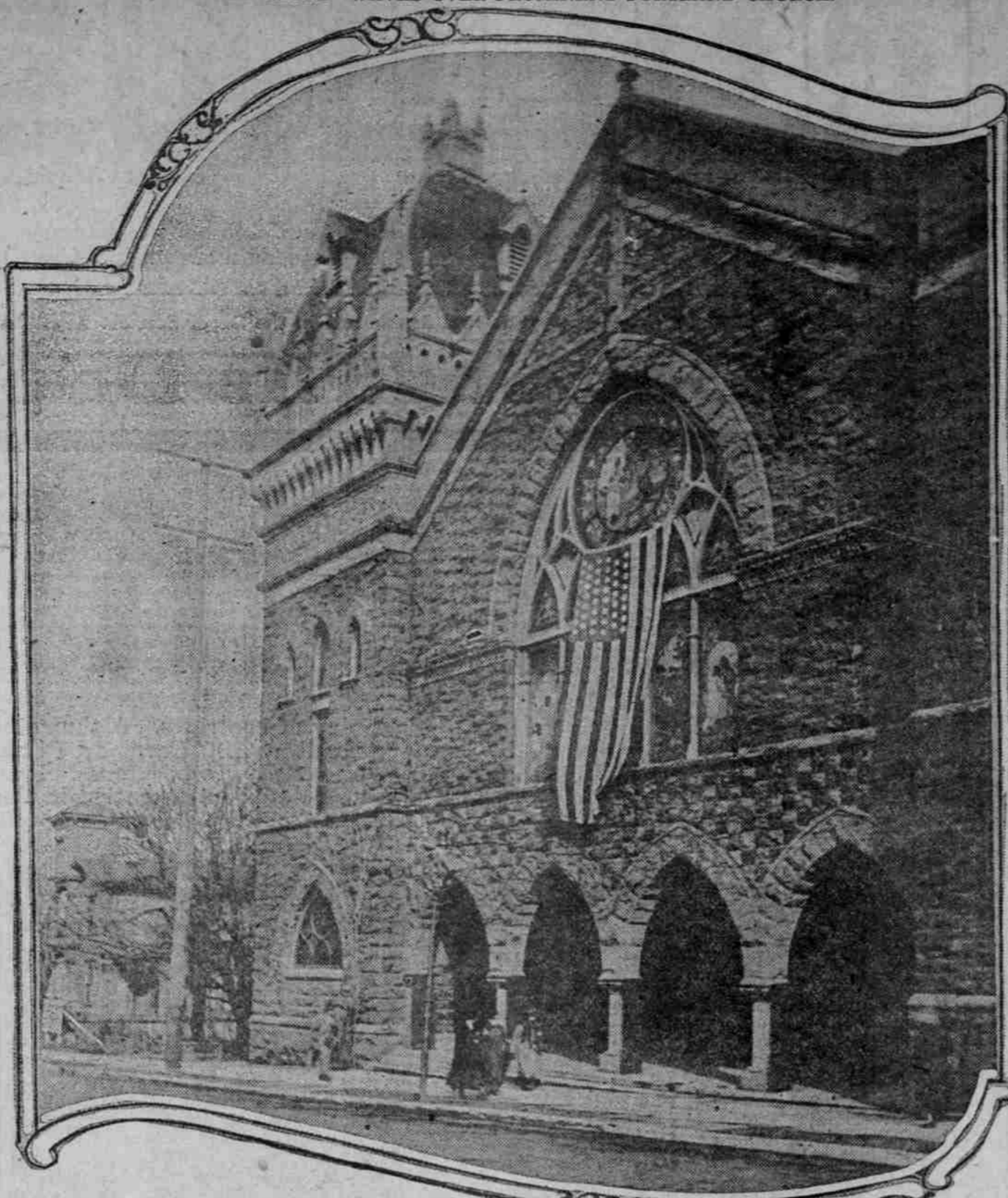
PROSECUTOR GETS THREAT

Death to Follow Conviction of Denver Woman, Says Message.

DENVER, March 24.—The defense in the case of Mrs. Stella Moore Smith, accused of the murder of her husband here January 13, rested today. William E. Foley, District Attorney, announced that his life had been threatened in connection with the case.

The District Attorney said that yesterday, 1941 before adjournment for the

"OLD GLORY" WAVES OVER PROMINENT PORTLAND CHURCH.



THE FLAG ON THE FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, WHICH WAS THE FIRST IN THE CITY TO HANG OUT THE FLAG.

day, a woman called him on the telephone and said: "I'm giving you a warning. If you continue the prosecution of Stella Smith and convict her you will be killed."

SALEM HAS OFFICER CLASS

33 Men Enter for Army Reserve Corps Examinations.

SALEM, Or., March 24.—(Special.)—A class of those desiring to take examinations for the Army officers' reserve corps has been organized here with 33 members. It is expected the membership will increase to 40.

The use of the local Armory is being sought and two nights a week will be set aside for drill and examination. Efforts also are being made to secure the services of a United States Army officer from Vancouver to assist in instructing the members of the class.

Coos River Rises Seven Feet.

MARSHFIELD, Or., March 24.—(Special.)—The storm of last night raised Coos River seven feet and brought the highest water since a year ago. The Coquille River was also affected, but there were no inundations on either stream. Logs from the headwaters of both rivers came out. The day was clear and the worst of the storm is spent.

Marshfield to Be Patriotic.

MARSHFIELD, Or., March 24.—(Special.)—Mayor R. A. Copple issued a patriotic week proclamation, following closely that of Governor Withycombe. The city will aid the Coast Artillery company in recruiting the Eleventh company to war strength next week. Flags are to be displayed and patriotic meetings may be held.

Railroad President Resigns.

MINNEAPOLIS, March 24.—The resignation of E. L. Brown as president of the Minneapolis & St. Louis Railroad was announced at the road's offices here today. His health was given as the cause.

CHURCH FLIES FLAG

Colors Draped From Congre- gational Edifice.

OTHERS TO ADOPT CUSTOM

"Old Glory" Visible for Blocks From Park-Street Church, and as It Waves in Sunlight Many Hats Are Doffed.

BY PEGGY CURTIS.

The Stars and Stripes are waving from a Portland church, the First Congregational, and people pausing stop and thrill at the great American flag which hangs across the front entrance on Park street. Some of them enter and pray, for the gates are open. This is believed to be the first church publicly to show the flag.

All day yesterday "Old Glory" waved in the wind and now and then a burst of sunlight made it glow so that it was visible for blocks. Scores of passersby stopped and many were heard to exclaim, "It's wonderful, isn't it?" Men who stopped were hatless and children drew attention to the "flag on the church." For, though they are accustomed to seeing flags on Government buildings, it was rather new to one on a church.

However, the churches of many denominations in the East, especially in New York and other Atlantic Coast cities, have hung out the National colors and draped flags from their spires, as well as in the auditoriums and Sunday school rooms.

Portland has few churches that have

not the flag in some shape or manner in the Sunday school rooms. Many have added more and larger flags in the rooms in which their young people gather since the recent crisis. There is a constant attempt by the ministers to try to instill in the young "the love of country as well as the love of God," and now they publicly announce this.

It is probable that many more of the Portland churches will hang out their flags today. A number have had the matter under consideration and some have the flags all ready to hoist. Prayers for the country will be offered up with renewed ardor in the churches this morning, and especially at the First Congregational Church, for few will be able to pass beneath the grand old "Stars and Stripes" there without a patriotic increased ten-fold.

SUICIDE DONE BY WIRE

Chehalis Painter Uses Drop Light to Electrocute Self.

CHEHALIS, Wash., March 24.—(Special.)—O. E. Larkins, a painter employed on the Security State Bank building here, electrocuted himself between 4 and 5 o'clock yesterday at the Brunwig lodging-house in this city. He was discovered by the landlady about 8 o'clock last night. He was about 45 years of age and a member of the Chehalis band. He is survived by his widow, a Hatfield girl, at Mossyrock.

Larkins wound a wire around each thumb, third wire attached to the body and a fourth wire run across the foot of the bed. The connection was made by placing his foot on a wet towel at the foot of the bed. A drop light in the room supplied the current.

Universal Training Espoused.

NEW YORK, March 24.—Rear-Admiral Robert E. Peary, Henry L. Stimson, former Secretary of War, and Frederic R. Coudert will leave here tomorrow for a speaking tour in the Middle West in behalf of universal military training. Mr. Stimson and Mr. Coudert will speak at Des Moines and Omaha.

NEWBERG WOMEN ORGANIZE FIRST AUXILIARY TO MOOSE LODGE IN THE STATE AND ELECT OFFICERS.



Top Row—Minnie Anderson, Blanche Van Blaricom, Lois Coyle, Hattie Patterson, Lilla Evans, Ella Linnegood, Nettie Stubbs, Organizers; Mable Ballard, Treasurer; Jessie Luker, Sennie Schultz, Carrie Crites, Margaret Waldron. Bottom Row—Annie McDonald, Argus; Inez Dodge, Chaplana; Elvira Smith, Lucy Littlefield, Junior Regent; Marie Evans, Past Regent; Jessie Boyes, Senior Regent; Ellen Evans, Anna Kennedy, Guide; Cecil Chapman, Recorder.

NEWBERG, Or., March 20.—(Special.)—Newberg women have organized the first auxiliary to the Moose Lodge in the state and have elected officers for the first year. They have adopted the name of "The Women of Mooseheart Legion." The Newberg chapter will be called Chehalis, No. 264.

Others in the lodge in addition to those photographed on the organization are Della Smith, Effie Patterson, Bessie Coyle and Hattie Patton.

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- a \$21.50 Dressing Table, American walnut, for...\$16.00
- a \$25 Mahogany Chair, upholstered, for...\$15.00
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PLOTTER TO FACE TRIAL

STOCKTON GETS WILLIAM BOWEN ON FORGERY CHARGES.

Battle in Insane Hospital is Laid in Part to Prisoner, Who is Thought to Have Engineered Escape.

SALEM, Or., March 24.—(Special.)—William Bowen, one of the conspirators in the plot at the criminal insane ward at the Oregon Insane Hospital on February 25, which resulted in an attack on E. B. Fitch, who finally died from injuries sustained in the attempt at escape, was turned over to the Sheriff of Marion County today to be delivered to authorities at Stockton, Cal. He is wanted there on forgery charges.

He is also wanted in Eugene on similar charges.

Arrangements had been made about two weeks ago to send the man to Lane County, when he was seized with a sudden attack of illness and his delivery was given up.

Bowen is said to have a long record of crimes and he is wanted in a number of places.

He was considered at the State Hospital as a particularly dangerous man, and Superintendent Steiner is satisfied that he was one of the arch-conspirators of the plot of February 25, although he played no particularly active part in the attack which resulted in the death of one attendant and serious injuries to another.

STUDENTS READY TO WORK

Variety of Different Occupations to Be Followed in Vacation.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, March 24.—(Special.)—A census of the students has been completed showing the lines of work they will engage in next summer.

Eleven will devote their time to the ministry, 23 will go to work, 33 will engage in general farm work, while 35 will act as salesmen or clerks, 15 have office employment, and 27 will do teaming. Two have signified either intention of teaching, five will be architects and seven will be printers. Miscellaneous employment such as surveying, telegraphy, telephone operating, logging, timber-cruising, construction, salmon cannery, railroad and steamboat, Chautauqua, banking, mining, fishing, forestry, mountain guiding, wool scouring, auto driving, painting, nursing, selling insurance, carpentry, Y. M. A. C., running Summer resorts, collecting, music and mechanical work in garages will occupy others.

Only 11 men in the university confessed they had not toiled last year, while 103 failed to reply to the census taker.

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Woman Pastor to Sell Books.
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