

FORMER MARINE WILL BE HANGED

Intervention of Governor
Swanson Only Hope of
Leo C. Thurman.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Norfolk, Va., March 7.—Unless Governor Swanson interferes with the sentence, which is not considered likely, tomorrow will be the last Sunday on earth for Leo C. Thurman, who is to be hanged here next Friday for the murder of his roommate, Walter P. Dolson, more than two years ago. The convicted man, who is not yet 30 years old, seems resigned to his fate and is said to have made a full confession of his crime.

Both the murderer and his victim were mariners in the United States service and had been discharged a short time previous to the crime. Dolson was en route to his home in Michigan, when he picked up with Thurman. The two young men became friends and together they secured lodging in an East Main street boarding-house in this city. Thurman was practically penniless, while Dolson had about \$400, which he had saved from his pay in the marine corps.

While Dolson slept one night Thurman chopped the defenseless man to pieces with an ax, robbed him, packed the body in a trunk and tied a tag on it for shipment to Edenton, North Carolina. The crime was discovered almost immediately, but not before Thurman had eluded the police and left the city. He went south and after wandering across the continent he finally located in Vancouver, B. C., where he was captured. The passing of bad checks, which was an old practice of his, proved his undoing. He was arrested as a result of a check transaction, and when taken to police headquarters in Vancouver a detective with a good memory for faces recognized in the prisoner the man who was wanted for murder in this city. Thurman, after the murder of Dolson, had changed under the name of Gould. The police of this city verified the description of the prisoner, and a hat which he wore bearing the name of a Norfolk hatter completed the identification.

Detectives of the Norfolk department were at once sent to British Columbia to bring back the prisoner. A trip of six days across the continent and the much-hunted man was landed behind prison bars, almost a year after the murder had been committed.

A speedy trial, with a verdict of murder in the first degree, and the last chapter in a career that was conducted by many misdeeds was completed. Thurman was never placed on the stand. His attorneys argued that if their client killed Dolson he was insane at the time. There was not a witness for the defense, except to try to prove that Thurman had been considered partially insane at times.

Thurman was born in West Point, Kentucky, and in his youth was a newsboy in Cincinnati and several other Ohio cities. Prior to enlisting in the marine corps he had been in several scrapes of a more or less serious nature. After his arrest on the murder charge his family gave him what aid they could. A brother came from Kentucky, and a lawyer came with him to assist in the defense. It did not take the jury but a few minutes, however, to arrive at a verdict of guilty. The first trial took place last summer, and Thurman was sentenced to hang the latter part of September. An appeal to the supreme court resulted in a stay. The higher court declined to interfere in the case, whereupon the young man was sentenced to pay the death penalty on Friday, the thirteenth day of March.

Steamer Sue H. Elmore will receive freight for Tillamook bay points Saturday, March 7. For sailing dates, freight and passenger rates, apply Oak street dock. W. A. Baker, agent.

FOUR CRIMINAL CASES ON BAKER CITY DOCKET

March Term of State Circuit
Court Will Be Opened
Next Monday.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Baker City, March 7. The March term of the circuit court of the Eighth judicial district will convene in this city next Monday.

The criminal cases to come up at this term are those of George Morris, Frank Gunn and R. C. McCollum. Morris is charged with having stolen some diamond rings from Mrs. Elizabeth Ullman, the value of the rings being \$600. Although the rings were returned to their owner it did not prevent the prisoner from being charged with the theft. He was convicted of stealing a saddle some time ago and has been serving a sentence in the county jail.

Frank McHolme was bound over from the justice court for having taken subscriptions to a Portland newspaper and then pocketing the money.

Frank Gunn and Robert McCollum are accused of having entered a cabin on the ranch of Joe Keninson and removing, or attempting to remove, a stove, mower and other machinery.

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A word cannot be used more than once, even though it has different meanings.

You cannot use plurals or the names of persons or places.

Any word now in use in the English language (Webster is our authority) will be counted, but not obsolete words.

Add your list when completed and state number of words. Sign your full name and give postoffice address.

The contest will close April 1st, 1908, and all answers should be marked on the outside, "Word Contest," and mailed or delivered to our address, John P. Sharkey Company, 122½ Sixth St., by that date. Each list will be carefully examined, and the successful contestants notified as soon as possible, which will be about 10 days later.

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NEWS FORECAST OF COMING WEEK

Political Developments in
Portugal Will Attract
Attention.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Washington, D. C., March 7.—The coming week does not hold in prospect very many events of wide news interest, either domestic or foreign. It is the accepted belief that congress will not be able to agree on any financial legislation at the present session, and nothing above the regular routine of business is expected from either the house or senate during the week. In the foreign field the proceedings of the British parliament and possible political developments in Portugal and in the Balkan provinces will attract more or less attention.
Admiral Evans' fleet of battleships is due to reach Magdalena bay next Saturday and will put in about three weeks there before resuming the trip to San Francisco.
Republicans of Oklahoma and Nebraska will hold their state conventions Wednesday to choose delegates to the national convention. The Taft managers confidently place Oklahoma in their column and the probabilities seem to be that Nebraska will also declare her preference for the secretary of war, despite the effort that has been made recently to arouse a sentiment for La Follette in that state.
William J. Bryan is expected to de-

liver his customary quota of addresses during the week and Governor Hughes will be heard at a public dinner in Boston. For Secretary Taft it will be a week of comparative inactivity so far as public speaking is concerned.
The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Pennsylvania Railroad company will be held in Philadelphia Tuesday.
The progress of the New York-to-Paris automobile race and the Jacksonville-to-Miami road run will be matters of interest in automobile circles.
The motion for a new trial in the case of John R. Walsh, convicted of misapplying funds of the Chicago National bank, will be heard in the federal court at Chicago Tuesday.
Conventions of the week that will attract attention will be the meeting of

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The National Congress of Mothers in this city and the first international convention of the Young People's Missionary movement in Pittsburgh.
An event of interest to a large section of the west and southwest will be the annual meeting and exhibition of the Texas Cattle Raisers' association in Fort Worth.
MUST BUILD CEMENT WALKS IN LA GRANDE
(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
La Grande, Or., March 7.—The council has passed a resolution to provide for the construction of cement walks in the district as laid out last fall. The greater part of these walks were completed last year, and now the council is taking the necessary steps to force the property owners to comply with requirements. The street superintendent was ordered to make improvements in this part of the city known as "old town." Two saloon licenses were granted. Provision was made for a complete statement of the city's financial affairs for the past year.

DISCOVER GRAFT IN AFFAIRS OF ORIENTAL TEA
(United Press Leased Wire.)
New York, March 7.—"The bank has been conducted in a most slipshod, loose, unbusiness-like manner, and it has become permeated with irregularities, frauds and crime."
"Some aggregating considerable amounts have been charged off to 'profit and loss' and offenders allowed to escape the penalty of the law apparently because they were employees of the bank, whom the officers were afraid to prosecute for fear of exposure, and greater or more serious irregularities, or violation of the law, on the part of those higher up in the administration of the bank's affairs."
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60 ACRES—Good rich land; 30 acres under fine state of cultivation, some more easily cleared; 20 or 25 acres of fine green saw timber; some fine beaver dam land on this place; fine 2-story, 10-room, plastered and nicely painted house, fine barn, and all necessary outbuildings in good condition; spring water, and never failing stream; good family orchard, place fenced and cross-fenced, in thickly settled locality, and in the midst of fine improved farms; 1 mile from graded school, and 3 miles from Vancouver; personal property; 3 head cattle, 1 horse, mower, rake, plows, harrows, cultivator, some hay, chickens, all small tools, household furniture, etc., all for only \$7,500; \$5,000 cash; \$2,500 to suit at 6 per cent interest.

115 ACRES—All good level land; 75 acres under cultivation, more easily cleared; 25 acres fine green saw timber, good orchard of assorted fruits; fine 7-room house, 2 good barns, and all necessary outbuildings, well and living water; place fenced and cross-fenced; 1 mile from fine level road; personal property; good team, harness, surry, mower, rake, spring-tooth harrow, 2 wagons, wood rack, etc., etc. All for \$8,500, 1/2 cash.

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