

SUSPICION SAYS HUSBAND KILLED MAUDE T. VIRGO

Paw Paw, Mich., April 23.—(L. N. S.)—Joseph Virgo, the much-married undertaker husband of Maude Tabor Virgo, the victim in Michigan's "hope chest" death mystery, was branded as the real slayer of the young woman in signed statements submitted today to the jury which is trying Mrs. Surah Tabor for manslaughter in connection with her daughter's death.

The statements were made by Mrs. Tabor during her incarceration in a Kalamazoo jail, after she was brought there following discovery of her daughter's body in the cellar of the Tabor home at Lawton, Mich., where it had lain nearly four years.

As the result of the placing in evidence of these statements, search for Virgo, who has not put in an appearance at his mother-in-law's trial despite his promise to do so, was redoubled today. It is believed that new warrants charging murder will be sought against Virgo, who, despite the fact that at one time he was held for the slaying, was released by Prosecutor H. H. Adams without court action.

Many Applications For Water Rights In Oregon Streams

Salem, April 23.—The appropriation of 90 second feet of water from the Willamette river, in addition to the amount granted under a recent adjudication of water rights on this stream, is sought by the Enterprise Mercantile & Milling company of Enterprise in an application filed with State Engineer Capper here Thursday. The appropriation is desired for the development of 163 additional horsepower, the project involving an outlay of approximately \$4500. The water commission of St. Helens has also filed an application with the state engineer's office for the right to appropriate water from Milton creek for municipal purposes. This application, it is understood, is in addition to water rights heretofore acquired by the city of St. Helens for municipal purposes and involves new development to the construction of a pipe line one and one fourth miles long on Milton creek above the present intake.

Other applications filed with the state engineer's office Thursday were: By H. C. Muller, Grants Pass, water from Rogue river for the irrigation of 50 acres in Josephine county. By Minnie Brown, Ontario, water from Snake river for the irrigation of 37 acres near Ontario. By W. J. Sisson of Fields, water from Horse creek for the irrigation of 125 acres in Harney county. By W. G. Hoagland of Reedsport, water from an unnamed stream tributary to the Willamette river for a domestic water supply.

Japanese to Hold Electorate Hand in Hawaii in 10 Years

In 10 years, children born of alien Japanese parents, but entitled to American citizenship because born on American soil, will outnumber Americans in Hawaii, and the Japanese will thus be given opportunity to place the island under their control, declared Dan J. Maloney of Portland, who told the Progressive Business Men's club Thursday afternoon at the Benson hotel, incidents of a three months' tour of the Orient, which he has just completed.

The Japanese are seeking just as large control as possible in China and Korea, Maloney added. But the Chinese would like to see America adopting in respect to China and Asiatic Monroe doctrine, warning Japan to keep hands off. The Portlander said that he found the Japanese industrious, orderly, clean, productive and entitled to much credit for their industry.

Newsboy Struck by Automobile as He Runs Across Street

Running across the street to get more papers from his little sister, Emerson White, 548 Taylor street, an 8-year-old newsboy, was struck by a machine driven by George Bronaugh, 350 North Thirty-second street, Thursday afternoon, at Sixteenth and Washington streets. Bronaugh carried the lad to the Good Samaritan hospital, where it is reported he has a fractured right leg, a cut on the hip and lacerations of the scalp.

Emerson was selling papers on the south side of Washington street, when he suddenly darted across. Bronaugh stated that he was going about 12 miles an hour. He said he stopped the machine within a few feet, before it could pass over the boy's body. His brakes were in good condition, he claimed. Miss Eleanor Hodgins, Trinity Place apartments, was in the machine at the time of the accident.

R. & H. Green Stamps for cash. Holman Fuel Co., Main 353, 550-21.—Adv.

TRAFFIC MEN WANTED!

Two clean-cut experienced young men as assistants in Traffic Department large commercial organization. One who is familiar with rates and routings; the other familiar with overcharge and loss and damage claims. Answer R-21, care Oregon Journal, stating telephone number and where can be reached Friday or Saturday afternoon or evening.

U. P. Officials Leave On Inspection Tour Of Northwest Lines

Frank W. Robinson, freight traffic manager of the Union Pacific system, accompanied by H. E. Lounsbury, general freight agent of the U-P, and William McMurray, general passenger agent, left Thursday on a general inspection trip over lines of the Union Pacific in the Northwest. The party will first visit Yakima, Spokane and other Washington cities.

Robinson was traffic manager of the U-P, prior to the resumption of private control, and had been visiting Portland several days to conclude business and private affairs in this city. His trip over the northwestern lines will be in the nature of a farewell trip, as he will return direct to his new headquarters at Omaha.

SAULT SHOULD BE INDICTED, DECLARES DISTRICT ATTORNEY

District Attorney Evans, in discussing on Thursday the release of Victor Sault and his wife, Julia Sault, on \$1000 bail, said that he infers this is the first step toward denying deportation warrants for these agitators. He declared it seems an anomalous condition that citizens of the United States should be sentenced to prison for identical the same acts which the government does not consider culpable when committed by an alien.

He announced that at the earliest opportunity he proposes to present to the grand jury the facts concerning the Saults and seek indictments of these persons, as well as others in like situations. Sault was a witness for the defense in the trials of Karl Oster, Claud Hurst and Fred Fry, recently convicted of criminal syndicalism, and told of his connection with the left wing of the Socialist Labor party that was merged into the Communist Labor party, an organization that has as its announced purpose the overthrowing of all national governments and the communizing of all property.

Sault, it was developed in his examination during this trial, had applied for American citizenship, but did not proceed with it and recently he was in the public eye when he refused to stand when the national anthem was played at a public gathering here.

Articles of Incorporation. The Northwest Knitting Mills filed articles of incorporation Thursday with the county clerk. The principal place of business is Portland, and the purpose of the concern is to do a general business in the manufacture and sale of knit goods of every nature and description. The capital stock is \$2500 and the incorporators are H. C. Steele, R. J. Evans and J. L. Steele, all of Portland.

Heiny Will Is Filed. The will of Joseph Heiny, deceased, was filed for probate Thursday by the widow, Mrs. Rachael Heiny, who is named in the will as executrix without bond. She asks the court, however, to name executor in her stead her son, Arthur Heiny. The estate is valued at \$10,500, consisting of \$4000 worth of real estate and \$6500 invested in notes and mortgages. Joseph Heiny died at Gresham on April 19.

Company's Name Changed. Supplementary articles of incorporation were filed with the county clerk Thursday for the Hewitt Commission company, providing for the change of its name to T. R. Hewitt & Co., and increasing the capital stock from \$1000 to \$5000.

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