

2 LOCAL SAFES ARE BLOWN OPEN; \$1500 IS STOLEN

Busy burglars in their haste to finish up their job overlooked \$1500 in Liberty bonds and other valuables when they cracked two safes in the office of the Jones Lumber Company at 291 Fourth street early Tuesday morning. Their loot was only about \$150.

Entrance to the office was gained by forcing a door leading to a lumber storehouse adjoining. Tools taken from the Perry Granite works and from an automobile parked near by on Fourth street were found scattered about on the floor of the office.

The door of the larger safe in the outer business office had been drilled and the lock blown with dynamite caps.

MASTE IS APPARENT
An inner steel door was also forced by explosives and the strong box and other compartments were stripped open. It was evident that the crackmen worked in haste and that they worked in the dark as well. A \$2 bill and a 50 cent piece, together with a \$100 Liberty loan bond, lay on the floor in front of the safe, while \$1500 in bonds belonging to J. W. Duffell were undisturbed in a drawer of the safe.

An old-fashioned burglar proof safe, about 3 1/2 feet in dimensions, in a private office not exposed to view from the street received more careful attention. The locks were blown with dynamite caps and the inner doors forced open with a logging cat. Nothing of value was taken from this safe.

EXPLOSIONS NOT HEARD
Persons living in the neighborhood heard nothing of the explosions and the robbery was not discovered until employees opened the office at 7 o'clock this morning. According to Morris H. Jones, manager of the lumber company, the office was entered in a similar manner about a year ago, when the cash register and drawers in office desks were opened.

Day Bros, grocers, notified the police Tuesday that their store at Twenty-ninth and Gladstone had been broken into during the night, the thieves taking a quantity of sugar, candy, cigarettes and a new automatic shotgun.

The police were called on the trail of the thief who pried a padlock off the door of J. Andrews' room at First and Alder streets Sunday night, and stole \$2000, his life's savings, and a watch. An engineer and has been living at the place for several years. Distrustful of banks, he has been keeping his money hidden about his room. The thieves overlooked \$625 concealed in another place.

Oregon Friends to Greet Chamberlain At The Auditorium

United States Senator George E. Chamberlain will speak Wednesday evening at the Auditorium at a public mass meeting which has been arranged by Portland friends as a homecoming gathering for him.

The doors will be opened at 7:30 o'clock and an organ recital will be given between that time and the commencement of the senator's address. E. E. Irvine will preside at the meeting.

The meeting has not been arranged as a campaign meeting, but rather as an occasion upon which Senator Chamberlain again may meet with his Oregon friends after the long period of his absence at his post of duty at Washington. It is probable that the senator will discuss some of the nationally interesting things that congress has done, or failed to do, during the period that has elapsed since he was last home in 1918 and will tell in a general way of the work that has been engrossing his attention as a senator during that time.

Fruit Left Exposed; Vendors Are Fined

On complaint of J. B. Nye, sanitary inspector of the health department, James Koudas and Louie Mitchell were fined \$25 each for failing to protect fruit against dust. Payment of the fine was suspended. They were warned by Municipal Judge Rosaman that they would have to pay if neglect was found again. Carl Drouillard was fined \$5 for leaving his restaurant screen door open.

Looking For a Room?

If you read The Journal "want" ads you may find there just the place you want.

If you don't find it, a small "Want" ad in The Journal—about 12 words—costs only 24 cents, and you are entitled to see what you want.

PHONE MAIN 7173

HEAR SENATOR CHAMBERLAIN AT THE AUDITORIUM Wednesday Evening 8:00 o'clock
(Paid Advertisement)

Three Pioneers of Coos Bay District Answer Last Call

Marshfield, July 13.—Three pioneers of Coos Bay died Monday. William Turpen, one of the first logging operators of this part of the state, who had resided here for nearly a half century, died at Mercy hospital. He came across the plains with an ox team in 1859.

Mrs. Sarah Black, wife of Henry Black, and a resident of Coos Bay since 1875, died at the home place at Sumner, aged 82 years. She had been a member of the Baptist church for 72 years and crossed the plains in the early sixties.

John Bear, a resident of Marshfield since 1871, died at the age of 80 years. He was a native of Finland but came to America when young, had served in the United States navy and was in the merchant marine before he settled on Coos Bay. He was an early day logger and farmer.

CAVELED RAILROAD HELD NO MYSTERY

The Portland & Oregon City railroad has \$100,700 of its total authorized capital stock of \$200,000 fully paid, according to Stephen Carver, who conceived the idea of the road and has taken the leading part in its financing.

Carver makes this statement in reference to the paid up capital stock because it was published that the paid up capital amounted to \$1075, which was the amount given by the public service commission. Carver also contends that the Carver railroad is not "a child of mystery," but was built to develop not only the large farming district but a large body of timber in Eastern Clackamas county.

"The statement that but \$1075 of the company's authorized capital stock has been paid is not correct," Carver said. "For \$100,700 of the authorized issue of \$200,000 has been fully paid in Nor can the company be called a 'child of mystery' for its full list of stockholders has been furnished the corporation commission and a matter of public record. The stock is held by J. L. Sprinkle of Chinook, Mont., the C. E. Sprinkle estate, E. S. Sweet of Long Beach, Cal., W. E. Hill and myself. Practically all the bonds are also held by the stockholders.

"There has never been a dollar's worth of watered or promotion stock issued by the company and all our obligations have been paid in cash. The road was constructed to develop not only the large farming district in Eastern Clackamas county but the large body of timber in that district as well. The extension of the road to Viola and the timber has been delayed by unforeseen obstacles brought about by the war. We have eight miles of this extension nearly graded and expect to have the line in operation to Viola very soon. The people of Clackamas county want the railroad, and we will build it."

VISTA HOUSE EXPENDITURE STOPPED

"Abundance of evidence was adduced at the trial," Judge Tucker holds that the amended complaint brought the discussion clearly under the realm of the demurrer.

The section of the statutes which, it seems, particularly applied to this case, is that cited above which says, in defining the powers of the county commissioners, that they shall have power "to provide for the erection and repairing of courthouses, jails and other necessary buildings for the use of the county."

The decision of Judge Tucker is to the effect that the board of health has had ample authority to construct Vista House as a portion of the Columbia highway improvement.

PROSECUTION CALLED WEAK

In concluding his decision, Judge Tucker says: "The court is also impressed with the fact as shown by the testimony of the health department, that the plaintiffs prosecuted the case. The records show that the original complaint was verified and supported by one plaintiff, Nece Winters, after amendment several others were made complainants. The additional plaintiffs, when called upon to testify and brought in by subpoena, seemed to have little if any theory upon which they were working. They manifested a feeling that they were simply protesting against the large expenditure that has been made in the construction of Vista House."

Frank Branch Riley To Tell Interesting Experiences in East

Frank Branch Riley will tell how he "sold the Pacific northwest" to the eastern people on his recent lecture tour at the weekly meeting of the Portland Ad club Wednesday noon at the Beacon hotel.

That the women may also hear Riley, it will be Ladies day, and special Oregon made products will be given to each

REORGANIZATION OF LEGISLATIVE POSITIONS TO BE WROUGHT OUT

With a view to reorganizing Portland post No. 1 of the American Legion, or at least to change its present working policy, James R. Bain, vice commander, complying with the resolution adopted at the tumultuous meeting of the post last week, has appointed a committee of 12 members to prepare plans of action for the proposed change.

T. H. Boyd, whose criticism of the workings of the post brought about the resolution, was appointed temporary chairman of the committee, the other members of which are Arthur A. Murphy, O. W. R. & N. legal department; James Hammond, J. W. Jorgenson, Portland News; A. DeCamp, 1114 North-western National bank building; Harold Holmberg, Evening Telegram; William A. Ekwall, Arthur D. Montelish, F. A. Walton, James S. Gay, Kenneth S. Jordan and Fred H. McNeil, The Journal.

The committee is evenly divided as to former officers and enlisted men, and was chosen to present as many different view points as possible as to the work of the legion, its objects and activities.

"I did not place any present member of the executive committee or any officer of the legion on this committee for the reason I thought you could work to better advantage without them," Bain in his letter of notification to Boyd. "If at any time you desire any information as to the numerical standing, financial strength, the activities of the legion in the past or what the executive committee has planned for the future, either you, or the entire committee, or any number thereof, may have access to all the books, or you are at liberty to call the entire executive committee before you, or any officer, for a statement concerning the activities that are planned and are now being carried on by the organization and the plans of the executive committee. In other words, the officers and the executive committee of Portland post pledge full cooperation with you in all your work and will be subject to your orders at any time that you may desire a meeting with them, or any information or assistance."

Dr. Albert Bushnell Hart, one of the greatest historians of the day and who has written more books on history and government science than any other man in America, was the honor guest Tuesday of the Rotary club and the Loyal Order of Moose.

Dr. Hart is an imposing figure, with a long white beard. He and Mrs. Hart arrived from Astoria shortly after noon and he went at once to the Benson hotel, where the Rotary club was holding its weekly luncheon.

Dr. Hart was schoolmaster to Theodore Roosevelt and gave to that statesman many of the advanced ideas on government which made him famous. Later, he acted as preceptor also to Franklin D. Roosevelt, democratic candidate for vice-president.

The Harts are on their way home to Cambridge, Mass., from Honolulu. Dr. Hart is professor of American history at Harvard. Looked upon as one of the most revered members of the Moose lodge, he is governor of Mooseheart, the home in Indiana maintained by that fraternity for widows and orphans of members. Dr. Hart was met at the station by a Moose delegation.

The Moose orphan home has 813 children on 1023 acres of land. The lodge is now building cottages for 1000 children, which will be completed by November. The ultimate aim is 5000 children on 10000 acres.

Chinaman Sent to Jail for Six Months For Having 'Dope'

Jan Shuey, alias Jen Yuen, 23-year-old Chinese, will spend the next six months in the county jail as a result of his plea of guilty to a charge of having narcotics in his possession. Jen Tuesday morning changed a plea of not guilty on three counts of a grand jury indictment to guilty to one, and the other two were dismissed by Federal Judge Bean, who pronounced the sentence.

Jen carried 156 grains of cocaine and morphine under the sweat band of his hat when he was apprehended by federal agents. His indictment was accomplished under the Harrison anti-narcotics law.

BIRTHDAY LIQUOR BRINGS FEDERAL FINE OF \$200

Antone and Pete Bellicich paid a total of \$200 for the privilege of celebrating the former's birthday anniversary in the true old-country fashion, in spite of the fact that the chief ingredient was confiscated before it was delivered to the festive scene.

The two paid fines of \$100 each when they pleaded guilty to Federal Judge Bean Tuesday morning to the charge of having liquor in their possession. Pete denied his knowledge of the liquor, but Antone admitted he had purchased the supply found in his automobile truck by federal agents, for his birthday party. There was no evidence of intended resale.

R. R. TO BE TRIED FOR WORKING MAN OVERTIME

On complaint approved by the federal commerce commission, the federal government Thursday morning will open prosecution of the Columbia & Nehalem River Railroad company, on charges of working a train dispatcher overtime in violation of the rules of the commission.

The company is being sued for \$2500 in a case involving Train Dispatcher Nash at Kerry, Or., where, it is alleged, the company caused its employe to work more than the specified nine hours

'Outlaw' Railroad Association Voted Down in Roseburg

Roseburg, July 13.—Following a talk by a representative of the Chicago Yardmen's association, which engineered the "outlaw" strike, Roseburg railroad men Saturday night voted by acclamation against a proposal to support the Chicago organization's plans. None of the local railroad employes took part in the strike.

At a corner's inquest the death of Denton Maddox, 5-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Maddox of this city, who was run down by an automobile Saturday evening, driven by E. G. Patterson, was held accidental. Maddox is an S. P. conductor.

James Tynan, S. P. conductor, was "touched" for a \$250 diamond ring and \$5 in money while riding in the Umpqua river Sunday. He left his clothing on the bank. A girl had taken them from the clothing and buried the loot in the sand. She missed \$200 in another pocket. No arrest was made.

LOSS IN BLAZE AT EUGENE IS \$70,000

RECENT NORTHWEST FIRES
July 2—Colfax, Wash. \$250,000
July 6—Bain, Ore. 50,000
July 10—Dallas, Or. 200,000
July 11—Colfax, Wash. 60,000
July 12—Marshfield, Ore. 70,000
July 12—Eugene, Ore. 22,000
July 13—Salem, Ore. 22,000
Total \$794,000

Eugene, July 13.—Fire which broke out in the lower story of the building occupied by the Frank E. Dunn drygoods store Monday afternoon caused damage to the building and contents roughly estimated at about \$70,000, the greater part of the loss being caused by water. The blaze is supposed to have originated in an over-heated stove in which which refuse was being burned.

The building, which is owned by members of the Dunn family, was valued at about \$65,000, but was heavily insured. A large portion of the goods were carried out by the fire. The fire was checked before it affected adjoining buildings.

The upper story of the building was occupied by the family of Dr. Anna Maurer, osteopath, and her loss was estimated at \$2000, with no insurance. In the middle of excitement a fire broke out in the operating room of the Oregon theatre, just across the street, and the smoke from the burning overalls Herbert Leonard, an operator, so that he was carried out of the building unconscious. A squad of the fire-fighters had to be diverted to the theatre blaze which was checked by the chemicals before great damage resulted.

Woman Is Pinned Under Car, Hurt

Struck by a Broadway car, an automobile driven by W. G. Walsh, 341 East Ninth street north, was wrecked and Mrs. Walsh, pinned in the machine, received serious injuries. The accident occurred at East Nineteenth and Broadway at 3:20 Monday afternoon. The car is owned by John M. Krog, 563 East Sixty-first street north. The streetcar was driven by Motorman C. O. East.

The automobile was being demonstrated at the intersection of Ninth and Broadway, when Walsh checked his auto and, seeing the streetcar half a block away, started across. The streetcar's speed was great enough to catch the auto before it got across the car tracks. Walsh claims, and the collision threw the auto about 40 feet onto a lawn, catching Mrs. Walsh in the wreckage. Her back is injured and her shoulder is dislocated, in addition to numerous lacerations and bruises. Mrs. Walsh was taken to her home by the Arrow Ambulance company. Patrolman Stanton investigated.

Women Crowd for Sensation Hinted

Fresno, Cal., July 13.—(U. P.)—Threats of the defense to disclose alleged escapades of Andrew Nicholson with married women of Fresno caused a record crowd to jam the court room and corridors of the local courthouse long before the trial of Marion E. Pittman, charged with the murder of Nicholson, was resumed here today. Most of the spectators were women.

The trial was continued today after a lapse of three days, during which period many rumors regarding the whereabouts of Mrs. Marion E. Pittman have been in circulation here.

The continued absence of Mrs. Pittman has remained the chief topic of speculation. Her presence at the trial will be necessary to show a just cause for the killing of Nicholson, according to popular belief.

Favors Plan to Loan Railways \$16,593,275

Washington, July 13.—(U. S. S.)—The interstate commerce commission announced that it signified to the secretary of the treasury its approval of the plan of making loans to the railroads of the country in sums aggregating \$16,593,275.

Civil War Veteran Dies
A Long Beach, Wash., July 12.—John F. Richmond, Civil war veteran, died here Friday night, aged 93 years. He is survived by his wife and four children. Rufus and Frank Richmond of Long Beach, Joseph Richmond of Vancouver, Wash., and Laura E. Hart of Portland.

five occasions without the required rest periods. The government's case will be presented by R. F. Walters, attorney for the interstate commerce commission, and W. W. Roome, assistant United

ACCIDENT CASES APPEAL BY SOUTHERN PACIFIC

Salem, July 13.—The Oregon supreme court, in an opinion written by Justice Burnett and handed down here Monday, reversed the late Judge C. U. Gantenben of the Multnomah county circuit court in the action brought by Oma Emmons to recover damages from the Southern Pacific company and Jesse Woodson.

Mrs. Emmons alleged that she and her brother were driving an automobile in the town of Beaverton, when their machine was struck by a train operated by the company. Woodson, employed as a motorman. It was charged by the plaintiff that the train was traveling at a high rate of speed and that the motorman failed to give the usual crossing warning. This was denied by the company, which alleged that the motorman had his train under complete control, and the bell on the motor was ringing and the whistle was sounded before reaching the crossing where the accident occurred.

In the circuit court a verdict was given in favor of Mrs. Emmons. The cases of Heitkemper and Greenfield against the Central Labor council of Portland, involving the right of picketing in front of business establishments, have been set for reargument Friday.

Other opinions handed down follow: G. F. Ward, appellant, vs. A. M. McKinley, et al.; appeal from Deschutes county; action for damages for alleged breach of contract; opinion by Chief Justice McBride; Judge E. D. Duty reversed and case remanded.

E. F. Noonan, appellant, vs. City of Seaside; appeal from Clatsop county; suit to restrain the city from issuing bonds; opinion by Justice Bean; Judge J. A. Eakin affirmed.

Sidney Smythe, administrator of the estate of Harry Howard, vs. Kenwood Land company, appellant; appeal from Multnomah county; action to recover damages; opinion by Justice Harris; Judge T. J. Kavanaugh affirmed.

School district No. 1, Clatsop county, vs. Astoria Construction company, et al.; appellants; appeal from Clatsop county; action to recover money; opinion by Justice Benson; Judge J. A. Eakin reversed.

Hugh Black, appellant; appeal from Douglas county; action in ejectment; opinion by Justice Benson; Judge J. A. Eakin affirmed.

Bertha K. White vs. D. C. White, appellant; motion for additional suit money and maintenance during pendency of appeal denied by Chief Justice McBride.

Tom Douros, petitioner and appellant, vs. T. M. Hurlburt, sheriff of Multnomah county; appeal from Multnomah county; application for writ of habeas corpus; opinion by Justice Johns; Judge Robert C. Morris affirmed. Motion to submit on briefs denied in J. R. Williamson vs. Adolph Johnson.

MILK FACTS PUT BEFORE UNCLE SAM

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attorney that last winter, during the period of intense cold and snow, when milk was supposedly scarce, the organization immediately preceding the present one deducted from the check tendered him in payment for his milk a certain pro rata because of excess milk delivered in Portland and which

Martinazzi has withdrawn his membership from the league and has offered to go before the grand jury in case of further investigation.

Alma D. Katz, president of the Oregon Dairymen's Cooperative association, made public a statement Tuesday morning in which he welcomed such investigation as any disinterested and fair body can make, that the facts can be judged on their merits. He said: "From newspaper articles I learn that Lionel Mackay, deputy city attorney, has made a report on the Portland milk situation. I have not seen or been able to obtain a copy of his report. It seems that in this report the dairymen are accused, in brief, of profiteering on the price of milk retroactive to July 1."

"That the dairymen have received no increase in the price of milk, although the dealers announced an increase to 14 cents a quart retroactive to July 1, which increase they are entirely absorbing at the expense of the consumers, but with no benefit whatever to the dairymen."

"That the Dealers' association proposed to make a contract with the Dairymen's league effective July, August and September, controlling the price of milk, but the league refused to enter into this or any other contract with the Dealers' combination."

"That of the 14 cents paid to the dealer by the consumer for a quart of milk, the dairymen receive 7 cents, the dealer keeps 7 cents."

"That in Seattle the consumer pays 14 cents a quart, the dairymen receive 8.24 cents and the dealer keeps 5.76 cents."

DAIRYMEN LOSE, HE SAYS
"That the average cost of producing a quart of milk to the dairymen who serves Portland is now, according to our own copy compiled by them, 9.53 cents, thus showing that the dairymen does not receive cost of production."

usually less than the maximum and that only by diversion of the surplus milk for sale at its butterfat value is the loss sustained by the dairymen lessened.

"That the deputy city attorney appears to have reported that if the dairymen were granted \$3.80 a hundred pounds for milk, the dealers must be paid 16 1/2 or 17 cents a quart, when as a matter of fact the last recommendation of the Portland milk commission placed the price to be paid dairymen at \$3.85 a hundred pounds and the

dealers' price to the consumer at 14 1/2 cents a quart.

WOULD HELP INVESTIGATORS
"Finally, permit me to say that I will personally contribute to a fund for the employing of certified accountants who will investigate the costs of milk production and milk distribution, the latter going into the administration both of efficient and inefficient milk distributing plants."

"Something has been said about filling information with the grand jury and with the federal district attorney. We will welcome any investigation by any authority that is sufficiently interested to learn and be governed in conclusions by the facts on both sides of the issue."

Spokane Made Headquarters
Spokane, Wash., July 13.—Spokane has been made the headquarters for the entire western division of the Yellowstone trail, according to Frank C. Finch, new director of the division.

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