

GARDNER PERHAPS PLOWING KRAUT, IS TIP FROM TACOMA

Last word from Roy Gardner, escaped McNeil island prisoner, came over the well known grapevine wireless from Germany, where Gardner has been plowing sauer kraut. But in the meantime Gardner or his ghost has been haunting every city and hamlet on the Pacific coast.

"That's the way with bandits, though," declares Emmatt Dalton, who retails the "sauer kraut" tip from Tacoma, where he visited before he came to Portland Tuesday for a brief stay. Dalton's card rates him as president and general manager of Standard Pictures Inc., of Los Angeles.

Dalton gets his "inside" information on Gardner intuitively, for he is said to be perhaps the only living man whose personal exploits in crime make Gardner's record look like school boy mimicry. He is the last surviving member of the famous Dalton gang of bandits that terrorized the Middle West.

As a motion picture producer with great plans for future activity, Dalton shows none of the signs of the bandit career that sent him to prison under life sentence—a sentence that exacted 14 years of his life before he was paroled.

Claiming some authority in the subject of banditry, Dalton urges on Gardner the futility of his ways. He believes that the McNeil island convict was safely on the mainland and en route, perhaps, to Mexico, before news of the escape reached the world.

"I can only say that Gardner is a very foolish young man," Dalton says, "and I think my own experience makes me an authority to say what I think of Gardner's actions. Crime is one thing a man can't get away with and the sooner Gardner realizes that the sooner will he surrender and take his medicine. As a convict he has a chance for a parole or pardon, but as a fugitive he is a marked man as long as he lives."

Dalton's picture productions thus far have been designed to discourage crime among young folk, basing his stories upon his own life.

Tax Revision Bill Is Reported to Senate By Boise Penrose

Washington, Sept. 21.—(I. N. S.)—The tax revision bill was reported to the senate today by Senator Penrose a few minutes after the senate reconvened.

Penrose stated he would not submit his report on the bill until tomorrow, when he would press for its immediate consideration.

Senator La Follette (R. Wis.) served notice that he would file a minority report in opposition to the bill, as did Senator Gerry of Rhode Island, in behalf of the Democratic members.

Under the senate rules the bill went over until tomorrow.

RESIDENTS CURIOUS ABOUT DANCE HALL

Residents of Milwaukie in mass meeting assembled at the Milwaukie high school Tuesday night passed resolutions strongly condemning any invasion of their city by elements which tend to lower the moral tone.

The resolution was based on reports that Portland persons who recently purchased the boxing arena were planning to run Sunday dances and show moving picture films which were too "raw" to pass the Portland board of censorship.

That the exact facts in the case might be known, however, the meeting appointed a committee to confer with the new purchasers of the boxing arena and ascertain what their plans are. It has been denied by the purchasers that uncensored films were to be run at the place.

The resolution was presented by Mrs. Maggie Johnson, president of the Milwaukie Community club. The Rev. P. M. Fisher, presiding, was instructed to appoint a committee on permanent organization of the club. An address on the scope of such a club was made by Fred Lockley of Portland and was discussed by many members.

G. S. Pelton, William McIntyre and M. S. Shrock were appointed to interview the Milwaukie city officials to determine what the ordinance restrictions may be with respect to Sunday dances and moving picture censorship and to "solicit their aid in protecting the city against vice." The same committee will also confer with the new owners of the arena.

In case present ordinances do not exclude public Sunday dances and uncensored films, the club asks the council to pass new ones.

MILKMAN WAYLaid, ROBBED ON ROAD

Three highwaymen held up and robbed F. Young, driver for the Rose City dairy, about 12:30 o'clock this morning, as he was on the rounds of delivering milk.

The robbers obtained only \$5 and a driver's license.

Young was hailed at Forty-second street and Portland boulevard by a man who asked for a ride. After going a few blocks the stranger's hat blew off and when he came back to the car, he pulled a gun and demanded that the driver stick up his hands.

Instead Young shoved him from the running board. Two other men who had been riding in the back of the machine, unnoticed, then pulled Young from the seat and searched him for valuables. The two men had been "planted" at the point where the stranger's hat "blew off."

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Large Crops Make Many Factories Hum

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Burger is making a tour of the S. P. lines.

PAYETTE MAN KILLED

Weiser, Idaho, Sept. 21.—A. E. Wood, a fruit shipper of Payette, was instantly killed Tuesday afternoon when the automobile which he was driving was struck by an Oregon Short Line train on the state highway crossing, a mile east of Crystal.



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Records Found Safe In Courthouse Vault

Cathlamet, Wash., Sept. 21.—The board of county commissioners held a special meeting Tuesday to determine the damage incurred by the burning of the Wahkiakum county courthouse. Toll Thompson of the London Lancashire Insurance company met with the board to adjust

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