

SEVEN REDS HELD FOR SECOND DEGREE MURDER; TWO FREED; ONE INSANE

RADICALS WHO SHOT DOWN EX-SERVICE MEN FREED OF MURDER IN FIRST DEGREE

Britt Smith, Ray Backer, James McInerney, Eugene Barnett, Bert Bland, John Lamb and O. C. Bland Declared Guilty in Final Verdict

ELMER SMITH AND MIKE SHEEHAN ACQUITTED

Loren Roberts, Who Made Complete Confession Involving Eleven Defendants in Murders, Found Insane—New Warrants Are Served

MONTESSANO, Wash., March 13.—The jury in the trial of ten alleged I. W. W. for the murder of Warren O. Grimm, Centralia Armistice Day parade victim, brought in a verdict tonight, finding seven of the ten defendants guilty of murder in the second degree.

Individual verdicts, each replying that the verdict as presented by the foreman, U. G. Robinson, Hoopiam carpenter, and read by the court clerk, was his verdict.

VERDICT IS TRAVESTY ON JUSTICE, SAYS PROSECUTING OFFICIALS.

MONTESSANO, March 13.—The verdict is a travesty on justice," said prosecuting Attorney Allen of Lewis county. "We shall continue to prosecute these men until a proper conviction is procured. The McElfresh information and warrants are evidence of our intent."

Verdict Rolls Defense "It should have been murder in the first degree or acquittal," he declared. Discussing the verdict generally, Vanderveer said: "The verdict proves that a jury cannot be dominated by the arbitrary dictates of a court."

CLOCK IMMUNE FROM SERVICE COMMISSION

STATE BODY HAS NO RIGHT TO ALTER RAILWAY TIME

Idaho Officials Want Co-operation in Making Pacific Time Conform to Mountain Time

While the powers of the public service commission of Oregon are quite extensive in normal times it has no authority to change the clock.

Attorney General Brown holds this opinion and expresses it in a reply to the commission's inquiry as to whether it can cooperate with the utilities commission of Idaho in changing the standard time under which trains shall operate between Pocatello and Huntington.

CLUB WOMEN DETERMINED ON HOSPITAL

One Organization to Send Members for Subscriptions, Another Plans to Equip Children's Ward

NOTE OF CHEER IS HEARD ONCE MORE

Workers Believe Salem May Yet Be Saved From Humiliating Position

Now for renewed vigor in the campaign for hospital funds. The cheering report has reached the campaign committee that the Salem Women's club has decided to take an active part in securing subscriptions.

TOM McNARY KILLED BY AUTO AT SAN JOSE

ONCE FAMILIAR SALEM FIGURE DIES AFTER ACCIDENT

Is Remembered Here as Member of Police Force for Physical Strength and Care-Free Life

Tom McNary, presumably a familiar Salem character of several years ago, once a member of the local police force and who later was an inmate of the state hospital for the insane, was killed in an automobile accident at San Jose, Calif., yesterday.

EX-KAISER AND MEMBERS OF FORMER CABINET MAY AGAIN GAIN CONTROL OF GERMANY

Revolution Overthrows Ebert Government and Dr. Wolfgang Kapp, in Role of Chancellor, Declares National Assembly Dissolved

GENERAL STRIKE IS ORDERED BY LEADERS

Revolutionary Troops March Into City, Assume Possession of Public Buildings and Remove Self-Appointed Officials Without Bloodshed

BERLIN, March 13.—Germany today is in the throes of a counter-revolutionary movement which was successful this afternoon in turning the Ebert government out of Berlin and setting up a new administration in the capital.

who belonged mainly to naval brigades with some additions from Baltic troops who have always been disaffected and undisciplined, met the government's representatives, of whom the chief was General von Oldershausen, and proposed some terms of an extreme character which were referred to the cabinet in Berlin.

SPEED URGED IN TREATY DEBATE

Foes of Wilson Peace Hope for Early Settlement of Peace Controversy

WASHINGTON, March 13.—With the irreconcilable foes of the peace treaty again in the saddle and with compromise apparently farther away than ever, the peace advocates are urging a speedy conclusion to the treaty debate.

General Strike Ordered

Reports from outside Berlin declare the counter-revolutionary movement has affected the troops in large numbers throughout the country, the new security guards as well as the old army forces.

At the same moment a proclamation promising the people freedom and order and dissolving the national assembly, declaring that the assembly's mission, which was to establish a constitution and conclude peace, has been fulfilled.

Island City Resident Is Killed by Robbers

LA GRANDE, Or., March 13.—Lee Tabor of Island City, Or., died in a hospital tonight from wounds received when he was shot in, his home last night by robbers.

Tabor said two masked men had shot him when he refused to throw up his hands upon their entry and that they had then fled.

GASOLINE COST WILL HIT COAST

Advance in Price of Motor Oil Imminent According to Oregon Dealers

PORTLAND, March 13.—Another advance in the price of gasoline in the Pacific northwest seems imminent according to local dealers.

Portland-Medford Road in Good Shape, Says Nunn

Returning Saturday from Medford after a trip over the Pacific highway by automobile, Herbert Nunn, state highway engineer, reports that between Salem and Medford there is less than five miles of bad road on that highway.

Liberty Loving Huns Urged to Aid in Re-Establishing Order

BERLIN, March 13.—Chancellor Kapp of the new Berlin government and Major General von Luettwitz have issued the following proclamation: "The overthrow of the government must not be taken as reactionary. On the contrary, it is a progressive measure of patriotic Germans of parties with a view to re-establishing law, order, discipline and honest government in Germany."

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Glass cases, counters, Lamson endless cable cash carrier system with electric motor. Money changing machine, office furniture and one Hall's fire-proof safe, with money chest. Outside dimensions are 56x35x34 inches. . . . \$375

Special Price Reductions Velours:

56 inch Black, reduced from \$4.75 a yard to \$2.95
56 inch Green and Mahogany reduced from \$5.35 a yard to \$3.35

Suitings:

All wool, 40 inch Plaids suitable for skirts and girls' dresses at less than half present value. . . . \$1.95

Dress Goods:

36 inch part wool (in red and brown only, reduced to yard 65c
32 inch Plaids known as Renfrew Winter Gingham, yard. 45c

25c Toilet Soap 15c

Williams Prissella Violet Scented Toilet Soap. Large, round, firm cakes, dozen \$1.75

Still a Good Line of Plaid Silk Taffetas At Yard \$1.95

Storm Proof Umbrellas Lay To, Men!

We have just entered the shower season and here is a dauntless array of Umbrellas for your protection. There are many grades of material for covers, an endless variety of handles and two distinct styles of construction—the old style and the India, as illustrated, \$1.35 to \$5.50. Less 10 per cent.

White Gloves 45c

A lot of good, long, white Chamouette Gloves, a fabric that wears well and washes well at a graceless price.

11a Spaulding Stars in Co-ed Basketball Game

11a Spaulding of Salem started for the sophomore co-ed's basketball team when it defeated the junior co-ed's team by the score of 35 to 25 for the interclass championship of Oregon Agricultural college. Miss Spaulding started with 11 points while her team mate, Miss Gladys Murray, scored the other 24 points.

Allied Military Called For Early Conference

COBLENZ, March 13.—A conference attended by Marshal Foch, Field Marshal Sir Henry H. Wilson, chief of the British imperial staff, and Major General Henry T. Allen, commander in chief of the American army of occupation, will be held on Monday at French headquarters at Mayence.

Hindenburg Is Slated

Admiral von Trotha had been de-

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