

HEART BALM IS GIVEN LAUGHLIN

**\$15,000 Damages Awarded
In Alienation Case;
Jury Out Briefly**

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defeat my client," Kelley declared. He went on to characterize Laughlin as a book salesman, shifty, a master of psychology, trained in persuading people to act against their wills.

**Untrue Statement
Charged by Defense**
Kelley urged the jury to disregard testimony of Mrs. Laughlin on the grounds that she had made a false statement in her divorce complaint. He called Mrs. Laughlin's divorce suit a deliberate attempt by the plaintiff and his wife to make a case.

"The plaintiff would have been willing to drop this case had it not been a confession of blackmail to do so," the counsel charged. He scored Mrs. Laughlin for taking the stand and testifying to illicit relations as a blot on the names of her children, one dead, one two years of age.

Fred A. Williams, also counsel for Walbridge, declared the suit was the outgrowth of a conspiracy between the Laughlins to blackmail the defendant for money. Williams said that the several forms of racketeering included the holdup man, the burglar, the confidence man, and the kidnaper and the blackmail.

"The plaintiff is the brains of this suit," he averred. "The intended to get money from Walbridge without a suit. When they got as far as a lawsuit, they had to go through with it."

"Better that Laughlin be a plaintiff here than a defendant in a suit for slaying Walbridge," cried W. T. Vinton as he opened the arguments to the jury. "There must be some way, some place, short of hades, where a man can be punished as Walbridge deserves to be punished."

Vinton made much of the discrepancy in the ages between Mrs. Laughlin and Walbridge. Mrs. Walbridge Says

No Telephone Call
The highlight of the testimony Thursday morning was the statement of Mrs. Walbridge that on no occasion had Laughlin called her by long distance telephone to establish her whereabouts. She confirmed previous testimony of her husband regarding his arrival in Tacoma January 7, 1933, and his return to his home late the afternoon of that day.

L. F. Justice of Tacoma, former business associate of Walbridge took the stand to testify that he was with Walbridge the day the latter testified he saw Mrs. Laughlin only five minutes.

John D. Cavin of Tacoma testified to playing golf with Walbridge that day. Laughlin and his wife both took the stand in rebuttal testimony and offered evidence directly in conflict with that of Walbridge. Mrs. Laughlin declared she never had headaches, took issue with Walbridge on his statements about their trips while Laughlin largely emphasized his story told the first day of the trial.

TWO OF OFFICER'S KIDNAPERS CAUGHT

BONNVILLE, Mo., April 19—(P)—Two of three men who kidnaped a state highway patrolman, Chester R. Oliver, near Lincoln, Benton county, late this afternoon were captured here about 8:30 o'clock tonight after a dramatic 85-mile flight through west central Missouri.

The suspects, who were taken into custody by Sheriff Arthur Bradley after they were bottled up in the main street here, gave their names as Virgil Marks of Springfield and James E. Clark of Joplin.

Twelve miles south of here they had released Oliver and a real estate man, B. T. McCullough, who is believed to have also been abducted by the three men.

The third man in the bandits' car escaped afoot after his companions had reached Bonville. Officers and highway patrolmen were spreading a net throughout this vicinity in hope of his early capture.

Farmers' Union News

WACONDA, April 19.—Nine new members joined the Farmers Union Tuesday night when that organization held a meeting at the Waconda schoolhouse. Officers are: Ronald Jones, president and Joe Pitts, secretary-treasurer. Inspiring talks were given by George Fotts and Eugene Finlay of Jefferson, Ernest Warner of Howell Prairie and Mr. King of Waldo Hills.

The Farmers Union will meet here regularly the fourth Tuesday of each month. All interested are invited.

Buddhist Abbot—Ex-Spy—Good Will Spreader



TRIBTCH LINCOLN MP

The recent arrival at Victoria, B. C., Canada, of Tribitch Lincoln, former war spy, in the role of Buddhist monk, recalls the colorful career of the man who kept the secret service agents of half a dozen countries on the jump for many years during, and after, the World War. Lincoln, now known as Abbot Chao Kung, is a Hungarian-born Jew. He first came to Canada to work in a Presbyterian mission. Then he went to England and became an Anglican curate. Next he took a job as secretary to a British politician and became a Member of Parliament. During the World War Lincoln was revealed as a German spy. He escaped and was not caught until after the war, since then he has been chased from almost every country in Europe, charged with fomenting revolt and with spying. The execution of his son, Ignatius, in England for murder sent Lincoln, a broken man, to seek oblivion in a Buddhist monastery in China.

FIRST SHOT KILLED HORAN, COURT TOLD

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there was virtually no hemorrhage from the wound caused by the bullet that shattered the victim's right arm.

Had the arm been wounded first, the physicians asserted, the brachial artery, which is fed directly from the aorta, would have spurting profuse jets of blood. They maintained that absence of hemorrhage from the arm wound meant Horan already was dead and his heart had ceased pumping. Blood stains on Horan's shirt were from "oozing" rather than hemorrhage, they testified.

Another bit of scientific evidence was submitted when Police Sergeant Lee Ackerman of Klamath Falls introduced four photographs of fingerprints. Ackerman testified that he found no fingerprints on the trigger or grip of the gun found in the dead man's hand. He submitted photographs of four fingerprints on the barrel and other parts of the gun and also a set of prints from the fingers of Horan.

NEW CLUE CLAIMED IN LINDY MYSTERY

BOSTON, April 19—(P)—A \$20 gold belt-buckle purchased in Switzerland was the clue which set authorities on the trail of a new suspect in the Lindbergh kidnapping case, United States Marshal John W. Murphy indicated tonight. The suspect he said, was William Lardner, 37, a former resident of Boston, now an inmate at Leavenworth penitentiary.

Publication of Lardner's identity ended the possibilities of further investigation here, Murphy asserted, and the case now has been turned over to department of justice agents.

Dr. John P. "Jatsie" Condon, who yesterday was asked to come to Boston to identify Lardner's picture, will not make the trip, but the photograph will be mailed to him. Marshal Murphy's plans for investigation had been dependent upon secrecy, he said.

Lardner, who is serving a three-year sentence for attempting to pass a counterfeit \$100 bill at the Boston airport, has a long criminal record. He is also known as William O'Connor, John Henry Holmes, Frank Kaplan and Frank Kapler. Arrested here last January after a fierce battle with police, he was characterized by Marshal Murphy as "one of the most dangerous criminals ever arrested here."

\$200,000 More in Tax Turnover by Sheriff's Office

The second turnover of 1934 taxes was made by Sheriff A. C. Burk here yesterday. The City Treasurer Drager. The turnover was nearly \$200,000. The City of Salem will receive \$50,532 and the local school district \$36,832. Yesterday's turnover with one made a fortnight ago brings the cash collected and received to the treasurer by the sheriff on the 1934 rolls, slightly above \$340,000. The total tax roll this year is \$1,400,000. A considerable amount of taxes have been collected but not formally turned to the treasurer.

Total rebates on the 40,000 tax turnover were \$5066. Payments in warrants on that sum amounted to \$7098.

The Call Board ...

GRAND
Today—Double bill, Buck Jones in "The Fighting Code" and "F. P. No. 1" with Jill Esmond.

ELSINORE
Today—Edward G. Robinson in "Dark Hazard," plus studio preview at 8:30 p. m.

CAPITOL
Today—Double bill, Richard Arlen in "Come on Marines" and "Near the Trail's End" with Bob Steele.

STATE
Today—First Run, Rex Bell in "The Fugitive."

HOLLYWOOD
Today—"Cradle Song" with Dorothy Wick and "Lucky Texan" with John Wayne.

Edward G. Robinson, Genevieve Tobin and Glenda Farrell will be seen in a unique new triangular love affair in the First National picture, "Dark Hazard," which comes to the Elsinore theatre today.

Miss Tobin has the role of a small town bride of Robinson, an inveterate happy-go-lucky gambler, and has married him hoping to reform him. Miss Farrell is his former flippant girl friend who comes into the lives of the young married couple and is the final straw that breaks up the tottering home.

Training Needed For Wedded Life Loomis Declares

With 75 per cent of all divorced persons re-marrying within a year's time, it is small wonder that marriage has been called a lottery, comments Dr. Vincent Loomis, who is to present a series of psychological lectures at the Marion hotel, beginning tonight. "Training for every business, profession and trade is necessary, but for marriage it seems all one needs is a five-dollar license. It has only been within the past few years that domestic relations classes have been offered in universities and colleges. If training for the professions is necessary, certainly why not training for the most intimate and sacred of all human relations—parenthood and marriage?" he questions.

Southern Oregon Sends C.E. Group

Three cars from Klamath Falls and vicinity arrived here last night and three more are expected today. This makes an increase of about twenty delegates to attend the Oregon state convention of Christian Endeavor from the Klamath-Lake C. E. union over previous years. The total number expected is over thirty Endeavorers.

STATE THEATRE

Today and Saturday First Run Western!
REX BELL
"THE FUGITIVE"
WOW! AN ACTION PICTURE THAT WILL FILL YOU WITH THRILLS!

AUTO PARK STATUS VIEWED BY COUNCIL

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"we drained the earnings of the auto park for several years to pay for Englewood park."

Alderman O'Hara, A. S. Henderson and Walter Fuhrer were named by Mayor McKay as the investigating committee authorized by the motion by Alderman F. E. Needham.

The council sent to the ordinance committee a bill that would require stage lines to re-route their busses through the city changing their entry to the terminal so that they will traverse Chemeketa rather than Court street.

Two resolutions introduced by Alderman Watson for change in council rules were tabled until the next meeting. Chiefly they are aimed at preventing councilmen from blocking action by the expedient of remaining away from the meetings.

MEAT MARKET IS OPENED BY ORWIG

"Salem's a good city; it's hard to stay away," is the opinion of C. S. Orwig, who has returned here to open his own modernly equipped and sanitary meat market at 254 North Commercial street. Mr. Orwig, for three years manager of the meat department at Busick's market, spent the winter in Corvallis managing the Nebergall retail market there.

Finishing touches were put on the new paint job yesterday. Glittering in white enamel the new market will open today, featuring quality meats at reasonable prices.

The Orwig family have located at 1655 South Commercial street. When they lived in Salem before they were particularly active in the work of the Leslie Memorial Methodist church.

Mortgage Suit Filed at Dallas By Land Board

DALLAS, April 19.—The State Land Board filed a complaint here today against Mary E. Wilson, et al, in which they seek to foreclose a mortgage given as security for a note. The plaintiff seeks a judgment for \$2010.04 with interest, \$200 attorney fees, and that the mortgage be foreclosed and the property sold to satisfy their claim.

MAJOR FEATURES

Buck Jones
in
"FIGHTING CODE"
AND
Nature Defied to Bring an Entertainment Thrill
"F.P.No.1"
(Floating Platform No. 1)
A Drama of the Future
GRAND

OVER THOUSAND AT CONVENTION

**Golden Jubilee Convention
Opens; Busy Program is
Scheduled Today**

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Christian Endeavor movement "will not hear testimonies from witnesses who are not telling the truth," that is, munitions manufacturers who are promoting their own ends, those who sell liquors, those who sell cigarettes and others who have joined the race that is not Christian, and that ignores social justice.

He likened the return of liquor to a hydraulic ram, with one little trickle of revenue and a great waste in anxiety, broken hearts, broken homes and want.

Other highlights of the opening session included addresses of welcome by Dr. Carl Gregg Doney of Willamette on behalf of the university and the churches, and by Mayor Douglas McKay. A report of the city; response by Miss McKay, state president, and music by Bert Brown.

Committee appointments announced by Miss McKay were: Nominating, Marjory Boon, Portland; Ralph Tarbell, Warrenton; Mary Jewell Ladd, McMinnville; Walter Meyers, Eugene; C. P. Gates, Portland; resolution, Walter Meyers, chairman, Claude Peavey and Thelma Parrish, Klamath Falls; auditing, Sylvia DeTemple and Marjory Boon.

The executive committee breakfast will be held at the Y. M. C. A. this morning at 7 o'clock and at 8:45 o'clock quiet hours will be observed, with assembly and song service at 9:30. Conferences on Christian Endeavor methods will conclude at 10:30 o'clock. The assembly at 10:30 o'clock will feature talk by Dr. Paul C. Brown, Los Angeles, general C. E. counselor; music by Richard Smart, and address, "The Church and the Race," by Rev. Kendall E. Burke of Dallas.

Rev. Paul C. Petticoat of Corvallis will give the address on the 3:05 afternoon assembly and Willie W. White, Drain, will give a youth address. Wesley Ritchie of Salem will sing a vocal solo. A sight seeing trip has been arranged for 4:15 o'clock with cars to leave from the campus.

Pastors attending the convention will have a luncheon meeting this noon at the Court Street Christian church. Rev. C. P. Gates of Portland presiding. An international tea for all who have attended an international C. E. convention, will be held at 4:15 p. m. at the home of Mrs. C. P. Bishop. At 5:30, the state executive committee and the College Endeavorers' groups will have dinner sessions at the Court Street Christian church.

Tonight's program, at 7:30 o'clock, will feature address of Dr. Raymond B. Walker, Portland, on "Fit for the Race." Rev. McCallum will introduce the Salem committee, and Willamette district quartet will sing. Rev. E. W. Petticoat will lead devotions.

ORDER SAFEGUARDS ON STREET DETOUR

Occurrence yesterday of a serious automobile collision on North Summer street, which is being used as a detour while a new bridge is being built on North Capitol, resulted in the city council's authorizing its street committee to post whatever warning signs are deemed necessary along the temporary route. This action was requested by Alderman V. E. Kuhn, committee chairman.

Booth, Portland traveling salesman who was driving north on Summer when his sedan collided at Center with a coupe driven by Eldon Dorman, 1211 Broadway, told police that, accustomed to using the Capitol street through route, he forgot about the Summer street stop sign at Center.

Young Dorman suffered a deep glass cut on one shoulder; Booth escaped injury. A front wheel on the coupe was broken and the side of the car bashed in. The front wheel and radiator assembly of the sedan was badly smashed.

A Home Owned Theater HOLLYWOOD

15c — Two Features — 15c
JOHN WAYNE
IN
THE LUCKY TEXAN

AND SECOND FEATURE

DOROTHEA WIECK
A WOMAN'S WOMAN
... personifying all that is feminine ...
"CRADLE SONG"
A Paramount Picture
Added — Bob Steele in "Mystery Squadron" Cartoon and News

C. E. Leader

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CITY ACCEPTS BID ON BONDS

Sub-Par Offer is Only One Entered; Tax League's Activity Blamed

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AUSTRIAN LEADERS FACING SHOWDOWN

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VIENNA, April 19.—Definite evidence of serious dissension in government ranks brought forth the declaration in sources close to Chancellor Dollfuss tonight that he feels the time has come for a showdown and that there cannot be three dictators in Austria.

The dynamic little leader means to insist, therefore, that the fascist Heimwehr commanded by his two main co-workers, Prince Ernst Rudiger von Starhemberg and Vice Chancellor Emil Fey, accede to its absorption in Dollfuss' fatherland front and to demand strict adherence to authoritarian leadership, with himself as chief.

Many rumors swept Vienna as a result. Most of them were in connection with the impending return from Rome of Prince von Starhemberg, who played an important role in the recent socialist civil war and since has been a prominent figure in politics.

The prince talked with Premier Mussolini yesterday about Austrian and Italian fascism and later said the forthcoming Austrian constitution will draw its inspiration from the latter creed.

Three Accidents Noted Thursday

No injuries were listed in reports of three automobile accidents filed with city police yesterday. Involved were: Tom Man-



The Marines have landed and have the situation well in hand...

COME ON MARINES!

with
**RICHARD ARLEN
IDA LUPINO
ROSCOE KARNS
GRACE BRADLEY
MONTE BLUE
AND TOBY WING**

—AND—
FEATURE No. 2
A Robust Romance of the Rowdy Old West
BOB STEELE
in
"NEAR THE TRAIL'S END"

WARNER BROS. ELSINORE

EXTRA TONIGHT - 8:30
STUDIO PREVUE
In Addition to The
In Addition to the Regular Feature
"DARK HAZARD"
NO EXTRA CHARGE

Today and Sat.
500 Seats
25c

He ran a Dime up to a Million, then they caught him on the first bounce... he'll take a chance on anything... he's a regular guy!

ROBINSON

W. R. Burnett's famous book of the month... with Genevieve Tobin... Gladys Farrell... Sidney Toler
"DARK HAZARD"