

# Kidnaper Hunt Spreading Out

Every Hint of Clue Now Being Followed But Few Are Revealed

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der which held back all search during the last week of the boy's kidnaping.

Finding of Charles' body, brutally beaten, yesterday loosed the forces of law. An order from President Franklin D. Roosevelt to "go get him," plus the stimulus of a \$10,000 reward fanned the hunt to fever heat today.

### Intensive Search For Clues Is Made

In the waste-land seven miles south of Everett, where Charles' body was found, nearly 100 federal agents, state police and other officers, conducted a minute search. Some tore through the brush. Some searched winding cow trails over barren cut-over land. A fleet of automobiles and motorcycles patrolled highways and side-roads. Other officers questioned residents of the dozens of chicken ranches and small farms within a three-mile radius. Half a dozen reports of mysterious automobiles were investigated.

Around the spot where the body lay in a depression yesterday, federal agents continued their careful scientific work today. Impressions of tire tracks and foot prints were transferred to wax. Dozens of photographs were taken while other agents inspected every broken branch and misplaced bit of snow.

At least three automobile loads of federal agents were in the area, in addition to 50 state patrolmen. State Patrol Chief William Cole commanding the group in person, said he would gradually extend the scope of his search to include the entire state of Washington if necessary.

### Known Criminal Under Scrutiny

The officers were known to be seeking the clothes Charles wore when he was abducted, the spot where his body was laid before being transferred to the Everett hiding place and the site of the actual murder. Given these clues, they believed they might be led directly to the kidnaper.

In Tacoma, Seattle, Spokane and other Pacific northwest cities meanwhile, police quietly investigated the activities of every known criminal. Parole officers were especially active.

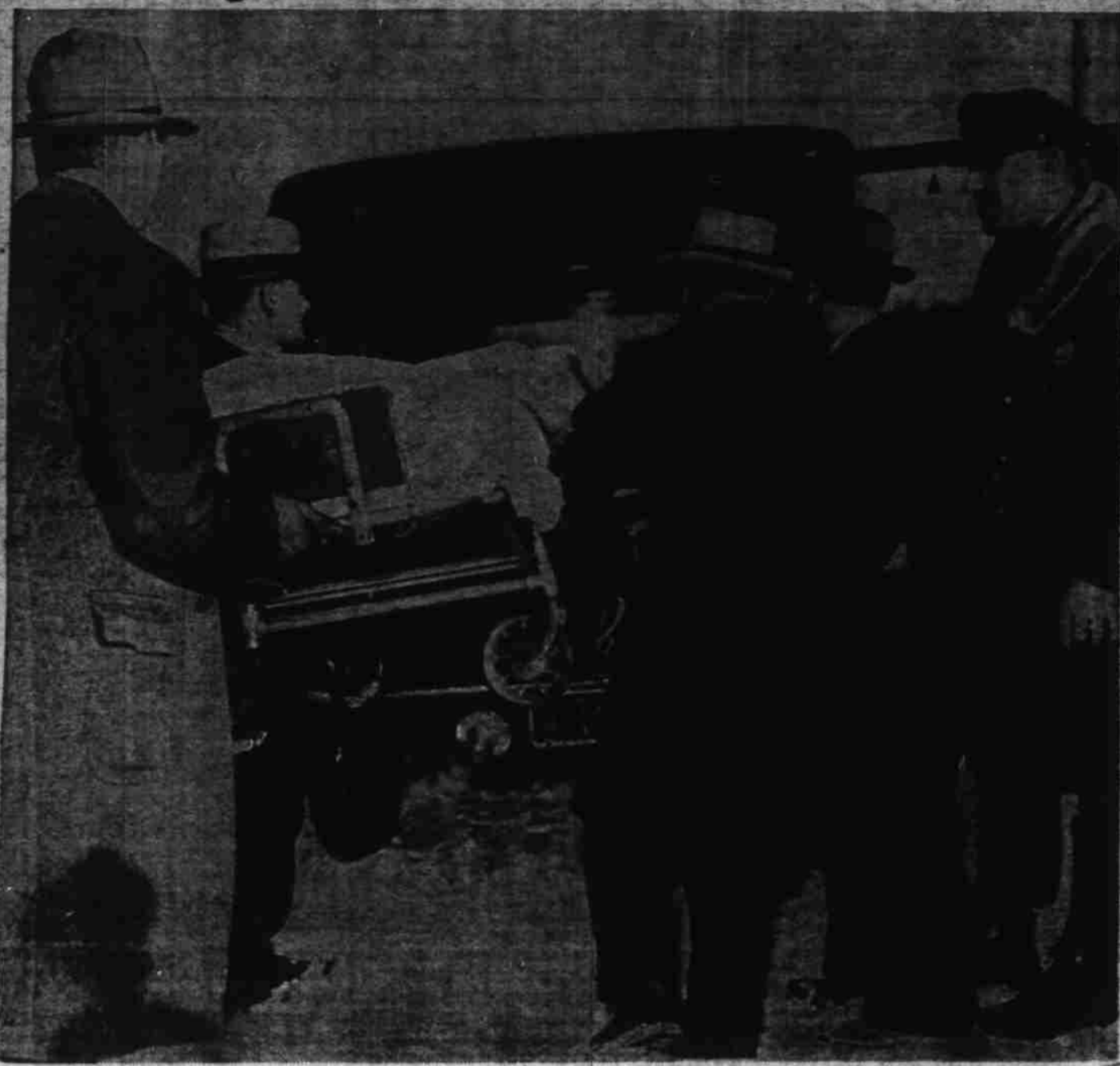
Washington state hospitals also checked their records for suspicious former patients or escaped inmates. Their theory was some former patient of Dr. W. W. Mattson, some narcotic addict or insane person operating from confused motives of revenge, might be responsible for the kidnaping and murder.

To support this theory, they had little except Dr. Mattson's own statements the kidnaper was incoherent in telephone "contact" conversations and irrational in his directions.

### Drunkenness Charged

Joseph Burke, who gave his address as Oregon City, was arrested by city police last night on a charge of drunkenness. Burke was arrested at the Marston hotel where it was alleged he had been causing a disturbance in the lobby.

# Tragic Climax for Search for Mattson Boy



Federal G-men and other officers are shown placing the body of Charles Mattson, 10-year-old Tacoma boy, victim of a kidnaper, in an ambulance to be taken back to Tacoma. The body lies on a stretcher and is covered with a blanket. The picture was taken near the camp of trees where the body was found, six miles south of Everett, Monday.—Inter national Illustrated News photo.

# Board Member Seeking Audit

Teachers' and Lawyers' Pay Issues Are Cited in Copper Request

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vestigation in Mack's or any other court, and if the board wants an itemized statement the same can be furnished."

"The full text of Copper's resolution was as follows: 'Relief agencies have been questioned, and 'Whereas, difference of opinion has arisen among members of the board relative to the payment of teacher's salaries, and, 'Whereas, payment of certain attorney's fees authorized by the board have been questioned, and, 'Whereas, the present system of purchasing, maintaining and distributing school supplies is not in harmony with the best business practice, and, 'Whereas, work done in cooperation with federal relief agencies has necessitated the expenditure of funds outside the ordinary routine; 'Now, therefore, be it resolved that the board employ a firm of certified public accountants to make a thorough and complete audit of the records of the board for the past two years and other accounts dealing with emergency relief work, with recommendations for changes, if any are deemed necessary, in our present system.'"

The annual audit of school district affairs, Copper averred, has been a perfunctory checking of records. There was no second to his motion for adoption of the resolution.

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# Dr. Brooks Offers Education Course

Teachers and prospective teachers of Salem and vicinity have an opportunity to study "Principles of Teaching" under Dr. Wendell S. Brooks, professor of education of the University of Oregon. A class in that course is being conducted Monday nights at 7:15 o'clock at Salem high school, as part of the evening extension program of the Oregon State system of higher education.

Dr. Brooks, who came to Oregon from the University of Montana and who had served on the faculties of Northwestern university and Chicago Teachers college, varies his teaching through lectures and textbooks by urging teachers to make use of their teaching experiences. Prospective instructors are encouraged to do what Dr. Brooks terms "anticipatory teaching."

Although the winter term of the extension program has already opened, persons interested in the course are still being encouraged to enroll.

# Suspects Bob Up In Many Sections

GRAND FORKS, B. C., Jan. 12.—(P)—Two men were held here tonight by Royal Canadian Mounted police for illegal entry into Canada after they had been convicted earlier of carrying arms without a permit and been fined \$20 each.

The men, giving the names of Leonard Dahl, 31, and William Bailey, 44, said they were from Miles City, Mont., and had passed through Wallace, Idaho, Spokane, Wash., and Republic, Wash.

MORE Police communicated with United States authorities to check on their activities before entering Canada.

TACOMA, Jan. 12.—(P)—Federal

# Debaters of W. U. Attain Victories

Three Won From St. Louis U.; Morley and Kester Now in New York

Randall Kester and Lawrence Morley, varsity Willamette debaters are making a victorious record in their cross-country debate tour. They won three decision debates in St. Louis from St. Louis university.

Two debates were held with De Paul university, a Methodist school, at Greencastle, Indiana. These debates were non-decisions. January 8 they debated the University of Pittsburgh, also in a non-decision event. They are now at Columbia university in New York City and from there will go to Boston university.

Peace Oratory Set Tryouts for the state peace oratorical contest which will be held at Pacific university next month are being held this afternoon in the Little Theatre, Water hall. A number of Willamette students will participate in the tryouts.

Prizes of \$50, \$30 and \$20 are sponsored by the Misses Seabury, who provides similar prizes in contests throughout the United States. A nation-wide tournament is held after the various states have selected their representatives.

Tryout decisions will be announced Friday or Saturday by Prof. Herbert Kehn.

# Lewis Says Fight To Finish Planned

(By the Associated Press) Labor Leader John L. Lewis has had a "stale fight" challenge at his adversaries on the tense labor front yesterday.

The manifesto of Lewis—whose committee for industrial organization allies are locked in a struggle against the huge General Motors corporation—widened the breach between the employes and their employers.

"It is intended that the strike (against General Motors) will be fought out to a finish on the issue of collective bargaining and union recognition," Lewis declared.

He also promised to ask a congressional investigation of the corporation after a conference with President Homer Martin of the United Automobile Workers union and John Brophy, a director of the Lewis drive to unionize the motor car builders.

Gov. Frank Murphy of Michigan ordered 1,500 national guardsmen to Flint. Twenty-seven persons were injured in a brick battle at the Fisher body plant No. 3 there.

# Ex-Hoquiam Man Is Being Sought

HOQUIAM, Wash., Jan. 12.—(P)—Police Chief William Foote said tonight federal and state authorities requested the police here for detailed information about a former Hoquiam man, once investigated in connection with a kidnap threat, and answering the description of Charles Mattson's slayer.

The man, Foote said, was investigated about a threat to kidnap a Hoquiam girl. Foote also asserted the man might be "dangerously insane."

# Townsend Setup Will Be Changed

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send-supporting organization, with the manager to be elected by a vote of all Townsendites. He also said the action was not taken to "antagonize" the national organization.

Dr. Shadduck said he did not know whether he would accept the state managership until he knew "all the conditions. . . ."

"I have had enough politics to last me for the next six or eight months, or longer."

# Fisher Stock Is Bought By Gehlen

STATON, Jan. 12.—Charles Gehlen of Gehlen's store, grocery, market and mercantile firm here for many years, has been busy the past few days taking inventory of the stock of the old Joseph Fisher clothing store he purchased recently. Gehlen will move the merchandise to his store location, which will leave only one vacant storeroom in the town.

In disposing of his stock Joseph Fisher closes his 25th year in business here. "Dick" Richardson, former deputy sheriff, was at one time a partner with Fisher in the clothing firm.

# Three of Justice Audits Complete

Audits of the records of the justice of the peace offices at Mehan, Jefferson and Mt. Angel have been completed, and the auditors today will move to the Silverton justice court office, it was reported at the county clerk's office yesterday. Audits of the outlying justice districts are being made by J. H. Rowland and Warren "Dick" Richardson; state auditors are checking on the Salem district.

In reply to a request for his records, Henry Smith, constable at Staton for years, has advised the county clerk that the records were all turned over to the late Judge Jerome Grier.

# Donation of Part Of Park Favored

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out loss of its present facilities. "It will be just a rearrangement, that's all," Dancy said.

Between \$1,000 and \$15,000 will be spent by the commission in adding an artistic west entrance to the capitol building and in terracing and landscaping the extra 99-foot strip of park land, the committee was advised, according to Dancy. The terracing is required to raise the ground level to the new entrance, which will be about six feet higher than the present level.

# Prof. Monk Given Leave of Absence

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1928-9 while Prof. M. E. Peck was in England, and was advanced to the rank of associated professor in 1928.

He received his undergraduate training at Nebraska Wesleyan, receiving his A. B. degree in 1926 and his M. A. at the University of Illinois in 1927. He has pursued graduate studies at the University of Washington oceanographic station at Friday Harbor, Wash., and at the University of California.

Mrs. Monk and the family will remain in Salem until spring.

# Two From Salem Make Honor Roll

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, January 12.—The Misses Marian Hultenberg and Gladys Windedahl, both of Salem, have achieved places on the honor roll of the University of Oregon for the fall term. This honor was awarded to 199 students. It was announced here by C. L. Constance, assistant registrar.

Miss Hultenberg, a freshman in physical education, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl E. Hultenberg.

# Eagles Will Hear National Official

Delegations of Eagles lodges will come to Salem tonight from Oregon City, Newberg, McMinnville, Tillamook, Dallas, Toledo and Silverton to hear an address on the order's social security program to be delivered at Fraternal temple at 8 o'clock by Dr. H. B. Mehrmann, Oakland, Calif., national president. A. Warren Jones of Salem, state president, will welcome Dr. Mehrmann upon his arrival at the senator hotel at 4 p. m.

Headed by Jones, a group of state officers, and officers of the local and visiting lodges will honor Dr. Mehrmann at a dinner at the Quella at 4:30 p. m.

The Salem lodge, Willamette series, assisted by its drill team, will be in charge of tonight's meeting, which will include initiation ceremonies.

# Sout hSale mSite Studied B- Board

Forecasting a possible deal to obtain a site for a future senior high school building in south Salem, the school board last night studied appraisals made of a tract adjoining the Leslie junior high grounds and of the old Lincoln and Park school blocks.

W. C. Conner, owner of the Leslie tract, has proposed that the board trade the abandoned Lincoln and Park grounds for his land. The appraisals, made by the Salem Realty board, valued the Lincoln block at \$9000, the Park block at \$5500, exclusive of buildings and a Conner tract at \$7,500, including Conner's house.

# Funeral Held for Victims of Crash

Funeral services for Mr. and Mrs. Merle G. Long, the young Salem couple injured fatally in an automobile-bus collision north of Salem Saturday afternoon, were held at the Clough-Barrick chapel yesterday afternoon. So many friends of the couple came to pay their last respects that the chapel was overflowed. A profusion of flowers, the gifts of organizations and individuals, were arranged about the front of the auditorium.

Brief services were read by Rev. Grover C. Birtcher of the First Presbyterian church at the chapel and at Belcrest Memorial park. William Wright sang.

Among those attending the rites was a delegation of Long's fraternity brothers from the Phi Delta Theta chapter, Oregon State college, which both he and Mrs. Long attended.

Fellows stood bareheaded as they guided the long funeral procession through busy intersections.

# Cafeteria Manager May Accept College's Offer

Louise Harwood, Parrish junior high school cafeteria manager and foods instructor, may accept a position with the Oregon State college extension department at a 75 per cent increase in salary as a result of school board action last night in releasing her from her contract here. College officials will be requested to permit her to remain here, however, until another instructor can be obtained to fill her place.

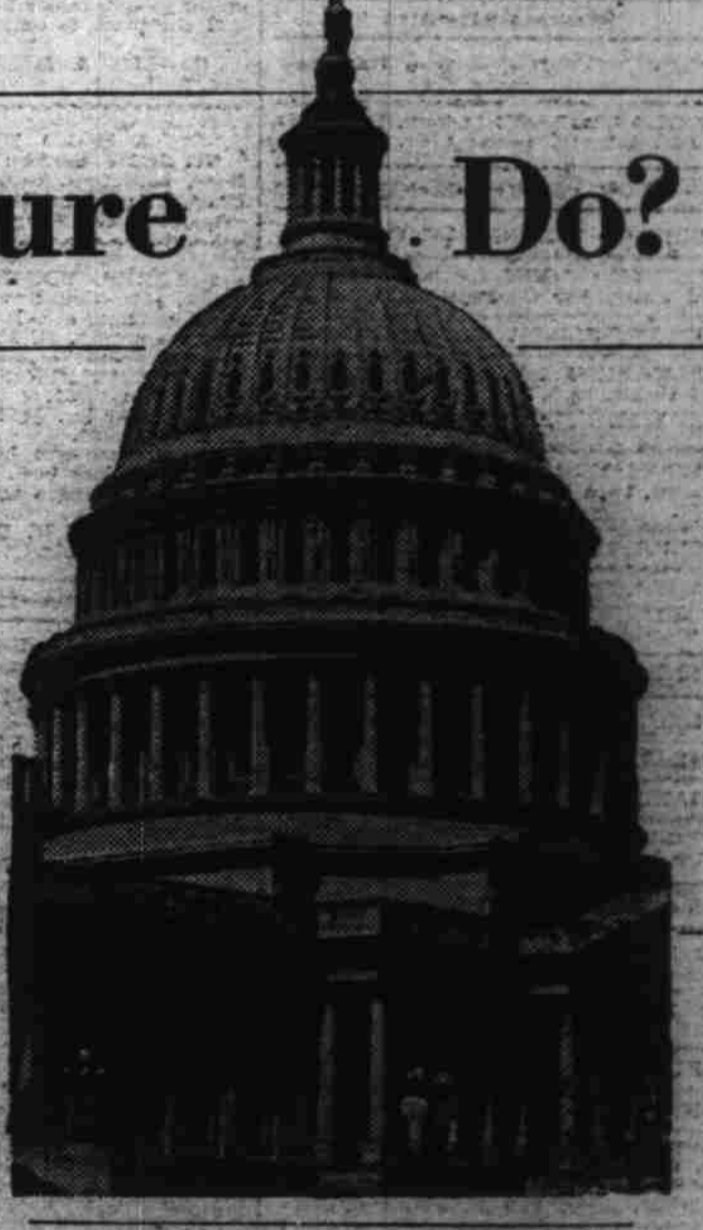
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