

Fantastic, But Futile, Kidnaping Try Nipped

BERKELEY, Calif. (AP)—An attempted robbery—inspired by a big, pink automobile—turned into a fantastic but futile kidnaping Thursday.

Police Look For Revolver In TV Capture

(Story also on page one)

Salem police were searching Thursday for a nickel-plated .38 calibre revolver reported to have been used in holding up service station attendant James Ackerman here June 20.

Apparent solution of the week-old robbery was announced Thursday after three men answering the description given by Ackerman were viewed by Salem police Captain Glenn Bowman on a KOIN television program.

Chief of Police Clyde A. Warren said the weapon was apparently thrown into shrubbery on North Winter Street south of Belmont. Warren requested that any person finding the revolver turn it over to police authorities immediately.

Warren urged caution as the gun might be loaded.

Thursday's statements indicated that the men who held up the Richfield station at 3125 Portland Road left town in a Greyhound bus.

Dress North

The men drove north on Portland Road for one block, then turned east and doubled back toward Salem, the statements showed. They apparently abandoned their car, which was later found by city police, then walked to the bus depot where they caught a bus headed for Eugene.

Reports said the men left Los Angeles June 19 and took a bus to Portland where they arrived about 7 p.m. June 20. The statements said the men took a 1955 model car from a Portland parking lot and drove to Salem, arriving here shortly before the holdup.

Three Men Named

The June 20 holdup occurred about 11:10 p.m. Ackerman said three men entered the station and asked for a road map.

He was then ordered to "freeze," Ackerman said, while one of the men removed about \$62 from the cash register. One of the men was armed with a .32 revolver, he said. The group drove north on Portland Road after yanking the telephone receiver off the wall, he reported.

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"THE RETURN OF JACK
SLADE": JOHN BRIDSON
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MAN
HOLLYWOOD
"ROCK AROUND THE CLOCK"
7:30, 9:30
"TEENAGE CRIME WAVE"
8:47

Knapp Named Chairman of School Board

(Story also on page 1)

Gardner Knapp, leader in Salem education activities for many years, Thursday was elected to serve his second term as chairman of the Salem School Board.

Knapp, in rotation of the director longest on the board in the five-year cycle, succeeds Harry Scott who was recently re-elected to a new five-year term.

Because of the death of Mrs. Faye Wright, however, Knapp will serve two years instead of the usual one.

The same term will apply to Ray Cates who would automatically into the vice chairman roll. In other board organization for 1956-57, Connell Ward was re-elected clerk and his bond of \$50,000 approved. The firm of DeArmond and Sherman was selected as attorneys for the district.

Five Committees
Knapp announced memberships on five standing committees for the board. They are Mrs. Edith Brydon and Ray Cates, buildings and grounds; Scott and M. E. (Gus) Moore, transportation; Moore and Mrs. Brydon, recreation; Cates and Scott, insurance; and all members, supplies. First mentioned will serve as chairman.

In the last of two-month scheduled meetings for the summer, the board disposed of a wide variety of items. The board will hold only one meeting in each of July and August.

Pay increases for substitute teachers were boosted in board action, setting \$18.67 a day for non-degree teachers, \$18.33 for bachelor degree and \$20 for masters.

On other financial problems the board faced up to the cost of operating Halls Ferry School which it had not included in the regular budget by shifting \$6,789 from the emergency budget to add to a transfer of \$4,030 from Rosedale School. The board earlier decided to close Halls Ferry and transfer the pupils to Rosedale, but citizens protests brought about a reversal of the decision.

New Teachers
Five new teachers were chosen for next year and resignations of three others accepted. Elected were Miss Shirley Kaye Archibald, Boulder, Colo.; Mrs. Lou Helen Gadoway, Oceanlake, and Mrs. Jacqueline Grubb, Mrs. Vian Hooper and Mrs. Arlene Norman, all of Salem. Resigning were Marion R. Davis, who has been on leave of absence from woodworking instruction at North High, Mrs. Jill Gooding, third grade teacher at Highland, and Mrs. Mary Lou Nicholson, first three grades of Brush College.

In other action the board: Voted to pay a flat \$200 for persons driving school buses from factories in Michigan to Salem.

Held a report from Superintendent Walter Snyder that school additions at Washington, Four Corners, Morningside and Middle Grove were on schedule and could be expected complete by mid-August.

Authorized the building and grounds committee to open bids and award contracts for tile on July 12 ahead of the July 19 regular meeting of the board.

Purchase Approved
Approved purchase of 50 lockers for use at Parrish Junior High for a year when they will be moved to the new Wald school.

Tabled a request of the Capital Baptist Church for use of the old Auburn School building for Sunday services.

Added Western Security Bank to the list National, U.S. National and Commercial banks as designated depositories for school funds for 1956-57.

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Migrant Slain; Mae West Shows How Farm Labor Muscle Men Clashed

HOOD RIVER (AP)—The boss of a farm labor gang was in jail here Thursday accused of the fatal shooting of one of his workers.

A third man was held as a material witness. Sheriff Rupert Gilmouth said that Haskel A. Morrison, 45, Oklahoma City, was shot five times.

Witnesses said the shooting occurred after Morrison had an argument with James B. Athey 40, of Arizona, foreman of a gang of workers.

Gilmouth quoted witnesses as saying that the argument took place after Morrison refused to board a truck for another work camp. The shooting occurred near Parkdale in the upper Hood River Valley.

Dist. Atty. Kenneth Abraham said he would file a homicide charge against Athey. Lynn Simmons from Texas was held as a material witness.

Portland Zoo to Get 3rd Elephant

PORTLAND (AP)—A third elephant for the Portland zoo is scheduled to be shipped from Saigon, Vietnam Aug. 1.

The female elephant, 15 months old, is expected to arrive here Sept. 17. The elephant was given to Orville H. Hosmer, Portland, now director for the U.S. Operations mission in Tuy Hoa Province Vietnam.

Salem Obituaries

G. P. (Bert) Armstrong
Late resident of 608 Division St. June 27th, 1956. Survived by wife, Clara Helen Armstrong, 3 sisters, Mrs. Walter Kuhn of Newport, Ore. & Mrs. Ella Gilman of Portland, Ore. & Mrs. M. E. Moore of Astoria, Ore. & Mrs. M. E. Moore of Astoria, Ore. & Mrs. M. E. Moore of Astoria, Ore. & Mrs. M. E. Moore of Astoria, Ore.

Mrs. Etta A. Bishop
Late resident of 250 Mabel St. at a local rest home, June 27th. Survived by daughters, Ella O. Bishop, Salem, Calif.; Calvin K. Bishop, Salem; sister, Daisy Stearns, Sacramento, Calif.; brother, Dr. Frank G. Kenzel, Libton, Australia; 3 grandchildren. Services will be held Friday, June 29th at 1:30 p.m. at the Central Assembly of God Church, N. Cottage & Hoods Sts. under the direction of Clough-Barrick Co., Rev. Fred Venzel officiating. Interment at Belcrest Memorial Park.

Steve Kasper
At Silverton, Ore., June 28th. Late resident of Rt. 5, Salem. Brother of Tom Kasper, Salem; brother-in-law, Poland; uncle of Ervin Kasper, Richard Kasper, James Kasper, all of Salem; Mrs. Carolyn Kasper, Riverside, Calif.; Mrs. Cecilia Sears, Salem; Miss Betty Mazac, Salem; Mrs. Stella Sauer, Carl Larson, of Salem & Alban Larson of Salem. Private services will be held Friday, June 29, at 2:00 p.m. in the Chapel of the W. T. Rignold Co. Rev. Erven Harris will officiate. Interment, Belcrest Memorial Park.

Benton King
At a local nursing home, late resident of 825 Vista Ave. Survived by daughter, Mrs. Mel Wilcox, Salem; sons, Floyd L. King, Kenneth W. King, both of Salem; sisters, Mrs. Katherine Altmeyer, Portland, Ore.; Mrs. Lauretta Altmeyer, Salem, Ohio; brothers, James King, Salem, Ohio; Edward King, Salem, Ohio; Charles King, Libson, Ohio; 3 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren. Private services will be held Friday, June 29, at 10:30 a.m. in the Chapel of the W. T. Rignold Co. Rev. Erven Harris will officiate. Interment, Belcrest Memorial Park.

Oscar William Larson
Late resident of 1913 Broadway, June 27th at a local hospital. Survived by wife, Selma Larson of Salem. Daughter, Enid Roudou of Salem. Brothers, Carl Larson of Salem & Alban Larson of Salem. 1 granddaughter, Melva E. Roudou of Salem. Services will be held Friday, June 29th at 2:00 p.m. in the Chapel of the W. T. Rignold Co. Rev. Erven Harris will officiate. Interment, Belcrest Memorial Park.

Robert E. Lucas
Late resident of 2630 N. Church, in this city, June 27 at the age of 65 years. Father, Jeffrey Capors of Parker, Ariz. Services will be held Friday, June 29th at 2:00 p.m. in the Chapel of the W. T. Rignold Co. Rev. Erven Harris will officiate. Interment, Belcrest Memorial Park.

Henry Ortman
At the residence, 1198 N. Cottage, June 28th at the age of 77 years. Father of Mrs. Warren (Barbara H.) Sperry of Salem; Rev. Ortman of Salem and Paul H. Ortman of Oakland, Calif. Two grandchildren also survive. Services will be held Sat. June 30, at 10 a.m. in the Chapel of the W. T. Rignold Co. Rev. Erven Harris will officiate. Interment will be at Forest Lawn Cemetery in Los Angeles, Calif.

Almira Ruth Rebo
At the residence, 2645 Brooks Ave., June 27th at the age of 70 years. Wife of George F. Rebo of Salem. Mother of Mrs. Dean Henderson, Keith Rebo, both of Salem; Wayne Rebo of Astoria, Ore.; Mrs. Leonard Worle, Hubbard, Ore.; & Mrs. Peter Frederickson of Turner, Ore. Sister of William McIntosh of Amherst, Mass.; & Mrs. Laura White of Salem, Ore. Services will be held Friday, June 29th, at 2:30 p.m. in the Chapel of the W. T. Rignold Co. Concluding services will be held at Astoria Cemetery. The Rev. Wayne Greene will officiate.

Senators Can't Decide On Hells Canyon

WASHINGTON (AP)—Senate Interior Committee members disagreed Thursday as to whether Congress should settle the Hells Canyon fight.

Democrats and Republicans expressed conflicting views in reports on legislation to authorize a federal dam in the Hells Canyon stretch of the Snake River between Idaho and Oregon.

The Democratic majority report favors the proposed federal project, saying the licensing by the FPC of three dams planned by the Idaho Power Co., "clearly infringes" on the rights of Congress.

The Republican minority report says the FPC decided the three-dam plan was best and the legality of Idaho Power's construction license is being tested in the court of appeals.

The Senate Democratic policy committee plans to call the Hells Canyon authorization bill up for Senate debate in about two weeks. An identical measure is expected to be brought up in the House this session in the hope of getting through Congress legislation which would have the effect of cancelling Idaho Power's license.

Gasoline Stolen

Harley Hoppe, 3055 Crestview Dr., told city police Thursday that someone drained 25 gallons of gasoline from a school bus parked behind Candelaria School Wednesday night. Hoppe said the bus had been drained several times before, police reported.

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2 TV Stations Competing for Salem Channel

(Story also on Page one.)
Both KPTV of Portland, which proposes to move its headquarters to Salem, and KVAL of Eugene now definitely out to get Salem's TV Channel 3 VHF, this week's developments show, with the issue still in doubt.

Controversy over VHF Channel 3, Salem's only VHF allotment by the Federal Communications Commission, began from its original grant to this city. It was sought both by KSLM and KGAE. Subsequently, KGAE withdrew and KSLM was given a construction permit.

Later engineering surveys, however, showed the Eola Hills site first selected for the tower was not suitable, KSLM said, and for the last two years the station has been attempting to obtain FCC approval of a site east of Molalla. It has been held up by FCC objection on the basis that the Molalla site provides a beam overlapping with a Washington station.

The more recent controversy over Channel 3 arose when KSLM announced it was disposing of its right to the channel to KPTV, which operates UHF Channel 27 in Portland. Reported price was around \$27,000.

The sale was understood to be contingent upon KPTV's owners, the Storer Broadcasting Company, getting the number of VHF stations than regulations now permit. It already owns five. In the meantime, however, objections were raised to having Salem's only VHF channel go to Portland even if the FCC relaxed its regulations and permitted the Storer Company more VHF channels.

KPTV's new move Thursday in which it proposed to move its main offices to Salem, apparently was aimed to overcome objections to having the channel moved to Portland, but whether it could still overcome the FCC rule against owning too many VHF channels has not been announced.

Oil Barge Explosion Injures Two

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—A Tidewater Associated Oil Co. barge exploded Thursday night at the company's Mariposa St. installation and spread a fierce fire over the dock area.

Police reported two injured men were hospitalized. Two loaded Navy ammunition ships moored nearby were moved while all fire equipment in the southern area of the city fought the three alarm fire.

Several men were trapped for a time in a machine shop warehouse in the Pier 64 area, but fire department spokesmen said they escaped without harm.

Flames shot 400 feet into the air from fire that enveloped Pier 64. The fire snaked along oil lines under the pier.

"I heard it like thunder—boom!" said Rubin Martinez, 30, sheet metal foreman at the triple machine shop nearby.

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