

Ex-Colonel Accused Of Trying to Hijack Crosby Golf Receipts

PEBBLE BEACH, Calif., Jan. 13 (AP)—A man who identified himself as a decorated, retired Army officer and war hero was arraigned in Monterey Peninsula Justice Court today on a charge of trying to hijack \$40,000 of Ring Crosby Golf Tournament receipts early today.

He said he was Lt. Col. Melvin Russell Blair, 42, of Alexandria, Va., shown in Army records to have the Distinguished Service Cross with oak leaf cluster, the Silver Star with two oak leaf clusters, and the Purple Heart.

Blair's bail was put at \$50,000 and he was ordered back into court tomorrow for setting his preliminary hearing.

Statement Recorded

Sheriff Victor Tibbs of Salinas said he had taken a tape-recorded statement from Blair telling of the actual holdup attempt.

Tibbs said Blair was charged with assault with a deadly weapon, armed robbery and first degree burglary.

In the recorded statement Blair said he got to thinking about the quarter of a million dollars he was told was in the tournament safe. "I thought this would be an easy way to get the money."

But the project turned out anything but easy.

Sheriff Tibbs and Deputy Sheriff Tom Martin, the hero in thwarting the holdup, said Blair traced the movements of Chester Gillette, treasurer of Del Monte Properties, and his auditor, Frank Morton, and then lay in wait for them in the back of Gillette's car.

Confronted With Revolver

When they emerged around midnight from the plush Del Monte Lodge, he confronted them with a .38 special revolver he had acquired while attending the U.S. Army counter-espionage school.

Blair bluffed Gillette with the declaration his wife was being held as hostage. Blair knew that Martin was sitting against the safe in the lodge finance office across the street with a sub-machine gun.

He ordered Gillette to phone Martin they were coming in to count the money. Holding a gun at Gillette's back, Blair marched the two into the office while Martin held the door. Martin, fearing Gillette would be shot, tossed his own gun on the floor.

Martin Works Ruse

But Martin worked a ruse. While he was being tied, Martin faked a heart seizure. As Blair bent over him, the deputy lashed out and grabbed his gun hand and they struggled for three minutes with Martin coming out on top.

Martin's hand burst by powder flashes from Blair's de-charging gun. He held a machine gun on Blair and said: "If you get up, I'll cut you in two."

Blair said later, "I had the idea they wanted to turn the gun on me and shoot me. At this point I was all for it. So I got up. Martin took me to the water cooler and said, 'Well, you almost made it. That officer was a perfect gentleman. A less worthy man, and I would have had the money.'"

Theater Time Table

ELSI NORE
"PAL JOEY" 7:12 9:35
CAPITOL
"MR. ROCK & ROLL" 7:00
10:20
"SHORT CUT TO HELL" 8:34
HOLLYWOOD
"HATFUL OF RAIN" 7:00
10:20
"WILL SUCCESS SPOIL ROCK HUNTER?" 9:13

Special Blood Drawing Below Expectation

A special blood drawing center set up today night at the Salem Army Reserve Center brought in only 40 pints of blood, far below the amount expected to be received, said William Staley, blood chairman.

"I'm very disappointed in the turnout. We've got to have something to wake this county up," Staley commented. The special center was set up after the Red Cross declared a state of emergency in Oregon last week. Blood bank reserves have nearly depleted.

A special drawing has been organized for state employees Wednesday from 3:30 to 5 p.m. in the Public Service Building cafeteria, said Staley.

During Monday evening's drive Hillary C. Hoadly, 560 19th St. NE, donated his 28th pint of blood. Charles W. Roberts, 4110 Shafer Ave., donated his 27th pint. Two joined the "Gallon Club," Lyle W. Conover, 2834 Lawrence St. SE, and Jack K. Morrison, 625 15th St. NE.

Scientists Ask UN to Halt Nuclear Tests

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y., Jan. 13 (AP)—Nobel prize winner Linus Pauling submitted to the United Nations today a petition signed by 9,235 scientists calling for an international agreement to stop nuclear bomb tests now.

The scientists of 44 countries include 36 Nobel prize winners, 101 members of the U.S. National Academy of Sciences, 35 fellows of the Royal Society of London, and 216 members of the Soviet Academy of Sciences.

The 1954 Nobel prize winner in chemistry told reporters that in his opinion the list of signers "represents the opinion of a majority of the scientists of the world."

Dr. Pauling is head of the division of chemistry and chemical engineering at the California Institute of Technology, Pasadena.

He turned the petition over to Secretary General Dag Hammarskjöld. The U.N. takes no action on such documents but makes them available to member governments on request.

22-Foot Rocket To Advertise YM Membership Drive

A 22-foot silver and red rocket will be set up soon in front of the Salem YMCA in preparation for a "mission to the moon" blast-off Jan. 23.

On loan from the State Fair, the amusement ride rocket will help advertise the YM's membership drive Jan. 28 to Feb. 11. It will be set up under safety standards set by city officials.

High Surf Pounds Hawaiian Islands

HONOLULU, Jan. 13 (AP)—A dangerously high surf pounded the Hawaiian Islands today.

At Midway Island, two airplane runways were reported closed because of 30-foot waves.

Residents of Hawaii were warned to expect waves as high as 25 feet tomorrow.

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Illustrator, Wife Married 62 Years



On the eve of their 62nd wedding anniversary today, Frank G. Hutchinson, 85, former State Highway Department illustrator, works on a sketch while his wife, Calla, 83, looks on at their home at 1890 Trade St. SE. (Statesman Photo.)

Salem Couple Observes 62nd Wedding Anniversary Today

By JERRY STONE

Staff Writer, The Statesman

Two Salem people are apt to be filled with memories, and perhaps nostalgia, today as they observe their 62nd wedding anniversary.

But for Mr. and Mrs. Frank G. Hutchinson, 1890 Trade St. SE, many of the moments of their long union can be relived in a vast collection of fine sketches and watercolor drawings wrought by his talented hand.

Spry and alert, Frank and Calla Hutchinson seem much younger than their 85 and 83 years respectively. He retired at 60 as draftsman and a widely known illustrator for the State Highway Department—a man whose drawings hang in many states and several foreign lands.

An avocation that drew much attention to the Hutchinsons was ice skating, particularly their renditions of waltzes on the thin blades.

When well into their 70s, they were invited to skate a waltz at opening of a new Eugene rink. They formerly instructed at a Salem rink.

"We still get the fever to skate,"

Larger Pool For Penguins Scheduled

PORTLAND, Jan. 13 (AP)—The Portland Zoo Commission today decided to enlarge the penguin pool now under construction at the new zoo site in the west hills.

This followed the recommendation of Dr. W. J. L. Sladen, Baltimore, penguin expert, who said zoo visitors would see better performances by the penguins if the pool were enlarged to at least 30 feet in length.

Other revisions call for higher islands in the pool and a floating island, fastened to the bottom of the pool by a chain.

Sladen recently was here treating penguins that fell ill after being brought from the Antarctic.

The commission set June 8 for opening of part of the zoo. Hoofed animals, bears, penguins, primates, tropical birds and reptiles are expected to be in place at the new zoo in time for the opening.

ELSI NORE
DOORS OPEN 6:45 P.M.
RITA HAYWORTH
FRANK SINATRA
KIM NOVAK
Pal Joey
TECHNICOLOR
A Columbia Picture
EXTRA
"ROCK HOUND MAGOO"
"MOVELAND MAGIC"

they say, "but I guess we're a little past that now." The pair have five children, seven grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren.

When one steps into the Hutchinson home, he is quick to see evidences of Frank Hutchinson's artistic talent and his former profession as an architect. There are striking realistic charcoal and pencil sketches of rustic houses and tree-lined streams and mountains and valleys.

"Trees are one of my passions,"

Officer Killed; Gunmen Held

CHICAGO, Jan. 13 (AP)—George Starcevic, 23-year-old gunman sought in the slaying of a young policeman, surrendered tonight to FBI agents. He was turned over to Chicago police for questioning.

Starcevic had been the subject of a citywide manhunt since the early morning slaying of Petrolnik John Quirk, 23.

Quirk was shot by two men who abducted the officer, who was off duty, and a girl companion.

A man identified by police as the other gunman was seized shortly after the slaying.

Police said Quirk was killed as he tried to shoot it out with the gunmen in an effort to protect his 18-year-old date, Carolyn Smith.

Nick Lapapa, 23, son of a Chicago union leader, was seized shortly after the shooting.

Nudist Magazines Get Mail Permit

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13 (AP)—The Supreme Court today unanimously struck down a Post Office Department ban on the mailing of two nudist magazines.

The department had found the publications—Sunshine, Health and Sun Magazine—were obscene and indecent. But the Supreme Court reversed the finding, citing a decision given in another case last June.

Ends Tonight
"MR. ROCK & ROLL"
"SHORTCUT TO HELL"
CAPITOL
STARTS TOMORROW
Here's the liveliest group that ever cut a caper...on an island where the man-woman ratio is 1000 to 1!
OPEN 6:45
METRO COLOR
CINEMASCOPE
DON'T GO NEAR THE WATER
GLENN FORD
GIA SCALA • EARL HOLLIMAN
ANNE FRANCIS • KEENAN WYNN • FRED CLARK • EVA GABOR
RUSS TAMBLYN • JEFF HARKIS
CO-HIT "ROCKABILLY BABY" VIRGINIA FIELD • DOUGLAS KENNEDY

Council Okehs Off-Street Parking Lot for City Cars

(Story also on Page 1.)

A 26-car off-street parking lot for city cars was approved Monday night by Salem City Council.

Plans call for the city to lease from V. D. McMullen the west half of the former Episcopal church site at Chemeketa and Church Streets, a block east of City Hall. Rental would be \$100 a month.

Aldermen approved taking \$750 from the emergency fund for rent until July 1 and for traveling the property. Cars used on city business would be parked there and any spaces left over would be rented to city employees at a proportionate share of costs, about \$4 a month, under a plan presented by City Manager Kent Mathewson.

The parking plan also will set aside two free spaces on High Street for City Hall visitors, five reserved spots across Chemeketa Street from City Hall for aldermen or others attending official city meetings, three High Street spaces for city detectives and a mayor's parking space on Chemeketa.

Budget Analysis Given

City Manager Mathewson presented his second quarterly budget analysis to the aldermen at their City Hall meeting last night, showing revenues \$7,667 below estimates and expenditures some \$47,250 below estimates as of Dec. 31. It showed the city in its half-year of the 1957-58 budget has spent 49.7 per cent of budgeted funds compared with 51.4 per cent spending estimated for the first six months.

Mathewson said he and other city officials made a close check on all 108 revenue and 832 expenditure accounts.

Parking meters revenue is above expectation, with \$59,282 collected in the first six months, compared with \$55,000 estimate. But state highway revenue to the city is lower than budgeted because the state reports reduced highway income. As a result the city is reducing that account by \$11,000.

Balance Possible

However, overall city engineering department spending may leave a \$32,000 balance at year's

end in June, said Mathewson on the basis of the current analysis. These other actions were taken Monday night by the Salem Council:

Public hearing officially set for

Jesse Lasky, Giant of Film Industry, Dies

BEVERLY HILLS, Calif., Jan. 30 (AP)—Movie producer Jesse L. Lasky dropped dead at the motor entrance to the Beverly Hilton Hotel today. He was 77.

A giant of the motion picture industry, the veteran producer was leaving the hotel after delivering a lecture on his book, "I Blow My Own Horn."

Lasky was one of a trio that did much to establish Hollywood as the world's film capital.

With Cecil DeMille and Samuel Goldwyn, he founded a firm that in the movie's infancy came west and decided on Hollywood as a locale for operations.

Tin Magnate Gets Divorce

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 13 (AP)—Multimillionaire Antenor Patino was granted a divorce today from Princess Maria Cristina Borbon de Patino, a member of Spanish royalty.

In his divorce petition, filed here in August, 1955, the Bolivian tin magnate accused his wife of adultery, abandonment of the home, threats, and making slanderous accusations. They have been separated about 11 years.

The Weather

Area	Max.	Min.	Prep.
Astoria	50	37	14
Baker	50	37	trace
Bend-Redmond	43	30	00
Eugene	51	37	00
Klamath Falls	54	31	00
Medford	44	31	00
Newport	52	38	00
North Bend	51	40	00
Portland	50	42	00
Salem	51	41	00

er Bureau, McNary Field, Salem: Cloudy with occasional rain today tonight and Wednesday. Continued mild with the high today near 50; and low tonight near 34.

Willamette River: 7.7 feet.

Temp. 12:01 a.m. today: 46

SALEM PRECIPITATION

Since start of weather year, Sept. 1

To date Last Year Normal

19.30 12.00 20.84

Tide Table (Taft, Ore.)

(Compiled by U.S. Coast & Geodetic Survey, Portland, Ore.)

High Waters Low Waters

Jan. 14 Time Height Time Height

14 8:13 a.m. 7.5 2:04 p.m. 1.9

15 8:44 a.m. 7.7 2:38 p.m. 0.3

16 9:08 a.m. 7.3 2:08 a.m. 2.3

17 9:58 a.m. 6.9 3:58 p.m. -0.7

18 10:51 a.m. today: 46

19 11:44 a.m. 6.5 4:51 p.m. -1.5

20 12:38 p.m. 6.0 5:44 p.m. -2.1

21 1:32 p.m. 5.5 6:37 p.m. -2.7

22 2:26 p.m. 5.0 7:30 p.m. -3.3

23 3:20 p.m. 4.5 8:23 p.m. -3.9

24 4:14 p.m. 4.0 9:16 p.m. -4.5

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