

Firemen Eye Blaze Causes

Suspicion of arson figured in one of four fires answered by Eugene firemen Sunday.

In addition to the fast-developing blaze that leveled the Walter Johnson residence at 1555 1/2 Franklin Blvd., apparently burning him to death inside, firemen detected unusual circumstances in connection with a blaze at 1771 Charlotte.

On arrival at that address, firemen found burned matches scattered throughout the house and furniture piled as though it were meant to kindle a larger blaze.

Damage was held to approximately \$100, but a city officer was called to detain a woman living at

the address until a thorough investigation could be made.

Burned Down

The Charlotte St. fire was reported at 1:11 p.m. At 4 p.m. a crew was summoned to the Johnson residence, but they found the 4-room frame structure almost consumed when they reached the scene. A total loss estimated in excess of \$2500, the building was owned by Mrs. Josephine M. Dunn.

Two other minor fires also occupied firemen Sunday. At 9:32 a.m., a pile of burning railroad ties was extinguished along the railroad right-of-way on Lexington Ave. At 4:02 p.m., a wall blaze was reported at the Albert Breur residence on the Lorane highway. This fire was controlled without extensive damage to the home.

Meteors are relatively small stores of rock swept up by the earth as it revolves around the sun.



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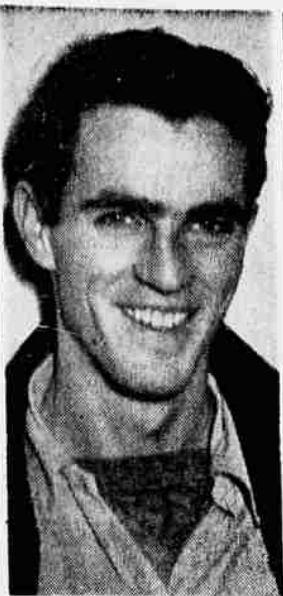
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RUSSELL BRADLEY

Police Arrest Ex-'Corpse'

Russell Bradley, 24, who broke into print last December with the announcement that reports of his death in California had been exaggerated, (another Russell Bradley had been shot by police during a burglary attempt) was himself in trouble with the law Monday.

He was arrested by state police and accused of stealing a 1946 Chevrolet from Earl Nestell of 870 21st Ave. W. He told officers he took the car so he could use it on a date. The car was located from the description given by the owner.

City News

WHAT'S DOING

Monday
7:30 p.m.—A cappella choir, Methodist Church.
Tuesday
Noon—Rotary Club, Eugene.
7:30 p.m.—Hunt Club, fairgrounds.

Horse show events at the state fair, in Salem Sept. 6 to 12, have drawn the following Lane entrants: Barbara Clayton, Mrs. Lyle Scroggs, Sen. Wayne Morse, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Slocum, all of Eugene; and Carl R. Steen, Junction City.

Robert Crenshaw, an employee of Clear Fir Products Co. in Springfield, was taken to Sacred Heart Hospital Monday about 10 a.m. by Valley Ambulance after he was injured on the neck and face by a falling board. His injuries were not believed serious.

Records

MARRIAGE LICENSES
Clair R. Thomas, Springfield, and Shirley Anne Mahany, 2287 Hilyard St.; William J. Mineau, 388 Seventh Ave. W., and Marybelle Yarbrough, Portland; Dale F. Miller, Springfield, and Loretta June Emahiser, 1159 Washington St.; Glen K. Gould, 115 N. Madison St., and Iris E. Britton, Rt. 5, Eugene.

CIRCUIT COURT
Divorce suit filed: Lester J. vs. Zoe Thornton, cruel and inhuman treatment, plaintiff seeks custody of two minor children.

DISTRICT COURT
Passing with insufficient clearance: John H. Davis, \$15.
Overlength load: Carl E. Johnson, \$15.
No vehicle license: Robert E. Stewart, \$5.

No operator's license: Robert E. Stewart, \$5; Lester E. Bridges, \$5; Victor Evonick, \$5.
Drunk driving: William Adolph Suchanek found guilty after demanding trial, fined \$100 plus \$5 costs.
Overwidth load: Howard M. Jenkins, \$15.

Overload: Glen W. Bashier, \$15; C. F. Zickrick, \$25; Lawrence V. Miller, \$50; James H. McCammon, \$15; Luther C. Smith, \$24; Lloyd A. King, \$15.

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Katie B. Van Den Bos

Katie Belle Van Den Bos, 65, Coburg, died Saturday at a local hospital. She was born Nov. 13, 1882, in Atlantic City, Iowa, and married Isaac Van Den Bos at Stickney, S. D., Oct. 3, 1907. She was a member of the Coburg Methodist Church and Rebekah Lodge, and lived in Coburg the past 12 years.

Besides her widower she is survived by the following children: Henry, Lafayette, Colo.; Everett, Amelia, Va.; Clifford, Canon City, Colo.; Elmer, Eugene; Mabel McCain, Spokane, Wash.; and Forrest, Pocatello, Idaho; a brother, Than Bruyn, Pueblo, Calif.; two sisters, Cornelia Huffman, Los Angeles, and Flossie Van Hess, Salem; and 12 grandchildren.

Services will be Tuesday at 2 p.m. at Bartholomew-Buell Mortuary with Rev. Arthur D. Hyland officiating. Interment will be in the family plot in Laurel Hill Cemetery.

Martin Bird Hill

Martin Bird Hill, 88, died Aug. 28 at a local hospital. He was born June 15, 1860, and lived in Lane County the past 26 years. He was a retired blacksmith.

Surviving are a brother, J. F. Hill, Lorane; two sisters, Mrs. Mary E. Clark, Springfield, and Sara A. Penselin, Eugene; and two daughters in the East.

Services will be Tuesday at 2 p.m. at Bartholomew-Buell Mortuary with Rev. Arthur D. Hyland officiating. Interment will be in the family plot in Laurel Hill Cemetery.

Nancy Van Boskirk

Nancy Van Boskirk, 67, of 222 Madison St., died Saturday at her home.

She was born Nancy Godard in Indiana Oct. 2, 1871, and was married in Nebraska in September, 1898, to John R. Van Boskirk.

He died in 1928. Mrs. Van Boskirk lived in Eugene 30 years, moving from Cottage Grove. She was a member of the Unitarian Church and Evangeline Chapter

of Eastern Star. For a number of years she worked at the registrar's office at the University of Oregon.

Surviving are two children, Donald, Portland, and Mrs. Ruth Waske, Eugene; one grandchild, three brothers, Hershel Godard, Brush, Colo., Sherman, Cottage Grove, and Jackson, Cottage Grove; and a sister, Mrs. E. R. Spencer, Eugene.

Private services will be Tuesday at 2:30 p.m. at Mills Mortuary in Cottage Grove, with Rev. Hugh Penniston officiating. Interment will be in the Cottage Grove Masonic Cemetery.

Patricia Sherman

Patricia Sherman, 37, 450 West Broadway, died Sunday at Klamath Falls in an auto accident. She was born May 30, 1911, in Kansas, and lived in Eugene the past eight years.

Surviving are her widower, Vincent; her parents; two sisters, Elva Miller and Lela Schulberg, both of Portland; two brothers, Kenneth Murphy, of Stevens, Wash., and Bud Murphy, Hutchinson, Kans.

Services will be announced from Simon-Lounsbury Mortuary in Eugene.

Minnie O. Smith

Minnie O. Smith, Creswell, died Monday at the age of 88. She was born Oct. 8, 1859, in Brownsville, Ore., and lived in Creswell more than 60 years. She was a member of the Baptist Church. Her husband, James S. Smith, whom she married Jan. 8, 1879, in Brownsville, died more than 20 years ago.

Surviving are five children, Leigh, Eugene, Mrs. Rhoda Lloyd, Oakridge, Ernest, Mrs. Verris McDonald, and Fred, all of Creswell; 21 grandchildren; 29 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild. She was preceded in death by two children, Clyde and Edith Smith.

Services will be Wednesday at Schwering England Mortuary in Cottage Grove, with Rev. Joseph Knotts officiating. Interment will

James Francisco Dillon

James Francisco Dillon, 58, Gold Beach, died Saturday at his home. He was born Feb. 21, 1890, at Battle Ground, Wash., and lived in Cottage Grove many years where he operated and owned the Cottage Grove Welding Works. He was a member of Cottage Grove Aerie 2091, F.O.E., and was a past president of the lodge.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Aileen Jenkins, Cottage Grove, and Mrs. Muriel Bellinger, Olympia, Wash.; two grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Florence Schamehorn, Mrs. Pearl Morgan, both of McCleary, Wash., and Mrs. Adeline Wood, Seattle.

Services will be Wednesday at 2:30 p.m. at Mills Mortuary in Cottage Grove, with Rev. Frank Brown officiating. Interment will be in IOOF Cemetery at Cottage Grove, with pallbearers from the Eagles Lodge.

HOT WIRE KILLS RANCHER

RAINIER, Ore.—(U.P.)—M. R. Pike, 50, Columbia County rancher, was electrocuted Sunday, when he fell against a 60,000 volt line on his property three miles south of here. A Pacific Power and Light Co. spokesman said Pike apparently had climbed a pole to unhook some "dead" lines leading to his barn when he fell against the hot wire. A safety belt prevented his body from falling.

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