

FIND PASTOR IS GUILTY OF KILLING WIFE

JURY OUT SIX HOURS TO GET VERDICT

APPEAL LOOKED FOR

Sentence On Minister To Be Passed Monday—Killed In Order To Be With Other Woman, Alleged By The State.

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
LAKEPORT, Cal., Oct. 8.—Reverend John Spencer, formerly an Oklahoma physician, today was convicted today of the murder of his wife, Maude. The jury was out six hours. Mrs. Spencer was drowned in Clear lake, near Lakeport, while vacationing with her husband during the summer.

Sentence will be passed Monday. Spencer will probably serve notice of appeal.

Mrs. E. H. Barber, who was jointly accused with Rev. Spencer, was set free at her preliminary hearing, because of lack of evidence. The state alleged that Spencer killed his wife that he might be with Mrs. Barber, and also to gain control of certain valuable property.

Innocent Affirmed
Rev. Spencer flatly denied the charges when he was arrested in San Jose, Cal., and since that time has stood steadfastly by that denial. His explanation was that he had been boating in the moonlight with Mrs. Spencer. Returning to the Lakeport pier, he stepped from the canoe to the wharf, he said, turned his back, heard a splash and a cry for help and saw the canoe floating empty on the waters of the lake.

RAIN PREVENTING PENNANT CONTEST

Ruth, Suffering From Abscessed Elbow, Could Not Have Played If Game Had Been Started.

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
NEW YORK, October 8.—Today's game, the fourth in the world series, was postponed an account of rain.

Babe Ruth would probably have been kept out of the game today because of an abscessed elbow, started when he slid into third in the second game.

SUPERINTENDENT IS HANGED IN EFFIGY

A dummy constructed of a blue serge suit filled with straw, placarded to indicate that it represented Superintendent S. W. Moore, was found hanging to a telephone pole across the street from Moore's residence after three o'clock this morning by Officer Welch. It was removed and taken to the fire station. The police have no knowledge as to who was responsible.

WANT AD STIMULATES GROWTH OF BUSINESS

A want ad, inserted in the daily classified columns of The Bulletin, built up a flourishing fuel business for J. O. Hagan, the advertiser declared this morning.

Runaway Roller Fractures Skull, Man Recovering

With his skull fractured as the result of being struck by a field roller drawn by runaway horses, Wednesday at La Pine, J. J. Eng regained consciousness yesterday, at the St. Charles hospital and, according to the attending physicians, will recover from the injury.

ARSENIC FOUND IN POSTMORTEM

EDWARD MEYER KILLED BY POISON, TWO STATE CHEMISTS AGREE—FLYPAPER SAID TO BE SOURCE.

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
TWIN FALLS, Oct. 8.—Dr. Rodenbaugh, Idaho state chemist, testified he had found a grain of arsenic, enough poison to kill two men, in the body of Edward Meyer, whom Mrs. Lyda Southard, on trial here, is accused of poisoning.

Dr. Harms, Utah state chemist, testified he had found arsenic in every part of Meyers body, even in his hair, and under his fingernails. A lethal or killing dose of arsenic consists of half a grain.

Mrs. Southard is accused of obtaining arsenic with which she is alleged to have poisoned her husband, by soaking poisonous flypaper.

INTEREST KEEN IN LOCAL BOUT

OLD ENMITY BETWEEN WOODS AND GILBERT EXPECTED TO RESULT IN FIERCE BATTLE—PRELIMINARY GOOD.

Probably never in the history of the ring game in Bend has so much interest been shown in a local match as in Monday night's 16 round go-between Speck Woods and Fred Gilbert. Both men are well known, yet there is plenty of divided opinion as to the outcome, and heavy betting is predicted. The only safe bet is that there will be no dull moments, for, as is well known, there never has been any love lost between the two men.

From witnessing Friday afternoon's training at the gymnasium, when Speck went through six rounds of rope skipping, shadow boxing and bag punching, and five rounds of boxing, two things could be learned: Woods is in top shape for his match, and Freeman Lubbes, his sparring partner, is going to show a come-back surprise Monday night when he meets J. E. Clark of Chicago.

Lubbes is in much better shape than he was in his previous fight with Woods.

As for Woods, he appears to be impervious to any sort of blow, and skips through ten rounds or more as if it were child's play. Condition is Speck's long suit.

At that, he will have nothing on his opponent. Although Gilbert appears in the ring Monday night for the first time in many months, he is a man who never gets entirely out of training, and has put in some special ticks in preparation for this fight.

REFUSES OFFER OF O. A. C. FELLOWSHIP

Miss Laura Ziegler, who is employed in Horton's drug store, this week refused an offer of a teaching fellowship at O. A. C., in the pharmaceutical department. Miss Ziegler is a graduate of that institution, and one of the few persons who have passed the state examination in pharmacy with a 100 per cent grade. Her desire to remain in Bend is the reason given for refusing the position, which is an attractive one.

DEATH PENALTY PASSED TODAY ON ABE EVANS

DECEMBER 2 DATE OF HANGING

SLAYER STILL SILENT

Makes No Comment When Court Asks Him For Statement—Notice of Appeal Served—Wife Absent When Husband Hears Doom.

(Special to The Bulletin.)
THE DALLES, Ore., Oct. 8.—Abe Evans, convicted of the murder of James Doran near this city just four weeks ago today, was sentenced at 9 o'clock this morning by Circuit Judge Fred W. Wilson to be hanged. The date of execution was set for Friday, December 2, and Sheriff Levi Chrisman was directed to take the condemned man to the state prison at Salem within 29 days.

With the same remarkable calmness which characterized his attitude throughout the trial, which was ended last Wednesday morning, Evans heard the sentence condemning him to death.

Appeal Notice Given

Evans responded that he had nothing to say when the court asked him for a statement. He stood up, almost stolidly, as Judge Wilson ordered the verdict of the jury, condemning him to die.

Attorney John L. Gavin of The Dalles at once served informal notice of appeal to the state supreme court, and will make the necessary filings within 10 days.

Mrs. Evans was in the court house when her husband was sentenced, but on the advice of the Attorneys remained out of the court room.

BABIES FOUND TO BE IN PERFECT HEALTH

Bi-monthly Clinic Held In County Nurse's Office—Next One Is On First Friday In December.

Almost all of the babies brought to yesterday's health clinic, held in the county nurse's office under the supervision of the nurse and the county demonstrator, were found to be perfectly normal, and not in need of medical attention or changes of diet. Dr. Charles F. Bloom had charge of the examining. Mrs. V. A. Forbes assisting in the clerical work.

Attendance was not very good, on account of a misunderstanding in regard to the time. The next clinic will be held the first Friday in December, they being planned as bi-monthly affairs.

MANUFACTURERS TO COMBAT INCREASE

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—A manufacturers "bloc" has been formed in the senate to fight increases in surtax, estate tax rates, and retention of capital stock tax, included in the Capper-Lodge compromise plan. New England senators form the backbone of the "bloc."

LAD IS RELEASED ON MURDER CHARGE

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
MADISON, Oct. 8.—County Prosecutor Mills today ordered Frank Kluxen, arrested in connection with the murder of 12 year old Janet Lawrence, released. No evidence connecting the lad with the murder has been discovered. Mills condemned young Kluxen's arrest.

Football Finals

- Yale 24, North Carolina 9.
- Cornell 55, Rochester 9.
- Navy 53, Western Reserve 9.
- Columbia 14, Wesleyan 3.
- Pittsburgh 21, West Virginia 13.
- Pennsylvania 7, Gettysburg 6.
- Johns Hopkins 27, Delaware 9.
- Georgetown 10, Urainus 6.
- Georgia Tech. 70, Davidson 6.
- Penn State 35, North Carolina State 9.
- Harvard 19, Indiana 0.

ADDITION OF THIRD SHIFT ANNOUNCED BY BROOKS-SCANLON MILL; DEPLETION OF STOCK PROMPTS OUTPUT INCREASE

Would Provide Drastic Fines For Profiteers

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—Senator Kenyon today introduced a bill providing drastic fines of from \$100 to \$10,000 for coal profiteers. Profiteering is defined as "charging excessive or unreasonable prices."

DEBT OF BEND GROWING LESS REPORT SHOWS

That the city of Bend is steadily creeping out of debt was shown last night at the regular council meeting in the monthly report of Miss M. E. Coleman, treasurer, giving \$43,021.21 as the present total of general fund warrants unpaid. On May 1 of this year the indebtedness was \$71,576.66. Chairman Lon L. Fox of the finance committee stated. Interest due on bonds was given as \$4,866.64.

Protection for Bend business men against itinerant merchants was asked by a committee from the Bend Commercial club. The merchants association composed of Frank Inabnit, and J. Charles Smith. On City Attorney Benson's recommendation the drafting of a licensing ordinance was left to the merchants committee. It will be patterned after that in use in The Dalles and assistance in preparing the measure will be given by the city attorney.

Ask Park Purchase

The question of purchasing and improving the present auto park, owned by the Bend Company, and the additional purchase of the Bain tract adjoining, was brought up by another committee, headed by D. G. McPherson. The council was entirely behind the movement but Chairman Leverett of the public property committee declared that the people of Bend would be unwilling to vote bonds in the sum of \$15,000, the estimated amount needed for buying and developing a camp site. Taxes are already too high, he asserted, adding that no one would object to maintenance expense. The matter was referred to the public property committee which was instructed to confer with the Commercial club board.

Mayor E. D. Gilson, in informal discussion which followed stated that the city must have a camp, that it would be for the everlasting good of the city, and that he believed that a bond issue with club and council backing, would carry.

Name Budget Board

Two fires, attendance at which occupied 45 minutes of the volunteer departments time, were reported by Chief T. W. Carlon for September. There were 62 inspections.

Fees totaling \$104, including \$3.50 for building permits, \$36 for fines, \$64.50 for licenses, were itemized by Recorder Ross Farnham.

Dr. C. A. Fowler, city physician, reported 11 births, five deaths, and one case released from quarantine.

Discussion of the 1922 budget and the new law governing its compilation resulted in the naming of F. Dement, J. N. Hunter, E. P. Brosterhouse, E. A. Sather, H. G. Ferris, and George F. Hoover as members of the advisory committee to act with the council in making the estimates of probable expenditures. The first budget meeting will be held at the call of the mayor.

Final estimates on paying on Delaware avenue and Congress street totaling \$30,659.94 were accepted and the amount ordered paid to the contractor.

Parking Question Up

The question of parking in front of business houses in the downtown section was discussed at length and

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Conference Called by D. F. Brooks Decides On Need Of More Production

CHANGE MAY GO IN EFFECT NEXT WEEK, DECISION MADE

Camp 3 To Be Reopened, and Total of 110 More Men Will Find Employment In Woods and Mill—\$30,000 Added Monthly Expense To Be Represented Chiefly In Payroll, Estimated—Maximum Output To Last At Least Until Next February.

Three shift production at the Brooks-Scanlon mill, suspended a year ago as the result of market depression, will be resumed just as quickly as the necessary arrangements can be made, possibly next week. This was the announcement made today following a conference of the local officials called by D. F. Brooks, president of the company, who arrived this morning from Minneapolis.

Increased production, it was explained, is made necessary by the fact that stock is running low, and demand increasing, involving the need for more if selling is to be successfully continued. The change is regarded as permanent up to February 1 at least.

The added shift will mean employment of 110 men in the mill and in the woods where the establishment of an additional camp will be necessary. Camps 1 and 2 will be moved and Camp 3 placed in operation at a new location. Increased production will add \$30,000 monthly to the company's expenses, most of this being in payroll.

While the new camp cannot be put in at once, a slight surplus of logs now on hand may make possible an early start for the third shift, operating until additional logging can get under way.

FACE SERIOUS TONG OUTBREAK

SIX GUNMEN JAILED ON CHARGE OF MURDERING WONG GEE—SUEY SING MEN SHOOT THREE HOP SINGS.

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
PORTLAND, Oct. 8.—With six suspected gunmen jailed, charged with murdering Wong Gee, aged Chinaman yesterday afternoon, and the Hop Sing Tong facing the necessity of liquidating a triple blood debt, Portland's Chinatown today faced the most serious outbreak in its history.

Three Hop Sing Tong men have fallen before Suey Sing Highbinders' guns. Serious outbreaks are expected hourly.

DELEGATES START FOR CONFERENCE

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
DUBLIN, Oct. 8.—Sinn Fein delegates left today for London to open the peace conference with Lloyd George. Michael Collins, commander of the Irish republican army is not with the party, but will go later.

NEWPORT DOCTORS DENY GARDNER TALE

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
NEWPORT, Wash., Oct. 8.—Newport practicing physicians today denied knowledge of Roy Gardner, bandit, said to have been cared for here, his wounds dressed by a local physician.

In a statement issued this afternoon in connection with the announcement of added production, General Manager H. K. Brooks said:

"In order to replenish our somewhat broken stock of lumber and to be in better shape to take care of the spring trade, it is our intention to put on a third shift in the sawmill within a few days.

"Ordinarily we would hardly be justified in taking any such step at this season of the year for the reason that lumber cut late in the fall dries very slowly and must be carried in pile for a number of months, but indications of a revival of general business and economic conditions in the country appear to be so favorable that we are feeling quite optimistic and have concluded to operate our plant to its utmost capacity."

JAPAN ADDING TO QUESTIONS

DEMAND FOR EQUAL COMMERCIAL OPPORTUNITY IN AUSTRALIA TO BE MADE AT CONFERENCE.

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
TOKIO, Oct. 8.—Two questions have been added to the list which Japan hopes to bring before Washington conference armament limitation, according to Asahi, Tokio newspaper. They are: A demand for equal commercial opportunities in Australia; and settlement of the Franco-Japanese dispute involving customs payments in Indo China.

It was learned that Japanese troops will remain in Siberia as the result of the deadlock with the Chinese government.