

### BOY CONFESSES MURDER MOTHER IMPRISONED FOR

Los Angeles, Cal., March 7.—Fourteen-year-old Harold Willis, who recently announced that he planned to take up the study of law so that when he became a man he could work for the release of his mother, Mrs. Margaret Willis, sentenced to life imprisonment for the murder of Dr. C. Baldwin, was being presented by his mother's attorneys as himself the slayer of Dr. Baldwin.

Harold, according to evidence submitted yesterday, has confessed that he shot Dr. Baldwin when the latter attacked his mother, but that he was sent out to play after the shooting and consequently did not know the doctor was dead until after his mother had packed the body in a trunk, cast it over an embankment north of here and finally had given herself up to the police.

### PIERCE NAMES 2 APPOINTEES

Dr. E. B. Pickle of Medford was today appointed by Governor Pierce as a member of the state board of health to succeed Dr. George E. Hoack of Roseburg. Dr. C. J. Smith of Portland and Dr. J. H. Rosenburg of Prineville were re-appointed members of the board.

### PRISON PAPER GETS EXPERIENCED EDITOR

Eugene, Or., March 7.—"Lend a Hand," publication of inmates of the Oregon state penitentiary, which was suspended because no printers or newspapermen were confined within the penitentiary walls, will be started again soon, according to Chief Deputy Sheriff Van Svarverud, who took Harry Morrison, sentenced to five years for forgery, to Salem.

### Real Estate Activity In Salem During 1924 Better Than Average

Activity in the Salem real estate market during the year 1924 was above normal for the entire year, according to a letter received yesterday by the Salem Abstract company from the National Association of Real Estate Boards which has just completed an index of real estate activity throughout the entire United States. Statistics for the index were used from 41 cities in the United States that were regarded as typical. Salem was the only city chosen in Oregon, the next other cities from which figures were taken being Seattle, Spokane and San Francisco.

Portland is also contributing data, and will be included in the index announcements as soon as their series has been continued long enough to enable accurate calculations. Part of the letter reads as follows: "A detailed analysis of the Sa-

### CAT AND CANARY INTRIGUING IN KEEN SUSPENSE

"The Cat and the Canary," which comes to the Grand theatre Wednesday night, March 11, contains some of the most intriguing and altogether entertaining elements ever concocted for the amusement of an audience. Surprise, suspense and uncertainty are blended with real comedy of the most infectious sort. There is said to be a maximum of fun combined with the weird and the unusual and the secret of the plot is kept concealed until the last moment.

### ASHLAND DOWNS MEDFORD QUINT

Medford, Or., March 7.—Completely upsetting the dope, Ashland high school basketball team defeated the Medford high school here last night by a score of 18 to 14, leading by one point at the end of the first half, and playing Medford off her feet in the second. Medford had defeated Ashland twice and needed but one game for the southern Oregon championship. If Ashland wins at Ashland tonight, the deciding game will be played on a neutral floor, probably in Roseburg, to which team represents this section in the state tournament.

### PIERCE PARDONS TWO POLK LADS

Dallas, Or., March 7.—Conditional pardons were granted today by Governor Pierce to Frank Cooper and Marvin Calkins, Airline youths under sentence of three years each to the penitentiary for statutory rape. The pardons were issued following the declaration that Cooper would marry the girl involved in the case.

### Three Teams Tied. Bend, Or., March 7.—Bend, Prineville and Hood River remain in the running for first honors in the central Oregon, mid-Columbia district tournament as the result of yesterday's games. Prineville and Hood River will meet in a semi-final game this afternoon and the winner will play Bend tonight for the championship.

### Frost Nips Eugene. Eugene, Or., March 7.—Eugene experienced the coldest night of the year last night, when the temperature dropped to 29 degrees above zero. On two other occasions so far this year, the mercury had slumped to 30.

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**HILLES LIKELY CHOICE AMBASSADOR TO BERLIN**  
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