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Capital Journal



CLOUDY TODAY On the coast, fair in the interior tonight and Wednesday; frost in the interior; moderate variable winds.

FORTY-SEVENTH YEAR No. 65 SALEM, OREGON, TUESDAY, MARCH 17, 1925 PRICE THREE CENTS ON TRAINS AND NEWS STANDS FIVE CENTS

SHEPHERD TO BE INDICTED

RECESS JOB IS REFUSED BY WARREN

Michigan Attorney Says Double Rejection By Senate Enough; New Choice Vermonter.

Washington, Mar. 17.—The senate today in open session confirmed the nomination of John G. Sargent of Vermont to be attorney general.

RINEHART QUILTS AS SECRETARY OF STATE TAX BOARD

The resignation of T. A. Rinehart as secretary of the state tax commission was received by the commission today, effective April 1.

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SWARTZ SUICIDE, NEW THEORY

INQUEST IS RESUMED BY JURY TODAY

Presence of Investigators Probing Keunzli Death May Have Caused Swartz To Take Life.

Did the appearance of investigators in the district north of Jefferson to pry into the mystery of the death of H. H. Keunzli a year ago have an bearing on the sudden death of Fred M. Swartz, brother-in-law of Keunzli, in a dynamite blast last Saturday morning?

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Boy Admits Confession Fraudulent



Los Angeles, Cal., Mar. 17.—A grand jury investigation of the various confessions of Harold "Sunny" Willis, 14 year old son of Mrs. Margaret Willis, convicted murderer, was announced here at noon today by District Attorney

SCHOOL BILL HELD UNJUST

Arguments In Case Attacking Compulsory Education Law Continued Before Court.

Washington, March 17.—Oral argument was resumed today in the supreme court in the appeals brought by Oregon to have sustained its law which would require children between the age of 8 and 16 to attend schools conducted by the state.

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ACCESSORY THEFT GANG WORKS HERE

Officers Lay Loss of Auto Parts By Farmers North of Town to Activity of Organized Gang.

A gang of automobile accessory thieves has been busy in the Gervais, Brooks and Parkersville districts, breaking into garages, stripping cars and terrorizing automobile owners in the communities. The main robberies were committed Friday and Saturday night, reports of them just dribbling into the sheriff's office and it is possible all of them are not yet in, despite the list already received is one of some magnitude.

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FREIGHT RATE PROBE ON ALL ROADS ORDER

Interstate Commerce Commission Acts To Comply With Resolution Congress Passed.

Washington, Mar. 17.—In conformity with the resolution adopted at the last session of congress the interstate commerce commission today ordered an investigation into the existing freight rate structure of all the railroads in the country.

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ACCUSED OF GERM MURDER



WILLIAM D. SHEPHERD

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GERMS USED FOR MURDER SAYS FAIMAN

True Bills Charging Death of McClintock to Pair Are Predicted By Prosecutor Crowe.

Chicago, Mar. 17.—True bills charging both William D. Shepherd and C. C. Faiman, proprietor of a school of bacteriology, with having caused the death of William Nelson McClintock by typhoid fever are confidently expected this afternoon, said Robert E. Crowe, state's attorney upon reaching his office after an all night investigation of the case.

Faiman probably will sign an immunity waiver and testify before the grand jury this afternoon said Mr. Crowe. Faiman early today informed the state's attorney that upon Shepherd's promising him \$100,000 from the \$1,000,000 estate of young McClintock, killed to Shepherd, he provided the typhoid bacilli which Shepherd, he alleged, administered to the youth with fatal results.

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