

STILL SEIZURE HELD ILLEGAL

NEW THEATER TO BE BUILT HERE AT ONCE

G. B. Guthrie Announces Plans For Play House On High Street Ranking With The Best.

Tentative plans for the construction of a new theater in Salem larger than any in the state outside of Portland, and so novel in its general architectural design as to make it stand out as one of the finest playhouses of the northwest, were announced this morning by George B. Guthrie, who operates the Oregon, Liberty and Grand theaters here.

Construction work on the structure, which has been contemplated for several years and for which active negotiations have been progressing for several months, will commence in the immediate future and it is planned to have it completed in time for opening during the fall season.

The new theater will be built on the east side of High street between State and Ferry streets opposite the New Salem Hotel, on a lot purchased early in the year by Mr. Guthrie from Frank Hughes through the realty firm of W. H. Grabenhorst & company.

With a seating capacity of between 1,400 and 1,500 people the new theater will be the largest in the state outside of Portland, and will rank well up with the largest there.

The new building will cover a ground space 74 1/2 x 105 feet and will be built along rough and massive lines of unique and exceptional dignity. The general scheme will be carried out in modified Gothic architectural design, with a large, high arched lobby as one of the central features. Extending entirely across the front of the building to a width of 70 feet the lobby will also be 45 feet deep with a central nave between the

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NEW PASTOR DUE HERE TONIGHT

Rev. Charles E. Ward, new pastor of the First Congregational church of Salem, will arrive in this city late tonight. He will arrive in Portland at 7:30 p. m., and be met there by a small delegation from the local church, who will accompany him and his family to Salem by automobile.

Rev. Mr. Ward comes from Ashland, Ohio, and has a successful record in the Congregational church there. He has a wife and three children, all of whom are boys, who are accompanying him on his trip west and will live in Salem.

For a few days the Ward family will remain at the home of R. J. Hendricks. As soon as their household goods arrive from Ohio they will take up their residence at the Congregational parsonage next to the church on Center street.

Rev. Mr. Ward will preach his first sermon in this city Sunday, occupying the pulpit both morning and evening.

Salem and Dallas Chambers to Lunch Together On Monday

Next Monday noon Salem and Dallas, the sister cities, will eat together, talk together, sing together and make merry together at the luncheon at the Salem chamber of commerce. Dallas is coming over here to show how she feels toward Salem and Salem will reciprocate as best.

A paved highway has linked the two cities with a close bond and their business and professional men realize that their mutual development is linked as inseparably.

After an introduction, in which a few nice things will be said about Dallas, Dr. L. A. Steeves of Dallas will take charge of the

Plot To Kill King Boris Is Frustrated

St. Petersburg, May 1.—(By Associated Press.) Another attempt to assassinate King Boris was frustrated today by officers of the guard who discovered an almost com-bustible passage with explosive fuse which they were intended to blow up the royal palace.

The organ of the peasants' party has published an emphatic denial that the party has been an accomplice in the recently attempted assassinations. The peasants' party condemns all similar criminal measures, the statement continued.

According to the peasants' party journal all plots such as those upon the life of King Boris are instigated by persons financed from Moscow.

NEGRO CONVICT STABS ANOTHER IN PRISON ROW

It became known here today that in an altercation at the state penitentiary about three weeks ago between two convicts, J. C. Burris, a convict sent up from Klamath county, was stabbed in the arm by Ole Brown, colored, a "lifer" from Wasco county who was sent up for murder.

Where Brown got the knife with which he stabbed Burris has not been ascertained by prison officials and Brown succeeded in hiding the weapon where it could not be found.

Brown at one time since he was received at the prison, was adjudged insane about three weeks ago but was later taken back to the state penitentiary. At the time of the row the two men were in the "dog house," a place where the prisoners congregate when they are not busy. It is understood that Burris was about to attack Brown with a chair or a club when Brown wielded the knife on him.

Burris is the second Klamath county prisoner to be the victim of an attack. John Taylor, who was in the holiday of a pool room in the holiday of a pool room in which a man was killed, on the day he was received here was struck from behind and knocked down. He did not know who hit him or what he was hit with, but said his assailant was neither Slim Pate nor Pete Sullivan, two other men who were convicted with him for the holiday and murder, and both of whom were given life sentences. It is believed the assailant was some convict who felt a grudge against Taylor because he furnished evidence for the state in the trial that resulted in Pate and Sullivan.

Greth Gives Weight.

Detroit, Mich., May 1.—Harry Greth, middleweight champion, will give Quintin Romero-Rojas Chilean heavyweight an advantage of nearly 20 pounds when they meet in the 10-round final of tonight's boxing card here. Rojas expected to weigh in late today at about 192 pounds. In the semi-final Let Raitlin, welter-weight, who is fighting his way through the University of Michigan, meets Frankie Murphy of Danvers.

CURB PLACED ON PACKERS IS REMOVED

Consent Decree, Divorcing Meat Packers From Unrelated Lines, Dissolved By Court Order.

Washington, May 1.—Denying the government's request for a limitation of the order suspending operations of the packer consent decree, Justice Bailey in the supreme court of the District of Columbia, today entered a formal order suspending the decree "in every particular."

The order entered today is to remain effective until further order of the court, which, it was stipulated, will be entered, if at all, only after a final hearing and proof of the government's original case filed in 1920.

Government counsel sought to obtain a modification of the suspension decree so that it would effect only the operations of the packers with the California canneries and would be effective only until 1929, when the contract between those parties would expire.

Under the decree entered into five years ago the so-called "big five" group of Chicago meat packing companies agreed to divorce themselves from unrelated lines of business.

The California cooperative canneries later were permitted to intervene as a party at interest because of the contracts under which their product was distributed by the packer.

On April 23, Justice Bailey announced that, on the showing of the canneries, he was convinced the consent decree was working an injury to that industry. The court declined, however, to expand his decision to an order to vacate the decree entirely "since no proof has been shown that it was entered properly."

TREMOR SHAKES EXTENDED AREA IN CALIFORNIA

Riverside, Cal., May 1.—Sharp earth shocks were felt here about 1:30 a. m. today. Two distinct quakes were noted. They were severe enough to frighten patients at the county hospital, where doors sprang open and slammed shut, and windows rattle furiously. No damage was reported however.

Los Angeles, Cal., May 1.—Slight earth shocks were felt in Los Angeles at 1:27 a. m. today. Light sleepers aroused by the rattle of dishes left no time seeking newspaper offices with telephonic queries but no damage was reported.

San Francisco, Cal., May 1.—A slight earth shock was felt here about 1:27 a. m. today. The tremor was noticed as far east as Needles in San Bernardino county. Barstow, Redlands and Ontario all felt the quake but no damage was reported.

El Centro, Cal., May 1.—A slight earth shock was felt in Imperial valley about 1:30 a. m. today. No damage was reported.

DONEY DUE BACK IN SALEM MAY 9

President Cort Gregg Doney, of Willamette university, will give the commencement address at Gooding college, June 3, and will meet with the trustees that day as they plan for the summer session and for the regular fall term, which begins September 8.

After ten years of service at Willamette, Dr. Doney was granted leave of absence which he spent at Cambridge, Massachusetts. He left Tuesday for Chicago, where he and President Charles Wesley Tenney will attend the meeting of the University Senate, which is the accrediting board for all the educational institutions of the Methodist Episcopal church.

From Chicago, Doctor Doney will come direct to Salem, where he expects to be at his old post at Willamette again May 9, while Mr. Tenney is scheduled to give the baccalaureate sermon for the Gooding high school, May 19, and the commencement address at Canyon City, Oregon, May 14; John Day, Oregon, May 16; Mount Vernon, Oregon, May 16; Edwail, Wash., May 20; Beardon, Wash., May 21, and Davenport, Wash., May 22, before Gooding college begins to close its year's work May 31, when the college baccalaureate sermon will be preached by Bishop H. Lester Smith of the Helena area.

FISHING WAR ENDED AS SEASON IS OPENED

Astoria, Ore., May 1.—The 1925 salmon fishing season opens today with harmony in the industry following the acceptance at a mass meeting last night by the Columbia River Fishermen of the offer of the salmon packers of 12 cents a pound for fish. The fishermen had demanded 14 cents a pound but decided to accept the packers' figure, although under protest.

Packers' representatives at a conference preceding the mass meeting told the fishermen that the packers had been forced to cut the price on canned salmon to market their product, and that a basic price of 12 cents was all they could pay.

OBSERVANCE OF MAY DAY IS ORDERLY

New York Police Raids On Communist Meetings Only Disturbance To Mar Quiet of Day.

New York, May 1.—May day was marked by police raids on ten meetings of communists, socialists and alleged anarchists, at which all the participants were driven into the street. Only two arrests were made and those were young men handing out pamphlets of a reputedly inciting nature to school children.

The most important raid of the night was at the Manhattan headquarters of the workers' party of America, where all members, including classes of the workers' league and the trade union educational league were driven into the streets. Desks were broken open and literature confiscated.

Warrants Questioned.

William Z. Foster, leader of the 1919 steel strike, who was at the Manhattan headquarters of the

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THREE PAY WITH LIVES FOR DEATH OF BANK RUNNERS

Ossining, N. Y., May 1.—Morris Diamond and Joseph Diamond, brothers, and John Farina went to the electric chair at Sing Sing prison last night for the murder in Brooklyn of two bank messengers in 1923.

Morris, who entered the death chamber shortly after 11 o'clock, was cool and composed. He made a brief statement of his innocence, asserting that he had not been given a fair trial and that he was "sorry for all" who had participated in it.

Joseph was led into the chamber after his brother's body had been removed. He showed no signs of the strain he had been reported to be suffering and in a few words declared his innocence.

Outwardly the calmest of them all, John Farina came last, smoking a cigar and approaching the chair without the slightest show of fear. He threw the cigar to the floor and began to pray as he sat down. His only message was: "I forgive everyone and ask forgiveness in return."

At 11:40 o'clock Farina was pronounced dead and the triple execution was over.

CIRCUIT JUDGE STAPLETON DEAD

Portland, May 1.—Judge George W. Stapleton, of the circuit court of Multnomah county, died suddenly today at his summer cottage at Seaside, following an attack of paralysis. He had come down to the seashore about a week ago to rest. He had been forced to give up his work on the bench following an attack of paralysis, which occurred a year ago in the midst of a trial.

He was born in Iowa in 1868 and crossed the plains with his parents to Idaho in a covered wagon. He was a cowboy in his youth in the Golden Rule country. After studying law he became justice of the peace, and later moved to Vancouver, where he was twice elected mayor. In 1898 he moved to Portland. He was past president of Al Kader Temple, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine.

ZBYSZKO READY TO MEET MUNN ANY TIME

Chicago, May 1.—Stanislaus Zbyszko, heavyweight wrestling champion, is willing to meet Wayne (Big) Munn, in a return match at any time and any place, he announced today in a telegram to promoters arranging his appearance here May 4.

"I am ready and willing at any time to wrestle Munn as soon as he feels that he has fully recovered," the telegram read. "I believe I owe this to Munn, in view of the fact that he says he was ill when he battled with me in Philadelphia recently."

BURNED BODY OF GARY GIRL IDENTIFIED

Mother and Friend Positive Charred Remains Those of Mrs. Josephine Desidero; Seek Husband

Gary, Ind., May 1.—Identification of the girl whose maimed and burned body was found Sunday near Chesterton as Mrs. Josephine Desidero, 21, Gary, was believed complete today by the authorities after Mrs. Bernard Genero, her mother, and Sam Ross, a friend, were positive in recognizing her.

Ross, who said he had last seen the girl Friday in an automobile with another girl and two men, was held for questioning. He said he and the girl had resided in the same Gary hotel for two weeks since he came from New York. Mrs. Desidero had been separated from her husband who is sought by the police.

Phone Number Cited.

Mrs. Genero, who was traced through a telephone number scrawled on the lining of a vanity case found yesterday near the place where the body was discovered, was positive in the identity of the body as that of her daughter. She named Ross, who was found late last night and questioned this morning.

Ross, a foreigner, minutely described the appearance and clothing of Mrs. Desidero, the police said, his story tallying with the bits of clothing and appearance of the body. Taken to the Chesterton morgue, he repeated his statements and said the body was that of the woman he had last seen Friday. He denied any knowledge of her whereabouts since then.

Connect Since Crime.

With the mystery of the name believed solved, authorities sought any connection between the death of the girl and the body of a man, identified as James Shea, Stockton, Ind., railroad employe which was found yesterday on the outskirts of Gary. The man's throat had been seared and his trousers burned and apparently he had been dead since Sunday. It was recalled that a railroad employe's car was found Sunday beside the girl.

Efforts were made by the police today to develop information given by four points. First, persons who call their new two men carrying a straggle girl into an automobile while they were motor-ing last Sunday night. They at-tempted pursuit, they said, but lost sight of the automobile.

MOTHER OF SANDE, SALEM WOMAN, SEES SON RIDE AND WIN

New York, May 1.—When a lad named Earl Sande ran away from his home in Groton, S. D., several years ago to join a rodeo his mother decided that horses weren't to be trusted.

They had lured her boy out into the world and she hated them for it.

But when Earl became a famous rodeo rider, Mrs. Sande, proud of him, forgave him, but she didn't forgive the horses and when Sande urged her to come east to see him ride she always said no.

Last summer Earl was seriously injured in a fall at Saratoga, and Mrs. Sande was tempted to remark, "well, I just knew it would happen some day."

A week or so ago Earl rode Sarazen to victory at Havre de Grace. It was his first public appearance in the saddle since the accident.

Mrs. Sande grinned a bit and when her son again urged her to make a trip east from her present home in Salem, Or., to see how he did it, she accepted, although she was sure she wouldn't like horse racing.

On Wednesday she sat with her daughter-in-law in the stands at the Jamaica track. Fifteen thousand persons had turned out, for it was the opening day of the Metropolitan season, and Sande had two mounts.

The horse was pocketed and finished far back. But that didn't bother Mrs. Sande. She was glad Earl Buddy didn't stub his toe.

Earl was called into the steward's box and awarded a huge silver loving cup, the gift of his friends. Mrs. Sande was pleased, but still she was far from sure about this racing business.

Then they called the Paumonok, the \$7500 handicap feature of the opening day card. This time Earl was riding Worthmore.

The crowd roared as the field got away and Mrs. Sande lost sight of Earl until the horses swung into the stretch.

"Come on Sande! Come on Sande!" the throng urged. She jumped to her feet, jiggling and shouting too.

Worthmore won. A nose victory.

Mrs. Sande sank back in her chair.

"Wasn't it wonderful," she triumphantly whispered to her daughter-in-law. "And isn't Worthmore a wonderful horse."

NO WARRANT FOR RAID SAY ATTORNEYS

Return of Evidence And Release of Mt. Angel Men Asked in Motion; To Appeal If Necessary

Acting for five defendants under arrest charged with operating or having possession of the still recently seized at Mt. Angel—the largest captured in the west—Attorney Guy O. Smith today filed a motion before Justice of the Peace Small asking for suppression of all the evidence of the case, asking for the return of the property to the defendants and for the release of the defendants.

The five defendants in question are Joseph Walker, owner of the land on which the still was found, John Andrews, Lester Dickson, Henry Johnson and Emil Wilke, all alleged to have been connected with the operation of the still.

The motion is made on the following grounds:

That no search warrant was issued on which to base a search of the premises.

That no warrant for the arrest of the defendants was issued.

That no crime was committed in the presence of the officers to warrant the arrest of the defendants.

In short the declaration in the motion is that the officers acted entirely without authority of law in making the arrest.

Attorney Smith asserts that if the motion filed with the justice of the peace is denied by the justice an appeal will be taken to the circuit court. If the motion is denied there the appeal will go on to the supreme court. By this procedure, in event the highest court in the state denies the motion, several months might elapse before the trial of the five defendants finally comes to issue on its merits.

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Deputy United States District Attorney J. O. Stearns opposed the request stating that two postponements had already been made and that the government was ready to proceed with the trial.

Wilson's attorney, Robert F. Maguire, said he would withdraw from the case inasmuch as Wilson had made the application for further delay directly to the court.

BAPTISTS READ DIVINE HEALING PROPONENTS OUT

Medford, Ore., May 1.—A decision was reached yesterday by the Rogue River Baptist association at its annual meeting in Ashland, which, according to the officers of the association, will end the long conflict between two factions of the Ashland Baptist church in that city, in favor of the minority and against Rev. B. C. Miller, who, with a majority of the congregation, expelled the opponents of divine healing and took possession of the church property.

This decision was the ratification by the association, which is the highest authoritative body of the findings of the council which placed the Miller group outside of the Baptist denomination, and the official withdrawing of the hand of fellowship from Rev. Miller, which automatically deposes him from the Baptist ministry.

The struggle for the property will still continue in the civil courts, but according to spokesmen for the association, unless all precedents are disregarded, this decision will conform with the action of the association.

The split in the church occurred over a year ago when Rev. Miller adopted the divine healing of a Mrs. B. C. McPherson of California and expelled members who refused to concur in this action.

PORTLAND MAN CONFESSES TO BLACKMAILING

Portland, Ore., May 1.—Ernest Elmgren, a tailor, arrested late yesterday as he was about to take a cache supposed to contain \$2,000 confessed today that he had sent threatening letters to J. P. Rasmussen, local paint dealer, Deputy Sheriff Pratt and Christofferson announced.

Elmgren was taken into custody on the Powell Valley road at a spot where Rasmussen had been directed to leave a package containing \$2,000. The package, however, was made up of old papers.

The officers said Elmgren confessed he conceived the plot to extort money from Rasmussen after reading a series of stories in a weekly magazine. He said he was heavily in debt as a result of financial difficulties and failure to succeed in his tailor shop.

He had known Rasmussen and made clothes for him for 15 years, he admitted. Officers said he had also admitted planning to send a threatening letter to another man, John Dalquist.

Elmgren said he never intended to carry out the threats contained in his letter to Rasmussen.

In a letter Rasmussen received he was told that his buildings would be burned and that acid would be poured in his auto unless he complied with the directions to turn over the money.

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