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COUNCIL ORDERS WATER IMPROVEMENTS

CRIMINALS IN THIS COUNTRY ARE ORGANIZED

Noted Detective Tells Jewelers' Convention About System
PROTECTION IS URGED
Underworld Government is Hard to Combat, Declares Speaker

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 11.—(UP)—There are two governments in this country, the government of the law-abiding and that of the underworld, said Herbert S. Mosher, of Pinkerton's National Detective Agency, in an address here today before the annual convention of the American National Retail Jewelers' Association.

Mosher emphasized the thorough organization of criminals, pointing out they spend months planning robberies and making every arrangement in advance, even to the extent of securing counsel and bail in case they are arrested.

Crooks are Smart
"The crooks get the lay of the land, study the protective features, calculate the chances of getting caught, and frequently arrange for the sale of the loot before the job is pulled," Mosher said. "This calls for a business organization and has resulted in the setting up of the so-called government of the underworld."

"This underworld government has its secret codes of communication from one city to another and often arrangements are made in advance for counsel and bail in the event of arrest."

This organization of the underworld can only be coped with by equal cooperation on the part of the public, Mosher said.

"Citizens who shirk jury duty and will not aid the authorities in prosecutions are playing into the hands of crooks," he declared. "It is your duty to give your police and prosecuting authorities all the help you can to have criminals convicted and after conviction you should use your influence to see that the prisoner is not given a parole or pardon."

Protection Necessary
Mosher urged the jewelers to take more adequate measures to protect their establishments pointing out that crooks of today never take unnecessary chances.

WOUNDED ROBBERS ARE BEING SOUGHT AFTER GUN BATTLE

Two Men and Woman Flee to Timber After Garage Holdup Today
McMINNVILLE, Ore., Aug. 11.—(UP)—Two men and a woman who are believed to have robbed a garage at Dallas early today are being sought in the heavy timber near here.

COUNCIL PURCHASES GARBAGE DUMP SITE

Eleven Acres Southwest of City Bought From Archie Miller
The city council by unanimous vote last night decided to purchase 11 acres of land southeast of the city from Archie Miller. The land will be used as a city garbage dump. The land was offered to the city for \$1500 on easy payments. The city attorney was instructed to draw up the necessary legal papers. Council members have inspected the land and declare it to be an ideal site for the purpose.

OLD TIME DANCE IS ENJOYED BY CROWDS

Bellview Community Club Function Brings Sponsors Tidy Sum
Old-time dances were enjoyed by Ashland folks and many from surrounding districts at Lithia Park last night at the benefit dance given for the Bellview Community club. A tidy sum was realized for the fund which will be used in the construction of a club house.

Former Resident Of Ashland Here To Visit Friends

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Andrews, of Corona, Calif., are visiting in Ashland for several days. They are located in the camp grounds. Mr. Andrews first came to Ashland in 1874, and was connected with the Ashland Woolen Mills, and he also was one of the first to organize the Ashland Tidings. There were 400 people located in this city at that time. In 1882, he went to Klamath county, where he worked for the government. While there, he acquired some land, which he sold to C. C. Cunningham, who later became the mayor of Ashland.

HALL MURDER PROBE AGAIN STRIKES SNAG

Witness on Which the State Relied Denies Story Previously Told
OTHER DISCREPANCIES
Several Others Connected With Case Seek to Shield Those Accused

SOMERVILLE, N. J., Aug. 11.—(UP)—Investigators of the Hall Mills murders were again blocked tonight when Mrs. Anna Whitaker, described as a friend of Mrs. Eleanor Mills denied she had any knowledge of jealousy on the part of Mrs. Frances Stevens Hall, charged with the murder. She had previously been quoted by Willard Wiener, a reporter, that Mrs. Eleanor Mills, the choir singer killed when the minister had confided she feared the effect of Mrs. Hall's feeling toward her.

Husband Complains
James Mills, husband of the murdered woman, complained last night that Henry Carpenter, brother of Mrs. Hall, had never been questioned, when those questioned four years ago, are now being examined by state police and state senator Alexander Simpson, the special prosecutor, appointed by Governor Harry Meade to ferret out the facts and present them to the grand jury.

Seek New Leads
The testimony will be compared with that of four years ago for discrepancies and possible new leads which may help in the solution of the baffling mystery.

FIRE APPARATUS IS DECLARED BIG NEED

Voters May be Asked to Authorize Purchase of New Truck
Ashland is in need of new fire equipment, in the belief of Fire Chief Baughman and Councilman Taylor. At the council meeting last night, Mr. Taylor announced that he is seriously thinking of asking the council to place on the ballot a proposal to purchase a combination hose and chemical truck.

Herbert Hoover Will Come West

SEATTLE, Aug. 11.—(UP)—Herbert Hoover, secretary of commerce, will be in Seattle Aug. 21, to deliver the principal address at the annual meeting of the Columbia Basin Irrigation league.

Family of Man Dr. Norris Killed



Here is the family of D. E. Chipps, Fort Worth (Tex.) lumberman who was shot to death by Rev. J. Frank Norris, evangelist, in the study of Dr. Norris' church. The son's name is Elliott.

KLAMATH SAW MILL IN PATH OF BLAZE

De-Armond Property Near Swan Lake Threatened by Forest Fire
KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., Aug. 11.—(UP)—With a fortune in timber and the De Armond saw mill threatened, a crew of 250 men is fighting a forest fire in the hills near Swan Lake, about eight miles west of here.

QUEEN SUZANNA TO REIGN ON AUG. 20

Ruler of Trail to Rail Celebration Will be Crowned at Jubilee
EUGENE, Aug. 11.—The ceremony of Queen Suzanna, ruler of the Trail to Rail celebration, will be held on the campus of the University of Oregon, August 20, and will be in the nature of a memorial service to Henry Villard, pioneer railroad builder and benefactor of the university.

Prison Inmate is Believer in Good References Given

JESSEY CITY, N. J., Aug. 11.—Placed because she had been given detailed instructions for working in the kitchen of the Essex county penitentiary by Mrs. Ferdinand Hosp, the matron, an inmate said: "I hope you do not question my honesty and integrity, if you do I shall furnish references from the matron of every place I have served." The woman had been arrested for larceny.

VISIT LITHIA PARK
While you are a guest in our city, be certain to visit Lithia Park, a playground of many acres, with the main entrance at the Plaza, where Nature's deapest beauties are found along the walks that lead you through the forest bordering on Ashland creek.

PROSECUTION ATTEMPTS TO SHOW MOTIVE

Sensational Evidence Sought to be Given in Gaines Murder Trial
BITTERLY CONTESTED
Defense Blocks Every Effort to Show Any Unnatural Love Affair

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 11.—(UP)—Forced by the defense to battle every inch of the way, the prosecution in the Gaines murder case today sought to introduce testimony to show that Wallace Gaines had an unnatural affection for his daughter, Sylvia, and that this affection was the motive for the killing.

This line of questioning followed a ruling by the court that evidence concerning alleged improper relations could not be introduced unless it is directly connected with a motive for the murder. In spite of this sensational line of evidence which the state is seeking to bring into the case, Gaines continues to maintain his spirit, outwardly at least, and feels confident that the state will be unable to produce any material evidence which might tend to show any unnatural love affair between father and daughter.

WOMAN'S SLAYER IS IDENTIFIED TODAY

Escaped Lunatic in California Thought to be Sought Strangler
SAN BERNARDINO, Cal., Aug. 11.—(UP)—P. H. Brown, an escaped inmate from the Patton insane asylum here, has been partially identified by Santa Barbara authorities as the slayer of Mrs. Olive B. Russell. Mrs. Russell was strangled to death on June 24th of this year. Brown denied he was implicated in the murder of Sylvia Gaines at Seattle as dispatches from there intimated.

Hubby Disliked Wife's Shingle And Raised Cain

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 11.—Angered because his wife had indulged in a "shingle bob," Salvador Uribe, of Tacuba, attempted to shave off her hair and then threatened her with a pistol. She escaped to her mother and sent the police to handle Salvador. Uribe is cooling off, and the wife says she is happy.

Suspected Mail Thieves Caught

NEW YORK CITY, Aug. 11.—(UP)—Harry G. Callahan and Howard J. Portem wanted at Spokane, Wash., on charges of stealing mail from apartment house boxes, were arrested here today as the steamer Manchuria arrived. They will be returned to the Spokane.

LOCAL PEOPLE ARE CHOSEN DIRECTORS AT LAKE O' WOODS

Irving E. Vining and Mrs. Jack Edwards Named by Association
Marion H. Underwood, Klamath Falls druggist, was elected president of the Lake of the Woods Association during a meeting of the 66 permittees Sunday afternoon at the Lake.

Other officers to be elected were Mrs. Harry Ackley, of Klamath Falls, secretary, C. E. Gates, of Medford, Irving E. Vining and Mrs. Jack Edwards, both of Ashland, were named as directors. D. B. Campbell of Klamath Falls is retiring president of the association.

Lake of the Woods Association was formed five years ago when those who were given permits from the forestry service banded together in order to obtain improvements and concessions for the lake. It is necessary for petitions to pass through the association's hands before granted by the forestry service, one of the summer home owners explained yesterday.

AIMEE IS TOO BUSY TO FOLLOW UP CLUE

Evangelist Not Decided if She Will Go to Arizona Again
LOS ANGELES, Aug. 11.—(UP)—Amibe Temple McPherson, evangelist, states that she had not definitely decided whether she would go to Douglas, Ariz., to inspect the newly found cabin in which she claims she was held captive by three kidnapers following her disappearance May 18. "I haven't made any definite decision regarding a trip to Douglas," Mrs. McPherson told the United Press last night. "At the moment I am confronted by my church duties."

FATHER AND CHILD KILLED IN SMASHUP

Advertising Man and Young Daughter Lose Lives in Flames
SAN LUIS OBISPO, Cal., Aug. 11.—(UP)—Nyles Hyatt, Burlingame advertising man, formerly employed on an Oakland newspaper, was burned to death with his young daughter early today in an automobile wreck near Atascadero.

Tom Thumb Home Sold; Was Great Mark Years Ago
MIDDLEBORO, Mass., Aug. 11.—The house which Tom Thumb—America's greatest midget—built half a century ago to serve as a memorial to himself after his death, is to be sold. The mansion, built in the heyday of the dwarf's spectacular career, is of English architecture, modeled after the home of an actress whom he met during one of his tours of Great Britain. It contains eleven rooms, combining midget features with those of ordinary proportions. Half hidden by trees and set far back from the street, it is one of the show places of the town.

VOTERS WILL BE ASKED TO GIVE ANSWER

Four Projects to Give City Adequate Supply Approved by Council
ACTION IS UNANIMOUS
Storage Dam, New Reservoir, More Irrigation Water Are Suggested

Ashland was assured of an adequate water supply for many years to come when the city council, by unanimous vote last night, approved of four separate water improvement projects which it will submit to the voters at the general election in November.

Here are the four projects on which the people will be asked to make a final decision: Construction of a storage dam in Ashland creek canyon which is expected to double the present output of city water.

New Reservoir
Construction of an auxiliary reservoir on Crowson hill, which would equalize the present pressure and would likewise provide additional fire protection.

Extension, replacement and enlarging of present distribution system in order to take care of the increased supply and provide the city with adequate mains for the future.

Purchase of 400 additional feet of water from the Talent Irrigation district.

Meters Undecided
These four proposals, together with a fifth, were submitted to the council by Councilman Taylor. The one proposal on which members of the council were not agreed was the installation of water meters throughout the city. This is a question which will come up for further consideration at a later meeting.

The cost of these various projects and other engineering features will be worked out by the engineering staff as speedily as possible in order that every phase of the projected water improvement plans can be laid before the voters several weeks prior to the November election. These engineering reports will be given by the engineer selected by City Manager Malone to make a water survey as well as City Engineer Walker.

Estimated Cost
Members of the council last night appeared to favor a site near the Winburn log cabin for the storage dam, although this, of course, will be left to the report of the engineers. The auxiliary reservoir on Crowson hill would cost between \$30,000 and \$40,000, in the opinion of City Engineer Walker. The purchase, in perpetuity, of 400 additional feet of water from the Talent irrigation district would cost \$40,000, while no estimate was made of the cost of improving and extending the distribution system. These figures, as well as the cost of constructing the storage dam, will be submitted later by the engineers.

The council agreed to make a personal inspection of Ashland Creek canyon a week from next Thursday and will devote the entire day to the work, in company

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