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LOST BOY LOCATED IN MT. HOOD WILDS

DEFENSE HAS TESTIMONY TO HURT STERNS

Witnesses for Gaines Attack State's Principal Witness
TRIAL HEARING END
 Seattle Murder Case Expected to Reach Jury Late This Week
 SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 16.—(UP)—An attempt to discredit the testimony of Louis Sterns, erstwhile friend of Wallace Gaines, featured the sensational Gaines murder trial here today.
 John E. Mullane, a county official, as a witness for the defense testified that Sterns told him "something told me Bob did it." His testimony was given in an effort to show that Sterns is irresponsible and thereby seek to nullify the "alleged confession" which Sterns testified had been made to him by Gaines.
 Discredit Sterns
 Two county employes, C. H. Cook and Morgan Denton, testified that Sterns told them he did not believe Gaines murdered his pretty daughter, Sylvia.
 The defense sought to have the trial delayed until tomorrow because of a surprise witness produced by the prosecution last Friday, but the court ordered them to get under way this morning. It is expected that the defense will complete its case Wednesday evening, and that it can get to the jury, following the arguments, by the latter part of the week.

PEACE OFFICERS TO HOLD BIG SESSION

Klamath Falls Will Be the Scene of Gathering of Cops Tonight
 Mayor Johnson, Chief of Police McNabb and Officer Charley Clause will go to Klamath Falls this evening for another meeting of the newly formed association of Southern Oregon Law Enforcement Officers.
 The last meeting was held at Wolf Creek Tavern two months ago and drew peace officers from all points of Southern Oregon. Indications are that more than 50 will be present for the Klamath Falls meeting tonight, which will feature a banquet at the White Pelican hotel.

Local Masons Go To Dedication of New Corner Stone

The several Masonic bodies of Ashland were represented at the ceremonies incident to the laying of the cornerstone of a new Masonic Temple at Yreka, Calif., Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Members of the fraternity from many parts of California were present and the Grand Lodge, A. F. and A. M., of California, was convened in special session for the occasion, Acting Grand Master G. A. Hutag of Dunsmuir presiding. The new structure is to be a commodious two story structure of concrete, 75x150, and is to cost about \$60,000. Those who attended and enjoyed the hospitality of the Yreka folks from Ashland were: D. H. Jackson, W. H. Day, C. C. Welschenberger, W. D. Barnes, A. E. Willett, S. Penniston, H. C. Stock, F. D. Wagner and J. C. Hopper.

THE WEATHER
 Oregon—Cloudy tonight and Tuesday, except fair in southern Oregon. Probably showers on coast. Gentle winds.

ANDREWS AGREES TO STAY AS DRY CHIEF BECAUSE OF RECORD

Declares Enforcement Is In Better Shape Than A Year Ago
 NEW YORK, August 16.—(United News.)—General Lincoln C. Andrews, who directs prohibition enforcement, is so certain his recently completed anti-smuggling agreement with Great Britain will plug the main inlet of imported liquor, that he has determined to stick with his job.
 This was the message of sorrow for drinking Americans he delivered when he landed in New York from Europe.
 General Andrews wouldn't quit, he said, because he considered enforcement "damn well under way."
 "I said last winter I would quit in a year if I failed to make such progress as would be universally recognized. You can say for me that promise is good today. But you can add that no thought of resignation obtains in mind."
 The General said the "unsigned treaty," if it were as effective as he hoped, would completely block liquor importations. This was but one-tenth of the American supply, he added. "It is the most important one-tenth because this genuine booze is the bootleggers' wares. Every time a ship load of liquor from Europe lands on the Eastern coast of the United States with 100 cases of bonded whiskey, a dozen bootleggers from Maine to Washington prepare to sell it," said Andrews.

PLOT AGAINST MEXICANS IS INVESTIGATED

American Merchants Are Arrested at San Diego For Smuggling
REVOLUTION PLANNED
 One Hundred Fifty Men Held As Border Probe Gets Under Way
 SAN DIEGO, Cal., Aug. 16.—(UP)—Arrest of four more men was reported today as federal authorities launched an investigation into the alleged widespread revolutionary plot against Mexico, following the seizure yesterday of nearly 150 men near Dulzura, 3 miles from the Mexican border.
 The plot was uncovered as the result of tracing a shipment of arms to Wilmington, Calif. Earle C. Parker, a San Diego hardware dealer, ordered the arms. He and general Enrique Estrada, former Mexican secretary of war, and J. T. Dagman of Culver City, were arrested as the plot leaders.
 Mexican officials are arriving here this afternoon to assist federal authorities in running down the various angles of the reputed plot. Other arrests are expected before nightfall, officials indicated.

ARIZONA MOTORIST HAS ACCIDENT HERE

Fred Mickle Bumps Into Another Auto On A One-Way Traffic Street
 Fred Mickle's entry into Oregon today wasn't at all auspicious. Traveling by auto from his home in Williams, Arizona, to visit his brother, J. D. Mickle, state dairy and food commissioner, he stopped in Ashland this morning to register.
 While attempting to find the chamber of commerce, he was driving his car on the post office side of the plaza, traveling north when he bumped into a car of a local motorist whose name the police did not learn.
 Mr. Mickle did not know it was a one-way traffic street because no sign apprised him of that fact, and anyway, he was busy trying to locate the chamber of commerce offices.
 Rather than go to court over his rights as an autoist, Mr. Mickle paid the motorist \$20 for damages to his fender, registered his car and headed north for Salem and Portland.

Eccentric Woman Disrobes and Is Held By Officer

WASHINGTON, Aug. 15.—Mrs. Alma Porter has gone to jail again after an unsuccessful attempt to disrobe on the street before a crowd of 300. Mrs. Porter was fined \$50 last week for appearing nude on a busy corner and making a speech. This time the charge against her is more serious, for she bit the arresting officer on the leg, he says.

Rudy Valentino In Serious Shape

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—(UP)—Rudolph Valentino, screen star, remained in a critical condition in a New York hospital today following an operation last night for gastric ulcer and appendicitis. His condition this noon was reported unchanged.

Iron Worker Inherits \$5,000,000



Last week John Cooper, his wife and their four children lived in a flat over a store in Kenakee, Ill., where Cooper worked as an iron worker. But this week he is worth \$5,000,000. Cooper's grandmother, a wealthy Virginia landowner, died and left him that amount. The Coopers are shown above; below is the flat which they will soon leave for a thirty-room mansion in the Shenandoah valley.

STEIWER IS CHARGED WITH VIOLATING ELECTION LAWS IN COMPLAINT FILED TODAY

SALEM, Ore., Aug. 16.—(UP)—A complaint signed by W. S. U'Ren of Portland charging Frederick Steiwer, republican candidate for United States senator, with a violation of the corrupt practice act, was filed with Secretary of State Koser here today.
 The complaint deals with the alleged failure of Steiwer to account for funds contributed by the republican campaign committee, and for money said to have been contributed by Steiwer for the printing and distribution of the so-called "yellow ticket" which contained the names of candidates for the purpose of injuring them.
 A full investigation is asked.

BERT R GREER IS STEADILY SINKING

Owner of Ashland Tidings Growing Weaker Says Message Today
 Bert R. Greer, publisher of the Tidings, is slowly sinking, and his death is but a matter of a few days, it is indicated in word received today from Mrs. Greer, who is with her husband at St. John's hospital, Oxnard, Calif. Mr. Greer has shown no indications of improvement and all hope for his recovery has been abandoned, stated the letter from Mrs. Greer.

Fugitive Boy Is Located In Tree

PORT HURON, Mich., Aug. 16.—Harry Olson, 20, a patrol breaker from the state reformatory, was found living in a small "nest" in the top of a large tree. He had built the nest of old lumber. Harry betrayed himself by playing on a mouth organ.

ANOTHER SUSPECTED TRAIN BANDIT HELD

Man Answering Description of Hugh De'Autremont Arrested
 SACRAMENTO, Cal., Aug. 26.—(UP)—Suspected of being Hugh De'Autremont, one of the Ashland, Oregon, train robbers, a man giving the name of John Farnlund is being held here by police today. The prisoner is said to answer the description of De'Autremont, but denies the identity and disclaims any knowledge of the train robbery and murder.

Aviator Evades Process Server

ST JOSEPH, Mo., Aug. 16.—Seeing the constable coming after him to serve an attachment, Benjamin F. Billings, owner of an airplane, took to the air and was soon out of sight.

GRANTS PASS AGAIN BEATS ASHLAND TEAM

Local Players Obtain Only Three Hits Off Michaels In Fast Game
SEASON NEARLY OVER
 Locals Must Win Next Two Games to Keep Out of Last Position
 SOUTHERN OREGON LEAGUE

Team	W.	L.	P.C.
Grants Pass	7	6	.548
Medford	7	6	.548
Ashland	6	7	.462
Klamath Falls	6	7	.462

Ashland's inability to solve the sorted hooks of Pitcher Michaels yesterday brought the fourth straight defeat for the local club when Grants Pass romped away with the game, 6 to 1, at Grants Pass.
 Michaels was in rare form and let the local batmen down with three hits, two of them being made by Pillette and the other by Duke Marlow. Peterson cracked out a sizzling grounder to the second baseman in the seventh inning which brought Pillette across with the lone score for the locals. The official scorer gave the Grants Pass second baseman an error, although many scorers would have given Peterson a two base hit.
 Emory Davis and his spitball started the offensive work for the locals, and he was breezing along in good style until the fourth frame, when four hits and a base on balls accounted for a quartet of Grants Pass runs. The Caymen also scored one in the second when E. Blevins cracked out a two bagger. He was sacrificed to third and scored on a wild pitch by Davis.
 Davis had been out for two nights fighting fire and he tired quickly. Mohler went on the firing line at the start of the fifth. He walked Chaney who went to second on a felder's error, took third on an infield error and scored when Pernoll smashed out his only hit of the game.
 From the fifth inning on Mohler had the Grants Pass batters at his mercy. He whiffed three batters in the eighth after Bates had cracked out a three-base hit. Ashland's lone score came in the seventh inning when Pillette reached first base on an error by Left Fielder Blevins. He stole second and scored when Peterson knocked his wicked grounder through second which the official scorer chalked up as an error for Miller.
 The locals had a chance to stage another ninth-inning rally when three men perched on bases with nobody out. Pillette cracked out his second hit of the game. Logan was safe on an error by the shortstop and Phil O'Brien walked. Peterson hit to second base, who forced Pillette out at home. Curran struck out and Hughes filed out to Noonan, thus ending the rally and giving Grants Pass the game.
 Medford defeated Klamath Falls yesterday, thus putting Grants Pass and Medford into a (Continued On Page Two)

FIRE NOW RAGING ALONG STATE LINE

Town of Hilt Threatened By Flames, Says Report Here at Noon
 According to telephone reports received here this morning, a disastrous forest fire is now raging south of the state line and had reached the outskirts of Hilt just before noon. Although scores of fire fighters have been rushed to the scene of the blaze, some fear was felt that the blaze might extend into Hilt and wipe out this picturesque little lumber town.

SAILOR ON FREIGHT VESSEL IS STABBED

Another Tragedy on High Seas Revealed When Ship Docks
 SEATTLE, Aug. 16.—Murder has again been perpetrated on the high seas. Francisco Paredes, one of the hands on the shipping board freighter Wheatland Montana, was fatally stabbed July 19, when the vessel was in the open sea road off Taku bar, north China. It was revealed here yesterday. A complaint charging Elick Thompson, boatswain, with the slaying was filed here with United States Commissioner H. S. Elliott by a department of justice agent.

Fruit Exhibit at Hotel Attracting Widespread Notice

A display of fruit from the orchard of G. M. Frost is attracting considerable attention from tourists and others at the Lithia Springs hotel today. A display table has been fitted up in the center of the hotel lobby, and fruit is tastily arranged for the inspection of all guests and visitors at the hotel.
 The peaches form the main portion of the exhibit, although the apples, pears and grapes make an effective background for the peaches.
 Hospital: A place in which you leave a part of your body and nearly all of your money.

LOCAL BALL CLUB EXTENDS REAL AID TO KLAMATH PLAYER

Ashland Players Donate \$10 to Benefit Fund For Injured Man
 There is still some sentiment displayed in bush league baseball. Exemplification of this fact has just been given by Manager John Enders and directors of the Ashland baseball club.
 A week ago yesterday Walter Fuller, Klamath Falls shortstop, broke his shoulder blade in practice just before the afternoon game.
 Fuller is a married man with several little children. The broken shoulder not only kept him out of the game but kept him out of work. There was no silver lining to the clouds which hovered about him.
 Klamath Falls fans decided on a benefit dance for their popular infielder. The dance will be given this Friday night.
 Ashland folks don't intend to go to the dance, but the local ball club sent over \$10 to help swell the fund for the unfortunate player. It is this sort of spirit which is making the newly organized Southern Oregon Baseball League a real success.

JACK STRONG FOUND ALIVE SUNDAY NIGHT

Seven-Year Old Child, Lost Since Thursday Noon Is Real Hero
WAS NEVER WORRIED
 Had Lived on Raw Fish and Berries for Four Days and Nights
 CLEAR LAKE RANGER STATION, Mt. Hood, Aug. 16 (U.P.)—Jackie Strong, seven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Strong of Gresham, was rescued last night on the southwestern slope of Mt. Hood after being lost since early Thursday afternoon.
 The little boy had lived on wild berries and raw fish since he wandered away from his two older brothers while on a fishing trip in Paradise Park. He was in good physical condition when rescuers reached him last night, although he was tired and foot sore from his harrowing experience.
 Youth Unafraid
 The youth insisted that he could have rescued himself even if the posse had not rescued him. He felt that fears as to his safety reflected on his ability as a woodsman, and could not understand the statewide concern which had been felt.
 Jackie was near the divide not far from the snow line when searchers reached him early last night. He had climbed to a high point of the mountain in order to get his bearings.
 Dramatic Episode
 The search for the Strong boy has been one of the most dramatic episodes of its kind in Oregon for many years. After the boy had become lost early Thursday afternoon, hundreds of eager searchers, including soldiers from Vancouver Barracks, and experienced mountaineers from Portland and other points, had been searching the woods day and night for some trace of the lad. His footprints were located Saturday, showing that he was still able to walk, although the prints indicated he was fast tiring.
 His two older brothers had aided in the search for three days, not stopping for sleep during the anxious moments.
 The lad's ability to catch fish and eat them raw and to forage on wild berries without giving up his courage is pronounced one of the most remarkable exhibits of juvenile fortitude in the history of the west.

BIRD EATING SPIDER IS FOUND IN BRARY

CHICAGO, Aug. 16.—A spider so large that it catches and eats birds has been found in Brazil by the Marshall Field expedition, according to word received at Field Museum here.

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 loveliest beauties are found along the walks that lead you through the forest bordering on Ashland creek.