

PORTLAND MUSICIAN KILLED, KNOWN HERE

Frank Bowker, aged 49, a Portland musician, brother of Albert Bowker, formerly of this city, met death some time on Sunday night last at the hands of Russell Hecker, aged 24, who, after a three hours session with his father in the jail at Portland confessed to the killing. He had steadily refused to make any statement to the police, upon the advice of his attorney, but the father finally got the confession out of him, and ordered to lead the police to the point near Albany where the young man stated he had thrown the body into the muddy waters of the Calapoia river, after placing it in a hop sack and weighting it with rocks.

Bowker disappeared Sunday night after he and young Hecker started in an automobile to get liquor which Hecker was to sell to Bowker, who was reported to have \$1400 on his person. Albert Bowker informed the police of the disappearance of his brother on Monday, when the latter failed to return, and Hecker was soon after taken into custody, the automobile he borrowed having shown numerous splashes of human blood according to latest reports the body had not yet been recovered from the river, but grapplers were at work. Robbery may have been the motive for the killing, and this will be revealed upon the recovery of the body.

Frank Bowker was quite well known in Heppner, visiting here as a musician quite frequently, and often appearing in the city in this capacity while his brother resided here. He has a family residing in Portland, and the mother of the boys also resides there.

High School to Help Near East

Every high school in Morrow county is lined up to save one child in Near East, agreeing to raise \$60 at least for the care of one child for a year, states J. J. Handsaker, of the Portland office.

Ellis Irwin, president of Heppner high school student body, arranged and put over a "smokeless" smoker, and a nice sum was realized from this, and the high school students have since made up the balance and a little more on their pledge by voluntary contributions.

The 8th grade has been lined up by Vawter Parker, president, and they now have their money in hand, while the youngsters in the other grades have not fallen behind, and their money is also ready, this, also coming through in voluntary offerings by the children.

Herman Hill, president of Lexington student body plans a great community dinner, at which time they expect not only to raise their \$60, but to collect a large supply of used clothing.

Although numbering but 46 pupils, lone high school, Vera Engelman, student body president announces that they expect to raise their \$60 in two weeks from the date of pledge by direct contributions. At both Lexington and lone the grade children are also busy in raising funds for the aid of the Near East children.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL NEWS

L. W. Briggs received the sad intelligence the first of the week that his sister, Mrs. Ellen Lounsberry had died on Sunday, April 16, at her home in Sawtelle, Calif., just one month after the passing of her husband, Wm. Lounsberry. She was 76 years old. Mrs. Lounsberry, with her husband, was formerly a resident of Morrow county and had a home on Hinton creek.

Gilbert Cummings, who works for a firm of stockbrokers in San Francisco.

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cisco, arrived at Heppner on Tuesday evening to look after business in connection with the estate of his father, the late Harry Cummings. Gilbert is a telegraph operator by profession and has the reputation of being one of the fastest operators in the entire country. He is now holding a good position in San Francisco.

Pastor E. L. Moore of the Federated church announces the regular services for Sunday, April 23. Sunday school at 9:45, with classes for everybody; preaching at 11:00; Junior Endeavor at 5:00; Senior Endeavor at 6:30 and preaching again at 7:30.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean T. Goodman spent a few days in Portland the past week, where on Wednesday they celebrated the 75th birthday of Mr. Goodman's father, and also enjoyed a reunion of the Goodman family.

LAUNDRYING: All kinds of curtains and draperies, at reasonable prices. Fifth house north of Federated church. Mrs. J. W. Luntsford, 2p.

FOR SALE—A Deering 2-man combine, practically new—has cut but 260 acres. Call on B. F. Doherty at Sand Hollow ranch. 1f.

I have for sale cheap, 6 young work horses—broke this spring. For further information see S. L. Stephens, Lexington, Oregon. 2t.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Beymer were visitors in Pendleton on Friday and Saturday.

May Breakfast and Bazaar.

The Christian Endeavor society of the Christian church are planning to hold a May Breakfast on May 5, followed by a bazaar and baby show on May 6. Funds for their pledge to new church.

Walter Bartholomew Dies.

Walter I. Bartholomew, son of Mrs. Mary Bartholomew of this city, died at the Portland Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat hospital in Portland on Wednesday, April 12th, following a short illness of pneumonia. Funeral services were held in Portland and the body was then shipped to this city, where at 10 a. m. Sunday morning, at the residence of his mother, services were held, followed by interment in the Masonic cemetery.

Rev. W. O. Livingstone conducted the services and the funeral was largely attended by relatives and friends of the deceased.

Walter Ives Bartholomew was born in Elmwood, Ills., September 29, 1874, the third son of A. G. and Mary A. Bartholomew, and was aged 47 years, 6 months and 16 days at the time of his death, April 12, 1922. Many years of his life were spent in the stock business in Morrow and Umatilla counties, and he had but recently been appointed to a place in the office of the collector of customs at Portland. He leaves a wife, Mrs. Minnie Bartholomew, besides his aged mother, Mary A. Bartholomew of this city, and the following brothers and sisters: H. E. of Stanfield; E. E. of White Salmon; Estada; Chas. H. of Echo; Fred C. of Washaga; Mrs. E. E. Saling and Mrs. C. C. Saling, of Estacada, Oregon.

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PLATFORM OF GEO. A. WHITE IS FILED

George A. White, who has decided to become a candidate for the republican nomination for Governor, presents the following platform:

1.—Immediate deflation of state expenditures by cutting at least one million dollars from the present cost at the next session of the legislature. This is vital as the first step in forcing a downward trend upon all tax levying bodies in order to bring relief from unnecessary tax burdens.

2.—Immediate consolidation of all existing commissions, boards and scattered functions of government, including the Public Service Commission, into not to exceed ten departments all directly accountable to the governor who in turn is directly responsible to the people for their conduct. This centralization of administrative responsibility is necessary in the setting up of a simple, economical and responsible method of handling the State's business.

3.—Immediate, definite, equitable and certain plan for retiring the State's present overwhelming bonded indebtedness. Oppose submitting any further proposals for bond issues or appropriations at special elections.

4.—Immediate insistence upon a show-down on the Japanese issue in Oregon. A white man cannot compete with a Japanese coolie and we have got to halt this insidious invasion of our lands and industries without further delay.

5.—My mission as governor will be to stimulate progress in Oregon and promote the good name of popular government in our state.

To this end my earnest support will be given to the relief of our agricultural interests which must find encouragement through co-operative marketing and market roads, and to the development of our industries and natural resources upon which the State's material welfare depend. My earnest support will likewise be given to the cause of public education upon which the State's moral and social welfare depend.

In omitting from my platform a mass of incidental and supplementary issues, I am willing that my stand and stability on all matters affecting the moral, social and industrial welfare of our state and country shall be measured by my record as a citizen.

GEORGE A. WHITE.

B. F. Doherty was in from his Sand Hollow ranch today. He states that while the weather conditions were not the best during his lambing season yet he was able to save a very fine percentage of lambs and has no complaint to make. Grass was pretty good on the hills, and his sheep are now faring well. Lamb-

ing is about all completed down his way.

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Thurston Grim Dies at Irriagon

Thurston Grim, pioneer of Oregon and one of the first settlers in Irriagon, passed away at his home on the Riverview boulevard, Saturday April 8th after a long period of suffering from leakage of the heart. The funeral services were held at the house Monday at 12:30 p. m., conducted by Rev. B. F. Harper, of Milton, Oregon, and the church choir. Mr. Harper is a friend of Mr. and Mrs. Grim and has called upon them whenever time would permit on his many visits to Irriagon. The interment was made in the Irriagon cemetery. The school was closed at noon and entire community turned out to the services. Several large sprays of pink and white carnations contributed by the community made up a very beautiful display. He was well liked by every-

one. He is survived by a wife and three sons, Clyde, Hugh and Chauncey of Irriagon and four brothers and two sisters, Byron J. Grim and Ralph C. Grim of Hubbard, Oregon and Edgar Grim of Nome, Alaska; Mrs. Alice Weaver of Hubbard and Martha Schuur of Band, Oregon.

Mr. Grim first bought six acres south of the town in 1903 and set it out to orchard, living in town, but moved back to his boyhood community near Aurora, Oregon. However, like many others who have lived in Irriagon once, returned in 1917 and purchased the twenty acres where they have since resided. He spent most of his life in Oregon, being born near Aurora, growing up to manhood there and married Miss Ella Jones in September, 1873. He farmed near Palouse, Wash., for a few years and spent the seasons of 1898 and 1899 in Alaska, but each time Oregon called him back.

Attention All Oddfellows

The official visit of the Grand Marshal, M. F. Watts, will be:

Ione, Monday, April 24.
Hardman, Tuesday, April 25.
Heppner, Wednesday, April 26.

A. M. PHELPS, Secretary,
Willow Lodge No. 66.

To All Oddfellows and Rebekahs:

You are requested to be present at our anniversary celebration at Heppner, April 26th, with a full basket for the feed which will be served in our dining room at 6:30. The principal foundation of the feed will be chicken pie with trimmings. Be sure to come and bring a full basket.

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