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A Sentimental Public.

Twelve men recently decided the fate of Winnie Ruth Judd, confessed 28-year-old slayer of her friends...

The grotesque crime known as the "trunk murder" has been kept before the public for months during the many hearings of the condemned woman...

Even though Mrs. Judd has escaped the gallows for the present the shadow is still hanging over her. Should she be pronounced sane at any time she must answer for the crime with her life...

The American public is becoming more sentimental about capital punishment as shown in the efforts made to stay the execution of this condemned woman.

Proposed Sales Tax.

There have been a great many inquiries about the contents of the proposed sales tax bill which will be referred to the people of the State of Oregon July 21, 1933.

OREGON LAWS, 1933.

CHAPTER 400 AN ACT

(Continued from last week.)

(b) Any person receiving gross income from more than one kind of business, as classified in this section, shall pay the tax measured by the gross income from each such business at the rates specified...

(c) If any taxpayer shall ship or transport his products or any part of his products out of the state without making prior sale thereof, the value of such products so shipped or transported shall be the basis for determining the tax hereby imposed.

(d) In the case of public service companies operating both within and without this state, the gross income shall be deemed to include all receipts from business beginning and ending within this state and a reasonable proportion of the receipts from all business passing through, into or out of this state.

ion selling tangible personal property or service under regular or governmental ratemaking authority, or any municipally owned utility, may add the tax hereby imposed to the charges otherwise fixed for such property or service.

(e) In the case of gross income received from the sale of building materials to contractors or builders for resale in the form of real estate, the tax shall be measured at the rate of 2 per cent.

Section 3. From and after the effective date of this act any person engaging or continuing in any business for which a privilege tax is imposed by this act, shall be deemed to have applied for and to have duly obtained from the state of Oregon a license to engage in and to conduct such business upon the condition that he shall pay the tax accruing to the state of Oregon under the provisions of this act...

Section 4. The following shall be exempt from the provisions of this act: (a) The amount of any retail sales of motor vehicle fuels upon which a sales tax has heretofore been imposed by this state.

(b) Insurance premiums and considerations for annuity contracts.

(c) Employees rendering personal service for which compensation is received in the form of ordinary salaries or wages shall be exempt from the provisions of this act to the extent of such activity.

(d) Gross sales to the extent of \$50 a month.

(e) Farm products and livestock when sold by growers or producers to dealers for resale.

(f) Any gross income which may not be lawfully taxed by this act.

(g) Gross income from sales to the United States government or to the state of Oregon, their departments or institutions, or to any county, municipality, district or other governmental subdivision of this state.

Section 5. Every taxpayer shall, on or before the tenth day of each month, make under oath a return for the preceding month, in the manner and form prescribed by the tax commission, and transmit the same together with a remittance for the amount of tax due, to the tax commission; provided, however, that the tax commission may, in its discretion, by formal order or regulation made for the purpose of facilitating the administration of the act, prescribe that any class or group of taxpayers shall make quarterly, semi-annual or annual returns and remittances.

Section 6. Any taxpayer may report cash and credit sales separately and exclude the credit sales from the measure of the tax until payment on such credit sales is received. When such credit sales are so excluded, the taxpayer shall thereat include in each monthly report all collections made during the month next preceding on such credit sales and pay the taxes due thereon at the time of filing such report.

Section 7. The tax commission, for good cause shown, may extend the time for filing any return required under this act, on application of a taxpayer, at such extension of time shall not exceed 30 days.

When the time for filing any return is extended at the request of the taxpayer, interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum, from the time it was originally required to be filed to the time of payment, shall be added and paid.

Section 8. (a) As soon as practical after the return is filed the tax commission shall examine it and compute the tax. If the amount paid exceeds the amount which should have been paid the excess shall be refunded by the tax commission.

(b) If the amount found to be due exceeds the amount paid, the deficiency together with interest thereon at the rate of one-half of 1 per cent per month or fraction of a month, from the time the tax was due, shall be paid within 10 days after notice and demand by the tax commission. If not so paid a penalty of 5 per cent shall be added.

(c) If any part of the deficiency is due to negligence on the part of the taxpayer, but without intent to defraud, there shall be added 5 per cent thereof and interest at the rate of 1 per cent per month, or fraction of a month, on the amount of such deficiency from the time the tax was due until paid.

(d) If any part of the deficiency is due to fraud with intent to evade the tax, there shall be added 100 per cent thereof and interest at the rate of 1 per cent per month, or fraction of a month, on the amount of such deficiency from the time the tax was due until paid.

was due until paid. (4) If any part of the deficiency is due to fraud with intent to evade the tax, there shall be added 100 per cent of the total amount of the deficiency and, in addition, interest at the rate of 1 per cent per month, or fraction of a month, from the date the tax was due until paid.

(e) All payments received shall be credited first to penalty and interest accrued and then to tax due. (Continued next week.)

CHURCH NOTES

COMMUNITY PRESBYTERIAN W. O. Miller, Pastor. Umatilla, Oregon Sunday, April 30, 1933. Junior Endeavor at 9:15 A. M. Sunday school 10:00 A. M. Divine Worship, 11:00 A. M. Subject—The "Divine Attraction," with a vocal solo by Miss Pope. "My Soul Be On Thy Guard." Christian Endeavor, 7:30 P. M.

COMMUNITY PRESBYTERIAN W. O. Miller, Pastor. Boardman, Oregon. Sunday, April 30, 1933. The Sunday school is increasing in numbers and interest. Let us all loost for Christian education in the Sunday school. Preaching service at 1:00 P. M. Come, let us worship together.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES "Probation After Death" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, April 23. Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible: "Be thou faithful unto death, and I will give thee a crown of life. . . . He that overcometh shall not be hurt of the second death." (Rev. 2:10, 11).

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following correlative passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "The sinless joy, — the perfect harmony and immortality of Life, possessing unlimited divine beauty and goodness without a single bodily pleasure or pain, — constitutes the only veritable, indestructible man, whose being is spiritual. This state of existence is scientific and intact, — a perfection discernible only by those who have the final understanding of Christ in divine science. Death can never hasten the state of existence, for death must be overcome, not submitted to, before immortality appears" (p. 75).

STANFIELD NEWS By Mrs. Jess Richards Mrs. F. S. Green, Mrs. L. F. Wooster, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Richards attended the Pomona Grange meeting at Adams Thursday. They report a large and enthusiastic attendance in spite of the fact that wheat ranchers are exceptionally busy trying to get plowing done while there is still sufficient moisture.

Miss Elaine Green visited home folks for several days last week while convalescing from an appendicitis operation.

Harle Fraxier, who was employed at the Coe dairy ranch, was seriously injured Thursday night when his motorcycle crashed into a truck. He was taken to St. Anthony's hospital in Pendleton.

Miss Faye Green, who is a student nurse at a Pasco hospital, has been at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Green for the past two weeks.

Miss Alice Longhary returned to Portland Friday following a week's vacation with home folks.

Mrs. Mary K. Edmundson of Athens was in Stanfield Tuesday supervising the distribution of R. C. funds. Mrs. Edmundson was looking for young men with dependents who are eligible to enter the reforestation service. Unmarried men between the ages of 18-25 may qualify.

Mrs. Cora Olday entertained at dinner Thursday evening complimenting her son Frederick, Junior before his departure for Portland. Guests included LaVonne Walk, Billie Hedrick, Paul Baker, John Gibson and Carl Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McCormack had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. E. Pearson and two daughters of LaGrande. Mrs. Pearson will be remembered as Miss Adeline McCormack.

A very interesting meeting of the study club was held Thursday with Miss Lena Wald as hostess at her home. Mrs. F. A. Baker presided during the business meeting when plans were made for the annual guest day meeting to be held May 4. Continuing the study of Oregon writers, Mrs. Cora Olday gave a talk on Theodore Harper, which was exceptionally well received. Mrs. Olday named "Mushroom Boy" and "Singing Feathers" by Harper as outstanding children's books. She also read selections from "Siberian Gold" and "Kabrisk the Outlaw."

Mrs. G. E. Creathouse and Mrs. M. C. Barager were charming hostesses at the home of the latter Wednesday afternoon with the Pollyanna club members as the guests. The affair was in honor of Miss Lydia Lisk who is a house guest at the Barager home. The hostesses, assisted by Mrs. W. G. Wallace, threw enlarged kid pictures of the club members on a screen. This

novel form of entertainment caused much merriment. Mrs. Adolph Heyden and Mrs. Martin Refson were elected to membership in the club. Several local poultry growers have pooled an order for Leghorn chicks which will arrive May 1st. They include Roy Penney, L. F. Wooster, Adolph Heyden, and Pat Quinn.

Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Fuscolto visited at the Nudo home Monday while enroute from Portland to Walla Walla.

Rev. J. F. Gibson officiated at the funeral services for Ruth Rhea in Echo Monday.

School News. A class of nine students will be graduated from high school in May. The senior group includes Clara Johnson, Margaret Johnson, Irene Ferris, June Able, Ina Sturdivant, Earl Rhea, Walter Lewis, Edward Sopack and Clifford Hills. Those having the highest average over the period of four years will represent the class at the commencement exercises. Clara Johnson, valedictorian, has chosen "Present Day Problems in Democracy," for her subject; Margaret Johnson, salutatorian, "Modern Trends of Social Legislation"; and Walter Lewis "Modern Trends in American Society."

The baseball game Monday between Hermiston high and Stanfield high resulted in a victory for the local boys, the final score being 18-5.

The Stanfield high tennis girls' team lost to Hermiston Tuesday in both singles and doubles. On Thursday Ina Sturdivant, Lafoda Nudo, and Billie Hedrick won tennis games played with Echo high.

The local schools will observe parents day May 5th. A program will be given in the evening and exhibits will be shown.

At a recent meeting of the school board all teachers were re-elected. Supt. W. W. Kelly has accepted the high school principalship at Pilot Rock for the coming school year, while Supt. Johnson of Weston will take his place here. Miss Sue Shephard has also resigned and Vernon Waterman of Hermiston has been elected in her stead. Miss Odessa Hoskins has been elected to fill the vacancy left by the resignation of Miss Helen Fredericksen, who accepted a position in the grade school at Umatilla.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gerking are now living on the H. Moore farm on Butter Creek.

Charles and Donald McKenzie spent Sunday with Frank Rodda. Word received from Mrs. Jessie M. Hesser tells us that she has been re-elected as principal of the Springwater school near Estacada. Her school will be out the third week in May, and she then is planning a visit with relatives in Kansas and may later visit her son, Lieutenant Frederic W. Hesser, who is stationed at Boston.

Mary Josephine McDavid, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward McDavid and Thomas McCarton were married at the Catholic church Wednesday morning by Rev. Father O'Conner. They will make their home on Wylie Pearson's farm which Mr. McCarton recently purchased.

Wednesday evening a large party of friends from the Alpine-Lexington section gave a house warming for Mr. and Mrs. McCarton in their new home. The people of the Minnehaha district wish them happiness.

Miss Freda Hammel took the pupils of her room, the seventh and eighth grades, to Pendleton Thursday to visit the Woolen Mills, the State Hospital and to attend a court trial.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Robison visited at the C. H. Bartholomew home from Sunday evening until Tuesday. Miss Neva Neill who is helping at the Dee Neill home spent Sunday at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Healy and daughters Helen and Roberta visited relatives in Heppner Saturday and Sunday.

Ray Applegate and family who have been staying in the house on Charlie Bartholomew's ranch are leaving this week for the Wallowa country.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Michel and the Misses Reitha Howard and Iris Omohundro were visitors in Pendleton Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Neill were business visitors in Pendleton Wednesday.

Clayton Ayers and son Ray visited at the home of Mrs. Ollie Neill Sunday.

The Misses Rose Leibbrand, Freda Hammel, and Lila Bartholomew and Mrs. Carrie Chapman went to the Wallowa Gap on a picnic Sunday.

The Pine City grade schools are preparing for the track meet at Heppner, May 1.

Mrs. Nora Moore who is working at Roy Neill's went to Heppner Saturday. From there she will go on to Portland to attend a lodge convention. She will return to Neill's the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lee and family visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Bowman near Echo Sunday.

Mrs. O'Mohundro and daughter Iris visited friends in Lexington Friday.

Fred Bartholomew and son Buddy who have been visiting at the C. H. Bartholomew home returned to their home in Estacada Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kenny and children James, Patricia and Billy, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Healy Sunday afternoon.

Chas. Bartholomew left Tuesday evening on a business trip to Montana.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Neill were in Hermiston Tuesday on business.

A. E. Wattenburger and E. B. Wattenburger were in Heppner Friday on business.

day. Mrs. Ransier spent the days visiting her mother. Mrs. J. A. Marlow.

Mrs. Earl Cramer and Mrs. Frank Cramer were shopping in Hermiston Saturday.

Mrs. Surface and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Brown were shopping in Hermiston Saturday.

Frank Marlowe and Verlie Hartle spent Thursday in The Dalles visiting Mrs. Marlowe who is in the hospital there.

Ves. Attebury is reported better at this writing. They are expecting their son and wife of Detroit this week.

Fred Griffin made a business trip to Portland Friday.

Geo. Rust left Sunday evening with a load of produce for Portland. He makes these trips every two weeks.

Frank Marlowe and Verlie Hartle and Marvin Ransier went to Pendleton Friday. Marvin returned Sunday but Mr. Marlow stayed. His twin babies are being cared for by his sister and brother while his wife is in the T. B. hospital.

Boardman baseball team played Rufus on the local diamond. The score was 8 to 7 in favor of Rufus. Miss Rhoda Shellingberger, first grade teacher, has received the contract to teach in the Irrigon school.

The ladies of Boardman are giving Miss Rachel Johnson a bridal shower Friday at the Jess Allen home.

Butter Creek-Minnehaha By Mrs. Wm. Hinesline

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Mudge of Hinkle returned from a trip to Spokane Friday. Mrs. Mudge's mother, Mrs. Margaret Hamblet, came with them for a visit.

G. W. Knight of Hubbard, Ore., visited Wednesday of last week at the John McMullen home. Mr. Knight is Mrs. McMullen's brother.

L. Stewart of the west side was a Sunday guest at the W. H. Starr home.

Those from this section who attended the track meet at Echo were Marvin Rankin, Stewart Rankin, Frank Rodda, Claude Rhode, Bob Rhode and Harry Rhode. Claude Rhode won first in shot put and Marvin Rankin second in high jump. Both will compete in the county meet at Pendleton.

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COLUMBIA NEWS By Florence Udey

Mr. and Mrs. John Rueber and family, Henry and Evelyn, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rueber and family, Helen, Dorothy, and Victor Addleman and Opal Stockard were Sunday visitors at the Fred Lenz home.

Clara Whitsett is employed on the Wm. Mikesell farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Roberts were Pendleton visitors Friday.

Pauline Morris spent the week end in Pendleton and visited friends in the mountains.

Farmers were picking turkeys Tuesday for the last pool.

Mrs. Henry Sommerer and children were dinner guests Sunday at the John Lewis home on Butter Creek.

Paul F. Rohr of Pendleton was a business visitor on the project this week.

Assistant County Agent Best was a caller at several farms in Columbia this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams and family, who have been living on the old Fisher place have moved to Iowa.

August Linder was a business caller at the Joe Udey farm Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hallyburton, who were called to Portland last week as witnesses at a trial, returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orin Johnson from Roscoe, Calif., have been visiting the Hutchison family while looking for a location.

Wm. Ross, who recently took his son to Portland because of illness, returned this week and visited with the Joe Udey family before returning to his work on the Wallula cut-off highway at Juniper.

Jack Dotson was visiting Mr. Epperson Tuesday. He has the Dotson place rented.

Del Christley and son Dale took a truck load of hogs to Portland Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Reid were business callers at the Udey farm Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Follett and family were visitors at the Wm. Mikesell home Sunday.

Bell Reynolds is visiting at the Geo. Beddow home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mikesell were Pendleton visitors Saturday. Their daughter Edith, who teaches school in Pilot Rock, spent the day with them there.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lenz made a business trip to Pendleton Thursday

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