

### GRIDIRON HEROES ARE BANQUETED

Girls of Domestic Science Class Prepares Great Feed Which is Very Heartily Attacked.

The close of the football season in which the Medford high school team won the championship of southern Oregon, by defeating all comers, was celebrated Friday night by a reception given by the domestic science class of the high school to the members of the team and to Coach S. B. Hall.

The football boys have brought honor and glory to Medford by their series of victories on the field, but the girls proved to them Friday that they were capable of preparing the viands that go to make the muscle and vim necessary to win great contests.

The high school assembly room was appropriately decorated with the colors of black and red, and the menu was highly appreciated by the gridiron heroes.

At the conclusion of the banquet Prof. S. B. Hall who has given much of his time to the building up of the team and to whose coaching and strenuous efforts the success of the Medford football team is in a great measure due, was presented with a set of cuff buttons and a scarf pin by the members of the team as a token of their appreciation of his work.

The football, scared and battered, but still in the ring, which figured in five victorious games for Medford, occupied a central position in the banquet hall and was afterward presented to Coach Hall, to be added to his collection as souvenir of the championship team for 1939.

### STRIKING SWITCHMEN CAN NOT RETURN TO WORK

SPOKANE, Wash., Dec. 10.—The danger of a clash between members of the switchmen's union and the Great Northern officials became imminent today when it was announced that the striking switchmen will not be allowed to return to work.

The railroad officials declare that they have filled the places of the old men with imported strike-breakers, whom they claim, are giving entire satisfaction and refuse to allow the old men to return to their former places.

### BOLD AERONAUT FALLS TO GROUND AND IS CRUSHED

BERLIN, Dec. 11.—Captain Englehart, a pupil of the Wright Brothers, was seriously injured today while driving a Wright aeroplane at Johannesburg.

The machine collapsed in the air and was completely wrecked. The captain was caught under the wreckage and crushed.

The doctors believe that Englehart will recover. The accident was caused by the motor stopping in mid-air.

The machine fell so rapidly that Englehart did not even have time to change his position. He was grasping the levers when he struck the ground.

The aeroplane was so badly damaged that it cannot be repaired.

### SELLS POOR BUTTER NABBED BY INSPECTOR

Ashland Butter Man Fined \$25 for Disposing of Adulterated Goods.

ASHLAND, Dec. 11.—Inspector Chatterlin from the state dairy commission's office pounced upon D. Perozzi, proprietor of the Ashland creamery, this morning and haled him before Recorder Eggleston on a charge of selling adulterated butter put up as his high grade, pure "Gold Medal" product.

Perozzi pleaded guilty to the charge and a nominal fine of \$25 was imposed upon him, merely by way of a warning. The exposure of the local creamery man's methods is the talk of the town, and indignation is running high as the Ashland creamery's extensive business was built up by the loyal support of the local consumers, who have for months past been victimized by the questionable methods to which Perozzi today pleaded guilty.

Both of the local meat markets were also fined for selling lard adulterated with beef fat and not properly labeled.

### CRUDE ROBBERS GIVE AWAY PLOT

Inexperience of Would-Be Bank Wreckers Disclose Scheme to Police—Methods are Ameturistic.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11.—Detectives of the local police department today are searching for C. A. Smith, who is alleged in a telegram from the authorities at Reno, Nev., of being an accomplice in what they believe to have been a clever plot to rob the Farmers and Merchants' National bank of Reno of more than \$50,000. The scheme failed because of the amateurish methods of the plotters.

According to the Reno directions a man giving the name of E. J. Raymond was arrested in that city following his attempt to pass an alleged check for \$860. The check was drawn in his favor upon the Wells Fargo Nevada National bank of this city and was signed with the name of J. C. Cavanaugh. The check was held for collection and sent to the American National bank here, which in turn passed it to the Wells Fargo National. While the officials of both banks were puzzling over the slip, they were informed by the Western Union Telegraph company that a message had been filed at one of their San Francisco stations to the Reno bank stating that "Cavanaugh" has sufficient on deposit to cover the check and that Cavanaugh had identified his signature.

The officials of the Wells Fargo bank immediately wired the Reno bank the contents of the telegram, also telling that they carried no account under Cavanaugh's name. Raymond was then placed under arrest. The Reno officers immediately asked the arrest of Smith, believing that he knew of the message filed with the telegraph to secure the payment of the check. Raymond refused to name any possible accomplice to the Reno officers. A receipted bill in his pocket and a label in his coat bore the name of A. J. Waters.

Thomas McCarthy, a Barbary Coast bartender, was arrested today upon the receipt of telegraphic advices from Reno to the effect that he might be implicated in the plot. He declared his innocence of any connection with the affair, declaring that he was in Reno when the spurious message was sent from there.

### HUGE TIMBER FRAUDS FORMED IN WASHINGTON

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 10.—Charged with grand larceny in connection with a timber deal involving nineteen hundred acres of land in northern King county Theodore Cogswell is under arrest here today and a deputy sheriff is looking for P. H. Casey & Co., with a warrant of a similar nature to the one served on Cogswell, issued at the instance of N. Lebovitz and Herman Kronfield, who allege that the two real estate dealers secured from them \$8,000 by fraudulent representation.

Mrs. C. H. Carey and her daughter, Gladis, of Seattle, Wash., are spending the winter with her friend, Mrs. C. W. Conklin, 205 N. Apple street.

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The incorporators of record are J. H. Liggert, William M. Colvig, Donald C. Colvig and W. C. Green. The principal place of business and main office of the company is Medford, Or., and the capitalization consists of 8330 shares of stock at a par value of \$30 each.

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Do you sometimes think that if you "had it to do over again" you would have advertised more effectively the past year? Well, you are "doing it over again," beginning now. So illustrate what you wish you had done before by what you do from this time forward.

### EACH SAYS OTHER BOLD VAMPIRE

Wives of the Slain Men Accuse Each Other of Being Responsible for Crime.

OAKLAND, Cal., Dec. 11.—Deep-rooted bitterness each for the other are the attitudes of Mrs. Eugene Wood and Mrs. Gabriel Jacobs, widows of the two men whose lives paid forfeit to the domestic tragedy that wrecked two homes.

Dr. Eugene Wood, a prominent physician and club man, who was said to be the soul mate of Mrs. Jacobs, was shot and killed Thursday evening on a crowded Oakland thoroughfare by the lawful husband of his affinity who then committed suicide. Today the women so vitally concerned in the tragedy each lay the blame at the door of the other.

"Mrs. Jacobs sapped my husband's life and his self control," sobbed Mrs. Wood, speaking of the relations of the physician and the woman. "For two years I have felt that such would be the result. That woman's influence over my husband was that of a vampire."

"There was a sordid attachment. I don't think either actually loved the other. If she has a conscience, the awful ending of the affair has wrecked her life, besides killing her husband and mine."

Mrs. Jacobs was just as bitter in her charges. She declared: "I feel that Mrs. Wood, intentionally or not, incited my husband to make an attack on Dr. Wood. She has maligned me and lied about me, and yet I bear her no resentment."

"Dr. Wood and I were unhappy in our homes and our casual acquaintance ripened into love. I expected to marry him when we secured our divorces. Neither woman stated her plans for the future. Mrs. Wood is almost prostrated by the shock incident to the murder of her husband, and has been under a physician's care almost continually since then. Each woman was willing to discuss her side of the case."

### KLAMATH SEWER BONDS ARE SOLD

KLAMATH FALLS, Dec. 9.—The bids on the \$40,000 twenty-year sewer bonds were reopened yesterday by the city council. Only two were considered, that of E. H. Rollins & Sons of Boston of \$40,004, the bonds to bear 5 per cent interest and that of Morris Brothers of Portland of \$40,427.50, interest to be 5 1/2 per cent.

The former was accepted so Klamath Falls can sell her 5 per cent bonds above par, which is more than some older cities can do.

As soon as possible the work of laying the sewers will commence, and it is almost certain that the main sewer will be upon Klamath avenue instead of Main street.

### THREE WORKMEN ARE KILLED IN EXPLOSION

FLOWERS JUNCTION, Ohio, Dec. 10.—Three workmen were killed instantly in a terrific powder explosion at the plant of the Austin Powder Mills here late today.

The intense itching characteristic of these ailments is almost instantly allayed by Chamberlain's Salve. Many severe cases have been cured by it. For sale by Leon B. Haskins' Pharmacy.

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### NEGROES KILL THREE WOMEN

Horrible Crime in Georgia—Negroes Are Accused of Crime—Bloodhounds on Trail.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Dec. 11.—Following a horrible triple crime in which two white women were slain and one probably fatally wounded, bloodhounds today are on the trail of negroes suspected of the bloody deeds and there is grave danger of violence if they are run down. The dead:

Mrs. Elizabeth Gribble and her daughter Miss Carrie Plander.

Mrs. Maggie Hunter.

The three women were alone last night in the Gribble home when they were attacked. When the crime was discovered Mrs. Gribble and Miss Plander were dead and Mrs. Hunter was unconscious.

While there is little possibility of Mrs. Hunter living, it is hoped that she will regain consciousness long enough to give a description of the murderer or murderers.

The police arrested Thomas Hunter, a painter and paper-hanger, husband of Mrs. Maggie Hunter, who is in a hospital. The woman in a wild delirium accused her husband of the bloody deeds. The police do not think that he is guilty, but will hold him until his wife regains her senses.

### BIG FOUR OPERATOS MAY GO ON STRIKE

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Dec. 10.—It became known today that ninety per cent of the telegraph operators in the employ of the Big Four railroad who have sent in ballots on the question of a strike for higher wages, favor a strike. This is believed by the union leaders to indicate that telegraphers of the system will demand that their requests be granted with the flat alternative of a strike.

### BOY SHOTS SWEETHEART THEN KILLS HIMSELF

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—Jealousy resulting from a school boy love affair developed into a double tragedy here today when Walter Sybold, eighteen, shot and killed Laura Braden, sixteen years old, and later committed suicide.

The girl was on her way from school at noon when she was approached by Sybold. After the boy had shot the girl down he started to run away. Several men pursued him and when he saw that he was about to be overtaken he turned the revolver upon himself.

### NORTH TO RETAIN OLD JOB IN SAN FRANCISCO

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 10.—Hart H. North of San Francisco was recommended for reappointment as immigration commissioner at San Francisco. His name was forwarded to the senate.

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### GLEASON SORE AT FAKE REPORT

Fight Promoter Says It is Outrage to Accuse Fighters of Participating in a Double Deal.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11.—Jack Gleason, one of the successful bidders for the Jeffries-Johnson fight, blew into town at midnight, mad as a hornet over the criticisms that have been heaped upon the heads of persons involved in the secret meeting at Hoboken at which the final articles for the fight were signed.

"There was no fixing, no jobbing, no crookedness, or anything that was not absolutely on the level at that meeting," declared Gleason as he stepped off the train.

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