

KILLED COMPANION WHOSE CORPSE IS DUG UP BY DOG

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 16.—Alfred W. Blacett, accused of the murder of Clyde Armour, his traveling companion, near Santa Fe, N. M., arrived here today in custody of the chief of police of Albuquerque, on his way east to stand trial. Blacett was arrested at Friday Harbor, Wash., January 1.

Armour was on an automobile trip from Sioux City, Ia., to Fresno, Cal. His bones were unearthed by a dog dug up the body of Armour at Gofleta, N. M., and he thinks the state will have a hard time proving the murder without the corpse. Chief of Police Galusha said.

Blacett, who is 23 years old, shot himself in the neck after his arrest in Friday Harbor, but will recover. "I don't want mother to know," he said after he shot himself.

Galusha said he had not questioned his prisoner nor would he allow others to do so, fearing the defense would make capital of it owing to Blacett's condition. Prisoner and captor will leave here tonight.

Blacett was accompanying Armour from Denver overland in an automobile. He is accused of murdering his host and burying the body near Gofleta last October. A dog nosed the body out of its shallow grave. Arriving in Santa Fe Blacett, it is charged, assumed Armour's name and received \$600 from Sioux City, Ia., and from Armour's mother in Fresno, afterward selling the automobile and going to Friday Harbor.

SWISS MOBILIZE MORE TROOPS TO PROTECT BORDER

BERNE, Switzerland, Jan. 16.—Official announcement was made today that the federal council had decided as a measure of precaution to mobilize on January 24 the second division and the contingents of the fourth and fifth divisions which have not yet been mobilized.

"The federal council declares that circumstances enabled it to reduce very considerably during recent months the forces on the frontier. At the beginning of the year it was considered necessary to take more extensive measures of precaution and for this reason it ordered the mobilization on January 24 of the second division and the contingents of the fourth and fifth divisions which have not yet been mobilized.

"The federal council remains fully confident of the intentions of the European belligerents toward the neutrality of Switzerland."

There have been frequent reports recently of uneasiness in Switzerland regarding possible violation of the country's neutrality. Italy, according to unofficial dispatches, has been strengthening her defenses along the Swiss border.

President Schulthess of Switzerland said recently that the Swiss people would never allow a foreign army to invade their soil. On account of the reiteration of these reports, the French and German governments renewed their assurances to Switzerland that they would respect her neutrality.

POPE CONGRATULATES PRESIDENT WILSON

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—Congratulations from Pope Benedict XV on the recent peace move of the American government were conveyed to President Wilson today by Juan Riano, the Spanish ambassador. The pope sent no suggestions for future moves. The message was conveyed through the Spanish ambassador because the papal legation here has no diplomatic status.

ROGUE RIVER

Mrs. B. G. Harding, acting as a delegate from the local Parent-Teacher's Association, spent Wednesday in Medford, attending the meeting of a Southern Oregon Federation of Parent-Teacher associations.

B. Casey and daughter, Miss Helen, were visitors at the Dr. Carey home last Saturday. Mr. Casey and daughter were returning to their home at Dallas, Ore., after a stay in San Francisco.

Will White and wife returned Sunday from Klamath Falls.

B. G. Harding was a Saturday visitor at Grants Pass.

Lloyd Seaman returned to his work in Medford Tuesday, after a short visit with his home people here.

Dr. L. E. Briscoe and Editor Bostwick made a hurried trip to Ashland Wednesday. They encountered some bad roads for motoring.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Williams of Central Point, were Sunday visitors with Mrs. Rena Whipple and family.

Dr. Findlay of Salem was a Rogue River visitor Tuesday.

Rev. Paul S. Bandy of Central Point preached in the Presbyterian church Sunday night.

John Pitman and family have gone to Glendale to live.

The first basket ball game of the championship series of this valley was played at Gold Hill last Friday evening. The resulting score was 35 to 7 in favor of the Rogue River boys' team, and 17 to 16 in favor of the Gold Hill girls' team. The next game is to be played at Rogue River Saturday, January 20.

EAGLE POINT EAGLETS

George Howard, one of the Medford insurance agents, came out last week and wrote out an insurance policy for the Baptist church of this place for \$1000.

Charley Manning of Peyton came out on Friday, the 5th, went up on Antelope creek near Climax and brought out Saturday Miss Mabel Henson, took her to the P. & E. depot and started her for her school on Applegate. Miss Henson has been spending her vacation with her father on the farm near Climax.

been and am now confined to the house with a gripe, and have to gather my items as best I can. This is Thursday morning and I have not been away from the house but once for over a week, and then took a short walk, so that what I have to write has been picked up as best I could.

P. S. Anderson, recently from the Alberta country, and is at this time making the Sunnyside headquarters, came out from his farm on Rogue river, spent two nights here, then went to Medford, Jacksonville and Grants Pass on business.

Miss Nell Penckey, who is teaching in the John Rader district, spent her vacation with her parents, south of Ashland, and spent Saturday night with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Bert Penckey, at G. W. Daley's, of this place.

Miss Vera Kershaw of Wellen, who, with her brother, James, own and operate a large stock ranch on Antelope creek, came in with her crew for shipment Tuesday. She says that their stock is doing fine, consisting of sheep, goats, cattle and hogs.

Mrs. J. H. (Bess) Carlton of Central Point came over the first of the week to visit her brothers and sisters, the late George Brown family. Her and her sister, Lottie Van Scoy, spent Tuesday evening with us.

Among the business men who have called since I last wrote were R. M. Hiller of San Francisco, Cal.; C. R. Dunt of Portland and G. N. Birkland of Medford. They were representatives of three different hardware firms.

Last Monday Bert Bryant of Medford, formerly of this place, came out to go to work on the A. Corbin packing house that gave way under the pressure of the snow. John Smith had been working on it a few days. This is the second time that the same structure has given way, the first time under its own weight, on account of it being not properly braced, and the foundation being defective, and this time on account of shoddy work in the building in the first place. The contractor left the country as soon as he could and left the other fellow to hold the bag.

Mrs. Minnie Bryant came out Tuesday, attended the Rebekah lodge and spent the night here at the Sunnyside with her husband.

Tuesday night they had the installation of the officers in the Price Rebekah lodge of Eagle Point. The following persons were installed by D. D. P. Minnie Bryant: Lottie Coy, N. G.; Ed Coy, R. S.; Norman McQuoid, L. S.; Minnie Clark, V. G.; Charles Clark, R. S.; Hattie Howlett, L. S.; Mrs. Norman McQuoid, secretary; Mrs. May Painter, financial secretary; Sarah E. Howlett, treasurer; Mrs. M. S. Wood, Chap. Sophia;

Mrs. M. S. Wood, chaplain; Sarah Childreth, warden; Nettie Grover, conductor; W. L. Childreth, I. G.; Ed Cingende, O. G.

V. A. Heffner of Trail, who has charge of the Elk creek hatchery, spent Monday night with us. He is planning to rebuild the hatchery this coming spring on a much larger and improved scale.

Noble Zimmerman and C. A. Neustrom, the latter from Lake creek, came in Wednesday for dinner. Mr. Neustrom is the road supervisor in the Lake Creek district and seems to be doing good service and giving satisfaction.

William Thomas and Mr. Stoddy of Williamsboro were in town Wednesday and Mr. T. called on your correspondent on business and took dinner.

I received a message last night over the phone from Thomas Carlton ordering the Daily Mail Tribune to be sent to Prospect.

CENTRAL POINT

"Bud Adams" left the first of the week for Omaha, Neb., where he will attend an automobile school for the winter.

A. W. Moon of Grants Pass was a business visitor here during the week.

Frank Clark made a trip to Evans Creek Tuesday to attend to business matters there.

Fred Burrows, a former resident of Central Point, is now of Klamath Falls, Or., among Central Point friends this week.

Henry Freeman left a few days ago for Palo Alto, where he will attend Stanford university for the remainder of the school year.

Mrs. F. H. Farra of Ray Gold was transacting business here Saturday.

E. P. Anthony, the hide man, who has been attending to business matters here for a few days, has left for his headquarters at Eugene.

Central Point's young people who are attending college, eighteen in number, and eleven young school-marks, have all left for their various work, leaving the city quite empty of young life, aside from the younger set who are yet in high school.

Water Superintendent Frank Clark made a business trip to Medford Saturday.

Mrs. Ora Kinney of Sams Valley was a week-end guest of her mother, Mrs. Little, of this city.

Mrs. Harry Carlton was one of the

out-of-town guests from here in Eagle Point this week.

Miss Faye Grimes is visiting among friends in Corning, Cal., at present.

Grip seems to be quite the popular thing in this community nowadays. Every one you meet has the sneezes, cough, watery eyes or some similar symptom that is a part of that complaint.

After seven years of service as city marshal, J. B. Holmes resigned at the regular meeting of the city council Monday evening, resignation to take effect immediately. P. F. Clark was appointed to fill the vacancy temporarily.

Mrs. Ed Moore accompanied her niece, Miss Lila Moore, as far as Oakland, Cal., Miss Lila going from there to her home in Delano alone.

Mrs. Rose Herrenhaus, book-keeper in the firm of Cranfield & Robnett, is enjoying a month's vacation with her parents in Portland.

I. C. Robert, Central Point merchant, has returned from a business trip to Oregon's metropolises.

Joe Lockwood left recently for his home in Nebraska after a year's stay in Oregon.

Mrs. Court Hall of Medford enjoyed a visit with her mother, Mrs. Julia Owens, Wednesday.

Mrs. Oakes Ames and tiny daughter, Ardene Katherine, were visiting among Central Point friends and relatives here during the week.

Mr. Brower, editor of the Central Point Herald, made a business trip to Grants Pass the last of the week.

Mrs. F. A. Hawk left her work long enough Wednesday to board a jitney and make for Ashland, where she visited with her sister, Mrs. Beeler, for a few small hours.

Joe Boswell has leased his barber shop to Mr. Boswick of Medford, who will soon take charge.

Mrs. E. P. Gleason, who has been ill for several weeks, is rapidly improving and will soon be able to once more add her delightful presence to her large circle of friends here, who have greatly missed the cheery personality of Mrs. Gleason during her lengthy illness.

Jeff Johnson, who was suffering from pneumonia, was rushed to the Sacred Heart hospital at Medford the first of the week, where he died shortly after.

Ray Ager, who has been absent from the city for some time, is among his Central Point friends at present.

Mrs. Lorena Downing is paying her son, Will Downing, and family of Applegate a visit.

George W. Little of northern California is visiting relatives and friends here for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Merritt of Gold Hill were among Central Point friends Sunday.

Mr. Moore, Sr., has returned from Eagle Point, at which place he spent several days at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Cingende.

The annual installation of officers and banquet of the Women's Relief corps will be held at the rooms of that organization in the Central Point opera house Saturday, January 20.

Mr. and Mrs. Bristoe of Brookings, Ore., are paying Mrs. Bristoe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Greer McDowell, a visit.

Miss Syd Bender is spending this week with Medford friends.

Rev. Reed and wife and Miss Helen

To Relieve Catarrhal Deafness and Head Noises

Persons suffering from catarrhal deafness and head noises will be glad to know that this distressing affliction can usually be successfully treated at home by an internal medicine that in many instances has effected complete relief after other treatments have failed. Sufferers who could scarcely hear have had their hearing restored to such an extent that the tick of a watch was plainly audible seven or eight inches away from either ear. Therefore, if you know of someone who is troubled with head noises or catarrhal deafness, run out this formula and hand it to them and you may have been the means of saving some poor sufferer perhaps from total deafness. The prescription can be prepared at home and is made as follows:

Secure from your druggist 1 oz. Permin (double strength), about 75 cents worth. Take this home and add to it 1/2 pint of hot water and 4 oz. of granulated sugar; stir until dissolved. Take one tablespoonful four times a day.

Permin is used in this way not only to reduce the toxic action of the inflammation and swelling in the Eustachian tube, and thus to equalize the air pressure on the drums, but to correct any excess of secretions in the middle ear, and the result it gives are nearly always quick and effective.

Every person who has catarrh in any form should give this recipe a trial.

For sale by Heath's Drug Store, Strang's Drug Store, Medford Pharmacy, West Side Pharmacy and Haskin's Drug Store.

Adamson and Miss Wells, also Mr. Wells, all of Talent, were in Central Point Sunday.

COURT HOUSE NEWS

Reported by Jackson County Abstract Co., Sixth and Fir Sts.

Chas. D. Colby vs. City of Medford, et al, demurrer.

Bruce Loeke vs. E. B. Crouch, et al, demurrer.

Warner, Wortman and Gore vs. Evelyn Caldwell, writ of attachment.

Emmett Heeson, estate, admitted to probate.

John Shively, estate, proof of posting notice to creditors.

Justin Smith, guardianship, guardian bond.

Marriage Licenses. F. Leigh Swinson and Marie Elbert.

Real Estate Transfers. Ralph H. Taster, et ux, to William H. Lauer, W. D. to land in sec. 12, T. 57 S. R. 1 E. \$10

L. O. Adams, et ux, to S. M. Wertz, et ux, W. D. to three small tracts in sec. 22, T. 36 S. R. 4 W. \$10

H. E. Slattery, et ux, to Joshua W. Grayless, et ux, correction deed to land in sec. 6, T. 35 S. R. 2 E. \$100

STOP CATARRH! OPEN NOSTRILS AND HEAD

Says Nostril Applied in Nostrils Relieves Head-Colds at Once.

If your nostrils are clogged and your head is stuffed and you can't breathe freely because of a cold or catarrh, just get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm at any drug store. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic cream into your nostrils and let it penetrate through every air passage of your head, soothing and healing the inflamed, swollen mucous membrane and you get instant relief.

Ab! how good it feels. Your nostrils are open, your head is clear, no more hawking, snuffling, blowing; no more headache, dizziness or struggling for breath. Ely's Cream Balm is just what sufferers from head colds and catarrh need. It's a delight.

WANTED—SITUATIONS

WANTED—An educated middle aged lady desires position as companion and housekeeper in good home. Address 611 West 11th st. 254

WANTED—Man to clear land for wood on same. B. F. Van Dyke 253

WANTED—By reliable mechanic. Work by hour at your own garage. Reasonable. References. Call or write Box X, Y. Mail Tribune 253

WANTED—Miscellaneous. WANTED—Team. Weight 1200 Weight 1200 pounds. Phone 357-Y. 258

WANTED—To buy used Ford. Must be in good condition. Dr. Helms 255

WANTED—A 5 or 6-foot disk harrow. State make, condition and price. Chas. Numan, Medford, B. O. Box 1. Phone Jacksonville 496. 254

WANTED—First class furnished home on the pavement. Wanted about March 1. No children. Address P. O. Box 1923. 254

WANTED—Practical nurse would prefer obstetrical cases; can give references. 21 Genesee st. Medford. 255

WANTED—Second hand amudge pots at reasonable price. Phone 67-41. 253

WANTED—House movers. Phone 458-M, or 458-X. 254

WANTED—C. A. Hamlin, dealer in rides and wool. Highest prices paid. Offices, Laurel st., Market. Phone 475-L. 264

WANTED—Remember your poultry and eggs will bring you more money at Warner, Wortman and Gore's. One price for hens, regardless of size.

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE—Medford property, or will trade for property out side of city limits, or in other locality. H. C. Glascock, 256 Beatty st. 254

FOR SALE—One inside and 2 corner lots on West Main street, 450 each. What will you give? Phone 344-R. 254

FOR SALE—A 200-acre ranch. Inquire at 145 South Grape st., Medford, Ore. 254

FOR SALE—Or trade, 11 acres, paid water right for 3 acres, balance under ditch, near Central Point. Ore. Address B. O. Lockwood, Rogue River, Ore. 253

It Works! Try It

Tells how to loosen a sore, tender corn so it lifts out without pain.

Good news spreads rapidly and druggists here are kept busy dispensing (freezes), the other discovery of a Cincinnati man, which is said to loosen any corn so it lifts out with the finger. Ask at any pharmacy for a quarter ounce of freezes, which will cost very little, but is said to be sufficient to rid one's feet of every hard or soft corn or callus.

You, applying just a few drops on the tender, aching corn and instantly the soreness is relieved, and soon the corn is so softened that it lifts out without pain. It is a sticky substance which dries when applied and never inflames or even irritates the adjoining tissue.

This discovery will prevent thousands of deaths annually from lockjaw and infection heretofore resulting from the suicidal habit of cutting corns.

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WANTED—At once, lady to do pressing and repairing. Pantorium Dye Works. 253

WANTED—Girl for general housework for family of two. Address E. care Mail Tribune. 253

FOR SALE—POULTRY

FOR SALE—3/2 dozen White Leghorn hens from one year to two years old. Phone 544-W. 253

FOR SALE—White Orpington chickens. M. A. Cleveland, Talent, Ore. 254

FOR SALE—One 216-egg Petaluma incubator, two Cyprians portable hovers, the three for \$15. Phone 544-X. 254

FOR SALE—LIVESTOCK

FOR SALE—A high grade Jersey cow, cheap. Just fresh. Phone 571-R. 257

FOR SALE—Jersey cow, just fresh. \$50. W. J. Hartzell, 465 31. 257

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—A Wilton Brunswick rug. \$10. Call at 421 South Fir st. \*

FOR SALE—Hog (tight fence at Peil's, Ashland, for 30 cents per rod. Emil Peil. 261

FOR SALE—Small team, household goods, orchard implements, 844 W. 14th st. 256

FOR SALE—To move good barn. Cheap for cash. Phone 25-11. H. B. Nye. 257

FOR SALE—At a discount, \$9.00 on Hales Plano for double bill. B. M. W., Mail Tribune. 255

FOR SALE—Cabinet sewing machine, buffet and mahogany table. Phone 813. 215

FOR SALE—1000-gal. Fort Wayne steel tank. Court Hall. 254

FOR SALE—Household goods, 1156 West 8th. 253

FOR SALE—7 hives of bees in good condition. J. S. Vilas. 253

FOR SALE—Beardless seed barley. Phone 732-J2, Route 2, Box 111. 272

FOR SALE—Plow, "A" harrow, Kimball grinder, portin & taylor, and sickle weed, Corbin & Digler. \*

FOR SALE—Seed, alfalfa, red clover sweet clover, timothy and other grasses; strictly fancy stocks. Write for samples. Ralph Waldo Elden, Central Point, Ore. \*

FOR RENT—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR RENT—Or trade, a 200-acre ranch. Inquire at 145 South Grape st., Medford, Ore. 254

FOR RENT—HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS. FOR RENT—Furnished and housekeeping rooms. Call 3 to 4, 222 S. Central. Phone 403-12. 253

FOR RENT—HOUSES. FOR RENT—Small modern cottage, furnished, close in, 245 N. Cottage. 258

FOR RENT—Partly furnished house on Maple street. Dr. Helms. 255

FURNISHED APARTMENTS. FOR RENT—Furnished apartment, hot water heat. The Barbers. \*

FOR RENT—Am leaving city for six months and will rent my furnished home very reasonable to desirable parties. 422 So. Laurel. \*

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LOST

LOST—Saturday night. Small alligator hand purse on Central or Bartlett streets, between 6th and 7th street. Had 3 keys and small change. Reward if returned to Mall Tribune. \*

MONEY TO LOAN

TO LOAN—\$5000 private money, first mortgage security. F. L. Tou Velle. \*

MONEY TO LOAN—On Improved farms. P. K. Nalley, 707 West Main. 261

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TO TRADE—Stock farm. About 1,500 acres, three miles from Eugene, about 200 acres in cultivation. Well stocked with sheep and cattle. Will consider Medford property or ranch land near Medford. Phone 640 or address P. O. box 1036 Medford. 254

FOR EXCHANGE—A good five-room house and sun parlor in Long Beach, Cal. Lot 59x135. Clear title with abstract value \$3,000. Want small improved acreage near Medford, Oregon. Owners only. Address 532, Nebraska avenue, Long Beach, Cal. 254

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