

BLACKMAIL CHARGED TO BRUNETTE

Financier Listened to Sad Story and Gave Much Money — Alleges Rich Man Father of Son— Took \$500 in Marked Bills Before Arrest—Big-Heartedness Admitted.

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—(AP) Accused by the police of extorting more than \$170,000 from Nathan L. Amster, prominent financier, an attractive brunette of 34 who charges Amster is the father of her six-year-old boy is hearing \$5000 bail today pending a hearing tomorrow.

Miss Aina N. Edwards, whose home formerly was in Seattle was arrested after Amster's secretary thru arrangement with the police paid her \$500 in marked bills.

Mr. Amster, who is 60-years old, married and the father of two sons, denied the paternity of the child but admitted paying the woman huge sums over the last six years.

"All this," she said, "is due to my natural big-heartedness, nothing else. I met Miss Edwards at a party in New York. She told me a very sad story and I felt sorry for her."

"She wanted to go home to California and she had no money. So I gave her \$500 and sent her home. She came back and went west again several times after that, and to Europe also."

Demands increased
"Finally her demands became so great that I felt I could not comply with them any longer. When I cut down on my gifts she threatened me. Then my friends decided to take the matter into their own hands to protect me and raised her arrest."

"Now it is just too ridiculous to say that I am the father of her child. All her threats against me were based altogether on my natural big-heartedness. I have given lots of money to lots of people in need, but this is the first one that ever turned sour on me."

Mr. Amster, 47, one-time vice chairman of the board of directors of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific railroad and at present is head of the protective committee representing a minority of the Manhattan Railway company. He also is a director of several large corporations.

Prominent Clubman
His wife was the former Estelle Greyfus of Boston and he resides in Boston and Brookline, Mass. He maintains offices in New York and Chicago and is a member of many prominent clubs.

Max D. Steuer, attorney for Amster, said an agreement had been made with the woman three years ago whereby she was to receive \$2000 a year for life with the provision that she would not annoy or communicate in any way with Mr. Amster. He said she violated this agreement and that recently her demands had become excessive.

He said she obtained \$2000 from Amster on Monday and when she demanded a like sum on Tuesday the matter was reported to district Attorney Banton and plans made for her arrest.

Miss Edwards declined to reveal any of her history.

MARGARET TURNER ON RECEPTION COMMITTEE

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene.—(Special.)—Margaret Turner, senior in English from Medford, has been named as one of the girls to assist in receiving at the homecoming reception which will be held in Alumni hall, Saturday evening, November 16.

All graduates of the university, former students and seniors are invited to the reception.

It is the plan this year, according to Betty Schmeer, Medford, general chairman of the reception plans, that one senior woman and one alumni member of each living organization serve in the reception line. Miss Turner represents Sigma Kappa sorority.

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FRED COLVIG WINS EXPERT EXPLAINS GROUP 3 LAURELS FALL AND WINTER CARE OF ROSES IN CHEST CONTEST

The prize winning entry by Fred Colvig in the high school division of the essay contest, "Why Everyone in Medford Should Contribute to the Community Chest," is pointed out as covering the merits of the Community Chest campaign which opened yesterday. The essay is as follows: "Believing Medford people of the substance incurred by the constant solicitations of welfare organizations, the Community Chest plan has been inaugurated in this city. The plan originated in Denver, Colo., prior to the war, and the poverty brought on by the war, stimulated the idea until now it has been adopted by over three hundred cities with phenomenal success."

"One outstanding result of this plan is the elimination of street begging. Street begging, besides inviting fraud and denying worthy causes of funds necessary for their support, weakens the moral principle of a person so that he is unwilling to help himself."

"Another advantage brought about by this plan is the unification of welfare activities under one head. This, besides eliminating the too numerous financial drives, coordinates the various welfare organizations and divides the work among them."

"This cooperation is especially beneficial for two reasons. It standardizes methods of poor relief and it provides a basis for securing governmental action on welfare issues. One organization acting singly would not have nearly so much of a chance as the organized charities as a whole."

"The value of these activities should be unquestioned. Only those organizations of recognized merit will obtain funds from the chest. It would be hard to calculate the good this money will do."

"Take for example, the Red Cross. The Red Cross never turns a worthy cause away from its doors. Needy persons may go there and get food and clothing or medicine, and children, whose parents are financially unable to send them to school, are provided with school supplies that they might enjoy equal advantages with other children."

"Two other activities financed from this fund are the Boy and Girl Scouts. These organizations have contributed much to the furtherance of American ideals and the betterment of American citizenship among the youth of today."

"The Salvation Army reaches a class of people untouched by others."

"The success of this plan depends upon the support given it this year. Let us not be found wanting in friendship to the poor and needy and let Medford's first Community Chest prosper."

In connection with the essay, it is interesting to note that the writer in the past year or so won first prizes in two other essays, covering different subjects. One was sponsored by the Owen-Oregon Lumber company on "The Timber Industry in Jackson County," and the other by an electric concern on "The lighting of homes."

WILLIAMS CREEK FOLK ATTEND MEDFORD MEET

WILLIAMS CREEK, Ore., Nov. 14.—(Special.)—Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Heteby and their mother, Mrs. Temby, drove over to Medford on Sunday afternoon to attend the missionary conference at the Methodist church, South. Reverend Shangle spoke, presenting some new and very interesting features on the missionary work.

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In response to questions, it was brought out that the best planting distances are one and one-half to two feet, and that the right fertilizers are two ounces superphosphate and two ounces of sulphate of potash per plant, avoiding application too late in the year.

A list of the never desirable roses, with Dr. Sullinger's comment follows: Tallman, doubtful if a good outside grower in the north. President Herbert Hoover, ready in two years, an improvement over Tallman. Cuba, Princess Mary Jose, Duchess of Athol, and Frank Bieder, the latter better the second year. E. O. Hill, the finest red. Julien Potain, finest yellow, unequalled in the north. Margaret McCreeby, different from any other rose. Marcus Stanhope, new, white, fragrant. Imperial Potentate, finest pink, and Mrs. E. P. Thom, a fine yellow.

Mrs. Lovell Swisher, Mrs. E. W. Nickerson, always in bloom, like Mrs. Dunlop Best, Paul Jones Leuns, Marion Cran, Patience, Mrs. Henry Morse, and Sir David Davis, a good red.

WILLIAMS CREEK

WILLIAMS CREEK, Ore., Nov. 14.—(Special.)—Miss Arlita Messenger, who has a position in Medford, came home to spend the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Messenger. She returned Monday afternoon.

Rev. Guy Davis and Mr. Johnson of Medford, visited the Williams Sunday school last Sunday and Rev. Davis occupied the pulpit at the Methodist chapel.

Miss Eunice Blodgett came home for the week end and Armistice day with her parents, returning to her school Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Dill Lemmon and family drove over to Wilderville Sunday and spent the day with Mr. Lemmon's brother, Jesse Lemmon and family. Miss Bonnie Polard accompanied them and spent the day at her home.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Lettcken Sunday included Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lettcken and small daughter Venus. Mr. and Mrs. Richardson and little daughter Carol and son Vernon and C. W. Roberts.

Mrs. Will Jordan and son Fremont of Thompson creek were visiting friends on Williams creek Saturday evening and attended the entertainment at the Community hall.

Mrs. Phil Jones of North Bend, Ore., visited her friends, Grandma John and Mrs. Stella Stratton, Sunday.

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day. Mrs. Jones taught school on Williams creek some 20 years ago. She will be remembered here as Miss Bessie McCollin.

The wonderful Indian summer still tarries and the forest is gorgeous with evergreens and ferns. Among those who heard the call of outdoors was a hiking party up Powell creek as far as Sharp's cabin Sunday afternoon, composed of the following: Thelma Wilkinson, Gula Elder, Wilma Sparlin, Letta Larimore, Lora Blodgett, Constance Lemmon, Edith Mullen, Laura Lofland, Yviolet Sparlin, Maurice Butts, Azel Blodgett, Earl Cogle, Walter House, Harold Pierce, Ray Varney, Alfred Larimore, Allen Gilbert.

A wolver roast was enjoyed at the end of the trail.

ASHLAND MAN BUYS TALENT FARM TRACT

TALENT, Ore., Nov. 14.—(Spl.) Ed Foss of this city sold 19 1/2 acres of farm land to J. P. Hayes of Ashland last week. Mr. Hayes intends to raise garden truck.

Chas. Campbell of Talent has purchased two lots on Front street from the city of Talent. Mr. Campbell intends building an up-to-date modern bungalow in the near future.

Everett Boone recently purchased the home belonging to Bill Kerby, where Will Hart has resided for the last two years.

Portland—Permit filed for the erection of two-story apartment house at 875 Raleigh street at estimated cost of \$42,000.

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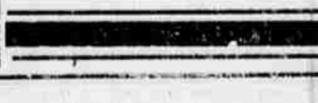
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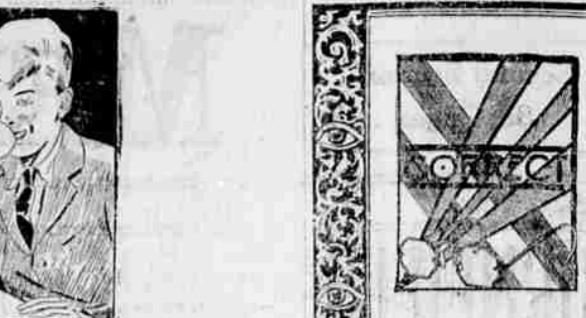
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