

JUDGE DUNCAN OF BANKS-FEHL CASES PASSES SUDDENLY

KLAMATH FALLS, Dec. 7.—(AP)—William M. Duncan, 55, former judge of the Klamath county circuit court, was found dead in his room at a hotel here this afternoon. The judge apparently died in his sleep of a heart attack, physicians said.

The judge's death was discovered by a hotel attendant about noon. He had been dead several hours.

Duncan presided in the court here for six years prior to the last election when he was defeated by Edward Ashurst. He was a former district attorney for Klamath Falls.

He came to this section of the west in 1912 from the family home at Russellville, Ky.

He was educated at Yale and Northwestern universities.

The judge is survived by his wife, Eva Becker Duncan, who is now at Hartford, Conn., and his son, George Edward, a student at Choate school at Wallingford, Conn.

Judge Duncan was well-known in this city and county. He presided at many of the legal actions, that grew out of the Phil-Banks agitation, when Judge Norton was disgraced by a wave of affidavits of prejudice. He also conducted many of the hearings having to do with finances, in which agitator Banks was involved.

Judge Duncan clashed with then County Judge Fehl, when the latter claimed he "possessed concurrent powers" with the circuit court.

PEAR QUIZ PRIZE IS WON BY HAYES

At the weekly meeting of the Lions club held Thursday at the new banquet room of Valentine's cafe, Lyle Wilcox of the Medford pear committee, spoke on the pear industry in southern Oregon, and handed a printed questionnaire to each Lion, relative to the pear situation. Carrol Hayes won the half-box of Comice offered for the best answers.

Clyde Williamson gave the weekly reading on "Lionism" from the Lions Weekly, and Vice-president Vern Shingle urged the Lions to urge their friends to hand in all the Alpine milk labels they could get in order that Christmas toys for the needy might be secured.

Velma Stubbfield of the Senior high school talked on Christmas seals, and outlined the work of the anti-tuberculosis drive financed by seal sales. Newton Mead was guest at the meeting.

ROADS TO CRATER CLEARED OF SNOW

A foot of fresh snow was measured at Crater Lake national park headquarters yesterday, making a blanket two feet deep with the snow that had remained from the first snowfall.

The highway to the west entrance of the park was closed by the new snow yesterday morning but was opened again by mid-afternoon, the park office here was notified. The south road also was blocked but was to be made passable by noon today.

2 Bandits Identified By Portland Victims

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 7.—(AP)—Recent holdup victims of Portland had an opportunity to glare back today at James Chispanno and Robert Cameron, ex-convicts arrested on holdup charges, were called before police this morning.

Detective Captain Jack Keenan said the pair of terrorist robbery suspects would be questioned about more than 80 holdups and burglaries here and in other cities.

He also will question them about robbery activities in Seattle and the slaying of two Seattle policemen recently when the officers surprised burglars at work in a beer parlor.

Local and Personal

Drury Back—Allen B. Drury returned yesterday from a business trip to Portland.

From Ashland—A. A. Madden of Ashland transacted business here Wednesday.

Moffat in Ashland—George B. Moffat was a business caller in Ashland Wednesday.

From Ashland—Elliott McCracken of Ashland was a Medford visitor yesterday. He teaches school in Talent.

From Central Point—Mrs. George Fox of Central Point shopped and visited friends here yesterday.

Teachers Shop—Carl Boward and John Myers, Central Point school teachers, were Christmas shopping in Medford yesterday.

Business Caller—Earl Leever, formerly of Ashland and now living in this city, was a business caller in Ashland Wednesday.

Visit Here Friday—Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Elliott of Poota Creek visited in Medford Friday at the home of Mr. Elliott's sister, Mrs. G. H. West.

Holmer in Town—John T. Holmer, manager of Grievie's Prospect resort, was a business visitor in Medford yesterday. He reported ideal weather at Prospect.

To Correct Maps—John Jurain, representative of the Sanborn Map company, is expected to arrive here soon to correct the city insurance maps. The maps are brought up to date once a year.

Has Story Published—Elmer Carlson of this city has recently had his second story published within the last month. His latest manuscript, "Loafer's Reward," has been accepted by The Olive Leaf, weekly magazine published by the August-Stone book concern, according to word received by Mr. Carlson yesterday.

FINAL RITES FOR JAMES OWENS TO BE HELD TUESDAY

Funeral services for the late James Owens will be held at the Peri Funeral Home at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon with Rev. W. R. Baird of the First Christian church officiating. Interment will be in Central Point cemetery.

Active palbebers, all friends and neighbors of the late Mr. Owens, will be Victor Bursell, Lee Bradshaw, Harvey Stanley, Frank Brown, Charles Furnas and Paul B. Rynning.

Honorary palbebers will be Knight Templars George W. Dunn, Thomas H. Simpson, E. M. Wilson, J. A. Perry, Harvey Fields and Frank J. Newman.

Mr. Owens, a prominent and respected citizen of Jackson county for many years, died at his home in the Wellen district Thursday afternoon after a brief illness. He was a former county commissioner.

Obituary

Mrs. Sarah Jackson Lougley, aged 78, passed away November 30 at Riddle, Ore., after a long illness. Sarah Meyers was married to Mr. George Jackson in the year 1873. Their only son W. B. Jackson, also died March 25, 1924, in Medford, their home city. Mrs. Jackson was married to Thomas Lougley in August, 1921, moving to Riddle, Ore., in the year 1923.

Mrs. Lougley was a woman of fine Christian character and a pioneer member of the Medford Christian church. She also united with the church at Riddle and was a faithful member there.

She leaves her husband, Thomas Lougley, of Riddle, Ore., one adopted daughter, Mrs. E. E. Robinson, and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Ida Jackson; also many other relatives and friends in and near Medford, who mourn her loss. Mrs. Lougley was buried at Riddle, Ore., December 4, 1935, the Rev. B. L. Hicks, pastor of the Christian church, officiating.

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Linn Residents Plan For Bonneville Power

BROWNSVILLE, Ore., Dec. 7.—(AP)—Members of the state hydro-electrical commission presided at a hearing today relative to the proposal to a people's utility district. Nearly 300 Linn county residents endorsed such a plan at Albany yesterday. The districts are designed to permit utilization of power from Bonneville dam.

Mrs. McCroskey Recovering—Mrs. D. O. McCroskey, who has been ill for the past three weeks at the Sacred Heart hospital, returned to her home Friday and is reported convalescing.

Confers With WPA—O. M. Everett, Jr., assistant director of the Oregon state health department, conferred Friday with WPA officials here regarding sanitary projects in this district.

South for Holidays—Mrs. William E. Smith left by train Friday night for Long Beach, Cal., where she will spend the Christmas holidays with her daughter, Mrs. M. H. Payne, and family.

Back from Inspection—Harold D. Gray, WPA supervisor of labor management, was back at his office in the city hall yesterday following a field trip to Marshfield and Roseburg.

Delell Due Back—Thomas W. Delell, WPA district director, was expected back this morning from Portland where he has been attending a conference.

Wed in Grants Pass—According to word received here, Miss Blanche Leona Marbach and Louis E. Deardorf, both of Medford, were united in marriage Wednesday evening at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. H. P. Sounce in Grants Pass. The couple left immediately on a honeymoon trip to Portland.

Inspects Plant—Carl E. Green, state sanitary engineer, made an inspection yesterday afternoon of the Medford sewage disposal plant which is now about 40 percent completed. He left in the evening for Grants Pass and coast points where he was to inspect sewer systems and water supplies before returning to his office in Portland. He came here from Klamath Falls. During his inspection tour here he was accompanied by Fred W. Scheffel, city superintendent.

Postal receipts for November were \$7,148.29 as against \$6,247.62 in the same 1934 month, an increase of \$900.66, or 14 percent. Postmaster Frank DeSouza announced yesterday. Receipts in October were \$8,458.59 as compared with \$7,706.53 for the same month last year. This is an increase of \$652.06, or 8 percent.

POSTAL RECEIPTS SHOW NOVEMBER GAIN OF 14 PC.

For the three months ending November 30 receipts were \$24,093.15 as against \$22,181.18 for the same 1934 period, an increase of \$1,911.97, or 9 percent.

Figures for the first 11 months indicate that the increase in postal receipts for the full 1935 year will be 10 to 15 percent, Mr. DeSouza said.

MAIL GIFTS SOON, DE SOUZA PLEADS

With only little more than two weeks to Christmas Postmaster Frank DeSouza yesterday issued a plea for early mailing of gift packages. The efficiency of the postoffice depends in large measure upon public cooperation, he said.

"If senders wait until the last minute their mail will clash with incoming traffic and some delay in handling will be unavoidable," he warned. "Packages mailed too early can be labeled 'do not open until Christmas.' It is better to receive packages in good condition a few days before the holiday than in damaged condition a few days after."

"Experience shows," Mr. DeSouza continued, "that packages mailed early arrive in perfect condition whereas those that get into a jam at the last minute are liable to be crumpled if not actually damaged. It is best for everyone concerned to do Christmas mailing early."

Ladies Auxiliary of the P. O. E. and Clet-to-Gether club are giving a sausage-cooked food and candy sale in Sparks Bldg. Dec. 11.



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Selling Elsewhere for \$4.94
Beacon Robes
3.98
Our shoppers found robes of the same quality selling elsewhere at \$4.94! They're made of heavy, warm Beacon cloth in full cut, roomy sizes! Checked or plaid patterns! Small, medium or large sizes.

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