

WOMAN WHO WED 5 SOLDIERS AND CIVILIAN, DAZED

Under FBI Probe, Pleads
Guilty To Child Theft To
Fool Marine.

San Diego, July 1—(U.P.)—FBI agents today were investigating the story of 23-year-old Mrs. Helen Kreger, who pleaded guilty to child stealing this week, that she had married five servicemen and one civilian, and had sought a divorce from only one, local FBI Chief Harold Nathan revealed.

Mrs. Kreger said she "did not know why" she had married so many men, but claimed that she had received only one government allowance check from the servicemen and had returned it to the government, Nathan said.

Mrs. Kreger, of Vancouver, Wash., where she said she had applied for divorce from one husband in April, 1943, pleaded guilty in superior court here Thursday to charges of child stealing and asked for probation, a hearing was set for July 7.

At that time the much-married woman told the court she had abducted a two-year-old child from a downtown store to represent to her Marine husband, just back from 27 months in the south Pacific as their own.

Their own child, she said, died at birth and she did not have the heart to tell her husband. The FBI's investigation is to determine whether her allowance checks had been received in violation of the servicemen's dependency act, Nathan said.

18 MINERS SAVED, TRAPPED BY FIRE

Harlan, Ky., July 1—(U.P.)—Rescue crews this afternoon brought 18 miners, shaken but alive, to the surface from a mine shaft of the Ridgway Darby Coal Co., 15 miles east of Harlan, where they had been trapped for nearly 17 hours by fire of undetermined origin.

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Mine officials said rescue squads reached the men at 3:15 p. m. (CWT) after driving a new entrance to the shaft from an old air vent through more than 300 feet of dirt and coal, by-passing the fire which previously had hampered rescue efforts.

Approximately 500 anxious friends and relatives of the trapped men were on hand when the first of the grimy, grinning miners was brought to the surface.

DAKOTA VOTE IS STILL IN DOUBT

Bismarck, N. D., July 1—(U.P.)—The contest for Republican nomination for the U. S. senate remained in doubt tonight although Sen. Gerald P. Nye, pre-war isolationist, held an 844-vote lead over Lynn U. Stambaugh, former national commander of the American Legion.

The doubt existed because between 10,000 and 12,000 absentee ballots were mailed to North Dakotans in the armed services. The deadline for return of the service ballots is July 17.

Stambaugh has indicated he will ask for a recount should Nye's final lead be less than 1500 votes.

Returns from all but 32 rural precincts of the total of 2251 gave Nye 38,699 and Stambaugh 37,855.

PRIVATE KILLED BY FALLING TREE

Pvt. Carey M. Wright, 30, of Lepanto, Ark., connected with the 796th Engineer Forestry Battalion, Camp White, died in the station hospital Friday night of a skull fracture he suffered in an accident at the battalion's Dead Indian creek bivouac area Tuesday.

According to camp officials, Pvt. Wright was fatally hurt when a dead tree fell and struck him on the head while he was driving a bulldozer engaged in clearing a temporary roadway.

The body will be shipped to Bonneville, Miss., for burial. His wife resides at 1107 East Main street, Medford.

BOYS CONFESS TO CHURCH MISCHIEF

Portland, Ore., July 1—(U.P.)—Police today reported the arrest of two youths, ages 17 and 14, who admitted they were the vandals who entered the Mount Taber Presbyterian church here June 22, causing considerable damage.

Neither of the boys had a previous record with police or juvenile authorities. They gave no reasons for their act.

They stole colored powder, crayons and official records about the church and damaged and desecrated holy vessels.

Telephone Service Tuned to War Time Says P.T.T. Chief

"Tuned as it is to the spirit of the service," President Powley of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company emphasizes, in his statement accompanying dividend checks mailed Saturday to common shareholders, "that the telephone organization, realizing not only the profound importance, but also the full significance of the European invasion, has been performing with its characteristic earnestness, efficiency and courtesy which accord with the finest traditions of the service."

President Powley's statement continued:

"Realizing not only the profound importance, but also the full significance of the European invasion, our organization, tuned as it is to the spirit of service, has been performing with its characteristic earnestness and effort in these emergency days with that esprit de corps, efficiency and courtesy which accord with the finest traditions of the service."

"All telephone services direct, by essential to the war effort are being installed without delay. Although the telephone demand for new services is somewhat less than a year ago, our backlog of unfilled applications which cannot be cared for immediately because of lack of facilities continues to increase."

Faced with a shortage of facilities and a record high volume of long distance traffic, we appreciate deeply the fine cooperation of the public in aiding us to keep the lines open for urgent war calls and for the calls of service men and women which are usually made between 7 p. m. and 10 p. m., about the only period of the day in which they have an opportunity to make their calls."

WAGE INCREASE GRANTED UNION

Grants Pass, July 1—A decision rendered by the West Coast Lumber Commission of the National War Labor Board on June 24, brings to a close a case involving the Grants Pass A. F. of L. Lumber and Sawmill Workers union and the Swede Basin Lumber Co., according to J. G. Wolf and R. R. Murray, Medford, union representatives.

The case, involving wages, paid vacations and other conditions of employment, was certified to the lumber commission in July, 1943, by the U. S. department of labor, when the union and the company were unable to reach a mutually satisfactory settlement.

The commission ordered that unless union or company files a petition for review, or it is otherwise directed by the national board within 15 days, the Swede Basin Co. shall put into effect for its Grants Pass operations: A basic minimum wage of 90 cents per hour; a wage increase of 10 cents per hour to all employees in the bargaining unit in job classifications above common labor; retroactive date for wage increases, June 27, 1943; union and company are directed to negotiate further concerning other rates; the company shall grant a paid vacation on one week for the year 1943.

In a meeting held here last Wednesday between union and company officials, it was agreed that neither party will file a petition for review of the commission's decision, and that the union will now submit to the company its suggestions for further rate changes, in line with the procedure outlined in the order. Also, negotiations on the union's request for extensive changes in the existing working agreement will be resumed shortly, according to Wolf.

DEWEY ELECTORS ON IDAHO TICKET

Boise, Idaho, July 1—(U.P.)—The GOP elephant with Dewey up, who got off to a Man o' War start in some states, today was assured of fair odds in the Idaho race, although there was some fear yesterday he might be "scratched at the post."

Secretary of State George Cur-

tis, a Democrat, pointed out Thursday that the last date for certifying presidential electors for placement on the ballot was July 8, under the newly enacted service vote law—but the Republicans had set the date for their platform convention, during which electors are named, as July 15, in Twin Falls.

However, Republican fears of a "straight bourbon" presidential vote in Idaho next November were allayed tonight when State Chairman Reilly Atkinson announced he had rescheduled the convention for July 7.

"INSIDE" AID HINT IN STORE HOLDUP

Stockton, July 1—(U.P.)—Convicted that the daylight bandit who held up two employees of the Green Frog food stores this afternoon and took \$11,500 was the same man who just a month ago robbed employees of the same firm of \$5,500, Stockton police were investigating the possibility tonight that the thief has a confederate employed by the grocery concern.

Because of the perfect timing connected with both holdups as well as the fact that each has met with such lucrative success, police stated that they were conducting a thorough investigation of the possibility that someone working for the stores is involved.

SEGURA RETAINS HIS TENNIS TOGA

Evanston, Ill., July 1—(U.P.)—Francisco "Pancho" Segura, Miami University junior retained his NCAA singles tennis championship by defeating Charlie Samson, Notre Dame team captain in straight sets today on the Northwestern University courts by scores of 6-0, 6-4, 6-0.

The two-handed forehand ace dominated his final opponent the same as in his earlier competition during the week, and mastered the match from start to finish, with the exception of a brief spurt by Samson in the second set.

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