

## ASK CLAIMS AGAINST CASCADE FOOD STORE

Liquidation of the affairs of Cascade Food Store, Inc., at Cascade Locks is proceeding under receivership of the Adjustment bureau of the Portland Credit Men's association. The store was closed several weeks ago by Dick Morris, manager.

All known creditor have been advised by the bureau to submit proofs of claim so they may participate in distribution of any funds. Representatives of Hudson-Duncan company, probably the store's largest creditor, inventoried stock on the shelves. Report to creditors shows assets of \$1024.75. Liabilities of approximately \$1000. Merchandise and fixtures were sold last week for \$295 to Ernest Cobb, who moved the stock to Portland. Of the \$250 accounts receivable, the bureau believes about \$100 to be collectible.

## COLUMBIA GORGE IS BEING RENOVATED

J. W. Rountree, managing owner of the Columbia Gorge hotel, on the highway two miles west of Hood River, is polishing up the property with the view to making it one of the most popular tourist hotels in the west.

A painter is being employed by the month and the guest rooms are being done over preparatory to handling a heavy summer business. The hotel has been enjoying a brisk trade since it was opened for the season a month ago and indications are that it will entertain the largest number of guests in years.

The dining room and lobby have been done over for the State Editorial association's convention, which will be held at the hotel the middle of July, with newspaper publishers in attendance from all parts of Oregon.

The hotel is making quite a feature of its Sunday chicken dinners this summer. It reports a growing Sunday business from the Bonneville dam area.

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## MORE LOCAL NEWS

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. McGarvey, of Hood River, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Hoff Sunday.

Sturgeon fishing has been good for the past several days and a number of catches running up to 30 and 40 pounds are reported by sportsmen.

A. W. Meyer is adding to the improved appearance of the town by painting his house this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Tipton, of The Dalles, dropped in for a visit with Mrs. Donna Mohr, a long time friend, Sunday.

Donald Clark went down to Portland Monday on business and stopped over for a visit with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Anders.

Ira Owen was the center of attraction Friday night when a group of his friends surprised him with a party at the C. Ceciliani home in honor of his birthday. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Bill Keeler, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kirby, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Enquist, Mr. and Mrs. C. Ceciliani, Mrs. Mae Silva, Mrs. Pat Furlong, Mrs. Babe Eddy, Dr. Fred Folsom, Oscar Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Lou Duncan, Al Meyers, Jack Travis, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moran, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Epping and W. C. "Tuck" Anderson were late arrivals.

R. E. Andrews is on vacation this week for the first time in years. He, with Mrs. Andrews and family, left last week for Agate beach, near Newport, Ore., expecting to return about July 4.

H. C. Odell is in charge of R. E. Andrews and company grocery during Mr. Andrews' vacation this week.

A week ago, Clayton Rand discovered that during a short absence from his ranch, someone had spirited away half a dozen of the choicest, tenderest young fryers from his chicken coop. And, when he was out, a note inviting him to dinner at Mrs. H. F. Roberts' home was pushed under the door. He went to dinner, ate chicken, declared it wonderful, was informed that it was his own fryers, enjoyed the joke, as well as the chicken.

Mrs. Connie Odell spent the weekend in Hood River visiting Montie and Dorothy Bears.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert C. Lee spent the weekend in Portland.

Addison and Gibson Harrison and Ed Glazier returned Friday from The Dalles after a several-week job of cherry picking.

Mr. and Mrs. John Myers are scheduled to return from Portland next week where Mr. Myers was transferred for several weeks from his work at the dam.

Mrs. E. Granstrom entertained Miss Georgia Crofoot of Monmouth for several days over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Piper are spending this week with Mrs. Piper's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Jacobus, in Centralia, Wash.

Mrs. Pat Wilson spent part of Thursday in Hood River.

Mart Oaks of Portland made a few minor alterations in Cascade Drug company's store Thursday, including adding trim and staining panels. The store now presents a finished appearance.

Mrs. Vernon G. Henderson spent Thursday in Hood River.

Miss Macy Johnson spent from Thursday to Monday in Portland visiting her parents.

Stan Hammel of Portland and his cousin, Jack Hammel of Albany, were visitors to Cascade Locks last week. Mr. Hammel is owner of Hammel Drug company of which Cascade Drug company is a subsidiary.

A new two-room house is nearing completion for Belle Nell across Main street from Elmer's.

## ENGINEER TO TRY AGAIN FOR FORTUNE

Undaunted by Kidnaping, He  
Plans Another Hunt.

Los Angeles.—A treasure hunt for a fortune in Spanish coins, jewels, gold and silver—cached in the wilds of Mexico as early as 1771—was planned by Louis F. Vremsak, California engineer, who recently was ransomed from Mexican bandits.

Undaunted by the ill fortune that befell him on his first expedition, Vremsak was negotiating with the Mexican government for permission to explore caves in a desolate mountain region where he claims the treasure is hidden.

"I have documents which show that thousands of gold and silver bars and triangular gold coins were buried by Spaniards to save them from invading bandit gangs," he said.

While the engineer did not reveal the locality of the purported buried treasure, he said he found landmarks listed in the documents during his first trip into the territory.

"We found a waterfall described in the documents, a rock shaped like a soldier and other significant landmarks, but the cave apparently has been covered by landslides," he explained. "When we go down there again we'll excavate and I'm convinced we'll find the treasure."

Vremsak said he obtained the documents from a descendant of one of the men who buried the treasure and that it specified the finder may keep all "except jewels and table jewelry," which must be turned over to the church of "Coloitan."

Jose Navaroo, the engineer's Mexican attorney, and Mary McKenney, blond woman partner, who negotiated for his release from the Mexican bandit, Juan Villareal, are working with him on resumption of the treasure hunt.

"When I return and find the fortune," he said, "I will be through with treasure hunting forever."

## Man Dies to Prevent Killing Worst Enemy

New York.—Rather than yield to an "obsession" to slay a man he blames for his wife's suicide and his own ruin, Harry M. Confess, forty-five, once a prosperous merchant, killed himself.

Sixteen months ago his wife, Nell, a beautiful blond, took her life in Miami, Fla.

Before he followed her to death, Confess wrote to two friends, saying:

"Please forgive me. I'll go insane if I don't do it. I've had a constant pounding in my head and have been fighting for six months the obsession to kill — (Name deleted.)"

"Nell would be alive if it were not for him. He caused my ruination."

"I can't stand it any longer. I've been suffering the tortures of hell."

The note was addressed to Murray Goldberg, Coney Island, and Samuel Adler, Boston manufacturer. They were notified after Confess was found dead, a bullet in his heart, in a hotel.

## Fore! Golf Balls To Fly On Reservation

Bonneville dam reservation will be able to boast a golf course within a month or two.

A short pitch-and-putt course of two or three holes will be laid out on the slopes behind the new auditorium building. Special grass seed has been ordered and is expected to arrive within a few days for sowing.

The course will be a part of the recreational facilities of the auditorium. It will be in use when the grass is judged tough enough to stand trampling by feet and divot-digging.

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