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## FINCH TRIAL FOR ALLEGED SHOOTING ON

The criminal case of the state against William Finch, alleged to have fired two shots with a revolver at Louis Boldischar, Mallin Banker, June 21, with intent to kill, was called up in circuit court this morning. The jury which will hear the evidence consists of D. F. Driscoll, George Ulrich, E. Dennis, John Anderson, H. A. Thiede, William Barks, Daniel Murphy, T. F. Boggs, W. E. Corum, George Christie, William Hall and C. I. Roberts.

The plaintiff, Louis Boldischar, was the first witness called to the stand by the state and stated that the defendant, William Finch, called at the Mallin bank twice on the day of the alleged shooting. The first time Finch came into the bank, Boldischar said, "he had the most peculiar look on his face I ever saw a man have—it was like a crazy man and he was cursing a lot." A man named Carl Jackson of Klamath Falls was in the private workroom of the bank with the banker and Finch forced himself in without invitation requesting the party to go across the street to the Mallin hotel bar to get a soft drink. He also said he had a lot of money in his car. No business transpired on the first visit, Boldischar said.

The second time Finch returned with a stranger, Boldischar testified. This was after Jackson and he had taken the drink and he alone went into the establishment. No one was present but the three men. Finch again had this crazy look on his face and demanded some papers in the safety deposit vault, particularly a mortgage given by Finch on some Merrill property. Boldischar said that after a search of the box, the paper wanted was in Klamath Falls being recorded and that this angered the defendant causing him to swear and make a statement about "You will record papers on me, will you? Well, I'll show you and kill you for it." Boldischar asked Finch if he was crazy repeatedly during this time and tried to talk him out of shooting his gun. Finch then drew a revolver and stood within three feet of him looking wildly all the time. The stranger during the talk made no effort to assist the banker. Realizing that Finch was not joking, Boldischar testified that he struck the defendant in the side and broke for the door, as he passed Finch, the latter struck him with the butt of the revolver on the shoulder. Finch pursued him, Boldischar said, and two shots were fired. Boldischar on the stand said he did not know whether Finch fired the shots or not, and direct questioning by the district attorney could not make him say he saw Finch fire the shots.

The plaintiff said he was seeking refuge in the rear of the bank building and said he never saw Finch on the lot in pursuit of him when the shots were fired. When Finch first came into the bank, his car was facing the south in front of the place but the next time Boldischar saw the car, it was across the street facing the north, Finch no where in sight.

At 3 o'clock this afternoon the prosecution appeared nearly ready to close. The defense, it was thought, would be brief and there is a possibility that the case may go to the jury today, though court attaches thought it hardly likely.

**WELL KNOWN COUPLE LICENSED TO WED**

A marriage license was issued last evening to Frank Lester Evans and Mrs. Hattie Hinds. Both are well known residents of Klamath Falls. Mr. Evans is in the shoe business here, and Mrs. Hinds has been head operator for the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company for several years.

## NEWPORT MAN KILLED

**NEWPORT, Ore., Oct. 6.**—D. B. Wagner, of Newport, was found dead this morning between here and Agate Beach beneath his automobile.

## State to Conduct Inspection of Fire Hazards in City

The city of Klamath Falls is to have another fire hazard inspection, similar to the one conducted two years ago previous to the Houston hotel fire, by A. C. Barber, state fire marshal and an assistant from the same office sometime during the first week of October, according to the letter received yesterday by Arthur R. Wilson, president of the Klamath Insurance Agent's association. Fire hazards will be inspected and recommendations made for changes which will protect and keep down loss by fire.

President Wilson urges every citizen of the city to remedy defective wiring, remove inflammable material from wooden structures, cut weeds and in general, remove hazards before ordered to do so by the inspectors. Any move made in this direction will assist greatly in keeping the present fire insurance rates, Wilson said.

**RUSHING WORK OF KLAMATH TO ASHLAND ROAD**

One hundred men are working on the right of way for the new highway between Hayden creek and Jenny creek, Klamath county's 18 mile stretch of the Klamath Falls to Ashland road, according to E. T. Ludden, local manager for the telephone company, who made a trip to Jenny creek yesterday.

Twenty more men were to go to work this morning, Mr. Ludden was told by a foreman. The main contract was let to the John Hampshire company, who have their outfit on the ground. Many sub-contractors are also on the job.

This piece of highway, under the terms of the contract, is to be finished next June. According to Mr. Ludden, if the initial pace is kept up, the contractors will complete the work within the time of the contract.

Trees and brush are being cleared at an amazing rate, he said. The crews had progressed nearly half a mile, he declared, between noon and quitting time last night. The camps are comfortable, Mr. Ludden said, and he learned from experience that high class food is being served the workers.

So far, he said, no detouring was necessary for travellers, as the new right-of-way parallels the old road as far as it has gone. The grade is apparently easy and uniform, he said.

## BUYERS' WEEK IS SATISFYING

The Merchants Bureau meeting last night brought forth general expressions of satisfaction over the results of Buyers' Week, said Secretary Stanley today.

Refund slips are coming in fast, said Mr. Stanley. He called buyers attention to the provision that refunds are not granted on less than \$25 worth of purchases and advised buyers to hold their slips until the end of the week, although they may exercise their own judgment.

Mrs. B. S. Grigby showed the largest purchase so far, \$122.92. The refund offer expires Saturday evening at 9 o'clock. The chamber of commerce rooms will be open until 9 to receive demands for refunds, but Mr. Stanley said the slips would be honored until the following Saturday, at 6 o'clock.

## KU KLUX KLAN PROBE IS UP TO CONGRESS

**WASHINGTON, Oct. 6.**—Decision by the department of justice as to investigation of the Ku Klux Klan will await action by congress on the proposed inquiry, Attorney General Daugherty announced today.

## Yankees Duplicate Victory of Yesterday, Trimming Giants By Another Score of 3 to 0

**POLOGROUNDS, New York, Oct. 6.**—Youngster Waite Hoyt came over from his home in Brooklyn today and besmeared the giants with goose eggs, while the Yankees walked off the field with the second game of the world series with a 3 to 0 score. The Yankees again distinguished themselves as base runners, Bob Meusel stealing home in eighth before the astonished gaze of John McGraw, manager of the Giants, while Babe Ruth, who got a base on balls during each of three of his four appearances at bat, showed he could do something besides home run hitting, by stealing second and third bases in the fifth inning, and bringing in a run in the eighth.

Nehf pitched a good game, but his own error in fourth and an error by Frisch in the eighth enabled the Yankees to win.

The crowd in attendance was larger than at yesterday's game. There were fully 35,000 persons in the stands. Governor Miller was escorted across the field by the band and sat near the Yankees' bench. He threw out the first ball.

The line-ups follow:

Giants—Burns, cf; Bancroft, ss; Frisch, 3b; Young, rf; Kelly, 1b; Meusel, lf; Rawlings, 2b; Smith, c; Nehf, p.

Yankees—Miller, cf; Peckinpugh, ss; Ruth, lf; Meusel, rf;

## INITIATION OF K. OF C. SUNDAY

A class of thirty will be initiated in the three degrees of the Knights of Columbus in the Knights of Pythias hall next Sunday. The degree team will arrive Saturday evening. This is the second initiation of this organization, the first being when the Council was instituted a few months ago. The number to be initiated represents the maximum that can be inducted in one class. It denotes a rapid and healthy increase in an organization that has proven an important factor in the growth and development of every community where Councils have been established. Already the local Council has begun the mapping out of a program of very ambitious undertakings in this community and the confidence with which the plans are discussed by the members denotes their ultimate consummation.

Members of the order have been notified that next Sunday the following program will be carried out:

8:45, general assembly in Lyceum hall.

10:00 a. m. Breakfast.

11:00 a. m. First degree work in Knights of Pythias hall.

12:00 a. m. to 6 p. m., 2nd and 3rd degree work.

7 p. m. Class Banquet.

## BANKS AND SCHOOLS TO CLOSE AT NOON TOMORROW

Banks of the city will close at noon tomorrow, the half holiday being declared that the bank employees may attend the closing day of the fair.

Schools of the city will also close for a half holiday.

Stores would not close, Charles Roberts, of the Merchants' Bureau, said.

## SENATOR STANFIELD ASKS TO BE PAIRED ON TOLLS MEASURE

**WASHINGTON, Oct. 6.**—Senator Stanfield will not return to Washington for several days apparently, as this morning Senator McNary received a request from the junior senator, asking that he be paired as voting in favor of the Panama canal tolls bill and also in favor of ratifying the peace treaties now before the senate.

## NINE MOROS KILLED IN BATTLE WITH TROOPERS

**MANILA, Oct. 6.**—Nine Moros were killed in a fight at Kulay-kulay, Sulu province, when the Moros attacked 16 Philippine constabulary troopers, headed by Governor Moore of Sulu, who came to negotiate peace.

## Boys and Girls to Handle Program at the Fair Tomorrow

Tomorrow, the final day, is Boys' and Girls' day at the County Fair. The following program will be given:

Boys' and Girls' Program

Milk Testing Demonstration—Dairy Herd Record Club.

Display of Dairy Herd Records—Dairy Herd Record Club.

Stock Judging, of Dairy and Beef Cattle—Team, Dairy Herd Record Club.

Stock Judging of Sheep and Hogs—Team, Beef Calf Club. (L. J. Allen of O. A. C. in charge of stock judging.)

Canning Demonstration—Henley Canning Club. Leader in charge.

Sports

Serpentine Dance—By all school children. C. D. Chorpennin in charge.

Potato race, between Miller Hill and Lone Pine Potato Clubs.

Boys' 50 yard dash, between representatives from various Boys' and Girls' Clubs, one representative from each club.

Girls' 50 yard dash, between representatives from various Boys' and Girls' Clubs, one representative from each club.

50 yard dash between representatives from different Klamath Falls schools, one from each school; age limit 13 to 15 years; winner to represent Klamath Falls in the following race:

50 yard dash between representatives from the following schools: Mallin, Merrill, Bonanza, Bly, Klamath Falls, Keno, Fort Klamath and Klamath Agency; one representative from each school; age limit 13 to 15 years.

Free for All 50 yard dash—Limited to school children of the county; age limit 14 to 18 years.

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## BRUMFIELD CASE MAKES PROGRESS

**ROSEBURG, Oct. 6.**—With seven tentative jurors in the box, attorneys in the Brumfield case resumed the examination of witnesses at 9 o'clock today.

Four men remained of the first panel and the new panel called for today.

Six of the veniremen seated yesterday were reached and the seventh was a road worker. Judge Bingham complimented the attorneys on the progress made yesterday.

At this morning's session two more tentative jurors were secured.

Following exhaustion of the panel, court adjourned until tomorrow, when a second panel of 50 names is summoned to appear.

There were few spectators in the court room today.

## LOOK FOR TAX BILL REVISION

**WASHINGTON, Oct. 6.**—The radical revision of the tax bill, is in prospect as the result of conferences between the various senate republican factions with a view to the amendment of the bill as reported by the senate finance committee.

The agreement would provide:

The repeal next January of all transportation taxes except possibly pullman accommodations;

Increase of income sur tax rates \$65,000 from the committee maximum rate of 32 per cent to a maximum of 50 per cent;

Repeal all of the majority luxury and so-called "nuisance" taxes, including soft drinks;

Increase of the corporation tax rate of 15 per cent, as recommended by committee.

## FARM BUREAU HEAD SPEAKER AT FAIR TODAY

At one o'clock today, nearly three hundred persons had registered at the gate at the second day of the Klamath County Annual Fair, the occasion being the Farm Bureau Day, in charge of E. H. Thomas, county agriculturalist. The principal address of the day was made by George Mansfield, president of the State Farm Bureau.

"General Farm Conditions and Accomplishments of the State and National Farm Bureaus" was the topic chosen by the Medford speaker and he traced the splendid work accomplished by the bureaus from their inception to the present day. The need of agricultural development, intelligent co-operation between the capitalistic classes and the agricultural sections, equitable railroad rates, coupled with systematic education of the present day boys and girls in the art of husbandry was the solution to many of the griefs which the farmers labored under today, he said.

The farm bureaus, the speaker said, were working to that end, and were slowly but surely driving the truth home that the wealth of the nation, the prosperity and the internal development rested on the farming interests. Many other interesting facts about finances were discussed by the speaker, and his speech was well received and applauded.

**Shorthorn Breeders' Organize**

A short talk was made by A. B. Lusted of the Northwest Shorthorn Breeders' association on the "Advantages of Better Livestock," in which he mentioned that this afternoon the Klamath county breeders of Shorthorn stock would meet preparatory to the formation of a county organization, as there were 20 breeders who had both pure bred bulls and heifers, and that others were using pure blooded bulls for breeding purposes. This association would add materially to the future of the breed here.

Miss Helen Cowgill, assistant State club leader, of Corvallis, in a short speech complimented the boys and girls work under direction of Mr. Frank Sexton, club leader, and in turn then came boosts by E. B. Hall, R. E. Bradbury, Frank Sexton and E. H. Thomas for a full attendance tonight at the chamber of commerce rooms for the formation of a rodeo and fair grounds association, so that next year a banner fair could be put on. The meeting, the speakers said, was at 8 o'clock, and every man in the county was invited to participate in it.

**Dairy Stock Judged**

The forenoon was given over to judging of sheep, hogs and dairy cow exhibits, but the work in all departments was not complete at the time of the publication of the Herald. A few of the available winners are mentioned. The prize Jersey bull belonging to R. B. Wilcox was awarded first prize, and the animal drew many favorable comments. The dairy herd of Bryan Hawking took first prizes in the Jersey class for one bull over two years, junior bull calf, senior heifer calf and the herd consisting of one bull and two cows over one year, and also three prizes for two-year-old cows.

**Sheep Awards**

Burr Westbrook took first prize with a Shropshire ram over one year old; J. D. Hooper, first and second prize; Burr Westbrook, third in the Shropshire ewe class; Burr Westbrook, first in a Shropshire ram under one year; also first and second in the Shropshire ewe class under 1 year; G. P. Shamhart, first and second prizes in the Hampshire ram and ewe class; Burr Westbrook first, John W. Taylor second, and Davis Brothers third places on pens of fat market lambs consisting of three fat lambs of any breed. No other awards were made.

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## WAR FINANCE FUND NO AID SAY BANKERS

Little benefit was seen in the War Finance corporation's billion dollar fund for loans to farmers, by farm bureau, chamber of commerce and banking representatives, who met this morning.

George Mansfield, president of the state farm bureau; T. N. Case and L. A. West of the Klamath farm bureau; E. B. Hall and T. L. Stanley of the chamber of commerce; J. W. Kerns, chairman of the chamber's marketing committee, and J. A. Gordon, Marshall Hooper and E. M. Bubb, representing the three local banks, participated in the conference.

The billion dollar fund is to be pro-rated among the states and loaned through local banks. The War Finance corporation charges 5 1/2 per cent interest, and the banks are allowed to add not to exceed 2 per cent more. The bank takes all the risk, guaranteeing the security behind the loan.

Bankers held that, except for the additional fund created, the plan was without any obvious benefit. The same security is required that safeguards ordinary loans. Wherever the farmer can show a safe statement, it was said, he can obtain a loan.

The fund was created as an emergency aid to the agricultural interests, supposedly, but, according to members of the conference, it takes cognizance of no emergency by providing for less security than hedges usual banking loans, either from the local assets or under the federal reserve plan.

J. A. Gordon, president of the First National bank, said that he knew of no instance where loans had been refused local farmers to handle crops or provide feeding stock, if the security ordinarily required was present. It seemed to be the opinion of the bankers that the Klamath banks could handle the local situation. Klamath's share of the emergency loan is available in any event for this community.