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## NEWSPAPER ROW GETS AIRING IN CIRCUIT COURT

E. J. Murray, on Stand,  
States Basis of Claim and  
Describes Midnight Raid

Judge Strong from the bench  
decided the case late today in  
favor of E. J. Murray, who is to  
have possession of the common  
stock of the Record on pay-  
ment of \$1,000. Failing to do  
over the stock, the defendants  
are to credit Murray with \$60  
per share. Defendants said  
they would appeal.

RIOT OF COLOR IN  
PARADE BY PUPILS  
OF CITY SCHOOLS

Hundreds of Children Participate  
in Field and Track Meet  
Match to Modoc Park

A riot of color and a medley of songs and school yells marked the parade this morning by several hundred school children, preliminary to the school track and field meet at Modoc park. The children marched through the business district, then to Modoc park, where the games at once started.

The field meet is being staged in connection with a county field meet to be held at a later date, entrants for which will be chosen from among the winners today.

The children were garbed in bright orange, blue, red and pink costumes, lending a festive air to the parade. Each school carried banners with slogans, and vied with one another in school yells.

### GRADUATES TO STUDY

Many Will Continue Educational Work in Higher Institutions

Midnight Raid Aired

A graphic account was given by Murray in his testimony of the "midnight raid" of Redding and his associates in an endeavor to take possession of certain equipment and supplies then at the office of Herald Publishing company, and which had been used by members of the Record company under the contract of October 8 in publishing the *Bi-Monthly Record*.

He stated that he had heard a rumor of the intended raid and could not really credit it, but decided to stay at the Herald building to await results. He said Belding and four other men drove up with a truck and came into the Herald office, and that Belding stated: "Boys we will take these desks and things here, and then get the stuff from the back room."

Murray stated that he then stepped into view, and that Belding was just returning from the truck where he had taken some articles from the office. Belding entered the doorway and saw him, then turned and fled and left his associates to stay and face the music. Murray then testified that he commanded them to put the articles back, which they did and went away and that although Belding had up to that time been working at the Herald plant he did not show up for work the next day.

The taking of testimony was resumed at 1:30 this afternoon, and it was likely that the case would be finished late today.

### WILL MARK HIGHWAY

REDDING, Calif., May 12.—Historic spots along the highways of northern California are to be marked this summer by the Northern California County association, according to an announcement by Secretary Lewis Carrigan.

### WEATHER PROBABILITIES

Aside from a sudden drop of a few points this morning, the Cycles Stormograph at Underwood's Pharmacy has recorded little change in barometric pressure since yesterday. The fall referred to indicates a short period of brisk winds this evening.

EDWARD LENOX PASSES

Word was received here today of the death in a hospital at Hood River of Edward Lenox, brother of Dave Lenox, who formerly operated the Shasta confectionery, and brother of Edith Reames and Lottie Agee, who left for Hood River today.

Forecast for next 24 hours:  
Continued fair with moderate temperatures.  
The Tyco recording thermometer registered maximum and minimum temperatures today, as follows:

High ..... 70

Low ..... 41

GIANT METEOR DROPS  
IN VIRGINIA; EARTH  
ROCKED FOR MILES

NORFOLK, Va., May 12.—A meteor which flashed across the Virginia sky last night and rocked houses in half a dozen cities by the shock of its landing, was found today 12 miles northwest of Blackstone, in Nottoway county.

Rolling off a grassy slope the meteor made a depression in the earth 200 square feet in area.

Several trees were buried beneath its falling body in the hole.

The meteor was composed apparently of some metallic substance.

## FRANCE BALKS; GENOA CONFAB SPLIT NEARER

Czech and Polish Delegates Ready to Withdraw From Conference

GENOA, May 12.—France will never agree to a project for a mixed commission sitting indefinitely while the conference is going on to study Russian affairs, French delegates stated. Foreign Minister Beneš of Czechoslovakia said the conference must be adjourned within a few days.

Great Britain has proposed a truce in eastern Europe pending the conclusion of the commission of inquiry to be appointed.

Foreign Minister Schanzer of Italy, addressing newspaper correspondents today, expressed an opinion that the Russian reply to the allied memorandum would not prevent the continuation of the conference.

The Polish delegation today declared that if discussion of the Vilna and Galicia questions were insisted upon, the Polish representatives would withdraw from the conference.

H. S. TEACHERS LEAVE

Some Will Return, Others to Assume Duties Elsewhere

With the closing of the high school term the instructors are leaving the city, some to remain others to return for the new term.

Miss Wanda Brown is visiting relatives in Stayton, Oregon, and plans to return.

Miss Ruth Wilson will visit in Ridgefield, Washington, for a month prior to taking a summer course at Berkeley. Later she will assume the chair of philosophy at Grinnell college, Iowa, from which school she was graduated. The position is considered a tribute to Miss Wilson's ability.

Elmer Pendell has left for Berkeley where he will take the summer course, while Frank Z. Howard is studying entomology with the pine beetle survey in this county.

Howard Wines, accompanied by his mother, departed yesterday for the Willamette valley.

Miss Mary Craig has accepted the position of English instructor in the Jefferson high school in Portland.

Miss Keyes will study in the University of Oregon and Mrs. Solomon in the University of Oregon. Both plan to return in September.

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## BALLOON WILL BE RADIO EQUIPPED IN NATIONAL RACE

Army and Navy Pilots to Compete With Civilians; Fighting Aircraft to Participate

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 12.—One of the government balloons which will compete in the National Balloon race for 1922, to start here May 31, will carry a complete and new radio alignment which will be tested here for the first time. For the third time American army and navy balloons will compete against civilians. Most of the government pilots saw service in the world war. The army will send three balloons and the navy two, but great secrecy appears to surround the entry of these balloons.

DETROIT, Mich., May 12.—Announcement that the fighting aircraft of the Atlantic would be brought to Detroit during the early part of September to participate in the Pulitzer air races and that pilots of these machines would seek to establish new altitude and endurance records was made here by Rear-Admiral William A. Moffet, chief of the bureau of aerial navigation of the United States navy.

## PLAY AT FT. KLAMATH

High School Students Will Present "An Arizona Cowboy"

The Fort Klamath high school is presenting "An Arizona Cowboy", its annual play Saturday night, May 13, at 8 o'clock. A dance and chicken supper will follow the play.

The Arizona Cowboy is Farley Gant, a courageous sheriff who sees that there is justice for everyone. He is obliged to arrest his partner for murder, his life is sought by cattle thieves and two beautiful girls fall in love with him at the same time. These are only a few of the situations in which the cowboy finds himself.

The play is made lively through the antics of Hezekiah Bugg, the henpecked husband, Yow Kee, the heathen Chinaman, and Young'un, the poorhouse brat.

Members of the cast are Alvin Copeland, Gus Page, Chester Jackson, Melvyn Cardwell, Millard Briscoe, Velma Moore, Gladys Darling, Elsie Trimbarger, Bass Briscoe, Ida Briscoe, Jack and Marvin Noah.

## REPUBLICANS MEET TONIGHT

Permission to use the American Legion quarters tonight for a republican meeting was granted. Commander Westerfield announced. General discussion will be had of matters of general interest with view to adopting a program. The meeting is purely political and has no connection with the legion.

Mrs. W. H. Robertson, newly-appointed member of the council, representing the public health association, outlined the purposes of that organization.

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## PAIR CONFESS TO ROBBERY OF NEW YORK BANK

\$500,000 Worth of Securities Is Recovered; Large Sum Still Missing

SAVANNAH, Ga., May 12.—John Vardeman, alias J. W. Hollis, and Bertha Fern Vardeman, have confessed to the robbery of the Chase National bank of New York city of \$500,000 worth of securities, according to detectives. They added that \$30,000 worth of bonds were still missing but probably would be recovered soon. The robbery occurred on April 18th. A countrywide search led to Savannah where the Vardeman family recently became established.

## COUNCIL HOLDS MEET

Members Representing Various Organizations Consider Problems

General discussion of municipal problems of general interest was had at a meeting last night of the Klamath community council.

Consideration was given to the \$50,000 road appropriation proposed by the tribal council of the Klamath Indians, and ways and means considered for aiding the project. R. C. Groesbeck, representing the Klamath County Auto association, and County Judge R. H. Bunnell, representing the county court, explained the status of the proposed appropriation and told of efforts which have been made in its behalf.

A general program for development of parks, playgrounds and for aiding in the clean-up campaign was dealt with. Discussion was also had of the county high school. Chairman Smith pointing out that it might be advisable to give consideration to urging that the school come under the jurisdiction of the city. In this connection Judge Bunnell pointed out that since the establishment of high schools elsewhere in the county, few county students attended the school here.

It was voted to request the American Legion and American Legion auxiliary to make plans for memorial day, and to offer the aid of the organizations represented on the council.

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## SUBSTITUTE BONUS BILL WOULD MAKE FOREIGN BONDS PAY

WASHINGTON, May 12.—A substitute for the soldiers' bonus bill, under which veterans would receive 50 per cent cash payment, was introduced today by Senator Burton, republican, of New Mexico, referring to the senate finance committee. The bill would provide that the bonus be financed by the refunded foreign debt, the secretary of the treasury being authorized to sell such amount of foreign bonds as might be necessary.

## PATTERSON WOULD DEBATE HALL ON PHONE QUESTION

Charge Marshfield Delegate Committed Through Connection With Pacific Tel. Co.

PORTLAND, May 12.—Senator I. L. Patterson, candidate for governor, through his campaign manager, W. E. Burke, has challenged Charles Hall, another candidate for the same office, to meet him in joint debate concerning Hall's connection, direct or indirect, with the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph company.

The Polk county senator is anxious, Burke sets out, to take his senatorial colleague and gubernatorial opponent on a forensic battle at Albany tonight at Oregon City tomorrow night, or at Astoria on Monday evening next.

Burke, in his written letter of challenge sent to Hall at his headquarters in the Multnomah hotel, points out that the report of the Klamath Indians, and ways and means considered for aiding the project, R. C. Groesbeck, representing the Klamath County Auto association, and County Judge R. H. Bunnell, representing the county court, explained the status of the proposed appropriation and told of efforts which have been made in its behalf.

"It is shown plainly, in fact," Burke writes, "since C. E. Hickman, division superintendent of the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph company, voted all the preferred stock and one share of the common stock as shown by an extract from the minutes of the meeting of the board of directors on January 16, 1922; and of the dividends declared for the year 1921 the preferred stockholders, all of which stock was voted by C. E. Hickman, received \$10,000 and that the common stockholders received \$4800."

"This report," Burke continues, "would naturally put you in a commanding position before the people at this time, as there will be a bill before the people at the fall election which, in case it should carry, would make the public service commission appointive by the governor.

"Senator Patterson expects to speak at a public meeting at Albany on the evening of May 12th, at Oregon City on the evening of the 13th at Astoria on the evening of the 15th and he would be very glad to divide time with you at any or all of these meetings."

## SHRINERS TO MEET

Ceremonial to Be Held in Ashland: Several Going From Here

Seven Sir Knights will go from Klamath Falls to Ashland to attend the Shrine Ceremonial to be held at Hillah Temple there May 26, and to which all Nobles and their ladies have been invited. Those who will go from here are J. M. Long, Harry Paley, E. M. Bubb, E. M. McLaughlin, Carl S. Harder, Garrett Van Riper and George C. Ulrich. If travel conditions permit it is expected several will attend from Lakeview.

## RILEY HELD GOOD CITIZEN

Formerly of Klamath Falls, where he has large realty holdings, now a resident of Parasol Springs, California, Charles E. Riley is held up by J. A. Gordon as a good citizen even though no longer a resident of this city. This is because a check for \$25, in payment for chamber of commerce dues, was received here yesterday. Riley has always been a Klamath Falls booster, and keeps careful watch of events up here, Gordon said.

## MRS. VOWELL RETURNS

Mrs. Myrtle Vowell, accompanied by her six children, returned here Thursday evening from Bellingham, Washington, where she has been residing since the death last year of her husband, Artis Vowell.

## THREE BALLOTS BEFORE VOTERS IN PRIMARIES

Williams Recall, County Unit and State and County Officers

Voters in the primary election here May 19 will be given three ballots to mark. One will be for the proposed recall of Fred A. Williams, public service commissioner, and the naming of a successor; a second for the county unit plant; and a third for county and state officers and for a representative in congress.

The republican primary ballot contains the following names in the order given:

For member of the republican national committee, Ralph E. Williams and G. H. Fithian.

For congress, N. J. Stanoff and James H. Gwin.

For governor, Charles Hall, J. D. Lee, Ben W. Olcott, I. L. Patterson, George A. White and Louis E. Bean.

For state treasurer, Theo. F. Ryan and O. P. Hoff.

For justice of the supreme court, John McCourt, John L. Rand, George S. Shepherd and Geo. H. Blinn.

For superintendent of public instruction, J. A. Churchill.

For commissioner of the bureau of labor statistics and inspector of factories and workshops, C. H. Gramann and Wm. A. Dahl.

For commissioners of the public service commission, F. B. Layman, J. R. Thehoff and Thomas K. Campbell.

For judge of circuit court, thirteenth judicial district, Klamath county, A. L. Leffitt and J. L. Elliott.

For state representative, twenty-first representative district, including Crook, Deschutes, Jefferson, Klamath and Lake counties, J. M. Ezell, of Klamath county, H. J. Overstreet, of Deschutes and Denton Q. Burdick of Deschutes.

For county commissioner, C. J. Martin and Asa Fordyce.

For county assessor, A. L. Wishard.

### Democratic Party Ballot

The democratic ballot is as follows:

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## MORE NAMES ADDED

Citizens Committee Still Seeking Backers for American Plan.

The campaign of the Citizens' Committee for subscribers to the American Plan continues. More names have been added to the list published yesterday and according to Bert E. Withrow, the work will go on until the entire community is thoroughly canvassed. The following new names have been enrolled:

J. M. Moore, W. C. Van Emon, O. K. Transfer Co., H. Murphy, Charley's Place, C. B. Johnson, Coffey Bros., H. C. Bradbury, Pearle Stevens, Oregon Harness Co., by A. F. Salafsky, R. R. R. Garage Ray Anderson, E. R. Danner Motor Co., Southern Oregon Drug Co., Rex La Prairie, Mildred Thrasher, W. T. Elliott, Geo. C. Ulrich, Earl Shepard Co., Gertrude Eckman, Klamath Falls Music Co., F. H. Coffey, O. Larson, Chas. Wood Eberlein, Marion W. Eberlein, W. A. Jackson, D. M. McLemore, Bert E. Withrow, L. Van Bellan, W. O. Smith, F. W. Riggs, R. I. Hammond, C. H. Withrow, Don J. Zumwalt, T. S. Abbott Perry O. DeLapp, P. L. Fountain, P. G. Mattoon, C. A. Hayden, C. R. DeLapp, Lloyd DeLapp, A. E. Headline, G. M. Raymond, O. W. Robertson,