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## BAFFLING CASE MYSTIFIES POLICE

### Pair of Eye Glasses and Woman's Shoe Only Cleads to Murder

GARY, Ind., April 29.—A pair of eye glasses for a middle aged man, a woman's grey suede left shoe and a chart of her teeth were the keys held today by authorities investigating the death of an unidentified girl whose dismembered, burned and bullet riddled body was found Sunday near Chesterton.

A possibility that solution of the mystery hinged entirely on the eye glasses, like that of the slaying of Bobby Franks by Nathan Leopold and Richard Loeb was considered by officials in a lengthy conference last night. The shoe with one strap burned off was found by a police dog about 300 feet from the spot where the body was found.

The dog followed a trail to a small swamp a short distance where authorities believe the missing legs and right arm of the girl might be found when the lake is pumped dry.

Tracing of any dental work done on her teeth was started when the chart of the girl's mouth was made. A partial identification of the body as that of the wife of a Gary railroad employe was upset when it was learned that a letter was received from her from Farina, Ill., Monday.

Her husband who has been held for questioning was released.

## KLAMATH BUREAU IS REORGANIZED

### Capital Stock Increased and Warehouse Site Purchased

Renewed activity of the farm bureau cooperative exchange of Klamath county, and a general reorganization of the bureau in order to project a development in its work in Klamath, was announced yesterday afternoon by County Agent C. A. Henderson.

Of the concrete steps taken to strengthen the exchange the most important are the increase of the capital stock from \$5000 to \$20,000; the leasing of the old Mason Ehrman warehouse on Spring street; purchase of property adjoining the warehouse for the purpose of building other bureau warehouses as the exchange expanded.

The cooperative exchange will be a service organization for the Klamath farmer. It will be the medium through which farm products will be marketed and the warehouse will be utilized for the purpose of storing products until sold. In addition to its marketing work, the exchange will also be a supply agency for seed and other agricultural facilities. Any farmer desiring to join the exchange may do so without taking out a farm bureau membership, it was announced. Directors of the new organization have not been selected.

## TRIAL POSTPONED TILL FRIDAY, 2 P. M.

Although trial of W. H. Todd and William McCampbell on the charge of possession of intoxicating liquor, was set for today, the absence of the principal witness of the state, led to a further continuance of the case until Friday at 2 p. m. Justice of the Peace R. E. Hunsaker, announced today. The witness is J. J. McMahon, state traffic officer, who with Fred Snyder made the arrest.

Second trial of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. McQueen, charged with possession of intoxicating liquor is set for Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. The first trial of Mr. and Mrs. McQueen ended in a hung jury.

## COAST LEAGUE SCORES

At Portland 4; Vernon 5.  
At Seattle 6; Oakland 5.  
At San Francisco 17; Salt Lake 7.  
At Los Angeles 8; Sacramento 1.

## POSTMASTER AT CRESCENT HELD SHORT OF FUNDS

MEDFORD, Ore., April 29.—Postal Inspector G. E. Haugen returned to Medford today after a trip to Klamath county, where he ordered the removal of Postmaster F. M. Cleaves of Crescent and named a temporary postmaster to take his place.

Cleaves, it is said, was short in his accounts and his case will be brought before a federal grand jury in Portland next week.

In addition to charges of misappropriation of public funds, Cleaves is charged with bootlegging and being intoxicated in a public place, according to the officials.

## BUS FRANCHISE DISAGREEMENTS ARE IRONED OUT

### City Council Has Special Meeting With President of Transit Company

Disagreements over certain clauses of the ordinance that would give to the Astoria Transit company franchise to operate municipal bus line in Klamath Falls were ironed out at an informal meeting of the city council last night.

W. E. Young, president of the transit company, agreed to defend the city in event of any damage action arising from the operation of the buses in Klamath Falls. It was also agreed that \$20,000 insurance should cover the liability of the bus company.

The council exercised its prerogative in the routing of the bus line by making certain suggestions, to which Mr. Young agreed. Mr. Young did not want to operate his buses across the river in South Riverside. The council asked him to incorporate that section into his routing system.

It is the intention of the council that the northerly, easterly, westerly and southerly extreme ends of town be tapped and with this objective in mind they prevailed upon Mr. Young to make certain changes.

Tentative routes will be from South Riverside east along Main street, to a point at either Third or Fourth street, where the route would make a loop up past the high school, back to Main street and out Main street to Esplanade, terminating on Pacific Terrace. The second route will be from Shipington, through the center of town and out Sixth street to the city limits.

## START GRADING ON DORRIS ROAD

Distance to Dorris, California from Klamath Falls will be materially shortened, when the Midland state line road is completed. Work on the grading of the county road started yesterday, when the county dredger with two men in charge was put to work on the project.

Two shifts will operate the dredger while the preliminary grading is in progress. When the grading is completed the road will be redressed, smoothed and put in shape for travel. The road may be surfaced during the summer.

The state line road is routed in a southwesterly direction from Midland, by way of Worden. The road practically cuts in half the distance from Klamath Falls to Worden. The present route from this city to Worden is by way of Keno. The road joins with the Dorris road near Worden.

## LAST DAY

According to Lynn Sabin of the chamber of commerce, no ballots will be received after today for the primary nomination of directors for the year of 1925. Figures compiled yesterday show that more than half of the membership have responded and have cast their ballots.

## POLICE SEEKING BOB JONES IN BOOZE CASE

### Former Klamath Falls Of- ficer Believed Aide of Escaping Woman

HOOD RIVER, Ore., April 29.—Highways in this vicinity are being watched for an auto in which Mrs. Helen Blair, young Bend matron, escaped from an auto in which she was being taken to Salem, where she was to serve a sentence in the state industrial school for girls.

The escape occurred here yesterday when the auto in which Mrs. Blair was traveling in custody of District Attorney Moore of Bend, and Mrs. Ethel V. Johnson, an officer of the Woman's Protective Bureau, stopped at a filling station.

## Changes Cars

The woman boarded a car which stopped immediately behind Moore's car and it drove off at a rapid rate of speed which soon put it out of sight. The car bore a California license, A-95-766. It was last heard of traveling at a high speed on the west side orchard road.

## Suspect Jones

District Attorney Moore said he believed the car was driven by a former Klamath Falls policeman named Jones.

Mrs. Blair was sentenced to the state school following conviction of possession of intoxicating liquor.

The ex-policeman named in the foregoing dispatch is believed here to be Bob Jones, who was on the force last fall. Jones was fired in a police shake-up late last fall on charges which were not made public. It was indicated they had to do with liquor violations.

It was reported today that Jones had been in Bend recently and was supposed to have been in some trouble there a few days ago.

## NOT TO CHANGE FOREIGN POLICY

BERLIN, April 29.—Germany's foreign policy will not be changed, Dr. Hans Luther, the German chancellor declared emphatically today in an address before the annual congress of the league for German industry and commerce.

This declaration is understood also to reflect the viewpoint of President-elect Von Hindenburg, with whom the Chancellor conferred yesterday.

While Dr. Luther did not refer to the recent election, it is generally understood he spoke with a full authority of Hindenburg and the groups prompting the field marshal's candidacy.

## GRANGER SPEAKS AT CHAMBER LUNCHEON

"In the midst of friends of the forest," as C. M. Granger, district forester for the northwest, including Alaska, put it, National Forest week was observed at the forum luncheon of the chamber of commerce today noon.

Especially did Granger stress the reforestation plan which has been put before timber cutters for the past few years. No more mills according to Granger, are needed in this section as the over cut is at present tremendous and unless one tree is replaced for a tree removed, within 40 years' time Klamath county will be devoid of one of her main industries, timber cutting and production.

Frank Confer entertained with several vocal numbers and Johnny Houston's orchestra played during the luncheon. Jack Kimball presided at the meeting.

## BEGIN NEW STAGE RUN Reckard Auto Service Institutes Southbound Service to Redding, Cal.

Effective Tuesday, the Reckard Auto Service instituted a stage service from Klamath Falls to Redding. Stages leave here every morning at 7:00 o'clock and make connection at Redding with stages bound for Sacramento, San Francisco and other southern points.

## SUGAR BEET MEN SATISFIED WITH KLAMATH GROWTH

Favorably impressed with the conditions in the growth of the sugar beet industry in Klamath county, following an interesting survey of the work in the southern portion of the district yesterday, C. A. Hamilton and A. M. Gelston returned south after visiting here.

In company with Robert Oldemeyer and C. A. Henderson, county agent, Hamilton and Gelston spent yesterday inspecting the land. They will spend some time in Maedoe and Weed where they also have sugar beet interests before returning to Hamilton City, California. Hamilton is the founder of Hamilton City, and is also a member of the board of directors of the Sacramento Valley Sugar Beet company which is playing such an active part in the beet project in Klamath county.

## MOVIE PLAYERS INJURED IN WRECK

### Marie Prevost Cut by Fly- ing Glass—Engineer Killed in Crash

LOS ANGELES, April 29.—One dead and 35 injured are listed on a casualty list of the wrecked Santa Fe train last night. 20 miles north of San Diego, as published today by the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway officers here. In addition four persons were reported injured whose names at 9:30 o'clock this morning were not learned by the company officials. John Warboys, engineer, Los Angeles, was killed. The locomotive and five cars went over the grade.

HOLLYWOOD, Calif., April 29.—Four motion picture players and a property man were injured and \$10,000 of motion picture equipment was destroyed in the wreck of the Santa Fe train last night near San Diego. It was announced here today at Warner Brother's studio from which a party of 22 was on the train.

Marie Prevost, Louise Fazenda, Kenneth Harlan and Walter Long, players, were cut by glass and bruised, and Bob Webb, property man, was burned in attempting to save Engineer John Warboys. It was announced.

## PUBLIC RECREATION COMMITTEE TO MEET TOMORROW EVENING

A meeting of the Public Recreation committee will be held at the City Hall tomorrow night at 7:30. The membership of the board consists of Dr. G. A. Massey, Rev. Arthur Rice, Councilman C. I. Roberts, Mrs. Harry Ackley, and Mayor F. R. Goddard. With the exception of the mayor, the membership of this committee is the same as last year, and was reappointed intact on account of the excellent work it did last year.

People interested in public recreation are cordially invited to the meeting.

## YANK VINDICATED BY SWIFT JUSTICE OF SWEDEN COURT

BORAS, Sweden, Apr. 29.—Full redress for unjust imprisonment has been accorded by the highest Swedish judicial authorities to an American citizen, Charles Winter of Moorhead, Minn., who, armed with a power of attorney, came here in October 1923 to collect an inheritance for an aunt.

On the accusation of a rival claimant, a woman resident, who charged that his power of attorney was a forgery, Winter was arrested and kept confined for 15 days. As soon as the genuineness of the client's signature was established he was immediately released and the chancellor of justice himself took action against his accuser and her attorney.

## MEETING POSTPONED

The Kedron club which was to meet Thursday evening has been indefinitely postponed.

## APARTMENT FIRE BRINGS DEATH TO FOUR

### Two Men and Two Girls Trapped in Early Morn- ing Blaze in Portland

PORTLAND, April 29.—Four persons were killed and one other was injured, probably fatally in a fire which early today swept the Hendricks Apartments here.

The dead: Miss Clara Short, 20, waitress.

Miss Bernice Frazier, employe of Lipman and Wolfe company, about 20 years old.

E. Sullivan, 55 year old laborer. Mr. Lawr, 70, and blind. The injured: Mrs. Lawr, perhaps fatally. The flames swept through the frame building and the forty persons who occupied the 40 apartments fled to the street in what attire they were able to don.

## Bodies Found

The flames broke out shortly after 3 a. m. and raged for more than an hour before firemen were able to enter the building and search for the bodies which were found huddled in the rooms. The bodies of Miss Short and Miss Frazier were found in their rooms where they apparently had been trapped. The body of Mr. Lawr also was discovered in his room.

Mrs. Lawr managed to make her escape from the building, but not before she had sustained burns, which attending physicians feared might prove fatal. Mr. Lawr was blind and apparently had been unable to find his way from the burning building.

Sullivan died as the result of injuries sustained when he leaped from the fourth floor of the building and missed a net which firemen had spread to save him after he had been trapped with no chance of escape.

## AUTO STALLED NEAR CITY JAIL; POLICE DISCOVER BIG STILL

WALLA WALLA, Wash., April 29.—When an old battered automobile became stalled in an alley near the police station here last night, police officers offering their assistance in starting the machine discovered it to contain a complete copper still and a quantity of prune mash. The occupants of the car, Dan Anderson, Jack Sabin, and Rus Restraino were arrested.

## STUDENTS WILL EXHIBIT WORK

### Prizes to Be Awarded to Pupils Entering Ex- cellent Products

An exhibition the middle of May, showing the work accomplished by the Sixth, Seventh and Eighth grades of Klamath Falls public schools is being planned by Miss Olive Wilson, domestic art teacher and Russell Kidder, in charge of the manual training section in the boy's work. The exhibition will be shown in the Central school building and prizes for work done will be awarded. The list of donors will be given later, as well as those entering into the work. The girls displays will include gowns, pajamas, lingerie, towels, dresses and other articles made by them during the past year when they were given six weeks courses in the work.

Boys' work will include the display of tabourettes, tables, lamp bases, magazine racks, foot stools and smaller articles made in the shop work.

Girls and boys of the Sixth grades of the city schools are now receiving instructions in manual writing and domestic art. In Miss Wilson's class the girls are hemming towels, the first sewing work ever done by them. Later they will design and execute aprons and caps which they will wear when studying domestic science next year. The domestic science room in Central school was given to the second grade due to need of room. The new school building plans include a room for both domestic science and art.

## KLAMATH LAD IS GIVEN CHANCE IN WORLD BY LEGION

A lad of Klamath, son of a soldier killed in the World war, will be saved from a boyhood of wandering and given his chance in the world through the beneficence of the Oregon legion, at the instance of the local legion post, it became known today.

The boy, who is 13 years of age, was sent from Klamath Falls to the Beaverton home by the local post. Unable to get along at the Beaverton home and being A. W. O. L. on several occasions, the case was brought to the attention of J. Valliant, state service officer for the American Legion.

What to do with the unfortunate boy was the question which was to be solved. Valliant, after communication with W. R. Canton, service officer of the local legion post, decided to have the boy sent to the Oregon Military camp at Hillsboro at the expense of the state legion. At the school the boy will be given military training and will be put through high school.

## OLYMPIA MAN IS NAMED HEAD OF KLAMATH SCHOOL

A careful survey of all possible candidates for the position of principal of the Klamath county high school ended last night with the official announcement of the hiring of Paul T. Jackson of Olympia, Wash. Mr. Jackson will succeed J. G. Darling, present principal, who the Klamath county high school board failed to reelect at a meeting last month.

Mr. Jackson, who is 27 years old, is assistant principal of the Olympia high school, which has an enrollment of 800. He is a graduate of Linfield college, McMinnville, and later took post graduate work at the University of Washington.

The new principal will come to Klamath highly recommended by educational leaders of both Oregon and Washington. Announcement was also made last night that an athletic director had been tentatively named for the high school for next year. The name of the new director was withheld pending the approval of the new principal.

Miss Alice Thurston, former mathematics teacher, was elected to teach at the high school next school year. During the past year Miss Thurston has been teaching in Eugene. Miss Mauda Carleton was re-elected as school librarian and Allen Stansby as janitor of the school.

Resignations were accepted from Howard Wines, commercial teacher; Avard Whitman, history teacher, and Miss Donna Mack. Mr. Wines has accepted a teaching position in California. Mr. Whitman will take a position as principal of a public school at Phoenix, Jackson county. Miss Mack takes a leave of absence for one year.

## CANAL BREAK DOES DAMAGE TO HIGHWAY

Top surfacing of a section of 150 feet of the Dalles-California highway, eight miles south of Klamath Falls, was washed away by the flood which was precipitated by the break yesterday morning in the main irrigation canal. Damage to the road will approximate \$300.

Yesterday afternoon and last night, the highway in two sections was inundated. Traffic was not impeded last night owing to lights being placed at spots which guided the motorist through the section of road affected by the flood.

Repair work on the canal is now in progress. The same section of road damaged by the first break this year, April 20, was washed out by yesterday's break. Cause of the break was given out as pocket gophers that undermined the banks of the canal.

## DIE IN EXPLOSION

MALDEN, Mass., April 29.—The death list from an explosion which wrecked part of the plant of the Boston Rubber Shoe company today may reach three, officials announced. Two employes are missing and a third is dying at a hospital.

## POLITICS SAID TO ENTER INTO GUARD WRANGLE

### Resolution Favoring Com- pany Here Withdrawn at Post Session

Klamath post of the American Legion does not want a national guard company in Klamath Falls. It showed its feeling last night at a meeting of the legion in the basement of the county court house when a motion to withdraw the resolution endorsing the movement was passed without a dissenting voice.

Politics is said to have been responsible for the death knell of the national guard company, as far as the local legion post was concerned. It was considered a slap at Adjutant General George White, against whom some legion members have a grudge.

The background of politics, which is claimed to have been the moving factor in the decision on the National Guard movement, is as follows:

**White Voted Wrong**  
Garret Van Riper, deputy sheriff, and H. E. Getz, adjutant of the post, were candidates for the post of appraiser of state bonus loans. A reputed agreement between members of the veterans' board at Salem was to the effect that George White, a member of the board, would vote for Getz, who had secured the legion endorsement. White's vote, at one time, would have swung the job to Getz. When the board met, White voted for Van Riper. His action incensed members of the post supporting Getz, and the repudiation of this resolution for a national guard company is held to have been a blow directed at White.

**Up to Officers**  
Whether or not the Officers' Reserve club, will take up the national guard movement that the legion passed up is now the question which is uppermost in the minds of men eager to see the company established in this city. It is known that several prominent members of the club favor the proposition. Plans were laid last night for a Memorial day service to be held the day following Memorial day, May 31. The plan calls for a cooperative service to which all churches and the general public would be invited.

## TWO KILLED IN PISTOL BATTLE

### Nevada Men Fight It Out Following Quarrel Over a Woman

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, April 29.—Bob Emmett and Sheldon Chalmers fought a pistol duel last night at Ely, Nevada, that resulted in the death of both, it was learned here today. The men are said to have been drinking and they quarreled over a woman of a notorious resort. The tragedy became known here when Ely authorities began a search for Mrs. Emmett and her three children, said to live in Salt Lake City. Chalmers is said to leave a widow and several children somewhere in southern Utah.

## PARK BOARD MEETS FRIDAY EVENING AT 7:30 IN CITY HALL

A meeting of the Park Board will be held at the city hall Friday evening at 7:30. The membership of the park board consists of Will Baldwin, secretary; C. H. Underwood, Rufus Moore, Roy Durbin, O. D. Matthews, Mayor F. R. Goddard, and City Engineer E. B. Henry. Roy Durbin and O. D. Williams were appointed recently to fill the places of W. A. Delzell and Frank Ward.

## ORATORS CHOSEN

EUGENE, Ore., April 29.—Benott McCroskey and Ralph Bailey, both of Salem were the University of Oregon orators picked last night to represent Oregon in two of the most important oratorical contests of the year.