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MOTHER IN LAW OF RHINELANDER GIVES EVIDENCE

Mrs. George Jones, White Mother of Alice, Denies Daughter Deceived Kip

TRIAL NEARING CLOSE

Annulment Suit of New York Heir Against Negro Wife in Final Stages

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Nov. 25. (AP)—Three years before his marriage to Alice Beatrice Jones, negro maid servant, Leonard Kip Rhinelander was informed that her father was part negro but answered that he didn't care. Ross Chitticker, former chauffeur for the Rhinelanders testified.

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Nov. 25. (AP)—Mrs. George Jones, elderly white mother of Alice Beatrice Jones, defendant in the Rhinelander annulment suit, took the stand today in behalf of her daughter, and denied that she had ever heard Alice lay claim to being white. It has been one of the contentions of Leonard Kip Rhinelander, the plaintiff, that Alice had assured him she was white in the presence of her mother.

"Mrs. Jones," said Lee Parsons Davis, defense attorney, "Rhinelander says in substance that in your presence, Alice told him she was white. Is that true?"

"I never heard that spoken of," said the witness.

"Did you ever hear Alice say she was white?"

"No."

"Did Rhinelander ever question your daughter's color in your presence?"

"No."

Mrs. Jones said that Rhinelander name meant nothing to her when she first met him; that she knew nothing of his wealth, and social position.

Justice Morschauer this afternoon granted the plaintiff's request to amend the original complaint over the objections of defense counsel. The amended complaint now charges Alice with defrauding young Rhinelander negatively, in not telling him that she was of negro blood.

Defense Objects
Mr. Davis objected on the ground that the amendment had been made too late in the action and that it

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Pave Way For Execution Of Noted Bandit

Gerald Chapman's Federal Term is Commuted

HARTFORD, Conn., Nov. 25.—(AP)—The federal sentence of Gerald Chapman has been commuted by President Coolidge. The executive order terminating the sentence of 25 years imposed in federal court at New York for the robbery of a mail truck, was signed by the president at six o'clock Monday evening and was made public today when the document was delivered to Warden H. K. W. Scott, for service on Chapman.

The official document, which terminated federal interest in Gerald Chapman, was brought back to Hartford by state's attorney Hugh M. Alearn and was delivered to Warden Scott for service on Chapman. The warden immediately prepared to do this, and the action marked another step in the efforts of the state of Connecticut to execute Chapman for the murder of Policeman James Skelly of New Britain on October 12, 1924.

U. S. Senator Talks Before Chamber Forum

Senator Robt. N. Stanfield Speaks on Public Lands Today

Revenue from public lands in Oregon should be returned to Oregon for the development of the state rather than swell the purse of the national treasury.

In one sentence, this was what Oregon's junior United States Senator Robert N. Stanfield contended before the chamber of commerce forum luncheon this noon.

Senator Stanfield, who is chairman of the public lands committee in the United States Senate, set forth convincing arguments supporting his stand and urged the people of Klamath to do all in their power to bring to Oregon the millions of dollars in revenue from public lands which he claimed was the heritage of Oregon.

The policy of the federal government in annexing the greater part of the revenue from public lands is unfair and unjust to the eleven public land states, and it is not beyond the range of possibility for these states to recover the revenue which has been directed into the National treasury, which should be theirs, Senator Stanfield said.

The senator cited figures by which it was apparent that if revenue from the public lands could be secured by Oregon, that sufficient money would be gained to maintain highways, complete several rivers and harbors projects, and in general enhance the opportunity for greater state development.

"Your delegation in congress," Senator Stanfield said in closing, "is cognizant of the pressing need of Klamath Falls for a federal building. It will do its best for the people of Klamath to secure that Federal building because it realizes that it is a necessity."

Prior to the main address Miss Catherine Walton rendered two delightful violin solos which were generously applauded. She was accompanied by Mrs. Don Zumwalt.

Immediately following the luncheon, Senator Stanfield went into conference with the federal building committee of Klamath Falls to discuss what could be done by local citizens to accelerate the movement.

Another Prohibition Scandal Brews In Windy City

Officers Who Can be "Seen" Are Noted In Book

CHICAGO, Nov. 25. (AP)—A little black book, containing a virtually complete directory of Chicago prohibition enforcement forces found in a raid a week ago, may bring another extensive liquor investigation here.

The volume was found in a six-story building across from the criminal court after agents had discovered whiskey and alcohol valued at \$200,000 in the establishment of J. B. Scheure and Company. Its existence was carefully guarded until last night, while enforcement officials endeavored to translate its code entries and check up on the information it contained.

Notations as to those prohibition agents regarded as "dangerous," those that could be "seen," and other data intimately personal concerning the enforcement staff were contained in the book. It had comments on the habits of some of the agents, with the time they generally left home in the morning and returned at night.

As a result of the book's entries, agents testified for honesty and skill with firearms, have been assigned to guard a large vault of the Scheure concern, which the raiders have been unable to open. At the time of the raid it was said that evidence had been obtained to show that liquor valued at more than \$1,000,000 a month had been passing through the Scheure plant.

GOBBLER RULES KLAMATH PEOPLE HERE TOMORROW

Holiday to be Celebrated on Last Thursday of November

BIG FOOTBALL GAME

Schools, Stores, Public Offices Will be Closed on Thanksgiving Day

Thanksgiving! That day of thankfulness, of feasting and celebration is tomorrow, the last Thursday in November.

It is the day when good Americans take a long backward look over the spring, summer and fall months and sum up the prosperous yields of the harvest; it is the day that these same good Americans give thanks to their God for the prosperity and contentment resulting from the bounteous gifts of nature, and last, but not least, it is the day that is ruled by a large, portentous and important looking turkey, who will reign at many tables tomorrow.

Klamath, like all other communities throughout the nation, will fall in line with the spirit of the day. Klamath people will worship at the altar of the Almighty in the morning, repair to the football game in the afternoon and then spend their way homeward to a huge roast turkey done to a crisp brown, even as hundreds of other communities will do the same thing.

Naturally the schools will be closed, and so will business houses for the entire day.

The schools will remain closed until next Monday morning. The court house will be hermetically sealed tomorrow and so will the city hall, the post office, reclamation office and many other offices that one might think of.

Football Game
The big public feature of the day for Klamath Falls, will be the turkey day football game between Klamath County high school and Benson Polytechnic school, in which the local team will pit its strength against one of the highly touted aggregations from Portland.

It will, in short, be a holiday in every sense of the word. There will be no 'ifs' or 'ands' or 'buts' about it. Practically every working man and working woman will be free to do just what they please tomorrow. Some will go to the game, others will go to church, scores will seek the hunting field, and many will remain at home, but there is one past-time everybody will participate in—that is eat turkey.

Chief Deputy Warden Visits To Get Money

F. M. Brown Seeks Unpaid Fine Assessed In Justice Court

Vested with the power to collect all unpaid fines assessed for Klamath game violations, F. M. Brown, chief deputy game warden arrived in Klamath Falls last night and will remain in this city as long as it will take him to collect for the game commission the money due it.

Under the R. A. Emmitt regime in justice court, a number of game violation fines were suspended, it is claimed, after having been only partly paid. It is these unpaid fines that the game commission is seeking. It is believed that in event the fines can not be collected, the magistrate is responsible for the unpaid fines.

Chief Deputy Brown is assisted in his work by District Game Warden Marlon Barnes of this city.

YOUNG SUSPECT HELD
SANTA Ana, Calif., Nov. 25. (AP)—Low Jackson, aged 15, was held here today by the United States commissioner charged with robbing a sub-station of the Portland post office two months ago.

Local High School Team Fired With Enthusiasm; Fast Contest Will Be Staged Here Tomorrow

Benson Polytechnic of Portland Will Meet Klamath High at Fair Grounds at One P. M.—Students Deserve Loyal Support of Public

There's a different spirit up at the Klamath high school these days. For years its athletic teams have trailed in the dust; they have been the joke of the high school league.

But a different atmosphere prevails this year. Competent instruction and school loyalty have worked wondrous changes. The pride of the students in their football team has reached out and enfolded the citizens of city and county generally.

It is this spirit which will prevail at the fair grounds athletic field tomorrow when the Klamath boys take the field against the fast Benson Polytechnic school team of Portland in Klamath's big Turkey Day game.

A new era has dawned for Klamath high school athletics, and with the loyal support of the towns-people, the football team is destined next year to write football history in southern Oregon.

Coming to Klamath Falls with a glowing record of victories, the Benson Polytechnic team is expected to put up a stiff battle. They may win, but if they do it is predicted the score will be close.

It ought to be a cracking good game. The local boys are well trained and fired with enthusiasm. They will put up a great fight for their school. If they are given the right sort of support they will bring honor to school and city.

The game will start promptly at one o'clock. It will be over long before the hour of the Thanksgiving dinner. Go out to the fair grounds tomorrow and enjoy a fast, clean game; give the Klamath boys the moral and financial support they so richly deserve.

NOTED COMEDIAN GOES TO WIFE'S HOME TO BOARD

Frank Tinney, Back From London, Effects a Partial Reconciliation

BORROWS TAXI FARE
Imogene Wilson not Mentioned by Couple Who Will Try all Over

NEW YORK, Nov. 25. (AP)—Mrs. Frank Tinney, whose uncontented suit for divorce is pending, has a new boarder named Frank Tinney. At least, that's the way the comedian described himself when he went to his wife's Long Island home after his return from London. As for that divorce—"What divorce?" demanded Frank Tinney blandly every time he was asked about it.

Mr. and Mrs. Tinney went shopping yesterday, accompanied by seven-year-old Frank Tinney Jr., but Mrs. Tinney did most of the shopping. Frank says he is broke. Afterward Mrs. Tinney drove home and the comedian hid himself to the Elks club where he borrowed a dollar from the doorman to pay his taxi fare.

Forget "Bubbles"
As for anybody named Imogene Wilson, the Tinneys don't mention her. Imogene, or "Bubbles" as Frank used to call her, was the cause of Mrs. Frank's suit.

Imogene, a chorus girl, is now abroad.
Mrs. Myron Elias, Mrs. Tinney's daughter, explained the present relationship of her mother and stepfather, as not quite a reconciliation. "They have agreed to begin all over again, on a fifty-fifty basis," she said. "Mother wants to see him established on Broadway again."

To Get Chance
Mrs. Tinney confirmed this by saying she wanted to give him a chance on a fifty-fifty basis, but as for dropping the divorce suit, "things have not gone that far yet."

Mrs. Tinney's name is expected to blossom in electric lights over a Broadway vaudeville house next week. Frank is ready to start Broadway with his horn rimmed glasses and blue raincoat from London.

BOSTON—Parker House rolls have been eaten for the last time in their place of origin. The hotel where they were first made is to be razed.

TO ISSUE AT NOON

In order that all employees of the Evening Herald may enjoy a part of the Thanksgiving holiday at home with their families, this newspaper will publish at noon tomorrow. The office will be closed for the remainder of the day.

Suspects Held As Slayers Of Carmen Wagner

Half-Breed Indian Brothers Face Murder Trial

EUREKA, Calif., Nov. 25. (AP)—Jack Ryan and Walter David, half-breed Indians and half brothers, appeared in court here today for preliminary hearing on the charge of having murdered Carmen Wagner, beauty shop girl.

Miss Wagner and Henry Sweet, her companion on a hunting trip were shot to death in mountainous country forty miles south of Eureka more than a month ago.

Indians with papposes on backs and weather-beaten mountaineers mingled with heavily armed deputy sheriffs in the little court room. Ryan and David were heavily guarded, threats of violence have been made against them. Piled high on tables were bits of hair, bullets, shreds of clothing and automatic pistols gathered by E. O. Heinrich, criminologist, employed by the prosecution to aid in weaving evidence.

These mute reminders of the double murder were collected at its scene, a lonely mountain road in which Sweets body was found beside his auto, and in a shallow grave in which the body of the girl was found days later.

Victory Fails To Finish Job October 31st

Klamath Contractor to Be Assessed \$10 A Day

Because he would finish the job quicker, was the reason advanced by the county court when it let the contract for the Midland market road grading to H. F. Victory, whose bid was not as low as that of J. A. Maddox.

According to word received here today, Mr. Victory is ten days over time in his work already. He had contracted to complete the job by October 31. The court gave him a few extra jobs, which extended his time extension on the project to approximately November 10. If all goes well, the job will be finished by the latter part of this week.

Mr. Victory, by his agreement with the court, must pay the sum of \$10 a day for every day past the time limitation, which the job is not finished.

Considerable comment arose over the Midland road bids, due to the fact that in point of actual dollar for dollar bid, the offer of J. A. Maddox, was the better bid. But the court took the position that Mr. Victory's offer was the better bid because he agreed to complete the project by October 31.

Many Believed Dead In Flood

LONDON, Nov. 25. (AP)—More than 100 persons are believed to have perished in the floods in Athens, following a torrential rain of an hour and 20 minutes Tuesday, says a dispatch to the Daily Express. Many houses in the refugee settlement collapsed. The inmates were buried in the ruins and many were swept away and drowned. Flood waters from Mount Lykabettos washed up thirty eight tombs in Anagnostapoulou street, here. 5 mummies and numerous gold ornaments and vases were uncovered.

DISTRICT FACES KNOTTY PROBLEM FOR 1926 LEVY

Committee of Twelve Farmers Meet and Advise with Board of Directors

DELINQUENCY LARGE

Deep Concern Over Budget Estimate of Reclamation Office is Expressed

Twelve prominent farmers on the Klamath Irrigation district, composing an advisory committee to the district board of directors, expressed deep concern yesterday afternoon over the financial problems which must be solved before the district budget is levied.

The directors laid all the cards upon the table. They pointed out on the one hand that the reclamation service had submitted a figure of \$168,209.89 as its estimate of the next year's budget, whereas on the other hand there was a large delinquency outstanding in the district.

The committee submitted several tentative recommendations to the board which were not made public today.

Financial Statement
The directors of the district submitted a complete financial statement of the assessment conditions of the district. The report disclosed that the delinquency problem was very serious. For the years 1920-21-22-23, there yet remained a delinquency on the tax rolls of \$73,750, which is a reduction from \$98,000. The delinquency accrued on the 1924 tax roll is approximately \$20,000 out of a total levy of \$72,974.30. This levy had been reduced by the district board for 1924 from \$117,000, with the expectation of securing relief from the reclamation bureau that would assist in the matter of delinquency payments, as provided by the Fact Finders bill, enacted by congress December 5, 1924.

The committee considered in detail the budget and levy for the current year collectible in 1926. The following is the itemized estimate of the Reclamation Service:

Branch Linings	\$87,558.55
Construction	56,254.05
Supplementary Constr.	22.05
Deferred Assessment of 1924	43,974.95
TOTAL	\$168,209.83

Convoked About Estimate
In view of the fact that only approximately \$63,000 has been paid on the 1924 levy the committee viewed the proposed levy asked by the Reclamation Bureau with a great deal of concern. The committee approved action of the district in granting the individual relief which has resulted in avoiding foreclosure in several instances, resulting in the collection of about \$20,000 district and county assessments without foreclosure proceedings.

The board pointed out to the committee that the district would in all probability have to withdraw the individual relief measure by the first of the year.

Committee Recommended
After listening and discussing with the board of directors throughout the afternoon, the board passed several resolutions advising the board of directors how to make their way out of the district's financial entanglement.

The board was composed of E. M. Hammond, Ned O'Connor, Mr. Giacomini, Jo Zumpf, Percy Dixon, U. E. Reeder, Lyle Mills, Burrell Short and Judge H. H. Folsom.

QUOTA ASSURED

Klamath county will easily reach its full Red Cross quota and probably will be over-subscribed, leaders of the annual membership roll call said this afternoon. The quota for the county is \$1800, of which \$1260 has already been procured within the city limits. When outside precincts have reported it is believed the total will reach close to \$2000.