

Bond-Frost Wedding Held This Afternoon

Coming as a complete surprise to his friends in Klamath Falls was the marriage of Arthur W. Bond of the Standard Oil company and Miss Clara Frost of Yreka, Calif. The young couple were married this afternoon by Justice of the Peace R. A. Emmitt.

The bride arrived from the south this morning and is the daughter of a prominent California family. Bond is connected with the Standard Oil

company in the service department and was transferred here about a month ago from California. He is a graduate of the University of California and a member of Sigma Nu social fraternity.

Miss Elma Jensen and F. N. Neitzel attended the young couple, who will make their home in Klamath.

RETURN TO MERRILL

Miss Therza Anderson returned to Merrill to resume her position in the schools after spending the week end as the house guest of Miss Ann Setzer.

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ENGINEER SLAYS WOMAN OFFICER

GARY, Ind., March 22.—(AP)—Mrs. Lucille Myers, 51, a probation officer, was shot and killed today by Lester Simpkins, a civil engineer, who resented an inquiry the woman was making into conditions under which Simpkins' family was being reared. Simpkins escaped.

MABEL NORMAND TO BE QUIZZED

DETROIT, Mich., March 22.—(AP)—Mabel Normand, motion picture actress, will be summoned to his office for questioning in connection with the murder of William Desmond Taylor, picture director, as soon as he gets back to Los Angeles, Ana Keyes, prosecuting attorney of Los Angeles, said today.

WETS AND DRY FIGHTING STILL

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where liquor could be obtained in all parts of the country. It was this investigation, he said, which convinced him that prohibition was "an utter failure."

"Prohibition has failed," he said, "because the people of this country never really believed in it."

At various times he posed as a commercial traveler, an analytical chemist and a vagrant. He spoke at St. Luke's Episcopal church.

WASHINGTON, March 22.—(AP)—Public hearings on the prohibition question were ordered today by the senate judiciary committee.

Senator Walsh, democrat, Montana, alone opposed the recommendation of a sub-committee of five in favor of opening hearings. The sub-committee will conduct the hearings giving six days to the wets and an equal length of time to the dries.

No date has been set for the hearings, which will be confined to five modification measures before the committee. One would amend the 18th amendment to that states which were wet before the prohibition amendment, would again be wet, with the government manufacturing, selling and distributing liquor.

Three of the other four measures, proposed to legalize beer, one for 4% beer, one for 2.75% beer and the other for beer "non-intoxicating in fact."

The fourth would remove the restrictions on prescription whiskey.

Senator Means, republican, Colorado, is chairman of the sub-committee and the other members are Goff, West Virginia, and Harrell, Oklahoma, republicans, and Reed, Missouri, and Walsh, Montana, democrats.

LOVE NEST BROKEN AS EMBEZZLER IS ARRESTED

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mailed.

Silence was the answer. Knowles inserted a pass key into the door lock and was in the act of turning it, when the door suddenly swung open.

The officer whipped out a revolver, thrust it against Burnett's stomach and ordered the lights turned on. Tense faced and deathly pale, Burnett's companion stood in the room. "You are under arrest Burnett," the officer announced. And then he called the Texas sheriff and other officers.

"I'm not as guilty as they think I am," Burnett muttered with his head hanging low. And then his former friend Sheriff Compton stepped through the door.

"Hello John," Burnett said, and then with averted gaze gave himself up to the officers.

As the officers left left the room with their prisoner, the woman, sobbing piteously in the corner, cried out:

"I am as guilty as he is. Let me go back with him. Please, please let me go!"

At the sheriff's office Burnett recognized County Commissioner Smith of Childers county, and addressed him by his first name. But his manner was strained and his speech broken.

S. P. Employee

Burnett and his woman companion, under the name of Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, came to Klamath the early part of February. Johnson obtained a position as mechanic in the yards of the Southern Pacific railroad company. They rented rooms from Mrs. Charles Marsrow, 139 Michigan avenue up to a week ago, and then took a small apartment in the Puterbaugh apartment house.

While living here, the couple were loath to associate with others. They had planned, it was learned, to leave for California next Sunday and Burnett had paid \$10 down on a second hand roadster, which he planned to purchase from the Chevrolet garage. To those who asked, Burnett said that he was formerly in the insurance business in Fort Worth, Texas, and he also said that he occupied a position as deputy county clerk in the same city. He said that he would like to secure a position as deputy clerk in the Klamath county clerk's office.

Gives Companion Check

Before being taken back to Texas, Burnett signed over his pay check of \$50 to his woman companion, and that with \$10 in cash he gave her all the money she now has.

Burnett was the county clerk of Childers county, elected three years ago. His alleged embezzlements cover a period of three years. According to Sheriff Compton, he effected the defalcations by padding the pay roll. This proceeding, it is said, netted him between \$300 and \$500 a month.

Burnett lived quietly and happily with his wife and family in Childers, the county seat of Childers county. Then he met the woman. An acquaintance blossomed into love. The woman was married, and so was Burnett.

Alleged Embezzlements Begin

Then it was that the embezzlements began. With the books at hand and with his plans well laid, Burnett, Texas authorities believe, made out warrants to fictitious persons and by thus padding the county pay roll obtained the money.

But, the Texas sheriff told Klamath authorities, Burnett did not save the money. He squandered it on the woman he loved, the wife of another man.

Burnett was in the habit of going away on business trips of several weeks duration. Hence when, three months ago, he was absent for two weeks, nothing was thought amiss.

Audit Books

Three weeks had passed before the county court of Childers county became suspicious. An effort was made to locate Burnett, but to no avail. An audit of the county books was ordered and the alleged \$22,000 deficit was disclosed.

A letter to a friend back home led to his arrest. Texas authorities were notified. They journeyed across the continent to Klamath Falls, and a few hours after their arrival Saturday night, Burnett was behind the bars and they were making preparations to return to Texas.

Woman Married

Identity of the woman, who was found with Childers, is not definitely known. According to information here, she is the daughter of W. C. Sibley of Cash, Texas; but, authorities have been told, she had been married and was the mother of children. Her married name is not known. No charge will be placed against her, local officers say.

AGAIN BREAKS VAULT RECORD

NEW YORK, March 22.—(AP)—Charles Hoff exceeded the world's pole vault record for the tenth time in the post office clerk's games in the 102nd engineers' armory when he cleared the bar at 13 feet 7 1/2 inches.

Mainly About People

C. C. WELLS HERE

C. C. Wells, deputy United States marshal, of Portland, arrived in the city this morning to subpoena witnesses for the trial of Charles Gaskill, charged with possession of intoxicating liquor. Gaskill was arrested on the Reno road and his trial will be held some time this coming week.

DALY-BARKLEY GET LICENSE

Michael Daly, well known rancher of the Midland road, and Miss Marie Barkley of Klamath Falls were issued a marriage license at the office of the county clerk this afternoon.

VICTORY—BROOKFIELD

A. C. Vicory, aged 21, and Miss Carrie Brookfield, aged 17, were issued a marriage license in the office of the county clerk late Saturday afternoon. The father of Miss Brookfield gave his consent, inasmuch as she is not of legal age. Both young people are employed at a box factory.

H. S. STUDENT WED

Coming as a complete surprise to their many friends in Klamath Falls, Miss Irene Lewis, popular member of the high school student body, and George B. Krauss were married on Sunday.

They will make their future home in Klamath Falls.

MISS HOAGLAND MARRIED

Miss Grace Hoagland, one of Klamath county's most popular and well known young women, was married to Stanley Hajicek, local lumber man, on Saturday evening at the First Presbyterian church.

After a wedding trip into southern California they will be at home to their friends in Klamath Falls.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Nate Otterbein of this city and is employed in the Wilson Abstract office.

TO ATTEND D. A. R.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Wattenburg, Mrs. O. H. Harshbarger and Mrs. Wilbur Jones are leaving in the Wattenburg car for Portland tomorrow morning where they will attend the 13th annual conference of the D. A. R. in the state of Oregon. The sessions will be held on Thursday, Friday and Saturday in the First Presbyterian church of Portland.

A feature of the convention will be the annual banquet in the Multnomah ball room on Thursday evening.

Annual election of officers for the office of state regent will be held.

MOTOR TO MEDFORD

R. Dixon and Miss Marie Ridings motored to Medford on Sunday where they met Miss Ridings' brother, who is here to spend the spring vacation from the U. of O.

COPCO EMPLOYEE DIES FROM HURT

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critical. This accident was the second he had suffered in the past few months, he having received painful and severe burns about the hands from a live wire in the Mall district some months ago.

Anderson is survived by his wife, Mrs. Ethel Anderson, and two children, Arthur Ray and Mary Josephine. His mother, Mrs. Davidson, returned from California just the day before the accident. He was 29 years of age and would have worked for the company one year on the first of April.

Funeral arrangements are pending until the arrival of Anderson's father, who is enroute from Grand Junction, Colo. The remains are at the Earl Whitlock Funeral home.

Hiland To Be Tried Before Justice Spink

Judge Leavitt Denies Writ in Court This Afternoon

George Hiland must be tried before Justice of the Peace R. C. Spink.

There is no sufficient cause to warrant a change of venue to Justice of the Peace Emmitt's court.

This was the ruling this afternoon of Judge A. L. Leavitt in sustaining a demurrer of the state to a writ of

mandamus, which cited Spink into court to show cause why he should not grant the change. It is a distinct victory for the state against Hiland, charged with possession of intoxicating liquor.

"We will have to go ahead and try the case in Spink's court," William Marx, Hiland's attorney, admitted this afternoon. "Then in case of a conviction, we can appeal."

NEW YORK, March 22.—(AP)—

Miles Kahoe of Jersey City who helped welcome spring at Coni Island is the inventor of a new S. O. S. Waking up and finding himself marooned in the dark at the top of a big fern wheel on the deserted beach, he set his handkerchief on fire and was rescued.

MEN SAVED IN DRIFTING BOAT

KEYWEST, Fla., March 22.—(AP)—A message received here today by Miss Florence Crittenton said W. E. D. Stokes, Jr., son of the New York hotel owner, and a crew of three men had reached Cape Canaveral, Fla. in a small boat after drifting helplessly at sea since March 15.

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OBITUARY

HAZEL CONNEY SARGENT
Hazel Conney Sargent, aged 29 years, and wife of Monte Sargent, passed away at her residence in Modoc Point Sunday morning. Besides her husband she leaves 3 minor children to mourn her loss. Funeral services will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the family residence, interment following in the family plot in the Hill cemetery. Arrangements in charge of the Earl Whitlock Funeral Home.

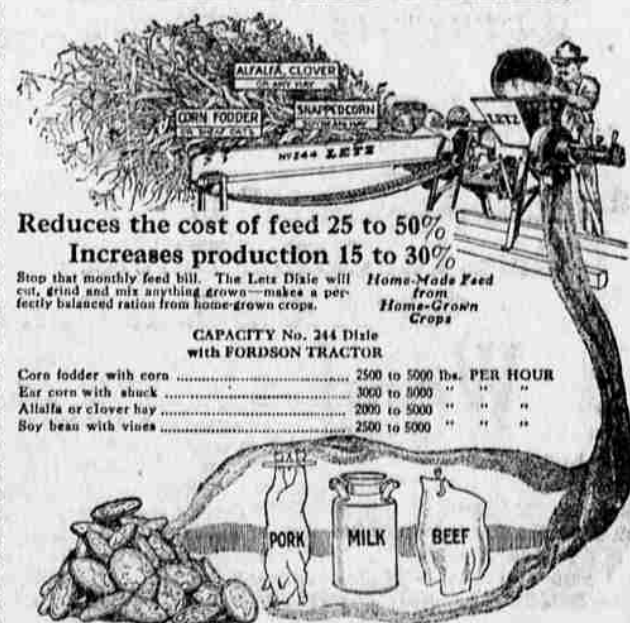
CHINESE ARMY IN HEADLONG FLIGHT

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(national army) forces are reported at their headquarters here. Whether an effort will be made to hold Peking appears to be undecided.

The Tientsin-Peking railway is occupied by the running troops many of whom continue to move around Peking to the Kalgan railway, on their way north. Others are quartered at Tungechow, east of the capital, and Nanyuan, to the south.

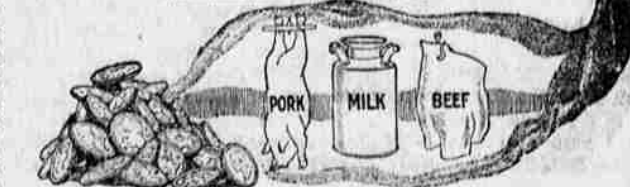
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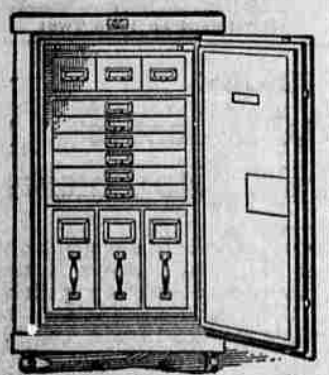
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