

ROBBERS STRIP PARTY GUESTS

Valuable Jewelry Stolen At Fashionable Home In Bay City

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room where Mrs. Campbell-Smith was dancing.

"Stick 'em up everybody," he ordered, "and don't hesitate."

Bind With Tape.

He was joined a moment later by his smaller confederate, who lined the guests up against a wall. While the taller man menaced the crowd, the other searched each victim. Cash and jewelry were dropped into a tablecloth and one-by-one the guests were bound with linen tape which the bandits carried with them.

One Robber Nervous.

Women were carried to bedrooms and dropped on the floors. Men guests were ordered to lie down and make no noise. The pair then gathered up their loot, conversing in disparaging terms at the "cheap" haul. The smaller robber appeared nervous, dropping his gun several times.

After cutting the telephone wires, the robbers pulled down the window shades and left by the front door. The robbery, police were told, took more than an hour.

Men Loosen Bonds.

Men guests were first to work loose from their bonds and after releasing the women, they ran to a neighbor's and gave the alarm.

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COLD WEATHER CLAIMS VICTIM

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dramatic speech upon the floor of the senate which attracted national interest. She campaigned for Governor Hardwick, Senator Tom Watson, whose death made the vacancy which she filled, and her husband, the late Dr. W. H. Felton, who served several terms in congress.

Led "Simple Life" From her farm home, "the grand old lady of Georgia" led a "simple life," but continued to be active in politics until her death. She was a vigorous supporter of former Governor Alfred E. Smith in his race for the presidency on the democratic ticket in 1928.

It is expected that she will be buried beside her husband in a Carterville cemetery.

Just What Is a Ziziphus Jujuba?

Sounds like something wild from the Fiji Islands or Borneo, but in truth it is nothing more than a harmless tree—or at least that is the guess.

H. C. Bateham of the Nord Landscape service recently received a shipment of Foreign plant introductions through a government agency and among the specimens was a couple of Ziziphus Jujubas, which, as Mr. Bateham says, "if you know what they are." If you want to know you will have to see Mr. Bateham.

Included with the Ziziphus were several new hardy fruits, such as black mulberry, two peach trees with evergreen leaves and several nectarines. Of ornamental trees there are Chinese elms, California Hawthorns, honey locusts and cypress. Flowering shrubs include several kinds of holly and honeysuckle, French Camellias, cistus rock-rose, a hardy fuchsia, a Brisbane box, one Coratentigus and two Vitis. The consignment was received and safely "healed in" during the mild weather Saturday afternoon and their development will be watched with zealous care.

PENDLETON, Ore., Jan. 25. (AP)—Pendleton experienced its first 24 hours above zero weather this week when the mercury dropped four above last night. It was 11 above today.

JURY REPORTS WRIGHT GUILTY

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reached a verdict in the case which has created the greatest interest among the public of any trial held for years. Soon after the jury stated that they had a verdict the court room, which had been nearly empty, began to fill, and by the time the verdict was read the entire house was crowded.

Wright, who had gone to bed in his cell at the county jail, was awakened by Sheriff Lloyd Low and brought to the court room. "It should either be very good news or very bad," he stated.

Mills Heads Jury T. R. Gillenwaters, who alone conducted the prosecution for the state, was present as well as all court officials, and the large gallery of spectators. Many women were in the audience.

As the jury, headed by Lyle O. Mills, farmer, entered the court room, a hush settled over the whispering crowd. The jury was solemnly seated. Then Judge W. M. Duncan entered. All arose to be seated with the judge who asked if a verdict had been reached.

"We have, your honor," Mills who was foreman, replied. It was given to the bailiff who handed it to the clerk. The entire court room was quiet as the verdict was read.

Find Defendant Guilty "We, the jury, being first duly empaneled and sworn to try the above entitled case, find the defendant, John G. Wright, guilty of murder in the first degree and we recommend life imprisonment. L. O. Mills, foreman."

The hush was broken as the audience left the courtroom. Wright was quieted and soon started conversing with his attorneys. Many congratulated Assistant District Attorney Gillenwaters. Court attaches hurriedly put away exhibits and papers. In the case, Judge Duncan dismissed the jury until January 29 at 10 a. m.

Marches Back to Jail

As Wright left the court room in custody of Deputy Sheriff Ross H. Brown he passed a large number of persons in the upper hall of the court house as he marched back to jail to remain behind bars for the rest of his life. As he passed the crowd they silently stared at the man who had been convicted of taking the life of a fellow man without excuse or defense.

Earlier in the day Wright had stated that whatever the verdict of the jury, be it conviction or acquittal, he thought it would be the fair and honest opinion of the jurors. He stated that he thought the jury was above the average in intelligence.

FOOD SENT TO HUNGRY TOWNS

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the island by airplane from Portland. Although the provisions consisted chiefly of flour, salt and

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other staples the lighthouse tender bore took feed for Cathlamet, Wash., where it was reported dairymen were in sore need of provisions for cattle. Ten and twelve inches of snow laid over the pastures, it was reported, and the amount of hay and grain in the fishing village had been drained during the week of isolation.

Tug Gives Up.

Representatives of the chamber of commerce of Astoria accompanied the ice breaker after many telephone and telegraph appeals of aid had been received by Leo P. Merrick, secretary. Three days ago he arranged with the Arrow Tug and Barge company to proceed to Altona and other nearby fishing villages with supplies. The tug was forced to abandon the attempt because of the river ice.

Sick Cared For.

The Portland Oregonian, which furnished the airplane to transport Dr. E. L. Boylen, physician, to Puget Island, attend the McGilvray girl, received a message from the medic today indicating that several other persons on the mid-Columbia island were ill and that he had attended them. None were serious, he said, except the child and she will live.

Edward D. Jones, commander of the Northland, who had been in the river on a similar mission on four other occasions, said he did not expect to get any farther than Longview, Wash., today. He said mail and supplies would be left on the ice for Cathlamet and that no effort would be made to break through the heavy barrier into that village until tomorrow.

The tender Rose will halt at Puget Island, the community which suffered the worst.

Commander Jones said from Longview the coast guard vessel would proceed to Vancouver, Wash., after breaking ice to allow ferri to the Lower Columbia to operate on schedule.

Bend Takes Fast One From K. U. H. S.

In a fast breaking offensive game in which Palmer and Wakeman were tied for high point, Bend high defeated the Klamath Union high by five points at the former's gym on Friday evening.

In the first quarter it looked as if the game would be a tight defensive one, then Klamath's defense weakened and Bend scored four points. The Bend team continued its brilliant offensive game in the second quarter, scoring eight more points. The half ended with the score 12 to 4 in favor of Bend high.

Klamath's offensive began to function properly in the third quarter, and almost tied Bend with a score of 20-15.

In the fourth quarter, Klamath in a final effort to score, again released its defense, while Bend scored six more points making the score 26-15.

Lineups for both Klamath and Bend teams were as follows:
Klamath POS Bend
Palmer F Grove
Grove F Bryant
Parker G G. James
Robustell G W. James
Weimer C Ward
Subs for Klamath—Sweigart, Wakeman, Massey.

Scout Masters Hear First Aid Lecture

The first meeting of the Scout Leaders training course will be held Wednesday evening at 7:30 the club room of the Klamath Falls Library. All scoutmasters, assistant scoutmasters, and troop committeemen will be enrolled. "First Aid" will be the topic of the evening. One of the doctors who is an official Red Cross instructor will have charge of the lecture hour.

OBITUARY

JAMES FOSTER. James Foster, pioneer resident of Klamath county, passed away at his late residence at Beatty at 2:00 a. m. Saturday morning. He is survived by his wife, Maggie Foster; two sons, Wernie and Jack, and two daughters, Sarah and Bessie.

Mr. Foster was aged 71 years at the time of his death. Funeral services will be held at the family residence at Beatty on Monday afternoon, and interment will be made in the family plot in the Plute cemetery. Arrangements are in care of the Earl Whitlock Funeral Home.

FUNERAL NOTICES

THOMAS R. MEER. Friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services for the late Thomas R. Meer to be held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Earl Whitlock Funeral Home, Pine Avenue at Sixth, with the officers of the Klamath Falls lodge of I. O. O. F. officiating. Interment will be made in the I. O. O. F. cemetery.

MARGARET FITTS. Friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services for the late Margaret Fitts to be held Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Earl Whitlock Funeral Home, Pine Avenue at Sixth. Services of the First Church of Christ Scientist will be read. Vault entombment will be made in the family plot in Luluville cemetery.

TEACHERS HOLD JOINT MEETING

Grade Associations of City and County Gather at Fremont School for Program.

More than 100 teachers from the city and county were present at the joint meeting of the Klamath Falls Grade Teachers' association and the Klamath County Teachers' association which was held at the Fremont school and later at the Pelican Grille today. A meeting of the Schoolmaster's club was also held today, in conjunction with the other meeting.

Have Good Program.

The morning session commenced at 9:30 at the Fremont school and the following program was given:

9:30 Assembly singing
Mrs. Eliza Henderson
10:00 Address—R. C. Groesbeck
10:30 Demonstration of Primary Music, Klamath Falls schools, under the direction of Miss Lillie Darby, Music supervisor.

11:00 Address—Jas. M. Burgess
State Dept. of Education, Salem, Ore.

11:45 Business session and announcements
Dramatic meeting
Meeting of Schoolmaster's club

12:15 Luncheon at the Pelican Grille

1:00 Music
1:15 Convention Reports

1:45 Special Report
Supt. Peterson
Committee Report.

Reports of various committees were given by Miss Edna Bennett, principal of Fairview school; Miss Ethel Zysert, second grade teacher of Roosevelt school, and Miss Thelma Parrish, first grade teacher of Mills school.

A. C. Olson, president of the county association, presided at the meeting. Mr. Olson is principal of the Mallin school.

Mr. Groesbeck, who gave the main address of the morning, spoke on "The School from the Citizen's Viewpoint."

Bonanza Gets New Rural Mail Route

The following letter was received by Postmaster John A. McCall, from Robert R. Butler, congressman from the second district, Oregon:

"The Post Office department has decided to establish a rural route out of Bonanza to supersede Star Route No. 73262, Langell Valley to Bonanza. They inform me that orders will be issued within a short time to establish this route, effective March 16."

ATTENTION, ODD FELLOWS

The funeral of Brother Tom Meek will take place at the Earl Whitlock Funeral Home, Seventh and Pine, at 2:30 p. m., Sunday, under the auspices of Klamath's lodge No. 137, I. O. O. F. Brothers will assemble at the hall at 2 o'clock and march to the funeral parlors. By order of F. L. MATHERS, Noble Grand.



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FRANCE AND ITALY ARGUE

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There was, however no indication either intended to recede from their former adamant positions, in which Italy demanded naval parity with any continental power and France as insistently refused it.

A French spokesman manifested satisfaction that progress had been achieved in the week's negotiations otherwise, particularly with Great Britain in the matter of a compromise system of measuring naval tonnage. France's contention is for limitation by global tonnage, whereby each nation would be allotted a total tonnage to do with as it thinks best.

Disagree On Limitations

Great Britain favors limitation by categories, that is to say, various ships should be placed in the battleship, cruiser classes and so forth. The French claimed global tonnage limitation is best suited to its needs. The British contend global limitation is artificial limitation. "You fight with guns, not with displaced water," British naval men argue.

The Associated Press was informed authoritatively that the French delegation was greatly impressed with the spirit of good will to reach a genuine naval accord which dominated all the delegations and that they believed this augured well for success.

Next Jury Trial Set for Jan. 29th

No jury trial is called in the circuit court until Wednesday, January 29, Judge William M. Duncan announced today. It was first thought that the jury panel would have to appear in court on January 27, but this date has been changed to the 29th, when the jury panel will report at 10:00 a. m.

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STATE CANNOT USE BUILDING

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the appropriation was made, so the fund is insufficient.

Another thing discovered by Ross is that he is requested to collect rentals from all fee-receiving state departments, regardless of where they are housed, in the new building or some old building.

Though it may have been an inadvertence on the part of the legislature when this provision got into the act providing for the financing of the new building, the attorney general has held, nevertheless, that this collection is incumbent on the secretary of state. The board of control has fixed the rental rate as 7 cents a square foot. The money collected from rentals goes into the state general fund and no provision is made for its expenditure. Until such time as the accident commission is fully paid off, tale money will off-set the appropriation for that purpose. After that, it was said, it may be applied to cutting down the state deficit.

VOX

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LAST TIME TONIGHT

LA GRANDE RELIEVED
LA GRANDE, Ore., Jan. 25. (AP)—The weather continued to moderate slightly with the minimum last night 13 above with an inch of snow.

The Big Gun is back at the Gun Store. 25-25

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SUCH was Jesus' answer to the question, "Is it lawful to divorce one's wife for every cause?" Yet in spite of this plain declaration as to those who marry after violating the sacred marriage vow, this sin has reached alarming proportions in our country. Jesus would not condemn the adulterers to death, but He also added, "Go thy way; from henceforth sin no more." If domestic trouble is brewing, turn to Christ and the church.

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