

EXECUTION SCHEDULED FOR FRIDAY

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expected to be a widow today, reached the prison.

She was wearing a brown checked suit. Her face was serious. Without a word to those gathered outside, she went through the door. She was expected to stay about half an hour in the death house.

WILENTZ NOT SURPRISED

TRENTON, April 1. (AP)—Attorney General David T. Wilentz was asked today if he was surprised at the last-minute stay of execution for Bruno Richard Hauptmann.

"I am surprised at nothing," he said.

GOVERNOR THREATENED

TRENTON, N. J., April 1. (AP)—William Lagay, secretary to Gov. Harold G. Hoffman, said today several telephone calls were received yesterday threatening "an aftermath" if Bruno Richard Hauptmann died in the electric chair.

Approximately 500 telegrams were received from all sections of the country, he said, urging the governor to stay execution.

TRENTON, N. J., April 1. (UP)—Bruno Richard Hauptmann—"the man with the charmed life"—was hauled back from death in the electric chair last night for the second time when Warden Mark O. Kimberling of Trenton state prison postponed his execution for 48 hours.

Kimberling's action was taken at the request of the Mercer county grand jury which is investigating the case of Paul H. Wendel, disbarred Trenton attorney, who confessed that he murdered Charles A. Lindbergh, Jr., and then repudiated the confession.

Wendel in Jail

Wendel still is held in Mercer county jail on the charge of murder, and the grand jury met this afternoon to consider whether it should indict him. It still was in session when the clock in the corridor of Trenton state prison crawled past 8 p. m.—the hour set for Hauptmann's death.

The corridor was choked with more than 50 persons who had been searched twice and identified so they could go into the death chamber and see Hauptmann die.

A phone rang in Kimberling's office.

"That's something," a newspaperman commented.

Kimberling came out of his office, a piece of paper held in a hand that trembled with the excitement of this incredible day.

"I have received a telephone call from Allyn Freeman, foreman of the Mercer county grand jury," he said.

"He said the grand jury had requested him to call me and ask me to postpone the Hauptmann execution for 48 hours. He said they still were investigating the Wendel case and wanted to look into some very interesting angles."

May Die Thursday

"For that reason I have decided to delay Hauptmann's execution for 48 hours."

"Does that mean he will be executed Thursday night?" Kimberling was asked.

"Probably so, but I will make an official announcement about that tomorrow," the warden said.

Heavy Snowfall Covers Portland

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ous. A number of motorists and truck drivers skidded off the icy pavement but none suffered injury.

The temperature here at noon was 33 degrees above zero. The weather bureau predicted slowly rising temperatures for the state tomorrow and rain.

Wendell Case Action Held Back by Jury

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Freeman is a republican, as is Governor Hoffman, who has been fighting to save Hauptmann from the chair—at least temporarily.

There was no information on how many of the grand jury panel of 23 participated in the deliberations. A vote of 12 is necessary to find an indictment.

James S. Kirkham, chief of Mercer county detectives, who swore out the murder complaint against Wendel, did not testify. He has said he has "verbal, circumstantial and material" evidence to back up the charge.

Prosecutor Marshall professed himself mystified by the whole procedure, which accidentally or otherwise was timed to a nicety to stay Hauptmann's death. He said he did not know whether Freeman or others had "engineered" it.

One of the unusual things about the surprise session was the fact that the jury spent a majority of its time without witnesses before it, seemingly in deliberation.

COPIES OF REPORT RECEIVED HERE

Copies of the Great Northern Railway's annual report have been received here, showing that arrangements have been completed for refinancing \$100,000,000 of the railroad's funded debt at a saving of \$3,433,234 or more annually in interest charges.

Freight traffic in 1935 increased 20.1 per cent in tonnage and 16.3 per cent in revenue. Increased traffic for 1936 is forecast.

Restoration of the 10 per cent wage reduction, completed in 1935, increased G. N. payroll \$2,600,000.

Total operating revenues last year were \$31,183,858, of which \$70,111,977 was freight.

Ransom Declared Cached in East

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ment of the \$1,000 fine imposed for obtaining money under false pretenses. Spitz also served a year in jail.

Carmody said there had been a conference between Spitz and Henry Barrett Chamberlain of the Chicago crime commission and Chief Justice John Sweeney of the municipal court on the subject of ransom money.

Carmody said Bernard Finnegan, an attorney, held several conferences with Spitz, and left today with his freed client. Finnegan indicated, said Carmody, that he planned to leave within an hour for the east.

Chamberlain said the conference with Spitz was held at the request of Governor Hoffman, who requested Judge Sweeney's aid in clearing up angles of the Hauptmann investigation.

Spitz claimed to have contacted a gang in the east which held some of the Lindbergh ransom money, Finnegan said. Spitz, he said, had paid \$1,300 and obtained \$5,000 of the ransom money, then came to Chicago to get funds for additional purchases. The eastern gang, he said, was supposed to have \$28,000 of the ransom.

Child Uninjured in Auto Mishap

Ten-year-old Juanita Trescott was badly frightened and slightly scratched Wednesday noon, when she ran into the street at Ninth and Lincoln, and was struck by an automobile driven by C. A. Pauley.

The little girl was rushed to Klamath Valley hospital by Pauley and found to be uninjured.

She was taken to her home at 302 Commercial street, to recuperate from shock. She is a student at Fremont school.

Vital Statistics

CRUMPACKER—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Crumpacker of Shasta Way, a son, April 1, 1936, at 1866 Le Roy street. Weight, 6 1/2 pounds.

AREA BOARD'S ACTION CAUSE OF DISPUTES

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Townsend's repudiation of the area board endorsement was the foundation of local sentiment on the matter.

"We go right back to the captain for our authority," he said. "His statements have annulled the area board program."

State Officer Here

A meeting of the Townsend board was held at the city hall last night. Rev. Sellwood, state organizer, was present, but pointed out that because it had not been officially called, the session could not take official action. An official call was put out for a session tonight.

It was not known whether the local board would consider and act on the situation concerning Dr. C. B. Cassel, member of the state area board, who received the endorsement for democratic national committee.

An angle on the Roseburg action is that there are some good friends of Senator McNary in the Roseburg club, and it was thought here that possibly they were opposed to seeing a campaign fund built up to fight the senator. Here, there is the possibility that pro-Willis Mahoney sentiment may be in part responsible for feeling against the state area board plan. Mayor Mahoney didn't get the area board endorsement and supposedly such campaign funds would also be used against him.

Similar Stands Taken

Thus, strange as it may seem, supporters of both Senator McNary and Mayor Mahoney are taking the same stand, although for different reasons.

It is generally agreed that in the weeks that lie ahead Oregon Townsendism faces a test in unity. It has been cracking up badly in the last fortnight, and the local developments and those at Roseburg, above mentioned, indicate that the area board and some of the local groups are certainly far apart.

The Townsend organization has been going around in circles the past two weeks. There were the Hansen resignations at Portland, the area board endorsements, their repudiation, and the later announcement from Paine that the endorsements stood, regardless of what national headquarters said. There were some evidences, in fact, that national headquarters had reversed itself in that repudiation.

Dr. Cassel, a member of the board, states that telegrams printed in this paper yesterday showing that headquarters approval had been given before the board endorsed, are true and correct copies of telegrams he saw at the board meeting.

In Medford, a club disbanded, its leaders stating it did not approve of candidates endorsing the Townsend plan merely to get elected. In fact, a group over there formed with the avowed purpose of voting against all persons who declared themselves for the Townsend plan.

What has been going on in Oregon seems to have a counterpart in national shakeups in the Townsend organization, the former splitting with such leaders as John Stevens McGroarty, and with Robert Clements, the shrewd organizer, resigning from his place in the movement.

Rearrangement at Men's Store Ends

Rearrangement of Hardenbrook's men's store, formerly Wayman's, Inc., was completed with the installation this week of complete new backgrounds and fixtures in the show windows. It was announced by B. L. Hardenbrook.

Interior of the store has been renovated, with a complete going over from stem to stern, Hardenbrook said. New spring lines are now complete, with special attention given to the needs of the working man, he announced.

Retired General Will Donate Replica of Fort Klamath Gallows to Museum

A replica of the gallows on strictly official way. There were which Captain Jack and his companions were hanged at Old Fort Klamath, made by one of the members of the army post there, has been offered for a historical museum here by Brigadier General W. C. Brown, retired.

General Brown made the offer in a letter to Captain O. C. Applegate. His letter follows:

"My dear Captain Applegate: When I was stationed at Old Fort Klamath, 1878-1881, the gallows on which Captain Jack and his companions were hanged was still standing.

"The bodies of the culprits were buried only a few feet away from the post guard house, and among the orders for post No. 1, 5 1/2 x 9 inches, and when set up it is about six inches high. "If unable to attend to this matter personally, would you pass it along to some one interested in the history of southern Oregon."

"I had always understood that ested in the history of southern Oregon, where, as a lieutenant for the head of Captain Jack, all of the first cavalry, I spent many though he came to his end in a happy days."

TALES OF KLAMATH WILD LIFE SOUGHT

Members of the Klamath Sportsmen's association have been asked to contribute two true wild life stories to the program of the Shasta-Cascade Wonderland wild life tour visit here on the evening of April 8.

On its tour of the wonderland area, the Shasta-Cascade group is gathering these stories at each point visited. They will be kept in written form and later the entire group may be published.

Some interesting fishing or hunting incident, or some other wild life yarn, will be told by each of the two local speakers. The general public is invited to attend the forum, which is sponsored through the chamber of commerce. Outstanding speakers accompany the tour.

Obituary

Norma Elizabeth Hakanson, for the last 20 years a resident of Klamath county, passed away Wednesday, April 1, at 7:20 a. m. following an illness of seven weeks. She was a native of Norfolk, Virginia, and at the time of her death was 52 years and 14 days. Surviving are her husband, A. E. Hakanson of Rocky Point, Ore., and two sisters, Mrs. Minnie Anderson of Denver, Colorado, and Mrs. Lillian Ferris of Roundup, Montana. The remains rest in the Earl Whitlock Funeral Home, Pine street at Sixth, where friends may call. Notice of funeral to be announced in the next issue of this paper.

BERNARD BENSON

Bernard Benson, for the last eight months a resident of this city, passed away Tuesday, March 31, at 9:54 p. m. following an illness of four days. He was a native of Bushuslan, Sweden, and at the time of his death was aged 32 years, 1 month and 27 days. Surviving are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benson of Bohuslan, Sweden, five sisters, Mrs. Alvida Hallgren, Mrs. Seraphia Olson, Mrs. Judith Jacobson and Miss Gerda Benson, all of Sweden, and Mrs. Elin Dahlgren of Redding, California; also two brothers, Arvid Benson of San Francisco, Calif., and Oscar Benson of Sweden. He was a member of White Pine Lodge No. 555 F. and A. M. and White Pine Chapter No. 487 O. E. S. of Weed, California. The remains rest in the Earl Whitlock Funeral Home, Pine street at Sixth, where friends may call. Notice of funeral to be announced later.

KLAMATH INDIAN BILLS INTRODUCED

WASHINGTON, April 1. (AP)—Two bills relating to Indians on the Klamath Indian reservation in Oregon were introduced yesterday by Senator Steiwer (R-Ore.).

One would direct the secretary of the interior to make a list of all Indians of the Klamath and Modoc tribes and the Yakoskin band of Snake living on the reservation, the list to be a roll of those entitled to tribal benefits. The other would receive instead \$1,500 in cash for tribal funds now held by the treasury department.

Funeral

CHARLES NEWTON SNOW Funeral services for the late Charles Newton Snow who passed away in this city Monday, March 30 following a brief illness, will be held in the chapel of the Earl Whitlock Funeral Home, Pine street at Sixth, Thursday, April 2, at 3:00 p. m. under the auspices of Klamath Falls Lodge No. 1247 B. P. O. E. Committee services and interment in Linkville cemetery. Friends are invited.

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STATE POLICEMEN WIN PISTOL MEET

A team of state police troopers defeated the city police team in a pistol shoot held at 10:00 o'clock Tuesday night on the city hall pistol range.

The state police team total was 936 against the city's total of 883.

Individual scores for the state police team were chalked up as follows:

	1	2	Tot.
Leyva	68	84	152
Buch	89	85	174
Crosswhite	64	73	137
Johnson	85	81	166
Darnes	73	88	161
Walker	67	79	146
Team total			936

Individual scores for members of the city police team were listed as follows:

	1	2	Tot.
Stebbins	85	82	167
Cook	75	82	157
Gordon	69	68	137
Power	73	70	143
Olin	70	73	143
Lalonde	72	66	138
Team total			883

Those on both teams participating in the shoot placed as follows:

1. Bush
2. Stebbins
3. Johnson
4. Barnes
5. Cook
6. Leyva
7. Walker
8. Power, Olin, tie
9. Lalonde
10. Crosswhite, Gordon, tie

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Building Permits Go Up for March

Building took a spurt in Klamath Falls during March, and permits issued and approved by the council for the month totaled \$21,880. This was the best month for more than a year, according to Henry Schortgen, city building inspector.

There were 16 commercial permits, totaling \$17,165, and 13 residential permits amounting to \$4,715.

The largest single permit was for \$10,000 and was issued to the Baisiger Motor company for an extension to the plant.

PELICANS ARRIVE

A band of pelicans, disregarding the current visit of winter weather, flew over Klamath Falls Tuesday evening, broke forma-

tion, and settled on Lake Ewauna. They were observed at 5:20 p. m.

Study Group Meet—The Pelican P. T. A. study group will meet in the home of Mrs. M. O. Brallier at 808 West Oregon avenue, Thursday afternoon, April 2.

Too Late to Classify

ON ACCOUNT of moving east must dispose of small nearly new upright piano now stored in Klamath Falls. Leaving Portland in two weeks. Would even rent and allow rent temporarily with someone who would promise to make some small payments as soon as possible. Herman Lang, 1107 N. E. Knott St., Portland.

BOYS!

Wards woodworking machinery contest closes Saturday, April 4, 1936. Get your projects in as soon as possible.

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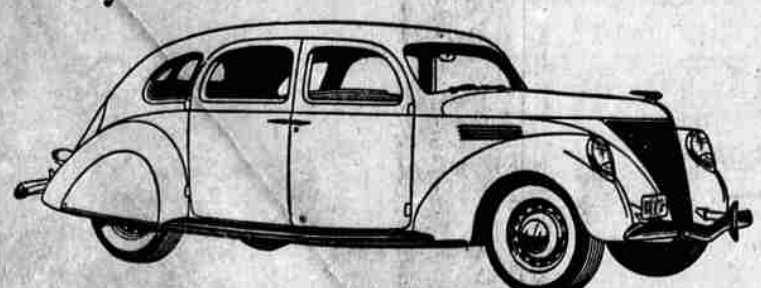
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