

TOWNSEND CASE MEETS DELAYS

WASHINGTON, July 1. (AP)—Contempt citations voted by the house more than a month ago against Dr. F. E. Townsend, old age pension leader, and two of his aides, will not be submitted to a federal grand jury until next fall.

In disclosing today that it would be impossible to present the case at this session of the grand jury which expires next Monday, Leslie G. Garnett, United States district attorney, emphasized there was no intention of dropping the action.

Dr. Townsend was cited for contempt after he walked out on a special house committee investigating his old age pension movement and refused to testify further.

The Rev. Clinton L. Wunder and John B. Kiefer, members of the Townsend organization's board of directors, were cited with the doctor when they failed to answer committee subpoenas to appear and testify.

Two Men Charged With Burglary

Clifford Cook and Albert L. Anderson were held in jail here Wednesday on charges of burglary in connection with a robbery in the room of Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Clananah at the Hotel Elk.

Cook is alleged to have obtained about \$13 in the room which he assertedly invaded when the Clananahs were sleeping there. Mrs. Clananah woke up and saw the burglar.

A call was made to police and Cook was arrested by the patrol car crew within a few minutes. Anderson, who assertedly did not enter the room, was arrested shortly afterwards at an accomplice.

At the district attorney's office it was stated Mrs. Clananah had identified Cook as the robber.

Librarians Meet



Klamath county librarians who met for an all-day conference Tuesday at the county library building. Reading from left to right: Mrs. A. E. Stonehouse, Mrs. Rybil Langley and daughter, Donna; Mrs. E. D. Smith, Mrs. R. A. Rigor, Mrs. Ben Morrison, Mrs. Dorothy Killian, Miss Mary McComb, Miss Eleanor Nabakowski, Miss Betty Zimmerman and Mrs. Bertha McCall.

Ancient City of Jerusalem Torn by Disorders

(Copyright, Associated Press) JERUSALEM, June 21, by Airmail and Boat to New York, July 1.—Every day, shots ring out on the roads just beyond the ancient city of Jerusalem.

Bombs explode in railway trains. Arabs and Jews are clubbed in street fights. Stones drop on passing automobiles driven by Jews.

Strike Since April

All Arabs have been on general strike since April 19. Since then, the Arab population has been in guerilla revolt for "freedom" for immediate termination of Jewish immigration, for autonomy.

The dead are counted in scores. The damage is tremendous. Business in Jerusalem is at a standstill.

Since no Arab shop has opened in more than two months, no Arab workman has earned a plaster, and the greater part of the population is both penniless and desperate.

Says one important Arab leader, one of the "high committees" in charge of the strike who thus far has escaped the concentration camps set up for insurgents by the British holders of the Palestine mandate:

"This time we'll fight to the death. It's freedom or the end. Our men are getting desperate, harder to hold every day."

Jews Want Peace

Says a Jewish leader:

"We want nothing more than to live in peace with the Arabs, to till our farms, conduct our businesses, worship in our churches. But the situation gets worse daily. We cannot stand much longer for outrages that already have murdered so many Jews."

Says a Jewish taxicab driver, his car just smashed by stones dropped from a roof as he passed beneath:

"We don't take much more. We've got a haganah (defense organization). We've got 15,000 men who've served in the armies of the world. We've got rifles and ammunition. We've been drilling. We'll stand for just so much, and no more."

Says a hotel owner:

"Business is at an absolute standstill. If the general strike and fighting ended tomorrow, it would still be years before we recovered economically. The Arabs have become practically paupers. I'm afraid the big explosion will come anytime."

That's a cross-section of Palestine opinion after weeks of steadily increasing strife. Calm opinion is divided as to the future. Quick action on the part of Great Britain, placating both sides with concessions, as in 1929 and 1931, may bring another truce. Desperate, the Arabs may break out in open, bloody, rebellion, and the Arab is a great fighter.

Certainly, none of the measures of steadily increasing severity adopted by Great Britain has lessened the crisis.

Despite a curfew law that clears all streets at 7:00 p. m., special decrees approaching martial law, proclaiming death as the possible punishment for peace violations, increasing her armed forces here to 10,000, patrolling the streets with trench-helmeted soldiers carrying bayoneted guns, the disorders have increased, both episodes as bursting bombs, sniping from roadheads and house-tops, knifings, quick death from ambush. Each day the tension increases.

It would not take much of a spark to turn the holy land into a huge bonfire.

Lad Unaffected by Mother's Murder; Mental Tests Due

CHICAGO, July 1. (UP)—Little Jimmy Thompson, blame 7-year-old witness to his mother's murder, will be given psychiatric examination in an effort to pierce the mystery of his bland reaction to the crime.

This was announced Tuesday by Police Captain William O'Brien, who had earlier voiced a shocking thought that many had considered silently but rejected as too weird. It was that Jimmy himself may have been his mother's slayer.

It was Jimmy's story that his mother, pretty Florence Thompson, at least twice-married cabaret entertainer, was slain by a "black man" who entered her hotel room early Monday morning and broke a building brick over her head as he talked soothingly to her son, assuring him that everything was "all right."

Jimmy's calm acceptance of melodrama was as much a mystery to investigators as his mother's death. It was said he attended movies four times a week and this may have led him to regard murder as a normal experience.

"We are overlooking no possibilities," Captain O'Brien said, "not even the possibility that the boy himself might be the slayer."

"We are dealing with a precocious child, who evidently had no love for his mother. He wanted to go back to his grandparents in Wilkes-Barre, Pa., although he had been visiting his mother here only one day."

Weather

The Cyclo-Stormograph at Underwood's pharmacy shows that even barometric pressure that has prevailed for the past week continues to keep the weather fine. No prospect of change in conditions save that temperatures may range higher Thursday.

The Tycoos recording thermometer registered, maximum and minimum temperatures Wednesday as follows:

High 90
Low 50
Forecast for next 24 hours:
Fair and warm.

WOMEN BACK LONDON

TOLEDO, July 1. (AP)—A statement of principles and a pledge to work and vote for the election of Alf M. Landon as president and Frank Knox as vice-president, and for those members of congress who are opposed to the new deal was adopted by the Independent Coalition of American Women today.

The first commercial air line in China was established in 1929, operating between Shanghai and Nanking.

Passenger traffic at the Buffalo municipal airport was approximately twice as heavy in 1935 as it was during the previous year.

CITY BRIEFS

B. & P. W. Meeting—The regular meeting of the Klamath Falls Business and Professional Women's club will be postponed from Monday, July 6, to Monday, July 13, according to Martha McCollum, president. The meeting is to be held at Camp Fire house on Conger avenue, where dinner will be served to club members by the Camp Fire girls.

Beer License Recommendation—The county court has recommended a hotel, retail and class B package beer license for Clay F. Sample and Jack Graf, who are to operate what was formerly the Little Duck Inn, on South Sixth street. Sample for a year or so has been employed by beer operators here in law enforcement work.

Arm Broken—F. E. Hinkle, 71, is a patient at Klamath Valley hospital, where he is receiving treatment for a fractured arm sustained Tuesday evening at the armory.

Libraries Close—Both the city and county libraries will be closed all day Saturday, July 4, and will also remain closed on Sunday, July 5.

Not Guilty Plea Entered Wednesday

G. B. Miller pleaded not guilty to non-support charges when he appeared before Circuit Judge Edward B. Ashurst Wednesday morning. He was released on his own recognizance.

Miller, it was explained in court, has a potato crop coming in the Langell valley, and has tied up all his money in the crop and equipment, including a recent bonus check. District Attorney Blackmer said he felt Miller should have spent part of the bonus money for his children before buying equipment with it.

Holiday Warning Issued by Stricker

PORTLAND, July 1. (AP)—Dr. Frederick D. Stricker, state health officer, making a plea for a safe Fourth of July, warned parents today that "there are no such things as harmless fireworks."

Dr. Stricker recalled that 2500 children were so seriously injured they were taken to hospitals and 20 killed in celebrations last year.

CLUB LEADER DIES

LA GRANDE, July 1. (AP)—An injury suffered in the unloading of exhibits at the Pacific International Livestock show in Portland last January, necessitating amputation of a leg, led to the death Tuesday of Henry Van Blokland, 23-year-old rancher and 4-H club leader.

OUT OF ALBUM

Working with W. C. Fields in Paramount's "Poppy," Maude Eburne sent home to Toronto, Canada, for a picture of herself at 16 so it could be used in the film.

Construction has been started in Germany on a sister ship to the new dirigible Hindenburg, while plans are being drawn for a third.

"Central heating," by means of heaps of leaves and other decaying matter which give off heat, is used by termites, or white ants, in warming their nests.

PRESIDENT AGAINST BRIDGE MEASURE

WASHINGTON, July 1. (AP)—The White House said today that President Roosevelt had disapproved a bill which would have exempted publicly-owned interstate highway bridges from state, municipal and local taxation.

Another bill disapproved would have enabled states to take over a number of toll bridges and make them into free bridges.

In giving his reasons for not signing the taxation measure, the president said:

"The effect of this bill would be that, by declaring publicly owned interstate highway bridges to be federal instrumentalities, such bridges would thereby be exempt from all state and local taxation.

"I cannot give my approval to this bill, first, because I can find no compelling reason for making publicly owned interstate highway bridges federal instrumentalities, and, secondly, because relieving such bridges of all state and local taxation would, in the majority of cases, result in loss of revenue, by states and their political subdivisions, necessitating material curtailment of necessary activities, or the imposition of increased tax burdens upon other taxpayers to make up the deficit."

Actor Vacationing at Crescent Lake

Frederic March, the movie actor, and his wife are still enjoying their vacation at Crescent lake, according to word received from Klamath people who have gotten acquainted with the Marches at the resort.

March has been doing considerable fishing and horseback riding.

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