

THANKSGIVING DATE CAUSES STATES SPLIT

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He said business people had complained the "last Thursday" date established by President Lincoln through the holiday down on Christmas shopping.

Calendars Wrong
This sounds silly, President Roosevelt said, but added he was willing to go along with merchants on the matter.

The precedent-shattering change, automatically making jars of all 1939 calendars, promised to upset the nation's multi-million dollar Turkey day football industry.

It also raised the possibility that for the first time since Thanksgiving was established by George Washington, Thanksgiving might be celebrated on different days in different parts of the country.

Traditional Games
Some of the season's biggest and oldest grid games are scheduled for Nov. 30 which the schedule makers thought would be Thanksgiving day.

Moving the games back to Dec. 2 or up to Nov. 23 will be impossible in some cases, because the teams already have games on or near those dates.

Salutes
Everett Saltonstall, republican governor of Massachusetts, said, "I shall hesitate a long time before I make a change (in the Thanksgiving date). To move Thanksgiving forward a week seems to me to be more upsetting than advantageous. Think, also, how tremendously disturbing it would be to school and college vacation schedules which have already been made up for this year."

"We'll vote the republican ticket, if he interferes with our football," said Bill Walton, coach of Ouchitella college, Arkansas, where republicans are practically museum specimens.

Disapproves
More seriously, James Fraser, chairman of the Selection of Historic Plymouth, Mass., where Thanksgiving started, said, "heartily disapproved" and would place the matter before the Selection.

"Plymouth and Thanksgiving are almost synonymous, and merchants or no merchants I can't see any reason for changing it," he said.

"I'm ready to eat turkey any time," chuckled Coach Hae Hellingbery of Washington State.

Turkey Same
Most produce men agreed the change would have little effect on the supply of turkeys available for the Thanksgiving market, although.

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Merrill Visitors Come With Challenge



Klamath Falls Kiwanis club was visited Thursday by these business men of Merrill, who issued a challenge from the Merrill service club for a softball game with the Kiwanians. The challenge was accepted. Left to right in the picture: Melvin Bowman, Mayor Charles Card, Tom Laird, Postmaster Alonzo Hodges, Roy Hodges and Tom Chaburn. The challenge was accepted by the Klamath Kiwanians and the date for the big battle will be announced later.

though one said, "A week can make a lot of difference."

Gov. George A. Wilson of Iowa said that if he had anything to say about it, the date would remain Nov. 30. He's a republican.

On the other hand, Gov. William H. Vanderbilt of Rhode Island, another republican, said "There appears to be some common sense in the idea."

Better Plan
A third republican governor, Ralph L. Carr of Colorado, said President Roosevelt's action "seems rather arbitrary, and continued."

"He has the power to make this nation thankful, if he would, by improving the lot of its people. He could better speed the time for Thanksgiving in that way than by changing the calendar."

A democrat, Gov. A. Harry Moore of New Jersey, decided "One day is as good as another."

SALEM, Aug. 15 (AP)—President Roosevelt's decision to proclaim November 23 as Thanksgiving day instead of November 30 will not conflict with Oregon law, which provides that any day proclaimed by the president or governor shall be observed as Thanksgiving day.

Gov. Charles A. Sprague, who was in Portland today, indicated last night that he would follow the president's lead.

The president, in asserting there were no holidays between Labor day and Thanksgiving, forgot about Oregon and some other states which observe November 11 as Armistice day. The new Thanksgiving date would give Oregon two holidays within 12 days.

Coach Roy S. Keene of Willamette University joined many of the nation's football coaches in setting up a howl of protest. Willamette is scheduled to play Whitman college at Walla Walla on November 30 in the traditional Thanksgiving day game. Keene said it probably would be necessary to revise the schedule.

Willamette is to play College of Idaho November 24 at Caldwell, Idaho. If the Willamette-Whitman game were changed to the new Thanksgiving date, Willamette would have to play two games in two days.

GRAND JURY TOLD TO FINISH CLEANUP
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plans no trip this year. He did not further identify the individual to whom he referred, but he did name names in an attack on what he described as a gambling establishment at Malin.

Jim Lee and Lee Lee, he said, are operating the establishment there. He mentioned these names several times in the course of his discussion. He said further that a race horse business is said to be under way in one of the pool halls.

Favorable Results
The judge advised the grand jurors to make it known to Sheriff Low and District Attorney Blackmer that the jury wants the race horse game and the Malin situation cleaned up.

Judge Ashurst talked at length about what he described as favorable results from the last jury session. For instance, an average of three young men a week had been coming before the court on forgery and bad check charges. Since the jury's order, not one man had been sent to the penitentiary from here for forgery.

"I like this to show that gambling is a primary cause of crime in this community," said the judge.

Moved Out
A representative of the federal bureau of investigation called on him and expressed approval of Judge Ashurst's and the grand jury activities, the judge said. The FBI man told him that hun-

dreds of desperate characters have left the county, and they are now scattered over California, particularly in the Redding area, the judge averred. He mentioned a conspiracy to kill the district attorney of Shasta county.

Men in the logging camps are strongly approving of his anti-gambling program, Judge Ashurst stated. He told of having dinner at the Pelican Bay camp and said that every one of 150 men came up afterwards, shook his hand and asked him to press their personal appreciation to the grand jury.

In a recent public address, Judge Ashurst declared that a local attorney had been "shaking down" beer dispensers in this district through claims of influence with the state liquor commission. In Tuesday's talk, the judge said that this "shaker-downer" is now looking down his nose, because a new liquor commission has been appointed and men who dispense liquor legitimately will be free from further shake-downs.

Judge Ashurst promised to continue his efforts to make the "racketeers" make restitution to the state and federal government for "thousands and thousands of dollars" which he claims have been fraudulently withheld from income tax payments.

The judge said that when men are brought before the grand jury as witnesses, some one puts "a thumb on their jugular vein" and they do not give an actual picture of such things as a "shake-down" business.

The judge continued his address with a statement to the jurors that every mother in Klamath county appreciates their work.

The jury then went into secret session to consider a number of criminal cases pending in the county, including several forgery and check cases that have developed since the last jury session.

The public is invited to the program planned for Wednesday night at 7 o'clock on Modoc field when five champion drum corps will appear.

Those taking part, all in full uniform, will be the American Legion drum corps, Sons of the Legion drum corps, Eagles auxiliary, Moose and Moose auxiliary drum corps. The Eagles drum corps will not appear, it was announced.

The 1939 champions, Sons of the Legion, and the auxiliary girls, will meet at the Willard hotel at 5 o'clock Wednesday night for dinner. They will be the guests of the senior drum corps with whom they will be joined at 7 o'clock for a parade down Main street to Modoc field.

It was announced Tuesday that a special platform has been constructed on Modoc field for the auxiliary team to present the Zouave girls drill.

ROBBERS GET AWAY IN \$70,000 HOLDUP

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punctured, blocked off the three bridges connecting with the Long Island mainland, but expressed fear they were too late.

Radio police cars halted an automobile at Massapequa, 20 miles from here on the mainland but an investigation showed it was not their quarry.

Early reports, lacking official confirmation, spread that police had engaged in a running gun fight with the bandits on Sunrise highway, one of Long Island's busiest parkway thoroughfares. Nassau County Police Inspector Harold H. King said he had heard nothing about it.

Edward Posen, a messenger employed by the National City Bank of Long Beach, told King he and his escort, Patrolman James Logouri, were accosted across the street from the bank as they were about to enter the postoffice to dispatch the money to the Federal Reserve bank.

Three men stepped from the 1938 sedan—whose license plates indicated it had been stolen in New York City recently—disarmed them with revolvers, covered Logouri and snatched the money. Waiting in the car were the driver and a man in the rear seat. The latter cranked a machine gun in his arms.

A few feet from the scene of the holdup a large truck, loaded with steel girders, stood parked at right angles to the curb, its rear tires punctured by large spikes. Police said the truck, nearly blocking southbound traffic on the street, afforded a screen for the robbers to elude immediate chase. The driver of the truck was detained by Long Beach police.

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Leave for Lake—Mr. and Mrs. Don Morgan and son Donny who are guests at the L. L. Trux home left Tuesday for Diamond Lake to spend about a week at the summer cabin of the Warren Hunts.

CHILD GUIDANCE WORKER VISITS; CLINIC PLANNED
Allen East, head of the child guidance clinic work in Oregon, was here Tuesday, meeting with local people active in this work.

The first clinic for this district, comprising Klamath and Lake counties, will be held September 21, it was announced at the county school office. At that time a meeting will be held with the civic committee interested in child guidance work.

KLAMATH IN YOUTH ENLISTS IN ARMY
August E. Holtorf, 1405 Wall street, and Ben A. Gay, son of Mrs. Hattie H. Gay, Warden, have been enlisted in the army. Staff Sergeant Willis S. Estep, local recruiting officer, announced. Both men have been assigned to the 9th Field Artillery (Heavy Howitzer, Ft. Lewis, Washington).

BOY JUMPS FREE AS CAR CRASHES, GOES ON
Arthur London, 10-year-old bicyclist, filed his own report of an accident on Altamont drive in Sheriff Lloyd Low's office Tuesday.

Young London said that he jumped and escaped injury when he saw a car was going to hit his bike. However, the bike was damaged. The autist backed away and drove off without investigating.

Frank W. Morin reported another accident on Altamont drive. John C. Speckler was driver of the other car.

K. H. Bates of Pine Ridge and Walter Nash of Chiloquin reported a crash in front of the store at Klamath Agency.

NAZI-POLISH ACCORD MAY BE ARRANGED

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officials declined to say what it contained.

The situation in the British capital was made more puzzling by a government official's assertion that no proposals for a settlement of the Danzig question had been received either from Bukharin or from any other quarter.

In the far east, a source close to the Japanese government declared Japan would await "international developments" before radically altering her foreign policy. Among the most pressing problems of policy before Tokyo has been the question of a military alliance with Italy and Germany.

A food shortage—a consequence of more than two years of war—threatened to develop into hunger riots and famine in large parts of Japanese-occupied China.

At Tientsin a 60-year-old American woman, Mrs. F. M. Richards, operator of a small cannelling business in the blockaded British concession, was reported to have been detained and slapped by Japanese guards when she sought to transport "prohibited" vegetables and fruit into the concession.

Councilman, Chief Of Police Resign At Tulelake Meet

TULELAKE—Resignations were in order at the Monday night meeting of the Tulelake city council with Councilman Clyde Barks and Chief of Police E. P. Fitzpatrick both resigning their posts with this recently incorporated town.

Councilman Barks' resignation was unanimously accepted by others sitting around the city table. Press of business was given by Barks as the reason for his retiring from public office.

J. W. Carlisle, barber, was named to fill the vacancy. Barks has served on the council since the town was incorporated some three years ago.

Chief Fitzpatrick, who has held this office since the town was incorporated, will retire September 1 when his resignation goes into effect. The council will hear applications next Monday night for the office of chief of police.

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Frequent Offender Proves Lenient in Sentencing Self

A tall blond Swede, Oscar Anderson, appeared once too many times before Police Judge Carl K. Cook. Anderson, it seems, is not only a frequent offender, but has been a consistent one.

When Anderson stepped before the judge, he was advised that he would be given the opportunity to sentence himself.

"I think you are sufficiently familiar with your offenses to sentence yourself," Judge Cook told him. "I am tired of doing it for you."

Anderson, who just finished a 30-day sentence, grinned at the judge.

"OK," said Anderson, "make it five days."

The police judge, surprised at Anderson's leniency, came back with an additional 20 days which gave Anderson a 25-day sentence for his drunk and disorderly offense.

This all happened Monday morning. Monday afternoon Anderson was put to work on yard duty and is now at large. Officers call it "brush parole."

Just what sentence the jovial Swede will hand out to himself when he appears again is now being discussed among the boys at the police station.

Six drunks and four "vags" appeared before Judge Cook Tuesday morning. Tiffany Hill forfeited \$25 bail on a drunk and disorderly charge; Francis Silvers, \$10 bail forfeiture on a drunk charge; and Harland Guster, \$10 bail forfeiture on a similar charge.

In addition seven ticket holders appeared at the desk sergeant's window, one person paying \$2 on a warrant. Six tickets were issued Monday by traffic officers.

SEARCH PRESSED IN STREAMLINE WRECK

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day as T. J. McLaughlin, FBI agent, had established that the man was at Pyramid Lake, Nev., Saturday night and Sunday morning and could not have participated in the wreck.

Acting on information from relatives of Mrs. Henry P. Vaux, of Port Ledge, Rosemont, Penn., and her daughter, Miss Susan M. Vaux, searchers found the bodies of the two in the demolished drawing room car "Twin Peaks." In the same car the searchers found the body of an unidentified negro, apparently a porter.

Relatives of Mrs. Vaux and her daughter, not being able to find their names on either the casualty lists or the list of uninjured, made inquiries. Railroad records showed the number of their section and coach. The car was found to be one in the center of the wreckage.

Albert Johnson of Chicago, at first reported to have been killed in the crash, was found last night to be alive, though in critical condition, in an Elko, Nev., hospital.

McDonald, explaining why he believed one man responsible for the disastrous derailment, said:

"A man would be a fool to take another into his confidence in a thing like this. A confederate would, sooner or later, be bound to squeal."

He advanced the opinion that the crime might have been perpetrated by a man with a diseased brain—possibly one with a grudge against some individual on the train, satisfying that grudge without regard for the other lives that might be snuffed out.

M. M. Jeffers, president of the Union Pacific, which with the Chicago and Northwestern operated the streamliner jointly with the Southern Pacific, arrived to aid in the investigation.

After Jeffers, with other railroad officials, went into the locked and guarded room where the misplaced rail, ties, spikes and other bits of evidence are held, he emerged to declare:

"There is not the slightest question about it; it was deliberate sabotage."

Dan O'Connell, chief special agent for the Southern Pacific aided McDonald in conducting the investigation, in which they were joined by two FBI agents and state police officers. McDonald said J. Edgar Hoover, chief of the federal bureau of investigation, had been requested to detail several FBI agents to the case and that Hoover was giving the request "every consideration."

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SMALL SCALE SPUD HARVEST ON IN BASIN

Potato harvesting in the Klamath basin was under way this week on a small scale compared to the wholesale digging that will soon change the acres into a hive of activity.

Stanley Johnson, Malin, said to have some 40-acres of White Rose potatoes under cultivation, started harvesting August 10 and it is understood that Johnson has shipped some 10 or 12 cars.

A number of others throughout the county have been digging Netted Gems and Russets, mainly for the local market where early Klamath potatoes are being welcomed by the housewife.

The crop, said by C. A. Henderson, Klamath county agricultural agent to be "about average," is not more than a week late, despite the unusual season which has predominated the coast section.

Drum Corps to Meet—The women's drum corps of the Eagles was scheduled to have practice at Conger school Tuesday at 7 p. m.

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