

### FIVE RIFLEMEN TAKE LIFE OF UTAH KILLER

SALT LAKE CITY, Feb. 5 (AP)—Five volunteer riflemen, paid \$25 each and one firing a blank shell, shot to death Walter Robert Avery, sallow-faced killer of a policeman, in the Utah prison yard today, thereby fulfilling his choice.

The shots were fired at 8:23 a. m., and two minutes later Dr. Rich Johnson pronounced Avery dead.

All persons condemned to death in Utah must choose between the firing squad and the hangman—and Avery, 34-year-old former marine, picked the riflemen.

**In Cellblock**

Although five rifles rattled at Sheriff John R. Watson's signal, only four spat death-dealing slugs. One of the 30-30 caliber weapons loaded secretly by the sheriff contained a blank cartridge, but none of the executioners knew which drew this weapon.

The riflemen stood in a cellblock adjoining the yard with a canvas hung over the door, their guns thrust through eight-inch slits.

**Woman Sees Execution**

From a range of 22 feet they pumped bullets into a target pinned over the heart of the condemned slayer who as a marine had engaged in exchanges of shots with Nicaraguan revolutionaries without getting a scratch and also had come unscathed through later brushes with the law.

Avery, strapped securely in a battered old arm chair, stiffened as the guns cracked and his low moans were audible to newspapermen and other witnesses standing only eight feet away.

One woman, Jean Hubber, a Salt Lake City reporter, saw the execution.

**Good Loser**

The death sentence was imposed on the former marine for the slaying of Detective Hoyt L.

Gates in a gun battle during a chain store grocery holdup at Ogden February 11, 1941.

In a 10-page "autobiography" written for a Salt Lake City newspaperman, Avery said, "death to me is simply the cashing in of the stack of chips all of us receive at birth and while I have lost heavily in the game of life, I intend to face the cashier as a good loser."

### WLB TO OPEN NEW OFFICE AT SEATTLE

PORTLAND, Feb. 5 (AP)—Dean Wayne L. Morse and two other members of the war labor board were here today making plans for the opening of a Pacific northwest regional labor board office at Seattle.

The dean of the University of Oregon law school said members of the regional board would be divided equally between Oregon and Washington with four representatives each from the public, labor and industry. The national board will name the members, Morse said, but industry and labor will submit their own nominations.

Morse said the Seattle office and 11 other regional offices throughout the nation probably would be functioning within 10 days or two weeks.

The regional office will not have jurisdiction that conflicts with that of the west coast lumber commission, which will maintain its office here and continue to be responsible only to the national board, Morse said.

### Wife Admits Poisoning Husband After Argument

HILLSBORO, Feb. 5 (AP)—Mrs. Ernest Gibbons has admitted poisoning her husband, a Hillsboro area farmer, after an argument over repairing a frozen automobile radiator. Deputy Sheriff R. H. Busch said last night.

Busch said the woman, held in county jail without charge, admitted putting poison into Gibbons' coffee yesterday morning. He died within a short time.

### BLAME FOR MILK TROUBLES LAID TO GOVERNMENT

PORTLAND, Feb. 5 (AP)—Oregon's dairy industry today put responsibility for the milk production problem on the federal government's doorstep.

Some 75 producers and processors, meeting under auspices of the Oregon Dairymen's association, charged that production has been retarded by the government's failure to evolve a policy that could be understood.

**Demands Made**

The group asked that the state milk control law be retained because it "is beneficial to producers and consumers alike in that it provides legal means for the dairy industry to settle its differences, especially in the larger markets."

Higher ceiling prices, more farm machinery, draft deferment for dairy workers and inclusion of labor costs in revising the parity formula were other demands of the group.

SALEM, Feb. 5 (AP)—State Director of Agriculture J. D. Mickle warned dairymen today that existing conditions offer no

excuse for reduction in the butterfat content of milk. He said his inspectors had found several instances where the content was below the 3.2 per cent minimum.

### Merchant Gets \$3610 Fine, Six Months on Tire Count

PORTLAND, Feb. 5 (AP)—Morris E. Barhan, Westport merchant, was fined \$3610 and sentenced to six months in prison by Federal Judge James A. Fee yesterday for tire rationing violations.

Barhan pleaded guilty last December to charges of selling new tires at prices above OPA schedules and without receiving ration board certificates. Sentence was delayed pending investigation by a probation officer.

It was the first tire rationing case in Oregon.

**GROCERS' LOSS**

PORTLAND, Feb. 5 (AP)—Rationing of canned goods, starting March 1, will affect 22 per cent of all items handled by grocers and 60 per cent of their business volume, estimates M. R. Misner, district OPA food rationing official.

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