

Testimony Given In Lynch Trial

GREENVILLE, S. C., May 15 (AP)—Roosevelt Carlos Hurd Sr., 45, accused executioner of a negro lynch victim, admitted in a statement today that he participated in the killing but denied he fired the fatal shotgun blast which ripped open the victim's head.

The purported statement was offered in evidence by the prosecution, in the trial of 31 defendants accused of murder and conspiracy to murder in connection with the slaying of negro Willie Earl last February 17. Twenty-eight are Greenville cab drivers.

Rode With Leaders

Hurd, who acknowledged a second-grade education, said he rode with the leaders who went to Pickens, S. C., with taxi cabs and took the negro from Pickens jail. He said the lynch victim was questioned about the fatal stabbing of a white taxi driver.

Relating how the mob stopped at the roadside, near a slaughter pen, Hurd said one of the other defendants, Ernest Stokes, told the negro he knew he had confessed to the stabbing of T. W. Brown and demanded to know who the negro's accomplice had been.

"You know we brought you out here to kill you," Hurd quoted Stokes as saying, "and you don't want to die, with a lie on your tongue."

Veteran Cameraman Dies At 58

SEATTLE, May 15 (AP)—Chalmers David Sinkey, veteran Pacific Northwest newsreel cameraman, died yesterday in a local hospital after a short illness. He was 58.

Northwest representative for Fox Movietone News, Sinkey was taken ill last week while filming a news story in Yakima. Death came on his 15th wedding anniversary.

Surviving are his widow, Patsie V. Sinkey, of the public relations bureau of the state game department; a son, three brothers and two sisters.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 3 o'clock.

LONGSHOREMEN MEET

PORTLAND, May 15 (AP)—The West Coast OIO Longshoremen's delegates resumed meetings today with President Harry Bridges on plans to seek extension of the union-operator agreement for a year.

The union officials refused to make an announcement after yesterday's opening meeting.

HIGH SCHOOL

News Notes and Comment

By MARY LOU CASE

Another performance of the senior play, "Our Town," will be given tonight. Last night's showing proved the play very well cast and well handled, and it was received by a very appreciative audience. The play starts at 8 p. m., price is 60 cents adult ticket, 30 cents for students.

Junior students are busy planning the junior-senior prom which will take place May 29 in the boys' gym. The theme has been decided upon—Moonlight Memories—and the gym will be decorated accordingly. Maudie Thompson and Class President Don Zarosinski are co-chairmen for the committee made up of Dorothea Cogdill, Virginia Oberg, Pat McMillan, Darlene Knowles, Bob Redkey, Bob Mahoney, Pat Williams and Jim Crismon. Miss Eva Burkhalter advises the junior class.

May 22 the Legion hall will be the scene of a banquet of the Latin club, recently affiliated with the Junior Classical League of Latin clubs. President Roy Larson and Secretary Helen Jackson have appointed the following committee chairmen: Connie Hunt, food; Stuart Oliver, tables; Ruthie Huston, favors; Mary Lou Stanbery, decorations, and Lois Landrum, invitations. Mrs. Helen Hoffman is advisor of Latin club.

A picnic-barbecue party is the social event being held by the Library club next Monday, May 19. The 13 members of the club will congregate in Margaret Wedel's back yard at 7 p. m. where they will indulge in wieners and potato salad. The library club's chief duty is keeping up the sophomore-freshman library and is composed of girls who have worked there. Barbara Dotson holds the position of president; Beverly Brown, secretary; Margaret Wedel, entertainment chairman, and Miss Borghild Mehlen is advisor.

PICK EQUALS

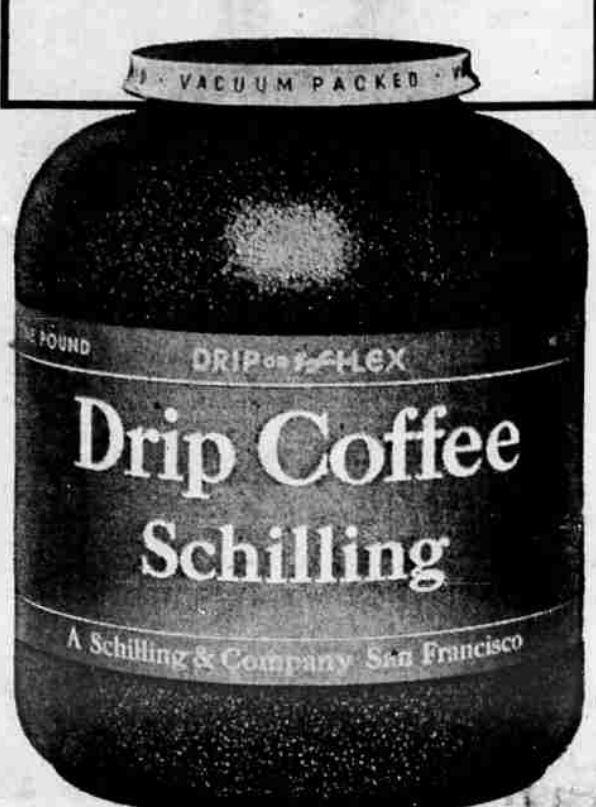
In selecting their mates, men pick women whose intelligence is about on their own level, according to a psychologist of the University of California.

FUNNY BUSINESS



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Indian Reservation Fire Fighting Gear In Order

By HALE SCARBROUGH

The fire-fighting machinery of Klamath Indian reservation is getting into gear this week for the annual summer battle with forest blazes, according to Harry Kallander, head of the fire-protection work at the Agency.

This week Frank Coburn, an old-timer at fire work on the reservation, will mount to his lookout tower on Calamus butte for a solitary stay at the reservation's most important view point. Calamus butte is near the center of the reservation and offers a good view of most of the area.

Four or five of the other eight lookouts on the reservation will be manned by the first of June, although the strict fire season and road closures will not start until July 1. Kallander said that at present the woods are as dry as they usually are during the month of July, but to date only two small fires have been seen on the Indian lands. Al Cummings, pilot of the Agency's plane, spotted them both and they were quickly put out. Cummings has been making daily fire-watch flights over the reservation since early in May.

Last year the reservation saw only 56 fires, but the average for a year is over 80.

To supplement the Agency's regular fire fighting equipment—some of which is 10 years old—the reservation has on order three jeeps, eight 4x4 weapons carriers and an ambulance, expected to be received before July 1 from the war assets administration. The ambulance will be used to carry men to the scene of fires.

The present equipment includes several cars, a bulldozer and two light 22-hp tractors. Radio equipment, in good condition, includes a 25 watt two-way set at the Agency, used by Fire Dispatcher Victor Sisson, another 25-watt set at Calamus butte, four old portable field sets and two cars equipped with two-way radios. John Arkell uses one of the cars in his law enforcement work, and Kallander has the other.

It has been many years since the Indian reservation had a disastrous forest fire—the largest in 1946 was about 300 acres—but the Klamaths have a million acres of land, much of it timbered, and fire protection is a serious business.

School Cafeterias Held Unsanitary

PORTLAND, Ore., May 15 (AP)—Twelve cafeterias in Portland city schools have been classified grade C by the city health department and under state law must be closed within 30 days unless the schools comply with sanitation regulations. The city health department advised the board of education of the classification at last night's meeting.

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Plums Starr No. 2 1/2 glass 15c
Milk All brands tall tin 12c
Hi-Ho Crackers large pkg. 27c
Shredded Wheat NBO 15c
Jelly Assorted flavors 2-lb. jar 59c
Cherries Dark Bings, heavy syrup, 2 1/2 tins 29c

Peaches

Del Monte No. 2 1/2 cans 32c
TruPak, No. 2 1/2 cans 35c
Sunblest, No. 2 1/2 cans 35c
Rose Bowl, No. 2 1/2 cans 35c
Philadelphia Cream Cheese 2 for 25c

Juices

Orange Juice, 46-oz. 29c
Tomato Juice, 46-oz. 25c
Blended Juice, 46-oz. 25c
Grapefruit Juice, 46-oz. 25c
Tomato Juice, No. 2 tin 10c

Coffee

Hills Bros. lb. 49c
M.J.B. lb. 49c
Schillings lb. 49c
Golden West lb. 49c
Chase & Sanborn lb. 49c

Pork & Beans

Hunts, No. 2 1/2 tin 25c
Van Camps, No. 2 1/2 tin 27c
Old English, 300 tin 15c
Van Camps, 300 tin 15c
Chiefs 300 tin 15c

Ice Cream

Lost River pt. 23c
Crater Lake pt. 23c
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