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Jury May Get Ankeny Case Soon

The jury took over proceedings in the trial of Lewis H. Ankeny this morning. Ankeny, charged with larceny by baillee in the operation of his stock brokerage business, was on the witness stand all this morning and part of the afternoon.

His testimony was aimed at shifting the blame for failure of his business and consequent loss to several local customers in 1946, to the Suto Brokerage company of San Francisco. Ankeny said that the Suto firm had loaded him with a Philippine mining stock which proved to be a poor buy, then grabbed valuable securities in his account to pay for the mining stock losses.

Squeeze On
That squeeze threw him into financial difficulties, the former securities dealer said, and he was unable to make good on his obligations to customers.

The Suto company not only took his worthless securities but those of customers, Ankeny testified.

He said he went to San Francisco to try to straighten out the tangle and was "brushed off" by the San Francisco firm. Then he went to New York to try to raise the money to make good his obligations.

Admits Business
But on cross-examination, Ankeny admitted his financial trouble and the freeze-out by the Suto company came in "May or June" of 1946 and he continued in business in stock transactions here until August or September of that year.

The transaction in question in the trial, involving some \$1800 given Ankeny by Gus Anderson for 35 shares of Marshall Field stock, was made in August.

U. S. Balentine, acting as special prosecutor, drew out that Ankeny obtained a large sum of money from the Suto company before he went to New York and that he cashed checks on a local bank amounting to "about \$700" at Harold's club, Reno gambling hall, on his way to New York.

Unsuccessful
Ankeny was unsuccessful, he said, in raising money in New York and there registered at a hotel under an assumed name, "Ross Wynans".

In December, 1946, after his creditors here had frozen his assets and thrown him into bankruptcy, Ankeny was arrested in New York and later returned to Klamath county.

Two indictments, charging embezzlement and larceny by baillee, were out against him.

In his testimony, Ankeny has contended that the transaction with Anderson for the Marshall Field stock was a sale and that he gave Anderson a commitment for the 35 shares. He intended to wait for a drop in the market, buy the stock and deliver it to Anderson.

That procedure is known as "selling short."

The prosecution on the other hand, has tried to prove that in the Anderson transaction Ankeny was acting as a broker in handling money not legally his own.

Wednesday afternoon, after the prosecution had rested its case, Circuit Judge David R. Vandenberg ruled down a motion to declare a non-suit and also a demurrer to the indictment, either of which would have thrown the case out of court.

Youth Held In Sex Case

Earl Lee Price, 18, a former inmate of a juvenile training institution at Chehalis, Wash., is held in the county jail on a charge of contributing to the delinquency of a minor.

The charge involves a six-year-old girl.

State police arrested Price late last night at his home, 3249 S. 6th, on complaint of the little girl's father. He would admit nothing under questioning at the state police office and the case has been turned over to the district attorney.

Price is held in the county jail in lieu of \$1000 bail.

Youngster Grabs Purse, Flees

A youngster, reported to be about 15 years of age, grabbed a purse out of a parked car on Pine street late Wednesday and outdistanced the owner, Mrs. M. L. Shepherd.

City police reported that Mrs. Shepherd saw the youth reach into the car, parked at Lowell's Lockers, take the purse and start up 8th street. She followed but he got away at 9th and High.

The purse contained about \$3.

Sister Of Local Woman Passes

Death of Mrs. Rosa D. Jones of Redding, Calif., a frequent visitor to Klamath Falls at the home of her sister, Mrs. Matt Kohn Sr., 625 Pacific Terrace, was learned here Tuesday, day of her passing.

Mrs. Jones had spent each holiday here for the past 10 years at the Kohn residence and had made many friends during her lengthy stays. Final rites will be held Friday at 2 p. m. in Redding with interment there. Mr. and Mrs. Kohn left today for the south. Mrs. Jones became ill during a visit here last Christmas and did not recover, according to her sister.

HIGH BID
SPOKANE, April 30 (AP) — Eight yearling steers weighing 7370 pounds sold here Wednesday for 30 cents a pound.

They were bought by the Grange Interstate Livestock association from Roseburg brothers of Wilson Creek, Wash.

Paint Clinic—Saturday, May 1st
Balsiger Motor Company

Officers, Delegates Of PTA Wind Up Convention

Officers and delegates to the 35th annual convention of the Oregon Congress of Parents and Teachers, left Klamath Falls Thursday filled with inspirational messages to take back to their home units throughout the state as the three-day session came to a close at Oregon Vocational school.

Highlight of the convention was the banquet Wednesday night at OVS, presided over by Mrs. H. H. Hargreaves, state president, where Mrs. J. J. Garland, regional vice president of the national congress stressed the objectives of the national organization and the need of closer relations between home and school.

By approval of the Oregon Congress, a constitutional revision has created two new regions in the state, bringing the total to 10.

As this is not election year, only the vice presidents were chosen at this session.

An executive committee meeting is slated for tonight to determine the 1949 convention city in Oregon.

Memberships
It was announced at the final session by Mrs. Jennelle Moorhead, congress vice president, presentation of two life memberships in the national congress of Parents and Teachers to Mrs. H. H. Hargreaves, state president, and Mrs. H. H. George of Portland, junior past president of the state congress. These are the first life memberships ever given by the Oregon congress, although Mrs. William Kleiser of Portland was given a similar congress membership by the national congress which she served as president from 1940 to 1942.

According to the convention report of Mrs. S. G. Pettit, Portland, state membership chairman, congress enrollment this year is 69,541, an increase of 24.43 per cent over last year. Of the 449 local units, 74 were organized during this year.

At the final report of the registration committee, 469 delegates representing 270 units in the state, were in attendance.

Speaker
Philip H. Parrish, editor of the editorial page of The Oregonian, spoke at the closing session of the congress this afternoon on the topic, "Survival in Calamity."

Parrish recounted highlights of his vast last fall to the occupied countries of Europe with a party of American editors as guests of the war department.

Closer relations between home and school, building of a firm foundation of a religious and spiritual nature, an aim toward close contact with all peoples of the world, vigorous stand against radio programs dealing with violence, crime and death, and full support of the amendment which will make possible voting privileges in school matters of all citizens whether they are property owners or not, made up the basis of the convention findings committee of the 35th annual congress.

The following statement, framed for action for the coming year of all PTAs in the state, was presented at the closing session by Mrs. Raymond Graep of Portland, chairman of the findings committee.

Conclusions
"Since the program of this convention has convinced us that the world is truly at our doorstep, we believe that the following conclusions provide a framework of action for the coming year.

"We believe we must develop a deeper understanding of the world at large. Since the atomic age it is impossible for us to ignore any segment of the world's population.

"In this new world, with its emphasis on technological development and material things, we must support action which will bring about the well-being of all peoples. We must do this not only as a moral obligation, but as our only real means of survival.

"Since the family unit is basic to the promotion of this objective, we urge that a larger part of the school and teacher training program be devoted to courses in family life education.

"We further urge that the Parent-Teacher association be the coordinator between home and school in the development of this program.

"A constant effort should be made to bring the parent into actual contact with the school situation on the pre-school, elementary and high school level by means of study

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Chiloquin, KF Groups Hold Confab

CHILOQUIN, April 30 — Sixty Chiloquin residents met Wednesday night with 12 representatives of the Klamath Falls chamber of commerce in inter-city rally at the high school.

Mayor William Lorenz, chairman, presented R. H. Bitney, superintendent of Klamath Agency, under a regime of public understanding of the problem of placing Indians under full citizenship.

Foremost in the discussions of the evening was the Chiloquin-Sprague River road. Lakeview is also backing the completion of the highway, according to Lorenz.

Other topics were of the possible developments of economic nature for this community, including lumber mill operations, development of pulp from lodge pole and larch-pine, furthering the manufacturing of pumice products and the wider sale and use of black cinders found locally. The possibility of sheltered primary feed lots for cattle was also brought up.

Various tourist's problems were discussed from many angles, chief of which was the desirability of further planting of local fishing streams. Accommodations, better road signs, sale of Indian handicraft and publication of tourist pamphlets were also mentioned.

Superintendent Bitney caused a ripple of laughter when he gave this admonition, "Beware of following the Southwest where they have two industries, citrus and tourists, and they skin both of them."

Manager Charles Stark introduced the retiring president, Phil Hitchcock, and other members of the chamber of commerce.

Refreshments prepared by Rev. and Mrs. Harley Zeller were served in the school cafe following the meeting.

Truck Reported Stolen

A 1929 model Ford pickup truck was reported stolen from Chiloquin Wednesday night, state police said. The truck was owned by Elliott R. Moore, and bore Oregon license No. 907-264.

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Grange Hears Drive Report

The regular meeting of the Merrill Grange was held Monday night with Mrs. John Giacomini, master, presiding.

Mrs. Harriet Fotheringham acted for the secretary, who was absent.

A report on the progress of the Home Economics club scrap book for the Pomona Grange was made by Mrs. Kenneth Brown and officers were reminded to turn in their snapshots at the earliest possible date to Mrs. Warren Ochs or Mrs. Kenneth Brown.

Mrs. Bernice Wilson showed movies for the lecturer's program, after which refreshments were served by Mr. and Mrs. John Giacomini and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh O'Connor.

FELLOW CITIZENS.

I am a candidate for the Republican nomination for Sheriff of Klamath county. I have been a resident of this County since 1907 and a taxpayer for the past twenty years. I was a box factory foreman and superintendent for eighteen years and during that period, my wife and I owned and operated a grocery store in Stewart addition. I joined the police force in Klamath Falls in 1936 and with the exception of one year when I owned and operated the Mobil Service Station at 6th and Walnut streets, I have been a city police officer. I now hold the rank of sergeant.

I have attended numerous police schools which were conducted by the FBI and other law enforcement bodies who were specialists in their respective fields.

I have been on many man hunts with posses for lost persons and criminals with my trained Doberman Pinscher dogs and I have a good working knowledge as to how these posses and hunts are conducted.

I do not believe in making promises that I will not or cannot keep. However, there is one promise I can make and will do my best to keep. Having been a police officer on night duty for the last ten years, I have been interested in the problem of the teen-agers. The Teen-Agers clubs sponsored by the church, civic, and businessmen's organizations are a great thing and will do a great deal to combat juvenile delinquency. The sheriff's office will cooperate in every way possible to further these teen-agers' organizations, and at this time, I wish to state that I give the teen-agers a great deal of credit themselves for the work that they have done in organizing their own club rooms.

There are many departments under the sheriff's jurisdiction and competent help is needed for each of these departments. Responsible persons now holding these positions will be retained. When an opening occurs I believe a qualified ex-service man or woman should be given first consideration.

I believe that I have the education, training and experience to successfully handle all departments of the sheriff's office. I will appreciate your support and will do my best to merit it.

Jack Linkenbach
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Park Area Land To Go On Tax Rolls

The real property of the Crater Lake National Park company, located in the scenic national park, probably will go on the tax rolls of Klamath county this year, Tax Assessor Glen Terrill said Thursday.

Officials of the concession company, the park service and the state tax commission were meeting today at the courthouse.

The property, lodge, cabins and the like, has never been on the tax rolls although the company has paid taxes on personal property and furnishings. Terrill said the tax commission recently ruled that the real property is taxable, although it is located on government land.

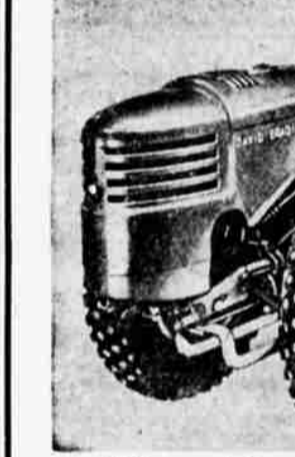
It is impossible to get a valuation of the property now because of the snow at the lake, but financial statements of the company may be used to arrive at a valuation for taxes this year.

Terrill said that probably adding the Crater Lake park company's real property to the tax rolls would bring in about \$1100 in taxes for the 1948-49 year.

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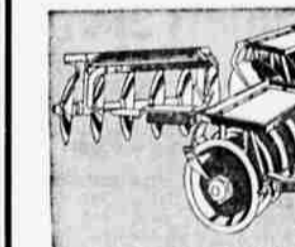
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Hathaway Estate Set At \$30,000

The estate of the late Thomas Jefferson Hathaway, who died April 20, amounts to an estimated \$30,000, according to probate filings in the county clerk's office.

Hathaway, who operated a barber shop on Klamath avenue for years, owned various real property in town, valued at \$25,000 and had personal property worth about \$5000.



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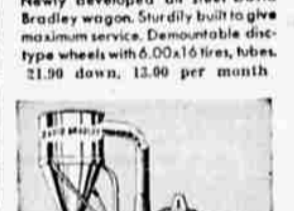
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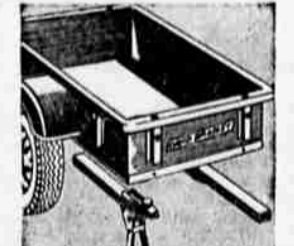
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