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CHINESE HIDE IN 11 COFFINS

Orientals Found Hidden By Officers of Vessel As Craft Reaches Port

HONOLULU, Nov. 27.—The attempt of 11 Chinese to smuggle their way into the United States by concealing themselves in coffins aboard the steamer President Lincoln, has resulted in the arrest of the vessel's Chinese steward.

The prisoner is expected to implicate others of the Lincoln's crew. The men whose ingenious effort to enter America illegally was frustrated here are being held by immigration officials pending arrangements for their return to China.

CHRISTMAS SEAL SALE SANCTIONED BY GOV. W. PIERCE

Executive Sends Message Of Greeting to All Workers

Sale of Christmas seals, for the purpose of aiding care and prevention of tuberculosis, which is carried on each year during the month of December, will this year be started off full blast in Klamath, as well as the rest of the state.

Governor Walter M. Pierce, in a message to the Christmas seal workers, has sent the following message, a copy of which was received in Klamath Falls last evening.

The governor's message is as follows:

Salem, Ore.,
Nov. 27, 1926

Mrs. G. A. Bellman,
630 Pine St.,
Klamath Falls, Ore.:

Greetings to all Christmas seal workers in Oregon. You are engaged in a great enterprise for Oregon's welfare. Give it your best efforts; every Christmas seal sold helps to stamp out tuberculosis and increase knowledge of prevention. Your work has my heartiest approval.

WALTER M. PIERCE.
Governor of Oregon

LONE BANDIT ROBS BANK OF $5,500

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 27.—The Moneta-Manchester Avenue State bank was held up and robbed by a lone bandit here Friday, who escaped, with $5,500 in currency.

The robber got away in a waiting automobile, the license number of which was turned over to the police.

Moonshiner Given Fine and Jail Term

This is the story, according to Justice of the Peace Kendall, of a man who lied.

As a result the man, G. Wenzel, on whom officers took pity, must pay a fine of $250 and spend 60 days behind the bars of the Klamath county jail.

It was a liquor case. "I was just making enough that my wife, who is ill, could have an operation," Wenzel had told Kendall when he was arraigned Wednesday evening. And, as a result, he had been released on his own recognizance, that he might spend Thanksgiving at his farm house.

But the justice was not satisfied with but one side of the story. He sent an investigator into Malin district where Wenzel's home is located. The investogator said he learned conclusively that the man had been manufacturing liquor for two years and had been maliciously violating the law.

"I was fair with you—I think more than fair," Kendall told Wenzel yesterday. "but now I'm through." The man said nothing.

Wenzel was arrested midnight Tuesday by Prohibition Officer Cole. Although he is charged with both possession of a still and possession of liquor, only the latter charge was pressed. The other, however, will be held over him in case he again breaks the law.

PINCHOT WORKS ON SETTLEMENT OF COAL TROUBLE

Attempt Made For Strike Ending

COMMITTEES CONFER

Pennsylvania Executive to Lay Propostion Before Operators-Miners

HARRISBURGH, Pa., Nov. 27.—Gov. Gifford Pinchot has begun the first definite attempt to settle the anthracite coal strike.

of Scranton, spokesman for the and miners have been asked to meet with the government at the state capitol here Saturday afternoon, when Pinchot will make a "proposition."

In a letter to Maj. W. W. Inglis, bers of the operators' committee operators Pinchot said:

"Will you and the other members of the operators committee meet with me in the capitol at Harrisburg tomorrow, Saturday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock? I desire to lay a proposition before you. The committee of the miners has also been invited. Kindly wire reply."

Prisoner Is Bound Over By Magistrate

There are those alleged law violators who do not squirm out of the net thrown out for them by Sheriff Burt Hawkins, of Klamath county.

For instance there is the case of Robert McCorn. Robert, the authorities charge, stole an automobile from here several weeks ago, and in it he went to California.

Sheriff Hawkins waited patiently —waited with men on the job who would watch for McCorn's return. Yesterday they discovered him in the Merrill district.

Charged with the larceny of a car, McCorn faced the justice of the peace, sitting as a committing magistrate. McCorn waived preliminary hearing and was, subsequently, bound over to await action of the Klamath county grand jury.

McCorn's bail was set at $250. Last evening it had not been furnished and he was held in the county jail.

FARRAR SUFFERS BREAKDOWN

HARTFORD, Ct., Nov. 27.—Geraldine Farrar, the singer, was sufficiently recovered from her recent breakdown to leave Hartford at 4:18 this afternoon for New York, where she was to be met by her own physician, Dr. Russell.

Farrar, according to information here suffered a breakdown of the voice on the first appearance here of the "Romany Love Spell" company. The company has been disbanded, each member being given a week's pay.

VARSITY YOUTH DIES IN HILLS

Student Breaks Ankle and Succumbs to Exposure Close to Home

REDDING, Calif., Nov. 27.—Unable to walk the half-mile to his home because of a dislocated ankle, Tilford Dozier, youthful state university student died of exposure in the hills near Redding.

The version of Dozier's death was contained in the findings of the coroner jury Friday. It was based on reports of physicians who examined the young man's skeleton carefully following its discovery Thursday.

Dozier disappeared from his father's home in January, 1924, after dropping out of the University of California because of a nervous breakdown. Finding of the skeleton in a clump of thickets was the indication of what had happened to him.

COMMUNITY BOX STARTS UP TODAY

Headquarters Opened In New Smith Building Ready For Real Work

With headquarters established in the Smith building, where Mrs. F. R. Vance will have charge, the community chest opens for real business this morning. The new headquarters at Fifth and Klamath, will have a telephone installed by today or Monday, so that business can be carried on in a more expeditious manner.

All organizations of the city have been asked to co-operate in this work, and will assist in securing donations and in rendering such aid as is possible.

It is estimated there will be more need for the community chest this year than last, which will also mean more donations by those who are able to make them.

The chest will provide clothing, bedding and necessities of life to those who are in need of them. Donations of such material will be received by those at the headquarters and distributed under direction of Mrs. Vance, acting on information given by the various civic organizations of the city.

COOLIDGE TO REPLY TO MINE WORKERS

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—President Coolidge will reply soon to the plea from John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers of America, that the federal government intervene in the bituminous coal situation with the aim of enforcing the Jacksonville wage agreement between miners and operators.

It was said at the white house late Friday that the president had decided upon the nature of the reply, but that the reply itself had not been completed. It is believed Coolidge will follow the precedent of his administration in declining to enter the bituminous controversy.

LITTLE JANE IS SURE SANTA CLAUS WILL BRING HER THE DOLL—ONE WITH SURE ENOUGH BUTTONS FOR EYES, DRESS N' EVERTHING

Once upon a time, many years ago, a very great editor wrote to a little girl who had asked him if there really is a Santa Claus. The great editor, whose reply is yet printed at Christmas time by scores of newspapers, assured the little girl, ever so seriously, that a Santa Claus does exist.

Perhaps you don't know Jane—Jane who has very large blue eyes, and a hole in the knee of her left stocking. Jane, you see, is but three years old, and, as yet, knows but few persons in Klamath Falls.

But Jane, whose parents recently arrived here, is positive of one thing: she knows as only a little girl can know, that there is a Santa Claus who couldn't forget the cheap stockings which, on New Year's eve, she will herself hang up in a convenient spot.

Jane knows that the rag doll, with buttons for eyes, will be there in the holey stockings, when she wakes up early December 25. Hasn't everybody assured her there is a big fellow who takes care of little girls who have been good?

Jane has been deporting herself in an irreproachable manner. And she has explained, in a letter laboriously written, that she would like, so very much, to have the rag doll.

Jane's is a typical case, facing the volunteers who are working for the Klamath Falls community chest and who, Monday morning, will begin their work of soliciting, that unfortunate little boys and girls of the community shall not be disappointed when Christmas day arrives.

"We really won't get underway until Monday," explained members of the committee yesterday. "From then on, however, we'll be at it—and we'll be at it strong."

There will be a meeting Monday at 1 o'clock at the chamber of commerce of those who will be engaged

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SIXTY THOUSAND PAY RESPECTS TO MOTHER QUEEN

Tragedy Follows on Funeral Scene

LONDON IN MOURNING

Vast Crowd Passes In Silent Sorrow Before Coffin Of Late Dowager

LONDON, Nov. 28.—(Saturday)—Sixty thousand persons had shuffled into the half-lit cavern of Westminister Abbey to bid Queen Alexandra a last good bye and the queque of waiting mourners still stretched for two miles when the Abbey doors were swung shut at midnight. The crowds clamored for admission. Hundreds had been standing for long in the bitter weather and they had depended on an official decision to keep the doors open all night. This decision was suddenly altered, despite the vigorous protests of the shivering mourners.

The privations of the crowds are severe. Unseasonable freezing weather followed upon the heavy snow of Friday morning, but still the mourners stand in line.

Shivering in the icy wind, the varied queque waits patiently through the long process of moving forward. Black garbed women, uniformed soldiers, the perky little London messenger boys, their cockiness gone for once, tattered newsies, flappers, wearing Russian boots and many hundreds of plug-ordinary citizens were in line.

Tragedy followed the somber scene of the funeral, which preceded the lying-in-state. Canon Herbert F. Westlake, custodian of the Abbey died suddenly in his apartments in the Abbey cloister after assisting at the service.

A flag drape the coffin which reposes on a dais above the plumbed helmets of the gentlemen-at-arms, who with the beef eaters, from the tower are guarding the bier. They lean on their pikes whose points rest on the flagstones of the floor. Occasionally one of the aged guards faints from the unwonted strain and is replaced by another.

Six candles surround the coffin upon which are a few selected wreaths. She coffin itself is so dwarfed by the immensity of the Abbey that it seems to symbolize the frail, Dresden-China beauty of the late queen.

Veterans Complete Plans for Duck Feed

A tremendous crowd of ex-service men is expected to be in attendance at the duck feed to be given by local Veterans of Foreign Wars at Moose hall, members declared last night. Scores of former army and navy men have signified their intention of attending, it was said.

"There'll be plenty of duck," one of the committee members promised last night. "We guarantee that. Furthermore, we can assure those who attend that they'll have a regular time."

At 1 o'clock there will be several candidates initiated into the order of the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

SNOW FALLS IN WASCO COUNTY AND VICINITY

THE DALLES, Nov. 27.—The Dalles experienced its first taste of winter Friday when snow fell. Surrounding towns in Wasco and Sherman counties reported as much as two inches of snow Friday. At Hood river the temperature fell to 32 and a heavy rain turned to snow. At Parkdale there was four inches of snow.

POISONED FROM TOADSTOOLS

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—One woman is dead and six other persons are critically ill after eating poisonous toadstools which they believed edible.

FAMILY REFUSES TO BURY FATHER

Relatives Continue to Hold Belief Man Held As Dead Will Again Revive

ENID, Okla., Nov. 27.—G. W. Cupp, 73, wealthy land owner, has been pronounced dead by two physicians, but his family refuse to allow him to be buried.

Several weeks ago, according to relatives, Cupp passed into a state of coma, following an attack of epilepsy and later recovered. The family refuses to take a chance on burying Cupp alive, so will keep a vigil watch over his body for several days to be sure that he is dead, they announced Friday night.

Cupp died, if he be dead, in a barber shop Friday morning, after being shaved.

IMPEACHMENT OF GOV. FERGUSON IS THOUGHT CERTAIN

Miracle Only Can Prevent Executive's Appearance Before Court, Claim

AUSTIN, Texas, Nov. 27.—Nothing short of a miracle can prevent the appearance of Gov. Miriam ("Ma") Ferguson before a court of impeachment on January 4.

With this frank opinion Speaker Lee Satterwhite of the house of representatives departed Friday for his home in Amarillo, to await the decision of the woman chief executive on a petition demanding a special session of the legislature to probe the activities of the various state departments.

"The fact that the governor of Texas is a woman will not stop impeachment proceedings," said Speaker Satterwhite. "The people of Texas are calling for an investigation. We must reply to that call."

After a moment of pensive thought, however, Satterwhite added:

"But there must be sufficient evidence at hand before such action is resorted to."

Satterwhite made it plain that if the governor did not issue a call for the special session on or before December 10, he would return to Austin and issue the call himself on December 15, the session to open on January 4.

In an interview with the United News, Speaker Satterwhite indicated that he would prefer that Gov. Ferguson call the legislators into extraordinary session.

"It would be the quickest and easiest way to settle things," he said.

John Rissberger Is Reported Recovering

Friends of John Rissberger will be happy to learn that physicians in attendance last night pronounced him out of danger, following a two weeks' serious attack of pneumonia.

Rissberger is now resting in the Klamath Valley hospital.

Mrs. George Rissberger, Matt Rissberger and Jacob Rissberger, all of Oregon City, have been in Klamath Falls, to be at the bedside of their son and brother for whom danger was felt for some time.

Fuzz Leonard Held As Seriously Ill

Dr. W. A. Leonard left early Wednesday afternoon for San Francisco, in answer to a telegram announcing the grave condition of his brother, known to scores in Klamath Falls as "Fuzz" Leonard.

According to word received during the early part of the week, Leonard was rapidly losing strength in a San Francisco hospital, following a major operation. His condition was not considered serious until Wednesday, when Dr. Leonard left to be with him.

Leonard, during his residence in Klamath Falls was employed by the Western Transfer company. He has long been a resident of Klamath, where he has hundreds of friends.

SEN. WHEELER TO AGAIN RENEW HIS FIGHT ON CHARGE

Defense Demurrer Is Argued

LONG SILENCE AT END

Walsh Challenges Validity Of District Court to Handle Case

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—Senator Burton K. Wheeler of Montana, sponsor of the senate investigation of the department of justice has begun his second attempt to clear his name of charges that he used his official position for private profit.

With Senator Wheeler and his immediate family present in the court room, attorneys Friday began argument on the defense demurrer which seeks dismissal of the second indictment charging the Montana senator with misuse of his office in obtaining prospecting permits.

Opening the defense argument Senator Thomas J. Walsh, Wheeler's counsel and colleague, based a strong plea for dismissal on the grounds that the District of Columbia indictment had placed Senator Wheeler in double jeopardy, as he had been acquitted in Montana of similar charges.

The opening of argument here before the District of Columbia supreme court ended nearly eight months of silence, during which the government has made no move to bring the case against the insurgent senator to trial.

The district indictment was returned March 28, while Wheeler was already under indictment in his home state on similar charges—that the senator had conspired with an official of the department of interior of a Montana oil prospector to obtain oil permits for drilling in government land. Counsel for Wheeler have repeatedly attempted to cause dept. of justice to bring the case to trial. Failing, they have charged the department with retaining the case on the court docket as a club over the insurgent senator's head.

Senator Walsh Friday vehemently denounced the federal indictment

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Mrs. Anna Tucker Dies in Hospital

Mrs. Anna Tucker, wife of H. J. Tucker, prominent rancher of the Merrill road, died at 7:00 o'clock last night in a local hospital, following an illness of the past year.

Mrs. Tucker is survived by her husband and several grown children. She was 62 years of age at the time of her death.

Following an operation in an effort to better her serious condition, Mrs. Rucker was improving slightly when a relapse was suffered which resulted in her death.

Funeral arrangements have not been announced.

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