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## BILL BRYAN ARRIVE TODAY AT TRIAL SCENE

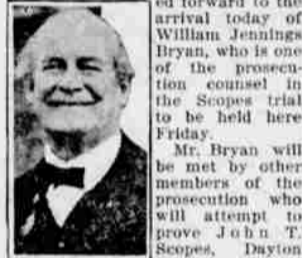
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### WILL START FRIDAY

Bryan Met by Other Members of Prosecution Counsel in Scope's Trial.

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

DAYTON, Tenn., July 7.—With the uncertainty removed yesterday as to whether Dayton was to be the scene of the trial climaxing the evolution controversy, Dayton looked forward to the arrival of William Jennings Bryan, who is one of the prosecution counsel in the Scopes trial to be held here Friday.



W. J. BRYAN

Mr. Bryan will be met by other members of the prosecution who will attempt to prove John T. Scopes, Dayton teacher, guilty of violation of the state law prohibiting the teaching of the theories of evolution.

Counsel engaged for the defense of Scopes yesterday in Cookeville were denied their petition for a federal restraining order to halt prosecution proceedings scheduled for Dayton.

Federal Judge J. C. Gore held it his opinion that it was not within his jurisdiction to interfere with a case in a state court and expressed doubt that if it were in his power he would grant the petition on the strength of the allegations set forth. The constitutionality of the Tennessee statute which Scopes is alleged to have violated, was not touched on by the judge.

Dr. John R. Neal, chief defense counsel and John Thomas Scopes arrived early in the day from Cookeville. No word came from them as to any possible strategic move by the defense. Both appeared worn from their long drive over mountain roads and little was seen of them on the streets.

From Chicago word came that Clarence Darrow would arrive in Dayton tomorrow. While attorneys for the prosecution declined to discuss whom they would place on the witness stand to rebut the testimony of the expert witnesses of the defense, reports gained credence that this move would be made instead of a simple argument.

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## The Weather

Highest temp. yesterday 88  
Lowest temp. last night 55  
Fair tonight and Wednesday; continued mild.

A snow flake once decided on a summer's day to sail, but Nature got excited. And said, "Thy name is hail."

## Scopes Must Be Convicted to Make Trial Success; Looks Like He will Be

By CLARK KINNAIRD

Central Press Staff Correspondent DAYTON, Tenn., July 7.—There appears to be no doubt that Mr. Scopes will be convicted of violating Tennessee's anti-evolution law.

However, it would be tragic if he were not found guilty. He wants to be. It's the first time in these parts that ever a man went on trial working for conviction.

And it is the first time defense attorneys—Clarence Darrow, Dudley Field Malone, Bainbridge Colby—\$100,000-a-year men—ever tried to convict their own client.

Paradoxically, the whole success of the Scopes trial depends on his being convicted. Unless he is sentenced, he cannot appeal the case to the supreme court of Tennessee, or the supreme court of the United States, that must pass on the constitutionality of the law.

The truth of the matter is that the whole case is erected on sand.

## Cousin of Ours?



A Simian, well-known man about jungle, is much in the public eye and thought during the Scopes anti-evolution trial, in Dayton, Tenn. Mr. Scopes taught that the Simian family is related to the well known Human Race, a sort of cousin, in fact; and became entangled in Tennessee's anti-evolution law, which casts the Simians into the outer darkness of the social pretenders.

## RIFFIANS MEETING HEAVY OPPOSITION

PARIS, July 7.—Sharp checks administered to the Riffian invaders by the French in Morocco have materially relieved the situation in the Taza region.

Intelligence reaching French headquarters also indicates that they have had a salutary effect on the Riffian leaders as well as on the tribesmen whose allegiance to the French seemed wavering.

Abd-El-Krim's followers are said to have been discouraged by their heavy losses that they made little or no effort to react to the French counter attacks.

The appointment of General Stanislaus Naulin as commander of the French operations in Morocco came as a surprise. The government had decided on General Guillaumat, head of the troops in the Rhineland, but he declared a change of command there inadvisable at this time and suggested a high reputation in his profession. He is one of Marshal Foch's pupils and rapidly came to the front during the World war.

One of his most brilliant actions was in 1918, when supported by two American divisions, his 21st corps smashed the German front at Sommepey and Thure, in the Marne region, driving the enemy toward Vouziers.

EXAMINERS ARE APPOINTED

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

SALEM, Ore., July 7.—Governor Pierce today reappointed E. G. Hopson of Portland, and W. B. Dennis of Carlton as members of the State Board of Engineering Examiners.

As members of the state child welfare committee the governor appointed Johnston Wilson of Portland to succeed Alva Leo Stephens and Mary Bullock of Portland to succeed Julia A. Shouner.

Dr. B. T. Sims of Corvallis was reappointed as member of the state livestock sanitary board.

Mrs. John VanZant of Portland was appointed a member of the advisory board for the state industrial school for the deaf to succeed Mrs. F. E. A. Smith.

LANDING HOOTCH NEAR SWAMPSCOTT

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

SWAMPSCOTT, Mass., July 7.—President Coolidge today authorized a denial of a story published in a New York newspaper that he had instructed Secretary Mellon to increase the efforts of the coast guard to break up rum running in the vicinity of Swamscott.

The statement was made at White Court. Although Mr. Coolidge dislikes to deny or confirm newspaper stories, the ones published with regard to rum running was without foundation.

It was indicated that the president is not concerned over unofficial reports that several rum runners are standing off the coast awaiting an opportunity to land rum on the rocky shore near the summer White House. His view of the situation confirmed the report of coast guard officials that there is little, if any activity on the part of rum smugglers at this point on the coast line.

So far as the government's efforts to curb rum smuggling are concerned the president believes that it is a matter to be handled by the duly constituted officials and that the problem is not one coming under his personal direction.

Whatever its outcome, the trial will settle nothing. Evolution will remain true or untrue just as it was before. Even should the law be upheld, certain schools in this state may continue to teach "evolution" without violating the statute, which does not apply to them. These include Vanderbilt University, at Nashville, and numerous religious schools and colleges. The law affects only state-supported institutions of learning.

Should the Tennessee law be carried to the higher courts, however, the decision upon it there no doubt would be significant in its influence upon elsewhere. There also is the probability that the case will stir the public's interest sufficiently to cause it to lay down its radio receivers, comic strips and crossword puzzles long enough to learn that "evolution" is not an invention of Darwin's and that it really has nothing to do with monkeys.

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## RUM GANG IN BATTLE WOUND TWO OFFICERS

Truck Fight Following the Fight Indicates Cargo Was Being Unloaded.

### POSSE IS ON GUARD

Sheriff and Deputies Surprise Shore Crew of Rum Running Gang and Pistol Fight Ensues.

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

SALINAS, Cal., July 7.—A truck and a passenger automobile, both equipped to carry liquor, were found in a vacant lot today near the point at Moss Landing, where suspected rum runners and a sheriff's posse engaged in a pistol battle last night, resulting in the death of N. H. Rader, a member of the posse and the shooting of Sheriff V. A. Oyer and Harry Livingston, a state traffic officer.

The sheriff's office also received word that an automobile fleeing from the scene of the shooting had been stopped in San Jose and three men arrested there.

The presidio at Monterey furnished reports that troops had been sent to the scene of the shooting. Sheriff Oyer was shot in the knee and Livingston through the leg. They are in a hospital here.

The finding of the empty truck and automobile indicating that the shore crew of the rum running outfit had been surprised before it was possible to land any liquor from a supposed big sailing boat off the landing. There were no signs of any such craft today and it is believed that it put to sea as soon as the shooting started.

Possemen were still on guard at the scene of the shooting today. Two of the suspected rum runners were captured and brought here, but only one name was given out, that of John May.

The fight last night came with such dramatic suddenness that officials here pieced fragmentary reports from the scene of action to obtain a connected story.

Harry Livingston, a state traffic officer drove a shot-shattered automobile into Watsonville near here, before midnight with an appeal for help. The appeal was relayed here and Sheriff Oyer organized a posse and moved to the scene.

As he approached Moss Landing on a dark country road flanked by ditches, the sheriff said, faces bobbed up from both sides and inquired as to the business of the sheriff and his assistants. When the sheriff identified himself, the command "shoot them" came from the bunch and they opened fire with the two word warning.

SAN JOSE, Cal., July 7.—Three men who drove up to a hotel here during the night, were questioned by the police today concerning the rumor shooting affray at Moss Landing last night, but they professed that they had no knowledge of the affair and were allowed to go.

## COSTLY NECKLACE STOLEN, RETURNED

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

CHICAGO, July 7.—A costly pearl necklace, taken at the point of a pistol last September by a robber from Miss Lester White, daughter of F. Edison White, head of Armour & Company, has been returned to Colonel A. V. Smith, Lake county prosecutor.

The prosecutor refused to say in what manner the pearls had been recovered. The White robbery was one of a series confounded by several youths who named as an accomplice Jack Durand, foster son of Scott C. Durand, of Lake Bluff. As a result of their state-aided Durand recently was arrested in Los Angeles, where he worked as a blackface target in a ball throwing concession of an amusement park.

## CLAUDE WISE OF YONCALLA MAKES ESCAPE FROM JAIL

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

CLAUDE WISE OF YONCALLA, brought to this city yesterday to serve a 40-day sentence for intoxication, escaped from the officers late in the evening, and is a fugitive. As long as he remains away from Douglas County it is quite probable that there will be little effort made to locate him, but any attempt to return, it is stated, will land him in jail for the term given him.

Wise has been a frequent offender in Yoncalla, having been arrested and fined on numerous occasions for drunkenness. He was picked up again on July 4, and Justice Brown, rather than assess another fine, prescribed a jail sentence of 40 days.

He was brought to the city late in the afternoon by Deputy Sheriff Dougherty, and was given permission to go to the barber shop for a shave upon his promise to return as soon as the barber finished the shave. He apparently, however, kept rolling, and skipped out of town. Although he would have been an added member for the county road crew, working on Mill Creek road job, the officers state that they can hardly mourn his loss, if he will only stay away from the county.

## MAMMOTH STILL NEAR PENDLETON CAPTURED

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

PENDLETON, July 7.—One of the largest stills ever taken in this county was captured last night at 10 o'clock southwest of Meacham in the forest at the top of the Blue Mountains by Deputy Sheriff Stokes and an assistant. Two operators were taken with the plant, which was complete in every detail. Ed Welch and Mrs. Maude Boyden, wife of A. M. Boyden of Pendleton, were taken with the still and pleaded guilty in the justice court last night to the charge of operating a still and bail was set at \$1500 for Welch and \$750 for Mrs. Boyden. They were bound over to the grand jury.

The still was of 150 gallons total capacity and had an estimated output of 25 gallons of finished product per day. The plant is believed to have been in operation for years and to have furnished liquor for years in Pendleton and La Grande with liquor for a long time.

## ELKS VAUDEVILLE AND MOVIE SHOW ON TONIGHT

The Elks feature movie and vaudeville show will start promptly at 8 o'clock tonight with only one show. The doors will open at 7:30 p. m. and the news reel will start at 8. Three acts of vaudeville by home talent folks will add to the feature film, "Unarmed Women", starring Bebe Danquels. The nominal sum of 25 and 50 cents will be charged for the show tonight. The public is cordially invited to attend.

John Westerland, of Dillard, was among the farmers transacting business in Roseburg today.

### FINES ARE PAID

W. W. Woody and S. E. Taylor, of Winchester, who were arrested for possession of intoxicating liquor, appeared today before Justice of the Peace George Jones, and entered pleas of guilty, paying fines of \$50 each. They were arrested following the discovery by the officers of a quantity of homemade beer, the cache being visited by Woody and Taylor while the officers were guarding it.

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## BIDS RECEIVED FOR PAVING; CONTRACTS LET

Contractors Withdraw Proposals When Council Takes Each Separately

### METZGER LOW BIDDER

Local Contract Under Engineer's Estimate on Nearly All Paving Jobs.

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

The city council's plan for securing competition on paving jobs nearly went by the board last night, when it was found that the bids on each street must be considered independently instead of as a whole, a condition which caused two of the contractors to withdraw their bids.

The council has been planning for some time to secure some means of obtaining competition on paving work. Heretofore there has been only one bidder, and it was thought best to secure competition if possible. In order to do this the council decided to get all streets, which it was proposed to pave, ready for bid at the same time, which would give a sufficient amount of work to attract other contractors.

Consequently five streets were advertised and bids opened last night. Four separate sets of bids were submitted, but before the bids were opened, two contractors withdrew. They were willing to allow their bids to go in as a whole, but unless they received all of the jobs could not afford to move in with their equipment for one piece of work. The only bids submitted were by C. E. Mercer of Eugene and L. W. Metzger of Roseburg, the latter being low on each job, and receiving the contract on each street. The bids submitted were as follows:

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|----------------|----------------|------------|------------|
| Metzger Mercer | E. 1st Ave. N. | \$1,898.40 | \$2,122.80 |
| Spring St.     | 2,225.15       | 2,390.50   |            |
| Short St.      | 2,274.01       | 2,473.09   |            |
| W. 2nd Ave.    | 5,599.33       | 6,874.75   |            |
| Sykes St.      | 4,112.82       | 4,471.10   |            |

Mr. Metzger's bids were in each case within a few dollars of the engineer's estimate, in nearly each case being below the estimate.

The unit cost of the bids presented last night indicated a slightly lower figure than in some of the past paving jobs, the cost of cement work per linear foot, being reduced from \$2.50 to \$2.25 on the same type of paving.

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## 'PSHAW!

Way out west where men are men, Miss Rose Shaw is a "dippery shuff." She keeps bad men from being bad around Grass-hopper Glacier, near Yellowstone National Park.

### D. D. MATHEWS AND BEULAH JEWETT WED SUNDAY IN KELSEO

Surprising many friends in this city, Mr. D. D. Mathews and Miss Beulah Jewett, both of Roseburg, were quietly married in Kelseo, Washington, on Sunday evening, July 5. The quiet ceremony was performed by Rev. W. W. Switzer pastor of the Methodist church at Kelseo, those present being Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Tester and Miss Clara Patrick, close friends of Mr. and Mrs. Mathews.

The wedding united two of the city's best known young people, members of two of the oldest families of Roseburg.

Mrs. Mathews is a daughter of the late N. T. Jewett, a graduate of the Roseburg high school, and one of the city's most popular young ladies. Since her graduation from school she has been employed in newspaper work, holding a position with the Roseburg Review with its consolidation with the Evening News, and since that time has been serving as Society Editor and in the circulation and classified advertising department of the Roseburg News-Review.

Mr. Mathews is the son of R. B. Mathews, and in recent years has been conducting the Mathews Motor Exchange. He was also employed in newspaper work for many years, having been employed with the Roseburg Review when the romance began which culminated in Sunday's wedding.

Mrs. Mathews is now on her vacation in Portland, and will return to Roseburg about the first of next month. Mr. Mathews returned from Kelseo last night. They will make their home in this city, where their many friends unite in extending congratulations and well wishes.

Returns From Seattle—Chas. Hopkins, local attorney, who has been spending the past week visiting at points north, returned to his home in this city last night. Mr. Hopkins visited in Portland, Seattle, and with a daughter at Cannon, Wash.

NEW TRAFFIC GUIDES WILL BE INSTALLED SOON

City Council Authorizes New Type Monuments for Main Intersections.

LESS CONGESTION

Different Style Markers Eliminate Danger and Congestion Past Experiments Show.

Street markers, similar to the ones now in use at the intersection of Cass and Jackson streets, and Cass and Rose streets, have been ordered by the city council and will be installed on all of the main intersections in the business district. These markers have been given a good trial, and have been found far superior to the old style cement monument, resulting in less congestion of traffic, and making the turns easier to negotiate for large cars.

Heretofore, and even at present on the majority of the corners, the city has maintained a traffic guide in the exact center of the intersection. Under the new system, however, a marker is placed in the center of each street leading in to an intersection, the marker being on the curb line of the street intersected. This gives four markers for each corner, but instead of cars having to swing around a center monument, they are able to cut across at a greater angle, and thus the long lines, even the big buses, are able to negotiate the turns without difficulty.

The new style markers have been found to be safer in every way, and have done away with a great deal of congestion. Before these markers were installed at the corner of Cass and Jackson streets accidents there were of daily occurrence. Cars making the sharp turn around the center monument, frequently hit the curb on the opposite side of the street, the drivers losing control and colliding with other cars on the street. Cars were also forced to slow down too much, and some of the longer ones were forced to back up and hold up traffic while they worked around the center post. These new monuments have completely eliminated this difficulty, and not an accident has occurred on the corner since they were installed.

The council now proposes to take out all of the old style monuments and will put in the new type on all of the main intersections. The corners where they used to be are Lane and Stephens, Stephens and Cass, Sheridan and Lane, Cass and Rose, Cass and Jackson, Jackson and Oak, Washington, Jackson and Douglas, Main and Douglas.

The round domes on the highway, and in the center of the streets leading into the highway, will be a slightly different type of marker bearing the word "stop." These call for a compliance with the new city traffic law, which is patterned after the state law, requiring all cars to slow down to five miles an hour before pulling into the highway. In addition to the intersections named these stop signs will be installed on Mosher, at Stephens and on Court at Jackson.

The recorder was authorized to purchase the new monuments and will order them at once.

### Wealthy Man Advertisises For a Girl to Adopt as His Daughter

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with Mrs. Browning, while he retained Dorothy. He wants another, principally to grow up as a playmate with Dorothy who was lifted into the lap of luxury six years ago.

Children of the poor, Mr. Browning believes, are healthier and do better in world affairs than children of the rich. Dorothy's companion will be taken into his home on trial for a month or six weeks. "Dorothy has turned out to be a perfectly prize," Mr. Browning said.

When the first girl applicant was asked if she wished to leave her mother she shook her head while tears streamed down her face. A boy 14 years old wrote enclosing a picture of himself holding a violin. "I will amuse you and the little girl," he wrote, "by playing the violin for you. When I grow up to be an artist, I will pay you back."

Mr. Browning is the son of a founder of Browning, King and Company, clothiers.

## Main Street, Dayton, Tenn., Becomes Main Street, U. S. A.



Dayton, Tenn., population 1,800, is the center of wide-world interest, during the first trial of a man for teaching that man is descended from a lower animal. Above is Main Street, Dayton's principal street. Below is a view of the leading hotel. The map shows Dayton's location.

