

WORLD HAPPENINGS OF CURRENT WEEK

Brief Resume Most Important Daily News Items.

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Events of Noted People, Governments and Pacific Northwest, and Other Things Worth Knowing.

Chicago will get the republican national convention next June, it was learned definitely Tuesday.

President Coolidge issued a proclamation Sunday calling for observance of the week beginning November 15 as national education week.

Two masked robbers shot and instantly killed Dan McDonald, 48 years old, Saturday night at Ewana, a lumber camp near Chiloquin, Or., when McDonald attempted to frustrate a robbery.

The White Star line steamer Cedric and the Cunard line steamer Scythia have been in collision in a dense fog, according to a wireless dispatch from the Scythia, which is returning to Liverpool.

Hope that womankind should never again be called upon to bear the sacrifices of a great war was expressed by speakers before the fourth annual convention of American War Mothers at Kansas City, Tuesday.

Captain Phillip Williams, now commanding the battleship Tennessee, has been detailed by Secretary Derby as governor of the Virgin Islands to succeed Captain Henry H. Hough, who will be assigned to the naval intelligence bureau.

Germany's food situation has reached what was called the "bagman" stage in the Russian collapse. City folks must now travel to the country and get their food stuffs, unless they want to pay the extortionate prices asked by food speculators.

State police aided by Berrien county deputies invaded the House of David colony at Benton Harbor, Mich., Sunday in a fruitless search for Benjamin Purnell, missing head of the cult, sought on a warrant charging him with a statutory crime.

Mrs. Florence Kling Harding, widow of the late president, will return to Washington soon after the memorial services at Marion, November 2, the anniversary of the birth of Mr. Harding. She indicated that she might make Washington her home.

Some 1200 pounds of wild rice is to be planted in reservoirs and lakes in the vicinity of Polson, Mont., this fall for the feeding and attraction of ducks. The Polson Rod and Gun club, with the assistance of the state fish and game commission, is back of the move.

Willis Champion, deputy sheriff and assistant night jailer, and C. E. Gaines, prisoner, are dead and Pete Welk, another prisoner, may die as the result of a break for liberty which got no farther than a pitched gun battle on the sixth floor of the Dalles, Texas, county jail.

Possibility of development of the Seven Devils district of west central Idaho into one of the richest copper-bearing regions of the west is seen by Dr. F. S. Laney, geologist of the United States geological survey and head of the geology department of the University of Idaho.

A metropolitan reconstruction board, under the control of the Japanese prime minister, has been constituted by the imperial Japanese government for the purpose of taking charge of the work of rehabilitation in the devastated areas of Japan, according to an official telegram from the Japanese foreign office to the embassy.

Treasury operations during September resulted in a net decrease in the public debt of \$74,414,370, leaving the government's total outstanding obligations at \$22,125,614,247. The figures, compiled Tuesday, revealed, also, that the general fund, which had sunk to \$252,456,238 at the end of August, had grown during September to \$422,747,512.

F. S. Burrage, editor and publisher of the Laramie, Wyo. Republican, announced Sunday the purchase of the Laramie Boomerang, Wyoming's oldest newspaper, founded in 1881 by Edgar William ("Bill") Nye. The paper will be merged, the name of the new publication being "The Laramie Republican and the Laramie Boomerang." The Boomerang issued its final edition Sunday.

RADICAL LEADER IS OUSTED

William Dunne Expelled at Dramatic Session of A. F. of L.

Portland.—Dramatic action was the order of the day at the American Federation of Labor convention Monday when the 500 delegates, by almost unanimous vote, expelled from the convention hall William F. Dunne of Butte, self avowed communist and first lieutenant of William Zane Foster in the "one big union" movement.

It was a day that will linger long in the minds of the delegates to the convention. It was the first time that the federation was forced to expell from its hall a duly accredited representative from a minor body. There was much oratory — an eloquently worded and masterful indictment of Dunne delivered by William Green, secretary-treasurer of the United Mine Workers—an equally eloquent and spirited reply from the accused man.

Alone in a hostile hall, Dunne offered no apologies for his attacks on the federation chiefs or the trades union system; he flung defiance, not only at Samuel Gompers and the officials, but at the delegates as a whole. He came well prepared, he expected such action and, in the words of Scott, he proceeded—

"To beard the lion in his den, The Douglas in his hall." There was drama aplenty. From the moment when Matthew Woll, vice-president and member of the executive council of the federation, first called the attention of the delegates to Dunne's activities, until the moment when Dunne walked from the hall with the delegates loudly applauding the convention's action, there was not a dull moment in the day's proceedings.

On the platform was Green, one of the most eloquent men in the federation. For an hour he told the story of Dunne's activities in the coal fields, of his attempts to "bore from within" in the miners' union, of his baseless attacks on labor heads and of his attempts, by insinuation and false charges, to stir up discontent among the miners.

"This man who speaks with the voice of Jacob but who gives us the hand of Esau," dramatically cried the speaker.

There was unrest in the hall, both on the part of the delegates and the handful of communist supporters who occupied a small section of the gallery. An over-enthusiastic delegate cried, "Throw him out," when Green branded Dunne as a traitor to the cause of labor, but a warning hand raised by President Gompers forestalled such action. Applause on the part of the spectators brought two rebukes from Mr. Gompers, who warned the gallery audience that it must remain quiet and show neither approval nor disapproval of any action on the floor.

HUGHES PROPOSAL HELD ONLY HOPE

Montreal.—Secretary Hughes' proposal, made nearly a year ago, for the appointment of a commission of experts to determine German's capacity to pay reparations, was declared by David Lloyd George Monday night to be "absolutely the best hope for the settlement of reparations."

The former British premier made this assertion when shown press dispatches from Washington which stated that high American administration officials believed it was not too late for acceptance of the plan. His statement came after he had delivered his first public address in Canada in which he expressed his gratitude for the resolute and unhesitating part which the dominion played in the world war.

Commenting on Secretary Hughes' plan, Mr. Lloyd George said: "In my opinion this plan is not too late for consideration and it is absolutely the best hope for the settlement of reparations. Of course since the plan was first broached the ability of Germany to pay has become much less. The greater the delay the closer the situation approaches chaos. I hope that serious consideration of Mr. Hughes' plan may be taken up even at this late date and I repeat that it is the best hope for successful settlement."

The Washington press dispatches indicated that in official opinion that any acceptance of the plan would rest with France.

\$5000 in Jewels Stolen.

Seattle, Wash.—Diamonds valued at \$5000, which Emanuel Secord kept in a safe in his office while he took a motor trip, were stolen from him Monday night while attempting to take them from the safe to his home. When two blocks away from his home his automobile broke down and he started to walk. As he started a man appeared from behind a telephone pole and covered him with a revolver. The robber escaped.

U. S. PARTY BEGINS MARKETING AID TRIP

Special Commission to Go Into Wheat Country.

CHICAGO FIRST STOP

Detailed Data of Methods Used by Cotton, Rice and Tobacco Growers Carried by Committee.

Washington, D. C.—The special commission of government officials, headed by Managing Director Meyer of the war finance corporation, left Washington Sunday to go among the wheat farmers of the central northwest to carry out President Coolidge's direction to aid in the promotion of co-operative marketing associations. Mr. Meyer was accompanied by Frank W. Mondell, a director of the war finance corporation, and H. S. Yohe of the bureau of agricultural economics, department of agriculture, and other members of the commission and Floyd R. Harrison, the managing director's assistant.

The delegation will stop in Chicago, where a series of conferences is planned by which the itinerary of the trip thereafter will be determined. The three officials carried with them detailed data of methods in use by the cotton, rice and tobacco growers of the south and the fruit growers of California in co-operative marketing and are prepared also to explain to the producers how the government may aid them in a financial way either through direct loans from the war finance corporation and the new intermediate credit banks, or indirectly, through loans from commercial banks in communities where the co-operatives may be organized.

Preparatory to the visit of the commission to the spring wheat states, Managing Director Meyer conferred in New York last week with representatives of leading grain interests, including, it is understood, Julius H. Barnes, former head of the United States Grain corporation; George E. Marcy of the Armour Grain company and I. Ogden Armour. The New York conferences were with respect to measures of relief that might be put into effect immediately and without legislation.

The department of agriculture, through Dr. H. C. Taylor, chief of its bureau of agricultural economics, has been engaged in a study of the wheat situation in the central northwest for the last two weeks. Mr. Taylor has been in conference with a number of representatives of his bureau during a visit to Minnesota, North Dakota, Washington and several other states.

Simultaneously with the departure of the commission headed by Mr. Meyer the federal farm loan board made available figures on loans by the credit banks which disclosed that more than \$2,000,000 had been advanced to co-operative wheat marketing associations since the banks began functioning early in June. Approximately \$1,500,000 of this money was put out by the Wichita, Kan., bank, while most of the remainder was loaned by the credit bank of St. Paul, according to Charles E. Lobdell, the board's general counsel.

The Wichita and St. Paul banks and the bank at Seattle have made commitments to the wheat co-operatives aggregating something like \$87,000,000, including the money already paid out. Mr. Lobdell said the board had given assurance to all co-operatives of ample funds wherever needed.

Large Caribou Killed.

Wrangell, Alaska.—A caribou killed by D. W. Bell of Williamsport, Pa., a member of a party from the eastern part of the States that had just arrived here after a big-game hunt in the Cassiar country, across the Canadian boundary from Wrangell, was Saturday pronounced by experts the largest specimen ever seen.

The party brought in more than 100 caribou slain by its members. Many of these caribou were of unusual size. R. N. Burns of Boston killed a moose whose antlers had a spread of 61½ inches.

Robbers Terrify Town.

Lincoln, Neb.—Four robbers, working for two hours, during which time they kept townspeople in a state of fear by constant shooting, blew the vault in the Bank of Barneston, Neb., early Sunday and escaped in an automobile. The amount of loot obtained has not been ascertained, but bank officials reported that not more than \$1500 was in the vault. The robbers cut all the telephone wires leading into the town.

Thomas Meighan



Popular Thomas Meighan, the "movie" star, was born in Pittsburgh. He had much stage experience before becoming a screen player. Mr. Meighan is married to Frances Ring, who was formerly a talented star of the stage. He is six feet one inch tall, has dark brown wavy hair and blue eyes and weighs 180 pounds.

THE RIGHT THING AT THE RIGHT TIME
By MARY MARSHALL DUFFEE

COURTSHIPS

IT WAS not long ago suggested in England that the clergy ought to open a school for courtship. The suggestion was made quite seriously, as it was pointed out that many young people meet clandestinely because they find no sympathy at home. The man who made the suggestion seemed to think that this condition could be remedied by the methods he suggested.

Really it seems as if the trouble usually lay with somebody else beside the young man who is doing the courting and the young woman who is being courted. It usually lies with an unsympathetic family. Nobody, perhaps, can blame the family. It is utterly unpleasant for the tired father to come home from a hard day at work to find that he must leave the family living room that evening free to his daughter and a young man who wishes to be his future son-in-law. It is far easier for father and mother, big brother and little sisters, to disport themselves comfortably about the family living room—and then for the young girl and her swain to meet at the street corner and spend the evening at a moving picture show.

If there is a reception room or parlor or drawing room, well and good, for that may be put at the disposal of the daughters of the family, and may be made inviting to their friends. Courting days don't last forever. And remember that the sacrifices you may make now will be well repaid in the greater happiness and chances for a successful marriage that your daughter will have later on.

YOUR HAND How to Read Your Characteristics and Tendencies—the Capabilities or Weaknesses That Make for Success or Failure as Shown in Your Palm

MONEY IN THE HAND

INHERITANCE of money being always interesting, especially to those who look forward to receiving a legacy, it is well to note what the hand has to say on the subject. Signs of the acquisition of wealth in this manner are observed in various ways. For example, note whether the top phalanx of the finger of Jupiter (the forefinger) bears on the inside, toward the other fingers, a deep vertical line. If the same finger has a number of short, horizontal lines crossing the bottom phalanx, it is also the sign of the inheritance of money.

Next, inspect the rascette, or bracelet, at the wrist. If there is a well-marked small cross there money will come to the fortunate possessor of the cross, through inheritance.

Of all the signs of the inheritance of money, however, the strongest is a line running from a star on the mount of Venus (the ball of the thumb) to the middle of the palm of Mars, the "holow" of the hand. This indicates a large inheritance through the death of a near relative.

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Jacksonville
A modern town of 600 people, is the county seat of Jackson county and is situated in the most fertile and productive portion of the famous Rogue River Valley—correctly termed the "Italy of America." The town is beautifully located in a cove at the base of magnificent pine-clad mountains and is surrounded by the finest irrigated alfalfa farms and fruit orchards in the entire country. The town is five miles west of Medford, a modern city of 8000 people, with which it is connected by a steam and electric railroad and splendid highway. The altitude of the town is 1568 feet and there are no extremes in heat or cold. The annual rainfall is about 25 inches — there being little or no snow in the valley. A more healthful place could not be found.

County Official Directory
State Senator—Geo W Dunn, Ashland.
Joint Representative—Chas F Hopkins, Roseburg.
County Representatives—John H Carkin and Ralph Cowgill of Medford.
Circuit Judge—C M Thomas.
Pros. Attorney—Rawles Moore.
County Judge—G A Gardner.
Commissioners—Victor Bursell and Geo Alford.
Clerk—Chauncey Florey.
Sheriff—C E Terrill.
Assessor—J B Coleman.
Treasurer—A C Walker.
School Supt.—Susanne Homes Carter.
Coroner—John A Perl.
Health Officer—Dr W P Holt.

City Directory
Mayor—Emil Britt.
Councilmen—Chester Wendt, Peter Flick, G W Godward and Frank Lindley.
Recorder and Justice of the Peace—J. L. Roe.
Treasurer—C. C. Chitwood.
Marshal—M D Jones.
Council meets first Tuesday of each month.

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