

PLANT FOR MAKING BOGUS BILLS FOUND

Skillful Counterfeiter, Who Says He Has Passed \$50,000 in Bad Money, Held.

ETCHING OUTFIT SEIZED

H. Russel Wilken Poses as Artist and Turns Out Great Quantities of Spurious Bank Notes, Which Are Almost Like Genuine.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 28.—A counterfeit plant, which was said to have produced the notorious spurious \$10 Federal Reserve Jackson silver certificate, was found today in the studio of H. Russel Wilken, whose secret service operatives from San Francisco brought Wilken here to seize the outfit after his arrest in Santa Cruz and his alleged confession that he had made and passed more than \$50,000 of spurious paper in recent years.

The plant—a copper etching outfit—was found concealed in a covered sink in a room on the second story of 311 South Hill street, three blocks from police headquarters and in the heart of the city. Wilken's quarters were fitted up as a studio, and he pretended to carry on a business of commercial art, according to the authorities. There were easels, unfinished pictures, a painting jacket and brushes about, although Wilken apparently worked as a profession only enough to make it a blind for counterfeiting.

Work Is Skillful. An etched plate, seized by the secret service men, was lined with steel for strength, and the work, it was said, was the most skillful seen in years.

The "Jackson" silver certificate, one of the most troublesome forgeries authorities have encountered, they said, was made by Wilken. Recently he read in a Los Angeles paper that the authoring of the spurious certificates aided detection. This he attempted to correct. It was while trying to pass one of the "perfected" counterfeits that he was arrested.

Wilken has defied the United States Secret Service for years by operating alone. The spurious issues to which he has confessed, according to Harry N. Moffit, chief secret service agent, and Isadore Costanzo, lieutenant, are \$25,000 in \$5 Indian Head notes, \$5000 in \$10 Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis, Minn., notes.

Money Passed at Bank.

He had a large number of the latter in his possession when he was arrested several days ago in Santa Cruz, Cal., under the name of J. H. Williams, alias J. H. Harris. He passed a \$10 note which a Santa Cruz banker detected, but another banker detected the clever counterfeiter, and he was arrested. Then turned over to the secret service men, he leaped through a window, nearly making his escape.

Wilken has shown the secret service men his process for making the paper on which the bogus bills were printed. It consisted of boiling bits of linen bark into a pulp, and by hand working into the texture a mixture of ink, characteristic of genuine paper money. He also demonstrated to the authorities his method of making the photo-engravings and his mixture of ink, which marked his work as the closest approach to the genuine ever seen.

Work Done Intermittently.

After he had made what he considered a sufficient amount of the counterfeits, he would lock up his commercial artist offices and take a trip through the country, passing the bills without any difficulty whatever. He would resume his work as an artist for a period of several weeks before again manufacturing and passing the counterfeit bills.

Wilken has a mother dependent on him in New York City, and the authorities have found no regular source of funds to his aged parent. He is 28 years old.

WOMAN BAGS LARGE BEAR

Many Other Fat Ones Killed and Indians Prebid Hard Winter.

WHITE SALMON, Wash., Oct. 28.—(Special.)—A great many bears have been killed in the White Salmon Valley this fall, many of them of more than 500 pounds. The latest kill was made in the mountains back of Trout Lake yesterday, by Miss Ruth Woods, who accompanied by her father and several others, with a well-brown pack of dogs, brought down the largest bear of the season. Miss Woods was close behind on her horse and brought it down with the first shot. It weighed more than 600 pounds.

The local Indians say this will be a hard winter, as the bear are unusually fat this fall.

KICK BY HORSE IS FATAL

Scott Curry Succumbs at Langrell; Nephew Hurt in Woods.

BAKER CITY, Oct. 28.—(Special.)—As the result of injuries received when kicked by a horse Thursday, Scott Curry died at the home of Andrew Hathaway, at Langrell, 65 miles east of here, today. He was 57 years old, and had been a resident of Pine Valley 20 years. He was unmarried and is survived by a brother, Bert, of Pine Valley.

A nephew, John Curry, is in a critical condition, having sustained probably fatal injuries when crushed between two rolling logs the first of the week.

1 STRIKE ENDS; 1 SPREADS

Greek Troops to Be Withdrawn From Thessaly.

ATHENS, via London, Oct. 28.—The strike on the Laus Railway has been ended and the withdrawal of the Greek troops from Thessaly will begin promptly.

LONDON, Oct. 28.—The employees of the Greek railways declared a general strike Friday evening, their request for an increase in pay having been refused by the government, says a dispatch from Athens to the Wireless Press.

New York's Bureau of Pure Foods, with its corps of inspectors, claims to have put reinforced sugar out of the local market and killed the industry of freshening state fish with paint. Starved children, bugs salmon and doped candies are also chased into seclusion.

THESE CHILDREN ARE HEIRS TO THE SHEVLIN MILLIONS.



YOUNG TOM SHEVLIN AND ELIZABETH SHEVLIN, HIS SISTER.

This is Thomas L. Shevlin, son of the late Thomas L. Shevlin, millionaire lumberman, financier and one of the greatest athletes ever turned out by Yale, and his sister, Elizabeth. Master Shevlin is a native of Minneapolis, but just as present he is having the time of his life at Hot Springs, Va., where this picture was taken. The fact that young Tom has a good many millions more than the average youngster, doesn't make him any different from any regular fellow. The fortune was left him by his father.

RALPH HETZEL HONORED

O. A. C. MAN NAMED TO AID FARM CREDITS WORK.

Appointments of State Director in Oregon for National Conference on Marketing Made.

CHICAGO, Oct. 28.—R. D. Hetzel, director of extension service of the Oregon Agricultural College, at Corvallis, has been appointed state director for the National Conference on Marketing and Farm Credits. Mr. Hetzel will aid the educational work of the conference in his state, where he is well known for his advanced ideas on agricultural problems.

The fourth annual meeting of the conference will be held at the Hotel Sherman, Chicago, December 4-8. Farm leaders from all the states and Canada will discuss plans for the improvement of farm credit accommodations. The checking of waste in both the production and distribution of products is, also, to receive attention.

Delegates are to make plans for a nation-wide movement for elimination of waste in the sale of whole milk, livestock, grain and perishable products. Representatives of more than 2,000,000 farmers will co-operate with prominent educators and interested parties for "better business, better farming and better living."

"Discussion of the workings of the new Federal farm loan act will be part of the important work of the delegates. The conference will make recommendations to Congress for its more effective operation. They also will discuss the next steps in legislation for turning tenant farmers and landless men into home owners.

CLEVELAND ABBE DEAD

"FATHER OF WEATHER BUREAU" PASSES AT WASHINGTON.

Scientist Noted for Pioneer Work in Issuing Forecasts and in Starting Federal Bureau.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—Professor Cleveland Abbe, known as "The Father of the Weather Bureau," died here today after an illness of a year. The son of a New York merchant, and born December 3, 1838, Cleveland Abbe became an instructor in mathematics and astronomy at the University of Michigan in 1860, and during the Civil War period he was an aide at Cambridge, Mass., to Dr. B. A. Gould, then astronomer of the United States Coast Survey. The years 1865-66 he spent in Russia at the Imperial Observatory as guest of the resident state of observers there, and on his return to the United States he was chosen director of the Cincinnati Observatory. In beginning his astronomical work at Cincinnati, in May, 1868, Professor Abbe expressed to the Chamber of Commerce that city his willingness to make daily predictions of the weather for the benefit of the citizens. His proposition was accepted, and the work actually began in September, 1869, by the publication of a daily bulletin of weather, telegrams and probabilities. The success of his scheme led some of his friends to introduce a resolution calling on Congress to establish a National bureau of storm warnings for

RAILWAYS THROUGH ALL PARTS OF CHINA

American Builders Plan Construction of 2600 Miles of New Lines.

COST TO BE \$100,000,000

Rich Wheat-Growing and Mineral Districts Are to Be Traversed by Great Project Financed by St. Paul Capitalists.

PEKIN, Oct. 2.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)—American railway builders are planning to touch virtually every section of China in carrying out the agreement for the construction of 2600 miles of railway which the Chinese government has signed with the Siemens-Carey Company, of St. Paul, which is financed by the American International Corporation.

North Central and Southern China will be traversed by lines already agreed on under the contract, and other routes are to be located later. More than \$100,000,000 in gold will be required to carry the great project into execution. China now has only about 600 miles of railway in actual operation.

The most northern of the routes decided on extends west from Feng-Cheng in Chansi Province, to Nihsing in Kamau Province, a distance of approximately 200 miles.

Line to Cut Through Wall.

From Nihsing the line will extend southwest to Lanchow, the capital of Kansu Province, a distance of 200 miles. This route will cut through the great wall in several places and traverse a fertile country, much of which is unsettled and capable of extensive agricultural development.

The line will parallel the Yellow River from Lanchow to Nihsing, and cross a portion of Mongolia in passing from Shansi to Kansu Province. Much of the country traversed by this railway is similar to the grain sections of Western Canada.

Feng Cheng, the eastern terminus of this route, is about 200 miles west of Peikin. The Chinese government now operates a railway from Peikin to Feng Cheng, which will give the great undeveloped northern country a direct outlet with the capital and a rail outlet to the sea by way of Tien Tsin.

Mineral District Traversed.

In the heart of Central China the American contractors are to construct a line 500 miles long, beginning at Heng Chow Fu, in Hunan Province, and extending southwest to Nanking, in Kwantung Province, which is connected with Canton by the West River, a stream of great commercial importance. The district traversed by this line is heavily mineralized and is also a rich agricultural section.

A line 200 miles long is to be constructed in Chekiang Province between the cities of Ningbo and Hangchow, which are important silk and tea centers, and on the Island of Hainan, which is a part of Kwantung Province, a line 100 miles in length will be built between Lubwei and Chungchow.

RUSSIA EXPLAINS PROTEST

PETROGRAD, via London, Oct. 28.—Russia's protest to China against the concession granted an American firm, the Siemens-Carey Company, of St. Paul, for the construction of a railway way, which would run through territory north of the Chinese Wall, must be understood, as explained by the Russian Foreign Office, as directed exclusively against the action of the Pekin government. The action, according to the Russian government, is a violation of the Russo-Chinese treaty, which expressly forbids the Chinese government to give the subjects of foreign powers other than Russia the right of concessions in the region north of the wall.

With the exception of this particular region, Russia, it is declared, would welcome the participation of American capital, together with Russian, English, French and Japanese capital, in the construction of railways, and has already viewed with approval former concessions, not in violation of the Russo-Chinese treaty, to American interests.

A. CAMINETTI IS COMING

Women's Federal Employment Office to Be Discussed.

The work of establishing a women and girls' division to the United States Federal employment office will be taken up in Portland by Anthony Caminetti, Commissioner-General of Immigration, who will arrive in Portland Tuesday, according to advice received by E. P. Bonham, director of the United States employment service here. Mr. Caminetti will meet with club organizations and individuals interested in the Government's taking hold of the women's employment situation. A meeting has been arranged for at Library Hall at 3 P. M. on Tuesday, when Mr. Caminetti will discuss his plans for the public benefit.

CITY IS TO BE STUDIED

Progressive Business Men to Be Hosts on Factory Tour.

"Know Portland" is the new slogan of the Progressive Business Men's Club, which has decided, by the appointment of a new committee by President Jaeger, which is to learn at first-hand the facts about Portland's businesses and dispense such information to Portland business men through the means of the club as well as by personal contact with the various plants.

At 1:15 next Saturday afternoon the club will be host to other business men and members of the resident state in the city that day, on an auto tour through the South Portland manufacturing center. The start will be made from the Multnomah Hotel.

CAR RELIEF NOT PROMISED

Baker Shippers Visited by Railroad Official and Plaintiff Made.

BAKER, Oct. 28.—(Special.)—As the result of appeals of Baker lumbermen for more cars to ship their products, J. P. O'Brien, general manager of the O.-W. R. & N., arrived in Baker last night and conferred with representatives of the local mills and A. H. Dougherty, local agent of the railroad. The conference was held in Mr. O'Brien's private car. He frankly admitted he saw no possibility of improvement and passed the responsibility to the mills, recommending that all

cars be loaded to full capacity and that they be loaded within 48 hours after being spotted. He promised that the railroad would supply more open cars and keep up the present supply of closed cars.

PREMIERSHIP IS DECIDED

Dr. Von Koeber Thought Certain of Austrian Office.

VIENNA, Oct. 28, via London, Oct. 28.—It may be accepted as certain that Dr. Von Koeber, now Austro-Hungarian Minister of Finance, will succeed the late Count Karl Stuergh as Premier. Dr. von Koeber was received yesterday by the Emperor and went today to Budapest to confer with Count Tisza.

It is understood that Dr. Von Koeber is willing to accept the position, but official announcement to that effect Judge Dooling held, in sustaining the demands guaranteed that his hands shall remain untied. If Dr. Von Koeber interposes his objections, his resignation, the financial ministry probably will be Dr. von Spitzmueller, now Minister of Commerce.

BOPP INDICTMENT UPHELD

Government's Demurrer in Bomb Case Against Consul Sustained.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 28.—United States District Judge M. T. Dooling this morning sustained the demurrer interposed by the Government, because of cases against German Consul General Franz Bopp, holding that the plea in bar of Bopp in the indictment charging conspiracy in connection with organizing a military expedition of "once in jeopardy" was insufficient.

Judge Dooling held, in sustaining the Government's demurrer, that here was no chance of Bopp being placed more than once in jeopardy on that one indictment.

CITIZENSHIP IS DISPUTED

Bucoda Woman Treasurer Marries Alien and Question Arises.

CENTRALIA, Wash., Oct. 28.—(Special.)—Miss Nettie Nichols, Treasurer of Bucoda, registration officer and a member of the Bucoda School Board, recently married an Australian named Morris Dooling, who is a citizen of the United States, but she lost her rights as an American citizen when she married an alien and have asked the Thurston County Attorney for an opinion. He has not yet rendered it, but it is understood that he believes Mrs. Morris has lost her rights as a citizen. Ben Sawyer, town attorney, has been consulted at variance with the County Attorney, and a warm argument is anticipated.

FIVE VESSELS ARE SUNK

Four Neutrals and Briton Destroyed. Latter With Four Deaths.

LONDON, Oct. 28.—The sinking of four more steamships and one sailing vessel announced by Lloyd's List. Three of the vessels sunk were Norwegian, one Swedish and one British. The neutral vessels sunk were the Norwegian steamer Garm, the Swedish sailing vessel Kathrynia and the Swedish steamer Jonkoping, which is a part of Kwantung Province, a line 100 miles in length will be built between Lubwei and Chungchow.

Ashland Has Lincoln Monument.

ASHLAND, Or., Oct. 28.—(Special.)—The statue of Abraham Lincoln which G. S. Butler, of this city, has presented to the parks as a memorial to his stepfather, Jacob Thompson, a pioneer of Southern Oregon, has arrived from Italy. It is of heroic size, of Carrara marble, and weighs nearly 3000 pounds. It will be placed on the base of Ashland Creek boulevard. The statue is the replica of one selected by the donor from the Italian art exhibit at the Panama Exposition at San Francisco, and represents Lincoln extending the emancipation proclamation.

Medford 27, Klamath Falls 0.

MEDFORD, Oct. 28.—(Special.)—The Medford High School football team defeated Klamath Falls here today, 27 to 0, before a crowd of 500 persons. The stars for the local team were Bronson, Corum, Calhoun and Young. The visitors played hard, but at no time seriously threatened Medford's goal. Medford and Klamath played a 14-12 tie at Klamath Falls two weeks ago.

Russian women predominate among foreign-born students of their sex in politics.

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Western Leaders Prepare for Final Week's Drive.

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CHICAGO, Oct. 28.—Extraordinary activity will mark the last week of the Presidential campaign in the Western states in both the Republican and Democratic ranks.

Leaders in charge of both the Republican and Democratic Western National headquarters were busy today planning their campaigns for the final week of the fight and sending instructions to field lieutenants.

Democratic managers will continue to wage a vigorous fight in every state in the West until election day, but will concentrate their attack on Illinois, Indiana, Wisconsin, Montana, Washington, Oregon, Utah, Arizona, New Mexico, Colorado and Nebraska, where they believe they have a good chance of success.

Particular attention will be paid by the managers to the progressive and women's vote in this territory. Newspaper and billboard advertising campaigns will be conducted in every doubtful state and tons of Democratic literature will be sent to every section for distribution.

The Republican manager in the West, it is said, will pay particular attention to Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin, Missouri, Kentucky, Colorado, Washington, Oregon, California and Montana in their final week's drive.

Scores of speakers will be sent into these states and meetings will be held daily until the opening of the polls November 7. Large quantities of campaign literature will be sent into every state and advertising campaigns launched in every doubtful state.

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