

TEX RICKARD IS ARRESTED; YOUNG GIRL IS INVOLVED

Fight Promoter Is Arraigned for Mistreating 15-Year-Old Girl; Says Enemies Are After Him.

New York, Jan. 21.—(U. P.)—George L. (Tex) Rickard, the country's leading fight promoter, was arrested and arraigned in police court today on a charge of mistreating a 15-year-old girl.

Rickard, who tonight was out on bail, made a sweeping denial of all charges and his friends and attorneys indignantly declared he was the victim of a frame-up.

Meanwhile, the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, an agent of which brought the complaint against Rickard, asserted it was preparing to press the case when it comes up next Wednesday.

Pleading prominently in the case is the tower room of Madison Square Garden, where Rickard as lessee of the garden has his offices and where Stanford White, slain by Harry K. Thaw, once had his studio. Many of the dramatic incidents told in the Thaw trial had the tower room as their background.

TWO GIRLS AS WITNESSES
The girl Rickard is charged with attacking is Alice Rick, 15. Two little friends of the Rick girl, Anna Hess, 11, and Elvira Heine, 12, are held as material witnesses.

The complaint against Rickard charges that he met the three girls last summer when there was a swimming pool in the garden where the girls often went. Rickard, it is alleged, after becoming acquainted with them, entertained them in his office in the tower room.

When the Garden swimming pool was closed and the place was opened for boxing bouts, bicycle racing and other boxing sports, Rickard continued meeting the girls, according to their story, at two neighboring apartments in West Forty-second street. It is at one of these apartments that he is specifically alleged to have attacked the Rick girl on December 14.

AFRAID TO GO HOME
The girls first came under the notice of authorities January 15 when Miss Rick and Miss Hess appeared at Bellevue hospital late at night, saying they feared to go home and declaring they had been taken to the apartment where they had not taken lodges, but kept them for the night and then turned them over to the authorities to be arraigned before Judge Hoyt in the children's court as incorrigibles.

Judge Hoyt questioned the girls and they turned them over to the children's society, where they were further questioned.

As a result of the society's investigation, agents of the society went to Chief Assistant District Attorney Peoria, who ordered the arrest of Rickard yesterday, but detectives were unable to find him either at his office or home. Today, however, he notified authorities he would voluntarily give himself up and came to the West Side police court where he was arrested and arraigned.

HELD IN COURT
The Rick and Hess girls, who had been in custody of the society since court as well as the Hess girl, who was taken into custody today.

Following the arraignment, Rickard's attorney declared Rickard was the most surprised man in the world when told that he was wanted by the authorities. Rickard, according to the attorney, said he thought some malicious enemy was trying to hurt him. Rickard said the charge is "absolutely and utterly without foundation."

Warrants Out for Brokers, Following Firm Receivership

Philadelphia, Jan. 21.—(U. P.)—Warrants for the arrest of Edwin E. Kohn and George Harold Kohn, members of the brokerage firm of Edwin E. Kohn & Co., were sworn out here late today before Magistrate Carney by Lee McCutchan and Charles Keeler of Norris-town.

Earlier in the day the firm had been suspended from the New York consolidated stock exchange and shortly after went into the hands of a receiver.

Edwin E. Kohn, senior partner, in a written statement attached to the application of receivership, admitted his firm was insolvent.

According to a petition offered by Charles Auerbach, the liabilities of the firm will be upward of \$500,000, with assets probably less than \$200,000.

David M. Phillips and Thomas M. Hyndman were appointed receivers. The firm has offices in New York, Pittsburgh, Easton, Trenton and Wilmington.

PAULSON OFF FOR HEARING
Silverton, Jan. 21.—Mark A. Paulson, former resident of Silverton, who had been visiting relatives here, left Wednesday for Boston where his contest with the school board of that city over the attempted reappointment of a superintendent's contract will be heard before the county school superintendent.

SENATOR NEWBERRY, MICHIGAN, ACCEPTED



Truman H. Newberry, of Michigan, elected senator from that state, has been accepted by the senate. Senator Newberry is shown leaving the capitol after hearing of the approval of the election.

Ulster Premier and President of South Ireland in Accord

London, Jan. 21.—(U. P.)—Premier Sir James Craig of Ulster and Premier Michael Collins of the provisional government of Southern Ireland, met today, shook hands and in a brief conference reached an agreement upon some of the most bitterly contested Irish questions.

A joint statement was issued by the leaders of opposing Irish factions and in its optimistic tone observers of Irish affairs see the first glimmer of a hope for ultimate Irish peace.

Agreement was reached by the premiers on the work of a commission to establish the boundaries of Ulster. The South's boycott of Belfast is to be removed, as well as other boycotts of Ulster instituted under the Sinn Fein regime in reprisal for the killing of Catholics in Belfast.

More than this, Craig and Collins have agreed to meet in Ireland where they will discuss the amnesty granted political prisoners.

Conference Expense And Duration Have Become Main Topic

Washington, Jan. 21.—(U. P.)—The great question before the arms conference is not the naval treaty, not Shanghai, nor other perplexities of the Far East—but this:

How long is the conference going to last?

It is a question asked and answered a score of times a day.

To some of the delegates it's getting funny; to others a bit tragic.

The French, for instance, are beginning to think about expense. In fact, they dropped the gentle hint in the conference that they'd like to know who's going to foot all the bills and these bills running at the hotels and elsewhere are of no mean amount. Some folks say the French would be glad to call the expense of the conference an offset on the debt to America.

Six Initiated Into Chi Psi Association

Six neophytes were initiated into the solemn mysteries of modern Greekdom at the annual meeting of the Oregon Chi Psi association, held Saturday night at the University club. More than 100 alumni and collegiate members of the fraternity were present when the rites were conferred. Those initiated were: T. P. Crowstait of Marshfield; A. G. Demeritt, R. E. Devant, H. J. Skinner, J. B. Fowell and L. M. Hodges of Portland. James B. Kerr presided at the session.

PLEA FOR WORLD PEACE IS VOICED BY LLOYD GEORGE

Restoration of Trade Will Follow a Better Standing, He Says; Arms Conference Is Praised.

By Robert J. Frew
Universal Service Staff Correspondent
London, Jan. 21.—Lloyd George today voiced another plea for real world peace as a preliminary to restoration of world trade.

Addressing an enthusiastic meeting of coalition liberals the premier declared nothing has ever done so much to restore a good understanding between the United States and Great Britain as the Washington conference.

"The peace of the world depends largely upon that foundation," the premier stated. "The conference is one of the outstanding events of the world's history. We owe a debt of deepest gratitude to Mr. Balfour for the noble part he has taken. The cheers of the conference are not yet over, but great things have already been achieved, if only the interchange of views and the removal of prejudices."

"That, at any rate, has been accomplished, and I am hoping for more," he continued.

Unfailing patience and persistency are required to settle the European problems today, the premier declared, and "men who think they can cleanse Europe of its weeds and straighten out the tangle in two or three years are either ignorant of the real situation or misleading their public."

With a palpable hit at France, Lloyd George said the only way to reach the goal is by bringing the nations of Europe to a test of reason, not force.

Moonshine Is Seized; Hotel Man Is Held

In a raid upon the Harrison hotel, 403 Front street, Saturday night, federal prohibition agents captured a trunk full of moonshine liquor and arrested Harry Young, proprietor, on a charge of violating the Volstead act. Young posted \$500 bond with United States Commissioner Fraser and was released pending a preliminary hearing. Three pints of liquor were also found in Young's coat, the agents alleged.

Four-L Men Out to Break Records for Output of Sawmill

Vows were taken by a group of Four L men at the Falls City mill of the Cobbs-Mitchell company, where a farewell banquet was held in honor of the mill that is being moved bodily to Valzeta, to break all records of both the crews at the old mill and the Valzeta mill. This information was relayed late Saturday night, just after the banquet, to H. B. Veness, head of the public relations department of the Loyal Legion of Loggers and Lumbermen.

The banquet was attended by Norman F. Coleman, president of the organization. The men at the Falls City mill have a record of 126,000 feet of lumber a day. This is remarkable in that there are but 98 men in the crew and the average output of such mills is but 1000 feet per man.

Husband Accused of Pouring Oil on Wife And Setting It Afire

Omaha, Neb., Jan. 21.—(U. P.)—C. A. Brown returned home tonight intoxicated, according to a neighbor, Mrs. Angelica Garcia, started an argument with his wife, poured oil from a lamp over her and set it afire to burn her alive.

The woman was rescued by members of the fire department and taken to a hospital, where several physicians said her chances for recovery are slight.

Brown was arrested. Mrs. Brown is 35 years of age. The couple have no children.

Two Missing; Police Asked to Make Hunt

Police inspectors were asked to aid in a search for W. W. Jordan, 43 years old, who disappeared from his home at 104 Mason street several days ago. He left his wife and five children. Jordan is described as 5 feet 7 inches tall, 165 pounds, light complexion and gray hair. He wore a blue serge suit.

Robert Holman, 13 years old, disappeared Friday. He had been attending the Catholic school at Oswego. The boy wore dark knee pants and a jersey sweater.

At the 3023-foot depth in the Lower Columbia Oil & Gas company's well in Clatsop county, a heavy gas pressure was encountered and the showing of oil is reported good.

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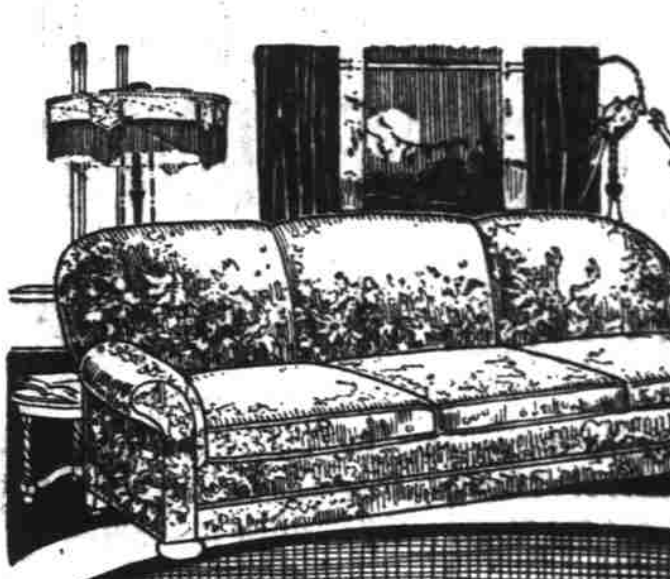
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48-INCH TOP, SIX-FOOT EXTENSION

TABLE AND SIX CHAIRS

—\$86.50—

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JANUARY PRICES WILL BE CONTINUED ALL THIS WEEK ON
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—Choice Genuine Wiltons.
—Fringed Wilton Velvets.
—Thick Seamless Axminsters.
—Closely Woven Brussels.
—Fibers and Wool and Fibers.
—Juanita Art and Rag Rugs.
—Both Inlaid and Printed Linoleums.

Rug and Linoleum buyers will not only save money at Edwards, but they will have an almost unlimited assortment to select from. The mighty wall rack, with over 200 samples, sways continuously with the makers' choicest creations.

EXTRA!

—And it's joyous news for music lovers—all 50c Brunswick Records from now on will be 75c. The new ones for February are already in and suggest that fox-trot lovers hear "Dapper Dan" and "April Showers."

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Edwards Furniture—5th & Oak
Easy Terms—No Interest

—\$12.95—

For 50-Pound Felted Cotton Mattresses

—These big and thick rolled-edge mattresses last fall were \$18.75, the January price has been \$15. Now, to boost "Oregon Products," the price has been cut again, but this cut is for one week only, and, if desired, will be one dollar a week, no interest.

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—Large new western firebox.
—Duplex-wood and coal grates.
—Six-lid tops are polished.
—Nickel trimmings are plain.
—White or gray enamel splashers.
—Two-burner gas attachment put on if desired.
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