

DONOVAN PAYS LAST PENALTY FOR WIFE MURDER

Michigan City, Ind., June 1.—(U. N. S.)—The plea of Mabel Donovan, 17 years old, at her father's execution for the murder of her mother, was answered at the Indiana state prison here early today when William E. Donovan died in the electric chair.

Donovan's execution eliminated one of the most unusual criminal cases in the story of Indiana. Donovan died with a prayer on his lips for forgiveness for the daughter who had destroyed his single chance to escape execution. Just before he went to the chair he had received a letter from his daughter addressed to "Dear Dad," and urging him to seek solace, prayer and asking for information about a brother.

AID HE WAS INNOCENT

Donovan protested his innocence to the last, contending that his wife, Laura, was killed by the accidental discharge of a pistol. He declared his wife had attempted to use the gun against him and that it was discharged when he attempted to wrest it from her.

Mabel Donovan, the daughter, was an eyewitness to the death of her mother, who was now living at Marietta, Ky. When the girl heard that her father had applied for a reprieve, she wrote Governor Warren McCray of Indiana, asking that the governor make sure that her father paid the supreme penalty for the crime.

"My mother was surely the best

woman that ever lived," she wrote. "She was shot down with my little baby sister in her arms without any cause what-so-ever. I have seen her beaten, knocked down and mistreated in many ways since I was old enough to remember. My father was always an overbearing man and had lots of trouble. But he cared for no one but himself, not even his children; and if he could ever get out he would not be too good to kill his children. In conclusion, I want to say again the sentence given him is surely what he deserves."

Shipping Board May Be Wiped Out if the Subsidy Plan Fails

Washington, June 1.—(U. N. S.)—Abolition of the United States shipping board in the event congress fails to pass the ship subsidy bill is contemplated by President Harding, it was learned authoritatively today.

An administration spokesman belonging to the president's "inner circle" is authority for the statement that President Harding "fails to see what use the shipping board could serve if the bill providing for a merchant marine is rejected by congress." The president is impressed with the present conditions obtaining in the shipping board, with its hundreds of idle ships lying at anchor for want of operators.

President Harding does not contemplate another message to congress on the proposed Harding-Lasker merchant marine plan, but will continue to hold daily conferences with administration leaders in congress and with officials of the shipping board. Chief among those who counsel daily with the president are House Floor Leader Mondell, Republican of Wyoming; Senators Willis of Ohio, Lenroot of Wisconsin and McNary of Oregon, all Republicans, as well as A. D. Lasker, chairman of the United States shipping board.

CHINESE PREPARE FOR LAST TRIBUTE TO SUE KEE LANG

Chinatown, in the drab of mourning, is today preparing for the funeral of Sue Kee Lang, Chinese merchant and sage, and leader among his countrymen, who died Saturday in a local hospital.

Next Saturday, just a week after his death, Chinese will perform a service conducted by a Chinese Christian minister, for Sue had taken up the faith of the white men among whom he lived.

Sue Kee Lang died after being confined for weeks on account of lobar pneumonia, although his death is said to have been hastened when he learned of the death of his nephew, Sue Loy, slain in the last outbreak of the tong war, April 4.

OWNED STORE HERE
The death was kept from the old man until his inquisitiveness, due to the long absence of his nephew from his bedside, could not be further denied. His decline began the minute he learned of the tragedy, Chinese say.

Sue Kee Lang was 61 years old. His presence in Portland dates back to the old days, long before there was any Chinatown on North Fourth street. Then the Oriental quarters were on Second street, where only a vestige of the former bustling town remains. Here Lang owned a store at 82 Second street. But

with the move of many Chinese to new Chinatown, he established a second store at 77 North Fourth street.

BODY GOING TO CHINA
Until last Chinese New Year's Sue was president of the Hop Sing tong. He headed the society when it was warring with the Sing Sing faction.

Saturday at 1 o'clock Christian services will be held at the Edward Long man & Son chapel, No. 229 Third street. A street parade from there will carry the body down Third to Morrison street, thence to Fifth street, down Fifth to Burnside street, down Burnside to Second street and down Second, where it will go through old Chinatown, past Sue's first store, and then to the Long Fir cemetery. A Chinese reed band, a brass band and various Chinese regalia will appear in the parade.

At the cemetery Josh services will be performed. The body will be returned to the undertaking parlors, where it will be held for shipment to Sue Kee Lang's native land.

At the home going the body of the murdered Sue Loy will accompany that of his uncle across the Pacific.

Sinister Influences
Seen in War Fraud Cases by Daugherty

Washington, June 1.—(U. N. S.)—Another broad hint that "sinister influences" are attempting serious interference with prosecution of governmental war contract frauds was given today by Attorney General Daugherty.

Announcing his determination to "knuckle down" to the task of aiding the special federal grand jury now probing the charged frauds, Daugherty declared: "We are meeting every interference as it comes up, and in the end the interference will be found to be inspired for other reason than those publicly given. The interferences were expected, and we are not surprised, disappointed or discouraged."

Pay More or Leave, Is Word to American Tourists in Munich

(Special Wire from The Journal and Chicago Daily News.)

Berlin, June 1.—The wife of Congressman Fred A. Britton of Illinois was the latest victim of the "Soak the Americans" spirit prevailing in Munich, Mr. Britton told the writer last night on his return to Berlin. Mrs. Britton bought two box seats for the opera from the clerk in her hotel, who charged her the regular price of 200 marks each. She and another American woman were admitted to the performance without difficulty. Somebody, however, overheard them talking to each other in English and approaching them, asked to show their tickets and passports. When they presented their American passports they

were told to pay 1000 marks more because they were foreigners. Not having the ready cash they were told to leave.

Big Judgment Set Aside by Court

New York, June 1.—(U. N. S.)—Judge Caphalan in the supreme court of New York today vacated and set aside a judgment by default rendered against the Dominion Oil company, as subsidiary of the Middle States Oil company, for \$1,000,000. He held that the company was not in default and that no such judgment could be justified.

**Child Decapitated
By Train at Baker**
Baker, Or., June 1.—Small playmates last evening found 4-year-old Gerard Huyas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Camille Huyas, dead on the Sumpter Valley track, his head dismembered by a flat car. No one saw the accident. It is thought the child must have been playing under the flat cars on the siding when they were moved. Blame was not placed on anyone at the inquest.

Harding Invited to British Columbia On Alaskan Trip

Washington, June 1.—(U. N. S.)—President Harding was invited to Canada today.

Sir Auckland Geddes, the British ambassador, formally extended an invitation to the president in behalf of the Canadian government to stop off and visit Vancouver and Victoria if the chief executive makes his contemplated trip to Alaska. The president informed Sir Auckland that he will visit Canada if he goes to Alaska, which is uncertain.

Twelve Balloons In U. S. Elimination Contest, Are in Air

Milwaukee, Wis., June 1.—(U. N. S.)—Twelve balloons that successfully took off in the American elimination contest, were still believed to be soaring over the Middle West today. Thirteen giant bags left late yesterday. One piloted by Roy Donaldson, fell shortly after the start.

Chicago, June 1.—(U. N. S.)—Three balloons, believed to have been entries in the American elimination contest, were reported over Chicago at an early hour today. Reports from Gary, Ind., said the "U. S. 12" was seen there. Two balloons were reported over Arca, Ill., and another over Pana, Ill.

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SACRED SELECTIONS

St. Paul—But the Lord is Mindful of His Own (Mendelssohn)
Stabat Mater—Cujus Animam (Rossini)
Stabat Mater—Inflammatus (Rossini)

TUNEFUL CONCERT AND OPERATIC

Echo Song (Sir Henry R. Bishop)
Only to Dream You Love Me! (Lascia! dir, tu m'am! In Italian)
Die Tote Stadt—Lustspiel der Marietta (Song of the Late) (Korngold) In German
Lohengrin—Elsas Traum (Elsa's Dream) (Wagner) In German
Zaza—E un riso gentil—Tis a Gentle Smile (Leoncavallo)- In Italian
Jasmine Door (Weatherly-Scott)
Moonrise (Dick-Samuels)

MELODIOUS INSTRUMENTAL

Midsummer Night's Dream—Wedding March (Mendelssohn)
Serenade (Drda) Violin Solo
Slavonic Dance No. 1 (Dvorak)
Slavonic Dance No. 2 (Dvorak)
Faust—Waltz from Kermesse Scene (Gounod) Accordion Solo
Medley of Favorite Operatic Airs Accordion Solo

LIGHT, TUNEFUL VOCAL SELECTIONS

Baby
A Little Home with You
Indiana Lullaby (Waltz Song)
Marcheta (Love Song of Old Mexico)
Mammy Lou
Pick Me Up and Lay Me Down in Dear Old Dixieland
Gee! But I Hate to Go Home Alone (from "The French Doll")
Don't Feel Sorry for Me
Wake Up Little Girl You're Just Dreaming
It's a Wonderful World After All

LITTLE SONGS FOR LITTLE CHILDREN

(1) The Bunnies (2) Pretty Pussy (3) Little Chickens and Snow Birds (4) The Squirrel (5) Gold Fish (6) Bow-wow-wow
(1) Sing, Bluebird, Sing (2) The Butterfly (3) Robin Redbreast (4) Raindrops
(5) Pussy Willow (6) The Woodpecker (7) Jacky Frost
(1) The Wild Wind (2) The Rainbow (3) Happy Thought (4) Now It is Spring
(5) Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star (6) The Dolly
(1) God Loves Me (2) A Christmas Lullaby (3) Evening Prayer (4) Praise Him
(5) The Child Jesus

DANCE SELECTIONS

Cuddle Up Blues—Fox Trot
My Honey's Lovin' Arms—Fox Trot
Swanee River Moon—Med. Waltz Introducing "Indiana Lullaby"
Do It Again!—Fox Trot (from "The French Doll")
Every Day—Medley Fox Trot (from "For Goodness Sake")
Introducing "Oh Gee! Oh Gee! (I Love You)"
Rose of Stamboul—Medley Waltz (from "The Rose of Stamboul")
Introducing "My Heart is Calling"
No Use Crying—Fox Trot
Teasin'—Fox Trot
You Can Have Ev'ry Light on Broadway—Fox Trot
Lowly Dove—Fox Trot (from "The Rose of Stamboul")
California—Fox Trot
Who Believed in You?—Fox Trot
Some Sunny Day—Fox Trot
Rosy Posy—Fox Trot (from "The Blushing Bride")
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The Virginians
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