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UNKNOWN DEAD GIVEN TRIBUTE BY THE NATION

President Coolidge Leads Pilgrimage to Shrine in National Cemetery at Arlington

WREATH IS PLACED ON SOLDIER'S TOMB

Secretaries of the Army and Navy Assist at Official Ceremonies

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—The tomb of the Unknown Soldier in Arlington National cemetery was the center of the capital's observance of Armistice day with President Coolidge leading the pilgrimage to the shrine.

Accompanied by Secretary Wilson and Acting Secretary Davis of the war department, representatives of the military branches of the government, the president placed a wreath on the tomb. After placing the wreath he stood with uncovered head for a moment and then turned away. Mrs. Coolidge, before the party left, laid upon the tomb a single white rose, a tribute of the motherhood of the nation.

In making the pilgrimage, Mr. Coolidge followed a custom inaugurated by President Harding. Late in the day services for the nation's wartime president, Woodrow Wilson, were held in the national cathedral where his body is entombed. In gathering about all that is mortal of the late president citizens perpetuated a custom begun in his lifetime of honoring him especially on this day.

Numerous patriotic exercises were conducted by various organizations in Washington during the day. Similar exercises were held in other cities. In the American Red Cross.

ITALIANS TO PAY BONDS

Economic Reconstruction of Country Believed Definitely on Way

NEW YORK, Nov. 11.—Italy's intention of paying off the bond issue in the United States which will expire next February was announced by Prince Caetani, the Italian ambassador to the United States in an address tonight at a banquet of the Italy-American society. The ambassador cited this as a proof of the economic reconstruction taking place in Italy, and urged that closer commercial cooperation between the two countries be established, saying that "much has been achieved, but a great deal more can be accomplished."

"Italy and America strive for peace and friendly cooperation," he said. "They have never had political rivalry or serious economic competition. It is reasonable and useful that they should get closer together and cooperate in every way."

Among the guests was Under Secretary Grew of the state department who read a message from Secretary Hughes expressing the latter's "keen sense of personal loss" in the approaching surrender by the ambassador of his post at Washington. Mr. Hughes in his message touched also upon Italian progress toward economic stability.

"Especially do we rejoice," he said, "in the new manifestation of Italy's energy and resourcefulness, as she has girded herself with extraordinary unity, vigor and determination to meet the economic difficulties which followed the war and high degree of prosperity she has won through the indefatigable industry and skill of her people and her leaders. We send through our friend, Ambassador Caetani, the assurance of our admiration for his country, of our admiration for the achievements of his fellow countrymen."

THE WEATHER

OREGON: Cloudy, probably local snows in mountains, continued cool; fresh northwest winds.

LOCAL WEATHER (Tuesday) Maximum temperature, 46. Minimum temperature, 35. River, 10.5; falling. Rainfall, .07. Atmosphere, cloudy. Wind, south.

LASTING MONUMENT ERECTED TO COUNTY'S SOLDIER DEAD



"OVER THE TOP TO VICTORY"

EIGHTY-EIGHT Marion county young men gave their lives for their country during the World War, and to lastingly commemorate the sacrifice, their names have been carved in the marble base of the American War Mothers' memorial monument which was dedicated at the court house Tuesday. The statue, which represents an American doughboy in action, is called "Over the Top to Victory."

Inscriptions on the base of the monument are as follows: "Their Country's Call Answered, Sons and Daughters of Marion County who made the Supreme Sacrifice in the World War, 1914-1918. Greater Love Hath No Man. John 15:13." Names on the monument are: Wilhelm E. Algren, Carl E. Allemen, Leonard A. Askin, Smith S. Ballantyne, Emory A. Beethley, Frank J. Brassel, William F. Catton, Otto Ethel Cavitt, Hans F. Christofferson, Robert E. Croshaw, Kenneth C. Crossan, Edwin H. Deetz, Fred A. Deranlein, Ernest T. Eckerlein, Fred Elen.

STECK GAINS ON BROOKHART

Official Count Cuts Lead of Insurgent; Completion Not Made

DES MOINES, Iowa, Nov. 11.—(By the AP.)—The margin by which Senator Smith W. Brookhart, republican, led his democratic opponent for the United States senate, Daniel F. Steck, had narrowed down to 626 votes tonight when tabulation was completed by the Associated Press of official returns from 74 of Iowa's 99 counties. The senator's majority has shown steady decline throughout the day, his lead this morning having stood at 737. The total vote tonight, based on the official figures from 74 counties and the unofficial returns from 25, stood: Brookhart, 447,382; Steck, 446,756.

CABINET CHANGES ARE MADE KNOWN

Secretary Davis Will Withdraw; Robinson to Succeed Roosevelt

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—Two developments in the realignment of the official family of President Coolidge were made known today, but at the same time it was emphasized at the White House that no other immediate changes are in contemplation. Secretary Davis of the labor department, it was learned, has asked Mr. Coolidge to be relieved of his post on March 4 next. At the same time President Coolidge announced the selection of Theodore Douglas Robinson of New York, a nephew of President Roosevelt, to be assistant secretary of the navy, an office made vacant late in September by the resignation of Theodore Roosevelt, who then entered the gubernatorial race in New York. It was stated officially at the White House that the president has not so far given any further consideration to the reorganization of his cabinet since he has received no intimations other than from Mr. Davis that any members wished to retire.

NEW MURDER TRAIL LEADS TO MORS CAE

Belief Held That Harry KZ, Los Angeles Man Shot Own Door, Was Victim of Jewel Plot

DIAMOND SMUGGLING TRADE ONE FACT

Deposit Boxes, Opened This Morning, Expected to Reveal Many Gems

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 11.—A diamond studded trail that is marked here last night by the killing of Harry Katz, jewel and Bohemian, led tonight to the deposit vaults of a downtown bank, whose time lock, rigid for the holiday, is expected by officers to reveal at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning an array of gems which may throw some light on the motive for the Katz slaying.

The man who was shot dead on his own doorstep is declared by police to have been under surveillance for some time as the center of an underground jewel trade whose source of supply he officials were seeking to fathom. Wherever Katz went he carried diamonds, several of them at a time and all valuable, say his acquaintances. He bought real estate with diamonds. He borrowed money and gave diamonds as security.

Diamonds and violins were his hobbies. He had 22 of the latter in the luxuriously furnished apartment on whose threshold he was killed. On Katz' body when he died was a diamond pin and diamond rings worth thousands of dollars according to a police inventory.

More diamonds, many of them expected by the police to be found in the Katz deposit boxes when the bank time lock permits its opening tomorrow morning. Officers working on the case expressed the belief that the same or similar motives, prompted the killing of Katz and the killing on August 12 last of Mrs. Theresa W. Mors, jewel collector and antique dealer in connection with whose death Kid McCoy, ex-pugilist, is being held.

Each was cut down by a 32 caliber bullet. In each case a "thick set man" was identified with the killing.

ACCIDENT IS FATAL

GARIBALDI, Or., Nov. 11.—Buddy Strom, 20, was killed today by the accidental discharge of his shotgun while hunting ducks on the bay near here. Strom with a companion had made a landing with their boat near Indian village. The young man, who had the shotgun across his lap, arose from his seat and in doing so turned up the gun muzzle. The trigger caught and the discharge followed. He died shortly after the charge entered his brain.

IMPRESSIVE CEREMONY

MONTREAL, Nov. 11.—Canada's dead in the World War were honored today by the unveiling of a cenotaph in Dominion square by Governor General Byng, former commander of the Canadian corps in France.

WILL SURROUND THE STATE HOUSE

Carey F. Martin Makes a Prediction; Has Handled 2000 Court Cases

Up to the close of business Monday, Attorney Carey F. Martin had handled through court an even 2,000 cases since he began numbering and filing cases passing through his office. He was the first to engage office and move into the new Masonic Temple building 12 years ago this month. It was then considered too far east of the business center of the town. When Mr. Martin first began business the business center was at North Commercial and Court streets, and his first office was over the old England bank, now Pitts fish market, the postoffice being in the same block further north. The central telephone office succeeded the bank in that building for a few years.

It was thought the retail business would build north on Commercial street towards Marion square. But the erection of the new postoffice on Willson avenue and many new buildings east of Liberty street drew the business of the town south and east. Mr. Martin predicts that in 25 years retail business houses will line both sides of Willson avenue, entirely surrounding the capitol building except for the Willamette university campus.

BOOTLEG PRICE TO ADVANCE IN HOLIDAY MARKET

Rum Chasers Will Increase Efforts to Check Activities of Runners

SEATTLE, Nov. 11.—Capt. E. G. Dodge, commanding officer of the United States coast guard in the Pacific northwest and Alaska, today ordered cutters in the Puget sound district to make every effort to bring about an increase in the cost of liquor sold by bootleggers to the "holiday trade." Orders for increased vigilance by the rum chasers followed an announcement from Vancouver, B. C. of the approach of the freighter Canadian Highlander from Scotland with 87,000 cases of liquor. The vessel cleared from Glasgow October 23 and its cargo was consigned to Mexico via Vancouver, to be distributed by smaller craft from Vancouver.

The coast guard said that it believed that much of this liquor, if not all, would find its way into the United States unless special precautions were taken.

FIROPO FIGHTS AGAIN TONIGHT

Argentine Heavyweight Is Attempting to Climb Back into Limelight

NEW YORK, Nov. 11.—Luis A. Firpo, Argentine heavyweight, will fire the opening gun in his comeback campaign to regain his lost ring prestige when he faces Charlie Wehner, Newark heavyweight, in the Newark armory tomorrow night in a 12-round no-decision encounter. Firpo knocked out Wehner in one round in Philadelphia when the Argentine was being built up for a match with Dempsey. Since the conclusion of the legal entanglements which threatened to curtail his visit to this country Firpo has been buried deep in the Jersey hills, away from civilization, training faithfully for his comeback.

The fighters claim a new Firpo will be seen in the ring.

HARD CIDER LEGAL SAYS JUDGE LOPER

Question Not Free From Doubt, Is Admission Made By the Court

BALTIMORE, Md., Nov. 11.—In ruling on the admissibility of certain testimony today at the trial of Representative John Phillip Hill, in United States court, Judge Morris A. Soper declared it his opinion that it was the intent of congress, as set forth in section 29 of the Volstead act, to permit the manufacture of fruit beverages and cider for home consumption regardless of the alcoholic limit of one half of one per cent set forth elsewhere in the act. Judge Soper added, however, that "should such beverages be in fact intoxicating their manufacture would be a violation of the law, as would their sale or delivery except to persons having permits for the manufacture of vinegars."

The judge also declared that in his opinion defendants in such cases could offer evidence to show that their beverages were not in fact intoxicating. This statement was interpreted by lawyers present as meaning that the burden of proof rests upon the government.

Judge Soper's opinion in part follows: "The question for discussion is whether the defendant, admitting that he manufactured cider containing more than half of one per cent of alcohol by volume, that is admitting it for the purpose of this decision, but contending that the law, as made exclusively for use in his own home, may offer evidence to show that the cider was in fact not intoxicating."

"While the question is not free from doubt, in my opinion such evidence may be offered."

"The doubt arises from the fact that congress seems to have used the word 'intoxicating' in a different sense in one section than that employed in another. Section 29 defines intoxicating liquor to include among other things any fermented liquor containing one half of one per cent of alcohol by volume which is fit for use for beverage purposes. . . . Section three of the act makes it an offense for any person to manufacture any intoxicating liquor except as authorized in the act. Section 29 specifies the penalties for violation of the act."

SCHLAIFER EXONERATED

ST. PAUL, Minn., Nov. 11.—The Minnesota state boxing commission today exonerated Morris Schlaifer of Omaha from blame for fouling Jack Malone, St. Paul middleweight in the third round of their bout here last night.

SMASH ALL RECORDS IN WALL STREET

Number of Shares Sold Reaches Highest Total Attained During the Last Five Years

BULLISH-ENTHUSIASM REACHES HIGH PITCH

Result of Activities Is to Send Prices of Most Stock Soaring

NEW YORK, Nov. 11.—(By the AP.)—All recent stock exchange records were swept off the boards today in a wild burst of bullish enthusiasm that reached its maximum intensity in the industrial shares, with net gains which ran from 1 to nearly 10 per cent.

The day's total sale just below 2,500,000, the largest since 1919. The total traded in—547 in all time anvious record yesterday. The general average of the industrial broke through to the highest in seven years, the highest in several years, due to the restraint imposed by a continuation of profit taking in the railroad shares.

Meanwhile steady accumulation was taking place in the oil and copper issues, bullish enthusiasm permeated the tobacco, sugar, equipment and textile shares. After mid-day speculative interest converged on the so-called pivotal industrials with the swelling tide of buying rising to extraordinary heights in American Can, which rode out the session on the crest of a tidal wave of buying orders that literally swamped the brokers on the floor, the stock soaring 9 3/4 points to 150 3/4, the highest price in its history and 55 points above the year's lowest established last April.

United States Steel common, the day's transaction in which ran well over 100,000 shares, was lifted up to 115, a new high price since 1911.

MISS GOLDMAN CHANGES MIND

Attitude of Former Friend of Bolshevism Undergoes Revision

LONDON, Nov. 11.—(By the Associated Press.)—Emma Goldman, who has come to England from Germany, intends to make a speaking tour of Great Britain according to her London friends. Miss Goldman was deported from the United States to Russia as an undesirable alien and subsequently left Russia for Germany, where she has been residing until recently.

A. Sugg, who is arranging the dinner and the projected speaking tour, told the Associated Press that Miss Goldman is "dead against the bolsheviks" and intends to plead the cause of political prisoners in Russia in the speeches she will make in England.

"She says that the dangers of bolshevism are not realized here," said Sugg, "especially by the advanced political movement. To her there seems to be an abyss between the Russian people and the bolshevik government."

Miss Goldman is at present living quietly in a middle class section of London.

Mrs. Harding's Condition Is Said to Be Improved

MARION, Ohio, Nov. 11.—The condition of Mrs. Florence Kling Harding was reported as better tonight in a bulletin issued by her physician, Dr. Carl W. Sawyer. Mrs. Harding deeply appreciated the significance of Armistice day, Mr. Sawyer said, adding that "her heart went out to the soldier boys."

ANOTHER KNOCKOUT GREENVILLE, S. C., Nov. 11.—Young Stribley, Georgia schoolboy fighter, knocked out Fay Geiser of New York in the fourth round of a scheduled ten round bout here tonight.

MRS. JOHN A. CARSON

MRS. JOHN A. CARSON, of 923 South High, president of the Salem chapter, American War Mothers, whose untiring efforts, in working for the monument to Marion county men and women who died in the service of their country during the World War, were brought to a happy close Tuesday.

ARSENIC IN BARRIL

As Result of Poisoning in Barrel

PHYSICIANS called in after about 25 of the aged residents of the home became ill after drinking the cider at the noon meal yesterday diagnosed the cases as arsenic poisoning and a subsequent investigation was said to have led to the belief that the source of the poison was the barrel containing the cider. The arsenic is believed to have been left in the barrel from a tree spraying compound which it previously contained.

The commonwealth's attorney and county coroner both decided after an investigation today that the poisoning was accidental and that none of the circumstances justified holding an inquest.

Chester Tucker, Lima, Ohio; Alvin Spalung, Loveland, Colo.; Joseph A. Kenny, Marion, Ind.; F. E. O'Connor, Dallas, Texas; Thomas Madigan, Long Island City, L. I.; George W. Slade, Saginaw, Mich.; C. S. Whitney, Omaha, and B. F. Allen, Portland, Ore.

SILVERTON HAS FIRE

SILVERTON, Or., Nov. 11.—(Special to The Statesman.)—The Silverton fire department responded to a call from the North Side addition Monday afternoon. The C. O. Fape residence had caught fire and was damaged to the extent of about \$200.

RUM FLEETS ARE TO BE ATTACKED

Ships Stationed Off American Shores are Called National Disgrace

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—Administration is making every effort with the means at its command to break up the rum fleets stationed off American shores and believes it can end the "national disgrace," the treasury declared tonight in a formal statement embodying a report by the coast guard covering operations in October.

The statement announced that there was an increase in number of seizures of rum running boats last month and added that the coast guard was making satisfactory progress in combating the rum fleets.

Plans of the guard for the close money was provided near the closing of the last congress are rapidly maturing, the treasury said, adding that with increased facilities which are supplied under the extra applications, the guard will serve as an effective weapon against the illicit trade.

Special attention is given in the coast guard's report to the part steamers flying Norwegian flags are taking in attempts to bring liquor into the United States. The coast guard said it was "surprising" to note the number, enumerating and naming ten of them as recently listed up in the rum fleet off New York and New Jersey.

SOLDIER DEAD PAID TRIBUTE BY THOUSANDS

Dedication of Monument is Feature in Observance of Sixth Anniversary of Armistice Day

WEATHER IS DEFIED; BIG PARADE STAGED

Four Bands and Program Make Event Successful; Dance Held Last Night

"Over the Top to Victory" was the shrine yesterday of thousands of Marion county residents who gathered to pay tribute to their dead and in celebration of the seventh Armistice day. The unveiling and dedication of the American War Mothers' tribute, notwithstanding the rainy weather, was one of the most impressive ceremonies ever held in Salem. The various patriotic speeches and the main address by Chaplain William S. Gilbert, which began falling a few minutes after the start of the dedicatory exercises, caused them to be moved to the shelter of the Armory, where the patriotic decorations added impregnability to the program. Col. Carl Abrams was chief of staff.

Parade is Held The unveiling and dedication of the Salem American War Mothers' memorial statue commemorating the soldier dead of the war, was presided over by Chaplain Gilbert of all the military organizations of the city.

Franklin Durbin, Jr., president of the Salem chapter of the Disabled Veterans of the World War, was the grand marshal of the day and headed the parade which left Marion square shortly after 1:30 o'clock. Automobiles conducted members of the G.A.R., the W.C.T.U., the Gold Star and the American War Mothers to the court house, where relatives of the soldier dead, gathered on a platform erected for the occasion.

Weather is Placed The invocation by Rev. W. C. Kanter was immediately followed by a solo by Mrs. Earl Percery, "Lost We Forget." At this time rain began falling and the dedicatory and unveiling exercises were held. The Gold Star and the World War Mothers of Salem and Marion county placed wreaths at the foot of the statue. A magnificent wreath, a gift of Brethren, Marion, was placed in memory to the boys who did not come back, by Mrs. R. J. Hendricks, State War Mother.

The services were resumed at the Armory where Gen. George A. White briefly told of the heroic feats of the Marion county boys, whose names are upon the statue, and the audience arose and stood in silent tribute to the memory of those who paid the great price.

County Judge W. H. Downing and Mayor John B. Giesy accepted the monument from the American War Mothers for Marion county and for Salem.

Reading of the 88 names of the sons and daughters of Marion county who made the supreme sacrifice was by Capt. James E. Neer, who had commanded many of the Marion county boys to the front for battle.

Chaplain is Soldier Chaplain William S. Gilbert, who has long been connected with the Oregon troops, made the main address of the occasion. Chaplain Gilbert served with the Oregon boys in the Spanish-American war, on the Mexican border and during the World War. He said that America looked forward to universal peace even before the World War, and it was thought that the perfect German army of 10 years ago could preserve peace always. In his brief sketch of the times preceding the entry of America into the world struggle Chaplain Gilbert said that her entry was so sudden that it was overwhelming in its effect.

"America cannot remain in isolation and contribute to the solving of the problems of the world," was his comment. America's greatest need was to wake up to the need of her citizenship was necessary to counteract the forces that were sapping the vitality of the United States. In his final plea Chaplain Gilbert stated that we should take a three-fold vow that "they should not have died in vain."

A song by the Apollo quartet preceded the address of Chaplain Gilbert.

Music Appreciated The two last numbers of the dedicatory exercises at the Armory

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