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BODIES OF TWENTY VICTIMS RECOVERED FROM TEXAS FLOOD

Many More Victims Are Estimated; Confusion Reported in Surrounding Territory.

COLORADO RIVER REPORTED TO BE RISING GRADUALLY

Total Number of Dead is Not Possible to Estimate Until Wreckage is Removed.

TAYLOR, Texas, Sept. 12.—(U. P.)—The bodies of 26 victims of the Friday and Saturday storm, resultant from the floods, have been recovered so far today. Many more victims are estimated. Reports from the surrounding territory showed confusion. Reports from Dallas indicate the dead in central Texas to be over 100. Forty seven bodies were recovered at San Antonio. Six negroes are known to be dead at Hearne, near here. The Colorado river is reported to be still rising. The wreckage is being cleared away all through southern and central Texas. The total number of dead is not possible to estimate until this work is completed. It is impossible to place an estimate upon the property damage yet, although manager reports indicate it is running into millions in livestock and farm buildings.

Property Damage Millions SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Sept. 12.—(U. P.)—Fifty bodies recovered, 26 persons injured and 20 missing in the known life toll from Friday night's flood which swept the city. The chamber of commerce officially announced the property damage at \$8,000,000 following a careful survey of the damaged area.

HERMISTON'S FIELD DAY PROVES GREAT SUCCESS

Five hundred men and women, from the various parts of the Umatilla irrigation project were present Saturday at the annual Field Day at Hermiston, says Fred Hennion, county agent. The program of the day consisted of try-outs for the boys' stock judging team, music by the Hermiston boys' band, the economy fashion show, directed by Mrs. Edith G. Van Deusen, home demonstration agent, addresses by Walter M. Pierce, P. M. Branda of O. A. C., Mrs. R. E. Bean of Umatilla, Paul V. Maria, director of O. A. C. extension work, and J. T. Jardine, director of experiment stations, inspection of field plants, and competitive contests.

The Hermiston Calf Club won in the stock judging contests, and a team picked from the winners holding the highest average will be chosen to go to the state fair. These winners are Gilbert Whitsett, Leon Norquist, Zonia Bessel, Melba Callahan and James Hall.

Dairying was emphasized by all the speakers. Mr. Pierce in his talk urging the farmers to feed alfalfa instead of selling it.

THE WEATHER

Reported by Major Lee Moorhouse, weather observer. Maximum, 85. Minimum, 35. Barometer, 29.60.

TODAY'S FORECAST

Tonight and Tuesday fair warmer.

BEAUTIFUL WINS PUBLIC APPRAISAL; MANAGEMENT ANNOUNCE SCHEME OF ROAD SHOWS NOW BOOKED

With the showing of the picture, "The Old Nest," a film released Saturday to only large cities in the United States, Pendleton being the only one less than 50,000, the Rivoli, Pendleton's 110,000 theatre, opened on Saturday evening.

The theatre, a fine example of the modern and beautiful in theatre construction, met with the patronage it deserves and Pendleton people speak high praise for the showhouse. Greulich & Matlock received many beautiful flowers from the Rotary Club, the Pendleton Commercial Association, the Portland film exchanges and other friends in congratulation upon the opening.

"The Old Nest" is a picture which pulls at the heartstrings in its simple appeal for the greatest woman on earth—the mothers. The picture deals with the story of an average American family, with the ever-sacrificing mother as the heroine. Adding much to the presentation of the play was the pipe organ music by Henri C. Lebell. Mr. Lebell shows himself an accomplished organist and master of an extensive repertoire.

Playhouse Packed. Long before the opening hour Saturday a throng had gathered in front of the Rivoli and a long line was formed by eager patrons. The house seats 550 people and for the first performance the theatre was packed to capacity with some standing. An equal sized crowd saw the second performance later in the evening, the total attendance for the whole evening being 1500.

New Scenery Coming. The stage scenery for the Rivoli has been delayed in arriving owing to a fire in Los Angeles. The scenery ordered last April had been prepared and was to arrive here September 1 but it was destroyed in the studio fire.

FIRE IN TUNNEL CAUSES TRAIN TO BE ROUTED OVER ANOTHER ROUTE

HOOD RIVER, Sept. 12.—(U. P.)—The Oregon-Washington Railroad and Navigation trains are routed over the Spokane, Portland and Seattle line owing to a fire in a tunnel near Mosier, Oregon.

SAWMILL DESTROYED BY FIRE

TIMBER, Ore., Sept. 12.—(U. P.)—The J. A. Prouty Timber company sawmill was destroyed by fire yesterday. The loss is \$125,000. The mill will be rebuilt.

COURIER LEAVES WITH REPLY TO LLOYD GEORGE

DUBLIN, Sept. 12.—(U. P.)—The Irish cabinet's reply to Lloyd George's invitation, left here for Scotland today. The Dal's reply is reported as accepting the invitation for the four parties September 20.

TOWN GIVEN HOLIDAY ON GRANDMA'S BIRTHDAY

CHICAGO, Sept. 12.—(U. P.)—When Arlington Heights, Ill., recently declared a public holiday in honor of "Grandma" Kennicott, 100 years of age and its oldest citizen, Mayor P. C. Morse issued a proclamation calling her birthday "the greatest event in Arlington Heights history." The entire community, from the Mayor down to the grocer boy, attended "Grandma's" party.

Five generations of her family were present at the celebration which followed a parade to her house, in which everybody in the community participated. Mrs. Kennicott's memory has not faded, and she enjoys telling stories that delight her children and grandchildren to her great-granddaughter, Grace Little, aged twelve years.

HOLLAND AND BELGIUM TO BE REPRESENTED

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—(U. P.)—Participation of Holland and Belgium in the disarmament conference became virtually assured when it was learned that at least two of the big powers had consented to representation of the smaller countries as the United States suggested.

BANDIT FURNISHES EXCITEMENT OVER SUNDAY ON ISLAND

Several Guards Report Having Seen Gardner; All Took Pot Shots at Skulking Figure.

EVERY AVAILABLE MEANS OF ESCAPE BEING GUARDED

Possemen Are Certain That Escaped Convict at Bay Will Not Hesitate to Shoot.

TACOMA, Sept. 12.—(U. P.)—Warden Maloney expressed a doubt today as to whether the "skulking form" which the guards fired at on the island Saturday and Sunday nights were those of Gardner. They might be animals roaming around, the warden suggested. No dead ones indicated the lack of marksmanship on the part of the guards.

Forty men now composing the posse are conducting what Maloney claims to be a vigorous search of the island, but which nets no results. The guards reports of seeing the bandit serves to keep the scent warm, but the indications are that Maloney is losing some of the assurance that the daring bandit is still on McNeil's Island. The growing belief is that Gardner escaped to the mainland. Prison guards now tell a mysterious story of a woman who landed from a launch at the island the day Gardner escaped. She walked toward the prison, but never reached it. She was never seen to leave the island. It is thought she may have been an accomplice.

TACOMA, Sept. 12.—(U. P.)—Roy Gardner furnished considerable excitement on McNeil Island over Sunday when he was reported to have been seen by several guards, all of whom took pot shots at the skulking figure, without success. The search for the convict is going forward with increasing vigor. Warden Maloney, basing his belief on reports that Gardner has been seen at various points on the island, stealing chickens and food of all kinds, is convinced that the theory of watching the island is a correct one. All agree Gardner is a fool not to have reached the mainland long ago. The Pitts passage is an easy swim, a man can wade most of the way. Numerous lawless characters on the mainland would aid the bandit to make good his escape. The wild country is easily accessible and they would never find him until he chose to give himself up.

INTER-ALLIED COUNCIL OF AMBASSADORS IS SUMMONED TO MEET

Conference Will Discuss Austro-Hungarian Quarrel; is Considered Most Serious.

LONDON, Sept. 12.—(U. P.)—The inter-allied council of ambassadors has been summoned at Paris to consider the Austro-Hungarian quarrel. The belief was expressed in official circles that an ultimatum would be sent to Budapest.

WHEAT DROPS THREE CENTS ON SLOW MARKET

Losses of about three cents were recorded on the wheat market at Chicago today; profit-taking and absence of export buying causing the slump. Prices at the close today for September, December and May were \$1.26 1/2, \$1.29 and \$1.33 1/2, as against prices of \$1.30, \$1.32 1/2 and \$1.37 1/2. Following are the quotations as received by Overback and Cooke Co., local brokers:

Table with columns: Wheat, Open, High, Low, Close. Data for Sept, Dec, May.

CHINAMAN'S BODY FOUND BRUTALLY MURDERED

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 12.—(U. P.)—Showing murder evidence, the body of a Chinaman was found in the Sacramento river near Locke by a fishing party of Chinese. The man's throat was cut, and there was evidence he had been struck over the head with a blunt instrument. The sheriff's office is investigating the case.

OLD MAN WINTER VISITS PENDLETON FOR FIRST CALL OF THE SEASON

Old Man Winter put in an appearance in Pendleton last night, making his 1921 oow in an atmosphere of 25 degrees below freezing. A heavy frost brought the leaves down from the trees and the extra blankets down from the attic. The low temperature, says Major Moorhouse, pioneer resident and local weather observer, is unusual for so early in the fall. Not for many years has a frost fallen during the first days of September. Today the sun has brought the temperature to 37 with the barometer registering 29.80.

FROM WASHINGTON TO BERLIN.



Mrs. Hernandez de Soto accompanies her husband to Berlin where he will be attached to the American Mission. Mrs. De Soto has been a leader in the society of the Washington diplomatic circle and is widely known for her beauty.

REDUCTIONS MADE BY RAILROADS ON RATES FOR STOCK SHIPMENTS

Cut, Which Goes Into Effect Sept. 20, Will be for 20 Per Cent; Making Big Saving.

A voluntary reduction by the railroads on livestock shipments to apply to all stock except horses and mules has been announced by the Union Pacific. The original announcement was made from the offices of the company at Omaha, and yesterday Mac Hoke, secretary of the Cunningham Sheep Co., received information of the cut from Dan Clark at Portland. The cut will be 20 per cent in all cases where the rate is more than 50 cents the hundredweight, and Clark said in his message that it is expected it will go into effect September 20. It is an emergency measure and will be in force until December 31.

NORTHWEST M. E. CHURCH SOUTH CLOSE MEETINGS

PORTLAND, Sept. 12.—(U. P.)—The Northwest Methodist Episcopal church, south, conference came to a close with the delegates voting to recommend the general assembly at Hot Springs, Ark., and to change the name of the church to plain "Methodist church, south." Conference came to a close with the delegates voting to recommend the general assembly at Hot Springs, Ark., and to change the name of the church to plain "Methodist church, south." Conference came to a close with the delegates voting to recommend the general assembly at Hot Springs, Ark., and to change the name of the church to plain "Methodist church, south."

GOVERNMENT IS GOING AFTER 'POT OF GOLD'

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—(U. P.)—The government is going after the famous Bergdoll "pot of gold." Alien Property Custodian Miller announced that Mrs. Emma C. Bergdoll, mother of Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, would be asked to surrender all the property in which Grover had any interest, including the gold coin taken from the treasury before the draft ended—escaped and fled to Germany.

FIRST COLD SNAP OF SEASON GRIPS OREGON

WALLA WALLA, Sept. 12.—(A. P.)—The lowest temperature this morning was 36 degrees. Tender plants and vegetables were killed. There was three inches of snowfall yesterday in the Blue mountains. Snow capped the hills visible from the city.

22 DEGREES AT BAKER.

PORTLAND, Sept. 12.—(A. P.)—Baker, Ore., is the coldest spot of the weather map today with 22 degrees at eight o'clock. A killing frost is reported. Umatilla reported 22 degrees. The Willamette valley felt the nippy weather. Salem reported 33 degrees.

PAGE VOLSTEAD.

EMINENCE, Mo., Sept. 12.—(U. N. S.)—Eminent among the country towns of the "Show Me" state is Eminence. An ordinance prohibiting intoxicated persons from "being seen" on the street has been passed by the City Commission.

FILM COMEDIAN CHARGED WITH GIRL'S MURDER

Mrs. Delmont Appeared in Court and Charged 'Fatty' Arbuckle With Murder of Miss Rappe.

CITIES BAR SHOWING OF ROSCOE ARBUCKLE FILMS

Thongs Surround County Jail and Crowd Police Court; Grand Jury Hearing Tonight.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 12.—(U. P.)—The state formally charged Roscoe Arbuckle with murder today. Mrs. Delmont, Miss Rappe's friend, appeared in the police court and swore to a complaint formally charging the comedian with the girl's murder. The woman collapsed after making the complaint.

22 Witnesses Summoned SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 12.—(U. P.)—District Attorney Brady announced he would ask the grand jury for an indictment of Fatty Arbuckle on charges of first degree murder. It will lay before the jury sufficient evidence to warrant such an indictment, making a preliminary hearing unnecessary," Brady said. Twenty two witnesses have been summoned to appear before the grand jury.

Much Evidence Obtained. SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 12.—(U. P.)—Detective Captain Matheson told the United Press today that he had a complete case against "Fatty" Arbuckle. The grand jury is preparing to investigate the charge that the famous comedian feloniously assaulted and caused the death of Virginia Rappe, the beautiful actress. Arbuckle is held in jail while the police continue gathering evidence to place before the grand jury tonight. The charges against Arbuckle, causing the death of a human being while engaged in, or attempting to engage in, a commission of felony. Under the California law this is first degree murder.

SEARCH IS BEGUN FOR MURDER ACCOMPLICES

CHICAGO, Sept. 12.—(U. P.)—Search has begun for the accomplices of Harvey Church in his alleged confessed murder of Bernard Daugherty and Carl Ausmus. Both men were brutally killed, the police assert, so Church could get an expensive automobile. Ausmus' body was found buried under Church's garage and Daugherty was found in the Desplaines river. The coroner declared it was impossible that Church killed both men the way he confessed. Two suspects are already arrested and more members of the gang, using Church as a dupe, it is believed, will be arrested in a question of hours.

Thought Mother Aided Son.

CHICAGO, Sept. 12.—(U. P.)—Authorities today expressed the belief that Mrs. C. E. Church aged mother of Harvey Church, the confessed murderer of Bernard Daugherty and Carl Ausmus, an automobile salesman, aided her son to bury the bodies of the victims, although they express the belief that she took no part in the actual murders.

Marches With Prisoners

Arbuckle lined up with the other prisoners in the regular Monday March to the police court. Thongs surrounded the building and crowded the police court.

The clothing worn by Miss Rappe was brought to the court and will be used in the grand jury hearing tonight, as evidence. Her dress and undergarments were torn. Nurses attending Miss Rappe during the time between her injury and her death declare she charged Arbuckle with cruelty. Physicians examining the body today declared they found 11 bruises on the body. The physician who conducted the autopsy Saturday said he found only one bruise. The nurses told the authorities Miss Rappe complained of being hurt and mashed terribly. Miss Rappe told them, according to the nurses, that Arbuckle seized her by the arm when the party was at its height, drew her into a room and locked the door. She could not remember what happened until the other women at the party immersed her in cold water, nurses declared the girl told them.

There is adverse effect everywhere on Arbuckle pictures. Many cities are barring the films until the affair clears up. Paramount has been paying Fatty \$1000 weekly, according to reliable information. He has a fortune variously estimated at from one half to a full million dollars. He is known for the wild parties he has been accustomed to give in the Hollywood district. He is far from his jovial self today. His face no longer smiles and lines are apparent. He is still immaculately dressed. His case furnished dozens of San Francisco preachers with ammunition yesterday.

Films Are Cancelled

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 12.—(A. P.)—The Flituro House last night cancelled the engagement of the latest Arbuckle film.

Bar Comedians Films

MEDFORD, Mass., Sept. 12.—(A. P.)—Mayor Haines notified the pleasure houses that Arbuckle films would be barred until Arbuckle's case had been disposed of in court.

Films Barred

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