

INDICT 7 IN WIGGERS CASES

BODY FOUND IN RIVER IS IDENTIFIED

Father Suspects Foul Play Caused Death of Frank Barrett, 18-Year-Old West Salem Boy.

A nude body, identified as that of Franklin Alvin Barrett, 18, was found lodged in a sandbar 6 miles north of Salem late Saturday morning. Although no scars could be found on the body, belief was expressed by his father, William F. Barrett, that the youth might have met with foul play. No trace of his clothing was found, pointing to the probability that he did not drown while swimming. It is stated that had blood existed between the dead person and "certain other parties." The sheriff and coroner of Polk county are investigating the case.

Young Barrett is said to have recently been released from the Polk county jail at Dallas. He had been missing since June 26.

The body was found in about 10 inches of water. Discovery was made by Walter Gerth of West Salem, who was going down the river in a motor boat. Coroner Keene of Polk county, who examined the body, stated that it had been in the water approximately two weeks. It bore scratches and bruises, which were thought to have come as a result of the body passing down the river with the current.

The Barrett home is north of West Salem, and about half a mile from the place where the body was found.

Identification was made by means of an amber-colored setting in a ring worn by the victim, and a broken tooth.

He was buried in the Odd Fellows cemetery at Independence at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

INJUNCTION TO HALT TRIAL OF SCOPES ASKED

Cookeville, Tenn., July 5.—(AP)—John R. Neal, representing John T. Scopes, charged with violating the Tennessee law against the teaching of evolution theories in the public schools, presented a petition to Federal Judge John J. Gore here this afternoon asking that the Tennessee state courts be restrained from continuing the prosecution.

The petition was based mainly on grounds that property rights of the University of Tennessee are involved, the university participating in land grant federal funds.

Judge Gore retired to study the petition and prepare his decision.

FORMER KLAN DRAGON CANNOT ESCAPE TRIAL

Noblesville, Ind., July 5.—D. C. Stevenson, former grand dragon of the Ku Klux Klan in Indiana, must go on trial as head of two co-defendants on the charge of murdering Miss Madge Oberholzer of Indianapolis. Judge Fred E. Hines ruled today.

Special Election To Name Directors for Project Is Proposed

Plans are being made for calling the special election for selection of three directors of the new drainage district in southeast Salem at the earliest possible moment under the law and under present outlook the election will be called for either July 19 or July 20, the time of day to be set later, but probably at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

The school board will be asked to give permission for the use of

Mutt and Jeff Due In Next Monday

Oh! Boy!
Mutt and Jeff will be in Salem next Monday. These two famous characters, known from Tumbuctoo to Oshkosh, are making their famous cross-country trip in their flivver, as every reader of The Capital Journal knows, and Mutt and Jeff fans have followed their progress across the country eagerly.

They will land right in the middle of Salem, slap bang on Monday evening next, simultaneously with the appearance of The Capital Journal, and hundreds of newspapers throughout the country will at the same time carry the graphic details of their adventures while in The Capital City of Oregon.

The two famous boys will have a real time in Salem.

Watch for them.

SEEK BAN UPON RE-MARRIAGE OF ALL DIVORCEES

New York, July 6.—(A. P.)—Asserting that 50 per cent of divorces are obtained probably by fraud or collusion and that the divorce rate in the United States is increasing faster than that of any other country, the Syncretic Marriage Association will ask the New Orleans triennial convention of the Protestant Episcopal church to forbid the re-marriage of divorced persons.

The Episcopal church sanctions the re-marriage of innocent parties in divorces based on infidelity. The association in starting a move for the repeal of this canon attacks it as unscriptural, as contrary to the precepts of the early Christian church and as illegal in regard to church law. The canon compels this innocent party to produce court records to prove innocence.

The association's president is the Rev. Milo H. Gates of New York and its executive committee includes among others Bishop Manning of New York. It was Bishop Manning's strict adherence to the canon in question that precipitated in 1921 the controversy between him and the Rev. Dr. Percy Stickney Grant, who wished to marry Mrs. Philip Lydig, twice a divorcee, once from W. E. D. Stokes. The engagement was broken May 26, 1924, and shortly afterwards Dr. Grant resigned from the pastorate of the Church of the Ascension and retired.

NEGRO REFUSED HAIRCUT STARTS TO BURN TOWN

Glendale, Cal., July 6.—Because Glendale barbers drew the color line and refused to trim his hair, Jesse Riley, a negro truck driver, tried fire today, burning down the Doran street school house here, according to an alleged confession in the hands of police today. Burning down the school house was his idea of a fitting revenge on the community at large, officers said he explained. The five fires caused damage estimated at \$12,500. Riley is in jail awaiting arraignment on a charge of arson.

STETSON APPOINTED MINISTER TO POLAND

Swampscott, Mass., July 5.—(A. P.)—Formal announcement was made here today that John B. Stetson, Jr., of Philadelphia had been appointed minister to Poland.

Portland, Or., July 5.—The Fourth of July shut down of saw mills this year of the west coast was the briefest in years according to telegraphic reports received here today by the Loyal Legion of Loggers and Lumbermen from various districts. The reports indicated that 90 per cent of the fir sawmills resumed cutting Monday morning.

The reports show, however, that logging is comparatively inactive, and more than 60 per cent of the fir camps operating today. The labor turnover at the mills is one of the lightest in years.

43 KILLED IN COLLAPSE OF DANCE HALL

Last Body Thot Removed From Wreckage of Boston Night Club; Most Are Identified.

Boston, Mass., July 6.—(A. P.)—The list of dead in the collapse of the Pickwick club building Saturday will probably remain at 43. Fire Chief Daniel Sennott said this afternoon after firemen had removed the debris from that part of the dance floor which was still standing. This work was ordered by Mayor Curley after he visited the ruins early today and found contractors' laborers working only in the excavated part of the building site.

The forty-third body was taken from the wreck of the once gay night resort, early today, just 50 hours after the throng of "night revelers" before the fourth" revelers were flung down and buried with the collapse of the building.

Search Work Slow
All night long the search had gone forward. Under the concentrated glare of dozens of arc lights an army of men had patiently, brick by brick, stuck after attack her hope of marriage and a new life. Frank Tillo and Neddo Flanagan, who had won many local ring battles, were found. Inspector Benjamin Alexander of the Boston police, who had thought to add another arrest to the several made at the club, died in the wreck. Some of the bodies found were of persons paying their way to the club, others were of habitués.

One man, his wife's picture in the pocket over his heart, was found in the dead arms of another woman. Occasionally a worker picked a bottle of spits, or whisky, unbroken by force that wrecked so many lives.

There are several untouched pockets in the debris that may hold bodies. Early last night the workers there rapidly from 18 to 37. Then the work was more difficult. It took some times an hour to extricate a body after it was found. Great masses of foundation stone had to be lifted by derrick. At 4 this morning the body of a woman was found and an hour and a half later the body of her companion was taken out.

Probe Is Started
Most of the bodies have been identified by the throng which has besieged the mortuary ever since the catastrophe. At no time have the streets about the scene been clear of watchers. Yesterday, the police shot one man and arrested three others whom they said they found looting the cloak room in the club.

Today city, county and state open investigations to determine the cause of the disaster, which, with the possibilities of one exception, is the worst that Boston has ever known in the toll of life. Timothy J. Barry, proprietor-manager of the club, has not been seen nor has his body been found. The authorities want to question him. The floor manager, James F. Glennon, died with his guests.

SAWMILL SHUT DOWN SHORTEST IN YEARS

A storm of indignation is found in all circles of Italian life at the results of the robbery of the treasury of St. Peter's Friday night, when thieves escaped with precious objects valued at more than one million lire, but irreplaceable because of their significance to the church.

BOAT SERVICE TO PORTLAND NOT TO CEASE

Northwestern Taken Off Run Temporarily But Will Resume Schedule When Shoals Cut.

Definite announcement that the Northwestern, river steamer operating between Salem and Portland will not run for a period of 10 days or two weeks, was made this morning by Fred Kerr, head of the Salem Transportation company, which has been operating the Northwestern since the first of the year. Kerr states that unless the level of the river sinks considerably lower than it is at present the channel should be in condition within two weeks time so that the boat can be brought through.

A crew of 10 men, under the jurisdiction of the federal government, have been working on the channel of the Willamette river below Salem since May 9. It is stated that if they had begun sooner, or if a larger force had been kept on the job, the run of the Northwestern up and down the river would not have been interrupted. Rivermen state that there is plenty of water in the river if it is directed into the right places, the difficulty being that it spreads out at a number of points, forming a delta.

FINAL HEARING ON TEAPOT DOME SET FOR TODAY

Cheyenne, Wyo., July 6.—(A. P.)—Federal Judge T. Blake Kennedy today set 2 o'clock this afternoon as the time for hearing counsel on the court's decree dismissing the government's suit in equity for cancellation of the Mammoth Oil company's lease of the Teapot Dome naval oil reserve.

Before the question of the decree is taken up, however, Owen J. Roberts and Atlee Pomeroy, government oil counsel, will present a petition to reopen the trial to permit the presentation of additional testimony relating to the Continental Trading company, Ltd., and the conditions through which certain Liberty bonds found their way from Harrie F. Sinclair, former Secretary of the Interior.

Mr. Pomeroy intimated that should the petition be granted the government would be able to present testimony of Canadian witnesses not available during the trial here last March.

Commander H. T. Stuart, U. S. N., the government's representative in the Teapot Dome receivership, and W. L. Connelly, general manager of the Mammoth Oil company, are here for the hearing.

VATICAN ROBBERY IS STILL MYSTERY

Rome, July 5.—The pope is taking the keenest interest in the investigation of the robbery of the treasury of St. Peter's Friday night, when thieves escaped with precious objects valued at more than one million lire, but irreplaceable because of their significance to the church.

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FRENCH RUSH WOMEN FROM DANGER ZONE

Non-Combatants In Taza Moved to Safety Owing To Hostility of Tribes Once Friendly.

Paris, July 6.—(A. P.)—The French cabinet today selected a new commander in chief of French forces in Morocco to succeed Marshal Lyautey, but the name will be withheld until late tonight. Marshal Lyautey can be informed first.

Poz, French Morocco, July 6.—(A. P.)—It was officially announced today that the French have removed all women and children from Taza, as a precaution. Sunday night the French admitted reverses on the front near Taza in the war with Abd-el-Krim's Rifians.

The women and children were evacuated last night because of the dangerous situation through the present hostility of Moroccan tribes, formerly friendly to the French.

However, hope was expressed that the defeats of Abd-el-Krim's attacking forces Sunday would restore confidence in the tribesmen and cause them to resume a friendly attitude toward the French.

Riffs Are Defeated.
The French severely defeated Abd-el-Krim's Rifians in two engagements yesterday. The Rifians attacked near Ain Ma Toud and Kiffana. They lost heavily at the first and were routed at the second place.

The French captured all the arms and munitions of the attacking tribesmen.

These successes, French officials said, have produced an excellent effect on some of the Moroccan whose loyalty to the French have been doubtful of late.

Lvantey Relieved.
Paris, July 6.—(A. P.)—Supreme command of the French forces opposing the Rifians in Morocco is to be taken from Marshal Lyautey, the governor general and entrusted to a general who will leave France immediately for the front.

This decision which is subject to ratification by the cabinet today was reached at a council of war held last night under the chairmanship of M. Painleve, the premier and war minister. The step is taken, it is explained, to allow Marshal Lyautey freedom to carry out his administrative and political duties.

The man selected for the post is General Gouraud.

CHINESE KILLED IN ATTACK UPON SHANGHAI GUARD

Shanghai, July 6.—(AP)—A Chinese, about to attack a municipal constable from behind, was shot and killed here Saturday evening by a sailor from the United States destroyer MacLeach, who came to the rescue of the constable.

The shooting occurred during trouble at one of the cotton mills involved in the present strike. Hun Jiao of Chinese assembled outside the mill had threatened to burn it unless some of their comrades who had been arrested were released. A constable then arrested one of the leaders of the mob who was urging the coolies to advance on the mill. A companion of the arresting leader, was about to spring on the back of the constable when he was shot by an American sailor whose name was given as Diak.

The foreigners in the mill who witnessed the entire affair said the action of the American sailor averted what promised to be a most serious situation.

Hongkong, July 6.—(AP)—The police have been authorized to arrest and detain any one unemployed or appearing to have irregular employment. The police captain and superintendent are empowered to order such persons to leave here immediately.

Institutions All Within Budgets During Half Year

Superintendents of all the state institutions were able to operate their institutions during the first six months of the present year, or the first quarter of the biennium, within the appropriations granted them by the 1925 legislature. This indicates that all the institutions have a chance to go through the two years without calling on the emergency board to authorize deficiencies. The reports were made today at the July meeting of the board of control.

A particularly good showing was made by Warden A. M. Dalrymple of the state penitentiary, who reported that his expenditures for the six months were \$8650 less than he could have spent and still remained within the appropriation. The appropriation granted the penitentiary by the legislature was \$350,000. The per capita expenditure at the prison for the month of June was \$21.72 less, it is said, than at any other time since 1914.

The board of control granted leave to W. J. H. Clark, superintendent for the adult school for the blind in Portland, to make a trip east in August in an official capacity connected with the D. O. K. K. order of the Knights of Pythias, which will pay his expenses on the trip. He will take advantage of the opportunity to visit several institutions similar to that Oregon institution of which he is the head.

Mr. Clark said he expected to enter into a contract with the Portland school board whereby his institution will do all of the planning for the Portland schools.

Chicago, July 6.—(AP)—The roll of holiday fatalities throughout the country mounted today to the 250 mark, with auto accidents and drownings at the head of the list, without the Boston cabaret tragedy in which 43 perished.

While the Fourth of July passed with remarkably few deaths from fire works and explosions, the abnormal traffic in the suburban country led to an unusually long list of dead and injured.

More than 400 were injured in the states which reported the heaviest death tolls.

Illinois reported 57 dead and more than 100 injured.

Other state totals follow: Massachusetts 49, New York 26, Indiana 13, Ohio 29, Missouri 2, Connecticut 8, Rhode Island 6, New Jersey 2, Pennsylvania 6, Vermont 2, Minnesota 8, Iowa, 4, California 10, Colorado 3, North Dakota 2.

Marshfield, July 6.—Madeline Dennison, seven, shot and killed her four year old sister, Delpha May, late yesterday, because Delpha May played the baby who had been left in Madeline's care, while the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dennison went berry picking.

POLITICAL FEUD FATAL TO THREE OFFICERS

Corpus Christi, Texas, July 6.—(A. P.)—A political feud of long standing between two factions in the city here last night which took the lives of three peace officers and wounded two other men. Paul McAllister, a deputy state game commissioner and former policeman; C. M. Bisbee, constable; R. R. Bledsoe, deputy constable, were killed. Rufus MacMurray of Three Rivers, Texas, and George Hyler of San Diego, Texas, are in a hospital seriously wounded.

The five men appear to have met by accident at the entrance to a road house near the city and there the shooting began. McAllister was killed on the spot. Bisbee and Bledsoe died several hours later.

BRITISH BREAK WITH REDS MYTH

London, July 6.—(A. P.)—Foreign Secretary Chamberlain today said the house of commons that Great Britain has sent no note to Russia regarding recent events in China but that the British government "reserved full liberty to take whatever action it might think was required."

He was referring to reports that Britain might break diplomatic relations with Russia because of alleged soviet influence in the present Chinese troubles.

COLOMBIAN CITY IS REPORTED DESTROYED

New York, July 6.—A cablegram received by the consulate general of Colombia today reported the destruction by fire of a large part of the city of Manizales, 110 miles northwest of Bogota, capital of Colombia. The commercial section of the city was wiped out, the cable said, with a loss estimated at \$28,000,000.

GRAND JURY EXONERATES FOUR OTHERS

Charges of Contributing To Delinquency of Minor Girls Made; Jef- ferson Man Held.

Seven of the 11 men who were investigated by the Marion county grand jury on charges of contributing to the delinquency of a minor girl during the months of March and April by giving her liquor were today indicted by the grand jury. The other four were not indicted.

The seven men who were indicted were William Cook, John Belton, Bert Peary, Rudolph Harrie, Mac Carthow, Jess Wade and Clifford Willard.

The four who were not indicted were Frisco Edwards, Walter Gilchrist, Percy Dittmar and Dick Schackmann.

In the case of Wade the accusation assumed more serious proportions than the giving of liquor to the girl, it being charged that Wade and the girl, who is said to be only 14 years old, spent the night together in Wade's room after a certain joy ride.

The various offenses occurred in the case of Belton and Peary on March 20, in the case of Harrie and Carthow on March 25, and in the cases of Cook, Wade and Willard on April 2.

The alleged giving of liquor to the girl took place each time, according to testimony offered in juvenile court, on joy rides that originated at Dramland skating rink at the end of State street. While at least four girls were involved, all of them minors, only one was named in the charges made and in the indictments that were brought by the grand jury today.

The grand jury also today returned a bill of indictment against S. A. Ponce, who is charged with the unlawful possession of a still. Joe Polley, who was charged with the unlawful possession of a still, was not indicted.

The grand jury did not indict Perry Schrumm, who was accused of maliciously and wantonly killing a dog.

OIL WELL LITERALLY SWALLOWS INVESTMENT

Los Angeles, Cal., July 6.—The singular sight of a wild cat oil well which not only refused to produce oil but swallowed the 115 foot steel derrick and machinery with which it was dug was attracting attention today on the Shell company property in Dominguez field near here.

Characterized as Reyes Number 22, the obnoxious well started spouting gas, water and mud on July 7 last and at the height of its eruption expelled between 20,000,000 and 40,000,000 cubic feet of gas daily. It was an 8-inch hole, 2000 feet deep when the blowout occurred but the constant uprush of water and gas steadily enlarged the opening until a few days ago cave-ins began and today nothing was left of the outfit by an irregular crater one hundred feet deep into the maw of which had sunk the tangled wreckage of derrick and machinery.

Kidnaping Story of Federal Officer and Aide Is Scrutinized

Chattanooga, Tenn., July 6.—(A. P.)—Sheriff Tom Selman this morning began an investigation into the story told by Dr. W. D. Mason, local veterinarian and Lawrence Bowman, alleged feudist and aide of federal prohibition officers, that they had been kidnaped on Signal mountain and kept captive for 10 days. The two men, who disappeared on June 23 without trace, were found yesterday morning by Jim Thomas, mountaineer, who was hunting stray hogs, handcuffed and tied to a tree in the wilds about 15 miles from Chattanooga.

Bowman and Mason were in a serious condition as a result of their experience. Bowman stated that while driving along the road

at night they were set upon by five men wearing tow-sacks over their heads, overpowered and taken into the woods. The men had been lured to the mountain by a fake telephone message and were returning when attacked. Their disappearance was discovered the following day when Mason's car was found on the mountain with bloodstains on the running board and containing the hats of the vanished men.

Poses immediately took up the search and combed the mountains, including the place where Bowman and Mason were found, bearing out the statement of the victims that they had been moved to a dif-

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