

# WORLD HAPPENINGS OF CURRENT WEEK

Brief Resume Most Important Daily News Items.

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Events of Noted People, Governments and Pacific Northwest, and Other Things Worth Knowing.

Three outlaws held up the First National bank of Highlands, Ill., Tuesday afternoon and escaped with between \$17,000 and \$20,000.

Charles G. Dawes, republican vice-presidential nominee, will open the republican national campaign, at Lincoln, Neb., August 29.

All preparations have been completed for the arrival of the American army airmen on their world flight, at both their landing places in Iceland, Hornafjord and Reykjavik.

Men's apparel, plain this year, is going to be more so next year, according to delegates attending the annual sessions of the Merchant Tailor Designers' association at Cedar Point, O.

Mrs. Meriam M. Ferguson, Texas' first woman gubernatorial candidate, increased her lead over Lynch Davidson, Houston, for second place to 2329 votes, it was announced by the Texas election bureau.

The headquarters of John W. Davis, democratic presidential candidate, during the coming campaign will be largely in the saddle. His personal base of operations will be his home at Locust Valley, New York.

Sixty natives are believed to have perished when the motorship Agusan burned off the coast of Camiguin island in the sea of Mindanao. A telegram to that effect was received in Manila Wednesday from the commander of constabulary in Misamis.

The Carnegie corporation of New York, custodian of the bulk of the fortune left by the late Andrew Carnegie, Tuesday paid to Samuel Harden Church, president of the Carnegie institute of Pittsburgh, an \$5,000,000 addition to the endowment for the educational work of the institute.

A posse dispatched from Wilmington, N. C. to Phoenix, Brunswick county, Tuesday night upon receipt of reports of a battle between prohibition officers and bootleggers found the bodies of Marshal Lilly, Deputy United States, and City Prohibition Agent Leo George in their automobile two miles from the town.

The smouldering feeling between members of the Ku Klux Klan and the anti-klan followers flamed into bitter and unexpected hostilities early Wednesday in Lancaster and Spencer, Mass., leaving in its wake injury and destruction of property. More than 50 persons were injured and property damage was estimated at thousands of dollars.

By way of a demand upon the United States tariff commission for information as to what it has been doing in sugar investigations, Senator La Follette of Wisconsin, independent candidate for president has promulgated a declaration which impartially attacked both the present republican and the preceding democratic national administrations.

Despite a perceptible slackening in steel operations in the second quarter of the year, directors of the United States Steel corporation Tuesday declared an extra dividend of 50 cents on the common shares for the third successive quarter, in addition to the regular dividends of \$1.25 a share on the common and \$1.75 a share on the preferred stocks.

The National Farmers' and Grain Dealers' association, in which 5000 grain elevators in the middle west hold memberships, has refused to endorse the recently organized Grain Marketing company of Chicago. The association declared it would continue to withhold its indorsement until the grain merger plan was modified to provide that all stock must be held by farmers' elevator companies and not by individuals.

The discovery of 250 gold ornaments that were ancient heirlooms even in the time of Homer, the opening of a Greek tomb that had not been disturbed for more than 3000 years, and the discovery that the so-called saddle roof was not unknown in the architecture of that early day, are some of the important results, just reported in Stockholm, of the Swedish archaeological expedition, headed by Crown Prince Gustaf Adolf, which is excavating the ancient city of Assine, Greece.

## AIRPLANE MAY BE REPAIRED

Round-the-World Flier Has Chance to Finish Trip.

Washington, D. C.—A slight hope was held Monday night in war department circles that the trio of American around-the-world fliers might yet be able to complete their circumnavigation of the globe as a unit, despite the mishap Sunday to the Boston, piloted by Lieutenant Leigh Wade.

Initial dispatches describing the wrecking of the Boston were interpreted as having put Lieutenant Wade definitely out of the flight, but later advices that his machine was being taken to Reykjavik, Iceland, was accepted as evidence that a more careful survey indicated the possibility of repairs which would enable that ship to join those of Commander Lowell H. Smith and Lieutenant Eric Nelson.

A repair depot has been established at the Icelandic capital. Not only have spare parts been placed there for the engines, but complete sets added of the specially designed pontoons, wings, rudders and controls used in the Douglas type of airplanes which make up the flight group.

As a result, army officers declared that "if the fuselage of the Boston" is sound, she can be rebuilt at Reykjavik. It will only be necessary, they said, that the body of the plane with its internal struts and braces be available to the repair forces for the Boston to be placed in commission in 48 hours.

Suggestions were made that Lieutenant Wade be issued one of the observation planes carried by the cruisers patrolling the route or that a spare plane be shipped at once from this side, but both proposals were rejected by the army service after careful consideration.

The extent to which interest in the world flight is being maintained was indicated by numerous messages, both telephonic and telegraphic, to the war department seeking information as to Lieutenant Wade's mishap, his chances of continuing and proffering various suggestions for his assistance.

Citizens of Boston telegraphed President Coolidge urging that everything be done to enable Lieutenant Wade to complete the flight and this request was sent to the war department from the White House. Whether an extra plane from Langley field might be made available when the fliers reach this side was a question still undecided.

## ALASKAN MOTORBOAT SEIZED BY RUSSIANS

Nome, Alaska.—Russian authorities have seized the Nome, a motorship of this city, and confiscated her cargo, according to word received here Tuesday from Anadyr, Siberia.

Gas Hendricksen, master and owner, Arnold Castel, engineer, and Sam Magids, charterer of the boat, were arrested, it was stated.

Magids had an arrangement with authorities at Moscow which he understood permitted him to trade in Siberia, but reports said that the authorities at Anadyr, which is on the east coast of Asia just south of the Arctic circle, refused to recognize this authority.

Russian authorities of the district known among Alaskans as Whalen, that is to say, the northeastern corner of Siberia, including East Cape and Anadyr, seized four American trading vessels last summer, the Iskum of Tacoma, Wash., the Silver Wave and the Blue Sea of Seattle, and the Belinda of Noma. The American state department refused to move in behalf of the owners or crews of these boats, because the United States then, as now, had no relations with Russia.

## Body to be Sent Home.

Naples.—The United States cruiser Trenton has been ordered to proceed to Persia to take on board and carry back to the United States the body of Robert W. Imbrie, American vice-consul at Teheran, who was killed by a mob recently. Thirty-two sailors from the Trenton Monday rendered military honors at the unveiling of a tablet here in honor of Italy's war dead. The American consul-general attended the ceremony.

## Mail Lost With Plane.

Washington, D. C.—Loss by fire of an air mail plane and 152 pounds of mail which left San Francisco Sunday, was reported to Postmaster-General New. The plane being flown by Pilot Scott was over Great Salt lake when its radiators exploded. The plane took fire and Pilot Scott succeeded in effecting a landing but was unable to extinguish the flames or remove the mail. Scott received slight burns.

Astoria.—Building permits issued during the month of July by the city hall represented a value of \$327,435, according to figures given out Saturday by J. L. Burgess, city building inspector.

# ALLIED PREMIERS IN FULL ACCORD

Steps Taken to Put Dawes Plan Into Effect.

## U. S. HELP IS PRAISED

Ambassador Kellogg Is Officially Present in Interest of American Government.

London.—A new era in allied diplomacy dawned Saturday when the inter-allied conference, with the United States officially represented by Ambassador Kellogg, reached a full agreement on the program for making the Dawes reparation plan effective. After eighteen days and a good part of many nights, spent at the British foreign office in Downing street, the parleys have terminated successfully so far as their inter-allied aspect is concerned. The conference now becomes an international one.

With the arrival of German representatives in response to the invitation dispatched by Premier MacDonald, the inter-allied formula for launching the new scheme to obtain war compensation from Germany will be reviewed and the Berlin emissaries will be asked to agree to it. Final adjournment is expected the end of next week.

The delegates characterized the negotiations as the most successful of all the European conferences held since the great war and many of them expressed appreciation of the assistance by the American delegates and observers.

"The conference has been a wonderful success so far," said Ambassador Kellogg to The Associated Press. "It has taken a good deal of time, but there was a vast amount of ground to be covered. Everyone was determined to accomplish the task, and I think we have done it. The program we have adopted is the only one we will take up with the Germans next week."

Mr. Kellogg paid tribute to the valuable work done by James A. Logan Jr., and the other American experts. He also praised the helpfulness of Owen D. Young, who in his unofficial position as one of the Dawes committee members placed his opinion before the conference whenever he was called upon.

In Mr. Logan's opinion, the agreement reached by the allies marks their greatest success since Versailles. Mr. Young, likewise, expressed approval of the program as a sound basis for working the Dawes scheme and in keeping with the spirit of the expert commission's work.

The mediative role of the Americans continued throughout the conference and aided materially in bringing the final accord during the plenary session, when it was found French and British views still were widely divergent on technical points which the experts during day and night sessions for the past 48 hours vainly tried to settle.

Ambassador Kellogg made a short speech giving his opinion as to what should be done and quick agreement followed.

## Big Wool Deal Closed.

Pendleton, Or.—The wool clip of Smythe brothers, aggregating 300,000 pounds, was sold Saturday to C. B. Brannon of Buhl, Idaho, for Swift & Co., according to a statement made here by Mr. Brannon and verified at the office of Smythe brothers. The prices paid for the clip, which is thought to have constituted the largest volume of wool left in the hands of one outfit in Oregon, was 35 to 40 cents a pound, Mr. Brannon said.

## Population Bogy Raised.

Williamstown, Mass.—"There won't be standing room in the United States 10,000 years from now, if the present rate of increase in population continues," said Professor Henry P. Fairchild of New York university Saturday. This statement was made in opening a round-table conference on population and related problems at the institute of politics.

## Hondurans in Revolt.

Managua, Nicaragua.—Honduras is again in the throes of a revolution. San Marcos de Colon was attacked Monday by 400 insurrectionists under Generals Julio Peralta, Jeremiah Fonseca and Toribio Ramos. Many were killed and wounded on both sides. Commandante Tortillo and Colonel Gallardo of the government forces were killed.

## Earle Williams



This is a "movie" star known to every man, woman and child who are lured by motion pictures. Williams was born in Sacramento, Cal., and finished his education in the Polytechnic college of that state. He began his theatrical career with a stock company. He is one of the pioneers of the business. He has a dark complexion, dark hair and blue eyes. He is five feet, eleven inches in height and weighs 176 pounds.

**"What's in a Name?"**  
By MILDRED MARSHALL

Facts about your name; its history; meaning; whence it was derived; significance; your lucky day, lucky jewel

## ELSIE

FROM a casual survey it seems almost incredible that Elsie and Adelaide should be practically the same name. Yet such is the case since Elsie is the last and most contracted English form of popular Adelaide.

Signifying "noble cheer," Elsie has its source in the old Teutonic prefix "Aethel" or "Adel," meaning noble. Adalheit was one of the first feminine names formed from it, and was much in use among the daughters in Frankland. Adelheid, another form, named many of the feudal princesses of the Tenth and Eleventh centuries. Adelaide is the French and English version.

Elsie is the seventh step in the succession of the English favorite. It is reached through Adeline Adelta, Adela, Alice, Alicia. No other country has ever used it, except Germany, which has an old form, Else, very popular among the peasants.

In this country, however, Elsie is a distinct name, free of all previous association with Adelaide or its other immediate predecessors.

Malachite is Elsie's lucky stone. It is an Egyptian gem which, to be lucky, should be engraved with an image of the sun. For Elsie, it promises peace and protection from all evil. It is likewise a cure for insomnia, and according to an old superstition, is particularly lucky for children, giving them sound sleep and immunity from disease, if attached to their cradles. Tuesday is Elsie's lucky day and 6 is her lucky number.

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## A LINE O' CHEER

By John Kendrick Bangs.

## DAY-MAKERS ALL

YOU do not like the day? Flat, dull and stale, you say? Well, take this little hint from me, my son, That's just the kind of day to work upon. If it be flat turn to and give it flavor To overcome its lack of taste and savor. If it be dull from out your stores of light Strive you to make it luminously bright! And where 'tis stale with your own stores of wit Take it in hand and therewith freshen it. You may not know it, but in age or youth A day is but a span of time, in truth, And none have dawned upon the calendar, But man himself has made them what they are. (© by McClure Newspaper Syndicate.)

## TRUTH ABOUT DIOGENES.

"He said he sought an honest man Among the folk whom he might pass, But that he lugged, for constant scan, A lantern and a looking glass."



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