

LOVE LORN LASS SHOWED A KEEN BUSINESS SENSE

SAN FRANCISCO, July 9.—The combination of love and efficient business methods effected by a Chicago stenographer, Miss Beatrice Lichtendorf, as revealed in her suit for \$100,000 against Dr. Charles W. Sanborn, for breach of promise, amazed jurors sitting in the case yesterday in the superior court here.

In the record today was the testimony of Miss Mary Willem of the financial department of the San Francisco chamber of commerce that Miss Lichtendorf had inquired from the chamber as to the doctor's financial standing in a letter in which she said she expected to sell the doctor a bill of goods.

Previously Dr. Sanborn had ignored inquiries from a financial agency. Who the physician testified that he had never proposed marriage to Miss Lichtendorf, but had abandoned any thought of marriage because he learned her interest in him was mercenary.

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WASHINGTON, July 9.—(A. P.) A crop one-fourth larger than last year's was forecast today by the department of agriculture which had prospective production at 3,000,000,000 bushels.

When prospects improved 19,000,000 bushels during June, production was forecast at 890,000,000 bushels based on July 1 conditions.

The condition of the crops on July 1 was: Winter wheat 65 per cent of a normal; spring wheat 88.1; all wheat 73.4; corn 86.4; oats 6.3; barley 81.2; rye 76.8; flax seed 81.6; white potatoes 84.1; sweet potatoes 77.2; hay, tame 72.2; hay, wild 78.5; pasture 74.6; apples 53.3; peaches 59.9; pears 58.7; grapes 83.3.

The condition on July 1 and forecast of production in thousands of bushels of the wheat crop by important producing states included: Kansas 53 and 74,119; Montana 66 and 3,112; Washington 82 and 10,002; Oregon 91 and 6,822; Indiana 67 and 24,709; Illinois 68 and 37,795; Missouri 79 and 30,137; Nebraska 63 and 33,377.

Merger Is Unsuccessful. CHICAGO, July 9.—Creditors and receivers of Dean Onatavia and company were unsuccessful today in another attempt to complete a \$2,500,000 reorganization fund.

Man to Man ROITAN A cigar you'll like "ROITAN? Brother—that's what I call boss sense. A man's smoke shore nuff!" HIGH LIVES (2 for 25c)

Sports DISCARDED INDIAN LEADS BIG LEAGUE

NEW YORK, July 9.—The veteran spitballer, Stanley Coveleske, a Cleveland cast-off, traded to Washington late last season, today is the leading twirler in the American league with eleven victories out of twelve starts.

This Speaker probably regrets now that he thought Covey's best days were over. Covey marked up his latest triumph for the world champions yesterday by a 10 to 2 victory over the White Sox, which gave the Senators a grip at the head of the American league by two and one-half games.

SHADE TO MEET MICKY WALKER IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, July 9.—(A. P.)—Mick Walker of Elizabeth, N. J., world's welterweight champion, will meet Shade of California, his most persistent challenger, in a 15-round decision match in New York state if a reliable promoter can be obtained to stage the match, the state athletic commission announced today following a conference with the two principals.

Feet Thye Beats Woods In Two Straight Fights

PORTLAND, Ore., July 9.—The Oregon light welterweight wrestler defeated Jack Woods of Texas, in two straight fights here last night. This took the first fight with an arm scissors in forty-eight minutes, and the second in five minutes with a wristlock.

SPORT BRIEFS

(By the Associated Press) Sen. H. C. and Goose Goslin of the Senators crept closer to Johnny Mott for the base stealing honor of the American league, who Rice pilfered three sacks and Goslin two. Mott is still in front with 17, while Rice has 17 and 16.

The plants were in hopes of putting on a double header with the Pirates today and taking the lead in the National league flag race. The Pirates are still one game in front and a double defeat would put them in second place.

The Braves made a desperate fight to run their winning streak to six games, but fell shy in the ninth inning when a rally started by pinch hitter netted them four runs. The Cardinals had jumped off to a five run lead in the 9th inning.

Walter Johnson, prize pitcher of the Washington Senators has been having trouble with his tonsils. He was left in Washington, but expected to join the club in a day or two.

LONDON, July 9.—(A. P.)—"Long Jim" Barnes doesn't mind golfing galleries, but he can't stand the cold, icy eyes of the radio microphone. The lanky American pro, who recently won the British open championship, broadcast from an English radio station Tuesday night. After the ordeal he said: "Give me a golf crowd and I'm happy—but that microphone, never again."

CHICAGO, July 9.—(A. P.)—Earl Sande, premier hockey, will ride Arbitration, owned by A. Bostwick of New York in the \$20,000 Chicago derby at Hawthorne Saturday. His decision caused surprise, as he was expected to have a leg up on Gifford A. Cochrane's Dangerous. Clarence Kummer will pilot the Cochrane entry.

Honor to Row Beresford. HENLEY-ON-TAMES, England, July 9.—(A. P.)—The race between Jack Beresford, crack English oarsman, and Walter M. Hoover of Philadelphia for the Philadelphia Gold challenge cup which Beresford won at the Paris Olympic games last year, will be rowed Monday on the tidal Thames at Putney.

Yesterday's Results. At Portland, 4; Salt Lake, 5. At Oakland, 4; Vernon, 5. At Seattle, 7; Sacramento, 5. At Los Angeles, 4; San Francisco, 4.

READ THE BIBLE IN PUBLIC FOR 71 HOURS

AKRON, Ohio, July 9.—Rev. W. A. Naumann, pastor of Madison Avenue Evangelical church, read aloud the final verse in the Book of Revelations last night and Akron's first public reading of the Bible was at an end, 71 hours 27 minutes after it started. Forty-five readers participated. They divided their time into 170 periods averaging 24 minutes each.

Bobbed Bandit Uses Toy Gun



Margaret Dice, 19, of Tennessee, longed for the bright lights, and ran away to Chicago. In most of the places she sought work she was turned away because of inexperience. In others would-be employers made offensive advances. Hunger grew at her. She turned to robbing men in taxicabs, using a toy pistol, because she was afraid of real ones. This is the story she tells as she awaits trial in Meigswood, Ill., jail.

POLICE WOMEN ASK FOR RIGHT TO SMASH MASTERS

WASHINGTON, July 9.—(A. P.)—Washington police officers who have smiled when they see a woman arrested for a minor offense, are now asking for the right to smash masters.

Mrs. M. Van Winkle, chief of the policewomen, intends to ask the district commissioner for permission for her police officers to slap masters. There are some heavyweights among the police.

JUDGE GARY SPANKED FOR SAYING 'DAMN'

NEW YORK, July 9.—(A. P.)—Robert H. Gray relieved today that he had been spanked as a boy by his father for saying "damn." He told the New York Herald about it in the course of the newspaper's symposium on the relation of spanking to successful careers.

"I heard some workmen say 'damn,'" he explained. "I said 'damn' and my father spanked me. Not knowing what was wrong with the 'damn' until I was hoarse."

Mr. Gray has never spanked his own children. When one of his daughters was naughty he locked her up in a closet until she admitted she was sorry. "I am sure she remembered that punishment longer than any other," he said.

GOVERNOR PIERCE FOR INHERITANCE AND INCOME TAX

SALEM, Ore., July 9.—Governor Pierce has announced his position on levying of inheritance and income taxes by the federal government and also by state governments. This he did in an interview on the plan proposed by the Georgia Country Bankers' association, tax provision of the Georgia Country Bankers' association.

Governor Pierce said: "I believe in a strong inheritance tax. It ought to be uniform in every state and ought to be a national law, collected by government machinery and should be apportioned, part to the government and part to the state. I believe the same with respect to the income tax."

The resolution adopted by the Georgia Country Bankers' association, which was submitted to Governor Pierce for his opinion declared that the inheritance tax provision of the federal tax measure would be repealed. The resolution follows:

"Whereas, we affirm our confidence in the wisdom of the founders of our government in recommending a separation of tax source as between federal and state jurisdiction which has had the unanimous endorsement of our statesmen and the approval of custom from the beginning of government to the present time.

"Therefore be it resolved first—that the inheritance tax provision of the federal tax measure be repealed, leaving this source of revenue to the states for individual action as they may see fit.

The Markets

PORTLAND, Ore., July 9.—Cattle, 100 lbs. steers 25.50; calves \$1 higher; hogs 25.50; common 27.25; canned and veal steers \$1.50 @ 4.6.

Butter steady. Extra cubes, city 40c; standards, 45c; prime 40c; 1c; 4c; undergrades nominal. Prints, 47c; cartons, 4c.

Poultry firm, scarce. Heavy hens, 22c; light, 16c; springs, 22c; young white ducks, 20c.

Post and Wheat. PORTLAND, Ore., July 9.—Wheat bids: Hard white, bluestem, hard, 1.38; hard white, western white, 1.38; hard winter, northern spring, 1.38; western red 1.25; BB hard white 1.15.

Today's car receipts—Wheat 3; flour 4; corn 2; oats 1; hay 1.

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ARMOUR GRAIN CO. TO TAKE OVER CO-OP. CO.

CHICAGO, July 9.—(A. P.)—The Armour grain company, largest in the co-operating marketing venture of the Grain Marketing company, moved today to re-enter trading in the Chicago board of trade in its old name.

Officers of the firm framed application for readmission to the board and when the formalities are completed the company will take over all open grain contracts now in the name of the Grain Marketing company. Rosenbaum Brothers Grain company, a second unit in the proposed merger and a factor in the bankruptcy proceedings against Deau Onatavia company, will seek readmission in the exchange clearing house in the old corporate title.

Coast Sugar Drops Again. SAN FRANCISCO, July 9.—(A. P.)—The sugar refining companies today announced a price of \$5.90 a hundred pounds for cane sugar and \$5.70 a hundred pounds for beet sugar to wholesalers only. This is a decrease of ten cents a hundred pounds in both grades from yesterday's figure.

July Clearance Sale NOW GOING ON Best Values of Year While They Last Ladies' Trimmed Hats 95c to \$4.95 Sweaters at Half Price Both long sleeved and sleeveless Silk and Wool Sweaters, going at half their regular value. Each one is a quality garment, and better than a bargain. Philippine Underwear Reduced One-Half High-grade Philippine Underwear. Combination Suits, hand embroidered in dainty designs, with regulation and bodice tops, at 50 per cent of their real worth. See them, then you'll appreciate the wonderful values. We also have specials in Dresses, Blouses and Stockings offering splendid bargains while the stock lasts. Remember The Vanity Shop Sale Is Now Going On Main at Bartlett Miss Lounsbury

FRENCH DRESSING French Dressing is the simplest—yet, at the same time, the most sophisticated of all salad dressings. Six tablespoons of Wesson Oil, two tablespoons of vinegar or lemon juice, one-third teaspoonful of salt, a few shakes of pepper and stir well. Paprika may be added if desired. It can be made in quantity as desired by merely increasing the amount of the various ingredients used, maintaining the proper proportions of oil and vinegar—one part of vinegar to three parts of Wesson Oil (some say four). When made in quantity, this dressing can be kept in a covered jar in the ice box, and is ready for use at any time, merely needing a thorough shaking to break up the oil and blend it with the acid. [16] Although salads are good every month of the year, during summer are the seasons when nothing is such a boon to the appetite as a cool, crisp, colorful salad. If you would like to have some new recipes for salads and salad dressings, our new booklet, "Salad Dressings" is yours for the asking. Just drop a postal card to the Wesson Oil People, 112 Market Street, San Francisco, Cal.