

GIRL STOWAWAY UPON DESTROYER BLAMES SAILOR

MAYPORT, Fla., April 13.—(AP)—Declaring she was "persuaded" to go aboard the United States destroyer Billingsley, but that she "wanted to go," Cynthia Alberta Pool, 15-year-old St. Petersburg girl, testified today at a naval court of inquiry hearing charges against Seaman Kramer, charged with secreting her on the vessel.

The court of inquiry convened after the Billingsley had been ordered back to this port when the girl's presence aboard was discovered. Kramer was placed in irons.

Cynthia said she would have "jumped overboard" had she known her father was coming here to return her to St. Petersburg. The father, who started the investigation which resulted in the girl's discovery, was expected here during the day.

The girl spent last night locked in the room of a boarding house.

A "married woman" of St. Petersburg was connected with the case by Cynthia, when she said the woman was also planning to stow away on the Billingsley, leaving her husband. She was prevented, Cynthia said, when the husband arrived at the dock just before his wife boarded the destroyer.

WASHINGTON, April 13.—(AP)—Five girls who sought adventure on the high seas might still be sailing with Uncle Sam's navy had not one of them confided to her chum that she intended to ship on a destroyer as a stowaway. But she did, and now five girls are on land again, one sailor is under arrest, and a court of inquiry will go into the matter.

The girl who told was Cynthia Alberta Pool, 15-year-old high school girl of St. Petersburg, Fla. The chum told Cynthia's parents and her father got in touch with the naval authorities.

A search of the destroyer Billingsley resulted in the discovery of the girl, and she was put ashore at Mayport, Fla.

Pool's message also resulted in a general search of vessels in South Atlantic waters, and four other girls were found. Besides the Pool girl, the navy had been informed that one girl was discovered on the light cruiser Concord, the destroyer Sands and the destroyer repair ship Dobbin.

Dispatches from Florida, however, accounted for a fourth besides Miss Pool.

The four gave their names as Betty Lacer, Rose McGuire, Flossie Rice and Ramilda Avary.

Placed ashore at Key West by the Concord, they said they had "shipped" at New Orleans to return to their homes in Philadelphia, where they were employed as waitresses. All were given fares back to New Orleans.

A Pleasant Trip.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 13.—(AP)—Monte Blue and a party of 18 other motion picture actors and actresses returned here today on board the Makuria from the South Seas, where they filmed a romance.

Blue said they had some real adventures that were not filmed. They were shipwrecked once, he said. Once they got stranded for several hours on a coral reef and were assisted by natives in dramatic fashion.

BOY SCOUTS WILL HOLD FIELD DAY TESTS TOMORROW

An interesting afternoon is promised all who attend the Boy Scout field day being held Saturday afternoon on the Van Scoyoc field. A large number of distinctive and different events are promised with the wall scaling being one of the best.

Making fire by friction, either by rubbing sticks together or with flint and steel, is a novelty and one of the preparedness ideas taught by scouting. The water boiling contest is another interesting event, and for pure enjoyment the dressing race and the obstacle race are both unique. Grants Pass, Central Point, Jacksonville, Ashland and a number of other communities will be represented, and some of them have been practicing hard, with their eyes on the big silver loving cup at stake.

There is no admission charge, and all parents and friends are urged to attend the meet, see what the scouts have to offer and to help them by their encouraging presence for the afternoon.

A number of splendid prizes are offered for the events in the Boy Scout field meet, there being 12 events with a prize for each, due to the generosity of several of the local merchants.

One of the 50-yard dashes has a watch, given by the East Side Pharmacy, while another dash has a pocket Ben watch from Larry Schade's jewelry store. Russell's has offered a useful and unique novelty in a folding photograph which can be taken on long or short hikes with very little trouble, and will give the lucky troupe much pleasure.

The East Side Grocery has offered three pounds of candy for one event, while the Johnson Produce company has donated a box of apples for another winning troop; the Medford Furniture and Hardware company, a complete flashlight and individual first aid kit from the Jarmin & Woods Drug Co., are some of the other prizes. Events will start promptly at 1:30 p. m. and the grounds will be open at 10 for troops to arrange their rear ranks, all being in charge of R. H. Caldwell and Scout Executive Belcher.

GRANTS PASS, April 13.—In booking the Joe Gorman-Bobby McIntyre fight, which is to take place on next Friday evening at 8:30 in Bob Quick's new Grants Pass Athletic club, Bob Quick booked an event that is interesting the entire state of Oregon.

Comments upon the coming battle may be seen in the different newspapers throughout the state. Much of the talk due to the fact that both of the fighters are well known all through the state, and the news that they are matched is drawing the eyes of the Oregon sport world on this fight.

Last night the fans had the best opportunity of all to compare the two boys at close range. Bobby McIntyre worked out first in Bob Quick's gymnasium and when he had finished, Joe Gorman arrived and commenced his daily dozen. However, even at such close range, it is impossible to decide which has the edge on the other. Bobby is said to be in better condition than any man who has boxed in Grants Pass before. He goes through 15 rounds of work and doesn't seem to be the least bit tired at the finish. Gorman makes it in wonderful condition. Considering a fight such as this, where the fighters are so evenly matched, it is certain that it is going to be a mighty interesting, close and fast, which is something a fight fan craves.

McIntyre is arousing much interest, now that the fact that he has never smoked or drunk is becoming known. Some find it mighty hard to believe that he went four years in the navy without doing either of these things. His major interest is fighting. He would rather fight than eat. Duncan, his manager, says that he never has any trouble in getting Bobby to train. He says that often he has trouble in getting Bobby to stop working. When asked if he was superstitious regarding Friday the 13th, McIntyre replied, "Why should I be? My only superstition is the strong one of winning my fight. Although I have never seen Joe Gorman fight, I have had his method of fighting described to me, and while not confining myself to that style of fighting, I know what is needed to match Gorman's fighting ability, and I am in earnest when I say that not only will I match him, but will pass that mark and beat him. Please don't consider me egotistical," McIntyre went on. "In any game a man has to believe in himself. If you don't believe in yourself, it is a hard task to get others to believe in you. In my case, my statements are backed up by my strong belief in my ability. My manager, Duncan, knows what I am up against in Gorman and he is so sure I am going to win that it is hard to keep him from betting the family jewels."

Promoter Quick has arranged a strong card, consisting of 26 rounds, which will be chuck full of action from the curtain raiser to the main event. From all indications this will be the largest fight audience ever assembled in southern Oregon. The fight is being discussed on all sides, and Quick is being asked to put more seats on sale.

Since the fact of Al Karasick's visit in Grants Pass Saturday has become known, Quick has been asked by many fans to bring the Russian to Grants Pass again. Karasick made quite a hit when he was here before, and the fans would like nothing better than to see him in action against some good man once more.

GOVERNOR GREET'S DERBYISTS TODAY

EL RENO, Okla., April 13.—(AP)—The eighty-two runners and walkers heading the cross country marathon caravan faced a 23-mile jaunt to Oklahoma City today with the marks of desert travel removed from clothing and equipment in readiness for reception by Governor Henry S. Johnston.

Andrew Payne of Claremore, Okla., used the 37 mile lap from Bridgeport yesterday to slightly increase his lead over Peter Gavuzal of Southampton, England.

The Oklahoman finished in 4:22:24 to regain the leadership in classed time with a mark of 2:46:49:21. Gavuzal needed six hours and 34 minutes, giving him a total of 248:19:56 for the trip from Los Angeles.

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GREAT ALEXANDER BLANKS PIRATES

(By the Associated Press) Grover Cleveland Alexander turned back the champion Pirates without a run in the lists at St. Louis yesterday, while his Cardinal mates triumphed by 5 to 0.

The Cincinnati red legs jolted the Chicago Cubs for the second consecutive day, this time by 2 to 2, a six-run flurry in the eighth inning breaking a tie of three all.

The St. Louis Browns of the American League broke out in typical Missouriian manner with another decision over the Detroit Tigers, 7 to 2.

The Chicago White Sox outbit the Indians by 10 to 2, but dropped another engagement to Cleveland by 2 to 1.

The cold and wet grounds forced idleness upon the other big league outfits and revived the argument that the opening of the pennant races should be delayed to the last week in April.

Fights Last Night

(By the Associated Press) FORT THOMAS, Ky.—Gypsy Willie Ham, Toledo, won newspaper decision over Willie Van, Indianapolis (10).

CANTON, Ohio.—Chas. Christner of Akron, Ohio, knocked out Quentin Romero Rojas, Chile (5).

DAVENPORT, Iowa.—Red Uhan of California knocked out Mike Rosegall of Omaha (5). Kayo White of New Orleans shaded Bennie Stanley, Tulsa (10).

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SPORT BRIEFS

SAN BERNARDINO, Cal., April 13.—(AP)—Theodore Kinzen, former retired capitalist of Joliet, Ill., and lately manager of Neil Chisby, Riverside, Cal., negro heavyweight boxer, dropped dead shortly after seeing his boxer knock out Louis Alvarado, San Diego fighter, in the second round of a scheduled ten-round match here last night.

A doctor said heart failure, induced by the excitement of seeing his man win, had caused the death.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., April 13.—(AP)—Another Warner has signed to play in the Pittsburgh area. Traylor, cousin of Lloyd and Paul Warner of the Pirates, has accepted terms with the Johnstown club of the Middle Atlantic League, and will report Sunday at Port Royal, Va., where the team trains. Traven was given a tryout with the Pirates at Paso Robles this spring, but was sent back to his home, Ada, Okla., for more sand lot experience. The terms were not announced.

NEW YORK, April 13.—(AP)—Miss Marton Loyde of New York today brought the national women's fencing title back to this country. She won all six of her matches in the national championships at the Fencers' club, New York. She succeeded Miss Stephanie Stern of Germany, who did not compete this year.

FIX SCHEDULE AT MEET WEDNESDAY

Preparations for the opening of the southern Oregon and northern California baseball season are getting well under way and a meeting is to be held next Wednesday at Yreka to decide whether the season is to open May 13 or May 29.

The season will include 16 games for Medford, eight of which will be played here at the fair grounds, where the diamond has been moved 20 feet closer to the grandstand and the teams in the league include Medford, Klamath Falls, Weed, Dunsmuir and Yreka, according to present indications.

HIGH OFFICER OF CALIFORNIA HELD DRUNK CHARGE

SAN FRANCISCO, April 13.—(AP)—Leon French, deputy state attorney general, and his wife, Ethel French, were arrested at the Bellevue hotel here today on charges of resisting police officers, being drunk in public and disturbing the peace. In the fight which preceded the arrest French was clubbed by a hotel clerk, police said.

The entire fifth floor of the fashionable hotel was in an uproar before police subdued and handcuffed the state official and took the couple to the city prison. Both were released on their own recognizance.

Police said that liquor served at a party attended by officers from the Pacific battle fleet was responsible for the disturbance.

First Practice of Baseball Team

Baseball practice will be held at the fair grounds Sunday at 10 a. m. and 3 p. m. This team will be named the Medford Merchants and will be organized to play in the Oregon-California league. Manager Court Hall asks all players wishing to try out for the team to be out for practice.

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\$5.00 Pants \$4.50
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