

Today

Tunney on Shakespeare. Another Flood? Maybe. In Any Case Thanks. Speed Championship.

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Gene Tunney, world champion, told the Yale boys about Shakespeare yesterday, invited by Professor Phelps.

Tunney wondered "whether Shakespeare would be a boxing fan." Probably not. But Shakespeare described real fighting, without a purse, better than anybody.

Dempsey used to do all that, and more.

Flood waters of the White river have overswept five counties in Arkansas. In Mississippi the Tom Bigbee and Lapalla rivers are nearing the danger stage.

Perhaps the government will decide that \$750,000,000 invested in flood control would be cheaper than another flood.

Mr. W. S. Gifford, president of the American Telegraph and Telephone company, will spend two thousand million dollars on new construction in the next five years.

Senator Hefflin says, "Calvin Coolidge was elected by the Catholics." Mr. Coolidge, says he, in return for the Catholic vote, "Agreed to interfere in Mexico and Nicaragua, and save them for the Roman church."

If the Catholics did elect Calvin Coolidge, Americans, including the Protestants, are much obliged to them. It was a successful election.

This country again holds the automobile speed championship. Keech, going 207.55 miles an hour, took the record from Captain Campbell, British.

Frank Lockhart, who recently shot into the ocean with his "Black Hawk" Stutz, is tuning up to beat Keech. He was killed today.

While such speed is not useful in real life, it does, as Mr. Moskovics says, compel the building of better machines.

On the second day's celebration of Rome's birthday, yesterday, Mussolini gave a sabre fencing exhibition with an army officer. His health and heart must be sound, for he kept up the savage fencing for a quarter of an hour. Three thousand five hundred musicians, led by Mascagni, of "Cavalleria Rusticana," played the war "Hymn of the Piva." When Mussolini celebrates a birthday he really celebrates it.

A woman about fifty could not remember her name or address. Doctors will investigate. We all sympathize, forgetting that a hundred years hence, nobody now living will remember his name or address, in all probability. We may not even remember the name of the planet in which we formerly lived. We can't remember the names or addresses we had before we came here.

Nicholas M. Schenck, president (Continued on Page Four)

DR. PORTER FAMILY IN ACCIDENT

Chowchilla, Calif., Woman Killed As Result of Auto Crash Yesterday—Mrs. Porter Sustains Broken Ribs—Medford Folks on Trip, Mishap Victims.

CHOWCHILLA, Cal., April 25.—(AP) Mrs. B. F. Saunders, 60, of this city was killed last night when she was hurled from the automobile of B. F. Saunders in a collision with the machine driven by Dr. E. H. Porter, of Medford, Ore., on the Pacheco Pass highway.

Those injured are: Dr. E. H. Porter, hand lacerated and body bruised; Mrs. E. H. Porter, body bruised and four broken ribs; Bertha Porter, daughter, bruises and contusions of the body; B. F. Saunders, 64, possibly internally injured; recovery despaired of by doctors; Margaret Glendennin, 11, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Saunders, abrasions of both legs, cuts on body; Edward Glendennin, 13, bruises.

The Porters were picked up by passerby and taken to a Madera hospital.

Coroner Jay of Madera took charge of Mrs. Saunders' body and an inquest will be held this afternoon.

The Saunders party was enroute to the Glendennin family when the car crashed on Pacheco Pass highway, six miles southwest of the Golden State highway. Dr. and Mrs. Porter were enroute to San Francisco from Los Angeles.

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Mrs. Porter suffered a broken rib and two grandchildren of the Saunders were bruised. Both cars were wrecked.

Dr. and Mrs. Porter and daughter, Bertha, left last Thursday in their touring car for Los Angeles, where they had planned to spend a week or ten days visiting friends and attending to business matters outside of the dispatch, no other information had been received here concerning the crash.

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The Noted Dead

BRUSSELS, Apr. 25.—(AP) Baron Peter Wrangel, one of the Russian leader who unsuccessfully tried to halt bolshevism, died at 4:30 o'clock today.

JURY QUIZ OF CHANEY EXPENSIVE

Criminologists Draw \$250 Per Day and Star Witnesses—Heinrich Among Experts—Star Witnesses Get PVJ Per Day Until Trial—Grand Jury Recedes Again.

Following the return of ten additional larceny of public money indictments against District Attorney Newton C. Chaney yesterday afternoon, the grand jury this forenoon adjourned until next Wednesday to continue its special session which began over two months ago.

Among the expenses of the grand jury listed at the county clerk's office are two items charged to Luke S. May, Seattle criminologist, who on one warrant was paid \$500 by the county and who on another was paid \$114. May appeared before the jury as a witness and spent two days in Medford. E. O. Heinrich of Berkeley, Calif., a well known criminologist of national fame, was paid \$250 to testify before the jury.

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PROPOSE UNION OF METHODISTS PRESBYTERIANS

To Be Considered By Supreme Bodies of Both Churches Next Month—17 Million Members, 35,000 Churches Affected, More if South Wings Favorable.

CHICAGO, April 25.—(AP)—Union of the Presbyterian and Methodist Episcopal churches, involving 17,000,000 communicants in 35,000 churches, was predicted today by William McMacDermott of the promotional department of the Methodist Episcopal church. The proposal will come officially before the supreme bodies of both denominations next month.

There are approximately 7,000,000 church members with an added 10,000,000 including Sunday school pupils and other adherents, who will be affected if the union takes place.

THE PRESBYTERIAN DENOMINATION has 10,000 churches and property valued at \$300,000,000.

ENDS OWN LIFE WITH DYNAMITE AFTER ATROCITY

Vancouver, Wn., Father Murders Family With Hatchet and Knife—No Motive for Tragedy, Discovered By Neighbor.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Apr. 25.—(AP)—Stark, unreasoning madness, or deliberate intent, today stood forth as the only explanation of the brutal tragedy that yesterday wiped out a family of four persons.

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BREMEN RELIEF PILOT DEAD



Placed by Floyd Bennett, left, and Hiram Balchen, a Ford trimotored monoplane took off from Detroit, Mich., last week, carrying supplies to the stranded German trans-Atlantic plane Bremen on Greenly island off Labrador. Photo shows type of plane used. Bennett was stricken with pneumonia and died today at Quebec, Can. after Lindbergh had flown with serum to his bedside. Balchen continued on with W. C. (Duke) Schiller.

OHIO VOTE MAJORITY TO HOOVER



COLUMBUS, Ohio, April 25.—(AP)—Complete returns today from the only close district in the state showed that Secretary Hoover would have 31 of Ohio's 51 delegates at the Kansas City convention.

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DEMPSEY RAPS WHITE RIBBONS KEARNS WITH A LEGAL WALLOP ON AL'S HOTEL

Suit of Ex-Manager Near Portland W. C. T. U. Members Refuse to Attend Lunch in Seward, Headquarters of Smith Campaign—Council Refuses Request to Remove Sign.

NEW YORK, April 25.—(AP) The almost complete collapse of the suit brought by Jack Kearns against Jack Dempsey was indicated today when Federal Judge John C. Knox declared he "had in mind throwing out Kearns' two, three and four in Kearns' charges."

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GAVUZZI MENACES LEAD OF PAYNE

SULLIVAN, 500, April 25.—(AP) Philip Granville, Hamilton, Canada, negro, showed his heels to the union derby field today, traversing the 42.9 miles from Rolla in 5:45:29.

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Baseball Scores

Table with columns for National and American leagues, listing teams and scores.

FARM BILL GIVEN RIGHT OF WAY

WASHINGTON, April 25.—(AP)—Farm relief formally was given the legislative right of way in the House today with the adoption of a resolution making the Hagen bill the order of business.

GOVERNOR PLANS MID-WEST TRIP

SALEM, Ore., April 25.—(AP)—Governor Patterson is making plans to attend the republican national convention at Kansas City.

OREGON WEATHER

Fair east, increasing cloudiness west portion tonight and Thursday. Cooler east portion with local frosts tonight. Moderate easterly winds on the coast.

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LAKE STE AGNES, Que., April 25.—(By Canadian Press)

Messages received today from the marooned trans-Atlantic fliers on Greenly Island stated that softening ice had caused them to abandon their hope of flying to Murray Bay in the Junkers monoplane Bremen and that they would leave the island in the Ford relief plane piloted by Bernard Hachen.

LAKE STE AGNES, Que., April 25.—(By Wireless to Associated Press)

The district within a radius of 100 miles of Lake Ste Agnes was in the grip of a storm of mid-winter intensity.

Two Fliers with Paramount News

Associated Press photographs who carried a non-stop flight from the island to the airport here yesterday, said that when they left the Bremen she was ready for a take-off. They reported good weather at the island and for some distance along the route, but it was believed the Bremen's crew had received word of the storm here and had postponed their take-off until more favorable conditions prevailed.

Captain Hermann Koehl and Baron Gunther Von Huenefeld

the German members of the Bremen crew, were confident the engine was in good shape and the plane airworthy.

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