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7 MEN WILL DIE IN THE ELECTRIC CHAIR TOMORROW

FRANKFORD, Ky., July 11.—(AP) Governor Clem D. Sisson today refused executive clemency to any of the seven men condemned to die at Eddyville tomorrow.

The chief of the governor ends whatever hope any of them may have entertained.

EDDYVILLE, Ky., July 12.—(AP) Seven men in death cells at the state penitentiary here entered today upon what they expect to be their last 24 hours of life.

All have been sentenced to die for murder. Barring, reckless, a remote consideration, they will be electrocuted between midnight and 1 o'clock the morning of Friday, July 13—tomorrow.

These are negroes. They will die last. The four white men, three of them little more than boys, will go to the chair first in an order yet to be arranged.

If court instructions are followed exactly, there will be hardly a break in the procession through the death chamber during the hour for the executions. About eight minutes will be the time allotted for each of the condemned to enter the room, take his place in the chair and be removed.

Two of the white men, Charles Paul Mitra, 23, of St. Louis, and Orlando "Red" Seymour, 21, Louisville, blamed "evil companions" today. Each was convicted of murder in connection with robberies at Louisville. The third, Eugene Hoberly, 21, Hazlet, Ky., did not deny the murder of two women and a man, for which he was convicted two years ago in one of the mountain counties. "I have a mother and a baby out there," he said, "and I hate to leave. But I am ready to go." The fourth, Clifford "Red" Lawson, 35, Corbin, Ky., denied the murder for which he is to die. He pleaded for more time.

Of the three negroes, two refused to talk even to the chaplains. In solitary confinement, they were reported to be in sullen mood. The other joked about the electric chair.

'LIBERTY' SUED FOR \$600,000 DAMAGES

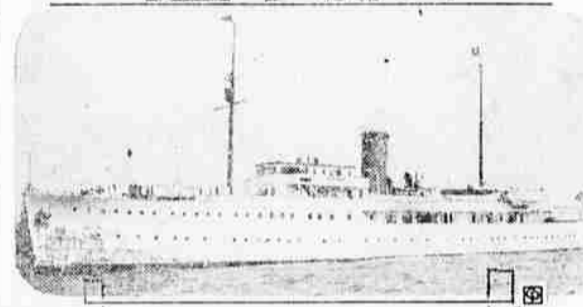
FORT WORTH, Texas, July 12.—(AP) Suit for \$600,000 damages against Liberty Weekly Inc., publishers of Liberty magazine, was filed in district court today by Mrs. Temple Houston of Woodward, Okla. The four children of Mrs. Houston also are plaintiffs.

According to the petition, Liberty published an article June 2 concerning General Sam Houston in which it was stated that Temple Houston was the son of the general and an Indian squaw. The article was written by Dan Selitz.

Astoria—Northern Pacific greases state 700-acre park at Riddle mountain.

Medalla—Telephone company asks bids for new two-story building.

PALATIAL ASTOR YACHT ARRIVES



Vincent Astor's luxurious \$2,000,000 yacht, "Nourmahal," is becoming one of the sights of New York harbor since its arrival from Southampton, Eng. The craft is 263 feet long, with a gross tonnage of 2,000. A crew of 50 men is necessary to operate the ship which was built at Kiel, Germany. Top, Vincent Astor and his wife, and below, the "Nourmahal." Astor is commodore of the New York Yacht Club.

G. M. CO. EXPECTS TO DISTRIBUTE 1,700,000 CARS

DETROIT, July 12.—(AP)—The General Motors corporation expects to distribute 1,700,000 automobiles at a total selling price of approximately two billion dollars during the next year, according to Alfred P. Sloan, president of the corporation.

Mr. Sloan disclosed the firm's production of the organization in an address before the International Advertising association convention here last night in which he urged greater efforts toward eliminating "waste by advertising."

"Advertising men must find a more definite way of calculating the results and increasing the efficiency of the present enormous advertising expenditures," he said.

"The automobile industry is the

CANADIAN GIRLS ATTENDING ART SCHOOL, ASHLAND

ASHLAND, July 12.—The Ashland Art school opened with 40 pupils enrolled. Those coming from Canada are Thelma Irvine Hunt, Ontario; A. Wilfred Johnson, Victoria, B. C.; Ruth Brande, New Westminster, B. C.; From California: Emily Kemp, Pomona; Brooks Holland, Los Angeles; Nellie Kocher, Yreka; Mrs. Helen McCarthy, Sacramento; Lotteleen Johnson, Sacramento. From Washington: Mildred Cleo Eaton, Centralia; Glen West, Cheney. From Oregon: Etta Mathers, Klamath Falls; Mrs. G. W. Miller, Milton; Pearl Shock, Miami, Warren Hill; Astoria; Ida M. Andrews, Salem; Helen Johnson, Prineville; Victoria; From Ashland Normal school: Vesal Goetze, Avenail; H. Robinson, Mrs. Berntha Graham and many from Ashland.

Mr. Riley was unable to come from New York and at the last minute his place was filled by William Sakren, a young artist who has achieved more in art than most men of his age. He will teach life study and commercial art. Mr. Sakren's classes have commenced already as have also Miss Murphy's in art appreciation and methods. Miss White does not begin nor does Mr. Holdman until Thursday morning.

In art appreciation Miss Margaret Lauer Murphy gives instruction that is delightful. She has in her travels in Europe, acquired a fund of knowledge that she imparts in a charmingly entertaining way. Miss Murphy teaches on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday morning, as does also Mr. Sakren. These two able instructors fill the first three days of each week, while Miss Belle Cady White and Edgar Robinson fill the last three days of the week. In this way each teacher is free three days each week. As this is their vacation time from their year's regular work, they need and enjoy this respite. It also enables those students wishing half time courses to attend only three days during the week.

The program is well thought out; each period is three hours long and 15 periods in a certain subject constitutes that course. If the complete course is taken and problems are worked out, credits are given at Oregon colleges and transferred to other states.

It is not too late to enter for water colors, oils, stenciling and interior decorating, as Miss White and Mr. Holdman have not yet opened their classes.

Even in the other classes help would be given to each work to enable students to enter at any time during the first few days.

PRESIDENT AND WIFE PAY SURPRISE VISIT

SUPERIOR, Wis., July 12.—(AP) President and Mrs. Coolidge paid an unexpected visit to Superior today. Accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Coolidge came here only on Tuesdays and Fridays, the city was not on the lookout and he slipped to the executive offices hardly noticed.

Mrs. Coolidge had never accompanied the chief executive before. She alighted from the automobile at the office and sat with Mr. Coolidge while he went through correspondence and signed some papers. John Coolidge remained at Cedar Island lodge.

MALDEN—Oil well at Chernov is already down 425 feet.

ENGINE EXPLODES, THREE MEN KILLED

WINNIPEG, July 12.—(AP) Three trainmen were killed early today when the boiler of a pusher engine of the Canadian Pacific railway wrought train No. 86 exploded near Glacier, B. C.

They are: M. Rogers, engineer; W. Standbury, fireman, and W. Clay, conductor. All lived in Revelstoke, B. C.

The freight was proceeding along a steep grade in the Rocky mountains when the accident occurred. The blast was attributed to water shortage.

The violence of the explosion lifted the boiler high in the air and crashed the steel cylinder up on the center cars, demolishing them to splinters. The caboose and head engine later caught fire but the flames were kept from spreading by the heroic efforts of M. Savoie, trainman.

'Lady Be Good' Now at Rialto Theatre

Do you ever wonder what is going on in the wings and backstage when you attend a legitimate theater?

You'll find out, at least to a certain extent, in "Lady Be Good," a farce comedy featuring Dorothy Mackall and Jack Mulhall which opens its local engagement today at the Rialto theatre.

"Lady Be Good" is a story of vaudeville performers, with most of it occurring in the dressing rooms and backstage. Arguments, quarrels, disagreements, all sorts of things, may be happening just a few feet from the stage. But when the entrance call comes, sentences are halted, veiled, arguments are temporarily abandoned, fixed smiles appear like magic and the attitudes go capering out to do their turn.

"Lady Be Good" as a musical comedy had a long run in virtually every large city in America, and its success promises to be duplicated in this town.

LIGHTNING HITS AIRPLANE; PILOT AND GIRL KILLED

POTTSVILLE, Pa., July 12.—(AP) A bolt of lightning today was believed to have caused the plowing of an airplane in which Marie M. Fitzpatrick, inventor of the earth inductor compass, and Mrs. Bertha Gamble Andrews, movie actress, met death.

This theory was advanced by Charles Gilbert, on whose farm the plane crashed yesterday from a height of 1,000 feet. He was the only witness to the accident. The plane was a mass of wreckage when Gilbert reached the scene and its two occupants were dead. The plane had taken off from Cutsies field, New York.

Fitzpatrick, 36 years old, was an experienced aviator and vice-president of the Pioneer Instrument company of Brooklyn, N. Y.

Mrs. Andrews was known as "Patricia Perry" in moving pictures in which she played extra parts in comedies. She was 23 years old and was divorced two years ago from Fred Andrews.

Mrs. Ross Women's Leader. NEW YORK, July 12.—(AP) Mrs. Nellie Taxler Ross, former governor of Wyoming, was selected today by John J. Haskole, chairman of the democratic national committee, to take direct charge of all women's activities in the campaign.

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