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RICHARD W. CHILD SEES DISTINCTION IN LAWS OF LAND

NEW YORK, May 22.—(AP)—Richard W. Child, author, diplomat and acting chairman of the national crime commission, made public today a letter to Geo. W. Wickersham, chairman of President Hoover's new national law enforcement commission, in which he expressed his personal opinion that distinction should be made between "normal laws" and "governmental commands."

"I reiterate my belief," he wrote, "that a distinction should be made between law on the books and social will as it is found in fact. The tragedy of the national infection of disrespect for law may be increased and not diminished by insistence that all so-called laws stand upon one footing."

"I do not say that the 18th amendment and its resulting congressional commands cannot be enforced. I do say that few persons in the nation, wet or dry, will fail to distinguish between this law and normal laws. If the ardent dry sees a burglar entering the home of his friend and neighbor he telephones the police; if he sees a bootlegger entering the house of his friend and neighbor he may telephone the police, but it is generally recognized that in such case he would be considered a cad."

GOLD BULLETS

by Charles G. Booth

SYNOPSIS: A wakening the morning after the ghastly experience in the Lundy saloon, Peebles is convinced it was a nightmare. He is surprised to find Furie, Ogden's queer visitor of the day of the murder, beside him. He questions Furie, who flees when Henry Deacon enters on the hallway. Deacon insists that Jerry's flannels, found in the saloon by Peebles, are added proof of guilt. Furie claims they were planted by Dillon; then tells Deacon his experiences in Torridity, but omits the two stony figures seated at the poker table.

CHAPTER 25. The Golden Wall. I told Deacon the story of the storm, of Dillon stalking me in the gallery and my finding the providential door that saved men from certain death. I carefully avoided all mention of that scene, which must be the result of my disordered, harassed mentality.

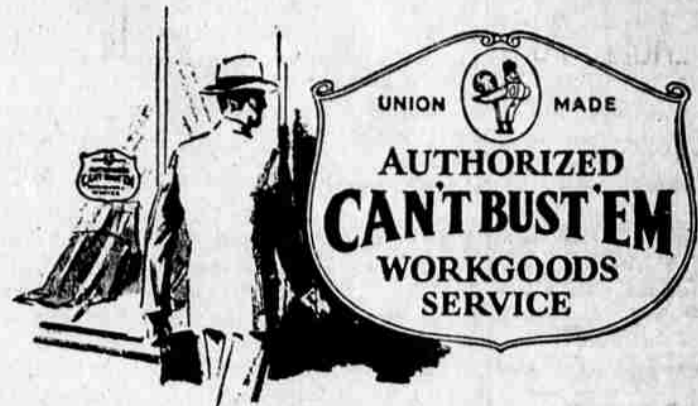
"Then I became unconscious," I concluded.

A humid expression that warmed my heart came into his eyes. "It's a wonder I found you alive, old man," he said huskily.

We blew our noses in unison, and I told him of my return to consciousness and of my interview with Furie.

"Furie, eh," he mused. "Are you sure he didn't get into this building last night without your seeing him? He's half crazy, you say, and he regarded you as dangerous to his claim on the mine. Wait a bit," he went on, as I was about to pounce on him. "You were going to ask me why he didn't finish you after he broke in the door. A crazy

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Wisconsin Town Will Celebrate as G. O. P. Candidate

RIPON, Wis., May 23.—(AP)—Up here, come June 8, the folks are going to celebrate the diamond jubilee of the Republican party, much to the disgust of Jackson, Mich. Michigan histories say Jackson was without doubt the birthplace of republicanism. To settle the argument, Ripon decided to hold a celebration.

None of which has anything to do with Herbert, the \$25,000 elephant, engaged to march in the parade here. He will be the symbol of the party's might or of its thick-skinnedness, depending upon whether one is looking through Republican or Democratic glasses.

MINERS HURT IN BUS ACCIDENT RED BLUFF

RED BLUFF, Cal., May 23.—(AP)—Fourteen miners were hurt, two seriously, last night when the automobile stage in which they were passengers, overturned 20 miles south of here. The men were riding to the Lundy mine, Modoc county, from a Sacramento employment agency. The men most seriously injured were John Solafino, 38, crushed chest, and Mike Grason, 35, possible broken back.

FROG CROAKS WHEN LADY USES NIBLICK

GREENWICH, Conn., May 23.—(AP)—Miss Marie Jenny is clever with a niblick. In the qualifying round of the Metropolitan woman's golf championship her ball was in the bank of a brook 50 yards from a green. She whaled into muddy sod. The ball came out so did a frog. The ball went to the pin. The frog stayed near the brook. It will croak no more.

STATE GETS \$83,575 CLARK-M'NARY FUND

SALEM, Ore., May 23.—(AP)—Oregon's allotment under the Clarke-M'Nary act for the year ending June 30, 1940, is \$83,575, according to information received by State Forester F. A. Elliott from the United States forestry department. This is \$20,000 more than the state receives for the year ending June 30, this year. The fund is used for the protection of state and privately owned timber.

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man is a creature of impulse. After breaking in the door he may have had one of his lucid moments and lost his nerve. I can't tell you why, but that doesn't affect my conclusions."

I chuckled. "You argue plausibly, Henry. But I insist that it wasn't Furie. Do you mean that he killed Andrew?"

"No, I don't. Ogden refused to recognize Furie's claim; they quarreled. Now, if Andrew had been found dead immediately afterwards we would have concluded that Furie had killed him. But he wasn't. And I can't make myself see that half-blind old desert rat later on creeping in through the side window and stabbing Andrew in the neck. Besides, the principal evidence points elsewhere. As for Dillon, he blackmailed Andrew, certainly. But it doesn't follow that he killed him. No, I am beginning to believe that this new ledge in the Two Brothers is at the root of the thing. Jerry quarreled with his father over it, and Furie attacked you because of it."

"You are very tenacious!" I said. "Has it occurred to you that since Jerry was seen driving along the Peckskella road Friday night he couldn't have fought with me in my den Saturday morning?"

Henry nodded. "It has. But I do know who was wearing those white flannels Friday night. That affair in your den is a minor problem."

"We are getting nowhere," I grunted irritably, standing up. "What do you want to do first? Go over the report, see the mine or interview Furie?"

We soon finished with the gallery. As we started down the gallery stairs it occurred to me to glance at the wall before, the night before, I thought my providential door was located. I saw no door, of course.

On the way over to the Two Brothers, Deacon said that he thought he would see Furie alone. "Very well," I agreed. "I'll put in the time poking around the mine buildings. We'll go into the mine together."

Henry stopped the car at the gash in the flank of the skeletons, and I showed him the shanty. I watched until he passed through the door of the shanty. Evidently Furie was at home, for he did not reappear. Going back to the sedan, I drove on to the mine buildings. When I had spent the prescribed half hour nosing around the plant I trudged back to the canyon. Deacon was coming down the trail, wiping his forehead.

"You found him, eh?"

"Yes. He was mixing a mess of flapjacks, and he didn't see me. He seemed to be talking to a couple of men he called 'Bull' and 'Nap.' But I saw that he was only talking to himself."

"Bull and Nap," I echoed. What did he say to them?"

Henry grinned. "I didn't get much of it, but I've an idea he was talking about you. 'Tis a don't shame a ol' goat like me can't have a bit o' peace without them city sharps a-neen' in, ain't it, Bull? What's that, Nap? Ye reckon he got the daylight's sheared outen him? He-he-he!" He saw me then."

SCATTER GUNNERS GO TO KLAMATH TOURNAMENT

PORTLAND, Ore., May 23.—(AP)—More than 50 residents of Portland and vicinity were today preparing to go to Klamath Falls for the annual trapshooting tournament of the Northwest Sportsmen's association, to be held Friday, Saturday and Sunday of this week. More than two hundred shooters are expected to enter the meet.

Prizes totaling \$1710 in cash and trophies are offered.

INVITE GOVERNORS ATTEND OIL CONFAB

WASHINGTON, May 23.—(AP)—President Hoover has invited the governors of western oil producing states to send representatives to a preliminary conference at Colorado Springs June 10 to consider the possibility of creating an interstate compact for conservation of oil.

This announcement was made today at the White House. The president's action was made upon the recommendation of the federal oil conservation board.

FIRE CHIEF PINCHED. YORK, Pa., May 23.—(AP)—Firing his car too near a fire hydrant Fire Chief L. Ellis Waggoner is out \$2. He was arrested in front of the county court house and fined by the mayor in traffic court.

Farm Relief.

NEWARK, N. J., May 23.—(AP)—A bit of farm relief has come to Charles Roy through steady plugging. Ten years ago he lost his purse while plowing. Plowing the same field this season, he turned up first a silver dollar and then other coins totaling \$5.

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