

AIMEE HAD NO HAND IN SANITY QUIZ

Examination of Mother's Mental Capacity Not Investigated by Evangel, Is Declaration—Ma Resting for Annulment Hearing

LOS ANGELES, July 20.—(AP)—A court denial was made today by Aimee Sempie McPherson that she or any one at Angelus Temple had anything to do with action Saturday that resulted in a mental examination of her mother, Mrs. Minnie (Ma) Kennedy-Hudson.

Hardly a train that returned her to Los Angeles after a tour of her churches in the northwest, the evangelist was confronted with the rumors.

"Neither I nor any of the officials of Angelus Temple had anything to do with any attempt to prove my mother insane," she said. "Such a statement would be absurd and I most certainly would not take a step which would reflect upon my whole family."

Suit Estranged

To another question regarding the estrangement of herself and her mother, Mrs. McPherson replied: "There is no change in our status so far as I know but this while thing has been very unpleasant and my heart goes out to mother in her difficulties."

Meanwhile Mrs. Kennedy-Hudson has disappeared from a beach cottage. Her attorney said she would "rest" until Thursday when her petition for an annulment of her marriage to G. Edward Hudson will be heard in the superior court.

She seeks annulment of the wedding held last June 28 at Longview, Wash., on the grounds Hudson had failed to obtain a divorce from Mrs. L. Margaret Newton-Hudson.

DROUGHT KILLING MANY WILDFOWL EASTERN OREGON

The excessive heat and drought is creating a deplorable condition in eastern Oregon, Ralph Cowgill stated this morning on his return from spending four days in that section in the interests of the state game commission.

Many of the lakes have dried up and the water lines in all are dangerously low. Crump lake, which has never gone dry, is nearing that point and the ducks and geese are in danger of extinction. There was only a 10 per cent batch of birds this season, Mr. Cowgill explained, and the drought threatens to kill many of that 10 per cent.

Hunters invade the territory this fall there will be few birds left to propagate next year.

Hart and Silver lakes are dry and only a small strip of water remains in Summer lake. Feed, as well as water, is becoming scarce and the great honkers and their young, which make their home on the rim of the lake, are growing thin.

The temperature in eastern Oregon was approximately 100 during the three days Mr. Cowgill was motoring through the country and the dry conditions made the heat seem greater. He motored to Lakeview and through the Antelope country, returning to Medford last night.

HOW THEY STAND

(By the Associated Press)

Coast	W.	L.	Per.
San Francisco	9	5	.643
Oakland	9	5	.643
Seattle	9	5	.643
Los Angeles	8	6	.571
Hollywood	6	8	.429
Missions	5	9	.357
Portland	5	9	.357
Sacramento	5	9	.357

MUNICIPAL LINKS ARTISTS COMPETE

PORTLAND, Ore., July 20.—(AP)—The first annual western public links golf tournament opened at the Inverness Golf and Country club here today. The first 18-hole qualifying round will be played Monday and the second round will be played Tuesday.

Frederick Young, chairman of the tournament, said the entry time had been extended until the final two-some leaves the first tee of the qualifying round. This was done in the hope that more Pacific northwest players would enter.

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The fish question is entirely foreign to the plaintiffs in the action contended that construction of wharves for placer mining threatens to alter the shore line, thus causing "irreparable damage."

The defendants claim they are within their rights and are entitled to mining privileges under the navigation laws. They also filed affidavits to show that they were engaged in placer mining as a means of employment, and that

PROSPECT MILL MAY BE SCENE OF BLOODSHED

Sensational Charges in Affidavits Asking Receiver Lewis Brothers' Operation—Affairs Tangled

Sensational charges are contained in affidavits filed this morning in the action of William Machado and his brother, George Machado, for appointment of a receiver by the court, at once, for the Lewis Brothers' sawmill, operating in the Prospect area. The Machados, formerly residents of San Jose, Calif., recently filed suit for an accounting of the affairs of the mill company, claiming a partnership interest.

Ira Grigsby alleges and deposes in an affidavit that "said defendants are inciting the watchman and workers to such a degree that unless a receiver is appointed at once by the court there is very liable to be bloodshed on the property."

Revolver Flourished

Ira Grigsby recounts how, upon one occasion, a revolver was flourished by the watchman of the mill during an argument.

The Lewis Bros. mill is composed of A. D. Lewis, Sr., A. D. Lewis, Jr., and Chester F. Lewis. William Machado, in his affidavits, declares that he "invested \$2500 in the property on promise of the Lewis" that they keep secret the fact that he had served a prison term at San Quentin.

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BLONDE MERMAID STARS IN DIVING

Blonde Georgia Coleman, the country's finest diving star, has enabled the Los Angeles A.C. to retain its national A.A.U. team swimming championship.

Miss Coleman closed the 1931 outdoor championships last night with a close victory over 14-year-old Katherine Rayle of Hollywood, Fla., in the springboard diving event, scoring 148.75 points to 134.52 for Miss Rayle. The five points that went with that triumph gave the Los Angeles A.C. the team title by a margin of two points over the Women's Swimming association of New York 23 to 21. The Washington A.C. of Seattle, represented only by Helene Madison, was third with 20.

DRIVER EXONERATED IN HEAD-ON CRASH

LA GRANDE, Ore., July 20.—(AP)—Ernest Asselin of Boise, Idaho, a stage driver, today stood exonerated of any blame in connection with the death of three persons at Union Saturday. They were killed when their automobile collided with the stage Asselin was driving.

GEHRIG TAKES SPOTLIGHT AS FENCE BUSTER

Yankee Clouter Gets Two Round Trip Tickets in Twin Bill—Far Ahead of Babe and Chuck Klein

(By Gayle Talbot, Jr.)
(Associated Press Sports Writer)

Now that Babe Ruth is not hitting home runs with quite the abandon of other days, Lou Gehrig is showing the customers what he can do along that line.

He was close to the whole show yesterday as the Yanks thumped the St. Louis Browns twice, 10 to 9 and 8 to 2. Going to bat seven times during the afternoon, he punched five hits, including his 27th and 28th homers of the year and a triple. His three hits in the first game drove in seven runs and he propelled two more across in the nightcap. His two home runs put him five ahead of his closest rivals among the four-bagger specialists, Babe Ruth and Chuck Klein.

Hit Beats Indians

Jack Rothrock's single over Averill's head in the 12th inning scored Warstler with the run that gave the Boston Red Sox a 6 to 5 victory over the Cleveland Indians.

The Washington Senators picked up a half game on the idle Athletics by defeating Detroit, 2 to 1, in a pitcher's battle between Lloyd Brown and Art Herring.

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DUCKS IN CELLAR AFTER TWIN LOSS TO OAKLAND OAKS

With Rod and Gun

(By Associated Press)

A pair of victories yesterday was just enough to give San Francisco's Seals an edge over the Mission Reds in the week's "civil war" series. The Seals took the doubleheader by scores of 6 to 1 and 8 to 2 and the series four games to three.

Oakland romped through with a double victory over Portland and clinched the week's series five games to two. The Aacorns took the first game 7 to 5 after they had pounded a quartet of Portland pitchers for 15 hits, and in the following tilt eased over a 2 to 1 win.

Hollywood and the Seattle Indians split yesterday's double header but the single victory was enough to give the Indians the series four games to three. Seattle took the initial contest 8 to 3 and the Stars the second 4 to 3.

Sacramento beat Los Angeles 4 to 1 in the first game but couldn't repeat and the Angels returned to take the second affair 7 to 2.

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MAIL TRIBUNE DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

Solution of Saturday's Puzzle

1. Bull	21. Quantity per unit of time
2. Impression	22. Volcanic matter
3. Minute particle	23. Loose earth
4. Egg-shaped	24. Pills; dial
5. Italian city	25. Remove a cover from
6. Of the nose	26. Weld
7. Ovary	27. Ancient musical symbol
8. Harp	28. Spirited horse
9. Church dignitary	29. Earth; French poet
10. Knave	30. Close by
11. Biblical proper name; Num. 6:24	31. Unites in a league
12. Interrogations	32. Powers
13. View	33. Paradise
14. Great French lake	34. Tennysonian character
15. Secure	35. Upper house of Congress
16. 160 square rods	36. Pertaining to South American mountains
17. Daffodil	37. Bearing a date
18. In this place	38. Gave by
19. Stomped	39. English proverb
20. Manufactured	40. Tennysonian character
21. Notable period	41. Upper house of Congress
22. Velocity	42. Bearing a date
23. One who sings under his lady's window	43. Roman road
24. Interpret	44. English proverb
25. Archaic	45. Fish for lamprays
26. Italian city	46. Fennel name
27. Of the nose	47. Tennysonian character
28. Ovary	48. Underlines
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Pitching to a Pennant



AMERICAN TENNIS HOPE SHATTERED BY BRITISH ACES

PARIS, July 20.—(AP)—For the first time since 1919 the United States will be forced to stand by while the tennis stars of other nations fight it out in the Davis Cup challenge round.

Great Britain's brilliant youngsters, Henry W. (Bunny) Austin and Frederick J. Perry sweep Frank Shields and Sydney B. Wood off the court in Roland Garros stadium in the final two singles matches of the interzone finals yesterday.

Britain won the series three matches to two, and gained the right to battle France in the challenge round starting here Friday.

Trailing two matches to one going into the final day, Great Britain promptly tied the count when Perry blasted his way to victory through Wood, 6-3, 8-10, 6-3, 6-3 and left the whole issue up to Shields and Austin.

Shields started out with a bang to lead 5-2 only to hit a streak of erratic tennis and lose the first set, 6-8, and the next two and the match, 6-3, 7-5.

Wood's defeat by Perry had not been entirely unexpected but Austin's straight set triumph over Shields left the crowd of 8,000 stunned. But the young British stylist deservedly won. He was much the steadier of the two, Shields falling into repeated errors, especially in critical moments where they hurt most.

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YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Coast	R.	H.	E.
Portland	5	12	0
Oakland	7	15	1
Bowman, Kleeen, Graf, Orwall and Woodall; Thomas, Daulta and McMillen.			
Second game:			
Portland	1	4	0
Oakland	2	4	0
Shores and Fitzpatrick; Craghead and Lead.			
(Seven innings by agreement.)			
Los Angeles	1	6	0
Sacramento	4	7	0
Herrmann and Schulte; Hubbell and Lawler.			
Second game:			
Los Angeles	7	9	0
Sacramento	2	8	2
Moss and Campbell; Gillick, Chesterfield, Flynn and Lawler.			
(Seven innings by agreement.)			
Seattle	8	12	1
Hollywood	2	8	4
Keating, Bonnelly and Cox; Page, Wetzel, Anderson and Sever-			
Second game:			
Seattle	2	7	0
Hollywood	4	6	0
Freitas and Rottarini; Turner, John and Mayer.			
San Francisco	6	13	0
Missions	1	5	1
Davis and Baldwin; Leiber, Biggs, T. Pillette and Hofmann.			
Afternoon game:			
San Francisco	8	13	1
Missions	2	12	1
Gibson and Menley; Carter and Brenel.			

BENNETT GIVEN PEN TERM FOR PETTING PARTY

Must Serve Not to Exceed Three Years for Apple-gate Cabin Escapade—Fritz Gets Jail Term

Frank Bennett, logger, 31 years old, found guilty by a jury ten days ago, of a statutory crime involving a 18 year old high school girl, was sentenced to serve an indeterminate term not to exceed three years in state prison by Circuit Judge H. D. Norton.

Bennett's plea for a parole, made by his attorney, Thomas J. Enright, was denied, but the court ruled that the time he has spent in the county jail since his arrest last March, be deducted from his prison term.

Bennett faced a sentence under the law of from three to 20 years. The court in passing sentence said: "I feel that the minimum sentence will serve well the interests of society and serve as a warning to others."

Fritz Sentenced

Richard Fritz, companion of Bennett at the "drinking party," with another young girl, convicted of contributing to the delinquency of a minor child, a misdemeanor, was sentenced to serve eight months in the Jackson county jail, and time served in the county jail since his arrest, was ordered deducted from his sentence.

Fritz, in a personal plea to the court asked to be discharged. "So I can go to work and support my wife and child. This is the first time I have ever been in the hands of the law. I have the promise of a job, and this is the first 'break' I have had since I left Indiana eighteen months ago."

The court told Fritz that "the work plea finds little response, inasmuch as the wives of both defendants were working, no doubt from necessity, at the time of the crime. The court also remarked that Fritz had permitted the use

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