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SLAIN GANGSTERS GIRL ARRESTED

News Behind The News

By PAUL MALLON.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 24.—This secret pamphleteering against the new deal is beginning to look like a national underground campaign.

Paul Mallon

Business men in half a dozen cities say they cannot survey their morning mail without coming across letters from friends, or anonymous pamphlets, containing the latest jibes and jokes about the government.

Most of the stuff is too bad to print, but some of it is at least semi-humorous, as, for instance, the following example gleaned from a stack of such material:

"The business man's prayer:

"NRA me down to sleep;
I pray the Lord my code to keep;—
If I should bust before I wake,
A. F. of L my plant will take."
—And this I ask for heaven's sake."

You may recall that anonymous pamphleteers and jibe-makers have had a rather important hand in all political movements before and after the excellent job they did in fomenting the French revolution.

This current campaign is hardly approaching the revolutionary stage as yet, but it has aroma of centralized conception and skillful execution.

It seems to be the lighter side of a well-backed (financially) organization of efforts against the Roosevelt reforms. Gentlemen who have an ear for keyholes avow that a certain large industry is now creating a Washington organization to keep close tab on new-deal intentions. This happens to be a legitimate move, but it has strong political possibilities, because the particular industry is all against President Roosevelt.

More formidable opposition movements will be started as soon as the congressional elections are over. Preparations for them are already hatched.

The wise ones agree that it would be a waste of money to try to do much against the new deal in the coming congressional elections. They figure it is impossible to make a dent in the Roosevelt strength then.

After that the masks will be off and there will certainly be some close infighting, if nothing more.

Jouett Shouse's new organization is only an extraneous phase of these non-partisan opposition activities. It is supposed to be backed by the Du Ponts of Delaware, among others.

This is the same combination which worked so successfully in propagandizing the repeal of prohibition.

Shouse certainly will have his heart in his work after what the Roosevelt wing did in blocking his election as permanent chairman at the last democratic convention.

The new dealers have not taken such opposition very seriously. Mr. Roosevelt spoofed it at Green Bay. One of his most enthusiastic followers explained this attitude, off the record, the other day, about as follows:

"People say business is disturbed. They do not mean business. They mean the speculators in New York, or bankers. The great average run of business men are not seriously disturbed, although some of them may be complaining, as they always complain at a reform administration."

The Bankhead boys were behind the cotton price pegging by the AAA. They wanted the government to lend 13 cents a pound, but all they could get was 12 cents.

The insiders say similar price-pegging steps will be taken on other major farm commodities.

The idea is that such a system saves the farmer from dumping his products on the market. His debts come due around this time of year. Government loans will enable him to meet his debts and yet hold his crop off the market for better prices later.

J. F. T. O'Connor got his name in the newspapers as possible governor of the federal reserve board, but he never got his name in the hat. A presidential spokesman said some days ago he did not know who would be governor, but O'Connor wouldn't. One reason is Treasury Secretary Morgenthau. He and O'Connor do not like the same things.

A British economist has written a book called "America's coming Boom." In which he says, among other things: "President Roosevelt's rules and regulations at the moment are stiff, but, when young horses are broken in, they require a tight rein at the outset. Subsequently, you can ride them on a snaffle with safety."

More important than the reorganization at the NRA was the fuss created in the aquarium downstairs when they put the republican turtle from Boston into the same tank with a

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WOMAN FIGURES AGAIN IN DEATH DILLINGER AIDE

Pretty St. Paul Maid Seen Often With Homer Van Meter Before Bandit Ambushed, Killed Last Night

ST. PAUL, Minn., Aug. 24.—(AP)—A pretty St. Paul girl who had been seen with Homer Van Meter, slain Dillinger gangster, on several occasions when the desperado made the Twin Cities his headquarters last March, was under arrest here today.

An unimpeachable source said Marion ("Mickey") Conforti, Van Meter's No. 1 sweetheart of Chicago, was in St. Paul two weeks ago in the company of the slain gangster. Miss Conforti, who was one of the three women arrested at Little Bohemia, Wis., when Dillinger and his henchmen escaped a federal trap, is wanted by federal authorities for violating her parole at Madison, Wis.

Lived Near Her

The St. Paul girl lives only a few blocks from where Van Meter was killed last night. He may have been en route to her home at the time he was shot down.

Four times Dillinger henchmen have been wiped out and each time a woman has been closely connected with the shooting.

First was Eugene Green, whose wife Beth Green, saw him fatally wounded in St. Paul by federal officers. Jean Delaney Crompton saw her criminal paramouh, Tommy Carroll, shot down in Waterloo, Iowa.

Dillenger met death at the hands

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CITY WILL SHARE IN HIGHWAY FUND

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 24.—(AP)—The state highway commission today eliminated two projects from its federal fund program to provide $100,000 for extension of the Wilson River road as an aid to timber salvage operations in the burned area of Tillamook county.

The proposed new bridge across the Molalla river on the East Side Pacific highway, $53,000, and the reconstruction of the Columbia River highway at Cascade Locks, $50,000 were eliminated from the $3,100,000 federal highway funds program.

Because the bridge across the Umpqua will not be completed before 1936, the $68,000 allotment for improvement in Reedsport will be withdrawn and the money distributed among the municipalities of Junction City, Grants Pass, Ashland and Medford.

IDAHOANS WILL PRAY FOR NEEDED SHOWERS

BOISE, Idaho, Aug. 24.—(AP)—Governor C. Ben Ross today proclaimed next Sunday as a day of prayer for rain to suppress forest fires and relieve drought.

"There exists throughout the land a condition of widespread distress," he said in the proclamation, "occasioned by a period of prolonged and unprecedented drought, resulting in untold suffering to millions of people and irreparable loss of crops and livestock.

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 24.—(AP)—Portland's city park employes today were back on a six-day week, but the city council turned thumbs down on proposed salary increases.

VICTIM AND ACCUSED IN DOCK RIOT

Police of Portland, Ore., arrested three men and charged them with first degree murder for the slaying of James Connor, 22, in a waterfront riot. Connor, working as a longshoreman, had been married only two weeks. He was fatally shot in a clash between opposing groups of workmen. Upper, left to right: Connor and Bob Husted, one of the accused. Lower, William Fischer and Calvin Krause, the other two men charged with Connor's death. (Associated Press Photos)

$50,000 PAYROLL TAKEN BY BANDITS FROM MAIL TRUCK

BUTLER, Pa., Aug. 24.—(AP)—Three gunmen wearing dark glasses held up an unarmed mail truck driver today and escaped with a $50,000 payroll.

Police said it was the richest haul of its kind in the history of the Pittsburg district.

The money, en route to nearby Lyndora by registered mail, was to meet the payrolls of the Standard Car company and the American Rolling Mills plants.

The robbers overtook the truck only a short distance from the Butler postoffice and maneuvered their two automobiles in such a manner as to Force Marshall C. Lackey, the truck driver, to the curb.

Two men piled out with drawn revolvers, grabbed two sacks of mail, raced back to the waiting machines and sped away.

Lackey told police it all happened so rapidly he scarcely had time to more than throw his hands up. He did not even have a pocket knife with which to defend himself.

While the robbery was in progress an airplane soared overhead, leading district attorney Edgar H. Negley, of Butler county, to express the opinion it might have landed nearby and picked up the robbers.

STROMBOLI ERUPTION FRIGHTENS RESIDENTS

STROMBOLI ISLAND, Italy, Aug. 24.—(AP)—Frightened inhabitants of this and other islands of the Lepari group spent last night in fields, lest new eruptions from Stromboli volcano destroy their houses.

Although the volcano has not erupted since Tuesday, repeated shocks yesterday and fiery discharges from the crater last night caused apprehension.

MEDFORD LEGION GROUP SECOND IN PARADE CONTEST

ASTORIA, Ore., Aug. 24.—(AP)—Transfer of state police control from the governor to a commission was recommended in a resolution introduced today at the state American Legion convention.

Major-General George A. White, Oregon national guard commander and one of the Legion's organizers, submitted the recommendation from the law and order committee.

ASTORIA, Ore., Aug. 24.—(AP)—The Corvallis American Legion drum corps took first honors for the best appearance in the parade at the state convention here last night.

Portland Post No. 1, was second with Roseburg third.

The annual colorful drum and bugle corps competition will be held tonight with the La Grande corps attempting to defend its state championship. Awards also will be made for the best individual drummers, buglers and drum majors.

In the general parade competition, Klamath Falls won with its flashily uniformed delegation and parade section which included a legion and auxiliary drum corps. Medford was second and Tillamook third in parade competition.

The Bonneville Legion won recognition for the best stunt—a large model of the Bonneville dam.

Pear Markets

NEW YORK, Aug. 24 — (AP) — (USDA)—Pear auction market: Prices slightly stronger. 19 cars arrived; 21 California cars unloaded; 7 cars on track.

California Bartletts: 12,169 boxes sold; $2.15@3.15; average $2.59.

Hardys: 678 boxes sold; $1.85@2.20; average, $2.02.

Bosc: 306 boxes sold; $1.65@2.25.

CHICAGO, Aug. 24.—(AP)—(USDA)—Pear auction market: 9 California cars arrived; 13 cars on track; 11 cars sold. Washington Bartletts: 1260 boxes sold, $1.55@2.25; average, $1.80.

California Bartletts: $2.20@2.90.

Anjous: 39 boxes sold at $2.10.

ARM BROKEN IN AUTO SMASHUP

Billy Taylor of the Star route, near Jacksonville suffered a broken arm in an auto accident this morning at 6:45, when a car in which he was riding, driven by Valmire Albert, 937 South Holly, crashed into a telephone post after a tire had blown out on the Byben corner of the Jacksonville highway.

Willis Hodges of Jacksonville, another passenger in the car, suffered cuts and bruises. Albert was taken to Medford for treatment.

Police records show that one of the passengers apparently made a grab for the steering wheel of the auto when the tire exploded.

PREPARE FOR WAR WARNING OF DUCE TO ARMY OFFICERS

Idea of War Floating in Air of Europe Says Dictator at Italian Field Maneuvers—Nation Ready, Is Boast

BOLOGNA, Italy, Aug. 24.—(AP)—The "idea of war is floating in the air" of Europe, Premier Mussolini told 5,000 officers today as he said it behooves Italy to become a "militaristic, even a warlike, nation."

"No one in Europe wishes war," he said as he addressed the men from the turret of a heavy assault tank at the close of Italian army maneuvers. "But the thought of it is all around us.

"At the end of July an unforseen situation developed which was similar to that which prevailed in 1914. If we had not sent out divisions to the frontier complications might have resulted that could not have been resolved except by the voice of the cannon.

Today, Not Tomorrow

"It is not necessary to be ready for the war of tomorrow, but for the war of today."

While his officers cheered him vociferously, Mussolini continued:

"We must become a military nation, even a militaristic nation. We might even add—a warlike nation."

The political, economic and spiritual life of the nation ought to be based on its military necessities. "Because certain nations rise and others decline it develops that, despite goodwill conferences and threatles, war will accompany the fortune of nations throughout the centuries."

Nation Is Ready

The entire Italian people, he added, today is ready to respond as a single unit in case of need.

Waving his hand toward the surrounding fields upon which the maneuvers had taken place, Il Duce continued: "I call your attention to the fact that the ground which has been chosen for the maneuvers resembles that of the Italian eastern frontier—the same broken terrain and even the same lack of water."

Mussolini was wearing the uniform of a corporal of the Fascist militia as he spoke. Among the foreign military officers who heard the address was Capt. Francis Brady, American air attache.

MORE CHARGED IN DOCKER'S SLAYING

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 24.—(AP)—Two more men today were charged with first degree murder of James Conner, bringing to 26 the number facing murder charges for his death in a labor riot here Monday.

The Columbia longshoremen's group, of which Conner was a member, branded as "outrageously false" the statement by the Portland International Longshoremen's association that shots fired when members of the two groups clashed came from inside rather than outside the Columbia hall in which Conner was slain.

The reward offered for apprehension and conviction of the young longshoremen's slayer reached $1,000 today when three local labor attorneys offered $500.

BELIEVE LAD TAKEN BY BAND OF GYPSIES

NEWTON, Ia., Aug. 14.—(AP)—The nation's legal forces searched on today for 11-year-old Walter Robinson, who vanished from his father's workshop here a year ago.

Somewhere, his parents believe, the lad is a captive of a gypsy band wandering along dusty, secluded highways to peddle trinkets in small towns.

Farmer Barbecued By Bandits When Money Hidden

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia, Aug. 24.—(AP)—Roasted alive by torture bandits, Dmitri Radioyevich, a farmer of Gulubats, was at the point of death today in a local hospital.

An effort to save his father from the horrible torture Radioyevich's son, who was bayoneted in cold blood by the bandits and seriously wounded, finally revealed the secret of the hiding place of his father's money. The family hoard totaled $140.

A police investigation disclosed the bandits had strapped the aged Radioyevich to a long pole, then turned him over repeatedly on a fire as though barbecuing a lamb.

ROOSEVELT EYED FOR REACTION TO LIBERTY LEAGUE

Five Democratic Senators Make Public Declaration of Loyalty—Shouse Reiterates Not Fighting F. R.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.—(AP)—President Roosevelt was described today as favoring the recently organized American liberty league so far as it goes in its principles for support of the constitution.

WAHSINGTON, Aug. 24.—(AP)—Every one looked toward the White House today to see how President Roosevelt would react to the American liberty league.

Although the new-born league seemed to some observers to be a forerunner of shattered party lines and a new alignment of "right" camp against "left" it evoked also a demonstration that party ties have strength.

Five democratic senators—whose names had been mentioned in connection with the league—made a public declaration of loyalty to the Roosevelt administration.

Deny New Deal Opposed

From the democratic national committee came a statement quoting the five—Glass and Byrd of Virginia, Gore of Oklahoma, Tydings of Maryland and Bailey of North Carolina—as denying any part in "the formation of a conservative bloc in congress composed of republicans and democrats in opposition to the new deal." The statement said "reports published in republican newspapers" had named them in this connection.

"Any suggestion," Glass said, "that

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J,VILLE MAN IS ACCUSED BY GIRL

A warrant for the arrest of a resident of Jacksonville, charged with a statutory offense, involving a 14-year-old girl, was issued this morning by the district attorney's office. Statements by the girl, and her young brother were taken by the state police yesterday. The alleged crime was committed some time ago. The accused returned recently, was seen by the complaining witness on the Jacksonville streets, and she notified her father.

The accused man is alleged by the girl to have taken her and two other young girls for an auto ride, and parked near the Jacksonville cemetery at night.

The warrant was placed in the hands of the sheriff for service this morning.

TWO ARRESTED AFTER UMATILLA SHOOTING

PENDLETON, Ore., Aug. 24.—(AP)—Allen McMillar, 22, and Henri Diveny, 18, both of Spokane, were arrested here today by state police for questioning into the shooting of Will Shepard, 58, at Umatilla last night.

Shepard, a round house mechanic, was shot when he surprised three men at his garage.

The men were charged with carrying concealed weapons.

SALEM, Ore., Aug. 24.—(AP)—The state prune control board met here today in a special session to consider numerous problems under the recently established prune code.

BASEBALL

National

First game:	R.	H.	E.
Boston	2	7	1
Cincinnati	1	7	0

Brandt and Hogan; Johnson and Manion.

Brooklyn	5	10	3
Chicago	4	11	2

Benge, Mungo and Lopez; Malone, Weaver, Lee, Root and Hartnett.

American

	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	2	8	0
Philadelphia	1	5	0

Hadley, Andrews and Grube; Cain and Hayes.

Detroit	12	17	1
Washington	6	15	2

Auker and Cochrane; Stewart, McColl and Bolton.

Cleveland at New York, Chicago at Boston postponed, rain.

RELIEF ROLLS GO TO LIQUOR BOARD FOR NAME CHECK

Indigent relief rolls of Jackson county have been forwarded to the state liquor commission for checking to determine if any recipients of county doles possess permits. District Attorney George A. Codding said today.

Names of kin of relief receivers have also been forwarded for checking as to their financial status. In many of the public relief agencies relatives make affidavit that they are unable to provide help. The list includes fathers, mothers, brothers, sisters, sons and daughters. The Oregon law requires that if immediate kin are able to provide aid for those distressed they must do so.

The checking is expected to take several weeks. Similar steps have been taken by other Oregon counties in an effort to halt any illegal drains upon the slim relief funds of the various counties. Another object, the authorities state, is to weed out the unworthy from the worthy poor.

The Oregon liquor control act provides that it shall be unlawful for any person upon public charity to possess a liquor permit and further provides for both the cancellation of the liquor permit and the relief.

County authorities do not anticipate many Jackson county names will be found, but admit several are under suspicion. They state that no worthy person will be embarrassed by the new order.

JOSEPHINE FAIRGROUND IS DANGERED BY FIRE

GRANTS PASS, Ore., Aung. 23.—(AP)—Fire which menaced important buildings at the Josephine county fair grounds last night was brought under control with only slight damage.

Firemen were busy for a while preventing sparks from igniting roofs of several buildings.

CHICAGO TEACHERS WILL GET BACK PAY

WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.—(AP)—The reconstruction finance corporation today turned over its check for $22,300,000 to the Chicago board of education for the back pay of that city's school teachers.

BABY RUN OVER BY FATHER'S AUTO, DIES

SALEM, Ore., Aug. 24.—(AP)—Run over by his father's car as it was backing from a driveway, 21-months-old Leland Virgil Olson died today as a result of a fractured skull.

REORGANIZING OF NRA UNDER BOARD ARRANGED BY F. R.

Johnson Will Remain In New Set-Up — Plan Drawn at Long Conference—Chairmanship Not Yet Settled

WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.—(AP)—President Roosevelt is formulating with aides a legislative program for making permanent certain phases of the emergency national recovery act and he announced today he expected Hugh S. Johnson to continue as administrator.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.—(AP)—President Roosevelt arranged today with Hugh S. Johnson for a quick reorganization of the NRA under a board with the administrator to remain in the new set-up.

Plans for reorganizing the NRA within the next few weeks were made at a lengthy conference between the chief executive and Johnson at the White House.

After two weeks' vacation Johnson said he would call upon Mr. Roosevelt in Hyde Park, N. Y., and help effect the changes.

Richberg Also Visitor.

Closely following Johnson to the White House was Donald R. Richberg, counsel of the NRA, who has been reported at odds with Johnson.

The two men met in the president's ante-room and spoke for a few minutes together.

"So far as I am concerned," Johnson said, "I have never had any disagreement with Richberg."

It was emphasized that the reorganization was one originally proposed by Johnson before the president left on his Hawaiian cruise.

Chairmanship Unsettled.

Asked if he would be the chairman of the proposed NRA board Johnson said he did not know about that.

"It has got to be worked out so I will have more time to myself," he said.

Johnson said his call at the White House was occasioned by the fact that there was a "slight misunderstanding about timing" of the NRA reorganization.

TRIO NOT 'IN' ON BROOKLYN HOLDUP

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Aug. 24.—(AP)—The police said they have positively identified Armour Lee Phillips as the husband of Clara Phillips, convicted California "hammer murderess," but said they are convinced that neither he nor two companions arrested today know anything of the Brooklyn armored car holdup.

Captain John Greeden, head of the detective bureau, said: "We have no evidence that would point to these men being involved in the armored car job. However, these three men, I believe, are mmbrs of a gang for which we have been searching for several months.

DEPOSIT INSURANCE SIGNS SENT BANKS

WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.—(AP)—The federal deposit insurance corporation today sent out signs to some 14,000 banks whose deposits are insured by the corporation.

The signs read: "Deposits insured by the federal deposit insurance corporation. Maximum insurance, $5,000 for each depositor."

Ten Commandments for Cupids Guidance Issued By Nazi Eugenics Chiefs

By WALTER E. BROCKMAN,
Associated Press Foreign Staff.

BERLIN, Aug. 24.—(AP)—The nazi government has decided to put marriage on a "rational basis." Eugenics officials issued today a list of ten commandments for guidance of German youth when approaching the complex business of marriage.

It's all right to "marry for love," but first the young couple must consider whether their marriage "helps the nation." "Seek a mate—not a playmate—for matrimony," says one commandment.

It is also undesirable, warns another commandment, for anyone in good health not to marry. Not to do so would break "the chain of the generation."

"Remember always thou are German," says commandment one.

No Healthy Bachelors

Number two urges "thou shalt not, if eugenically fit, remain unmarried. He who without good reason does so, breaks the chain of the generation."

"Hold the body clean," says the third, which concludes with the injunction: "Remember you yourself are a German ancestor."

Number four—"Thou shalt keep the spirit and soul pure," warns against "alien influences" and observes "happiness built on lies soon collapse. You yourself must live up to whatever you expect of your mate."

Choose Nordic Mate

"As a German choose a mate of

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Uncanny Psychic Powers Of Yankee Girl Knocking Britishers for Bally Loop

NEW YORK, Aug. 24.—(AP)—Word came from London today that a Kansas farmer's daughter—rosy-cheeked, dimpled Gene Dennis—is figuratively knocking the Britishers for a bally loop.

Gene has been in London since early spring and is known all over England as the American "girl psychic." She has appeared at three London theaters, has given "readings" at the afternoon teas of a big London hotel, has been interviewed on coming events by most of the large newspapers of England, and in addition has written a weekly article for the London Sunday Dispatch at a pay rate of $250 an article.

Picks Derby Winner.

An Associated Press dispatch from London today attributed her present fame to her sensational prediction that Windsor Lad would win the derby—which he did.

Miss Dennis named Windsor Lad on a London stage when the horse was a rank outsider, five weeks before the race. She repeated the prediction several times, in the face of the fact that Colombo was the odds on favorite. Racing circles admit her prediction influenced the improvement in Windsor Lad's odds.

"The theater managers threatened to break my contract, as there are strict rules against predicting public events," Miss Dennis told the Associated Press, "but everywhere the audiences were yelling for the name, and if I hadn't taken the 'dare,' the

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WILL ROGERS says:

IRKUTSK, Aug. 23.—Pine trees, low mountains, beautiful valleys today. Distances are far here and names have to be long to reach the next town: Retrovsky, Isavod and Verhneudinsk.

A mess of nationalities on this train—English, German, Russian, Swiss, Checks, American Indians, Japanese and the smartest of all is a Chinese, a noted authority on Far Eastern affairs.

Nothing in the world's smarter than one Chinaman and nothing dumber than two. Mr. Roosevelt told me to scout him some new brain material. I am signing this bird up.

Will Rogers

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