

# MILE GALE WETS SMALL BOATS THREE DAYS

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—(United Press.)—A gale at sea with their water exhausted after three days, part of the time at the rate of a 40-mile an hour gale, the West Palm Beach hotel owner, and his servants were brought ashore on the Ward liner.

Several men were sighted in a motor boat Sunday off Daytona Beach. Wet, exhausted, hungry, they had about 24 hours of food. Their engine went out or three miles west of Daytona Beach last Wednesday. They were bound for Miami. From there until their rescue they were buffeted by gales for more than 48 hours. At one time they were 100 miles from the Bahamas. The incident did not attract attention of the public. A small amount of food, two tins of salmon were on board.

Shortly after engine trouble was reported, managed to rig a life line from a tarpaulin, but the boat was powerless to resist the gale. Time and again the boat was threatened to swamp the crew. It was by chance that the crew of the Orizaba, Captain J. J. ... picked up the speck on the sea that turned out to be the motor boat, the Mar... had the speck for a time. ... sighted it again. Brush... in the arms of an... Policeman Bert Douglas... when he was taken to the Orizaba.

# LAWMAKERS IN MINORITY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—The House today voted 119 to 117 they defeated the treasury bill designed to prevent any part of the \$250,000,000 for purchase of evidence in a manner that "would impede or obstruct justice by fraud, deceit, or otherwise to break the law."

The bill was taken after spirited debate in the first in which the House has been raised directly to a recent flare up on prohibition at both ends of the capitol. The bill was taken directly out of the episode of a local hotel, where two dry agents had induced an employe to... an episode widely aired in the House. The two agents spent... during a two-month stay... one posing as a member of the House.

The bill was presented by Representative Tucker of Virginia, Democrat. Wheeler, counsel of the House league, credited the bill to the "wets," and said that the proposed "were applied to other departments of the government where they would reign in the same manner." Wheeler sat through the bill at a vantage point in the gallery.

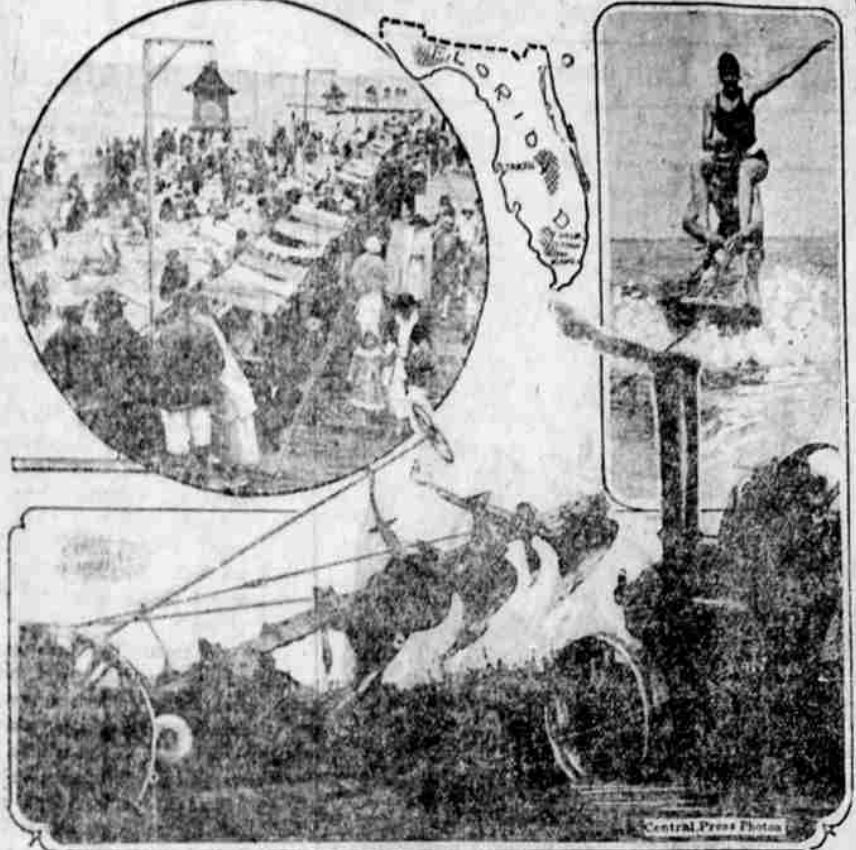
The record vote in the House was secured by the wets in their prohibition enforcement, that they represent but a minority." Wheeler said, "usually they will shrink to one-tenth of their strength in congress."

FILIPINO WINS  
HONOLULU, Dec. 22.—Young... sensational Filipino... tonight, won a technical... over Jackie Newman, California, in the sixth of a scheduled... fight here Monday night.

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# Florida Looks for Greater Development After "Boom"



Florida bankers believe that when the gambling subsides the real development of the state, notably in agriculture, will begin. Already development of the Everglades swamps on a huge scale has begun, and unused lands in other parts of the state (indicated on the map above by cross-lines) are being divided into farms and prepared to raise food for the ten millions Florida hopes to attract to its borders in the next few years. Photos at top emphasize the present—or pleasure—resort phase, in the development of the state; below machinery is seen at work reclaiming the Everglades.

# A NEW CHIEFTAIN RIDES IN ARABIA

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JERUSALEM, Dec. 22.—Paritani, fanatical Moslem with 50,000 Bedouin horsemen at his back has awakened the hope of Arabia that the hated foreigner can be cast out. This suddenly risen star is Ibn Saud, leader of the Wahabi faction of the Moslem faith. He has just captured Jeddah, the Red Sea port to holy Mecca.

King Aki of the Hedjaz, a British puppet, has fled to Yemen. The Wahabi victory, Ali's flight, and the purposeful sternness of Ibn Saud himself are likely to have an immense effect in the Orient, especially in Syria, Trans-Jordania and Palestine. Ibn Saud and his hard riding Bedouins are the undisputed masters of central Arabia. He has a long standing feud with the Emir Abdullah of Trans-Jordania and his next move possibly may be an attack on that British mandate territory in an effort to oust his enemy. Ibn Saud's successes have roused Arabs in Syria and Palestine to new contemplation of independence. His army of Bedouins is capable of imposing his will throughout the entire

desert and of keeping the frontier countries in a ferment. Negotiations now are in progress for the delimitation of the frontier between Iraq and Trans-Jordania. King Feisal, supported by Britain, sits upon the throne of Iraq; the Emir Abdullah in Trans-Jordania owes his throne to the same great power.

# HUNTER BEARS THROUGH

O. B. Myers of Medford got stuck tight in the mud of Tule lake on Sunday while hunting. He was rescued with difficulty by C. M. Sims of the same city. The men had gotten out on the ice early in the day but after a thaw they encountered difficulty in returning to solid ground.

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# AMERICAN KIDS MOST BLESSED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—(United News)—In a Yuletide message to the boys and girls of America President Coolidge said that young people of the United States should have a merrier Christmas than those of any other land because of their advantages.

He transmitted the message through the Boy Scouts, Campfire Girls and other children's organizations, which he praised. The chief executive regretted that there were no such organizations when he was growing up.

"It is in all these ways that boys and girls are learning to be men and women, to be respectful to their parents, to be patriotic to their country and to be reverent toward God," the president said.

"It is because of the great chance that American boys and girls have in all these directions that to them more than to the youth of any other country there should be a Merry Christmas."

# WILL PLAY IOWA

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 22.—The University of California, southern branch, will meet Iowa State on November 27, 1926, Steve Cunningham, graduate manager of the local institution announced tonight. The local team is coached by Bill Spaulding, formerly of Minnesota.



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