

WICKERSHAM REPORT 'WET'

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BOSTON, Mar. 12. (UP)—The famed report of President Hoover's commission on law enforcement and observance was by far more "dry" than it was reported to be, Wickersham, chairman of that body, declared here today.

In an address before the Boston chamber of commerce—the first public utterance he has made on the report since it was filed with the president—Wickersham asserted that large body of anti-prohibitionists were "enraged" because the report did not make possible the immediate return of liquor.

"I should have thought," he asserted, "that the great encouragement derived from the report and the separate statements of the commissioners attached to it than the dry."

He then explained that the "saloon vehement criticism" had come from the anti-prohibitionists, while prohibitionists including the "dry press" were, on the whole, friendly to the report.

"I think," he added, "that a careful study of all these reports will satisfy any impartial mind that these differences are mainly confined to the remedies suggested for the ill recognized in the report."

Wickersham said he believed the abolishment of the legalized saloon "the greatest achievement" of prohibition.

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Secretary of War Patrick Hurley allotted \$52,819,245, the major part of the current congressional appropriation, to rivers and harbors development projects over the country. He hopes to stimulate business and promote inland waterways.

Secretary of Interior Ray Lyman Wilbur said all large oil-importing companies have shown a "willingness" to cooperate in restricting imports, the market being over-supplied. He said it was up to the states chiefly, however, to solve the problem.

Chairman James C. Stone of the farm board said the July 1 wheat carry-over would not be as large as the grain trade estimates. President George S. Milnor of the board's stabilization corporation estimated a figure lower than Stone's.

Secretary of Labor William N. Doak reported a substantial increase in employment in February. It was the first "satisfactory" indication of a general up-trend since October, 1929, he said.

The federal power commission received application from the Columbia River Power company, Seattle, for a preliminary permit to build a \$20,000,000 hydro-electric plant near Stevenson, Wash.

President Daniel Willard of the Baltimore and Ohio and President R. H. Ashton of the American Railway Association discussed war plans with the war policies commission. Willard suggested indirect government control of railroads. Ashton urged peacetime development as preparedness.

Senator Arthur Robinson, republican, Indiana, planned to leave tomorrow for a 25-day investigation of the Philippines. He is a ranking member of the territories committee which is considering Philippine independence bills.

Woman Warrior Meets Defeat In Chinese Battle

SHANGHAI, March 13. (Friday) (UP)—A sister of General Hsiang, notorious Communist, led 3,000 Chinese handbills into a fierce battle today, and met defeat.

The woman directed her forces to attack the town of Lachib.

As the feminine warrior was crossing the Hapeh-Hunan border she was met by government troops of the Forty-Eighth division, under General Han Yuan-Chan. In the fighting that followed there were many casualties and the invaders were finally routed.

Federal Agents Safe Blowers At Capone's Cabaret

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The raiders collected several bottles of liquor from the floor, where customers had tossed them, and then demanded that Jacob Spielman, manager, open his safe.

Today In Klamath's Theatres



CHARIE MURRAY-DOROTHY CHRISTY-G-GEORGE SIDNEY- CAUGHT CHEATING "A Tiffany Production"

Charlie Murray and George Sidney, as two innocents among the gangsters, provide "Caught Cheating," the Tiffany feature production showing at the new Vox theater, with a combination of laughs and thrills that keep you thoroughly entertained from start to finish.

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As cats will wink, Catherine won.

Because her husband couldn't support her "in the manner in which I was accustomed," Mrs. Mellicent Miller, 22, of St. Louis went on a six months buying spree on the charge accounts of other women, but when she had a photograph taken—clerks recognized her as the purchaser of \$1,000 worth of goods to which she was not entitled.

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Officers then began to question him about his recent actions. He said he left San Diego February 4, after being there a week. Virginia Brooks was kidnapped Feb. 11.

Davis said he "hitch-hiked" north to Gilroy, then went to Hollister and finally came here. Sunday night, he admitted, he broke into the home of Mrs. M. Walker here.

SEND OUT HAIL

He is scheduled to leave here Friday for San Quentin.

Local authorities sent to San Diego details of Davis' arrest and asked for any information that might help them in questioning him.

After being with Davis several hours, Chief Griffin said he doubted that the young man was implicated in the kidnaping.

A strand of hair was clipped from the suspect's head and sent to San Diego police for comparison with several hairs that were clasped in the girl's hand when her body was found on Camp Kearney mesa near San Diego two days ago.

Authorities indicated they would not try to interfere with plans to take Davis to San Quentin tomorrow.

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The case was tried in circuit court on appeal from the justice court where Petersteiner, an aged man residing at Algoma, was convicted and fined \$300.

In presenting the state's case yesterday Deputy District Attorney D. E. Van Vactor called Federal Officer Colby and State Officer E. K. Oaks who testified to buying two gallons of moonshine from Petersteiner, one gallon on June 10, 1930 and the other eight days later.

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John Sweeney was absent from school on account of illness, Wednesday.

Bill Marshall returned to school Tuesday after a short illness.

A dinner was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Kiger Sunday in honor of Mrs. Estlin Kiger's birthday.

The Henley high school basketball team defeated the Boy Scouts from the Sacred Heart Academy, Tuesday night by the large score of 48 to 13. Despite the score, the game was very interesting. The academy team was: Kruger and Vaughn, forwards; Rouchneck, center; Colwell and Fitzgerald, guards.

The Henley team was as follows: Hess, Durant and Dehlinger, forwards; Gerle Helling, center; Relling, Hayes, Marshall and Short, guards.

SCROOL BOYS WIN

The Henley high school boys basketball team defeated the Henley Community team by the score of 38 to 30, Friday evening. Hess led the high school team with 25 points, while Cecil Haley led the Community hoopers with 14 points. The high school lineup follows: George Relling, Wilbur Relling, Karl Dehlinger, Jack Hayes, Charles Hess and Jerry Short. The Community's lineup: Kenneth Kiger, Karl Jackson, Cecil Haley, "Perch" Hestline, Chas. Booth and Estlin Kiger.

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The diary, with other documents, was turned over to the district attorney's office by a man to whom it had been entrusted by Mrs. Day. She gave it to him after a quarrel with Jobelmann.

The man glanced through the diary, found the name of a young girl relative, and took the book to the district attorney.

MRS. DAY MISSING

Meanwhile, Mrs. Day had not been seen since she obtained release on \$25,000 bond here last Friday midnight. The case, that of Clarice Tauber, 16, whom she assertedly introduced to Mills, Mills is at liberty under \$5,000 bond in this case in addition to having posted \$15,000 in the San Diego party arrest. When Mrs. Day is located, she will be required to post bond in San Diego, a warrant for her arrest having been issued there.

Pantanes remained in Arua Caliente, Mex., today. He has several horses running at the track there. The former multimillionaire showman, who speaks broken English, has refused to elaborate upon his earlier statement that he knows nothing of the asserted party.

WIFE FAILS TO JOIN SUICIDE

Oscar A. Falk shoots wife when she fails to join suicide pact.

SEATTLE, March 12. (UP)—Oscar A. Falk, 62, shot and killed himself here today after he had failed to persuade his wife to join him in a suicide pact.

Falk was said to have been depressed because of financial reverses, and wished to have his wife accompany him to a cheap rooming house where he planned to "turn on the gas and end it all" for both of them. His wife refused, however, as her religion holds suicide a sin.

Falk was sitting in his home today when his wife returned, accompanied by a friend, Mrs. Anna Drange. He asked his wife if he could have a minute alone with her, and she entered another room, produced a revolver and pointed it at her. Mrs. Falk screamed and ran.

The scream, however, attracted the attention of Mrs. Drange, who turned around just in time to see Falk fire a bullet at his head. The lead glanced from the elder by man's skull. He then pointed the gun at his heart, but his hand wavered so that he missed. Suddenly growing desperate, Falk shoved the gun against his stomach and fired twice.

He was dead when police arrived.

Mayor Walker 'Wisecracks' on Many Charges

DALLAS, Tex., Mar. 12. (UP)—James J. Walker, Dapper mayor of New York City, left here for El Paso tonight after stopping in Dallas long enough to laugh at reports of an investigation of his administration and say "Howdy" to J. Waddy Tate, "Hot Dog" mayor of this Texas city.

Faithlessly attired with his hat brim snapped at a jaunty angle, Mayor "Jimmie" declared that if it were a crime to smile at charges of corruption, "then I certainly am a criminal."

"What is there to say?" he asked. "If I say nothing, I am accused of being indifferent. If I say anything, I am charged with endeavoring to obstruct the investigation."

Mayor Walker said he was like the man who, when asked if he would attend his mother-in-law's funeral, answered: "No, but I'm interested in it."

When asked what chances might come about in the prohibition amendment, the executive leaned forward as if to impart a great secret.

"There will be no changes for many years to come," he confided.

"Oh, they'll kick about it at the next National party convention, but no drastic changes can be made. It's my observation that each constitutional amendment requires another law to enforce it."

Mayor Walker is en route to Palm Springs, Calif., where he will remain for about two weeks at the home of Samuel Untermyer.

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