It May Come to This

in Hunt for Chain Man

Lincoln Divided Into Districts and Combed for "Manacle Man" Who Held Omaha Girls.

Gus Hyers Takes Charge

Fred Brown, alias Gus Grimes, exconvict of Iowa and Nebraska, now wanted in connection with his chain atrocities against two girls and their would-be rescuer at Benson Sunday.

is still at large, State Sheriff Gus Hyers, who returned hurriedly from the sandhills district of the state to take charge of the man hunt, broadcast descripions of Brown by radio from the staion of State Engineer George John-

son in Lincoln last night.

A regular military siege of the city of Lincoln was mapped out by the state sheriff and posses spent the entire day in the search. The town was divided into districts and the officers divided into small groups, each assigned to a district. Posse on Trail.

In the posse are Omaha detectives, Douglas and Lancaster county sheriffs, Eincoln city police, Warden Fenton with guards from the penitentiary and parole officers who would recognize Brown by sight Railroad detectives are aiding in the hunt and searching all trains leave. hunt and searching all trains leaving Lincoln

Action of the officers was centered on Lincoln because of Brown's hold appearance on the street there Tuesday afternoon when he was set upon by a woman who used to live at the same rooming house he occupied, but escaped and cluded a crowd of several hundred pursuers by dodging into another rooming house.

Here he forced an occupant to give him food, keep watch while he rested and allow him to depart in peace, at the point of two revolvers.

peace, at the point of two revolvers. Omaha Residents Excited.

Meanwhile, numerous reports were being received at Omaha police headquarters of "a man answering the description of that fellow Brown

acting queer out here." These reports came from all sections of the city. Each was followed up closely, the police working on any possible clue toward capturing the "manacle man of Ben-

quor law violators.

He conferred with Omaha and incoln officials, sheriffs of the two ounties, and agreed with them the nunt should be centralized in Lin-He asked for men from all

branches of the law enforcement in the two cities and counties and called the conference for 11. At that conference the city of Lin-coln was platted off into blocks, Officers were assigned to each block, and the careful combing of every

block in the city was inaugurated.
From Omaha, Deputy Sheriffe
Charles Hoye and Nick Halter and Detectives Andy Trapp and Benny Danbaum were sent to join the Meanwhile Omaha deputy sher-

iffs and police officers were keeping a sharp lookout for Brown should ie succeed in making the trip to Gets \$300 in Cash.

Brown had entered the bank between I and 2 Monday afternoon and with-

drawn \$300 on deposit there in his

boarded by officers all night Tues-day and ridden several miles out of necessary to prevent high prices.

The various with Secretary Hoover, in addressing the conference, said that action is the city as the officers searched "We are producted from the prices."

Brown will shoot to kill when cornered, Omaha police allege, recalling one occasion when Detective Arthur Cooper, who was shot and killed by Nels Johnson, a burglar, sought to arrest him near Fifteenth and Cass streets for the alleged theft of an automobile.

Of bituminous coal a week, "said Mr. Hoover. "Our consumption is from 8,000,000 tons a week. We are drawing from stocks at the rate of probably 3,500,000 tons a week. "In the last disturbance prices went from \$6 to \$10 to eyen as high as \$15 per ton at the mine.

Brown drew a heavy pistol and snapped the trigger, but the cartridge failed to explode and Cooper grappled with him.

The unrestrained operation of the law of supply and demand can eatily carry the price to \$10 or \$12 at the mine and I believe you will agree

Other officers came to Cooper's with me that that must be pre-

aid and had to beat Brown into in-sensibility before they could get him to police headquarters.

Again, when Robert Samardick, former city detective, sought to arrest Brown in Benson on charges of sending threatening letters demanding money, Brown stepped suddenly from behind a tree, fired twice at the officer and wounded him in the left arm. Brown later was arrested for the shooting

for the shooting.

Omaha police never were notified Brown had been paroled, Lieut. Jack Pszanowski declared yesterday.

"The parole board at Lincoln never notified us that Brown was paroled," said he. "We knew he was a desperate man and we are the ones who ould know when such men as he

Finds Temporary Refuge

in Lincoln Rooming House

Radio Used This Is Fred Brown; Have You Seen Him?



Fred Brown.

Maximum Prices on Coal at Mines Fixed by Hoover

Secretary Announces Action Taken as Means to Prevent Profiteering During Remainder of Strike.

By GRAFTON S. WILCOX.

Washington, May 31.— Fair maximum prices for bituminous coal at the mine for three districts were an-

\$3.50 per ton for the Harlan and Hazard fields of Kentucky and the Southern Appalachain fields of Tennessee and Kentucky. The prices apply only on spot coal.

would assume personal responsibility for fixing minimum prices as a means of preventing profiteering. Because of possible infringement on anti-trust laws, Mr. Hoover said that he would ask the operators. State Sheriff Gus Hyers arrived in Lincoln yesterday morning at 2. He has been up in the sandhills of northwestern Nebraska hunting stills and liquor law violators.

Announcement of what he consid ers fair prices was made by Secre tary Hoover in separate statements dealing with the three distrets.

Secretary Hoover summarizes his plan as follows: 1. That the Garfeld prices run of mine coal should be the basis of computing sale prices with such adjustments as are necessary to wholesale selling costs, changed conditions at the mines and other fac-tors that will be fair to the public and the operators maintaining pro-

3 That each district should nominate to the secretary of commerce, a committee to advise with him on conditions which bear on the Gar-field level and on which a basis of fair prices in each district may be established by the secretary.

3. That after the fair prices have been established, these district com-Charles Robinson, teller in the mittees should report to the secre-First National bank at Lincoln yes-terday morning verified the story that profiteering and act as he requests profiteering and act as he requests to meet such cases.

Committees Named.

He said he did not call police be-cause at that time he had not read the morning papers and knew noth-discuss the situation in the various districts with Secretary Hoover. Following the general conference "We are producing 5,000,000 tons of bituminous coal a week," said Mr.

"In times like this somebody must take the responsibility. Someone must take the leadership and say what is fair. I am, therefore, not

of League Meets June 6 Geneva, May 31 .- (By A. P.)-

The economic and financial commis-sion of the league of nations will meet here June 6 to examine questions referred to the league by Genoa conference. The include customs, tariffs, exportation of capital, commercial treaties, investigations of the financial status of several countries and similar matters.

University Head Kills Self. Lincoln, May 31.—(Special.)—
Fred Brown was almost captured in Lincoln yesterday afternoon by a woman who knew him, but he jerked free from her and escaped.

From the clutches of the woman (Turn to Page Two, Column One.)

Column One.)

From the Lincoln Rooming House

Vancouver, B. C., May 31.—Gordon Charles Davidson, vice president in the University of British Columbia, shot and killed himself yesterday. He was 37 years old. He was gassed overseas and for some time had been in ill health.

Pickford Rail Unions Prepare for Vote on Strike Divorce Is

Carson City, Nev., May 31 .- Mary

Carson City, Nev., May 31.—Mary Pickford's divorce from Owen Moore was sustained today when the Nevada supreme court affirmed the order of District Judge Frank P. Langan, quashing service of summons in the action brought by Attorney General Fowler to set aside the decree granted the movie star.

The divorce of Mary Pickford, motion picture star, from Owen Moore, also a screen actor, at Minden, Nev., March 20, 1920, precipitated an action by the state for the dissolution of the decree on the ground that Miss Pickford's residence in the state had not covered the condition required by law. The district court, in which the divorce was granted, was asked to review its decision and reverse itself, but held that the action had been regular in every particular and that

regular in every particular and that the decree should stand. Attorney General Fowler then appealed to the state supreme court, charging that divorce was obtained through "fraud and collusion" on the part of Miss Pickford, and holding that the Minden court had no juris-

The defense answered that the state was not an aggrieved party and therefore had no authority to prose-cute the action. Arguments were heard here with the personal appearance of both counsel, January 30.
Gavin McNab of San Francisco was chief counsel for Miss Pickford.
Miss Pickford married Douglas Fairbanks, also a motion picture actor, two weeks after her divorce.

Mary Very Happy. San Francisco, May 31 .- "I am very, very happy; more happy than I can express," said Mary Pickford, when informed of the decision of the

Bill Introduced

tative Tincher.

By GEORGE AUTHIER.

Washington Correspondent Omana Dec. Washington, May 31. — (Special Telegram.)-Representative Tincher of Kansas, who has introduced the new grain bill regulating trading in futures, said he expected house ac-tion on his bill within a short time. Senator Capper has introduced the same bill in the senate, both going into the hopper today.

The farm bloc is solidly behind the new measures, as it was behind the original law which was declared unconstitutional by the supreme

The new bill, as explained by Mr Tincher, has received the approval of well-qualified lawyers. He thinks it will stand up. Its provisions are the same as the original bill, except the taxing power is not used to enforce its provisions and, patterned after the packer control law, the enforcing provisions are based upon the interstate commerce features of the grain-trading business.

Masked Bandits Kill

under a seat. The leader of the bandits started shooting and the first Graduate From Langley bullet struck Mrs. Wilkins above the heart. She died before reaching a

Wyoming Bank Robbed

Shot Bob Samardick.

While being closely questioned the soin closely questioned the soin conditions among yourselves which is illegal. I propose to consult with you as to conditions. I am going to ask you as to conditions. I am going to take the responsibility upon myself as to what is fair. I am going to contained \$1,000 in new Wyoming ask the operators to do what is fair.

Shot Bob Samardick.

While being closely questioned the soin of the Shobers who blew the safe of the Shobers who beers who blew the safe of the Shobers who beers who blew the safe of the Shobers who beers who blew the safe of the Shobers who blew the safe of the Shobers who beers who blew the safe of the Shobers who beers who blew the safe of the Shobers who beers who blew the safe of the Shobers who beers who blew the safe of the Shobers who beers who blew the safe of the Shobers who beers who blew the safe of the Shobers who beers who blew the safe of the Shobers who beers who blew the safe of the Shobers who beers who blew the safe of the Shobers who are the safe of the Sh

Divorce Is

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Ban on Marriage of McCormick Girl **Asked in Court**

To Ask Court Action to Prevent Mathilde's Marriage to Swiss Riding Master.

Chicago, Ill., May 31 .- (By A. P.) -A petition for a restraining order to prevent the marriage of Miss Mathilde McCormick. 17, grand-daughter of John D. Rockefeller, to Max Oser, former Swiss riding mas-ter, more than twice her age, was presented in probate court today on

behalf of her mother, Mrs. Edith Rockefeller McCormick.

Probate Judge Horner announced he would grant letters of guardianship of Mathilde to her father, Harold F. McCormick, president of the International Harvester com-

Objections to Marriage.

Mrs. McCormick in her petition objected to the proposed marriage because of the disparity in the ages of the girl, and Oser, and because the marriage would make Mathilde a

Mrs. McCormick's petition was Mrs. McCormick's petition was filed by her counsel, Attorney Charles S, Cutting, in the guardianship proceedings, although no objection was offered to Mr. McCormick as Mathilde's guardian.

In the arguments of the attorneys, Edward Cassel, representing Harold McCormick, told the court the arguments presented by Mr. Cutting and the petition nover before had been offered in court.

been offered in court.

No Consent Before Saturday. After stating that he agreed with House Action Expected in

Short Time by Representative Tincher.

Attorney Cassel that only under "grave circumstances" should the court interfere, Judge Henry L. Horner stated that to properly bring the matter into court, attorneys for Mrs. McCormick should present a petition, setting up the objections to Miss Mathilde's marriage, instead of including them in the answer to the briginal guardianship proceedings.

The court therefore continued the motion for a restraining order until Saturday when a hearing will be held on the petition. Attorney Cutting agreed to the continuance after Mrs. Cassel assured the court that no consent to the marriage would be given by Mathilde's guardian before

Letters of guardianship were then ordered issued to Harold McCormick upon approval of bonds in the sum of \$20,000. Mathilde returned to Chicago yesterday from New York, where she was virtually halted at the pier in

preparation for a voyage to Switzer-land in company with Julia Man-gold, Oser's former secretary, who had been Mathilde's guest.

Falls City Youth Is Drowned in Lake

Falls City, Neb., May 31 .- (Spe-Woman in Auto Holdup Robert Shepard, 14, was drowned in San Francisco, May 31.—Motor squads of police were searching to-day for three masked men who shot panions had gone ashore. While and killed Mrs. Annie Wilkins as she and has husband and the same as the summer and the same and and killed Mrs. Annic Wilkins as she dressing the boys heard koper and her husband and their two children were returning last night from an automobile camping trip.

dressing the boys heard koper will be entitled to 3,000 this year. The camp will be held from August was appointed to draft the new clocking the new clocking the prank, they ignored his yells. I to 30. Applications will be returned and another majority conserved at the local army headquarter ference will be held to fix a time to bring the plan before the senate. an automobile camping trip.

The bandits opened fire after minutes waiting, the boys became crowding the Wilkins car to the curb alarmed and summoned help. The crowding the Wilkins car to the curb of a city street and holding up the family. Wilkins handed over \$300, minutes, Robert graduated from the food. but as the bandits started back to grade school two weeks ago. He their car he reached for his rovolver was considered a good swimmer.

Field School Is Kille

Richmond, Va., May 31.-William A. Sydnor of North Carolina, who was graduated from the Langley field photographic school, was killed late

Air Cop Needed in Chicago

Flyer Buzzes Around Chimney Tops in Complete Disregard of City Ordinance-Alderman Drafting Ordinance for Purchase of Plane.

man has become a necessity in Chica-go, Alderman Eli M. Frankhauser as-

Chicago. May 31.—An aerial police- ordinances requiring airplanes go, Alderman Eli M. Frankhauser asserted after a vain search for some one to arrest an aviator who has been buzzing disagreeably about the heads of his constituents in Lake View and Edgewater for the last two weeks.

while flying over the city.

"How do you expect us to get him? Lasso him?" answered Chief of Police Fitzmorris when the city father presented his complaint. "It would mean just one more policeman up in the air if we did."

Alderman Frankhauser then began

City in Danger.

HELLO .

YOUR HURRY !

THERE WAS TIMES WHEN I THOUGHT

HEVER GIT HERE

of Losing Air Mail Service From Congress.

Dunphy Says Route May Be Changed Unless Field Is Provided for Night

Flying. A. R. Dunphy, superintendent of the air mail service. Central division, told members of the Rotary club yesterday noon in Hotel Fontenelle that Omaha will be in danger of losing the air mail service unless a landing field adequate for night

flying is provided. A committee of Rotarians will confer with the Chamber of Commerce, with a view of preventing the loss of air mail service here. "Night flying is contemplated," said Mr. Dunphy, "We can't use Ak-Sar-Ben field for night flying. If we don't take some action here quickly we may force the air mail out of Omaha. Denver, Kansas City and St. Louis are endeavoring to change the route. Omaha at

present is on the only transconti-

iental air route.' The speaker asserted that an mail field in a city denotes progress, and he added that \$50,000 a year is paid in salaries to the local personnel of the service. He read statistics showing that the air mail advances delivery 18 to 24 hours and stated that 12,000 letters are received here every day from Chicago by air mail. Maj. Fred L. Lemmon, assistant adjutant of the Seventh army corps area, urged a general interest in the citizens' military training camps which are held every summer, ac-June 15. The government pays rail-road fare and furnishes clothing and

B'nai B'rith Neutral on Zionist Question

Resolutions indicating a neutral stand on the Zionist question were passed by the B'nai B'rith district lodge at the closing session of its annual convention, at the Blackstone, Wednesday afternoon. Not all members of the order are

Palestinian advocates and the Zion-ist question is not à B'nai B'rith isue, leading official averred. Omaha Zionists proposed the ution of endorsement. Committee reports completed the final session. Next year's meeting will be held at Duluth, Minn.

German-Poland Agreement

on Upper Silesia Adopted

Berlin, May 31.—(By A. P.)—
The reichstag adopted the German-Polish agreement on upper Silesin which was recently concluded by a joint commission meeting at Gen-The people's party and comnunist deputies voted against ratification.

Pope Celebrates Birthday Rome, May 31.—Pope Pius cele-brated his sixty-fifth birthday today. He received numerous congratula-

Kinkaid in Race

Reconsiders Reconsideration of Reconsideration to Withdraw

Washington, May 31—(Special)—
Congressman Kinkaid of the Sixth
Nebraska district has reconsidered
the reconsideration of his reconsideration of his withdrawal from public life and, at this moment, is a
candidate for re-election.

tirement two weeks ago, due to ill health. Telegraphic requests from constituents caused him to reconsider, and he said he would again seek the republican nomination.

Later, finding that Secretary of
State Amsberry had filed, Mr. Kinkaid formally withdrew. Now, having heard from Amsberry that the latter is willing to withdraw, Kin-

kaid again reconsidered and decided to stay in the race.

Judge Kinkaid's decision is accompanied by a reservation to the effect that he will continue as a candidate unless his candidacy embarrases others who may have become candidates. The judge spent all day today reading telegrams and letters from friends urging him to stay in the race for personal and party reasons.

Senate G. O. P. Agreed on Move for Cloture

Washington, May 31:-Republican senators today committed themselves to the movement designed to bring about amendment of the long existing senate rules permitting unlimited debate. By a vote of 32 to 1, the republican conference decided to draft and press a new cloture rule. Whether the cloture effort would be made while the tariff bill is pending was not decided. The prospects, however, were said to be that action on the cloture proposal would bring the plan before the senate.

War Department Supply

Bill Reported to Senate Washington, May 31.-Te annual War department appropriation bill carrying \$333,972,000 was reported today to the senate by its appro-priations committee. The measure, as it is returned, is \$49,985,000 larger than as gassed by the house, but apestimates of the coming year's expenditures.

For pay of enlisted men the meas-use appropriates \$60,981,000, sufficient for an army of 133,000. The ginia, all republicans; and Simmons proviso is made that the size of the North Carolina; Walsh, Massachu in emergency. The appropriation for the officer personnel, limited to an average of 12,530, totals \$35,390,-000. The house appropriations for these two items, the largest in the bill, were \$48,863,000 and \$26,896,-000, respectively.

Tribute Paid to Roosevelt

in Oyster Bay Cemetery Oyster Bay, May 31 .- A parade led by Acting Secretary of the Navy Theodore Roosevelt and comprising delegations from the American Legion, G. A. R., Veterans of the Span-ish-American war and the Boy Scouts opened memorial services held yesterday for the late President Theodore Roosevelt. More than 5,000 persons visited his

grave in Young's Memorial ceme-tery. Included in the organization which sent delegates was the Interweeks.

The aviator, the alderman complained, flew around the chimney to draft a resolution providing for plained, flew around the chimney to be purchase by the city council of the purchase by the city council of the city a municipal airplane.

Alderman Frankhauser then began tory telegrams and best wishes were sent to him by all the cardinals and collegiate Association of New York archaishops. The vatican presented by 200 tops in total disregard of the city a municipal airplane.

Senate Finance **Body Approves**

MORRI

Bank Loan Provision Retained -Effective Date of Legislation Changed to Jan-

Washington, May 31.-The house soldiers' bonus bill, amended in sev-eral important particulars, but with the document, Mr. Churchill dethe much-discussed bank loan pro- clared. vision reta'ned, was approved today by the senate finance committee by a vote of 9 to 4. Chairman McCumber proposed to report the measure to the senate within a few were being held in Dublin as a prowere being held in Dublin as a prowere being held in Dublin as a prowere being held in Dublin as a prodays and said he hoped to get action on it before the passage of the tariff hill.

After Secretary Churchill's speech

tariff bill. The more important alterations The more important alterations bade in the house measure were:

The changing of the effective date of the legislation from October 1 to January 1, 1923.

plan and the substitution of a provision under which veterans would

on public or Indian lands when opened to entry. Forfeiture Eliminated.

be given preference in making entry

Elimination of the forfeiture provision under which veterans failing to repay loans made by banks of the government on adjusted service their certificates.

Under the amended bill such veterans could reclaim their certificates at any time before their maturity, 20 payment of the sum they were in default, plus interest at 4 1-2 per cent. Approval of the later house mysure, commonly called the McCumber

plan, was voted by the committee plan, was voted by the committee after rejection, 8 to 5, a measure offered by Senator Smoot of Utah, and chickens on her husband's farm ranking committee republican, proposing paid-up life insurance in lieu
of all other forms of compensation.
On the vote for the McCumber

At the Nonpartisan league convenmeasure, Senator McLean broke the tion here several months ago she bettie that had existed among the 10 came so excited making a speech in republicans of the committee as be-tween two propositions. Besides Mr. McLean, those supporting the American devices an analysis of the convention hall. ber North Dakota; La Follette, Wisconsin; Watson, Indiana; Curtis, Kansas, and Sutherland, West Virarmy shall not exceed 140,000 except setts, and Gerry, Rhode Island, democrats. Want Quick Action.

> ity member of the committee, said democrats supported the Mc Cumber plan not because they fa-(Turn to Page Two, Column Four.)

> > The Weather

Senator Simmons, ranking minor

Porecast. Thursday: Fair and warmer. Hourly Temperatures.

Highest Wednesday. 46 Pueblo 46 Rapid City 58 Sait Lake 46 Santa Fe 64 Sheridan 16 Stoox City 62 Valentine

British to Block Irish Republic

Foreign Secretary Charges Recent Agreement Strikes at Provisions of Anglo-Irish Treaty.

Troops May Take Dublin

Belfast. May 31.—(By A. P.)—Fierce rioting occurred this afternoon in the Milnelds district of Belfast, following the shooting of two special constables, Roulston and Campbell, who were badly wounded, Incendiarism and bombing were rampant, and the crown forces used machine guns. Several persons were reposted killed.

London. May 31.—(By A. P.)—
British troops will prevent the establishment of a republic in Ireland,
if such action should become necessary, Winston Spencer Churchill,
foreign secretary, declared in the
house of commons today during debate on the Irish situation.
"In the event a republic is set up."

"In the event a republic is set up," he said, "it is the intention of the British government to hold Dublin as one of the preliminary and essential steps of military operation." Content With Provisions.

In the original statement, Mr. Churchill declared that the provision of the recent agreement between the Irish factions that four anti-treaty men be included in the new Dub-lin government after the election provided for by the free state treaty, vided for by the free state treaty, strikes directly at the provisions of the latter treaty: adding that the British making the treaty did not demand that the members of the Irish paraliament should take the oath prescribed by the treaty for the free state parliament, when finally constituted.

"We were content," he said, "with the provision inserted in Article 17 of the treaty, that the members of the government should in this

the government should in this interim period sign a declaration of adherence to the treaty which here-tofore has ben signed willingly by all the members of the provisional

In Bona Fide Manner. Bonus Measure

"If Mr. De Valera and his three anti-treaty men, or whoever the ministers are to be who are to come into the government ofter the election, are willing to sign that declaration in a bona fide manner we will have no grounds for complaint, but if they become members of the government without signing that declaration the treaty is broken by that very fact."

The imperial government would

not, in any circumstances, agree to deviate from the treaty, either in the

Arthur Griffith and Michael Collins said the colonial secretary had made a perfectly fair presentation of the

situation January I, 1923.

Removal of the time limitation on the filing of applications by world war veterans for adjusted service compensation.

Abandonment of the reclamation plan and the substitution of a proernment's invitation to confer re-garding the situation in Ireland. He said they were going on the distinct understanding that they would not meet the Dublin representatives.

Woman Candidate

Lincoln, May 31.—(Special.)—The third party will be the first political party in Nebraska to put a woman caudidate in the field.

man, announced today Mrs. Emma Hamlin Paul of Harvard would be

the third party nominee for secre-

tary of state. She is a state university graduate, At the Nonpartisan league conven-

Candidate for Presidency

of U. S. Three Times Expires Pana, Ill., May 31.—Henry E. Simpson, 82, of Pana, three times an aspirant for the presidency of the United States, died yesterday at Broken Arrow, Okl., where he had been for the past six months on ac-

A candidate before the republican national convention in 1880, Mr. Simpson lost the nomination to President Garfield. He left the republicans and made a second attempt for a nomination with the so-called greenback party, but failed again. He dropped out of politics then, and made no further attempts until 1912 when he organized the People's Christian party, and was its presidential nominee. He secured a sprinkling of votes.

Chile's Reply Unfavorable. Washington, May 31.—(By A. P.)

—An unfavorable reply by Chile to
the Peruvian proposal to arbitrate
the sovereignty of Tacna-Arica is understood to have been presented at today's joint session of the Chile

can-Peruvian conference