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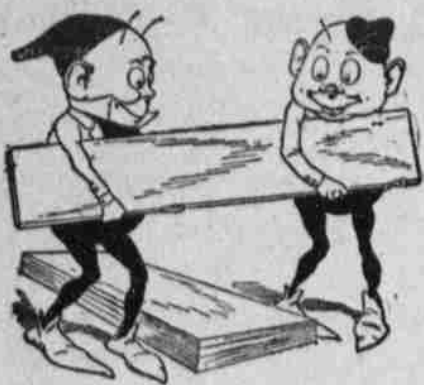
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SAILS NEAR GULF

Indiana Must Swerve Course to
Break Distance Record.

WINS THE ENDURANCE TEST.

Pilot and Aide of Aircraft Still Flying Claim They Only Dropped Down Near Enough to Earth in Tennessee to Let Down Line and Get Bucket of Water—Other Racers Have All Been Heard From.

Indianapolis, June 8.—If the balloon Indiana is not disqualified by touching earth, it has broken the American endurance record, which has stood for a year at forty-four hours. Starting in the national distance race of the Aero Club of America from this city Saturday afternoon, two reports have been received from the Indiana. The first was that it had touched the earth in Tennessee and had taken on water and proceeded toward the south. If this be true, the balloon is disqualified under the rules of the international aeronautic federation. A second dispatch, received in this city and signed by the pilot, Carl Fisher, and the aide, G. L. Bumbaugh, has stated that they dropped down near enough to earth to let down a line and draw up a bucket of water. Under the latter conditions the Indiana has not been disqualified and has broken the endurance record.

It is not possible, according to available information, that the Indiana has broken the distance record of 852 miles, for it was traveling due south and would come to the gulf coast almost 100 miles short of the record established by the German balloon Pomerin, in the international race last year, for the James Gordon Bennett trophy, starting from St. Louis, and landing at Asbury Park, N. J.

The last of the six balloons entered in the national distance race from which a definite landing report has been received is the St. Louis II, which dropped at Kelo, Tenn., having covered about 340 miles. Albert Lambert was the pilot and H. E. Honeywell the aide. The other balloons landed as follows, covering the following approximate distances: The New York, A. Holland Forbes pilot, landed at Corinth, Miss., covering 375 miles in 36 hours and 10 minutes; the University City of St. Louis, traveled 340 miles, landing at Blanche, Tenn., time 25 hours and 24 minutes; the Hoosier, Baldwin pilot, traveled 240 miles, landing at Greenbrier, Tenn.; the Cleveland, landed at Columbus, Ind., 40 miles, two hours 55 minutes.

GAS ENDS THREE LIVES

Husband Arrested and Wife Kills Two Children and Self.

St. Louis, June 7.—Twelve hours after her husband, John Glaesser, had been taken from home by the police under the charge of embezzlement, Mrs. Martha Glaesser was found dead in bed beside the dead bodies of her children, Arnett, a girl eight years old, and John, five years old. The room was filled with gas and the police advanced the theory that the mother, after closing the windows and doors of the room, turned on the gas which ended three lives.

It is supposed that the excitement following the arrest of her husband preyed on Mrs. Glaesser's mind. Glaesser was released from the hold-over, and the cigar company which caused his arrest said there would be no prosecution, as Glaesser had been punished severely already. Glaesser was not advised that his family was dead when he left the police station, but the police told him his wife and babies were ill.

SHRINERS AT LOUISVILLE

New Orleans and Toledo in Field for 1910 Convention.

Louisville, June 8.—Many thousand persons arrived for the thirty-fifth annual convention of Nobles of the Mystic Shrine. An excursion up the Ohio river, drills by boys and girls of the Masonic widows' and orphans' home in this city and other entertainments filled out the time. New Orleans and Toledo seen alone in the field for the 1910 convention, while Rochester, with an invitation for 1911, has ante dated all competitors.

Lightning Explodes Powder House.

London, June 8.—A dispatch received here from Cracow, in Austrian Poland, says that 500 persons were wounded by the explosion of an army powder magazine there. Three soldiers were killed, forty houses were wrecked and hundreds of houses damaged and many of the wounded are seriously hurt.

Auto Overturns; Four Women Drown.

Knights Landing, Cal., June 8.—An automobile containing Mrs. W. F. Mixon, Mrs. J. H. Dungan, Miss Merl Dungan and Miss Julia Dungan of Woodland was overturned here and toppled into the Sacramento river. All four women were drowned. The chauffeur swam to a boat.

Christian Science Directors Elect.

Boston, June 8.—The board of directors of the mother church of Christian Science elected William P. McKenzie, president; Stephen A. Chase of Fall River, treasurer, and John V. Dittermore of New York, clerk, the latter succeeding William B. Johnson, resigned.

SUES FOR LOSS OF HAIR

Judge Quarles Overrules Demurrer of Fond Du Lac Drug Company.

Milwaukee, June 5.—That a woman has a perfectly good cause for complaint in an action for damages if she loses her hair by reason of an application of chemicals, if the solution is advertised as being a hair restorer, was held by Judge J. V. Quarles in the United States court.

Judge Quarles overruled the demurrer of a Fond du Lac drug company to the complaint of Mrs. M. L. Bowman.

Mrs. Bowman, a traveling woman, sued the drug company and a St. Louis manufacturer of hair dye for \$20,000 damages for the loss of her hair. She alleges its loss was caused by the application of hair stain purchased of the drug company and made by the St. Louis company. The defendants demurred on the ground that the complaint failed to state a sufficient cause of action.

SELF CURE FOR THE INSANE

Voluntary Patients Have Best Chance, Says New York Expert.

Atlantic City, June 5.—Dr. Albert Warren Ferris, president of the New York state lunacy commission and principal speaker before the sixty-fifth annual convention of the American Medico-Psychological association here, said that voluntary patients who choose to immerse themselves in insane hospitals while on the borderland of insanity were doing the greatest work toward rationalizing the ideas of the public toward brain diseases. He argued that every patient brought back to sanity in a few months saves thousands of dollars to the state.

THAW'S PLEA IS DENIED

Young Millionaire Must Stay in Insane Asylum at Matteawan.

New York, June 5.—Harry K. Thaw must remain in the state asylum for the criminal insane under the decision rendered by the appellate division of the supreme court in Brooklyn. Thaw's appeal for a writ of habeas corpus was dismissed by the supreme court several months ago. He then appealed to the appellate division, which sustained the lower court and dismissed the writ. Thaw contended that Justice Dowling's order committing him to the asylum after he was declared not guilty of the murder of Stanford White was illegal.

DR. CLEMINSO ILL.

Prisoner is on the Verge of a Nervous Collapse.

Chicago, June 5.—Dr. Haldane Cleminson, who is being held by the police on the charge of murdering his wife, became seriously ill. It was reported that he is on the verge of a nervous collapse.

Dr. Francis E. McNamara, jail physician, said he believed the prisoner's condition was due to the severe grill he has been put through by the police. He has been denied the use of cigarettes at the county jail. He has been an incessant smoker.

WARSHIP SENT TO HONDURAS

Navy Called on to Protect American Life and Property in Island.

Washington, June 5.—Wireless telegrams from American consular representatives in Honduras informed the state department of reported revolutionary troubles in Ceiba. The American gunboat Paducah, at Porto Cortez, sailed for Ceiba in response to a request for protection to foreign life and property. Consul Brickwood, at Porto Cortez, telegraphed that Ceiba and Tegucigalpa, the capital of Honduras, seems to be cut off.

Women Fight; Babe Fatally Scalded.

Pittsburg, June 4.—In an encounter between two women at Hermine, Mrs. Michael Bratta is said to have hurled a kettle of boiling water at Mrs. John Petak, scalding her seriously. Mrs. Petak's two-year-old child was playing on the floor and received most of the boiling water. Physicians say the child probably will not recover. Mrs. Bratta was arrested.

Express Company Trouble.

New York, June 4.—Supreme Justice Guy heard argument and reversed the decision on the application of John L. Dudley, a stockholder in the United States Express company, for the appointment of a temporary receiver for that corporation. Counsel for Dudley told the court the trouble was that the shareholders had no voice in the management.

Holly at Head of Millers.

Milwaukee, June 5.—W. A. Holly of Coldwater, Mich., was elected president of the Fraternity of Operative Millers of America at the closing session of the convention. Other officers are: First vice president, S. B. Raithley of Chicago; second vice president, John B. Watkins of St. Louis; secretary-treasurer, Joseph F. Miller of Chicago.

Binkley May Have Been Murdered.

Chicago, June 4.—Evidence supporting the theory that Dr. John T. Binkley, Sr., of Evansville, Ind., met his death at the Wellington hotel here at the hands of a robber was adduced at the coroner's inquest. The evidence presented did not disprove the hypothesis of suicide, but it materially weakened it.

New Rival for Bell Telephone.

Charleston, W. Va., June 5.—The National Telephone corporation, with a capital stock of \$15,000,000, was incorporated here. It is understood the new company expects to become a rival of the Bell system in its long distance business.

NEBRASKA NEWS

Farmers to Gather at Hastings
on June 13.

FIRST OF SERIES OF MEETINGS

American Society of Equity's Plans for Controlling Markets and Establishment of Co-operative Packing Plants Will Be Discussed—Farmers From All Parts of Nebraska and Kansas Expected to Attend.

Hastings, Neb., June 8.—On June 18 a mass meeting of farmers will be held at Hastings, the purpose of which will be to discuss the American Society of Equity's plan of controlled marketing of winter wheat and the establishment of co-operative packing plants as a means of controlling the marketing of live stock and live stock products.

It is expected that farmers from all parts of Nebraska and Kansas will be present. C. O. Drayton, president of the National Union of the American Society of Equity; Theodore G. Nelson, president of the National Grain Growers' association, and J. C. Davis, national lecturer of the American Society of Equity, will be present and take part in the program. It is also likely that Governor Shallenberger and ex-Congressman Pollard will be present and deliver addresses.

On June 19 delegates representing the membership of the society who have already pledged their grain this year will meet in executive session for the purpose of determining how, when, where, for what price, etc., the grain in the pool shall be sold. Only those who have pledged grain will have a voice in or be admitted to this meeting.

This is one of a series of 100 mass meetings called under the auspices of the American Society of Equity in the agricultural states of the union for the same purpose and will no doubt be of considerable importance to the farmers of Nebraska and Kansas.

EIGHT BOYS TO PRISON

Juvenile Dime Novel Readers and Car Robbers at Norfolk All Captured.

Norfolk, Neb., June 7.—Five of the Norfolk boy bandits, who had fled from the city, were captured at Chadron, where they had broken into a Northwestern merchandise car, and they were sentenced to the state industrial school at Kearney until they become twenty-one years old. They pleaded guilty at Chadron. The boys stole high cowboy boots from the mercantile car and, wearing these on the streets of Chadron, were easily apprehended. They were alleged also to have broken into a car at Gordon, Neb., since leaving here.

The boys sent to the industrial school are: Vic Little, fifteen; two sons, fourteen and fifteen, of W. A. Emery; Guy Storms, thirteen; Chester Housp, fifteen. The two little Chase boys are in jail at Madison awaiting a similar sentence, and Emory Bennett, a one-legged youth of twenty, is in jail awaiting the district court, when he may be sent to the penitentiary. This makes eight boys now on their way to prison.

A Northwestern detective, working up the case, said twenty merchandise cars have been robbed in Norfolk during the last year.

AUTOMOBILE TURNS OVER

Two Men Suffer Broken Bones and Every Member of Party Injured.

Shelton, Neb., June 7.—A serious automobile accident took place one-half mile north of town. F. A. Kimbrough, the owner of the machine, was taking a party of men, consisting of Sherman Unger, Frank Lampher, G. G. Pratt, Peary Shattuck, Frank Goble, all of Prosser, and F. J. Boyd and Thomas Ellis of Shelton out to the Tolmeser ranch, when the machine suddenly turned on its side while going at a high rate of speed.

The fall terribly injured Unger, breaking his arm and also causing a serious scalp wound and other bruises. Kimbrough, the driver, had his collarbone broken and was otherwise bruised, and not one of the balance of the eight in number escaped serious bruises. The machine is almost a complete wreck.

SEVEN INCHES OF RAIN

Much Property Damage at Hebron and Pleasantdale.

Lincoln, June 8.—Seven inches of rain at Hebron and four inches at Pleasantdale caused floods and much property damage in and near those towns. Near Pleasantdale 200 feet of the Burlington railroad track was under six feet of water and trains were stalled for ten hours. There have been two washouts on the track, one between Strang and Invale and one west of McCook. A Burlington freight engine with four cars went into the ditch on account of the soft track. No one was injured. The crops in the flooded district have been washed out badly.

Fourth Suspect in Jail at Omaha.

Omaha, June 7.—Jack Shelton and Lillian Stephenson arrived in Omaha in charge of two deputy United States marshals and two postoffice inspectors. Shelton will be charged with being one of the men who held up and robbed the Overland Limited train on the Union Pacific and the woman will be held as a witness.

TWO SUSPECTS ARE BROTHERS

Shelton and Gordon Thus Known by Detective MacDonald.

Omaha, June 5.—Golden is the correct name of the bandit who calls himself Gordon, and of Shelton, the man arrested in Denver, and they are brothers.

This is the announcement of Detective MacDonald of Spokane, who has identified all the robbers.

Shelton probably will be brought to Omaha in a day or two, though the Spokane officers want him to answer for crimes there first. He has been identified by MacDonald by photographs of him in Omaha.

The detective has decided to remain here until the Denver suspect is brought to Omaha, when he will try to give the man's name, record and other particulars of his alleged criminal career in the northwest.

Torgensen, MacDonald says, would bring a big reward in the northwest if returned there. He is said to have committed a desperate crime there some years ago when a heavy ransom was placed on his head.

FATHER PAYS SHORTAGE

Cozad Man Turns in to Dawson County Amount Taken by Son.

Lexington, Neb., June 7.—The state auditing department, under the supervision of J. W. Tumes, assistant state auditor, found that L. C. Parris, deputy treasurer of Dawson county, is short \$1,420.41. His father, R. J. Parris of Cozad, turned over the money. Young Parris left Lexington over a month ago, leaving many bills around town not paid. His wife sold the furniture and paid what bills she could. The father told the officers, before turning over the money, that he would not interfere if they prosecuted his son, but in such case he would not pay the shortage. Young Parris has been deputy treasurer for a number of years.

SEARLE SUED FOR FIVORCE

Ex-Auditor's Wife Says He Has Practically Abandoned Family.

Lincoln, June 5.—Former Auditor E. M. Searle, Jr., of Ogallala is defendant in a suit for divorce filed in the district court here by Mrs. Alice Searle, who, with her children, has been living in Lincoln since Mr. Searle went out of office.

In her petition Mrs. Searle charges unfaithfulness and cruelty. She says her husband associated with other people and refused to go out with her. She also asserts he has practically abandoned her and their three children, leaving them in Lincoln on an allowance while he has been living at Ogallala. She asks temporary alimony of \$150 a month and \$300 attorney fees. When the divorce is granted she asks that the court award her \$20,000 alimony.

AERONAUTS OFF FOR EAST

Lieutenants Lahm and Fulois Fly With Wrights.

Omaha, June 5.—Lieutenants Frank P. Lahm and B. D. Fulois, the aeronauts connected with the United States signal corps, left for Washington to witness and take part in the aeroplane flights of the Wright brothers.

Lieutenants R. S. Baumburger, Judge Winter and O. A. Dickinson will remain at Fort Omaha for several days yet.

Experimental flights with the captive special balloon are being made daily at Fort Omaha when the weather is favorable.

Flag Day June 14.

Lincoln, June 4.—Flags will be unfurled June 14, instead of June 15, as set out in the governor's proclamation. It has been the custom to set June 14 for this day, but in looking up the proclamation issued by Governor Sheldon, Mr. Furse, private secretary to Governor Shallenberger, noticed that June 15 was the date set last year, so he followed that. June 15 was the date last year only because June 14 came on Sunday.

State Board of Osteopathy.

Lincoln, June 5.—Governor Shallenberger has appointed the following to the state board of osteopathy: Dr. J. M. Kilgore of York, one-year term; Dr. J. T. Young of Superior, two-year term; Dr. W. H. Cobble of Fremont, three-year term; Dr. C. B. Atzen of Omaha, four-year term, and Dr. E. M. Cramb of Lincoln, five-year term. Dr. Atzen is secretary of the new board and Dr. Young is treasurer.

Katherine Timm Commits Suicide.

Omaha, June 5.—Katherine Timm, living at 106 South Eleventh street, committed suicide by taking an ounce of carbolic acid. She had just returned from Fremont, where her father, Hans Timm, lives, and was in company of Charles Williams, a barber from that city, when she took the fatal dose.

Judge Sears Gravely Ill in Hospital.

Omaha, June 5.—Judge Willis C. Sears of the district court is in the Methodist Episcopal hospital dangerously ill from lung trouble. It is believed to be a complication following an attack of pneumonia.

Crushed to Death in Sod House.

Dickens, Neb., June 7.—Mrs. Tibbels, eighty-two years old, blind and an invalid for the last year, was instantly killed when the walls and roof of her sod house caved in on her without any warning.

Jury Gets Zeibell Case.

Omaha, June 5.—The case of August Zeibell, charged with the murder of his son, went to the jury following a closing argument by County Attorney English.