

U.S. Senators Invade London During Summer

Cabinet Officers and Other Officials Represented in Sailing Lists—Some Go to Russia.

By Associated Press.
London, July 21.—Why Americans are home is being answered this week by two members of President Harding's cabinet, the solicitor general of the United States, nearly two dozen United States senators and representatives and a host of private citizens who have come to this side of the international pond to find out such things as the league of nations, reparations, prohibition, labor conditions and soviet Russia.

The list of distinguished American visitors now in London or on the Continent reads like a page from the Congressional directory. At the moment there are three intimate co-workers of President Harding in London—Secretary of the Treasury Andrew W. Mellon, who is motoring and fishing and paying a quiet visit to Premier Baldwin and other notable betimes; Secretary of Labor James J. Davis, who is investigating the immigration question, and Solicitor General James M. Beck, who is defending an American government lawsuit in a wig and gown before Great Britain's privy council.

Squad of Senators.

Then there are in Europe 15 senators or about one-sixth of the total membership of the upper house of congress, while representation from the house of representatives numbers more than a score. Some of these legislative visitors are going to Russia to see how the Russian soviet is faring. Others are bound to Geneva to study the league of nations and still others are en route to the Ruhr to see for themselves what all the fuss over reparations is about and what the phrase "passive resistance" means.

John D., Jr. Entertained.

John D. Rockefeller, Jr., and his family were entertained at tea on the terrace of the house of commons last Tuesday by T. P. O'Connor, who introduced the party to many of the most prominent parliamentarians here, including the speaker of the commons, who showed them over his own official residence. The British legislators expressed pleasure at Mr. Rockefeller's benefaction to the London hospitals. Sir Harry Brittain on the same day entertained Secretary Mellon at luncheon and King George dined with Earl and Countess Beatty.

The countess is American born, being the daughter of the late Marshall Field of Chicago.

Old French Law Punished Owner of Topsy Slaves

New Orleans, July 21.—Even though the present-day American is so surrounded by laws that he has to watch his step at every turn, he is not so bad off after all. In 1738 a person in New Orleans could not even commit suicide and go unpunished.

Someone having asserted that the 67th congress recently adjourned, enacted 251 new laws, and with many state legislative bodies clearing their decks for action in order to add a few broadsides to the list of statutes, inquiring persons here have been examining musty old Spanish and French official records in New Orleans to ascertain how the people of other days fared.

A man committed suicide here in 1738 and the records show that the courts tried him for taking a life. He was found guilty, and it is set forth that "the inanimate body that held life too great a burden" was sentenced to abandonment without burial.

Petty theft involved a penalty of flogging, three years imprisonment, confiscation and a fine of 50 francs. Persons convicted of having shot or wounded an animal owned by another were sentenced to capital punishment.

As in these days and times, a murderer was executed by hanging, but in execution for wife murder was by strangulation.

There was no Volstead law, but for permitting his slaves to become intoxicated one man was forced to mount a wooden horse and was drawn through the streets, while his neighbors laughed at him.

The wooden horse seems to have played a prominent part in the punishment of petty criminals. Patients at the city hospital learned that meat they had been consuming with a relish was dog and cat flesh.

Fair Diamond Stars Practise for Game With Bluffs



(1) Left to right: Florence Paulson, Nora Vincent, Helen Paulson, Carrie Gardner, Cornelia Gjerston, Mrs. Gertrude Pettigrew, Margaret Wenger, Marie Feary, Mildred Arnston.
(2) Batter and catcher in action. The batter is Miss Marie Feary. The catcher is Miss Mildred Arnston.
(3) Sliding to third. Miss Nora Vincent has just tagged the runner. The runner is Miss Helen Paulson.
(4) Miss Nora Vincent catches a fast and high ball.

Residents in the vicinity of Miller Park school were startled by excited shrieking of feminine voices several nights last week.

Plainly could be heard cries of "Strike 'er out, Gertrude," "Pitcher has a glass arm. She can't throw," "Slide, Mary, slide," and a few other phrases familiar to those who follow the great national game.

A trip to the ball grounds of the Miller Park school brought a surprise. Two teams of girls, dressed in knickerbockers, were having a heated game of ball.

They were the girl employees of the Nebraska Power company, who were practicing for their game with the girls of the Citizens Gas and Electric company of Council Bluffs.

The girls have been practicing several weeks and since most of them are followers of athletics, they play "good ball," as expressed by Chris Kenney, one of the stars of the municipal league.

The total population of Belgium is 7,539,568 persons, of whom 3,713,756 are males and 3,825,812 females. The town with the largest population is Antwerp, which has 200,321 inhabitants; Brussels comes next with 215,504.

Poison Gases of Autos Worse in Omaha Than in New York

Are the lives of Omahans menaced by the poisonous gases thrown off by gasoline vehicles?

Will this steadily increasing barrage of gas fumes from thousands of automobiles eventually necessitate the health department taking steps to protect citizens?

The public health committee of the New York Academy of Medicine sounded a note of warning on the contamination of the atmosphere by automobile gases in New York.

It was pointed out that every six-cylinder car running breathes in as much air as 610 human beings, consumes all the oxygen of the air it takes in and exhales carbonic acid gas (carbon dioxide), in which one would drown as surely as one would drown under water.

Moreover, under certain conditions the car gives off carbon monoxide, which is a deadly poison. While the carbonic gas is declared not to be poisonous, human beings cannot live long in air contaminated with but a small percentage of it, and it is asserted that a man will die in half an hour in the atmosphere containing 4 of 1 per cent of carbonic acid gas.

Take No Action.

Although there is a greater number of cars in Omaha in proportion to population than in New York, health officials here have thus far taken no steps to counteract the effect of motors on the atmosphere.

EAT IN COMFORT

At the Henshaw Cafeteria

It is the Coolest Cafeteria in Omaha

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Cop, Craving Dip, Finds Booze Tap in Bath Tub

Boston, July 21.—A large tank containing 30 gallons of moonshine was discovered by the East Boston police attached to the bathtub in a room leading off the rear of a cigar store at No. 141 Chelsea street, East Boston.

Police suspected Julius Berkowitz, proprietor of the cigar store, of selling liquor. A search failed to reveal any of the forbidden booze. Then Sergeant Freeman and his bluecoats adjourned to a room in the rear. The sergeant was hot. He saw a nice, clean bathtub and decided he would wash up. He turned on the cold-water faucet. A stream of liquor flowed forth from a tank in the wall attached to the faucet.

The smallest cows in the world are to be found in the Samoan islands.

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Army and Navy Men at Ak Show

Six Iowa Towns Will Also Have Delegations Monday Night.

Monday night will be army and navy night at the Ak-Sar-Ben den show. The naval men in Omaha and the troops from Fort Omaha and Fort Crook will be present. According to Charles Gardner, Ak-Sar-Ben secretary, there will be several changes in the show tomorrow night. L. F. Kreizinger of Belwood, Neb., has made arrangements to bring 35 men from that city. Bellwood is about 125 miles from Omaha.

Boys Light Match Near Gas Leak and Main Is Bursted

Wheeling, W. Va., July 21.—Boys walking along a street here thought they smelled gas. Disregarding the advertisement based upon the theme: "Your nose knows," the lads struck matches. Fumes from a natural gas main ignited. The ensuing explosion ripped up the main.

Georgia Booze Sleuths Develop Smooth System

Waycross, Ga., July 21.—The technique of moonshine pursuit took on a new kink with a method recently uncovered by county officers. Instead of learning how long moonshiners remain away from their stills, they remain away from their stills. When officers discover a deserted but apparently active still, with its accompanying tubs of corn mash, they hold a lighted match over the mash tubs. If the match is extinguished promptly, the mash is nearly ready to "run" and the officers wait for the still crew won't be gone long.

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Don't Hide Them With a Veil; Remove Them With Othine—Double Strength.

This preparation for the treatment of freckles is usually so successful in removing freckles and giving a clear, beautiful complexion that it is sold under guarantee to refund the money if it fails.

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