

Bootleggers Said to Use Air Mail Routes by Night

Mysterious Landing of Plane at Atlantic, Ia., Leads to Suspicion—Lights Guide Liquor Vendors.

Atlantic, Ia., Aug. 25.—Mystery surrounds the landing and quick departure of an airplane north of town here Wednesday night about 9 o'clock. The few who saw the outline of the plane in the moonlight mistook it for a night air mail plane. Investigation, however, proved that the plane had no connection with the trial flights of the new air mail service.

Mexican Recognition Is Delayed by Mails

Washington, Aug. 25.—The delay in announcing recognition for Mexico is one of transmission and not due to the substance of the arrangements entered into it was learned officially today.

The time element, which has occasioned much comment, is the number of days it will take a diplomatic courier from Washington to reach Mexico City and return.

It is emphasized in official quarters that there is no hitch or objection to terms brought back from Mexico City by Charles B. Warren and John Barton Payne, American commissioners. It was understood by both the American and Mexican governments that such a delay would be necessary, following usual diplomatic practices.

Fire Siren Tower Being Constructed at Harvard

Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee. Harvard, Neb., Aug. 25.—A new steel tower, 50 feet high, is being erected by the city upon which to place the electric fire siren recently purchased for the fire department. The alarm tower is located just in the rear of the Union State bank.

Boulder Monument.

Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee. Aurora, Neb., Aug. 25.—The great boulder which is to mark the camp ground of Company H in Streeter park will be placed upon a bronze base, reciting the historic event which took place there. This plate will be furnished by the Woman's Auxiliary of the American Legion of Aurora.

Fiftieth Anniversary.

Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee. Harvard, Neb., Aug. 25.—Over 200 friends besides immediate relatives helped Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Person of Holdrege celebrate their golden wedding anniversary at a festival at the Swedish Methodist church of that city.

Shrine Band at Geneva.

Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee. Geneva, Neb., Aug. 25.—The Tehama Temple Shrine band of Hastings took the place of the Geneva band in giving the open air concert here this week. The visitors were given a supper in the park which was attended by local Masons and members of the Eastern Star. H. R. Grant, leader of the Shrine band, was formerly instructor of the Geneva band.

Adoption of Constitution Was Our Superb Historical Event

By LETA MOORE MEYER. PART IV. Mr. John Lee Webster's address on "Washington and the Constitution" continues:

"Contention between those who favored a strong central government and those who believed in state's rights continued bitter. The stirring events of the time appealed to the earnest heart and powerful intellect of the precocious boy, Alexander Hamilton, the youthful master of political science. Time concedes to him that of all the statesmen of the 18th century, he stands pre-eminent and he is usually depicted at the helm of the 'ship of state.' He had been Washington's aide-de-camp and companion and they were in close accord.

On the 18th day of June Hamilton delivered that masterly oration on the theory of a national government, which carried the minds of the members to a higher plane and left the ideas of Benjamin Franklin told the convention that if it continued to be divided on local interests its projects would be confounded and its members themselves become a reproach and a byword to future ages.

Governor Morris Speaks.

"It seemed that the convention would break up with nothing done when Gouverneur Morris began that series of brilliant speeches that sparkled with bright thoughts and epigrammatic statements which appealed to the patriotism of his auditors. A government by a compact between states is going back to a mere treaty, and not government at all. A firm government only can protect our liberties.

"He came to the convention as a representative of America; he flattered himself, he came in some degree as a representative of the whole human race. He wished gentlemen to extend their views beyond the present moment of time, beyond the narrow limits of place from which they derived their political origin. 'This country does not unite it, the sword will. The question then at issue was temporarily settled by compromise, but within our day the country has been united by the sword.

"Washington continued to look with alarm and displeasure upon the advocates of state sovereignty. Hamilton wrote him he was more and more convinced it was the critical opportunity for establishing the prosperity of the country on a solid foundation, to which Washington replied: 'The men who oppose a strong and energetic government are in my opinion narrow minded politicians or are under the influence of local views. I am sorry you went away. I wish you were back. The crisis is equally alarming, and no opposition under such circumstances, should discourage exertions until the signature is offered.'

Most Important Historical Event.

"The framing and adoption of the constitution is the most important event in American history; for otherwise there would have been 13 independent nations instead of one, which would have meant ruin for America. Had it not been for the firmness of Washington, Madison, Hamilton, Jay and Wilson, there would have been four republics instead of one.

so much for the colonies, their influence was not enough to stay the wave of opposition. But 'where,' says McMaster, 'was the villain black-hearted enough to say that Washington was recommending a constitution ruinous to the liberties he had done so much to secure?' It was the faith of the people in the resplendent merits of Washington that saved the constitution from defeat in the state conventions.

Washington Almost Divine.

"The greatest work in the life of Washington was now completed. It was the mind of one man exercising a controlling influence in molding the sentiments of his countrymen. He was the mind of one man exercising the power over millions of people to a degree that passes my comprehension. I cannot understand the phenomena of the solar system and changing seasons. It passes my understanding and comprehension.

As God created and controls the movements of the universe, He seems to have created George Washington as a central planet of the human race, to carry them with him in that great plan to form a republican government on a constitutional basis for the elevation and betterment of mankind.

"In our agony of glory from 1774 to 1783, George Washington became 'first in war.' In the presidential election of 1789, he became 'first in peace,' and by the creation and adoption of the federal constitution, he became the 'father of his country.' We cannot think of Washington without thinking of George Washington. We cannot think of Yorktown without thinking of George Washington. We cannot think of freedom and liberty without thinking of George Washington. We cannot think of the union of the colonies without thinking of George Washington. As we cannot think of the Declaration of Independence without thinking of Thomas Jefferson, so we cannot think of the constitution of the United States without thinking of George Washington. To forget George Washington is to forget America.

Mr. Webster has also said: "Unroll the scrolls of history from the time of Alexander to Caesar, from Charlemagne to Napoleon, from William the Conqueror to Cromwell, and no one, in his useful work for mankind, or in national government, will compare with Washington. He stands above them all in illustrious fame and in unapproachable grandeur. The men who refused to sign the constitution were urging the inclusion of popular fallacies that were as old as Methuselah and played their part in the downfall of Greece, Rome and other countries."

He quotes on the constitution: "It will be the wonder and admiration of all future generations and the model of all future constitutions," says William Pitt.

"It is the greatest piece of work ever struck off at a given time by the brain and purpose of man," says Gladstone.

"The history of Greece and Rome give us nothing to equal it, and all attempts to impose servitude upon such a mighty continental nation must be in vain," said Lord Chatham, the Demosthenes of England.

"It was from Hamilton's lips that came the finest utterance ever made concerning human liberty: 'The sacred rights of mankind are written as with a sunbeam, by the hand of Divinity itself, never to be erased or obscured by mortal power,'" said President Harding.

Hymn on the Constitution.

The Constitution, there it towers, A beacon in a storm-tossed world. To us belongs the pious task To ward from it fast gathering foes. Both those who lurk 'neath friendship's mask And those who deal it hostile blows.

Ireland is preparing for the general elections, which will be held not later than the first week in September.

Eskimos Use Sewing Machines, Phonographs

Vancouver, B. C., Aug. 25.—Do you know that Eskimo women in their homes among fathomless ice use modern sewing machines? Do you know that every Eskimo

home and fishing schooner, has its gramophone from which can be heard the latest gem from Jeritza or the jazziest fox trot 'tune within six months after the records have left American factories? Do you know that leading men of the tribes of the "huskies" in the "land of the midnight sun" in the inner reaches of the arctic circle use typewriters for their correspondence? It is so!

H. A. Warner, former chief engineer of the Albert government railways, who has just reached Vancouver, British Columbia, after spending a whole year in the heart of Eskimoland, related these facts on arrival here.

Warner's opinion is that the Eskimos are the most progressive of any native tribes today. The majority, he says, read and write their own language, and a large percentage of them read and write English, as well. Domestically the housewives are so progressive they even specify certain brands when ordering canned fruit of Californian or other origin from the stores, the leading stores

carrying most of the foodstuffs demanded by Canadian or American shoppers in parts regarded as being within the confines of civilization. The largest extinct volcano in the world is on the island of Maui, in the Halesakala section of the Hawaiian National park. The city of Philadelphia, Pa., could be placed within the crater.

The Last Five Days of Our Great August Furniture Sale!

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"Save the Difference" on High Grade Furniture

For the final days of this sale we have grouped some of the most pronounced bargains of the entire month. The quantities are now limited—WE ADVISE YOU TO ACT AT ONCE—if you would be sure of getting the furniture you want at these great savings. Lack of ready cash need not defer your decision; buy now and pay on our

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\$325 4-Piece Bedroom Suite, 225.00

Buy Now and "Save the Difference" Dresser... 59.50 Chiffonette... 45.00 Bed... 42.50 Vanity Dresser... 75.00

Here is where you save 100.00. Come in and examine this remarkable suite; all in American walnut; 4 pieces, special, 225.00. If you want only the Dresser, Bed and Chiffonette 150.00 you may buy the three pieces in this sale for

175.00 3-Piece Cane Suite, 119.50

A fine cane and mahogany library suite of three pieces; upholstered in either blue or beaver velour; two pillows on davenport, priced at 119.50

95.00 3-Piece Duo-Fold Suite, 69.75

A handsome library suite, made of solid oak, finished golden or fumed, upholstered in heavy imitation brown leather. The davenport opens into a comfortable double bed.

\$450 3-Pc. Library Suite, 295.00

Three massive pieces, richly upholstered in heavy mohair—choice of walnut or taupe shades. Priced at—295.00

500.00 4-Piece Bedroom Suite 349.50

This bedroom suite is the "Brandeis Special." A fine American walnut suite in the duotone walnut finish. Made especially for us. A magnificent suite that must be seen to be appreciated. Four pieces, specially priced in this sale.

32.50 Spinnet Desk 19.95

With genuine mahogany top and writing bed. Limited quantity. "Save the Difference"

52.50 Double Da-Bed 39.75

This d-a-b-ed has the reed ends and is finished in brown; with one motion it is converted into a double bed.

75.00 Queen Anne Buffet 49.50

A few fine Queen Anne period Buffets in genuine American walnut; 60 and 66 inch tops 49.50

2.50 Tapesstry Covered Foot Stool 1.49

Mahogany finished base. "Save the Difference"

\$625 Solid Walnut, 8-Piece Suite 465.00

Eight matched pieces in the genuine and solid American walnut in the massive Italian design and dull finish. The seat and backs of the chairs are upholstered in heavy mohair. The table measures 54x60 inches. The buffet has roomy drawers and storage compartments.

230.00—8-Piece Dining Room Suite, 149.50

Made of solid oak throughout and finished in the Italian gray; large buffet, oblong tables and set of genuine leather seated chairs.

135.00 Dining Room Suite, 79.50

Seven-piece matched in American walnut. The table is of solid walnut and extends 8 feet. The chairs have genuine blue leather seats.

ENGLANDER COUCH BED 19.75

With one motion this Englander couch is converted into a comfortable double day bed; the all cotton mattress is covered in a good grade of fancy ticking.

14.00 All Cotton Mattress, 9.95

This mattress contains 45 lbs. of all pure cotton. Covered in a good grade of fancy ticking. Full rolled edge. All regular sizes, 9.95.

2.75 Oak Costumer, made of solid oak in fumed finish. 1.95

Blackstone Mattress at 19.75

Contains 45 lbs. of all selected layer Cotton Felt. Four extra rows of side stitching. Covered with a very heavy grade of fancy ticking. Made under our own specifications and supervision. All regular sizes.

15.00 Simmons Steel Bed 8.95

Just five days more to get this guaranteed bed; American walnut or white finish; all regular sizes.

18.00 Steel Coil Springs, 12.95

59 Steel Coil Spring with the small helical Spring, tied top. Finished in the French gray enamel.

45.00 3-Inch Post Simmons Brass Bed, 27.95

All 2 inch fillers. Finished in the ribbon banded satin. Full sizes, only 27.95

25.00 Tubular Simmons Steel Bed, 18.50

Bed finished in the dull American walnut. Full size only. August Sale price, 18.50

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