

Farmer Shoots Wife, Son, Self

Webster City, Ia., Jan. 10.—Walter Moore, Hamilton county farmer, shot and killed his wife, seriously wounded his son, 7, and then shot and

fatally wounded himself last night, dying on the way to the hospital. The son is expected to live. Domestic troubles and financial reverses are blamed for the action of Moore, who is believed to have become mentally deranged. His wife had filed suit for divorce.

Cummins May Lose Post of Senate Head

Swing of Insurgents' Votes Elects Smith, Democrat, Chairman of I. C. Committee Over Iowan.

Washington, Jan. 10.—Reverberations from the month's battle in the senate which resulted in the election yesterday of Senator Smith, democrat, South Carolina, as chairman of the interstate commerce committee over Senator Cummins, republican, Iowa, continued today in the form of rumblings that presaged a somewhat similar fight over the retention by the Iowa senator of the office of president pro tem.

Works on Supply Bill. The house meanwhile began on the first big appropriation measure of the session—the Interior department supply bill—which was reported yesterday by the appropriations committee with the total cut to \$261,727,965, which is \$35,782,044 less than allotted to the department last year. Senator Cummins was defeated for the interstate commerce committee chairmanship on the 32d ballot, receiving only 29 votes against 39 for

Smith, which included six cast by Senator La Follette, republican, Wisconsin, and five members of the insurgent group he heads. Senator Cummins, republican, Michigan, received six votes on the final ballot.

May Lose Senate Post. The likelihood of an effort to unseat the Iowa senator as president pro tem, now that the chairmanship fight is out of the way, has brought out suggestions in some quarters that certain of the republican insurgents and the farmer-labor senators comprising the La Follette group might throw their support to Senator Pittman, democrat, Nevada.

A sub-committee of the senate foreign committee will be empowered under a resolution adopted by that committee today, to hold public hearings on the proposal of Senator Borah, republican, Idaho, urging recognition of the soviet government of Russia. The committee decided, 11 to 2, in favor of public hearings, Senators Willis, Ohio, and Pepper, Pennsylvania, republicans, voting in opposition. Composition of the sub-committee was not discussed today, but it was considered certain Senator Borah would be chairman.

Clubman Grilled in Death of Girl

Canton, O., Jan. 10.—The questioning of Louis R. Griffith, prominent local manufacturer and club man in connection with the death of Miss Ruth Hunter, pretty 18-year-old Canton girl, was still in progress last night and the authorities declared they were prepared to continue it for 72 hours.

Although tired and mentally fatigued after 36 hours continuous grilling, Griffith steadfastly maintained his innocence.

Coroner T. H. Shorb reported that forced inhalation of chloroform in a concentrated vapor form probably caused the girl's death.

Outlaws Escape After Battle

One of Florida Gang and Deputy Sheriff Killed in Gun Fight.

West Palm Beach, Fla., Jan. 10.—Officers and possemen followed three trails early today in pursuit of members of the famous Ashley gang, who escaped following a gun fight with officers yesterday, in which one outlaw and Deputy Sheriff Fred Baker were killed when the officers sought to enter the camp to arrest Joe Ashley on a charge of highway robbery.

Just before nightfall last night deputy sheriffs encountered John Ashley, son of Joe Ashley, near Olympia, and exchanged shots with him. He halted and was ordered to throw up his hands, but instead of obeying he whipped out his revolver and fired. He leaped into a depression in the ground as the officers opened fire and escaped. At the home of John Rogers nearby the officers learned that Albert Miller, alleged slayer of

General Bucked by Magistrate

Philly Police Judge Frees Persons Arrested in Raids by Marine-Cop.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 10.—Brigadier General Smedley Butler's much heralded "war on vice and crime in Philadelphia," crashed head-on into its first political opposition today. Magistrate Edward P. Carney, political "buddy" of Mayor W. Freehand Kendrick, General Butler's sponsor, opened jail doors for the first of those arrested by General Butler's raiders.

Philadelphia, Jan. 10.—Up before dawn today, General Butler, Philadelphia's new director of public safety, marshaled his forces for a final drive in his war on vice and crime. "Have Philadelphia cleaned up by 3:30 o'clock this afternoon or hand me your resignation," he informed police district lieutenants over the telephone. General Butler commented on the "raids" he staged on his own police stations last night. He said:

"The police in this town must think I'm as much a damn fool as most of them are. With the greatest to be in full force, I found station after station that had not made a single raid in 48 hours; discovered policemen asleep at their posts; others playing cards, or listening to radio concerts. No wonder Philadelphia is a morally rotten town."



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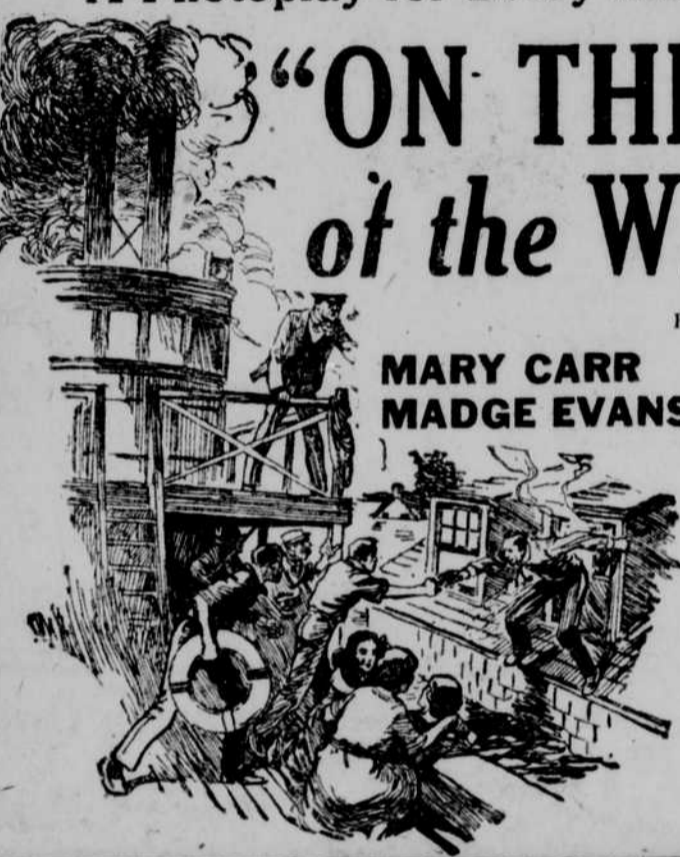
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