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WOMAN KILLS SISTERS' BETR

House Rules Baker Found Guilty on Embezzlement Charge Fight Will Start Today North Platte, Neb., Jan. 13.—The jury in the Elmer Baker embezzlement case at 10:45 Sunday morning handed its verdict of guilty to Judge Tewell, presiding in the second of Lincoln county's countbears.

Democrats and Insurgents Unite Against Regular Republicans to Change Restrictive Rules.

Senate Will Start Work

Washington, Jan. 13.—The rules fight in the house, forced by the republican insurgents as a condition to the re-election of Speaker Gillett, break tomorrow. It will center on the report of the rules committee which is unsatisfactory to both the insurgents and the democrats.

The main points at issue are the recommendation of the committee that petitions for the discharge of committees from the consideration of the legislation must bear 150 signa tures and its refusal to repeal the Underwood rule, which restricts amendments from the floor to the

tariff and revenue bills. Many Amendments Urged.

Amendments to the rules will be offered by both the democrats and the insurgents. The democrats will propose repeal of the Underwood rule and a minimum for signatures on petifions seeking the discharge of committees below the figure fixed by the rules committee. The insurgents plan to support both these moves, and offer a number of additional rules Howards amendments.

With a member of their party elected as chairman of the senate in-Senator Cummins, republican, Iowa, ployers in Omaha, Friday, January 11, slain and dragged from his bedroom tersate commerce committee over democratic leaders said today they would not press at this time for the election of a president pro tem, the Jerry Howard and Harry B. Zimman office now held by Mr. Cummins. With this prospective fight out of the way, the senate will be able to proceed with its business in the regular course. As yet, it has received no important legislation from any of its of or carrying of firearms as labor

Plan Shoals Hearing. Muscle Shoals and Russian recognition will be the most important subday, the house military commitwill begin consideration of the Ford and other offers, for the government nitrate project of

House and senate committees will continue their consideration of farm continue their consideration of farm relief measures. The house agricul Dr. Murphree Is Bryan ture committee will hold further hearings on the Burtness bill, proposing government loans to enable wheat growers of the northwest to enter the dairying livestock business. The senate agriculture committee will go forward with its hearings on a similar measure by Senator Norbeck, repub-Sinclair bill which will provide for a government corporation to buy and

Mellon Tax Hearings Will Start Today

Washington, Jan. 13.-The house ways and means committee will get down to cases tomorrow on the Mellon tax bill.

Views of interested parties will be presented on proposals of the treasates. While several score of wit-

be concluded this week. republicans on the committee will think I was born middle aged?" continue their efforts to reach an agreement as to what modification, was a prominent line in a Bee adver- candidate for high office who did if any, should be made in the bill. tisement yesterday. All I got to say not insist that it meant a great sac-A majority of the republicans believe is that it is mighty endurable stuff if rifice for him to be a candidate or a compromise is necessary, particularly on the surtax rates in order to family. I can remember the time changing! avoid a long fight in the house dur- when one pair of pants would serve measure might be effected.

No Clue Has Been Found to South Dakota Doctor

Sioux City, Ia., Jan. 13.-No clew to the whereabouts of Dr. F. E. Fyle, Geddes (S. D.) physician, missing since December 11, has been found despite the fact that friends of the doctor conducted a wide search for

The doctor on December 10, last, drove his car to Sioux City to take a patient there for special treatment. The next day he visited the office of a Sioux City physician, and since that time has not been seen. To add to the mystery, the car driven by the doctor has never been located.

Doane College Trustees

Lincoln, Jan. 13 .- Propositions for a few more of the eldtimers to join just didn't. gregational denominational school, we have a good fall of snow! at Crete

North Platte, Neb., Jan. 13.-The

The verdict also charged Baker with embezzlement of \$4,000. The verdict was received before a small audience. Attorneys for the defendant at once declared they would carry the case to the supreme court.

Bryan Must Rule on Gun Play of

Labor Head Says Inspector Had No Right to Carry Arms -Action Awaits Return

of Governor.

Lincoln, Jan. 13.-The action of Jerry Howard, state labor inspector, in pulling a gun on Harry B. Zimman bor commissioner, January 11, will be taken up with Governor Bryan misconduct. issued by Frye declares.

Labor inspectors have no right to

His statement follows:

"The unpleasantness which occurred at an informal conference beseems to be the result of some recent | window. altercation between Labor Inspector of the Brandeis store, in connection er in law, he threw them in the greenwith the manner in which Inspector Howard performed his duties. "The duties of the labor inspector

do not require or permit of the use inspectors are not vested with poso informed.

"The purpose of the conference was thorities to whom he confessed. see river. The senate foreign relations subcommittee, to which has the number of hours worked by Curry to Be Released been referred the Borah resolution females, time on duty, time off duty, proposing a declaration in favor of and total hours service required each recognition of the soviet government, week by the various employers to will probably be called together to the end that the state female lamorrow by Chairman Borah with a bor law may be reasonably operative view to beginning public hearings and that there would be a uniform understanding of its application."

Choice for President

Illinois Husband Killed Her With a Poker.

Burned Both Bodies

Aurora, Ill., Jan. 13.-Warren J.

Jerry Howard Lincoln, lawer and horticulturist, whose disappearance caused interest throughout the country, returned to Prince of Wales day with a confession. He had killed his wife, after she

had slain her brother, Byron L. Shoup. Both bodies were burned by Lincoln in his greenhouse furnace, after which "I have been through hell and want

to confess everything," Lincoln told the authorities. He then unfolded a startling story.

His wife, Mrs. Lina Shoup Lincoln, had not been faithful to him. Her brother, Byron L. Shoup, had come to their house on the night of April 30, 1923. The brother scolded her for her "She drew a pistol and shot her

brother dead," Lincoln said. "I picked up a poker and threw it at her, fearuse or carry guns, the labor com- ing she would fire another shot. The flashed to the sartorial world as a Governor to Put in No Exmissioner says, and has so informed poker struck her behind the ear and she died almost instantly." Confronted with the two bodies, Lin coln said he decided to dispose of

them and then disappear, leaving evitween myself and a group of emdence that would indicate he had been from the bodies of his wife and broth-

until they were consumed. Then, smearing blood about his bedroom and tearing out a screen, scattered bits of clothing that would indicate his body had been lice powers and Inspector Howard is dragged to a waiting automobile. Lincoln said, after leaving Aurora "The question of the alleged im- he went to Chicago and roamed about jects to come before the committees proper conduct on the part of In- the country. He was in Chicago in congress during the week. On spector Howard will be taken up when he decided to confess and gave with the governor on his return to himself up to the authorities there who turned him over to the local au-

Lincoln, Jan. 13 .- The two-year senmuted, according to announcement by edged with either fur or velvet. the state board of pardons and paroles. Curry will be turned over to the sentence for alleged participation in a murder at Denver. According to Colorado prison officials he escaped from Miami, Fla., Jan. 13.-William Jen- the penitentiary of that state several or otherwise-in his cravat. nings Bryan today announced the years ago. Curry is the prisoner who name of Dr. A. A. Murphree of Gaines- recently caused a sensation by declarville, president of the University of ing he knew the secret of the blacklican, South Dakota, and the Norris- Florida, as the Florida candidate he mailing plot which prompted the act would support for the democratic nom-ination for president. of suicide of Mayor Folsom, of Irving-ton, N. J.

SUNNY SIDE UP

It really happened in a certain office | means, that a man has been stabbed here a number of stenographers are employed, three or four of them admit-ting that they may be classed as "old kind of politician or a poor one. He vest with pearl buttons. He wore ury secretary for reductions in tax one of the stenographers with a box ted that he wouldn't deem it a per- half an arm's length from his part ases have asked to be heard, the a joke. Handing a box to the one who but rather an honor that any man is but resting his hand lightly on the committee so limited the time of each is rather proud of her spinsterhood that the public hearings probably the big chief asked: "Miss Blank, sion was so unusual that I was His favorite drink is the same as While the hearings are in progress stantly she answered back: "Do you my many years of rather intimate with vichy.

first, after which they were passed

Two score years dropped from my sound of approaching sleighbells, and times have changed since I was a moment or two later a big bobsled, young fellow. The other evening drawn by four prancing and bell-be- was assigned to the task of report decked horses, went dashing by. The ing an entertainment, and it so haplaughing and shouting men and wo- ticket taker were youths about half grabbed onto the sled and piled in. ticket seller and he called out his As it was, I could only watch it until comrade on the door. "This guy's it disappeared over the hul. I thought with The Bee; it's all right, ain't it?" to Keep School at Crete ris, Fred Wright, Judge Sullivan and guy" 35 or 40 years ago. But they

from the town of Crete to some other All I have to say about Frank Hel- couple, both well dressed. The young focation will be be given no further vey is that he is very unappreciative. man wore a pained expression on consideration, it was stated today by Just 39 years ago this month a posse his face, for it was with extremtrustees of the college. A meeting of Kansas vigilantes chased a bunch difficulty that he kept the young has held Saturday evening at which of Nebraska horsethieves clear back lady on her feet. She sagged and the decision was reached. It was an to Otoe county. It so happened that muttered and slipped, and indicated nounced by the trustees that the I was acquainted with the feader of a desire to rest by sitting down on campaign for a \$500,000 endowment the posse, and it is due to that very the curb. When I was a young felwill be continued, with the under- fact that Helvey is alive today to low the girl who drank anything

by one of his supposed friends.

maids," and at least one of them admitted to me Saturday that he no flower and did not display a rather proud of it. During a recent wasn't a candidate because his watch chain. He had a soft folding worldwide anniversary celebration the friends had drafted him, but because black silk hat without gloves. big chief of the place presented each he wanted to be. He further admitof candy, accompanying each box with sonal sacrifice to serve as governor, ner, without encircling her waist, have you ever been kissed?" And in- stunned for a few minutes. In all his grandfather's-champagne hink I was born middle aged?" acquaintance with Nebraska politics
"Underwear for the whole family" it was the first time I had met a Good Roads Delegates

ing which radical changes in the two in the family, Dad wearing them family having set forth her experiegates will arrive at Des Moines to ences back stage at the Orpheum, morrow morning and attend a meet on to me in condensed form. But I I am now going to make a strenuous ing there of the Detroit-Lincoln-Den-can not remember of any brand of underwear that ever went the whole dis- ety and charm my readers with story of my experiences.

Of course it did not offend me shoulders Sunday evening. Heard the a tall, but it did remind me of how bobsled was packed to the limit with pened that the ticket seller and the men. If the blamed horses hadn't way through their teens, I exbeen going so fast I would have plained my mission to the youthful comrade on the door. "This guy's that the only sleighbells in the world Of course it was all right-the adwere in museums. Wonder if I could mission, I mean. But I know what persuade Will Gurley, Edson Rich, would have happened to a lad who Judge Root, Dick Metcalfe, Will Nor- addressed a gray-haired man as "this

the removal of Doane college, a Con- me in a bobsled party the next time | And on the way back from that entertainment I passed a young standing that the college will remain write such scurrilous things about me. stronger than soda water Wasn't But it isn't the first time, by any Considered Nice.

Newsboy Financier Plans to Surrender

Sioux City, Ia., Jan. 13.-Morris Itkin, former Sioux City newsboy, alleged to have been the go-between in the sale of the Citizens bank of Parker, S. D., is on his way to Sioux City from California to surrender to uthorities here.

Herman Slotsky, Sloux City attorey, who has been retained by Itkin, After Wife Shot Her Brother, announced that he had received word from his client stating that he was on his way here to give himself up. Prosecutor Dan Hanson of Par-

ker, S. D., announced that he wanted it known he intended to arrest im, whether in Iowa or California. "I am in Sioux City after the 'higher ups," Prosecutor Hanson stated, "and those who signed the \$10,000 notes are small fry. I can get them any time I want them.'

Sets New Style for Men's Dress

"Studied Carelessness" Principal Note of English Leader's Attire While in Paris.

By Universal Service.

Paris, Jan. 13 .- Spats are doomed Such fascinating tidings have been result of the visit to Paris of the prince of Wales.

"Smartness" is interpreted by th prince to mean "no Frenchy touches." He wears no form fitting suits, no After cutting the arms and legs patent leather shoes in the daytime and has no loud checks in his over

He wears soft collars, "butterfly house furnace and kept the fire going shape" bow ties, and black oxford shoes with not more than four but tonholes and with disappearing laces It is most essential that the shoes do not look new. They should not even be highly polished and should ave a slightly worn appearance. In other words, that which Bond ago, is now the acme of smartness.

"Studied carelessness" is the principal note of the prince's dally appear- since the democratic national commitshirts with a soft double-fold collar, be in session during his visit, he may refusing to adopt the semi-rigid styles find a few vote-getting ideas that

vogue in America. to Enter New Prison In vogue in America.
His overcoat reaches one inch above the knee. It is double-breasted, bu The prince never adopted his father's aborted attempt to make side Colorado authorities to continue a life pressed trousers fashionable—in fact, the crease in the prince's trousers is

He does not wear a tie pin-pearl

scarcely discernible.

Wears No Morning Coat. Attending a semiformal reception at the British embassy this morning before church, it was noticed tha the prince alone was without morning coat, affecting a short black jacket edged with black braid, cut square. He wore quiet striped grey trousers with a vest of the same material as the trousers, and a derby hat with a dark grey band. Last night dining at Heri's res taurant, the prince wore a double-Adam McMullen is either a new breasted dinner jacket and a white

When he dances, the prince keep

Leave Lincoln for Chicago Lincoln, Jan. 13 .- A special car co roads congress at Chicago January The other and better half of the 15-16, left Lincoln tonight. The del

Accident Report False

Neighbors of C. R. Hut-ton took the impression that there had been an accident, but upon investigation it was found that the crowd were readers of Omaha Bee Want Ads who were gathered to rent the vacant rooms which they had seen advertised in the For Rent column.

One of the first applicants rented the rooms. you-want to have a gathering of tenants for your vacant rooms phone AT 1000 and place an Omaha Bee For Rent Ad. Omaha Bee Want Ads

RENT ROOMS. It's Results That Count Heads in Philadelphia Fall as Fighting Marine Warms Up Indignities



He wants to see for himself, does General Butler (reading), so at this police station he runs through the

Bryan's Object at Washington

pense Account, Indicating Visit Not a State Matter.

By R. H. PETERS.

Lincoln, Jan. 13 .- The national capital is apparently becoming the countain head of inspiration these days for Nebraska's democratic candidates who feel the need of great national issues to bolster up their im pending campaigns.

Trenmore Cone, who is certain that he will be the choice of the demo cratic party for the United States senate, is already in Washington, street termed shabbiness a short time and Charles W. Bryan will arrive there Monday morning searching for the light.

Governor Bryan is already fairly certain of his national platform, but have not yet come to his attention.

Piqued by a suggestion that he is masking the real purpose of his trip the mere suggestion of a belt or half- behind a statement that he is going tence of Charles Curry, convict, in the Nebraska penitentiary, has been comannounced today that he would sub mit no expense vouchers after his return to Lincoln.

"To avoid any discussion as to whether I should cancel my plans because of the democratic national committee meeting there, there wil be no expenses charged against the state." he said, which was a tacit admission that he has not gone on offi-

cial business. He had stated, earlier in the day, that he only charged the state with official purposes.

"I have only been out of the state three times," declared the governor, in defending his trip to Washington, my predecessors.

to Washington to the governors' con-ference of President Coolidge, attend-parison the snowfall for October, No- "I thought then," he explained toance at the deep waterways convention at Chicago, and a vacation trip 8 7-10 inches. to Minnesota.

cents per bushel on the local market. Master today issued a requisition for 000,000. Thus, before its 10th year A raise of 7 cents in the last few days. Frank A. Beddow of Sioux City, want- its tonnage exceeded that of the Suez done on account of the snow are given the Citizens' State Bank of Parker, tons. Smart Carp in Holt County Migrating

survive the winter, carp from Goose

of some unknown sense which en-ables them to fortell the weather, be-

to their destinations.

From Frozen Lakes Into Deeper Water

Moisture to Lubricate Gills Taken From

Snow Through Which They Must Flounder

in Their Cold Winter Journey

O'Neill, Neb., Jan. 13 .- Driven to be lured by artificial balts. Neither

ward, toward Swan and Whipple's live indefinitely with barely sufficient

that they never freeze over entirely. This he is able to secure from the

The extreme cold weather of the last snow through which he flounders in

several weeks has frozen many of the his winter migration. The migration

shallower lakes entirely over and while uncommon, is not unusual in

weeks will be required for them to lakes of the state. Several years ago

The carp, according to local au-game department, and it was then



Swinging his ax for the first time, Brig. Gen. Smedley D. Butler, now commanding Philadelphia police, suspended eight police leutenants charged with neglect of duty. Several of the men suspended have been regarded as political favorites.

More Snow This Month Strait at Panama Than All Last January

Snowfall during the first half of January, 1924, has exceeded the total Philippe Bunau-Varilla, French sol at the local weather bureau. From today to begin a campaign for re in Omaha has been 8 9-10 inches. In with a strait, connecting the Atlanfall was 7 6-10 inches and in January. His campaign will be opened in treasurer, and John Ek, secretary. The governor's three journeys be- 10 6-10 iches. Records show that the to the nature of the canal, still to be yond the borders of Nebraska since snowfall from October, 1922, to the constructed, advocating the less costvember and December of 1923 was day, "that the lock system would

Requisition for Banker. CALLAWAY-Corn is selling for 54 Pierre, S. D., Jan. 13.—Governor Mc reached the gigantic figure of 24.

the supervision of the state fish and

Plea of French Editor

New York, Jan. 13.-Lieut.-Col. snowfall for either month of January dier-editor-engineer,
Lesseps dream the original Panama in 1923 or 1922, according to records canal, arrived on the steamship Paris association offices. Twenty-eighth railroad fare when the trip was for January 1 to 12 of 1924 the snowfull placement of the existing lock canal the same officers who served last the month of January, 1923, the snowwaterway.

"and I have put in more hours of 1922, was 6 2-10 inches. Snowfall for Cincinnati next Saturday before the Louis Sommer and Richard Jepson. work here as governor than any of the entire year of 1923 was 45 8-10 Commercial club, where 23 years ago new members of the board, coninches and for the year 1922 was he took part in the controversy as gratulated old board members on the he took oath of office include a trip spring of 1923 including the month ly lock system that ultimately was creased by one-third over the preced-

serve for a good many years. But I was wrong. In 1923 the tonnage that passed through the Panama cana The big storm and no shelling being ed in connection with the wrecking of canal in its 55th year, by 1,000,000 cation of the Volstead act, it was an

vould cost \$1,000,000,000, but, he said, none of it need come out of the United States treasury; canal traffic would not be interrupted five minites by the rebuilding, and the waerway would pay for itself."

Indiana Family Perishes

Bicknell, Ind., Jan. 13 .- An entire national conventions to urge their family of six persons was killed, five request for a national expression of of them almost instantly, when the the subject. automobile in which they were riding was struck by Chicago & Eastern III. Hopkins Leaves for Tulsa seek deeper waters, that they may is he attracted by a bait in which nois train No. 92 at a crossing near the hook is the least exposed or the here today. The machine was thrown line at all visible as connected there 30 feet against an iron semaphore in Holt county, are migrating up the frequently with his back and gills carried 50 feet farther before the train investigate gasoline selling conditions deep snow-drifted valleys to the west- partially exposed to the air and can was stopped.

lakes, which are of sufficient depth moisture to keep his gills lubricated. Ford's Deposits in N. Y.

New York, Jan. 13.—Henry Ford's be retailed at a price below the prices deposits in New York banks total only some of them into solid bodies of ice. severe winters, according to carp \$115,000, it was disclosed today. Ar-Goose and Chain lakes are among the fishermen, and almost always in guments were heard in the federal latter. The carp, evidently possessed dicates a prolonged spell of very cold court on a motion to vacate an attachment against this amount. The war Swan lake, toward which the mi- rant was obtained by Herman Bern gan their migration several days be- gratory fish are progressing a few stein, editor of the Jewish Tribune fore the last extremely cold period miles each day, formerly was one of in connection with his \$200,000 and natives estimate that several the extremely thickly populated carp suit against the manufacturer.

make the journey of 20 miles or more the fish were seined from it under Council of Ambassadors

to Consider German Note Paris, Jan. 13 .- The council of amthorities, is the intellectual of the fish restocked with bass and other game family, and is possessed of a much fish. Unless the migration of the bassadors will meet at an early date higher mentality than the game carp can be diverted to some other to consider Germany's reply to the fishes such as the bass, pickerel and body of water it is feared that the council's note concering the resumptrout, his intellectuality being demon- work of establishing the game fish tion of activities of the interallied milstrated by the fact that he is not to in Swan lake will come to naught. Itary control commission in Germany.

Are Told in Confession

Assaults Upon Herself and Two Sisters Led to Slaying. Mrs. Tony Salerno Tells Police.

Bootleg Queen Is Held

Pete A. Sfras, 30, 723 Pierce street, is dead from two pistol wounds Louise Salerno, 21, wife of Tony Sa lerno, 706 Pierce street, and a niece vesterday afternoon of another victim to the swelling list of fued fatalities.

Sfras met his death at the hands of Mrs. Salerno in the front yard of her home, in retaliation for a series of brutal attacks upon her and her two small sisters, Antoinette and Helen Pirrucello, 10 and 15, respec tively, which extended over a period of 12 years, and after he had threat ened her life yesterday if she attempted to expose him, according to confession made to police by Mrs. Sa lerno last night.

Louise Vincequerra, notorious as Omaha's "bootleg queen," and a cousin of Mrs. Salerno, who was present during the shooting, is being held by po-

lice as a witness. The shooting occurred about 2:40 o'clock. Sfras was pronounced dead by Police Surgeon Grier, when police arrived at the scene a few minutes One bullet had entered the right breast and the other the right

Less than an hour after the shoot ing, Mrs. Salerno and Louise Vinciquerra appeared at the police station and surrendered to Police Captain Thorpe. Mrs. Salerno turned over to police the two weapons with which she admitted she had shot Sfras, One gun contained three discharged cartriliges and the other two, the re-

mrining chambers, being loaded. Following the shooting, Spas staggered to a pool hall at 1124 South Eleventh street, where he floor, and a few ininutes later in the arms of Sebastino Mondolfo. 1112 South Eighth street, who rushed

man's head to his lap. Five shots were fired by Mrs. Sa lerno, two striking Spas, and a third wounding Louise Marino, 16. 1231 Seventh street, in the upper arm, as she was crossing the street with her

Officers' Re-Elected by Retail Grocers

Directors of the Omaha Retail Grocers' association met tast week at the and Farnam streets, and re-elected year for the ensuing year, as follows blum, vice president; Sam Sommer, success of the association's activities during 1923, when assets were in

Wet Forces Are United in Effort to Modify Dry Law By Associated Press.

New York, Jan. 13.-Labor, law and capital have joined in a nation wide concerted effort for the modifiof the board of the Moderation league. The American Federation of Labor, the Constitutional Liberty league, the Association Against the Prohibition Amendment and the Moderation league have combined their forces for the campaign, he said. The legis lative committee of the combined or ganizations will ask for hearings be fore the resolutions committee of When Train Hits Auto both the republican and democratic

to Buy Gas for City Sale City Commissioner John Hopkins and Chain lakes, south of Chambers to. He feeds in shallow waters, most post and was hit a second time and and other points in the oil fields, to at the refinneries.

He will endeavor to obtain a favorable contract with an independen Banks Only \$115,000 company, to supply the city govern now being charged at the local filling

> The price of gasoline was increased cents a galign in Omaha yester-

The Weather