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THOUGHT FOR THE DAY.

ED URED, IN STORM

Both Parties High School Boy Held Attacked in Air Inquiry

"Controlled by Same People," Former Federal Investigator Tells Wheeler-Brookhart Committee.

Calls Official "Jelly Fish'

By Universal Service

Washington, March 29 .- An attack before the Daugherty investigating committee today by H. L. Scaife, former investigator for the Depart

"jelly fish" Guy D. Goff, assistant in charge of war contract investigations, and expressed a dislike for Abram F. Myers, charged with the same sor of work. Scaife asserted he was told by Goff that Myers owed his appoint ment to former Attorney General George Wickersham of New York, whose law firm represented Mitsui & Co., Japanese backers of the Standard Aircraft corporation. He described the Mitsui interests as "part of the invisible government" of the United

So He Took the \$100,000.

Gaston B. Means, another former \$1,000 bills, which he turned over to 20 hours in the city jail.

tween the United States and Japan cases. He said that he had seen a confidential report showing that agents had traced to the Mitsui offices man who was taking pictures of the defenses of Boston harbor.

Another report dealt with an eftrucks, which could be adopted for Stewart.

brought into the investigation the names of Secretary of State Hughes and Secretary of War Weeks not permitted to telephone my wife in connection with the American Bosch Magneto case. He reviewed the sale of the Bosch American holdings by the Wilson administration to Martin E. Kern, whom he characterized as a friend of A. Mitchell Palmer, then attorney general.

Reads Correspondence.

The witness read what he said were copies of correspondence sen from Germany by Kern to his asso-ciates in this country. One suggested taking Secretary Weeks to Attorney "put a quietus on the whole thing." The undertaking, Scaife asserted, was hean, of Washington, remarked that he thought Secretary Weeks had not "We Want Them Then," is the been associated with the firm for title of this poem, which will be read he thought Secretary Weeks had not

BISHOP SHAYLER

Ideals and traditions of the Jewish race are not dead and buried in Jerusalem, Bishop E. V. Shayler told gathering of members of the Omaha Zionist district at a luncheon at the Brandels restaurant Saturday noon. Bishop Shayler had been invited to speak to the Zionists after announcement of his proposed trip through the Holy Land had been made. Dr. A. Romm acted as toastmaster Harry Lapidus, J. J. Friedman, Dr Victor Levine, Nathan Bernstein Max Fromkin and Mr. Silverman also

"The ideals, traditions and civiliz tion of the Jewish race are not dead," Bishop Shayler said, "but are liv ing forces that your people can call upon to aid them in the rebuilding of the homeland and Palestine."

FOUR TRAINMEN REPORTED KILLED

Newark, O., March 29 .- Four Baltimore & Ohio trainmen were reported killed when a freight train on the Shawnee division went through a bridge south of here today. High water was said to have caused the trestle to give way.

Kentucky Storm-Ridden.

Paducah, Ky., March 29.-Damage in last night's wind storm in Mc-Cracken and Graves counties was estimated at \$75,000 today. No lose of life was reported. Lamont, Grahamville and Maxon seem to have been hit hardest. Meager reports from Lamont reveal that it suffered heavy damage. A number of houses were blown down, several persons narrowly escaped death and fire broke out in a garage when it was demolished

for Fatal Fist Fight



R.D. M. LEAN. WE.

R. D. McLean, a 17-year-old Los Angeles (Cal.) high school boy, is under arrest there following the death of his chum, John Toothman. The boys fell out, and in a fistic en had ter Toothman dropped dead.

Detective Chief Threatened Him, College Man Says

War Veteran Called "Liar" and Refused Privilege of Telephoning Wife or Friends.

Friends of Herbert A. Stewart, 2501 St. Mary avenue, are talking of takdepartment agent, previously had st. Mary avenue, are talking of tak-testified that he received from a repre-ing action regarding his arrest Thurssentative of the Mitsui company 100 day night and his incarceration for

Jesse W. Smith.

Scaife also described what he regarded as the "critical relations" be
Rev. J. Clyde Mahaffey. He came to Omaha a month ago with his wife and League of Nebraska "I believe that child. He is a graduate of the Uniupon the Standard Aircraft and other versity of Michigan school of pharoff the same opinion, that a method mitted that the attorney general may strewn casket passed. On the chance should be devised whereby they may be right. His arrest occurred at Sixteenth be sure they are voting for the dele-

met in Des Moines. "I learned at the station that the

fort by the Japanese to buy in the young man I was with was charged United States fire engine motor with stealing some watches," said

"The chief of detectives called me Har and threatened to beat me up when I told him who I was. I was or friends. I was held in a cell all Jury Reaches Verdict After 46 Petition Bearing 26,000 Signight and until about 2 the next afternoon without any charges being

He said several detectives "identi fied" him as a man who committed thefts in Omaha about two months ago at which time he says he was

OMAHAN'S POEM IN ELK MAGAZINE

O. Lawrence Hawthorne, poet and journalist, has a full page poem in financed by Hornblower & Weeks, a the April issue of the Elks magazine, bond house. Senator Jones, repub- the national publication of the Elks, with a circulation of nearly 1,000,000. in every state in the union.

While comparatively a young man, writer of wholesome verse. His poems ombine sentiment with sales appeal. ZIONIST GUEST He recently recited some of his poem before the Omaha Rotary club.

Man and Wife Killed. Mrs. Louis Fodge were killed when until the final report of the jury. their home was demolished in a ter

rific wind storm today. Near Miner, three miles west of Sikeston, a house turned over three

WHERE TO FIND THE BIG FEATURES OF THE SUNDAY BEE

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"Keep Smiling" Slogans of Omaha
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Haising Minimum School Age to 18;
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Abe Martin, "On Marriage."

PART FOLIR PART FOUR.

Pages 1 and 2-Movies and Amuse-Pages 3 and 4-Music and Radio News.

PART FIVE. Four Pages of Best Comies. ALCOGRAVURE SECTION.

Memorize These Names! COOLIDGE DELEGATES.

Delegates at Large—C. F. Reavis, Falls City; A. W. Jefferis, Omaha; George N. Seymour, Elgin; E. B. Perry, Lincoln; Mrs. Draper Smith, Omaha; George C. Junkin, Smithfield; Blanche Williams,

Second District Delegates-H. Malcolm Baldrige and Gould Dietz. Alternates, John F. White and Floyd Davidson.

JOHNSON DELEGATES.

Delegates at Large—C. C. Flansburg, Lincoln; E. L. Bradley, Omaha; O. F. Byron, Walthill; L. D. Evans, Kenesaw; J. P. Gibbons, Kearney; C. E. San-Second District Delegates-J. Dean Ringer and

Queer Law Obscures Identity of G. O. P. Convention Delegates; Creates Confusion Among Voters

eral Spillman at Lincoln, that the tified with the Johnson forces, as out of \$1,050,000 on a threat to bline names of delegates to the republican serted that he believed the opinion of young Ford's children. national convention must be rotated the attorney general reflected the law. n the ballots and that no designaions may be shown, brought reac ionary statements from Coolidge and merely as delegates without reference

Dr. P. T. Barber.

n his rigid interpretation of the law, uling will lead to confusion among ure of the primary ballots.

It is ruled by the attorney general that the law expressly provides that the name of a presidential candidate shall not appear twice on a ballot, which would be the case if the convention delegates were grouped. Impractical.

"I think it is an extremely impracti- tire state. al way because the names of delegates ought to be grouped for the acmmodation of the voters." said A. V. Shotwell, president of the Coolidge League of Nebraska "I believe that and Douglas streets where he was in gates upon whom they may rely to idea," Mr. Burton said, "It will con- his victim, plainclothes men mingled company with a young man he had carry out their wish at the conven- fuse the voters. I have not gone into with the crowds. They made one ar- attorneys, acting for Levi Kelser, 79,

"Some of the candidates for delegates to the national convention filed Slaver Suspect "Some of the candidates for dele

to any candidate other than that they The general opinion is that while would support the candidate receive he attorney general may be correct ing the majority vote in the republican primary for president in the rom a practical point of view, the state," Mr. Smith said, "The voter Man Arrested at Funeral of should inform himself. I have looked he voters. Most of those who were into this question and found no pro juizzed on the subject agreed that vision in the law which provides for he grouping of delegates would be the grouping of delegates, under the mmon sense solution of this feathead of any candidate for presi-Unfortunate.

E. L. Bradley, a state leader for Johnson, expressed Senator Hiram unfortunate thing for both sides.

grouping. We will circularize the en-Both sides wanted the names of delegates grouped. I think down the slayer. the names should be grouped. It will The funeral of Mrs. Bauer tool cost us much money to circularize the place this afternoon from her home voters on this feature of the ballot."

of Fraud Charge

Hours When Judge Remains Firm.

The prospect of being locked in the ury room still longer after 46 hours deliberation did not appeal to the with Zimmer & Smith, Lincoln, general agents for the General Casualty

and Surety company. The judge called the 12 men in a The judge called the 12 men in at 10:15. Foreman George Emerical Movement was started BANKERS MEET TO ported they had stood 7 to 5 for a day and a half and showed no pros pect of agreeing.

"I once knew a case," remarked the judge to the heavy-eyed jurors, where a jury reached agreement after 72 hours of deliberating. The men filed back to the jury room and the door was locked.

Young was an hour and a half late appearing at the court house. Judge Sikeston, Mo. March 29 .- Mr. and Stauffer ordered him kept in custody

UNIONS MAY TRY NONUNION CASES times, severely injuring four persons.

Chicago, March 29.-The right of he Federated Shop Crafts, the Rail Workers Division of the American Federation of Labor, to represent individual employes of the Great Northern system before the United States railroad labor board, although that road does not recognize the union was upheld today by a decision of the

labor board. The decision is held important in that it preserves to individual workers the right to choose union repre sentation before the board regardless of whether the carrier involved recognizes the labor organization through wage cantracts.

Candidate for Congress

Dislikes Volstead Law Daniel Horrigan, democratic can lidate for the congressional nomination in this district, will speak this afternoon at a meeting of the Sher man Avenue Progressive club at Sixteenth and Locust streets. He announced that at this meeting he will outline his views in favor of a modification of the Volstead law to permit the manufacture and sale of light wines and beers.

U. P. Bond Sale O. K.'d. Washington, March 29 .- The inter state commerce commission today approved the application of the Union Pacific to issue \$3,000,000 in equipment trust certificates to be sold at 98.94 per cent of par.

Recall of Denver Mayor Is Sought

natures Filed With City

the recall of Mayor Ben F. Stapleton, 12 men who tried Lynn Young, for containing slightly in excess of 26,000 mer bond salesman, on a charge of signers, were filed with the city clerk court in Brooklyn. He was released. embezzlement, and they returned a shortly before noon today. The numverdict of not guilty at 11:30 Satur-day in District Judge Stauffer's tions is approximately 10,000 in ex- er of Port Richmond, who was in merely delinquent in his accounts cess of the legal number required to specting the work of wood choppers institute the recall and 1,000 more on land of his near the scene of the than the sponsors of the movement murder Tuesday. planned to collect.

were put into circulation.

BOK PEACE PLAN

eferendum on the winning prize for ers' association, who have filed suit the Bok peace award, submitted by in the federal and state courts at Dr. Charles H. Levermore, showed Omaha to prevent Douglas county of 534,177 votes in favor of the ficials from collecting the taxes implan and 76,381 against, it was an posed upon state and national banks nounced today. Citizens in every for the year 1923. state and many abroad were repre-sented in the ballots. The vote closed E. Burnham of Norfolk, W. B. brought to a close the 30th annual March 15.

Dr. Levermore was given \$50,000 when of Grand Island. The banks are re- tion. his plan was selected by the commit- sisting the tax assessment as imposed when or if the plan is approved by preliminary to the hearing of the congress" or if the committee decides second half of the award.

Summary of The Day In Washington

rying \$326,000,000, was passed by The senate Daugherty committee heard further testimony about air-craft cases and whisky "deals." The shipping board rejected all bids for merchant ships of the gov-

ernment fleet recently offered for The senate finance committee approved repeal of the 10 per cent dmission tax on tickets costing 50 cents or less.

American exports for February showed an increase of nearly \$60,-000,000 over February a year ago. while imports increased \$30,000,000. Secretaries Weeks, Work and Wallace opposed the Boulder canyon dam project as proposed in the deliberations Swing-Johnson bill before the house work today.

Man Charged With



n Detroit, Mich., charged with at empting to blackmail Edsel Ford son of the automobile manufacturer,

Establishes Alibi

Woman Knife Victim, Released.

New York, March 28 .- Though al of the clues followed so far have le vestigating the murder of Mrs. Maud his opinion that the grouping was an Bauer of Staten Island, which oc of ortunate thing for both sides. curred last Tuesday within a few hundred law does not provide for dred yards of where her mother and Keiser Mentality curred last Tuesday within a few hun children were waiting for her, were confident tonight that they would run

on Staten Island and hundreds at William M. Burton, president of the tended the services and formed a lane outside through which the flowerthat morbid fascination might pull rest before the services were over. afterward identified as Edward Blier, for a retrial of the case in district serve from 20 to 30 years in the state sota and Wisconsin. Iowa suffered an oil salesman of Brooklyn. This court was overruled. nan insisted on being allowed to go sedan-the same type of car used by appeal or supersedeas proceedings. the man from whom Mrs. Bauer accourtesy of the open road."

vinced the police that at the time upon in the supreme court, Mrs. Bauer was murdered he was in ourt in Brooklyn. He was released. FROSH PROBLEMS

DISCUSS TAX SUIT

FAVORED IN VOTE by State Tax Commissioner Smith. Miss Assistant Attorney General Ayres and New York, March 29 .- The national the three members of the state bank

March 15.

Under the conditions of the award, clearing house, and E. E. Williams of the lowa State Teachers' associacept payment of such taxes as the stein [Ia.) schools, secretary.

EX-PIGGLY-WIGGLY HEAD OPENS STORE

Memphis, Tenn., March 29.-Clarnce Saunders opened his new store ere today with the sanction of the nited States district court.

The much heralded and oft delayed opening" was made possible late last light, when Judge J. W. Ross grantd Saunders' petition for an appeal of he injunction suit brought by the iggly Wiggly corporation, and modfied the restraining order which he late Thursday and into a lavatory, cranted on application of the corportion on March 6.

League Committee Plans to Restrict Arms Traffic

Paris, March 28 .- A plan for a invention restricting international traffic in arms and munitions, designed to replace the convention Saint Germain, has been adopted l the league of nations subcommitte on arms. The committee began its deliberations Monday and finished its

Next Southwest Ford Blackmail Effort Trip May Include Other Industriies

> Stockyards Men to Be Joined by Other Tradesmen, Gardner Predicts.

Omaha wholesalers."

This statement, made Saturday by Charles Gardner, Ak-Sar-Ben leader, indicates a widened horizon for Omaha business men that is encourag

tinued Mr. Gardner, "we found field there for our ambassadors o ommerce, the sales forces of Omah. business houses.

"This is a territory that has bee largely supplied by other cities especially Kansas City, some of it by Denver and the larger cities of Texas but the opportunity is there for Omaha. It is an expansion possibility that I am sure will appeal to the progressive business men of this city. "The stockyards men have opened the door. Everywhere they have been

welcomed now for three years. The

welcome extends to the newspapers

In each of the cities representatives

of the newspapers were present and we were given large attention on the front pages. "Next March, I feel sure that in stead of one special car, we will have three special cars, the other two being filled with representatives

Omaha wholesale houses. "We have succeeded splendidly for the stockyards: we will succeed for the wholesale houses.

to Supreme Court

Aged Bridegroom Again Appeals Decision He Is Mentally Incompetent.

Wahoo, Neb., March 29 .- Defense the county jail. and Mrs. Irene Buell-Keiser, his bride, This was brought about by the filed an appeal to the Nebraska su-

Judge Fred Shepherd of Lincoln. into the house and see the body. When who presided at the hearing of the the police demanded to know his appeal from the Saunders county reason he turned about abruptly and court and sustained the original findstarted back to his car which had ing, will rule next Saturday on been parked nearby. It was a Ford whether the appeal is to be a straight cepted what she considered was "the one, Ell Keiser, brother of Levi, will act as the latter's guardian, whereas Biler was taken to police head a supersedeas action will restrain Eli quarters at St. George. But he con- from acting until the appeal is passed

TO BE DISCUSSED

'Problems of the High School Freshman" will be the topic for discus-sion at a meeting of the Dundee Parent-Teacher association in Dundee school Tuesday night. Miss Jessie Millan, dean of boys at Central High school, will lead. School grade pupils at Dundee school will give a demonstration

NORTHWEST IOWA TEACHERS ELECT

under direction of their instructor,

furnished by Bryce and James Bednar.

Nellie Orme. Music will be

Sioux City, Ia., March 29 .- Election

Fred B. Farmer, superintendent of tee and will be given another \$50,000 and the conference was held as a the city schools at Storm Lake, Ia., was elected president; W. G. Clark, cases in court. The discussion bear superintendent of the Sibley, la. the measure of support has been adequate to warrant giving him the advisable for county treasurers to ac. Wedge Wood, principal of the Hol-

> Congressman Pursues Fleeing Stenographer Down Office Corridor

Washington, March 29 .- A new 'scandal' broke out today scandal-filled Washington. Members of the control commission, that exercises supervision over the house office building, were investigating a story that a member of congress from New Jersey chased his pretty stenographer down the corridor of the building

The corridor chase was witnessed by attaches of other offices, who have filed written statements with

the building commission. Friends of the girl declare she was not harmed by the congress-man, other than she was shocked and reduced to a state of hysteria. The congressman was intexicated. according to the testimony of eye

The names are being withheld.

Most Beautiful Woman of Japan to Live in U.S.



Mrs. THAIG O'CONROY

narried to Thaig O'Conroy and will nake her future home in Los Angeles with her Irish husband.

"Baby Bandit" Gang Leader Gets Life Term

Attempts Flight From Denver Courtroom After Heavy Sentence Is Pronounced.

sheriffs and attempted to escape after ling to the street. he had been sentenced to life im-prisonment in the state penitentiary. Many Street Accidents. He was overpowered by court at-

A few minutes after Dixon had hour, smashing many windows. made his ineffectual attempt to escape from custody Emmet McCall, was felt to the Canadian penitentiary for his confessed part from high winds and floods. in the depredations of the "baby A sleet storm wrecked telepho bandk gang." McCall pleaded guilty and telegraph wires between St. Paul Two other convicted holdup men this district will be heavy. vere given shorter sentences.

bandit gang stil remain to be tried. **IOWAN SUMMONED**

IN OIL INQUIRY deputy United States marshal, today. state convention at Davenport, Ia., len. April 3," when the fight between the Reports from Missouri said the Marsh and Herring factions, with the property damage in that state would national committeemanship as the exceed \$500,000. Buildings were hone of contention, will be decided. wrecked and fruit farms damaged, the best evidence of campaign con- reported from Oklahoma and Texas tributions," said Mr. Marsh. There No accurate estimate could be made were in the neighborhood of 200,000 of the property damage in Kentucky, contributors to the campaign funds Iowa, Illinois, Indiana, Wisconsin

FOUR BANDITS GET \$30,000 PAYROLL

automobile bandits today forced entrance to the offices of the Shawnee, 25 miles east of this city. Havana-Tampa Cigar company here and held up pay officials and escaped with approximately \$30,000, according to reports given police. The money had been delivered to

he offices a few minutes before the pandits arrived and was to have been

FORMER SAXONY PREMIER JAILED

Berlin, March 29 .- Dr. Ziegner, forner premier of Saxony, whom Dr. Stresemann ejected from office by military force, was sentenced today fered probably \$150,000 damage from

The Weather

where he left her hysterical and in

Leave Trail of Damage

Snow and Hail, Accompanied by High Wind, Sweep Over Half a Dozen States.

Communication Impaired Chicago, March 29 .- The equinoctal orm that swept across the country

oday took heavy toll in life and A recapitulation of fatalities tonight showed 23 dead, more than 100 inured and property damage mounting o hundreds of thousands of dollars. Tornadoes broke over Oklahoma and Tennessee, other states were swept by high winds, floods of water and leet and snow.

The loss of life was shown as Oklahoma, 8; Ohio, 4; Illinois, 3; Missouri, 3; Kansas, 1; Pennsylvania,

: Utah, 2. The loss of life in Oklahoma and Missouri was caused by tornadoes. The deaths in Pennsylvania and Ohio by drowning, Illinois by lightning and street accidents and Utah by snow

Develops in Rocky Mountains. The storm developed in the Rocky ountain region Wednesday, moving eastward slowly, gaining mome It assumed alarming proportions last night when it struck Oklahoma, Kansas and Texas. Two hundred homes were wrecked in Shawnee, Okl., and umerous smaller towns suffered. Throughout the night the storm raged, moving westward, crossing the Mississippi and taking a northeasterly course into Kentucky, Illinois

Indiana and Ohio. Chicago was engulfed in a deluge cene in the West Side criminal court the Steger building, downtown, was when he broke away from deputy shattered by a bolt and came hurt-

taches and returned to his cell in ported during the day. The wind reached a velocity of 55 miles an Northwest of Chicago the storr curious actions of a man who was preme court today after their motion a companion of his, was sentenced to Snow fell over the Dakotas, Minne-

> to a charge of aggravated robbery and Milwaukee. Train schedules last week at the same time as Dixon. were shattered. The property loss in Cold weather prevails in the rear Three members of the alleged of the storm. The cold will gradually spread over the country, prob-

ably bringing killing frost in southern states.

Heavy Flood Damage. Kentucky reported severe storm damage. Three villages, Heath, Max-Waterloo, Ia., March 28 .- Wilbur on and La Motte, were caught in a Marsh, ex-treasurer of the demo- tornado and many homes wrecked. ratic national committee, was served No loss of life was reported. Tobacwith a subpoena to appear before the co sheds were damaged. The wind senate committee investigating the swept the Ohio river and drove at 60 Teapot Dome lease by Mike Healey, miles an hour into Indiana and Ohio. Ohio and Indiana reported heavy Mr. Marsh stated he will be pleased flood damage. Heavy rain was fall to testify before the committee, but ing tonight in Pennsylvania, Mich hopes "he will not be compelled to gan and eastern New York. Rivers report until after the democratic and small streams were badly swol

"The books of the committee are About \$500,000 property damage was and large contributions were neither Ohio and Pennsylvania, but reports indicated it would exceed \$1,000,000. Railroads and telegraph companies suffered heavily.

Oklahoma City, Okl., March 28 .-Ten persons are dead today and between 50 and 60 were injured serio Tampa, Fla., March 29.-Four ly in the tornado which struck Oklahoma late yesterday, centering at The storm swept with fury over the entire state. Temperatures (Turn to Page Five, Column One.)

Sleet Hits Wisconsin. Milwaukee, Wis., March 29 .- A used in paying employes, officials said. bureau as the most severe sleet storm in recent years silenced telephone and telegraph to most cities of the state today. To the north and west of Milwau

> kee there was no communication, Alton Suffers in Storm. Alton, Ill., March 29 .- Alton sufa tornado which passed over the business district last night. One man was injured. Roofs were lifted off

were damaged and small buildings were carried long distances. Five Jailed, 21 Fined for Violating Picketing Law

several store buildings, many houses

Chicago, March 28.-Violation of the anti-picketing injunction brought ines and jail sentences to 26 strikers of the International Lady Garment Workers' union today, Five of the picketers were given jail sentences, ranging from five to 30 days, and 21 were fined, the minimum fine being \$100. The majority were women.