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Torn Note Found in 'Mystery Girl' Case President, in Acceptance Speech, Outlines Arms Conference Plan;

May Lead to Identity of Slain Woman

Authorities Seek Driver of Nebraska Car-Believe He Can Throw Light on Case.

Scores Come to See Body

By JEROME TOWSLEE. "I'll come and get you."

This one intelligible sentence has been pieced together from tiny fragments of a letter found at one end of the bridge 10 miles west of town under which the body of an unidentified girl was found clue of the mystery surrounding her death.

More Taylor county authorities are there will arise, phoenix-like, a new unable to discern from the torn

Seek Driver of Car.

Police of Nebraska and Iowa are seeking the driver of a Buick touring ago. car bearing the Nebraska license, 23-765. The license is said to have been stolen a week ago from the car of Mons Aafe, Tilden, Neb.

The driver of the "mystery" car to take the place of Governor C. W. sawned a grip for 13 gallons of gaso- Bryan. Now the former progressive line to Charles Clark, proprietor of a state chairman declares himself un-Newmarket (Ia.) filling station reservedly for La Follette and Wheel-Wednesday morning, saying that he er and calls upon all progressives had been doped and robbed at Clar to follow him in that enterprise. inda, Ia., the night before. He gave his name as Carey Wilson and said '100 per cent" for La Follette. A con-

that he was from Albion, Neb.

Found by Boys. The same man asked W. E. Fitch.

farmer, south of Bedford, for milk and eggs at 2 Wednesday morning. claiming that he had been poisoned by liquor he had imbibed at Clarinda. He sat in his car in front of the farm house until 5:30, when he drove to the filling station. The girl had been beaten horribly about the face, head, neck and shoul-

ders. Her neck was not broken as was first believed. Authorities believe she was slain and the body carried to the bridge, where an attempt was made to drop it into the water. Instead the body struck the bank and colled under the bridge. Two empty beer bottles, two paper

hapkins and two men's handkerchiefs found by the roadside at the Will when he stopped at the farm and said the man came to the house and he did not see a woman. marks, valuable clues.

Grocer Loses Name. William Cumstock, Bedford grocer, identified the slain girl as the woman to whom he sold an order of groceries at the Taylor county fair. He said that he wrote her name on the order slip but had lost the slip. Cumstock told authorities that the slain girl had been in his store several times and that he had noticed a man resembling

for her outside. Dorothy Douglas, waitress, Redod cafe, asserted that the dead girl one of a party of four men and women who ate in the cafe one

To Examine Stomach. The stomach of the dead girl wil (Turn to Page Two, Column Two.)

We Have With Us

Today F. W. Bartos,

Attorney, Wilber, Neb.

F. W. Bartos, attorney of Wilber, Neb., is enroute to Chicago to attend the trial of the Franks case.

Mr. Bartos was attorney for the defense of Able Vajgrt, 13, who with her parents was accused of the first degree murder of a farm hand on their farm near Seward, Neb., last

the defendant in any case ought to Charles Brock, fr., Council Bluffs tell the story of the reasons why he tell the story of the reasons why he committed his crime. In regard to Leopold and Loeb, Bartos declares that Roman Pahadella, Kansas City, Mo. this manner of handling a case was Harry Flynn, Missouri Valley, Is manner of handling a case was Harry Flynn, Missouri Valley, Is Darrow made the announcement to Harold Mann. Omaba Eva Whaley, Shelbina, Mo. Sam Konis, Omaba the hearing was the lesser degree of Hazel Elgin, Omaha the physical and mental undevelop-ment, and hereditary pre-disposition [Jillian Andrews, Columbus, Neb. ... Lawrence Spear, Omaha Agnes Duffy, Omaha of the defendants.

Wheat Receipts Jump to 242 Cars

Wheat receipts at the Omaha grain market Thursday were 242 cars and corn receipts, 37 cars. No. 2 hard wheat sold at from \$1.14 to \$1.24, and No. 3 yellow

corn sold for \$1.09.
On the corresponding day a year ago wheat receipts were 17 cars and corn receipts 41 cars, at which time No. 2 hard wheat sold for from \$1.00 to \$1.03 and No. 3 yellow corn for 80 cents.

Nebraska Head of Third Party Abandons Post

Bedford, Ia., Aug. 14.- Rev. J. L. Beebe Says Unscrupulous Politicians to Blame for Degeneration

of Progressives. In submitting his resignation as chairman of the state central committee of the progressive party of ited her home early in the morning Wednesday. It is the latest Nebraska, Rev. J. L. Beebe suggests that the "remains" of the party be had quarrelled," and he was afraid committed to the dust and expresses he had killed her. the hope that out of the dead past progressive party.

He charges that unscrupulous polithis virgin party whose generic or this virgin party whose genesis occurred at Grand Island a few years

sive leaders who named City Commissioner D. B. Butler as progressive party candidate for governor

Butler has been quoted as being The suitcase contained articles of by the progressives is pending, mak test against the nomination of Butler women's clothing. It also contained a blue serge vest said to correspond with the serge suit worn by the young Green Def as Party.

> The recommendation of Rev. J. L. Nebraska should be scrapped, does not appeal to W. H. Green, state secretary of the progressive party, who was in Lincoln on Thursday to defend the gubernatorial nomination of

Dan Butler. Moreover, Secretary Green stated hat he is not perturbed over the thought that Butler may decide not to tay in the race, in view of the resignation of Rev. Mr. Beebe as state chairman and his accompanying proposal that the progressive party of

One of these legal advisers said tothe state be given a decent burial. day that McCoy's friends had been Says Butler Will Stay In. Mr. Green does not consider the for several weeks and had planned none will be sent. question of Butler's prospective withtaking him before the lunacy commis drawal as of much importance.

"Butler will be home in a few days." said Mr. Green, "and then you can been living in an apartment house Fitch farm where the "mystery man" get his own word in this matter. Of under assumed names, was found stopped led police Thursday morning course, I shall insist that he remain dead yesterday morning by the house to believe that the slain woman might in the race, which I am confident he have been alive with the stranger will do. The Rev. Mr. Beebe is only janitor, a bullet hole in her temple. one of the progressive party and we a deep cut on her lip and other cuts and bruises elsewhere on her body. requested milk and eggs to offset the intend to go right on functioning as effects of "poison hootch." Fitch usual. Beebe has been considering McCoy was caught after his invagetting out of party politics for some time. We will have a meeting of our sion of the West Lake business dis-The handkerchiefs bear laundry state central committee soon and then trict, but for several hours said nothing coherent relative to the murder. will go over the situation."

> Man Without a Party. Commissioner Butler, occupying the cole of the man without a party, is vacationing in Minnesota.

A few of the high spots of the statement of Rev. Mr. Beebe to the state central committee follow: (Turn to Page Two, Column Three.)

that he had noticed a man resembling FATHER WILLIAMS the stranger sought by police waiting CRITICALLY ILL grand jury.

Father John Williams, 89, is critically ill at his home, 4804 Dodge street. He was formerly rector at St. Barnabas Episcopal church for \$7

Head of State Realtors

Takes Business Partner Central City, Aug. 14 .- J. E. Casad of Kansas City, Mo., has acquired half interest in the M. A. Larson company, real estate firm of this city. Mr. Larson is president of the state realtors' association. Mr. Cazad has ing, but got little loot. The Strattor been with the Fidelity National Bank drug store was entered and \$20 cash and Trust company of Kansas City and \$100 worth of fountain pens and as a special real estate examiner. safety razors stolen. Mrs. Cazad, who has been associated with a real estate concern in Kansas fice was ransacked, but nothing of City, will also take an active part in value has been missed. An attempt the new company.

Married in Council Bluffs.

The following persons obtained riage licenses in Council Bluffs day: pring. They were acquitted day:
Louis Schmidt, Millard, Neb.
It is the belief of this attorney that Mildred Mitchell, Omaha

Columbus, Neb., Aug. 14.-Surveys of both tourist camps here reveal that two thirds of the tourists now on to bid for the next state convention the road are seeking places to fish. for Beatrice. These delegates were Colorado people are going to Min selected to represent Beatrice at the nesota and Missouri; Minnesota and Grand Island meeting; J. Ed C. Wisconsin tourists are bound for Fisher, Guy Hemminger, Paul Pels Colorado and Missouri while those of and Clifford Rockhold. A resolution 26 Colorado and Missouri while those of and Children was passed endorsing the "Defense was passed endorsing the "Defense the middle west are going in all directions was passed endorsing the "Defense was passed endorse was passed end tions with the same purpose in mind. Day" program for September 12.

Sister of **McCoyTells** Her Story Monte Carlo, Aug. 14.—Arthur St. John, a wealthy Englishman, was badly beaten up by Clifford Harmon,

Mrs. Jennie Thomas Said to of the Cafe de Paris here. Harmon Tension Snaps in Leopold and Have Told Grand Jury Her Brother Admitted Slaying Mrs. Mors.

May Plead Insanity.

Los Angeles, Aug. 14.-Kid McCov

Lotharia of eight matrimonial ven-

Against him stands a charge of sus-

icion of murder, which District At-

changed to murder when the county

Friends Aid McCoy.

No Powder Burns.

night when, in a fit of despondency,

she tried to stab herself with a butch-

the fighter is said to have confessed

that he killed Mrs. Mors, were ques-

Thomas gave her evidence to the

no powder burns about the wound in

in Three Hubbell Visits

ecial Dispatch to The Omaha Bee.

Hubbell, Neb., Aug. 14.—Burglars

were busy in Hubbell early this morn-

The Farmers' Lumber company of

At the Burlington depot the cash

drawer was pried open and a small

amount in pennies taken, the agent

having banked most of the funds yes-

open, but a burried check discloses

no tickets missing. Baggage was dis-

Fishing Aim of Tourists.

The ticket case was broken

was made to timmy the safe.

turbed, but none stolen

Burglars Get Little Loot

the head.

in his present dilemma.

plea will be introduced.

torney Keyes.

antique dealer.

studying in Italy.

Posing as a "house dancer," St John nightly requested a dance with Miss Keltie, who was always with her He May Plead Insanity Miss Keltle, who was always with her Judge Suspends Court

'I do not know you." Meeting her while out walking, S John accosted her and asked why Los Angeles, Aug. 14.-Mrs Jennie she always refused to dance with him. Thomas, sister of Kid McCoy, was Miss Keltie was highly insulted and medico-legal battle taken before the Los Angeles county in the scene which followed, Harmon Nathan F. Leopold, jr., and Richard grand jury late this afternoon and is said to have related how McCoy had now confined to his home.

Wealthy Englishman

Beaten for Trying to

By BASIL D. WOON,

a United States millionaire, in front

objected to St. John forcing his at

tentions on Madeleine Keltie, an

American opera singer, who has been

"Sheik" Pretty Dancer

Mrs. Thimas had previously refused to make a statement to District At-\$100,000 Fund to She remained in the grand jury rooms about 15 minutes. She is reported to have said McCoy had vis-China for Relief and He said, according to her story, that on the night of the shooting, "they

No Request to America for Workers and None Will Be Sent-Report Predicts Famine.

Washington, Aug. 14.-The Ameritures, tonight at the age of 51 years. can Red Cross today cabled \$100,000 which he admits, faces from a jail for the relief of victims of the floods cell the prospect of attempting to sweeping several provinces of China. cheat the hangman's noose by a plea Chairman John Barton Payne ordered the donation upon receipt of a report transmitted through the State department at the request of Red Cross by torney Asa Keyes says will be Minister Schurman at Pekin.

concerning the death some time Tues. by the floods and that \$10,000,000 will proached from the physician's standbe needed for relief work. Emergency point, the book stated, and particular ing of Mrs. Theresa W. Mors, di- relief measures are being carried on care devoted to ascertaining the envorced wife of Albert Mors, wealthy by various Chinese philanthropic organizations, and the famine relief other facts about the patient. Also facing the former pugilist are commission is laying plans to meet accusations of robbery and attempted distress which is sure to follow de the Loeb and Leopold family?" deder, the result of a mad orgy of struction of the crops. shooting yesterday in two West Lake Estimated funds which may be

district stores when McCoy, in search made available through the imposi- He said he had not had the oppor-Beebe, that the progressive party of of Mors, wounded W. G. Ross, Sam tion of customs and transportation tunity. Schapp and Ann Schapp, Sam's wife. surtaxes, flood relief campaigns, etc., would total \$7,500,000, leaving \$2,500,- write that. That was written by McCoy, financially "broke," a dish-000 otherwise to be raised if the situ- Peterson. evelled, bleary-eyed edition of his foration is to be fully met. mer dapper self is not without friends "The present situation is very seri-

ous," Minister Schurman stated; "the spring crops in north China are short. Pals of his former sporting days have engaged attorneys to defend him due to drouth, and the fall crops are with your name, doctor, that you destroyed over a wide area due to would allow it to go over a book and it already has been announced that if a murder charge is preferred rains. The water will remain over you never read." large areas some months so that winter wheat cannot be planted."

No request has been made for the dispatch of Red Cross relief workers worried about his mental condition from this country and accordingly

Mrs. Mors, with whom McCoy had NORTON SPEAKS IN NORTH NEBRASKA O'Neill, Neb., Aug. 14 .- J. N. Nor-

on, democratic candidate for governor of Nebraska, was the principal speaker at two farmers' picnics in north Nebraska Thursday, one at Clearwater in the morning and the other north of O'Neill in the after-

In both addresses Norton, who fre-Towards evening he told a story of quently has spoken in this section in having been with Mrs. Mors Tuesday the interests of agriculture, criticized the republican national policy of taxation, congratulated the people on a er knife and then shot herself through 33 per cent state tax reduction by Governor Bryan and pledged himself, Today, McCoy, Mors and McCoy's if elected, to economy in state adminsister, Mrs. Jennie Thomas, to whom istration, pointing to his own legislative record in substantiation. Large audiences at both places listened to tioned by Keyes, and later Mrs. the addresses.

Mills County Farm Bureau Police investigators declare they Annual Picnic Held Today have evidence that will completely refute the suicide theory. There were

Glenwood, Ia., Aug. 14.-Annual farm picule of the Mills county bu- that." Mrs. Mors' temple, they declare, and reau is to be held tomorrow in Carpowder burns always accompany a ter's grove, a short distance east of Crowe, leaping to his feet, bullet fired at suicidal range, they Glenwood on the Bluegrass road. "Sit down," ordered Judge Stores are generally deserted, if not closed, in all nearby towns for this occasion and everybody goes to the picnic. A program of speeches and and picnic dinners are features of the

Horse Racing Is Under Ban at Jefferson County Fair

Fairbury, Aug. 14 .- Jefferson county fair will open September 16 and continue four days. The fair in this county does not feature horse racing and gambling devices of all kinds are witness stand. excluded from the grounds. Three thousand premium lists have been the court, "we will suspend for five sent out to the farmers. The fair minutes. book was put out by the Fairbury Chamber of Commerce and advertisements are excluded.

Beatrice to Make Bid for State Legion Convention

Norman post, American Legion, voted

Darrow and Crowe Wave

Loeb Trial When Opposing Attorneys Stage Hot Flareup.

Criminal Court, Chicago, Aug. 14.-

Clarence Darrow, chief of the defense counsel, was putting Dr. Church through an extremely caustic crossexamination when the exhibition of temper occurred. He had just confronted Dr. Church with one of his own text books, "Nervous and Mental Diseases," written jointly by the Chicago alienist and Dr. Frederick Peter-

on of New York. Advice to Examiners

The excerpts which Darrow read from this bulky volume gave advice to examiners as to how to go about Minister Schurman estimated that grand jury hears all the known facts 10,000,000 persons are already affected question. This matter should be ap-

Dr. Church admitted he had not.

"Besides," said Church, "I didn't

Well you have read it? "What?" demanded Darrow in mock surprise. "Aren't you a little careless

later Edition.

Dr. Church explained that this was a last edition and some changes had been made in it from preceding edi tions.

"But, in the main, you attempt to this practice recommended "Yes."

Darrow read more "advice" to ex miners of mental patients, to the effect that the examiners should always ascertain all facts from relaives and friends, inspect letters and writings of the patient, how they should always approach the matter from the standpoint of a physician. "Did you go to these boys in the state attorney's office as a physiian?" demanded Darrow.

physician. You went as Mr. Crowe's physician, so you could give evidence to hang these boys?" shouted Darrow. "Darrow, you know better than that," replied Church, brandishing his finger at the attorney.

'Not as their physician, but as a

Voices High Pitched.

Nobody sat down.

Both their voices were high pitched and angry, and both State's Attorney Crowe and Judge Caverly broke in with protests. "Well-I shouldn't have said

could," said Darrow. "I'll withdraw "You'll withdraw nothing," yelled "Sit down," ordered Judge Caverly

"You'll withdraw nothing," refter ated Crowe. "You got yourself in a hole, where songs, a ball game, quoits all day the answer is going to hurt you and you want to withdraw it. I demand that the doctor be allowed to reply. Darrow brandished his fist at Crowe.

> "No, you don't," feered the state's ttorney Everybody, including Judge Cavery, was trying to talk.

"I don't resort to tricks." he

Dr. Church was protesting in "Gentlemen, gentlemen," broke in

Everybody cooled off in five minutes and the cross-examination then pro ceeded on a more dignified plane,

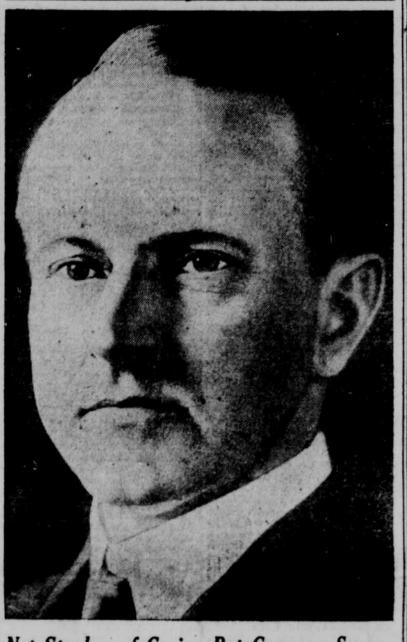
The Weather

For 24 hours ending 7 p. m. Aug. 14. Precipitation, inches and hundredths: otal, T. Total elnes January 1, 19.74 oches. Deficiency, 1.66 inches.

For Government of Common Sense

Their Fists President Coolidge Says--

"The people should continue to own the property and transact the business of the nation."



Not Strokes of Genius But Common Sense "We are likely to hear a great deal of discussion about liberal

thought and progressive action. It is well for the country to have liberality in thought and progress in action, but its greatest asset is common sense. In the commonplace things of life lies the strength of the nation. It is not in brilliant conception and strokes of genius that we shall find the chief reliance of our country, but in the home, in the school and in religion. "America will continue to defend these shrines. Every evil force

that seeks to desecrate or destroy them will find that a Higher Power has endowed the people with an inherent spirit of resistance.
"The people know the difference between pretense and reality.

They want to be told the truth. They want to be trusted. They want a chance to work out their own material and spiritual salvation."

Lift Huge Burden of Government Taxes

"When we come to realize that the yearly expenses of all the govments in this country have reached the stupendous sum of about \$7,500,000,000 we get some idea of what this means. Of this amount about \$3,500,000,000 is needed by the national government, and the remainder by local governments. Such a sum is difficult to compre-

"It represents all the pay of 5,000,000 wage earners receiving \$5 a day, working 300 days in the year. If the government should add on \$100,000,000 of expense, it would represent four days more work of these wage earners. These are some of the reasons why I want to cut down public expense. "Taxes today take from each home annually an average of

"I want the people of America to be able to work less for the government and more for themselves. I want them to have the rewards of their own industry."

Choice of Coolidge Handiwork of Enthusiastic Body, Mondell Tells Him

of notification referred to the increasing participation of women in politics idge's nomination was at the hands The platform adopted at Cleveland of the people through the primaries by practically unanimous vote, in the various states. He said in frank and courageous fashion de-

of our committee here present are terpretation of that faith and purpose women affords a pleasing reminder of as applied to present problems and ination and of the increasing partici- course. pation of the better half of mankind in political affairs and activities. Choice Was Enthusiastic.

To be selected by the representafiguity when, as in your case, the and plan of government. ure of a ratification of the choice of in and your sympathetic attitude to four sides. the people freely and emphatically ex- ward every question and problem of pressed in the manner approved by the day and your desire to be helpful pick a hard name they tell you just law and custom, in every quarter of in securing their permanent and sat- how to say it. So the used to be

in a convention which will long be rethat of serving the public interest, to do with his balloon busted and the membered for the splendid character unmindful of the effect upon your balloon man all sold out. of its membership, the fine spirit of personal or political fortune.

Washington, Aug. 14.-Frank W. | patriotic purpose which pervaded its Mondell of Wyoming in his address sessions, the pleasing atmosphere of other conference to consider further cordiality and good will which marked its deliberations, and the sincere harmony and perfect decorum which characterized its proceedings.

clares the party faith and outlines the party purpose, and we anticipate The fact that nine of the members with pleasure and confidence your inconditions.

The country awaits with lively interest your charting of the party

The American people know their

confidence is well placed. It has the just as well give the other guys the sound and substantial basis of your tives of a great historic party as their faith in American principles and in the illy pads where the fishin is withfirst and only choice for the high stitutions, your confidence in the will out no cars. All the used to be prooffice of the presidency is indeed a and capacity of the American people gressives is now cordially invited to istinguished honor, but such selecto solve all their problems in har- uniform theirselves for the regular on has a peculiar significance and mony with our constitutional scheme parade and each and all will have a action of the convention is in the na- It rests upon your lively interest name of Mister La Foliette on the

Announces New Plan of Conducting Campaign-Opposed to Large Party

Deficits.

Broadcast to Millions Washington, Aug. 14 .- In stately Memorial ontinental hall, President Coolidge tonight formally accepted his nomination as the presiden-tial candidate of the republi-

can party. The nominee definitely opened his campaign with a recital of the accomplishments of the administration and a promise of "a govern-

ment of common sense." He promised, too, should the Dawes plan be finally adopted as the basis of Enropean recovery, to call a world conference for the further limitation of armament.

republican national committee has been put on a budget basis. Honesty in elections is essential, in the judgment of the president, as honesty in government. He is opposed to big deficits in campaign expenses. deficit, he charged, is in reality an evasion of the law, which requires reports of campaign contributions.

Honesty and Economy. vere set forth by the president to his audience of party leaders and the general public as principles on which

e will seek election The intense heat of the last few weeks had given way to moderate, even coel, temperature and President Coolidge, dressed in a formal cutaway coat, was comfortably at ease as he punctuated by characteristic short, pointed sentences. The historic hall, scene of the ar

mament limitation conference in 1921, and seating about 2,000 persons, was filled with applause several times as the president emphasized the major points of his address. Outside another throug listened to the ceremonies carried out by amplifiers, while radio broadcasting instruments transmitted the proceedings to an invisible audience of millions throughout the country.

Frank W. Mondell, as permanent hairman of the Cleveland convention, formally tendered Mr. Coolidge the nomination, the choice resulting, he said, from a demand of the people "freely and emphatically expressed." "Under your leadership," Mr. Mondell-declared, "we look forward to a continued opportunity for service to the honor of the republic and the progress and prosperity of its peo-

Butler Presides

William M. Butler, chairman of the publican national committee, presided at the simple exercises, which were opened by an invocation pronounced by the Rev. Jason Noble Pierce, pastor of the First Congress tional church where President Cooldge worships in Washington. With them on the platform were members of the notification committee, including a delegatefrom each state.

Members of the national committee republican members of congress and governors of states occupied floor seats with the public behind them and in the galleries.

After reviewing the accomplishments of the republican national administration, Mr. Coolidge, looking to the future, proposed further tax reduction, appointment of a committee to investigate and report to congress means of siding agriculture, and anlimitation of armamenta

Although his address was written (Turn to Page Two, Column One.)

Good Morning, George! By Cinnamon Toast.

Good morning, George Good morning, Mr. Toast! Anything interesting on tap today?

Well, I see some fellers touched a pitce of hot punk to the progressive party toy balloon and it blowed up like a old inner tube which the hole is too big to patch.

That leaves Brother Dan on a dry beach with the tide gone out. Might boat, too, 'cause he can't get out to nice square banner printed with the

isfactory settlement, but most of all progressive boys they slips it to The choice thus made by the people it is based upon the knowledge that Brother Dan; it's pronounced Laffawas consummated with enthusiasm in all things your single purpose is lot. Which it is pretty hard for him

Ball game today. Car at & sir,