

Former Captain 351st Infantry Drops From Sight

Arthur A. Emley of Wisner
Last Seen on Believed
Hike Toward Omaha;
\$100 Reward Offered.

Fremont, Neb., Aug. 16.—Word reached here today of the mysterious disappearance of Arthur A. Emley, 31, son of a prominent Wisner, Neb., family, suffering from a nervous breakdown, and temporary mental disorder. Relatives offer a reward of \$100 and all expenses to anyone giving information that will lead to his discovery.

Emley is a graduate of the Nebraska university and a veteran of the world war, serving as regimental adjutant and captain of the 351st infantry of the 88th division.

When last seen Emley is reported to have been noticed walking toward Omaha. It was believed today that he might be somewhere in Dodge county en route to the state metropolis.

Emley is described as being 5 feet 8 inches in height, weighs about 150 pounds, has light brown eyes, brown hair. His beard when unshaved is of a reddish hue. He was dressed in blue overalls, white shirt and wore a wide-brimmed hat.

Officers or others who succeed in finding a trace of young Emley are asked to get in touch with J. H. Emley or B. W. Emley at Wisner.

MOUNTAIN FIRE RAGES UNCHECKED

Los Angeles, Aug. 16.—Every available man who could be rounded up by the sheriff at San Bernardino, near here, was rushed early today into the San Bernardino mountains to combat the serious conflagration raging in the sugar pine flats region. The fire, believed to be of incendiary origin, is reported to have destroyed the Ewell sanatorium.

BODY FOUND MAY BE OF SLAIN DEPUTY

Rome, Aug. 16.—A body believed to be that of Giacomo Matteotti, socialist deputy who disappeared June 10, under circumstances which caused an investigation on the theory that he might have been slain, has been found in a wood two miles from Scrofan. Although the body was in an advanced state of decomposition, it bore visible traces of wounds.

WOMAN BEATEN; AUTO IS STOLEN

Los Angeles, Aug. 16.—Mrs. Maud Parker couldn't drive her new automobile, so she asked Clarence Fisher, a roofer at her home to teach her. She was picked up unconscious on the side of the highway last night and brought to town where she told police Fisher had driven the car to a lonely spot, struck her several violent blows and driven off after throwing her out of the machine.

FILIPINO POLICE PURSUE REBELS

Manila, P. I., Aug. 16.—Filipino constabulary today started in pursuit of a band of 100 Moros who revolted and fled into the hills after killing the counselor to King Cotabato of the Moros. The rebel band is headed by a Moro ex-sergeant of the constabulary and are reported to have entrenched themselves in strong positions in the hills.

PHILIPPINES GET AIR MAIL SERVICE

Washington, Aug. 16.—Letters mailed in the Philippines will be accepted for dispatch by the air mail service from San Francisco to points in the east through an arrangement made by Governor General Wood of the Philippines and Postmaster General Hays. Additional postage will be collected in the Philippines to cover the air mail charges.

AGED SHEIKS AND FLAPPERS FROLIC

Los Angeles, Aug. 16.—Members of the Centarian club, ranging in age from 80 to 101, held their annual frolic here yesterday. A feature of the gathering was a foot race for men of 99 and over, with a bobbed haired "flapper" of 95 officiating as starter.

HOOVER SPEECH TO BE BROADCAST

San Francisco, Aug. 16.—The Pacific Radio exposition will be opened here tonight with Herbert Hoover, secretary of commerce, as the principal speaker. Mr. Hoover's address will be broadcast at 8 p. m. Pacific coast time.

Former Residents of Kearney to Organize

A permanent organization of former Kearney residents now living in Omaha will be effected at a picnic Sunday afternoon at Krug park, when Norris Brown will speak on the subject, "A Friend Meets Friend." Former Kearney residents of Omaha held their picnic last summer and 350 attended. This year's attendance is expected to be much larger. Mr. Brown will speak at 4 in the park's private picnic grove, which has been reserved for Kearney residents.

Pastor at Conference

Rev. K. M. E. Niermann, pastor of Zion Lutheran church, is attending the annual mission conference in Chicago this week. Twenty-eight districts of the United States, Canada and South America are represented at the conference.

I Can't Understand Lillian Going Away With a Man, Says Her Chum



Here are two pictures of Lillian McKinney taken from snapshots. One shows her as a high school girl in a picture taken last spring.

Knowledge of any sultor of Lillian McKinney, 21, daughter of Elmer McKinney of Herrick, S. D., the girl who was found dead near Bedford, Ia., was denied by neighbors of the McKinney family, according to her girl chum, who lives in Omaha and who visited at the McKinney farm last May. Mrs. J. Schleuter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Christiansen, 1045 South Twenty-ninth street, was a high school chum of Lillian. They were in the same pageants and high school plays. The Christiansens lived on a neighboring ranch the McKinneys. They moved to Omaha last September, but have not corresponded with the McKinney family. Mrs. Schleuter gave birth to a 10-pound baby boy Friday night at the home. "I can't understand Lillian going away with a man," said Mrs. Christiansen. "She was a quiet girl and never had any beaux. She was a good girl, and intelligent."

Counsel for Leopold and Loeb Asks Definition of "Normal Mind"

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Criminal Court, Chicago, Aug. 16.—A ripping, slashing attack on the testimony of Dr. H. Douglas Singer, one of the state's alienists, who pronounced Richard Loeb and Nathan Leopold mentally sound just from observing them in court and studying their histories, was made in Judge R. Caverly's court today by the defense lawyers, who are trying to save the young collegians from the gallows.

Darrow Grills. Clarence Darrow, chief of the defense counsel, put Dr. Singer through the grilling. He brought out that Dr. Singer had come to this country from England only 20 years ago, and in the time he has held many public positions, including that of "state alienist" in Illinois. Darrow said this was a political appointment, but Dr. Singer denied it.

Just before Darrow started his sardonic questioning of the tall alienist, he asked leave to put into the record of the Loeb-Leopold case a certified copy of all the penalties imposed for first degree murder in Cook county in the last 10 years where there were pleas of guilt entered, together with the ages of the murderers. This move was in preparation for Darrow's closing address, when he will contend that never in the history of Cook county have boys of 19 been hanged for murder after pleading guilty and throwing themselves on the mercy of the court.

Darrow savagely attacked Dr. Singer for trying to examine Loeb and Leopold in the state's attorney's office after their lawyer had forbidden them to talk to anybody. He accused the alienist in company with the state's attorney's office of "violating the constitutional rights of these two boys." Denies Purpose. Dr. Singer denied that he had any such purpose. Crowe objected strenuously to Darrow's questioning along this line.

Darrow speedily brought out that Dr. Singer had been unable to extract any information from the boys at the time he had seen them, because they answered all questions with "I refuse to answer on the advice of counsel." "And from that you determined they were mentally normal?" asked Darrow, his voice rising. "That and other things," returned Dr. Singer. "Answer my question, yes or no," shouted Darrow. "I can't answer it that way," replied Dr. Singer. Crowe again broke in with an objection, and he and Darrow wrangled angrily.

Finally, after a long exchange of sarcastic remarks, Singer said he could not tell just from looking at the boys whether or not they were actually mentally diseased or not, but he was confident that his observation, coupled with his knowledge and study of their histories, was sufficient to enable him to state that they have no mental disease. "Never Asked Question." "You never asked them a question, did you, in your whole life, and they never spoke a word to you in their whole lives, did they?" cried Darrow. "I never asked them any."

"I never expressed a positive opinion until long after this trial began," the alienist defended himself. "You have been in court every day since this trial began, haven't you, and you have heard all these alienist testify?" rasped Darrow. "Yes."

"And you have heard no evidence here of any mental disease from any one of these witnesses?" "None," the alienist replied. "None to me, excluding, of course, the opinion evidence." Darrow asked Singer to define a "normal mind" and the alienist said he could not do it, as he didn't deal in those general terms. "Yet you say these boys have normal minds," said the attorney. "I said their minds were within the range of normality," replied Singer. Objection Overruled. Darrow then produced a small red book written by Dr. Hart, a Cambridge authority, on the subject of mental diseases. Crowe's objection was overruled faintly by Judge Caverly. "What is the mind," said Darrow, after reading several excerpts from the book. "The mind," replied the alienist, "represents what we really call the

U. S. Gold Policy European Factor

Reparation Settlement and
French Budget Other Underlying Factors.

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London, Aug. 16.—It some times happens that features of importance in any particular situation are also the points upon which immediate interest is most intense. But, perhaps, it would be true to say that more often those questions upon which attention is focused are of an incidental or transitory character, and that the forces which matter in the long run are working beneath the surface of public notice.

At the present time, the three most important underlying factors determining European prospects probably are:

- (a) The reparation settlement and what logically follows from it.
- (b) The French budget.
- (c) The gold policy of the Federal Reserve board of the United States.

Settlement Important. The importance of the first step in the German settlement upon the lines at present being agreed is that it makes also possible a long sequence of quite different steps of great moment. It will have its own immediate value in relieving the extraordinary money stringency in Germany.

A settlement of the peace treaty obligations over a reasonable period of years, unlocks the door to the prospect of monetary stability. This leads at once to the possibility of getting rid of inflation arising because of governmental difficulties. This again leads to a sufficient prospect of stability of credit and currency to enable an expansion of credit facilities, free from real danger, to accompany industrial development.

The next series of consequences is that there will be introduced into the public and commercial economy of other nations, particularly France, known and settled elements in relation to Germany in place of vain hopes, political promises and make-believe. In other words, the unknown or uncertain factors in budgetary receipts are reduced in number.

To establish government finance still further on facts and not fancies some more definite understanding about interrelated debts is required. When the program of reparations is fixed the program of international obligation will also be susceptible of firm negotiation, and one more item will be transferred from the realm of contingency to the realm of fact.

The French Budget. In the framing of the French budget, unconscious self-deception will no longer be possible. The idea of contingent receipts from Germany must be replaced by a definite program which no prudent finance minister could transcend. The credit of France in relation to overhanging obligations can be placed on a definite basis. The recently evinced disposition of the French to tax themselves adequately will be put to the true test. Certain it is that at last the French provincial peasant is awake to the fact that the franc is no longer a franc, in the sense to which he has been pathetically clinging, and that a very considerable part of his past savings has actually gone and has been devoted to unemployment which benefits other countries, in maintaining a larger standing army than others can afford, and in restoring devastated areas at costs far beyond the commercial necessities of the case.

It may be that when the true level of the franc is fully laid bare by removing all the adventitious wrappers of current circumstances, some stabilization process may be possible. So far as Italy is concerned, satisfaction at her new success with her national budget is qualified by some doubt as to her political stability. In Austria, despite unfortunate escapades with the franc, the rehabilitation of national

Pioneer, 90, Recalls Country Road at Twenty-Fourth and Farnam



Henry Newell, 3214 North Twenty-fifth street, was remembered Friday, his ninetieth birthday anniversary, by members of his family, who wished him "many happy returns."

Mr. Newell lives at the home of a son, W. H. Newell, and has resided in Omaha 53 years. He has been a reader of The Omaha Bee for 50 years and hopes to read his favorite newspaper for another half century.

This venerable citizen was employed as repair man by The Omaha Bee more than 20 years ago. He has been a 33d degree Mason for 54 years and from 1899 to 1910 he was custodian of the Masonic temple.

In the merry birthday party of 44 guests were E. H. Newell, grandson, and Cheryl Newell, great-grandson, of Emerson, Neb. "Grandpa" Newell recounted days in Omaha more than 60 years ago, when Twenty-fourth and Farnam streets was a country road and when Indians came into town to beg sugar

and commercial finance has been successful beyond expectations. Czechoslovakia will slowly recover from her excess of zeal in pursuit of financial virtue. Poland has gone so far as to seek good financial advice.

Allied to these problems is the question as to the avoidance of future instability by the adoption of gold as a standard of value. Here much depends upon American policy and how long the United States will continue to absorb a large proportion of the world's gold supply and to bury it out of harm's way. When this policy is found to be too costly, and at the same time in the interest of their own price level it is considered necessary to export the gold, presumably industrial interests will be too strong to allow that export to be merely an exchange for manufactured commodities. The gold may come to Europe in the form of loan capital on such terms that its use as a basis of currency throughout Europe may gradually be attained without prohibitive cost. If, of course, gold is not used in that one of the uses most influential formerly in maintaining its value, then the prospects of fluctuation in world "gold prices" must be disturbing.

Those few but influential thinkers who are prepared to "regulate" paper currency to secure a stable price level, without holding it to any physical standard such as gold will see no necessity for such a course. They might indeed, trust the political institutions of the United States, Great Britain and France, or even Germany, for the fair working of a "tabular standard" of value, but would they not very well hesitate to put such a power into the hands of less stable political or spite unfortunates escapades with the franc, the rehabilitation of national

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMS HERE SOON

Competitive examinations have been announced as follows by the United States civil service:

Clerks and carriers, postoffice service, September 6; forest and field clerks, forest and reclamation services, September 13; junior telephone operator, seventh corps area headquarters, September 13.

RED CROSS FIRST AID CAR HERE

The special Red Cross first aid car, which has been touring the country from Washington, D. C., is in Omaha. Drs. Robert L. Downing and W.

CHURCH ATHLETIC CLUB ORGANIZED

Eighteen young men of the Mosher Memorial chapel have organized a young men's athletic club whose purpose will be to promote clean athletics in the community.

The officers are Ed Bohler, president; Albert Glup, vice president; William Reysnek, secretary; George Bohler, treasurer, and Henry Bressman, sergeant-at-arms. Under the supervision of J. O. Adams, a veteran of the 32d division, a boxing and wrestling exhibition will be put on in the near future.

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LA FOLLETTE MEN TO BOOST NORRIS

O'Neill, Neb., Aug. 16.—M. F. Harrington, O'Neill attorney, who has been agreed upon as permanent chairman of the convention of supporters of Senator Robert M. La Follette called for Grand Island next Tuesday to nominate LaFollette as an independent presidential candidate in Nebraska, announced today that he will favor the nomination also of Senator George Norris, republican, who is seeking re-election. At the same time he said he would oppose the nomination of a ticket of candidates for state office.

RAIL HEADS SEEK OTHER HOLDINGS

Washington, Aug. 16.—The Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe railway today applied to the interstate commerce commission for authority to acquire by lease control of that part of the Pecos & Northern Texas railway between Coleman and Sweetwater, Tex. The road also asked authority to lease the Concho, San Saba & Llano Valley Railroad of Texas. The Panhandle & Santa Fe railway applied for authority to acquire control of the Pecos & Northern Texas Railway company.

DAVIS ENVOY ON WAY TO LINCOLN

Clarksburg, W. Va., Aug. 16.—E. G. Smith, a prominent figure in the Davis-for-president movement, was today en route to Lincoln, Neb., to attend the notification ceremony Monday for Gov. Charles W. Bryan, democratic nominee for vice president, as the personal representative of John W. Davis, the democratic standard bearer.

No Veterans Bureau Change for 3 Months

Washington, Aug. 15.—Regional offices of the veterans' bureau, for claims and ratings, under the new scheme of organization will be located at all points where large sub-district offices now are operating. It is believed that all existing district and sub-district offices will remain in commission for at least three months.

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