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## POLICE CREDIT ANOTHER HOLDUP TO THE APE MAN

Man Answering Description of the Smith Murderer Holds Up Clarence Anderson and Miss

Stella Schoor. GIRL MANAGES TO MAKE ESCAPE

Seventeen Suspects Arrested and Arranged Before Miss Slater

and Ed Malone. TWO RESEMBLE THE MURDERER

Clarence Anderson, 608 South Beventeenth street, and Miss Stella Schoor, 815 North Thirtieth street, home by a man answering the description of the Smith murderer.

The same build, wearing apparel and the same manner were displayed by this holdup, who robbed Anderson of \$2, and then at the point of a revolver compelled Miss Schoor and her escort to walk up the boulevard, in was reached. Here he forced them to enter grounds surrounding a vacant house, and commanded Anderson to commit unmentionable indecencies. The latter refused and was struck over the head with the weapon.

The robber then grasped Miss Schoor by the arm and dragged her into a nearby vacant lot and atempted to attack her. She fought with him and in the struggle managed to kick him in such a manner that he abandoned his attack. At this time pedestrians passed the house and the holdup made his escape

Operated Here Two Weeks. Although this robbery and attack oc-

purred on October 2, the police are convinced that it was perpetrated by the same man that shot Smith and threatened to assault Miss Grace Slater. Furthermore Captains Maloney and Dempsey are of the opinion that the fellow has been operating off and on in the city since the middle of August. From that period of the year up to the present time a string of holdups by a lone highway-man, whose description tallies with the sought-for murderer as well as incidents of the holdups, tend to convince that such is the case. "I think it more than likely that the same man is responsible for all of them. I have questioned the victims closely and in the statements of each event certain remarks has led me to believe that he has been here for some time," said Maloney, Captain Dempsey was of the same opinion.

Besides the Smith affair, the Ander-Hause holdup—in which a cary party the Randolph, Kan., wreck were held this afternoon. \$326 Pine street, the guests robbed-are a number of others, all perpetrated during the month of October

Frightened by Auto Light.

On the night of October 13, Burley afar to attend. Leighty, 1909 Binney street, in the company of a young lady, whose name he at 1:30 o'clock, and Rev. E. M. Furman at Thirtieth and Wirt streets by a lone charge, bandit, who took his watch, and had

the same as the Smith bandit.

Cass street, and Marie Holland, 411 North | members of the order from nearby towns Twenty-fifth, were forced to deliver their in line. The floral offerings were beauvaluables by a highwayman, who took tiful and numerous. Interment was in \$5 from Mr. Brener and several rings from the Tecumseh cemetery. Miss Holland. The description of this man is the same as that given by the others. October 14. Miss Nellie Nanna, 3230 Miami street, was robbed at Thirty-third and Lake street, by a highwayman, who took a valuable diamond ring, and used exceedingly vile and profane language during the operation.

hotel was robbed at Twenty-second and of the North Butte Mining company at Emmet streets of \$300 worth of diamonds 1:30 o'clock today by an explosion of 500 by a fellow of the reported type. John Husser, 2009 North Fourteenth have been recovered. Eight other men,

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### The Weather

Forecast till 7 p. m. Wednesday: For Omaha, Council Bluffs and Vicinity Omaha Yesterday.



Comparative Local Record. 1915, 1914, 1918 74 76 48 61 51 27

Lowest yesterday.
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Davenport, clear...
Denver, clear...
Des Moines, cloudy.
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### **FUNERAL SERVICES** FOR W. H. SMITH

Large Attendance and Many Floral Tributes Mark Last Rites for Murdered Man.

FRATERNAL SOCIETIES ASSIST

The funeral of W. H. Smith, Woodmen of the World cashier who was shot Saturday night by a highwayman, was held at the home, 318 Fuller avenue, Council Bluffs, yesterday. The house and the lawn were too small to accommodate the hundreds of persons who came to attend the services. The floral tributes were of the most lavish character. Many of them came from

The services began at 2:30 o'clock and continued for nearly an hour. Excelsion were held up in front of the latter's lodge, the Bluffs Masonic organization where Mr. Smith had risen to the highest honors within the gift of its members, marched to the house in a body, escorted the hearse to the cemetery and conducted the Masonic rites at the grave. The lo cal camp of the Woodmen of the World also attended as an organization. The services at the house were placed under

Palm Grove, Woodmen sircle, convened front of him, until Indiana avenue, its members at the home of Mrs. Newton, a neighbor on Fuller avenue, and marched to the house. Other organizations, including Modern Woodmen and Eagles, also attended in large numbers. Many of the prominent Woodmen in Omaha, including the officers and employes of the home office, were present. They united in giving beautiful floral tributes.

Tells of Dead Man's Fine Character. Dr. A. G. A. Buxton, rector at St. Paul's church, conducted the religious services at the house. Mr. Smith was an Englishman and a fellow countryman of Dr. Buxton. He told of the splendid character of the dead man, of his happy home life and the universal affection felt for him by all who came into contact with his pleasing personality. He alluded but briefly to the tragic death.

The palibearers were all Masons, but nearly all of them were also representa-tives of the Woodmen of the World as members of the organization. They were: Former Mayor Dell G. Morgan, Harry H. Griffith, Leonard H. Ogden, W. F. Thorne, Earl Stiles and William Johnson, The services at the grave in Fairview cemetery were witnessed by all who went

to the home and by many others who had

### Victims of Wreck Are Buried with Fraternal Honor

gone directly to the cemetery.

TECTMSEH, Neb., Oct. 18 -(Special Telegram.)-Tecumseh was in mourning today. The opsequies of A. O. Shaw and Theodore Smith, who lost their lives in

All places of business were closed during the entire afternoon. Both funerals were held at the family homes and from point of attendance they were the larges ever held in the city. People came from

The funeral of A. O. Shaw was held refused to tell the police, was robbed of Kearney, formerly of Tecumseh, had

The funeral of Theodore Smith was started toward the young woman when held at 3:30 o'clock, and was conducted the light of an approaching auto threw by Rev. C. C. Wilson of the Methodist its rays on the trio, and he turned and Episcopal church, and Rev. Mr. Furman made his getaway. His description is made brief remarks.

Both burials were in charge of the local The same night William Brener, 2116 lodge of Odd Fellows and there were

### Fourteen Killed by Giant Powder Blast In Mine in Montana

Robbed of Diamonds. | BUTTE, Mont., Oct. 19.—Fourteen men October 5 William Bro of the Neville were killed at the Granite Mountain mine counds of giant powder. Eleven bodies street and Beatrice Howard, 924 North all working at the surface, were seriously injured; one of them, Ed Bray, a shift boss, probably will die.

Among those killed are: JAMES A. BLOW, aged 23, assistant foreman, married. J. D. LEAHY, M. nipper, single. GEORGE LARKIN, 29, nipper, JOHN M'CAULEY, 52, married, rope-

JOHN WINSTON, 38, shift boss, mar-LACEY GRISHAM, 39, shift boss, mar-ERNEST WATSON, 23, single, shift RICHARD GENDLE, 36, electrician, ED CARLSON, 34, top carman, married.

### Moving Pictures Of Criminals Now

CHICAGO, Oct. 19 .- Moving picture ikenesses of criminals sitting, standing and walking, are planned by Ch of Bealy of the Chicago police force. By exhibit ing the films at all stations, the pol ce are expected to gain a knowledge of the appearances of malefactors that they could get in no other way, Chief Healey

The idea is said to have originated with P. D. O'Brien, head of the detective bureau. Several negatives already have been taken, but are not ready for exhibi-

### CARLOAD RATES ON COAL FURTHER SUSPENDED

(From a Staff Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, Oct. 19 .- (Special Telegram.)-The Interstate Commerce comnission further suspended from October 28 until April 28 the operation of certain scheduled increases on rates on coal in carloads from certain mines in Wyoming and Colorado to interstate points on the terdam by Reuter's Telegraph company. Union Facific raliroad, the operation of The officer feared, the dispatch adds, which is suspended from June 39 until that an operation which he was about

AND THIS IS FASHION!-The young woman is wearing leggings of corduroy; also fur everywhere, ankles, wrists and about her neck and on her coat collar.



### SEVEN IN FIELD CARRANZA GIVEN FOR HEAD OFFICE

Many Odd Fellows Would Be Grand Governments of Pan-American Con-Warden, Who Succeeds to Depference Carry Out Their Plans uty Grand Master.

SESSIONS LETTERS ALL SIMILAR IN TONE MANY IMPORTANT

Seven candidates are in the field for the office of grand warden of the recognition by the United States of grand lodge of Odd Fellows, now in the de facto government of Mexico, session in Omaha. The fight always with General Venustano Carranza as centers on the office of grand war- chief executive, was accomplished at den, since from this office a man au- noon today by the delivery to Gentomatically by precedent succeeds to eral Carranza's representative, Eliseo the office of deputy grand master, Arredondo, at the Mexican embassy and the following year to grand of a letter from Secretary Lansing.

Des Jardines, Lincoln; Dan Gerber, The communication from Secretary Red Cloud; C. A. Johnson, Fremont; Larsing was sent by messenger and later Mr. Arrendondo was invited to the State II. A. Brainerd, Hebron; G. F. Mead. department by the secretary for a general Bilver Creek, and E. A. Miller, Kear- conference on Mexican affairs.

A regular session of the grand en-

Grand Encampment Officers. The election of officers in the grand encampment Tuesday resulted as follows: L. E. Coy, Paxton, grand patriarch; George E. Turkington, Omaha, grand junior warden; I. P. Gage, Fremont; (Continued on Page Seven, Col. Three.)

### Six Killed When Rock Island Trains Collide Head-On

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Oct. 19.-64x ersons are dead, two fatally injured and eigh others more or less injured as the result of a headon collision between Rock Island southbound passenger train No. 11 and a northbound freight train, which occurred at 2 o'clock this morning at the Agawam curve, twelve miles south of

### Officer Toolen Shot by Auto Thief

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 19.-Police Sergeant Toolen was shot dead here arly today in a roundup of auto thieves. The whole available police scattered to the hills beyond the city, seeking Harry Duncan, at whose home Toolen was shot Toolen arrested three men, last night and the police say they made a fession, implicating Duncan.

### General Pickler Commits Suicide

LONDON, Oct. 19.-General Pickler of the Austro-Hungarian army committed a dispatch from Vienna by way of Amsto undergo, would not bring him relief.

# FULL RECOGNITION

WASHINGTON, Oct. 19 .- Formal Recognition letters from the Pan-The candidates already in the field American conferees, similar in tone, are Dr. E. Arthur Carr, Lincoln; Dr. also were received by Mr. Arredondo.

Tomorrow Mr. Arrendondo will start for Saltillo, Mex., to meet General Carranga campment was held this morning at of recognition from the several govern-Odd Fellows' hall, and is again this ments of Central and South America, which arrived during the day, in accordance with the decision of the Pan-Amer ican conference yesterday.

Others Are Expected.

Recognition by other nations than those represented in the Pan-American confer senior warden; E. J. Farr. Blair grand ence is expected to follow soon. Great high priest; A. P. Hansenn, Omaha, grand Britain probably will be one of the first of these. Although no final decision has been reached as to the appointment of an American ambassador to Mexico City, the most likely choice is Henry P. Fietcher, at present ambassador to Chile. He has had long experience in Latin-American countries and although a republican in politics he was promoted from minister to ambassador by President

> Secretary Lansing's letter says in substance that the secretary takes pleasure in informing Mr. Arredondo that the government of the United States recognizes the de facto government of Mexico, of which General Carranza is the chief executive; that the United States is prepared to receive a diplomatic representative of the de facto government as soon as it is possible to send one to Washington and asks that Mr. Arredondo communicate this information to General

> Embarge on Munitions. The question of an embargo on war munitions shipments into Mexico is under consideration. The probable proceedure. (Continued on Page Two, Column One.)

Omaha's most cordial welcome to Nebraska Odd Fellows holding their grand lodge sessions here. Omaha has always been strong for fraternal organizations and for this one in particular.

# OFFERINGS FOR SUNDAY TAKEN IN TABERNACLE

Collections for Payment of "Billy" Have Aiready Begun Instead of Waiting Until the Last

SPEER EXPLAINS CHANGED PLAN

Says Many Might Not Be Reached if Opportunity Deferred Till Next Sunday.

SAYS CAN'T REPAY EVANGELIST

"Vengeance is mine; I will repay, saith the Lord" "Billy" Sunday quoted in the course of his sermon yesterday afternoon and then he added grimly: "Just you watch the Lord get busy on some of the old liars in Omaha that have been maligning me. Just mark down their names and watch them drop out."

The offerings for "Billy" were started yesterday instead of being confined to the services next Sunday. Envelopes were distributed throughout the audience and many checks and pledges placed in these envelopes will go to "Billy."

"This is done because many are here today who will not be able to be here next Sunday," Rev. Hugh B. Speer said in a speech explaining the plan for getting together the evangelist's compensa-"We can't repay Mr. Sunday in mere dollars and cents for the wonderful regeneration he has brought to Omaha and this money will be not so much an offering to Mr. Sunday as a thank offering to God that we have been privileged to have him here.'

"Billy" preached on the promises of God to his people and how they take away the sting of all troubles if people will but accept them. The sermon bristled with a score of verses containing definite promises to all who will believe and accept and rest upon them.

It was an optimistic sermon and no without its humorous touches that set the audience in ripples and gales laughter.

"Read your Bibles," he said, "and see the promises. Some of you never open Unofficial Returns So Far Received them except to fill in the family record with births or deaths. You lose your 'specs' and can't find them and there they are, six months later, in the Bible."

Frighten Wife with Kiss. " Again, he spoke of cheerfulness. "Go-home," he said, "and speak kindly to your wife. Kiss her; never mind if it

foolish and life-sapping, but "as big a suffrage amendment. 1/2 sin as stealing chickens."

woman who said, 'I feel had when I feel good because I know I'll feel bad again." Some people worry because they think the Germans are going to lick us. They Wilson Given Noisy haven't got enough people over there altogether, including the Japs, to lick this bunch. Calamity howlers! Rely on the promises of God. Don't worry in time of trouble. Don't throw away your ticket when the train goes into a tunnel. It'll come out again all right. Some people go 'round with a face so long they could eat oatmeal out of a gas pipe."

Responsive Reading Useless. Faith, reliance on the promises and having the Spirit of God, he said, are requisites. Singing and going through

declared. "Responsive reading!" he exclaimed. They just drone through it. What good foes it do them?"

The audience was large for an afternoon service, numbering about 4,500, A collection for the International Evangel- question. istic association of which Mr. Sunday is an officer, was taken.

### Safety First is the Slogan Sounded

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 19.—Safety first is the keynote of the fourth annual safety congress of the National Safety council, which opened here today.

This council is a representative organization in the United States working for the prevention of accidents in the indusgenerally. The session will close Thursday night.

### The Day's War News

ENTENTE POWERS have informe Greece in a friendly note that they intend sending large reinforcements to the Balkan front, it is stated in Athens advices.

TALY HAS BEEN added to the list of powers that have declared war of Bulgaria. A formal declaration by Russia is said to be imminent. ALONIKI-NISH LINE is still open. Paris is informed from Athens.

ERMANS AGAIN have been attacking the French lines northeast of Souches, the Paris war office re-POSSIBILITY of further changes in

the British cabinet, following the resignation of Sir Edward Carson, last night, is being discussed in Great Britain.

PREMIER ASQUITH Is III, an official bulletin in London announced MISS LUCILLE COVING-TON, who is suing Dr. John Wesley Hill, noted preacher and president of the Peace Forum, for-\$100,000 for breach of promise. She says she will introduce letters from Dr. Hill as evidence.



### EARLY COUNT GIVES JERSEY ANTIS LEAD

PHSS LUCIFIE CONVINGIONS

Show Equal Suffrage is Lost.

COUNT PROCEEDING SLOWLY

JERSEY CITY, N. J. Oct. 19.does frighten her at first. Why, if some Unofficial returns from eighteen dis- energy, as the country has great confiof you old devils would go a day without tricts in Jersey City, Elizabeth and dence in the new leader's ability. cussing your wife she'd think you were Plainfield give 1,020 votes for and 1,719 against adoption of the woman

Complete unofficial returns from "Worry! Great Caesar's ghost!" he ex- three districts in Trenton and par- graphs: "What a dreadful thing! You tial returns for seven others at 9 worry about everything, like the old o'clock tonight give 633 votes for and 1,128 against the amendment.

# Welcome on Visit To Jersey to Vote

WASHINGTON, Oct. 19 .- President Wilson returned to Washington tonight from fighting raging on Serbia's eastern fron-Princeton after casting the first ballot ever given by a chief executive of the United States in favor of woman suf-

frage. The president's brief visit to his legal responsive reading are of no avail, he residence was marked by a more enthust. Bulgarians and Serbians along the imastic welcome from the Princeton students than ever before had been given him on any of his numerous trips there since he entered the White House. The young men gave noisy evidences of their they have reached this railroad, while to approval of his stand on the suffrage

> Cheering, singing, whistling and marching in close formation the greeted the former head of their university uproariously and hundreds of them remained near hun from the time he arrived until his depar-

Women suffragists were not much in evidence during the president's visit, and only two approached him to thank him for voting for their cause. There were not as a matter of dollars and cents, but no women watchers at the polling place as an effort to save human life and limb, and no women in the sicinity soliciting votes.

The president put in a hard day's work going to and coming from Princeton. He spent several hours on the train with his stenographer dictating answers to letters. He also worked on the note to Great Brittries, on the railroads and in public places trade, which was sent him from the State ain regarding interference with American

### Zeppelin Strikes Chimney and All the Crew Killed

LONDON, Oct. 19.-4:25 p. m.-A London firm of glass manufacturers, which has a plant at Maubeuge, France, received the following cable message today: "The chimney of our Maubeuge works has been destroyed by a Zeppelin dashing into it. All the occupants of the Zeppelin were killed."

### Two German Boats Sunk by Submarine

German steamers, Pernambuco, 4,788 tons, and the Soederhamn, 1,499 tons, were torpedoed last night by a British submarine the attorney general, announced off Oxelocaund, along the Baltic coast of Sweden.

The Pernambuco sank, but the Soederhamn was kept afroat by its cargo of wood. Both vessels were bound for Ger-many. The Pernambuco carried a cargo

# TEUTON ARMIES MOVING SOUTH FROM BELGRADE

Gain Fifteen Miles, but Outcome of the Fighting Continues to Remain a Mystery to the Outside World.

BULGARIANS REACH RAILROAD

Claim is Made that Serbians Have Driven Back the Invaders, Regaining Lost Territory.

FRENCH ARE IN STRUMNITZA

BULLETIN. PARIS, Oct. 19 .- An Italian squadron has left for the near east under sealed orders, supposedly to participate in the blockade of the Bulgarian coast, according to a Brindisi dispatch received here this evening, but which has been delayed in transmission.

LONDON, Oct. 19 .- Italy has declared war against Bulgaria, but the question whether it will send troops to join the British and French forces in Serbia remains as obscure as the results of the fighting raging on Serbla's eastern frontier.

The Austro-German armies which occupied Belgrade appear to have advanced more than fifteen miles south of the city, but the outcome of the fighting between Bulgarians and Serbians along the important Saloniki-Nish railway cannot be summed up so easily.

At two points, the northernmost of which is Vranya, the Bulgarians assert they have reached this railroad. while to the south the Serbians are reported to have driven back the in-

Both Athens and Paris maintain that French troops have occupied Strumnitza, in southwestern Bulgaria, but there are available no official reports relating to the struggle in this quarter, and none is expected until the fighting reaches a nore conclusive stage.

Removal of General Sir Ian Hamilton from command of the Dardanelles force was received in England with mixed feelings, coming on the heels of rumors of a possible withdrawal from Gallipoll peninsula. In the best informed circles, however, the appointment as commanderin-chief of Major General Charles Munroe is interpreted as an indication that the campaign will be prosecuted with renewed

War Declared Upon Bulgaria. E, Oct. 18.-Italy has declared was on Bulgaria, according to an anouncement by the Stefani News agency. The Havas correspondent at Rome tele-

"The Italian government, by order of the king, declared that a state of way existed between Bulgaria by reason of Bulgaria's having opened hostillities against Serbia, thus allying itself with the enemies of Italy and combatting its allies."

Austro-German Advance. LONDON, Oct. 19.-Italy has declared war against Bulgaria, but the question whether it will send troops to join the British and French forces in Serbia remains as obscure as the results of the

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