

**BRIEF
DRIFT
BREEZY
BITS OF NEWS**

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Chicago, Nov. 5.—A Chicago hotel owner announced that the October receipts for a cafe and a grill room were \$162,000 as compared to \$147,000 for June, the last month before wartime prohibition went into effect. He said he believed that the prohibition bugaboo had been overplayed.

**NOON-DAY ROBBERS
MAKE GOOD HAUL.**

Peoria, Ill., Nov. 5.—Five automobile bandits about noon robbed the Farmers and Merchants State bank in Averysville, a suburb of Peoria, of between \$20,000 and \$25,000 and escaped. The men were young and all of foreign appearance.

Minneapolis, Minn., Nov. 5.—Two armed, unmasked robbers, entered the Peoples State bank shortly after noon, forced R. E. Pope, cashier, and G. F. Clark, assistant cashier, to throw up their hands and lead the bandits into the vault, from which they took \$5,000 in cash and securities.

Helena, Mont., Nov. 5.—Charles Stevens, a messenger for the Union Bank & Trust Co. of Helena, was snatched early this afternoon and robbed of a package containing currency which was reported at \$50,000. He was found half an hour after the robbery in a shed in the business section of the city, unconscious and bound and gagged.

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PENETRATES GLOOM.**

New York, Nov. 5.—A rumor from Washington that the president has assured the French government that he "would do everything possible" to lift the wartime prohibition ban lent a bright ray to an otherwise gloomy world of the liquor dealers here. According to the story, France had President Wilson's what is called in connection with its champagne trade, saying that it had vast stores of champagne piling up in cellars at Epernay and Rheims awaiting shipment to America. It was in answer to this query, so the rumor runs, that the president stated that something would be done.

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THE WEATHER:
Rain or snow and colder Thursday; Friday partly cloudy.

Hourly temperatures:	
5 a. m.	31
6 a. m.	31
7 a. m.	32
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RAILROAD SERVICE CURTAILED

WARN STATE TEACHERS TO HALT REDS

Grave Picture Drawn by National Speakers of Menace of Anarchists to Country—Education the Remedy.

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Congressman Fess and Dr. Burton, President of University of Michigan, Discuss Issues Facing U. S. Today.

Two men of national fame, one a president of a great university and the other a congressman, drew grave pictures of present conditions in the United States and the possible results of these conditions in the coming months at the meeting of the Nebraska Teachers' association in the Auditorium last night.

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Thursday, November 27, Named Thanksgiving Day

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The proclamation follows: "The season of the year has again arrived when the people of the United States are accustomed to unite in giving thanks to Almighty God for the blessings which he has conferred upon our country during the 12 months that have passed. A year ago our people poured out their hearts in praise and thanksgiving that through divine aid the right was victorious and peace had come to the nations which had so courageously struggled in defense of human liberty and justice. Now that the stern task is ended and the fruits of achievement are ours, we look forward with confidence to the dawn of an era where the sacrifices of the nation will find recompense in a world at peace."

Should be Reconsecrated. "But to attain the consummation of the great work to which the American people devoted their manhood and the vast resources of their country they should, as they give thanks to God, reconsecrate themselves to these principles of right which triumphed through His merciful goodness. Our gratitude can find no more pressing expression than to bulwark with loyalty and patriotism those principles for which the free peoples of the earth fought and died."

Terms With Russia Possible Along Lines Outlined by Bullitt

London, Nov. 5.—Lieut. Col. Lestrang Malou, liberal member of Parliament, who recently returned from Russia, said in the House of Commons during a discussion of Russian affairs, that he had conferred with the leaders of the soviet government with regard to peace on terms substantially the same as those which William C. Bullitt stated some time ago Nicolai Lenin, the bolshevik premier, had made to Mr. Bullitt.

Mr. Bullitt, testifying before the senate foreign relations committee in Washington, said the peace proposal of Lenin embraced an armistice for two weeks, subject to extension; raising of the economic blockade; immediate withdrawal of allied troops; no further military aid for anti-soviet governments and recognition of responsibility for Russia's foreign debt.

Lawyers Will want to keep and display the Fine Large Photo of the State Supreme Court specially taken for reproduction in Rotogravure. Next Sunday's Bee Edition Strictly Limited.

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Irish Republican Army Forbids Colleens Keeping Company With British Government Soldiers or Policemen.

APPRISE PUBLIC OF NAMES OF OFFENDERS

All Loyal Subjects of Irish Republic Requested to Shun Public Houses Which Entertain Members of the Enemy.

Dublin, Nov. 5.—Love making by the girls of Ireland with members of the British government forces has been proscribed by the Irish republican army. Any girl keeping company with a government soldier or policeman will be penalized by having her hair cut off. One girl has already suffered the penalty, losing her tresses for walking out with a soldier.

Proclamation Posted.

A proclamation has been posted, signed by "the competent military authority," saying: "Whereas, certain girls wanting in self-respect, have lamed themselves by keeping company with the army of occupation, it is deemed proper by competent authority, both to safeguard morality and to stop bad examples, to publish the names of these culprits and also to warn them that after the publication of this proclamation those who persist in the above-mentioned scandalous, unpatriotic company-keeping render themselves liable to the punishment of being branded by having their hair cut off."

Offenders Named.

The names of four "offenders" are attached to the proclamation. The notification they say: "The parents or mistresses are requested to see that the above-named girls are kept from intercourse with enemy troops. All loyal subjects of the Irish republic also are requested to shun public houses which entertain members of the enemy army until such time as they make reparation by a complete change of conduct."

Three names of "offenders" are given here and it is added: "The first-named person is earnestly requested to dismiss the barmaid who openly neglects loyal subjects by wearing a policeman's cap and badge showing the crown above the breast and white gloves on the hands. Measures will be taken. All who persist in visiting these proclaimed houses are liable to have their names published as disloyal subjects who patronize houses frequented by the enemy army and private punishment will be meted out in due course."

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Boston Has First Electric Lighted Traffic Officer

Sergeant R. E. Blackly of the Motor Transport corps of the Boston state guard is the first illuminated traffic officer in the world.

Owing to the great congestion of traffic at certain street intersections here, it has been found necessary to protect traffic officers with some sort of conspicuous marking and electric lights for the peak of the campaign cap and for the shoulders were decided upon.

Girl Victim of Negro Assault Faints in Court

Between sobs and with streaming eyes pretty, delicate little Miss Bessie Kroupa told the jury in District Judge Redick's court yesterday afternoon how she was attacked, dragged into a clump of bushes, bound and gagged, held prisoner for more than an hour and criminally assaulted by a negro field hand last July near Ninth and Canton streets.

Mother Attacks Lawyer After Merciless Cross-Examination —Tries to Reach Prisoner.

The infuriated mother rushed across the court room, shouting at and threatening the attorney whose merciless questions were fairly crushing the little girl on the witness stand. Assistant County Attorney W. W. Slabaugh succeeded in quieting the woman. Mr. Howell resumed his rapid fire cross-examination and had asked but a few questions when Miss Kroupa swooned. The first girl was unable to hear up under the attorney's cold and cruel thrusts. She was reclining and limp in her chair when Judge Redick ordered a recess.

Rushes for Negro.

Mrs. Kroupa and another daughter rushed to the assistance of the stricken witness. They held the girl's hands and stroked her brow. Mrs. Kroupa's arms were around the slender form of her suffering daughter when her eye fell upon the negro prisoner, who was being led into an adjoining room by a deputy sheriff. She committed her daughter to the care of her sister and made a rush for the door through which the negro passed. She was restrained by the bailiff.

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GOVERNMENT REFUSES TO LIFT INJUNCTION

Organized Labor's Proposal For Ending Miners' Walkout Rejected Bluntly by U. S. Department of Justice.

Chicago, Nov. 5.—Beginning of curtailed railroad service and the pinch of inadequate supplies of soft coal in several states today marked the fifth day of the miners' strike. So far as the strike itself was concerned there was little change, although operators in West Virginia and Colorado reported gains in production.

Removal of six passenger trains from service of the Chicago & Northwestern and the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroads.

Refusal of the federal Department of Justice to consider labor leaders' suggestions that the government injunction against the strike be rescinded.

Appeals for fuel made by several Nebraska towns to state railroad commissions.

California coal dealers requested Governor Stephens to ask the fuel administrator to release confiscated coal to prevent a possible shortage in that state.

Release of coal, seized in transit on orders of fuel administration for relief in some districts.

Reports of coal operators of increased production in West Virginia, where 31 union mines were said to be in operation, and in Colorado.

Missouri coal dealers asked revival of the state fuel administration.

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