

9 LIBERTY BOND THIEVES CAUGHT; LOOT RECOVERED

Man Arrested in Los Angeles Had \$53,000 Bonds Said to Have Been Stolen in New York.

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 27.—A man giving the name of Leo Julofski, alias Leon Fules, wanted by the New York police on a charge of having stolen \$141,000 in Liberty bonds from E. D. Levinson & Co., 52 Broadway, New York, was arrested here, Julofski, according to police, had in his possession at the time of the arrest \$53,000 in bonds.

Julofski was alleged to have stated that he tore up the remainder of the stolen bonds.

Julofski is alleged to have stolen the bonds after they had been entrusted to him for delivery at Mahon & Co., 45 Wall street, New York.

Five Men Caught. New York, Dec. 27.—The arrest of Leo Julofski in Los Angeles was coincident with the apprehension here of five more men alleged to have been implicated in the disposal of stolen Liberty bonds valued at \$141,000. A total of nine arrests in the week, the police say, complete the roundup of the band.

In New York \$27,000 worth of bonds have been recovered, which, with the bonds said to have been found with Julofski, brings the total value of bonds recovered to \$80,000. Of the \$61,000 worth yet to be accounted for, the police say they expect to find \$50,000 worth in the vault of a local bank.

Solomon Julofski, a brother of Leo, was one of the five arrested. The others are William G. Hartman, Charles Julofski, Arthur Miller and David Benson. With the exception of Benson, all the prisoners, who are charged with grand larceny, range in age from 17 to 24.

The arrests following information supplied by Max J. Gallaher, arrested Friday at the federal reserve bank while attempting to exchange \$20 \$1,000 bonds for 40 \$500 bonds. He was held in \$25,000 bail for action by the grand jury.

Plans Arranged for Pershing Reception In Omaha January 8

The Omaha reception committee which went to Lincoln to confer with General Pershing regarding his reception here returned last night. General Pershing will arrive in Omaha at 9 a. m., January 8, according to Col. J. W. S. West, a member of the committee, and go directly to Fort Omaha, where he will spend the morning inspecting the post.

He will attend a public affairs luncheon in the Chamber of Commerce, and will make a short speech. Following the luncheon he will be driven about the city and later to the Ak-Sar-Ben aerial mail landing field, where he is to take part in ceremonies marking the arrival of the first aerial mail ship. Still later in the afternoon he will receive members of the American Legion. A 6 he will dine either at the Omaha or Athletic club.

In the evening he will be given a great public reception at the Auditorium.

Germans Fail in First Effort to Carry Out Pact

Paris, Dec. 27.—The supreme council today received information as to the result of the first meeting between the German and allied military experts regarding arrangements for the execution of the treaty of Versailles.

It appeared on the first exchange of views that the railroad material offered by the Germans for the transport of allied troops to districts where plebiscites are to be held, was considered insufficient by the allied representatives.

The council also considered the nature of the reply to the Swiss memorandum concerning the entry of Switzerland into the league of nations. The council will reply to the Swiss suggestion that its entry into the league be subject to certain conditions.

Protective Order to Install Officers on Friday Evening

Officers chosen by the Protective Order of America for the ensuing year will be installed Friday evening. H. Staley was elected grand protector; L. Rinehart, prelate; A. J. Baslet, senior warden; A. E. Kimball, junior warden; J. E. Johnston, secretary; Lloyd Johnson, treasurer; L. Steinback, inner guard; G. Ryan, outer guard and W. J. Chizum, J. Herckt and J. Alcorn, trustees.

Murders Wife, Kills Self In Mother-in-Law's Home

Greely, Colo., Dec. 27.—John Orr, Saturday night killed his wife and shot himself to death in the home of his brother-in-law, Frank Moore, at Dacona, about 29 miles from here. Jealousy is believed to have been the motive. An official from the sheriff's office here was sent to Dacona.

Orr slashed his wife's throat from ear to ear.

Kirschbraun & Sons Give Christmas Bonus to Men

Kirschbraun & Sons Creamery Co., Ninth and Dodge streets, Saturday issued extra pay checks to all employees who had given more than a year's service. The amounts were figured on a basis of 2 per cent of annual salary for one year's service, up to 15 per cent for 10 year's service.

James C. Kinsler announces the removal of his law office to Room 529, First National Bank Building.

Telephone No.: Douglas 1591.

Bank Examiner Named Assistant Cashier of The First National



G. M. McClerkin

G. M. McClerkin, national bank examiner for Nebraska, has been named assistant cashier of the First National bank, it was announced yesterday. Mr. McClerkin will assume his duties on January 1.

He entered the banking business in 1912 as assistant secretary of the State Savings and Trust company, Texarkana, Ark., and continued in this capacity until 1917, when he resigned to accept the appointment as national bank examiner, in which position he has served until now.

"In securing the services of Mr. McClerkin the First National bank is further advancing its policy in increasing its organization to fully meet with not only the present

Kolchak Surrenders All Russian Command To General Semionoff

Vladivostok, Dec. 27.—(By The Associated Press.)—Kolchak, commanding the all Russian governmental forces opposing the bolsheviks in Siberia, has retired from active command because of ill health and has appointed General Semionoff to succeed as commander-in-chief according to a message received here by General Semionoff's representative.

The message, quoting Admiral Kolchak's order, said: "In order to unite all armed forces fighting to make secure our political organization, I name General Semionoff commander-in-chief with headquarters in the Irkutsk and Trans-Baikal Russian military districts. All military commanders will subordinate to him."

Hang Negro to Tree After Mob Secures Body From Police

Wilmington, N. C., Dec. 27.—A negro named Green, charged with the murder of R. M. Brown, a white man, was taken from the police by a mob at Franklinton, N. C., and dragged two miles behind an automobile and the body then hanged to a tree. The officers were attempting to rush their prisoner to Raleigh for safekeeping.

Next Anarchist "Ark" May Not Be Ready Very Soon

New York, Dec. 27.—Heavy immigration is so taxing the facilities of Ellis Island that officials expressed doubt today whether there would be another concentration of anarchists there in the near future for deportation.

During the last 48 hours some 8,000 immigrants have arrived in port and today 1,168 were detained on the island for further examination as to their fitness for admission to this country.

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MAN WOUNDS HIS SISTER-IN-LAW AND KILLS SELF

Ruth Andrews Shot Twice in Flight From Charles Ellis, Who Ends Own Life With Bullet.

York, Neb., Dec. 27.—(Special Telegram.)—Charles Ellis is dead and his sister-in-law, Ruth Andrews, about 16 years old, is in the hospital seriously wounded.

Ellis went out in his yard Saturday afternoon about 4 and fired two shots at the girl. The first entered the breast and the second the back of the neck. Ellis then ran about 50 feet and turned the gun upon himself, sending a bullet through the brain in the center of the forehead.

Ellis is believed to have been mentally unbalanced since he suffered an attack of Spanish influenza. He bought a .32 caliber revolver two letters down on a table. His wife and sister-in-law were in the room.

"You had better read these, for I am going to kill myself" he exclaimed. Ruth Andrews, unwilling to witness the start, fled from the room and out of the house. He followed and began shooting.

Funeral of Frank W. Bacon At Washington, D. C., Monday

Funeral services for Frank W. Bacon, who died from injuries sustained in an automobile accident, will be held in Rock Creek cemetery church, Washington, D. C., Monday afternoon at 2. Rev. Samuel Green of Calvary Baptist church will have charge of the services.

According to information received from Washington, the accident which caused Mr. Bacon's death, November 27, was not due to speeding or losing control of the machine, but by breaking a drag link which controls the steering wheel when the car struck a bump on a mountain curve.

Hang Up Grocer While They Loot His Safe

New York, Dec. 27.—Four robbers entered a grocery store bound Vincent Statarsier, the proprietor, hand and foot and hanged him by the neck from a wall-bracket while they looted his safe and cash register of \$418. A little girl, sent to the store on an errand, saw the body suspended and notified the police. The man was alive when cut down. After regaining his breath he closed his store and went home.

C. H. Rasmussen, Resident Of Omaha Since 1867, Dies

Charles H. Rasmussen, 79 years old, who came to Omaha in 1867, died at 7:25 last night at his residence, 812 South Nineteenth street. He leaves two daughters, Reta E. and May E., and a son, Edwin H. Rasmussen. The funeral will be held Tuesday from the home, burial in Prospect Hill cemetery.

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"Liberty Girls" at The Gayety Full of Comedy and Color

Jack Conway and the Liberty Girls in "Maulless Isle" is a laughable musical melange at the Gayety theater. "Irish Jack" is unquestionably the feature of the performance with his abundance of native wit. He is ably assisted by Vic Plant and Izzy Cohen and the combination of comedians brings continuous laughs.

Monica Redmond, the prima donna, appears in frequent changes of the latest creations of the Paris modistes. Helen Stuart as a "manish" reformer plays the character parts in an exceptional manner. Pauline Harer, in the soubrette role, has a pleasing voice in her chorus numbers.

The stage settings are exceptionally elaborate as are the costumes of the chorus and principals. The numerous scenes give ample opportunity to show the gorgeous display. The Runaway Four, in a specialty, is unquestionably the hit of the show. A quartet of male singers and dancers par excellence were repeatedly encored.

For the benefit of the holiday crowds the Sunday and New Year's matinees will start at 3. The original Gayety midnight show will be held New Year's night. Old man Johnson promises some novel stunts never before seen in Omaha and reports that already there has been a large demand for seats.

Stolen Automobile Stands On Street for Two Days

Arthur Keeline's \$5,000 automobile, stolen from Twenty-fourth and Farnam streets Christmas eve, stood at Fifteenth and Farnam streets two days. Saturday night a friend of Keeline recognized the car and telephoned him. The car was badly damaged.

No report for Keeline's car appears on the "auto squeal" book at Central police station, though Keeline says he reported the loss Thursday night.

Brief City News

Have Koot Print It—Beacon Press Vacuum Cleaners—Burgess-Graden Co. James C. Kinsler has removed his law office to Room 529 First Nat. Bank Bldg.

Recovers From Illness—Chief Deputy County Attorney Raymond Coffey is back in his office after a week's illness with tonsillitis.

To Intimidate Candidates—Omaha lodge No. 344, I. O. O. F., will inaugurate a large class of candidates at 2 p. m. at Crouse hall. Election of officers will be held.

Personal Injury Suit—Victoria Filipowski sued the Central Taxicab company in district court for \$5,000, alleging she was injured when a taxicab in which she was riding struck a tree, near Lake Manawa park, August 24, 1919.

Retail Grocers to Meet—The Retail Grocers' association will be held Tuesday night. Six directors will be elected at this meeting. An old-fashioned lunch will be served and arrangements made for the annual dinner of the organization.

Passes Dental Examinations—Dr. Walter Becker, graduate of Creighton Dental college, class of 1919, and at present a student of medicine at Nebraska university, has returned to Omaha after having successfully passed the state dental boards of Minnesota and Wisconsin.

Surfers Fractured Wrist—Mrs. Clement Chase, Omaha society woman, sustained a fracture of her left wrist when she slipped and fell on an icy walk near Twenty-fourth and Farnam streets yesterday morning. She was taken to Clarkson hospital, where Dr. J. E. Summers attended her. Later she was removed to her home at the Blackstone hotel.

Ex-Soldiers Need Jobs—Mrs. Mabel Walker, manager of the Chamber of Commerce employment bureau, has appealed to employers of the city to help solve the returned soldier employment problem. More than 50 returned soldiers are in dire need of positions, she said. She also announced there were a number of farm jobs, paying good wages, not yet filled.

Ad League to Meet—Mabel Warner Ruzic, character analyst, will give an actual demonstration on one of the members of the Advertising-Selling league of Omaha at the meeting of that organization tomorrow evening at 6 at the Hotel Fontainebleau. Andrew Hart, agency supervisor for the American Live Stock Insurance company, will speak on the "Es-

entials of an Insurance Salesman." **W. O. W. Will Meet**—The Welfare committee of the W. O. W., representing members of Omaha and Nebraska camps opposed to the proposed increase in assessments, will hold a meeting at Druid Camp hall, Twenty-fourth street and Ames avenue, Monday night at 8 to discuss the plan. Claud Wilkinson of Sedalia, Mo., and Charles Keller of St. Joseph will address the meeting.

Severely Injured in Army—Seven Omaha young men enlisted in the signal corps at the local army recruiting station and left for the training school at Camp Vail, N. J. They were Vernon R. Orr, Max J. Erickson, Paul H. Bain, Bryan W. Winkler, Paul H. Henning, Paul Johansson and Palmer Johnson. At the school they will be given the opportunity of learning any one of 15 trades.

Stephenson Funeral Services—E. E. Stephenson, 50 years old, 1819 North Twenty-third street, who died Wednesday at his home, will be buried at 2 this afternoon. The services will be conducted in the Dodder chapel, Twenty-third and Cuming streets. Burial will be in West Lawn cemetery. Mr. Stephenson was a carpenter. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Albertine Stephenson.

Cabinet Maker Dies—Andrew Anderson, 61 years old, a cabinet-maker in the employ of Orchard & Wilhelm company for about 14 years, died suddenly yesterday at his home, 1613 Cass street, from a complication of diseases. Mr. Anderson's wife died several years ago, and he is survived by two sons, Carl and Emil, and one daughter, Olga. Funeral services will be held Monday afternoon at 2 from the N. P. Swanson chapel, 1625 Cuming street. Burial will be in Forest Lawn cemetery.

Will Continue Drive for Bellevue Endowment Fund

Plans to reopen Bellevue college either next fall or a year from next fall were discussed at a meeting of the college board of directors. The directors decided to continue the drive for a \$250,000 endowment fund.

To Dance Out Old Year.

A formal dance will be held New Year's Eve at the University club, with a buffet lunch served at 11. Dancing will commence at 8:30, according to the announcement cards, and end some time next year. Reservations are now being made.

Mail Disposition Is Expedited Under New Post Office Ruling

Postmaster Fanning has received from the Post Office department an order which will expedite the disposition of second, third and fourth class mail matter which may be undeliverable at the office of address.

The sender may take advantage of this innovation by inscribing a pledge similar to the following, directly below his return card in the upper left hand corner: "Postage guaranteed for forwarding or return."

The new order applies to newspapers, printed matter, parcel post packages and other mail within the three classes mentioned. Postage due stamps will be added when mail is returned or forwarded under this new plan, which becomes effective at once.

The present plan is to notify the sender and request that he shall forward a prescribed amount of postage to return or forward the undelivered article.

Fort Omaha Soldiers Stage Snow Battle on Parade Grounds

Snowballs, iceballs and fists with snowballs in them flew fast and furiously this morning at Fort Omaha, when "White" and "Red" armies clashed in a three-hour battle on the parade ground.

The ninth, fourteenth and twenty-seventh battalion companies were the "Reds," and the twelfth, seventeenth and twenty-fourth companies composed the "White" forces. The "Reds" were white with snow and the "Whites" were red with blood when the armistice was signed.

Trenches were stormed and defended, snow was hurled by hand and with specially constructed machines and the battle was directed from observation balloons floating high overhead. Motion picture operators were on hand and the entire affair was filmed.

Will Make Improvements In the Hotel Henshaw

J. H. Keenan, manager of the Hotel Henshaw, yesterday announced that plans had been completed for changes in the service departments which will make the place one of the best equipped and most up-to-date in the country.

The changes will include the removal of the grill room, and the construction of a ladies' rest and tea room, which will be luxuriously furnished in restful colors. The lobby and hotel kitchens will be remodeled.

The cafe, which is finished in solid mahogany, will be retouched, but otherwise unchanged. Dinner music and dancing will be continued and cabaret features in the future will be of the highest order.

Annual Banquet of Ohio Society to Be Held March 1

Members of the Ohio society of Omaha met yesterday at the Chamber of Commerce for luncheon, and elected J. J. Dodds, president; Charles E. Williamson, vice president; and Miss Verda E. Williams, secretary and treasurer, for the coming year.

March 5 was fixed as the date for the great annual banquet of the Ohio society, which will be held at the Hotel Blackstone. An interesting incident of the meeting was the announcement by W. W. Slabaugh that he had received three buckeyes from Norman Kuhn, one of the oldest members of the society, now in California.

Pan-Hellenic Society Holds Annual Reunion and Election

Nearly 100 members of the Pan-Hellenic society, made up of Greek letter sorority members, met at the annual reunion and luncheon of the society in the Chamber of Commerce yesterday.

Mrs. Sam Reynolds, president for the last two years, presided. The following officers were elected for the coming year: President Mrs. Robert McCague, Vice President Mrs. Charles Wright, and Secretary and Treasurer Mrs. Ann Raymond.

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