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SMUGGLE WHISKY
IN BALES OF HAY.

Worcester, Mass., Dec. 28.—Internal revenue officers have started an investigation of a report that whisky is being smuggled into the United States from Canada in bales of hay. In a shipment recently received here, officers say, two bottles of liquor were concealed in the center of nearly every bale.

HONEYMOONERS IN STOLEN
CAR LOSE LEGS AND TOES.

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 28.—Word was received by Deputy Sheriff Dewar that H. T. Bryant, accused of stealing an automobile here and driving it to Salt Lake City, has already paid dearly for the offense. It is charged that Bryant, with his young bride, drove to Salt Lake City, sold the stolen car for \$300 and stole another.

and this car, it was said, they started for Wyoming, but got lost in a snowstorm. Recently Bryant had to have both legs amputated and his bride lost several toes from the effect of frost.

TURKS GIVE UP FEZ
FOR GOLF CAPS.

Elbasan, Albania, Dec. 28.—Mohammedans of Elbasan are wearing American golf caps instead of the red fez which, from the time Mohammed laid down the religious tenets for his worshippers, has been the immemorial head covering of the Turk.

GIRL'S INCOME TAKES
BIG JUMP OVERNIGHT.

McKeesport, Pa., Dec. 28.—With an income of \$5,269 monthly, in addition to her salary as stenographer in the general offices of the National Tube company here, Miss Anna B. Smith is not worried over the high cost of living.

When Miss Smith goes to bed at night the prospects are excellent that her income will be doubled when she awakes in the morning. The big well which came in on her property with a 10,000,000 foot flow of gas had only been drilled four feet into the Speerly sand. Expert gas men say that when the drill reaches the required depth in the producing strata the flow of gas would be doubled and the stenographer's income would jump to \$10,000 monthly.

WIFE MAY SMOKE
HUSBY'S TOBACCO.

Los Angeles, Dec. 28.—Benjamin J. Morton was opposed to having women smoke, he told Judge Craig. "She smoked my tobacco," said Morton.

"Do you smoke?" asked the judge. "Oh, yes." "Well, hasn't she as much right to smoke as you?" "Of course she hasn't. She is my wife. Wives shouldn't smoke." "Well, no man who himself smokes gets divorces from this court just because his wife, too, smokes," stated the court.

ONE BED FOR HUSBAND,
WIFE AND HIS FRIEND.

Ventura, Cal., Dec. 28.—Mrs. Dorothy Lewis and Ray Lewis were divorced by Judge Rogers in the superior court at Ventura in a case that produced sensational testimony. Mrs. Lewis charged that once when she and her husband were staying at the Alexandria hotel in San Francisco he refused to get a separate room for a girl friend of hers who was with them and that the three slept in one bed.

Mr. Lewis asserted that before his marriage Mrs. Lewis had Don Keeler, a local newspaper man, look up his financial standing, and that she only decided to marry him when he discovered he was worth \$4,000,000.

Judge Rogers, in denying the decree, said that neither of them came into court with "clean hands," and that therefore neither was entitled to a divorce.

FROTH ON "MAD" CAT
ONLY MERINGUE PIE.

Gwynedd, Pa., Dec. 28.—With what looked like froth on its mouth, a big black and white cat dashed through a room in which Daniel Davis, chief of police of North Wales, and his wife were sitting. Such was not the case. It seems that tabby had found a luscious lemon meringue pie that Mrs. Davis had just baked for her hubby.

The cat stuck its head into the frothy white of egg top of the pie, and finding it hot, beat a hasty retreat.

MANICURE SCORNS
25-CENT HOSE HUBBY.

New York, Dec. 28.—Mrs. Jessie Shepard Husted, who was a manicure in a New Haven hotel when she eloped with Mills H. Husted, son of Mrs. Abbe L. Husted, a wealthy widow, won a divorce in the superior court at Bridgeport. Judge Webb granted her \$4,000 alimony.

At the time the couple were married in March, 1916, Husted was a student at Yale. He took his wife to live at the home of the mother in Greenwich, but they separated after one week together.

In September of that year Mrs. Husted caused her husband's arrest on a charge of nonsupport. This was followed by a suit for divorce, she alleging desertion and intolerable cruelty. She said that her husband could give her only 25 cent stockings when she was accustomed to silk.

HIS \$10,000 LOOT
PROVES HIS NEMESIS.

New York, Dec. 28.—Inhaling the dust arising from \$10,000 worth of opium and heroin which he was dumping into a bag from drying pans at the plant of the New York Quinine and Chemical company, Brooklyn, after he had broken into the place, John Schmitzki collapsed on the bag and died. His body was found by the police.

INDUSTRIAL
CONFEREES
GIVE REPORT

Tentative Recommendations for Establishment of Machinery to Prevent or Retard Labor Disputes Made.

NATIONAL INDUSTRIAL
TRIBUNAL ADVOCATED

Government Employees Should Have Right to Associate for Mutual Protection, Report States.

Washington, Dec. 28.—Tentative recommendations for the establishment of machinery to prevent or retard labor conflicts in private industry were announced today by the president's industrial conference, with a view to obtaining constructive criticism before a final plan is adopted.

The plan as outlined now contemplates the creation of a national industrial tribunal and regional boards of inquiry and adjustment, which would move to the settlement of disputes before there was any stoppage of production. Decisions would have the full force and effect of a trade agreement between the parties to the dispute.

Marking that some public utilities, such as railroads, are essential to the very existence of the people, the conference's tentative statement expressed the opinion that the interruption in such essential public utilities is intolerable. But the conference states that further consideration is required of the problem whether some method can be arrived at that will avert all danger of interruption to service.

Government employees, the third class into which the wage-earning public are divided, should have the right to associate for mutual protection, the statement declared, but "no interference by any group with the continuous operation of government functions through concerted cessation of work or threats thereof, can be permitted."

To Hold Public Hearings.

When the conference reconvenes January 12, public hearings will be held to obtain expert advice as to the drafting of the final recommendations in the light of such criticism of the tentative report as may be received.

While stating that at this time it was believed more essential to devise machinery for averting conflicts than to undertake a discussion of the causes of unrest, the conference indicated clearly the general principles on which it has based its recommendations.

"Our modern industrial organization," the tentative report said, "if it is not to become a failure, must yield to the individual a larger satisfaction than it has at present. Not only must the theory that labor is a commodity be abandoned, but the concept of leadership must be substituted for that of mastership."

Human fellowship in industry must either be an empty phrase in a living fact, or it must be the result of better relationships between employer and employee, the practical approach to the problem is to devise a method of preventing or retarding conflicts by providing machinery for the adjustment of differences. To be successful such tribunals must be so organized as to operate promptly as well as impartially.

The plain fact is that the public has long been uneasy about the power of great employers; it is becoming uneasy about the power of great labor organizations. The community must be assured against domination by either.

"The plan which follows does not (Continued on Page Two, Column One.)"

Girl, After Long Trip,
Finds Her Mail Order
Suitor Is a Negro

New York, Dec. 28.—An advertisement inserted by a California matrimonial agency brought a little homespun-clad girl from the North Carolina hills to New York, where she found that the man who was to marry her was a negro. This and similar cases were made public today by the New York Travelers' Aid society.

The girl was found wandering about the Pennsylvania station without a hat and with all her belongings bound up in a blue handkerchief.

POCKET KNIVES
DIG CONDUCTOR
OUT OF WRECK

Three Killed and More Than 100 Injured When Interurban Leaves Rails.

Beaumont, Tex., Dec. 28.—Three persons were killed and more than 100 were injured late Sunday when an interurban car from the city to Port Arthur turned over, according to a telephone message from Port Arthur.

All available physicians and nurses here have been summoned. Ambulances are being sent from Port Arthur.

Although many of them had been injured, passengers on board a derailed interurban car near this city, went to the rescue of E. F. Roberts, the conductor, and dug him out of the wreckage with pocket knives. Harms had been pinned beneath the car and he was helpless. Roberts was the most seriously hurt of 25 persons hurt, when the car struck a cow and left the rails.

3,000 Immigrants
Clamor at Gates of
New York City

New York, Dec. 28.—More than 3,000 immigrants were clamoring at the gates of New York Sunday night for admission into the United States. Ellis Island is congested and many hundreds of the incoming passengers are being detained on board steamships for examination.

Immigration inspectors and special boards of inquiry are working day and night to relieve the unprecedented conditions. In the meantime hundreds of friends and relatives of the detained passengers are gathered at the docks, waiting for the release of the immigrants.

Police and coast guards are on duty at the piers and the Ellis Island ferry entrance to hold in check the crowds which gather at the gates daily. Several attempts have been made by friends and relatives of the detained passengers to storm the piers in an effort to reach the ships.

Immigration officials claim that their work is delayed to a large extent by the fact that because of the congestion there due to the detention of a large number of radicals and undesirable being held for deportation.

The greater number of the immigrants being detained are Italians, it was stated. Several hundred Greek passengers are also held.

Guarantee Against
Price Decline Plan
Will Be Sounded Out

Washington, Dec. 28.—Business interests, labor unions and the public generally are to be sounded out as to the sentiment in regard to the guarantee-against-price-decline system said to be in use by many manufacturers and wholesalers in the sale of goods. The federal trade commission announced that it had sent out several thousand letters inquiring as to opinion of the plan.

The guarantee-against-price-decline system amounts to a guarantee by manufacturers and wholesalers in selling goods that should a decline in price occur before delivery of the goods the buyers shall benefit by the decline, but if the market should rise before delivery, the manufacturer or wholesaler would assume the loss.

D'Annunzio Promises
Armed Resistance to
"Last Drop of Blood"

Fiume, Dec. 28.—Armed resistance to the "last moral drop of blood and last drop of blood" is Gabriele D'Annunzio's latest decision in demanding further guarantees from the Italian government to insure the annexation of Fiume to Italy. The situation is at a stronger deadlock than ever by reason of the soldier-poet's unshaken obstinacy to remain in Fiume until his demands are met.

The national council has reversed its decision to accept the government's proposal and has voted to support D'Annunzio, who with a large following of legionnaires, still remains master of the station inside the city.

Youth Shot Planned to
Kill Father and Others

Martinez, Cal., Dec. 28.—Frank Tutt, jr., 16 years old, who was killed by Constable Charles Chapman Saturday night in a pistol duel after he was alleged to have dared the officer to arrest him, had planned to kill his father, Constable Chapman, A. B. Tinning, justice of the peace, and Gus Goethals, district attorney, and then commit suicide, it was stated tonight at the office of the district attorney, following a conference with members of the Tutt family.

Floods Along Rhine.

Paris, Dec. 28.—Floods along the Rhine and its tributaries are higher than they have been for 36 years and great damage is being done by the inundation, according to a Mayence dispatch.

LEAD FLIES
IN IRELAND
ON SABBATH

Officer of the Guard and Member of Band of Intruders Killed in Phoenix Park Shooting Affray.

SEVERAL UNTOWARD
INCIDENTS REPORTED

Daring Attempt Made to Assassinate Donegal Constable—Band Raids Farmer's Home, Getting Rifles.

Dublin, Ireland, Dec. 28.—(By The Associated Press).—An officer of the guard and one member of a band of intruders were killed early this morning in a shooting affray in Phoenix park, a short distance from the viceregal lodge. In some quarters the belief was expressed that an attack was in preparation against the lodge. About eight men are believed to have made up the band of interlopers. Four arrests were made.

At 1:30 o'clock this morning shots were heard in the neighborhood of the viceregal lodge. They continued intermittently at intervals for nearly an hour in that portion of Phoenix park between the lodge and the viceregal lodge. There apparently was no direct attack on the lodge itself. The inmates of the lodge at first thought the shooting was connected with some sort of holiday revelry.

Military Guard Turns Out.

As the firing persisted, however, a military guard, consisting of an officer and two men, turned out and searched the grounds. Finding nothing unusual there, they went through the park near the main road. While traversing the center of the park they engaged in a sharp exchange of firing with the intruders and Lieutenant Boast, who was leading his men, fell shot through the heart.

One of the attacking party also was killed. He was a civilian about 40 years of age. According to some reports he was wearing a uniform of a soldier's uniform. No weapon was found on or near his body and up to the present the man's identity has not been ascertained. Pools of blood were found on the scene, which is about half a mile from the lodge.

Intruders Flee.

After the shooting the intruders fled in the darkness. The four men arrested were not taken into custody until the scene of the shooting had been searched and they were leaving the park about two hours later. They denied having had anything to do with the affair and it is reported that no incriminating evidence was found on them.

The bodies of the two men were taken to the George V. hospital where an inquest will be held to-day.

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President Wilson
Observes His 63d
Birthday Quietly

Washington, Dec. 23.—President Wilson observed his 63d birthday quietly Sunday, much improved in health, surrounded by the members of his family with the exception of Mrs. W. G. McAdoo, who was unable to be present. Mr. and Mrs. Francis B. Sayre arrived from Cambridge, Mass., and Margaret Wilson has been at the White House since her father's illness.

The president took his usual walk about the sick room and later sat out on the south portico for more than an hour. Part of the day was spent by Mr. Wilson reading many of the hundreds of birthday greetings that came from prominent officials and friends in the United States and abroad.

One Killed, Six Injured in
H. C. of L. Demonstration

Havana, Dec. 28.—One man was killed and one woman and five men, including two policemen, were injured during a clash between the police and a crowd engaged in a demonstration against the high cost of living and excessive house rents. The wounded policemen claim that the crowd attacked them when they demanded to see the permit for the parade. Witnesses say, however, that the police fired on the people without warning.

Ammunition Depot Near
Ogden, Utah, Is Approved

Ogden, Utah, Dec. 28.—That approval of a 1,200-acre site for an army ordnance and ammunition depot near Ogden has been given by the War department and that Congress will be asked in January to appropriate \$96,000 to pay for the site, was announced in Ogden following word that Utah's senators and representatives were united in supporting the War department plan.

Another Jolt for the H. C. of L.!



NEGRO ADMITS
COMPLICITY IN
BOLD ROBBERY

Implicates George Alexander, White, in Christiansen Affair—Paid Own Taxi Fare to Station.

Levi Deering, colored, 2124 North Twenty-sixth street, confessed Sunday to being the companion of George Alexander, white, in the assault and robbery of Sam Christiansen, 931 North Twenty-seventh street, and Mrs. Emma Lawson, Christiansen's bookkeeper, Christmas morning, according to the police.

Deering, according to the police, surrendered several pieces of jewelry taken from the Christiansen home. Harry Halstead, whom the police accused of being Alexander's companion, was released from jail yesterday and all charges against him quashed. Belle McKenzie, colored, 1006 North Twenty-fourth street, was arrested and charged with receiving and concealing stolen property when some of the jewelry said to have been stolen from Christiansen, was found in her possession.

Deering paid \$1 to have himself arrested. Detectives Dolan and Hagerman have been trailing Deering for three days, but had been unable to locate him. They "spotted" an acquaintance of Deering's yesterday and asked the acquaintance to put Deering into their hands. The acquaintance did.

Deering pulled up in front of Central police station in a taxicab yesterday afternoon. As he left the cab he instructed the driver to wait as he'd be out soon. Some time later Detective Dolan came out to the taxi driver. "Better not wait—he'll be in there for seven years—he's just confessed." The bill had already run up to \$1.

Arrest Chauffeur as
An Accomplice in the
Hamilton Highjacking

A. L. Anderson, chauffeur for C. W. Hamilton, 1112 Park avenue, was arrested Saturday night and held for investigation in connection with the frustrated attempt to "highjack" his employer's home at 2 Christmas morning.

Anderson called at St. Cecilia cathedral for Mrs. Hamilton and her daughter after midnight mass Christmas day, and on the way home told Mrs. Hamilton he "thought there was something funny going on at the house." He told her a man had ordered him to open the cellar door at the point of a gun when he was leaving the Hamilton home, half an hour before.

Mrs. Hamilton stopped at a friend's house and called the police. The police arrested alleged accomplices of Anderson who, they say, were caught in the act of stealing liquor from Hamilton's cellar. Six cases of whisky were stacked up in the Hamilton yard.

WINNER OF DICE
THROW FOR LOVE
OF MAN SPURNED

Tragedy Bared When Fisher Lass Finds Death in Sea After Losing to Rival.

Madrid, Dec. 28.—The love of two Gijon fisher girls for Isidro Lafuente, a young blacksmith, has had a tragic ending.

The girls resolved to resort to a throw of dice to determine who should be the sweetheart of the blacksmith, who, by the way, was entirely ignorant of being the cause of this strange ordeal.

Twenty-two-year-old Isabel Carrera threw the lower number, and immediately renounced her claim to the blacksmith in favor of her rival, Louisa Garcia, who is 25.

A violent gale raged next morning and at the height of it Isabel Carrera was seen to put to sea in a frail skiff. The craft was soon in difficulties, but the girl managed to navigate for some time. The gale grew worse and the skiff, which sank before the eyes of a large number of spectators on the beach. Any attempt at rescue was impossible, and the girl perished.

A letter she had left at her home disclosed the reason for her mad act. She stated in this letter that, having lost her claim to the blacksmith's love, there was only one thing for her to do—to die.

The blacksmith now avers that he was in love with the dead girl, and that on no account will he have anything to do with Louisa Garcia. This has had the effect of deranging Louisa Garcia's mind and she is now undergoing treatment for insanity.

New Union Pacific
President Dined on
Leaving for Omaha

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 28.—(Special Telegram).—Carl R. Gray, who is leaving for Omaha to take up his new duties as president of the Union Pacific railroad, was tendered a farewell notable here Saturday night, at which notable railroad men from all parts of the country were present. Daniel Willard made the address of the evening, giving his views on the return of the railroads to their owners, March 1. Mr. Gray retires as president of the Western Maryland.

Western Union Employees
to Get Salary Increases

New York, Dec. 28.—Thirty-two thousand employees of the Western Union Telegraph and Telephone company will receive salary increases amounting to \$5,000,000 on January 1, it is announced. Employees who have been in the service more than one year will receive a 15 per cent increase and those who have been in the service more than six months, but less than a year, will receive a 10 per cent increase. Only employees earning less than \$250 a month are affected.

EIGHT REPORTS
OF GUNMEN AND
SNEAK THIEVES

Bold Holdup Within Block of Central Station—Stores, Hotels and Autos Looted.

Two young men, both armed, held up the Golden Star restaurant, 205 South Twelfth street, little more than a block from Central police station, at 1 a. m. Sunday and made off with \$36 from the cash register.

Both bandits ran east on Douglas street toward the police station after the robbery, but turned south on Eleventh street, one finally disappearing into the alley between Farnam and Douglas east of Eleventh street and the other turning east on Farnam street.

According to Wu Fong, waiter, and Adolph Anderson, Belmont hotel, who were in the restaurant at the time of the holdup, both men appeared to be Mexicans about 23 years of age.

One "covered" Fong and Anderson with his revolver while the other emptied the cash register. All other emptied the cash register.

Seven Other Robberies.

Leo Goldman, 523 North Fifteenth street, reported to the police the theft of an overcoat and two suits of clothes from his room Saturday. Peggy Hall, Pullman hotel, told the police someone entered her room Saturday night and stole a manure set valued at \$25.

The Central Market, 1612 Harney street, reported the theft of 53 pounds of sirloin and 40 pounds of tenderloin from a truck Saturday while the truck stood behind the Castle hotel. They valued the meat at \$125.

Get Two Rings.

William Stult, 423 North Thirtieth street, reported that burglars entered his home Saturday morning and stole one diamond ring valued at \$20 and a pearl ring valued at \$15.

Dr. Charles F. Shook, 614 City National bank building, said someone stole a lap robe and some toilet from his car while it stood in front of Lord Lister hospital. Dr. Shook estimates the loss at \$15.

James Condon, King hotel, Thirtieth and Jackson streets, reported that someone entered his room by unlocking the door and stole a suit of clothes he valued at \$35.

KINGPIN AND
FOUR MORE
ARE CAUGHT

Two of Those in Custody Are Described by Federal Agents Who Made Arrests as New York Business Men.

MORE DEATHS SUNDAY
FROM LETHAL MIXTURE

Others Are Reported Near Death's Door—Greatest Number of Fatalities in Connecticut Valley.

New York, Dec. 28.—Federal agents late tonight arrested five men whom they claimed to be the heads of an organized band which they claim to be responsible for the widespread sale of wood alcohol concoctions through five states. One of the men arrested was described by the government agents as "the king pin of the ring." Two of the men in custody were described as New York business men.

For 10 days, since the first fatalities were reported from wood alcohol poisoning, Col. D. L. Porter, supervising revenue agent for New York, and H. B. Dobbs, special federal agent, have been working on the theory that the poison that has caused scores of deaths throughout New England and New York originated in this city. The arrests tonight were made in widely separated parts of the city.

Three of the prisoners arrested are Adolph Panarelli, a wine and liquor dealer; John Romanelli, an undertaker, and Samuel K. Saleeby, a druggist.

Four Men Arrested.

Chicopee, Mass., Dec. 28.—United States Marshal Edward J. Lyden has arrested four men on federal warrants, two charging violation of the wartime prohibition act and two illegal transportation of liquor from state to state. The arrests resulted from his investigation into the deaths of more than 56 persons in the Connecticut valley since Christmas from drinking wood alcohol contained in a mixture sold as whisky.

Four more deaths had resulted since early Sunday from alcoholic poisoning, three in Holyoke and one in Chicopee, bringing the total for the Connecticut valley, not including Hartford, to 52, divided as follows:

CHICOPEE, 36, including two women.
HOLYOKE, 9.
SPRINGFIELD, 4, including one woman.
GREENFIELD, 1.
THOMPSONVILLE, Conn., 2.
HADLEY, Conn., 3.

Released on \$500 Bonds.

Those under arrest on the federal warrants are John Naszawski of Chicopee and Harry Shapiro of Springfield, truck drivers, who are charged with bringing the liquor into the valley; Adam Ostrowski and John W. Starzyk, both of Holyoke, charged with violation of the wartime prohibition act. They will be arraigned before a United States commissioner Monday morning. All were released under \$500 bonds.

Marshal Alfred Caron of the Chicopee police left today for New Haven, Conn., with warrants charging murder against four men who have been arrested there. The warrants were sworn out by the police say, on information given by William Baker of Chicopee, who is held on a manslaughter charge, and Shapiro.

Although several new cases of the poisoning were reported Sunday the number decreased considerably over Friday and Saturday. The number, however, increased in Holyoke.

Two More Cases Reported.

Hartford, Conn., Dec. 28.—Deaths from wood alcohol poisoning today remained at 13, the total recorded Saturday. Two more cases of persons suffering from the effects of poisonous liquor, were listed at hospitals. Four of eight persons ill here, were reported tonight in a critical condition.

Chief of Police Farrell tonight announced that all saloons would be closed tomorrow. Seven men are being held, four of them charged with murder.

A woman died in Meriden, Conn., today from the effects of poisonous liquor.

District Attorney Schoonmaker of Ware tonight announced the death of three Hadley residents, two of whom in an ante-mortem statement are said to have declared he had bought the liquor in the Hadley hotel. Edward Lyons, proprietor of the hotel, Mr. Schoonmaker said, admitted buying five gallons of the liquor from Alex Perry of Chicopee, proprietor of the American house, who is under arrest on a charge of manslaughter.

One death occurred in Holyoke tonight.

Six Men Are Held.

New Haven, Conn., Dec. 28.—Six men were arrested in connection with the sale of wood alcohol "whisky," which they are alleged to have shipped from this city to