

MARBLER GAME FOR OLDSTERS IS PLANNED--NO FUDGIN'

TWO BROTHERS QUZZED IN AUTO SLAYING

Hundred-Dollar Bills, Same Denomination as Those Taken From Hold-Up Victim, Clew

George McLaughlin to San Mateo county.

C. W. White, a San Francisco automobile dealer, had reported that his machine had been side-swiped Tuesday night near Tamforan by a Dodge car driven at a terrific rate of speed from San Francisco.

The time element and the general description of this Dodge were considered of sufficient importance to run down the clew, on the theory that the murderers may have fled San Francisco and sought refuge down the peninsula.

The men driving the Dodge were located and were able to give a satisfactory explanation.

Giving expression to the indignation which the brutality of the crime has stirred in San Francisco, the California State Automobile Association, in co-operation with the San Francisco Motor Car Dealers' Association, yesterday offered a \$5,000 reward for the capture and conviction of the slayer.

Several owners of automobiles whose license numbers begin with 83 were located and questioned, but were eliminated by the police.

In announcing the opening of a drive for a \$5,000 reward to be paid for the conviction of the slayer, President George S. Forrester of the California State Automobile Association declared:

This is the last straw in a series of holdups throughout Northern California, and it is our intention to see that these men are dealt with to the fullest extent of the law.

It is also the intention of the board of directors to raise by subscription a permanent fund of several thousand dollars to be used as rewards for information leading to the arrest and conviction of criminals preying upon the motoring public.

More than \$1,500 was subscribed yesterday toward the \$5,000 reward of the Automobile Association. The State and local associations each gave \$500, and \$100 apiece were subscribed by Charles J. Wood, Milton Esberg, W. T. Sesmon, H. T. Harper and the First National Bank of San Francisco.

The 22 branch offices of the State Automobile Association were instructed to take part in the State wide search for the bandits.

All checks toward the \$5,000 fund are being mailed to the State Association's headquarters at 1623 Van Ness avenue. The reward will be in effect for one year. Unless the bandits are captured and convicted in this time the money is to be returned to the donors.

Clerk Confesses To P. O. Thefts

LOS ANGELES, June 1.—George W. Smith, registry clerk at the Colton postoffice, in the county jail here, pending action by the Federal grand jury on the charge that he took a package containing \$20,000 consigned by the Federal Reserve Bank here to the First National Bank of Colton, today confessed a number of additional thefts from the mails, according to federal agents.

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anybody that stops muttering the nonsense.

Mr. Bryan would find no "materialistic doctrines there," no science, no hideous evolution, above all, the Mohammedan teacher and his pupils know nothing, and don't want to know anything, except nonsense written by Mohammed.

A great welcome awaits Mr. Bryan in any of those Mohammedan schools, and he will find Savonarola, of Italy, and Calvin, of Switzerland, delighted to meet him when he enters above to spend blissful eternity looking down upon the faculties of Harvard, and of other universities, burning up.

Hardened Criminals Not Middle-Aged Men Variety of Today Young—and Ruthless

On probation—the helpless, lonely little children whose mother was shot by an automobile bandit the other day.

On parole—poor soul; I wonder if she is far enough away from this world and the agonies of it to smile at the satire of that phrase as we see it used so often today.

These particular bandits who killed this particular little woman are not caught yet, they say.

It's no easy matter to chase a swift automobile running under cover of the night; but those who know the city streets, when these criminals are caught they are more than apt to turn out to be either "on probation" or out "on parole."

Go down to the city prison and ask the sergeant in charge of the books there to let you see the records.

Go to the police court, go to the other courts, anywhere where men are tried for burglary and for assault with a deadly weapon and for attempt to commit murder—yes, even for murder itself.

Look up the records of the men so charged and see how many of them are under 25 and how many are on probation or out on parole. It will astonish you.

By ANNIE LAURIE

They are all so young, these bandits, nothing but boys, and yet we used to think that youth was kind and soft-hearted.

"Hardened criminals"—that's what we used to call the middle-aged and elderly convicts when we were pleading to legislators for some arrangement whereby the youth of the country could be kept away from the sinister influence of the old offenders.

"Don't send the wayward boy to the penitentiary where he will be turned into a hardened criminal," we said.

"Give the poor fellow a chance and he'll make good."

And we've given him a chance—over and over again.

The records of our courts and of our prisons will show that without any question of a doubt, but somehow he doesn't seem to take the chance we've tried so hard to give him.

"Hardened criminals"—why the men in San Quentin who were sent there twenty years ago for burglary and highway robbery are soft-hearted Sunday School boys compared to these young ruffians who think no more of murdering a helpless woman or shooting down an unarmed man than they would think of throwing a stone at a telegraph wire.

The indeterminate sentence—what great things it was going to do for the young criminal.

Somehow it seems to have done just exactly what he wanted it to do—given him a chance to get out and do some more robbing and murdering just as soon as he

had time to look up a convenient victim.

How about stopping the parole and the probation and the indeterminate sentence for four or five years, just to see what would happen.

Where is the man who murdered that poor little woman right before the face and eyes of her terrified little children, here in San Francisco the other day?

Is he hiding somewhere in the charparral along the mountain sides where he can watch, at his leisure, those who go to and fro in search of him?

Is he here in the city under the very eyes of the law itself? Does he read the papers and laugh to think how stupid justice is with her blinded eyes, that she cannot find him?

What does he think when he sees the picture of those two motherless children and reads how one of them has sobbed her poor little self to sleep, calling for her mother every night since that murderous bullet made those children orphans.

Probation, parole, the indeterminate sentence—what a trinity of beneficent generosity these things seemed when first we heard of them in the new method of fighting with crime.

Have they turned out to be quite such blessings as we hoped—after all?

I wish some of the great reformers who introduced these methods would look over some of the books of records—look them over carefully—and then tell us what they think about it.

CHOOSE YOUR 'TAW,' FOLKS FOR TOURNEY

"Examiner" to Stage Contest at Park; Come On, Everbody—Knuckle Down; Fun's Yours

Knuckle down! No fudgin! Picks on the marbles! My first lag!

Do you remember all these old sayings when you was a boy? Do you remember also how you used to go home with the toes of your shoes all worn and the knees of your stockings worn through and your knuckles grimy with dirt from playing marbles on the corner lot? Of course you do.

And you are going to have a chance to do it again if you are more than 25 years old and still have the pep of your youth.

"The Examiner" is to stage a big marble tournament in Golden Gate Park on Sunday, June 18, in a big game of Boston big ring marbles.

Lots of fun for everybody. Captains of industry, lawyers, politicians, doctors and business men are to be boys once again and suitable prizes will be given to the winner of the tournament.

Although marbles is primarily a boys game the girls' play also, and so women will be allowed to enter the tournament.

The purpose of the big "Examiner" marble tournament is to show the present generation that the youths of a generation ago were "some marble sharks."

It has been maintained that the youth of today does not understand the fine points of the ancient game of marbles.

It is further alleged that the youth of a generation ago possessed a stronger knuckle than the young folks of today.

Let's prove it. Therefore all you champions of former days come forth and show the rising generation how it should be done. Borrow your son's marbles and get out in the back yard and practice up. It will sure be a whirlwind tournament.

Be a child again just for a day. All men and women over 25 are eligible.

The style of the game will be the old Boston big ring, eight feet in diameter.

The only rules to be observed are to knuckle down outside the ring and do not fudge. Any defacing of the ring lines will be considered as fouling.

It is planned to have the opening rounds in sets of five entries, each participant to use ten marbles. Winner of each opening round to go into the next round and so on.

The final round will be for accumulated stakes.

Send in your entry early. Sign the accompanying blank and mail it to Marble Editor of "The Examiner." Do it now.

Small Banking Deals Described

WAUKESHA (Ill.), June 1.—(By the Associated Press.)—State Treasurer Edward E. Miller testified today that when he took over his office in January, 1921, he was informed by his predecessor's statement of accounts that \$10,000,000 in securities, representing State funds, were in the custody of Len Small.

Small took the office of Governor on the same day but for some time previously had not been State treasurer.

Miller was called to the stand by the prosecution, in the trial of Governor Small on a charge of conspiracy to embezzle public funds while he was State treasurer, 1918-19.

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Two Bank Bandits Surrounded, Killed

FLINT (Mich.), June 1.—Two bandits who participated in the robbery of the Metamora State Bank at Metamora near here this morning, were shot to death this afternoon by possemen using machine guns, according to a telephone message received here. A member of the posse was wounded.

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GERMAN SHIP LINE RESTORED

WASHINGTON, June 1.—Some months ago announcement was made of the proposed re-establishment of Australian service by the German-Australian Line.

The latest reports received by the Department of Commerce from the American Consulate in Sydney indicate that the first steamer will leave Hamburg about the middle of June and will arrive at Australia about August 2, the date on which Australia's trading with the enemy act expires.

The restoration of the German-Australian Line will mean a keen struggle and perhaps a rate war between this line and a number of British lines operating to Australia.

This competition is expected to be especially strong in the wool trade, as the British lines have endeavored to secure all the traffic carried by the German transport lines.

It is reported also that foreign organizations which have recently grown up will add to the competition.

Whether the representatives of the German line will be admitted to the Overseas Steamship Owners' Representatives' Association in Australia is uncertain.

The fleet of the German-Australian Line is said to be one of the most modern in existence, although smaller than before the war. All except two ships have been constructed since 1920.

At present this fleet is employed between Germany and the Dutch East Indies, and to the west coast of South America.

U. S. Will Receive French Debt Board

WASHINGTON, June 1.—The French government has been informed that the American government will receive a special mission of French financial experts to discuss that nation's war debt, it was stated today after the second meeting of the allied debt funding commission. No definite date for the discussions has been set.

It was definitely stated that so far there has been no direct reply from Great Britain, the largest debtor, to the commission's announcement of its readiness to discuss funding arrangements.

American Protests Turkish Cruelties

PARIS, June 1.—(By the Associated Press.)—Dr. Mark L. Ward, who with three other American relief workers was deported by the Turkish Nationalists recently from Anatolia, arrived here today from Constantinople on his way to Washington to present to the State Department his charges of Turkish outrages against Christian minorities in Asia Minor.

Japan Urged to Finance Huge Merchant Fleet

TOKIO, May 3.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)—A new, fast Japanese merchant fleet aggregating 500,000 tonnage and financed by Government loans to the shipping companies at a low rate of interest, or without interest at all, is the program recommended to the Government by its investigation committee as a means of meeting American competition on the Pacific and rehabilitating Nippon's ocean services.

The committee, after canvassing a situation which revealed great depression in shipping circles, recommended a Government loan to the companies of yen \$50,000,000 to build superior vessels at the rate of a total tonnage of from 50,000 to 150,000 annually until an aggregate of 500,000 tons is reached.

NEW MAR OPENS ON CHILD LABOR

WASHINGTON, June 1.—A permanent organization to work for absolute abolition of child labor in the United States was formed here today by representatives of a number of national associations called into conference on the subject by Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor.

The meeting followed the recent decision of the United States Supreme Court holding that special excise taxes on the product of minor labor were invalid.

Spokesmen for the new organization, after a conference at the American Federation of Labor headquarters, appeared before the House Judiciary committee to urge legislation prohibiting or regulating employment of children in mines, factories and similar arduous occupations.

Representative Chandler, Republican, New York, said it was the opinion of himself and other members of the committee that the Supreme Court's ruling had made it impossible to accomplish anything by legislative regulation unless and until a constitutional amendment had been adopted.

The organization formed today to institute a campaign for such an amendment will be known as "The Permanent Conference for the Abolition of Child Labor." Gompers accepted the post of permanent chairman.

A committee of ten was appointed to draft a constitutional amendment and "the best form of law" to meet the situation. This committee will report to the conference at a later meeting, when action on its recommendations will be taken.

Parents of Schwab Visit Steel Mills

PITTSBURGH (Pa.), June 1.—Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Schwab came to the steel city yesterday. The aged couple, parents of Chas. M. Schwab, steel magnate, have been married 62 years.

"Pittsburg looks right smart like it used to," observed Schwab, "but seems to be growing taller in spots."

"Yes, Charles has been quite a success, as most people gauge success, but that doesn't make him let up on work a bit. He's hard at it every day in his home, near ours up Loretta way."

KLAN ATTACKS MASONIC CHIEF

A letter signed "K. K. K." denouncing him for taking up the fight against the Klu Klux Klan and calling him un-American, was received here yesterday by Samuel E. Burke, Grand Master of the Masons, according to a dispatch from Los Angeles.

Burke said he paid no attention to the letter and did not turn it over to the police, as he doubted its authenticity as coming officially from the Klu Klux Klan.

Burke, as Grand Master of the Masons of California, recently expressed denunciation of the Klan in an official communication to the Masonic fraternity within this jurisdiction.

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I wish to enter "The Examiner's" Marble Tournament.

Name _____

Address _____

BALLOON RACE NEARING FINALS

FULTON (Mo.), June 1.—The balloon piloted by J. S. McKibben, of St. Louis, an independent entry, landed 10 miles northeast of here shortly after 3 o'clock this afternoon. Assistant Pilot Miller and his chief are en route here, it is reported. This town is about 110 miles north and west of St. Louis.

CLEVELAND (Ohio), June 1.

A large balloon passed over Willoughby, Ohio, about 20 miles east of here at 8:30 o'clock tonight. It was headed from the east and was floating toward the west.

MILWAUKEE (Wis.), June 1.

(By the Associated Press.)—Nine of the thirteen balloons which left Milwaukee yesterday afternoon in the national balloon race are still in the air, according to reports reaching here today. Seven of the bags have been seen passing over towns in Michigan, Ohio, Illinois and Missouri, flying in a southerly direction, which may land them in Texas or nearby, say Aero Club officials.

Balloon No. 11, piloted by Lieutenant Bernard Von Hoffmann of the Aero Club of St. Louis, landed six miles north of Fort Wayne, Ind., shortly before noon today, according to reports reaching here today.

The balloon piloted by Captain John Berry of St. Louis came down at Monticello, Ill., this morning, tearing into telegraph wires, according to dispatches reaching here this afternoon.

Five balloons passed over southern Michigan this morning, according to advices received here. Four of the gas bags were observed about 7 o'clock passing east toward northern Lake Erie. The fifth balloon passed over Jackson, Michigan, shortly after daybreak. It was traveling in a southerly direction.

PANA (Ill.), June 1.

A United States Army balloon passed over west of here about 1 o'clock this afternoon. No numbers were visible. Reports from Taylorville and Litchfield said balloons passed over there this morning. It continued south-west.

Judgment Against Oil Man Set Aside

NEW YORK, June 1.—Judgment of \$3,810,469.35 against M. G. Collins, as president of the Dominion Oil Company, was set aside by Supreme Court Justice Cohan today on the grounds that the original summons had not been properly served. The court granted permission for the reopening of the suit, which was brought by William G. Weisbrod, alleging breach of contract by the Dominion Company.

Paraguay in Grip Of Revolution

BUENOS AIRES, June 1.—(By the Associated Press.)—A 24-hour ultimatum demanding the handing over of the government has been delivered to President Ayala of Paraguay by Colonel Chirife, leader of the forces of former President Schaerer, says a dispatch to "La Nacion" from Asuncion today.

Should the ultimatum not be complied with, Colonel Chirife threatens to take the capital and declare himself dictator.

Desultory fighting between the rival factions has occurred at Encarnacion, on the Parana River, 180 miles southeast of Asuncion, the message states.

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U. S. ATTORNEY IS ELAYED AS PROTECTIONIST

Charge Hurlled That Federal Legal Chief Swayed Vote to "Smother Up" Graft Prob

WASHINGTON, June 1.—The war frauds fight raging for days in the Senate, broke with unexpected fury in the House today, ten minutes after the Rules Committee has rescinded its action in giving right-of-way to a Republican resolution for investigation of the lack of government prosecution of alleged war-grafters.

Charges by Chairman Campbell of the committee, "in a word to Democrats," that their attack on Attorney General Daugherty was the only way in which they could "serve war-crooks," threw the House into disorder.

There were cheers from the Republican side as the charge was flung in shouting voice at the Democrats, all of them silent save one who hissed.

It brought from Representative Garrett, the Democratic leader, an assertion that Chairman Campbell who in the first instance had voted to put the investigation resolution before the House, had been induced by the Attorney General "to change his vote and vote not to investigate the Department of Justice."

"Curiously enough, the row started during consideration of a measure which sought to find work for idlers, and as a veteran member expressed it, "they were off at that."

Amid Democratic cheers, Garret declared that Chairman Campbell "as an excuse for his own turn-coating, for his own weakness of will, of preventing prompt action of Democratic administration."

After Garrett had presented a letter from former Attorney General Palmer, courting an investigation of Congress, Representative Mondell declared the investigation was what the committee had scolded its action.

"A congressional investigation of this time," Mondell said, "could serve no other purpose than that of laying off preventing prompt action by the grand jury and courts. I am surprised that gentlemen who names may figure in investigations before grand juries prefer congressional investigation to act by the grand jury and the courts that is their only hope."

2 Cases Dropped in L. A. Milk Trust Quiz

LOS ANGELES, June 1.—Indictments against one of the 14 corporations and one of the 18 individuals on trial in the superior court here for violating the Cartwright anti-trust law were dismissed today at the request of the district attorney. The defendants dismissed from the case were the Adohr Certified Creamery Company and M. H. Adams. The defendants are alleged to have conspired to limit milk production in order to maintain retail prices.

Hints to Investors

Excerpt from Code of Ethics of the National Association of Real Estate Boards:

Section 2, paragraph 3—Acceptance of agency a guarantee of good service. When broker accepts from an owner the exclusive listing of a property the latter has the right to understand that such acceptance is equivalent to a guarantee that the broker has good facilities for accomplishing desired result and will put forth consistent effort toward that end.

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