



## BOSTON BRAVES BUY LESTER BELL

### Cardinal Star Goes To Boston Club For Andy High And \$20,000

St. Petersburg, Fla., Mar. 21.—(U.P.)—The Boston Braves today appeared more formidable than ever as a result of the acquisition of Lester Bell, who starred at third base for the St. Louis Cardinals when they won the world's championship in 1926.

To get Bell, the Braves gave Andy High and \$20,000 in cash. The Cardinals wanted Eddie Moore, Braves all-around player who is holding down a regular outfield berth, but Manager Slattery refused to part with him.

Rogers Hornsby, manager of the 1926 Cardinals, was largely responsible for the deal which brought Bell to the Braves. Hornsby and Bell are friends, and it was under the Rajah that Bell played his best baseball.

**Helm To Play Third**  
Avon Park, Fla., Mar. 21.—(U.P.)—"Wattie" Helm, who has done everything with the Cardinals but pitch, will be used at third base, Manager Bill McKechnie announced today.

Andy High, who was obtained from the Braves in the trade for Lester Bell, will be retained as a utility man, McKechnie said.

### Johnny Farrell Wins Golf Tourney In Florida

Miami Beach, Fla., Mar. 21.—(U.P.)—Johnny Farrell, Mamaronock, N. Y., professional, won the La Gorce \$15,000 open golf tournament because he hared where Bobby Cruickshank hesitated.

Farrell had a scorching 30-33-63, eight under par, on the last 18 holes of the 72 hole tournament for a total of 274, two strokes ahead of Cruickshank who lost because he played canny, conservative golf.

The Scott, elected to stick to par coming in, believing he had won. Gene Sarazen, who led through the first 54, broke going out, taking a 39. Cruickshank was in 36 for a 65 and 276 total.

Farrell's game in the final round was featured by six birdies and an eagle. He used woodens, where an older player would have used irons and was up to the pin on every approach.

Sarzen, out of the running with his 39, came in with a 35 but was forced to take fifth place. Joe Kirkwood finished ahead of him in third with a 279 and Harry Hampton was fourth with 282.

Farrell won \$5,000 as first prize in the tourney—\$2,500 went to Cruickshank, \$1,000 to Kirkwood and the remaining 16 high finishers received apportioned shares of the \$15,000 total.

### National Catholic Net Tourney Opens Tonight

Chicago, Mar. 21.—(U.P.)—The fifth annual national Catholic high school basketball tournament will open at Loyola university here tonight with three first round games.

Tonight's games: Elder high of Cincinnati vs. St. Benedict's of Atchison, Kan.; De La Salle of Joliet, Ill., 1927 champions, vs. Calvert Hall of Baltimore, Md., and Cathedral high of Indianapolis vs. Cathedral high of St. Cloud, Minn.

### Ducks Survive In Pennsylvania Cold

Franklin, Pa., — (U.P.)—Franklin's "wild duck" colony, now numbering close to 50 is still intact, hovering close to the island of French Creek near here.

The ducks, a curiosity in Northwestern Pennsylvania, and only "tame" wild ducks in this section it was believed have survived several ice storms and flocks.

They are fed daily from dinner pails by men going to work. A fund has been subscribed to feed them until spring.

### Academy Tourney Opens

Madison, Wis., Mar. 21.—(U.P.)—The third annual national academy basketball tournament started at the University of Wisconsin today.

Among the eight first round games was Wheaton vs. Culver.

Chicago—Entry list in the University of Chicago National Inter-scholastic Basketball tournament were increased to 28 with entries of Winfield, Kas.; Iron Mountain, Mich.; Bristol, Conn.; Stivers High of Dayton, O.; Oregon, Mo.; Yankton, S. D.; Ashland, Ky.; Carr Creek, Ky., and Wheeling, W. Va.

### Detroit Runner Takes Lead In "Bunion Derby"

Holbrook, Ariz., Mar. 21.—(U.P.)—With Arne Souminen, Detroit runner holding the time advantage, athletes in the C. C. Pyle cross-continent "Bunion derby" today started out on a jaunt of 33 miles to Navajo, the next control station.

Andrew Payne, Claremore, Okla., youth who held the top position after Arthur Newton, flying Englishman was forced to drop out, finished well back in the field yesterday.

Earle Lindilks, Newcastle, Penn., athlete, showed a burst of speed yesterday and trotted into Holbrook from Winslow to take first place.

### NEWS FROM THE TRAINING CAMPS

#### Exhibition Games Today

By The United Press

Boston (A.L.) vs. New York (N.L.) at Bradenton.

Washington (A.L.) vs. Brooklyn (N.L.) at Tampa.

Cleveland (A.L.) vs. Columbus (A.A.) at Gulfport, Miss.

Philadelphia (A.L.) vs. Baltimore (I.L.) at Auburndale.

Chicago (A.L.) vs. Wichita Falls (T.L.) at Wichita Falls.

New York (A.L.) vs. Boston (N.L.) at St. Petersburg.

Philadelphia (N.L.) vs. Reading (I.L.) at Winter Haven.

Pittsburgh (N.L.) vs. San Francisco (P.C.L.) at San Francisco.

**Tuesday's Results**

At Tampa: Senators 6, Robins 2.

At Fort Myers: Athletics 6, Giants 5.

At St. Petersburg: Braves 4, Yankees 2.

At Avon Park: Red Sox 11, Cardinals 8.

At Wichita Falls: White Sox 7, Wichita Falls 0.

At San Francisco: San Francisco 13, Pirates 5.

At Auburndale: Phillies 7, Baltimore 4.

**ORLANDO, Fla.**—Manager Jack Hendricks of the Cincinnati Reds today took measures to prevent his players from going stale. There will be only one workout each day the balance of the week.

**NEW ORLEANS, La.**—Despite a denial by Billy Evans, general manager of the Cleveland Indians, rumors persisted here today that the Indians were after Bill Hunnefeld, Chicago White Sox infielder. Evans said no offer had been made since last winter.

**ST. PETERSBURG, Fla.**—Rogers Hornsby was worried today over his failure to start hitting. He went hitless yesterday in a game with the Yankees and has made only three hits in nine games.

**WEST PALM BEACH, Fla.**—Physicians today assured Outfielder Heinie Manush of the St. Louis Browns that his arm was well on the road to recovery and that his playing would not be hindered as a result of the injury.

**SAN ANTONIO, Tex.**—Manager George Moriarity has practically settled on the line-up of the Detroit Tigers with the exception of the pitchers and catchers. The infield will line-up with Neen at first, Gehring at second, Tavenar at short and McManus at third. The outfield will be composed of Heilmann, Rice and Easterling or Pothersill.

**Avalon, Catalina Island**—Finding a second baseman to replace "Sparky" Adams, traded to the Pirates for "Kiki" Cuyler, today appeared to be Manager Joe McCarthy's biggest problem with the Chicago Cubs. Fred Mazurke, from Toledo, is the leading candidate for the second base job, but he hasn't quite come up to expectations.

**Wichita Falls, Tex.**—Bill Goodell, who was a semi-pro pitcher at Tulsa, Okla. last year, today was seriously considered for a place on the Chicago White Sox staff. He held the Wichita Falls club to two hits yesterday.

### Young Couple Held For Stealing Chickens

Indianapolis, Ind., Mar. 21.—(INS)—Charged with the thefts of about 1,500 chickens from Hendricks county farmers, John Carrigan, 24, and his 16-year-old wife, Minnie, were being held in the county jail here today following a running gun battle with deputy sheriffs.

The couple was booked on charges of grand larceny, vehicle taking, unlawful possession of an automobile and shooting with intent to kill, according to Sheriff Omer Hawkins.

The capture of the young couple was accomplished by four of Sheriff Hawkins' deputies near Clermont, Ind., last night. The pair was cornered on the Ed Cloud farm near Clermont and attempted to shoot a way to freedom. After an exchange of shots, however, Carrigan and his wife surrendered.

## TO HOLD ANOTHER DRY AGENT TEST

### Examination For Applicants For Job In 12th District To Be Held Soon

Washington, Mar. 21.—(U.P.)—Examination for prohibition administrator in the 12th district, which includes Ohio and Indiana, was announced today by the civil service commission. A shortage of eligibles has made necessary the giving of a new examination, the commission said.

Formal applications must reach the commission by April 17. The entrance salary is from \$5,200 to \$6,000 a year.

### Commencement Speaker At I. U. Is Selected

Bloomington, Ind., Mar. 21.—(INS)—President Walter Albert Jessup, of the University of Iowa, will be the principal speaker at the 99th annual commencement exercises of Indiana University next June, Dean Paul V. McNutt, chairman of the commencement committee announced here today.

Commencement exercises this year will probably be held on the evening of Monday, June 11th in the Memorial stadium. The Monday date has been selected to enable more alumni to attend. Therefore the exercises have been held in the middle of the week and many who would like to attend have been unable to do so because of business conflicts.

President Jessup is a native Hoosier and was dean of the Indiana University school of education in 1911. He is well known in educational circles and holds a Ph.D. from Columbia university as well as the L.L.D. degree from the University of Wisconsin. He also received an A. M. from Hanover college, after getting his A.B. at Earlham college.

Jessup was appointed dean of the college of education at the University of Iowa in 1912, and was elected president of the Iowa school in 1916.

**Leak Visible In Dam 12 Days Before Break**

Los Angeles, March 21.—(INS)—William Mulholland, chief engineer of the Los Angeles bureau of light and power, admitted at a coroner's inquest this afternoon that a new and fast increasing leak was visible in the St. Francis dam 12 hours before the giant structure tore loose from the canyon side and hurled a death carrying flood of water upon hundreds of sleeping residents of the fertile valleys below.

### General Sandino Again Evades U. S. Marines

Managua, Nicaragua, March 21.—(U.P.)—The wily General Augustino Sandino, leader of the Nicaraguan rebels, again today was believed to have evaded United States marine patrol.

Marine planes Monday bombed a rebel base near Murra, an up-country stronghold, inflicting many casualties. The base was wide open. Ground forces were called.

But when the "Devil-Dogs" arrived, bent on rounding up the stragglers, it was found that the base had been deserted.

### Congressional Medal Of Honor Bestowed On Lindy

Washington, March 21.—(INS)—The highest honor that is within the gift of his government, the congressional medal of honor, was bestowed upon Col. Charles A. Lindbergh today, in recognition of his unparalleled feats of aerial navigation during the last ten months.

Rarely has this honor been conferred for other than extraordinary feats of heroism in actual warfare.

### Prince Of Wales Takes Another Spill

London, March 21.—(INS)—The Prince of Wales had another sensational escape from injury today in a turf accident. He was riding a powerful jumper in the point to point brigade guards race at Bedfordshire when his mount stumbled, throwing the prince over his head. The rider turned a complete somersault in the air. When he struck the ground he had difficulty in scrambling out of the way of the following horses.

South Bend, Ind.—When Joseph Jachym, former captain, and Francis Crowe, both forwards, received the same number of votes for the 1928-29 basketball captaincy, it was decided Notre Dame would be represented by two captains next season.

## TWO ORDINANCES TO BE REDRAFTED BY CITY COUNCIL

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the improvement of North Second street, by the Indiana Service Corporation, which will include the taking up of the old rails and ties and putting back the street in its old form. The Service corporation will pay the entire cost of doing the work.

The dummies in the center of the streets will be removed, the council seconding the motion of Councilman A. R. Ashbacher to remove the "road stools" from the center of all streets.

The water works committee was also instructed to erect a sign forbidding boys and girls to roller skate on top of the reservoir at the city water works plant. The committee was also instructed to put up a fence around the new spray pond at the water works.

**Kirkland Farmers Want Power**  
Several farmers from Kirkland township, with Milton Girod acting as chairman, conferred with the electric light committee and with M. J. Mylott, superintendent of the city plant, relative to the city furnishing power to their rural line.

The finance committee allowed bills and the meeting adjourned.

## EDITOR DEMANDS INVESTIGATION OF INDIANA POLITICS

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listen to an amplification of his charges which he said he would make at 10 o'clock, eastern time tonight over radio station WLW at Cincinnati, O.

The letter of Adams, he said was occasioned by a speech delivered by Senator Capper Monday in congress in which he declared there should be a nation-wide clean-up of political affairs.

## Jury To Determine Guilt Of Indianapolis Councilman

Indianapolis, Ind., Mar. 21.—(INS)—The jury must decide the guilt or innocence of City Councilman Boynton J. Moore on trial in Marion criminal court on charges of bribery.

This was the ruling of special Judge Paul G. Davis in refusing to instruct the jury on a motion of the defense, to return a verdict of not guilty.

## Automatic Telephones Installed At Lafayette

Lafayette, Ind., Mar. 21.—(INS)—Lafayette will bid goodbye to its "Hello" girls Saturday midnight, June 30, 1928, according to an announcement of the Lafayette Telephone company. On that date new automatic telephones will be put into service.

here for the first time, replacing the old manual service that has been in operation for years.

Twenty-two installation experts from Chicago have been at work for months installing the automatic system, an elaborate arrangement of electrical devices, and the gigantic task is now nearly completed.

The same system is being installed as is now in use in Indianapolis, Terre Haute, South Bend and Fort Wayne. The change is expected to cost in excess of \$500,000 but officials say the benefits that will accrue from the improved service will offset the cost.

## Wife Says Husband Was Too Anxious To Find Job For Her

Fort Wayne, Ind., March 21.—(U.P.)—"Help Wanted-Female" was a topic in which Charles H. Hinderer was much interested, according to a divorce suit filed by Mrs. Lillie D. Hinderer. She says he watched newspaper advertisements in search for a job for her.

## Henry Gerber, Ex-Adams County Man, Dies At Gary

Henry Gerber, of Gary, son of John Gerber of Berne, and former Adams county resident, died at Gary today according to word received in this city this afternoon. Details of the death were not known.

Mr. Gerber was united in marriage at Berne several years ago to Sarah Simon, who, with two sons, Gary and Walter, survives. Funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon at Gary.

## Chisholm To Face Trial In Court At Valparaiso

Crown Point, Ind., Mar. 21.—(INS)—George Allen Chisholm, Canadian World War veteran, who drowned his two sons in the Indiana Harbor canal, will go on trial for his life in the Porter circuit court at Valparaiso, Indiana, as the result of a change of venue granted him by Judge Martin Smith of the Lake criminal court here.

Chisholm is under indictment on charges of first degree murder. He will plead insanity according to his counsel.

## Becomes Judge

Adam Beeler, former Bluffton resident, has been appointed judge of the King county, Washington, superior court, according to word received in Bluffton by Judge Frank W. Gordon. Judge Beeler succeeds Judge Walter Beals, who resigned following his appointment to the bench in the Washington supreme court. Mr. Beeler has been practicing law in Seattle, Washington, for 20 years.

## INDIANA NINTH IN USE OF GASOLINE

By Chester A. Baker  
(U. P. Staff Correspondent)

Indianapolis, March 21.—(U.P.)—Indiana ranked ninth among States of the country in total consumption of gasoline by motor vehicles, last year, according to figures announced today by the American Road Builders' Association.

The automobiles, motorcycles and trucks, burned up 11,563,490,000 gallons of gas in 1927. An increase of 12.4 percent, according to the report.

Any person who used less than 550 gallons of the fluid in their automobile last year, used less than their share. That was the average consumption per motor vehicle, the report said.

On a basis of 13.5 miles to the gallon, it was estimated that the gas-burning vehicles traveled more than 150,000,000,000 miles.

California led all states in gasoline consumption, accounting for 1,017,681,000 gallons.

New York was second with 892,800,000 gallons; Ohio, third, 770,801,000 gallons; Illinois, fourth, 750,960,000 gallons; Pennsylvania, fifth, 684,097,000; Michigan sixth, 593,372,000; Texas, seventh, 591,447,000; New Jersey, eighth, 408,300,000 and Indiana, ninth, 347,757,000.

At the close of 1927 a state gasoline tax was collected in all but two states New York and Massachusetts, the report pointed out.

## Legless Man Plans Trans-Atlantic Hop

Wheeling, W. Va., March 21.—(U.P.)—M. R. "Dinger" Daugherty, known as the "Flying Assessor," because he is an aviator as well as assessor of Wetzel county, is planning a flight this summer from Washington to Rome, Italy.

Daugherty lost both legs and one arm in a railroad mishap, but he can operate his single motor Fokker plane with ease.

He expects to make his trans-Atlantic flight in July or August. He will take with him Captain Jack R. Adams, army reserve flier.

## Investigation Of Interior Of S-4 Completed Today

Boston, March 21.—(U.P.)—The Naval board of investigation today completed examination of the interior of the hull of the submarine S-4 where a majority of the crew of 40 men were believed to have lived for hours after the fatal crash off Provincetown.

The tiller room was the last compartment examined by the board and this afternoon, the members will direct their attentions to the exterior.

## Brother And Sister Succumb To Heart Disease In Same Hour

Vincennes, Ind., March 21.—(U.P.)—Heart disease struck down a brother and a sister here today almost in the same hour.

Miss Emma Vonhehn, 41, suffered a stroke and was dying when a physician arrived.

Relatives, including the brother, Henry Vonhehn, 52, had gathered about the woman's bedside awaiting the final breath.

Suddenly Henry slumped at his side. "I am going too," he cried out. A minute later he was dead.

When the horrible relatives turned to the sister on the bed they found she too had passed away.

Both sister and brother were in apparent good health this morning when they arose.

Heart disease caused both deaths, physicians said.

## Mother Seeks Elopers; Willing To Forgive Them

Valparaiso, Ind., March 21.—(U.P.)—Miss Lydia Roach, 14, and George Russell, 19, of Chicago, are sought by the girl's mother, Mrs. Florence Roach, following their marriage here.

The couple first went to Crown Point, Hoosier Gretne Green, but was refused a license.

They stopped here next, obtained a license by falsifying their ages and were married by a justice of the peace.

Mrs. Roach told authorities here she was willing to bestow her blessing upon the couple.

## Policeman Kills Negro

Indianapolis, Ind., Mar. 21.—(U.P.)—Coroner C. H. Keever today was investigating a gun fight between patrol sergeant Patrick Daily and Charles Walker, 29, a negro, which resulted in Walker's death and in the wounding of Willie Raymond, 19, colored delivery wagon driver.

The officer said that Walker dodged behind Raymond's wagon and opened fire when he tried to arrest him. One of Walker's bullets struck Raymond in the arm; Walker then tried to run from the scene but a bullet from Daily's revolver chanced into his head killing him almost instantly.

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