

## FLOOD RELIEF GOES FORWARD IN SAN ANTONIO

50 Bodies Are Recovered and Property Loss Ranges Up to \$8,000,000.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Sept. 12.—The task of searching for the bodies of the dead in the wreckage caused by the flood of early Saturday, was continuing today by the army of civilian and soldier workers. Fifty known dead have been recovered, twenty are reported missing and twenty-five are still missing.

Police Commissioner Phil Wright estimated that the total dead will mount to 100. Property losses, as revised by city officials, total \$8,000,000.

The work of restoring order was greatly speeded by resumption of water service and partial resumption of electric service.

Relief work in the city is well organized. The American Red Cross has established a clothing headquarters to which donations are being brought from all over the country. Red Cross stations are in operation. More than two thousand victims were given aid.

Homeless victims are being cared for by churches, orphanages, schools and the city market house. In addition, many have been taken into private homes.

Troopers of Fort Sam Houston and Camp Travis have been assigned to assist the police in guarding the inundated business district and lines have been thrown about the heavily damaged section. No admittance is granted except under special permit. The immediate action taken by the local authorities has prevented looting.

## AT TAYLOR, TEXAS 20 BODIES FOUND

TAYLOR, Texas, Sept. 12.—Bodies of twenty victims of Friday's and Saturday's storm and resultant floods, have been recovered.

No one was willing to estimate how many more victims there were here. Reports from surrounding territory showed confusion, with damage running high and communication demoralized.

## TABULATE VOTE ON AMENDMENTS

Secretary of State Employees Report No Change.

Employees in the office of the secretary of State were today tabulating the official vote in the special election on proposed constitutional amendments Tuesday. It was stated that the tabulation would be completed some time this afternoon.

The reports from the two counties, Hamilton and Putnam, which were said to be still out Saturday afternoon, were found to have been lost in the mail after it reached the Statehouse. It was explained that the county clerks are not to blame.

The official returns are not expected to show any change in the result of the election in which only the first amendment was adopted.

## Uncle Sam Sues Slacker's Mother for 'Pot of Gold'

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—The Federal Government has started to "dig" for the famous Bergdoll "pot of gold." Court action asking that Mrs. Emma C. Bergdoll, widow of the Cleveland, Ohio, doctor, notorious "Philadelphia" slackers, be compelled to turn over to the Government \$105,000 in gold coin which she withdrew from the Federal Treasury in 1917, was instituted today in Philadelphia by Thomas W. Miller, Allen Property Custodian.

Should the court hold the Allen Property Custodian's demand for the gold, a legal one and Mrs. Bergdoll then refuse to produce it, she could be jailed or fined for contempt of court.

## Says He Did Not Tell How Wealthy He Was

Asking that the court set aside part of a divorce decree, showing an agreed alimony settlement, Mrs. Donald Woods, divorced wife of Homer A. Woods, today filed suit in the Circuit Court. She alleges Woods misrepresented his financial standing to her at the time she agreed to what was then considered a fair alimony settlement. She claims he was a much wealthier man than he represented himself to be. Under a settlement she had, Woods had \$7,200 in cash and other property. Mrs. Woods is now entitled to \$30,000 a year. Woods owns a double house at 514-516 East drive, Woodruff Place, and extensive other holdings, it is alleged in the complaint.

## Cops Guard Crossings Near Schoolhouses

Chief of Police Jerry Kinney today requested mothers and teachers in Indianapolis to instruct their children going to and from school to cross streets at corners where schoolhouses are situated. He said there will be a policeman near each school building when pupils are going to or leaving school.

## Bolling Resigns

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—The Bolling family of the United States boarding board, and a brother-in-law of former President Wilson, has tendered his resignation to become effective on the appointment of his successor, it was announced today.

## HIBERIANS AT CONVENTION

Thirty-three delegates from the International Order of the Hibernians are attending the State convention at Muncie. One of the matters to come before the convention will be the revision of tax rates and the lowering of the age limit for membership. Edward J. Sexton, president of Division No. 3, located at Fountain Square, is a candidate for the office of State treasurer, and will be the guest of honor at a smoke-giving at the hall of the Knights of Columbus on Tuesday evening.

His motion picture training did not leave him when his counsel consented that he pose for one picture with them. The man who has made millions laugh struck a dramatic pose, his right arm raised toward his attorneys, suggestive of the courtroom scene he portrayed in a recent film.

Arbuckle talked freely with inmates of "felons' row," where he occupies a cell alone. Sunday night he occupied the St. Francis hotel. In the beginning he claimed that she was merely suffering from alcoholism. Later symptoms of peritonitis set in. When she became worse I called in Dr. Rixford and Dr. W. P. Read. "The doctor says she is not drunk." Death was the only answer of the babbler. There was a large bruise on his left arm. I cannot say what caused the rupture.

The Arbuckle case drew much attention from the pulpits of churches in San Francisco Bay during last night.

"The Rev. Dr. John S. Chapman, of the First Baptist Church, Oakland, "that good people like you in this congregation make possible the continuation of such a man before the public."

Another statement was added to the long list of affidavits in the case by Miss Jean Jameson, who assisted Miss Rappe in caring for her.

"Miss Rappe suffered intensely," she

## HE GOES BEFORE COURT TO FACE MURDER CHARGE

(Continued From Page One.)

### G. A. R. ROOM COUPON FOR NATIONAL ENCAMPMENT WEEK, SEPT. 23 TO 29.

STREET	OWNER	PHONES	NO. OF ROOMS	WITH BATH	WITHOUT BATH	NEAREST CAR LINE	PRICE	REMARKS

**THE COUPON SHOULD BE PROPERLY FILLED OUT AND MAILED PROMPTLY TO THE HOUSING COMMITTEE OF THE G. A. R., ROOM 9, THE COURTHOUSE, IF YOU CAN FURNISH ONE OR MORE ROOMS FOR THE USE OF OLD SOLDIERS OR THEIR FAMILIES DURING THE WEEK OF THE G. A. R. ENCAMPMENT, SEPT. 23 TO 29. IN REGARD TO BATH THE HOUSING COMMITTEE REQUESTS THAT THE WORDS NOT APPLICABLE BE CROSSED OUT. UNDER REMARKS IT MAY BE DESIGNATED WHETHER THE OWNER HAS AN AUTOMOBILE, AND WHETHER MEALS WILL BE SERVED.**

## "FATTY" RECEIVES NEWSPAPER MEN

"Fatty" eating breakfast, was surprised by newspapermen in his cell early today and granted an interview. His attorneys were not present. Across the breakfast table from him was Albert Martin, his cell mate.

"Nothing I could say now would do any good," said "Fatty."

"My attorneys have asked me to remain silent until the trial, but I will say what I have in my own defense later."

"Everything I have said in the past while I was on my way up here seems to have been distorted and made to appear against me."

"I am not as black as I have been painted and when I go into court the public will have a different opinion of me."

"You can easily see that a man in my position should remain silent at this time because words are liable to be twisted into a meaning other than you intended."

Federal authorities have turned their attention to the case.

"We intend to find out where the liquor served at Arbuckle's party came from," said Prohibition Agent Thomas Brown announced.

Refusing to the support of the State in its effort to convict Arbuckle, friends of Virginia Rappe, with whose murder he stands charged, demanded that "justice be done."

And in behalf of the "life of the party," as Arbuckle was known, not only in real life, but in a recent enacted comedy, a small and unusual talent was grimly battling for his freedom.

Federal authorities have turned their attention to the case.

"We intend to find out where the liquor served at Arbuckle's party came from," said Prohibition Agent Thomas Brown announced.

ONLY ONE FRIEND CALLS AT HOSPITAL

The presence of only one friend cheered the dying hours of Miss Rappe, it was revealed when it became known that Sidi Wirt Spockels, an actress, had been with the dead girl.

Miss Rappe had been with Sidi when she was

attacked on the night of the fatal party.

Miss Rappe was unacquainted with her illness and when she arrived found her in delirium. She learned no details of the case, but endeavored to soothe the fevered condition of her friend.

Feeling that death was hovering near, Miss Spockels called a pastor of a Methodist church, and the two women, physically and spiritually to the dying girl. He came without delay and, dropping on his knees, prayed for her recovery and for spiritual peace. With the words, "They will be done," quiet seemed to come to the stricken girl. Miss Spockels left and later learned of Miss Rappe's death.

The death came stalked stealthily into the doorway of the life of the beautiful film star, who died unaware that she was dangerous to all. According to Mrs. Jean Jameson, who nursed Miss Rappe at the Wadsworth Sanitarium.

"There is no disagreement as to what took place. We have a complete case against Arbuckle, including statements as to what occurred behind the locked doors of his bedroom.

"We will present the strongest evidence to show that gross and criminal brutality by Fatty was responsible for Miss Rappe's death."

Those who attended the fatal party will be called before the grand jury.

"Absolutely all the affidavits of those present do not completely," declared Mathew.

There is no disagreement as to what took place. We have a complete case against Arbuckle, including statements as to what occurred behind the locked doors of his bedroom.

"We will present the strongest evidence to show that gross and criminal brutality by Fatty was responsible for Miss Rappe's death."

Those who attended the fatal party will be called before the grand jury.

"Absolutely all the affidavits of those present do not completely," declared Mathew.

There is no disagreement as to what took place. We have a complete case against Arbuckle, including statements as to what occurred behind the locked doors of his bedroom.

"We will present the strongest evidence to show that gross and criminal brutality by Fatty was responsible for Miss Rappe's death."

Those who attended the fatal party will be called before the grand jury.

"Absolutely all the affidavits of those present do not completely," declared Mathew.

There is no disagreement as to what took place. We have a complete case against Arbuckle, including statements as to what occurred behind the locked doors of his bedroom.

"We will present the strongest evidence to show that gross and criminal brutality by Fatty was responsible for Miss Rappe's death."

Those who attended the fatal party will be called before the grand jury.

"Absolutely all the affidavits of those present do not completely," declared Mathew.

There is no disagreement as to what took place. We have a complete case against Arbuckle, including statements as to what occurred behind the locked doors of his bedroom.

"We will present the strongest evidence to show that gross and criminal brutality by Fatty was responsible for Miss Rappe's death."

Those who attended the fatal party will be called before the grand jury.

"Absolutely all the affidavits of those present do not completely," declared Mathew.

There is no disagreement as to what took place. We have a complete case against Arbuckle, including statements as to what occurred behind the locked doors of his bedroom.

"We will present the strongest evidence to show that gross and criminal brutality by Fatty was responsible for Miss Rappe's death."

Those who attended the fatal party will be called before the grand jury.

"Absolutely all the affidavits of those present do not completely," declared Mathew.

There is no disagreement as to what took place. We have a complete case against Arbuckle, including statements as to what occurred behind the locked doors of his bedroom.

"We will present the strongest evidence to show that gross and criminal brutality by Fatty was responsible for Miss Rappe's death."

Those who attended the fatal party will be called before the grand jury.

"Absolutely all the affidavits of those present do not completely," declared Mathew.

There is no disagreement as to what took place. We have a complete case against Arbuckle, including statements as to what occurred behind the locked doors of his bedroom.

"We will present the strongest evidence to show that gross and criminal brutality by Fatty was responsible for Miss Rappe's death."

Those who attended the fatal party will be called before the grand jury.

"Absolutely all the affidavits of those present do not completely," declared Mathew.

There is no disagreement as to what took place. We have a complete case against Arbuckle, including statements as to what occurred behind the locked doors of his bedroom.

"We will present the strongest evidence to show that gross and criminal brutality by Fatty was responsible for Miss Rappe's death."

Those who attended the fatal party will be called before the grand jury.

"Absolutely all the affidavits of those present do not completely," declared Mathew.

There is no disagreement as to what took place. We have a complete case against Arbuckle, including statements as to what occurred behind the locked doors of his bedroom.

"We will present the strongest evidence to show that gross and criminal brutality by Fatty was responsible for Miss Rappe's death."

Those who attended the fatal party will be called before the grand jury.

"Absolutely all the affidavits of those present do not completely," declared Mathew.

There is no disagreement as to what took place. We have a complete case against Arbuckle, including statements as to what occurred behind the locked doors of his bedroom.

"We will present the strongest evidence to show that gross and criminal brutality by Fatty was responsible for Miss Rappe's death."

Those who attended the fatal party will be called before the grand jury.

"Absolutely all the affidavits of those present do not completely," declared Mathew.

There is no disagreement as to what took place. We have a complete case against Arbuckle, including statements as to what occurred behind the locked doors of his bedroom.

"We will present the strongest evidence to show that gross and criminal brutality by Fatty was responsible for Miss Rappe's death."

Those who attended the fatal party will be called before the grand jury.

"Absolutely all the affidavits of those present do not completely," declared Mathew.

There is no disagreement as to what took place. We have a complete case against Arbuckle, including statements as to what occurred behind the locked doors of his bedroom.

"We will present the strongest evidence to show that gross and criminal brutality by Fatty was responsible for Miss Rappe's death."

Those who attended the fatal party will be called before the grand jury.

"Absolutely all the affidavits of those present do not completely," declared Mathew.

There is no disagreement as to what took place. We have a complete case against Arbuckle, including statements as to what occurred behind the locked doors of his bedroom.

"We will present the strongest evidence to show that gross and criminal brutality by Fatty was responsible for Miss Rappe's death."

Those who attended the fatal party will be called before the grand jury.

"Absolutely all the affidavits of those present do not completely," declared Mathew.

There is no disagreement as to what took place. We have a complete case against Arbuckle, including statements as to what occurred behind the locked doors of his bedroom.

"We will present the strongest evidence to show that gross and criminal brutality by Fatty was responsible for Miss Rappe's death."

Those who attended the fatal party will be called before the grand jury.

"Absolutely all the affidavits of those present do not completely," declared Mathew.

There is no disagreement as to what took place.