

## LEGAL BATTLE TO BE RAISED OVER NORTHCLIFFE WILL

London Newspaper Declares Two Instruments Disposing of Estate Left.

### SCRAMBLE ON FOR TIMES

Friends of Lloyd George Are Attempting to Gain Organ's Control.

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LONDON, Aug. 25.—Sensational developments affecting the disposal of the huge publishing enterprise of the late Viscount Northcliffe, including the future of the powerful London Times, are now promised.

Assertions that the great publisher left two wills, one executed shortly before his death, led to predictions that a bitter legal fight will be made for control of the Northcliffe newspapers and periodicals.

Until now reports regarding the future of the Northcliffe properties have been little more than Fleet St. gossip. But in the two Sunday newspapers—Lord Riddell's News of the World, and J. L. Garvin's Observer—definite assertions are made.

Lord Riddell's journal declares that Lord Northcliffe left two wills, the first dated March 22, 1919, with four codicils added later.

"But it appears that shortly before Lord Northcliffe's death, he executed another will in which Lady Northcliffe was made the sole executrix," the News of the World says.

Executors named in the first will, it is stated, have offered it for probate "on the ground that the testator was of unsound mind at the date when the second will was executed."

This is a question which will be decided in court. A writ of summons has been issued commencing suit to determine which of the two testaments are to be admitted for probate.

Regarding the scramble for control of the London Times, J. L. Garvin, writing in the Observer, suggests that friends of Lloyd George are making a strong bid to obtain control of that newspaper as an organ for the Prime Minister.

"The insistent rumor is that the man who will get the Times is Sir William Barry, owner of Cassell's publishing firm and the Sunday Times, the latter a consistent follower of the Premier," the Observer states.

Among other bidders for the Times mentioned by Garvin are Lord Beaverbrook, proprietor of the Daily Express; Sir Mackay Edgar, and a number of dark horses, possibly including foreign interests.

The minimum price mentioned in connection with the Times is \$2,250,000, Garvin states.

## 140 MILLIONS IN FEDERAL VALUES FOR STATE ROADS

Surplus War Material Sent Out to Commonwealths Reported to July 1.

By United Press  
WASHINGTON, Aug. 29.—Surplus war materials valued at \$139,773,986 was delivered to the States for use in road construction up to July 1, reports the Bureau of Public Roads, United States Department of Agriculture. The material, which consisted of all sorts of supplies and equipment suitable for road building for which the War Department had no further need, was distributed on the same basis as monetary Federal aid.

In value of material delivered, Texas and New York lead with nearly \$8,000,000 worth of material, and every State with the exception of five of the smaller ones received supplies valued at over a million dollars.

This material has been of great value in road construction, and there is hardly a county in the United States in which some of it has not been used.

Probably of greater value has been the 23,325 motor vehicles distributed, consisting of 24,752 trucks and 4,573 automobiles, and in addition a large number of tractors.



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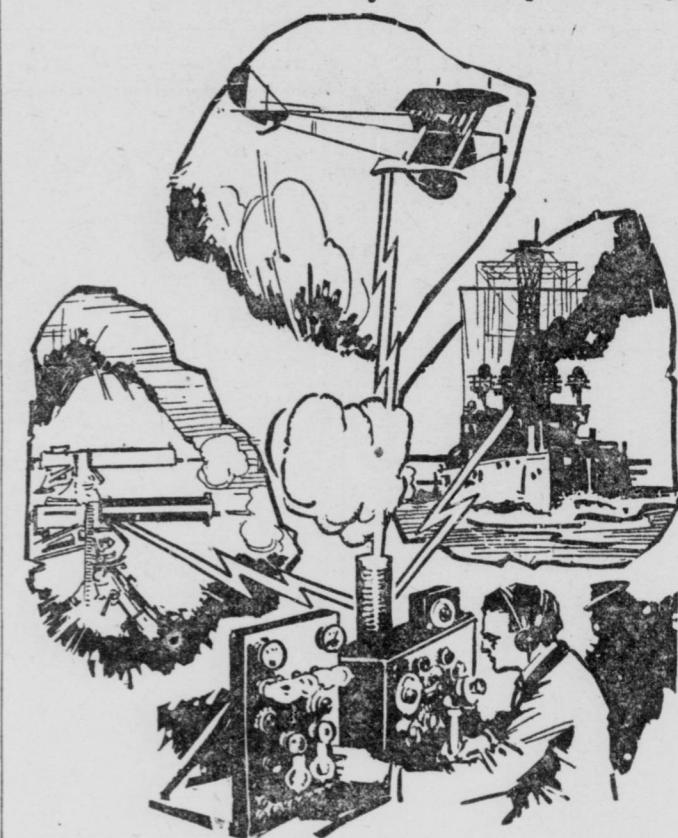
One tooth out makes all the difference in the world. But it had to come out and you have to have a new one to take its place.

Investigate us before you decide on the dentist to do your work. Our method of extraction is painless either asleep or awake.

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## Radio Will Play Important Part in Future Warfare, Experts Say



which, with radio-controlled machine guns on board, could be used as a dangerous weapon in war.

One danger to human life may remain. That is when, during calm intervals at night, men will have to come out to the front to inspect the weapons and prepare for the next day's fighting. But victory will depend, not on the killing of men, but on the destruction of enemy weapons and property.

### GRANTS REHEARING

Service Commission Will Again Take Up Track Paving.

Upon protest of city officials, the public service commission has granted a rehearing on its decision that the street railway is not required to pave between its tracks. This decision was handed down about a month ago.

### BUILDING PERMITS

Max Snyder, dwelling, 1417 Comer Ave. \$100.  
John Winkenhofer, reroof, 2054 Ashland Ave. \$100.

Fred Yarbough, garage, 2012 N. Olney, \$25.  
William Thaxton, addition, 1949 Wilcox, \$125.

Ad. B. McGregor, remodel, 1326 N. Toledo, \$1,000.

J. T. Smith & Son, double dwelling, 610-12 N. Riley Ave., \$7,700.

John Morris, double dwelling, 512-10 Riley Ave., \$7,840.

William Nixon, new foundation, 209 N. Harrison Ave., \$1,000.

John Morris, remodel, dwelling, 1018 S. Capitol Ave., \$500.

John Morris, dwelling, 5808 Lowell Ave., \$1,000.

Amid. McCall, double dwelling, 908-09 Taylor, \$1,000.

Charles Johnson, reroof, 1514 Sheldon, \$120.

Edward E. Flanagan, remodel, 1245 Brookside Ave., \$115.

Virgo White, reroof, 1050 N. Belmont.

Andrew Thomas, remodel, dwelling, 938 Camp, \$1,200.

John Morris, furnace, 1930 Hoyt Ave., \$500.

Herman H. Raab, reroof, 602 Highland Drive, \$240.

David Krieger, dwelling, 757 Lynn, \$3,800.

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James M. Cook, addition, 31 S. La Salle, \$2,500.

George Greenland, reroof, 8838 E. Fourth St., \$100.

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