

FOUR DAYS ARE LEFT TO WRITE HOP THRILLERS

Meanwhile Traitor to Cause Is Reported by Scrumpt Skip.

By Ross H. Garrigus

AD news to announce today. A charter member of the HOPS has fallen by the way side.

He was one of the first to join. He was one of our greatest SUPPORTERS, a true knight of the GARTER, as it were.

It was he who suggested that SCATHING VOCABULARIES be provided all HOPS. That motorists be booted in their own crankcase oil.

Last night we spied him. In fact, he came to our humble door. He wanted us to take a ride in his spanking new Spudick. The traitor said, "A few weeks he'll be hollering because he has to walk a block from the parking place."

HOPS, we must be firm on this question.

Monday, the Statehouse reported the incorporation of the Auto Drivers' Protective Association. The drivers are organizing more and more all the time.

We can't desert the ship now. Victory is within our grasp. And we don't mean CLUTCH.

Stick to your feet, we'll win yet!

Meanwhile Saturday is the last day for receipt of letters on "MY MOST HARASSING EXPERIENCE AS A PEDESTRIAN." Only four more days to compete for the \$15 prize.

DOUBLE GUARD AT SCOTT CELL

Doomed Man Retains Hope of Escaping Noose.

By United Press CHICAGO, July 22.—Today for the second time the double death watch was placed in the cell of Russell Scott, who is doomed to hang in the county jail here at dawn Friday when the week's reprieves granted him by Governor Small expires.

Although he hung his head and his face was drawn, Scott asserted that he had not given up hope of escaping the scaffold. But if he must hang, he admitted, he wished that it had occurred last week, so that he would not have had the additional week of agony in which to face his execution.

\$3,500 IS RAISED Competent Legal Aid Assured By Popular Subscription

DETROIT, Mich., July 22.—Thirty-five hundred dollars of a \$5,000 goal with which to engage "Chicago's most famous criminal lawyer," in a last desperate effort to save Russell Scott from hanging, has been raised by a group of prominent Detroit and Canadian women. It was announced today.

BIG MERGER LAUNCHED

Gary Street Railway Company Wants to Buy Systems.

Another big utility merger involving interests totaling approximately \$1,000,000, was launched today with the filing of a petition with the public service commission by the Gary Street Railway Company asking to take over three electric interurban systems.

Lines to be bought and prices stipulated: Gary Connecting Railway, \$470,043.51; Gary and Valparaiso Railway Company, \$357,540.32, and the Gary and Hobart Traction Company, \$168,220.61.

TO APPEAL LIQUOR CASE

Prosecutor Will Carry Peculiar Seizure Charge Higher.

Nathan W. Odle, joint prosecutor of Warren and Benton Counties, in a letter to Attorney General Arthur L. Gilliom, has indicated his intention of appealing to the Supreme Court a case involving the legality of liquor law arrest and seizure under a peculiar circumstance.

An officer arrested a man and seized a bottle of liquor. Only the neck of the bottle was visible. Evidence was ruled out on grounds of unlawful arrest, search and seizure.

SPEEDY PAYMENT SEEN

Expect Debt Settlement With America By Nov. 1

PARIS, July 22.—Premier Poincaré believes France will come to a settlement of her debt problem with America before Nov. 1.

He revealed this today and, also confirmed that France hopes to obtain a loan in America after the debt funding negotiations are concluded.

As for the safety pact, a note of which has just come from Germany would be "powerfully increased if the United States could participate or co-operate."

Marriage Licenses

Daniel G. Moran, 27, 4344 College; Geo. B. Des Jean, 36, 4345 Guilford, clerk; George J. Elmer, 38, 4346 College; Isaac M. Hulman, 29, 1031 W. Thirty-Third secretary.

Walter E. Vining, 68, 304½ E. Adams, railroad; Amando Englund, 57, 24½ E. Tenth, domestic.

John T. Lomber, 27, 727 E. Minnesota, statistician; Irene E. Howard, 22, 837 E. Morris.

Adolph Granneman, 26, 2817 Brill-

gardner; Gladys L. Power, 20, 2711 Cor-

nel.

Olin P. Edwards, 23, Morristown, Ind.

farmer; Francis L. Krammes, 18, 810 East 22nd.

Max Pollak, 46, 2339 N. Illinois, tool-

maker; Rebecca Hennings, 42, 4305 Car-

son.

Harry R. Goodwin, 23, 10 N. Hamilton.

farmer; Burdette M. Whitmore, 24, 1345

Bryan Refuses to Debate

By United Press DAYTON, Tenn., July 22.—Hope of a series of debates between Clarence Darrow and William J. Bryan on evolution faded today when Bryan announced he would not take part in such debates.

"I am not at all disposed," he said, "to invite Christians to come to meetings to hear their religion slurred and sneered at."

POPE GIRL MAY SUE SHEPHERD

Bride-to-Have-Been' Seeks Widow's Share of Estate.

By United Press CHICAGO, July 22.—Miss Isabelle Pope, who was to have married Billy McClinton, will file suit to obtain a widow's share of the McClinton millions, within a few days, it was reported here today.

The bride-to-been will base her action on the claim that she had a contract to marry Billy, and that Mr. and Mrs. William Darling Shepherd prevented him from keeping the contract.

Shepherd, McClinton's foster father, was recently acquitted on charges of murdering the youth. The will, made by McClinton, left most of the estate to Shepherd, with an annuity for Miss Pope, but Probate Judge Henry Horner refused to admit it to probate because of charges that Shepherd had used "undue influence" in getting the young millionaire to sign the will.

CIVIC CLUB TO MEET

The newly organized civic club at Beach Grove will meet Friday night to elect officers, Z. E. Day, temporary chairman, said today.

DRUG TRAFFIC INCREASE IN STATE SHOWN

Narcotic Agents Say Many Are Waiting Federal Grand Jury Action.

Two Indianapolis doctors and about twenty-five other druggists and dealers in narcotics are among those whose cases are now awaiting Federal Grand Jury action. It was learned today from Federal narcotic agents. Their names were not made public as the arrests have not been made.

The increase in the drug traffic in Indiana was indicated by statistics made public today by L. J. Ulmer, Federal narcotic agent. His record shows that twenty-three persons were sent to Federal penitentiaries during the year ending July 1, and seventeen were sent to jail, all convicted on charges of violating the anti-narcotic laws.

The six druggists all pleaded guilty to the sale of paregoric to drug addicts, Ulmer said.

"The sale of paregoric to drug addicts is becoming widespread in Indianapolis," he asserted.

STOLEN FROM AUTO

Aaron Harlow and Gordon Haskin, both of Vincennes, Ind., parked their auto on Senate Ave. near Market St. and left to see the city. When they returned both found suit cases and clothing valued at \$75 gone, they told police.

Stephenson Writes on 'Economy'

By Times Special NOBLESVILLE, Ind., July 22.—Home economics are receiving careful study on the part of D. C. Stephenson, held in jail here on a murder charge.

He is burning the midnight oil and pounding the keys off a perfectly good typewriter writing an essay on "Economy in the Home," according to Sheriff Charles E. Gooding.

"I do not know the official title of the work," Sheriff Gooding said, "but that is the subject he is writing about. Sometimes he stays up until 2 a. m. writing."

A bystander suggested Stephenson had solved the problem of economy by closing his own establishment, and spending the summer in jail at the expense of Marion County taxpayers.

Sale of the building at Meridian

ORDER BIGGER LAUTER BLDG.

Boys' Club Directors Vote Improvements.

Plans for enlarging and improving the Lauter Memorial Bldg., Market and Greeley Sts., have been approved by directors of the Boys Club Association. Gymnasium and play-rooms will be added.

Sara Lauter, vice president, presided at a business meeting of directors at the club's boys' camp near Noblesville Tuesday night. Following the business session families of the directors had a picnic. Will Wertz, superintendent, reported on the activities of the camp. It will continue open four weeks. Present enrollment is sixty-one boys.

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St. and Madison Ave. some time ago to F. H. Mueller was ratified.

THREE GIVEN SENTENCES

"Real Estate Dealers" of New York Plead Guilty to Liquor Sale.

Max Overland, Ed Fisher, and George Fisher, all of New York City, pleaded guilty to the sale of intoxicating liquor and were each sentenced to ninety days in the Marion County jail and fined \$500 and costs by Federal Judge Robert C. Baitzell today.

The three posed as real estate dealers and operating at the H. Bernstein Company, 1547 Broadway, New York, sold liquor in large quantities it was charged.

I. O. O. F. WILL PICNIC

Members of the Odd Fellows Lodge and Rebekahs in Marion County will hold a basket picnic from 3 to 8 p. m. Saturday in Garfield Park.

I. O. O. F. Band will play.

SERIES ON SCIENCE

"What's New in Science" is the title of a series of talks broadcast

every Monday evening from Station WOR, Newark, N. J. Dr. E. E. Free, editor of the Scientific American, is to give the talks.

Your Physician Knows

Your physician knows the disorders that are likely to come from defective teeth—many of his patients have learned that the first rule of health is to care for the teeth.

If you are ailing, your doctor is likely to ask: "How are your teeth?"

Can Tubercular Patients Be Cured With Bad Teeth in Their Mouth?

A GREAT authority, a specialist whose word is respected by physicians everywhere, Dr. Adolph Knopf, professor of Phthisis-Therapy at the New York Post Graduate Medical school and hospital, told a great body of physicians recently: "I defy the most skilled physician to either help or cure a tubercular patient who has decayed teeth in his mouth."



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"If you look at the oil industry without bias," says W. C. Platt in the National Petroleum News of April 29, 1925, "I believe you will find that it has been a typical American industry, with much competition and great freedom of competition in the last twelve or fifteen years."

Mr. Platt cites the case of Ohio—which is very similar to that of several Middle West states served by the Standard Oil Company (Indiana).

In 1912, Ohio had 63,000 automobiles. In 1924, it had 1,244,000 automobiles—or about 1900% increase.

To serve this vastly increased business has been a task of such herculean proportions that the oil companies then in business could not increase their facilities fast enough to keep up with the demand.

As the need of petroleum products increased, competition increased—not only to provide the additional service required but in order that society might function efficiently and smoothly.

An industry grows in response to the demand of consumers for more products and more efficient service.

The Standard Oil Company (Indiana) has grown in response to the demands of the public. It has grown in the face of keen, persistent, aggressive competition and holds its leadership solely through rendering a consistently superior service.

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