

## PROTESTANT FATE IN MEXICO TO BE SETTLED SUNDAY

Pastor Takes Stand Relig-  
ious Law Does Not Af-  
fect His Church.

*By United Press*  
MEXICO CITY, Aug. 5.—Position of Protestant clergymen under the anti-religious laws is expected to be clarified here Sunday when William Evan Thomas, American minister of the "Union Evangelical" Church, will preach on the "theory that since the church does not include confessionals, the laws should not apply."

It is expected that his act will precipitate a final disposition of the situation of Protestant ministers and their churches.

Meanwhile minor demonstrations are reported as the struggle between church and state settles into an uncompromising deadlock. Guadalajara Catholics reported two killed and fifteen wounded in rioting Tuesday at the Church of St. Guadalupe when police and soldiers tried to disperse a crowd.

Firemen were called out here Wednesday night when 200 persons demanded admittance to the Esperanza Iris Theater, where Luis Leon, secretary of agriculture, and Manuel Herrera Lasso, a prominent Catholic attorney, were debating the religious controversy.

Other developments today were: Gendarmes guarded the home of Archbishop Mora Del Rio.

Secretary of Finance Pani authorized the United Press to deny reports that there had been a run on the banks and that a panic was possible.

President Calles pledged himself and his government to uncompromising enforcement of the religious laws in a sharp reply to President Leguia of Peru, who had urged Calles to find a harmonious settlement of the dispute.

Bishop Pascual Diaz reaffirmed his statement that no compromise settlement was imminent, explaining that the church would talk peace only on the stipulated conditions which the government showed no disposition to accept.

A papal letter condemning the religious laws was made public.

**U. S. WATCHES BOYCOTT**

Fear Long Drawn Out Mexican De-  
pression Will Affect American Trade.

*By United Press*  
WASHINGTON, Aug. 5.—Indication that the Mexican Catholic boycott staged in protest against the church laws, was becoming effective

## IT IS WONDERFUL THE WAY KONJOLA RELIEVES PAINS'

Well-Known Local Man  
Surprised at the Action  
of This New Medicine.

Among the many prominent Indianapolis citizens who are publicly endorsing this celebrated new Konjola compound, probably none is better known than Mr. Harry Barlow, who is Stage Manager at Broad Ripple Park, living at 529 Locke Street, Indianapolis.

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## LADY ASTOR HOME



Lady Nancy Astor's home! The irrepressible member of the British Parliament posed with her children when they landed in Boston for a holiday in Nancy's native land. The children are, upper: David, 15 (left), and Phyllis, 17; lower: Michael, 10 (left), and John Jacob, 7.

was given today in Commerce Department reports from the southern republic showing a "downdown trend" in business and trade.

Department economic experts view continuance of the depression as inevitable if the Catholics continue their refusal to buy anything except absolute necessities.

Secretary of Commerce Hoover and his experts are watching the struggle very closely, concerned because of the effect a long-drawn-out Mexican trade slump invariably would have on American trade.

Automobiles and motor accessories made up much of the export increase. This trade probably will be hit first.

## Woman Holds Record for Lighting "Fags"

*By United Press*  
Mrs. F. S. Herdess, 940 McCarty St., today holds the honor of being the "championship woman cigarette lighter of Indianapolis.

She won the honor Wednesday at the community picnic at Garfield park given by the Southeastern Business Men's Association.

But she didn't light the cigarette in her own mouth. Trenton Sanders, 1625 E. Southern Ave., held the "fag" between his lips when she applied the match.

Ten women took part. They were lined up fifty feet away from a line of ten men, each with a cigarette. At the signal the women, each with three matches, raced to the line of men, lighted or attempted to light the cigarette of her partner.

Joritoma ran a small dairy. Depression came. George Carrier of the board of supervisors by error levied too much taxes. Joritoma, it is charged, took the excess money.

Carrier, because of the error, hanged himself. Carrier's wife died later from grief.

Joritoma found sympathy in the company of Mrs. Louis Long, mother of two children. They eloped, first going to Indiana and later to Sheboygan Falls, Wis., where they were arrested Monday.

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## THE INDIANAPOLIS TIMES

### CHICAGO HUNTS MELLETT SUSPECT

McDermott Reported Headed  
That Way.

*By United Press*  
CANTON, Ohio, Aug. 5.—Joseph R. Roach, Chicago, noted criminal prosecutor, hired by Canton citizens as special counsel to assist Acting Chief of Police Earl Hexamer in clearing the city of vice, started today his task of gathering evidence to place before a grand jury.

"Preliminary information now in my hands shows there was a continuous conspiracy to violate the Volstead Act," Roach said at the outset of his campaign. "Out of this conspiracy, to my mind, grew the murder of Don R. Mellett."

The search for Patrick McDermott, believed to know who murdered Mellett, turned to Chicago with information that he headed with way with two other men last Thursday, well supplied with money drawn from a bank here.

#### HAS NOT SURRENDERED

Underworld Reports Suspect Will  
Gives Sell Up.

*By United Press*  
CHICAGO, Aug. 5.—Patrick E. McDermott, sought in connection with the slaying of Don R. Mellett, Canton, Ohio, newspaper publisher, had not surrendered to Chicago police early today. It was reported that McDermott, through alleged underworld connections in Chicago, would give himself up here and return to Canton.

#### POLICE SEEK VANDAL

Two Autos Damaged—One Machine  
Set on Fire.

Police today sought a vandal who damaged two automobiles at 936 Union St., Wednesday night.

Miss Nellie Beasley, said she heard falling glass, discovered her auto afire. Tires had been cut.

Firemen from Engine 17, extinguished the flames. Arthur Sowers, same address, found his auto in the rear of the house had been damaged by the same vandal who cut the top, tires and cushion.

#### GASOLINE FAMINE FEARED

*By United Press*  
OXFORD, England, Aug. 5.—Gasoline famine threatens over the world.

Prof. J. F. Thorpe of the Imperial College of Science and Technology, today warned the members of the British Association for the Advancement of Science.

#### AUTO UPSETS; TWO DIE

*By United Press*

BUFFALO, N. Y., Aug. 5.—Two persons were killed and three injured when their automobile turned over in a ditch near Hamburg today. The dead: Clyde Brown, 40, Windsor, Ont., and Fred Hawkins,

17, of 1040 River Ave., Sunday at Mary-  
land and Illinois Sts.

Ford said a boy, 8, riding his bi-  
cycle in Riley Park and held him until arrival of police. The boy said he borrowed the wheel from the other youths. Numerous bicycle parts, said to have been taken from bicycles, were confiscated.

#### BARBER IS REWARDED

*By United Press*

NEW YORK, Aug. 5.—A barber here has been rewarded for twenty-  
one years of faithful shaving of a customer. He has saved for Europe, his expenses paid by William H. English, a banker, who he has  
shaved every day since 1905.

#### PLAN TOBACCO MONOPOLY

*By United Press*

BERLIN, Aug. 5.—The ministry of finance is preparing a bill for a government tobacco monopoly.

Economists believe such a monopoly would substantially increase the government's revenues without burdening the consumer.

#### MURIR CONTINUES LEAD

*By United Press*

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 5.—Forging ahead as additional returns came in from Kansas State primary, Donald Muir, youthful attorney, today was leading former Governor Davis in Democratic gubernatorial contest.

#### BURGLARS RANSACK OFFICE

*By United Press*

Burglars during the night entered the Stewart coal office, Gale St. and Massachusetts Ave., attempted to open the safe, and ransacked the office but took nothing. It was reported to police today. The office was found open by A. H. Miller, 2202 Station St., merchant policeman.

#### NO MORE HANGINGS

*By United Press*

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 5.—The ninety-three members of the Union of Progress on trial in Ankara for complicity in the recent plot to assassinate President Mustapha Kemal, probably will escape with imprisonment. Thirteen ring-leaders recently were hanged.

#### BANGLES OF CRYSTAL

*By United Press*

Several bangles made of white crystal beads with pendants may be worn on one wrist, while the other boasts bracelets of silver or platinum. Gold and crystal are a bad combination.

#### Final Clearance SEASONABLE FRENCH ROOM HATS

\$2.69 and \$3.89

Black Milans Hair Hats  
White Felt

CLOSING OUT 58 WHITE FELT  
HATS

at \$1.00

### Chosen as Fairest of Evansville

*By United Press*

CHICAGO, Aug. 5.—Judge Marcus B. Kavanaugh, dean of Chicago Criminal Court justices, is able to obtain juries, even in minor cases, in not over an hour. Here's why, says the judge:

"I give the talisman a patriotic argument, like this:

"During the war our boys went out to fight for our country. Thousands of them died. Thousands of them volunteered, thousands were drafted. I recall that two boys shot off the ends of their fingers here to become unfit for service.

"Protection of the country through intelligent jury service is just as important as protection through military service. What group do you belong to?"

### PARK LAGOON SUBJECT

Garfield Club Protests Breeding of  
Mosquitoes.

The pollution of the lagoon in Garfield Park, where mosquitoes that terrorize persons in that vicinity are bred, was to be discussed at park board meeting this afternoon.

The Garfield Park Civic League, contending the city has failed to construct an interceptor sewer to prevent dumping of sewage into Pleasant Run, which empties into the lagoon, has threatened to sue the city within ten days unless steps are taken to remedy the condition.

Responsibility has been passed from the park board, to the board of sanitary commissioners, to the board of oaks and to the board of health and is now back to the park board.

### HE KNEW HIS BICYCLE

Youth Sees Boy Riding Wheel