

GROCERY CLERK TAKES PISTOL FROM BANDIT.

WATSON TO DUMP OLD FRIEND AS TOO BIG A LOAD

This Explanation Not One Given to Meredith's Home Folks.

Tossing overboard in a storm of one of his most loyal supporters, Linus P. Meredith, is causing Senator James E. Watson some worry, enough at least to send him into the former home of Meredith to explain and promise.

Meredith, on expiration of his term as United States marshal, is not to be recommended by Watson for reappointment. In other parts of the State explanation is given that Meredith is too big a load.

Dover, South, so it is reliably learned, Watson is explaining that the patronage in Indianapolis and Marion County has been demanded by George Coffin and will be given to him.

Senator Robinson merely acts as the messenger from Coffin to the White House.

That was the explanation given a week ago, by Watson, to a group of Meredith's friends, who resented the fact that unwavering loyalty on the part of Meredith brought no sign of gratitude from Watson. However, the Senator is reported to have assured Meredith's friends that he would be given something else if he did not make a fight to hold his job.

Disclaims Responsibility
Watson at the time took occasion to disclaim any responsibility for Secretary of State Schortemeyer's demand for a strictly partisan distribution of license plates for autos in Richmond, an act resented by business men of that city.

That there may be some hesitancy on the part of President Coolidge to approve the selection of Alf. O. Meloy, candidate of the Coffin-Robinson-Trotter coalition, as the next marshal for Indiana, is causing Morgan's friends to become active and worrying the organization considerably.

Morgan was removed as prohibition director on demand of Senator Watson, after he had made a good record in the office.

To his personal friends Meredith has indicated that he is placing his official house in order and that he is preparing to turn his office over to the choice of the Coffin organization.

Appointed four years ago as marshal, on recommendation of Watson, for valued services rendered over a long period of years, Meredith has had a hectic career during his tenure of office, chiefly by reason of large quantities of confiscated liquor placed in his custody.

In the deals and agreements being made in anticipation of the fall election, Senator Watson has relinquished all claim to Marion County Federal patronage and had turned the naming of a successor to Meredith over the Marion County organization, which means George V. Coffin, friend and mentor of Arthur Robinson.

More than usual interest is being shown in the matter on account of national publicity given the disappearance of 330 cases of Squibb whiskey—pre-war stock—valued according to bootleg prices, at \$80,000—from the Federal Bldg. here and which had been in Meredith's custody.

For the theft of this whiskey three Negro janitors were given short jail sentences and two men sent to the Federal penitentiary for eighteen months.

It was this situation which prompted an Indianapolis newspaper to say editorially that only "the most credulous" could believe there were no "higher-ups."

TOTAL IN RELIEF FUND IS \$5,000

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Mr. A. A. Barnes. Checks for \$50 were received from the Udeli works and "cash."

Continue Messages
Robert Stark and Leslie D. Gregg continued to send messages for The Times to relatives of Indianapolis persons in the storm area who have not been heard from.

Stark and Gregg are operators of wireless telegraph stations 9 EJJ and 9 CPQ at 3221 Boulevard P. They have sent more than ninety messages to the Florida area.

Messages sent out last night were sent to Robert E. Green, operator of

Does Not Suffer From Asthma Now

Every Sign of Trouble Gone, Works All the Time Now.

People who suffer from asthma or chronic bronchitis coughs will be much interested in a letter written by William F. McKinley, 649 Arbor Avenue, Indianapolis, he says.

"I had been a sufferer from asthma for fifteen years. Was unable to do any work for four or five months in a year, had to sit in a chair for weeks, unable to lie down. I tried different medicines, but they did me very little good. I commenced taking Nacor in September, 1925, and I hadn't taken a half bottle until I could lie down and rest at night. I have no signs of asthma now, and I praise Nacor for what it has done for me. I recommend it to all sufferers from asthma and bronchitis."

If you suffer from asthma, bronchitis, or have a chronic cough, you should read the valuable booklet which will be sent free by Nacor Medicine Co., 418 State Life Bldg., Indianapolis, Ind. This booklet also contains letters from people whose troubles disappeared years ago and never returned. No matter how serious your case seems, call or write for this free information. It may put you on the road to good health again.—Advertisement.

What's Left of Miami's Pleasure Fleet



This dizzily tangled mass of wreckage is all that is left of the fleet of yachts, houseboats, barges and sail boats that were moored in the Miami River when the hurricane struck. The picture shows them heaped up at the end of the Flagler St. bridge, after having been blown far up-stream, and carried across the river.

the Army station at Ft. Benning, Fla., who relayed them to points in Florida.

More Ask Aid

J. B. Owens, 336 Prospect St., was trying to get word of his daughter, Mrs. Harry Lewis, Biscayne-Collins Hotel, Miami.

Walter C. Barner, R. R. box 241, Indianapolis, asked The Times to get word of his son, Albert Barner, a tourist at Coral Gables. Miss Ada Mackey, 1411 W. Twenty-Second St., sent word to her brother, Elmer Mackey, Miami. Miss Josephine Isenhower, 133 E. Thirtieth St., sent a message to Roscoe Moss, Miami. Mrs. Helen Bauder, 3739 N. Illinois St., sought word of Mrs. Kelly Walker, Miami.

Mrs. Josephine Thares, 230 E. Pratt St., sent a message to her son, Wagner Thares, Miami. The Times also sent a message to the Red Cross of Miami, asking them to try and get word of J. Paul Wilbur and his two sons, Ft. Lauderdale.

Word has been received that Mr. and Mrs. Okie Hollislaw and family are safe at Hollywood. He was formerly a commission merchant here.

J. W. Gill, general agent for the American Railway Express Company here, announced that his company would receive for free shipment any supplies addressed to the Red Cross, or any other authorized relief agencies, in the Alabama and Florida storm districts.

With means of communication practically re-established, many local persons received word from relatives.

However eighteen persons made frantic appeals to the information service of the Red Cross for word from relatives in the storm area from whom they have received no tidings.

"Relief at once is imperative," said Fortune. "Don't delay contributions, for the need is an emergency. Food and shelter must be provided at once."

Check should be made payable to Frank D. Stalnaker, treasurer and should be mailed to Red Cross headquarters in the War Memorial Bldg., 777 N. Meridian St.

The death toll of former Hoosiers mounted to 13.

They were: George H. Fross, Sr., of Indianapolis; Mr. and Mrs. Leslie P. Pool, Evansville; Mrs. Effie Yeager, Midletown; Mrs. Lydia Brookshire, of Logansport, and Walter Martin of Muncie, all at Hollywood.

In Miami were Mrs. Honiulu Roberts of Roanoke, and John A. Tuley of Danville. Mrs. Josephine Crawford of Richmond, was listed at Coral Gables.

Charles L. Hook, formerly of Indianapolis, was killed at Ft. Pierce, Lehigh, Ind., were reported killed at Ft. Lauderdale.

Contributors to the relief fund will receive novel recompense today and throughout the week through radio station WFBM. Radio artists, marshaled by George Irish, director of the Indianapolis Athletic Club Orchestra, will play numbers requested by the persons who give to the fund.

Radio Program
Irish hastily assembled twenty-seven local artists Tuesday night for an impromptu program, during which Merle Slidener broadcast an appeal for relief to sufferers. The musicians responded to requests for numbers from contributors until the early hours today.

Those who donated their services were: Irish and his Indianapolis Athletic Club Orchestra, composed of Gilbert Dutton, Gale Stout, Morris Bennett, Larry Gerneringer, Jack Wright, Oscar Rosenberg, Dolly Gray, Tom Wolfe, Ole Iselman and Paul Waldorf; Mary Traub Busch, contralto; Franklin Greenwood, baritone; Carolyn Turner, Alma Miller Lentz and Consuelo Couchman of the Claypool trio; Emil Seidel and Cliff Williams of the Apollo Theater; Vivian Whitridge, novelty pianist; the male trio, composed of Dolly Gray, Lawrence Cannanoughton and Ray Sande; Harold Smith, cello; Abe Farbe, tenor, and the team of Fly and Kerr.

EPIDEMIC OF CHOLERA

By United Press
WARSAW, Ind., Sept. 22.—An epidemic of cholera is sweeping Kosciusko county, according to reports received today by Tom Parker, county agricultural agent. Hundreds of hogs are dying from the disease, Parker was informed.

ACCEPTANCE OF RESERVATIONS ON COURT FAVORED

Recommendation Made by Drafting Committee on U. S. Stand.

By Henry Wood.

United Press Staff Correspondent

GENEVA, Sept. 22.—Acceptance

of all the American reservations to

the world court protocol was recom-

mended by the drafting committee

of fourteen today, with the sole pro-

vision that the United States should

negotiate an understanding with the

League of Nations Council with re-

spect to the manner of expressing

American consent to the court ren-

dering an advisory opinion.

The committee was appointed by

the conference of The Hague court

signatories here to find a formula

for accepting the United States

Senate's reservations. The commit-

tee today adopted a draft of the

formula outlined in the foregoing.

Should the United States object

to the court giving an advisory op-

inion on any question to which the

United States was not a party, this

objection would have the same force

and effect as if the United States

were a member of the league and

voted such an advisory opinion.

All signatories of the World Court

protocol will be requested to use

the formula devised by the commit-

tee today as a basis for their indi-

vidual replies to the United States

with respect to the Senate reserva-

tions.

The formula still would have to

be accepted by the full conference

of World Court signatories and then

by the United States.

ANOTHER DEMPSEY INJUNCTION SUIT

By United Press

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 22.—A

second injunction suit against the

Dempsey-Tunney battle today was

started by Ralph B. Evans, repre-

senting the Coliseum Club of Chi-

cago.

The bill filed in common pleas

court makes the Sesqui-centennial

Association and Frank Weiner,

Hayes Boyle and Harry Farrell,

members of the Pennsylvania State

boxing commission, defendants. It

seeks to restrain the Sesqui-centen-

ennial and boxing commission from

permitting the world's title battle

Tuesday night, setting forth that

Dempsey had been contracted with

the club to fight Harry Wills on

Sept. 26, 1926.

This is the outgrowth of the

issuing of an injunction against Demp-

sey by Superior Court Judge Clinton

U. S. Finds Corsets Haven't Come Back

By United Press

WASHINGTON, Sept. 22.—

If anybody is uncertain on the

subject, exhaustive research by

Federal officials, made public

today, indicate that corsets

haven't come back.

Of the 216 factories making

corsets, bandeau and allied

products in 1913 only 135 were

left in business at the end of

1925, the census bureau an-

nounces. Wage earners de-

creased from 16,104 to 14,471.

DEATH LIST IN FLORIDA DROPS

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The identified whites total 62, un-

identified 17.

Burial of the dead is going for-

ward at a rapid pace. As soon as

the unidentified have been exam-

ined for marks of identification and

their teeth charted, they are being

interred at Miami Memorial Park.

This cemetery has offered burial

lots without charge for all who are

unable to pay for them.

In an effort to get the "reconstruc-

tion of the city under way all build-

ing materials on hand—of which the

supply is said to be generous—have

been pooled and will be apportioned

in accordance with the needs. Roof-

ing materials were said to be the

chief need of the city and the stock

is inadequate.

Wreckage has been removed from

the streets sufficiently to permit re-

sumption of vehicular traffic.

Building inspectors have been en-

gaged in surveying the situation and

report that hardly a building es-

caped without some damage.

The Meyer-Kiser Bank Bldg., one

of the finest in the city, leans at a

crazy angle and it was reported that

tenants have been notified to re-

move their goods as the building will

be razed.

At Ft. Lauderdale and Hollywood

the situation was much the same as

at Miami.

Huge Property Loss

The property loss in greater Mi-

ami is officially reported at \$100,-

000,000 by insurance adjusters after

a rapid survey of demolished build-

ings in the devastated city. Of this

amount, approximately 10 per cent

is protected by insurance.

Tetanus anti-toxin was brought

here Tuesday night from Richmond,

Va., by Lieut. Bissell of the U. S.

Air Service. The airman was de-

layed at Jacksonville by a broken

propeller.

Reports gathered here show that

the list of known dead in the storm

area stands as follows:

Miami, 95.

Miami Beach, 52.

Hollywood, 80.

Moorehaven, 40.

Hialeah and vicinity, 50.

At various scattered points, 50.

Pensacola, 2.

Total, 370.

HUNTINGBURG MAN HEAD OF BANKERS

By United Press

LAFAYETTE, Ind., Sept. 22.—

Hugo C. Rothert of Huntingburg, to-

day was elected president of the In-

diana Bankers' Association.

The association brought its conven-

tion at Purdue University to a close

with election of officers and adoption

of resolutions.

C. Oliver Holmes of Gary was

named vice president of the associa-

tion and Joseph Springer, Eliza-

bethtown, was selected for the

office of treasurer. Miss Forba Mc-

Daniel, Indianapolis, was re-elected

secretary.

Mr. Payne Could Not Sleep On Left Side

All night he would toss from side to

side. Especially the left side bothered

him, due to gas from fermenting food

in his stomach. Then he took the mixture

of buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc. (known

as Adierka) and it helped him.

Many people keep the OUTSIDE body

clean but let their INSIDE body stay full

of gas. REAL cleansing with the mixture of buck-

thorn bark, glycerine, etc. as sold under

the name of Adierka. This acts on

BOTH upper and lower bowel, eliminates

metabolic poisons and removes old matter

which you never thought was in your

system, and which caused sour stomach,

indigestion, sleeplessness, headache, etc.

Whenever you eat too much heavy

food, let Adierka REMOVE the un-

pleasant feeling. ONE spoonful relieves GAS and takes

away that bloated feeling. Eat it if

your bowels move every day. Adierka

brings out much additional matter which

might cause trouble. Don't waste time

with pills or laxatives but let Adierka give

your stomach and bowels QUICK

What Doctors Say

Dr. G. Eggers reports Adierka is the

best medicine he has used