

GANG GIFT TO PHILLY'S SAFETY HEAD PROBED

Enjoyed Yule 'Turkey' Sent by 'Boo Boo and Boys,' Evidence Shows.

By United Press
PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 15.—The fact that George W. Elliott, former director of public safety, received a gift turkey from Max (Boo Boo) Hoff "and the boys" has provided the latest sensation in Philadelphia's drive to rid the city of bootlegging and alleged police corruption.

Elliott's post made him head of the police force under the administration of Freeland Kendrick, former mayor. District Attorney John Monaghan subpoenaed Elliott, hoping to get evidence of police corruption, but after the former director of public safety had been questioned, Monaghan refused to reveal what had taken place in the secret session.

The discovery that Hoff, who is reputed to be the head of the \$10,000,000 alcohol ring here, had been sending Christmas turkeys to police officials for several years forged a new link in the chain of evidence which Monaghan says will prove there is an "unholy alliance" between police and bootleggers.

Today it was rumored that many of the turkeys which Hoff sent out were stuffed with wads of greenbacks, although no direct evidence has been adduced to prove that the Christmas presents contained money.

IDENTIFY BANDIT CHIEF

Man Held in Illinois for \$50,000 Robbery in Marion

By Times Special
MARION, Ind., Sept. 15.—The Grant county grand jury has been called to indict Earl Redmond as the leader of the five bandits who robbed the Roessler Jewelry Company here a year ago of \$50,000.

Owners of the Marion store went to Springfield, Ill., where Redmond was arrested, and identified him as one of the five unmasked bandits.

The jury also will investigate the death of Cyril Goodpasture, for which Uhle Ferguson and Charles Mauler are being held in jail here.

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INDIANA DRY ARRESTS AND SEIZURES SLUMP

Great Decrease Shown in Past Year Over 1922.

By United Press
WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—Prohibition seizures and arrests in Indiana decreased greatly in most respects during the year ended last June 30, it was announced today at the office of Prohibition Commissioner Doran.

The Indiana tendency was contrary to that in most of the other States, it was said.

In 1922, there were eighty-six seizures of illicit distilleries, against 156 in 1921. Seizures of stills numbered fifty-four, against 146.

There were 4,699 gallons of distilled liquors confiscated, against 4,929 in 1922, and 5,521 gallons of malt liquors, against 7,786 in 1922. Arrests dropped from 1,213 in 1922 to 70 in 1923, and autos seized numbered thirty-five for 1923, against thirty-four for 1922.

Mexican Congress Adjourns

By United Press
MEXICO CITY, Sept. 15.—The chamber of deputies has adjourned for ten days to permit the deputies to return to their home districts and consult their constituents regarding the coming election of a provisional president.

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G. O. P. CHIEF ASSERTS HE'S FOR AL SMITH

Executive's Stand Places North Dakota in List of Doubtful States.

By United Press
WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—Washington was included today to put North Dakota definitely in the list of doubtful States as to the presidential election.

Senator Gerald P. Nye, who conferred with Senator Frazier and others on the situation, said frankly it now is a doubtful State, although he believes it will go for Herbert Hoover in November.

Governor Walter Maddock of North Dakota, who succeeded the Republican Governor Sorlie in that office from Lieutenant Governor, announced yesterday that he would stand for re-election on the Democratic ticket in full support of Governor Smith, and the Democratic nominee is expected to resign to allow Maddock's name to be placed on the ballot in his place.

Elected As Republican
Maddock was elected as a non-partisan league Republican, with Sorlie. Since the non-partisan league uprising just after the war, the State's Republicans have been divided into two strong factions—the leaguers and the so-called independent faction, consisting of the party's stalwarts.

The leaguers have in general kept control of the State. Sorlie, Maddock, Nye and Frazier all have the support of this faction. Nye and Frazier announced for Hoover after his acceptance speech.

When the Republicans met in State convention later, independent and leaguers meeting in different halls, an attempt was made at fusion, but it is understood the stalwarts insisted upon a resolution endorsing Hoover.

Fusion Is Failure
Fusion failed, and the Democrats at once began overtures to Maddock, after Sorlie's death. He is popular, and has been a league leader ever since its organization, being its floor leader in the house of delegates in 1917 and 1919 and having been elected twice as Lieutenant Governor, in 1924 and 1921.

He and Frazier have been considered especially close, both politically and personally.

The possible strength behind Maddock may be indicated by the total La Follette-Davis vote of 1924, about 104,000 to the 85,000 which Coolidge polled. La Follette was given 90,000 votes and Davis about 14,000. However, Nye and Frazier both supported La Follette and are this year supporting Hoover, which may make much difference.

KEEP LATIN, ALGEBRA

School 8 Will Continue Classes for Eighth Grade Pupils.

School 8, 520 Virginia Ave., will continue its Latin and algebra classes for eighth grade pupils, Miss Mildred Weld principal, announced today.

This is the only grade school in the city having Latin and algebra classes. This enables pupils entering high school to pass directly into the 9 A grade in those subjects. Pupils from other school districts whose parents desire them to take the Latin and algebra can take their eighth grade work at School 8. There is room for several more pupils in the 8 B class, according to Miss Weld.

Pupils Confused by Two Sets of Teachers Ruling

Political Foes for Trustee Post Hire Separate School Corps.

By Times Special
ROCKFORD, Ind., Sept. 15.—Political war started nearly a year ago has thrown six of Hammond township's schools into confusion as pupils attempt to obey two sets of teachers and trustees.

Death of Oscar Doyle, Democrat, last November, created the contest for the office. James M. Laird, Republican auditor of Spencer County, appointed Alex Sauter, Jr., Republican, to the office an hour after Doyle's death.

Both Sign Diplomas
A few hours later the county commissioners appointed Walter R. Richey, Democrat, for the post. The battle continued and diplomas to eighth grade graduates in August were signed by both trustees.

Carl C. Wooner, county superintendent, took a hand this week and ruled that Richey was the legal trustee and that his corps of teachers should take charge.

Wait Court Action
Clinging to the hope that the case now before the Supreme Court will favor them, the teachers, janitor and bus drivers named by Sauter are attending school each day.

Parents of the pupils have taken sides in the controversy which has complicated the affair further.

HEALTH CUP TO STATE

Indiana Wins Award Second Time For Anti-T.B. Work.

Announcement that Indiana again has won the modern health crusade cup of the National Tuberculosis Association, was made Friday at the meeting of the board of directors of the Indiana Tuberculosis Association at the Lincoln.

The award, captured two straight years by Indiana, was made for the excellent work of the State's schools in the health-habit forming campaign. The health cup is presented by the national association to the State having the largest number of modern health crusaders enrolled in the schools.

Dr. James H. Stigall, director of child nutrition in the Indianapolis schools, presided over Friday's meeting, which was followed by a luncheon.

BANK SUES FOR TAX

Fletcher American Seeks to Get Back \$115,633.

Suit to recover \$115,633 representing alleged excess income and profits tax, has been filed in Federal Court by the Fletcher American National Bank. The taxes, according to the suit, were paid for the year 1920, when, it is averred, the bank held \$725,931 in loans found to be worthless and for which deductions should have been allowed.

HOOVER BOOSTS IN PULPIT HIT

Mrs. Willebrandt Warned Against Procedure.

By Times Special
WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—Mrs. Mabel Walker Willebrandt, assistant attorney general, in her future speeches for Hoover, will refrain from urging Methodist ministers to recommend Hoover's election from their pulpits, if she heeds suggestions from the Republican national committee.

Her speech at Springfield, Ohio, urging Methodist ministers to mobilize against Governor Smith caused such reaction in high Republican circles that the suggestion was conveyed to Mrs. Willebrandt that she change her text in the future.

The disapproval of Mrs. Willebrandt's speech was accentuated by the subsequent refusal of Senator William E. Borah to address a Methodist gathering at Peoria, because he feared his speech was to be regarded as political.

Hoover, it is known, was disturbed at reports of Mrs. Willebrandt's speech. So were National Chairman Work and others.

Gone, but Not Forgotten

Automobiles reported to police as stolen.

Levern Sears, 1425 E. New York St., Ford roadster, 640-978, from Twentieth and Olney Sts.

A. H. Cox, 2003 N. Meridian St., Ford touring, from garage in rear of 2003 N. Meridian St.

M. L. Cohn, 2212 N. Pennsylvania St., Buick sedan 648-604, from garage in rear of 2212 N. Pennsylvania St.

A. J. Quisenberry 5134 W. Fourteenth St., Whippet coach, 639-530 from 500 S. Belmont Ave.

Raymond Fox, 1018 E. Market St., Ford roadster, 627-090 from Market St. and Senate Ave.

John Stirewalt, New August, Ind., Ford roadster 49-420 from in front of 1147 Shelby St.

E. J. Sellmeyer, 3313 E. Tenth St., Ford roadster, 37-231 from in front of Hooser Athletic Club.

Fred Magsam, 1333 N. Dearborn St., Ford four-door sedan, 8-730 from S. Meridian St., near Elevated tracks.

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BACK HOME AGAIN

Stolen automobiles recovered by police.

Charles G. Sanders & Co., 1033 N. Meridian St., Jordan sedan, found on Superior St., near North St. Car had been in an accident and was damaged.

M. D. Connelly 1310 Ewing St., Pontiac coach, found in front of 243 Massachusetts Ave.

G. O. P. CARAVAN OFF

Busses and Cars Leave for Lafayette Meeting.

Under the direction of George V. Coffin, district Republican chief, a motor caravan was organized here this morning and left for Lafayette to represent Marion County G. O. P. at the Leslie day rally.

Principal address is to be delivered this afternoon by Harry G. Leslie, Republican candidate for Governor and native of Lafayette.

Republican leaders and State and county officeholders made the trip from this city. Three decorated busses were included in the party and a truck bearing a quartet and file and drum corps.

Members of the First Ward Republican Club made the excursion under direction of Albert L. Pauley. They had fifty gaily decorated cars. William Edwards, president of the club, was grand marshal of the entire caravan.

Besides Leslie, speakers at the rally are Senators Arthur R. Robinson and James E. Watson, former Governor Chase Osborn of Michigan; Congressman Will R. Wood, and Miss Dorothy Cunningham, national committeewoman from Indiana.

FRIDAY IS UNLUCKY DAY; ARRESTED TWICE

Car Runs Down Woman Held for Beating Wife.

Ernest Madison, 811 Udell St., is not superstitious—but Lady Luck is. Friday was his unlucky day. Soon after noon his motor car struck and seriously injured Mrs. Pearl Brewer, 1226 N. Illinois St., at Washington and Meridian Sts.

He was arrested, charged with assault and battery, and released on bond.

Just before the stroke of midnight brought Friday to an end he was arrested again. This time for assaulting his wife, and for drunkenness.

The charges against him were continued today in municipal court.

SCRAPIRON RATE CUT

20 Percent Slash Ordered Indiana Freight Tariff.

A 20 percent reduction on freight rates on scrap iron in Indiana has been ordered by the Public Service Commission, effective Dec. 1.

Special schedules for various cities were approved and the commission ruled that the rate at no point in Indiana shall be more than 65 percent of the sixth class freight rate. This class is the lowest rate.

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