

RIVER BOTTOM PAVED BY SLOT MACHINE COIN

Treasure Hunters Attracted by \$65,000 Dumped in 'Big Muddy.'

By United Press
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 27.—Treasure troves of the Caribbean have long held the fancy of the adventurer who dreams of retrieving treasure of pieces of eight from casks in the coves of isolated and forgotten isles.

The Missouri River, commonly referred to as the Big Muddy, now is offering a similar attraction. Known treasure to the amount of \$65,000 lies buried in the slimy mud of the river bed of the Missouri under the A-S-B bridge at Kansas City. It is said that the river bed is paved with coins—quarters, dimes and nickels.

Three years ago a war was instituted against slot machines by Judge M. J. Kilroy. The regular procedure was to throw the confiscated gambling devices into the Missouri from the bridge. Jack Rieger, clerk of the North Municipal Court, says that he has dumped about 300 machines into the river.

The value of these machines range from \$135 to \$250 each and the total worth is estimated at \$80,000.

The value of these machines is increased by their contents when thrown into the river.

The smallest denomination that can be used in the machines is a nickel. The smallest machine contains about \$10. It is estimated

that the total cash contents is \$500.

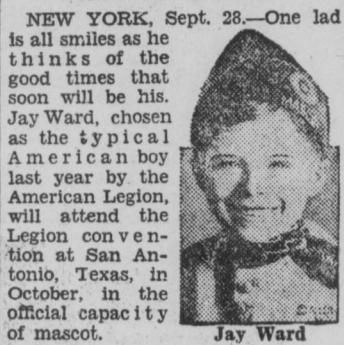
During the three years that the slot machines have laid on the floor of the river, it is possible that many of them have rusted and fallen apart loosening their treasure to pave the bed of the stream under the bridge.

Chief of Police Lincoln R. Toyne recently has inaugurated a clean-up campaign on the slot machines to clear them from places frequented by school children. Many of the students, it is charged squander their lunch and carfare money on the chance and have to go hungry and walk home. The river bed will get more treasure as a result.

Tilted Girl Falls at Suicide
EVANSVILLE, Ind., Sept. 28.—Miss Mayme Barker 21, is expected to recover from the effects of poison swallowed in a suicide attempt because her lover gave her up for another woman.

LEGION PICKS MASCOT

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Jay Ward

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OMAHA TO HOLD ANNUAL FROLIC

Booster Club Prepares for Big Ak-Sar-Ben.

OMAHA, Sept. 28.—Ak-Sar-Ben is preparing to hold its first annual livestock exhibition and horse show Nov. 3 to 9 in the new \$500,000 coliseum at Ak-Sar-Ben field.

Entries, including many blue-ribboned winners at the Missouri, Iowa, Nebraska, Minnesota, Illinois and other State fairs will be here, Secretary Charles Gardner announces.

Great stress will be laid at this show on constructive work of boys and girls clubs and vocational agricultural high school work as an important factor in the livestock industry.

D. Schilling, well-known horseman of Pueblo, Colo., will be in charge.

The new Coliseum, which also will house the annual coronation ball this fall, is nearing completion. It is capable of seating 10,000.

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HIT BY CAN OF CORN

Rochester Man to Face Murder Charge if Victim Dies.

By Times Special
ROCHESTER, Ind., Sept. 28.—Kenneth Bacon, World War veteran, will face a murder charge if William Flynn, dangerously wounded when struck on the head with a can of corn, dies, according to Fulton County officials. Bacon already stands accused of assault and battery with intent to kill.

During a fight at a canning factory, Bacon is alleged to have hurled the can at Flynn. As he was feled, his head struck a concrete floor. He remains in a semi-conscious condition.

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