

# JOFFRE, LYING IN STATE, IS PAID TRIBUTE BY FRANCE

## THOUSANDS FILE PAST BIER OF HERO OF MARNE

Weeping Veterans of War Await Their Turns to Enter Chapel.

### LAST RITES PREPARED

Nations Will Pay Homage at Funeral Services on Wednesday.

BY RICHARD MCMILLAN  
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PARIS, Jan. 5.—The body of Marshal Joseph Joffre lay in state on a simple military camp cot at the chapel of Saint Louis today, while thousands of Frenchmen, many of them weeping, filed reverently past the bier.

Joffre's head rested on a white cushion. His face, hollowed and worn by suffering, hardly was recognizable. A blue tunic covered his legs, hiding the amputation above his left knee, which was kept secret at the marshal's wish for eight days, while he fought against the poison of gangrene.

Many of his countrymen had waited outside the chapel since day-light to pay homage to the great soldier of France.

In the marshal's crossed hands rested a silver crucifix. A military medal was the only decoration on the famous black tunic he wore at the battle of the Marne, when he gained the nation's acclaim and love as the hero of a decisive battle.

#### Chapel Draped in Black

Joffre's flag, which was carried behind him by a flag bearer throughout the World war, was placed at his head. At the foot of his simple cot, on nineteen black silk cushions, glittered the forty military decorations given him by the nations of the world.

Also at the foot of the cot, on a separate cushion, lay the marshal's baton. The chapel walls were draped in black, and bore the battle torn flags of regiments which were wiped out in the World war, or disbanded after the armistice.

French war veterans, many of them blind, legless or crippled, awaited their turn to enter the chapel. Some had seen Joffre in action when he won the titles given him by the people of France, the saviors of Paris and the hero of the Marne.

Eight trench guns encircled the old soldier as he lay in death.

#### Giants Candles Lit

The light of four giant candles, held in immense golden candelabra flickered over his shrunken form like the rays of a soldier's camp fire.

Joffre's body arrived at the chapel of Saint Louis at 7:15 a. m., transferred from the hospital of Saint Jean de Dieu by automobile. General Henri Gouraud, military governor of Paris, and officers of Joffre's staff accompanied the body on the short journey through the streets of Paris.

The marshal's officers placed the body on the bier and lighted four giant candles at the corners of his bed.

Four officers of the Polytechnic school mounted guard, and the first of thousands of Joffre's countrymen to pay their homage to the great soldier were admitted to the chapel.

American decorations given Joffre included the distinguished service medal, combatants' cross, commemorative medal, and the American Legion medal.

#### Ambassador to Attend

The United States will be represented at the funeral Wednesday at Notre Dame cathedral by Ambassador Walter E. Edge and the entire staff of the American embassy.

Britain will send fifty of his majesty's guards and a band of twenty-two pieces from the royal air force. Lord Tyrrell, British ambassador, will represent King George.

Representation from Germany, turned back by Joffre when his imperial armies threatened the gates of Paris, had not been announced. The German ambassador, Dr. Leo-pold von Hoesch, however, called at the hospital to extend condolences to Madame Joffre the day after the marshal died.

Joffre's widow and his daughter kept vigil beside his deathbed Sunday night.

## BATHROOM GAS FATAL

Body of Young Man Found in Tub at South Bend.

By Times Special

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Jan. 5.—Andrew F. Rybicki, 21, died Sunday afternoon, a victim of carbon monoxide fumes from a water heater which filled the bathroom at his home while he was bathing.

The body was discovered by Andrew's brother Adam. After waiting an hour to take a bath, Adam called to his brother. He received no answer. He smashed down the door and found the body in the tub.

#### Shot Kills Boy

REMINGTON, Ind., Jan. 5.—Nine-year-old Leland Parker, Remington, was killed accidentally by his 11-year-old brother. An older brother had returned from a hunting trip without unloading a shotgun. The 11-year-old brother picked up the weapon, pointed it at Leland and cried, "Halt!" He pulled the trigger, the discharge struck the child in the head.

## FALSE TEETH

### Here's Good News

Don't allow your false teeth to drool when you eat milk or laugh. Just stick them on KLING and they'll stay put. This improved powder forms a perfect comfort cushion and holds your plates so snug. Then the air and water won't get to your teeth. A large package of KLING costs only 5¢ at druggists. Gives you months of unbelievable mouth comfort. Advertisement.

## OVERWORK WHIPS STARS

Renee Adoree, Lila Lee Latest Victims



Renee Adoree

By United Press  
HOLLYWOOD, Jan. 5.—Long hours and strenuous work have taken their toll in the ranks of the much-abused motion picture people whose life, they will tell you, is no bed of roses.

Many fine actors and actresses have been the victims of overwork in Hollywood's biggest industry, including the much mourned Barbara LaMarr and Wallace Reid.

But death does not claim them all—sickness sometimes lays them low for months upon end.

The latest victims are Renee Adoree and Lila Lee. Lila is confined to a sanitarium in Arizona, fighting a winning battle against tuberculosis.

Lila is living in comparative ease and luxury, occupying a small bungalow with her maid. But she is not happy in her new surroundings—she misses her friends.

Lila Lee was taken to the stage at an early age by Gus Edwards.

She takes her year of enforced idleness "on the chin," spending all her hours in an ordinary hospital bed on an screened-in sleeping porch which she shares with six other patients.

Even her favorite dog, Sapeto, the blue-black chow, has been sent away while she regains her health.

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We met when I started working at the bank two and one-half years ago," she said. "He had been there six months then. Our night club visits were not improper, even if he is married and has two children. My brother went along with us."

Girl Appears Voluntarily

Miss Curran appeared voluntarily and told her story as police and federal agents investigated Malloy's statements.

The crowd surrounding the bank was orderly, although some of the men waved their arms and talked of "prosecution," as they peered through the windows. The bank's doors were closed for an audit of its losses.

As Malloy had predicted, the bank's time lock opened late Sunday, revealing that the vault had been looted of \$10,000 in cash, and that safe deposit boxes had been ripped open. Jewelry cases and non-negotiable securities from boxes were scattered on the floor.

Loans Are Investigated

The bank's loss determined, federal examinations called for lists of valuables kept in the safe deposit boxes, having no other way except elimination to determine what else was missing.

The police investigation of Malloy's robbery story disclosed today that the official lent \$3,000 to a saloon keeper in November after the robber was involved in a murder mystery.

Added to that was the declaration by the state's attorneys office that a depositor saw Malloy hand \$3,000 to a race track betting commission a month later.

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The vault opening, the police said, substantiated the story Malloy had told Milwaukee police Thursday night—that four men, posing as bank examiners, had called him to the bank New Year's day, held him up, looted the vault, forced him to lock the doors and then taken him for a four-hour automobile ride and set him free near the Wisconsin city.

Among the few allowed to peer into the vault after the doors were open was George Pilot, president of the bank. The sight of the deposit boxes ripped open and their paper contents scattered about the floor caused him almost to faint. A few minutes later he announced in an unsteady voice merely that "the vault has been entered and robbed."

One of the most mysterious angles was in the fact that the robbers tore several sheets from ledgers of the bank's private record of resources and liabilities. Police were puzzled what the robbers wanted with these.

Victor M'Laglen Is Sued for \$100,000

Slander, Defamation of Character Is Charged by Brother.

INDORSE FARM PLAN

State Bureau to Approve System of Leslie's Credit Board.

Indorsement of the plan of the Governor's farm credit commission has been voted by the Indiana Farm Bureau Federation.

The decision to endorse the plan followed a meeting Friday of the directors of the federation with members of the commission, at which a representative of the intermediate bank at Louisville, Ky., was present.

Arrangements were made for representation of the county farm credit corporation.

Daniel J. Giesbrenner, chairman of the commission; Ralph G. Sims, manager of the Louisville intermediate credit bank, and Dean J. H. Skinner of Purdue, were speakers.

Harvard's Mailman Is Dead

By United Press

CHICAGO, Jan. 5.—Mrs. Beulah Johnson, 32, mother of a 3-day-old baby, was under arrest in her home today on a charge of selling the liquor which allegedly intoxicated Forrest Hopper and caused the death of Harold Brook, 21, in an auto crash. Mrs. Johnson's condition did not permit her to be placed in jail, if she had been.

Hopper was in Marshall county on a charge of driving while intoxicated. He was alleged to have driven into an auto operated by Lawrence Berglund, Donaldson, two miles west of Plymouth. Brooks, who was riding with Berglund, was killed.

The flier landed here Saturday night after the parachutist, who had been flying with him, had been shot down.

The flier was admitted to the hospital Saturday night.

In the Air

Weather conditions in the air at 9 a. m.

Northwest wind, 11 miles an hour; barometric pressure, 29.48 at sea level; temperature, 39; ceiling and visibility, zero; field good.

## Parent-Teacher Groups to Resume Meetings

Having had a few meetings during the Christmas holiday season, Parent-Teacher associations today planned the resumption of meetings next week.

The P. T. A. of school No. 21 will meet at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday.

The P. T. A. of school No. 1 will meet at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday.

The P. T. A. of school No. 15 will meet at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday.

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The P. T. A. of school No. 24 will meet at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday.

The P. T. A. of school No. 25 will meet at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday.

The P. T. A. of school No. 26 will meet at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday.

The P. T. A. of school No. 27 will meet at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday.

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The P. T. A. of school No. 39 will meet at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday.

The P. T. A. of school No. 40 will meet at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday.

The P. T. A. of school No. 41 will meet at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday.

The P. T. A. of school No. 42 will meet at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday.

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