

## 'MISSING LINK' SEARCH TURNS TO TURKESTAN

Expedition Leaves Peiping for Unexplored Area in Asia.

By United Press  
LONDON, May 7.—Man's search for the "missing link" will be continued by an expedition now proceeding from Peiping to the valley of the Tarim, in eastern Turkestan, Professor G. Elliot Smith announced today.

The expedition is headed by Father Teilhard de Chardin and Dr. C. C. Young, a Chinese paleontologist, who were in the party which discovered the "Peking Man" in 1928.

No systematic exploration ever has been made in the Tarim region, where the river flows for 1,500 miles across central Asia and disappears in the Lop-Nor lake. According to a popular theory, millions of years ago the climate there was highly favorable to mammalian life and became a breeding ground for animals now spread over the world.

Events of great importance to scientific research may be expected shortly, Smith said. "Some people suggest that the area where the cave containing the fossils of the Peking man was found is the home of the human family."

The objection to that theory is that the Peking man is only one of the three contemporaries, the other being the "ape-man" of Java, found in 1891, and the "Pitdown man" found in Sussex in 1912.

Early fossils of apes of the Miocene period were found in the Sivalik hills in India, and scientists engaged in excavating the Peking man have put forward the theory that the great factor which led to the evolution of man was the raising of the Himalayas at the beginning of the Miocene period."

Smith explained that the raising of the Himalayas cut off one group of these apes from India and north of these ranges they were subjected and forced to adapt themselves to new circumstances and climatic conditions or become eliminated.

BAR VISITORS FROM CLARA'S SICK ROOM

Little Change in Actress' Condition; Injury Reports Denied.

By United Press  
HOLLYWOOD, May 7.—Little change was noted today in the condition of Clara Bow, screen actress, at Glendale sanitarium, where she is undergoing treatment for a nervous breakdown.

Miss Bow is permitted only liquid food, and is given massages twice daily to quiet her nerves. Dr. J. Wesley Hammel and Dr. Victor Parke will permit her no visitors. Close friends, studio officials and newspaper men alike are barred from her room.

Paramount studio officials denied reports that just previous to her breakdown Miss Bow became violent, struck her director with a mirror and shouted, "I want to die." Reports that the actress had suffered a physical injury as the result of violence, also were denied.

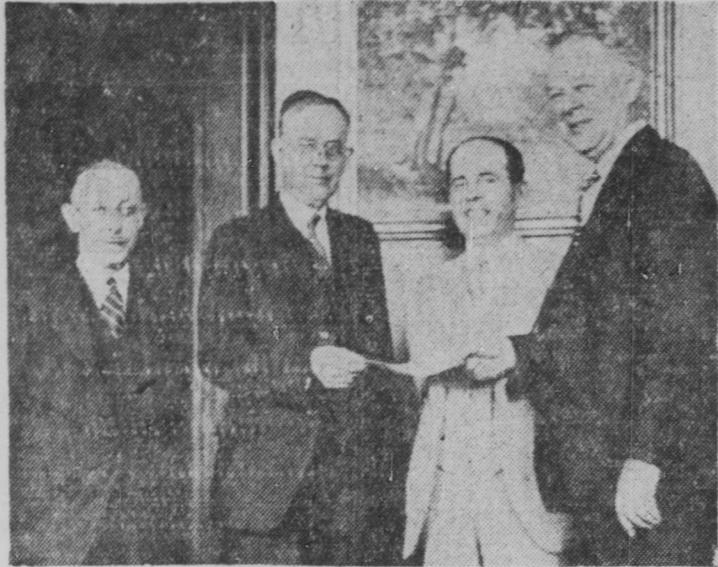
BLOOD STAINS CAR OF MISSING ALBION MAN

Possessor of \$1,000 to \$1,500 Not Seen Since Sunday.

By Times Special  
RICHMOND, Ind., May 7.—No trace has been found of Clayton Wright, Albion, missing since Sunday night when his blood stained automobile was found on a road in northern Wayne county. He is said to have had between \$1,000 and \$1,500 in his possession when he left Albion Sunday. His parents recall that he told them he was going to Richmond to deposit the money in a bank.

Near the automobile a pocketbook containing only 15 cents was found. A newspaper, soaked with blood and to which some human hair clung, was found in the car.

## Trip to 'Naughty' Paris Given Mayor-Delegate



Left to Right—Rex P. Young, assistant secretary, Fletcher Trust Company; Mayor Reginald H. Sullivan, E. Kirk McKinney, works board president, and Fred C. Bush, French Line general passenger agent....

And now the class in facial expression-reading will please step forward and tell us which of the two city officials in the center of the above photo is going to Paris.

Correct the first time! It's E. Kirk McKinney, works board president, third from the left, wearing the broad smile.

On his right, with the doleful expression, is Mayor Reginald H. Sullivan, whose business duties prevented him from accepting invitation of the French government to make a five weeks' trip to Paris with all expenses paid.

Steamship company representatives Wednesday afternoon formally presented passage tickets to Sullivan who in turn handed them to McKinney whom the mayor delegated to make the trip as his representative.

McKinney and Mrs. McKinney replied.

## CIVIC TO BE SCENE OF A GOOD CONTEST

BY WALTER D. HICKMAN

THE Civic Theater tonight will be the scene of the finals in the municipal drama tourney. Three different groups of young people will appear in the finals which will determine the winners.

At last night at Brookside park community house, the judges finished their work after looking at one act plays for two nights.

The three winning groups who will compete for winning positions tonight will be the Brookside section presenting "The Valiant," the Collegiate players in "The Marriage Gown" and the Kendall Dramatic Club in "The Wedding."

The tourney opened on Tuesday night at the Municipal Gardens with four groups appearing, and on Wednesday night at Brookside with four more groups appearing.

Interest centers at the Civic tonight when the three winning groups will repeat their efforts for winning positions.

The judges are John I. Kautz, Walter Whitworth, Miss Marian Bell, Corbin Patrick, H. W. Middleworth and myself. Mrs. Joseph Ketterly and Mrs. Allen Matthews are in charge, and it required a lot of work to put over the event successfully.

George Sonnes, director of the Civic theater, will make the awards to the three winning groups. The

prizes have been donated by business men of the city.

Indianapolis theaters today offer: "Meet The Wife," at the Lyric, "The Secret Six" at the Palace, "Skippy" at the Ohio, "Hell Bound" at the Apollo, "City Streets" at the Indiana, "Your Uncle Dudley" at English's, double movie bill at the Circle, movies at the Colonial, and burlesque at the Mutual.

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## WHISKY MAKES DRINKER DRUNK, SCIENTISTS FIND

Seventy 'Martyrs' Undergo Test and Prove Liquor Has Wallop.

BY OLE CAVLING

United Press Staff Correspondent

COPENHAGEN, May 7.—Whisky,

taken in a considerable quantity,

will make a man drunk, a committee of distinguished Danish scientists discovered after giving seventy

willing "martyrs" a thorough test.

In addition to this discovery,

which many persons criticised as

coming rather late, the investigators ascertained that all alcohol re-

mains in the body only from four

to six hours.

The purpose of the inquiry was to

find at just what stage the ordinary

drinker is affected by in-

toxics. A total of 140 persons

participated in the experiment.

Half of them were motorists, aged

34, and the remainder 24-year-old

wives.

The invitation was extended by

the French government as a gesture

of good will in return for courtesies

shown the French fliers Costes and

Bellonte on their tour of the United

States last year after flying the

Atlantic.

"I think the mayor should stay

at home and attend to his duties,"

Sullivan remarked. "However, it's

a chance of a lifetime and I cer-

tainly would like to go."

"Well, I think the city won't mind

its work board president for a few

weeks, and I am going to see every-

thing there is to see, including some

of those 'naughty' Parisian shows,"

McKinney replied.

They were divided into two main

groups. One was given six cubic

centimeters of alcohol per kilogram

of the person's own weight, while

the other half got nothing. A

regular restaurant size glass was

used.

Those who had not eaten for

four hours prior to the test were

given three drinks in 15 minutes and

the scientists found they made

24.5 per cent more mistakes with

figures and in writing tests, while

other activities were retarded as

much as 60 per cent.

Even small doses of alcohol de-

creased activity, it was reported.

However, the experiments failed

to decide the question of capacity.

One student was thoroughly drunk

15 minutes after he had bent an

elbow for the first time. Yet it took

more than an hour for one motorist

to be classed as intoxicated.

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## AX KILLER TO ASYLUM

Child's Murder Laid to Overcrowding at Hospital for Insane.

AKRON, O., May 7.—Officials here

today blamed overcrowded condi-

tions at the Massillon State Insane

hospital for the maniacal murder of

Louise Burleson, 5, slain with an

ax by Mrs. Hattie May, 50, a

neighbor.

The insane woman was commit-

ted to the asylum some time ago

officials said, but was allowed to re-

main in her home because of condi-

tions at the institution. She is held

in county jail, and, according to

authorities, will be removed to the

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