

ARKANSAS AND ALABAMA LEAD MURDER POLL

States Top List in Survey by U. S. Department of Justice.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—Chances of being murdered apparently are greatest in Arkansas and Alabama cities and least in Maine, Vermont, Rhode Island, South Dakota and Nevada.

This was indicated today by a compilation by the department of justice division of investigation of crime reports from 1,307 cities for the first six months of the year.

The report also showed that hundreds of killers and other dangerous criminals are being turned loose by parole boards and other agencies. In a tabulation by states the highest rate in the country for murder and the more serious types of manslaughter was recorded for the reporting Arkansas cities, with a rate of 17.6 per 100,000 of population. Alabama was second with 17.3.

During the six months, reporting cities in Maine, Vermont, Rhode Island, South Dakota and Nevada had no murders. New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Connecticut and Wisconsin reported a rate of less than 1 per 100,000.

For the entire group of 1,307 reporting cities, there were 1,840 murders during the six months, giving a general average rate of 3.2 per 100,000 of population. The same cities reported totals of 1,642 cases of manslaughter due to negligence, 1,380 criminal assaults, 22,711 robberies, 90,961 cases of breaking and entering, 174,747 larcenies, and 69,087 automobile thefts.

In general the picture of crime conditions presented in these figures showed little change from recent years. Robberies and automobile thefts have declined materially, but other offenses continue at a high rate.

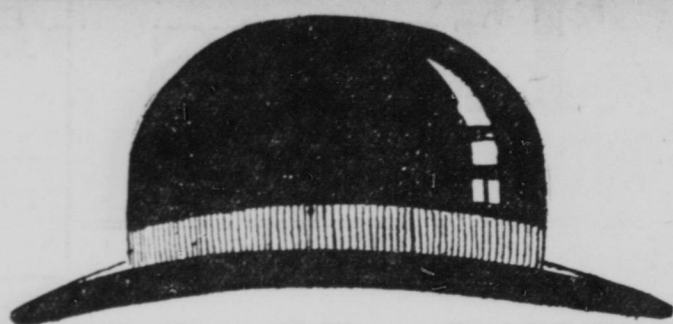
SHOT FATHER IN SELF-DEFENSE, GIRL CLAIMS

19-Year-Old Blond Faces Murder Charge on Coast.

SAN JOSE Cal., Aug. 17.—Nineteen-year-old Bernice Beauchamp Pickrell, statuesque blond, sobbingly insisted today as she lay on a jail cell bunk that she killed her father, wealthy rancher Robert Beauchamp, to defend her honor. John P. Fitzgerald, assistant district attorney, was to file a murder charge against Mrs. Pickrell today on the basis of her confession at a coroner's inquest late yesterday.

Largest U. S. Plane on Trip

SAN JUAN, Puerto Rico, Aug. 17.—The Brazilian Clipper, America's largest airplane, on its maiden voyage to South America with a distinguished passenger list, left here at 7 a. m. today, en route to British Guiana.



Whose Brown Derby?

What Indianapolis man will be crowned with the BROWN DERBY at the Indiana State Fair on Sept. 6?

What man will win the plaque that goes with the derby?

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5 VOTES—BROWN DERBY BALLOT—5 VOTES

To the Editor of The Times:

Please crown _____ with the Brown Derby as Indianapolis' most distinguished citizen.

10,000 CELEBRATE ASSUMPTION FEAST

Holy Rosary Church Will End Fiesta Tonight.

Feast of the Assumption was celebrated by more than 10,000 persons last night at Holy Rosary Catholic church. The observance opened Wednesday and will close tonight. Eliminations in the Italian costume contest were held and the winners will be chosen tonight. Father Ambrose Sullivan, pastor, is conducting the festa.

PRINCETON MOURNS FOR BARTENDER DEAD AT 84

Secret of Famed Student Drink Dies With Mallory.

PRINCETON N. J. Aug. 17.—The secret of a drink famous among Princeton university undergraduates for forty years and now a college legend, was lost forever today with the death of George B. Mallory, its originator and jealous guardian.

Mr. Mallory, 84, died last night while vacationing at the Delaware Water Gap. For forty years prior to prohibition he was bartender at the Nassau Inn tap room favorite rendezvous of Princeton students.

\$600 DOG POISONED, POLICE BEGIN PROBE

Pet's Loss Second Suffered by Owner in 2 Months.

Police today were probing the poisoning of a German short-haired pointer dog, valued at \$600, yesterday at the home of William Jarrett, 5941 Central avenue. Sixty days ago, another dog of the same breed, owned by Mr. Jarrett, was poisoned. The dogs were penned in the backyard.

CHEVROLET CO. HEAD INSPECTS PLANT IN CITY

President M. E. Coyle Is Busy Man, Reporter Discovers.

"Industry is a simple formula of buying commodity and labor, fabricating a product and selling above cost," said M. E. Coyle, pleasant, hard-working president of Chevrolet Motor Car Corporation, visiting here today.

An energetic, soft-spoken executive who has a complete grasp of his company's activities by personal inspection, Mr. Coyle visited the offices of the Chevrolet Commercial Body Division, 1100 West Henry street.

Asked to predict the future of the automotive industry, Mr. Coyle smiled and said, "It is almost impossible to prophesy correctly the future. Industry has new standards and problems. However, I may say that our business for 1934 was above that of 1932 and 1933 and probably will top that of 1931."

Mr. Coyle carefully went into various phases of the industry supplying from an accurate memory details that would escape the ordinary person.

His day is longer that that of the laborer, for Mr. Coyle worked late last night interviewing local Chevrolet officials and was up for breakfast at 7 today for inspection of the Henry street plant.

Later today he will stop on his way to Detroit at a sales meeting at Lake Wauvase, where he will join W. E. Haller, vice-president and general manager, and E. W. Berger, Indianapolis zone manager.

ENTERTAINS RETAILERS



G. Fred Wiedman

As president of the Associated Retailers of Indiana, G. Fred Wiedman, South Bend, will aid in entertainment of representatives from all parts of the country attending the convention here tomorrow and Sunday of executives of the Retail Merchants Association.

FAKE LOTTERIES ARE REPORTED IN MIDWEST

Bogus Sweepstakes Fleecing Hundreds, Officials Bare.

RENO, Nev., Aug. 17.—Hundreds of persons in the midwest are being fleeced of thousands of dollars in fake lotteries and sweepstakes, officials revealed today.

Revelation that bunco men were operating in the midwest came when Police Chief Jack Kirkley received queries from persons in Ohio and Missouri asking for results of drawings in the fake lotteries. The lotteries were supposed to be operated in Reno.

BYRD, FEARING DEATH, WROTE GOOD-BY NOTES

Admiral, Isolated in Snow Hut, Still Weak, Rescuers Say.

By United Press

LITTLE AMERICA, Antarctica, Aug. 17.—(Via Mackay Radio.)—Fearing that he faced slow death isolated in his hut 123 miles out on the Ross Ice Barrier in the blackness of the South Polar winter night, Rear Admiral Richard E. Byrd wrote letters to his family and friends, bidding them farewell, messages from his rescuers revealed today.

Admiral Byrd conserved his strength as much as possible, after being poisoned by kerosene stove fumes, collected all the food he could carry from his cache at the end of a tunnel in the snow, and settled down to keep himself alive as long as possible.

It took him hours a day to eat, the messages showed, as his strength would permit him to eat only a little at a time. He lived on powdered milk, hydrated with melted snow, and canned corn, tomatoes, turnip tops, cereal and lemon powder. The lemon powder was taken to prevent scurvy. Occasionally, Byrd ate some frozen seal meat or beef lying outside his hut.

When the rescue party arrived last week, Byrd had written a number of farewell letters, and had written a note to a possible post mortem rescue party, which he left on his table.

But despite his illness and weakness, Admiral Byrd took meteorological records, which will give new data on winter conditions on the barrier.

Dr. Thomas C. Poulter, leader of the rescue party, wired that it would be some time before Byrd re-

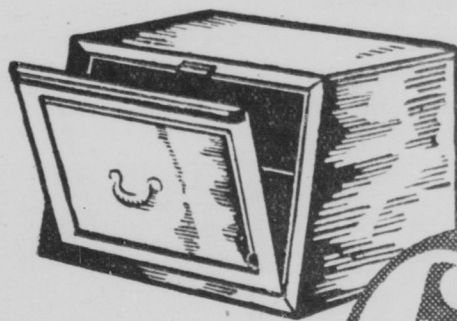
gained his strength. Byrd had reached the limit of his endurance, Dr. Poulter reported. Except when he was writing, taking meteorological recordings or eating, he remained in his bunk.

Parked Car Looted of Clothing H. B. Leath, 1260 Reiser street, reported to police that thieves today stole clothing valued at \$15 from his car parked at 16 West Washington street.

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WARSHIP LAUNCHED AT PHILADELPHIA YARDS

U. S. S. Tuscaloosa, Heavy Cruiser, Goes Into Service.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 17.—Uncle Sam's newest and most up-to-date heavy cruiser, the U. S. S. Tuscaloosa, was commissioned today at the navy yard.

The cruiser has a main battery of nine eight-inch guns and a secondary battery of eight five-inch and eight anti-aircraft guns. She is 588 feet long and carries 807 officers and men.

The Tuscaloosa, fifteenth of eighteen cruisers of the 10,000-ton class allowed the United States under the 1929 London treaty, was built at a cost of \$10,500,000.

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Weather Note:

"It looks like a long Hot Summer!"

... and We Have Lots of C-o-o-l Summer Frocks

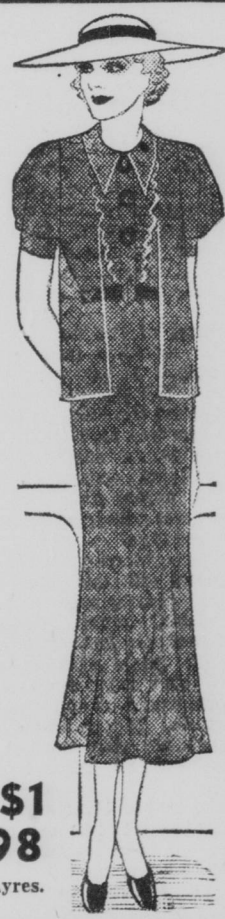
Greatly Reduced!

\$2.95

Summer is over for us, but you will have at least six weeks of HOT weather in which to wear these cool frocks. Most of them are adorable lace dresses that you can wear quite late—for every hour of the day. Broken sizes.

40 Women's Frocks, \$1
121 Junior Frocks, \$1.98

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Need a hat to finish out the summer? If so, here's your grand opportunity. Nearly any style you might want is in these three groups—all formerly priced much higher.

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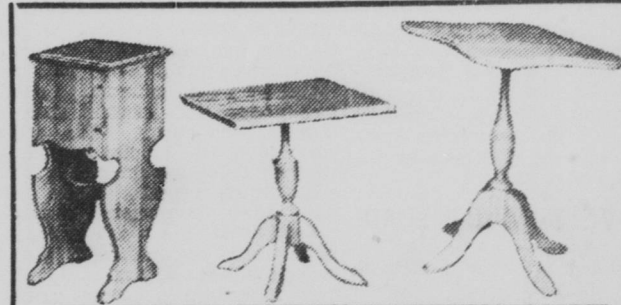
For Comfort and Style!

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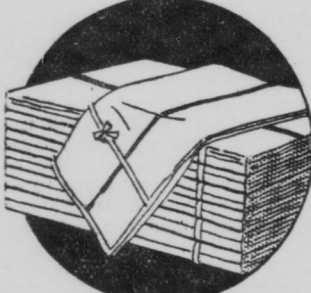


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