

## THIEF TAKES HORSE TO REACH CHICKENS HE WANTS TO GET

Police Arrest John Ellis on Suspicion After Chase by Armed Farmers Aroused by Cackles.

Somebody stole a horse to steal some chickens.

John Ellis, colored, alias John Mitchell, was arrested today on suspicion. He is suspected of taking a horse and buggy belonging to Everett Gilmer, colored, 612 South Twelfth street, and sixteen chickens from Harry Chamberlain, manager of the O. E. Fulghum farm on the National road, half way between Richmond and Centerville.

The thief made a successful escape after being pursued by Chamberlain, his two sons and J. A. Jenkins, a neighbor, in an automobile, but the police believe they have in Ellis the man who figured in the affair. Ellis served eleven years in the reformatory for chicken stealing, and he resided with Patrick Taylor, colored, 612 South Thirteenth street, close to the Gilmer home.

The police assert that after Ellis broke into the Gilmer barn last night and took the horse and buggy he had begun to fill the second coop the fowls began to raise a chorus of protest which awakened Chamberlain. The thief becoming alarmed, did not finish the job of looting the chicken yard but jumped into the buggy and drove rapidly toward Richmond. Chamberlain got out his automobile, summoned his two sons and Mr. Jenkins and took up the chase. All the men were armed.

At the corner of West Seventh and Main streets the stolen horse and the fugitive chicken thief fell and the man at once took to his heels, succeeding in eluding his pursuers by cutting across lots.

When the police were notified of the affair they at once suspected Ellis.

When an officer called at the Taylor home Ellis met him, but asserted he had not been out of the house. A woman living in the neighborhood told the officer she had seen Ellis enter the Taylor home about 4:30 a. m., and he was at once placed under arrest.

The horse was not badly hurt by its fall. All the stolen chickens were recovered.

## MRS. STACKLEHER SUES FOR DIVORCE

Mrs. Stackleher fulfilled her promise made in police court July 6, that she would immediately take steps to divorce her husband, Julius M. Stackleher, after he had created a family scene July 4, threatening his wife and children and police officers with a shotgun.

Mrs. Stackleher entered suit against her husband in circuit court. She charges him with cruel treatment and failure to provide, alleging that he spent the money he earned the last two years for intoxicating liquor.

The Stackleher had a Christmas wedding, according to the divorce complaint. They were married December 25, 1908, and separated July 4, 1914, using the two principal holidays of the year for the big events of their lives.

Mrs. Stackleher asks for the custody of four children, Carl, 19; Fred, 15; Lester, 8, and Hazel, 4. Alimony is not asked.

## TANGO CAUSES NEGROES TO FAIL

NEW ORLEANS, July 18.—Every one of 109 negroes who sought teachers' certificates here failed in examination. Educators in charge of the examination blame the insidious influence of the tango.

## FLYERS READY FOR ATLANTIC FLIGHT



Satisfied that the trans-Atlantic flyer, America, is nearing perfection, Lieutenant J. C. Porte her skipper, has set August 10 as the date for starting the across-the-ocean flight. The aircraft will be shipped to Newfoundland August 1, arriving there August 5. Before the flight is started many trials of the new type of seaplane bottom, recently constructed for the America, will be made.

## Men Who Loom Large in Mexico



Left to right: General Villa; upper picture, Provisional President Carranza; lower picture, General Blanco. General Carranza.

There will be no change in the attitude or the movements of the Constitutionalists because of the resignation of Huerta and the accession of Carranza and Villa, depends on the unconditional surrender of the Mexican forces under the new provisional president. General Blanco says that there is absolutely no reason to believe that such a surrender will be made by Carranza.

## LATE MARKET NEWS

CHICAGO GRAIN  
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WHEAT	Open.	Close.
July	79 3/4	79 3/4
September	79 3/4	79 3/4
December	82	81 3/4

CORN	Open.	Close.
July	70	69 3/4
September	67 1/2	66 3/4
December	56 1/2	56

OATS	Open.	Close.
July	36 1/2	36 1/2
September	35	34 3/4
December	34 1/2	34 1/2

## NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS

	Open.	Close.
Amalgamated Copper	69	69 1/2
American Smelter	66	66 1/2
U. S. Steel	59 3/4	60 3/4
Atchafalaya	93 1/2	94
St. Paul	98	98
Great Northern	121 1/2	121 1/2
High Valley	136	136 1/2
N. Y. Central	84 3/4	85 1/2
Northern Pacific	108 1/2	109
Pennsylvania	110	110 3/4
Reading	160 1/2	161 1/2
Southern Pacific	95 3/4	96
Union Pacific	156 3/4	157 1/2

## CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, July 18.—Hogs: Receipts 10,000, market shade lower, top price \$9.10, bulk of sales \$8.80-\$8.95. Cattle: Receipts 200, market steady, beefs \$7.80-\$8.00, calves \$9.50-\$10.50. Sheep: Receipts 3,000, natives and westerns \$3.50-\$6.00, lambs \$6.00-\$8.00.

## PITTSBURG LIVESTOCK

PITTSBURG, July 18.—Cattle: Supply light, market steady, choice beefs \$9.45-\$9.65, tidy butchers \$8.00-\$8.50, veal calves \$10.50-\$11.00. Sheep and lambs: Supply light, market slow, prime sheep \$5.90-\$6.00, lambs \$6.00-\$8.50. Hogs: Receipts light, market \$5 higher, prime heavies \$9.30-\$9.35, pigs \$9.45.

## CINCINNATI LIVESTOCK

CINCINNATI, July 18.—Cattle: Receipts 100, market steady, calves \$5.00-\$10.75. Hogs: Receipts 1,200, market steady, top prices \$9.15. Sheep: Receipts 2,000, lambs \$5.00-\$8.25.

## INDIANAPOLIS LIVESTOCK

INDIANAPOLIS, July 18.—Hogs: Receipts 5,500, market strong, tops \$9.10, bulk of sales \$9.00. Cattle: Receipts 350, choice steers \$9.25-\$9.90, other grades \$8.75-\$9.35. Sheep and lambs: Receipts 350, market 25 to 50c lower, prime sheep \$4.00-\$4.25, lambs \$5.00-\$7.75.

## INDIANAPOLIS GRAIN

INDIANAPOLIS, July 18.—Wheat, cash No. 2 red 79 1/2; cash No. 3 white 77; oats, cash No. 2 white 38 1/2.

## TOLEDO GRAIN

TOLEDO, July 18.—Cash grain: Wheat 81; corn 73 1/2; oats 39 1/2; cloverseed, cash \$8.65.

## RICHMOND MARKET

LIVE STOCK  
(Corrected daily by Anton Stolla. Phone 1316).  
HOGS.  
Primes (average 200 lbs.) per 100 lbs. \$8.65, heavy mixed, per 100 lbs. \$7.00-\$7.25; roughs, per 100 lbs. \$5.50-\$6.00; light \$8.15-\$8.20.

Choice steers, per lb. 7 1/4c to 8 1/4c; butcher steers, per lb. 7 1/4c, cows, per lb. 3 1/4c to 6 1/4c; bulls, per lb. 5 1/4c to 6 1/4c; choice veal calves, per lb. 9c to 9 1/2c.

## PRODUCE

(Corrected daily by Ed Cooper. Phone 2577).  
Old chickens, dressed, paying 20 to 22c.

## FEED QUOTATIONS

Timothy hay, paying \$16.  
Straw, paying \$5.  
Oats, paying 37c.  
Corn, paying 72c.

## GRAIN MARKET

Corrected daily by Richmond Roller Mills. Phone 2719.  
Wheat, paying 73c, oats paying 35c; corn, paying 75c; rye, paying 55c; bran, selling 28c; middlings, selling 30c.

## FISH AND SEA FOOD

(Corrected by Richmond Fish Market, Phone 1536).  
Fresh fish—Whitefish 20c lb; pike 20c lb; boneless herring 15c lb; Spanish mackerel 25c lb; lake trout 15c lb; large pickerel 15c lb; small pickerel 15c lb; perch 15c lb; white bass 15c lb; catfish 15c lb; halibut 20c lb; salmon 20c lb.  
Frogs—Live and dressed 35c apiece.  
Spiced fish—Sardines 75c bucket.  
Turkeys—Live 12c lb; dressed 20c lb.  
Salt fish—Holland herring 3 for 10c, salted mackerel 5 to 25c apiece.

## COAL MARKET.

(Corrected daily by Hackman, Klefeth Co., Phone, 2015).  
Anthracite nut, \$8.30; Anthracite No. 4 and egg, \$8.05; Pocahontas lump or egg, \$5.25; Pocahontas mine run, \$4.25; Pocahontas slack, \$4.00; Jackson lump or egg, \$5.75; Winifrede, \$4.75; Jewel, \$5.00; Hocking Valley, \$4.50.

## WHITMAN PUTS T. R. IN ANNINIAS CLUB



"I emphatically deny Colonel Theodore Roosevelt's statement that I wrote a letter denouncing Mr. Barnes, which he claims to have seen," said District Attorney Whitman of New York in an interview. "The colonel says sadly in reference to my having addressed any letter to the so-called Whitman League. I am ignorant of the existence of such a league."

## GRAVEL ROAD LAW PUZZLE TO BOARD

Action of Property Owners in Remonstrating Worries County Body.

The county commissioners want advice.

Their question is: What is the real attitude of the people toward the three-mile-gravel-road law and when does the public want improvement which it knows it must pay for?

The commissioners are the butt of complaints regarding every improvement which has ever been made through them. In the case of the three-mile-road law, they cannot, however, use their own judgment in ordering improvements but "on petition of fifty resident freeholders, the county commissioners must order the said improvement" to use the word of the law.

Singularly, the commissioners find that the ones who complain the most before the improvement is made are loudest in its praise after it is paid for and the advantages are seen. In the case of a resident of Twenty-third street however, it is found that one of the petitioners is also a remonstrator.

The remonstrance which was filed against the Twenty-third street improvement, petitioned for two weeks ago, is unusual. Not only do many residents express their disfavor of the improvement in question, but they remonstrate against all future improvements until the present improvements are paid for.

Such an unusual attitude on the part of the public is what puzzles the commissioners. Unless the remonstrance is stronger than the petition, they must order the improvement. The commissioners went over the two papers today.

The commissioners, Linderman, Anderson and Doddridge are practically firm in their decision that paving in the future will be brick unless the concrete roads which are under construction prove very satisfactory. If a way could be found in reason, the commissioners in their discussion of the question today expressed their favor of leaving the matter to a vote of the entire township but as no such plan could be made practicable, such will not be attempted.

## DEMOCRATS REFUSE TO ACCEPT JONES

WASHINGTON, July 18.—That a caucus would be held to force the nomination of Thomas D. Jones, as a member of the federal reserve board, became evident when a number of Democratic senators declared they would not enter such a caucus.

Senator Reed, of Missouri, who is opposed to Jones, said: "I am not a rebel against my party, but I have never heard of making a confirmation the subject of caucus action. Always in both parties, confirmations have been considered as matter of conscience and this nomination should be considered in that category."

Senator Kern, Democrat, of Indiana, said that there would be no conference today and that he did not know when one would be held, if ever. Kern appeared more than a little nettled over the increasing publicity which the Jones case is attracting.

## MACK ASKS CANVASS OF FARM BODY

Harry B. Macy, at an informal meeting of the Farming board urged the necessity of making a thorough canvass of the different townships to secure new members of the association. He suggested to the directors that they pledge five dollars for each township the money to be raised by new memberships. Mr. Macy spoke of the necessity for keeping the members interested in the work the association is trying to accomplish.

## WRECK KILLS TWO

NASHVILLE, Tenn., July 18.—Two persons were killed and three injured in a wreck on the Tennessee Central railroad today.

## MRS. BELMONT SEEKS WOMAN LECTURER



MISS ROSE SCHNEIDERMAN.

Miss Rose Schneiderman, vice president of the Women's Trade Union League, is one of the women prominent in various reform movements throughout the country now is the guest of Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont at her summer estate here where the Political Equality Association is holding its conference. Mrs. Schneiderman has delivered several short addresses at the meetings.

## STOCK TO OPEN

The Jack Lewis Stock company, which filled a summer engagement at the Murray theatre last year, will open Monday evening, July 27, at the local playhouse. The offering for the first week will be, "The Invaders." The company has ten members.

## MAY ASK RECEIVER

USLSA, Okla., July 18.—It was announced that a petition would be filed Monday at Oklahoma asking for the appointment of receivers for the properties of the Texas company and Producers' Oil company.

## SEPARATE TWINS.

PARIS, July 18.—The French Siam "twins", Maria Anna and Ann Maria, who have been joined together by a ligament at the base of the vertebrae ing away a stock of revolvers, as usual, are doing nicely.

## S. S. TO PICNIC

The Sunday school of the Reid Memorial Presbyterian church will form a picnic party at Glen Miller park Wednesday afternoon and evening. All members of the church are invited to attend.

## 220 Trains Passing Each Day Make City Railroad Center

Richmond is the largest railroad center in the Middle West in proportion to the population of the city.

Statistics compiled from the figures in the railroad officials show that a large number of passenger and freight trains arrive and depart from the local station than any city of like size in the entire Middle West. Although a large number of the trains have been taken off the Pennsylvania and the C. & O. railroads.

Station Master Mayhew estimates that 6,000 persons are transferred through the Richmond depot every day. He also estimates the number of persons passing through the city, including the number transferred from one division of the road to another, at over 10,000. This is more than one third the entire population of the city.

## 400 Transfer Here.

There are four divisions of the Pennsylvania centered about Richmond, which accounts for the large number of transfers that are required to come through Richmond enroute to their destinations. Besides these divisions, the C. & O., which is a direct route to the southern states, brings many people through the city. It is estimated that about 400 persons are transferred from the C. & O. to the Pennsylvania and likewise from the Pennsylvania to the C. & O. each day.

These figures, according to Station Master Mayhew are conservative and based on the business which the railroad is handling at the present time. In autumn and spring a much larger business is done and these figures would have to be greatly augmented.

The G. R. & I. division of the Pennsylvania is handling the greatest

amount of transportation business at the present time in proportion to the other divisions' regular amount of traffic. This is due to the fact that the G. R. & I. is the only direct route to the resorts of Northern Michigan to which thousands of tourists go every summer. Tourists from the Indianapolis and the Cincinnati divisions are all transferred at Richmond to the G. R. & I. division for the northern lakes and every day during the summer months hundreds of vacationists pass through the city enroute to their summer homes.

## Freight on Increase.

The freight traffic is beginning to increase steadily and a marked difference in the number of trains passing through this city has been noticed the past week. At the present time, a larger number of trains are going west than east, taking empty freight cars to be filled with the western crops and sent back again to the eastern markets. Because of the pivotal position of Richmond a large amount of freight transferring is done. The C. & O. railroad also has a large freight business through Richmond, but most of the trains are through freights enroute from the southern states to Chicago and then to the west, where they will be loaded and sent back. The freight business on the C. & O. through Richmond is much larger in proportion to the passenger traffic.

According to Pennsylvania railroad officials business is gradually picking up again after a slump of several months and it is probable that in the early fall several additional trains will be put on the divisions out of Richmond. The freight department is beginning to feel the effects of the immense crops of the west, although the bulk of this business will not be done until the middle of August.

## COFFIN SELLS 186 ACRES FOR \$17,500

Real estate transfers this week were a little increased over last week in general. One unusual sale was recorded. It was the transfer of the 186-acre farm of William H. Coffin to Mattie C. Myers for \$17,500. The big farm is located in Clay township.

Mr. Coffin has not been operating it himself but lives in Spiceland. The transfers for the week follow.

War. Deed—Dickinson Trust Co. to Jennie Myers \$198. Lot 33 Highland Terrace, Richmond.

War. Deed—Herman F. Pilgrim to Charles H. Hirschfeld \$1. South one-half lot 23 in Lamb and Boswells add, Richmond.

War. Deed—James A. Stephenson to Harry L. Stephenson et al. \$1. West one-half N. E. 27-15-1. Con. 80 acres.

War. Deed—Angeline McDivitt to William T. Crowe \$5,000. Pt. lots 36 and 29 in Oliver Kinsey's add. Richmond.

War. Deed—Samuel Myers to Joshua and Cora E. Brown \$6,000. Pt. 14-1-1 and Pt. N. E. 15-1-1. Con. 58 acres.

War. Deed—Harry E. Ledbetter to Nora C. Holthouse \$1. Lot 33 P. V. Washburn's add. Richmond.

War. Deed—Nora C. Holthouse to Rose H. Ledbetter \$1. Lot 33 P. V. Washburn's add. Richmond.

War. Deed—Thos. Maher to Emma Frese \$150. Pt. S. E. 4-1-1.

## News Notes from Colored Circles

Miss Julia Griffin of Kokomo, and Mrs. Blanche Turner of Anderson, were in the city a few days this week the guests of Mrs. Edith Lerels. While here they attended the wedding of Miss Myrtle Baker and Mr. Walter Polk of this city.

Winning Miss Myrtle Baker whose marriage to Mr. Walter Polk took place Wednesday, July 15th, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dennis entertained the bridal party at a 9 o'clock luncheon Tuesday evening at Patterson Cafe.

T. C. Carr of Dayton, was in the city Wednesday to attend the Baker-Polk wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Hansen entertained at 9 o'clock breakfast Friday morning at their home on South Ninth street. Mrs. Blanche Turner of Anderson, Mrs. Julia Griffin of Kokomo, and Mrs. Edith Lerels of this city.

Little Verdayne and Marshall Wilson of Cincinnati, will be the guests of their mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Wilson of South Ninth street, for a few weeks this summer.

Mrs. Mary Rhodes and Miss Esther Fife of Richmond, Ky., are the guests of the former's daughter Mrs. Edward Coy of South Ninth street.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mathews of North street, entertained a few friends at their home in honor of Mrs. Julia Griffin of Kokomo, and Mrs. Blanche Turner of Anderson, house guests of Mrs. Edith Lerels Thursday evening. Dainty refreshments were served.

Mrs. Lincoln Blythe was hostess for a meeting of the Ladies Art club Wednesday afternoon at her home on Southwest Third street. Following the business meeting and program refreshments were served.

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