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MAGISTRATE TO WAR ON WIFE DESERTERS

Norway Will Take Drastic Action To Curb Rum-Ruining

GRAYDON TO WAR ON DESERTERS

London Magistrate Promises Term in Prison For Wayward Husbands
TOO MANY HEARD Prisoner Today Sent to Jail For Week on Charge.

Stringent methods will be exacted in future in an effort to put an end to wife desertion, according to a statement made by Magistrate Graydon in police court today.

The London court was in neglectful husbands will not be limited to wife desertion alone, however. Men who marry and bring children into the world and then desert them to become objects of charity will receive no leniency from me in future, his worship declared.

"I am going to stop all these men so far as I am able, and reformatory sentences seem to be the only way to do it," he continued.

During the past few months as many as five cases of wife desertion and failure to provide necessities have been brought to the local police court. In each instance the husband has been found guilty, but pleaded that he was ignorant of the law and the penalty for such a crime.

A mother and wife gave testimony in police court this morning against Willis R. Hackett, colored, charged with failing to provide his family with the necessities of life.

He was arrested in Hamilton yesterday by Detective Thomas Bollen. Hackett wept when Magistrate Graydon informed him that he would be convicted.

"Please, your honor, I've had a hard time of it for the past three months," he said. "I want to do the right thing now. I never had enough money to live on."

Mrs. Hackett declared that her husband had left her destitute with five children ranging in age from nine to thirteen. She had been kept by the city of Sarnia while her husband went to Hamilton.

"When I wrote to him for all he only wrote back saying that the cops were so stiff they could never catch him."

"I hope they give you fifty years," she whispered to her husband as she passed the prison bar at the conclusion of her evidence.

Magistrate Graydon remanded Hackett to jail for one week.

"A statement of the facts is all that you deserve," he declared. "This practice of wife desertion and leaving a family destitute has got to stop, and there is only one way to do it."

OTTAWA PHYSICIAN IS SOUGHT BY RELATIVES

Canadian Press Despatch.
Toronto, Jan. 17.—Relatives of Dr. P. H. Powell, prominent Ottawa physician, are making widespread inquiries in an endeavor to locate him. On the morning of Jan. 6 Dr. Powell, who has practiced his profession in the capital city for thirty years, left the Toronto home of his brother-in-law, Douglas Farmer, taking with him his luggage, going to the union station, where he checked his trunks.

He was believed to have left for Ottawa, but since that date no trace of him has been discovered.

FORMER MAIL CLERK IS NABBED IN \$10,000 HOLDUP

Associated Press Despatch.
Baltimore, Md., Jan. 17.—James W. Cadogan, 23, formerly a mail clerk, was arrested at Lynbrook, N. Y., late last night charged with the robbery of a mail train.

For Tuesday night of a Long Island mail train. Cadogan, after his arrest, confessed to the robbery, according to Nassau county police who made the arrest.

The police recovered \$9,500 of the \$10,000 currency shipment which was stolen from the mail car. Details of the arrest were not disclosed.

GIBBONS NEXT CHAMP

Associated Press Despatch.
St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 17.—If Jack Dempsey, world's heavyweight boxer, wins his fight next May with Tommy Gibbons of St. Paul, Minn., he will claim that honor.

Gibbons last night declared his long time champion status, and his fight with Dempsey at Shelby, Mont., July 4, 1923, in which he stayed the bout, entitled him to first consideration for the ring's highest crown.

REPORT HENRY FORD TO BUY DEFUNCT NICKEL CONCERN

Canadian Press Despatch.
Ottawa, Jan. 16.—According to a publication in the Citizen this afternoon, interest associated with Henry Ford have made an offer for the extensive and valuable holdings of the British American Nickel Corporation, which formerly operated plants at Deschênes, Que., and Sudbury, Ont. The corporation went into liquidation some months ago.

Word reached the newspaper through a well known Toronto business man.



SHADES OF WATERWORKS FIGHT.

As a climax to the waterworks fight between the province and the town of Forest, a whole new council favoring the waterworks was returned in the recent election. Included in the picture are: Front row, left to right—Reeve Robert Hair, Major Robert Cope, Clerk William English. Middle row—Councillors Marshall Rumford, Arthur Dunlop, Emerson Burney. Back row—Councillors John McPherson, Duncan Whyte, Joseph Duncan.

JAZZLAND THAT TURNED GIRL INTO SLAYER TO BE PROBED

Three Children Burn To Death

Associated Press Despatch.
Keweenaw, Minn., Jan. 17.—The three children of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Menick were burned to death in a fire which destroyed their home near here yesterday.

Fire of undetermined origin started while the mother was absent from the house, a three-room tar-papered structure.

Hearing the cries of the children, rescuers made frantic efforts to reach them, but when they finally managed to pull out a body, nothing but the blackened forms of the youngsters met their gaze.

The children were burned to a crisp.

WOMAN ATTORNEY WILL CONDUCT PROSECUTION AT TRIAL OF DOROTHY ELLINGSON.

FACES LIFE TERM

Age of Confessed Girl Murderer Will Not Permit Capital Punishment.

Special to The Advertiser.
San Francisco, Jan. 17.—A woman will prosecute Dorothy Ellingson, 16-year-old "jazz-mania" victim, for the murder of her mother, Mrs. Annie Ellingson.

District Attorney Matthew Brady today selected Miss Theresa Melky, his only woman assistant, to take charge of the prosecution.

She will be tried in superior court on a capital charge.

A sweeping federal probe of the booze parties that Dorothy attended and announcements that a board of township school boards as the board of the girl, were developments today in the case.

Sleuths Get Busy.

Captain of Detectives Duncan Mathewson announced that he would agree to the naming of a board composed of two alienists selected by the state, two by the defence, and the city physician, to observe the girl.

Federal prohibition authorities requested from the police information they obtained in their round-up of Dorothy's associates as the basis of a general probe of the "jazzland" which the girl lived in.

Dorothy slept late yesterday.

Police routine was dispensed with in her case. Police Master Sullivan, who has her in charge, declined to awaken her.

She said that the girl did not go to sleep until midnight, although she had been routed out at 4 o'clock in the morning before and subjected to a tiresome 12-hour grilling yesterday.

She remained calm, though, until she went to sleep," Mrs. Sullivan said. "But she was less talkative. She seemed to be thinking, but gave no signs of breaking down."

Still Loves Light.

In fact she was still the "life of the party," and continued to get the same "big kick" out of life that characterized her jazz path to a prison cell.

Twelve hours of questioning and posing found her ready to continue yesterday when police orders shut off further interviews. Only when her father and brother visited her in her cell—both sternly accusing her—did her sangfroid break.

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IMPORTANT DECISION AWAITED

Judge Macbeth Will Settle Where Liquor From Prescription May Be Consumed.

CLAIMED ANYWHERE

Counsel Seeks Advice From Magistrate Jelfs on Ruling.

A decision of the utmost importance as far as the O. T. A. is concerned is expected from County Judge Talbot Macbeth during the next few days.

His honor will decide whether or not liquor prescribed by a physician can be imbibed any place at all.

Howard Cliff, who defended a local merchant in police court, who was charged with drinking liquor in his store, maintains that his client had a right to drink the liquor anywhere, as it had been prescribed as medicine.

Mr. Cliff wrote to Magistrate Jelfs of Hamilton asking his opinion in the matter, and has received a reply from the magistrate, a recognized authority on the O. T. A., which states that as long as a man obtains the liquor on a doctor's prescription he can drink all he wants in any public place and cannot be prosecuted, provided the liquor is for medicinal purposes and he does not permit others to consume any of it.

Mr. Cliff states that should Judge Macbeth decide against his client he will ask for a recommendation for appeal to the appellate court.

WORLD'S DANGER ZONE TRANSFERRED TO ASIA

British Asiatic Squadron Will Be Strengthened Soon by Additional Ships.

By J. E. POOLE.
Special Cable to The Advertiser.
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London, Jan. 17.—A significant indication of the transference of the world's danger zone to the Asian seas, as seen in the important changes in the distribution of the British naval power which have just been announced.

Within the next few months, following the shifting of the center of British naval gravity from the North Sea to the Mediterranean, the cruiser Vindictive goes to the China station replacing a much lighter vessel, while the East Indian squadron will be entirely reconstituted, three large new cruisers—the Effingham, the Emerald and the Enterprise—replacing the present 4,000-ton war craft there.

At the same time it is interesting to note that Australia has called for tenders for two new 10,000-ton cruisers of the Kent class, which will work with the British fleet in Australian waters. It is also the intention of Australia to build other cruisers.

OLD M. C. R. BRIDGE TO BE DISMANTLED

United States Authorities Refuse To Allow Retention of Bridge.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Niagara Falls, Ont., Jan. 17.—A definite refusal to permit the retention of the present M. C. R. bridge was received from the United States war department.

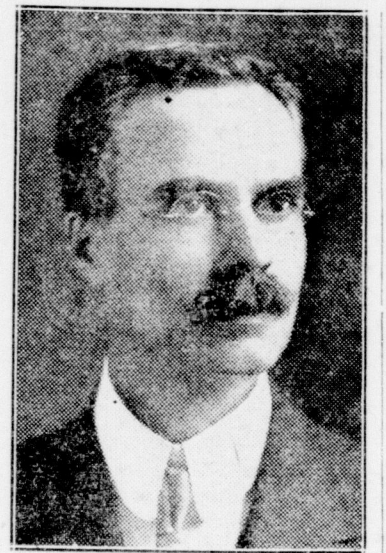
A movement was favored by the chairman of committee on both sides of the river to have the bridge left in place, erected. The argument was used that such a bridge used for vehicular traffic would relieve congestion during the summer.

PROHIBITION CHIEFTAIN MAY QUIT POST SOON

Associated Press Despatch.
Washington, Jan. 17.—Retirement of Roy A. Haynes of Ohio as prohibition commissioner at an early date was indicated at the White House. President Coolidge has given little attention to a successor to Mr. Haynes, pending disposition by congress of legislation to place prohibition enforcement in an independent bureau. It is understood, however, that Arthur Woods, former police commissioner of New York, has been suggested to the president for appointment to the place.

SKATING PARTY.

The junior school boys of the Y. M. C. A. are having a skating party at Victoria rink this afternoon. There are 25 boys in the party. W. H. Spearman is in charge.



PROF. J. B. REYNOLDS, of the O. A. C., who declared that rural children must be taught the value of farm life if the agricultural industry was to be maintained at its present status in an address before the county school trustees last night.

NEW PLAN WOULD CUT SCHOOL COST

Rural Figures Are Alarmingly High, Dr. Karr Tells Middlesex Trustees.

Dr. Karr, director of rural schools organization in Ontario, speaking today to the Middlesex rural school trustees' association in the Normal school, made the statement that costs in Ontario of rural school education were altogether too high, and advocated township school boards as the only solution of the evil.

He gave official figures to show that in Ontario in 177 rural schools, with five or fewer pupils, the cost per annum per pupil was \$248.32, an appalling figure, he declared. In 391 rural schools, with fewer than ten pupils each, the cost per pupil each year was \$155, also too high a figure.

At the conclusion of his address, a sparkling discussion arose on the merits of the present school section boards in operation there would be a saving in schools, and in teachers, as these boards would have the necessary power to concentrate pupils in schools where they could be most economically educated.

He criticized the present section school board, and stated that in the most modern of the section schools, the cost per pupil was \$155.

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PROFESSOR WOULD CONTINUE TESTS ON CONDEMNED MEN

H. H. Dean Sticks to Theory of Turning Over Murderers to Scientists.

PAY FOR CRIME

Believes Experiments Should Be Made Until Prisoner Dies.

Professor H. H. Dean, of the dairy department of the O. A. C., who is in London this week in connection with the dairyman's convention, told The Advertiser that he still sticks to his guns in regard to using condemned men as subjects for experiments by scientists.

"I look at it this way," he said. "A condemned man is already dead, as far as the state is concerned, so why should we not make use of him. There is nothing to be gained for anyone by hanging or electrocuting him. That benefits no one. My plan to use him as a subject for experimentation is at least useful and constructive. The death sentence is nothing more than destructive."

"For instance, down at Guilford we have a few students who are just now using butter with certain quantities of preservative in it, just to prove what effects preservative will have on the human body. The difficulty is that we have to be so careful not to use a dangerous amount of preservative that the experiments lose greatly in value. Now, if we had condemned men to experiment on, we would not face that restriction."

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NORWEGIAN RUM SHIPS UNDER BAN

Drastic Action To Prevent the Illicit Trade Planned by Oslo Government.

WARNING ISSUED

Vessels Caught in U. S. Waters Not To Get Any Protection.

Associated Press Despatch.
Oslo, Norway, Jan. 17.—The Norwegian government is considering legislation to prevent the participation of Norwegian vessels in rum-running trade to the United States. The foreign office, through its legation in Washington has obtained the names of ten Norwegian vessels identified as among those on rum run and the list has been sent to the ship owners' association and ministry of justice for further action.

The ship owners' association, already had cautioned masters against rum-running, warning that it would refuse assistance to vessels running foul of the United States laws and the government has also issued a warning that vessels caught in United States waters would not receive the support of this country's official representatives.

While the government is seeking a suitable form of legislation which would give the greatest assistance to the United States authorities, the experts on international maritime law are doubtful whether any very helpful formula can be found which does not clash with the theory of freedom of the seas, and the fact that carrying liquor outside United States territorial waters is not illegal.

SLAPPING AS REVENGE HAS BIG POSSIBILITIES

Comment Is Lively Over Woman's Retort to Mrs. Snowden's Criticism.

Associated Press Despatch.
London, Jan. 17.—Mrs. Philip Snowden's criticism of Ramsay MacDonald as leader of the British Labor party, as reported in a speech made in Montreal by the wife of the former chancellor of the exchequer, and the outspoken comment thereon by Miss Eileen Wilkinson, the only woman member of the House of Commons, who has referred to Mrs. Snowden as "the woman who wants to slap the face of the nation," has attracted considerable attention in the newspapers here.

One paper says Miss Wilkinson's suggestion of "slapping" might lead to the simplest and most effective method in parliament if it became an established form of political retaliation. For instance, an ardent Labor leader, Mr. J. H. Thomas, former minister of health, might take offense at something said by Austen Chamberlain, foreign secretary, and tear old Mr. Chamberlain's famous monocle from his position of usefulness and ornamentation.

The Morning Post has taken a keen interest in Mrs. Snowden's criticism of the former Labor leader, and on the outset of the publication thereof and has made more than one comment on it. The Post today finds room in its leading editorial to refer to the matter. The editorial is headed: "Miss Wilkinson to the Rescue."

The Post jumps at the opportunity of trying to make the Labor leader's attack ridiculous. It ironically declares the article in question by saying: "This is not the first time in history that a leading editorial has when the world is deserting the idea of yesterday there is always one woman ready to take his side, especially if she happens to be another woman against him."

MR. AND MRS. "BILL" HART GIVE SEPARATION REASONS

Associated Press Despatch.
Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 17.—William S. Hart, "Two Gun Bill," of the moving pictures, and his wife, Winifred Westcott Hart, from whom he is separated, yesterday in supreme court here gave their first authenticated version of what has been the cause of the family break-up on May day, 1922.

The stories of the two failed to tally in many respects.

The occasion was the court's demand for testimony to decide whether the separation agreement, which bore Mrs. Hart from the screen, and which she is attempting to break, was an "agreement in restraint of trade."

TORONTO CLERGYMAN MAY SUCCEED DEAN SHREVE

Canadian Press Despatch.
Quebec, Jan. 17.—The board of conference, elected to choose a successor to the late Dean Shreve of Quebec, yesterday made its choice. No information will be given out for publication until his lordship the bishop of Quebec, has been made acquainted with the result of the deliberations of the board. It is understood that the choice is a well-known Toronto clergyman.

The Weather

FORECASTS
Lower lakes and Georgian Bay—Moderate winds, fair and cold today and Sunday.

Toronto, Jan. 17.—The depression which was centered in Illinois yesterday has passed to the maritime provinces and high pressure from the west has spread over the eastern part of the country.

The temperature is moderate everywhere except in the northern parts of Manitoba and Ontario where it continues quite low.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

The highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night were: Highest, 32; lowest, 15.

The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 32; lowest, 22.

Barometric Readings.
Today—3 p.m., 29.16.
Friday—8 a.m., 29.25.