

BUTTE IS INFESTED BY HOLDUP MEN

EIGHT HOLDUPS IN TWENTY-FOUR HOURS, A NEW RECORD IN SMOKY CITY.

Butte, Sept. 24.—(Special)—Eight holdups in less than 24 hours and all apparently by the same two masked men has stirred the city and although the police are on the hunt not an arrest has been made. Carl Kratz was confronted by the pair as he stepped into the kitchen of the boarding house and was made to walk out of doors into a dark corner of the house where he was struck on the head with a gun and relieved of his watch. Henry Miller was accosted a few hours later as he stepped beneath an arc light on a prominent corner and a small sum was taken from him. An unknown man ran wildly to a policeman who was ringing in his patrol box and said that he had been robbed. The officer gave chase and fired four shots but the robbers made their escape through an alley. Robert Cottrell was stopped in broad daylight on a corner in the business district and gave up all he had to the nervous couple. Alex Johnson was stopped as he was on his way home from a card party and he lost his watch and money. Edward Burke lost a small amount in a similar manner late tonight and the Gilmore and Marty Fullivan saloons were held up and the intruders fired a shot at the feet of Charles Ludwig, a customer, because he hesitated in giving up his watch.

SOLDIERS' APPAREL ISN'T SATISFACTORY

Washington, Sept. 24.—Some dissatisfaction with the present apparel of the United States soldiers has been expressed in official reports. The marching show now furnished to the army is so limited in its use, in the opinion of the chief quartermaster of the department of the lakes, that he has recommended that it be discarded entirely in favor of the garrison shoe.

The question has been taken under consideration. If it is approved the soldiers will have two pairs of shoes instead of three, one black for dress purposes and one russet for all other uses.

The leggings now furnished are unpopular. The chief quartermaster said he believed that more satisfaction could be obtained by reverting to the style of canvas leggings covering more of the shoe and coming a trifle higher.

KANSAS REPUBLICANS WILL SUPPORT TAFT

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monies for Dr. W. N. Mason as president of Baker university, held in the Methodist-Episcopal church, and tonight he listened to a song service in the same church. In the afternoon the president spoke on peace and arbitration in Baker university gymnasium.

Leaving Baldwin late tonight the president will reach Coffeyville, Kan., early tomorrow.

An interesting incident occurred tonight, showing that while President Taft and Senator Bristow might differ politically, they are not unfriendly. At the dinner the senator told the president that his father, a superannuated Methodist minister, lived in Baldwin. After the dinner the president and the senator drove to the house of the elder Bristow and chatted with him for more than half an hour.

LOCAL SOCIETY

Sigma Nu Entertains.

Singing college songs and emitting college yells, members of Sigma Nu and guests, went Saturday evening for an automobile ride up the Bitter Root valley. Eight automobiles conveyed the party to the Maclay ranch, 15 miles from town. A huge bonfire was ready to welcome the company when it arrived. The young men slept in a big hayrack at Maclay's and enjoyed a breakfast prepared by the cook at the ranch. Immediately afterward the party left for Hamilton, where they were met by Judge R. Lee McCulloch, who is a member of Sigma Nu. Lunch was eaten at the Ravalli hotel and after a fast drive home to Missoula in the late afternoon, a feast in Sigma Nu house formed a grand finale to the outing. J. B. Knapp of Portland, Oregon, a prominent member of Sigma Nu fraternity, is visiting in the city, and he was the guest of honor. Others present were Coburn Maddon, Bert Peppard, Kenneth Wolfe, R. S. Borland, Harold Gilchrist, Joseph Pope, Ed Simpkins, Don Young, George Armstrong, La Rue Smith, Earl Spear, C. E. Dolson, C. F. Dolson, Holmes Maclay, Cliff Day, Robert Kitt, Don Worden, Massey McCulloch, Earl Hughes, Carl Cameron, Dan Conner, Allen Toole, Raymond Dinsmore, H. H. Kupal, James Bonner, Frank Bonner, Mayor J. M. Evans, Floyd Hardenburgh, Walter Beck, John Lucy, Jr., Harold Stone, Hylan Smurr, J. B. Spear, O. D. Spear, A. W. O'Rourke and Clarence Buck.

PROTECTING GAME.

Albany, N. Y., Sept. 24.—Articles of incorporation of the American Game Protective and Propagation society will be filed here tomorrow. The movement has the endorsement of former President Roosevelt and a number of prominent sportsmen and is country-wide.

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FRENCHMEN AWAIT REPLY

FRANCE BELIEVES AMICABLE SETTLEMENT OF MOROCCO TROUBLE WILL COME.

Paris, Sept. 24.—While the Franco-German agreement on Morocco cannot be regarded definitely as an accomplished fact it is known how Herr von Kiderlin-Waechter, the German minister of foreign affairs, receives the newly-revised French text, no doubt is entertained that the first part of the negotiations will be ended quickly by a complete understanding.

The second part of the negotiations, which concerns the Congo, will be commenced shortly. During the progress of the negotiations France and Germany will take all necessary steps to secure the adhesion of the powers in the new situation. This task is not likely to present special difficulties except in the case of Spain.

In a published interview the Turkish charge d'affaires at Paris declares that he has no knowledge of the negotiations being opened by Italy on the subject of Tripoli. "If Italy has any desire to take Tripoli from us," said he, "we will defend ourselves, and our defense will be desperate. The whole population will rise as one man. If Italy lands troops in Tripoli she will find it something more than a military promenade. We will immediately expel all Italian subjects and renounce the treaties."

SEEING THE SLUMS.

Washington, Sept. 24.—Deaconess Christine Kuppinger of the Chicago Midnight Mission, and Dr. Jean T. Zimmerman, president of the Chicago Rescue mission and Woman's shelter, made a tour of inspection under police escort of the segregated district here tonight. Although opposed to the idea of segregation, they declared they found conditions such as to lead them to believe that Washington is well governed. They were unsparring in their criticism of Chicago. They have visited Columbus and will go to New York and Philadelphia.

ITALY PREPARING TO MAKE WAR ON TURKEY

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marine, declared that if the Turkish government were not ready to recognize Italian influence over Tripoli in some form of protectorate, the only recourse must be the military occupation of that Turkish province.

The Italian plan embraced a bombardment of Tripoli and simultaneously a military expedition of 20,000 soldiers to block the Turkish coast along the Adriatic sea and to operate in Macedonia, Syria and Arabia.

The Italian squadron's rendezvous is at Taranto. Its orders are to be ready to start at a moment's notice. Dispatches had it that Taranto also had been proclaimed in a state of siege.

TWISTING ENGLISH.

(Cleveland Plain Dealer.) It takes the southern brother to twist the language its most peculiar twists. A Cleveland man was riding on a Washington street car some time ago and when the car was within a few blocks of its suburban terminal, two lank and shabby fellows came aboard. The conductor promptly took their nickels and a few moments later when the car stopped he called "End of line—all out."

The lank and shabby fellows protested. The conductor shook his head. Passengers had to pay their fare no matter where they got on. Nothing could be done about it.

The two aggrieved passengers were silent for a moment. Then one of them caught the conductor by the sleeve.

"Why, us hain't rid nowhere!" he wailed.

IRON IN WATER.

What would you consider one of the most powerful agents with which to flavor water? Would it be iron? A half part per million of iron in water is detectable by taste and more than 3 or 5 parts make a water unpalatable. In some mineral springs iron is the constituent which imparts a medicinal value to the water, but ordinarily it is undesirable. More than 2.5 parts per million in water used for

laundering makes a stain on clothes. Iron must be removed from water from which ice is made, or a cloudy, discolored product will result. An iron content of over 2 or 3 parts per million in water used in the manufacture of paper will satin the paper. Iron is harmful in water used for steaming, for it is in equilibrium with acids which, inside the boiler, become dissociated, with the result that the free acids corrode the boiler plates; but the amount of iron carried in solution by most of waters is so small the damage it does to steam boilers generally amounts to little.

Waters, having high iron content have in some places caused an immense amount of trouble and expense when used as city supplies, for they favor the growth of Crenothrix to such a degree that the water pipes become clogged with the iron sheaths of the organism. The removal of iron from water is sometimes easy and sometimes very difficult. (Water Supply Page 273, U. S. Geological Survey.)

CONSERVATION TALKS DUE FROM GOVERNORS

Denver, Sept. 24.—That the people of the western states will understand the subject of conservation as never before as a consequence of the public lands convention to be held here September 28 to October 3, both inclusive, is the prediction made by the executive committee having the event in charge. The program of addresses is now complete. President Taft will address the delegates on the morning of the last day. Others who have accepted invitations to speak include Governors Shafroth, Colorado; Spry, Utah; Carey, Wyoming; Hawley, Idaho; Aldrich, Nebraska; Vassey, South Dakota and Norris, Montana; former Secretary Richard A. Ballinger; L. Bradford Prince, former governor of New Mexico; Judge Frank H. Short, Fresno, Cal.; former United States Senator Henry M. Teller and many others.

VANIMAN TO START SOON.

Atlantic City, Sept. 24.—Within 10 days Melvin Vaniman and his crew plan to make their attempt to fly across the ocean in the dirigible balloon Akron. The all-important device is one unnamed attachment that is to take the place of the equilibrators. Four engines, developing 317 horse power, are expected to develop a speed of at least 36 miles an hour.

THREE KILLED.

Owosso, Mich., Sept. 24.—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Almdinger of Flint, Mich. and Miss Marie Baughman of Lansing were killed today when their automobile was struck by a Grand Trunk passenger train.

HAIR THAT FASCINATES

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GENERAL LAWRENCE DIES.

Medford, Mass., Sept. 24.—General Samuel C. Lawrence, formerly a director of various large corporations, died tonight, aged 79 years.

SEVERAL KILLED.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Sept. 24.—A boy and several other persons were killed today when an automobile overturned near here.

A PROTEST.

Paris, Sept. 24.—A mass meeting of socialists and Germans to protest against war with Germany brought out 15,000 persons today.

SULLIVAN PROPOSES RADICAL CHANGES

HEAD OF NEW YORK AMATEUR ATHLETIC UNION WOULD BAR TRAMP ATHLETE.

New York, Sept. 24.—It is more than probable that by the annual convocation of the A. A. U. next November there will be a few stringent rules introduced which will do away with the tramp athlete, the appearance money grafter and the tourist. James E. Sullivan, president of the Metropolitan association, has planned a rule which will give the authorities the power similar to that in England. That is, an athlete can be refused registration without reason; he can be suspended without trial or reason, and a club refusing information about an athlete man be expelled without reason. All this is provided that the authorities are satisfied that they have the good on the man or the club. It is thought that the measure may meet with opposition from the element who are getting the coin.

While Chicago recently Sullivan took the Central association of the A. A. U. to task and told them in the Windy city that the organization was more or less of a joke. It appears they never ask for a statement when an athlete goes there from New York. In talking about the proposed rules and the shortcoming of the central body Mr. Sullivan said: "When a club out here holds a meet and athletes are invited across the country to participate all of us down in New York know that they are getting something or they wouldn't come. What can we do. It's up to your president. Why doesn't he call on this club for its books. The rules say it must show them. Your chairman of the registration committee has a record of expenses paid to these men. Back in New York we have a record of these expenses. A glance at the books of the club giving the meet would soon clear up these matters.

With regard to the appearance money grafter and the tourist we have to combat a peculiar situation and are working in the dark more or less. We know the men and we know they are crooked athletes, but when it comes to digging up the goods we always go up against a stone wall. Here is a plan I have framed up and which I will present at the next meeting of the A. A. U. Here are all these suspicious characters. They are hurting our organization, therefore they must get out.

"Under the present rules we cannot kick them out unless we give our reasons and back them up with proofs. What I want is a rule empowering us to refuse the registration of any athlete, expel any athlete and refuse any club a sanction and do all of these things without giving a reason for it. When we are given that power, and not until then, can we cope with this problem.

"As for the athletes, who tour foreign countries, as individuals, that is another problem, and a grave one, for I believe that is one thing that is hurting our athletic name in other countries. When we send over an Olympic team and then after the games individuals make side trips and take in meets we have no kick coming, but when one of our stars makes a scheduled trip like an opera singer or a prizefighter that is where our athletic reputation begins to sag.

"When our members are in another country they are under the protection and rules of the ruling organization of that country. If anything crooked is pulled off, then those organizations are responsible and should take immediate action. In spite of this fact we get all the criticism. I am in favor of checking these wholesale pilgrimages abroad."

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SUPPORT FOR McNAMARAS.

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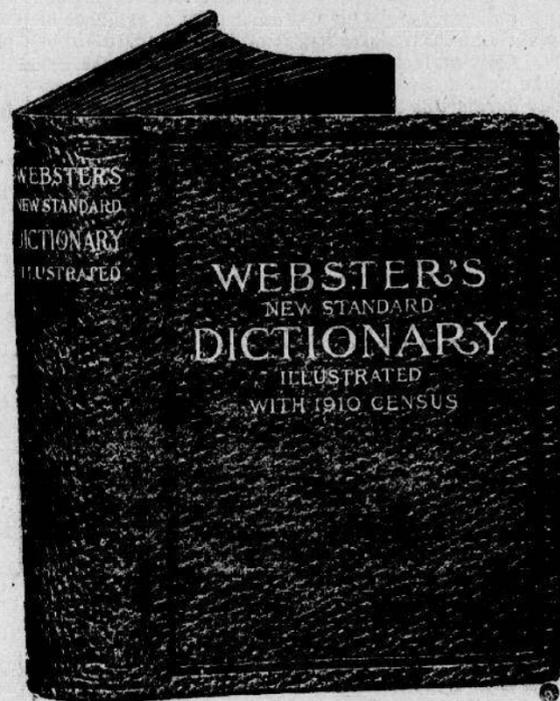
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