

PROPOSE A BRIDGE ACROSS THE HUDSON

Tunnel For Vehicles Under Construction to Be Completed By 1924.

New York, Aug. 13.—Projects for linking Manhattan with New Jersey by a vehicular tunnel and a bridge are expected to diminish the number of persons who reside on the island below Central Park.

The resident population of lower Manhattan decreased by 260,000 in the decade of 1910 to 1920 and every time a new building is erected it seems to shrink still more.

New means of communication with New Jersey are expected to result in further business demands upon lower Manhattan's limited space.

New Jersey and New York are now linked only by ferries, tube trains and one railroad tunnelled beneath the Hudson.

The vehicular tunnel built by public funds of New York and New Jersey is expected to be completed by 1924. Construction of the approaches to the tube was begun several months ago.

The proposed bridge, which private interests are promoting, would cost \$200,000,000. A corporation has been organized and is seeking capital.

This bridge would rise from New York near Fifty-ninth street and descend into New Jersey at Weehawken. Most of the ferries and all the tubes are below this point, but the growth of business in New York has already driven out many dwellings as far north as 59th street and substituted office and loft structures.

The bridges' lower deck would accommodate twelve railroad tracks while on the upper span there would be room for sixteen vehicular pathways, four trolley lines and two broad promenades. Supporting towers on either end of the over-water span would be taller than the Woolworth building.

In addition to these pathways between the two states, a third is proposed in a bill introduced in congress to give a private corporation permission to build a pontoon bridge across the Hudson at Yonkers, just above New York city. Promoters of this scheme point out that the vehicular tunnel may not be ready for five years, while it would take even longer to erect the proposed bridge at Fifty-ninth street, but pontoons could be strung across the water quickly.

CONSCIENCE HURTS HIM

Moultrie, Ga., Aug. 13.—A Pavo man walked into the general offices of the Georgia Northern Railroad here Friday and paid 51 cents he said he had been owing the company since July 1917. He said the money was for a ticket he bought from Pavo to Moultrie and redeemed after the conductor failed to take it up.

His conscience had been hurting him for months, he said, and added that he felt like he would never have any more peace until he made full restitution.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS MEETING

A meeting of the stockholders of Abbeville Motor Car Company, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of South Carolina, is called to meet in the office of Wm. P. Greene at Abbeville, South Carolina on Wednesday, August 24th, 1921 at 6 o'clock, P. M. to consider a resolution then to be presented that the said corporation go into liquidation, wind up its affairs and dissolve.

All Stockholders are notified to be present at such meeting either in person or by proxy for the purpose of voting on said resolution.

Wm. P. GREENE, President July 22, 1921 to Aug. 24.

TO REMAIN IN JAIL RATHER THAN TALK

Mrs. Obenchain Does Not Want To Be Unfair To Person Not Named.

Los Angeles, Aug. 13.—Because she does not want to be unfair "to a person in whose innocence" she believes, Mrs. Madalynne Obenchain indicted for murder in connection with the slaying of John Belton Kennedy, in an interview today declared she preferred to remain in jail rather than tell anything further regarding the events leading up to the death of Kennedy whom she one day hoped to marry.

She said she might previously have given details that would have shed light on the tragedy and gained freedom for herself had she not been "dazed" when first held by the police.

She refused to name the person who she claims would be the sufferer should she tell her story. When asked if it was Arthur C. Burch, also indicted in connection with the Kennedy slaying, she refused to answer, saying, "Mr. Burch is not talking. Why should I discuss his affairs?"

Developments today were sparse. The stock of a double barreled shotgun found in the ocean near Santa Monica canyon and turned over to the sheriff last night, was tested today to determine whether it was a twelve gauge gun.

The shells found at the home of the slain man, who was killed a week ago tonight by a charge of shot, were from a twelve-gauge gun. It also was stated that experts would be called to compare the firing pin on the recovered portion of the gun with the identifications on the shells found where Kennedy was shot.

Mrs. J. E. McRae has an income of more than \$30,000 a year from a tea room which she operates in Atlanta, Ga.

SHERIFF'S SALE UNDER EXECUTION

Take Notice: That the undersigned as Sheriff of Abbeville County, S. C., will sell at public auction, at Abbeville Court House, Abbeville County, South Carolina, on salesday in September 1921 during the legal hours of sale, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me under and by a certain execution issued to me by the Clerk of the Court for Abbeville County, South Carolina, in the case of Alvin Ellis, and Frank H. Leslie, trading under the firm name of Ellis-Leslie Company, versus, Mike Kustas, the following described property, to wit:

All those certain three lots of land, situate, lying and being in the City of Abbeville, County of Abbeville, State of South Carolina, known as lots one, two and three of the Graves property, having a frontage on Ferry Street of seventy-five feet, and being bounded by said street, by Rosenberg property, and by Graves property.

Also, all that lot or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the City of Abbeville, in the County and State aforesaid, facing one hundred and fifty three feet on Orange street, and running back a depth of one hundred and fifty feet, and being bounded by Haigler Street, Orange Street and by Klugh property.

Also, all that lot or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the town of Calhoun Falls, in the County of Abbeville, in the State of South Carolina, fronting on Seneca Street, and bounded by said Street; by road leading to Hester's Station, by lot of J. D. Fulp and R. S. Link, and by lot of J. R. Burris and known as the Hotel property.

Said property is levied on and is to be sold as the property of Mike Kustas, to satisfy the aforesaid execution.

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LOWER RAIL RATES WILL HELP FARMERS

Stronger Hope for Better Prices in Agricultural Markets Justified by Reductions

Washington, Aug. 13.—Strong hope for better prices in the agricultural markets is justified by reductions in the railroad rates on grain for export already in effect and proposed, according to a statement issued at the White House tonight.

Recent reductions in the export rate on grains between Chicago and New York, the statement said, will be followed by sweeping revisions of grain rates generally including those from Mississippi river points and on the lines to the gulf in order that the entire country may fully share in the benefits.

"In general," the statement continued, "advances in freight rates are passed on to the consumer by adding them to the selling price. But in grains whose domestic price is dominated by the foreign price of the exported surplus, the producer suffers when rates go up and benefits when they go down. Therefore though the exports represent a minor share of the total grain production the lowering of export rates affects the entire crop. These reductions of rates, together with the arrangements for financial assistance to export trade and the assurance that Europe is going to need extraordinary quantities of American food-stuffs, constitute altogether a justification for strong hope that the tendency in the agricultural markets will for some time be decidedly to ward better prices."

ANOTHER "MEANEST MAN"

Augusta, Ga., Aug. 13.—D. R. Petit, advertising manager of The Chronicle, has discovered another "meanest man in the world."

A middle aged man in a serge suit of clothes and wearing a derby hat went up to one of the advertising windows of The Chronicle and declared he wished to have a notice in the paper saying: "I won't be responsible for any of my wife's debts."

"All right sir," the clerk said briskly. "That'll cost you \$1." "Paid," said the stranger. He proceeded to explain: "My wife and I have been separated for a long time and now she's fixing to die and I'll not pay her funeral expenses."

As he went out of the door, he added: "One dollar's a lot better than \$200."

BANDITS GET \$114,000

Springfield, Ills., Aug. 14.—With a score or more persons looking on, four automobile bandits held up an armed deputy sheriff and a bank cashier at Kincaid late today and escaped with a miners' pay roll of \$114,000. The money had been sent from Chicago and police expressed a belief that the bandits had followed it from there.

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GETS MORE INDORSEMENT

Encouragement Comes From Spartanburg and Barnwell.

Columbia, August 15.—Reports from Spartanburg and Marion counties received at the headquarters of the South Carolina Division of the American Cotton Association and the South Carolina Cotton Growers' Cooperative Association were of a most encouraging nature, it was said today.

Good progress is being made in both counties in securing signatures to the cooperative marketing contracts, it was declared.

Hearty approval of the movement was contained in a letter received at headquarters yesterday from Senator A. M. Kennedy of Barnwell county. "The press accounts of the enthusiasm with which the cotton farmers of our state are subscribing to the cooperative marketing plan is intensely gratifying and it is without any reservation whatever that I heartily indorse the movement," wrote Senator Kennedy, banker, merchant and cotton dealer.

"I have never engaged in the cultivation of cotton to any considerable extent myself but have all of my business life been handling this product as a dealer and have long realized that without the cooperation of the farmers in an effort to improve the marketing conditions, the producer would never get the value of his product."

Harold C. Booker, secretary, announced today that signed contracts representing 1,222 bales were received yesterday from Marion county.

GREAT BOOZE CELLAR BRINGS BIG PROBLEM

Washington, Aug. 13.—An overstocked national booze cellar that nobody knows how to empty is one of the unusual heritages of Uncle Sam under the prohibition law.

The anomalous story of how, in a land of drought, liquor obtained by confiscation has become a white elephant on the hands of the government was told to the cabinet today by Attorney General Daugherty, arousing a discussion which led nowhere except to a decision to investigate further.

The attorney general told the president and department heads that large sums of much needed government funds were being eaten up in storage house rentals and policing expenses to keep liquor that the government did not want. An even greater economic waste would result if the liquor is poured into the sewer and it was suggested that a way might be found to extract the alcohol for commercial purposes or to turn the liquor itself to some legitimate use. The law says how it is to be "confiscated" but doesn't say how to dispose of it.

RAT BUILDS NEST OF MONEY

Anderson, S. C., Aug. 13.—Ostentation and a vulgar display of wealth must have been the motive of a family of rats which built their "home" entirely of United States currency, the bills being of one, five and ten dollar denominations. The rat nest was found in the roof of the old Bradley home in Anderson county which is being remodeled. Strange to say, there was no trash in the nest, the ball being composed entirely of shredded money. Miser-like, the old rat had died in the midst of his wealth, for his skeleton was found in the middle of the "expensive little home."

TELL 'EM WE'RE HERE

Captain of Booze Ship Invites Visitors Aboard.

New Bedford, Mass., Aug. 13.—"Go out and tell the whole world where we are. The more visitors we have, the sooner we'll lighten the ship and go after more cargo."

That is how Captain Heilmer, of the booze ship Arethus, lying off New Bedford, summed up his feelings according to a copyrighted dispatch by Leroy Bradford to the New Bedford Times.

It's a wonderful ship in the Arethus—according to the dispatch. Champagne corks pop with no more ceremony than hoisting a mainsail on a little Long Island center board yacht. You can buy a case if you want, but Heilmer says he is not responsible for what happens to you if you are caught with it after you have left the side of his hooker.

Rockefeller's Wealth.

John D. Rockefeller's wealth is estimated at 2 billion and 400 million dollars by the author of a recent book, "Dynastic America and Those Who Control It." The book, an argument for a constitutional amendment to limit excessive private fortunes, mentioned Rockefeller as the king of all the money kings of earth.

"Mr. Rockefeller is the colossus that bestrides the business world," the book declares.

It lists Rockefeller's wealth as follows: Standard Oil and other securities 1 billion, railroad stocks and bonds 400 million, national, State, city and foreign bonds 300 million public utilities, securities 200 million, real estate 100 million.

Much of this the author says has passed into the hands of the magnate's relatives.

MAKES BULL'S EYE

Doctor Draws Ring Around Heart So Can't Miss

Port Jervis, N. Y., Aug. 14.—"Doc" where's my heart?" asked Ethelbert Crawford, a retired merchant of a physician visiting his mother.

The doctor drew a circle around the organ with a piece of chalk.

"Thank you; I never knew exactly before," said Crawford.

Then he walked into another room, picked up a rifle and placed a bullet through the center of the circle. He died instantly.

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