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BILLION FOR FARM CREDIT NOW READY

New Agricultural Program Starts Operation

(Associated Press)

Washington, Sept. 7.—Preparations for advancing more than $1,000,000,000 in agricultural and livestock credits under recent legislation virtually have been completed by the War Finance corporation, officials said last night.

The corporation probably will be ready within the next week or so to act under its enlarged powers.

To expedite the advances executive committees are being formed in agricultural and stock raising sections of the west and south. They will attend to preliminary details of applications, making the necessary investigations, and determining the adequacy of securities offered. Ten or fifteen such committees are being formed now and others will be added as the amount of business in the different localities warrants.

LEAVE IT TO VERA CRUZ

In Matters of Minor Legislation Mexican States Are Sovereign

(Associated Press)

Mexico City, Sept. 7.—The federal government will not intervene in an effort to have the Vera Cruz legislature modify its law recently passed permitting workmen to share in the profits of any industry within the state. Secretary of the Interior Calles has made a statement to this effect.

Secretary Calles stated that in such matters the states are sovereign, adding however, that the law is not as drastic as described by its opponents.

GERMANY PAYS SOME MORE

Payments Through J. P. Morgan & Co. Total $55,000,000

(Associated Press)

New York, Sept. 7.—The total of reparations money thus far paid by Germany through this center was brought up to $55,000,000 by the recent deposit of $5,000,000 with J. P. Morgan & Co. for the account of the Bank of England and the Belgian government.

Payments are being made here in acordance with terms prescribed by the Reparations Commission, primarily because the United States is virtually the only country operating on a gold currency basis and for the equally important reason that "dollar" or American exchange now is the most valuable and available medium of interntional remittance.

CO-EDS BUILT A HOUSE

They Worked Hard But They Did What They Planned

(Associated Press)

Lansing, Sept. 7.—This is the story of the house the co-eds built. They shined shoes in public, at ten cents a shine; they sold lemonade, served lunches, did house work and all manner of things, but they raised a thousand dollars and built the house.

Determination on the part of the co-eds at the Michigan Agricultural College built "The Flower Pot." That is its' trade name. Literally, it is a "practice house" for senior students in the home economics course. It ranks as one of the two or three campus practice houses in the country.

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GIVE 'EM ANIMAL SHOWS

Parliament Members Besieged By Animal Trainers

(Associated Press)

London, Sept. 7.—Westminster, where the British parliament sits, recently has assumed the appearance of the aprpoach to some zoological garden or animal show, much to the amusement of passersby and even to dignified members of parliament who have not been able to resist the temptation to stop and look on.

It all came about through the debate in the house of commons of a bill intended to prevent cruelty to trained animals. Aroused by charges that trainers universally employ harsh measures in teaching their animals to do tricks on the stage, the trainers themselves have made a combined assault on the gates of parliament. Some of them have been admitted to give testimony before a committee, but none has succeeded in introducing his animals because of a ban placed by the speaker.

This prohibition against bringing animals into parliament has resulted in street performances usually at lunch hour when commoners might most readily be attracted to the spot.

COLLEGE BOY AS COOK

More Ways Than One to Get an Education

(Associated Press)

Emporia, Sept. 7–Cooking, sweeping, sweeping, caring for the baby, and the other duties which ordinarily fall to the lot of a domestic in the private home are about to be essayed by Hodgin Marsh, of Olathe, Kan., an ambitious freshman boy at the College of Emporia. Desirng an education and without the money to get it, he set out to work his way and secured this job as a helper in one of Emporia's households. He will get his room and board for about twenty-five hours work a week.

A third of the students in the College of Emporia will be working to pay part or all of their expenses through college, the college employment bureau has estimated.

SPAIN WANTS IT IN 1922

And England Invites Press Congress in 1923

(Associated Press)

Honolulu, Sept. 7.—Spain has expressed a desire that the Press Congress of the world meet in that country in 1922 while England and Holland haxe extended invitations for 1923. Brazil has invited the conference to meet there in 1924 and it has been suggested that if this invitation is accepted, a Pan-American congress might be formed to hold biennial sessions. Asia has been suggested as the logical meeting place for the 1928 congress by the officials of the organization who have declared they hope to bring a far-eastern press congress into being at that session.

LENINE WAKING UP

Has Discovered That Capitalism Is a Necessity

(Associated Press)

London, Sept. 7.—In the first number of the new Labor Monthly, Premier Lenine explains the discovery of the Soviet government of Russia that it could get along without capitalism in some form and why it has compromised on what it calls "state capitalism."

"State capitalism," he says, "is incomparably higher economically than our present economic system—that is one point. and secondly there is nothing in it that is terrible for the Soviet government, for the Soviet state is a state which guarantees power to the workers and the poor."

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The First Day of School

START TRIAL OF DR. NIXON

Great Bend Killing Is Now in Court

(Associated Press)

Great Bend, Sept. 7.—The preliminary hearing of Doctor W. A. Nixon charged with murder in connection with the killing of Arthur C. Banta, a young attorney, attracted a crowd to the Barton county court house today. Hearing on a carge of highway robbery against Nixon was also scheduled for today.

NEWS BY CARRIER PIGEONS

Will Be Sent From Convention of United Mine Workers

(Associated Press)

Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 7.—Carrier pigeons are to be used for dissimenating news of the convention of the United Mine Workers of America here starting Sept. 20.

Miners in Nokomis, Ill., have informed the international headquarters here of this novel method of keeping men back home informed of convention proceedings, and the officials here assert this is the first time that such use of the pigeon has been made in this country.

"HUMBUG OF THEOLOGIANS"

Sabbatarianism So Described By Clergyman

(Associated Press)

Cambridge, Eng., Sept. 7.—Sabbatarianism had a very materialistic origin, according to Canon Glazebrook, well known local cleric.

He told the Modern Churchmen's Congress here that the multitude wanted to make sure of one day's holiday a week and the church gradually gave in to outside pressure. He said it was the ingenious humbug of theologians in difficulties.

LOTS OF ROOM FOR HIS VOICE

Physician Says Caruso Had Big Throat

(Associated Press)

London, Sept. 7.—Dr. William Lloyd, throat specialist, who for many years treated Caruso, writes to the Daily Mail that, comparing him with other great singers, he found the following characteristics of the perfect singing machine.

"The most striking feature was the great length of the vocal cords, in Caruso was at least half an inch more than in any other great tenor I have examined."

SOME ARE TAKEN BACK

Santa Fe Employes Return to Jobs in Groups

Topeka, Sept. 7.—The 500 men who received notice September 1 to return to work at the Santa Fe shops are reporting for work in groups, W. D. Deveney, superintendent of the shops, announced last night. The last of those taken back will be on the job by Friday, he said.

Less than one-third of the number originally laid off were caleld back, Mr. Deveney said. He estimated that 1,800 men were laid off.

NEW HOTEL FOR NEODESHA

Cost of New Five-Story Structure is Estimated at $150,000

Neodesha, Sept. 7.—Plans are being made for the construction of a new five-story hotel building by Samuel Orloff and associates of New York.

The hotel will have fifty rooms and three large store rooms on the ground floor.

The site is on a corner in the heart of the business district. The estimated cost of the structure is $150,000.

WORK FOR ECONOMY

Imperative Instructions Go to Department Heads

Washington, Sept. 7.—Imperative instructions for economy in preparing the new government estimates for the next fiscal year's appropriations have been given all department heads, it was said yesterday at the White House. Director of the Budget Dawes discussed the tentative budget with President Harding during the Labor day trip on the Mayflower. Mr. Dawes, upon his return yesterday, resumed conferences with departmental officials in preparation of the new budget.

President Harding was represented as insistant upon greatly pared estimates. One of the principal reductions, it was said, would come in the war department.

SAYS HOME IS SACRED

Prosecutor Will Not Arrest Officer For Shooting Home Wrecker

Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 7.—Declaring "A man's home is sacred," Cameron Orr, county prosecutor, yesterday announced he would not file charges against Leroy Leachman, a policeman who Monday night shot and seriously wounded Archie E. Bouton.

Bouton, according to Leachman, came to Leachman's home to return a picture of Mrs. Leachman and inquired if the policeman's wife was ready to go to see an attorney and have her marriage annulled.

Leachman said Bouton dared him to carry out a threat to shoot. Bouton will recover.

HARDING POINTS 'EM OUT

Refers to Achievements of Administration to Date

Washington, Sept. 7.—President Harding, in a letter reviewing the achievements, to date, of the Republican administration, particularly with reference to congress, declares that "surveying the national situation as a whole it is plain that we are working our way out of a welter of waste and prodigal spending at a most impressive rate."

The letter, made public yesterday, was written by the president, under date of August 29, to Senator McCormick, of Illinois, and it is understood will be used in the campaign in New Mexico, where Senator Bursum, appointed to fill out the unexpired term of Secretary of the Interior Fall, is a candidate for election. The letter, it also is understood, is considered by Republican leaders as a reply to attacks on the legislative record of the Republican congress by Chairman White, of the Democratic national committee, and other leading Democrats.

BARBER FOR THE LADIES

She's There to Care For Bobbed Hair—Will Shave Males

New York, Sept. .—Teh White Star Line has bowed to the call of bobbed hair.

Hereafter, on the Olympic, a woman barber will be carried to care for the shortened tresses of the women passengers and to shorten the locks of those who decide to adopt this mode before they land at New York.

The "lady" barber will also, on occasion, shave the mere male passengers. The innovation came after protests from men barbers on the Olympic who were driven to distraction by their women customers.

HARDING'S ON A CRUISE

(Associated Press)

Washington, Sept. 3.—President and Mrs. Harding with a party of friends leave Washington late today on the Mayflower for a cruise dwo nthe Potomac and Chesapeake Bay, returning Tuesday.

The Reflector is always glad to have news telephoned to the office—phone 95.

FIRES RAGE IN FORESTS

One Five Mile Front of Flame

(Associated Press)

McGrath, Minn., Sept. 7.—Fires burning in the district near Onamia, Hillman and Jonsdale are reported under control by the State National Guardsmen and citizen volunteers. Fire fightersh in the Solana section were holding their own although at one place flames covered a five mile front.

BIG CLASSES AT RILEY

110 West Pointers Will Attend Cavalry School at Ft. Riley

Junction City, Sept. 7.—Stay at home orders issued a short time ago, have been countermanded, Brig. Gen. Mahlin Craig, commandant at Fort Riley, announced yesterday, and the largest class in the history of the cavalry school will report for the courses commencing September 15. A total of 110 West Point graduates of the class of 1921, assigned to the cavalry branch of the army, have been ordered to report for the basic course.

In addition sixty troop offices and thirty from national guard organizations will come to Fort Riley for training; also twenty-five field officers to take the advanced course.

DEAD FROM BOXING BOUT

(Associated Press)

Kansas City, Sept. 7–Hade "Tiger" Gaulding, 21, died today at the Kansas City, Kansas, hospital, from injuries supposed to have been received Monday in a six round boxing bout. The county attorney announced a charge of involuntary manslaughter against Joe Wolff, his opponent.

BRITAIN ENDORSES IT

(Associated Press)

Inverness, Scotland, Sept. 7.—The British cabinet at its meeting here today unanimously approved the reply of the government to the last note of Eamonn DeValera. The heply was handed to Robert C. Barton, Sinn Fein courier, who started for Dublin at 4 o'clock this aftenoon.

PARSONS PAPER IS SOLD

(Associated Press)

Parsons, Sept. 3.—P. T. Foley announced the sale of his paper, the Parsons Daily Republican to D. Murlin, for the past three years managing editor of the Parsons Sun. Mulin takes possession Sept. 15.

FIRST TRAIN RIDE AT 88

Omaha, Neb., Sept. 7.—Riding on a train for the first time in his life, Silas Hunt, 88, of Hayes Center, Neb., went to the Nebraska state fair at Lincoln yesterday. At the same time Hunt saw his first airplane. Hunt came to Nebraska sixty years ago, driving an ox team.

KANSAS CITY MARKETS

(Associated Press)

Kansas City, Sept. 7.—Cattle receipts 10,500, beef steers steady to 15c lower, top $9.40, grassers $4.60 to $6.80, yearling heifers $8.75, practical top vealers $9.50.

Hogs—

Receipts 5,000, 30c to 40c lower, early; late bids 75c to 90c lower, top $8.75, bulk $7.50 to $8.65.

Wheat and Corn

Cash wheat, No. 1 hard $1.21 to $1.29, No. 2 $1.20 to $1.29; No. 1 red $1.35, No. 2 $1.34. Sept. wheat $1.19¼. Dec. $1.23¾, May $1.29⅝. Sept. corn 42⅛c, Dec. 46¾c, May 51⅝c.

PITTSBURG A LEADER

Shows Bigger Bank Clearings For August

(Associated Press)

Pittsburg, Sept. 7.—While Pittsburg led the entire thirty-four cities in the tenth federal reserve district in July, ranking third in the entire United States on favorable showing of bank clearings, the August report of the local clearing house—six banks—shows that bank transactions for the month were $25,188 greater than in July.

The latest report showing the clearings of last month were $192,194.65 less than those of August, 1920—$2,555,250.60 and $2,363,055 respectively, according to a chamber of commerce bulletin.

ABANDON SHRIMP DANCE

Picturesque Custom Replaced By Modern Machinery

(Associated Press)

New Orleans, Sept. 7.—Due to the inroads of modern machinery, the "shrimp dance," one of the picturesque bits of routine that for years has marked the work on the shrimp-drying platforms along the Louisiana south coast, this year goes into the lumber-room for memories, to join other quaint customs of bygone years.

Machinery hereafter will "chuck" the sun dried shrimps.

To the tourists who have ventured down into the wilderness of lowlying marshes, where the shrimp platforms gather in the cargoes of the trawlers, the "shrimp dance" has even been a colorful memory.

GOT DRESSED FOR FIGHT

Burglar Waited on Youth, Then "Shot It Out" With Him

Wichita, Sept. 3.—Harry Pray, 17, said he saw a burglar in his back yard when he arrived home last night. Fearing he would be at a disadvantage in a "brush" wearing his palm beach suit, he went to his room, donned a dark suit while the accommodating burglar waited, and then shot it out with him. The only casualty reported was the neighborhood's repose.

HELD UP ANOTHER TRAIN

(Associated Press)

Texarkana, Sept. 7.—Arrests are expected late today in connection with the holding up of the Kansas Sity Southern northbound train No. 2 last night and the looting of the mail car, seven miles south of this city. Officers claims to have information which they consider sufficient to warrant arrests in event they can locate a quartette of well known young men.

TOWN IS ON FIRE

(Associated Press)

Rhinelander, Wis., Sept. 7–Bundy, a mill town in Lincoln county, was on fire early today. A small mill and several other buildings and several million feet of lumber was burning. The town is without fire protection.

COTTON TOOK A JUMP

(Associated Press)

New Orleans, Sept. 7.—The most sensational exhibition of strength in the history of cotton trading was given on the New Orleans Exchange today when all months in future market opened $10 a bale over yesterday's close.

The advance was in sympathy with one of the widest advances ever scored in the Liverpool market but back of the Liverpool rise was fear of consequences from the short crop of this season.

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LOWER WAGE IN BUILDING TRADE FIXED

Chicago Gets Arbitration Decision from Landis

(Associated Press)

Chicago, Sept. 7.—Building trades workers were given slight decreases and new working rules were set up in the arbitration decision Judge Landis handed down today. The decision opened Chicago territory to all contracting firms and according to contractors and union men, opened the way of a renewal of millions of dollars worth of construction. A top price of $1.12½ for fire proofers and $1.10 for brick layers against a former hourly rate of $1.25 was fixed which affects fifty thousand men.

JAPS SENT MONEY HOME

(Associated Press)

Honolulu, T. H., Sept. 7.—Japanese residents of the Honolulu postoffice district returned $1,011,938.83 to Japan during the last fiscal year by international postal money orders, the annual report of the postmaster here revealed when it was made public recently.

This sum is an increase of $341,281.89 over the amount sent to Japan in the previous fiscal year and is the largest sum ever sent to Japan in one year with the exception of the 1917 fiscal period when $1,198,038.30, were dispatched. The 1919 remittance decreased because of the sugar plantation strike in which many Japanese participated. The total that year being only $770,656.94.

WILL ADD AIRPLANE SERVICE

(Associated Press)

Sydney, New South Wales, Sept. 7.—The Australian postal department intends to install wireless and airplane mail service to the now inaccessible portions of central, northwest and northern Austrlia and to the other islands controlled by the commonwealth just as soon as it is possible to obtain material from overseas, postal officials have announced.

DOMINOES FOR 28 YEARS

Four Men, One 94, Have Played Every Day

(Associated Press)

Riverhead, N. Y., Sept. 7.—Four men in this town have been playing dominoes every day for 28 years and they say it will take at least ten more years to determine which pair of them excels in the game.

George W. Cooper, who is 94 years old and never felt more chipper, is the senior of the quartet. He always opposes Zophar M. Woodhull, 84 years old. They select their partners from two comparative youngsters, Howard Sanford 72, and Elsworth Benjamin, 69.

MEXICO HONORS HER HEROES

(Associated Press)

Mexico City, Sept. 7.—Exercises similar to those held by the United States, Great Britain and France for an "unknown soldier" will take place in Mexico City this month when a monument to an "anonymous insurgent" will be unveiled as one of the features of the centennial celebration.