

MINERS YIELD TO U. S. AUTHORITY

OFFICERS TAKE ALLEGED KILLER OF MAN AT MAX

"Texas Red" Ackerman Identified as Man Who Killed Clarence Godwin

TAKEN AT VALLEY CITY

One of Two Men Brought Here Shot in Leg in Camp of "Wobblies"

"Texas Red" Ackerman, captured at Valley City, was identified here today by William Poston as the man who shot and killed Clarence Godwin at Max early this week in a holdup.

Ackerman and another man named Williams were brought here on the noon train from Valley City by Sheriff Ole Stefferud, of McLean county, and Frank Barnes, of the force of State Inspector Harry Dunbar.

"If these are not the two men who held us up in Max and shot Godwin I've gone blind," said Poston. The two men refused to talk. They were to be taken to the penitentiary here this afternoon to be "mugged" and then to Washburn where charges will be filed against them by the state's attorney.

Police Catch Men Two men held up four others near the depot at Max. One of them, Godwin, a Missouri youth working in the harvest fields, was shot through the head and died almost instantly.

According to the officers the two men wanted for the crime had entered a "wobbler" camp near Valley City and had engaged in a quarrel with the "wobblies." Williams had been shot in the leg. He said he received the wound in the "wobbler" camp.

Identifies Men When the officers and Poston arrived in Valley City Poston identified the men. One of them, he said, had struck him in the jaw and then pressed a gun against him after shooting Godwin.

The "wobblies" are said to have notified the Valley City police of the unwelcome presence of the men in their camp.

MEMORIAL FOR DECEASED JUDGES

Memorial services will be held Tuesday, Sept. 6, the day of the opening of the September term of the state supreme court, for the memory of Judge Edward E. Engerud and Judge John Carmody, judges of the court during their life-time and R. M. Pollock, who was member of the house of representatives, John Green, secretary of the state bar association, has advised the clerk of court. The services will be held at 10 o'clock in the morning.

PREDICT SHOWERS IN NEXT WEEK

Washington, Sept. 3.—Weather predictions for the week beginning Monday are: Region of the Great Lakes—Generally fair but with a probability of showers Wednesday or Thursday; warm at the beginning of the week and cooler thereafter.

SINGING DON'T GO TOO EARLY IN THE MORNING

Singing is all right but not at 3 o'clock in the morning in an automobile in the city streets, according to Chief of Police Martneson.

Four young men charged with disorderly conduct and singing in the streets were arrested about 3 o'clock this morning. They gave bond. At 8 o'clock Police Magistrate Cashman heard the cases and each was fined \$5.00. Costs increased the total expense of the early morning concert to \$8.95 each.

A MILLIONAIRE CADDY



Lord Northcliffe had a millionaire caddy when he golfed at Victoria, British Columbia. You see, Cornelius Vanderbilt is a newspaper reporter and he acted as Northcliffe's caddy while he interviewed the noted English publisher.

COMMERCE CLUB ASKS OPINIONS ON SALES TAX

Sends Out Questionnaire to Members to be Used in National Canvass

The views of business men of Bismarck on the sales tax plan for providing federal revenues is sought by the Commercial club, which has mailed to each member of a questionnaire.

Secretary Keniston, of the club, said that the directors had been asked for their view of the sales tax by the United States Chamber of Commerce and in turn the directors are asking the views of the members of the club.

Proceeding on the assumption that the excess profits tax will be repealed, causing a loss of about \$450,000,000 in revenue of the government, the questionnaire cites in the form of questions proposed methods of replacing it. The two methods proposed are increase of present taxes as high rates on relatively few business transactions and the addition of new taxes on business, and the substitution therefore of a sales tax, at a low rate, one percent on all business transactions, says the questionnaire.

If the sales tax is substituted for the present system should it be: (1) A tax on retail sales only; (2) a tax on each turnover of goods, wares and merchandise only; (3) a tax on all turnovers, which would include all transfers of property of every kind.

The club members are asked if they favor a retail sales tax on merchandise as a substitute, if they favor use of an increased income tax on transfers.

A reply from each member of the Commercial club is urgently asked.

HUNDRED YEARS OF PEACE BETWEEN BRITAIN AND AMERICA CELEBRATED

Washington, Sept. 3.—An unfortified boundary line more than 3,000 miles long between the United States and Canada is the best testimony that the world grows better and wiser, President Harding said today in a letter to be read at the dedication of a peace portal erected near Blaine, Washington, in commemoration of more than a century of uninterrupted peace between America and Great Britain.

100 ARMED MEN LASH OKLAHOMA LAW VIOLATOR

Tulsa, Okla., Sept. 3.—A crowd of more than 100 armed and masked men late last night seized J. E. Frazier, 28, and took him to a lonely spot where they removed his clothing and lashed him. He was then ordered to leave town and told to warn his associates that similar treatment would be met unless they ceased their alleged criminal activities.

PIONEER WOMAN EDITOR DIES

Mrs. Rachael B. Doherty, Operated Papers in Dunn County

Mrs. Rachel B. Doherty, 63, declared to be the oldest newspaper woman in the state in point of service, died Thursday at her home in Dunn County, Dunn county, N. D. Mrs. Doherty spent most of her life in the newspaper business having been connected with many publications here.

With the death of her husband, 27 years ago, Mrs. Doherty was forced to provide for herself and children. She provided for her family of five children and educated them all through her newspaper ability. Her first venture was the Nelson County Independent.

Several Die in New York Fire New York, Sept. 3.—Six persons perished in a Harlem tenement house fire. Several other residents of the tenement were burned.

SCIENTIST AND AID LEAVE CITY FOR THE EAST

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RUTH SLAMS OUT 50th HOME RUN

New York, Sept. 3.—Babe Ruth knocked out his 50th home run in the third inning of the Yankee's game against Washington with two men on. Courtney was pitching for Washington.

A judge suggests longer courtships, we suggest longer marriages.

LABOR UNIONS JOIN HANDS IN MANDAN AFFAIR

Joint Celebration of Labor Day Will Be Held on Monday, September 5

PLAN AN ALL DAY AFFAIR

Governor Frazier Among Speakers—Special Train to be Fun From Here

The combined Labor Day celebration of Bismarck, Mandan and Wilton will open Monday, Sept. 5, with a parade at 10:30 in Mandan. Governor Frazier will be the chief speaker.

An entire day of entertainment and celebration is planned by the Labor Day committee. The Wilton delegation will drive to Bismarck in automobiles and leave here on a special train at 10 A. M. Monday for Mandan. The special train will return late at night.

There will be a number of floats in the parade. A prize of \$10 has been offered to the union having the best float. S. S. McDonald, of Bismarck, has been made marshal of the day with W. J. Godwin, of Mandan and K. C. Arness of Bismarck, as assistants. The tentative line-up for the parade follows: Mandan band, United Mine Workers of Wilton, Washburn, Garrison and Zap; railroad conductors, machinists, carpenters, carmen, painters and lecorators, railway trainmen, engineers, firemen, cooks and waiters, bricklayers and masons, typographical, firemen, builders and others, switchmen, printing pressmen, battalion from state training school.

Ball Game Planned. The parade will end at the fair grounds where various sports will be indulged in and a picnic held. One of the features of the afternoon is expected to be a ball game between the Wilton and Mandan teams, both composed largely or wholly of union men. Food and soft drinks will be served from stands erected by the union committee. In the evening there will be dancing at the pavilion downtown.

The speakers for the afternoon will be Governor Lynn J. Frazier, N. C. O'Connor, secretary of the Typographical Union of Minneapolis, and Stephen Ely, president of the Montana Federation of Labor.

Many Races Planned. The joint celebration of Labor Day is a forerunner of the joint entertainment of the North Dakota State Federation of Labor in Bismarck next May. The Bismarck and Mandan union organizations will combine their efforts at that time in entertaining the state federation. Money donated for the celebration Monday will go to the entertainment fund.

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Dr. M. R. Gilmore and George Will accompanied Dr. Goddard and Miss Reichard to the reservation where the Indian ceremonies were enacted. Phonograph records and moving pictures were made and translations from the Arrikara language made.

Risk Bureau To Pay Officer Who Was Wounded The Workmen's Compensation Bureau has decided that B. L. Bussen, state enforcement officer, who was shot near Mohall last week, is entitled to receive benefits of the compensation act. State license department officers had been classed as traveling salesmen for compensation purposes, but were reclassified as deputy sheriffs, at a higher premium rate. The attorney-general's department had not paid the higher rate, but it was said the bill had been allowed by the state auditing board. Bussen was not seriously wounded.

BUSINESS IS BETTER IN BISMARCK; POSTAL RECEIPTS GAIN OVER 1920

Business is better in Bismarck. Postoffice receipts show a decided gain over last year, and they are unusually large even during the hot, summer months.

Figures made public by the postoffice today show that receipts during the first six months of 1920 were \$72,017.79 while during the first six months of 1921 they were \$74,709.25. Receipts during July, 1920, were \$9,357.53 while during July, 1921, they were \$14,410.509. Receipts in August, 1920, were \$11,601.84; during August, 1921, \$13,174.68.

The comparison thus far between the years 1920 and 1921 show a decided gain for the present year. Receipts for the first eight months of 1920 totalled \$92,977.17; during the first eight months of 1921, \$102,294.43, an increase of \$9,317.27.

"There does not seem to be any difference in the class of mail," said Assistant Postmaster O. Lundquist. "Normalcy must obtain in Bismarck."

BUMPER CORN CROP PROMISED IN N. DAKOTA

Fargo, Sept. 3.—The North Dakota corn crop this year will be the biggest and best in the history of the state, according to agricultural college officials. It will be 100,000,000 bushels, according to the August estimate of the U. S. department of agriculture, bureau estimates.

ST. MARY'S TO GIVE FULL HIGH SCHOOL COURSE

Enrollment for New School Year Will Be on Wednesday, September 7

St. Mary's parochial school will offer for the first time this year a full four-years high school course.

The building of the new addition to the school makes this possible. The addition will not be completed for a few weeks but all pupils will be taken care of until the building is available.

Enrollment of pupils will take place Wednesday, Sept. 7, instead of Tuesday, Sept. 6, it was announced today.

An increased enrollment is expected in the school, with the added facilities and enlarged corps of teachers. There will be 14 teachers in the school this year.

Rev. Dr. John Slag will teach French and sociology, it is announced.

DAIRYING HELD MOST IMPORTANT

County Agents to Feature This Work in the State

County agents of the state who concluded their meeting here last night hope to be ready to introduce ten carloads of good dairy cattle into each county in the state by August, 1922.

The program leading up to this phase was outlined as follows:

- 1. Get load or two of dairy cows in each county.
2. Start community cow-testing and poultry culling.
3. Holding feeding schools for farmers.
4. Select farmers to co-operate for instruction of all.
5. Do any other work that won't interfere with the dairy program.

The dairy program is of utmost importance, it was decided. Max Morgan, dairy specialist, told of plans to promote increased dairy stock through calf clubs, purchased stock, financing plans for purchase of dairy stock, and talked of the attendance at the National Dairy Show in St. Paul.

STATE BOARD DOES NOT ALTER REASSESSMENTS

The state board of equalization has made no changes in valuations of Mandan, Jamestown, Oakes, Drake and other cities and towns in which reassessments were ordered by Tax Commissioner George E. Wallace. It is expected that court action may finally determine the valuation figures in these places or the reassessment figures will stand, the tax commissioner says.

In the Mandan case the valuations reviewed by the city commission were disregarded and a reassessment made by C. L. Crum. The county board subsequently placed the valuations substantially as at the figures of the city commission. The matter now has been appealed to district court for decision.

MANY AUTOS OF FARGOANS STOLEN

Fargo, Sept. 3.—Twenty thousand dollars worth of automobiles were stolen from Fargo people during the last few weeks, according to local insurance men.

SCHOOL BELLS TO TOLL AGAIN IN NEXT WEEK

Teachers' Meeting Will Be Held Monday and School Opens on Tuesday

TEACHERS ARE COMING IN

Instructors to Make Preparations for the Coming Year at Teachers' Meeting

School bells will toll next week. Vacation pleasures will be laid aside Tuesday by hundreds of Bismarck children. Teachers begin their year's work one day ahead, on Monday afternoon.

All is in readiness for the opening, according to Superintendent J. M. Martin.

All of the 53 teachers of the city will meet at the high school Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock with Supt. Martin presiding. Following the general meeting each principal will hold a meeting with teachers for the various buildings and make up programs for the year.

Registration of pupils occurs Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock. Classes will begin Tuesday afternoon or the following morning. There will be nine months of school this year, instead of nine and a half, under the state law.

Teachers began coming in early this week and many more will arrive today and tomorrow. Peter Swanshaw, who is to teach commercial work and be athletic director, was expected in from Minneapolis today, to take charge of the football squad, which has returned from a week's outing at Lake Isabelle.

The courses given in the schools this year will be generally the same as last year, although Superintendent Martin said today that commercial work will not be given in the night school because the time of Mr. Swanshaw will be occupied in the evenings with basketball.

FIND AMERICAN REPLY PERMITS NEGOTIATIONS

Geneva, Sept. 3.—(By the Associated Press.)—The United States reply to the associated powers on the subject of mandates was up for consideration by the council of the league of nations. The council found that the reply furnished a satisfactory basis for continuation of negotiations notwithstanding that the communication from the United States withheld permission for the mandate question to be settled by the forthcoming assembly of the meeting of the league.

LIFEBOAT IS PICKED UP AT SEA; ALL WELL

San Francisco, Sept. 3.—The missing life boat of the crippled steamer the Canadian Importer containing 11 members of the importer's crew was picked up at about 1 a. m. today 105 miles off San Francisco by the Red Stack tug Sea Lion. The lifeboat's occupants were reported by Captain George Gove, of the Sea Lion, in a wireless message to the Red Stack's company to be "all safe and well."

TRIBUNE NOT TO BE ISSUED ON LABOR DAY

Monday being Labor Day, a holiday, no issues of The Tribune will be published. The annual Labor Day celebration for this section of the state will be held in Mandan, and in observance of the holiday and to give employes an opportunity to join in the celebration all during the day, no departments of The Tribune plant will be operated. Banks and public offices will be closed. Most business houses in the city will be closed part or all day.

WILL DISPERSE ARMED BANDS ON TROOPS ARRIVAL

Reports From Disturbed Areas Say Miners Want Only Protection

AVIATORS DROP BOMBS?

Report That Army Flyers Drop High Explosives Over Lines is Denied

Washington, Sept. 3.—President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor told President Harding today that against the authority of the government of the United States, "the people of West Virginia cannot and must not stand in hostile array."

The Federation president urged Mr. Harding to adopt the suggestion of President Lewis of the United Mine Workers of America that a conference of operators and miners be called in an effort to reach a conclusion which would not only settle the present controversy but establish better relations for the future.

The President, Mr. Gompers said, listened with keen sympathy and interest to his appeal but said that his first duty as President was to establish his authority as President and the maintenance of order.

On leaving the White House Mr. Gompers dictated a statement in which he stated "gunmen and detective agencies are really the whole cause of the conflict now."

Charleston, W. Va., Sept. 3.—Federal troops operating out of Madison in the territory occupied by armed bands opposing the force of state police had their first encounter near Sharpels. They met and disarmed some men who were holding a locomotive on the Little Coal river branch of the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad.

TROOPS MOVE UP Logan, W. Va., Sept. 3.—(By the Associated Press.)—Three companies of the 40th infantry including a machine gun company under Col. Shuttleworth arrived here this afternoon from Camp Knox and after detouring moved to the east of Logan toward Spruce Fork ridge where deputy sheriffs, state police and volunteers have been facing armed bands.

Boyd Sparks, correspondent of the New York Tribune, was shot in the head and leg while making his way with other newspaper correspondents over the mountain from Blair to Logan today according to Dr. Hatfield, former Governor of West Virginia, who dressed his wounds. The wounds were not serious.

Charleston, W. Va., Sept. 3.—Reports at army headquarters here were to the effect that everything was quiet along the so-called front on the Logan-Boone county line and that the federal troops had not met with any opposition on reaching their headquarters in the disturbed area.

No trouble was anticipated when the detachment of soldiers begins clearing the road and dispersing the belligerents on the firing line, it was said at headquarters. Reports from couriers to headquarters show that troops have gone up to establish headquarters at Sharpels and Clothier and that Col. Martin has opened headquarters at Madison in Boone county.

More Troops Expected. More troops from the west are expected in during the day and the regiment from Camp Dix, N. J., is due in during the afternoon. Army headquarters were silent about the possible form of martial law to be declared in the counties.

All men found to be unlawfully assembled in the areas will be disarmed if they are carrying weapons and ordered to return to their homes. All ammunition will be confiscated. No arrests planned.

No arrests will be made except where persons resist orders of the federal soldiers or stop to argue. Full protection will be given to miners and others. It has been charged that many men assembled on the firing line would have gone to their homes but for fear of being attacked by armed forces.

Battle On Mountain. Logan, W. Va., Sept. 3. Col. Eubanks, commanding the state and county forces from Spruce Fork ridge said the situation there had been "comparatively quiet." The only concentration of forces on the east side of the mountains of which he knew, he added, was at Blair. The first detachment of the federal troops to reach Logan was expected this afternoon. There were reports that a number of men "from the army" opposed to the state and county forces had been brought here wounded, having fallen in yesterday's fight, and that some of them had died. No details were given by the authorities. The bodies of two men killed in the fighting on Blair mountain yesterday were brought here today. They were members of the attacking forces the authorities said but their identity was not disclosed. Firing was resumed a short time before noon from a machine gun along (Continued on Page 3)