ALLEGED ROBBERS TAKEN BY POLICE

City Officers Believe They Have Four of Red Fork Motor Bandits

With the arrest early Sunday morning of Claude Black, 18 years old, of West Tulsa, and Henry Groves, 26 years of age, living near Fifth and Lawton avenue, the local police believe they have in custody the remaining members of the band of four highwaymen who held up and robbed a score of motorists near Red Fork two weeks ago. Elmer Smith, confessed robber, and Orville Allen, believed by the police to have been the robber wounded when Waldo Spees, one of the victims fired a revolver at the bandits, are the other alleged members of the band.

Taken before Roth at the county jail, the confessed bandit positively identified the two as members of the hijacking party, although both men denied their guilt.

Arrested Men at Homes.

The arrest of the two men came following an extensive investigation conducted by Chief of Police George H. Blaine since the robbery. Black was taken into custody at his home in West Tulsa by Plainclothesmen J. I. Blaine and N. A. Bullard, together with Patrolman J. H. Crabtree and Motorcycle Officers Jimmy Quirk and L. K. Roach, who were working under the directions of Chief Blaine. A few minutes later City Detectives Henry Carmichael and Ed Erwin seized Grove at his home on West Fifth street near the Tulsa street railway barns. Both men are wagon drivers for the Sand Springs Water company.

At a late hour Monday night the men were being held at police station for further identification before charged of highway robbery can be filed against them, Chief Blaine said.

"There was no 'snitching' against the men by anyone, which would lead up up to their arrest," Chief Blaine said Monday in answer to a question as to where the information had been obtained. "Some of the same clews which enabled the department to take Smith and Allen into custody the morning after the robbery and secure a complete confession from Smith also helped in the arrest of the remaining two of the quartet Sunday morning. We had the men under surveillance for several days and their actions more than anything else betrayed them.

Held as Accessories.

"The investigation which has been conducted so far points to the conclusion that Harold Hatley and Vera Allen had no part in the actual robbery. They are guilty as accessories, however, by their own statements in regard to their story story that their party, in which Allen was included, was held up on the Catoosa road and Allen shot by the bandits in order to establish an alibi for the wounded bandit."

FESTIVAL IS INDORSED

Many Civic and Public Bodies Join with Junior Chamber for Celebration Here Nov. 19.

Chelsea is interested in Tulsa's Harvest Festival day. It is sending J. B. Milam to attend the Junior Chamber of Commerce luncheon at which further plans for the festival will be discussed today. The Sand Springs chamber of commerce is sending a delegation to attend the luncheon which will be held in the main room of Ed Wood's cafe.

The Sand Springs civic organization has already indorsed the plans for Harvest Festival day, November 19 and has taken 1,000 tickets. The Civitan club at its luncheon yesterday voted its unqualified support to the project and will attend the junior chamber luncheon in a body today. A committee of five named by the Kiwanis club to co-operate with the junior chamber will represent their organization at the luncheon and the city and county commissioners will be guests. The entire time will be devoted to discussion of program and plans for a day whose primary aim is the bringing together of Tulsa and the people of northeastern Oklahoma and that promises to be the biggest event of its kind ever held here.

News of Sapulpa

Special to The World.

Another Missing Heiress.

SAPULPA, Oct. 24.—Jessie Harris, another missing Indian heiress, is being sought by County Judge Williams, who believes that an attempt will probably be made to obtain possession of valuable oil lands to which she will fall heir on the 25th day of December. The girl disappeared from the home of her parents near Bristow October 13, and no trace of her has since been obtained. The girl's husband, with whom she had not been living for some time, it is alleged, appeared at the Harris home on that date and at the point of a revolver compelled the girl to enter an automobile and drove away despite her screams and vigorous protests.

Geraldine Hamobett, who disappeared some days ago, has not been found and an injunction has been issued forbidding the filing for record of any deeds to her property in this county, valued at $109,000.

To Hear Freight Complaints.

H. C. Conway, general freight agent for the Frisco, will be here the latter part of the present week to hear complaints of excess freight rates filed by local retailers and manufacturers for whom Victor Kirk, secretary of the chamber of commerce, took the matter up with the Frisco general offices in St. Louis.

Sheriff Had Busy Sunday.

Sheriff Livingstone and his deputies took the kick out the white mule in the Shamrock vicinity Sunday and put a crimp in various evil doers. While scouting in the southern part of the county they discovered two large stills, one of them with a fire going and a negro in charge who was taken in tow. A raid was also made on the dark town section of Drumright where 28 festive chor drinkers, mostly whites, were found and were given fines of $15 each this morning. "Cripple Charley" was arrested as Slick, charged with possession of whisky.

City Open to Revelers.

By proclamation of Major McMasters the city will be thrown open to masked Halloween revelers next Monday night, when every fellow and his wife's people are invited to come downtown in the most grotesque costumes possible for them to invent. Also prizes have been offered by the merchants for the most fanciful and the most original of costumes.

Burned by Explosion.

An overwhelming desire to smoke up while on the job caused a gas explosion this morning which has sent Water Superintendent Teel and Chief Engineer E. F. Dennis to their beds suffering with severe burns about the face and head. While changing some gas lines this morning Mr. Dennis decided that as the work was being done in the open air there would be no danger in lighting his pipe. He lighted up and so did the gas.

Begin Walker's Trial.

C. A. Walker was on trial for the alleged moving of an auto from the bounds of Creek county before the mortgage on it had been paid. The jury was completed this afternoon.

Follow-Up Committee Is Named by Church

The Business Men's Bible class of the First Baptist church is determined that the Billy Sunday campaign shall be productive of results inasmuch as its own particular organization and denomination are concerned. The class executive committee at its regular meeting Monday night at the Y. M. C. A. planned an organization to get in touch with all converts of the Sunday campaign who express a preference for the Baptist denomination.

Return Murder Indictments.

MONTROSS, Va., Oct. 24.—Separate indictments charging Miss Sarah E. Knox, Baltimore trained nurse, and Roger D. Eastlake, naval petty officer, with first degree murder in connection with the death of the latter's wife, were returned today by the Westmoreland county grand jury. The body of Mrs. Eastlake, badly mangled, was found September 30 in the cottage occupied by the family at Colonial Beach.

PEACE VISIONED BY LABOR BOARD

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of the United States will assemble here tomorrow to outline their position before the United States railroad labor board at the hearing called by the board for Wednesday.

These men make up the standing committee of the American railway executives association.

Executive Optimism.

The meeting will be presided over by Thomas Dewitt Cuyler, chairman of the association.

Executives today expressed themselves as pleased at the prediction of peace in the strike controversy made in a statement issued by the railway labor board.

Whatever solution the board believes it has arrived at will not be revealed in advance of the hearing to be held here on Wednesday.

No Wage Cut Soon.

It is believed, however, that assurance that further requests from the railroads for wage reductions cannot possibly be acted upon before next fall, will be given the brotherhood chiefs. The railroads have not yet filed their petition for a further reduction, but have announced their intention of doing so.

HI-Y WILL HOLD BANQUET

Athletic Standards in Tulsa High Will Be Subject of Address.

"Athletic Standards in Tulsa High School," will be the subject of an address to be delivered by H. W. Gowans at the Hi-Y banquet and meeting in the Y. M. C. A. tonight, inauguration of officers elected a few days ago will open the business meeting.

Ben C. Kirkpatrick has been chosen to lead the Hi-Y which is made of seniors and juniors, only. Kirkpatrick is well known in Tulsa high circles having spent his entire school life from the kindergarten up in Tulsa. William Fountain was elected vice-president and Dwight Todd secretary. The office of treasurer was given to Earl Barrett.

This year the two upper classes are separated into a distinct division of Hi-Y work. The sophomores and freshmen are united into another division of the Hi-Y.

RECITAL IN REHEARSAL

Tulsa Male Chorus in Intensive Preparation for Coming Event.

Intensive work in preparation for the second recital of the Tulsa male chorus is being carried on and at the weekly rehearsal held last night at the First Christian church more than 75 singers were present.

The reputation made by the Tulsa male chorus last year is to be maintained during the present season and already a chorus of more than 125 voices is being rounded into shape for the series of recitals which have been arranged for to be held in Convention hall.

The date of the next recital is on November 22, at which time the noted English tenor, G. Marr, will be the special attraction.

The Tulsa male chorus is a community enterprise in every sense of the word and is not the organization of any one man, nor does it seek to place in the limelight any special artists, according to its director, but is organized for two purposes solely, one to give Tulsa a good musical program of male voices, and the other to serve as a meeting ground for the possessors of such voices.

The next rehearsal will be held next Monday evening in the First Christian church, corner of Ninth and Boulder avenue.

Field Artillery to Get Equipment Soon

Instructions as to filing final papers to secure equipment were received by the 189th field artillery, Oklahoma national guard, from Charles F. Barrett, adjutant general. If the usual amount of time for filing such orders is consumed in the present instance, the equipment will be here in a month or slightly over. Approval of the raising of Sergt. James T. Allen to the rank of lieutenant was also given by General Barrett.

READY TO REPORT SPAVINAW COSTS

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ply for Tulsa," and that it is the duty of members to attend the meeting and hear the report.

The better water committee's statement, addressed "to the members of the Tulsa Retail Merchants association, reads as follows:

"You are hereby urged to attend the mass meeting to be held Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at which time reports from engineers on the Spavinaw water project will be read. Your water committee begs to remind you that our organization has at all times urged that Spavinaw is the source of permanent water supply for Tulsa and that it is therefore the duty of the merchants to take an active interest in the furtherance of this project as well as all other projects approved by our organization for the civic improvement of Tulsa. Please be sure and remember the date and place, and plan to attend."

The statement is signed by J. J. McShane, chairman, and L. E. Abbott, L. Lyons, E. S. Hutchison and N. R. Graham, members.

To Larger Auditorium.

It had been first intended to hold the meeting in the municipal auditorium, but the number of organizations that are to attend in a body and the many other men and women that have signified their intention to attend made it imperative that larger quarters be obtained. The high school auditorium was to have been used for a rehearsal of the dramatic department, but through the efforts of Superintendent of Schools E. E. Oberholtzer it was agreed that the rehearsal should be held in the municipal auditorium so the high school auditorium might be used for the public gathering.

Say Report Is Short.

Although virtually no information could be obtained concerning the report of the Spavinaw survey, it is understood that it is short and concise, and that it furnishes all essential figures concerning the Spavinaw project that Tulsans have sought since that stream was first considered as Tulsa's future water supply.

City officials reiterated yesterday that this meeting is for every citizen who is interested in Tulsa's future, and that his or her previous or present opinion regarding the water situation will not make or mar his welcome to the gathering.

Tulsans have heretofore desired the facts about Spavinaw. They are to get them at the high school auditorium tonight. It will without a doubt be one of the most important meetings ever held in Tulsa.

IRISH PARLANCE MIGHT CONTINUE

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avoidance of the subject of a compromise upon it, is almost impossible. Whatever optimism that was discernible tonight among informed onlookers, both British and Irish, was based upon their conviction that there are men of high abilities on both sides of the conference table and that there is a sincere desire for a settlement of the whole Irish problem on both sides.

Sinn Fein Flag Flown.

The premier in replying to a question about the flying of the sinn fein flag in London said:

Sir Thomas Bennett asked whether the sinn fein colors were not displayed over the door of the house occupied by the sinn fein delegations and whether this was not a great provocation to the people in that district. Mr. Lloyd George replied that had been assured the colors were not displayed, but if they were he quite agreed with Sir Thomas' observation. Mr. Lloyd George then added:

"Display of the sinn fein flag over the doorway of the Irish delegates' house in London would constitute a breach of the truce and a gross provocation to the neighbors; I cannot imagine why these follies are perpetrated at all when the real desire is to negotiate peace. It seems as though some people are doing their very best to make peace impossible."

Mortuary

CLARY.

Mrs. Flora Clary, 41 years of age, died at her home 231 South Peoria avenue Monday. She was a member of the Rebecca and Eastern Star fraternal orders. Funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon.

Inter-Racial Committee to Plan for Negro Aid

At a meeting of the inter-racial committee which was held at the First Baptist church Monday night a sub-committee was appointed to work out a plan whereby assistance could be rendered to negroes in rebuilding their homes and in general relief work among the negro when the Red Cross should seek this aid. On the committee were named: W. I. Williams, Ben C. Conner, G. I. Schlegel, Rev. W. O. Anderson and M. N. Eakes.