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| SILVER        | \$ .99 1/2 |
| LONDON SILVER | .67%       |
| COPPER        | 13@13 1/4  |
| LEAD          | .05        |

# JAPAN ARMAMENT HOLDOUT FINE SHOWING AT FISH LAKE

## WELL OF FISH LAKE MERGER COMPANY IS NEARING OIL SAND

That the well of the Fish Lake Merger Oil company is nearing the oil sands is generally agreed, and as a result there is an optimistic feeling pervading all sections of Nye county. The announcement made yesterday evening by Charles W. Taylor, president of the company, that ballings from the well showed as much as a cupful of oil, was heralded with delight in all quarters, and the opinion prevails generally that Fish Lake valley will be the first section to claim the \$25,000 bonus offered by the state for bringing in the first commercial oil well in Nevada.

Mr. Taylor, who has been at the drilling site of the Fish Lake Merger company for several days superintending development, states that the well has attained a depth of 275 feet, and now that casing has been put in, with plenty of material on hand, it is hoped to force the hole down at a rapid rate in the future. The first oil sand is now being penetrated without question, and the prediction made by geologists that oil in commercial quantities will be reached within 800 to 1000 feet is bearing evidence of fact.

Superintendent Ditzel is well pleased with developments and feels confident that he will have the honor of bringing in the first producer in Nevada. Much interest is being manifested throughout the country over the work now going forward so auspiciously by the Fish Lake Merger company, and reports of progress are being sent by wire daily to big investment centers. The country generally has been pretty well located, but numerous parties are considering perfecting their locations which is provided for under the rulings of the department of the interior.

## HEAVY PENALTY FOR PLUGGING FIRE HYDRANTS

This morning when the water was turned into the hose from the hydrant for the fire at the Paxton home two stones that had been placed in the mouth of the hydrant were shot through the hose into the nozzle, which had to be detached and the missiles removed. There is a heavy penalty to be visited on anyone guilty of tampering with fire mains, hose, apparatus, etc. Fire Chief Askin says God help the person caught in such an act, for Askin won't, and when the law gets through with them they will look worse than a burned and twisted iron pillar.

## BLOODHOUNDS USED TO TRAIL MANIAC

(By Associated Press)  
SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., July 13.—Bloodhounds were employed to track a supposed maniac in Golden Gate park after attacks with a gas pipe on three park visitors and the death of one as a result.

THE WEATHER

Local Observer, United States  
Weather Bureau:

|                        |        |      |
|------------------------|--------|------|
| Temperatures           | 5 a.m. | Noon |
| Current                | 65     | 86   |
| Wet bulb               | 46     | 58   |
| Relative humidity      | 20     | 18   |
| Temperatures, Extreme. |        |      |
| 1921                   | 1920   |      |
| Maximum yesterday      | 85     | 82   |
| Minimum yesterday      | 64     | 51   |

## WOMAN IS FINED FOR WEARING PEEKABOO

(By Associated Press)  
ZION, Ill., July 13.—Mrs. Sarah Johnson was fined \$5 and costs yesterday for violation of the town's dress ordinance. She was charged with exposing her neck lower than the juncture of the pit of the neck with the collar bone and her shoulders more than a third part from the neck to the shoulder tip, and with exposing her arms above the middle forearm and with wearing a "peekaboo" blouse.

## MEXICO PLANS SETTLEMENT OF DAMAGES

(By Associated Press)  
MEXICO CITY, July 13.—All countries whose nationals have suffered damages from Mexican revolutions have been invited by President Obregon to appoint delegates who will meet with Mexican representatives to form a permanent commission to pass upon claims.

## SMALL DAMAGE DONE BY BLAZE THIS MORNING

This morning at 6:40 o'clock a fire alarm was turned into the station for a smoldering fire under the front veranda of the dwelling occupied by Earl B. Paxton and family on University street. The fire department was told the fire was on Central street and had some trouble locating the cause of the alarm. On arriving at the Paxton home a hose was attached to the hydrant at the K. of C. hall corner and the smoldering fire was quickly extinguished. Some mattresses and carpets stored there by Harry Orter had become ignited from an unknown source. The neighbors, with a bucket brigade, held the fire in check until the arrival of the department. The loss is nominal. The residence is owned by Zeb Kendall, the San Francisco broker and mine operator.

## FRANK WALSH'S FUNERAL TOMORROW MORNING

The funeral of the late Frank Walsh will be held from the Catholic church tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock. Requiem mass will be said at 9:30 a. m.

## RIOTING BREAKS OUT IN BELFAST

(By Associated Press)  
LONDON, July 13.—Rioting occurred in Vera street, Belfast, this afternoon, says a Central News dispatch. Two constables were injured and three civilians were taken to the hospital suffering from gunshot wounds.

## DECREASE SAID IN CRIME SINCE U. S. WENT DRY

(By Associated Press)  
CHICAGO, July 13.—Police figures tending to show a reduction in crime since the advent of prohibition were issued here today by the board of temperance, prohibition and public morals of the Methodist Episcopal church. From June 30, 1918, to June, 1919, the year just preceding prohibition, 3624 persons were arrested in Louisville, Kentucky, on a charge of drunkenness. The succeeding year, under prohibition, only 412 were arrested on the charge.

## EDITORS PRESENT CHAIR TO HARDING

(By Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., July 13.—James M. Cox, "newspaper publisher of Dayton, Ohio," was a caller at the White House today when a high-backed "editorial chair" was presented to President Harding by over 600 fellow newspaper editors and was added to the furnishings of the presidential study. The chair was made of wood from the famous old schooner Revenge, captured from the British on Lake Champlain during the revolutionary war.

## WOMAN HELD FOR FORGING NAME OF ROOSEVELT

(By Associated Press)  
HILSDALE, Ind., July 13.—Mrs. Emma Burkett was arrested here on a charge of forgery preferred against her in New York by George E. Roosevelt, executor of the estate of the late Theodore Roosevelt. The woman had presented a claim to the estate of the former president for \$69,000 on a note which she declared he had endorsed.

(By Associated Press)  
NEW YORK, July 13.—Use of the abbreviation "Col." in what purported to be the signature of Theodore Roosevelt was one of the reasons for the charge of forgery against Mrs. Burkett, according to Assistant District Attorney Dooling of New York, who said Roosevelt had never used the title in his signature.

By this time it is a difficult matter to distinguish a last year's straw hat.

## DRILLING RESUMED IN TAMPICO DISTRICT

(By Associated Press)  
TAMPICO, Mexico, July 13.—Resumption of operations in the Tampico district by oil companies is expected in official circles here. Drilling permits are being granted daily by the government, and some companies have continued work during the past troublesome month without discharging a single man.

General Arnulfo R. Gomez, commander of the Mexican military forces in the oil region, expressed regret that the cruisers Sacramento and Cleveland sailed from Tampico this morning, as he had planned to entertain the officers of the warships with whom he had a cordial meeting.

## FARMERS FACE LOSSES UNLESS U. S. GIVES AID

(By Associated Press)  
TOPEKA, Kan., July 13.—Kansas farmers face a loss of approximately \$6,000,000 this year on the wheat crop if the United States grain corporation's wartime hoggor differential is allowed to remain in force, E. J. Smiley, secretary of the Kansas Grain Dealers' association, said in a statement today.

## ARROWHEAD RICO REORGANIZED AS ASSESSABLE CO.

The stockholders of the Arrowhead Rico Mining company, at a special meeting called by the directors and held yesterday afternoon, voted unanimously in favor of reorganizing the company on an assessable basis.

George E. Rick, representing a majority of the eastern stockholders, arrived in Tonopah from Wilton Junction, Iowa, on Monday morning for the purpose of attending the meeting and expressing the views of the company's eastern supporters.

In line with the reorganization project, the Wilton Ubehebe Mines company is being organized to take over all of the properties of the Arrowhead Rico Mining company, consisting of valuable holdings at Ubehebe, Inyo county, California, and a group of claims in the heart of the Arrowhead camp. Both properties are fully equipped with machinery and buildings and have been under extensive development for some time past.

The new company will assume all of the old company's obligations and stockholders of the latter company will receive stock in the Wilton Ubehebe Mines company on a basis of share for share.

The Sam Browne belt is now a part of the American army officer's uniform. Well, they may look dudedey with them on, but we know they can fight.

## EARL OF BANDON RETURNS UNHARMED

(By Associated Press)  
CORK, July 13.—The earl of Bandon, who was kidnapped by Sinn Feiners June 21, was brought back to Bantry last night by his captors. He was uninjured.

## GERMANY GIVEN CREDIT BY BANK OF AMSTERDAM

(By Associated Press)  
BERLIN, Germany, July 13.—The Reichsbank announces through the intermediary of the Amsterdam branch of the Mendelsohn banking house, credit of 150,000,000 gold marks has been granted the Reichsbank and negotiations are in progress with reference to further similar credits. The statement says the credit operations will so enlarge the measures being taken by the government that the fulfillment of the reparation demands falling due August 31 may be considered assured.

## BURGLARS FOILED IN ATTEMPT BLOW SAFE

(By Associated Press)  
MARTINEZ, July 13.—The front door of the First National bank of Rodeo, 15 miles from here, was pried off last night, and the outer door of the vault and a fireproof door were forced, but the burglars abandoned their efforts when confronted with a burglar-proof inner door. Three men who came to the scene in an automobile are believed by the police to have made the attempt on the bank.

## SAW STILLMAN IN APARTMENT OF MRS. LEEDS

(By Associated Press)  
FOUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., July 13.—Identification of James A. Stillman's photograph as that of the man she saw in the apartment of Mrs. Florence H. Leeds, former Broadway showgirl, is understood to have been made by Mrs. V. Hill, a nurse employed by Mrs. Leeds after the birth of Jay Ward Leeds in September, 1918. The nurse was the second witness for Mrs. Anne U. Stillman, who began her recriminations against Stillman when the divorce battle was renewed before Referee Gleason.

## BLACK AND TANS GET INDEFINITE ABSENCE LEAVE

(By Associated Press)  
DUBLIN, Ireland, July 13.—Large bodies of police auxiliaries, as a consequence of the truce in Ireland, have been granted indefinite leave of absence. The first batch of auxiliaries has already left for England.

## ALL OTHER NATIONS APPROACHED ACCEPT HARDING'S PROPOSAL

## PREMIER WILL MEET DE VALERA TOMORROW

(By Associated Press)  
LONDON, July 13.—The first meeting between Premier Lloyd George and Eamon De Valera will be held at 4:30 p. m. tomorrow in Downing street, in the premier's official residence. It was announced at Sun Fien headquarters here. It is inferred the conference will be between those two men alone. Irishmen closely in touch with the Sun Fien declare the question as to whether there is to be peace or a continuation of war in Ireland will be decided in Dublin upon De Valera's return.

## WHITE CAPS MINE PENETRATES ORE ZONE ON THE 800

Manhattan gives evidence of being endowed with a second lease of life as a result of the west drift from the 800 level on the White Caps having penetrated the ore zone. The long sought for objective was reached Monday night, but the good news did not become generally known in Tonopah until today. However, Manhattan boosters had been having a little justification of their own for two days, and the opinion is general that the gold camp is going to be heard from in no uncertain way during the next few months.

The crosscut was extended approximately 200 feet to reach the ore formation, and this formation is almost identical in character with that found on the 500 level. It is yet too early to determine the width of the ore body, but there is every reason to believe that it will equal that on the 500 level. Development will be rushed with all possible speed with a view of opening reserves which will insure the continuous operation of the big milling plant.

The White Caps mine and its richness has practically been proven. A vast area of virgin territory, known to contain great reserves of ore of a highly commercial grade, will shortly be in physical condition to produce an enormous tonnage. Those interested in mining in the Pine Tree camp look for a future of prosperity, and already plans are being formulated for the resumption of work on a number of properties possessing great merit.

(By Associated Press)  
LONDON, July 13.—Indication in semi-official circles today was that the international conference which is giving promise of developing into one of the most important in the history of the world, is in store for the immediate future. Great Britain, France and Italy thus far have signified their willingness to accept the invitation of President Harding to the conference on limitation of armaments, while China indicated her readiness to participate in the conference relative to far eastern affairs. Japan is the only one of the allies which has not placed herself on record as being ready to participate in the Washington conference, but her acceptance is expected.

(By Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., July 13.—Great Britain's favorable reply to President Harding's invitation for an international disarmament conference has reached the state department, having been preceded by that of France. The nature of the communication was not disclosed beyond that of its favorable character.

(By Associated Press)  
ROME, Italy, July 13.—The Osservatore Romano, the organ of the vatican, prints a semi-official note warmly congratulating President Harding on the initiative he had taken for an international conference on limitation of armaments.

## CHICAGO NAMED AS ELKS' LODGE HEADQUARTERS

(By Associated Press)  
LOS ANGELES, Cal., July 13.—Chicago was selected as the location of proposed headquarters for the Elks by the grand lodge here today. The headquarters will be erected at an estimated cost of \$2,500,000. The annual \$200,000 fund was won by the team from the Jackson, Michigan, lodge. Salt Lake was second and San Francisco third.

NO MORE FUNDS NEEDED

A sufficient sum has been raised for the relief of Mrs. Louise Jurkovich and children, whose home was destroyed by fire last Friday, and the committee asks the Bonanza to so inform the public. The amount subscribed by the good people of this city is sufficient to meet the present requirements of the unfortunate family.

**BUTLER  
THEATRE  
TODAY**

A DOUBLE BILL  
**TOM MIX**  
—IN—  
**"A RIDIN' ROMEO"**

A regular western thriller, written by the star himself, and filled with stunts and comedy.

—AND—  
JOHNNIE HINES in  
**"TORCHY TURNS CUPID"**

—TOMORROW—  
MAY ALLISON in  
**"THE LAST CARD"**

—COMING—  
BETTY COMPTON  
Of "Miracle Man" fame