

## PIRACY FOLLOWS IN ATTEMPT AT RUM RUNNING

### Disabled Veterans Ask Harding to Help Mentally Deranged

#### TEN MEN ARRESTED ON MURDER CHARGE IN SOUTHERN CITY

(By Associated Press)  
BLOXIE, Miss., Jan. 15.—Discovery of the bodies of two men, apparently foreign sailors, on the beach here, has led to 10 arrests by the local police, who assert the men were killed in a fight which followed an attempt last week to hold up and raid a liquor smuggling schooner at anchor near the coast.  
The police theory, if substantiated, will disclose what is said to be the first instance of attempted piracy in connection with rum running on the Atlantic. About the middle of the past week, according to the police, a Cuban fishing smack, rum laden, dropped anchor in the vicinity of Fox Keys, and the captain made an agreement for a party of Bloxians to come to the smack in gasoline launches to carry the liquor to the mainland. Friday night, the police assert, the party made the trip to the Cuban boat, but instead of paying for the liquor they overcame the crew of the fishing smack and brought about 100 cases of liquor here. Most of the liquor has been seized, the police declare. The foreign boat disappeared after the fight. The police believe the bodies washed ashore are members of the crew. Each had his neck broken.

#### SAILOR HELD FOR MURDERS IN PORTUGAL

(By Associated Press)  
LISBON, Jan. 15.—A sailor commonly known as "Golden Tooth" is the principal member among the 10 persons who have been charged with participating in the assassination of Premier Granjo and several other Portuguese statesmen in the revolution which took place October 19.  
The sailor admits that he accompanied the other soldiers and sailors in the raids upon the home of the statesmen but contends that he did so to save the lives of those who had been chosen as victims of the revolutionaries.  
"Golden Tooth" has figured in two dramatic incidents in the course of the investigation still progressing. Confronted by the son and brother of Admiral Machado Santo, founder of the Portuguese republic and one of the assassinated men, he was accused by both of them as one of the most cruel and insolent of the savage group of men who broke into the Santos house and dragged him to his death.

#### WEAVER IS NAMED AS GOLDFIELD POSTMASTER

(By Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 16.—Bert M. Weaver of Goldfield was nominated for postmaster today.

#### CARL FEUTSCH and family enjoyed a motor trip to Goldfield yesterday.

THE WEATHER

Local Observer, United States	
Weather Bureau:	
Temperatures	5 a.m. Noon
Current	29 35
Wet bulb	26 30
Relative humidity	.65 68
Temperatures, Extremes	
1922	1921
Maximum yesterday	42 46
Minimum yesterday	26 35

#### FISH LAKE OIL DRILLING WILL START SHORTLY

Operations at the Fish Lake Merger Oil company's well in Fish Lake valley are again under full swing, following the delivery at the well of a carload of new 10 inch casing, according to Charles W. Taylor, president of the Merger company, who arrived in Tonopah last night, called here to meet officials of the Tonopah & Goldfield railroad, who arrived here this morning, and who are interested in the Merger property.  
Driller J. W. Dietzel and his helper, A. M. Murphy, arrived at the well Friday night by automobile, after a difficult trip over Westgard pass, due to the heavy snow, and are putting down the casing this week. According to Taylor, the drill should be dropping in a day or two, all supplies, including fuel oil, now being on the ground. Weather conditions in the valley are now excellent, and with the drill again moving, a good footage is expected.  
The Merger was forced to stop drilling several weeks ago due to the necessity for a string of casing. Storms in both California and locally delayed the delivery of the shipment, and hauling to the well was not completed until late last week. The well is being completely cased and, according to General Manager Taylor, it is the intention of the company to continue now to case the well as the drill goes down, thus assuring a perfect well.

#### PART STOLEN LOOT IN BONDS IS FOUND

(By Associated Press)  
BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 16.—The police today detained a man giving his name as Benjamin Greenberg, alleged to have offered a local brokerage house two bonds which were recognized as part of the loot obtained in the \$268,000 robbery in Los Angeles last March.

#### STATE RANGERS COLORADO SENT TO COAL FIELDS

(By Associated Press)  
DENVER, Colo., Jan. 16.—Colorado state rangers left today for Routt county where, according to reports from county officers, coal miners are threatening trouble as a result of recently announced wage reductions.

#### MRS. HARRIS GOES TO AID OF SICK MOTHER

Mrs. E. C. Harris, mother of Mrs. Leon Kind, departed on this morning's train for Oroville, California, where she was called on account of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Nettie Colyer. Mrs. Colyer will be remembered as one of the early pioneer residents of Virginia City, coming to Nevada about 50 years ago, where she made her home prior to moving to Oroville 15 years ago.

#### RIOTS FOLLOW MADRAS VISIT PRINCE WALES

(By Associated Press)  
MADRAS, India, Jan. 16.—Madras had recovered Sunday from the rioting which attended the arrival here on Friday of the prince of Wales. No further trouble is apprehended. The prince apparently has captured the popular fancy and crowds await his every appearance, greeting him with enthusiasm.

#### WOMEN LAUNCH NEW PARTY AT SPRINGFIELD

(By Associated Press)  
SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Jan. 16.—A new political party, to be called the "Roosevelt Progressive party," and run entirely by women, has filed incorporation papers with the secretary of state of Illinois. The incorporation certificate says the new party will nominate or support candidates "who are not subject to domination of an invisible government, or to control, dictation or domination of political bosses."

#### WOULD REMEDY RULES CORRUPT PRACTICES ACT

(By Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 16.—Embodiment in the Senate rules of doing parts of the corrupt practices act which were held invalid by the supreme court of the United States in reversing the Newberry senatorial case, is provided in an amendment to the rules submitted by Senator Pomerene, who led the forces opposed to Newberry in the Michigan contest which was decided last Thursday.

#### AGREEMENT OF JAPS-CHINESE NOW APPROVED

(By Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 16.—The text of the agreement reached by the Chinese and Japanese delegates Saturday concerning the surrender by the Japanese of Kiao Chow leasehold to China, was formally accepted by the two delegations today when the Shantung conversations were resumed.

#### SENATE ADOPTS FUNDING BILL IN MODIFIED FORM

(By Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 16.—The allied debt funding bill was approved today by the senate finance committee after most of the provisions objected to by Secretary of the Treasury Mellon had been eliminated. Democratic members of the committee voted against the bill in its perfected form.

#### POLICE CHIEF COCHRAN HAS QUIT OFFICE

Tonopah is to have a new chief of police and constable. W. R. Cochran, who has held that position for a little over a year, tendered his resignation this afternoon to the board of county commissioners and the same was accepted. No successor has yet been named, and in the meantime the office will be in charge of Deputy Chief of Police and Constable Robert Dabzell. The commissioners' meeting was attended by Commissioners Wittmberg and Douglas.

It was only after an ouster suit was threatened that Chief of Police Cochran decided to surrender his present duties. Investigation by the grand jury of Nye county concerning the conduct of the office held by Cochran has been in progress for some time, and a line of action was decided upon last Friday.

Chief of Police Cochran this morning informed L. W. Horton, foreman of the Nye county grand jury, that he would tender his resignation tonight, and the matter of pressing an ouster suit has been held in abeyance.

Rumors were afloat throughout this town yesterday and today that action of some sort was to be taken against Chief of Police Cochran and other officials, but the fact did not leak out until this noon that the ouster official had agreed to tender his resignation, to take effect at the will of the board of county commissioners.

The Bonanza has made a slight effort to secure a pool set of officials who would enforce the laws without fear or favor. The difficulty which Chief Cochran encountered had its origin during the recent labor troubles, the same as Sheriff Thomas, when they were found to be unable to cope with the situation. Chief Cochran is a long-time resident of Tonopah and is highly respected by many citizens, and the fact that he has acknowledged he was unequal to the emergency now existing is most commendable on his part.

The Bonanza wants to see the good work go forward. Let us secure a set of officials who will perform the duties of their office without fear or favor, and thus clean up Tonopah that it will be a place in which all law-abiding citizens will be assured of safety in peace of mind and body, and that all men working in the mines may be free to promenade the streets of Tonopah and spend their money without fear of meeting with bodily harm.

#### MAN KILLS HIS ENTIRE FAMILY BY USE OF AX

(By Associated Press)  
CHARLESTON, Ill., Jan. 16.—B. F. Monroff, a farmer, today surrendered to the sheriff and told him he had killed his wife, son and daughter with an ax in an effort to exterminate the entire family because of financial worries. He took the sheriff and deputies to the Monroff home and showed them the bodies.

#### TONOPAH MINING COMPANY OFFICIALS VISITING HERE

Hon. Charles Miller of Wilmington, Delaware, and former governor of that state, accompanied by Barton Hoopes, Jr., a director of the Tonopah Mining company, are visitors to Tonopah. Governor Miller is vice-president and director of the Tonopah Mining company, and also president of the Nevada Wonder Mining company.

#### TIFFIN MAYOR REDUCES HIGH LIVING COSTS

(By Associated Press)  
TIFFIN, Ohio, Jan. 16.—Continuing his fight against food profiteers and the high cost of living in Tiffin, Mayor Unger has established three local stores, two at fire stations and one in his automobile supply house here. The bread is being bought from Toledo bakeries and is retailed at 6 cents a loaf. Tiffin bread retails at 8 cents.

#### RIGHT OPERATE SHIPS THROUGH CANAL UPHELD

(By Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 16.—The right of the United States Steel corporation, through its subsidiaries, to operate steamships by way of the Panama canal, was upheld in a tentative report submitted to the interstate commerce commission by an examiner designated to take evidence. The examiner's report, if retained, will settle the controversy being about that point.

#### RAILROAD MEN BOTH CLASSES IN CONFERENCE

(By Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 16.—Inferences between railroad executives and leaders of railway employees' unions, which have been inaugurated under the direction of Secretary Hoover with a view to eliminating disagreements and controversies, were resumed today with the executives representing the principal roads in attendance, along with the heads of the four brotherhoods.

#### IRISH SECURE RIGHT TO RULE OWN COUNTRY

(By Associated Press)  
DUBLIN, Jan. 16.—Governmental powers for Ireland, as vested in the British authorities in Dublin castle, were turned over to the provisional government of Ireland as constituted under the Anglo-Irish treaty. The transfer was made by Viscount Fitzgibbon, lord lieutenant, in the privy council chamber.

#### 'WHITE DEATH' FEAR LIFTED FOR REDSKINS

(By Associated Press)  
RENO, Nevada, Jan. 16.—The snow for that has covered western Nevada for three days lifted this morning. The Indians call it the "White Death," and Chief Kirkley of the Reno police says they kept to their huts in all the Piute villages around Reno since Saturday, their heads covered with blankets. The lowest temperature in the state this morning was 2 above zero at Winnemucca.

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#### ROSETTA TAKES OVER PROPERTY AT HORNSILVER

(By Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 16.—Asserting that over 3500 mentally disabled former service men now placed in state institutions were victims of such "gross neglect, indifference and profiteering" as constituted a black reproach to the honor of the nation, the Disabled American Veterans of the World War, in a memorial presented to President Harding today, urged immediate action by the government looking to the treatment of all such cases in federal institutions. Neglect of these cases in state institutions, the memorial said, is committing to permanent insanity many of the victims who by timely treatment probably be cured.  
Describing conditions of "contract" cases of this class in institutions in the state of Ohio as typical of those in "practically every state," the memorial asserted the government had "farmed out insane ex-service men of Ohio to state asylums which are notoriously overcrowded, undermanned and inadequately equipped to treat and care for them," while it has not provided one federal institution for this purpose in the state.

#### SAYS PROHIBITION IS HERE TO STAY

(By Associated Press)  
CHICAGO, Jan. 16.—A continuous succession of dry victories has marked the last two years, Virgil Hines, chairman of the prohibition national committee, declared in a statement today issued in connection with the second anniversary of national prohibition. "The joke is turned upon the halfhearted anti-prohibition societies who are attempting to capitalize the waning emotions of some odd souls who still cry for their booze. Prohibition is here to stay," said Hines.

#### POULUS GETS SENTENCE OF 2 MONTHS IN JAIL

John Poulus, arrested with another man upon the charge of violating the state prohibition law, entered a plea of guilty in the district court Saturday afternoon, and was sentenced to a term of two months in jail and to pay a fine of \$100. Poulus is a partner in the Monte Carlo amperium on Main street.

#### CUBA GRANTED PRIVILEGE OF SECURING LOAN

(By Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 16.—The American government has notified Cuba that she may negotiate a loan of \$5,000,000 in the United States, but the conclusion of a further loan of \$53,000,000, suggested by Cuba, will depend upon the ability of the island authorities to reduce further the Cuban gusher.

#### GILLESPIES HAVE BOY

T. M. Gillespie, in charge of a West End truck, was made happy this morning when his wife presented him with a bouncing 14-pound boy. This is the first heir to the Gillespie estate and naturally the parents are overjoyed. Mother and infant are reported as getting along nicely.

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#### REFUGEES ARE GIVEN SAFETY GUARANTEES

(By Associated Press)  
CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 16.—Fifteen thousand Greeks and Armenians refugees are being sent from this city to the island of Cyprus in ships provided by the Greek government. French authorities are persuading Christians to go as they have secured formal guarantees that the Turks will respect their lives and property.

#### BUTLER THEATRE

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