

GUARANTEES!

WHO GUARANTEED LOUIE LANG? AND "HONEST" JOHN RIPLINGER? YES, CLARICE, THE SAME JOURNALISTIC HONORABLE WHICH NOW IS GUARANTEED A "SWIMMING HOLE" AS "VALUABLE PIECE OF BUSINESS PROPERTY." OH, YES, IT ALSO GUARANTEED THE AYRES TERMINAL \$5,000.00 WILDCAT FAKE.

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BOMB SUSPECTS TO CONFESS

BILLINGSLEYS ARE FREED WHILE GILL'S AWAY

LOGAN GOES TO COURT; DEPARTS IN PEACE

It wasn't "too hot for the Billingsleys" around police headquarters Saturday. Logan spent 20 minutes in the public safety building and departed unmolested.

His only apparent fear now is that "some weak-minded person," he told The Star today over the telephone, "may take a shot at me," because of the humiliating publicity.

Logan was due in police court at 10 a. m. to answer to a charge filed Friday of violation of the liquor laws.

He arrived with his attorney, George Vanderveer, on time. Fred Billingsley was also one of the defendants in the case.

"I presume he is in the county jail," said City Attorney Kennedy. "You had better call up and find out," smiled Attorney Vanderveer.

Fred Billingsley was ordered to call up and find out. "At the county jail they say Fred released last night on bail," stated the constable.

Logan was not arrested Saturday, but on the warrants outstanding against him were posted.

Five or six police officers, including Capt. Willard, were in the court room, giving Logan the "once-over."

Then Logan and Vanderveer walked leisurely thru the judge's door, thru a hallway, and out into the street, got into their automobile and rode away.

HUGHES' DECISIONS SHOW STAND

By Basil M. Manly
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WHAT IS THE ATTITUDE OF CHARLES E. HUGHES ON THE GREAT ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL QUESTIONS THAT DETERMINE THE WELFARE OF THE AMERICAN NATION AND THE LIBERTIES OF THE CITIZENS OF AMERICA?

Since his nomination Hughes has made a number of public statements, but except for a clear-cut endorsement of a high protective tariff and some very indefinite statements regarding the desirability of general welfare legislation, he has confined himself to the verbal exposition of his "Americanism."

This question of his real attitude is the one to which above all others, the American people should have an accurate, unbiased answer. Not only is this the most important campaign since the days of Lincoln, but there is an even more important reason why, in the case of Hughes, the exact truth is vital.

The American people have, at the urgent insistence of Theodore Roosevelt, already chosen one president, William Howard Taft, from

the federal bench, and later overwhelmingly repudiated him for his reactionary subservience to big business. They are now asked, again by Roosevelt, to choose another president from the federal bench. The question must therefore be asked—IS HUGHES ANOTHER TAFT?

Fortunately, the ANSWER to this question can be given, free from all bias, by an analysis of Hughes' record as a justice of the United States supreme court. This is the best possible test, for during the six years since Hughes was appointed to the supreme court by Taft, nearly every important economic and social question has had to be considered, either directly or indirectly, by this court.

The accuracy and validity of this test is apparent from the case of Taft. IF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE HAD ANALYZED TAFT'S DECISIONS AS A FEDERAL JUDGE, EXALTING THE RIGHTS OF PROPERTY ABOVE HUMAN RIGHTS, INSTEAD OF ACCEPTING THE ENCOMIUMS OF ROOSEVELT UPON TAFT AS THE GREAT PROGRESSIVE, THERE CAN BE LITTLE DOUBT THAT THERE WOULD HAVE BEEN NO PAYNEALDRICH TARIFF AND NO BAL-LINGER SCANDAL.

In making this analysis of Hughes' record on the supreme court, I have taken every case in which he delivered the opinion of the court or dissented, all of the cases in which he concurred with the majority of the court against a dissenting opinion, and the most important cases in which he participated in the unanimous opinion of the court. Altogether 219 cases are involved, of which Hughes personally wrote either majority or minority opinions in 148.

In these cases his opinions on monopolies, labor, public utilities, railroad rates, public lands, and all the other big questions about which the people have been in conflict with privilege, are clearly revealed. They are the true index to his views, and must override any statements

of policy which he may make in the vote-getting excitement of the campaign.

What do these decisions show? They show that— DURING HIS ENTIRE SIX YEARS ON THE SUPREME BENCH, HUGHES DISSENTED FROM THE MAJORITY OF THE COURT TWENTY-NINE TIMES OUT OF THE 1,412 OPINIONS HANDED DOWN DURING THAT PERIOD. THUS IN NINETY-SEVEN CASES OUT OF A HUNDRED HE STOOD ON THE PLATFORM WITH THE OTHER JUSTICES. IN FOUR CASES HE WROTE HIS OWN DISSIDENTING OPINION. IN THE OTHER HUNDREDS OF CASES HE EITHER WENT WITH THE MAJORITY OR CONCURRED IN THE DISSIDENT OF SOME OTHER JUSTICE.

The cases in which he handed down the opinion of the majority of the court show him in a somewhat more progressive light. They show him as a firm supporter of pure food legislation, a strong supporter of federal regulation, a constant foe of monopoly control thru price fixing, and a friend of state legislation in behalf of women and children.

On the other hand, there are numerous cases, as I will show in detail in a later article, where he concurred with the majority of the court.

You will be interested to know about the following: Where did Hughes stand in the Danbury hatcases' case? Where did Hughes stand in the case of the big Western railroads against the settlers? Where did Hughes stand in the Standard Oil case? Where did Hughes stand in the American Tobacco Trust case?

(Manly's second article on "Breaking the Silence of Silent Hughes" will appear in The Star Monday.)

3 MEN OFFER TO TELL OF EXPLOSION DETAILS

SAN FRANCISCO, July 29.—That Warren K. Billings, held by the police as the principal suspect in the suitcase dynamiting case, has offered to confess, was the belief today.

Emerging from a conference with Billings today, during which the suspect was again severely cross examined, District Attorney Fickert said: "Billings has admitted that he was 'it'."

Two other suspects have offered to tell "all they know," Fickert said. They asked in return that they be given immunity and concessions from the prosecutors.

Fickert said the offer could not be accepted, as officials already know all they want to know from the two.

Julius Kohn, said to be a friend of Thomas Mooney, one of the suspects, was detained by the police today. He will be questioned by Capt. Matheson. Other arrests are predicted.

To File Murder Charge—Fickert indicated that the two suspects wanted to give the police information regarding the part played by others in the bomb plot and that a statement from Billings regarding the case had been in police hands since yesterday.

Attorney Reitsner, representing Leo Weinberg, a jitney driver, and one of the suspects, applied for a writ of habeas corpus to free his client.

Fickert countered this move by announcing that he would at once file a charge of murder.

The head of the alleged ring is still at large, police said, but he is under surveillance, and may be taken at any time.

BRITISH HOLD AS RUSSIANS GAIN

Fierce Fighting by Germans Fail to Dislodge Haig's Men

SHELL VERDUN AGAIN

BERLIN, July 29.—The enemy succeeded in penetrating our lines in the region of Tresten, causing us to give up our advanced positions held beyond the Stockhold river, the German war office announced today, relative to the Russian thrust at Kovel.

BY ED L. KEENE
United Press Staff Correspondent
LONDON, July 29.—The British front is withstanding Germany's most powerful attacks, while the Russians continue to make big gains on the Eastern front.

Artillery hammering and massed attack, with hand-to-hand fighting, have so far failed to dent the lines advanced by the recent British offensive.

Gen. Haig so indicated in his report today.

It is the belief of military experts that the Kaiser is now utilizing the greatest reserves concentrated in front of the British line from Verdun and other points on the Western front, in a bitter endeavor to wrest back from the Britons the land they have captured in the last few days. Despite this, Haig reported continued progress today.

Hamilton Hires a Superintendent for County Tires

NAME'S GRANT—HE'S A POLITICIAN—GETS \$100 A MONTH FROM COUNTY, WITH NOTHING TO DO EXCEPT GET VOTES FOR LAFE.



Lafe Hamilton
Mr. George Grant is the new King county superintendent of auto tires.

Mr. Grant took the position a month ago, at a salary of \$100 a month, at the urgent request of Lafe Hamilton, who had been watching George for some time.

George had successfully managed the campaign for corporation counsel for Hugh Caldwell, so Lafe thought George ought to make a good superintendent of tires.

He certainly has, up to date. It is also up to George to see that among his duties was the task of organizing the entire force of men in the county garage. There are four of them. George has them thoroughly organized.

It is also up to George to see that not more than four tires are used at a time on any one of the county autos, and to wait for the garage to move down into the new county-city building.

WE'RE SO PUZZLED

It's a mystery to us. We can't understand it. Thursday the always "reliable" P.-I. guaranteed the Humphrey "duck pond" as a valuable piece of business property in close proximity to the railroads and many of Seattle's big institutions.

Uncle Sam paid \$169,500 for it. He wants to sell it—at a bargain. At an old price.

But even with the guarantee of the always "reliable" P.-I. THERE HAVE BEEN NO BIDDERS YET. We thought there would be a rush after the always "reliable" P.-I. guaranteed it. We even had hopes that some adventurous real estate would offer as much as \$50,000 for it. But so far, nothing doing.

Will any one please tell us what's the matter?

Mike Finds Sure Cure for a Cold: Lemon and Honey

Police Inspector Mike Powers says lemon juice and honey will break up a summer cold about as well as the next thing.

"Take a little lemon juice to clean out the cold when you get up," says Mike. "And in about 15 or 20 minutes drink some honey. There's nothing like honey to soothe them pipes."

Mayor Gill thinks pineapple juice helps him.

HEIRESS DENIES SHE PAID BILL FOR WINE PARTIES FOR SUITORS



Marian Pomeroy Smith

CAPE COD, Conn., July 29.—When pretty Miss Marian Pomeroy Smith, Cape Cod heiress, won a petition to have the Hartford Trust Co. appointed guardian of part of her property interests, the court exonerated her from charges of debauchery and insanity brought by Charles Paine, conservator of part of her holdings.

Miss Smith convinced the court she had not entertained favorite suitors at lavish wine dinners; that she had not attempted to slope with the lighthouse keeper, the village doctor or the Portuguese man of all work at the Smith home. She also denied charges that she fell in love with one man because of his eyes and another on account of his temper.

Now Miss Smith is seeking to have a Connecticut court remove Paine from all guardianship rights over her property.

KAISER APPROVES DEATH SENTENCE

LONDON, July 29.—That Kaiser Wilhelm himself confirmed the sentence of death of Capt. Fryst, of the liner Brussels for his attempt to ram a submarine, was reported in a Maastricht dispatch here today.

It served further to inflame British feeling against what press and public alike branded as surpassing the execution of Miss Cavell, the British nurse, in cold-blooded ferocity.

Wanted: A Shirt of Some Good Saturday Color

Carl Harris, Owl pharmacist, felt down-hearted Saturday. After searching nearly two months for shirts, each of a color not found in any of the others, he had only six.

"And I wanted a different colored shirt for every day in the week," said Harris.

HEAT KILLS 161; HALTS BUSINESS

CHICAGO, July 29.—Business in the Middle West was at a standstill this afternoon as a result of 19 days' heat wave, which reached its highest temperature today.

The death toll for the last 48 hours reached 161 at noon today. Sixteen died today at Chicago, nine at Milwaukee; four at Aurora, Ill., and two at Kansas City. One hundred and twelve have died at Chicago within the last 48 hours.

At Milwaukee and Belvidere, Ill., factories were closed down when employees found it impossible to work in the stifling heat.

Department stores here planned to let their employees off two hours earlier.

At some of the stores, those who showed the slightest distress were ordered home.

19-Day Torrid Spell Keeps Up and Factories Are Closed

Stout people were told they would not have to work today. Scores of horses dropped dead in Chicago streets today from exhaustion caused by the heat.

It was estimated that several hundred persons were prostrated.

112 DIE IN CHICAGO

CHICAGO, July 29.—Crazed by the heat, Edgar Foster, a clerk, today shot and killed his son, Raymond, 3, and then shot Miss Bertha Brown, 25, in the breast three times, according to police.

Miss Brown is not expected to live. Foster was arrested.

THEY CAN NOT LAND

WASHINGTON, July 29.—England's decision not to allow Thomas Kelly and James Smith and their party, carrying funds for Irish relief, to land, is "irrevocable," Ambassador Page cabled the state department today.

OUTLINES SCOPE OF BLACKLISTS

WASHINGTON, July 29.—British Ambassador Sir Eric Rice today delivered to the state department a formal written guarantee regarding the scope and application of the British blacklist as applied to American firms.

The memorandum, which was from the foreign office, guarantees that the blacklist will apply only to those firms actually named, and there will be no so-called secondary blacklists.

Butcher Needs No Thermometer; His Patrons Fill Bill

You don't need a thermometer if you work in a butcher shop.

5 CONCERTS SUNDAY

Seattle music lovers will have their choice of five concerts Sunday.

Four concerts will be given in the afternoon and one at night. The Philharmonic orchestra will play in Volunteer park, while Cavannaugh's band will be at Woodland park.

HE BELIEVES EMPLOYERS WILL OFFER HIGHER WAGE TO DOCK MEN

"I hope every striking local of the Longshoremen's union will send a representative to the arbitration conference scheduled for next Tuesday at San Francisco. The strikers will surely be offered higher wages."

This was the assertion Saturday of Mediator Henry M. White, who said he has been unable to "break anything loose" from the employers here.

LOVE LETTERS

worth thousands of dollars because of their literary charm were in the possession of

GRACE CHRISTIE

A young woman writer on a Southern daily newspaper. She didn't write them. But they were given to her.

THEY PLAY A PART IN THE STAR

in the novel entitled "Amazing Grace," by Kate Trimble Sharber. It starts Monday

Cornelia Glass, Star's Girl Reporter, Is Making a Flight Over the City Today With Aviator Terah Maroney. She'll Tell You About It Monday