

# RUSSIAN LEADER MURDERED

On the Issue of Americanism There Can Be No Compromise

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# RUSS BOLSHEVIKI INVADE POLAND KILLINGS INCREASE THROUGHOUT IRELAND

**AS IT SEEMS TO ME**  
DANA SLEETH

KNOW a professional man who has a wife, a child and an income of five figures, and he is worried most of the night and in between while during the day best some mysterious calamity befall and he be placed where he could no longer "make a living."

I know a business man who has a net income of \$50,000 a year, and every year he takes on a bigger investment burden, every year he works harder, pinches pennies more closely, and every year he frets lest something happen and his family be left without a living—a living meaning to him at least \$25,000 a year.

And the fears and frets and worries of these men are as real, and much more distressing to them, than the fret of his humbler folks, who have no special style to maintain, no social "position" to fret over, and who have not forgotten how to do a day's work with our hands.

My philosophy of life probably is lacking in many phases, but this one truth I have managed to hold thru the years—that even though ravens are as rare as prophets these days, still, if you do your best and keep plugging, that somehow things come out all right.

And it has been many and many a year since I worried over my financial future, the most of those years I have been either flat broke or so sadly twisted financially that I cast a mighty crooked shadow at the bank.

But the family has never missed a meal, our debts have been paid, usually when due, and while we have seen some rather lean seasons, we have always kept cheerful.

Many and many a man worries half his energy away uselessly over things that never happen, and many a wife frets herself into premature old and ugly age uselessly.

In every hundred families there are probably 20 chronic worriers, and the irony of it is that probably the fortunes of these 20 families will average better than those of the 80 perpetually cheerful "glad homes."

ABOUT all the appeal there is to socialism and kindred paternalistic myths is that the average harassed father thinks such a system would take the worry out of his life.

## SENATORS MAY PROBE CAMPAIGNS

Charges Wood Men Try to Buy Presidency Stir Up Congressmen

BY L. C. MARTIN  
WASHINGTON, March 27.—Startling developments may grow out of the alleged "campaign fraud" scandal, as Senator Borah's charge in the United States senate against republican and democratic aspirants for the presidency is being called here.

There were indications today that there might be senate action with respect to the spending of money by some candidates. Those who said they were interested in sifting the matter to the bottom and making all of the facts public, were reticent as to the exact nature of what they intended to do, but it was learned that in various places investigations have started.

Meantime presidential candidates and their managers laugh at Borah's statement that "certain interests are trying to buy both national conventions." They declare that just as the price of everything else has increased, so the cost of political campaigning has risen, making it necessary to spend \$5 this year for every dollar spent in every other presidential year.

## Lowden Asks Showdown on Candidates' Expenses

CHICAGO, March 27.—Showdown of expenses of presidential candidates is demanded in Gov. Frank O. Lowden's answer to Senator Borah's charges that he (Lowden) and other candidates, were spending money lavishly to capture G. O. P. delegates.

## John's Next Wife Will Be Number 6

"There goes No. 5," said Divorce Professor C. C. Dalton, as Helen Nickel got a decree from John S. Nickel in Judge Mitchell Gilliam's court Friday. John S. had four predecessors, according to Dalton. They were married in Council Bluffs, Ia., August 14, 1913.

## Ex-Service Men Win Court Ruling

Charter amendment giving preference to returned service men in city positions was upheld by a decision of Superior Judge A. W. Frater Friday. A. C. Cramer had protested against ex-service men being placed ahead of him on the list for engineer at city power plant.

## W. C. A. PAYS \$2 CIGARETTE BILL

NEW YORK, March 27.—W. C. A. secretaries held a "business luncheon" at Franconia's tavern. The bill was sent to the office.

## Judge Tells Youth Not to Use "Dope"

A three to 15-year sentence will stay suspended over George McConaghy, 18, as long as he keeps away from narcotics. He pleaded guilty before Judge Mitchell Gilliam Friday to the burglary of Cavanaugh Hardware Co., Auburn.

## He Thanks Judge for Jail Sentence

"Thank you," Harry Hartley said, when Judge Mitchell Gilliam gave him a 30-day county jail sentence, Friday. Hartley pleaded guilty to taking tobacco and \$1 from Charles Hoyt, 90 Connecticut st., December 18.

## Want 14th Ave. to Have a Better Name

The University Commercial Club petitioned the city council Saturday to change the name of 14th ave. N. E. to the more euphonious cognomen of University way.

## D. S. C. Awarded to Theodore Roosevelt

WASHINGTON, March 27.—The award by President Wilson of the distinguished service cross to Lieut. Col. Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., for extraordinary heroism near Cantigny, France, May 25, 1918, was announced today by the war department.

## 'Love Made Me a Man Thief'

Girl Tells Why She Stole Soldier Husband 'I Don't Repent or Regret'



SAN FRANCISCO, March 27.—A love thief unshamed is Esther Botts, 18-year-old stenographer who deliberately "stole" E. V. MacGinnis, war hero, from his wife and home in St. Louis.

## WAVE OF CRIME ANGERS JUDGE

"Highway Robbery Profession Here"—Smith

"Highway robbery is almost a profession in Seattle. When I go out at night I always leave my watch and money at home," said Superior Judge Everett Smith Saturday, as he sentenced A. J. Jones, colored, convicted of robbing the gas station at 23rd ave. and E. Union st., January 21, to serve five to ten years in Walla Walla penitentiary.

## MOLLY COW WINS IN 100-MILE RACE

BERKELEY, Cal., March 27.—"Molly," pride of the university farm school at Davis, checked in here yesterday, thereby completing a hundred-mile race against time and winning a \$50-dollar wager for her backers in the five-day run from Davis to Berkeley.

## Doctor Must Go to Trial, He Rules

The case of Dr. F. W. Rinkenberger, charged with making a false death certificate, will have to go to trial in justice court, according to a decision of Superior Judge A. W. Frater Friday. Justice Oles W. Brinker granted Dr. Rinkenberger's demurrer to the charge. Judge Frater's decision overruled this action.

Extra Money For You  
In the attic or storage room are many good things that, perhaps, you don't want, but just keep anyway. Why not turn them into cash?

Make a list of these items and advertise them in the "For Sale" columns of THE STAR. Some one wants what you have, but you must tell these people that you have them. You can tell nearly every one in Seattle about them by  
Phoning Main 600

## RED FORCES ATTACK ON WIDE FRONT

Armies Released From Other Fields Sweep Into New Campaign

WARSAW, March 27.—The offensive of the Russian soviet armies against Polish defenders continued today along the entire front, according to advices here. Fighting was particularly violent in the vicinity of Novograd Volhynsk.

Preliminary peace negotiations between Latvia and the soviets has been completed, a Moscow wireless said today. The Russian and Latvian delegates met at Riga.

LONDON, March 27.—An Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Berlin today said it was rumored that the Polish government had removed from Warsaw to Bromberg.

The dispatch was not confirmed from any other source. The advancing Russian Bolshevik army had captured Vilna, the dispatch said.

Polish authorities here denied a report that Warsaw had fallen to the soviet army.

New Bolshevik divisions have come to the aid of soviet troops on the Polish, Latvian and Finnish fronts, according to advices to the British war office today.

Collapsing of Gen. Denikin's South Russian anti-Bolshevik forces, the war office said, has released some of Trotsky's crack troops, and occupied Pechanga, according to dispatches here.

## Bolshevik Troops Now Occupy Denikin's Post

LONDON, March 27.—Russian soviet troops have captured Novorossiysk, the last stand of Gen. Denikin, leader of the South Russian anti-Bolshevik forces, a Moscow wireless dispatch today claimed.

## REPORTER NEARLY DIES OF SHOCK

WATERLOO, S. D., March 27.—I spent the night in one of the two modern hotels in Watertown. There was a very hot and very cold running water in the warm room. For breakfast I ate one orange, oatmeal with real cream, two fried eggs and four generous slices of bacon, fried potatoes, toast and two cups of coffee.

"What's my bill?" I inquired, on leaving.

"Well, altogether, with breakfast, it comes to a dollar seventy-five," said the clerk.

## QUENTIN QUIDNUNC

DAILY HE ASKS A QUESTION OF FIVE PERSONS PICKED AT RANDOM

TODAY'S QUESTION  
Are you in favor of creation of traffic division in police department?

ANSWERS  
A. R. TYSON, Willys-Overland Co.—Traffic is such an important part of police work that there should be a separate division to handle it, I think.

FLOYD SMITH, Seattle Automobile Sales Co.—I am in favor of such a division if they will put some automobile man in it. Equal representation should be given to motorist and pedestrian. There are plenty of regulations now, if they only would be enforced.

ALFRED G. AYERST, Alfred G. Ayerst, Inc.—I am decidedly in favor of the creation of such a traffic division—most decidedly!

J. G. FENTON, Eldridge Buick Co.—Good idea, that would undoubtedly help conditions.

W. M. HARTFORD, Shields-Livengood Motor Co.—I'm in favor of it, if it doesn't cost the city too much.

## Aileen Sees Prize Fight Wants Her Money Back

BY AILEEN CLAIRE

AT last I have attained the ambition of my life. I have seen a prize fight!

I have been a ringside spectator at what the promoters call a "skillful boxing contest" and what Dr. Matthews describes as a "brutal, disgusting spectacle."

It was Dr. Matthews' lurid description that lured me to the fight. The doctor always makes things sound so delightfully fascinating.

The sight of the ring was somewhat disappointing. It wasn't a ring at all, but a roped-off square on a high platform!

That's the way with a prize fight; things never sound like they are. For instance, a good looking boy, whom my escort said was Promoter Clay Hite, got up in the ring, and made a speech. He said:

"Gentlemen will kindly re-frengthen from smoking!"

I took this to mean that no smoking was allowed in the hall. But again I was mistaken. For as soon as the announcement was made, every man in the place lighted a cigar.

A prize-fight is a very puzzling thing.

I PASS over the preliminary bouts. They may have been interesting—I don't know. I was too excited. There was a chap with the queer name of "Noodles," who had a funny way of sticking his nose directly in the right of way of his opponent's fist. And there was another bullet-headed boy by the name of Frankie Rogers whose manner of fighting resembled the pugilistic endeavors of a goat. They could tie that boy's hands behind his back and he wouldn't notice the loss.

When they do things like that, it is no wonder Dr. Matthews objects to prize fighting. We all like to get our money's worth!

It was a good fight. Everybody said it was, at least. But I still think the management should have given us our money back. It was hardly the fair thing for Fulton to stop the fight when it had hardly started!

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INCORPORATE TO REAR BIG FAMILY  
RACINE, March 27.—Incorporation: The W. H. Hitchcock family. Object: Rearing of 18 children. Capital: Farm and healthy bank account.

Mr. and Mrs. Hitchcock, Ogema, Wis., near here, claimed today to have the only incorporated family in America. Having no children of their own, the couple assumed the care of the 18, ranging in age from 6 to 21.

They signed a contract guaranteeing proper care and education of the youngsters and giving each one some stock share in the incorporation.

The farm will be made to give each stockholder a dividend each year.

## No, It Wasn't One Like Fire Chief's

A \$5,000 machine was demanded by Commissioner of Health Hiram Reed, in a letter to the city council Saturday. Profiteer bounds sniffed a scandal until it was disclosed that what Reed wanted was an X-ray machine for the health department.

## Sold Stolen Goods; Must Pay \$25 Fine

Fine of \$25 was imposed on Ed D. Mosely, 68, convicted of petit larceny, by Judge Boyd J. Tallman Saturday. Mosely was accused of selling stolen goods.

## TONS OF QUEUES END SHORTAGE

Sister is still demanding Chinese queues to relieve the hair shortage. Imports into Seattle total 273 tons, valued at \$220,185, during the last 12 months.

## Magistrate Slain Yesterday; Sinn Fein Charge Terrorist Gang at Work

DUBLIN, March 27.—James McCarthy, prominent Sinn Fein leader at Thurles, was shot and killed in his home today.

Masked men broke into McCarthy's house at 1:30 a. m., entered his bedroom and shot him. The crime was believed to be in revenge for the murder of a policeman who recently was killed at Thurles.

Sinn Fein leaders in Dublin said the latest murder in Ireland's growing list of crime was additional proof of their belief that a band of anti-Sinn Fein terrorists had been organized to intimidate the society.

They pointed to similarity between McCarthy's death and the recent murder of Lord Mayor Thomas MacCurtain of Cork. MacCurtain, also a prominent Sinn Feiner, was killed in almost identically the same way that McCarthy met his death.

DUBLIN LOOKS LIKE OCCUPIED CITY  
Dublin presented the appearance of an occupied city today, following the murder of Alan Bell, magistrate of Dublin Castle, yesterday.

Military activity was greater than at any time since the rebellion. Numerous additional troops have arrived. Tanks, armored cars and motor lorries moved thru the downtown streets.

In connection with the murder of the magistrate, it was recalled today that Bell was denounced in the recent Sinn Fein proclamation of the British government's efforts to determine the sources of the Sinn Fein loan.

Military leaders said a total of 25 murders of police constabulary, soldiers and other government representatives has been committed since January 1, 1919. Eighty-nine other murders have been attempted.

Bell was on a train car riding toward Dublin Castle. The car was filled with passengers.

As it approached the Masonic school, four men leaped into the street, forced the driver to stop the car and seized Bell, placing pistols against his head. He was led into the street and shot.

Scores of persons witnessed the murder. Passengers on the train car were thrown into a panic.

## GAS SHUT - OFF PIPE LINE PLAN PLAN 'INSOLENT' NOT YET DECIDED

The Seattle Lighting Co.'s summary and insolent process of stimulating prompt payment" by shutting off gas will be placed before the public service commission at its next meeting, E. D. O'Brien, acting superintendent of public utilities, informed the city council today.

The board of public works, at its meeting Friday, postponed action on plans for the construction of a pipe line from Molasses creek to the proposed reservoir in Volunteer park, until a special session Tuesday.

The \$3,000,000 bond issue authorized by the city council to finance the pipe line construction, was declared to be inadequate. The board will decide Tuesday whether wood stave or pipe steel shall be used in the pipe line.

## Eagle-Eye Sights Stolen Overcoat

Edward Cooper, 1425 Prospect st., met Gordon Hoare, 19, at Sixth ave. and Pine st., Saturday morning.

Edward declared that Gordon was wearing his overcoat, which was stolen from his automobile recently. Patrolman S. J. Jorgenson booked them both. Cooper was released.

## Seattle Gets 82 Tons of Cloves

Eighty-two tons of cloves—the national health campaign during epidemic of fire troubles.

Imports into Seattle total 273 tons, valued at \$220,185, during the last 12 months.

Automobiles cruising along 12th ave., between Madison st. and Yesler way, Saturday morning, suffered an epidemic of fire troubles.