

POOL DEPARTS FOR ROAD MEET

Many El Pasoans Plan To Attend Highway Gathering at Midland.

El Paso will be represented at the meeting at Midland Tuesday to promote an automobile highway between Fort Worth and El Paso by mayor Tom Lee, Judge Adrian Pool and the county commissioners.

Mayor Lee and the county commissioners will leave tonight. More than 100 delegates will be in attendance at the meeting, many from the majority of the towns between here and Fort Worth having announced their intention of attending.

The aid of the chamber of commerce has been enlisted in the plan for the building of the new highway, which will give unprecedented impetus to automobile travel westward.

Both Fort Worth and El Paso and the towns between them will benefit by the road. A. W. Reeves, traffic secretary of the chamber of commerce, said Monday that the proposed El Paso-Fort Worth link was the most important automobile movement ever undertaken in this part of the state.

OFFICERS' AUTOMOBILE STOLEN

A California government automobile was taken from the lot of the commanding officer of battery C of the First Massachusetts artillery regiment Sunday afternoon. The theft has been reported to the police, as it is thought that the patrol was taken to the city for the purpose of sale.

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K. N. BOWINGTON SHOT TO DEATH

Former Saloonkeeper Killed at Clint; H. H. Williams Is Being Held.

K. N. ("Red") Bowington, formerly proprietor of the Santa Fe Saloon at Eighth and Santa Fe streets, and a resident of El Paso for many years, was shot and killed Saturday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock while sitting in his automobile in front of the Henderson's drug store at Clint, Texas.

H. H. Williams, a one-armed man, was arrested a short time after the shooting of Bowington, and was brought to the El Paso county jail, by deputy sheriff J. Bates and constable Bob Carr, where he was confined pending an investigation of the case.

A complaint charging Williams with murder has been filed in Judge James J. Deaver's court and a preliminary hearing will be held this afternoon.

Quarrelled Years Ago. As far as could be determined, Bowington and Williams were parties to a quarrel of several years' standing, dating back to when the two men were working together at Santa Fe. Saturday afternoon Bowington drove down to Clint to visit his farm.

It is also learned that in 1917, Bowington was arraigned on a charge of assault in which he is alleged to have beaten Williams severely with a pitchfork.

Bowington was tried by a jury and received a three-month term in the penitentiary, according to evidence in court, nearly resulting in the loss of Williams' good arm.

Bowington is survived by a wife and several children living in El Paso. He came to this city a short time after the alleged assault on Williams, and opened up the Santa Fe saloon.

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PLATITUDINOUS PASTORS PLAYED

Prohibitionist Candidate Scores Preachers Who Do Not Fight Alcoholism

Protest, Ariz., Sept. 25.—In four addresses in Phoenix churches Sunday the prohibitionist candidates for president and vice president attacked the liquor evil and those preachers who do not, from their pulpits, wage the fight for prohibition.

Dr. Ira Landrith, the vice presidential candidate, himself a preacher, particularly urged that the prohibition fight was the church people's battle, and assailed preachers who remained noncommittal on the saloon question, because they desire to stay out of politics.

"The preacher who stays out of the fight," he said, "who sees nothing fatally wrong with the liquor traffic ought to quit preaching and go to tending a mule across a ten-acre field, and that's the meanest thing I ever said about a mule."

A tactically brilliant, graphic, platitudinous sermon has no place in 20th century religion.

Held On Three Charges. Says She'd Rather Die Than Submit To Arrest

Bertrice Robles de la Torre, a woman residing at 3514 West San Antonio street, was taken to the emergency hospital from her home early Monday morning in a hysterical condition. The woman, it is said, because hysterical when approached by city detective A. C. Varola who had a warrant for her arrest on charges of vagrancy, disturbing the peace, and using abusive language.

A small wound was found on her forehead at the emergency hospital, where she declared that she would die rather than submit to arrest. She was later locked up in the city jail.

SAYS HE WAS HELD UP AND ROBBED BY MEXICANS

A. Jahnke, of 781 Mesquite avenue, reported to the police Monday morning that he had been held up by three Mexicans and his watch taken Sunday night in the lower section of the city. Jahnke, according to his report, alighted from a Mexican car and after walking a short distance up the street, was stopped by three Mexicans, who searched his pockets, taking his watch, which was of a German model. The watch is believed to be the only one of that particular manufacture in the southwest, as the timepiece is not equipped with hands, but numbers, which rotate around the dial.

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CAPTURED TYPES OF EAST INDIANS.

ARREST OFFICIAL AS A MURDERER

Missouri Prosecuting Attorney Is Held on Charge of Having Killed Wife.

St. Joseph, Mo., Sept. 25.—Though he treats the matter lightly, prosecuting attorney Oscar D. McDaniel was today arranging hastily for his defence on a charge of having murdered his wife, Harriet Moss McDaniel, who was found dead in her bedroom on the night of July 15. The prosecuting attorney was arrested Sunday night. He laughed when arrested and on the way to police headquarters obtained permission to stop and buy some cigars.

McDaniel Accused Law Violator. The murder of Mrs. McDaniel was coupled with an alleged attempt to kill the prosecutor also, and in public statements McDaniel charged that the law violators against whom he had been active, were responsible for the crime.

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Prosecutor Aided in Inquiry. The prosecutor took an active personal interest in the investigation of the murder and the public hearings held by the coroner over a period of several weeks. Several persons were detained in connection with the case but all later were released.

Letters Written From Jail. A new feature was introduced by a number of anonymous letters, crudely written which purported to confess the crime, alleging as a motive a desire for revenge against the prosecutor. It was believed these letters were written by an inmate of the county jail awaiting trial, but no charges were made in this connection.

New Witnesses Secured. Bart Lockwood, special prosecutor appointed by the criminal court to investigate the case, secured three new witnesses had brought new light into the case.

Domestic Trouble Alleged Motive. Domestic trouble will be the motive which the state will endeavor to establish, according to a statement by Lockwood. Among the new witnesses will be one who, it is said, is expected to testify that Mrs. McDaniel telephoned the lodge room where her husband was supposed to be staying the evening of July 15 and discovered he was not there.

Lockwood announced that the theory of the state was that the incident culminated in a quarrel during which Mrs. McDaniel was killed by her husband who then changed clothes and drove to town in an effort to procure an alibi and that the prosecutor, upon receiving a telephone call and that he himself fired the shots, which he said was fired at him.

McDaniel met the assertion of the state's theory with a calm smile.

MANY EL PASOANS PLAN TRIP TO NEW MEXICO FAIR

A big delegation of El Paso business men will represent the city at the New Mexico state fair Thursday, the big day of the exposition, a party is now being arranged by A. W. Reeves, traffic secretary of the chamber of commerce. Reeves, who is planning to secure 25 delegates from El Paso, which will be enough to obtain a special car, Mr. Reeves has taken up the matter of special rates with the Santa Fe railroad.

Among those who have accepted their invitation of making the trip are George R. Le Dain, C. H. Finner, H. K. Hammons, G. A. Martin and H. D. O'Rourke. The party will be met at Albuquerque by Mayor M. J. O'Rourke, secretary of the chamber of commerce, who is making a trip through the state in the interests of the International Fair and the exposition. Reeves wishes that those who want to accompany the El Paso delegation will telephone their names to him at the chamber of commerce.

The party will leave El Paso Wednesday night, reaching Albuquerque on Thursday morning. The return trip will be made on Thursday night, the party returning to El Paso Friday morning.

ROAMER WORTH \$2000 IS STOLEN IN BROAD DAYLIGHT

A new Cadillac roadster, valued at \$2000 was stolen from the 800 block of North Oregon street early Sunday morning, according to a report made to the police by its owner, H. Leonard. The car was left standing by Mr. Leonard. A few minutes later he returned and found it was gone. No clue to the thieves is known.

The incident occurred in broad daylight, Mr. Leonard not thinking it necessary to lock the car. The number of the automobile has been given to all officers on duty, and a search of the city in an effort to locate it.

TRUCK MASTER IN HOSPITAL PRIVATE UNDER ARREST

Truck master A. O. Antor, of the U. S. provisional truck company No. 16, is in the base hospital suffering from a number of severe wounds sustained about the head, while Pvt. Edward Gasman is being held in the city jail on a charge of assault, following an alleged assault on Antor Saturday night. Antor, it is said, refused to allow any of the trucks to leave the camp, and was beaten.

BICYCLE TAKEN TO STATION. A blue bicycle with a large spring seat was found late Sunday night in the store of the Anna wholesale grocery by H. Robertson and taken to the police station, pending an investigation. It is thought that the bicycle was stolen some time Sunday afternoon and arrested in the alley by the thieves until they could take a car unobserved.

JURY REFUSES DIVORCE

George Brooks was refused a divorce from his wife, Annie, by a jury in the

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