

MUTT AND JEFF—Jeff's Gradually Picking Up an Education.

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RIGHT UNDER NOSE

J. D. Zimmerman Says Gambling Flourishes Near Court House.

Addresses Letter to State, County and City Officials.

An assortment of gambling games have been progressing all week within two blocks of the city hall, the county court house and adjoining the state house grounds.

Zimmerman's letter follows: "A large assortment of the cheapest kind of open gambling games have been in public operation all week within two blocks of the city hall, within two blocks of the county court house and directly adjoining the state capitol grounds."

Mayor H. J. Corvine said this afternoon he had received one of the letters, but that he had not had time to make any investigations.

Sheriff Hugh Larimer had not received a copy of Zimmerman's letter. "I will take action immediately," said Attorney General Richard S. Hopkins today when the contents of the Zimmerman letter was read over the telephone to him.

"First, I want a copy of the letter, and then I'll write to the county attorney and request him to subpoena Zimmerman and prosecute every man against whom he obtains incriminating evidence."

LEGION TO FORCE BONUS THRU.

All Posts in U. S. Asked to Appeal to Congressmen.

Washington, May 7.—The American Legion today began a campaign to force action on the soldiers' bonus bill.

Franklin D'Olier, national commander of the legion, said that he had sent telegrams to all posts urging them to state to their congressmen that they demand the passage of the Forney bonus bill.

ALLEGED POISONER IS CLEARED. Lawrence Man Acquitted After Four Days of Trial.

Lawrence, Kan., May 7.—Walter Deady, charged with attempting to poison Marvin Herr and Mrs. Herr, neighbors, was acquitted in district court here today.

The jury was out only a short time, taking two ballots. The trial has been in progress since Monday.

Newspaper Situation Desperate. Elizabeth, N. J., May 7.—Conditions surrounding publication of newspapers are becoming desperate.

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COOL, CLOUDY WEATHER

Last Week Abnormal, With Freezing Temperatures Two Days—Conditions Fine for Wheat.

Abnormally cool, cloudy weather was general over Kansas during the week ended May 4. The rains that fell were light, being less than a quarter of an inch at nearly all stations.

On the twenty-seventh and twenty-eighth frost or freezing weather was general, but the damage was light.

Conditions were fine for wheat, which was in satisfactory condition. In the northwestern quarter conditions are reported to be exceptionally favorable.

AN OTTAWA STEPPER

An all-around athlete and star track man. He steps the 440 in 52 seconds.



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SNAP SHOTS AT HOME NEWS

All issues of Liberty Bonds bought and sold. The Shawnee Investment Co., 101 Kansas avenue.—Adv.

Don't forget to make your payments at the Prudential Trust Co. for Pepp's Coal Savings Plan. Topeka Coal Co., Elk's Building, Phone 442.—Adv.

Frank Dembois, 314 Kansas avenue, was fined \$10 and costs in the court of Topeka today for violation of city food department rules.

A new class of Red Cross home nursing will be held on Mondays and Thursdays, at one o'clock at the high school with Mrs. Berna Cook as instructor.

Residents of Monmouth and Williamsport townships have petitioned the county commission for a highway in the dirt road running along the line between the two townships from Berryton south.

Mr. J. M. Fink, instructor in sociology at Washburn, urged members of his advanced class to marry and expressed approval of several well known "cases."

Big Money Making Corsets

Worcester, Mass., May 7.—The Royal Worcester Corset company today declared a stock dividend of 200 per cent, increasing its capital from \$200,000 to \$2,400,000.

New Orleans Cotton Market. New Orleans, May 7.—COTTON—Spot, steady, unchanged; middling, 46.25.

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Giving Away Suits. Yes, almost giving away a bunch of up-to-date SUITS. Some are beautiful green and browns, all traveling men's samples, values up to \$50.00, your choice Saturday. \$35 OXFORDS. For Men and Young Men, real dark mahogany calf in English Models. \$8.50

The Model SHOE & CLOTHING CO. 806 KANSAS AVENUE.

URIC ACID IN MEAT CLOGS THE KIDNEYS. Take a glass of Salts if your Back or Bladder bothers you—Drink more water. \$1.00 TIRE SALE. Saturday, May 8th Monday, May 10th. We have a few Stephens & Portage 6,000 Mile Casings in sizes 30x3—30x3 1/2—31x4. That we will put on sale for Two Days only. Same prices as our March Sale. Capper Auto Supply Co. 921 Kansas Ave. Phone 3680.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS. The funeral of Mrs. Amelia Zarker, age 81, who died Wednesday, was held at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon from Penwell's chapel. Burial in Topeka cemetery.

Local Mention. Be a stockholder in Pepp's Coal Savings Plan. Topeka Coal Co., Elk's Building, Phone 442.—Adv.

Cards of Thanks. We desire to extend our sincere thanks and appreciation to the many friends for their kindness during the sickness and death of our dear mother, Mrs. J. M. Shiner.—Adv.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS. E. W. Titterton to M. A. Moore, lots 134-36 Michigan ave., Barber's add., same. \$200.

CHARGE PRINT PAPER CORNER. American Press Ass'n President Says Makers Are in Conspiracy. Washington, May 7.—Charged of a "conspiracy" in print paper were made today before the senate committee investigating the paper shortage by Cortland Smith of New York, president of the American Press association.

Kansas City Hay Market. Kansas City, May 7.—HAY—Unusual scarcity was reported in the hay market today.

Aged People Suffer. And Weaken Their Vitality by Constipation, Liver, Kidney and Other Irregularities. Sulpher Tablets, a Mild, Efficient Formula Gains Wide Popularity in Recent Years.

Special for Saturday. Black Kid and Patent Pumps, French and Baby French heels, Black Kid Oxfords with French heels, absolutely new merchandise, all sizes and widths, exceptional offering for Saturday only—\$6.35. \$1.00 Lisle Hose, Specialty for Saturday. 59c. The Booterie 823 Kansas Avenue Phone 890.

SEE EUROPE. Now is the very best time to fulfill your great desire, and owing to foreign exchange rate and exceptional purchasing power of American money, we offer splendidly arranged Tours for \$760 and \$1,075. The Universal Tours Co., Inc. 706 Kansas Ave. Topeka, Kansas. Dept. 3.

Metropolitan 5 to 50c Stores, Inc. Saturday Specials. New shipment flower bulbs direct from Holland, come early and get your choice of Gladiolus, 2 for 5c; Cannas, 5c ea.; Tube Roses, 2 for 15c; Dahlias, 2 for 25c; Peonies, 19c each.

SPECIALS AT THE REXALL STORES. 10 bars White Borax Naphtha Soap for 50c. With a 50c purchase of other merchandise.

Metropolitan 5 to 50c Stores, Inc. 827 Kansas Ave. Phone 329. We will give Free, Saturday only, 12 boxes of Safety Matches with each one dollar purchase or over.

STOP! Beautiful transparent organ-dies in white and other shades, regular \$1.00 and \$1.50, specially priced—50c and 69c.

Call up Phone 3556. For—Moving Wagons, Baggage Wagons, Storage, Expert Packers.

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