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FIFTY-EIGHTH YEAR

METAL MARKETS

Bar silver: —
Foreign — 61 1/2c
Domestic — 99 1/2c
Copper—Quiet.
Electrolytic spot — 11 1/2 to 12c

ARIZONA WEATHER

(Furnished by the United States
Weather Bureau and the Associated
Press.)
Tuesday and Wednesday—General-
ly fair; somewhat unsettled Tuesday.

PHOENIX IS INUNDATED BY CAVE CREEK

Harding's Bonus Address Is Quarrel Topic in the Upper House

SENATE TAKES
12 HOURS OVER
SHIP MEASURE
TO CHEW RAGS

(Associated Press Night Wire)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 22.—After a continuous session of more than 12 hours, during which President Harding's course in recently addressing the senate on soldier bonus legislation was vigorously debated, the senate reached an agreement on all provisions of the shipping board deficiency bill, carrying \$48,500,000 and upon adjournment at 11:15 o'clock tonight arranged to take a vote on passage of the bill upon reconvening at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Early in the day, the senate eliminated an amendment to limit salaries paid to officials of the board.

The discussion on the president's speech was started by Senator LaFollette, republican, of Wisconsin, who referred to the resolution introduced in the house by Representative W. Burke Cockran, democrat, of New York, criticizing the president for addressing one branch of congress on pending legislation, and drew many senators into the fray.

Recites Wilson Precedent

Senator Lodge, the republican leader, called attention to the "peace without victory" speech of former President Wilson to the senate prior to the American entrance into the war and his address on the suffrage amendment later. It would be a bad day, the Massachusetts senator said, for the republic when any one of the three branches of the government could not confer with another.

Declaring it was not necessary to "eulogize" Mr. Harding, Senator Borah, republican, of Idaho, said that on the question of the bonus "we surrender our judgment to his dictation."

Mr. LaFollette assailed the president for what he described as executive interference with the legislative branch of the government.

TO CURB CHURCH GOING

MERIDA, Yucatan, Aug. 22.—A bill has been presented to the lower house of the Yucatan congress prohibiting children under 15 years of age entering a Catholic church. Priests who would permit such entry are to be subject to a fine of \$500. A law to this effect is unconstitutional, according to the newspapers quoting legal authority, but in view of the radical make-up of the lower house, it is asserted, the bill probably will be passed.

RAILROAD DEBT FUNDING BILL
PASSES HOUSE BY PARTY VOTE

(Associated Press Night Wire)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 22.—The administration's railroad funding bill was passed tonight by the house. The measure now goes to the senate. The vote was 214 to 123. It is not the present intention of the senate to take up the bill before the recess.

An unsuccessful effort was made to eliminate a section which provides that no payments shall be made by the government to any carriers "on account of the so-called inefficiency of labor" during federal control. An amendment to strike out this provision offered by Representative Webster, Washington, a republican member of the commerce committee which had favorably reported the bill, was rejected, 145 to 17.

OCCULT LOVE WAS MOTIVE OF KENNEDY CASE;
TANGLED SKEIN REACHES ACROSS COUNTRY
TO GOTHAM; TRIAL CANNOT BE FOR A MONTH

(Associated Press Night Wire)
LOS ANGELES, Aug. 22.—The motive the prosecution will try to prove was behind the slaying of J. Belton Kennedy was "occult love," Malcolm McLaren, special investigator for the district attorney's office, declared today. He said he believed that office already had sufficient evidence to establish this motive, but that further investigations were under way, reaching across

the continent to New York city. The nature of these he could not divulge, he said.

McLaren said he did not believe the case would go to trial before late in October or early in November. Arthur C. Burch and Mrs. Madalynne Obenchain, indicted for the alleged murder, will appear to plead next Monday, a continuance to that time having been granted them today because of the absence of their chief counsel.

JUROR ILL AND SMOKE CASE ADJOURNS FOR
ONE DAY; ATTORNEYS REGRET LACK OF 13TH

Interest of those concerned in the smoke case yesterday flashed upon the jury, which, by reason of the illness of Jurymen Tom Crawford, assumed unwonted importance. There was no hearing held yesterday, although the case may go on with Crawford back in his place this morning.

A complication of ailments culminating in rheumatism is said to be responsible for Crawford's condition. He suffered from an injury to his right hip when a youth, and the wet

weather is thought to have brought on a most painful attack of rheumatism. Crawford underwent a siege of malta fever last spring.

Attorneys for the litigants yesterday were regretful they had not foreseen possible delay due to illness which is very possible during a trial of the length of this one. Under stipulation of counsel, it is possible under the Arizona law to draw an alternate or thirteenth juror to serve along with the specified 12, and take the place of anyone incapacitated.

DRY LEADERS FAILED
TO MAKE GOOD BOAST
TO DELAY THE RECESS

(Associated Press Night Wire)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 22.—In the face of all sorts of claims by prohibition leaders that congress should not quit work until the anti-beer legislation has been enacted, indications tonight were that the senate and house would recess Wednesday without final action on the measure.

The house plans to adopt the conference report with its compromise home and property search amendment tomorrow but there was much uncertainty as to what the senate might do if Senator Sterling, chief of the conferees, should decide to call it up. The general view of leaders was that the house would act, leaving the report before the senate for consideration in the fall.

OTTO LIND CALLED
BY DEATH; LIVED IN
YAVAPAI 23 YEARS

Otto Lind, 59, who had lived in Yavapai county for the past 23 years, died at Rochester, Minn., where he had gone for an operation, and the funeral will be held there, according to word received here yesterday.

Mr. Lind was born in Sweden. During his residence in this county his work had been that of hoist engineer and mill man. He was a member of the Elks, Odd Fellows and Moose.

Mr. Lind is survived by two sons, Otto H. and Melvin, both of Prescott.

HUNDRED CARS
HELD BY STORM

Machines Are Mired or Abandoned North of Glendale, Report Says

Over 100 automobiles are mired or left standing between Glendale and the mouth of the Black Canyon, according to reports received here yesterday by Bob Byrns, of the Arizona Bus company, local manager of the Arizona Automobile club.

Due to the heavy floods at Glendale, and so washouts along that part of the Black Canyon road, it was impossible yesterday to get into Phoenix. Many motorists and truck drivers left their machines standing. Forty machines were abandoned near Glendale Saturday, according to reports received Sunday by Byrns.

COTTON MARKET

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—Cotton closed strong at a net advance of 38 to 50 points with December quoted at 13.92 compared with 13.47 at the close of last week.

HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS IS THE
ESTIMATE OF DAMAGE; MUD STOPS
PUMPS IN BASEMENT OF THE CAPITOL

(Associated Press Night Wire)
PHOENIX, Aug. 22.—Seven hundred houses in Phoenix were damaged by yesterday's flood and in 400 of these water went into the first story according to estimates made by newspapermen today. City Manager Avery Thompson estimated the damage in the city exclusive of that done to the state capital at \$100,000.

Yesterday's flood washed five new holes in the banks of the Arizona canal, the principal artery of the Salt River valley irrigation system, and enlarged the five cuts made by Friday night's flood. The ten cuts now run from 20 to 150 feet. In the Grand canal, the second largest artery of the irrigation system that was crossed by the flood on its way from Cave creek to Phoenix, five breaks were made, ranging from 10 to 40 feet wide.

Officials of the irrigation district estimate the damage to their canals at \$5,000. They said the breaks would be repaired and

water service to the farmers resumed within two weeks.

PUMPS USELESS AT
STATE CAPITOL

No estimate of the damage done outside the city nor of that to the capital were available tonight. Five large pumps were kept busy drawing the water from the basement of the capitol today but tonight were forced to cease work because of the mud. At that time there was about a foot and a half of water and mud in the basement.

DIMINISHED FLOOD IS
STILL FLOWING

Water still was coming down from Cave creek through the Arizona and Grand canals but the volume tonight was so diminished that it was being diverted at the Salt River canal, one of the smaller canals of the district, and was not reaching the capitol grounds. Northwestern Phoenix was still largely under water, however. People living south of the Salt River canal were able to return to their

homes today, but those living north of there in the flooded area cannot yet get to their houses.

CARRY TRAIN TRAFFIC
2 MILES IN TRUCKS

Although repairs to the tracks of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railroad had not been completed tonight two night trains for the coast left on schedule time. Their passengers were transferred from the local railway station to the state fair grounds, two miles away, in automobile trucks, and there they boarded another train. These were the first Santa Fe trains out of here since last night.

HASSAYAMPA BREAKS
AT PALO VERDE BRIDGE

Sixty feet of a 120-foot bridge over the Hassayampa river at Palo Verde were washed out by a flood in the Hassayampa river yesterday, according to reports here tonight. The flood in the Hassayampa river was caused by the same rains that caused the Cave creek flood that swept Phoenix.

AUTO CLUB TO
BE C. C. TOPIC

Sid Ross Will Tell of the Work of A. A. C.; Traffic Bureau Work

For the purpose of hearing Sid Ross, president of the Arizona Automobile club, tell of the work that club is doing throughout the state and what its plans for future work are, the members of the Yavapai County Chamber of Commerce are being given a special notice of the meeting scheduled for Thursday night.

President Ross is coming to Prescott for this meeting, accepting the invitation of Bob Byrns, local representative of the club. All automobile owners should make it a point to attend the meeting. What the Automobile Club of Southern California has done for that state can be accomplished by the Arizona Automobile club for Arizona. That it is an organization well founded and with a definite program of activity in view will be shown by President Ross.

Roland Johnston, manager of the Traffic Bureau of the Phoenix Chamber of Commerce will tell the meeting something of the work which the traffic bureau is doing for the Salt River valley.

CLARA HAMON WEDS
HER MOVIE DIRECTOR

(Associated Press Night Wire)
LOS ANGELES, Aug. 22.—Clara Smith Hamon, who was acquitted in Ardmore, Okla., several months ago when tried for the murder of Jake L. Hamon, was married here late today to John W. Gorman, a motion picture director. After obtaining license to marry, the couple drove to the residence of the Rev. M. Howard Fagan, pastor of the Wilshire Boulevard Christian church, who performed the ceremony.

Mr. Gorman announced he and his wife would make their home here. Mrs. Gorman has been engaged since last April in making a film under his direction.

HIGHWAY AND
MANDAMUS TO
BE TRIED SOON

Judge Bollinger to Be Here Wednesday; Two Cases Coming Up

Trial of the Hesla highway suit, involving a petition for an injunction to stop the highway commission from proceeding under the engineer contract with Olmsted & Gillelen, will probably be begun in superior court here before Judge E. E. Bollinger of Mohave county, it was indicated at the court house yesterday. The chief work of prosecuting the suit will be in the hands of the six intervenors, represented by O'Sullivan & Morgan. The major portion of the defense will be conducted for the three majority commissioners by LeRoy Anderson of Anderson, Gale & Nilsson.

Preparations for immediate trial of the case have been made by the parties and the court. Agreement was reached a short time back that Judge Lyman of Phoenix be called in to try the case, but it was learned he was ill and could not come.

Judge Bollinger is engaged in some trials at Kingman, and yesterday notified Judge Sweeney he would be able to come Wednesday, arriving in the afternoon. Unless plans are changed, the highway case will be brought to trial in the upper court room Thursday morning.

Judge Bollinger will probably also try the mandamus of Homer R. Wood against the board of supervisors and the county recorder, to force the appointment of a member of the board vice Jack Jones, absent from the state due to illness.

Eighty Thousand Will
Visit Yosemite, 1921

YOSEMITE, Calif., Aug. 22.—Approximately 85,000 people will visit the Yosemite National park this year, if present travel keeps up, it has been estimated. Last year 68,000 entered the park.

HANDS OFF OIL
FUSS U. S. TELLS
PETROL PEOPLE

(Associated Press Night Wire)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 22.—American Oil company officials who planned to go to Mexico City to confer with Mexican government officials on the petroleum question, have been informed by the state department that the American government would be gratified if the question of the recently imposed tax on oil could be settled amicably by the two parties to the controversy.

The attitude of the department is understood to have been set forth several days ago to representatives of the American Oil company, who transmitted to the department a decision to confer directly with Mexican officials with a view to reduction in the recently imposed petroleum exports tax.

Other American companies operating properties in Mexico have not adhered to the decision to conduct direct negotiations, it was learned, suggesting that such a matter be left to the state department.

ENGLAND SENDS FORMAL REPLY
TO DISARM CONFERENCE QUERY

(Associated Press Night Wire)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 22.—While diplomatic formalities of the disarmament conference moved forward, with deliberation, the American government is at work defining principles and collecting information which will guide its representatives at the council table.

Considerable progress is understood to have been made, both toward preparation of plans and data for the American commissioners and toward a canvass of the diplomatic field to determine what international problems are to be considered within

PRIVATE MEET
DAIL EIREANN
TO TALK ABOUT
PEACE OFFER

(Associated Press Night Wire)
DUBLIN, Aug. 22.—The dail eireann held frequent sessions today to consider the question of what shall be its reply to the British government's peace offer. It adjourned tonight without having arrived at any decision but will meet again tomorrow in private simultaneously with the gathering of the Sinn Fein executive committee which is somewhat similar to the national political party committees in the United States.

There is little likelihood of there being any public sessions of the dail eireann until Friday, by which time its reply may have been sent to Mr. Lloyd George.

HAVERTY IS GUILTY
OF MANSLAUGHTER;
BE SENTENCED SOON

(Associated Press Night Wire)
TOMBSTONE, Aug. 22.—James Haverly, cattleman, found guilty yesterday morning of manslaughter for the killing of his brother, Richard, on April 23, will be sentenced tomorrow morning by Judge A. C. Lockwood.

BROTHER OF BANDIT
HELD BOYS IS SLAIN

(Associated Press Night Wire)
EL PASO, Aug. 22.—John W. Dye, American counsel in Juarez, Mexico, this afternoon advised the state department at Washington of the murder of Bennett Boyd, an 18-year-old American, on the Carretas ranch, in northwestern Chihuahua, 60 miles south of Hachita, N. Mex. At the same time, Mexican authorities in Juarez said a squad of soldiers would be sent to the ranch to hunt down the slayers who are said to be bandits.

Boyd, a former resident of El Paso, was killed on Thursday of last week, according to a message received by relatives here today. No details were given. The slain man's brothers, Cecil and Gordon, were kidnapped by bandits on the Carretas ranch in 1916, and held until a ransom of \$5,000 had been paid.

the scope of the conference. Both the army and the navy have taken an extensive part in the government's preparations.

Meantime, although the conference has become an assured fact through the informal acquiescence of all invited powers, the perfunctory story of formal diplomatic exchanges continues to hold the center of the stage so far as surface developments are concerned and to be the theme of all available official comment. The formal acceptance of Great Britain reached the state department today. Formal acceptances from Japan, Italy and France are yet to come.