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### CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Weather Forecast: Much colder to-day strong west winds.

Mrs. Owen Wilson received a letter from her husband in Washington informing her that he liked his new government position. He added he was extremely busy getting familiar with the new duties. Mr. Wilson left the city last week.

Miss Anna Hagan will entertain the members of the Epiphany Club tomorrow afternoon at her home on Bond Street.

"Simplicity" contained Hatcher and Hatcher. Simplicity Incubators, Inc., 1014 N. 1st St., Hot Water Heat! Means you'll never have heat! Angle this. Property of Simplicity, No Cold and all the other things. The Mother of Simplicity. Sold on a Guarantee. See Taylor, Masterson and Linson Hardware Company.

A. B. Middle came over from Jackson yesterday on business.

J. H. Baugher came up from Sikeston yesterday to look after some business matters.

Miss Elsie Waldman went to St. Louis yesterday afternoon for a visit with relatives.

A. F. Asa came up from Advance yesterday to look after some business matters.

Jack Cairns left on a business trip through the lower counties yesterday. County Recorder of Deeds G. F. Siemers was in the Cape yesterday on business.

C. H. Claiborne, superintendent of the Frisco was in the Cape yesterday to settle some railroad matters.

Have your Sewing Machine repaired while this great expert is still here. He is located at Taylor, Masterson and Linson Hardware Co., 418 Broadway. People say he makes them better than new. Don't miss this chance. Phone 423 right now. John De Pelzer, chief expert from St. Louis.

G. H. Gross, the saloonkeeper of Haaring, spent the day on his farm, northwest of the city.

Mrs. J. R. Lee, of Sikeston, was in the city yesterday conferring with her attorneys on a civil suit now pending in the Springfield Court of Appeals.

Mrs. Joe Fuerth was taken to St. Francis Hospital yesterday afternoon for an operation. Mrs. Fuerth, who has been living with her husband on a farm north of the city, has been in a serious condition for sometime suffering from an attack of gall stones.

A slightly increased wind was noticed in the Cape yesterday evening, beginning about 5:30 o'clock, lasting about an hour. Another gale-like wind swept over the city about midnight for half an hour. No damage was reported in this city.

M. D. Bond, the Studebaker agent of Charleston, spent the day in the Cape on business matters.

Lester Crews, a member of the band which left here last August with Company I, arrived home today for a visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Oscar Ruediger went to Belleville, Ill., yesterday morning to visit relatives.

Ex-Sheriff W. F. Schade, of Jackson, passed through the Cape last night on his return from points in the South, where he transacted some business matters.

Ralph H. Bailey, an attorney of Sikeston had legal business in the city yesterday.

County Clerk and Mrs. Blucher Sperling departed for St. Louis yesterday on a visit.

### ST. VINCENT PARISH GETS NEW PASTOR

Rev. M. J. Le Sage of San Diego, Cal. Placed in Charge of Local Parish

Rev. Father M. J. Le Sage has been appointed pastor of St. Vincent's Catholic Church to succeed Rev. Father Schultz, who was transferred to St. Louis six months ago. The new pastor arrived Saturday from San Diego, Calif., where he had been in charge of a parish for several years.

Father Le Sage will celebrate mass at St. Vincent's Catholic Church this morning. Before taking charge of the parish in San Diego Father Le Sage was assigned to parishes in New Orleans, La., and Dallas, Texas, where Rev. Father Thomas Levan is now president of the Catholic University.

Going to the absence of Father Levan and the loss of one priest by the transfer of Father Schultz it became necessary to increase the clerical staff at St. Vincent's Catholic Church. With the coming of Lent additional services are held in the Catholic churches, and the duties of the priests at St. Vincent's College require all their time. Rev. Father O'Brien will have charge of the College affairs.

Whether the appointment of Father Le Sage as pastor of St. Vincent's Church is permanent is not known. It is certain, however, that he will remain here as long as Father Levan's presence is required as head of the Dallas University.

### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that Letters Testamentary upon the estate of Thomas J. Gill, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned, by the Cape Girardeau Court of Common Pleas of Cape Girardeau County, Missouri, bearing date the 19th day of January, 1918.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them to me for allowance within six months from the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of the granting of letters on said estate they shall be forever barred.

Jennie Rebecca Gill, Administratrix  
STATE OF MISSOURI  
County of Cape Girardeau

I hereby certify that Jennie Rebecca Gill was granted Letters Testamentary upon the estate of Thomas J. Gill, deceased at the date above written.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, this 19th day of January, 1918.

EEN VINYARD, Clerk,  
Cape Girardeau Court of Common Pleas.

### MONEY IN EGGS.

Eggs are not bankable but the money from their sale is. This money is yours for the effort. How do you treat the hen that lays the Golden Eggs? B. A. Thomas' Poultry Remedy will keep the poultry in good condition and increase the yield in eggs. We guarantee this and refund your money if not satisfied.—F. F. Braun & Bros.

### WILL INVESTIGATE FOOD COMPLAINTS

Dr. Dearmont Asked to Report All Who Disregard Rules of Food Administration.

Numerous complaints of alleged violation of the food administration's orders by local merchants, hotels and restaurants have been made to Dr. W. S. Dearmont, county food administrator, and have prompted him to institute an investigation to determine whether the complaints are justified. These especially concern the observance of the meatless and wheatless days and the sale of flour, which has been recently limited and regulated by the food administration.

Dr. Dearmont has received instructions from the State Food Administrator to report all who violate the rules of the food administration. Particular stress is laid to the prosecution of those who hoard flour. It has been reported to Dr. Dearmont that several citizens have made an effort to purchase wheat flour in great quantities by buying from different grocery stores. The names of several citizens charged with this offense have been placed in the hands of the county food administrator.

Under the rules of the national food administration corn meal and similar substitutes for wheat flour must be purchased with wheat flour. Grocers have been asked to strictly observe this rule, and are asked to report all customers who expect them to violate flour order.

### ST. MARY'S JUBILEE WILL BE APRIL 7

Archbishop Glennon to Take Part in 50th Anniversary Celebration

Members of St. Mary's Catholic Church are making preparations for the golden jubilee celebration of that parish, which will be held April 7. This will be the most elaborate event the old church has ever held.

The celebration will commemorate the 50th anniversary of that parish, which is the larger of the two Catholic churches in this city and one of the largest in the state, outside of the three big cities.

Father Puente, the pastor, has just rounded out his 38th year as head of this church. He has been a priest forty years and all but two have been spent in this city. When he came here the parish was small and heavily in debt. For the first time in its history it is now out of debt.

At a meeting a week ago of the arrangements committee for the jubilee, it was planned to hold a monster parade, which will start at the Frisco passenger depot, where the church members will meet Archbishop Glennon, who will participate in the festivities.

He will remain in Cape Girardeau two days and during his stay will confirm a class at each of the Catholic churches. Father Puente has invited a number of Catholic celebrities, and it is expected that the celebration will be one of the biggest events ever held by the Catholics since the formal dedication of the new St. Francis Hospital.

### JACKSON MARSHAL HELD AS DISLOYAL

Released on Bond to Appear for Preliminary Trial Next Wednesday.

The preliminary hearing of Henry Wagner, Sr., night marshal of Jackson, who was arrested Wednesday afternoon by Deputy United States Marshal Orchard on a warrant charging disloyalty to the government, has been set for February 20th. Wagner was released on a \$2,000 bond yesterday afternoon signed by Sam Lail, of Jackson to appear before United States Commissioner Russell Dearmont for a preliminary hearing.

According to the information, on which the warrant was issued, Wagner made utterances containing the wish of bodily harm to the United States soldiers at the hands of the Germans.

Wagner was arrested shortly after noon yesterday and taken before Commissioner Dearmont a few hours later. When informed of the charge brought against him, Wagner inquired whether he had to answer the charge immediately, and when told he would not, asked that his preliminary hearing be postponed until he could confer with an attorney. He was released on bond.

Ben LaBane, who was arrested Tuesday morning by Chief Whitener on a charge of attempting to evade the draft, was given a preliminary hearing yesterday morning before United States Commissioner Kane and pleaded not guilty. Being unable to give a bond, he was placed in jail to await his trial.

LaBane told Chief Whitener he was 26 years old when he was arrested, but later said he had made a mistake and said he was 36. He told Commissioner Kane yesterday morning he was not quite 21 years old.

Commissioner Dearmont said yesterday the government had appointed a special prosecutor to represent the government in all cases in which a violation of the draft or disloyalty was alleged. Walter Davis, an attorney of St. Louis has been appointed special prosecutor of the United States in this district. All cases will be tried at the next term of Federal Court which convenes on the second Monday of April.

### BOARD BEGINS TEST OF DRAFT MEN FEB. 19

90 Will Be Examined Next Week — 18 Will Leave Feb. 23rd.

The physical examination of the men placed in Class One will be resumed next Tuesday, it was announced Wednesday by members of the local board in Jackson. Beginning next Tuesday 30 men will be called for the physical test each day till Thursday. The men will be summoned in the order in which their names were placed on the classification list following the classification of the registrants.

From these 90 men who will be examined next week and those who underwent the physical test two weeks ago, the board will select enough men to fill Cape Girardeau's last contingent of the first draft call. It is believed that these men will be sent to the training camp not later than the middle of March. Cape Girardeau County must still furnish 36 men as its last contingent of the first draft call.

One half of this last contingent will be ordered to the training camp about February 23, Sheriff Hutson, chairman of the local board, said last night. It may be a day sooner or later, he said, but from all indications that day had been selected by the Provost Marshal General for the mobilization of the last contingent of the first call.

A number of young men from the Cape will be among those to be called to the training camp about February 23rd. Eddie Gockel, Percy Osterloh, Louis Pollack, Joseph Carotta, are among the next eighteen men to leave for the training camp.

### REGISTRATION OF WEALTH IN U. S. PROPOSED IN NEW BILL

Washington, Feb. 13.—Registration of wealth in the country may be announced soon. Representative Howard, of Georgia, has drawn up a measure, authorizing the commissioner of internal revenue to name a day upon which all persons in the country, subject to income tax, shall register the total of their moneyed possessions and other valuables coming under the income tax law.

### ST. LOUIS WIZARD ROCKED TO SLEEP

"Thunderbolt" Bryant Finds "Battling" Ward Easy. Schaaf Beaten by Nenninger.

Battling Ward, the St. Louis boxing wizard, took the count in the second of what was supposed to be a twelve round bout with Thunderbolt Bryant at the opera house Tuesday night. The bout was staged under the auspices of the Cape Girardeau Athletic Association. Ten per cent of the gate receipts will be turned over to the Red Cross.

Bryant, who hails from Sikeston, beat a tattoo in the jaws and ribs of his adversary. The Scott County scrapper carries a five horse power shock in either fist and he found Ward tasy to locate.

The St. Louisian was heralded as a wampus cat, but he proved easy picking for the Sikeston pile driver. It was all Bryant's from the first tap of the gong. The big huskies rushed to the center of the arena and Bryant tapped his opponent on the back with a right-hand-maker. The St. Louisian tried to come back but Bryant blocked his right and sent him sprawling to the floor with a right uppercut to the liver.

Ward hugged the mat until the count of nine and then arose to receive more punishment. Ward jabbed wildly at Bryant and backed round the circle. He swung wild at Bryant sent home two rights one landing over the left eye and the other on the jaw. The St. Louisian again took a tumble for the count of nine. He got up in time to prevent being counted out, but the going saved him.

In the second round Bryant rendered his opponent was easily for him and he went into camp up. Ward spared for time and tried to evade his antagonist. In the mix-up Bryant landed two rights in rapid succession and the side of Ward.

Four hundred people watched the exhibition and cheered the Sikeston parther.

Several women in the audience waved their handkerchiefs as the victor gladiator left the ring. This was the thirtieth knock-out scored by Bryant. Al Nenninger again demonstrated that he has the best of Schaeff. Referee John Lando stopped the Nenninger-Schaeff go in the middle of the fourth round to save Schaeff from a knockout. Nenninger won a decision over Schaeff on points two weeks ago, but Schaeff never had a look-in last night. While he gave his opponent the best he had, it was a mere practice bout for the clever Cape Girardeau butcher.

Hank Baehre won a decision over "Kid" Nanna after six rounds of furious fighting in the preliminary. They walloped each other around the ring time and again. Baehre had about 10 pounds to the good over his opponent.

### How Thin People Obtain A Plump Strong Robust Body

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