

GIRL SLAYER GETS MARRIAGE OFFERS

Receives Letters From Eastern Cities Offering Aid; Pickford Lawyer May Help Defend Her.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 27.—(By Associated Press.)—Dorothy Livingston, a defense lawyer, moved slowly today while her chief attorney, Alexander Mooshin, conferred with several prominent lawyers who may be called to the aid of the 16-year-old girl who killed her mother.

Mooshin said he had talked with Patrick McCarran, former chief justice of Nevada, and Mary Pickford's former lawyer, McCarran. It was said came here to offer his services to the child defendant.

Recently received two proposals of marriage today. One came from Chicago and the other from a young man in Lumberton, Ind. He wrote:

"If you were liberated tomorrow I would marry you. I have read all about your case and am ready to do a thing in your favor. My love is yours."

A Los Angeles woman, mother of eighteen, wrote the red-headed daughter of jazz, friendly, and a 19-year-old girl, offering to help in any way possible.

A woman signing her name "old fashioned" wrote: "I would like to see you and your child and serve as a reformer."

"No one ever loved me so I would not make any difference. I will write to you. You could be in the dance and be the only one without sweethearts."

Hamilton Funeral Service Today To Be Brief, Simple. The funeral of John T. Hamilton, pioneer banker who died Saturday, will be held at St. John's Episcopal church at 3:30 p. m. today.

Murphy Case Will Not Be Started At Waukon Today. Waukon, Jan. 27.—(By Associated Press.)—The case of the late John Murphy, who was killed here today, will not be started at Waukon today.

Clarinda Banker Is Released From Jail, Brother Is In Still. ARDENNA, Mo., Jan. 27.—(By Associated Press.)—Clarinda Banker, who was arrested here today, has been released from jail.

Bandits Rob Messenger Big Sum

BULLETIN. COLLINGSVILLE, Ill., Jan. 27.—(By Associated Press.)—William Mathies, 54, a messenger, was held up today by several men who carried with them a mail pouch believed to contain \$15,000.

Mathies was enroute from the railroad station to the Collinsville State bank. The money, it was understood, was to have been used to cash payroll checks of the Lumaght Company of St. Louis, whose mines are here.

Jim Winn Wakes Up To Find House Burning, \$1500 Loss. WAKING OF THE burning rafters in the attic awakened James P. Winn, 456 South Eighteenth street at 2 p. m. today and saved him and his family from being suffocated by smoke which filled the house.

After arousing his wife, Mr. Winn turned in a fire alarm. The roof and ceilings of two rooms in the home were burned, causing a damage estimated by chief James Kennedy at \$1,500.

In twelve hours during the night the firemen received twelve alarms. Roof trees with only slight damage were reported at the homes of: H. Tompkins, 1005 First avenue, A. J. Wessberg, 426 South Twelfth street, J. F. Mayeocks, 350 Eighth avenue, west Elmer Cox, 705 E. Ave., west W. W. Campbell, 352 50th fifth street, Mrs. Frank Zid, 14 1/2 avenue G, Buckner, 236 1/2 avenue and Martin Krum, 1555 1/2 11th avenue.

The home of W. P. Moore, 1053 1/2 11th avenue was damaged at 3 p. m. today to the extent of \$17 when a spark landed on the roof.

A motorist owned by G. A. Perk, 217 1/2 11th street, was at 6:29 a. m. today and was damaged to the extent of \$10 before the firemen could extinguish the flames.

There was no fire for the firemen today. After answering twelve alarms, at night the men were called out again at 11:24 a. m. to the home of Joseph Haly, assistant at 217 1/2 11th street, which was damaged to the extent of \$10 before the firemen could extinguish the flames.

State Briefs. SIOUX CITY.—William D. Irvine, 53 years old, died at 10:30 a. m. today of a heart ailment. He was a resident of Sioux City for many years.

Mrs. F. E. Foster Dead. ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 27.—(By Associated Press.)—Mrs. F. E. Foster, 72, died at 10:30 a. m. today of a heart ailment.

SCOUTMASTERS FORM ASSOCIATION HERE

J. E. Rhodes Named President, Official Scout Uniform Adopted; Birthday Celebration Is Planned.

The first scoutmasters association of Cedar Rapids was organized last night in a meeting at the Y. M. C. A. and officers for the ensuing year were elected.

J. E. Rhodes was named president, George Shott vice-president, C. L. McMillan scribe, and T. T. Carnahan treasurer.

L. L. Cunningham, Boy Scout executive who arranged the meeting was unable to be present. He was called to Texas Saturday by the death of his father. The scoutmasters adopted a resolution of sympathy to send Mr. Cunningham Judge Powell talks.

Ray Short, former national Boy Scout officer presided at the meeting. Judge Thomas B. Powell led the discussion on the court of honor would be the house neckerchief, one of the problems of the new association.

The scoutmasters adopted a resolution to the effect that the official scout uniform for Cedar Rapids would be the house neckerchief, blue bra, bow-tie and hat. The coat was not considered a requirement in the official uniform.

The Rev. John Clinton spoke on the Boy Scout birthday, which will be celebrated over the United States Feb. 8 to 10. On Sunday, Feb. 8, the scouts and their parents will assemble at the First Christian church for services at 3 p. m. A birthday party will be held at 7 p. m. Feb. 9 at the Benjamin Franklin junior high school.

Rate Controversy In South Dakota Is Finally Settled. PIERRE, S. D., Jan. 27.—(By Associated Press.)—After a long and bitter struggle, the rate controversy in South Dakota is finally settled.

After the rate controversy in South Dakota is finally settled, the state road commission has agreed to a new rate of 10 cents per mile for the first 100 miles, and 15 cents per mile for the next 100 miles.

Local Man Badly Burned By Red Hot Metal; To Recover. CHARLES SAMPIKA, 21 3/4 Daniels street, was seriously burned by molten iron in a local furnace plant at 5:10 p. m. yesterday when a mould broke. In an instant he was standing knee deep in the red hot metal.

Warmer Weather Is Promised Today; 40 Below In Dakotas

CHICAGO, Jan. 27.—(By Associated Press.)—Relief was promised today for the middle-west and north-west, which yesterday saw temperatures tolognan to sub-zero marks, while snow driven by high winds, added to the general discomfort.

The mercury here dropped 32 degrees between 10 o'clock Sunday night and 10 p. m. yesterday but rising temperatures and moderating winds were forecast for today.

In the northwest, the mercury had risen to points close to zero after climbing from marks of 30 and 40 below in points in the Dakotas and Canada.

Clothes Line Too Much For Alleged Intoxicated Driver. A clothes line in the back yard of Thomas Hill's home, 628 Twelfth street, west proved too much of an entanglement for Patrick Craig, 1253 South Ninth street, west, to navigate in his automobile at 6 p. m. yesterday.

Craig was arrested on a double charge of being intoxicated and driving a motor car while intoxicated. He told the police that Craig's car nearly ran him down when he stepped out the back door of his home to see why the visitor was breaking his clothes line.

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Uncle Sam To Save Few Thousands On Color Of Mail Bags

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—(By Associated Press.)—The traditional blue-striped United States mail bags is going to give way to the economy blue and white striped bags.

Although Ricketts declares that he does not know whether Gross carried a large sum of money he fears that the man met with foul play. Local police traced Gross' moves while in Iowa City and believe that he left for Cedar Rapids last Monday night. Ricketts went to Cedar Rapids last night to continue the search there.

Yankee Banker To Be Brought Back. MEXICO CITY, Jan. 27.—(By Associated Press.)—The federal courts having rejected his appeal for a writ of amparo, George Mitchell, former manager of a South Dakota bank, recently arrested in Tampico at the request of the United States government charged with embezzlement will be extradited. He will be handed over to G. F. Jones, who representing the American department of justice is expected to arrive in Mexico City in a few days.

A special ray of light which will penetrate for a distance up to 300 yards under water at any depth has been invented by an Italian scientist.

Find No Trace Here. Mrs. Albert Johns, living in Westwood a daughter of Mr. Gross, said this morning that they have obtained no trace of her father. Mr. Johns reported the case to the local police several days ago when he asked them to assist in the search.

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