

Frank Bell Taken On Theft Charge

A man giving his name as Frank Bell and his age as 34, was arrested Tuesday at the mid-way service station by a federal officer from Charlotte and Deputy Sheriff H. C. Kilby.

Bell, known in federal penitentiaries by a number of aliases, has a bad reputation; it is said, and has served time on a number of charges. The charge preferred against him Tuesday was violation of the automobile theft act and he is being held in jail at Wilkesboro in default of \$1,000 bond. He will face trial in the federal term of court beginning Monday.

Father and Son Are On Trial For Killing Atwood

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Each several paces away. He was subjected to a grueling cross examination by Solicitor John R. Jones.

Tom Love, Ornaville's father who was nearby when his son did the shooting, corroborated his son's testimony.

Not less than five nor more than seven years was the sentence meted out by Judge Phillips to Carl Ballard, convicted on a charge of storebreaking in connection with the robbery of J. C. Green and Company store at Chatham one week before he was tried Monday of this week.

Ballard, it was brought out, has a lengthy court record.

Assault with deadly weapon on Charlie Parsons, convicted for Cain Minton, drew a term of from three to five years in the penitentiary.

Charlie Bauguess, who escaped while serving a sentence at the county home, was sentenced to 18 months on the roads.

Hilary March, colored man convicted of manufacturing and possessing liquor, was sentenced to 60 days in jail.

Vince Casey and Arvil Woodrow Martin were convicted of burning a vacant dwelling and sentenced to 12 months each on the roads.

James Sale, colored, drew a 24-months' road sentence for assaulting his wife.

Poverty-stricken husbands, of China, who pawned their wives complain they can't get them back, even though the mortgagors have sufficient funds to repay the loans, as the wives refuse to be redeemed.

FATHER OF W. G. GABRIEL PASSES

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to attend the funeral service. Misses Dorothy Hix, Priscilla Hix, Mrs. Charlie Redson, Mrs. Nell Moore, Mrs. Murphy Hunt and W. G. Marlow visited in the home yesterday evening. Bell's store here was closed during the funeral hour.

Mr. Gabriel is survived by his wife and the following children: Mrs. J. G. Whitener, Monroe; Mrs. R. M. Lockman, Iron Station; Ralph Gabriel, Huntersville; Joe Gabriel, Davidson; Hal and Paul Gabriel, Lincolnton; W. G. and Howell Gabriel, North Wilkesboro; Mrs. E. C. Link, Hickory; Misses Geneva and Colleen Gabriel, Goodsonville.

Funeral services were held this morning, eleven o'clock, at the First Presbyterian church in Lincolnton.

Rev. S. Taylor Fatally Stricken In Mooresville

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Taylor, of Wilmington; Mrs. Bennett Lewis, of Wadesboro, and Mrs. J. F. Thomas, of Derita. Three brothers and two sisters, Adolphus Taylor, Harley, R. A. Taylor of Boone, Hampton Taylor of Idaho, Mrs. Joseph Warden of Charlotte and Mrs. J. L. Lewis of Boone, also survive.

Funeral service will be held this afternoon, two o'clock, at Broad Street Methodist church in Mooresville and burial will follow in Elmwood cemetery in Charlotte.

GOOD INVENTORIES ENCOURAGINGLY LOW

Washington, Nov. 11.—Stocks of unconsumed goods—especially raw materials—were reported at encouragingly low levels today by official figure gatherers.

Generally speaking, they said, increased consumption has matched the last year's rise in industrial production to prevent any threatening accumulation of inventories.

In event of continuation of the trend, they foresaw steady prices and firm demand as present stocks are depleted and replaced.

For the present, they added numerous manufacturers deliberately are building up their inventories in anticipation of big Christmas sales. Commerce department reports have indicated a holiday trade substantially above that of recent years.

Patrolman Joseph Barrow of New York City was held up and relieved of his badge, revolver and \$2.

Today and Tomorrow

WILDCAT ventures out

One of my neighbors, Merize Lacoil, saw a strange-looking beast on the grounds of the Berkshire County Club the other day. He had his gun with him, so he took a shot, and brought down a 30-pound wildcat. Old timers up our way say it is the first wildcat seen in Berkshire in 30 years.

There's still a lot of wild, unsettled country, even in New England. Up on top of a rocky spur of West Stockbridge Mountain there is said to be a herd of wild goats. I've never seen them, but venturesome boys sometimes scale the crags and bring back reports of being menaced by fierce, long-horned, bearded billygoats. Now and then hunters up our way sight a black bear, and every so often we have a wolf scare, while the deer seem to be increasing in numbers.

I hope this country never gets so crowded that there won't be room for all the wild things as well as all the people.

TERMITES moving north

The other day Fred Shaw and I went up into my farmhouse attic to see about winter-proofing the gable ends. "Say, did you know you've got termites in your rafters?" asked Fred. He pointed to half-a-dozen mounds of sawdust on the attic floor.

Sure enough, the little white ants were at work there. I thought I'd stopped 'em, seven years ago, when I found they'd eaten away one of the old hand-hewn 12 x 12 sills that the old house rests on. Now I've got to spend a lot more money, maybe put on a whole new roof, if I don't want the house to fall down on our heads.

Termites have been working their way north from the Gulf of Mexico for twenty years. Now, the expert bug men tell me, they're busy even in Canada. They got inside of a piece of timber and eat the heart out of it, leaving it only a hollow shell. Looks to me as if we've got to figure out new ways to keep insects from licking the human race and taking possession of the world.

GERMANY holds cash

A New York friend of mine of German descent owns, with his mother, a number of houses in Berlin. A Berlin bank manages the property and collects the rents. My friend can't get any

of the money, for the Hitler government won't let cash go out of Germany except to pay for imported goods.

Last Summer his mother got permission to take \$5,000 out, if she would come to Berlin in person and satisfy the authorities she needed the money to live on. She and her son got as far as Paris, where the old lady slipped and broke her hip. She couldn't go to Berlin, and the money is still there, doing nobody any good.

My friend's account of that experience brought home sharply to me the effects of nationalistic policies carried to their extreme, and the trouble caused by setting up artificial barriers to free international intercourse.

TELEPHONE improved

I saw a new kind of telephone instrument the other day, which the telephone people say will be in universal use in a few years. It doesn't have any box to fasten to the wall; the bell is contained in the base of the receiver. There are two clappers to strike the gongs. One is the usual one, the other is made of wood, to give a softer note for the benefit of nervous people who "jump out of their skins" whenever the telephone rings. And the two gongs are pitched to different tones, giving a musical effect as the clapper vibrates between them.

A little thing, perhaps, but one more example of the way business enterprises are always trying to improve their product.

WEB over nation

I sat in my New York office the other day and asked the telephone operator to call my farm home, 150 miles away. "Hold the wire," replied the operator, and in three minutes I was talking to my daughter.

I hung up, then called for a Washington number. It took even less time to get my connection with the Senator I wanted to talk to. I had barely finished with him when my 'phone rang again. "Pittsburgh calling," said the operator.

And that night I got a telephone call from another friend who was stranded in Los Angeles and wanted me to telegraph him enough money to pay his hotel bill and buy a ticket back East!

I went to sleep marvelling at the miraculous web which the telephone has woven all over the nation. Sixty years ago, nearly,

HARVEST SOYBEANS FOR FEEDING HOGS

Soybeans which have been grown with corn will yield a better profit when harvested as compared to leaving the beans in the field to be gleaned by hogs.

Harvesting the beans is much better than turning the hogs into the field to eat them after the corn has been removed, says L. W. Anderson, Perquimans county farm agent.

For a number of years, he said, farmers in that county have been growing soybeans with their corn, but did not try to harvest the beans, since the corn stalks prevented the use of a harvester.

Many of the growers were satisfied, as the beans improved the land and provided feed for their hogs without reducing the corn yield.

But some of the more thrifty farmers noticed that seed from most varieties of soybeans do not remain in the pod long after they become mature. They fall to the ground, absorb moisture, swell, ferment, and lose their feed value.

The fermented beans frequently cause stomach disorders, especially in young pigs.

With this in mind, some of the leading farmers began harvesting the corn as soon as it matured, and cutting down the stalks. With the stalks out of the way, they were able to save the soybeans with a harvester.

In this way, they are able to secure a normal crop of corn and of beans from each field.

Moreover, he said, harvested beans can be crushed into meal and the oil removed.

Dry meal is preferable to whole beans as hog feed, for it does not produce soft, oily pork.

GUILFORD WOMAN IS KILLED IN FALL

Greensboro, Nov. 11.—Mrs. Elizabeth Gabriel, 57, wife of Elias Gabriel, of McLeansville, six miles east of Greensboro, was fatally injured shortly after noon today when she fell from the second story of the store operated by herself and her husband.

The Gabriels lived in an apartment over the store. Mrs. Gabriel was leaning over the bannister of the second-story porch when the bannister suddenly gave way. She died before medical aid could be summoned.

I saw Professor Bell's first telephone, at the Philadelphia Centennial of 1876. It was looked on as an ingenious toy, nothing more.

"Oh Weep No More"



MINNEAPOLIS . . . Mrs. Vera Vath of this place invented a tearless onion peeler, which is being exhibited above by Miss Florence Sussag at the national inventors show being held here.

QUINTUPLETS SIGNED, PRODUCER ANNOUNCES

Hollywood, Calif., Nov. 10.—Darryl Zanuck, vice president in charge of production for Twentieth Century-Fox confirmed tonight the signing of a contract by David A. Croll, Ontario minister of welfare, for a motion picture of the Dionne quintuplets.

Croll is special guardian for the five sisters.

Banuck said the quintuplets will play important parts in the story to be titled "The Country Doctor," the work of Snova Leven and Charles Blake. Henry King will direct the picture.

Zanuck said he personally would head a group of technicians and cameramen named to leave for Callander within two weeks to photograph the famous sisters.

Preaching Service

Rev. Roby Johnson will preach at Cross Roads Primitive Baptist church Saturday, 2 and 7:30 p. m., and Sunday at 11 a. m. The public is invited to attend.

Charles Longley of Pontiac, Ill., having "got religion," confessed to railroad officials he caused a \$15,000 wreck in January, 1934. He said he pulled the tracks out of line while getting a truck out of a nearby ditch.

ROARING RIVER W. M. S. WILL GIVE PROGRAM

The Woman's Missionary Society of Roaring River will give a short program in the high school auditorium, Saturday night at seven thirty for the benefit of Missions.

The program includes a short missionary play in two acts, entitled "The Winning of Mrs. Bard." Mrs. Bard is opposed to missions. Come and see how she was won over. A freewill offering will be taken.

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