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Mother Sought in Kidnaping



Vernous and Beatrice Walsh have not been seen since they disappeared while on their way to school in Peru, Ind., Sept. 10. Their father, Thomas J. Walsh, divorced their mother five years ago and was awarded their custody. He charges the mother has kidnaped them. Vernous is 7 and

Colonel Mitchell On **Stand Repeats Cause** For All His Charges

CHARGING MURDER

Dr. C. S. Britt and Buford Robertson Indicted For Murder of Young

Charlotte, Nov. 20 .- The Mecklenburg grand jury brought in a true bill of murder against Dr. C. S. Britt and Buford Robertson, committing the state to an investigation of the facts surrounding the death of Miss Ruby Helms and the injuring of her fiance, A. L. Jackson, on the Salisbury road, the night of November 6th.

Miss Helms and Mr. Jackson were ed, for theirs walking along the highway on their sk in view of the fact way home from uptown when they subscriptions were hit by a passing automobile, repolled in the final ceiving such serious injuries that Miss stand today before the court martial hospital for some time.

Dr. Britt and Mr. Robertson were navy air services, arrested the next day, November 7th. For the third time within a few the company here, ly of Monroe, was completed Thursday force.

> ers pleads not guilty. church be organized in Myers Park, dents' special air board. constituting the first new church of that faith in Charlotte in recent years, behalf he was informed of his rights

> Morrison, and Miss Ida Morrison, sis- and cross examination by the defense ter of the former governor, left and prosecution counsel "the same as Thursday night for New York to any other witness." spend the Thanksgiving with Miss Angelia Morrison, daughter of Governor Morrison, who is in the Miss Spence School in New York City.

Latest Bobs and Waves New Avail-

able to Chinese Girls San Francisco, Nov. 23 .- (A) -- For the first time the beauty shop has invaded Chinatown. Two of them are doing a flourishing business.

The operators are Chinese girls, graduates of hair-dressing and manicure schools, and on the walls hang diplomas informing customers that they are duly qualified.

Most of the patrons are Chinese girls who want the latest bobs and fixing for the trade, and some broadwaves. However, an occasional Chirom Charlotte to Win- 22-inch trouser cuffs, can be seen opstick, cuticle knife and buffer.

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Motor Company, Concord's Ford deal-Excellent values on school dresses

been flooded at J. C. Penney Co.'s. From 6 to 14 years, only \$2.98. Western ammunition is sold here by the Ritchie Hardware Company.

> Would Pay Grange Big Sum. Columbus, O., Nov. 20.—(A)-Rede Rrange will receive from \$10,00 0to greatly benefit the telephone, radio \$20,000 a game if he decides to play professional football starting Thanksgiving Day, it was stated today by Clyde Tuttle, treasurer of the Colum-

Takes Stand in Own De--Few New Develop- Secretary Fall. ments So Far.

TELLS WHY HE MADE CHARGES

Ready to Subject Himself to the Same Direct and SALISBURY GETS LARGE Cross Examination as Other Witnesses.

Washington, Nov. 23.—(A)—Col. William Mitchell took the witness Helms died on the way to the hospital trying him for breach of discipline and Mr. Jackson had to be at the as a result of his public crineism of Company is that the new 100,000 the administration of the army and

Selection of a jury in Mecklenburg months the air crusader repeated uncounty criminal court for the trial of der eath his reasons for assailing J. B. Vickers, 33 years old, charged those in charge of governmental aviaov. 22.-High officials with the murder about October 7th, tion and for his advocacy of a larger of Ellison G. Rogers, also 33, former- and better trained and equipped air

and the State called one witness to Much of his testimony hinged on osed electrification the stand before adjournment. Vick- the same points he had stressed last spring before the House aircraft com-A proposal that a Presbyterian mittee, and later before the Presi-

When he took the stand in his own is being discussed by Presbyterians by the law member of the court, Col. Blanton Winship, and replied that Former Governor and Mrs. Cameron he would subject himself to full direct

THE COTTON MARKET

Points-Advances Aattracted Real-

New York, Nov. 23 .- (A)-The cotton market opened firm today at an death of Mr. Duke. With the new 40 years riding an engine. advance of 14 to 35 points on a re- plant, it is announced, the Southern newal of the buying movement in- Power Company will have added 210. FREIGHT STEAMSHIP spired by Saturday's crop report and 000 horsepower since the beginning of in response to relatively firm Liver- the present year. It is understood

heavy realizing, but houses with for- eral hundred employes of the most deeign connections were good buyers, sirable type. while there was considerable price ening of commission house demand nese sheik, with pinch-bank coat and This absorbed early offerings, and prices were within a few points of posite the manipulator of orange the best at the end of the first hour, with March selling to 20,40 and active months showing net advances of about 18 to 23 points. Early buyers ap-See the new ad. today of the Reid peared to be expecting an improve ment in the cotton goods trade, following the decrease in official crop estimates. Reports that exporters were buying in the South also may have been an influence.

A German, Dr. Karl Mueller, whereby it is possible to reduce metal This foils to transparency. and musical industries.

Chicago's city council has passed a resolution expressing a desire to sebus Tigers, a member of the national cede from the State of Illinois to form a new State of Chicago.

STANDARD OIL CO. LOSES ONE POINT

Chief Justice McCoy, of District of Columbia Supreme Court, Rules With the Government.

TO FIND OUT ABOUT THE LAND

The Oil Company Secured In One of the Leases Granted It in California. Granted It in the State of California.

Washington, Nov. 23.-(A)-A ove by the Standard Oil Company California to stop the Interior Department's investigation into the min eral character of certain of its Elk Hills, Calif., land holdings, was overruled today in the Supreme Court of he District of Columbia.

Chief Justice McCoy, in denying a preliminary injunction sought by the company, declared the secretary of the interior was authorized by law to press the inquiry, and that no court

The land, a part of the naval reserve, was turned over to the state of California for school purposes, under the representation that it contained no minerals. Subsequently it was acquired by the Stanard Oil Com-'akes Stand in Own Defense at Court Martial.

pany. Title of the company was brought into question during the administration of Secretary Lane, and later hearings were conducted before

been finally awarded the company Walsh, democrat of Montana, in-the Associated Press. structed the Interior Department to

STEAM ELECTRIC PLANT

Southern Power Company Acquires Land and Will Begin Work of Grading This Week.

Salisbury, Nov. 21.-Definite anncuncement made here this afternoon by officials of the Southern Power horsepower steam electric plant of the Swift Hooper, Veteran Southern company will be built at Salisbury, and that the project means more than steam plant is indicated by the Hooper, for nearly 40 years an en- one of the surviving officers of the airamount of acreage purchased. Three

Company a few days after the death automobile. Opened Firm at Advance of 14 to 35 of J. B. Duke. This purchase set Mr. Hooper is now on the run be-The further advance attracted mean the coming to Salisbury of sev-

DUKE GIVES TWO HUNDRED

Announcement Is Made at Conference tion at Port au Prince, Haiti, of African Methodist Church at Greensboro.

announcement Saturday at the session conference, African Methodist Episco- fied. pal Church, that B. N. Duke, of New York, has given \$200,000 to Kittrell College for negroes, located at Kittrell, the conference suspended business and prayed for the recovery of. will ing him for the gift.

Grown.

Albemarle, Nov. 23 .- (A)-Math Mabry, of Route No. 5, Albemarle, is so thoroughly convinced that lespedeza is the finest clover grown that he is willing to borrow money to sow every acre on his farm to this legume. Such is the report of County Agent C. H. Phillips, of Stanly county, who quotes Mr. Marbry as follows: "When I started sowing iespedeza,

my land wouldn't produce over two or three bushels of wheat per acre, and now this same land will produc 10 to 12 bushels. This year I produced 40 bales of cotton and that planted on lespedeza sod was the best, by far. I could even tell to the row where the lespedeza stopped.'

Mr. Mabry is one of the progressive farmers in Stanly county, and has done much toward bettering farming Contested

CONCORD, N. C., MONDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 1925



has been appointed to the U. S senate by Governor Sorlie to fill the racancy caused by the death of Senator Edwin F. Ladd. Now leading enators claim Sorlie is not empow ered to appoint him, and a contest over his right to enter the Senate is in prospect.

THIRTY-SIX DEAD IN AUTO WRECKS

In the States of the South During the Week-end.-Ten Deaths Occurred in \\ \exists Georgia.

Memphis, Tenn., Nov. 23 .- (A)-On the contention that the title had mobile last week claimed a toll of 36 lives and made attempts to take 170 : without hearing of the government's more, it is revealed by reports gathcase, the Senate on motion of Senator ered today from 11 southern states by

Georgia yielded the largest num bring action for recovery of the land. ber of deaths, her number being ten. Louisiana and Virginia escaped with

> A tabulation of reports includes: North Carolina-Deaths 7, injured

South Carolina-Deaths 2, injured

THINKS "STOP LAW" REDUCES ACCIDENTS

Engineer, One Time on No 97, thur E. Carlson, aviation chief rigger Gives His Views.

gineer on the Southern railway and ship, Lieutenant C. Baunch, had told ing that the so-called "mystery let- head the government after the fall of hundred and seventeen acres are in- whi at one time pulled the throttle him not to give certain information cluded in the deed of transfer from on famous "No. 97," one of the to the court, unless it was asked for "deliberate attempt to trap the wit-Love Honbarrier to the power com- fastest trains ever operated in the specifically. United States, does not hesitate to The land lies two miles east of express the opinion that the stop withheld when he first testified at Salisbury and about an equal dis- law" passed by he legislature seveal Lakehurst, was that fifteen minutes Rhinelander, and who introduced the tance from East Spencer, and rail- years ago and which has been in efroad connection will be made with fect now for something like two had closed off at amidships, the inthe Southern at the latter place. The years, has greatly reduced the num-

nounced that actual work of grading stop and take the change of beating gas in the individual cells. for the construction will begin next the trair, the majority by reason of the law are far more careful Almost all the equipment for the they otherwise would be. In the days because helium was rushing to the afnew plant has been contracted for gone by was the track waiker that Included in this are two steam tur- was the bane of the engineer's life bines of 50,000 horsepower each con- but in recent years it has been the tracted for with the General Electric grade crossing and the swift rushing court this information before, he said

at rest the speculation as to whether tween this city and North Wilkesthe company would carry on with its boro, and it has been on this run that program of development after the he has spent the greater part of the

IS ASKING FOR HELP

the plans of the power company will Steamer Sucherico Is Aground at Punta de Matermillas, Cuba,

New York, Nov. 23.—(A)—The New York freight steamship Sucherico was thing about that, that it was up to aground today at Punta de Matermil- me." las, Cuba. S O S calls picked up THOUSAND TO KITTRELL here indicated that the steamship was in communication with the radio sta-The Sueherico, 1,997 tons, after

recent trip from New York, left Ha-Nov. 22.-Following vana for other Cuban ports.

Western North Carolina Methodist the sender could not then be identi-

Raleigh, Nov. 21.—(A)—"Slim" An- bly. claims to have discovered a process Mr. Duke from his present illness, unclaimed in a local undertaking es-A resolution was also adopted thank- tablishment, was Clarence Neagley, tary Paul Leonard is answering em-The confer- who was sentenced to ten years in the phatically that it is. ence voted to meet next year in Ham- Pennsylvania Reformatory at Huntington, Pa., May 24, 1923, for breaking and entering, according to a let-Says Lespedeza Is Finest Clover ter received here by H. H. Honey- chase of a majority interest in Gracutt, director of the State Bureau of nam Brothers, said to be the largest Washington.

> Wound Ban "Scanty Attire" Pictures. Charlotte, Nov. 20 .- Pictures of women in "scanty attire" and dis-of Dodge Brothers last April in a play here of "Nehi" advertising post- cash transaction of \$146,000,000. ers should be placed under the ban. according to the Mecklenburg grand jury, which today completed months' term of service and was discharged by Judge J. L. Webb.

London, Nov. 21 .- A man who dropped a one-pound note on a railway platform at a village station in Lancashire returned next morning and found it carefully folded and weighted by a stone.

JUDGES' STATEMENT

We, the undersigned members of the Executive ee appointed to have supervision of The Concert and Times Free Gift Dietary mittee appointed to have supervision of The Concord Tribune and Times Free Gift Distribution concluded this date, November 21, 1925, and who have been selected to act as counting judges and auditors, certify and state that we have this date made a careful check and count of all ballots cast in this election and find results to be as follows: First Choice of Cars-Miss Dorothy Roberts, with 25,801,025 votes.

Second Choice of Cars-Mrs. J. Il. Laughlin, with 22,706,550 votes. Third Choice of Cars-C. H. Lipe, with 14,299,550

Fourth Choice of Cars-Miss Lucile Cline, with 13,-

Ford Special Prize-Mrs. J. H. Laughlin, with 437 1-2 \$200 Cash Prize-Mrs. R. M. Sappenfield, with 6,-

297,250 votes. \$200 Cash Prize-Miss Billie Sapp, with 2,190.825

\$200 Cash Prize-E. Myers, with 9,643,800 votes. \$100 Cash Prize-H. A. Allred, with 2,755.075 votes. \$100 Cash Prize—A. O. Maulden, with 494,800 votes. \$100 Cash Prize-I. E. Gray, with 4,072,800 votes.

We further find that the contestants whose names here appear received the number of votes opposite their names and are declared winners of the prizes listed before their names. It is our belief that the Campaign has been conducted in a fair and impartial manner to everyone interested and concerned and we commend The Concord Tribune and Times and the Campaign management for the businesslike methods employed in conducting the elec-

G. S. KLUTTZ L. E. FOIL BOYD BIGGERS C. L. PROPST

Signed: C. W. SWINK H. P. CATON G. H. HENDRIX

Death riding over Dixie in an auto-

the Craft Says He Has Kept Back Certain Information About Ship.

Washington, Nov. 23 .- (A)-Ar-Nov. 22.—Swift Shenandoah naval court today that,

This information, which Carlson suit.' before the Shenandoah broke up, he ternal gassing manifold connecting land deal has been colsed and right-of-way proceduce taken. It is an-of-way proceduce taken. It is anthe eighteen helium gas cells, and nied by Justice Morschauser.

Carlston testified that he stopped than up the manifold on his own initiative dealt with Rhinelander's personal ter cells and the ship already was up by the stern.

Asked why he had not given the he "did not regard it as material to immediately preceding the presentathe inquiry. Carlson said he told Lieut. Bauch

about it the night of the wreck. "What did he say ot you?" the witness was asked. "He said if they don't question you on that subject don't mention it. He

did, that it was immaterial." The witness said he also spoke to Lieutenant Mayer, another survivor who replied that "he didn't know any

no doubt had the same opinion that I

"Bad Check" Law Still Effective In This State.

Statesville, Nov. 23 .- Officers of the North Carolina Merchants Association, the organization which fathered both the laws now on the statutes of Faint wireless class were picked North Carolina against the giving of of the annual meeting here of the up last night by various stations, but worthless checks, are very anxious to correct the impression which appears have gotten abroad that the recent decision of the supreme court nullified "Slim" Anderson Was Clarence Neag- the new "bad check" law passed at the last session of the general assem Inquiries have derson, slain robber, whose body lies state office here as to whether the law was "still in force," and State Secre-

> Buy Graham Truck Company. New York, Nov. 23 .- (A)-Pur Identification, Department of Justice, independent motor truck manufacturers in the world, by Dodge Brothers, Inc., was announced today by Clarence Dillon, of Dillon Read & Com- Lee P. Davis, counsel for the defendpany, bankers, who acquired control ant

> > Dekies at Charlotte. Charlotte, November 23 .- (A)-Sue Temple, Dramatic Order Knights of Khorassan will be the mecca for the gathering of votaries Tuesday, when the fall ceremonial will be held.

Twenty-five candidates are to be initiated and more than 450 members are expected to attend.

A tournament for the ski jumping It costs the states of the Union championship of Europe is to be held conditions in his vicinity, says Countwice as much for education in 1923 January 23rd at St. Moritz, the fam- 1921. ous Swiss winter sports center.

Aviation Chief Rigger For Counsel For Rhinelander time in his long political career, Aris-

of the wrecked Shenandoah, told the Kip Rhinelander in his annulment ning. ress, issued a statement today charg- President's first choice last spring to ters" introduced last week, were a M. Herriot, but the socialists refused

Lee Parsons Davis, counsel for Mrs 'mystery letter' last week, made a motion for declaration of mistrial when Mr. Davis said "Did you love this court reopened. The motion was de-

Mr. Mills in his statement had indicated that the letters, the contents of which had been guarded carefully, character. He charged that their introduction was an attempt to "besmirch Rhinelander's character."

Mr. Mills first read the transcript of the cross examination last week tion of the two "mystery" letters. He was deliberate, and its intent to force his client-to withdraw. The letters had so shocked him, he admitted, that he had lost all idea of the proper method of proceedure last week.

While Mr. Mills was making his remarks Mr. Davis arose and said bring about a mistrial."

After a lively argument, finally settled by Justice Morschauser Mr. Mills said "We proceed with the trial."

Present "Mystery" Letters. White Plains, N. Y., Nov. 23 .- (AP) -The two "mystery" letters whose introduction in the Rhinelander an- your wife when you wrote these letnulment trial caused two adjourn- ters to her?" he asked. ments and rumors that the case would be settled out of court to keep them from being made public, were placed tion on the mystery letters Mr. Davis on record this morning.

cisco in 1922, and were concerned into copious tears as she walked into with pre-marital relations of Alice the jury room.

last week when Isaac N. Mills, coun- her mother. sel for young Rhinelander, asked for The party returned from the jury a recess of several days to give him room about 10 minutes later. opportunity to investigate them. They had been regarded as trump cards by

Written by Leonard, they were held by the defense to offset the effect of Alice's letters read at the beginning of the trial. Their contents admittedly were more erotic than the love letters written by Mrs. Rhinelander. When reading of the letters began Alice and her mother left the court room and remained outside during subsequent cross examination on their

The letters were each about 500 words long, and were concerned with events that occurred when Alice and

contents.

Picking up the second letter, which afternoon diminishing tonight.

FRANCE RIGHT SOON

Former Premier Is In Paris and Has Been Conferring With the French Pesident.

PAINLEVE GIVES UP THE OFFICE

His Cabinet Not Able to Solve Problems That Confront France at the Present Time.

Paris, November 23 .- (A) - Aristide Briand, dubbed "the man of Locarno" ince his success at the security conference, is regarded as certain to be called upon by President Doumergue to form a cabinet in succession to the

fallen Painleve government. The foreign minister, who has held the premiership seven times in his lengthy political career, returned to Paris this morning and had two long telephone conversations with M Doumergue. Opinion is expressed that the president succeeded in convincing him of the patriotic necessity of his acceptance but no official summons to the Elysee Palace has been received at the Quai d'Orsay early this morn-

M. Briand was suggested as the only man capable of leading France cut of the present political and financial jungle by the president of the senate, M. de Selves, the president of the chamber of depuities, M. Herriot, and other parliamentarians consulted by the chief executive since the beginning of the cabinet crisis.

Called to Presidential Palace. Paris, Nov. 23 .- (A) - Foreign Minister Briand went to the Elysee Palace this afternoon accompanied by his secretary. The statesman chosen to form a new cabinet is customarily summoned to the Elysee, the presi-

dential palace. Receives Invitation Paris, Nov. 23 .- (A)-For the ninth Denounces "Myster Let- of the President of the Republic to tide Briand today received the charge ter" Presented by De- form a cabinet, and tonight he stands fense Lawyer.

White Plains, N. Y., Nov. 23.—(P)

—Isaac N. Mills, counsel for Leonard

Kin Phinelander, in his annulment

their support and compelled M. Doumness and force him to withdraw his ergue to call M. Painleve, the retiring premier

was by far more crotic than the first.

girl when you wrote that?' "Yes." answered Rhinelander. Although he had kept his eyes fixed on the floor during the reading of the more lurid passages, he turned squarely on Mr. Davis and answered in a firm voice. His characteristic stutter, however, recurred at intervals when the questions were more than

usually intimate. Finally young Rhinelander said he could see nothing wrong in his actions at the Marie Antoinette, indicating said that the method of questioning that he did not agree with the shocked attitude that Mr. Davis took on

the revelations? Although that at first he denied that these letters were written to lead Alice on, he admitted that in one of the letters written June 6th he was trying to tempt her. "I had no other "This is a deliberate attempt to outlet to explain my emotion except in my letters," he said. "In them I put my heart and soul."

*Did you have any letters using this kind of stuff from Alice?" asked Mr. Davis. "No." admitted the witness. "Did you intend to make this gir

"I had visions of it." In the midst of his cross examina asked that the court be cleared in or-They were read before a court room der that he might show Alice's skin that had been emptied of all but two to the jury. Justice Morschauser in women, the latter being newspaper terposed an objection, and it was women. Both the letters were writ- agreed to retire to the jury room. Alice ten from the Cilff Hotel in San Fran- returned to the court room and broke

Beatrice Jones, daughter of a negro | Those who went with her to the hack driver, and Leonard Kip Rhine- private room were Leonard, Mr. Davis, lander, wealthy young society man, Mr. Mills, Alice's mother, Justice seeking annulment of their marriage. Morschauser, the court stenographer The letters have been the center of and the jury. Alice was wrapped in a great mystery in the case beginning a heavy coat, and was comforted by

SAT'S BEAR SAYS:



Fair tonight, colder in central and Leonard spent a week at the hotel east portions, probably freezing tem-Marie Antoinette in New York in perature to the coast; Tuesday fair. Fresh to strong northwest winds this

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