

Officials Say That Otto Wood 'Wrote His Way to Freedom'

Raleigh, Nov. 24.—(AP)—"He wrote his way to freedom," said State prison officials immediately after it became known that Otto Wood, North Carolina's most notorious criminal, had escaped again.

DANIELS WITNESS AT THE DOHENY AND FALLS TRIAL

Says No Oil Leases Were Granted During Time He Served as Secretary of the Navy.

HOLDING BIGGEST GUNS IN RESERVE

So Far Prosecution Has Brought Out Only the History of Oil Reserves Now in Dispute.

Washington, Nov. 24.—(AP)—With its biggest artillery still in reserve, the prosecution in the Fall-Doheny oil conspiracy case continued today its tedious preliminary barrage of statistics and geological data concerned in the Elk Hills naval oil lease.

Star's Son



John Easton, son of Mrs. Jane Gibson, star witness in the Hall-Mills murder trial at Somerville, N. J., attended court when his mother testified from her sick bed.

DEMOCRATS NOT TO NAME SMITH, SAYS DRY CONGRESSMAN

'Not the Ghost of Chance for Al Smith,' Says William D. Upshaw, in Interview Given in City.

HIS NOMINATION WILL BE FOUGHT

Should He Be Nominated, Says Militant Dry Leader, Voters of the Nation Would Not Accept Him.

"Not the ghost of a chance for Al Smith," said Hon. William D. Upshaw, member of Congress from Georgia, and militant dry leader, here today.

Bouncer



Mrs. Lintorn Orman is chief of the London Special Patrol of British Fascists, which, at a Fascist meeting at St. Pancras Baths, threw out all women not agreeing with speakers.

POLICE SEEK CLUE IN SOLVING DEATH OF L. C. FORSYTH

Body Left at Filling Station at Garner by Persons Who Asked Proprietor to Bring Physicians.

LEFT THE BODY AND DROVE OFF

Robert Separks Said to Be One of Men in Car With Body.—Gang Warfare May Have Caused Death

Raleigh, Nov. 24.—(AP)—Mystery surrounds the death of L. C. (Mighty) Forsyth, 24 years old, near here last night, as police returned empty-handed from the search for his alleged slayer.

REPRIEVES ARE GRANTED TO NEGRO PRISONERS

Robert Lumpkin and Booker Williams Saved From Electric Chair. Raleigh, Nov. 24.—(AP)—Robert Lumpkin and Booker T. Williams, negroes, sentenced to die on Friday for murder, were reprieved today by Governor McLean until January 2nd.

COTTON SPINDLES ACTIVE IN NORTH CAROLINA

There Were 6,094,958 in the State on October 31st. Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 23.—(AP)—There were 6,094,958 cotton spinning spindles in place in North Carolina on October 31, 5,849,958 of which were in actual operation at some time during the month, according to figures just released by the United States Department of Commerce.

PREDICTS NATION WILL BE AT WAR IN SIX MONTHS

Lieut. Col. W. A. Fair Tells Hickory Guardsmen They May as Well Get Ready. Hickory, Nov. 23.—Upholding a prophetic reputation that saw him safely through predictions of the World War, Mexican trouble and the Spanish Revolution, a member of the officers' reserve corps, told members of the local guard unit at a banquet here last night that "you may expect to see active service within six months."

ANOTHER COTTON MILL PLANS TO COME SOUTH

Textile Concerns Are Leaving New England States in Interest of Economy. Ware, Mass., Nov. 23.—Adding to a long list of recent changes in the textile situation in New England, the Otis company of Ware today announced a plan for closing their plant here and removing manufacture to the South.

Money to Lend to Farmers

Birmingham, Ala., Nov. 22.—"Money to lend." This is the slogan of the Alabama Cotton Finance Corporation, organized by leading bankers and business men to save farmers of the state from conditions brought by an overproduction of cotton.

'Dragon' Dead

New York, Nov. 22.—Indigestion Sunday killed the remaining "dragon" of the pair brought here in September from the volcanic island of Komondo, near Java. He was called the Veranus Komondensis and was proclaimed the largest member of the lizard family in existence.

The New Dance, 'The Caroline'

New Orleans, La., Nov. 22.—The Charleston has met its nemesis. It's a new dance, "The Caroline." Harry Carroll, music composer and producer of musical revues, who has started the new dance believes it will sweep the country with as much popularity as the Charleston.

Production Begun on 'Don't Tell the Wife'

Production has begun on "Don't Tell the Wife," the second picture Paul L. Stein is directing for Warner Bros. Irene Rich and Huntly Gordon will share stellar honors in this photoplay which is being pictured from the internationally famous play, "Cyprienne," by Victorien Sardou, the distinguished French dramatist. Lilyan Tashman has been signed to play an important role in this picture.

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SCHOOL ENTERTAINMENT ENJOYABLE OCCASION

Congressman W. D. Upshaw, of Georgia, Makes Interesting Address Filled With Wit on the Subject of 'Schools and Fools.' A most enjoyable time was passed by those who attended the entertainment given Tuesday evening at the High School for the benefit of the athletic association.

Man Leaps From Washington Monument and Ends His Life

Washington, Nov. 22.—For the second time in 60 hours the Washington monument was the scene today of a suicide. B. Ward, crawled through the iron bars at a window near the top of the structure and jumped 500 feet to the pavement.

HIGHWAY 40 ROUTE IS AGAIN IN COURT

Second Injunction Halts Work Contemplated by State Highway Commission. Raleigh, Nov. 24.—(AP)—Injunction proceedings arose here this morning to thwart for the second time the designs of the State highway commission of constructing the link of highway Route 10 which leads through the town of Newton.

Panama Flight Planes Make Progress

Key West, Fla., Nov. 24.—(AP)—The Panama flight planes were 210 miles south of Cuba at 8:10 a. m. today, it was reported to the naval radio station here by wireless.

Football Scores Will Be Received For Local Fans

Football fans who for various reasons must remain at home tomorrow can keep up with the progress of the North Carolina teams through Associated Press reports to be received by The Daily Tribune.

Queen Mairé and Children Sail for Rumanian Home

New York, Nov. 24.—(AP)—Queen Marie of Rumania, with Princess Helena and Prince Nicholas, sailed for Bucharest today, cutting short the American tour to return to the bedside of King Ferdinand. Before the Berengaria, bearing the royal party sailed, some 200 persons were received in the royal suite, and the farewell cheers of other hundreds crowded on the pier were acknowledged by the royal visitors from the deck.

THE COTTON MARKET

Opened Barely Steady at Decline of 1-10 8 Points, With Active Months Rallying Later. New York, Nov. 24.—(AP)—The cotton market opened barely steady today at a decline of 1 to 8 points, with near months relatively easy on liquidation incident to the circulation of the first December notices.

THE WEATHER

Mostly cloudy tonight and Thursday, cooler Thursday. Moderate southwest shifting to northwest and north winds.