

BOOTLEGGERS RAIDS BRINGS INVESTIGATION

List published in Washington Post contains four hundred names

PROMINENT CLUBS AND WOMEN NAMED

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, March 12.—After a preliminary inquiry into the State, War, and Navy Departments, announced that nothing now in evidence, to incriminate persons named in liquor list and prohibition officials themselves must take whatever steps appear necessary.

WASHINGTON, March 12.—A series of bootlegger raids which has brought the national capital sharply into the limelight of war of enforcement authorities has culminated in an order to the army and navy intelligence officers, to investigate the appearance of names and addresses of more than fifty army and navy and marine corps officers in the list seized in a raid here on March 3rd. The list as published in the Washington Post contains more than four hundred names and police declare that about six names, and addresses checked with those of members of congress and several were on premises of prominent women and mens clubs.

CANADIAN GOVERNMENT TO CARE FOR WILD BISON

(By Associated Press) OTTAWA, Ont., March 12.—A new national park for the conservation of wild bison, to be known as Wood Buffalo Park, has been established by the Canadian government near Fort Smith, Alta., on the west side of Slave river.

The new park includes within its borders the habitat of two herds of wood bison estimated to number 2,000 head. These wood bison differ from the buffalo that once blanketed the prairies of the United States and Canada but are said to be slightly larger and of a darker color.

The existence of a herd of wild buffalo about Great Slave Lake and the headwaters of the Mackenzie river has long been known but information regarding it was so vague that up to two years ago the American Bison Society in its annual census estimated its numbers at 500 head. An official of the Canadian government, while engaged in explorations near Great Slave Lake saw a wild herd which he estimated at 1,000 head, and Indians informed him that a little farther north there was another herd of equal size.

As a result of this information, the Canadian government has established the new park as a perpetual pasture and breeding ground for these two wild herds. With the exception of a small herd still roaming the northern fastnesses of Yellowstone park, these are the only wild bison remaining in North America. The bison population of the continent, according to an estimate of Dr. W. F. Hornaday, a recognized authority on the buffalo, once totaled 15,000,000, and its distribution extended from the Atlantic seaboard to a little west of the Rocky Mountains.

The Canadian government herd in Wainwright park in Alberta now numbers 7,000 head or three-fourths of all the bison in existence.

CANDIDATES FOR RECORDER ARE VERY NUMEROUS

There is going to be plenty of candidates for Recorder of Spray court this Spring.

It was stated that Judge R. T. Hainlip will seek re-election, and former postmaster at Spray Mr. Houchins, Harry Fagge, B. K. Terry, W. S. Hodges and several others are being spoken of as candidates, but none have authorized the announcement.

Master Elwood son of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Edwards is quite sick with pneumonia.

FORMER GERMAN CAPTAIN, RUM RUNNER

(By Associated Press) LONDON, March 12.—Wholesale rum running into the United States by a fleet of four or five ships registered under a Panama flag is being financed by a prominent German magnate according to information in responsible American quarters here. The fleet is declared as being chiefly operated from the United States end by a former German captain of a Hamburg-American liner.

Mr. Moir Wright who has been sick with pneumonia at the home of Mr. Pink Jefferson in Matrimony Heights is improving.

Mrs. Charles Flannigan is reported sick with pneumonia.

ON THE SUBJECT OF WATER

The articles appearing in the Gazette recently on Leaksville including the one on the water system Saturday, were all written by the Editor and no one else should be credited or blamed for them, as he alone is responsible. However, it may be said, that a number of well balanced citizens were interviewed regarding the matter before they were written, and it is well known many are in hearty accord with the sentiments expressed therein.

RICHMOND, Ky., March 12.

Three persons were killed and two fatally injured and a number seriously hurt by a storm in this section last night.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Gunn of South Boston, Va., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Claude H. Jones.

Mr. C. P. Wilson of Roanoke, Va., spent the week end with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wilson, on Soons Road.

Mrs. E. P. Medor of near Wentworth was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude H. Jones, Sunday.

Invitations have been issued to the marriage of Miss Elizabeth Matthews and Mr. Benson Buan, Wednesday night at the home of Miss Matthews at Stoneville.

COUNTRYMAN DUE HERE.

Officer Bob Dillon left Friday for New York with the necessary papers to bring Carl C. Countryman to this County to stand trial on a charge of defrauding the Boulevard Bank of Leaksville out of \$450.00. They should reach here tonight or tomorrow.

Hon. P. W. Glidewell of Reidsville was in Spray today.

A Spray man was fined \$10 and costs in Recorder's court this morning for eavesdropping.

Messrs B. F. Parker and George DeHart have returned from a weeks stay in Atlanta and other southern cities. George was very much pleased with his trip as he seldom gets so far away from home and business cares.

AMERICAN JEWS DISTRIBUTE \$5,000,000 FOR EUROPEANS

(By Associated Press) NEW YORK, Mar. 12.—More than \$5,755,000 has been contributed by American Jews toward non-sectarian relief in Russia, and a further \$2,300,000 mostly for their own people through the American Relief Administration during the year 1922, according to a report of the American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee.

The report was made by Felix M. Warburg, James N. Rosenhegg and Lewis L. Strauss, the three representatives of the committee who in August 1921 concluded the agreement on the combined work in Russia with Secretary Hoover, Chairman of the American Relief Administration.

UNIVERSITY PREPARES FOR FLOOD FROM THE SCHOOLS

CHAPEL HILL, March 11.—The University is getting ready to provide more room for the new flood of high school students.

Two dormitories, perhaps three, will be built out of the money provided by the legislature. The dormitories put up a year ago have just barely taken care of the increase in attendance since then.

The number of graduates in N. C. high schools next June is estimated at between 5,000 and 6,000. A greater and greater per cent of them are going to college, and the University of course has to take care of the larger share. It is a difficult task to find enough rooms.

Besides the dormitories, the needed buildings talked of most are those for geology and chemistry and the women's building. All cannot be built, because there is not enough money to put up all of them. The trustees' committee will meet here at the end of this week, (March 16 and 17) to decide on the building program.

BEAUTIFUL WOMANHOOD, MARCH

The March issue of Beautiful Womanhood is fascinating. It contains a wide variety of information on Beauty and Beauty Culture. Among the contributors are Charlotte Perkins Gilman who writes "Do you know Beauty when you see it?" Then there is an interview with D. W. Griffith on "What is Beauty?" as told to Capitola W. Ashworth.

Marie Rappold advises you "To sing your way to Health", while Kitty Gordon thinks "Forty the Age of Supreme Beauty." These are only a number. There are besides an article by Mary Kimball on how to "Overcome Your shyness—And get a husband," "How to be happy though Divorced" by Fulton Oursler, "Love Reads," by Richard Barry and the autobiography of a foot entitled "Once a Beautiful Foot! But Now" an editorial by Bernard MacFadden as only he can write it.

ATLANTA, Ga., March 12.—A prediction of success for the National Campaign for Boll Weevil control as organized with Dr. Miller Reese Hutchinson at its head and a strong endorsement of the organization which grew out of the recent boll weevil conference in Atlanta is contained in an editorial which the Southern Ruralist will carry in its current issue to be distributed during the coming week. The Southern Ruralist, of which F. J. Merriam is publisher and C. A. Cobb editor, is the largest agricultural publication in the South, and the editorial contains an appeal for "the farmers and all agencies in the great field of agriculture" to give their fullest cooperation to the movement.

"The success of any organization depends upon its leader," the editorial states in reference to Dr. Hutchinson. "From all we can gather Dr. Hutchinson promises leadership of a vigorous, positive practical and sympathetic nature. There is no questioning the fact that he is a big man. The fact that he was chief engineer in the Edison laboratory the war to act as a member of the Naval Consulting Board is stories, and that he was chosen during high testimony. He has the full confidence of the big financial interests of the East, from which quarter most of the funds of the campaign are to come. Inasmuch as the period of the campaign is most of Dr. Hutchinson's time due to be given to its management, we feel confident of its success."

MATRIMONY WANTS WATER

Reported that people living on Matrimony Heights are going to ask the town Board to furnish them City water. It is said that all but two have agreed to take water if it is furnished them. They seem to be anxious for pure drinking water as their main purpose, along with other reasons.

RECKLINGHAUSEN FACES SEVERE PENALTIES FOR DEATHS

French officer and one civilian were killed at Buer, a Mining town

UNREST GROWING ON BOTH SIDES

(By Associated Press) RECKLINGHAUSEN, March 12.—Germans are dead as a result of clashes with the French troops in the Recklinghausen district last night. One French soldier and three Germans were wounded in a riot at Dortmund. A state of siege was declared in the entire district. Additional troops were sent to preserve order at Buer where a French officer and civilian were killed and where excitement is running high and resulting in renewed shootings.

Duesseldorf, March 12.—Recklinghausen district faced severe penalties for what was perhaps the most serious incident of the Franco Belgian occupation, the killing at Buer of a French Lieutenant and the director of the Buer railroad station. French indicated Buer would be placed under what will amount to martial law in addition to a fine of one hundred million marks.

Two Frenchmen, one an officer and the other a civilian railroad man, were assassinated Saturday night in the streets of the mining town of Buer, near Recklinghausen. Each body when found had five bullet wounds in it. Unrest and discontent among the population of the Recklinghausen district have been smoldering for several days. Today feeling was running high on both sides.

General Langelot, commanding the district, ordered the arrest of the burgomaster of Buer, the assistant burgomaster, the chief of police and two other town officials. All of them are being held by the French as hostages.

LATEST WIRE REPORTS

(By Associated Press) RICHMOND, March 12.—The senate and electors committee appointed sub-committee to draft a bill calling for referendum on the question of financing Virginia's road program. A sub-committee will attempt to draw a measure satisfactory to both party as you go advocates and bond issue adherents and report to the full committee tomorrow. The house will convene at 11 o'clock beginning tomorrow and will hold three sessions daily, if necessary to complete the work by the end of this week. Speaker Brewer announced.

DUBLIN, March 12.—Nearly three hundred prisoners who were taken in the week end raids in England and Scotland are understood to have been landed here and conveyed under heavy armed guard to jail.

WASHINGTON, March 12.—Rejecting the petition for a review of the Supreme Court, announced it would not determine at this time whether Federal Courts have jurisdiction to try Roland Pothier who was indicted for murder of Major Alexander Cronkhite of camp Lewis Washington in 1918.

FEW AMERICANS STAY IN ENGLAND

(By Associated Press) LONDON, March 12.—A total of 100,500 Americans entered Great Britain as visitors during 1922, according to official records. The number of departures for the same period was 100,039. Germans who landed in 1922 numbered 9,615 and those embarked are 9,122.

THE BERRY ROAD TOMORROW

The County Commissioners are to hold a special meeting tomorrow at the county seat to consider the Berry road proposition. The Board will probably do something to give them a road, but they are disposed to hear all sides before deciding.

DENNIS BOGGS KILLED OTHERS INJURED

(By Associated Press) PORTSMOUTH, Ohio, March 12.—Dennis Boggs aged nine was instantly killed and five other children injured when a high wind unroofed the high school building in South Portsmouth, Ky., and carried it over into a yard where the children were playing.

ATLANTIC COAST HIGHWAY PLANNED

(By Associated Press) CHARLESTON, S. C., March 12.—Plans for a highway along the South Atlantic Coast linking the chief seaports from Virginia to Jacksonville and, it is hoped, eventually forming a link in a Coastal highway from Portland, Maine, to Key West, Fla., will be discussed at the annual meeting of the South Atlantic Coastal Highway Association here on March 15 and 16. Governors United States Senators, congressmen and state and county officials from coastal states and counties have been invited to attend.

It is the plan of the association to work for an automobile highway connecting the seaports of Norfolk, Wilmington, Charleston, Savannah, Brunswick and Jacksonville, at this time. Representatives from Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia and Florida will be present and group meetings will be held to discuss state plans as well as the general sessions.

Former Governor Wilson G. Harvey of South Carolina will act as toastmaster at a noonday luncheon at which S. N. Harris of Savannah will deliver an address on "The Value of the South Atlantic Highway to the South Atlantic Ports." A section of the highway already built in the vicinity of Charleston will be inspected and afterward officers for the coming year will be elected.

On the second day reports on the work in the five states will be heard as well as reports of committees.

APARTMENT HOUSE EQUIPPED WITH RADIO

(By Associated Press) ST. LOUIS, March 12.—Probably the most startling indication of the great interest being manifested in radio was given here this week when a large advertisement appeared in the local papers of a 54 apartment building just being completed in which every apartment is supplied with complete radio equipment.

In the same issue of the newspapers there were two full columns of advertisements of different radio sets both new and old and puts for sale and exchange, a small number of advertisements of radio repair shops and a few requests for second hand radio sets. The volume of radio wants advertisements equalled about one-third of the volume of automobile want ads in these papers.

PREVENTED PRODUCTION VALUED AT BILLIONS

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, March 12.—Prevented production aggregated a total average value of \$4,280,000 yearly in eleven of the country's important crops during the thirteen years, 1909 to 1921, the Department of Agriculture estimates. Weather, plant disease, defective seed and insect and animal pests account for this prevented production.

The corn crop is the chief sufferer, its annual average prevented production being 1,563,000 bushels which at the average December farm prices makes its value \$1,256,282,000.

Next in order is the cotton crop whose prevented production averaged 8,418,000 bales valued at \$382,585,000 including seed.

Wheat follows with an annual average damage of 448,762,000 bushels valued at \$599,372,000.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Easley spent the week end in Reidsville with relatives.

TWENTY PERSONS KILLED AT PINSON

Terrible storm sweeps Jackson district of Tennessee

FREIGHT TRAIN BLOWN OFF TRACK

(By Associated Press) JACKSON, Tenn., March 12.—Twenty persons are reported killed and seventy-five injured in the vicinity of Pinson twelve miles south of here by a storm which swept that section last night. About fifty dwellings were wrecked according to meagre reports. A freight train was blown from the track, wire communication is cut off and relief parties were sent from here.

HAVE ASSISTED 27,500 CONVICTS TO GET WORK

(By Associated Press) CHICAGO, Mar. 10.—Eleven hundred convicts, discharged or paroled from penitentiaries, were assisted on to the right road by the Central Howard Association, of this city during 1922, according to the annual report made public by the association. In addition to this 500 boys under 18 years of age were guided and helped and legal aid was provided for 400 additional men accused of crime but who had no friends at court or were without adequate resources to obtain their legal rights.

This brought the total applicants aided in the 22 years of the Association's life to 27,500, and the average cost per applicant in this length of time was \$9.69.

A significant part of the report is the notation of the earning capacity of the men assisted in 1921. In that year, according to the report, 208 words one-sixth of the men aided that year earned eight times the association's entire income", says the report.

The Central Howard association is named after John Howard who was Sheriff at Bedford, Eng., in 1773 and who is known as the father of modern prison improvement.

Its field is confined to the Central and Western states and its method is more individual than collective. It acts as "first friend" to paroled men and serves as the mediator between the public and the man who has gone wrong, but who wants to get right. Practical employment is obtained for the man, also working tools clothing, shelter and food.

NORTH CAROLINA COLLEGE FOR WOMEN

GREENSBORO, March 12.—The new library of the North Carolina College for Women was opened to the students and public for the first time this week. This new building, which is three times as large as the original structure, will provide adequate facilities for the college for many years to come, and has shelving space for over 100,000 volumes. The old building is incorporated into the new structure, and the enlargement was carried out at a cost of something over \$75,000.

RUSSIANS SEND TO MAINE FOR FARMERS BULLETINS

(By Associated Press) ORONO, Maine, March 12.—An indication that many residents of Soviet Russia are joining in an effort to place their country on a self-sustaining food basis is seen by officials of the Maine agricultural experiment station in the fact that 841 requests for bulletins on scientific farming were received here from Russia during the past year. This was the largest number of inquiries received from foreign countries. Canada was second with 295 requests and countries in Europe, Asia, Africa, South America, Australia and the East and West Indies were represented.

Miss Elizabeth Matthews is at her home at Stoneville for a two weeks visit and Miss Ada Hill will be at the Boulevard Real Estate Office while Miss Matthews is at home.