

GRAND JURY READY FOR NEW EVIDENCE IN McPHERSON CASE

State Seeks Store in Which Corset For Evangelist Was Purchased Some Weeks Ago.

ORMISTON STILL ESCAPES ARREST

Radio Man For Evangelist Is Believed to Be Somewhere in North Carolina Now.

Los Angeles, July 19.—(AP)—Officials investigating the Albee Temple kidnapping case are attempting to locate stores in which the evangelist purchased clothing during her absence from Angelus Temple, in an effort to complete evidence for presentation to the county grand jury when it reconvenes tomorrow.

Through location of the store in which a corset was purchased for Mrs. McPherson, the district attorney hopes to establish her approximate location a few days before she appeared at Agua Prieta, Mexico, and told of being held captive for thirty-six days, part of the time in a desert shack.

Meanwhile the search is being continued for Kenneth G. Ormiston, former Angelus Temple radio operator, and friend of the evangelist. Latest reports were that he was somewhere in North Carolina. He is sought to testify before the grand jury concerning charges that he accompanied the evangelist to various coast cities after her disappearance from the temple.

Thousands continued to crowd in to Angelus Temple to attend the revival meetings at which Mrs. McPherson presides.

A NEW FAD.

Sunburned Initials On Shapely Thighs Are Fad On Beaches At Boston.

(By International News Service.) Boston, July 19.—Sun-burning initials on shapely tanned thighs has become this summer's popular sport on many beach resorts.

It's a simple process. Girls desiring the unique initialing stick strips of adhesive tape on the thighs in the form of the letters wanted. The tape stays on until the sun tans the skin surrounding the strips.

The tape then is removed and the unburned parts, formed into the desired initials, stand out conspicuously on the thigh.

Devil's Garden Popular Spot.

(By International News Service.) Hutto, Ky., July 19.—"Devil's Garden"—located one mile up Cumberland Mountain here in Bell county—has lately become a popular stopping place for tourists.

Whether it's the name that attracts them or the lure for adventure has not been determined but Deputy Sheriff George Robbins has called upon the Chamber of Commerce at Middlesboro, Ky., to finance cutting a few miles of footpath through the garden.

On an old tree has been inscribed "Zeke Hoskins, 1712" who is believed to have been the discoverer and responsible for the name of "Devil's Garden."

Residents who have been here for four score years and whose grandsons were here as long have been unable to learn from their grandparents where the garden got its name.

Fight Obscene Literature.

(By International News Service.) Memphis, Tenn., July 19.—A war to the finish on obscene literature that is on sale at the news stands of this city is well under way by the Parent-Teachers Association who have solicited the aid of the city attorney in their fight.

An appeal to the department of justice at Washington to bar "these filthy, horrible" magazines from the mails has been made. City Attorney A. B. Kiewer has prepared a bill for the suppression of obscene literature to be presented at the next session of the State legislature.

A full bus load is expected to enjoy the complimentary trip through western North Carolina to Happy Valley Lake Estates to be given by the local office of that well known realty company tomorrow. The bus will leave at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning. Another will go Friday morning.

Miss Jennie Brown returned today from High Point where she has been the guest of Miss Ernestine Hayes since last Thursday.

Star Theatre TODAY and TUESDAY GLORIA SWANSON and LAWRENCE GRAY in "The Untamed Lady"

This Picture Was Made at Pinehurst, North Carolina. WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY "THE CAT'S PAJAMAS" Betty Bronson and Richard Cortes

TRUST COMPANY'S RECORDS WILL BE GIVEN TO JURORS

Grand Jury in Atlanta Tomorrow Will Study Records and Affairs of the Bankers Trust Co.

MANY BANKS IN THE STATE QUIT

They Were Dependent on Trust Company Which Was Closed by Bankruptcy Proceedings.

Atlanta, Ga., July 19.—(AP)—Records of the Bankers Trust Co., whose bankruptcy proceedings last week brought about the closing of more than eighty small banks in Georgia and Florida, will be presented to the grand jury tomorrow by receivers for the banking institution and officials of the state banking department. The investigation will be conducted by the solicitor general of the Atlanta district.

The granting of a petition for receivership by the bank of Atlanta, Fla., early last week brought about a suspension of business by the Bankers Trust Co., and a restraining order from the Superior Court preventing officials of the company from altering in any way the status of the banks for which the company acted as financial agent.

With the institution of bankruptcy proceedings came an announcement from the state banking department of the suspension of business of 48 small banks, virtually all members of the Bankers Trust Co. chain.

Added suspensions Thursday and Friday brought the number of bank suspensions in Georgia and Florida to more than eighty.

JEWIS LAMENT THE FALL OF JERUSALEM

Black Fast Day Has Been Set Apart for Mourning for Centuries.

New York, July 19.—Hebrews the world over will gather at temples and synagogues at sunset this evening to usher in with prayers and all the impressive ceremonies of the Jewish Black Fast Day. The fast, which will last until the stars appear tomorrow evening. For centuries the day, known as the Jewish Black Fast, has been set apart as a day of mourning for the race. It is the most solemn holiday on the Jewish calendar, but, unlike the Day of Atonement which is regarded as the most sacred, is more of an anniversary event, inasmuch as five of the greatest national misfortunes befell the Jewish race on this date.

The fast commemorates the day when the Jews were doomed to remain in the wilderness on their way to Palestine; the dual destruction of Jerusalem by Nebuchadnezzar and Titus; the fall of Bohan and the drawing of the plow over Jerusalem and the Temple a year later in order to transform the place into a Roman colony.

During the 24 hours of the fast the rigidly observant Jew eats and drinks nothing. The reform Jew, however, does not hold so fanatically to some of the old traditions. During the entire holiday the orthodox Jews devote most of their time to prayers. In all the synagogues special rituals are held and one of the features is the reading of the "Kinot" or Lamentations. In orthodox sanctuaries an old custom of removing the shoes and sandals during the solemnities and sitting on the ground is observed on this occasion.

In some of the European countries Jews are not accorded equal rights this holiday is of special significance, as on this day special services are devoted to the Zionist cause and for centuries it has been a custom of the wealthier Jews throughout Europe to make pilgrimages to Palestine at this time to visit the ancestral sepulchres and the "Kosel Hamairovi" or the eastern wall, the only part of the great Jewish Temple still left intact. Since the close of Palestine in 1917, however, the Jews from the Moslems these pilgrimages have greatly increased in size and number.

It is also a custom for the Zionist organizations throughout the world to hold meetings on Tisha B'ab, for the belief has been held among the Jews, especially the orthodox element, that if Palestine ever were restored to its original owners, the restoration would take place on this day.

In recent years there has been incorporated in the observance of the day special prayers in temples and synagogues in memory of the Jews slain in the war. The day also has been made the occasion for a general appeal for aid for the millions of Jewish sufferers in the devastated war regions.

The nine days preceding Tisha B'ab are known as the "solmen days" and during the entire period observant Jews are prohibited to solemnize marriages, visit places of amusement, partake of meats or enjoy any form of recreation. It is only among the strictly orthodox, however, that the observance is carried to this extent.

Granville County will soon be a leading swine growing section according to the interest the farmers are taking in feeding demonstrations. Twenty pure bred Berkshire club were recently distributed to club boys by the county agent.

Triple Murderer



James Grant (left), who was arrested by Chicago police after murdering three of his victims in banditry. Grant is shown being questioned by Lt. Wojciechowski, who captured him.

GOVERNOR COMMENDED

For Refusing to Pay Any Attention to Dudding Charges.

Tribune Bureau Sir Walter Hotel Raleigh, July 19.—Not only is Governor A. W. McLean continuing to receive letters commending him for his action in the Mause case, but letters are also being received commending him for his refusal to pay attention to the charges of E. E. Dudding, of the prison reform association, whose charges were "an out-pour of hell" and that prisoners had been shot in the back while shackled, were effectively shown to be false by The Tribune correspondent recently, following the printing of Dudding's charges in a Raleigh morning newspaper.

In one of these letters to the governor James H. Holloway, of Ridge-way, N. C., says: "Another thing which I especially desire to commend you for is your attitude toward the charges of E. E. Dudding, a prison reformer. He has libeled the State before and almost got away with it, but you put a spoke in his wheel right off the bat when you refused to dignify his false insinuations by any official notice whatsoever. I travel all over this state, as you know, and I have yet to see one single case of cruel or inhuman treatment of prisoners.

"I have a brother who travels much in North Carolina and he was at my home the past week. The paper containing Dudding's charges of cruelty against the prison farm management came while he was here and he was very indignant and told me that he was at the farm last week and went there frequently and that never in his life had he seen a finer or more attractive place. He remarked that it was a shame that such trouble-makers should be allowed to run at large. I am certainly glad you refused him any encouragement in his efforts to discredit our good state's name and reputation."

BANDITS FORCE MAN TO OPEN VAULT FOR THEM

Escaped With Week-End Receipts of Kansas City Amusement Park.

Kansas City, July 19.—(AP)—Five bandits early today kidnaped Sam Benjamin, manager of an amusement park here, forced him to open the vault at the park, and escaped with several thousand dollars, representing the week-end receipts.

Mrs. Benjamin and daughter, Lois, were taken along by the bandits. The Benjamin family was ambushed near their home in the residential district, forced into a car and taken to the park. Two watchmen were bound and gagged.

The loot amounted to between \$5,000 and \$20,000. The Benjamins were released by the bandits after the robbery.

Man Shot By His Dog.

(By International News Service.) Hardy, Ark., July 19.—As soon as James W. Richardson, 63, farmer, recovers from shotgun wounds in his right hand, "Spot," his bird dog, will be tried on a charge of malicious shooting.

A few days ago, while Richardson was hunting, "Spot" leaped over a shotgun lying nearby on the ground and his foot dug the trigger. The gun was discharged and Richardson wounded.

"The case will be nolle prossed," explained Richardson, "looks like an accidental shooting, and Spot saw a covey of birds, anyway." Richardson's right foot was mangled in a saw mill mishap two years ago.

Elects President of Textile Association.

Savannah, July 18.—W. H. Gibson, Jr., of Mooresville, N. C., was elected president of the Southern Textile Association, and Greenville, S. C., chosen as next meeting place of the association at the closing sessions of the convention yesterday.

Franc Drops Again.

Paris, July 19.—(AP)—The opening quotation on the franc this morning was 45.22 to the dollar. Later it dropped to 48.30. Sterling opened at 220, then went to 235.

Tom Tarheel Says the Best Day's Work Done on His Farm Recently.

When the family went swimming and then enjoyed a picnic supper in the nearby woods.

SEEKING CORRECT THEORY TO SOLVE MALLETT MURDER

From One of Four Clear-Cut Theories the Officers Hope to Get Evidence Enough to Trap Slayers.

CRIME FIGHT IS BELIEVED REASON

Editor Had Been Fighting Vice in Canton and His Enemies Are Thought to Have Killed Him.

Canton, O., July 19.—(AP)—From one of four clear-cut theories in the murder of Don R. Mallett, Canton publisher, authorities expect to deduce evidence sufficient to trap the slayers.

The most promising clue is the telephone call received by Mallett a week ago last night, warning him of assassination and describing to him all details to the letter the manner in which occurred four days later.

GOVERNOR COMMENDED

BANKING SITUATION IN STATE SOUNDER

No Danger of Georgia Bank Failures Having Any Effect on North Carolina Banks.

Tribune Bureau Sir Walter Hotel Raleigh, July 19.—The whole banking situation in North Carolina now is sounnder now than it has been at any time within the past six years.

John Mitchell, State bank examiner said, when asked if there was any danger of the Georgia bank failures having any effect upon North Carolina banks.

"There is not present in North Carolina any system of chain banking which could produce a situation similar to that which has recently developed in the state of Georgia," said Mr. Mitchell. "So far as has been ascertained, the relationship existing between banks of this state and the banks in Georgia, is of such a nature that no harm to North Carolina banks can possibly result from the Georgia failures."

THE COTTON MARKET

Affected by Cables and Favorable Weather Market Opened Easy With First Prices Lower.

New York, July 19.—(AP)—Affected by weaker cables and generally favorable week-end weather, the cotton market opened easy today with first prices 11 to 13 points lower.

The South, Liverpool, spot interests and the Southwest all sold moderately on the opening call, followed by a large covering by room shorts that rallied the market a few points after October had dropped to 17.17 and January to 17.15, or 11 to 13 points under Saturday's closing. Private reports reported mostly clear and warm weather over the belt since Saturday, with possibly less complaint about insects, although one prominent Alabama spot house claimed its investigations showed that the crop looked better than it really was.

Bible and Flag For Schools.

Benton, Tenn., July 19.—Purchase of a Bible and a United States flag for every school in the county was the first thing Polk county's school fund was used for.

All schools in the county open today for the summer session and will adjourn in time for the autumn harvest.

School supplies for all the schools in the county were purchased from the fund this year in wholesale lots and expenses to children will be small.

"The law requires that the Bible be read each day in school and that the flag float above the building each day," explained the superintendent.

Yellowstone Jail Razed; Nary An Inmate In 32 Years.

Yellowstone Park, Wyo., July 19.—(AP)—The Yellowstone National Park jail has not held a prisoner in its thirty-two years of existence and now has been razed.

"The only thing the jail has held has been a jayor which has been found cached by run runners from the Canadian border," a park official asserted.

Heriot Forms Cabinet.

Paris, July 19.—(AP)—Edouard Heriot, leader of the radicals, has succeeded in forming a cabinet to replace that under Aristide Briand, which fell Saturday. He announced this afternoon that the final lineup of the ministry would be given out tonight.

STATE WITNESSES TAKE UP MORNING IN CRANFORD CASE

Three Witnesses Were to Be Heard When Court Convened This Morning After Week-End Recess.

CRANFORD WILL TAKE THE STAND

It Is Predicted Now That Case Will Not Go to the Jury Before Latter Part of the Week.

Albemarle, July 19.—(AP)—A sixth death in the Stanly County prison system was laid to Nevin C. Cranford in his trial on murder charges in Superior Court here today.

Two witnesses, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Teeter, testified that Carl Meadows, a white prisoner, came to their home several years ago, suffering from wounds he said were administered by Cranford, and that he died on the following morning.

INDIANS DANCE FOR FAVOR OF SUN GOD

Seventy Picked Braves Have Been Dancing Since Saturday.

Pocatelo, Idaho, July 19.—(AP)—With aged braves dropping from exhaustion three score Bannock and Shoshone tribesmen today continued to dance about a grotesque totem pole in their efforts to win the favor of the sun god for another year.

Starrington, Ind. 70 per cent of the total population is without local library service while the percentage for the United States and Canada without such service is 45.

FREE MAN CASE WILL GO TO JURY TODAY

The Last Argument by Counsel and Charge by Court Will Occupy the Afternoon.

Charlotte, July 19.—(AP)—The case of Nellie Freeman, on trial for slaying her husband on the night of May 22nd, will be in the hands of the jury late tonight.

Arguments of Frank R. McIninch, for the state, and Jake F. Newell, for the defense counsel, had been completed shortly after noon.

Mr. Newell's speech required one hour and forty minutes. He devoted a great part of his time to the testimony of alienists who had declared the girl below normal mentality.

Artic Trout Survive in Frozen Streams.

Tanana, Alaska, July 19.—(AP)—Arctic brook trout are found in all mountain streams throughout Alaska, being quite abundant in the extreme headwaters where they spawn. The arctic divide is no barrier, as all creeks flowing north into the Arctic ocean team with speckled trout.

In Alaska, stories are told around camp fires of the extreme hardness of the arctic trout, which may be just fish stories or an exception to the rule that all frozen fish are dead fish.

Give Rules For Long Life.

Mobile, Ala., July 19.—Live the Golden Rule, drink tea and coffee but not to excess and work hard for a long and happy life, is the advice of Mrs. Lucretia Alexander, who celebrated her 100th birthday here last week.

Coming to this section in her early childhood, Mrs. Alexander remembers many Indian skirmishes with settlers, events of the war with Mexico and the Civil War.

The contention is frail in body but has possession of all her mental faculties. She has one living child, 80 years old, out of seven she has raised. She has seven grandchildren, 32 great grandchildren and six teen great-great-grandchildren, practically all of whom live in Mobile. She was married twice, the last time at the age of 90.

Eating cooling foods is one of the best ways of keeping good natural in summer, say home demonstration workers.

'Accused'



Dr. T. E. Walsh was accused of responsibility for the death of Edith Green, whose dismembered body was found near a Boston cemetery.

WILL THE SURVEY BE MADE?

To Survey or Not to Survey Seems Still to Be the Question.

Raleigh, July 19.—To survey or not to survey still seems to be the question.

For once again has the Welfare Commission met and adjourned and departed with secrecy the watchword. For not a comment will any of the members make with the regard to the deliberations concerning the electing of a personnel for the Women's Industry survey. It was predicted a week ago that full announcement of all details would be made "within a day or two." Then each day found a new postponement. After the meeting Thursday it was said that "it was almost certain that an agreement would be reached Saturday." But when the commission adjourned Saturday afternoon, after a somewhat elongated session, at part of which Governor McLean was present, there still was no announcement forthcoming, other than that "no decision had been reached."

Another Death Laid to Cranford.

Albemarle, July 19.—(AP)—The State resumed its case today against Nevin C. Cranford, former Stanly county convict superintendent, with three additional witnesses to be introduced before resting.

Indications were this morning as court convened at 10 a. m., that it would be Friday before the jury began its deliberations.

NORTH CAROLINA IS SHORT ON PUBLIC LIBRARIES

Has Only a Fraction Over One Per Cent of the Libraries of the Country.

Raleigh, N. C., July 19.—(AP)—While North Carolina, with more than two per cent of the nation's population, pays the fifth greatest Federal taxes among the states, she has only a fraction over one per cent of the public libraries of the country, figures compiled by the American Library Association and printed in the current issue of the North Carolina Library Bulletin show.

Also while there are 9,706 persons per library in the service areas of all libraries of the nation as a whole, there are 10,615 persons per library in North Carolina.

North Carolina has only 69 libraries, operated by both public and private associations, while the nation has 8,516. Of these North Carolina libraries, 32 are tax supported and 37 are supported by associations. In the service areas of the libraries of the country there are 63,244,970 persons. In the same areas in North Carolina there are 732,442.

Out of the total of 3,065 counties in the country, last year 222 counties spent public funds for library service. In North Carolina 12 out of the 100 counties spent public funds.

North Carolina's poor showing, however, may be attributed to the fact that 70 per cent of the total population is without local library service while the percentage for the United States and Canada without such service is 45.

This state's rural population, however, is as well cared for as the rural population of the United States, the Library Commission points out. Forty-seven of North Carolina's counties are entirely without libraries, and the same is true of counties in other states.

Mountaineer Moonshiner Passing Out.

Louisville, Ky., July 19.—The mountaineer moonshiner of Kentucky is passing into history.

No longer does the mountaineer raise corn around his little hovel, grind it into "mountain dew" and sell his "white mule" products at the nearest town.

The march of progress is reaching him. His children, who attend the red school houses on the hillside, are educating him. Good roads and auto have placed him in closer communication with the outside world.

THE WEATHER

Generally fair tonight and Tuesday. Moderate north and northwesterly winds.

CHAPPELL TRIAL IN STATESVILLE; WILL HOLD BIG INTEREST

Minister of the Asheville Church Will Be Tried on Charges Growing Out of His Arrest in Memphis.

THIRTEEN JURORS FOR THE TRIAL

Dr. F. J. Prettyman, of Gastonia, Will Preside—None of Court Ministers Live in Statesville.

Statesville, July 19.—(AP)—The church trial of Dr. Ashley Chappell, pastor of the Central Methodist Episcopal church, South, Asheville, promised to be a quietly and expeditiously conducted, according to indications here today. Before the court of thirteen ministers, convening here tomorrow.

None of the men concerned in the trial of the immoral charge resides in Statesville. The proceedings will be held in the community house of the Broad Street Church. Dr. F. J. Prettyman, of Gastonia, will preside over the trial.

The trial committee includes the following pastors of the western North Carolina conference: R. M. Hoyle, Belmont; Ira Erwin, Davidson; W. S. Womble, Newton; L. D. Tompson, Salisbury; R. B. Howie, Mocksville; T. J. Houck, Thomasville; W. R. Ware, Forest City; W. E. Poovey, Marion; M. T. Smathers, Hendersonville; T. E. Marr, Waynesville; E. K. McLarty, High Point; G. D. Herman, Charlotte; and A. L. Stanford, Charlotte.

ACT AS PROSECUTOR AGAINST DR. CHAPPELL

Rev. Mr. Pickens Leaves Today For Statesville, Where Trial Will Be Held.

Albemarle, July 18.—Rev. C. M. Pickens, pastor of Central Methodist church of this city, expects to leave for Statesville Monday where he will take part in the church trial of Dr. Ashley Chappell, of Asheville, who will then answer before a canonical tribunal for alleged immoral conduct.

Rev. Mr. Pickens has been appointed prosecutor, and he has his case well in hand for the fight which will possibly be the center of interest next week, especially to the membership of the Western North Carolina Methodist conference.

As soon as the trial is finished, the Albemarle minister will leave for California, where he will spend his summer vacation.

With Our Advertisers.

There are 40 Frigidare owners in Concord. Any model Frigidare may be purchased on the General Motors time payment plan. A small down payment makes it unnecessary to wait until Frigidare can be paid for in full before enjoying the benefits of electric refrigeration. See half page ad. in The Tribune today.

Don't miss the cooking demonstration at the office of the Concord and Kannapolis Gas Co. at 3:30 p. m. on Tuesday. See ad. today.

Men and young men's Tropical worsteds suits \$11.90 at J. C. Penney Co.'s. Other suits from \$9.00 to \$22.50.

During the Owen Insurance Sale from July 15 to 31, the Concord and Kannapolis Gas Co. will give you \$10 for your old coal oil, wood or gas range and long terms on the purchase of a new one.

Everything for the cool weather for men at Hoover's. See Efrid's for your needs. Look up new ad. today.

The Parks-Belk Co. is offering some great bargains in their dress goods department, from 40 to 50 per cent off. Ladies' spring hats at half price and less. Big savings all over the store.

F. C. Niblock in his new ad. today tells you about another new house, with five rooms and bath. Read about it in a new ad. today.

You will find at the Bell & Harris Furniture Co. house furnishings that insure lasting satisfaction.

William O. Mays, federal prohibition administrator of Kentucky and Tennessee, is authority for the above views.

Cheap whiskey made in cities and nearby towns, sold under the mountaineer's price, has also flooded the market.

"The coal industry and drilling for oil and gas wells has proved more profitable for the mountaineer," explained Mays.