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MEXICAN SITUATION MORE TENSE AFTER CALLES STATEMENT

President Issues A Bitter Broadside Against Catholic Clergy.—Says They Seek Wealth and Power

KEEP MASSES OF PEOPLE IGNORANT

Catholic Episcopate Continues Unyielding in Its Refusal to Accept Government's Regulations.

Mexico City, Aug. 10.—(AP)—The situation arising from the government's religious regulations and their rejection by Catholics today became more tense. President Calles issued his bitterest broadside against the Catholic clergy in a statement to an "American good will mission." He charged the clergy with seeking wealth and political power, causing revolutions and bloodshed and using their pulpits for seditious speeches while keeping the masses of the people ignorant.

The Catholic episcopate continued unyielding in its refusal to accept the government's regulations; there was no move to turn the priests to the churches and the deadlock was apparently absolute, with no prospects of reconciliation.

One of the chief developments is a movement of depression and nervousness in business circles. The economic situation was already bad before the religious regulations went into effect, and to this now has been added the effects of the boycott fostered by the league for the defense of religious liberty.

Silver exchange has slumped, the discount ranging from 3 1-2 to 4 per cent., the highest in several years. Prices of some foodstuffs are advancing and the people fear further rises. Secretary of the Treasury Pani has appointed a committee of experts to study the economic situation and recommend remedial measures.

Government employees have organized a league for defense of the constitution, with the object of conducting an active propaganda campaign in support of the government's religious program.

Only a few worshipers are seen in most of the Catholic churches. The Catholics say they are praying in their homes rather than going to the churches.

No Report Expected From Ambassador to Mexico.

Paul Smith's, N. B., Aug. 10.—(AP)—President Coolidge does not understand that Ambassador Sheffield, the American representative in Mexico, will have any direct reports to make upon his return to this country this summer beyond the one he has already made, or would make, in the ordinary discharge of his duties.

With Our Advertisers.

Big specials for this week in tires and tubes at Yorke & Wadsworth Co.'s. All fresh stock—no seconds. Prices are for cash only. See ad. today.

The G. C. Heglar property, in No. 11 township, will be sold at public auction on Thursday, August 12, at 10 o'clock a. m. This farm contains 605 acres sub-divided into small farms. This is one of Cabarrus county's best farms. Each tract will be sold to the highest bidder. See big ad. in this paper for further particulars.

The lumber and the prices at E. L. Morrison Lumber Co., are always right.

See the new ad. today of W. J. Hethcox, the electrician.

See the new Whippet on display at the sales room of the Corl Motor Co.

Every woman who calls at the pattern department of the Parks-Belk Co. will receive free a special copy of the Fashion Book of the Pictorial Review. None given to children. See ad.

Agrees With Clemenceau's Message Concerning Debts.

Baltimore, Aug. 9.—Richard H. Edmonds, editor of the Manufacturers Record, in a cablegram to Georges Clemenceau today told France's wartime premier that "millions of Americans agree with every word of your letter to President Coolidge."

"Millions of Americans deeply regret," he said, "that for its own honors this country has not cancelled the alleged indebtedness of France and other allies for the money it advanced with which to carry on a war for world civilization and our national safety.

"So long as we seek to collect these debts we are not following the Golden Rule but are violating every principle of humanity and Christianity. Millions of Americans take heart in the belief that your appeal will stir to the deepest depths that sense of honor and responsibility to the world which commands us to realize that unto whom much has been given, of him shall much be required."

Infantile Paralysis at a Standstill.

Tribune Bureau
Sir Walter Hotel

Raleigh, Aug. 10.—Infantile paralysis in the state seems to be about at a standstill, as no new cases have been reported to the State board of health for the past three days, and the total number of cases reported for the week ending August 6th was only eleven. All the cases are widely scattered, and for the most part are mild in character.

Mountain Moonshine Disappears; Ousted by City Bootlegger In Auto

By HENRY LESESNE
International News Service Staff Correspondent

Asheville, Aug. 10.—Another picturesque figure is passing from the American scene.

Exit: Mr. Mountain Moonshiner.

Enter: Good roads and automobiles.

It's not the Eighteenth amendment that has wrought the change in the mountains of North Carolina, dry officers admit; it's the march of progress.

The dry agents admit it's not the mountain moonshiner that's giving them the trouble; it's the town bootlegger with his high-powered motor car, they say.

For the heritage of the hillsman—the eternal right of the mountaineer, as handed down from father to son for time immemorial—has been overcome, and the mountain folk are learning a new trade, or leaving their mountain hovel.

Some of them are turning to the soil for a livelihood, it is declared, forsaking the cap and worm in the hidden hollow.

Cheap whiskey concocted by city bootleggers is underselling the "mountain dew," and the hillsman can't compete any longer with his more "efficient" brother, according to the dry agents.

The blockader of the Carolina hills—in fiction what the colonel and his "race hoss" is to Kentucky—took an artist's pride in making pure whiskey, and this, it is explained is why the mountaineer can't meet the new competition.

PRICE REDUCTIONS ON FRIGIDAIRES DRASTIC

The Cut in Prices Range From $20 to $60 Each.

Dayton, Ohio, Aug. 10—Drastic price reductions effective immediately on all lines of Frigidaire were announced today. The cut in price ranges from $20 to $90. Increased demand for Frigidaire, followed by increased production, is assigned as the reason by E. G. Biechler, president and general manager of Frigidaire.

"Through anticipated production increases we expect to materially lower our production costs," said Mr. Biechler commenting on the announcement. "We have sold more than 200,000 Frigidaires to date—a larger number than has been sold by all other makers of electric refrigerators combined. We feel that the public will demand Frigidaire in ever increasing quantities and now it is time to pass on the savings that will be accomplished."

Frigidaire recently announced a $20,000,000 factory expansion program which will give it an output of 600,000 refrigerator units next year. This new General Motors plant will be completed within a short time and will be in production early in 1927.

The price cut affects Frigidaire metal cabinet models, residential and commercial installations and also cooling units designed for use in the standard makes of ice boxes.

"Retail sales for the first seven months of 1926 indicate that we will pass far beyond the $80,000,000 market set as our goal for this year," Mr. Biechler said. "We have every reason to believe that cold weather sales will run many times higher than last year, for the public is just beginning to realize that it is summer in the kitchen the whole year round and that adequate refrigeration is needed every day in the year."

"During the past twenty years the expectancy of life of the average American has been prolonged ten years. This has been done through dissemination of knowledge of sanitation and health safeguards, plus the fine work done by the government in supervising the preservation of foods in transit. Better refrigeration in the home is the next logical step."

Rapid strides are being made by Frigidaire in the commercial refrigeration field. Sales to grocers, restaurateurs, meat dealers, druggists and florists have more than doubled in the past year. The tremendous increase in this field is altogether due to the great economies and added convenience afforded by electric regrigeration, Mr. Biechler stated.

THE COTTON MARKET

Renewal of Yesterday's Selling Movement.—Market Later Rallied.

New York, Aug. 10.—(AP)—There was a renewal of yesterday's selling movement in the cotton market at the opening today. Liverpool was lower than due under further selling inspired by yesterday's government crop report and local selling was encouraged by a favorable view of the weather map and expectations of a favorable weekly review from the weather bureau. The opening was easy at a decline of 10 to 15 points or all but 6 or 7 points of yesterday's late rally, were lost during the first few minutes with October selling off to 16.55 and January to 16.54. Considerable trade pricing was reported at the decline, however, while also there was more or less covering on reiterated reports that high temperatures were causing the crop to shed in the Southwest and the market showed rallies of four or five points from the lowest at the end of the first half hour.

Cotton futures opened easy: October 16.60; December 16.52; January 16.55; May 16.78; May 16.98.

"QUEEN OF THE BIG BOWL"

This is to Be Title Some North Carolina Girl Will Win at Charlotte August 23rd.

Charlotte, Aug. 10.—(AP)—"Queen of the Big Bowl" is to be the title conferred on some North Carolina girl when she is crowned on August 23rd, just prior to the world's sprint race classic at the Charlotte speedway. With the close of the contest to name the "queen" drawing near, interest has been accentuated on four candidates representing Burlington, Marion, Greensboro and Lincolnton.

The winner of the contest will be awarded an engraved loving cup, $250 in cash, transportation to and from Charlotte where she will act as sponsor for the Charlotte speedway. In addition she will be crowned queen and will preside over the big bowl ball on the night of August 23rd.

A $5,000,000 auditorium is being planned for St. Louis, to contain one large convention hall and a smaller entertainment hall.

MISQUOTED, SAYS DR. M'PHAUL

Health Chief Denies he Told Dr. Alexander Small Dairymen Should Be Put Out of Business.

Charlotte Observer.

Denying statements attributed to him Saturday by Dr. H. Q. Alexander that the "small dairyman should be put out of business," Dr. W. A. McPhaul, city-county health officer yesterday declared that it was the policy of the health department to "encourage as much as possible the small dealer."

"I had only two conversations with Dr. Alexander," Dr. McPhaul said, "and at that time I positively made no such statements.

"What I did say was that the small dairyman was not equipped to produce safe milk, and that if he would not try to improve, he ought not to be allowed to sell."

The charges against the health department were made Saturday at a meeting of dairymen from surrounding counties.

Charged Discrimination.

In the course of his speech Dr. Alexander declared that the city health authorities had a tendency to cater to the larger dealer and discriminate against the small producer.

"Dr. McPhaul admitted," Dr. Alexander is quoted as saying, "that the small dealer ought to be put out of business for the reason that it is much easier to regulate large concerns."

It is harder to regulate small milk producers who have one or two cows in summer and sell no milk in winter, said Dr. McPhaul yesterday.

"I did not say they should be put out of business unless they would not improve their plans. What the city health department is interested in is giving Charlotte pure milk. When dealers do not comply with health regulations, then I believe the citizens will agree with me that something should be done to halt them.

He Tells Why.

"For instance, we know of one or two of the small dealers who have been seen to take bottles from one porch, fill those bottles at the wagon in the street, and then deliver them to the next house.

"When such practices go on, then it is the health department's business to take a hand.

"As for throttling the small dealers, that is not our wish. I wish we could double the milk consumption in Charlotte. But we would not want it to be doubled at the cost of health, and we would not desire that impure milk be pushed off on the public.

"More, better and safer milk is our aim," said Dr. McPhaul.

HICKORY TEAM DEFEATS THE TOWEL MAKERS

Score 2 to 0.—Hodge Was the Star of the Day.

Kannapolis, Aug. 9.—Moose, former ace of the Lenoir-Rhyne College nine was in rare form today and let the Towel Makers down with four hits, Hickory taking the long end of a 2 to 0 score in the first game of the series.

Hodge was the scintillating star of the day, both on defense and offense. He handled six hard chances in great style. He pushed over the only earned run of the game in the first inning when he doubled with a man on base.

The second run came in the fourth frame. Hodge was walked and later crossed the plate on an error.

Otis Cashion played a great game for the Towel Makers, handling all balls coming his way without a bobble.

Sherrill pitched what should have been winning ball, but the inability of his teammates to touch the offerings of Moose caused him to lose the hard fought affair.

The two nines play the second game of the series today. The strong Mount Holly team will be taken on the latter part of the week.

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Moose and Smith; Sherrilland McLean.

Threw Rocks at Autos That Refused Him Rides.

(By International News Service)

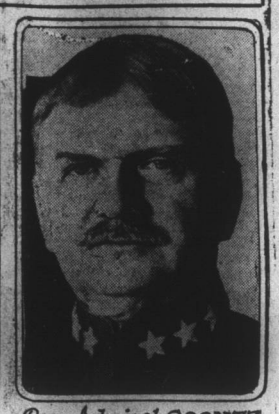
Malven, Ark., Aug. 10.—Jack Reynolds, 20, is in jail here charged with throwing rocks into autos that refused him rides on the highway last week.

He has been held to the grand jury on a charge of assault to kill brought against him by two motorists, E. B. Stockermer and Edwood McCray, who have identified him as the youth who threw rocks into their cars and struck them when they refused him rides.

Both autoists compained to the sheriff and the arrest of Reynolds followed on the highway near where the alleged throwing occurred.

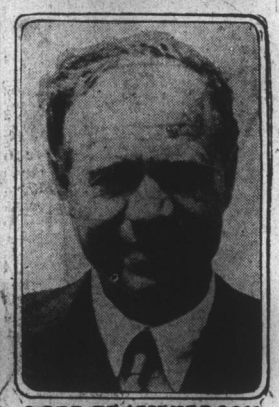
Figures in the World's News

MAURICE MOUVET



Rear Admiral COONTZ

MRS. ROBERT WALLER



LORD BEAVERBROOK

Maurice Mouvet, famous dancer, quit to become a farmer in Switzerland. Rear Admiral Coontz recomemnded the concentration of munitions in a depot on each coast, as a result of the Lake Denmark disaster. Mrs. Robert Waller was said to have told New Jersey officials she could corroborate the testimony of Jane Gibson, the "pig woman" in the Hall-Mills murder. Lord Beaverbrook, noted British publisher, arrived for a tour of America.

SHORTAGE OF CARS FOR PEACH SHIPPERS

It Is Said That This Has Caused a Loss of Thousands of Dollars.

Tribune Bureau
Sir Walter Hotel

Raleigh, Aug. 10.—Has a mutual agreement between two friendly and co-operating railroads to eliminate competition by a third railroad in handling the bulk of the North Carolina peach crop been the cause of a loss of thousands of dollars to the sandhills fruit shippers. These shippers are inclined to think so and many say so emphatically, as many carloads of peaches have had to be dumped or buried owing to the inability of shippers to get cars as ordered. Finally, with a shortage of 85 cars last Friday, complaint was made to the Corporation Commission. Saturday, for the first time in almost a week, there were enough cars, and the Norfolk and Southern has promised that for now on there will be enough.

The growers complain, however, that the Norfolk and Southern had an agreement with the Southern to get all its refrigerator cars from the Southern from Spencer, and to route all shipments over the Southern, instead of also making use of the Seaboard facilities, and that when a shortage of cars occurred at Spencer, they failed to deliver the cars, when they might have made up the deficiency by calling on the Seaboard at Hamlet.

COMMANDER MISSING

United States Coast Guard Cutter Reports So That Search May Be Made for Skipper.

Jacksonville, Aug. 10.—(AP)—With her commander missing and her crew giving startling accounts of the capture of an alleged rum running schooner thought to have been the Hazel E. Herman, reported earlier as the Hazel Lee, the United States coast guardcutter 202 docked this morning at the foot of Main Street and immediately reported to authorities here in order that searches might be instituted for the skipper.

Boatswain T. L. Cokely, commander of the ship, went up in a government airplane piloted by Captain George Gay yesterday off Fernandina. Members of the crew claimed that Commander Cockely declared that he would return in a short while. The plane headed in a northerly direction and has not been heard from since. Crew members believe the machine developed engine trouble and was forced down off the coast.

Memorial Service For Rev. G. P. Bostic.

Shelby, Aug. 9.—A large crowd was present at the First Baptist Church when memorial services were held for Rev. G. P. Bostic, missionary who died of typhus fever in China June 21st. Appropriate hymns that Mr. Bostic loved were rendered while J. H. Quinn and Rev. Zeno Wall delivered short but timelk talks on his life. Dr. Wall said in his closing remarks: "Brother 'Pleas' Bostic was the first missionary I ever saw, and was, as I recall now, the first missionary to go out from Rutherford county and this immediate section. We are therefore justly proud of him, and rejoice that God permitted him to live so long in China, and to do such wonderful work for 'those who sit in darkness and in the shadow of death'."

LARGE COTTON CROP IS NOW EXPECTED

Indications Are For More Than a Million Bales in North Carolina.

Tribune Bureau
Sir Walter Hotel

Raleigh, Aug. 10.—Within less than a month and a half the cry of ruination has changed to the evidence of another large cotton corp, according to the careful judgment of more than a thousand farmers in North Carolina, based on August 1st conditions. With a condition of 70 per cent., the indications are for more than a million bales of cotton in North Carolina this year. The official estimate was for a 11 per cent. increase in acreage and 244 pounds per acre prospective yield.

The prediction of the crop reporting service of the department of agriculture during the drought conditions of middle June "that a late and dry spring usually resulted in a good cotton crop" is now becoming evidently true. While the stand is undoubtedly irregular, averaging approximately four-fifths of a perfect stand, and the development of the plants from two to four weeks late, July resulted in the plants putting on an abundance of squares. It was blooming bountifully when the rainy period in late July began. Since that time, the plants have done more growing than fruiting. In the main, the cultivation has been good and the plants have been able to utilize a maximum of the artificial plant food supplied them in the form of fertilizer.

There was the smallest number of bolls considered safe on August 1st that had been evident for many years. It was estimated that the first grown boll would be made on an average date of August 9th, while the first boll would open about September 1st. This is appreciably later than previous years have shown. The best stands and the development of the plants are to be found in the northeastern areas of the state, while the poorest conditions exist along the South Carolina border, extending up into Cumberland county. Stands here are very poor and the development of the plants weak and small. Fruiting appeared to be heavy. The rains in late July aided this section to a tremendous degree.

Johnston county usually has one of the best crop conditions in the state, and the crop from Wake northward is very poor. The controlling factor in the state's production this year will probably be the weather as the boll weevil does not appear now to offer sufficient signs of damage to be alarming. The effects of the cotton hopper or flea is very limited and will probably not menace appreciable areas of the state. Continued rains will deacrease the production, while dry weather for a limited time will result in a crop of a million bales.

Cashion of Salisbury is Sold to Durham.

Salisbury, Aug. 9.—The sale of Otis Cashion, former left fielder for the Colonials, to the Durham club was announced here today. Cashion has been on the suspended list for sometime, while trying to get back into condition for play. He had not reported to Durham late today, although he was under orders to do so, claiming that he was not yet in shape to play. The sale price was not divulged.

PRIMARIES TODAY IN VARIOUS STATES OF MUCH INTEREST

The Voters of Four States Are Expressing Their Preferences for Candidates in Elections Today.

ROAD BUILDING ALABAMA ISSUE

Five Candidates For Senator and Four for Governor in That State.—Situation in Other States.

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 10.—(AP)—Electors of four states, Alabama, Ohio, Arkansas and Nebraska, express their preference for candidates in today's primary elections.

Alabama democrats choose between five candidates who seek nomination to the seat of Oscar W. Underwood, on March 4, 1927. Four candidates seek the gubernatorial nomination.

Two of the Senatorial aspirants, L. Musgrove, of Jasper, and Hugo L. Beck, of Birmingham, were endorsed by the Ku Klux Klan, the national organization backed Musgrove, while the Alabama Klan favored Beck.

Other candidates are J. H. Bankhead, of Jasper, Thos. E. Kilby, of Anniston and James J. Mayfield, of Montgomery.

Each of the four gubernatorial candidates made road building an issue, each campaigning for a different plan, thus making the primary an indirect referendum on the question. Chas. A. McDowell, Jr., Lieut.-Governor; A. H. Carmichael, Bibb Graves and A. G. Patterson are the condidates. Congressmen from ten districts will be nominated along with county officers.

The most spirited campaign in 12 years was waged, and fully 225,000 voters were expected to go to the polls.

Ohio voters were faced with a preponderance of candidates. Eighty-seven republicans and democrats seek state office nominations. Interest was centered in the republican race for Governor, and the democratic contest for U. S. Senator, the leading candidates for the later being Supreme Court Justice Florence E. Allen, and Atlee Pomerene, for twelve years a senator from Ohio, until defeated by Senator S. D. Fess.

A woman and a negro are among the twelve republican gubernatorial candidates, which included Thad Brown, present secretary of state, and Myers Y. Cooper, Cincinnati real estate man.

U. S. Senator Frank B. Willis is opposed by seven republicans, one being former senator Charles Dick, of Akron. Willis' nomination was regarded as certain by republican leaders.

Governor A. V. Donahey, generally was conceded victory over three aspirants for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination.

Seventeen men, twelve republicans and five democrats, aspired to be Lieutenant Governor. Large fields likewise seek nomination to other state offices. Nominees for Congress, the legislature and county offices also were being voted on. A constitutional amendment which would permit benefitted property to be assessed for improvements attracted little attention.

Political workers said today that interest in the primary has been sluggist and predicted a light vote. Issues werefew and of no great consequence, they said.

Chief interest in the Arkansas primary centered in the gubernatorial nomination. Gov. Tom J. Terral is opposed by John E. Martineau, judge of Pulaski chancery court. They waged a bitter campaign, the Governor charging that Judge Martineau drank to excess, while the judge accused the Governor of abusing his power in issuing secret paroles to convicts.

Gov. Peay Ahead in Tennessee.

Nashville, Tenn., Aug. 10.—(AP)—Complete and official returns from 89 of the 95 counties of the state in the Democratic gubernatorial primary of August 5th give Governor Austin Peay a lead of 7,856 votes over his leading opponent, Hill McAllister, state treasurer. The vote stood as follows: Peay 91,592; McAllister 83,736.

The counties not heard from were in east and middle Tennessee. Dr. John R. Neal, who polled an extremely light vote, was third in the race.

A LIKELY WEEK IS AHEAD IN POLITICS

Primaries Are to Be Held Today in Four States.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 10.—Monday ushered in another lively week in the arena of politics. Primaries are to be held Tuesday in four states—Ohio, Alabama, Arkansas and Nebreaks. In the first three candidates for United States senator are to be named. In all four states the primaries will covery many offices, but it is in the senatorial primaries, boviously, that national interest lies.

Major interest in the Ohio primaries centers around contests for the Democratic nomination for United States senator and the Republican nomination for governor with an interesting contest also for the Republican nomination for the Senate. Prohibition is directly involved in the political battle and the interest is white hot.

Senator Frank B. Willis, whose term will expire next March, is opposed for renomination by seven candidates, two of them drys and farmers like himself. The showing made by Senator Willis is expected to indicate the strength of the friends of prohibition in the Buckeye state. Charles Dick, of Akron, who succeeded to Mark Hana's seat in 1903, is regarded as Senator Willis' chief op-

The outstanding feature of the Democratic senatorial contest is the candidacy of Florence E. Allen, of Cleveland, judge of the Ohio supreme court and first woman in Ohio to seek partisan nomination for this office. Judge Allen is opposed by Atlee Pomerene, of Cleveland, former senator, and Charles E. Wharton, a radical farm leader of Kenton. Close political observers here pick Pomerene to win the nomination.

A. Vic Donahey, who is seeking a third term as governor, has been mentioned as a possible contender for the Democratic presidential nomination in 1928, and the outcome of the primary is expected to have important bearing on him as a presidential candidates. Twelve Republicans have filed for the nomination for governor.

No national issues are involved in the primary in Alabama, where the voting will be confined to the Democrats. A successor will be chosen for the seat in the United States Senate now filled by Oscar W. Underwood, who has declined to stand for another term. Representatives in Congress will be nominated, together with candidates for governor and other State offices. Spirited contests are on for several of the places to be filled. The Democratic nominations are regarded as equivalent to election.

Charles W. Bryan's return to politics as the Democratic candidate for governor and determined opposition to two of the Republican members of the house of representatives feature the Nebraska primary campaign. Governor Adam McMullen, serving his first term, is expected to be renominated on the Republican ticket. Representatives Willis G. Sears, of the second district, and Melvin O. McLaughlin, of the fourth district, are the only members of the congressional delegation facing serious opposition.

The hottest campaign ever waged in Arkansas comes to a close tomorrow, when voters go to the polls to nominate candidates for governor, two members of the supreme court, treasurer, highway commissioner, commissioner of agriculture and superintendent of education. A secretary of state, auditor and state treasurer also are to be nominated, but these candidates are unopposed for a second term. Senator Caraway likewise is assured of renomination.

The race for governor, in which the incumbent, Tom J. Teral, is opposed for a second term by Chancellor John E. Martineau, of Little Rock, has seen more "muck-raking" than has prevailed in Arkansas politics in many years. The governor has accused Martineau of rendering decisions favorable to big corporations, while the Martineau followers have charged the governor with incompetence and extravagance.

Bishop Tobasco

Bishop Tobasco is one of the Catholic Church's leaders in the conflict with the Mexican Government.

(International Newsreel.)

SESSION OF THE STATE FEDERATION OF LABOR

Problems of All Kinds Relating to Various Industries Discussed.

Salisbury, Aug. 10.—(AP)—The State Federation of Labor in session here, went into business session this morning, problems of all kinds which relate to the various industries represented being in order for discussion during the day.

The morning and afternoon sessions will be given over purely to business with a ride over the city and a visit to the Carolina Rubber Co., plant, and to the Spencer shops as features. A banquet will be given tonight.

Tomorrow the convention will elect officers for the coming year and select the place of the next meeting.

...TTING TO REACH THE FIVE MINERS ENTRAPPED IN MINE

Whether Life Remains in Any of the Five Men Is Expected to Be Determined by Sundown.

SHAFT SUNK TO TAP TUNNEL

Efforts to Communicate With the Trapped Men on Air Lines Have Failed.—Troops on Duty.

Salem, Ky., Aug. 10.—(AP)—Whether life remains in any of the five men trapped Thursday by a cave-in of the Hudson mine is expected to be determined by sundown today.

Two groups of workers are laboring to reach the entombed men. One group is using a group to remove water and clear a path through the old shaft into the lateral tunnel. The other group is resorting to the method used at Sand Cave, Ky., to reach Floyd Collins. A shaft is being sunk to tap the tunnel behind the slide. This shaft has reached a depth of sixty feet and it is estimated that the workers must double that distance before breaking through the top.

Efforts to communicate with the trapped men by tapping on air lines have failed, but compressed air is being forced through the line constantly in the hope that the victims are still alive.

National guard troops are on duty to keep hundreds of curious from interfering with the work of rescue crews.

Work has been carried on day and night since a fall of earth and water blocked the mens' exit. Three major operations had been undertaken with numbers of volunteers on hand to relieve the tired rescuers from time to time and an elaborate electric light plant set up to permit work at night.

DIVORCE IS WON FOR MRS. MARY WRENN GARLAND

Less Than Twenty Minutes Occupied by the Testimony.

Barnstable, Mass., Aug. 10.—(AP)—Testimony that Chas. Garland lived openly with Bettini Hovey at "April Farm," Allentown, Pa., and a letter from her husband in which he called law "a wolf in sheep's clothing" won a divorce for Mrs. Mary Wrenn Garland in Barnstable court today. Less than 20 minutes was occupied by testimony before Judge Colleen C. Campbell, granted Mrs. Garland's petition including the custody of the four small children.

She herself took the stand only long enough to recite the facts of her marriage with Garland and the date of the births of her four children, Paul Scott, of Stele, N. J., a teacher who was one of the Garland colony, was the other witness.

It was the indirect testimony of Chas. Garland himself as revealed in a letter he wrote his wife last May from the Allentown jail where he was held while officials probed his relations with Miss Hovey that furinshed the real interest in the short trial.

Dated May 3, 1926, it said in part "all of this has little to do with my feeling toward you personally, and you must not take it as a measure of my affections. My affections would perhaps go more freely if all the laws of our ancestors were cast into the seas with a milestone attached to their neck."

JACK DEMPSEY REFUSED A LICENSE TO FIGHT

Does Not Comply With Rules of the New York Athletic Commission.

New York, Aug. 10.—(AP)—Jack Dempsey today was refused license to fight Jean Tunney for the world's heavyweight championship at Yankee Stadium September 16th.

Col. John W. Phelan, chairman of the license committee, said that Dempsey's application had been deferred pending his compliance with the rules of the New York State Athletic Commission, relative to defense of the championships within six months after winning or defending the title.

The decision came after the committee had been in session nearly two hours and had had the situation presented to them by Dempsey, Jean Tunney and also Harry Wills, the giant negro who has been clamoring for a match with Dempsey. Dempsey, Tunney and the negro all individually appeared before the committee.

Total Resources of Banks Over 25 Billions.

Washington, Aug. 10.—(AP)—Total resources of 7,978 national banks in the United States, Alaska and Hawaii on June 30, the close of the fiscal year aggregated $25,315,624,000, an increase of almost one billion dollars over a year ago, it was reported today by the Comptroller of the Currency.

The City of Mexico maintains a School of Public Health for the technical training of health inspectors, laboratory assistants, sanitary inspectors, food and milk inspectors, and district nurses.

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight, slightly warmer in extreme west portion. Wednesday fair. Moderate south winds.