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PRICE PAVE (

Ruth to Attend Ball Meet Here; Passes Through City

Twenty-One of Burned And Mutilated Bodies Identified by Numbers

Unexplained Gas Explosio Wrecks Mile-Long Chamber of Illinois Mine

COMPANY RESENTS THE COMING OF REPORTERS

Ports Made to Destroy Air-plane in Which Chicago Newspapermen Came

WEST PRANKPORT, Ill., Jan. 9-(P)-Twenty-two miners were killed outright in a gip explosion which wrecked a mile chamber in the Industrial Coal Company's mine num-ber 18, here today. Twenty-one bodies burned and mutilated by the force of the blast were found late today and identified by the numbers on the safety lamps attached to their cloth-

The bodies were located by mine rescue teams working with gas masks and cutting their way through fallen walls more than a mile from the shaft Officials of the mine said tonight that

all employees had been accounted for. Cause of the explosion was undernined and state inspectors were conducting an investigation. The position and condition of the dead indicated that death was caused by the violence of the explosion, although gas was present in the mine when workers

Mine officials refused to discuss the leave the premises. An airplane bring ing reporters and photographers from Chicago landed near the mouth of the mine aroused the fire of se eral of the employees who threatened to demolish the machine, the president of the local miners union, however interceded and the newspapermen succeeded in preventing damage ot their plane.

DOCTOR'S PLEA IS NOT GUILTY

Arraigned in Los Angeles For Sack Murder of Wealthy Chicago Widow

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 9-(A)plea of not guilty was entered by Dr. Chas. McMillian today when he was arraigned on an indictment charging Lim with the sack murder of Mrs. Amelia Appelby, widow of a wea'thy Chicago inventor, Superior Court Judge Hardy set the trial for Janupry 27.

The arraignment required less than three miles when asked by the judge now he pleaded the physician held his head erect and replied:

"I am not guilty." Dr. McMillian was represented in court by J. G. Mayo, 25-year old at

LINDY REACHES PANAMA NATION

Flies From San Jose, Costa Rica to Panama Capital, 310 Miles

PANAMA, Jan. 9-(AP)-Another triumph awaited the good will ambassador from the United States, Col. Charles Lindbergh when he land; d here teday, named in his honor Camp Lindbergh. He came sailing through spage from the direction of Balboa as d settled down to earth at 1:55 14 the afternoon. It had taken him a flitle more than four hours to span the distance between San Jose, Costa

POSTPONE OIL HEARING

WASHINGTON, Jan. 91-(P)-Re- tional Commission.

Admits He Drank Canned Heat Toddy

Canned heat was yesterday addd to the list of known concoctions which one thirsty alcohol bound of the city have been known to drink. A man confessed yesterday that he used the heat to get drunk

"I just pour the alcohol off from parafin', he told Welfare Superintendent R. H. Edwards, "and drink the kicky stuff right down plain. Now I have got so far that I simply can't stop. Have't got to get somebody to help me get back on my feet. And I just came by to ask if you would sorty give me a hand."

Mr. Edwards refused to reveal the name of the unfortunate. "I told him to go to the health department and tell them there that be had been drunk for five years and wanted to get straightened out." Mr. Edwards related.

REVEALS STORY

was related tonight by L. F. Barber decide. of Los Angeles. Weak and almost at the point of collapse, Barber related is story to friends who were authorised to pass it on to eager newspaper men who were not allowed to enter the

more than six feet tall-is so sunk from confinement and hardship and his face so haggard and bearded that his face so haggard and bearded tilat he seemed 15' years older than his OBJECTIONS true age of 35. He told his story in rambling disconnected fashion, contradicting himself at times. He was unable to talk long at a time or give an account of his exploits because of Senate Thinks It Will Abidicate the hardships he underwent.

AMOUNT EXHAUSTED

The fund to send the Landmark to those unable to pay for it has been exhausted and there are heavy denands on the same from a number of widows and old people who say they love to have the Landmark but they are anable to pay for it.

FAVORABLE REPORT ON HAYES NOMINATION

of North Carolina.

ASK REHEARING **FAMOUS CASE**

Supreme Court Requested Gran New Trial in Brown Will

RALEIGH, Jan. 9-A petition for hearing of the Judge George H frown will case has been filed with the State Supreme court by attorneys or Mrs. Brown and referred to Chief lustice W. P. Stacy. Decision on whether or not the case may be reened rests with Justice Stacy.

Mrs. George Crabtree of Goldsboro is sister of the deceased jurist, would share laregly in the estate under the erdict given in the first hearing and pheld by the Supreme Court.

Will of Judge Brown was attacked y relatives in a sensational trial last nmer on the allegation that the istinguished jurist was not mentally pable of making a will. A small ortune was involved and the prominance of the parties to the suit added to the interest in the litigation when it was tried at "Little" Washington. A Superior Court jury ruled with ose who sought to break the will and the case went to the Supreme Court of which Judge Brown was for years a distinguished member.

The Supreme court was divided on the question and voted against a new

As now stands. Justice Stacy will MRS. SNYDER IS either approve or deny the petition for a rehearing. If he denies the pe-tition the matter will be closed but OF ADVENTURER tition the matter will be closed but Escaped From Mexican Bandits

By Making Them Drunk

And Killing 4

The approves it, the famous will cane will either account.

Inc this arout, the Supremy court

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 3-(P)- An nied the case will be dead, but if a ndventure story of an American engineer and his faithful Mexican servant will go back to twelve good men with tetting their bandit kidnapers drunk the certainty of a third round before killed four of them and then escaped the Supreme court however the jury

Petition for the rehearing of the case was endorsed by the following attorneys, at least two of which are required to be disinterested. C. E. Thompson, Elizabeth City; W. R. Aydlett, Elizabeth City; Robert Rou-Barber's one powerful body, he is ark, Raleigh; G. V. Cowper, Kinston and R. P. McLean, Durham

Own Power to Approve Coolidge Plan

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9-(P)-The dministration's plan for an investigation of the S-4 disaster approved Saturday by the House, encountered such determined opposition today in the Senate naval committee that further consideration of it was deferred until Thursday.

While approving the naming by the President of a commission for a study of improved methods for the protec-WASHINGTON, Jan. 9-(A)- A tion of submarines and their crews, favorable report was ordered today leading Democrats on the committee by the Senate Judiciary Committee objected to what they termed the on the nomination of Johnson J. Senate abdicating its own function of Haves of Greensboro to be Federal investigating matters coming under District Judge for the Middle District administration of executive depart-

Wayne County Has Total Debt of \$2,665,155, Said

(Editor's Note: Concerning this article, see leading editorial in this issue.)

The total indebtedness of Wayne whole, Rica and the ciptal of Panama - 310 Letter. The total figure includes bond

case was postponed today until April Her rank in comparison with the 21 because of the illness of Albert debts of other counties is sixty-second. Of indebtedness. Guilford county has cribed as thicker than pea soup swept

Ities which have a higher per capita MARINES HELD gebt than Wayne. The per capita debt is about \$8 under the average per capita debt for the state as a

county and its subdivisions, exclusive The average county in the btate 400 Were Ready to Sail From of townseand cities, is \$2,665,155, ac- has a county-wide debt of \$1,386,022 cording to Paul W. Wager in the cur- and a township and district debt of rent issue of the University News \$501,215. Excluding the debt of towns and floating debt and does not deduct has a debt of \$1,887,237. A study of than 400 men composing four com sinking funds. Mr. Wagner bases his and cities the average county then panies of the Marine regiment, newly figures on the survey completed re- the table reveals that thirty-three organized for duty in Nicaragua, were cently by the North Carolina Educa- countles have a debt in excess of still in port here tonight, their ship this amount. Only twenty-nine coun-

Jacobi Leaves \$1,000 To Odd Fellows Home

WILMINGTON, Jan. 9-(P)-An item of \$1,000 was bequeathed the Odd Fellows Home at Godsboro by Marcus W. Jacobi, wealthy Wilmington hardware dealer who died on January 3, according to the will probated here today.

WALSH TALKS OF ED HICKMAN

Think Adolescent Insanity Caused Very Unnatural Crime of The Youth

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 9-(AP)-A plea that William Edward Hickman, con-fessed Ridnaper and slayer of Marian Parker in Los Angeles, is a victim ot dementis praecox will be offered in the youth's defense, J. K. Walsh, counsel for Hickman indicated here

Walsh said he had been informed by a Los Augeles alieuist that he thought Hickman suffered from adolescent inanity. The attorney indicated the Hickman defense would be conducted along lines similar to that employed to Clarence Darrow in the be Locb case in Chicago.

NYTY YORK, Jun. 9- (/P) - Governer Unith deel and to announce his de lobjects a few feet away had a veg alon today on the application for a indistinctness that was unreal. nyder and Henry Judd Gray . They sentence to die in the electric chair Thursday night for the urder of the woman's husband.

The governor, plainly worried over the condition of his wife, who was oprated on for appendicitis last Saturday, spent most of the day in his suite at the Hotel Biltmore. His concern was apparent, in his

definite refusal to discuss the Sayder to the city, about the time that the Gray case. "I will talk about that when L am good and ready," he said, "But there will be no decision. I don't want to be visibility, chilled Denmark, and he

sked about it again." Meanwhile the warden at Sing Sing prison had changed Mrs. Snyder"s cell and posted extra guards over her following upon the disclosure that her mother Mrs. Josephine Prown had smuggled messages from the prison to be published in a newser as her last message to the pub-

FOURTH DEGREE MAN-SLAUGHTER CHARGE AGAINST BOOTLEGGER

MARINETTE, Wis., Jan. 9-(A)-Among the charges that may be as Frank Gall, of Bever, Wis., was brought against a seller of liquor is that of fourth degree manslaughter,

Gall, the charges against kim recites, sold liquor to Calentine Baronek, who under the influence of the intoxicant, stagged into the of a train December 21 and was kill-

Arraigned yesterday, Gall was reeased on \$1,000 bond.

BY HEAVY FOG

Norfolk For War-Torn

NORFOLK Jeh. 9-(P)- More noon short before 3:30 the for des-There are, in other words, 61 coun- (Continued On Page Three) in from the sea, blanketing the coast.

How Many Homers He'll Get in '28 Failed to Reach High Sunday Afternoon But Came At 6:10 Yesterday Morning To Let New Wayne **Routes January 26**

Book of His Life; Doesn't Know

Bambino Admits He Is Writing

KEN ROYALL, JUNIOR, GETS HOMER POINTERS

Was En Route to Camp Bryan For Three Day's Hunting Trip on Coast

George Herman Ruth, better known as the Babe, the Lindbergh of base-

ball, is old-fashioned in the matter

of underwear. In winter he wears 'em heavy. So the twenty-odd baseball fans of Goldsboro who forsook the warm

holy hour of six o'clock yesterday

Ruth had been expected to arrive

Sunday afternoon or night, but

to Goldsboro for an hour yesterday

he Pullman on which he came from

to give the Habe a rousing welcome but he did not appear and there were numerous exclamations of disappoint

But he came yesterday morning of the Atlantic Coast Line train the

which hung over the city, Such a fe as it was it clung clammily to one au

gien. It rolled to a stop and the Bam-

blue was the first passenger to swing

"Daylight comes mighty late down

Walter Denmark, Secretary of the

ere," he said to The News reporte

Chamber of Commerce had arrive

at the station to give Ruth welcom

The fog that filled the throat, th

eyes, the ears, that shut out clea-

stopped to get a cup of coffee at the

Terminal Hotel cafe. As he drank

the coffee and ate a sanwich, Ruth,

dressed in a dark brown suif, just

from shaving, his coal black hal

neatly parted on the left, came in and

Never thinking that the mighty Bah

would have pulled from out dream

land at such an unholy hour and or

such a morning, Denmark drank his

"Is Ruth on there," he asked some

began to crowd about him.

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one he met in the station.

was a passenger.

orning—an hour while he waited for

hanges in his schedule brought him

norning discovered.

cuddlyness" of their beds at the un-

RALEIGH, Jan. 9- (A) - A ridge across Tar River at Washgton, N. C., 1225 feet long with a, 168 foot steel swing span pro-viding two openings of 60 feet bach through which boats may pash is included in the January 26 let-ting of Highway bids by the State ghway commission.

The proposed bridge will be lo-ated on a common atem of routes 91 and 30 will cost about \$300-

Highway projects for 15 count-

Wayne county 15.9 miles hard urface on route 40 from Genon to Sampson county line toward ewton Grove.

Wayne county 9.22 miles con-ete on route 102 to Greene couny line. Greene county 9.10 miles rom Snow Hill to Wayne cou

the north to be shifted to the New Bern train. Pive hundred fana who had read the story in The News of Sun-day were down at the station Sunday **OVER TARIF**

WASHINGTON Jan. 9- (P) - Ineal airing today and indulged in an publican, South Dakota, declaring or a general reduction of impor-shedules. The move of the South akota, Republicans stirred Senator moot Republican of Utah, wh hen quoted President Coolidge in deling the high rates of the pre et against the attacks from fare ne Republicans and the fibes of the emocrats, who listened with joy to

A vote on the McMaster resolution nualy went over until tomorrow as nator Smoot and McMaster bec ntangled in a lengthy argu owing from an accusation by the outh Dakotan that Senator Smoo was interested in high tariff becaus be owned sugar factories.

New Teapot Dome offee and hurried toward the train, aiming to find out positively if Babe

Probe Is Provide

"Why, that was him that was sit-WASHINGTON, Jan. 9-(AP)-IAn her enquiry into the Teapot Dome ting by you there in the cafe," was the Naval Oil reserve lease was ordered today by the senate in approving the resolution of Senator Norris, Republican, Nebsaska, directing the public By this time the Bambino was spot ted for fair, and a little knot of pac extinct Continental Trading company of Canada which figured in the rease

St. Paul Would Build New Parsonage and S. S. Annex

At a conference held at St. Paul | constructed at some point in the city dethodist church on Sunday morning at an early date. the following was - read and unantjously adopted by the members pre-

The building committee appointed by the quarterly conference begs leave o report the following:

That the tentative plans have been drafted, that they think will suit for the erection of a Sunday school building, and are here for observation and

That the building be located preterably on lots of Mr. B. G. Thompson, which are situated back of the

That a committee of three be named by the body to select a finance com-

sittee, who shall finance these two to be the right parties were I That the Sunday school building is estimated to cost fifty or sixty thousnd, and the parsonage eight or ten

thousands. J. T. Jerome, A. T. Griffin, Miss Hattie Dewey, J. L. Borden, J. D. Pike, T. B. Dameron, Clarence Crone Sec. and Treas.

The chairman of the Board of Stewards, the chairman of the Building was taken. nittee and Rev. J. M. Daniel, pastor of the church, were appointed to name a finance committee to work ning down clues but no as cut plans for financing the project.

INVITATION ACCEPTED BY RUTH AND STEVEN

Expected to Autograph For Player Geta First In New Longue

Babe Ruth, the Lindbergh of the vill be present at a basel neeting to be held at the D Building Thursday evening clock barring a change in

Ruth, in passing through a paterthy morning, told Waltstark, Secretary of the Chan commerce, that he would be
to, attend a meeting here. Thus
evening on his year back is here. I
provided it met with the approve
Frank ht. Spensor, New York Sp
man, whose guant Ruth is on a si
ing trip at Camp Bryon, below

Later in the day, Mr. Despuert, in touch with Mr. Spensor in Bern and won assurance from latter that the party would a

he trophy to go to the lout amasher in the new me to the city on the ale

ng would be the boys of Odd ? omes of this sort.

Mr. Stevens, Ruth and other bers of the hunting party wi through from New Born to Go leaving the Craven capitol about 512.
As an escort of honor a delegation will be sent from Goldsboro to New Bern to accompany the party to the city. The delegation will in representative of the Retary, as erce, the Community Bullet

BANK ROBBER

Young Men Who Were A Hold-Up Are Freed

Maness of Montgomery and Roy son, Lexington youth, arrested Saturday as suspects in the laborate bank robbery but later declar today under heavy bonds.

BENNETT, Jan. 9-447 cated that he believed that he had I formation that would lead to the rest of three men who p Saturday when about \$4,600

Sheriff Blair and his de out until 3 o'clock this a