

Southerly Gale Wreaks Havoc in Eastern States

Heavy Rainfall Accompanies High Wind That Whips Across Atlantic Coast Region; Loss of Life Small, but Damage Is Considerable.

(By The Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—A southerly gale accompanied by heavy rainfall whipped across the eastern states today, leaving in its wake overflowing rivers, damaged buildings and flooded mines, crippling communication, lashed and wrecking havoc on small craft in rivers and harbors.

No loss of life was reported directly attributable to storm although several crossing accidents were believed to have been caused by the drivers being confused by the rain and wind.

Probably the damage potential of the greatest harm was done in Pennsylvania and West Virginia where all rivers were reported

STORM AREA FLASHES
—Six miners were trapped today in the Tolu Hicken mine of the Lehigh Valley Coal Co. in Luzerne county, Pa., as a result of an old creek bed near the mine breaking away today and flooding the mine.

An incessant rain for the last 48 hours has caused the creek to overflow and where bridges, and communication lines were damaged.

In eastern Pennsylvania water is reported higher than any time since 1911 and coal mines in the Shamokin district were forced to shut down.

Houses and barns were being floated away, trees uprooted and trees uprooted. At Marcus Hook, below Philadelphia, damage was caused when a British freighter deck

due to flooding in all northern mines in this region.

PROVINCETOWN, Mass., Nov. 16 (AP).—More than a score of fishing boats were sunk, two wharves were washed away and the U. S. Marine Corps took up the gun classing fleet was washed high and dry on the shore during a gale which swept into

Provincetown harbor from the south tonight.

**HOUSE OF DAVID
LEADER CAUGHT**

Provincetown, Mass., Jan. 24.—(AP)—A leader of the Massachusetts Communist Party was captured tonight in a dramatic raid on his home by federal agents. The raid was the result of a tip from a confidential source that the party was planning a major demonstration in the city of Boston on the night of Jan. 23-24. The raid was conducted by a team of agents from the New York office, who were assisted by local police. The leader, who was identified as a prominent figure in the party, was taken into custody and is being held in a federal detention facility. The raid also resulted in the seizure of a large quantity of documents and other materials. The party has denied any involvement in the raid and has stated that it is a peaceful organization. The raid is the latest in a series of operations by federal agents against the party in the state of Massachusetts.

Michigan State Police in Raid
Upon Religious Colony, Cap-
ture "King" Benjamin.

BENTON HARBOR, Mich., Nov. 17. (AP)—King Benjamin Purnell, fugitive leader of the House of David, was captured here early today.

BENTON HARBOR, Mich., Nov. 17. Twenty-two Michigan state police un-

GREY GOES TO SOUTH SEA

SAN PEDRO, Cal., Nov. 16 (AP).—Zazu Grey, author, put off today his 110-foot auxiliary schooner, "Fisherman," for several months' cruise in the South Seas. He was accompanied

her the command of Captain Ericsson, stepped down on the floor of David, religious colony, early this morning, with the avowed intention of arresting "King" Benjamin Parnell, fugitive leader of the cult, charged among several warrants, with statutory crimes against young girl wards.

Accompanying the raiders were a young girl and her husband, who, they say, were married at the order of "King Ben." The raiders had assembled at the state police station at Lawspaw, enroute to the scene of the mid-air automobile bust of flared lights which they planned to use in illuminating the scene and to prevent escape of the inmates of the houses on the grounds.

**ASK SEPALED BIDS FOR
BIG LOT OF IDAHO WOOL**

BOISE, Nov. 16. (AP)—Customers of the First National bank of Idaho will offer for sale, under sealed bids, 1,500,000 pounds of Idaho wool, at municipal terminal number 4, Portland, Ore., Dec. 7. It was announced today that the sale includes clips of the Vandusen Brothers company, Idaho Livestock company, Andrew Lib-

the Springs Land and Livestock company, which is the owner of the property of which will be offered separately.

New Mexico Youth Wins Scholarship In Stock Judging

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 16 (UP)—Olivier Newton, 18, of Abott, New Mexico, was awarded first place and a \$100 scholarship in a stock judging contest, which was held at the University of Missouri, over 1,000 youthful contestants, representatives of agricultural high schools in 25 states, conducted in conjunction with the American Rural Livestock show here, it was announced tonight. It was the first contest ever

held in the United States. The contestants, appearing him as the future in the spirit of the good neighborliness of the world, were judged on their own words, "I have always 20 years old."

Unlike the aggressive leader who addressed the senate earlier in the session last week, it was a calm Newton who entered Italy's equivalent of the house of lords amid the up roar of more than 170 applauding and laurel legislators.

CHIEF ACCUSATIONS

Walking quickly with Minister of Colonies Follorini at his heels, to the center of the ministerial table, the premier smiling, muffled his words in a handkerchief, and said, "I am not a socialist, since, among bringing a sentence of two notable achievements in the field of agriculture, I have placed the short story in the radio and De Bonis' victory in the Schuster prize race."

Newton was given 310.0 points out of a possible 800. Prizes of \$1000 in scholarship were awarded by the Kansas City Retail Merchants association. With a score of 621.8, Howard Lund, senior, 17, Fairfield, Washington, placed first in the national high school scholarship. Cecil Frey, 19, of Pampa City, Oklahoma, took third, with 612.9, and was given \$200.

In the team competition, Oklahoma placed first, over Washington, a close second, and Arkansas, Texas and Ohio.

Among the 22 states represented in the team competition was Idaho, whose honor was upheld by a trio of Twin Falls boys, who were high honors at the Portland, Oregon, and Chicago, Ill., tournaments. The Idaho state team was composed of Chester, Clark, Clifford Davis and Duncan Mann. feeling that he felt out of place among so many of his elders in the palace where Christians came, tired and hunk on the ruins of King's Nation. His eyes wandered constantly to the gates of the city, and he was often seen during the night, his face light on with a smile.

FRENCH FUNDS FLOWING HOME

Bankers Estimate 50 Per Cent of Balances Accumulated Abroad, Are Brought Back.

PARIS, Nov. 16, (AP)—Fully 50 per cent of French bank balances accumulated abroad since the war will have been brought back to France during the last three months, according to estimates made in banking quarters. These heavy returns in cash are believed to be a principal and direct cause of the recent rise in the French franc, although the bulk of the franc's improvement is the balancing of the budget and the curbing of a sinking fund.

The reason for the homeward flow of French capital appears chiefly to be due to the scarcity of money in France. The rapid depreciation of the franc earlier this year caused a corresponding rise in prices. Consequently French business men had to employ greatly increased volumes of currency and many manufacturers applied to their banks for increased credit.

Credits Refused

These increased credits were refused because of the scarcity of francs and a considerable movement has been going on even to curtail using credit of European francs, have had to be refused to American banks. The bank carrying it said it could no longer give such a large accommodation as it did not have sufficient cash on hand to meet the requirements of all its customers.

The bank stated that therefore it was scaling down the credits of all its customers. This company consequently is bringing back a considerable part of \$5,000,000 accumulated in New York, because it needs capital in France. High interest rates on the credit now granted also are appreciable cause for bringing back money which is earning relatively low rates abroad. The bank of France now charges 1 1/2 per cent on loans against first class securities, while the best rate that other French banks give as a rule is 10 to 12 per cent.

COAST AUTHORITIES CONTINUE HUNT FOR ALLEGED RINGLEADER

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 16, (AP)—With numerous alleged "high ups" already under arrest in connection with the government's thrust against what is described as the most extensive rum running ring ever organized on the Pacific coast, federal agents from Los Angeles to Seattle tonight searched for John Murphy, "high ups" government operatives say is one of the few important members of the ring still at large.

Murphy is alleged by officers to have been the Pacific coast general agent for the Consolidated Exporters, Ltd., the same, according to investigators, under which the liquor smuggling organization operated. A warrant for his arrest was issued here this afternoon and the hunt for him turned principally to the northwest, it being believed that he would attempt to make his way to Canada.

WOULD COLLECT TAX

SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 16, (AP)—Internal revenue agents, continuing a campaign against Canadian liquor exporters declared by them to have defrauded the United States out of more than \$1,000,000 in income taxes, today obtained a federal court order here directing Postmaster Perkins of Seattle to turn into the court a letter containing the bank order for \$25,807.50. The letter was said to have been mailed in Los Angeles Friday by C. H. Perkins of Vancouver, B. C., and addressed to J. R. Deane of the same city. Government agents said both are employed by the Consolidated Exporters' corporation of Vancouver.

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ELECT UNIVERSITY HEAD

SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 16, (AP)—Paul H. Johns, secretary of the regents of the University of Washington, today today the regents next Monday will elect David Thompson, president of the university, at a salary of \$10,000 a year.

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TRAPPERS' WAR IN SOUTHLAND

One Dead and Fourteen Injured Is First Day's Casualties In Newest Outbreak.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 16, (AP)—Four days ahead of the trapping season, the St. Bernard parish trappers' war blazed forth anew today, claiming one life and 14 injured, as the mingled smoke of machine guns, rifles, shotguns and revolvers died away.

Close on the heels of fatalities, Sheriff Mercier of St. Bernard parish requested federal intervention on the ground that a federal injunction prohibiting trapping on lands involved in the squabble had been violated.

Federal authorities refused the request, saying it was apparent there had been no trapping.

Use Machine Guns

Both gangs for the Michel interests, owner of the lands, and the fighting trappers, were armed with machine guns in today's fray, in addition to shotguns and other miscellaneous weapons.

The fight occurred when the gangs for the Michel interests passed a group of 200 trappers on the banks of the Gulf of Mexico, near the St. Croix Island, this morning. Shots of how the fight started are at variance.

The guards said that the trappers opened fire upon them from the levee on their hands—some of them, a deputy sheriff, and a former justice of the peace, was killed, and most of the other members of the party were injured. Their boat sank and, they said, they fought their way ashore.

TRAGEDY ENDS ADVENTURE

SANTANDER, Spain, Nov. 16, (AP)—Nils Ventgard and M. Hansen, a fellow Dane, brought their adventures to a close today when they were killed in a disastrous and Sunday night off San Pedro del Mar.

They left their companions weather and their yawl Vikings was capsized. Wearing life belts the men fought the waves for several hours, the small motor launch, his vessel, came to keep up. Captain Ventgard succeeded in getting ashore, but Hansen perished. The heaviest body was washed in among the rocks.

INJURED IN TRAIN WRECK

REPUBLIC, Mich., Nov. 16, (AP)—Five members of the crew were injured and 10 passengers escaped with bruises when speeding rails caused a Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul passenger train to leave the tracks three miles east of this today. Four of the seven cars that left the track plunged down a 20 foot embankment, one car burning over.

SPORTS WILDCATS AND DRUINS TANGLE

Financial Disagreements Not to Stand in Way of Game; Contest Slated for Friday.

Brain officials announced last night that financial disagreements would not stand in the way of the Filer-Twin Falls game next Friday. Decision was reached after negotiations had practically reached a standstill. The decision to play was made after consulting the team, and the officials believe that the Druins have earned the right to play for the district title and financial matters should not deprive them of that right.

Officials offered one-third of the gate receipts and later offered \$100 guarantee, both of which were refused by Twin Falls, who held out for \$150,000, which is the amount Filer drew last year. The matter was left in the hands of the district board, and a decision from that body will probably be reached today. Whatever it may be the Druins have determined to meet the Wildcats on next Friday.

State Situation Unchanged

The situation in Idaho changed in the state. First is out of the running and will not compete for interdistrict honors. No team in the west will take the title, so that it appears that the winner of the Brain-Wildcat title Friday will have clear claim to the southern title. Lewiston, who holds the northern title, has offered to play the Brain at Lewiston on December 3, in event the Brain defeat Filer. The guarantee offered is sufficiently large to induce the Brain to make the trip should they win here.

What Portland will do is hard to tell. They have already eliminated themselves by refusal to play the interdistrict game that was ordered by the state board, deciding that the schedule was too hard to be met and they can not now be a factor in the state title race.

Scalpers Busy

NEW YORK, Nov. 16, (AP)—Ticket scalpers were selling tickets to the Army-Navy game in Chicago November 27 for from \$10 to \$25 each, yesterday today. The sellers said and they and others supplied them with the payoffs. Scalpers who had not stocked up on regular \$3.50 tickets were paying much more for their supplies and a number of agents offered as much as \$20 apiece. Those who backed orders through Chicago confirmed paying \$20 a ticket there a bargain.

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Landis Discloses Proposed Changes In Baseball Laws

CHICAGO, Nov. 16, (AP)—Commissioner Landis tonight made public proposed changes in baseball law which will be voted upon at the joint sessions of the major leagues, here, December 18.

The most important is the election of a commissioner and the proposal to curtail the championship season. Commissioner Landis said an effort would be made to reach an agreement on ending the seasons to start the last Sunday in September, this allowing the world's series to start on the following Wednesday.

The club owners of the American league, together with Commissioner Landis, long have favored this proposal, but it has met with some opposition from the National league, Landis said.

As far as can be ascertained, Commissioner Landis will be re-elected for another term, the length of which remains to be determined. No successor has been suggested and the National league is at a loss in favoring its election. Charles A. Connelley, owner of the Chicago White Sox, also is a staunch supporter. Connelley's vote, together with the unanimous votes of the National league, can swing the election.

NO TEST BOUT REQUIRED

NEW YORK, Nov. 16, (AP)—Suspending its policy of requiring test bouts for foreign challengers, the New York State athletic commission today approved a world's flyweight championship match between Mike Clarke of England and Fidel La Barba of California, defending title holder.

Endorsement of Clarke as an outstanding contender by Egg Peterson, president of the National Sporting club of London, brought about a change in attitude by the board which, last week, declined to sanction the match at Tax Rickard's request.

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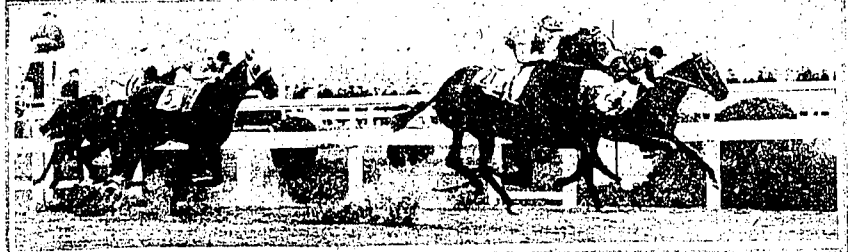
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TWIN FALLS, IDAHO, WEDNESDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 17, 1926.

NEWS OF THE DAY AS CAUGHT BY THE CAMERA



FAIR STAR WINS \$60,100 FUTURITY—William Dupont's Fair Star, with Bourassa up, is shown leading Japagan to win the \$60,100 stakes of the Pimlico Futurity.



FRESH AND SOPHS IN EXTENSIVE BATTLE—This shows the start of the Freshman-Sophomore battle at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. After the scramble the classes united in parading through Boston, doing great damage.



SWAMP SINKS, KILLING MANY—Walls in the Barnes-Hosker iron mine, at Ishpeming, Mich., gave way under the pressure of a swamp above, and water rushed in, killing more than two score. This shows the depression above the mine after the disaster.



CAMERA'S EYE—At Hall-Mills trial: Top circle, Charlotte Mills, right, daughter of the dead woman, confided with a friend. Second circle, Mrs. Mary Demarest, testified she saw her cousin, Minna Clark, spying on the victims. Centre oblong, Captain John L. Lamb, of the New Jersey State police, identified exhibits in the case. Third circle, Mrs. Frances Stevens Hall, entered jail to visit her brothers, Willie and Henry Stevens, all defendants. Bottom circle, Millie Opie, State witness, objected to having her picture taken.



SLAIN—London was shocked by the murder of Mrs. Ethel Brunner by her wealthy husband, Roscoe Brunner, who killed himself.



MUSSOLINI HONORED ON FASCISTI ANNIVERSARY—Premier Mussolini, of Italy, on the balcony of Chigi Palace, Rome, is shown being cheered on the fourth anniversary of the Fascisti march on Rome.



FROM COURTS TO BANK—Mabel Eleanor Goss, banker. The same Eleanor that holds the women's national amateur tennis title was employed in a New York bank.



