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EX-PROSECUTOR IN SOUTH-CALIFORNIA BAYLES FOR LIFE

David H. Clark, Candidate For Municipal Judge, Awaits Trial for Killing Two Los Angeles Men

(By The Associated Press) LOS ANGELES, May 22.—Two murder complaints were lodged today against David H. Clark, candidate for municipal judge, for the slaying Wednesday night of Charles H. Crawford, millionaire political boss, and Herbert F. Spencer, a small magazine editor.

Clark, former deputy district attorney of Los Angeles county, who has his name on the ballot at this election, was said by police to be a former confidante of Albert J. Barker, who was charged with the slaying of Edward G. Bremer, a Chicago banker, by Spencer and Crawford. The killing of Bremer was attributed to a gambling dispute which had been attacked in Spencer's magazine, "Critics of Critics."

Clark was assigned here today, after being held in custody in the municipal court, Leonard Will, former municipal judge, appeared as his counsel and on request for a writ of habeas corpus, the hearing was fixed for next Tuesday.

When he gave himself to police late last night Clark declared to say nothing but today he said "when I talk to him plain plain."

The investigation was to ascertain the movements of Clark since last Saturday, they said a check of his records showed that he was down there at that time, it had been reported.

Clark was placed under observation in the county jail hospital ward today so the district attorney's office will have a record on the question of his mental condition should a plea of insanity be made in the trial.

BREAD PRICES DROP AT IDAHO'S CAPITAL

BOISE, May 22 (AP)—Bread prices dropped to the lowest point in nearly 20 years here today when bakers offered one-cent loaves for 15 cents. The general reduction followed a cut by the large bakers. The wholesale price is six cents for a one-pound loaf.

In 1918 the price hit a low mark and wholesalers said the drop at that time was due to the low price of materials, but labor costs rose twice as high now.

POOR ROADS IN IDAHO GRADUALLY DISAPPEAR

BOISE, May 22 (AP)—Advances of construction caused an increasing number of "slow spots" in the Idaho highway system. The boulders that have almost disappeared, the weeks of report of state highway board said today.

The Idaho Central highway from Montpelier through Carey to Arco was good and beyond Idaho Falls to Swan valley, beyond Swan valley it remained only fair.

LUMBER BUSINESS ON WEST-COAST DECLINES

SEATTLE, May 22 (AP)—A drop in rail export and local trade business for the week ending May 16 was reported to the West Coast Lumbermen's association by 21 identical mills, the association said today. The domestic cargo trade declined about 10,000,000 feet but net export was about 1,200,000 feet less than the previous week.

A total of 341 rail reporting capacity at 43.7 per cent of capacity during the week as compared with 35 per cent of the week previous and 68.2 per cent the same week last year.

STEEL CORPORATION PRESIDENT DECRIES CUTTING OF WAGES

James A. Ferrell, Accuses Standard Companies of Industry of Engaging in "Cheap Sort of Business"

(By The Associated Press) NEW YORK, May 22.—James A. Ferrell, president of the United States Steel corporation, today accused the big standard companies of the industry of "cheap sort of business."

"The companies in the headlines," he called them — of failing to maintain wage scales.

"Ferrell made his accusations at the semi-annual meeting of the Iron and Steel Institute, attended by 1000 executives of the industry."

"He declared some companies were giving their products away. Unemployment is rampant and wages are falling, he said, the effect companies will get that don't matter, but wages are falling."

"His address followed a talk by Charles H. Brown, chairman of the Bethlehem Steel corporation, who is president of the institute, said wages had been maintained in the industry, although decreased production had put workers on part-time."

"Mr. Ferrell said his hearers would not embrace the view that the companies he had in mind when he made his charge of wage-cutting. After his address he told The Associated Press he was not referring to Bethlehem. Mr. Schenck made this statement."

"I really discover no difference between my views and Mr. Ferrell's and his address," he said.

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BOHAR FINDS BUSINESS IN FAVOR OF PROPOSAL

WASHINGTON, May 22 (AP)—Senator Borah, Idaho, said today that American business leaders seem to be taking kindly to his suggestion for an "unimpaired" program of tariff reduction.

"The legislative program due for consideration by congress next session," he said.

However, there seems to be little likelihood of harnessing the sentiment for the conference into definite action.

Senator Borah said it would be a mistake for anyone to Washington, to "any program" to direct the proposed conference or even participate in it.

"The question of tariff reduction is a question of a program of business and industrial leaders on the problems of taxation, railroad legislation, agricultural relief and other issues due for action in December."

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Mellon, Custodian of Millions, Borrows Money to Pay Taxi-Fare

(This story of Secretary Mellon in another in the series recounting the life of a man accused of controlling millions of dollars here frequently in the news. Tomorrow: Henry Ford by David L. Williams)

BY CHARLES D. WATKINS (Copyright, 1931, by The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, May 22.—In a cold-story story to correspondents today Mellon paid a taxi fare.

Andrew W. Mellon has had that on one rainy day when he took a taxi to the treasury instead of walking to work as he usually does.

Mr. Mellon's car was a "dollar car" because his pockets were empty. He had to pay for the taxi fare.

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REGIME AT MADRID DECRIES RELIGIOUS FREEDOM FOR SPAIN

Provisional Government Initiates Important Step in Approved Program to Separate Church and State

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"DESSERT RAT" GIVES CHICAGO POOR \$5000

CHICAGO, May 22 (AP)—An old man who said "the boys out there" were "desert rats" today gave \$5000 to help Mayor Cermak's job today to help Mayor Cermak's job today to help Mayor Cermak's job today.

The donor was Charles H. Dawson, a "desert rat," by his own description, who by his rich cousin, the famous Chicago Death Valley, He said the money to the mayor in a letter, and asked Cermak to distribute it among worthy people.

Dawson who registered at a hotel here from San Francisco, said Chicago was his home back in 1904.

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WHEAT CONFERENCE CONFRONTS IMPASSE

United States Maintains Strong Stand Against Fixing of Export Quotas

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LONDON, May 22 (AP)—The international conference of wheat-exporting nations tonight faced a possible impasse as a solution for the world's wheat production difficulties.

After meeting since mid-afternoon, the conference tonight faced a possible impasse as a solution for the world's wheat production difficulties.

The committee was reported to be attempting to draft plans for an international bureau for exchange of wheat information, without continuing a study of wheat production.

It was admitted, however, that the committee would have little effect and would not even be reported to the conference.

Task Strong Stand

The United States has taken a strong stand against any scheme for fixing international wheat export quotas, according to the American Wheat Growers' association.

Supporters of the information bureau proposal hope by dissemination of accurate figures to foreign nations concerning wheat production, export and consumption and to permit them to get into the market for their national purchases without fear of subsequent lowering of prices.

The American delegates sought to include some quota plan, but opposition from Canada and Australia, the two largest wheat exporters, forced abandonment of this scheme.

The American delegates were also concerned with the question of international control of the wheat market, which would be most affected by a quota scheme.

Mr. Williams said to have collected \$5000 in insurance on her first three husbands and her brother-in-law.

She said she was looking for a man who was searching for her and wanted to have some of the money.

A week ago authorities at Portland, Ore., were notified that a woman predicted "her arrest" within 24 hours. Two other arrests had been made by the Portland police.

The identification had been erroneous.

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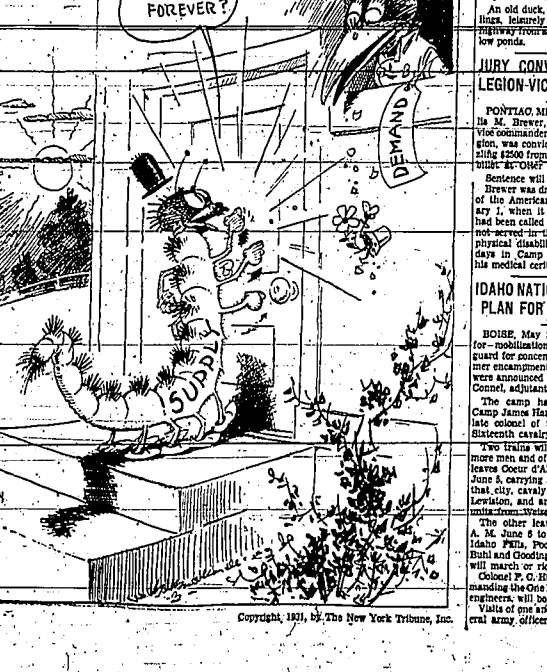
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Favorites Of Silent Films Gradually Embrace "Talkies"

SCORE OF PLAYERS LEAVES RETIREMENT FOR SOUND-SCREEN

Mae Marsh, Pola Negri and Clara Kimball Young Return—After Absence

OTHERS STAY AWAY FOR SHORT PERIODS

Eleanor Boardman, May Murray, Thomas Meighan and Doris Kenyon Also Appear Again



Eleanor Boardman (upper left), and Mae Marsh (below), who were almost forgotten while leading quiet home lives. The yare returned to the now-artistic screen, seeking to revive their popularity, as has Thomas Meighan.

(By The Associated Press) HOLLYWOOD, May 22.—The whereabouts of silent picture favorites are being less frequently inquired about these days, with so many making impressive comebacks.

Nearly a score of players—stars and lesser lights—have returned from retirement, the stage or vaudeville in recent weeks—because the "talkies" wanted them to make their absence felt. Two classes suffered.

The returning players fell into two classes. Those who voluntarily left the screen for other pursuits, and those who were forgotten or overlooked by the industry.

In the first group of the latter, in retirement nearly 10 years because her family of three came to her career, she is back now. She is to play Eleanor Boardman, who has been in the business of acting since the days of her childhood. She has been in the business of acting since the days of her childhood. She has been in the business of acting since the days of her childhood.

HOME ECONOMICS STUDIES BROADEN

(Continued From Page One) The home economics studies are being broadened to include more subjects, such as nutrition, sanitation, and the use of modern appliances.

DEATH BECKONS TO DIAMOND MAGNATE

(Continued From Page One) The diamond magnate, who has been in the business of mining diamonds for many years, is now facing death due to complications from a long illness.

The Weather

FORECAST FOR TODAY AND TOMORROW—Unsettled; showers in the mountains; moderate temperatures.

Church Services

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST—11:30 A. M.—Sunday school. 11:45 A. M.—Worship service.

HANSEN COMMUNITY CHURCH

11:00 A. M.—Morning worship. 11:30 A. M.—Sunday school. 11:45 A. M.—Worship service.

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CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

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SOCIETY AND CLUBS

Mrs. R. E. Williams Phone 306

Complicated by Miss Hazel Mahaffey, principal of the Washington school, teachers of the school entertained with a supper of charming appointments Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. W. L. Little.

Following supper Mrs. Little presented a handsome fountain pen to the group.

Mrs. Willard McMaster entertained at the home of Mrs. Grant.

Mrs. J. E. Eckert was hostess to the Highland View Club Wednesday afternoon.

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15 HANSEN SENIORS RECEIVE DIPLOMAS

Dr. Frank Howard, Albion Normal School, Speaks on "Life's Real Aristocracy"

HANSEN, May 22 (Special to The News)—Dr. Frank Howard, head of the psychology department at Albion normal school, addressed 15 seniors of Hansen high school and a crowd of school patrons and friends that packed the auditorium here tonight, on the subject of "Life's Real Aristocracy."

Dr. Howard commended the value of education and "clear thinking" and justified expenditure of tax money for support of high schools as an eloquent and well-pointed address.

The commencement program opened with Mrs. A. E. Ojak playing the piano. The address was given by Dr. Howard, who spoke on the subject of "Life's Real Aristocracy."

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REGIME AT MADRID DECREES RELIGIOUS FREEDOM FOR SPAIN

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Madrid, May 22 (Special to The News)—The cabinet tonight has decided that public schools in the future will not be required to keep children in religious instruction unless their parents demand it.

Another decree passed tonight limited the sale and disposition of religious property, which had been the subject of a long and bitter struggle.

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Ex-Senator's Daughter a Bride

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SWIMMING POOL PLANS GET FAVORABLE NOTICE

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THEFT SUSPECTS PUT UP CONTEST

Two Men Accused of Taking Buhl Man's Car Seek to Ban Strange Evidence

Buhl, May 22 (Special to The News)—Two men accused of taking a car from Buhl, Idaho, are seeking to have evidence excluded from the trial.

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