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WALKER SENTENCE TWO YEARS IRVING W. COLE HEADS PAMPA POULTRY ASSOCIATION 2 DALLAS MEN CHARGED IN ADAMS CASE FORGERY ANGLE

ATTORNEY IS CERTAIN CASE IS COMPLETE

Statement by One of
Those Arrested Not
Revealed

PRINCIPALS IN TRIAL INVOLVED

Name Written on Check
Fraudulent, Says
Lawyer

DALLAS, Dec. 19. (P)—A second man, A. A. Crabb, was charged with forgery here today for passing two \$1,000 checks, an argument over which purportedly led to the slaying of Orville L. Mathews by V. Ray Adams.

Forgery charges were filed last night against Ben C. Richards, Jr., whose name was heard frequently in the trial of Adams for Mathews' slaying. The Adams jury, deadlocked and two of its number ill, was discharged after it had heard Adams charge a conspiracy to defraud him of \$1,000 he said he won on the Tom Connally-Earle B. Mayfield senatorial election.

District Attorney William McGraw said today that Crabb had made a statement which "completed the case against the two principals." No further information as to the contents of the statement was given.

DALLAS, Dec. 19. (P)—Ben C. Richards, Jr., prominent local business man, whose name was mentioned frequently here in the trial of V. Ray Adams for the fatal shooting of Orville Mathews, today faced two charges of forgery in connection with documents which figured in the trial.

Richards is alleged to have bet \$1,000 with Mathews on Senator Earle B. Mayfield against Tom Connally in the senatorial primary. Orville Mathews, a banker was the stakeholder. When Adams sought to collect the stake after the election he discovered that the money had been paid to a "Clyde R. Vest of Waco" upon credentials which Adams said were forged. In the argument, Adams drew a gun and shot Mathews to death on the city's busiest street corner.

The complaints against Richards each charge that he did "unlawfully write the name of Clyde R. Vest" on the back of two \$1,000 cashier's checks. Vest was never found and neither the defense nor the state called Richards as a witness in Adams' trial. The jury disagreed.

Adams, testifying in his own defense, told the jury he believed Richards had gotten the money.

Richards was arrested at his home early this morning and made bond of \$7,500.

Mrs. Philip R. Pond has returned to her home, after spending three weeks in the Pampa hospital. She had typhoid and pneumonia.

Mrs. A. C. Michael today returned to her home at the Phillips camp, after spending a few days in the Pampa hospital.

4 SHOPPING DAYS TILL CHRISTMAS

Garner Says Steel Corporation Has Received Sixty-Five Millions in Tax Refunds From Treasury During Year

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19. (P)—Representative Garner, Democrat, Texas, asserted in the House today that through settlements made by Secretary Mellon, more than \$65,000,000 in tax refunds was being given to the various subsidiaries and branches of the United States Steel corporation during the present fiscal year.

The Texan, who is ranking Democratic member of the House ways and means committee, said that a refund of \$15,500,000 for the corporation was included in the estimates recently sent to congress to cover deficiencies. He urged repeal of the consolidated return provision of the income tax law under which the treasury is authorized to return to an individual or company in one sum taxes collected over a period of years and found to be in excess of lawful requirements. He asserted the steel corporation had been allowed \$31,000,000 in refunds on taxes. It started payment in 1917 and on which no protest was made by the company until February 23, 1923.

EDUCATIONAL PLANT ADMIRIED AT CHRISTIAN CHURCH TUESDAY

New Licenses Not Good Until Next January 1

Local motorists are advised to get their lights tested and secure their licenses early to avoid congested conditions after the new year. The state has issued a notice that 1929 licenses will not be good after December 31 and the 1929 licenses will not be good until January 1.

Congratulations were extended the Rev. James Todd, Jr., and the congregation of the First Christian church last evening by those attending the "open house" program at the new educational building in East Pampa. It was frequently declared that the Christian church has taken the lead in incorporating the most advanced ideas in educational phases of church life and building construction. The auditorium, already planned as an integral part of the church plant, will be built later. Meanwhile, the congregation is using the basement, or recreation room which of itself seats more persons than the old building abandoned last Sunday.

Sabine Boy Found Dead in Skiff

BEAUMONT, Dec. 19. (P)—Lindsay Rees, 15, of Sabine, was found dead in a small skiff at the Sabine Pass slip at midnight by his father.

LIONS ARE ASKED TO TAKE TOYS TO LUNCHEON

Every Pampa Lion is asked to take a toy, not to exceed 50 cents in value, to the luncheon tomorrow.

Hoover Going to Rio Janeiro Now

RIO JANEIRO, Dec. 19. (P)—Herbert Hoover was enroute to Rio Janeiro today aboard the U. S. S. Utah from Montevideo, Uruguay. He is due Friday.

BETTER FOWLS TO BE URGED BY NEW BODY

Egg Production to Be
Increased Next
Year

SHOW TO BE HELD IN CITY

C. C. Dodd Will Manage
Event of Next
January

The Pampa Poultry Breeders' association, with Irving W. Cole as president, was organized at a meeting of poultry raisers and produce men at the Chamber of Commerce rooms yesterday afternoon.

Other officers elected were: Vice-president, W. A. Mills of Kingsmill; secretary, George W. Briggs; publicity manager, Harry E. Hoare. A board of directors comprise the officers of the association, and C. C. Dodd, W. Hogan and J. G. Christy.

AUSTIN HEARING ENDS, BUT DECISION WILL BE DELAYED

AUSTIN, Dec. 19. (P)—Chairman Clarence E. Gilmore of the state railroad commission said today that it probably will be several days before the commission makes its decision in the state's application to have oil wells spaced 1,000 feet from property lines in the Gray and Wheeler county river bed area, part of which is involved in the state's pending court suit for title against C. W. Bradford and others.

Wink Judge Is Killed in Accident, Three Badly Hurt

WINK, Dec. 19. (P)—One person was killed and three others seriously injured when an automobile in which three men were riding crashed into a truck loaded with timber on the highway near here last night.

Borger Road Detour Has Been Repaired

A Chamber of Commerce good roads committee composed of George W. Briggs, Tom Rose and E. F. Thomas made a trip over the grade on the Borger road yesterday and found it in excellent condition with one exception.



Best Cattle Pickers
The three lads in the center of this group form the best livestock judging team in the United States. They came from Oklahoma. They won this honor at the International Livestock Exposition in Chicago where they competed against teams from all over the country.

CATTLE THEFT WAS CHARGED BY THE STATE

Jury Took Case at
5:30 Yesterday
Afternoon

NEW TRIAL IS ASKED OF COURT

Grand Jury Goes Into
Session Following
Recess

After hearing his plea of guilty, a jury in 84th district court this afternoon took just 25 minutes to give Edwin C. Mack, who had been charged with theft of an automobile, a sentence of two years in the penitentiary. His plea for a suspended sentence was denied.

The jury deliberated from 5:30 o'clock yesterday, and reported at 9:30 o'clock this morning.

Appeals Court

AUSTIN, Dec. 19. (P)—The following proceedings were had in the court of criminal appeals today:

Jarrell Bank Is Looted by Burglars

JARRELL, Dec. 19. (P)—Yeggmen who tunneled a hole through the vault into the First State bank of Jarrell, unlocked the vault door, and ransacked the banking room, got nothing for their trouble, a check-up by state banking department representatives revealed today.

IN CONGRESS

WEDNESDAY
Senate considers prison goods bill. Hearings on Sinclair royalty oil resumed by senate public lands committee.

WEST TEXAS: Tonight and Thursday, fair, somewhat colder tonight in the Panhandle and southeast portion.

AND A SMILE
WILLIAMSTOWN, Mass. (P)—11 looks as if the fad of the victor purchasing the goal posts of the vanquished started by Yale when it finally beat Harvard a few years back, may die out.

NIGHT WATCHMAN WOUNDED
HENRIETTA, Dec. 19. (P)—Carl Green, night watchman, was wounded last night by a man whom he had attempted to arrest for disorderly conduct in a hotel here.

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'It's Like This...'

ATTORNEY GENERAL Polard's administration will go down in state records as one unusually devoted to tracing of technicalities, especially in land titles.

In many cases this litigation is nothing short of property confiscation by legal means. While the state as a whole is given hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of "recovered" property, much of this has been paid for, often dearly through long years of residence.

The perfection of titles has a legitimate place in legal affairs of the state, but damage to residents who have bought their land in good faith and lived upon it is deplorable, and justly arouses the ire of those affected and those interested in square dealings.

NO RECENT WAR cloud has received more publicity and aroused more magazine exposition than that hovering over Bolivia and Paraguay.

A few years ago a boundary dispute would not have been the momentous incident it is today. With the foreign departments of every nation striving toward bringing about peaceful relations, the cause of amicable settlement of such disputes is well furthered.

For instance, even Mexico, unhappily the victim of internal wars for decades, has offered to mediate and has received cordial replies from both countries.

Bolivia and Paraguay are furnishing a good exercise in the principles of war prevention. Not the least important by any means is the ordinary newspaper reporting being done in connection with the events of our south. The British foreign secretary has been moved to remark:

"The implications of a pact of peace are not alone for the ministers or the press; they are for every individual citizen in every country to the pact. They should demand information, good news, fair news, sympathetic news from other countries."

It is not too much to hope that, when this country is involved in a dispute, the peoples of other lands will learn in a similarly fair manner the true facts involved. In no other country in the world are so many foreign news stories, without bias, published.

War is a miserable business. Brave young men go forth to the blare of drums and the fluttering of handkerchiefs—and come back minus hands, arms, legs and health. The cry in Bolivia, "We want war, Mr. President, we want war!" is the cry of the mob, the utterance of the uncouth. There is no individual quarrel between individuals living across boundary line. The disputes between state departments can be solved best by impartial judges. War is not a judge, but an executioner.



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WASHINGTON—An announcement that Florence Trumbull will NOT be a White House bride has stiffened the marcelas and brought out the fingernail polish of this city's blooded ladies who run "Social Bureaus".

For these pilots of society have been insisting ever since the rumor of a Trumbull-Coolidge White House wedding started that it simply could not be; that such a precedent of bad form never would be established by a daughter of a governor, nor by the son of a Coolidge.

Day after day the society bureau dames called the newspapers to insist that this harping upon a White House wedding simply showed that they didn't know what was proper and befitting, and that they owed it to the populace to remind it again that "the groom always weds his bride in her own home, no matter how humble".

Mrs. Rose Gouverneur Hoes, who runs one of the city's most exclusive social bureaus, who has attended three White House weddings herself, and whose grandmother, Maria Monroe, youngest daughter of President James Monroe, was a White House bride, is very relieved by the announcement from the Connecticut House of Trumbull.

"I felt right along that it simply could not be," she said. "I wondered what would happen to wedding etiquette in general if such a precedent were started. The rule would crash in toto. It would be impossible to expect girls of lesser rank to be married in their own homes if the so-called 'Crown Princess' of the nation rushed off to be married in her fiancé's home simply because he lived in a bigger and more famous home than her own."

Mrs. Hoes recalls that she "never could quite accept the Frances Folsom-Grover Cleveland wedding."

"That is the only White House wedding of a bride who was not, at least, related in some way to the White House master or mistress", she reminds those who point out that there have been other White House Weddings for brides whose home was not the White House.

She points out that Miss Todd, who was married in the White House, was a niece of Mrs. James Madison. Elizabeth Tyler, Nellie Grant, Maria Monroe, Alice Roosevelt, Jessie and Eleanor Wilson, were daughters of presidents. Alice Wilson was a niece of the president; Miss Johnson, who married John

Quincy Adams, Jr., was a niece of President Jackson, and another bride, Miss Emily Platt, was a niece of President Hayes.

Leaving Frances Folsom the only White House bride who really defied etiquette by marrying in her fiancé's home.

And the social bureau dames believe it would have been better if the other brides, even if related to the White House tenants, had put Good Form before the opportunity to have their grandchildren tell how grandma was a White House bride.

"If Florence Trumbull had lived through the period of the Cleveland wedding and could remember the wave of criticism which swept the country at the spectacle of a beautiful young girl rushing to her fiancé's home to be married, she would only rejoice in the perfect decision she has made", said Mrs. Hoes.



We have with us the Christmas peddlars. At latest reports, none of them has contributed toward the taxes which will pay for our new school buildings and gymnasium-auditorium—Christmas presents for the children and ourselves.

Boy Scouts of Bolivia are volunteering for war. Those Latins surely do get riled up; even the babies are reported to be incensed.

Chicago provides some of the best American humor. For instance, there is the gangster who carried his gun in his hand and couldn't be prosecuted for carrying concealed weapons.

This is a great section, even if the crowing roosters and caekling hens never cause anybody to lose sleep.

The oldtimer who used to turn over in his sleep as the midnight cock crow was heard, now turns in at the same time when his "kids" quit the house for a party and leave a bit of quietude behind.

So the flu isn't up to pre-war strength either.

Send your cows to college—we see the collegiate animals are taking many of the prizes nowadays.

Suggestions for late 1928 slogan: "Get Hoover out of the trenches by Christmas."

"KILLER'S MOTHER CALLS HIM RASCAL", says a headline in a New York newspaper. If the young man keeps on like this he'll need a good spanking.

Gabriele d'Annunzio says he wants one more thrill. Well, there's always Peggy Joyce.



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Every person past 30 has at least two novels in him, says a novelist. Lots of people prefer speaking theirs to writing them, however.

The wife wants a new hat for Christmas, but of course that's just overhead expense.

A Russian couple were married and divorced in 40 minutes the other day. Great movie talent.

Among other notes of prosperity, the Department of Commerce reports that the supply of nuts is adequate this year.

President Coolidge has asked Congress for 15 new cruisers. You can't tell when we'll have a hurly call for good-will envoys.

Among the most valuable tips of the day to stock speculators is the advice furnished by Mr. Isaac Newton.

A man saved from the burning building in New York wrote to his rescuer a poem of thanks. Experience is a great teacher.

A plumber was shot on his way to work in Chicago, sustaining the theory that if you stay in one place long enough something will happen to you.

In the Pacific there is a species of shark which eats only the brains of its victims. That's one hazard removed for bathers from Hollywood.

"Hoover in Chile: Faces 33 Hours of Rapid Fire Welcome", says a headline. That's not a very nice way to treat our president!

There's no greater tornado than a woman ried. That modern Carrie Nation either ought to get a job in Chicago or capitalize on her vaudeville possibilities. We hate to see talent go to waste.

Let's Not Forget Our "Foreign Relations"



OUT OUR WAY By Williams



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WANTED—Employment, practical nursing or doctors office or clerking. Inquire Mrs. Gibson, White duplex south of Moore's Store.

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FOR SALE—Grain feed hogs or by the price. Two miles east on highway 33. R. R. Mitchell.

Lost and Found

LOST—Red imitation leather suitcase. Return to Daily News. reward.

FOR RENT

3 rooms, bath and garage. new \$45 \$40. 2 room house with bath. Unfurnished. \$35.

Scores of State and Federal Agents On Streets of Wink as New Oil City Undergoes Its Most Intense Cleanup

John Dorsey of Canadian to Be Buried Today

CANADIAN, Dec. 19. (P)—Funeral services for John Samuel Dorsey, 75, pioneer Panhandle cattleman who died here Monday were held yesterday.

For Rent

WANTED TO RENT—Five room house close to school by permanent, responsible party. Must be reasonable. Call Lively Phone 4.

A GOOD PLACE TO STAY

nice clean single and double rooms, with garage, hot and cold showers, \$3.00 to \$8.00. LaFonda Cottage Court on Amarillo Highway, West Pampa.

WINK, Dec. 19. (P)—Attracted by the commotion which a feud between rum-runners and hi-jackers aroused here this week federal and state officers were in the turbulent oil town today threatening it with one of the most complete cleanings it has known in its brief career.

A score of federal agents, reinforced by Texas Rangers dropped in last night and when their work was done 30 resorts had been raided and closed, and scores of citizens and transients were held for law violations, or for questioning.

Wink has not been on the map long. In fact, it is on only the recent maps now. The town has existed but a short time, but it already has considerable of a past.

The whole affair was precipitated by attempts of rum runners to bring a large shipment of liquor from Mexico to the oil fields for the holidays.

Christmas Don'ts Suggested Today

AUSTIN, Dec. 19. (P)—The usual Yuletide "don'ts to avoid uncalculated fire hazards were issued today by J. W. Dewesse, fire insurance commissioner.

Production in Notable Increase Over Country

TULSA, Okla., Dec. 19. (P)—Breaking a trend towards constancy which has held true for a number of weeks light and heavy oil productions in all fields of the United States during the week ended December 15, showed a total estimated increase in daily average production of approximately 26,792 barrels, according to the current report of the Oil & Gas Journal, released today.

Of this amount the estimated daily production in light oils totaled 19,530 barrels, leaving an increase of approximately 2,262 barrels in heavy oils. The grand total estimated daily average production for all fields in the United States during the week was 2,508,226 barrels as compared to 2,519,434 during the week ending December 8.

The Oklahoma and Mid-Continent fields showed the lowest estimated total increases. Each had approximately 1,000 barrels. West Texas showed a 3,000 barrel increase; South Texas and Rocky Mountain 2,000 barrels each, and Gulf Coast 7,000 barrels.

California led in the amount of production with an estimated increase in daily production of 17,200 barrels during the week.

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THIS HAS HAPPENED: ORCHID—whose real name is ASHTORETH ASH—has been in a strange fashion with an old friend—SADIE RITZ.



his most embarrassing moment was when he took the blindfold test, and the guy forgot to kick him!

160 1928 CHEVROLET TRUCK. Only 7,600 miles. Motor in best of condition. Five heavy duty tires. A real bargain for someone in the market for a good truck. Must sell by Saturday. Priced \$500. McGARRITY MOTOR CO.

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"What did he have to say? Told you I was blackmailing him, I suppose?" Ashtoreth's exclamation was ineffectual, Sadie probably laid it to awe.

