

STEAL CHERRIES AND CAUSE MURDER

Boys Tell Tale of Wealth of Woman Who Owned Fruit and Polish Laborer Sees Chance to Rob.

Hempstead, L. I., June 28.—Three boys stealing cherries Wednesday in Mrs. Minnie S. Bartlett's orchard were the cause of her murder that same day. For when Lawrence Kubal, 36, a Polish laborer, who happened to pass by asked them if they weren't afraid of being arrested, they replied:

"We are not afraid. Those cherries belong to a rich woman who lives alone in that house over there."

And that, according to Kubal's confession to the police, gave him the idea of robbery.

"I was out looking for work that morning," he said, "and had no idea of committing crime. And then I met the three boys. That was about 9 o'clock."

"I decided to go to the house. When I walked up the front step I saw a 'for sale' sign on the house. A good-looking woman opened the door. I told her I wanted to buy the house."

After some discussion as to the price, said he left ostensibly to consult with a relative. When he returned at 1 o'clock, carrying a sharp chisel in his pocket, he gained admittance to the house.

"I had decided if she let me in I would make her give me \$500," said Kubal. "When she started to open the front door again to let me out I told her I was bluffing and was a poor man."

"She started to scream. I had a chisel in my pocket and took it out and told her if she didn't give me the money I'd kill her. She tried to open the door and I struck her across the face with the chisel and put my back to the door."

"But she was a stronger woman than I thought, and began to fight. I struck her several times on the face and head with the chisel and knocked her down. But she dragged me into the dining room and tried to stab me with a fountain pen she picked off the table. Then I knocked her down and made up my mind to kill her. All the time she was screaming and I thought 'Will she ever die?' So much did she seem to be suffering."

That ended the unequal battle and Mrs. Bartlett soon died, whereupon Kubal threw some rugs over her and began a search for loot.

Kubal's arrest followed his confessing to his wife that he was the slayer of Mrs. Bartlett. Panic-stricken, she ran to her brother with the news, and through him the information became known to the police.

According to the police, Kubal admitted having been in jail at Albany, N. Y., Springfield, Mass., and New Jersey. He has been in this country eleven years and is the father of two children.

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PRESIDENT HARDING ORDERS CREDIT SURVEY

Washington, June 28.—President Harding has requested Secretaries Mellon and Hoover and Managing Director Meyer of the War Finance Corporation to conduct an investigation into credit facilities in the South with regard to the carrying over of present cotton stocks until they can be marketed in an orderly way.

Announcement of the credit investigation was made today by Mr Hoover who said the committee named by the President would begin preliminary investigation of the subject immediately upon the return of Mr Meyer, who is now absent from the city. He said he had no definite program in mind as to what lines the investigation would follow, but explained that there had been many complaints about the insufficiency of credit for carry over purposes.

The President seemed to have in mind, according to the commerce secretary, a desire to make credit available in order that the stocks of cotton from previous years, now stored throughout the South, would not act as a deterrent to the growth of a full crop this year.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF APPLICATION FOR DISCHARGE IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA.

IN THE MATTER OF R. T. BROADWELL, Bankrupt.

No. B-230 IN BANKRUPTCY.

To the Creditors of the above named Bankrupt:

Take notice that on June 15, 1921, the above named bankrupt filed his petition in said Court praying that he may be decreed by the Court to have a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate, except such debts as are excepted by law from such discharge, and a hearing was thereupon ordered and will be had upon said petition on July 16, 1921, before said Court, at Greenville, in said District, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time and place all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

D. C. DURHAM, Clerk. Greenville, S. C. June 15, 1921. Itw—4 wks.

NOTICE OF LAND SALE

By virtue of the authority vested in me by a certain deed of Trust, I will sell at public auction, on the 5th day of July, 1921 at Abbeville Court House, S. C., at 11 A. M., or as soon thereafter as practicable, the following described real estate:

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SOME HEAVY QUESTIONS FOR WOMEN TO ANSWER

Gossip and the World Gossips With You—Hold Your Tongue, You Hold Alone.

Milwaukee, June 28.—Are American women the worst gossips in the world?

Do they love to shred each other's reputations and gloat over the remains?

Are they "poison tongued?" Opinions differ. Some women admit the accusation frankly and score their sex; some say that women are no worse than men. Judge John C. Karel believes American women are notorious gossips; Judge John J. Gregory says emphatically that they aren't.

The discussion was provoked first by a statement of Judge Gehrz at the Evans divorce trial, in which he arraigned gossips who break up families, and now by the statement of Mrs. Katherine Clemens Gould, fashionable New York divorcee, that American women love to dissect each other's characters.

"If public sympathy was with Mrs. James Stillman in her divorce suit it wasn't due to women," said Mrs. Gould, former wife of Howard Gould. "American women stand together less than their sisters anywhere in the world. They are too narrow-minded."

Mrs. Maude Kennan, prominent Milwaukee clubwoman and delegate to the Democratic national convention, admits Mrs. Gould's accusations. But she sees a change coming on.

"There is no doubt that there are many gossipy women," said Mrs. Kennan. "But I believe as their lives broaden they grow more sincere and square like men."

"Women are gossips, but no more than men—only in a different way," said Mrs. Milton H. Umbreit, for ten years a vice president of the Wisconsin Congress of Mothers. "The idle gossip. But the woman of today whose life is filled with outside interests will find no time for petty gossip. Men gossip, but in an indulgent, more charitable manner."

"Nonsense," said Judge John J. Gregory, who tries hundreds of divorces every term of court. "I do not believe American women are worse gossips than other women. I don't believe gossiping causes divorce any more than it causes separation of friends."

"Yes," Judge J. C. Karel said, "I believe American women gossip more than others and the reason is quadruple—they are more intelligent, they have more time, they have telephones to gossip over and clubs to go to, to hear and repeat gossip."

"In Germany, for instance, the women devote themselves to knitting, cooking and other household duties. They have neither leisure nor clubs, and they do not sit down to half-hour telephone conversations."

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BUYS A NEWSPAPER

Newbern, N. C., June 30.—The Newbern Sun-Journal afternoon paper, has been purchased by J. B. Dawson, editor and owner of the morning Newbernian, from John A. Park, according to announcement made public. Mr. Dawson will continue to operate the papers separately.

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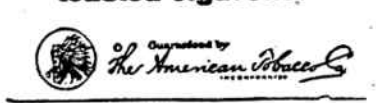
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OHIOANS PROTEST PIE DISTRIBUTION

Washington, June 28.—A complaint regarding the present distribution of civil appointments among the states was made to President Harding today by Senator Willis, Republican, Ohio, and several Ohio representatives. They asked that in the government reorganization now under way, each state be given as nearly as possible its proportionate share of federal appointments.

According to figures compiled by Senator Willis and placed before the president, Ohio, is entitled to 2,388 civil service appointments and actually has only 1,505, while various other states are far in excess of their quotas. He called particular attention to the figures in his table showing that Virginia is entitled to 957 places but holds 2,484, that Maryland is entitled to 601 and holds 2,412.

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An Arab drinks cold water with a spoon, and never bathes in it unless his home be on the seashore.

J. RAYMOND McCARL IS COMPTROLLER GENERAL

Washington, June 28.—J. Raymond McCarl, of McCool, Nebraska, secretary of the Republican congressional campaign committee, was nominated today by President Harding to be comptroller general of the United States, a position created by the new budget law, which becomes effective Friday.

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