

THE WEATHER Rain this afternoon and probably to-night followed by clearing and some what cooler; Thursday fair.

SUITOR SUSPECT OF MRS. BRUNEN IS NOW SOUGHT

Main Showman Had Quarrel With Man Over Wife in Hoboken Hotel, It is Said VICTIM WAS SUSPICIOUS OF MATE, SAYS PARKER

Brunen Feared Wife, He Wrote His Sister

"In case anything happens to me, sister, I want you to come and take all charge of everything for I think Day (the wife) is figuring to do away with me and thinks she can get free, for she talks about it all the time.

LADY ALICE WHITE DIES AFTER ATTACK IN HOTEL

Burglary Believed to Be Motive in London Murder London, March 15.—(By A. P.)—Lady Alice White, who was found unconscious in her room in a London hotel yesterday morning, died this morning at 3 o'clock.

ALLEGED BIGAMIST RECALLS HE HAD 13 WIVES, NOT 11

Forgot to Mention Two Whose Names He Doesn't Remember Indianapolis, March 15.—(By A. P.)—Two wives were added today to the list of matrimonial ventures of Isiah Moore, who is under arrest here charged with bigamy and embezzlement.

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SHOWMAN'S WIDOW STANDS GRILLING



DIVA DENIES LOSS OF 100 P. C. HUSBAND

Matzenauer Says He is Merely Away on Business—Ridicules Breakfasts in Bed BUT HE STICKS TO STORY

By the Associated Press Joplin, Mo., March 15.—For a woman who just had been informed that her husband had "deserted her," Margaret Matzenauer, famous opera singer, was in a delightfully light-hearted mood, when seen by newspapermen at her suite in a local hotel last night.

SEEK PEPPER'S AID

Looney's Candidacy for Railroad Labor Board Urged on Senator Washington, March 15.—Fred T. Speer, of Harrisburg, president of the Order of Railway Expressmen, and James H. Lamm, of Worcester, Mass., called on Senator Pepper today to urge his support of Looney's candidacy for appointment on the Railway Labor Board.

MRS. R. S. NEWHALL HELD

Charged With Striking With Auto Young Inmate of Orphanage Magistrate Lindell held Mrs. Robert S. Newhall, of 7432 Rural Lane, Mount Airy, in \$500 bail this morning.

FAIRVIEW, N. J., GETS ON LIM'RICK WINNERS' MAP

Mrs. Margaret Dale Has Persisted in Writing Last Lines in Spite of Her Neighbors' Jibes Fairview is quite a distance outside of Camden—do you wonder we were glad she was there?

SALE OF GREAT NORTHERN NOT 'PECULIAR,' SAYS DENBY

Defends Disposal of Ship Prior to Day for Opening Bids Washington, March 15.—(By A. P.)—Secretary Denby told the House Naval Affairs Committee today that the sale of the Great Northern, formerly the flag-ship of the Columbia of the Atlantic fleet, was sold by the Shipping Board prior to the date set for opening of bids, but with the understanding that any bidder offering more than the sale price of \$1,250,000 would get the ship.

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\$15,000,000 FIRE SWEEPS CHICAGO'S BUSINESS DISTRICT

Entire Square Just Outside the "Loop" Section Destroyed by Flames INCENDIARISM SUSPECT ARRESTED; FIREMAN KILLED

By the Associated Press Chicago, March 15.—A spectacular early morning fire today destroyed a full square of business buildings just outside Chicago's "loop" or downtown district, with a loss estimated at from \$10,000,000 to \$15,000,000.

GIRL ELOPER, BACK HOME, IS SORRY SHE MADE TRIP

Gloucester Girl Asserts She Will Not See Chicagoan Again William Pearson, Spartan father of Gloucester, took his runaway daughter, Sarah, fifteen years old, into Mayor Anderson's court at Gloucester this morning and said:

HARDING AT ST. AUGUSTINE FOR TWO DAYS' RECREATION

With Mrs. Harding, President Will Attend Public Reception Tonight St. Augustine, Fla., March 15.—(By A. P.)—The special train conveying the president and Mrs. Harding from Washington to St. Augustine, Fla., for two days' recreation, arrived at 8:45 o'clock.

U. S. RIGHT TO INDEMNITY ESTABLISHED BY DEMAND

Request for Rhineland Payment Not to Be Pressed Now Washington, March 15.—(By A. P.)—Recognition by other interested governments of the rights of the United States in connection with distribution of German reparations was all that was sought at the time in the recent demand upon the Allied Finance Ministers for payment of \$241,000,000 expenses of the American Army of occupation.

SWEAR ACKER TOMORROW

City Purchasing Agent Leaves Municipal Job Today A Lincoln Acker will be sworn in as Collector of the Port of Philadelphia tomorrow by Judge J. Whitaker Thompson, of United States District Court, in the presence of William H. Berry, Democratic appointee of President Wilson.

SIX NOW IN ARBUCKLE JURY

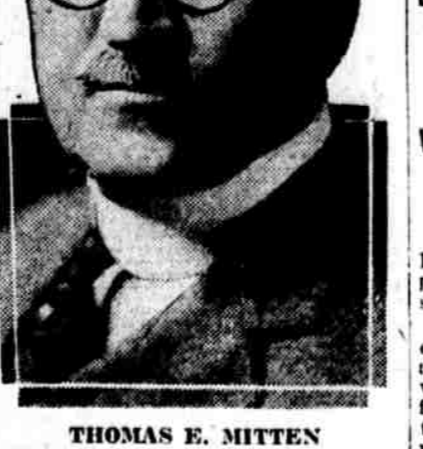
Defense to Attack Credibility of State's Witnesses San Francisco, March 15.—(By A. P.)—With six jurors accepted temporarily, attorneys for State and defense today resumed their fight to fill the remaining six seats in the jury box for the third trial of Rose (Fanny) Arbuckle, on a manslaughter charge growing out of the death of Miss Virginia Rappe, film actress.

Special Rotogravure Section

Evening Public Ledger Tomorrow—Thursday "Make It a Habit" Fifty exquisite photographs, showing the latest from the Rue de la Paix, Fifth Avenue, Chestnut and Walnut streets.

MAYOR OFFERS \$7500 FAIR POST TO ROSEWATER

Disapproved as Publicity Head, Moore Would Make Him Assistant to President WILL ANNOUNCE DECISION BEFORE END OF WEEK



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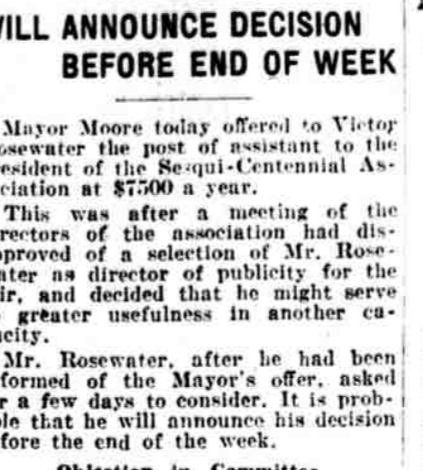
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