

# Chicago Acclaims Capt. George Fried

Chicago, Feb. 14.—(AP)—Captain George Fried was acclaimed by Chicago yesterday for his daring exploits at sea. The doughty skipper who directed the rescue of thirty-two men from a battered Italian steamer a few weeks ago chose to talk about Chicago's weather, rather than his adventures on the ocean. He was guest of the Union League club at luncheon. He planned to go to Culver Military academy at Culver, Ind., as a guest of its commandant, General Signillat, an old friend.

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# LEGION DOG DERBY WILL BE STAGED ON FEBRUARY 23

Committee Selects Date for First Annual Dog Classic—Contestants Urged to Begin Training Teams.

The American Legion committee in charge of the first annual dog derby for the kids of Albert Lea has selected Saturday, February 23 as the date for the event. This date was selected because it was feared that a thaw in March might prevent the holding of the race. Preparations for the affair are going ahead in fine style. Already many dog drivers have handed in their names to the Legion committee and others will follow now that the date of the event has been fixed.

## Second-Year Middies Not to Take Cruise

Washington, Feb. 14.—(AP)—Secretary Wilbur signed an order directing that second year midshipmen of the Naval academy be held at Annapolis during the summer months for a course in practical engineering and aviation, instead of going on the regular summer cruise.

Under the new order only the first and third year men will join the summer cruise, which this year will be made in the Mediterranean. Details of the summer course for the second year class are now being prepared at the academy and will include five weeks devoted entirely to practical engineering and the remaining twelve weeks to aviation, both flying and ground work.

Al Smith calls on all members of the democratic party to wipe out the campaign deficit. Now for what the British Tommies in Belgium called the battle of Wipers.—Arkansas Gazette.

## Coolidges Asks Funds to Start Ship Program

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In a statement at the capitol said that "no false economy should be permitted by the navy department, the bureau of the budget or the appropriating committees in congress" to interfere with the construction.

He declared the ships were needed because the "accepted principle of the Washington conference has been violated by each of its signatories excepting the United States."

"The president knows better than anyone else," he added, "that his Geneva conference for the further limitation of ships of war failed because our representatives would not agree to limit our navy to the kind of ships best adapted to British uses. The president also knows that at the very moment when France and England were agreeing to the Kellogg pact to outlaw war, they were already in a secret agreement to submerge American sea power. Public condemnation in England and France has caused the scrapping of this unfriendly alliance."

"President Coolidge knows that the Lord Birkenhead naval construction programs which have been secretly adopted by the British government is a distinct menace to the balance of the world. More convincing than all of these acknowledgments is the outstanding fact that the accepted principle of the Washington conference has been violated by each of its signatories excepting the United States, thus leaving the American navy far behind the 5-5-3 ratio."

At the navy department Secretary Wilbur expressed gratification over the signing of the cruiser bill. He explained that the new cruisers would be equipped with nine eight-inch guns.

Asked whether Diesel engines might be used in some of the new warships, the secretary said that while the navy department was conducting experiments with the type of engines, he doubted whether the new ships would be equipped with them.

Mine Rescue Contest

Washington, Feb. 14.—(AP)—The eighth international first aid and mine rescue contest will be held this year at Kansas City, Mo., by the United States Bureau of Mines Sept. 12-14.

# VALENTINES ARE DIFFERENT THESE DAYS

The Comics Are Getting Scarce—Some Stores Won't Sell Them—Friendly Cards of Greeting Replace Lovesick Messages.

Today is St. Valentine's Day. It is the same old day with the same old significance, but we are not using it in just the same way as did our fathers and grandfathers. They say this is a practical age, and to prove it we find that even the valentines are different. Gaudy paper lace affairs with pictures of bearded ladies smiling at slightly looking aways, or vice versa, with the inscriptions, "To My Sweetheart," or "Roses are red, violets are blue, sugar is sweet and so are you," are not half as popular with the young folks as those simple friendly cards that carry a greeting "To the Boy Friend" or "To My Girl Friend," or even just "Valentine Greetings."

But best of all those atrocious comics that did nothing but hurt feelings and make everlasting enemies, are getting scarcer than hen's teeth. In some cities this year the merchants were handed together not to sell them at all, as they "found that the recipients blamed them instead of the senders." In Albert Lea, however, they were noticed in some of the stores, but the biggest crowds were not around them. The folks were hunting among the artistic little greetings in the other aisle. And that's a good sign that we are less cruel than we used to be, in the good old days when the world wasn't as good as it is now—in spite of the wild ways of present youth.

St. Valentine, who is supposed to have started all his excitement on the 14th of February, himself lost his head in Rome on that day, so it is said. That was 1559 years ago. Curious enough it is not in celebration of this event that we send valentines today, although the day is named after the saint. At about that time of year, so it is said, in honor of the goddess Juno, the Feast of Lupercalia was celebrated. Then Roman youths drew tablets from an urn, sort of a grab bag at fair. On each tablet was the name of a maiden to whom he should pay court for a year. In time this custom and the day set apart for the married Saint Valentine became merged. And so we send valentines. That's one explanation. There are others too. They say there

are several saints by the name of Valentine. One authority says fifty-two. One of these saints, so says an old German story, was a charitable man visiting the sick and aged. When he himself became old and bedridden he used to send messages to his friends.

Then again, they tell us that since the birds choose their mates about this time, it is fitting that young men and maidens choose theirs, hence valentines.

A Minnesota judge says there are an increasing number of divorces caused by arguments over playing bridge. This may be because it is easier to get a divorce than it is to learn to play a good game of bridge.—Nashville South.

# Victims Lined Against Wall and Shot Down

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time with gun fire after they had been placed "on the spot." The first policeman to reach the scene went there on the gross report that "somebody had been hurt in a garage." He found the wounded Guseberg staggering about and the man collapsed in his arms. In the rear room were the bodies of seven victims while a raging police dog with bared fangs stood guard over them although chained to a wall.

The building is one story high about 150 feet deep and just outside the 43rd ward domain of Al-

derman Titus Haffa, sentenced to two years imprisonment yesterday for violation of the liquor laws. The police were trying to determine if his sentence and the killings were connected in any way.

At the rear the building tapers until it is only about 40 feet wide. There is a narrow runway for trucks and to one side a small square formed by an abutment in the wall. It was in this place against a white wall and beneath a powerful overhead light that the men were lined up and shot.

The police began a search for a man known as Marinello said to have been the owner of the garage when neighbors reported that he was present during the slaying and apparently had escaped unhurt.



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