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DEED RECORD FOR YESTERDAY

Forty-two instruments filed in Chancery Clerk's office ranging from \$1 to \$100,000.

Warranty deeds, suit-claim deeds, collector's deeds, and deeds of trust to the number of 52 were filed for record in the office of the chancery clerk yesterday, representing transactions ranging in consideration from the nominal \$1 to the imposing figure of \$100,000 and covering territory from Pass Christian to Biloxi and from the coast to Lyman.

The deed for the intersection of the Hedges and the L. & N. right-of-way, acquired by J. L. Jones for \$12,000 and reported several days ago, was filed yesterday.

James Logan sold the old Lohm leaves home near Lyman to Henrie Guiley for \$4,000.

Ask Receivership for Louisville

Ku Klux Klan Unit
Louisville, Ky., April 7.—A petition asking receivership for the local unit of the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, alleging that funds had been "misappropriated, dissipated and squandered" was filed in court here today by Dr. W. H. Morgan and A. Owens, insurance agent, recently suspended by the state insurance commissioner.

Not less than \$20,000 has been collected by A. D. George, Kleagle, and A. W. Hoham, secretary and treasurer, the petition alleged.

Lumber Record For Last Week

New Orleans, April 7.—Southern Lumber Association bi-monthly for last week shows orders received increased 15 per cent over previous week; shipments decreased 13 per cent, and production increased 0.5 per cent. Reports from 128 mills show 74,697,728 feet ordered, 75,010,258 feet shipped and 76,142,793 feet produced. Orders for last week were 245,22,762 feet.

Sunshine Noozie

I BAIT MY HOOK WITH A CROSSBOW
PUZZLE AND MAKE TH' FISH JUMP ON TO THE BANK TO CONSULT TH' DICTIONARY!



WEATHER FOR MISSISSIPPI

Fair tonight; Wednesday increasing cloudiness; little change in temperature.

Meteorological report by Biloxi meteorologist for 24 hours ending noon:

Minimum, 52, noon, 71; highest in 24 hours, 72.

Bar. Temp. Wind Tide
Sun. 12 m. 30.2 98 0.8
Mon. 8 p.m. 30.05 67 NE 1.0
Tue. 8 a.m. 30.12 66 E 1.2

Standard Oil Cuts Another Cent in Gas

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NEW FRENCH FINANCIAL BILL IS INTRODUCED IN CHAMBER

Paris, April 7.—(AP)—The government's new financial bill, embodying the provisions for the proposed capital levy, or forced loan, was introduced in the chamber of deputies this afternoon by Finance Minister De Monzie. The measure was agreed to by the cabinet this morning. He asked its immediate reference to the finance committee and a report on it before the end of the day.

The government's financial plan also included regularizing the currency situation by raising the limit of the bank bill issue of the bank of France from forty-one billion to a total of forty-five billion francs and increasing the limit of advances by the bank to the state by four billion francs.

M. de Monzie asked the chamber to set aside tomorrow afternoon's sitting for examination and discussion of the finance bill and the chamber agreed.

"Owing to the important nature of this bill and the public anxiety which must and will be reassured," said the finance minister, "the government will be at the chamber's disposition tomorrow."

WATSON BRIDGE OPEN SECOND FACES TROUBLE DAY'S PROGRAM

Louisiana Public Service Commission Chairman Opposed to Private Toll Structure Across Lake.

New Orleans, April 7.—Hay Long, chairman of the Louisiana Public Service Commission, announced through the press today that the commission had refused to approve the plan of the Watson-Williams syndicate to build a bridge across Lake Pontchartrain by the Watson-Williams syndicate and either intervene in the present suit action or file an independent suit.

Hoffman Elected to Head Sales Forces of Studebaker Co.

New York, April 7.—The directors of the Studebaker Corporation, at their meeting today, elected Paul G. Hoffman as vice president in charge of sales to succeed H. A. Biggs, resigned.

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Cincinnati, O., April 7.—Thirty-one former Cincinnati policemen and rural district agent entered pleas of guilty to federal grand jury liquor charges in a round-up of the indicted men had pleaded guilty Saturday.

Highway Building For Coming Year

Washington, April 7.—About 24,000 miles of highway, nearly enough to circle the earth, are scheduled for construction during 1925 by the various state highway departments, reports to the bureau of public roads.

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TO IMPROVE BUENA VISTA

Three Story Addition With Seventy-Two Rooms, Ball Room and Convention Hall To Be Added.

An addition of seventy-two rooms with dining halls, convention hall and ball room, comprising a three-story modern steel and stucco construction, will be built on the Hotel Buena Vista to accommodate the over 100,000 patrons of this popular hotel. The work will begin just as soon as plans and specifications can be drawn by Carl E. Matthes, local architect, and bids secured for the construction work.

The formal transfer of the Pines Hotel, now owned by the Levis' to Frank Raymond of Biloxi was to be made Saturday.

Polley Climbs Hewes Building in 18 Minutes

George Pulley, human fly, thrilled a crowd in 14th street yesterday afternoon when he climbed the five-story Hewes Building in eighteen minutes.

Landis Uses Train Instead of Plane

New Orleans, April 7.—Commissioner K. M. Landis left here last night at 8:45 for Shreveport by train instead of by airplane as had been expected for the event which will be held in the chamber in 1919 but was postponed.

Habitual Elopers Welcomed Home by Forgiving Wife

South Bend, Ind., April 7.—Wilson W. Culp, 37, former Spring Valley, minister, father of ten children and one of the principals in two elopements in the past two years, is forgiven and is back home again.

Women in France Given Right to Vote in City Elections

Paris, April 7.—(AP)—The chamber of deputies this evening passed a bill giving women the right to vote in municipal elections and also making them eligible for municipal offices if elected.

French Cabinet Agrees on Details of Capital Levy

Paris, April 7.—(AP)—The cabinet finally agreed this morning on details of the capital levy, or forced loan which will be proposed to the chamber in the near future.

18 SCHOOLS TO PARTICIPATE IN REGIONAL MEET APRIL 11

Never in the history of the Coast has there been as many contestants with records equaling those made by persons entered at this meet as there is for the event which will be held Saturday afternoon.

\$200,000 Fire Blamed on Former Pals of Notorious Bandits

Stouenville, Mo., April 7.—That the Stanton Motor Company garage fire here this morning which resulted in an estimated loss of \$200,000 was started by a former pal of a notorious bandit, is the belief of city authorities.

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She Suffered For Taking Ride With Stranger

Georgetown, Ky., April 7.—Frances Pugh, 14, was in a serious condition at her home yesterday after an absence of three days during which she said she was held prisoner, starved and threatened with death.

When Buying Pickle—Ask For—AMERICAN PICKLE & CANNING COMPANY PICKLE

Made in Mississippi—None Better

GULFPORT GROCERY COMPANY Wholesale Distributors

BOOM STRIKES OCEAN SPRINGS

Real Estate Transactions Totalling Thousands of Dollars Reported Closed During Past Week.

Ocean Springs, April 7.—Real estate transactions totaling thousands of dollars have been closed during the past week or are now being negotiated. Beach property is in great demand and is bringing prices hitherto unknown in this section.

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BILOXI BECOMES LEADER OF STATE IN HOLDING MEETS

Truly, Biloxi has become the convention city of Mississippi and one of the best resorts of this type in the South. The latter condition is announced today. It is the Southeast Passenger Association and its membership includes general passenger agents and passenger traffic managers from all parts of the Southeast.

The headquarters for the Southeast Passenger Association, which will transact important matters affecting railroads, will be at the Buena Vista, which like other Biloxi hotels, will remain open throughout the Spring.

The program an entertainment were furthered yesterday by Frank Owen and Emery Brooks, L. & N. passenger agents of Biloxi; Col. J. W. Apperson and other hotel men; and the secretary of the Chamber of Commerce.

PLUMBERS PROGRAM OUT

Another important convention to be held during April is the Louisiana and Mississippi Association of Plumbers and Heating Dealers, a division of the National Association of Master Plumbers.

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BIG DEAL IN REAL ESTATE

Continued in Biloxi With Outside Capital Invested in Both Business and Residential Property.

The real estate boom continues on the Mississippi Coast with several big deals having been closed in Biloxi this week both in business and residential property, in which outside capital is being invested. Two big transactions reported were the sale of the J. W. Swetman property on Back Bay which was sold to United States Senator B. P. Harrison, and the Colbert Estate on Lamouze street in the business section which was sold to New Orleans capitalists.

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HEAVY FEDERAL ASSESSMENT

Government Files Income Tax Lien Against P. F. Martin and Wife for \$219,760.32.

On Monday, U. S. Collector of Revenue Donald filed in the federal court in Biloxi a notice of tax lien against Peter F. Martin and wife, Theda Z. Martin, Biloxi, for \$219,760.32, for unpaid income taxes for the years 1919 to 1924 inclusive. It is the largest ever filed in this division, and believed to be the largest filed in the southern district of Mississippi.

CHINESE CASE ARGUED TODAY

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