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## EIELSON BODY IS FOUND NEAR WRECK SCENE

**Famed Polar Aviator Died When His Plane Crashed On Frozen Lagoon In Far North**

FAIRBANKS, Alaska, Feb. 20.—(AP)—Word that the body of Carl Ben Eielson, noted polar flier, had been recovered from the wreckage of his plane 90 miles south-east of North Cape, Siberia, Tuesday, was wirelessed to Fairbanks last night by Joe Crosson, one of the American fliers who conducted the search for the lost explorer.

Eielson's body, together with that of Earl Bowdoin, his mechanic, were pinned against an arctic rock in the wreck. While recovering the bodies, the two fliers had been round more than 200 feet from the wreckage in the frozen plain and under ice, a foot of snow, the wind blowing about the spot nearly clear.

According to the letter found in the cockpit, which Eielson had written to his wife, when they reached the scene, he had been round more than 200 feet from the wreckage in the frozen plain and under ice, a foot of snow, the wind blowing about the spot nearly clear.

The committee, which was appointed by Governor Frank Murphy, has issued a statement that the wreckage of the plane, located Jan. 23, has been found more than 200 feet from the wreckage in the frozen plain and under ice, a foot of snow, the wind blowing about the spot nearly clear.

Eielson's body was located about 100 feet from the place where that of Bowdoin lay, indicating that their ship crashed with the effect of impact. Wreckage of the plane, located Jan. 23, has been found more than 200 feet from the wreckage in the frozen plain and under ice, a foot of snow, the wind blowing about the spot nearly clear.

A hearing party headed by Commander Silasine, Bowdoin's son, located Eielson's body and word of the discovery was taken to the Nome last night by telegraph.

The bodies were placed aboard

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## Submarine Issue Is Discussed At Navy Conference Recess

LONDON, Feb. 20.—(AP)—Although the work of the London naval conference was at a standstill today because of the sick adjournment voted yesterday, legal advisers of the various delegations, including the French, in an informed way began discussions of the submarine question.

The conversations were but the experts expected to go thoroughly into the problem. French sources said that no matter what government might be formed in France, the French naval position would remain as it has been from the beginning of the conference.

While participating in the conference only as observers, now the French are continuing their technical studies in view of the problems raised last week. Thus when a new delegation is appointed, France will be ready to continue the discussions.

As to the naval conference headquarters, today, everything was as quiet as a summer evening under the oak apple tree.

### TARIFF REPEAL NOT

PARIS, Feb. 20.—(AP)—Former Premier Tardieu late today definitely refused to accept a post in the cabinet, which Camille Chautemps, radical socialist leader, has been trying to form.

### TANKER PICKS UP 2

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—(AP)—The tanker Gulf Crest, arriving here today from Port Arthur, Texas, brought to port two negroes picked up February 17 from the disabled motor launch L. Jensen of West End, Bahama Islands.

### 6 STRIKERS ARRESTED

BOSTON, Feb. 20.—(AP)—A disturbance in which nearly 100 striking garment workers participated resulted in the arrest this morning of four women and two men.

### Attorney Held In Contempt By Judge

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Feb. 20.—(AP)—Prosecuting Attorney A. B. Cipriani was held in contempt of court and fined \$500 today by Judge Alvin McGeeher when he presented a motion that Judge McGeeher disqualify himself in the trial of Ben Caudle, state railroad commissioner, charged with bribery in connection with the passage by the last legislature of a long-term bill.

### STATE'S SAVANTS PROBE FLORIDA'S ECONOMIC SHAPE

**Legislators, County Commissioners Gather In Gainesville**

GAINESVILLE, Fla., Feb. 20.—(AP)—County commissioners and state legislators of Florida have gathered in the city to conduct an investigation of the state's economy and financial status.

Holding here a joint session yesterday and last night, members of the legislative committees adopted a resolution appointing a joint committee of 15 legislators to make a thorough investigation, study and analysis of the financial and economic needs and capacity of state, counties and cities and all other governmental agencies.

The committee is to present report with recommendations and proposed legislation "which will tend to afford relief from existing conditions in the state."

The senatorial chamber will be appointed by President J. J. Pritchett while the 14 house members attended the conference chose their representatives.

They were at large, John E. Mathews, Duval; S. P. B. Bledsoe, DeSoto; George C. Clegg, Franklin; Frank H. Butler, Putnam; S. W. Gifford, Santa Fe; Charles Turner, Taylor; R. L. Black, Alachua; D. J. Dunn, Hall; W. E. S. Jr., Tipton; Franklin; H. S. McKenzie, Putnam; B. Timmeller, Jr., Okeechobee.

Among the speakers at yesterday's conference were Governor E. C. Culver; John E. Mathews, Jacksonville; W. M. McLean, Leon county; E. C. Lewis, Gadsden county; and P. M. Moore, Okaloosa county, all members of the 1929 legislature; W. C. Sherman, Panama City, president of the Florida Owners Association; Fletcher; and Judge Daniel A. Hammock, of the Duval County circuit court, Jacksonville.

Attorney General Fred A. Davis was scheduled to be one of the speakers at a discussion of the county commissioners. After his speech, Senator George Clegg, of the legislature, may speak on the subject.

The application for a stay was made in a letter to the Governor which was signed by Arthur E. Fricker, Cincinnati; E. D. Ricketts, Cincinnati, and Almon M. Spiegel, former Cincinnati Municipal Judge, as counsel for the state. The judge, however, may probably speak later on the same time today.

The letter stated that the United States Supreme Court had not convened and February 20 and that it will be impossible to present the case before the date set for the annual session of the legislature.

Davis was convicted of the first degree murder of Mrs. Thomas in his first June 18. The then supreme court had affirmed the conviction.

### "Wets" Testify To Non-Enforcement Of Prohibition Law

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—(AP)—The wet members of the House in the non-enforcement law debate today, with testimony that the dry laws are not enforced in the city of St. Louis, Mo.

George H. Williams, a former United States senator from Missouri, told the committee which is considering a proposal to repeal the prohibition laws, that his state attorney at St. Louis, in representing the country of the international congress of universities in Hawaii, has been

positioned on the side of the wet members.

He made no difference what was said about prohibition. Williams continued, notwithstanding his position on the subject, he could not afford to let the local government of St. Louis, which has full charge of matters affecting the delinquent young he had been a close observer of the effects of prohibition in that territory.

### MURDERERS WANTED

TALLAHASSEE, Fla., Feb. 20.—(AP)—A reward of \$100 for the capture of the slayers of J. and Billie Highsmith, father and son, who were killed recently at Tampa, was offered today by Gov. Doyle E. Carlton, the governor said the civil authorities had been unable to arrest those responsible.

### FOUNDERS TO BE HONORED AT ROLLINS MEET

**Program Celebrates 45th Anniversary Of Founding Of Oldest College In Florida**

WINTER PARK, Fla., Feb. 20.—(AP)—The 45th anniversary of the founding of Rollins College, the oldest college in the state, will be observed Saturday morning with a breakfast meeting at 10 a.m. This week, a group of 150 guests, including President Hamlin Holt,

and a number of former students,

will be entertained by a luncheon at 12 noon.

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