

HER \$26,000
GEMS SEIZED

Judge in Case of Mrs. Dulles's Necklace Instructs Jury to Find for Government.

SHE WORE IT CONCEALED.

Justice Adams Said if Society Woman Had Carried It Openly He Might Have Directed Differently.

Mrs. Ida Harrison Dulles loses her beautiful \$26,000 pearl and diamond necklace. By the Court's decree Uncle Sam retains possession of the priceless jewels. They become the property of the Government, Judge Adams at the conclusion of the case to-day instructing the jury to find a verdict in favor of the Government. A big deputy marshal grabbed up the magnificent necklace from the clerk's desk and, quickly signing a receipt for the jewels, dashed with them out of the court-room two minutes after the verdict was rendered.

In a few minutes more the necklace, declared by the Court's stern dictum to be "forfeited," was lodged in a vault in the Treasury Department, there to remain until the appeal is heard. Mrs. Dulles pined when the Judge instructed the jury to find for the Government. Her eyes rested for a moment longingly on the necklace in its setting of dull yellow gold, and then tears appeared in her eyes. Mr. Nicolli turned to comfort her, saying:

"Never mind; we will appeal the case."
"Yes, indeed, you must appeal, Mr. Nicolli," almost sobbed Mrs. Dulles.
"I intended to pay the jury. I didn't try to defraud the Government. I just waited a few minutes to see my husband to ask his advice, but that man Theobald, who followed me all the way across the ocean as if I were a thief, came up and practically accused me. It is too bad. Yes, indeed, Mr. Nicolli, you must appeal."

"Find for the Government," Judge Adams's instruction to the jury follows:

"This case has assumed a phase which requires the Court to act. Mrs. Dulles came upon the stand. She is an intelligent woman. She knew that the necklace was subject to duty. Did she bring it as wearing apparel? Did she bring it in a package, where, if she overlooked it, perhaps, it would be found and properly classified and she would be relieved of this forfeiture? Or did she bring it in some other way?"

"As a matter of law, Section No. 82 disposes of the matter. Did she bring in her necklace fraudulently or knowingly? Did she advise the United States Government? She was in duty bound to take certain steps. Those steps were not taken."

"I have come to a decision. It may be erroneous. I cannot allow my sympathy to effect my decision in this case, and I direct you to find a verdict in favor of the United States Government."

Mr. Dulles on the Stand.
Her husband, Harrison Dulles, was called earlier in the day. He related his trip abroad with his wife and two children in July, 1901. He returned to America a few months before his wife. When she subsequently arrived on the Kronprinz Wilhelm he met her on the pier, after greeting her and while hastily scribbling a telegram to his wife's mother announcing Mrs. Dulles's safe arrival, Special Agent Theobald rushed up, saying:

"Mrs. Dulles, you have a pearl necklace, which you bought in Paris."
"Did Mrs. Dulles deny that she had purchased the necklace?" asked Mr. Nicolli.

"She did not emphatically do not."
"What did Theobald then say?"
"He said, 'Mrs. Dulles, you had better listen to this conversation.' He repeated that Mrs. Dulles had bought the necklace, but had not declared it to the Customs."
"Did Mrs. Dulles then say that she had the necklace?"

"Yes, she told Theobald that she had made the purchase, but that was only after she learned who Theobald really was."
"Was the cost of the necklace then discussed?"

"Told What Necklace Cost."
"Yes, Theobald asked what was the cost and Mrs. Dulles said \$26,000."
"Is it true as Theobald has testified that Mrs. Dulles admitted she had the necklace concealed somewhere on her person, and could not then produce it in this public place or the pier?"

"No, I saw the necklace of pearls through the open work of her shirt waist, and under the folds of her dress. She opened two buttons. The rest was easy. She could have done the same on the pier with as decency, but it was at Theobald's suggestion she went aboard the ship to do so."
"Mr. Dulles testified further that Mrs. Dulles gave the rope of pearls to Theobald, who placed the gems in his pocket."
"Mr. Theobald seemed to be very placid, then," continued the witness.

"He gave me this card, saying, 'I will make this matter as easy as I can for you. I will see you to-night at your hotel.'"

Thousands in Gems Recovered.
Arthur A. Coppel, New York banker, who lives at Milburn, N. J., has been notified that part of the \$10,000 worth of jewelry that was stolen from his residence on Oct. 10 has been recovered in Philadelphia. The thieves are still at large.

The Ladies' Mind.
On the Pennsylvania Special is a much appreciated feature in the equipment of this popular train.

MRS. DULLES, WHO LOST HER
\$26,000 PEARL NECKLACE



PAUL GREIGHTON
WINS AT 10 TO 1.

Lulu Marr, 5 to 1, Evening World's Selection for the Second Time, Beats Quite a Big Field.

BAD DAY FOR FAVORITES.

THE WINNERS.
FIRST RACE—Echo Date 1, Carroll D. 2, Gueswork 3.
SECOND RACE—Lulu Marr 1, Mount Hope 2, Mrs. Frank Foster 3.
THIRD RACE—Flying Jib 1, Watkins Overton 2, Sun Gold 3.
FOURTH RACE—Setauket 1, Calhoun 2, Barbara Fitzpatrick 3.
FIFTH RACE—Paul Greighton 1, Franzer 2, Atilla 3.
SIXTH RACE—Satire 1, Circus 2, Goswell 3.

(Special to The Evening World.)
EVENINGS RACE TRACK, Nov. 21.—The streak of charming weather still continues and the track to-day was nearly in its normal state. The fact that the new soil is almost all clay makes it very slow to dry out. The card was not one of much promise. There were two races on the programme that stood out and these promised to be the feature of the day in view of the lack of stakes. These were the third, a dash of seven furlongs for two-year-olds, and the sixth, a handicap at a mile and a furlong. The attendance was excellent. Washington people are slow to wake up, but the crowds increase gradually each day and President Howland predicts that next week will be a record-breaker. Betting was fairly good.

FIRST RACE.
Six furlongs.
Starters, whts., jocks, St. Hil. Fin. Betting.
Echodale, 102, Milburn 4 2 1/2 7 1/2
Carroll D., 92, E. Walsh 2 4 2 8
Gueswork, 99, Welborn 3 3 3 1/2 8 3/4
Frank Kenny, 98, Barbee 2 1/2 4 1/2 5 1/2
Masket, 97, Puley 1 1/2 2 1/2 3 1/2
Andratus, 89, Hurley 9 9 6 1/2 8 3/4
Alpaca, 92, McCaffery 1 1/2 2 1/2 3 1/2
Cavalier, 89, O'Brien 1 1/2 2 1/2 3 1/2
Brandy Smash, 94, Farley 18 18 12 12
Shandonoid, 94, Kinck 5 5 10 20
Shandonoid, 95, Ryer 11 11 11 11
Basta, 102, Hughes 12 12 12 12
The Cuckoo, 108, Blair 10 10 13 20
Neither One, 92, Cantwell 17 16 14 10
Higgins, 97, Jones 13 13 15 10
Military, 97, T. Hillard 14 14 16 10
Jack McGinn, 91, H. 16 17 17 20
Callahan, 91, 16 17 17 20
Blanket, 100, R. Brown 15 15 16 20
Start poor. Non driving. Time—1:16.3-5.
Frank Kenny made the running with Echodale until the stretch was reached, where Frank Kenny quit. In the run home Carroll D. and Gueswork closed on Echodale, and in a hot drive Echodale won.

"DEATH FAR OFF."—LEO XIII.

Pontiff Refers Jocularly to Rumors of His Illness.
ROME, Nov. 21.—At a reception of 500 Piedmontese pilgrims this morning the Pope jocularly referred to the rumors yesterday of his indisposition, adding: "My time has not yet come. We have many things to do before death."
"Black & White" suits men that know—if you know Scotch the better you like it.

Of Interest to Women.
A competent ladies' maid renders her services to lady patrons of the Pennsylvania Special on route between New York and Chicago.

LILY VOORHIS
TOOK POISON.

Daughter of Brooklyn Yacht Club Commodore. Now an Actress, Tries to Die, but Will Recover.

WIFE OF COL. G. W. L. ON.

She Is in the Prison Ward of Bellevue, Where She Admitted Having Taken Morphine with Suicidal Intent.

Mrs. Lillian Constance Voorhis-Lyon, the former society matron who was married to Col. George W. Lyon, at one time Surveyor of the Port, and who more recently has been a singer in a comic-opera chorus, is recovering in the prison ward of Bellevue Hospital from the effects of a dose of 100 half-grain tablets of morphine, taken during "stress of trouble" in her room in the Murray Hill Hotel.

If her condition permits she will be arraigned to-morrow on a charge of attempting to commit suicide.
Miss Voorhis—she assumed her maiden name after the separation from her husband four years ago—was taken from the hotel to the hospital early this morning, when unconscious. After seven hours of strenuous work on the part of the doctors she recovered consciousness sufficiently to make this statement to Supt. Michael Rickard, of the hospital:

"I am Lillian Constance Voorhis, the daughter of Commodore Voorhis. Of course, I am in trouble. I took 100 half-grain tablets of morphine. Yes, I've been on the stage, but I will not tell with what companies or anything about it. Yes, I was married to a man named Lyon, but he is dead now, so what is the use of talking about that?"

Too Weak to Question.
As she was still very weak, the doctors thought they had better question her further. She was permitted to rest.

"She is the prettiest woman I remember ever having seen in this place," said Supt. Rickard, "seemingly demure and modest, she has great dark eyes, and her prettily formed face is surmounted with a wealth of lustrous hair. I should think she is about twenty-seven or twenty-eight years old. Not more than that. She has evidently suffered much, but she has great dark eyes, and I doubt if she will reveal it. She is content to keep her secret to herself."

The late Commodore Voorhis, of the Brooklyn Yacht Club, was the owner of the yacht Madeleine, which was the fourth successful defender of the America's Cup, defeating the British yacht Countess of Dufferin, in the races of 1876.

His family was one of the fashionable summer colony at Newport and they entered the most exclusive circles. It was in that social atmosphere that Lillian Constance, or Constance Lillian, as she was then known, was reared.

In 1885, when she was twenty years old, she was married to Col. George W. Lyon, a prominent lawyer, and interested in politics. The wedding was one of the features of the society calendar. Later Lyon became Surveyor of the Port of New York.

Had Husband Arrested.
Mrs. Lyon started society three years after her marriage, but during the arrest of her husband on a charge of abandonment, Magistrate Deuel, who heard the case, awarded her only \$5 a week maintenance. Lyon now holds an important Government position in the Philippines.

A year ago Miss Voorhis, who had gone back to her maiden name, entered the chorus of Powers' "San Toy" company and made her debut at the Harlem Opera-House. At that time she said:

"I am starting at the bottom, but I will reach the top. I have the ability and I will succeed."
Her family had given her an excellent musical education and with a naturally sweet voice she made an impression, even in the chorus.

Mysterious Man Calls.
A man stylishly attired, bearing every indication of refinement, but evident laboring under a severe mental strain, called at the hospital.

He said he had heard that a young woman suffering from morphine poisoning had been taken there and he wished to see her. While speaking with Capt. McCauley, in charge of the night watch, the Captain observed that the man bore a remarkable resemblance to the young woman. Their features, eyes, hair and manner were identical.

The woman evidently arrived in the city at the Grand Central Station about 9 o'clock last night. She went direct to the Manhattan Hotel, a block from the station, and without asking for a room, she went to the telephone booth and called a room. This was considered peculiar, as the Murray Hill Hotel is as close to the station as is the Manhattan Hotel.

After telephoning she called a cab and drove to the Murray Hill Hotel, two blocks away. She was taken at once to Room 201 on the second floor, front, and from there she sent a bellboy to the office with a verbal message to the clerk to register her as "L. C. Voorhis, New York City."
A new trunk and two trunks were later received and were installed in her room.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.
Take Laxative Broom Quinine Tablets. All druggists return the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box.

MISS LILLIAN C. VOORHIS,
WHO TOOK POISON IN VAIN.



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POISON ERROR
COSTS TWO LIVES

Clerk Put Cyanide of Potassium by Mistake Into Some Castor Oil, and Woman and Child Were Killed.

HE IS NOW UNDER ARREST.

As the result of a mistake of a youth employed in a drug store at No. 105 Ninth avenue, Jousa Vinca, sixty years of age and her six-months-old grandchild, Josie Caputa, of No. 68 West Sixteenth street, are dead from cyanide of potassium poisoning.

Louis Caputa, a street sweeper, lives at the Sixteenth address with his wife and family. Mrs. Vinca was his wife's mother. She took care of the children and helped with the work around the house.

Mr. Caputa sent her little daughter Mary to the drug store, which is owned by Theodore Leneburg, last night, with instructions to get ten cents' worth of castor oil and almond oil mixed.

When the child returned Mrs. Caputa could detect no odor of almonds in the mixture in the bottle and sent an older daughter, Vincenza, back to the drug store. A youth who was on duty asked her what the trouble was, and when told that the oil of almonds had not been mixed with the castor oil said he would fix it. He did.

The grandmother gave little Josie a dose of the mixture to-day and took a dose herself. In a few minutes both were in frightful agony. Mrs. Caputa called a policeman, who summoned Dr. Shea, of No. 333 West Fourteenth street. When the doctor arrived the old woman was dead. He did what he could for the baby, but it died in St. Vincent's Hospital.

An examination of the oil showed that the drug clerk, instead of mixing almond oil with the castor oil, mixed cyanide of potassium with it.

The clerk is William J. Rogers, of No. 362 West Nineteenth street. He is eighteen years of age, and says he does not remember selling anything to the Caputa girl.

JEROME BREAKS WITH GODDARD
AND WARS ON ANTI-POLICY MAN

The hitherto friendly relations existing between District Attorney Jerome and Capt. Goddard's Anti-Policy Society were broken to-day.

Mr. Jerome proposes to make a sweeping investigation of the Society's methods of conducting their cases. Disclosures are expected in connection with the charging of witness fees.

Several policy men were before Judge Foster this afternoon and Mr. Jerome advised the men to plead guilty. Mr. Blainy, counsel for the Goddard Society, openly sneered at the public prosecutor. "If you don't stop making remarks," said Mr. Jerome, "I will call upon Judge Foster to have you put out of the court-room."
Judge Foster ordered an investigation of a charge that Blainy had struck Supt. McFarlane for not making out a strong case.

LATE RESULTS AT LATONIA.

Third Race—Secundus 1, Facade 2, Kunja 3.
Fourth Race—Handvice 1, Tatar 2, Islip 3.
Fifth Race—Past Master 1, Quality Street 2, Doc Wood 3.
Sixth Race—Flaneur 1, King Barleycorn 2, King's Pet 3.

COAL OPERATORS
SUDDENLY CHECK
STRIKE INQUIRY.

Reported that a Plan Has Been Agreed Upon to Settle All Differences Without the Intervention of the President's Arbitration Commission Which Is Now in Session

Ten Per Cent. Increase in Wages and an Adjustment at Each Mine of Other Grievances Said to Be the Basis Upon Which It Will Be Sought to End Controversy Without Delay.

(Special to The Evening World.)
SCRANTON, Nov. 21.—It seems almost a certainty now that the differences between the coal miners and operators will be settled without further intervention on the part of the Arbitration Commission. This statement is made on the authority of one of the chief attorneys for the mine owners, who says that such a plan is now under discussion.
Such a report was insistently circulated early in the day, but not much attention was paid to it until just before adjournment this afternoon Judge Gray said:

JUDGE GRAY'S REMARKS.

"The Commission hope that an effort will be made by the parties to come to an agreement on nearly all, if not all, the matters now in controversy, and that they will adopt the suggestion heretofore made by the Commission to counsel on both sides that we aid them in such an effort by our conciliatory offices.

"It seems to us that many of the conditions complained of and which have been the subject and study of our examinations might be better remedied by the parties to the controversy approaching the subject in a proper spirit and with the purpose of fairly adjusting them. We hope, gentlemen, that the interval of time to be granted may be availed of with this end in view. Of course, in the mean time we shall proceed with the work before us as we have begun it."

Even then both sides to the controversy declined to discuss the matter, but late in the afternoon it was admitted that a meeting might be held in this city to-night at which the whole question would be gone over.

The plan now proposed, it is said, is for a 10 per cent. increase in wages and a fair adjustment of the other grievances would be fixed upon.

MITCHELL NOT TALKING.

President Mitchell would not be interviewed, but it was learned that Attorney Ross, for the Lackawanna, had made a hurried trip to New York to consult with President Trusdale. This was backed by the statement that Wayne MacVeagh had already a number of conferences with the chief operators and their representatives, at which a plan for settling the whole trouble had been fixed upon.

It is at least sure, so it is said, that all minor differences will be arranged and that if the Commission does go on it will be simply to settle the main contentions.

WAS IT MR. BAER'S INTERFERENCE?
ROBBED MAYBE AND THROWN IN RIVER.

President Walter Won't Admit that He Resented Activity of Man Who May Succeed Him.

Body of Unidentified Elderly Man Found in the Harlem with Clothing Torn.

President Alfred Walter, of the Lehigh Valley Railroad, whose resignation will take effect on the last day of this month, is expected to make a statement of his position within a few days. At present, however, he declines to speak of the reasons for his resignation or of the incidents of the stormy meeting of the Board of Directors in Philadelphia on Wednesday.

Mr. Walter is not permitting the troubled affairs of the Lehigh Valley to interfere with the horseback ride which it has long been his custom to take every morning. The fine weather tempted him to ride longer than usual this morning, and it was well toward noon when he left his home, at No. 33 West Seventy-third street, and went to his office, at No. 28 Cortlandt street.

To a representative of the Evening World he said to-day that he had nothing whatever to add at present to what has already been published concerning the troubles in the Lehigh Valley.

"Was the difference of opinion which led to your resignation with President Baer, of the Reading, in particular?" he was asked.

"I will say nothing about that," he replied.

It has been reported that the recent activity of Mr. Baer in Lehigh affairs aroused Mr. Walter's resentment. The friction is said to have grown steadily and to have culminated in the dissolution that nearly broke up the meeting of the directors Wednesday. It is also rumored that Mr. Baer was supported in his opinions on the Lehigh management by J. Pierpont Morgan, and that he will be President Walter's successor, holding the presidencies of both roads in further promotion of the community of interest between them.

There will be another meeting of the directors the first Wednesday in December, when, it is supposed, the new president will be named.

MAIL NOT STOPPED.

Post Office Has Not Interfered with Imperial Typewriter Company.

The statement published in the Evening World that Inspector Brown, of the Post Office Department, had ordered all mail addressed to the Imperial Typewriter Company, No. 123 Liberty street, to be marked "Fraudulent" and returned to the sender, was incorrect.

Inspector Brown suggested that certain statements in the advertisements of the company were liable to be misconstrued, but these errors were corrected promptly by the company.

RUSSIAN EXPLORER CUT OFF.

Baron Toll Shut in by Winter in Siberia.

LONDON, Nov. 21.—A special despatch from St. Petersburg announces that Baron Toll, who is exploring the Siberian coast line, has been shut out from the coast by early winter in the region of the Lena river. No anxiety is felt for his safety.