

EVIL CONDITIONS IN ORPHANS' HOME FOUND BY CITY INVESTIGATOR

Doherty Tells What He Saw in Asylum for Colored Children in Riverdale.

William J. Doherty, Deputy Commissioner of Public Charities, when he again took the stand to-day before Commissioner Charles H. Strong, charity investigator, who is holding his hearings at the Bar Association, took up the Colored Orphan Asylum, in West Two Hundred and Fifty-ninth Street, Riverdale. This is a cottage type institution and is Protestant in faith.

There were 145 boys and 48 girls when the city made its first inspection. Most of the inmates were sent there by the city. The institution got \$25,215 from the city in 1914.

Officially the institution was black-listed by the city, but children had to be sent there as there was no other place for little colored protestants in town.

"We were surprised to find that the children spent most of their time, even when studying, in the kitchen," said Mr. Doherty.

"That's the proper place for them," the superintendent told the investigator when the condition was brought to her attention. "That's where most of them will have to spend their lives when they go away from here."

"The housekeeping methods were slack," Mr. Doherty testified. "The beds were encrusted with dust, the bed linen was soiled and there were soiled nightgowns even in the hospital. The plumbing was out of order. The beds were springless and the children had to sleep even when sick on tin pads over the hard bed frames."

"One of the cottages used the shower baths for punishing the boys. When they were good they were able to escape baths. No handkerchiefs were used in any of the cottages, and napkins and toothbrushes were often dispensed with."

TOO EASY WITH GUNMEN.

Judge Mulqueen's View of Bail for Gangsters Accepted by Magistrates. Judge Mulqueen, in General Sessions, to-day scored the practice of City Magistrate of setting low bail in the cases of gunmen arranged before them. The remarks were called forth at the arraignment of Morris Chait, twenty-three years old, on a charge of attempted murder. He had been held in \$2,500 bail by Magistrate Krotel in the Essex Market Police Court, and when the arraignment was made to continue this bail after Chait had pleaded not guilty to an indictment Judge Mulqueen said:

"Possibly, sometime, I hope that City Magistrates will come to the realization that it is time that gunmen were prevented from terrorizing merchants in crowded sections of the city by shooting them up if they refuse to pay tribute to gangs. The bail in this case is set at \$25,000."

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MARTYR TO BELIEF IN CHRISTIAN SCIENCE, WOMAN IS SUICIDE

Rich Relatives Deny Male Caller Who Found Miss De Baun Dead Is Cousin.

A recluse because her adherence to Christian Science had estranged her from wealthy relatives who are Methodists, Miss Lavinia De Baun is believed to have collapsed under the strain of worry and bodily illa. She was found dead from gas poisoning in her apartment in the rear of the Christian Science Reading Room, at No. 198 Main Street, Hackensack, N. J., last night by a man who came to call on her, who described himself as a cousin, Walter Boyd of No. 165 West Sixtieth Street, Manhattan.

Relatives to-day said they do not know Miss De Baun's cousin. They do not know him. Hudson County officials are endeavoring to find out a person who called on her and to identify the police of Miss De Baun's death.

Miss De Baun, who was 60 years old, was a member of one of the best known families in Hackensack. She was a niece of Abraham De Baun, a wealthy lawyer, and George De Baun, a merchant of Hackensack. She was the Methodist Reformed Church 22 years ago to take up Christian Science. She supported herself until a few weeks ago by selling cosmetics.

A month ago Miss De Baun became companion to an elderly woman and went to St. Petersburg, Fla. A disagreement arose and she left the woman there. Her sister, Mary, was in St. Petersburg with friends at the time and she gave Miss Lavinia money to return North. Friends say the woman had been in financial straits since and suffered from neurasthenia.

When the police were called in they found the woman had placed a tube from a gas stove close to her face. She had been dead several hours.

NORTH GERMAN LLOYD WINS AGAINST BANKERS Damage Suits Brought Because Liner Cecille Failed to Deliver Gold Cargo Are Dismissed.

BOSTON, Feb. 2.—The four suits brought by the Guaranty Trust Company, the National City Bank and Charles W. Rantoul Jr. of New York and Maurice Hanssens of Brussels against the North German Lloyd Steamship Company to recover more than \$2,000,000 in damages because the steamer Kronprinzessin Cecille failed to complete her voyage to France and England, just before the outbreak of the war, were dismissed to-day.

The steamer was carrying a consignment of gold, and fearing capture, put into port at San Harbor, Me., and was laid up in Boston.

The suit for damages was based on prospective losses due to non-delivery of the gold.

WANTS INTERBOROUGH TO SELL POWER TO B. R. T. Chairman Straus Makes Suggestion to Shonts Regarding Subway Trains in Dual System.

Chairman Oscar S. Straus of the Public Service Commission wrote to Theodore P. Shonts, President of the Interborough Rapid Transit Company, to-day asking him to consider a proposition to supply the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company with electric power necessary for the operation of subway trains under the dual subway contracts.

The attention of Mr. Shonts is called to the fact that the Interborough is now selling direct current to a number of companies at the rate of one-half cent a kilowatt hour and alternating current at the rate of three-quarters of a cent a kilowatt.

Mr. Straus made this suggestion because under the dual system contracts the B. R. T. may suspend for ten years the construction of new power houses and contract with some other company for the purchase of electric current. The Interborough will have enough surplus power, it is said, to operate the subways which the B. R. T. is to run under the dual system.

MAY AVOID COURT TRIAL IN SHONTS SEPARATION Financial Settlement Expected in Action Brought by Wife Against Interborough President.

Mrs. Theodore P. Shonts, wife of the President of the Interborough Rapid Transit Company, has brought action for a separation. If a satisfactory financial adjustment, which is expected, cannot be agreed upon, the case will be forced to trial, it is said.

Mr. and Mrs. Shonts have not been living together for some time, having agreed upon a separation. Mrs. Shonts is making her home at the Clarendon Hotel, No. 55 East Fifty-eighth Street, with her daughters, the Duchesse de Chauines and Miss Marguerite Shonts. Mr. Shonts makes his home at the Plaza Hotel.

Mrs. Shonts referred inquirers to her attorney, former Judge William M. K. O'Connell, who declined to discuss the action. Mr. Shonts had nothing to say.

Mrs. Shonts was formerly Miss Harriet Amelia Drake, daughter of Gov. Drake of Iowa. The couple were married in 1882.

SAYS TEIPER ADMITS OWNING PISTOL USED IN DOUBLE MURDER

District Attorney Declares He at First Denied Having Weapon Found at Crime Scene.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 2.—John Edward Teiper, detained in connection with the Orchard Park tragedy, admits the ownership of the revolver found seventy-five feet from the automobile in the Orchard Park Road, according to an announcement by District Attorney Dudley to-day.

He said he bought the weapon ten days ago and at first denied ownership. The admission came after the ownership had been traced.

Following the double funeral to-day of Mrs. Agnes Teiper and her son Frederick C. Teiper who were murdered on the Orchard Park, Sunday, important developments are predicted in official circles. John Teiper, who was with his mother and brother on the automobile ride which culminated in their deaths will be present at both the house and church services and will be accompanied by a Detective Sergeant and a Deputy Sheriff.

It was reported that after the funeral Teiper would be detained for further examination by the District Attorney. He spent the night with his wife and three children at the home of his father-in-law in this city.

A Detective Sergeant was on guard at the house serving the justice. The condition of George J. Teiper, was reported as much improved and some hope was held out that he might recover from her injuries. She had two brief lucid spells during the night, but declined to discuss the tragedy or to tell who struck her.

John Y. McKane Lieutenant Dead. John McCready, sixty years old, of No. 3717 West Third Street, Coney Island, a watchman at the Gravesend race track, died last night in his kitchen of one of the stables this morning. Boys preparing to exercise the horses found his body. Death was caused by heart weakness. McCready was a close friend and political lieutenant of the late John Y. McKane.

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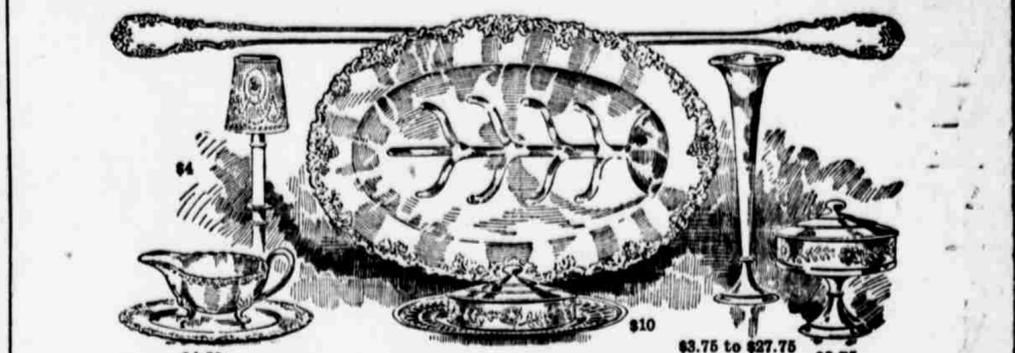
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