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N. Y. TROOPS TO GO SOUTH SATURDAY

Mrs. King's Brothers Act to Clear Death Mystery

NEW YORK TROOPS TO LEAVE FOR SPARTANBURG SATURDAY, 2,000 MEN ALREADY ON WAY

All Infantry Regiments of Twenty-seventh Division Will Go at Once.

NEWS CHEERS SOLDIERS.

Headquarters Force, Hospital Companies and Others Start for Southern Camp.

The infantry regiments now in New York, composing the infantry unit of the Twenty-seventh Division, will leave for Camp Wadsworth, at Spartanburg, S. C., on Saturday. This was an official announcement from the colonels of the regiments to the meetings of captains held to-day.

The infantry regiments now in armories or in camp in this city which will entrain on Saturday are the Seventh, Twelfth, Seventy-first, Fourteenth, Twenty-third, First, Second and Third. About 2,000 men, comprising the headquarters force, the military police, the field bakery, four field hospital companies, four ambulance companies and two sections of ammunition trains, left for Spartanburg to-day.

No orders have been received concerning the Fifteenth, Forty-seventh and Tenth Regiments, which are not included in the tactical Twenty-seventh Division.

Information as to the time and place of the departure of the troops on Saturday has been withheld and probably will not be made public.

While the formal ceremonies marking the start of the New York troops for the front were held last Thursday the streets of the city have been thronged since that time with men on leave from camps and armories. Broadway last night was jammed with soldiers enjoying their last view of the white lights.

After Saturday the sight of khaki on the streets of New York will be rare. The Fifteenth Regiment is on guard duty at Yaphank and Wrightstown and may not return to New York in a body. Except for the depot battalions the armories of the city will be deserted. The great camp at Van Cortlandt Park will be a waste next Sunday.

News that orders had been received to proceed to the Southern camp was circulated through the various regiments this afternoon and aroused great rejoicing. The boys are getting a little stale after the great send-off of last Thursday.

None of the regiments ordered to Spartanburg is recruited up to the full strength required by the new regulations—3,600 men and seventy-five officers. They will have to be filled up at Spartanburg.

Information received from Spartanburg to-day is that the camp will be in readiness for the boys when they arrive there next Monday.

POINCARÉ SEES PERSHING.

French President and Other Officials Visit American Forces. PARIS, Sept. 6.—President Poincaré, Paul Painlevé, the Secretary of War, and Gen. Petain, the French commander in chief, visited the headquarters of the American Army to-day. They were received by Major Gen. Pershing, commander of the American forces, with whom they inspected the training camp. President Poincaré reviewed the American troops. He said he had selected this date for his visit because it was a double anniversary, of the birth of Lafayette

REFUSES TO TELL GRAND JURORS OF LAND DEAL CHECK

Greve, of Neponsit Co., Said to Admit Testimony Would Tend to Incriminate Him.

William M. Greve, Vice President of the Neponsit Realty Company, which sold the Seaside Park site at West Rockaway to the city for \$1,250,000, told District Attorney Swann's assistants, Black and Kilroe, to-day that he would refuse to produce for the Grand Jury which is investigating alleged fraud in connection with that sale, vouchers showing how \$1,250 of the money received from the city was spent.

District Attorney Swann has possession of a check for that amount drawn by Greve as Vice President of the Neponsit Realty Company to his (Greve's) own order.

"On what ground do you refuse to produce these vouchers?" the prosecutors asked Mr. Greve.

"If I produced them," replied Greve, according to the Assistant District Attorney, "they would tend to incriminate me."

It was learned on the beat of authority that Greve had accounted for the money received from the city in payment of the 243 acres comprising the Seaside Park site from the city, with the exception of about \$2,000, including the check for \$1,250, which check is endorsed "for special services."

District Attorney Swann showed the check to Greve. It bore the date of June 10, 1913, and was drawn on the Title Guarantee and Trust Company. It was deposited the same day by Greve to his own account in the City Exchange Bank.

BAILEY DENIES REFUSING TO PRODUCE "DUMMY."

Frank Bailey, Vice President of the Title Guarantee and Trust Company, and referred to as the financial backer of ex-Senator William H. Reynolds, was before the Grand Jury again to-day. To newspaper reporters he denied he had refused to produce before the Grand Jury Adelaide Roberts, the dummy in the Neponsit deal. He declared he had no intention to thwart the District Attorney in his efforts to interrogate the woman.

"I have the permission of the Grand Jury," Mr. Bailey said, "to say that I wrote to my brother Samuel U. Bailey, in Maine, to get Miss Roberts to come here. I testified yesterday that I had already written my brother on Tuesday to that effect."

The report on the Rockaway Park deal was prepared in 1911 in the office of Edward F. Boyle, who at that time was chief examiner for the then Aldermanic President who then was John Purroy Mitchell, now Mayor.

This developed to-day following a statement by Tilden Adamson, director of the Bureau of Contract Supervision, denying a published story that he (Adamson) had drawn the original option for the sale of Rockaway Park to the city. In this statement Mr. Adamson said the report dealing with the property was approved, because in unity of action there is no suppression; but, on the contrary, it is the highest expression of freedom.

TELL OF 10 SLAIN BY U BOAT.

A series of thrilling experiences with German submarines and the rescue of twenty-one members of the crew of the French bark Magdalene, sunk by a submarine, were told by the crew of an Italian ship which looked at an American port to-day.

Ten of the Magdalene's crew were killed and nine were wounded by shell fire. The rescue took place when the ship was about 120 miles southeast of the Azores.

New Inquiry Into Auto Tragedy Begun by Mrs. King's Brothers

Wealthy Woman, Strangely Shot Dead, Planned to Wed Again, Say Her Friends.

MEANS RECEIVED GIFTS.

Chicago Lawyer Tells of Seeing Supposed New Will of First Husband.

CHICAGO, Sept. 6.—The inquest into the death of Mrs. Maude A. King, widow of James C. King, Chicago millionaire, who was mysteriously shot while with an automobile party near Concord, N. C., a week ago, may be re-opened at the request of her brothers, Paul and William Robinson of Morrison, Ill.

The brothers came to Chicago to-day to consult an attorney. They are alleged to have learned of strange circumstances under which Mrs. King lived for a year prior to her death.

According to their information, she was practically a recluse in a fashionable Chicago hotel much of the time and was constantly in fear that enemies had designs upon her life.

The brothers also were desirous of knowing how a revolver came to be in possession of one of the automobile party, since Mrs. King's fear of firearms amounted to practically an obsession. The disposal of her property, estimated at \$2,000,000, is not known here.

MRS. KING SHOT BEHIND THE LEFT EAR.

Discovery that Mrs. King was contemplating marriage at the time she started on the motor trip which ended in her death, and announcement that the wound causing death was behind the left ear, add to the mystery that was created by the fact that Mrs. King's ankle was broken when she was found.

Close friends of Mrs. King declared to-day that she had told them shortly before leaving New York of her intention to become the wife of a distant cousin whom she had known from childhood.

Many particulars concerning the influence alleged to have been exercised by Gaston Bullock Means over Mrs. King and her sister, Mrs. Mary C. Melvin, are furnished by those who knew the sisters intimately. To both of the women he was "Bud," and in recent months it appeared possible for either of them to do the simplest thing without consulting "Bud." To them "Bud's" opinion on any subject was final. Means acted as Mrs. King's secretary and was a member of the automobile party at the time of the tragedy.

GIFT OF \$10,000 RING TO MEANS RECALLED.

None of those who were close to Mrs. King and Mrs. Melvin can say whether Means received a salary from Mrs. King. They know he moved from a \$25 a month flat to the handsome \$3,500 apartment at No. 1155 Park Avenue, and they know also that he received many gifts, including a diamond ring valued at \$1,000, and that another equally valuable diamond ring was given to Mrs. Means when her baby was born.

Mrs. King had told several friends that for the first service rendered for her she had given Means \$5,000. This service was the checking up of Mrs. King's securities in the Woodruff Trust Company in Chicago, when she determined to close her account with that institution. She asserted that by the care which he exercised in this matter, Means had recovered for her \$10,000 she had not expected to receive, and told her friends that she "had gone fifty-fifty with Bud."

Two causes combined to impress



Mrs. Maude A. King, Victim in Mysterious Auto Tragedy.

HITCH IN DUKE'S WEDDING TO MRS. VAN VALKENBURG

Bride-to-Be Refuses to Disclose Extent of Her Wealth, as Required by Portuguese Law.

ROME, Sept. 6.—An obstacle to the marriage of the Duke of Oporto and Mrs. Van Valkenburg, wealthy American widow, developed to-day when Mrs. Van Valkenburg flatly refused to disclose the amount of her wealth.

The Duke and his prospective bride appeared before the Portuguese Minister and Consul here to comply with that part of the Portuguese marriage law which requires a "nuptial declaration," part of this law insists on a statement from the bride-to-be as to her financial standing.

It developed to-day that the Duke, who is a Portuguese citizen, had formally asked permission of his royal relatives to wed the American. King Victor Emmanuel of Italy, who was asked by courtesy for an opinion on such an alliance, was understood to have replied in effect, that it wasn't any of his business. Ex-King Manuel of Portugal, now in London, is reported to have replied in a letter: "You probably need a companion."

CHICAGO'S MAYOR SUES.

Wants \$250,000 From Paper Which Criticized His Pacifist Stand. CHICAGO, Sept. 6.—Mayor Thompson to-day filed a praecipe in a suit for \$250,000 damages against the Chicago Herald Company and James Kusley, the publisher. The Herald among others has vigorously criticized the Mayor's anti-war attitude.

\$235,000,000 IS ASKED FOR NEW DESTROYERS

Revised Estimates Submitted to Congress by Secretary of the Navy.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 6.—Two hundred and thirty-five million dollars for torpedo-boat destroyers was asked of Congress in revised estimates submitted to-day by Secretary Daniels.

DRAFT REVEALS GIRL OF 15 HAD TWO HUSBANDS

Brooklyn Miss Held for Secret Marriages—Parents Astonished by Charges.

Gertrude Goodstein, fifteen years old, was held by the Children's Society in Brooklyn to-day on a charge of juvenile delinquency pending investigation. Back of this are allegations that the demure lass has married two young men without the knowledge of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Goodstein of No. 347 Dumont Avenue, Brownsville. According to the stories of the investigators she married Joseph Kaplan in Philadelphia a year ago and returned to her home shortly afterward.

Kaplan was called by the draft, but claimed exemption on the ground that he was married. It was when the draft officials were looking up Kaplan's story that they discovered the young woman had on July 8 of this year been married to Dominic de Berardino of No. 112 Bergen Street, Brooklyn, by Joseph V. Sully, marriage license clerk. At that time she swore this was her first marriage and that she was nineteen years old. Her parents were astonished when the charges were made to-day.

GERMAN FLEET ENDANGERS RUSSIAN NAVY AT CRONSTADT AND FLEEING LAND FORCES

Petrograd Admits Further Retirement and Berlin Reports Tell of Advance Along the Dwina Thirty-Eight Miles Beyond Riga.

BIG NEUTRAL LINER HELD UP HERE AND 700 GET FARE BACK

Oscar II. Detained as She Is About to Sail With Passengers and General Cargo.

The Scandinavian-American Line returned to-day to 700 passengers who had booked passage on the steamship Oscar II. for Christiania and Copenhagen the money paid for their tickets with the explanation that the line had failed to receive permission from the United States Government to leave an American port. The Oscar II. was to have sailed last Saturday.

There had been put aboard the liner a large general cargo. The Export Administrative Board at Washington has decreed that no cargoes shall be taken to neutral countries adjacent to or in communication with Germany before Jan. 1.

The explanation given by the line to delayed passengers is that the company has been unable to obtain a Government license to load bunker coal. The real explanation is, according to Government officials, that the Government has decided, under a ruling of the Export Board, that the cargo of the Oscar II. shall not be permitted to go to Norway and Denmark.

Halvor Jacobsen, secretary and treasurer of the line, said to-day that he had been unable to get any assurance in Washington as to when the Oscar II. would be allowed to leave the United States.

The line has been feeding the passengers who went aboard Saturday and the officials felt that they could not afford to maintain a floating boarding house in an Atlantic port for an indefinite period.

FOOD BOARD SELECTED WITH PERKINS AT HEAD

Governor Ready to Send Nominations for State Commission to Legislature.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Aug. 6.—Gov. Whitman, who is here attending the exposition, announced to-day that when the Legislature reassembled late to-day it would receive from him the nominations for the State Food Commission. These will be named: George W. Perkins, New York; Jacob Gould Schurman, President of Cornell University; Ithaca, and Charles Wieting, formerly State Commissioner of Agriculture, Unhillskill.

The Governor was the guest of honor at the annual horse show luncheon given at noon to-day by Mr. and Mrs. Warren Whitney and later he attended the horse show.