

DEVER AND CASSIDY HEAD ROCKAWAY REBELS

Mills Tells Delegation That Section Must Make Agreement with City Albany, Feb. 20.—"Big Bill" Devery, former chief of police of New York City, and Joseph Cassidy, former Borough President of Queens County, who were recently released from Comstock prison and later restored to citizenship, were conspicuous in a delegation of residents of the Rockaways who came to Albany to-day to urge the passage of the McGinnis bill to separate them from the greater New York City.

DUCKS MAY COST PHIPPS \$15,000

Philanthropist's Son Is Accused of Trapping Wild Birds SNARES SEIZED ON HIS L. I. ESTATE Keeper on Wantagh Place Also Caught in Game Protector Raid Henry Carnegie Phipps, whose father, Henry Phipps, widely known as a philanthropist, was a partner of Andrew Carnegie, may have to pay more than \$15,000 in fines for wild ducks seized yesterday on his preserve at Wantagh, on the South Shore of Long Island, and alleged to have been trapped.

SHORTAGE OF \$190,000 CHARGED TO LAWYER AFTER HIS DEATH

John C. R. Eckerson Took Funds from Denham and Snyder Estates. It Is Alleged - Watch Kept on Preserve For several weeks the preserve of Mr. Phipps has been under the surveillance of the Conservation Commission. Mr. Phipps had a brood of mallards to raise and sell domesticated mallard and game black duck. Belmer Stenburgh, a game protector, who was sent to Wantagh to trap the ducks, was charged with the task. Mr. Phipps' caretaker, not only showed him how the trap worked, but suggested that Stenburgh build one and go into the duck farming business.

PLAN FOR ROOFING WEST SIDE YARDS URGED AT HEARING

R. P. Bolton's Riverside Drive Suggestion Called Constructive by Mayor The Board of Estimate for three hours yesterday heard opponents of the West Side improvement plans in a session devoid of the sharp tilts of Monday. Representatives of property owners bordering Riverside Drive north of 135th Street, near the proposed Manhattan railroad yards, offered numerous objections to their establishment as provided under the contract.

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SUNDAY CONVERT HEARD BY SOCIETY

Al Saunders Talks to 200 Women in J. D. Rockefeller, Jr.'s, Home TELLS THEM HOW HE HIT THE TRAIL 22 Visitors Volunteer for Duty on Work Committee Here Al Saunders, who was a fish merchant of Scranton, Penn., until the sawdust trail led him to Billy Sunday and conversion, and thence into the world as advance agent of the evangelist, spoke to 200 society women at the residence of John D. Rockefeller, Jr., 10 West Fifth Avenue, Sunday, yesterday. A little platform had been erected at one end of the room. On this sat Saunders, George Sunday, Billy's son; Mrs. J. E. L. Davis, chairman of the Business Women's Work Committee, and Dr. James E. Walker.

BRITISH SHIP AGROUND ON L. I.

The British steamship Anglo Patagonian went aground last night off the Long Island coast, about twenty miles east of Rockaway Beach. The vessel, which is of 3,104 tons net, asked for immediate assistance. She is bound for this port from Bordeaux.

SEARCH FOR RUTH CRUGER REVEALS SECRET TUNNEL

Police Discover Passageway in Next Building, but Find no Clue Detectives searching for Ruth Cruger last night discovered a secret tunnel leading from the basement of the shop of Alfred Cocchi, 342 West 127th Street, to the basement of the building adjoining. Examination of the passage, however, developed nothing startling. Several detectives crawled through it, lighting a way with their flashlights. The cellar into which they emerged was empty and there was no trace of any one having recently used the tunnel.

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WHITE HOUSE PICKETS HAVE STIRRED NATION, SUFFRAGISTS ASSERT

Wide Results Have Followed Labor of Sentinels, Women Declare Washington, Feb. 20.—The official statistician at Congressional Union headquarters to-night compiled a table of facts and figures concerning the White House pickets. In the six weeks the suffrage sentinels have been on their job at the White House gates, according to a summary, they have focussed the attention of some 20,000,000 newspaper readers on the subject of woman suffrage; diverted the momentary attention of 25,000,000 "movie" fans from the latest perils of Pauline; stirred up 867 fiery editors to take their pens in hand and indite scorching editorials against such wanton radicalism and militancy as standing with a banner near the home of the President; tempted an equal number to endorse the picketing; stimulated the President to write a letter commending the suffragists for their victory in North Dakota, and aroused false hopes in the breasts of every physician in Washington on the days when the picketing was conducted with the thermometer hovering around zero.

BOYS STEAL CLOCK, FIRE SCHOOLHOUSE TO HIDE TARDINESS

Elizabeth, N. J., Feb. 20.—There was secret joy in the hearts of Louis Vanowit, aged ten, and his nine-year-old pal, Alfred Derenzo, when the clock was recently found missing from the wall of portable school No. 9. That wall of portable school No. 9, that of daily reprimand by the cause of daily tardiness. But their joy was repeated tardiness for the following day another accusing clock hung where the old one had been.

20000 LEAGUES UNDER THE SEA

But 4 days now remain to see the 20,000 Leagues Under the Sea. The performance at the Broadway Theatre, which has been running since last week, has been a triumph. The play, which is a story of a submarine voyage, is a masterpiece of adventure and excitement. The cast is excellent, and the production is of the highest quality. The play is a must-see for all who love a good story.

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