

GLYNN FOR ANNUAL POLICE CARNIVAL

So Pleased With Exhibition. He Suggests Making It a Yearly Affair.

MAYOR FAVORS THE PLAN

Forty Thousand Cheer Events of Last Day at Brighton Beach Racetrack.

Gov. Glynn, Mayor Mitchell and most of the department Commissioners and members of the Board of Estimate were present yesterday at the Brighton Beach racetrack to see the second and last day of the police carnival, given for the purpose of establishing a fund for immediate relief of the widows and families of policemen killed in the performance of their duty.

At least 40,000 other persons, according to the best guess of members of the committee, passed through the turnstiles to see how entertaining the policeman at play is. And although more than two-thirds of the spectators had to stand up all afternoon for the crowded series of events few left before the last race had been run. Judging by this fact and the frequent bursts of applause after the events they enjoyed the carnival thoroughly.

The Governor, Mayor and other public officials all did, and said so. Gov. Glynn said the show was wonderful; that the finest body of men and greatest horses he ever saw were exhibited before him. He favors making the carnival an annual event until the fund reaches \$500,000.

Praised by the Mayor

The Mayor said the carnival was a splendid success and he thought the suggestion of making it an annual affair was a good one. Mr. McAneny viewed a fine display of physical and disciplinary efficiency, he said, and the department ought to give similar exhibitions each year. Dock Commissioner Smith, who was the first to suggest the fund and who gave his suggestion impetus by making the initial contribution, and Police Commissioner Woods thought it would be good for the department and good for the public if the carnival is repeated each year.

It will be several days before it is known how much has been raised, but the committee announced last night that it probably will be between \$75,000 and \$100,000.

One of the events which attracted most interest was the exhibition of the police dogs—five of them. The dogs were held on leashes and a small burglar—a burglar for the purpose of the exhibition—darted out of a small house. The dogs lunged and strained and were slipped from their leashes together. They were on the burglar in a minute, tripped him, took the bundle away from him and held him down for their masters.

Exhibition by Recruits

Eighty young fellows from the school of recruits showed how men are trained physically before they go on post. They went through a series of calisthenics and then, under Lieut. Charles Schofield, showed the wrestling and Jiu Jitsu tricks they have been taught, so they can handle violent prisoners. Then they showed how to scale ladders against a burning building, and each of them bundled another "brookie" on his shoulder and carried him down the ladder.

Another event showed in action men who have been on the force twenty-five years or more. It was 100 yard dash and was won by William McHugh of the 27th precinct against a lot of other white haired policemen in the time of 13.4 seconds.

Outside of the dogs and the recruits the two star events were the drills by the Honor Legion and the mounted men, both of which were repeated on Friday. The rescue from the back of a runaway horse of a policeman dressed like a girl and the rescue of four women from a runaway open barouche, which made such hits on Friday, were also repeated. A Minute Murby, who has had five lessons in aviation and who, it had been arranged, was to give an aeroplane exhibition, failed to go up because the aeroplane was sprained while he was practicing in the morning.

WOUNDED MAN SENT TO PRISON.

Robber of Shanley Home Must Carry Bullet to Sing Sing.

MINGOLA, L. I., June 27.—Wilfred Reising, 30 years old, brought before County Judge James Niemann in the Nassau county court here this morning from the Jamaica Hospital with a bullet in his liver. Judge Niemann sentenced him to two and a half years in Sing Sing on a charge of burglary in the third degree.

Last fall Reising was discovered coming from the home of Thomas J. Shanley, the restaurateur, in Coney Island, by John Lynch, a local policeman. He had considerable plunder in his possession. Lynch fired, and though wounded Reising made his escape. He got no further than Jamaica, however, where he fell unconscious. He was sent to the hospital, where it was found impossible to extract the bullet from his liver. He is not expected to live his term out in Sing Sing. He is said to be a habitual criminal.

KOEHLER DISMISSAL STANDS.

President Wilson Approves Verdict of Court-Martial.

WASHINGTON, June 27.—The sentence of the court-martial dismissing from the Army Major Benjamin M. Koehler of the Coast Artillery, formerly stationed at Fort Terry, New York, has been approved by President Wilson. Details of the trial were suppressed. The text of the verdict has been withheld by the War Department.

The charges against Koehler were summed up as conduct unbecoming an officer. They included allegations of gross immorality.

TIGER HONORS J. HAM LEWIS.

Select Illinois Senator for "Long Talk" on Independence Day.

James Hamilton Lewis, United States Senator from Illinois, is to give the "long talk" before the Society of Tammany in the Independence Day celebration at Tammany Hall. The exercises will begin at 10:30 A. M. next Saturday.

"Jobless" Army of 45 Near Goal.

WASHINGTON, June 27.—Escaped across the Potomac to-night is the remnant of the 2,500 men who left San Francisco four months ago to "storm" Congress. Just forty-five recruits and their leaders are encamped in Alexandria, Va., awaiting the rise of Monday's sun to march to the Capitol.

CLAFLIN RECEIVERS CONSIDER PLAN TO HELP RETAIL STORES

Proposal Is to Have Local Bankers and Merchants Assist Each Subsidiary to Carry Its Own Liabilities Without Aid of Parent Concern.

CREDITORS CALL FOR COOPERATION IN THE WORK

Joseph B. Martindale and F. A. Juillard, receivers for the H. B. Clafin Company, showed yesterday that they have a thorough grasp on the big problem confronting them. It became apparent that they are ready to do more than the legal duties assigned to them, and with no thought of compensation, but with the aim of helping the community, work out a constructive scheme that will benefit not only the company but also the many retail stores it controls throughout the United States and Canada.

The greater part of the work lies beyond their authority, but it is believed that the spirit of their efforts will appeal to the receivers who are in charge of fifteen or more retail stores of the Clafin chain and that merchants and bankers throughout the country will give the same cooperation that has been promised by the creditors of the H. B. Clafin Company.

The plan the receivers have in mind, of course, is preliminary to the obtaining of actual facts and figures from the expert accountants.

Hope for Cooperation. It is the hope of the receivers that all of the twenty-seven stores in the Clafin chain can be kept going and that bankers and business men in the different cities will form local committees to assist in dispersing the present trouble.

In the event that this is done the receivers here will give every possible assistance. The policy will be to keep the various stores going and give work to all the employees in the hope that the stores will emerge stronger than ever.

If such a scheme can be worked out the H. B. Clafin Company can then pay off all its direct indebtedness and either liquidate or, changing its mode of business somewhat, remain a going concern. How this scheme would work out is shown in the fact that, according to bankers, the \$20,000,000 of notes outstanding are contingent liabilities; that is, they were made mostly by the various retail stores or customers of the wholesale concern and were indorsed and discounted by the Clafin company.

Plan to Relieve Company.

If all these notes can be met by the makers and are not turned back to the Clafin concern for payment it is apparent that the actual condition of the H. B. Clafin Company may correspond to the statement of assets and liabilities of December 31 last. The liabilities at that time included \$9,000,000 of capital stock, a surplus reserve of \$1,683,473.81, open accounts of \$4,501,487.46, foreign exchange and loan account of \$269,500 and the profits for last fall of \$268,252.02, making a total of \$15,716,715.

If the examination by the expert accountants shows that the list of assets is strong enough to cover the liabilities the wholesale concern will be in a hopeful position. It seems apparent from the information obtainable that the real heart of the task ahead of Messrs. Martindale and Juillard lies in the strengthening of the retail stores. It has been decided, however, that the retail stores no longer can look to the Clafin concern here for banking accommodations. In other words, each store must work out its own salvation with the help of local committees, the bankers and the mercantile creditors. That such a plan has reasonable prospects of being successful is indicated by the cooperation promised on all sides.

Note Holders Will Help.

The attitude of the bankers and the mercantile creditors is indicated in a formal statement issued yesterday by James S. Alexander, president of the National Bank of Commerce and chairman of the note holders' committee, who spoke also for the mercantile creditors' committee. It follows: Both the note holders' and mercantile committees wish to emphasize that it will be their aim to continue those retail stores in other cities affiliated with the Clafin company for which receivers have been appointed. The committee will cooperate with the respective receivers in obtaining from the courts authority for the continuance of the business of the stores which have heretofore been profitably conducted, and in the maintenance of the buying and selling organizations.

Necessarily, with the stores in widely separated cities it will require some time to obtain all the facts and figures, but in the meantime the customers, employees and the public can feel assured that no effort will be spared to have a permanent arrangement effected for the

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pany were paid on Friday and yesterday as usual and the business affairs of the company are going on smoothly. From all that could be learned it seemed certain that the bankers are not disposed to press for immediate payment on notes coming due and are ready to give a reasonable extension. The mercantile creditors are displaying the same spirit of cooperation. As for the many employees who bought stock in the Clafin concern and who lent much of their other savings to the company in the form of demand loans, there seems to be no feeling of bitterness on their part. They are loyal.

CITES CRASH TO AID WILSON.

Rainey Says Clafin Failure Proves Conditions Are Sound.

WASHINGTON, June 27.—At the instance of the Administration, Democrats in Congress are beginning to reply to charges made by Republican leaders that business made by a state of depression because of Democratic policies and legislation.

Representative Underwood delivered a long speech in the House to-day in which he defended the new tariff law. Representative Rainey of Illinois and Heflin of Alabama, who will appear in many States on the stump this year, loudly denounced that calamity had visited the country, as charged by Republican speakers. Mr. Rainey insisted that more men were out of work and business conditions generally were worse in 1908 than they are to-day. Referring to the Clafin failure Mr. Rainey said:

"This big crash brings to us the news that from 3,000 to 5,000 banks hold the paper of this concern, and yet there is no talk about any bank panic or any falling of securities, so strong is public confidence in the Administration and in the new banking law." Mr. Heflin paid his respects to Representative Humphrey of Washington, Republican, who is constantly reminding Democrats that things have gone to the bad since Mr. Wilson became President. "Mr. Humphrey is the chairman of the Committee on Distress," said Mr. Heflin. "He is the self-constituted mouthpiece of the forerunner of destruction and the prophet of political evil. I want to say that there is a conspiracy to disturb the Democratic Congress and Democratic President in their fight to free the country from the dangers which threaten it."

Would Join Organized Ball.

QUELPH, Ontario, June 27.—The Western Ontario League, an organization that has been operating independently this season, has decided to apply to the National Association for protection. A number of disputes have arisen over rights to play, and it is believed that under organized baseball these controversies will be lessened.

GOLF NUTS FOOZLE "MILLIE PREFERRED"

Or Maybe They're Only Investing Her Dollars in Hole Bets for To-day.

With the Stock Exchange

itself open only about two hours on Saturdays no one really could expect any very great activity in "Millie preferred" yesterday. Nevertheless it was an awful wallop to learn last night in counting up the day's business how listlessly low down were all those thousands of bachelors who haven't yet come across a bean apiece to keep two-month-old Millie Zabela up in the Connecticut hills where, thanks to a few, Millie is now dividing her time for a short while between taking single course meals and sleeping in a farmhouse ham-mock beneath a big apple tree top of a hill.

The door of a safe was slammed last night on only two new dollar bills and two new checks for \$1 each for Millie. Therefore there were a lot of dollar bills around this country yesterday that were held out on Millie. And bachelors might as well know that money saved like that never did nobody no good.

Inasmuch as yesterday was Golf Nuts Day—a formal occasion that the directors of the syndicate decided at a meeting last night to continue through to-day—it may have been that all the golfers were so busy betting at least the price for a dollar share of "Millie preferred" a game, maybe a share a hole, that they had no time to send in the kale being won for Millie on the links.

To-day should be a good day for that sort of frivolity too. As you slice and swear along the fair green to-day concentrate upon the thought that neither Millie nor her sister Josie nor her eight-year-old brother Tony ever saw fields like that until last Thursday, and that they will not see the daisies and things as long as they should unless somebody sets himself back a bit. Get the coin in as soon as you tear yourself out of the nineteenth hole this evening.

The first share sold yesterday wasn't bought by a bachelor at all. It went to A. L. S., and the dollar came from Boston "from my little bachelor maid, Highland Mary." "One of the Stinky Ones" of Jersey City bought the next share yesterday.

"DE SKOITS ALL FELL FOR ME ANGEL FACE"

Joe, Aged 5, Admits Sympathy. Graft Was Good Till Store Detective Butted In.

SWEET PEAS HAVE GAY SHOW.

Myriad Colors on Display at Museum of Natural History.

The collection of polyps, echinoderms, protozoa and Inroquois Indians in the basement of the American Museum of Natural History was invaded yesterday by row upon row of sweet peas, the sixth annual exhibit of the American Sweet Pea Society.

All the colors in the world glowed from tables full of vases of blossoms—so many hues that the cataloguers after enumerating a few dozen tints invariably wound up by saying: "And for the best twenty-five sprays of any other color distinct from the above, first prize, \$5; second prize, \$3. Ferns of the fairylike sort, tiny white bell flowers, with a foliage of lace; geraniums, lilacs and the most gorgeous orchids were used to set off the sweet peas. There were several tables set for luncheon with sweet pea decorations and the blossom, usually all white, was employed with white veiling to show how it might best adorn a bride.

Some of those who exhibited were Mrs. Finley J. Shepard of Irvington, N. Y.; John W. Pepper of Philadelphia, Adolph Lewisohn of Ardsley, Adrian Iselin of New Rochelle, Mrs. Benjamin Stern of Roslyn, Mrs. W. B. Leeds of Newport, Paul M. Warburg, G. G. Mason of Tuxedo, Mrs. Moses Taylor of Mount Kisco, Grand Foster of Lenox, Mass., and Mrs. Robert Winthrop of Lenox, Mass.

The show continues to-day and the prize winners will be posted completely to-day. Mrs. Robert Winthrop, Mr. Warburg, Mrs. Moses Taylor and Mrs. W. B. Leeds captured most of the awards made yesterday. The boys and girls of the Saugus High School of Saugus, Mass., captured a couple of firsts.

Two More Hunt Gas Leak With Match.

Michael Casey, a post office clerk living in the Catharine apartments at 505 West 176th street, went into his kitchen with Joseph Gubbin, his brother-in-law, last evening to look for a gas leak. He struck a match and both were keeled over by the explosion that followed.

K. M. Sturges Wins Williams Prize.

Kenneth M. Sturges, a second year student in the school of law of New York University and a graduate of Williams College in 1911, has won the David A. Wells prize at Williams, which is offered annually for an economics essay. The prize is \$200 in gold or a medal, at the option of the recipient.

Furs and Draperies Stored in Dry Cold Air Lord & Taylor Murray Hill 9000 Fifth Avenue, 38th Street, 39th Street The Store Opens at 9 A. M. Closes at 5 P. M. Founded 1826 Final Clearance Sale of Women's Suits Prices the Lowest of the Season 50 Tailored Suits Dressy models in fashionable materials and colors. Marked to Close at \$12.50, \$15.00, \$18.50 Usual prices \$35.00 to \$50.00 75 Linen & Eponge Suits Smart models with tunic skirts, attractively trimmed. Marked to Close at \$10.00, \$12.50 to \$17.50 Usual Prices \$20.00 to \$30.00 25 White Sport & Country Club Suits Of white serge and white golf cords; coats handsomely lined with peau-de-cygne Usually to \$39.50 \$22.50 300 Wash Skirts, \$1.95, \$2.50, \$3.95, \$5.00 to \$6.50 Usually \$3.00 to \$10.00 Third Floor

Muslin Underwear, Silk Petticoats & Negligees Special Values for Monday Imported Night Gowns Hand embroidered \$1.50, \$1.95 to \$2.95 Imported Petticoats Hand embroidered \$1.95 to \$2.95 Domestic Night Gowns Nainsook \$1.95, \$2.95 to \$3.95 Sheer Batiste \$1.95, \$2.95 to \$3.95 Domestic Petticoats Pique \$1.95 to \$2.95 Silk Petticoats Crepe-de-Chine, daintily lace trimmed, white, pink, light blue and black \$2.95 to \$3.95 Messaline, several attractive models in black, white and colors \$2.95 to \$3.95 House Dresses Several attractive new models, blue and white striped crepe with white dotted crepe collar and cuffs \$2.95 Blue and white and lavender and white striped gingham, with white organdy collar \$2.95 Crepe Poplin, in light blue and pink with white hemstitched collar and cuffs \$3.25 Dainty model of Fancy White Voile, embroidery collar \$5.00 House Gowns Novelty Brocade Crepe, pleated skirt, bodice elaborately embroidered, shadow lace trimmed \$4.95 Silk Striped Crepe, fitted model, embroidered bodice, hemstitched organdy collar and cuffs \$4.45 Satin Striped Flowered Crepe, fitted model, shadow lace trimmed \$3.45 Brocade Crepe, Empire model, pleated net trimmed \$2.95 Bordered Flowered Voile, two piece effect, white coat lace trimmed \$2.95 Satin Striped Flowered Crepe, collar and cuffs Val. lace trimmed \$1.75 White Dotted Swiss, with collar fitted or semi-fitted models, Val. lace trimmed \$1.95 White or Flowered Swiss, Empire model, beading belt ribbon run, collar and sleeves Val. lace trimmed \$2.95 White Dotted Swiss, fitted models, beading belt ribbon run, colored embroidery trimmed \$3.95 Kimonos Novelty Crepe, pleated net trimmed \$1.95 Satin Striped Flowered Crepe, lingerie collar, Val. lace and net trimmed \$2.95 Striped Novelty Crepe with pleated ruffle; or, Satin Striped Flowered Crepe, raglan model, satin ribbon trimmed \$2.95 A Splendid Model in Flowered Voile, with hemstitched organdy collar and cuffs \$1.95 Bordered Flowered Voile, pointed collar, Val. lace trimmed \$1.45 Second Floor.