SMALL GIRL KILLED OBSERVING FOURTH

Child Accidentally Shoots Herself With Father's Revolver. Injuries Number 111

SPARKLER BAN IS HELPFUL

One little girl was killed and 111 persons injured in the two-day celebration of the Fourth of July ending yesterday. Precautions taken against the sale of sparklers, it is believed, materially cut down the number of injured.

The child killed was Angelena d'Amore, fourteen years old, of 2904 North Front street. She shot herself while celebrating with her father's revolver. The accident occurred in the yard, where the child had gathered her brothers and sisters to hear her "make a big noise." The parents are prostrated.

Thirty-two accidents were reported on Sunday, while the count yesterday brought the figures for the two days up to 111. Only a few of the persons injured yesterday are in a serious condition, the majority of the casualties attributable to the use of the firecrackers being of the "I didn't know it was lighted" character.

No deaths were caused by the fireworks yesterday, but one child was killed the day before, and two others previously, in the pre-Fourth celebration. Sparklers caused two of the deaths, and a gunshot wound one.

Many victims of gunshot were reported yesterday, the victims having been struck by stray bullets.

"Fewer children played with fireworks yesterday than in many years gone by and that is the reason for the low rate of accidents," stated William B. Mills, superintendent of police, today.

"Much credit is due to the parents for their splendid co-operation with the Department of Safety this year," he continued. "The community celebrations were undoubtedly a success, inasmuch as they eliminated individuals' activities.

"This safe and sane Fourth of July has been a success. We hope to have this kind from now on."

Reports of accident victims treated in hospitals follow:

PENNSYLVANIA HOSPITAL

Joseph Gussalli, nine years old, 245 South American street; burns of right hand.

Sarah Kutz, nine, 270 South Second street; blank cartridge wounds in right arm.

Ernest Moraio, ten, 720 Fitzwater street; serious burns on left leg.

Josephine Lobowizo, eight, 267 South Second street; burns on face.

Alexander Greene, eight, 242 Bainbridge street; burns on hand.

Pasquale Sano, fourteen, 618 Cantrell street; burns on hand.

James Lorento, eight, 720 Passyunk avenue; hands and arms burned.

Sam Natuli, twenty-eight, 217 South American street; burns on face.

Roosevelt Friscano, thirteen, 748 South Eighth street; burns of hand.

Peter Cook, thirteen, 623 Sigel street; burns of hand.

Angelain Sereno, four, 751 South Randolph street, burned on body; later taken in a serious condition to the Children's Hospital.

Fanny Fruitman, forty, 518 South Fourth street, seriously burned on abdomen.

POLYCLINIC HOSPITAL

Mrs. Dolly Clarke, fifty-two, 1630 Addison street; gunshot wound in head; her condition is serious. She was washing clothes in the rear of her home when she was struck by a bullet fired by an unidentified person in an alley.

Mrs. Kate De Kine, forty, 1533 South Lambert street, hit by a stray bullet at base of the brain; condition serious.

Charles Gray, eighteen, 2522 Altar street, shot in right hand.

Jacob Cheners, thirteen, 1719 Wharton street, burns on leg.

Peter McGinty, thirty-nine, 2056 Kater street; burns on body.

MOUNT SINAI HOSPITAL

Joseph Neff, forty-seven, 429 Wolf street; burned about hands and arm by firecracker.

Samuel Patterson, twenty-five, 707 Sigel street; serious burns on the right hand, caused when his gun exploded.

Daniel Mallon, twelve, 137 Daly street; burns on hand.

Alice Rollings, five, 219 Watkins street; burns on hand.

Norman Nathens, eight, 227 Dickinson street; serious burns on face. A premature explosion of fireworks caused the injury, which it is said will mean the loss of the right eye.

Herbert Schwart, thirteen, 1433 South Fifth street; burns on hand.

Simon Slunick, 10, 636 Garnet street; burned on body and arm.

HOWARD HOSPITAL

James Dunn, forty-two, 1331 Christian street; bullet wound in right thigh. Dunn was standing at Thirteenth and Catharine streets when a shot from the opposite side of the street struck him.

Albert McCauley, nineteen, 1726 Lombard street; gunshot wound in right leg. McCauley was at Thirteenth and South streets when a stray bullet struck him.

Joseph D. Alonzo, twelve, 1351 Christian street; burns of hand.

Thomas Boggi, fourteen, 1228 Lombard street; powder burns on legs.

Peter Cipolla, 17, 1229 Bolton street; wounded in thigh by stray bullet.

Sally Henry, 11, 1107 Bainbridge street; struck by a firecracker and will lose left eye.

METHODIST HOSPITAL

Tetta Lecock, seven, 2324 South Tenth street; burns of left arm.

Mrs. Gertrude Haseltine, thirty-six, 1918 North Gratz street, shot in ankle at Ninth and Ellsworth streets.

Martin Krupnich, eleven, 226 South Hicks street; burns on hands from fireworks.

Joseph Cheney, thirteen, 1719 Wharton street; bullet wound in right leg.

Benjamin Paul, sixteen, 1122 Wolf street; serious burns on leg.

Paul Keefenz, seventeen, 2134 South Hicks street; powder burns on hands.

William Laich, eighteen, 2501 South Camac street; burns on hand.

Garrett Keltz, twelve, 2638 South Juniper street; burns on leg.

John Porter, 16, 1624 Porter street, burns on body.

Tetta Lebock, 7, 2324 South Tenth street; burns on arms.

ST. AGNES HOSPITAL

William Brennan, fifteen, 2127 South Opal street; serious gunshot wound in right knee. A bullet fired by Brennan deflected from the pavement and caused the injury.

Richard Reid, twenty, 2117 South Twenty-third street; burns on hand.

WEST PHILADELPHIA HOMEOPATHIC HOSPITAL

George Turner, eleven, 660 North Yewdell street, burns over right eye, caused by firecracker explosion.

Frank Martin, nineteen, 48 North Conestoga street, fingers of left hand burned by firecracker explosion.

Samuel McCracken, fourteen, 5133 Lancaster avenue, body slightly cut by exploding cap.

Michael Corcoi, fifteen, 418 South Samson street, powder burns from blank cartridge.

Edith di Andrea, five, 4929 Thompson street, struck by ball from Roman candle; may lose right eye.

George Turner, eleven, 660 North Yewdell street, burns over right eye.

PRESBYTERIAN HOSPITAL

Edward Hutton, eight, 4231 Ludlow street; powder burns on hand.

Susan Murray, twelve, 3869 Brandywine street, powder burn on eye.

Dan Mann, ten, 519 North Thirty-sixth street, powder burn.

Robert Russell, seventy, 662 Union street, slight wound in left leg caused by stray bullet.

UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL

James Keeles, twenty-six, 750 North Forty-fifth street, gunshot wound in hand.

MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

Emmett Fitzpatrick, Pennsdale street near Peach street; bullet wound in left hand while cleaning revolver.

Leona Helms, twelve, 523 Gate street; burned right hand by firecracker.

George Downs, 136 East Carey street; burned about left eye when a firecracker exploded.

Charles Phillips, seventeen, Hermit street near Manayunk avenue; burned by firecracker.

Anna Gargulio, nine, 4629 Umbria street, face burned by sparkler flung at her by another child.

Bertha Stargarski, nineteen, 153 Dupont street, compound fracture of left leg due to the bursting of a cannon made of a piece of iron pipe.

HAHNEMANN HOSPITAL

Clara Coles, twenty-one, 924 South Fifteenth street, shot in right leg. Della Kiefer, 259 North Ninth street, was cleaning a revolver on the second floor of her home when the weapon was exploded, the bullet striking Miss Coles, who was in the street.

Mary Shanahan, eighteen, 228 North Hicks street, burns on hand.

Thomas Farley, fifteen, 1315 Spring street, leg hurt by blank cartridge.

Frank O. Day, six, 517 North Tenth street, face and eyes burned.

JEWISH HOSPITAL

Milton Brenner, ten, 1116 Wyoming avenue, burns on hand.

EPISCOPAL HOSPITAL

Thomas Smith, twelve, 847 East Sarah street, burns on body, a pack of firecrackers having exploded in his pocket.

William Smith, his father, severe burns of the hands and arms.

WOMAN'S HOMEOPATHIC HOSPITAL

Walter R. Brodway, twenty-one, 2130 North Twentieth street; burns on hand.

William Jacobson, twelve, 2326 Oxford street; burned on leg and hand by firecracker under him.

George Keidel, six, 2139 North Warnock street; burns on face.

Fred Cramer, 6, 2133 West Susquehanna avenue; burns on leg.

Everet MacGuire, eleven, 2248 North Woodstock street; burns on right eye.

Elwood Hopkins, fourteen, 2444 Glenwood avenue; burns on hand.

John Brossman, twenty-one, 2447 West Sargent street; burns on eye.

Irene Wittock, nine, 519 Winton street, so frightened by a firecracker that she fell and was hurt internally.

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL

Eleanor Rockway, seven, 1008 East Sarah street; burns on chest and arms; condition serious.

JEFFERSON HOSPITAL

Elizabeth Miller, thirty-four, 950 Shackamaxon street, arm hurt by exploding firecracker, struck her above the elbow.

John H. Brown, thirty, 1822 North Tenth street, both hands burned by a firecracker explosion.

MEDICO-CHI HOSPITAL

Veronica Tonen, seven, of Nineteenth and Wood streets; burned by firecracker.

James Riley, ten, of 1737 Pearl street; burned by premature explosion of firecracker.

NORTHWEST GENERAL HOSPITAL

Walter Moyer, twenty-seven, 2727 Silver street; hand burned by firecracker.

ST. JOSEPH'S HOSPITAL

Dorothy Neuman, fourteen, 111 Ogden street; left hand burned by premature explosion of firecracker.

FRANKFORD HOSPITAL

John Beard, Jr., nine, 911 Briggs street, burns on hands.

ROOSEVELT HOSPITAL

Cecil Tolander, fifteen, 417 Wood street, burns of hand.

Sidney Hyman, ten, 722 Bodine street, face and eyes burned.

CHILDREN'S HOMEOPATHIC HOSPITAL

William Rickert, twelve, 1010 North Sixth street; burns on hands.

SAMARITAN HOSPITAL

George Sweeney, ten, 2815 North Jessup street; burns of right hand by firecrackers.

James Keels, negro, twenty-six, of 750 North Fifty-fifth street; gunshot wound in hand when revolver accidentally exploded.

Conrad Schaffer, eleven, 7704 Lyons avenue; right hand burned by exploding firecracker.

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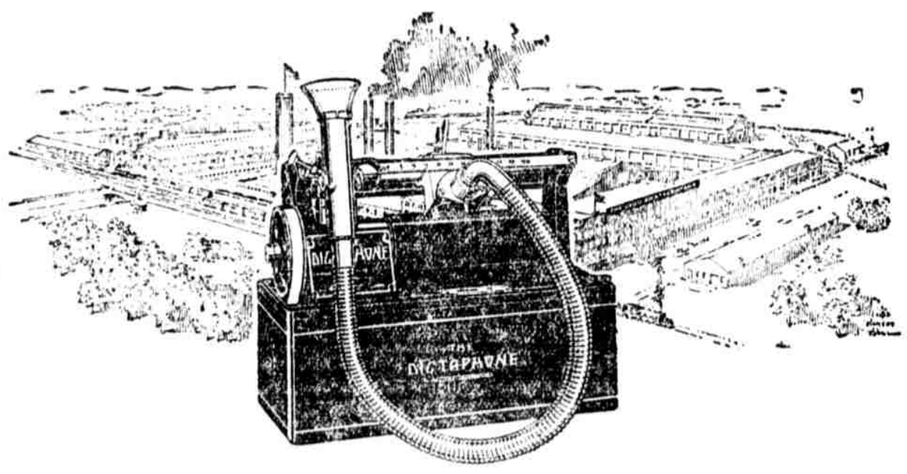

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