# ROMANCE BROKEN FOR ALICE DREXEL

### Mrs. William Barrett, Wife of Aviation Captain, Coming Home With Child

### ABANDONMENT IS ALLEGED

Her romance ended, Mrs. Alice Gordon Drexel Barrett, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Drexel, will sail for America from France with her month-old child in the near future. This information came apparently to verify reports of a separation from her husband, Captain Barrett, formerly a flier in the United States army. Captain Barrett is said to be in financial straits.

The baby was born in a private nursing home at Nice, it is said, all expenses being borne by a member of the Drexel family. Her husband is understood to have left France for England, following a transaction in which a check on a French bank figured.

Thus ends the romance that began when the then shy and retiring Miss Drexel eloped with Captain Barrett after his return from service overseas. The girl's family characterized him as an adventurer, and spent large sums tracing his origin, and attempting to break off the match. All efforts were unavailing, however. It is declared the family could neither learn who the captain was nor break off the affair.

**Cannot Find His Records**

To begin with, his alleged army record, it is said, has vanished and cannot be located at Washington.

Then again, he admitted in an interview at the Hotel St. Regis, New York, following his marriage, that he had been married once before and divorced, "upon advice of my lawyers."

He strenuously denied at that time, however, that he was the Captain William Nathan Barrett, born in Hillsboro, Ore., who was also divorced, and who was graduated from the United States Naval Academy in June, 1906, only to leave the navy after six months' service.

The Oregon Barrett eloped with and married Miss Kathleen Baillie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Baillie, of Seattle. Mrs. Barrett obtaining a divorce two years ago, without contest, and retaining possession of her five-year-old son. She now lives in Seattle.

The Captain Barrett who talked in New York said the record of his birth had never been made at Washington, D. C. "They were careless about such things then," he explained.

**In Financial Straits**

Some months ago Mrs. Barrett went abroad with her husband. They were seen at various places by friends of the Drexels. When they passed through Paris last May a friend of the family reported the captain had a decidedly bored air, and the family seemed to be in financial straits, judging by their appearance and their manner of travel.

The next thing heard was that Mrs. Barrett had been sent to a hospital at Nice by her husband, and then deserted. The Drexels refused to confirm or deny this report. The captain was said to be "away on a business visit."

Mrs. Barrett, a granddaughter of the late Anthony J. Drexel, of Philadelphia, is heiress to part of a fortune of $30,000,000.

MRS. WILLIAM BARRETT
CAPTAIN WILLIAM BARRETT

Mrs. Barrett, formerly Miss Alice Gordon Drexel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Drexel, is reported separated from her husband, Captain Barrett, a former U. S. army flier, and is about to sail from France to America with their month old child

## YEGGS' WORK FRUITLESS

### Blow Open Safe on Broad Street, but Fail to Get Loot

An attempt to rob the safe of the Fisk Tire Co., at 664-66 North Broad street, was discovered at 1 o'clock this morning.

A patrolman of the Twentieth and Buttonwood streets station saw the door at the entrance to the building standing open. He summoned Detectives Hutchinson and Calhoun who found the combination lock on the doors of the safe blown off.

Efforts of the robbers to open the inner doors to the strong box were not successful and the contents of the safe were untouched.

**Arrested on Hold-Up Charge**

Edward Paul, twenty-two years old, of 3357 North Philip street, was arrested in an Atlantic City cafe last night by Detectives Winning and Diamond charged with complicity in the hold-up last Monday of Benjamin Hoegele, of 1742 North Dover street, a milk wagon driver, who was relieved of $160 in collections at Marshall street and Glenwood avenue. Harry Miller, alias "Monk," and David Atken have already been arrested in connection with the affair.

### TODAY'S MARRIAGE LICENSES

Arthur G. McGregor, 1718 Fountain st., and Gracie L. Carter, 1718 Fountain st.
John Collins, 921 S. 49th st., and Lena E. Scarboro, Raleigh, N. C.
Giovanni D'Angelo, 1516 Morris st., and Teresa Valerio, 1516 Morris st.
Israel Paterson, 2001 S. 6th st., and Rose London, 609 Cross st.
Alexander Alston, 7108 W. Spring st., and Mary Burrows, 7108 W. Spring st.
Henry Grasso, 841 Watkins st., and Rose Grasso, 833 Watkins st.
Adolf F. Krinda, 483 N. Orianna st., and Agnes Gilligan, 815 E. Allegheny ave.
Harry P. Hinchliffe, 749 N. 52d st., and Eva T. Bishop, 136 Sharp st.
Gilbert S. Bevin, 667 Conestoga st., and Florence L. Shunk, 1506 N. 54th st.
Walter Teuster, 401 Manning st., and Anna M. Shiell, 401 Manning st.
Guy Shortz, 123 N. 19th st., and Jennie Kindrick, 123 N. 19th st.
Virgil W. Staley, 166 E. Stafford st., and Mary C. Cowling, 3549 N. Smedley st.
Edward Servais, 2431 S. 16th st., and Marie Welsh, 2431 S. 16th st.
Peter Russell, 785 Wallace st., and Blanche Palmer, 1531 Lemon st.
Joseph Woods, 2452 N. 16th st., and Anna Quinn, 2257 Woodstock st.
Jacob B. Rosner, 313 S. 5th st., and Ida S. Posner, 2138 N. 9th st.
Cosmos Macco, 1113 Titan st., and Carlto Lorezzo, 1110 Titan st.
Cornlide Perrecu, 1828 S. 16th st., and Carmel Frosco, 1828 S. 16th st.
Charles Stemore, Baltimore, Md., and Ethel Trout, 1327 Erie ave.
Herre Wolfman, 312 Lombard st., and Gussie Bauman, 312 Lombard st.
Arthur Minig, Syracuse, N. Y., and Irene A. Nugent, 6606 Woodland ave.

# NAB ALLEGED AUTO THIEVES IN CHASE

### Detectives, Disguised as Tramps, Keep Five-Day Vigil in Stable Haymow

### THREE SUSPECTS ARE HELD

Three detectives, dressed as tramps, slept five nights in a barn near West Chester, waiting for two suspected automobile thieves to return and claim three cars which they had left there.

They got their men.

Isaac Zitlan, Thirty-first street near Columbia avenue, and Isaac Doser, Walnut street near Fifth, were the men arrested. Zitlan implicated his brother, Abraham, of Sixtieth street near Walnut.

Isaac Zitlan today was held without bail at West Chester for a further hearing charged with breaking and entering and the larceny of automobiles; his brother is held charged with receiving stolen goods. Doser is being held without bail on the charge of defrauding an insurance company by pretending his car had been stolen.

A West Chester detective and City Hall Detectives Beckman and Freund made the arrests after a chase over a lonely road near West Chester early Sunday morning.

**Garage Owner Gave Clue**

According to Beckman, John Machler, owner of the Rocky Hill farms, near West Chester, visited Philadelphia a week ago and told a friend that two strange men had left an automobile in his barn on the pretext that it had broken down.

Instead of taking the machine away the next day, he said, they returned with a second car and began dismantling it.

The farmer's friend communicated with the detective bureau, and Beckman and Freund, donning old clothes, went to the farm, taking a West Chester detective with them.

For five nights they slept in the barn waiting for the alleged auto thieves to return. Early yesterday morning a car drove up. As it was being driven into the barn the detectives sprang from a haymow.

**Suspects Start Flight**

Doser and Isaac Zitlan wheeled their automobile around and started toward West Chester detectives emptied a re- their automobile and gave chase. The West Chester detectives emptied a revolver after the fugitives before they surrendered.

Isaac Zitlan, Beckman alleges, said he was disposing of dismantled cars through his brother, Abraham, who keeps a garage on Sixtieth street near Walnut. Detectives say they found parts of the stolen cars at the garage. They arrested Abraham yesterday afternoon.

The two cars found at the Rocky Hill farms are said to have been stolen from the salesroom of Gomery, Schwartz & Co., at Trenton, N. J.

## AUTO THIEF WOUNDED

### Abington Police Think Shot Hit Fleeing Suspect

Abington patrolmen, chasing an automobile thief through a cornfield near Willow Grove last night, believe they crippled him.

Three automobiles were stolen near Willow Grove last night. Theft of a touring car owned by Anthony Ott, of Doylestown, furnished a chase in which the one man is believed to have been shot.

A young man jumped into the machine at 8:30 o'clock and started to drive away. Patrolmen gave chase in another car, firing at the thief. Near Roslyn the thief abandoned the stolen car and fled through a cornfield. One bullet had struck the car in such a position as to wound the driver.

A sedan car, owned by Joseph S. Tourison, of 606 Mt. Pleasant avenue, Chestnut Hill, was stolen near the park, and an automobile owned by Raymond Poole, of York road near Erlem, was also stolen.

## BOYS HELD FOR VANDALISM

### Are Accused of Breaking Into School and Destroying Furniture

Three boys were today sent to the House of Detention for alleged vandalism at the James Logan public school, Nineteenth and Race street, last Thursday.

Detectives Stinger and Willibridge, of the Twentieth and Federal streets station, arrested the boys on the charge of having forced an entrance to the school, destroyed furniture in the principal's office, and committed general vandalism.

The boys are Tony D'Antonio, ten years old, and his brother Rocco, eight years old, and Harry Moore, twelve years old, of Garnet street below Wharton.

## *Deaths of a Day*

**Joseph Graf**

Joseph Graf, a wealthy Tioga business man, died Saturday night at his home, 1917 Westmoreland street, following an illness of several months. He was sixty-nine years old. For many years Mr. Graf conducted a shoe store at the Westmoreland street address, but for the past fifteen years had been engaged in the cigar and tobacco business there. He was a member of Kenderton Lodge, No. 266, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, also of Tioga Liedertafel, and a charter member of L. K. U. V. Lodge. He is survived by his widow, Mary Graf, two sons, Joseph, Jr., and Ernest Graf, and a daughter, Mrs. Sophia Graf. Services will be held this afternoon at his home. And interment will be private.

**Clarence Cogill**

**Collingswood, N. J.**, July 26.—Clarence Cogill, thirty-nine years old, superintendent of the West Collingswood Methodist Episcopal Sunday school and a member of the board of trustees of the church, died in his home, 328 Richey avenue, Saturday after a lingering illness. He leaves his widow and one daughter. Mr. Cogill was an active churchman in West Collingswood. He lived here for thirteen years. The funeral will take place from the West Collingswood Methodist Church this afternoon, the pastor, the Rev. Andrew Carlin, to officiate.

**Parker W. Hardin**

**Richmond, Va.**, July 26.—Parker W. Hardin, three times attorney general of Kentuck and nominee for governor of that state on the Democratic ticket in 1896, died here today. He was seventy-nine years old.

### BAND CONCERT TONIGHT

The Municipal Band tonight plays at Twenty-seventh street and Allegheny avenue.

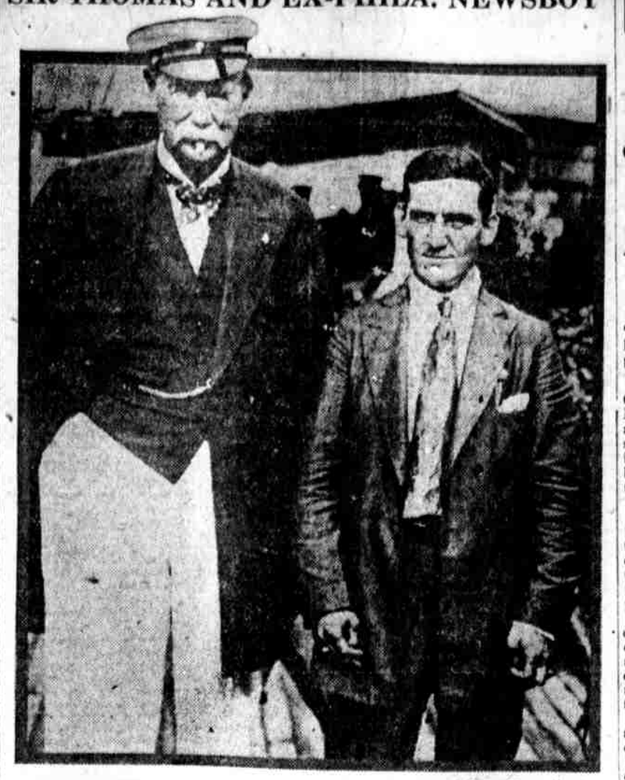
## BURY VICTIM OF LADDER

### Funeral of Harry Wolfrum Held From His Home

The funeral of Harry Wolfrum, who with Captain Edward Schwarzkopf met his death when a ladder broke at the Fritz and La Rue fire Wednesday, took place today from his late home, 2216 Cross street.

Fellow members of his company, Engine Company No. 3, attended the services, as did members of the American Legion, and several secret orders to which he belonged.

## SIR THOMAS AND EX-PHILA. NEWSBOY



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George Kessler, who is a foreman in the Reading Railway service, who lives at 1803 Wingohocking street, saw the cup races as Sir Thomas's guest on the yacht Victoria. Years ago as a newsboy at Wayne Junction Kessler sold the Irish racing baronet a newspaper. They have been fast friends since

## HURT LEANING FROM CAR

### Shipyard Worker Struck by Another Trolley at Gloucester

Frederick Blank, thirty-two years old, of Ritchie and Clay streets, West Collingswood, was seriously hurt this morning when he leaned his head from a trolley car and was struck by a car going in the opposite direction. The accident occurred at Broadway and King street, Gloucester, as Blank was going to the Pusey & Jones shipyard, where he is employed.

Blank, according to witnesses, saw a friend on the sidewalk and leaned out to hail him. Both cars were going slowly at the time, and the cries of other passengers who saw Blank hit, caused the motormen to put on the brakes sharply.

The injured man was taken first to the shipyard hospital and then to the Cooper Hospital, where an examination is being made to determine whether or not he has a fractured skull.

# COLES IS REPORTED IN LINE FOR BENCH

### Governor, However, Says He Will Make No Appointment. Hall Hurls Defi

### TRAINER OUT AFTER VARE

Week-end politics shivered under cracking statements by rival factional leaders while a diversion was created by the report of an agreement on George W. Coles for a seat on the Municipal Court bench. Councilman Charles B. Hall, Vare leader, delivered a defi against the Republican Alliance. Joseph C. Trainer, administration leader in Congressman Vare's ward, declared he hoped Senator Vare would not retire from politics until he had been "knocked for a political goal."

Further, to complicate the situation, it was reported that the Vares and the Republican Alliance had both indorsed Mr. Coles for the extra seat on the Municipal Court bench which is made available by the increase in the population.

Governor Sproul, however, it is understood, has no intention of naming another Municipal Court judge for the reason that the present judges are not overworked. Mr. Coles is chairman of the Town Meeting party and declares that he is not a candidate for office.

Another item of news is the plan to ask the State Legislature to change the charter provisions relating to the election of councilmen. It is proposed to divorce the election of councilmen from that of the Mayor so that public interest will not be concentrated solely on the mayoralty to the loss of City Council.

Councilman Hall's broadside against the Republican Alliance was occasioned by reports that the administration leaders propose to unseat him next year as a member of the city committee.

"I am not worrying about the fight they are talking about making against me," said he. "Nobody in our ward pays any attention to the Republican Alliance.

"As far as my actions in Council are concerned," continued the Seventh ward leader, "I am going to do what is best for the people of the ward. If I think an administration measure is good for them, then I will support it; if not, I won't vote for it. As far as politics is concerned, I will do what I please."

# *"HELP ME FIND BROTHER," GIRL BEGS DETECTIVES*

### *"Mother Needs Him," Pleads Fifteen-Year-Old Deborah Raskin, Seeking Man Who Disappeared*

"Please, Mister Captain, won't you help me find my brother?"

Fifteen-year-old Deborah Raskin, 1107 Prospect avenue, the Bronx, stood in the detective bureau at City Hall this morning, and with hope and pathos struggling for supremacy in her big, brown eyes, appealed for aid in her search.

While she was asking for help to find her missing brother, a telegram arrived calling her immediately to Belmar, N. J., where her mother is believed to be dying.

The girl enlisted the sympathy of Detective Schwarr, head of the missing persons bureau, as she stood before him. Dark curls fell about her shoulders, and her small white hands clenched and relaxed nervously.

"It seems ages since I've seen Gerald," she said. "He used to take me to the movies twice every week, and he helped me with my lessons, too. I start in high school next year, and I'll need him worse than ever for my arithmetic.

"But mother needs him worse than I do. She'll never be well again, the doctor says, until she sees Gerald. Maybe she'll never see him again, if we don't hurry. I'll help."

The girl was accompanied by a brother, Charles L. Raskin, a New York attorney. Her missing brother, Jacob Gerald Raskin, came to Philadelphia eighteen months ago to enlist in the army. He was rejected here and in Pittsburgh.

He returned to Philadelphia and went to work at Hog Island. Six months ago he wrote home and again announced his intention of enlisting in the army. No word has been received from him since.

His little sister said today, when summoned to her mother's bedside, that she would return to Philadelphia tomorrow and resume her search.

"I'm going to see Mr. Brush, head of the Hog Island shipyard. He'll help me find my brother," she said.

## FEARED OPERATION; DIES

### Man Shoots Himself Rather Than Face Surgeon's Knife

Despondent because of the necessity for an operation, according to his friends, Heinrich Conrad Meyers shot himself through the heart in Fairhill Square, Fourth and Lehigh avenue, last night.

In his pocket was the following note: "To whom it may concern: Kindly notify Charles Haperline, 3736 North Percy street, in case of accident." The man had about $100 in his coat pocket when found.

According to Haperline, Meyers had been separated from his wife fifteen years. His wife and daughter are now said to be living in Wilmington. He roomed in the vicinity of Second street and Columbia avenue, and was recently told at the Philadelphia Hospital the operation was imperative. He was a cabinet maker by trade.

**Twelve Chinese Gamblers Fined**

Magistrate Grelis today fined twelve Chinese $10 each on charges of gambling. They were taken in a raid on the establishment of Lee King, in the rear of a house on Race street near Tenth. King was held in $600 bail for court.


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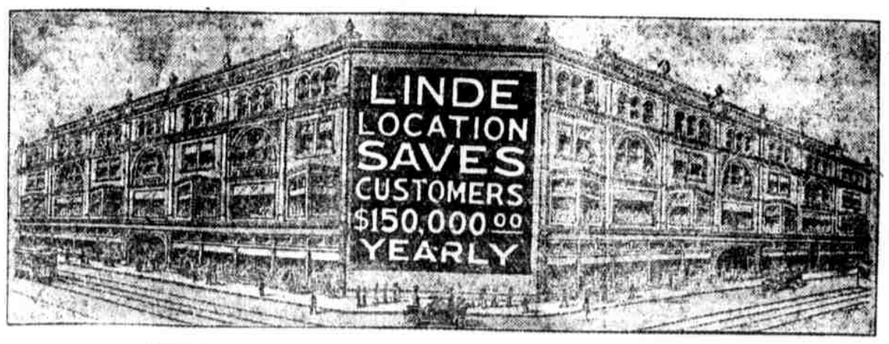


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