FREED BY RENSHAW, REARREST ORDERED

Judge Monaghan Issues Warrant for Drug Suspect, Overruling Magistrate

WAS ACCUSED BY ADDICT

A bench warrant was issued today by Judge Monaghan for William Fitzgerald, who was accused last month of selling a narcotic drug, but who was discharged by Magistrate Renshaw.

The Judge ordered Fitzgerald's arrest after questioning William Fries, on trial for the unlawful possession of drugs, who stated Fitzgerald sold him the narcotic.

Judge Monaghan also suggested that detectives investigate a restaurant on Ninth street near Ridge avenue, where Fitzgerald is employed and where Fries said he obtained drugs more than fifty times since last May.

Detective Fouche, a Negro member of the vice squad, testified that on July 19 he saw Fitzgerald place a small package in a pie box in front of the restaurant. Fries came along a minute later and removed the package, according to Fouche.

The detectives said he arrested both men and that Magistrate Renshaw held Fries for the Grand Jury and discharged Fitzgerald for lack of evidence.

"I don't understand that," remarked Judge Monaghan. "If you saw the man place this package in the pie box, he certainly had possession of the drug and apparently is a seller."

Turning to Assistant District Attorney Gordon, the Judge continued:

"Here is a restaurant where they have a man behind the counter who, it seems, furnishes drugs to these unfortunate addicts. I think this place should be investigated by your detective force."

Questioned by the Court, Fries said he had been "going straight" and working in Reading for several months and that he returned to Philadelphia May 5. He is engaged to be married to a Reading girl, he said.

The defendant said he had been buying drugs at the restaurant since May. He said he bought it from any one who would sell it.

"From whom did you buy it on this occasion?" asked Judge Monaghan.

"From the man Magistrate Renshaw discharged," Fries answered. He added that he was "broke" on that occasion, and that Fitzgerald trusted him for half a fifty-cent package.

The frequency of Fries' purchases made Judge Monaghan suspect he was a peddler and not a user, but Fries insisted he never sold drugs.

Fries pleaded guilty to having drugs in his possession. Disposition of his case was postponed while County Detective McGettigan and Detective Fouche went out after Fitzgerald.

O. K. HUERTA'S DEAL

Mexico and International Bankers Reach Agreement

The financial agreement between the Mexican Government and the international Bankers' Committee has been ratified by President Obregon of Mexico, the Mexican Consulate in this city was advised today.

A. E. de Los Monteros, the consul, issued this statement:

"This consulate has been officially advised that the financial agreement recently concluded in New York between Secretary of the Treasury De La Huerta on behalf of the Mexican Government and the International Committee of Bankers, headed by Thomas W. Lamont, was ratified yesterday by President Obregon.

"The approval of this agreement by the Mexican Congress which will take place shortly will formally settle all matters connected with Mexico's public exterior and railways debt."

PARENTS AND BABY DROWN

Little Son, Not Realizing Loss, Tells Passersby of Tragedy

Visalia, Calif., Aug. 9.—(By A. P.)—That Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Highland and their infant child, of Los Angeles, had been drowned at Three Rivers, thirty miles east of here, was disclosed when passing motorists observed a lad of three years playing alone in an automobile. They asked him where his mother was.

"In the water," he replied. "Daddy in water; baby in water."

Further questioning disclosed that the baby had fallen into the Kaweah River. The frightened mother leaped in to save the child. Unable to swim, she cried for help and the father, who was working on the automobile, jumped in in an effort to save his wife and child.

The bodies of Mr. and Mrs. Highland were recovered.

MEMORIAL FOR HEROES

Community House to Be Erected Near Willow Grove

Ground was broken last night for a $50,000 community house as a memorial to service men on Easton road near Old York road, Willow Grove.

William E. Cooper, president of the Memorial Association, had charge of the ceremonies. Nine women who were active in raising funds for the building had a prominent part. They were Mrs. J. Dyer Moyer, Mrs. John Howarth, Mrs. William R. Pugh, Mrs. Edgar Davenport, Mrs. Howard Leadbeater, Mrs. H. R. Johnson, Mrs. Silas Morris, Mrs. William S. Holt and Mrs. Raymond Potts.

Addresses were made by the Rev. H. R. Johnson, the Rev. Dr. Lamb and the Rev. Edward F. Curran.

DEBTOR KILLS POLICEMAN

Deputy Sheriffs Attempting to Seize Car, Severely Wounded

Frederick, Md., Aug. 9.—(By A. P.)—Policeman John Adams was shot and killed and Deputy Sheriffs Charles W. Smith and Allen Bartgis were severely wounded by William A. Stultz at Stultz's home here today.

Smith and Bartgis were attempting to seize Stultz's automobile to satisfy a debt claim when the latter opened fire and then barricaded himself in his home. Adams was shot when he and another policeman went to Stultz's home to arrest him.

Stultz's counsel persuaded him to surrender and the man was taken to the Baltimore jail to avoid possible lynching.

Elkton Marriage Licenses

Elkton, Aug. 9.—The following marriage licenses were issued here today: Enrique Hermande and Mary E. Irwin, Camden; Joseph E. McLaughlin and Florence Elkins, Philadelphia; Joseph E. Baird and Sarah E. Jones, Port Deposit, Md.; Thomas J. McGee and Margaret M. Doyle, Philadelphia, and Henry W. Lewis and Clara B. Waltz, Baltimore.

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BAREFOOT HERO AND RIVER VICTIM

FIGURES IN DELANCO TRAGEDY

Two boys were drowned at Delanco, N. J., yesterday, and a third had a narrow escape. Miss Carol Miller, eighteen, made a heroic effort to save the two boys who were lost. She dived from the wharf after them in the manner indicated in the photograph. The boy with the basket is "Happy" Summerfield, who prevented a triple drowning by saving Charles Minafro, the lad in overalls. The other boy is Charles Berger, who was drowned

'MAN' WITH BATHING BEAUTY GLIDE HELD

Ardmore Police Nab Allentown Woman Parading in Male Garb

SOUGHT AS EMBEZZLER

Masculine clothing from head to foot could not hide the "bathing beauty glide" of a "man" strolling through Ardmore shortly before noon today.

"Don't be silly; I'm a man" the suspect said in an unmistakably feminine voice when accosted by Patrolman Harry Ewing.

At the Ardmore police station, the prisoner confessed she was Bertha Zigler, 335 North Sixth street, Allentown, and that she thought a man's clothing would get her a job quicker than would feminine finery.

This explanation fell flat when Chief Donaghy was informed by police of Allentown that the woman was wanted for embezzlement there. She is said to have worked as a bookkeeper in an Allentown factory.

Ewing saw the masquerader walking on Lancaster pike. The clothes were the clothes of Adam—that is a modern Adam—but the walk was the walk of Eve.

A straw hat was worn rakishly on the masquerader's close cropped brown curls. A checked suit with a belted back, a blue striped silk shirt, black low shoes and black silk socks completed the ensemble.

The woman, who coyly admitted she was thirty-five years old, tried to affect a husky voice, but the attempt failed. She was taken before Magistrate Stillwagon, who held her for the Allentown authorities.

The police at Allentown said a warrant charging Miss Zigler with embezzlement had been issued by an alderman there. A constable was to start this afternoon for Ardmore. The police there said she jumped an $800 bail bond.

The young woman was calm in the station house, although she looked reproachfully at Chief Donaghy and Ewing. She tried to cross one leg over the other while seated, suddenly remembered her sex was known, and then sat upright on the chair. She refused to talk about herself.

TWO WOMEN HURT

Auto, With Chicago Party, Hit by Truck at Ardmore

Two Chicago women were injured at 6 o'clock this morning when the motorcar of F. H. Davis, also of Chicago, was forced into a ditch at Holland avenue, Ardmore.

Mrs. William Callahan was thrown from the car and her left shoulder was dislocated and Miss Louise Downey was cut over the left eye when a motortruck crowded the touring car into the ditch.

Davis and the women said they lived at 7638 Rhodes avenue, Chicago. The man was unhurt, but accompanied his companions to the Bryn Mawr Hospital. The motortruck driver sped away after the accident.

FLOUR PRICE 19 LBS. FOR $1

Department of Labor Announces Results of Survey

Washington, Aug. 9.—Flour is now retailing at an average of nineteen pounds for $1, says a survey by the Department of Labor. Two years ago one dollar bought but twelve pounds retail.

There need be little anxiety over the slight upward trend of retail food prices the last six months, Government officials explain. Despite recent gains, virtually all necessities are selling at less than in 1920.

Some Government officials believe the high level of 1920 will never again be reached despite the present upward tendency.

He Rescued Girl

GEORGE C. GALENA

6 North Wilton street, who snatched West Philadelphia girl from path of subway train

Two Boys Drown as Girl Fails at Rescue

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of Delanco, brought up the body of Harry Williamson. His father had been waiting at the wharf. He took the body in an automobile to his home, where his wife lay ill.

Ten minutes after Harry's body was brought to the surface, the same grappling iron came up with its second burden. The bodies had rested on the bottom of the river almost side by side.

Miss Miller, who is spending her summer vacation with her parents in Delanco, is a school teacher at Prospect Plains, N. J. Other than to say that she had undergone a thrilling experience Carol would not comment on her heroic action.

"Happy," who has become the hero of Delanco, was found this morning sitting on a bridge over the Rancocas Creek, dangling his feet in the water, with a fishing line in his hand.

"I'm fishin' for tadpoles," he said in answer to a question concerning his rescue work, "and I'd rather not be pestered right now."

"As for me pulling the boy out of the water, that's nuthin' strange. You'd do the same thing. I'm only sorry we couldn't save the other."

"Happy" is a typical country boy, with tousled hair and a face full of freckles. He is modest in the extreme. Residents of Delanco are already thinking of asking a Carnegie medal for him.

PRAISE AND BLAME FOR FIRE SYSTEM

National Underwriters Find Much to Commend Here, but Discover Some Deficiencies

TOO FEW ENGINE COMPANIES

The fire protection service in Philadelphia is generally good, although improvements can be made, engineers of the National Board of Fire Underwriters report after an inspection here.

The report, issued today by the board's Committee on Fire Prevention and Engineering Standards, praises the mangament of the Water Bureau, the Fire Bureau, the Fire Marshal's office, the fire-alarm system and the regulation of electric wiring.

The board's engineers recommend the employment of emergency crews equipped to operate large valves by power in the event of breaks in water mains.

The per capita consumption of water is still high, the report stated, although somewhat reduced since 1911, the date of the last inspection, through the use of meters on all large consumers.

Fire Bureau Commended

The fire bureau is commended generally, although some constructive criticism is made. The report states:

"Many of the districts are excessive in size and number of companies, and insufficient battalion chiefs are provided, necessitating the acting of a company officer in that capacity. There is also a deficiency in company officers, with the result that often the companies are in charge of men who have not proven their qualifications for the position.

"Companies are well manned, despite the large number of permanent details. Several additional engine and ladder companies are needed and pumping apparatus is required in districts now covered by hose companies. Ladder service is weak in the congested value district."

The report continued that engine capacity with the high pressure service and the fire boats is sufficient, but that some of the engines were in poor condition and that the stoking of steamers generally was unsatisfactory.

"PERFECT" STILL IS SEIZED

Detectives Halt Merry Bubbling of Sixteenth Street Hooch Plant

A perfect "distillery in miniature" was seized by Detectives Winning and Diamond today in the home of John Greenfield, a salesman, at 4317 North Sixteenth street.

The detectives obtained a search warrant after they noticed many men drive up in automobiles and leave with neatly wrapped packages of assorted shapes and sizes.

Greenfield was away from home. In his cellar the detectives found a fifteen-gallon still bubbling away.

The detectives said the liquor was prime, exceptionally good for hooch.

Reprieve Refused Wilson Slayers

London, Aug. 9.—(By A. P.)—A reprieve was refused by Home Secretary Shortt today to Joseph O'Sullivan and Reginald Dunn, sentenced to be hanged tomorrow for the assassination of Field Marshal Sir Henry Hughes Wilson.

PURPOSELY HUMOROUS

The best comic artists create the well-known characters with the genuinely humorous problems to which they fall, for the special section of the Sunday Ledger.

AINEY AND HOOVER TO CONFER ON COAL

Chairman of Governor's Commission Won't Comment on Situation Now

LEAVES FOR WASHINGTON

Following announcement of Governor Sproul's appointment of a State fuel commission, working under the direction of Secretary Hoover and Fuel Controller Spencer, William D. B. Ainey, head of the Public Service Commission and chairman of the newly appointed body, left here today for a conference with Secretary Hoover in Washington.

Before he left the Bellevue-Stratford Mr. Ainey was asked what would be the first step of the new commission.

"It is entirely up to the Governor," he said, "but it is certain that when I return from Washington I shall call a meeting of the members of the commission. Until that time I have nothing to say."

Mr. Ainey refused to comment on the increased production in the coal fields of the State or what action would be taken by the commission to prevent the pyramiding of sales of coal by speculators, a state that existed during the last coal crisis.

Before leaving the city Mr. Ainey notified the members of the commission that the first meeting will be held Friday at 2 o'clock in the Chamber of Commerce Building.

The members of the Pennsylvania commission, besides Mr. Ainey, are:

James S. Benn, a member of the Pennsylvania Public Service Commission, in charge of its priority functions, who has been in touch with the work at Washington.

William W. Furey, president of the Pittsburgh Chamber of Commerce.

Edgar C. Felton, of Haverford, who served in the Council of National Defense.

Hugh A. Dawson, of Scranton.

S. B. Crowell, of Philadelphia, president of the Pennsylvania Retail Coal Merchants' Association.

William J. Stern, former Mayor of Erie, a business man who was associated with the Fuel Administration during the war.

The Governor's statement follows in part:

"While we all hope that the suspension of operations in a large proportion of the coal-producing area of the State will soon end and that a satisfactory agreement will be reached between the operators and miners, the fact remains that if mining were to be resumed today the best efforts of all concerned would not avert the shortage of coal, which is already hampering the industries of the State and which must soon work hardship upon domestic consumers.

"The question of distribution of fuel, and of priority for essential public utilities and industry are more complicated here than elsewhere. During the last period of fuel administration much hardship was worked upon our people by the diversion of a very large proportion of Pennsylvania's coal production to the other less favored sections. Through a system of pyramiding sales extortionate prices were demanded and received by speculators in the fuel necessary for keeping the industries operating and homes comfortable in Pennsylvania.

"I shall suggest to the commission that a special committee upon distribution be appointed by them, consisting of men thoroughly familiar with the routes of coal transportation, the needs of the people and the market conditions throughout the State.

"I have in mind for the consideration of the commission as members of the Coal Distribution Committee, such men as John G. Cameron, of Pittsburgh, who served most acceptably in the last emergency; John S. W. Holton, president of the Philadelphia Maritime Exchange; Charles Oneil, of Altoona, secretary of the Central Pennsylvania Operators' Association; Frank B. Miller, of Greensburg, who is versed in the distribution of high volatile and gas coal; Howard Perrin, of Philadelphia; Wellington M. Bertolet, Esq., of Reading, who is familiar with the retail trade throughout the State; E. W. Parker, of Philadelphia, director of the Anthracite Bureau; W. J. Thompson, secretary of the Anthracite Producers' Association, with offices in Philadelphia, and such others as may be necessary.

"As there are no public funds available for this emergency plan, it will probably be necessary to make a small distribution charge of perhaps two cents per ton to cover the costs of the coal administration within the State."

Seek Mrs. Helen F. Jackson

Detective Joseph Shay, in charge of the division of missing persons of the Detective Bureau, has received a telegram from Archibald Talbert, 1214 Minnesota avenue, N. E. Washington, D. C., asking him to locate Mrs. Helen F. Jackson, and notify her that her sister is dead. Mrs. Jackson's address is given in the telegram as 1004 North Seventh street, Harrisburg, Pa., but she is thought to be stopping in this city.

HARDING RECEIVES TWO WOMEN TODAY

Mrs. Warburton and Mrs. J. J. O'Brien to Be Guests at White House

LIKELY TO TALK POLITICS

Mrs. Barclay H. Warburton, vice chairman of the Republican State Committee, and Mrs. John J. O'Brien, director of publicity of that organization, will be received today in the White House by President Harding.

The object of their visit was not disclosed, but it is thought to bear on the political situation in this State with reference to women.

After their conference with the President, the two women will meet Mrs. Harriet Taylor Upton, of the National Republican Executive Committee, with whom they will discuss methods of publicity and the dissemination of educational matter being adopted by the Republican women in all States. Conferences with other political leaders in the national capital have also been arranged.

Before departing for Washington yesterday, Mrs. Warburton expressed the pleasure with which she noted the enthusiasm being displayed by the women of this State in the coming gubernatorial campaign. She called attention to the numerous requests for literature and information pouring into the State headquarters, 506 South Broad street, daily.

The two leaders attended a dinner given yesterday by Senator and Mrs. George Wharton Pepper. Among the other guests were Eliot Wadsworth, of New York, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, and his wife.

W. Harry Baker, chairman of the Republican State Committee, announced yesterday the appointment of Mrs. O'Brien as chairman of the Speakers' Committee of the State organization.

Mrs. Warburton and Mrs. O'Brien will return to Philadelphia tonight, and will entertain Gifford Pinchot, Republican nominee for Governor, at dinner at the Warburton home. Mr. Pinchot will confer with W. Harry Baker, chairman of the Republican State Committee, tomorrow at State headquarters on plans for the campaign.

FAITHFUL DOG NEARLY SHOT FOR TRUCK CRASH

Guards Wrecked Car After Four Cars Jam on Broad Street

Traffic about City Hall was interrupted at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon when four motortrucks were mixed up in a collision at Broad and Filbert streets.

No one was injured, but a small fox terrier, riding on one of the trucks, narrowly escaped being shot for the part he played in the crash.

A light delivery truck of R. Jacobs, Royersford, turned suddenly toward Broad, a United States mail truck, following, rammed into it, locking the fenders. Another truck bumped into the two and was pinned fast by still another coming up and unable to stop.

It was when the driver of the mail truck tried to lift the fender of the first car from his machine that the terrier, standing guard on the truck that headed the line, reached over and nipped his arm. The driver was angered and drawing a revolver was ready to shoot when the crowd which had collected shouted a protest.

The damage to the trucks was slight.

SPIRITUALIST PREDICTS TIME OF OWN DEATH

Madame Zenetta, Born Here, Dies in Hartford, Conn.

Madame Zenetta, who was born in this city, is dead in Hartford, Conn. Her death occurred Monday night, two hours before she predicted it would, and in conformity with her expressed wishes the funeral will be held today and burial will take place in Stamford, Conn., tomorrow afternoon.

For twenty-five years Madame Zenetta conducted clairvoyant fortune telling and spiritualist seances in Hartford, and occasionally received publicity by her predictions. Her earnings during the twenty-five years amounted to more than $30,000, relatives say. She was known in private life as Mary Zenetta Burgess Hall. She was sixty-eight years old. Her father, Thomas Burgess, set in motion the machinery that started the Centennial Exposition in 1876.

GETS A 15 DAYS' "BRACER"

Youth Asks Gloucester Mayor for Drink and Draws Sentence

A sixteen-year-old boy, arrested early today while intoxicated, pleaded for a "bracer" in the Gloucester police court.

"Honest, I need a drink," he told Mayor Anderson, as he eyed a bottle partly filled with whisky which had been taken from him.

"You will get no drink for fifteen days anyhow," the Mayor replied, in committing Howard Battresby, the defendant, 121 Atlantic street, Gloucester, to the Camden county jail.

Spectators offered to test the whisky, but the Mayor ordered a police sergeant to lock it in a closet and use it for sick prisoners.

UNION CHIEF FACES TRIAL

C. Frank Keeney, District President, Accused of Murder

Charles Town, W. Va., Aug. 9.—(By A. P.)—C. Frank Keeney, president of District No. 17, United Mine Workers, will be tried here on a charge of accessory before the fact in the killing of a Logan County reputy sheriff on Blair Mountain late last summer.

This was announced in court today by State counsel, here to prosecute cases growing out of the march of armed miners in the Southern Weset Virginia coal fields.

BRIDEGROOM 80; BRIDE 65

Both "Supremely Happy; Everything Fine and Dandy"

Scranton, Pa., Aug. 9. — "He is eighty, but you would never think so if you saw him. You don't know how happy we are, and everything is fine and dandy." Mrs. James E. Bestmer, of Lake Ariel, sixty-five, said today in announcing her marriage yesterday to the Rev. James E. Bestmer, a retired Christian minister of Cortland, N. Y.

Senator Nelson's Wife Dead

Washington, Aug. 9.—(By A. P.)—Mrs. Nicholine Jacobson Nelson, wife of Senator Knute Nelson, Minnesota, died early today after a long illness. She was a native of Norway and married Senator Nelson in 1868. They have a daughter, who, with Senator Nelson, will leave tomorrow for the funeral at Alexandria, Minn., the Nelson residence.

BOY TRIES RESCUE, NEARLY LOSES LIFE

Lad, 7, Found Gasping for Breath in Fire on Ridge Avenue

BROTHER DISCOVERS HIM

Seven-year-old Lester Barish almost lost his life in an attempt to rescue his grandmother from his burning home at 1833 Ridge avenue early this morning. The boy was himself rescued by his older brother, Abraham, as he lay suffocating on a second floor landing.

The fire started in the clothing store of Israel Barish, father of the boy. The flames spread with such rapidity that the nine members of Barish's family were momentarily trapped on the two upper floors.

When Barish was awakened by the crackling of flames he aroused his wife, Rose, and four of his children, including Lester, who were sleeping on the second floor. They all hurried to the street.

In the meantime his oldest son, Abraham, had smelled smoke while on the third floor with two sisters and his grandmother, sixty-three years old. The two girls crawled through a window and onto a shed, from which they made their way to an adjoining dwelling. Abraham took the aged woman by the hand and led her to safety down the steps.

Lester did not notice his grandmother emerge into the street and decided that she still was asleep on the third floor. He ran back into the house and it was not until several minutes later that his absence was noticed.

Then Abraham darted through the burning hallway and up the steps after his young brother. He found the boy gasping for breath and carried him to the pavement, where he was revived. The damage is estimated at $10,000.

DR. GEORGE MILBRY GOULD DIES AT ATLANTIC CITY

Eye Specialist Was 74 Years Old and Had Retired From Practice

Dr. George Milbry Gould, internationally known as an eye specialist, who lived in Philadelphia for many years, died last night in Atlantic City years, died last night in Atlantic City from heart disease. He was stricken shortly after eating dinner at his home, 215 Atlantic avenue, and died three hours later. He was seventy-four years old.

The death of Dr. Gould recalls his marriage in 1917 to Miss Laura M. Stedman, of this city, who was at that time his stenographer. Dr. Gould was sixty-eight years old, while his bride had just passed her thirty-sixth birthday. Mrs. Gould is the granddaughter of Edmund Clarence Stedman, a New York writer, who died nearly a decade ago. Dr. Gould was an intimate friend of Stedman and he and his wife collaborated before their marriage in writing Stedman's biography.

Dr. Gould was graduated from Jefferson Medical College in 1888. He practiced in this city many years, making his home at 1722 Walnut street.

JOSEPH E. McMENAMY

Funeral Friday for Veteran Employe of City Transit Dept.

The funeral of Joseph E. McMenamy who died at his home, 8515 Frankford avenue, yesterday afternoon, will be held at 10 o'clock Friday morning from St. Dominic's church, Holmesburg, with a solemn high requiem mass. He was fifty-five years old and had been ill for eleven months. Five children and his wife, Sarah G. McMenamy, survive.

Mr. McMenamy had been connected with the department of City Transit as an inspector since the opening of the bureau, nearly nine years ago.

American Legion Post No. 178 is named after Mr. McMenamy's son Charles, who was killed in the battle of Belleau Woods, while serving in the United States Marine Corps.

DEATH OF MRS. BORIE

Member of Old Philadelphia Family Dies in Maine

Mrs. M. Clementine Borie, widow of Henry P. Borie, and a member of one of the oldest families in Philadelphia, died on Monday at her summer home at Grindstone, Me. Her body will be brought to this city and funeral services held at her Wayne residence Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Borie, who before her marriage was Miss M. Clementine White, spent most of her time while in Philadelphia at her home, 123 South Twelfth street. The house is one of the few fine old residences not crowded out by the advance of business.

Mrs. Borie's brother, William Robert White, was president of the Robesonia Iron Company, and a prominent clubman. He died in October, 1914, leaving an estate of $450,000 to Mrs. Alice Hoyt Henry, daughter of the Rev. Thomas A. Hoyt, for many years pastor of the Chambers-Wylie Memorial Presbyterian Church. Mrs. Henry was a sister-in-law of Mr. White.

S. L. Forman

Smith L. Forman, of the printing firm of Forman & Paul, died yesterday at his summer home in Ocean City, N. J., of paralysis after an illness of three years.

Mr. Forman, who was fifty-four years old and was born in Milford, N. J., had been in the printing business here for more than twenty years. He introduced Christmas greeting cards in Philadelphia. He was in business at Tenth and Arch streets, under his own name before becoming a member of the present firm at Twelfth and Arch streets.

William Turner

William Turner, twenty-seven years old, died yesterday at his home at 16 McPherson street, Mount Airy, after a lingering illness, on the first anniversary of his wedding to Miss Jean Chichester Fox, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Fox, of Torresdale.

Mr. Turner was the son of the late James V. P. Turner, a prominent lawyer of this city, and Mrs. Adeline H. Turner.

William Henri Addicks

William Henri Addicks, member of a prominent Philadelphia family, died of pneumonia yesterday at the Grand Canyon Hotel, Yellowstone Park. He was the son of Mrs. George C. Stout, of Berwyn, and her first husband, the late William H. Addicks.

Mr. Addicks, who was twenty-two years old, finished in June his freshman year at Massachusetts Institution of Technology. Ten days ago he left here for a Western trip with Dr. and Mrs. Stout, and his half-sisters, the Misses Mary, Rebecca and Margaret Stout. Three days ago he suddenly developed pneumonia and was taken to the Grand Canyon Hotel.

APARTMENTS TO SUIT EVERY PURSE and meet every requirement may be found quickly by consulting the classified columns

Murdered

MRS. CATHERINE JAMES

Who was shot to death by Watkins G. Rhoads, a club steward, in her apartment at 324 West Susquehanna avenue. Rhoads then attempted suicide

MURDERS WOMAN, ATTEMPTS SUICIDE

Mrs. Catherine James Killed in Apartment at 324 W. Susquehanna Avenue

ASSAILANT MAY DIE

Watkins G. Rhoads, forty-one years old, steward of an uptown club, late yesterday shot and killed Mrs. Catherine James, thirty-one years old, 324 West Susquehanna avenue, and then attempted suicide. Jealousy is said to have been the motive.

Mrs. James died within a few moments of her arrival at the Episcopal Hospital, where she had been taken with Rhoads. Early today it was said that Rhoads was in a critical condition. Police say he admitted he shot the woman.

Rhoads was employed as a steward at the Grant Club, 2346 North Second street, and, according to police, had been friendly with Mrs. James since her separation from her husband, Francis James, more than eight months ago.

Francis James, Jr., ten-year-old son of the murdered woman, found his mother dying when he returned from an errand. Her apartments were on the third floor at the Susquehanna avenue address, above a chain grocery store. Screaming hysterically, the boy ran down to the second floor and summoned Mrs. Edith Deckart and Mrs. Hazel Bausinger.

"My mamma is dying, a man shot her," the boy told them.

They went upstairs and found Mrs. James lying in a pool of blood. One bullet had pierced her abdomen and another entered near her heart.

Rhoads, the woman said, was washing his hands at a sink and did not seem to be hurt.

He had started to walk to the street when the police arrived and arrested him. As they took the revolver from him they saw blood streaming down his face from under his hat. Rhoads had been drinking.

Questioned by District Detective Gustave Glazer, Rhoads first denied he had done the shooting, but later admitted it, saying it was accidental. He would make no further statement.

The husband of the dead woman was summoned from his home at 351 East Tusculum street. He denied his wife had been friendly with Rhoads, and said she must have been shot while resisting the man's advances. James said he had passed his wife's home about the time of the shooting and heard nothing to attract his attention. Police said that Mrs. James had formerly lived in an apartment at Palethorp street and Susquehanna avenue and was forced to leave because of complaints of Rhoads' attentions.

Rhoads is forty-one years old. He is said to have a wife and several children living near Third and Vine streets. He lapsed into unconsciousness soon after his admission to the hospital and the police were unable to question him further.

The room where the shooting occurred was found in a great disorder and had the appearance that a struggle had taken place. Furniture was overturned and broken and bloodstains were splattered over the bed and floor.

NOW REAL "WAR" VETERAN

Taxi Man Who Says Police Beat Him Earns Second Wound Stripe

A charge that George Mahlin, South street near Twenty-sixth, hit him during a "taxicab battle" Friday was made today by William Joyce, 1440 South Taylor street.

Mahlin, a starter for a taxicab company, a rival of the company employing Joyce, was held in $500 bail by Magistrate O'Connor for a further hearing September 5.

The complainant recently caused the arrest of seven patrolmen of the Tenth and Buttonwood streets station, alleging he was beaten in the station house. The patrolmen were held to the Grand Jury.

SEEK ELOPERS HERE

Police Watch for Arrival of Boyertown Couple

The Philadelphia police were asked last night to watch all roads leading into this city to apprehend Charles Miller, thirty-three years old, and Edith H. Clark, sixteen years old, who are believed to have eloped from Boyertown, Pa., early yesterday in an auto. Miller has a wife and two children in Boyertown.

The pair were last seen at New Berlinville, Berks County, in a new car, headed toward this city.

D'OLIER TO DISCUSS FAIR WITH PINCHOT

Sproul and Mayor Also to Attend Conference at Home of Major Warburton

WANAMAKER TO BE THERE

Colonel Franklin D'Olier, president of the Sesqui-Centennial, will discuss plans for the World Fair this evening with Gifford Pinchot, Republican nominee for Governor.

The conference will be held at the home of Major and Mrs. Barclay H. Warburton at Jenkintown. Governor Sproul is expected to attend.

John Wanamaker, who has contributed $50,000 to the Fair Association for himself and Rodman Wanamaker, his son, will join in the discussion, as will Mayor Moore and several other city officials.

Mrs. Warburton and Mrs. John J. O'Brien, women's publicity director of the Republican State Committee, are in Washington today, but will return here in time for the conference at the Warburton home.

Colonel Plunges Into Work

Colonel D'Olier reached his private business office at Third and Chestnut streets at 8 o'clock this morning. A big pile of Sesqui-Centennial mail awaited him. For three hours he went over the correspondence, dictated replies and otherwise busied himself with plans for the fair.

Speaking of tonight's conference he said he hoped to enlist the co-operation of Mr. Pinchot and to discuss general plans for the exposition to be held here in 1926.

It was another busy day for the former national commander of the American Legion, who cut short a vacation in the White Mountains upon his election as president of the Exposition Association.

Learning Public's Views

The head of the exposition is sounding out the views of every one who has had a hand in shaping plans for the exposition. He is gaining whatever information they have about public sentiment here and elsewhere.

"I intend to stay here until I feel the fair has gotten off to a good start," he said, as he concluded work on the mass of correspondence. "Then I will run back to New England for a short vacation."

COMMENDS FAIR HEAD

Senator Pepper Offers Aid to Franklin D'Olier

Special Dispatch to Evening Public Ledger

Washington, Aug. 9.—Senator Pepper, asked today to comment on the election of Colonel D'Olier to head the Sesqui-Centennial, said:

"Philadelphia is fortunate in the leadership of Colonel D'Olier for the Sesqui-Centennial. He is vigorous, capable, popular and in all respects qualified for the great task to which he has been called.

"I shall be happy to work under him for the success of the Exposition and the welfare of Pennsylvania."

NAB HOTEL SUSPECT

Ex-Clerk at Lorraine Accused of Embezzlement

Accused of embezzling $600 from the Hotel Lorraine, while he was a night clerk there several months ago, Theodore Handell, thirty-five years old, was arrested last night in an apartment at Thirteenth and Spruce streets.

Police started a search for Handell two weeks ago after a warrant had been sworn out for his arrest by Frank J. McCort, manager of the hotel. The theft was discovered, according to McCort, after Handell's discharge, when auditors went over the man's books.

Handell denied to Detective Creedon that he was $600 short in his receipts. He insisted that the matter had been fixed up before he left the hotel employ.

Fire Threatens Paint Plant

Fire in a small coal shed threatened the paint and lead manufacturing plant of John T. Lewis & Bros. Company. The shed was one of several small buildings in the 2500 block on Aramingo avenue. Flames were discovered at 3:20 A. M., and an alarm brought Truck No. 16 to the shed. The blaze was extinguished after two hours.

DEATHS

HILL.—Aug. 7, EDWARD C. HILL, husband of Sadie J. Hill. Relatives and friends are invited to attend funeral services, Saturday, 2 P. M., precisely, at the residence of Mrs. A. Koenig, 1930 7th st. Interment private.

BEAN.—On Aug. 8, 1922, SARAH, widow of George R. H. Bean. Services Friday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, at her residence, 6078 Lincoln drive, Germantown. Interment private.

THACHER.—Aug. 8, ANNA R., 324 Chelten ave., Germantown, widow of Arthur Thacher, in her 83d year. Relatives and friends invited to funeral services, Friday, 2 P. M., at Church of the Brethren, Germantown ave., above Chelten ave.

McMENAMY.—On Aug. 8, JOSEPH E. McMenamy, husband of Sarah G. McMenamy (nee Smith). Funeral on Friday, at 10 A. M., from his late residence, 8515 Frankford ave., Holmesburg. Solemn requiem mass, St. Dominic's Church, 10 A. M. Interment St. Dominic's Cemetery.

CLIFT.—Suddenly, Aug. 8, MARTHA, widow of George D. Clift, in her 65th year. Relatives and friends are invited to attend funeral services, Friday, 2 P. M., at her late residence, 1306 Harrison st., Frankford. Interment private.

MITCHELL.—Aug. 8, 1922, HARRY, husband of the late Elizabeth Tolbert Mitchell, aged 65 years. Relatives and friends are invited to attend funeral, without further notice, Saturday, 2 P. M., from his late residence, 8 E. State st., Newtown, Pa. Interment Newtown Cemetery. (Daylight-saving time.)

FORMAN.—Aug. 8, at Ocean City, N. J., SMITH L., husband of Emma V. Forman. Relatives and friends, also Oriental Lodge, No. 365, F. and A. M.; Temple Royal Arch Chapter, No. 248; Mary Commandery, No. 4, K. T.; Lu Lu Temple Knights Templar; Chapter, No. 24, R. S. Artisan's N. W. Association, No. 24, Patriots Ushers' Association Baptist Temple, and all other organizations of which he was a member, invited to funeral services, Friday, 8 P. M., Baptist Temple, Broad and Christian sts. Interment private.

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