

PHILA. YOUTH HELD IN HOLD-UP MURDER

Anxiety to Leave Baltimore Causes Arrest in \$7263 Payroll Robbery

HIRED TAXI FOR THE TRIP

Gerald Taylor, 7012 Lansdowne avenue, is one of five suspects under arrest in Baltimore following a payroll hold-up here yesterday in which one man was shot to death and another man killed into unconsciousness.

William B. Norris, secretary and treasurer of Hicks, Tasse & Norris Co., was shot four times and his body kicked repeatedly when he and a companion were held up at Madison street and Park avenue, Baltimore, at 9:30 A. M. yesterday.

The bandits, four in number, struck Frederick W. Kuethe, bookkeeper for the contracting company, and escaped in a motorcar with a \$7263 payroll.

Taylor's arrest was directly due to his haste in leaving Baltimore. He engaged a taxicab there at 11:15 A. M. yesterday and after first giving a destination in Baltimore, directed the chauffeur to drive to Philadelphia. He paid \$70 fare in advance.

Parcels Go to Baltimore Taylor's parents left this city for Baltimore this morning. They were notified of the arrest of the nineteen-year-old youth last night and came in immediately to the Detective Bureau in City Hall. They said they had not seen their son for three months.

Taylor was the first suspect arrested. He had engaged a taxicab driven by William Godwin, of Baltimore.

"The man first told me he wanted to go to Market place," Godwin later told the police. "After we got there he asked me how long it would take to go to the Philadelphia road. He told me he had changed his mind and wanted to go to Philadelphia."

"I asked him why he did not board the train and he told me to drive ahead and get out into the country. We went out the Belair road and several miles out I stopped and said I wanted to know where he was going so I would be prepared with sufficient gasoline.

"The man acted in an unusual manner and told me he was anxious to get home and that he would pay me to take him to Philadelphia. 'Give me \$100, my dear and I will pay you well,' he told me.

Caught by Motorcycle Policeman "He asked me what I would charge him and I told him I would have to call headquarters in Baltimore. After reaching Belair he went to a telephone booth and called the central office of the taxicab company.

"Taylor was right beside me at the telephone and I was unable to talk freely. I let the central office take the telephone and I was told not to run too fast, that a motorcycle policeman would pick me up. The cab got under way and after a few minutes I heard the motorcycle policeman behind.

"Taylor urged me to 'speed up a bit.' A few minutes later the policeman ran past me and held up his hand. I stopped and was ordered to head back to Baltimore. On the way to town Taylor wanted to know what was happening and I told him I was obliged to obey orders."

Taylor fainted when he was taken to police headquarters. Police say a .32-caliber revolver and a number of cartridges were found in his suitcase. The scene apparently had not been freed recently.

A Baltimore newspaper has offered a \$5000 reward for the arrest and conviction of the payroll bandits; the Philadelphia Record has offered a reward of \$2500, and Governor Ritchie, of Maryland, personally offered \$250.

RAPS WOMAN'S KNUCKLES FOR SMOKING ON STREET

Husband Complains Against Action of New York Policeman

New York, Aug. 19.—(By A. P.)—Women here were waiting with interest for the decision of Police Commissioner Enright as to whether a policeman can stop a woman from smoking a cigarette on the street.

The question arose after Policeman Klyon rapped the knuckles of Mrs. May Sladen, after she refused to discard a cigarette. The woman was smoking while standing with her husband and chatting with friends on Broadway. Most of the women in the party were wearing knickerbockers.

Edward H. Sladen protested to the policeman that he had given his wife the cigarette and that there was no law to prevent her smoking where and when she wished. He made a complaint against Klyon and the matter was passed to Commissioner Enright for decision.

MATHILDE GOES TO BASLE

Received Several Visits From Oser While in Seelberg

Seelberg, Switzerland, Aug. 19.—(By A. P.)—Mathilde McCormick, granddaughter of John D. Rockefeller, has left here after a stay of several days. It is rumored that she has gone to Basle.

Max Oser, her fiance, called upon her several times while here. Miss McCormick was accompanied by her governess.

After-Dinner Tricks

Four coins are placed in the position shown at the top of the diagram. Some one is asked to move the coin "A" straight downward, without measurement, until the distance from Y to Z is exactly equal to the distance between X and X'. The lower position of coin "A" shows the exact distance the coin must be moved. The person who moves the coin will slide it downward an inch or so, whereas it must be moved quite a distance. The presence of the third coin between the two top ones causes the distance to be underestimated.

Proof that the performer's move is correct can be made by setting three coins between points Y and Z, on either side.

PARTY HEADS PLAN ENROLLMENT DRIVE

Appeals Being Made to Women in Effort to Insure Big Vote for Pinchot

DEMOCRATS ALSO ARE BUSY

Now that all talk of third party movements and insurrections in the Republican organization against the leadership of Gifford Pinchot is rapidly passing out on the waves of midsummer heat, leaders in both the Republican and Democratic Parties are paying attention to getting out a big registration for the general election November 7.

A special drive along this line is being made by the women. Mrs. Barclay H. Warburton, vice chairman of the Republican State Committee; Mrs. George Horace Lorimer, president of the Republican Women of Pennsylvania, for the Republicans; and Mrs. Clarence Renshaw, vice chairman of the Democratic State Committee, for the Democrats, are at work to roll up a large registration.

Meanwhile the Pennsylvania League of Women Voters, of which Mrs. John O. Miller is chairman, representing both Republican and Democratic women voters, is carrying on an active campaign for registration. The reason for this, of course, is that all previous registrations have expired and new registration is required before a voter can take part in the November election.

Ready to Start Campaign

The days set by law for registration come just after the fall campaign swings into action. One week from today at Alton the Republican campaign will officially get under way. Then Mr. Pinchot, the Republican nominee for Governor, and the candidates for the United States Senate, Senators Reed and Pepper, will be the principal speakers. Shortly thereafter Mr. Pinchot will start out on an automobile tour which will take him into every county in the State. John A. McSparran, Mr. Pinchot's Democratic opponent, will jump into the fray about the same time. Plans for the Democratic campaign will be discussed at a meeting of the Democratic Executive Committee in Harrisburg Monday.

In a general way, all is set for the November election except the enrolling of the voters on the registration books in the cities of the Commonwealth. Most voters in boroughs and townships already have been registered by assessors. However, if the local assessors in the small rural election districts have missed any names, they can be added on September 5 and 6. The three registration days for all cities, including Philadelphia, where the voters must go to the polls and register in person, are, Thursday, September 7; Tuesday, September 10, and Saturday, October 7.

The Republican organization has definitely accepted the leadership of Mr. Pinchot. Henry Baker, chairman of the Republican State Committee, who was elected to that office against the expressed desire of Mr. Pinchot, is spending the week-end at Millford, Mr. Pinchot's home. Mr. Baker is carrying out the plans of Pinchot rather than those of the organization. Furthermore, the Vero-controlled Republican City Committee will meet after Labor Day to hear addresses by the candidates and give the long-deferred endorsement to the candidacy of the forester. Also, the Vero leaders will get busy on plans for getting the rank and file registered. This is very important to the leaders, as the Republican registration this fall, under the call of the Pinchot candidacy, will be good for the primaries of next year, when the highly important contest for the winning of the Republican majority nomination will be staged.

Future Leadership at Stake While the Pinchot leadership in the Republican Party is agreed on for the fall campaign, the question of future State leadership—control of the politics, legislation and administration of the Commonwealth, will really hinge upon the results of the November election. And there is no doubt in the minds of keen partisans that the Republicans will carry the election.

The plain issue will be the selection of two United States Senators, a Governor, a Lieutenant Governor, a Secretary of the Commonwealth, a member of Congress from each district in the State, a State Senator in each even-numbered district and the full membership, 208, of the State House of Representatives.

With these offices elected, the big question will be: "Who is to be the real leader of the State now that Penrose is dead and Governor Spruill is about to end his term of office?"

Discussing this prominent and influential political leader said: "Pinchot has the opportunity that no other man ever had in the affairs and politics of Pennsylvania. He is not one to whom fame and fortune are strangers. He apparently means to get things done, not in the old-fashioned way, by the brutal use of favor and patronage, but by clearly stating his plans. Pinchot can make organized public opinion a great and overwhelming force in this State, so that, instead of worrying about the successor to the Cameron-Penrose dynasty, we can see the rising up of a new power in public affairs and in politics. Pinchot has the chance to stand for this new idea."

Old Bosses Have Gone Interest in the coming election, therefore, is stirred up largely by the possibilities which lie in the passing away of the old leadership. Women leaders and voters, who made themselves felt in the nomination of Pinchot over Attorney General Alter, are looking at the election from this point of view. They point out that just as they are coming into real influence in politics, the State has passed through a remarkable and unprecedented phase of changing leaders. Within ten months three United States Senators from Pennsylvania, each a tower and an authority in his own field, have died: Senators Knox, Penrose and Cro.

In this connection it is pointed out, as indicative of the new situation, that the next State House of Representatives, for the first time, will have several women members. Three will be elected from Philadelphia, Mrs. Martha G. Speiser, wife of an Assistant District Attorney; Mrs. Joseph S. de Young and Mrs. Lillie H. Pitts. Another is regarded as assured of election in Chester County, Miss Martha G. Thomas, and others will be chosen in other counties.

The brunt of the campaigning will be borne by Pinchot and McSparran. Senators Reed and Pepper will take the stump, but only often enough. It is interesting to make it more than interesting for their Democratic opponents. Judge Samuel E. Shull, of Stroudsburg, and Colonel Fred H. Kerr, of Clearfield, Senator Pepper, and Colonel Kerr are rivals for the old Penrose seat, while Senator Reed and Judge Shull are candidates for the old Knox vacancy.

Wanamaker's Down Stairs Store Offers Monday an Early Sale of Winter Coats

113 Different New Styles in the New Materials and New Colors, Many Luxuriously Trimmed With Carefully Selected Furs, Such as Gray Squirrel, Beaver, Nutria, Caracul, Raccoon and Wolf, All at Large Savings

Important Groups \$25 \$38.50 \$58.50 \$78.50



Why buy a Winter coat in August? To save money; to secure finer fabrics and finer furs at a more moderate price than would be possible later; to have your Winter wrap ready when the first cool weather arrives.

For the first time, Wanamaker's Down Stairs Store offers a sale of Winter coats a month ahead of the season. Seven makers are represented with 700 coats, all of them being much better than the standard market values of the moment. All are in the new Winter fashions. A large part of the Down Stairs Fashion Store will be devoted to this Coat Sale and there will be plenty of experienced salespeople.

Sample Coats at \$78.50

Thirty-four styles, mostly one and two of a kind. Made of distinguished materials, soft and velvety to the touch. Warmly interlined. Trimmed with large collars and cuffs of platinum wolf, taupe fox, beautiful beaver and other furs. Sizes 16 to 42.

The Coats at \$58.50

Nineteen different styles in sizes 16 to 42. Luxuriously plain ones in navy, brown and black with rich linings of crepe de chine and heavily interlined. Also beautiful models of fine bolivia with gray squirrel, platinum wolf, nutria or beaver. These are in the fashionable browns and blues and black. There are a few extra sizes among them.

The Coats at \$38.50

Thirty-eight different styles in sizes 16 to 42. Fine bolivia dress coats in wrappy dolman styles that are immensely effective. Some are stitched or hand embroidered. Some are individually plain and with straight lines. Most of them have collars and sometimes cuffs of beaver, nutria, gray squirrel, platinum wolf or caracul. Also a distinctive group of fine checked and plaid tweed coats with natural raccoon collars.

The Coats at \$25

Twenty-two different styles in sizes 16 to 42. Velour and llama cloth trimmed with dyed coney and stitched and embroidered or strapped with the material. Some with caracul collars. Also coats without fur collars that have fur-trimmed and fringed scarfs.

10 Styles of Autumn Coats

\$10.75 \$16.50 Tweed sport coats. Many have plaid backs. Yoke and sleeve linings are of silk. Exceptionally good materials, well tailored.

Clearaway!

All Women's Gingham Dresses Now \$2 Women's Voile and Swiss Dresses Now \$2, \$3 and \$5

Summer frocks must hurry out without delay. The best way we know of to hasten the process is to pare down the prices perilously close to the vanishing point.

Think of the satisfaction of securing a good-looking tub frock for the small expenditure of \$2 to \$5! All the remaining gingham are now \$2. Pretty checks and broken plaids in good colors, the favorite black and white effects predominating. Broken sizes 16 to 38.

Voile frocks that were a fourth to a third more (and even much higher priced earlier in the season) have now dropped to \$2 and \$3. Broken sizes 16 to 44. Light and dark effects.

Fine organdies, plain dark color and dotted voiles and Swisses have all dropped to \$5. Broken sizes 14 to 42. Many showings of handbing, but a cursory pressing will render every one delightfully wearable.

Women's Shoes \$3.40 and \$3.90

At \$3.40 the season's clear-away of white shoes in conservative styles that were decidedly more. Mostly leather-lined white canvas with ankle strap, round toes and medium heel. Nearly all sizes.

At \$3.90, new patent leather strap pumps with the fashionable Cuban heel. Perforated tops; good welted soles. Rubber heel attached. A limited number only.

New Crepe de Chine Nightgowns, \$3.85

Lovely lacy ones and equally pretty tailored ones with inserted lace trimmings. Strap-top styles. The quality of the crepe de chine is exceptionally good. Delicate flesh color.

Hand-Embroidered Crepe Kimonos From Far-Away Japan \$3 to \$5

A new importation of the favorite Japanese crepe kimonos that women have been asking for. Of good, firm cotton crepe, cut unusually long and full and made with strongly bound seams, they will prove extremely practical as well as charming. Rose, pink, light blue, lavender and old blue, hand embroidered in fetching flower and bird designs.

Silk Vanity Bags, \$5

Designed with so clever a combination of simple style and dainty materials that they are practical for both general street use and dress occasions. Flat shapes, square or rounded, with mirror and swinging coin purse. Made of figured moire silk lined with plain or changeable bright silks. Marcasite or cut-steel bead trimmings and plain or braided cords. Black or blue.

Sale of Women's Gingham House Dresses, \$2

Spick and span and new. Not merely "house dresses," but real "home" frocks. Clean-looking, housewife dresses easily donned for pleasantly busy days of home activities.

Well-made Billie Burke models of good Scotch gingham in clean-cut stripes and checks. Straight-line and lowered waistline styles, some with smart little waistcoat fronts and all with sashes. Rickrack braid and embroidered-edge trimming on collars and cuffs of snowy organdie or plain-color chambray. Sizes 36 to 46.

Play Clothes for Little Tots \$1.10 to \$1.65

So cunningly made that one would enjoy fitting out a particularly populous home for orphans.

At \$1.10, peg-top rompers that suggest a Dutch boy and wooden shoes. Of sturdy chambray with collar, sleeve and knee cuffs of contrasting checked gingham or white line. Straight waists. Blue, corn, rose and green. Sizes 2 to 5 years.

At \$1.10, straight dresses of checked gingham. Full skirts shirred and gathered to a yoke. Plain collars and cuffs and button trimming. Blue, corn, rose and green. Sizes 2 to 6 years.

At \$1.25, pantalette dresses of chambray, with checked gingham collars and cuffs and embroidered animal pockets. Blue, corn, rose and green. Sizes 2 to 6 years. At \$1.65, pantalette dresses of good checked gingham trimmed with plain-color chambray and black embroidery. Red, blue, green and brown. Sizes 2 to 6 years.

Satin-Finish Spreads and Bed Sets \$3 to \$6.50

Fresh, snowy white ones and prettily colored novelties. \$3 and \$3.50 for white satin-finish spreads, priced according to size—72x84 and 78x88 inches. \$5 for a better quality white satin-finish spread, 78x88 inches.

\$4.50, \$5 and \$5.50 for white satin-finish spreads with scalloped edges and cut corners. Priced according to size, 78x88, 80x90 and 86x96 inches. \$6.50 for novelty colored bed sets, consisting of spread with scalloped edges and cut corners and bolster throw to match. Pink, blue and yellow. Size 80x90 inches.

New Scissors at 50c

Sharp, bright, shining scissors in all sizes from the small kinds for fine embroidery to good 6-inch length ones which will cut just about anything that needs cutting. Button-hole scissors with gauges. "Stork" scissors with extremely fine points. Other plain and decorated embroidery scissors in small and larger sizes. Blunt or sharp points. Good steel scissors which close tightly and cut accurately their entire length.

Women's Linen Handkerchiefs 12 1/2c to 25c

White, with printed lavender borders, 12 1/2c; exactly half price! Pink, blue, yellow and lavender, with hemstitched border, 15c. With daintily embroidered corner, 25c.

Men's and Boys' Shoes at Lowered Prices

The comfort and serviceability of these sports styles make their acquisition at lowered prices especially worth while. Small boys' tan oxfords with square toes and welted soles, \$2.25. Sizes 10 to 13 1/2.

Boys' tan leather oxfords with mannish perforations and heavy welted soles, \$2.75. Sizes 1 to 6. Men's brown-trimmed sport oxfords of heavy smoked elkskin, with fiber suction soles and heels, \$4.50. All sizes and widths.

Men's Cotton Half Hose, 12 1/2c

The sort men like to buy by the half-dozen pair. First quality. Reinforced heel and toe. Black, navy, cordovan. Sizes 9 1/2 to 11 1/2.

Men's White Linen Handkerchiefs 25c

All-linen, with narrow hemstitched border. Quietly conservative and in good taste for business or dress clothes.

Japanese All-Silk Pongee, \$1.25 Yd.

Dresses, children's things, underclothes and draperies may all come off the same piece, when silk is so fine and even a weave. Natural color. 33 inches wide.

White Baronet Satin, \$2 Yard

The smooth sheen of the lustrous fiber silk is attractive for sports skirts or dainty underthings. 39 inches wide.

Old-Fashioned Quilting Challis, 19c Yard

Persian and flowered patterns with an old-fashioned look. New quilts from this cotton material will have the quaintness of treasured old ones, and a fine new stability. Colors that will not show soil easily. 36 inches wide.

Outing Flannel, 15c Yard

Soft and "nappy" for youngsters' winter night clothes. Various stripes, blue and white, pink and white or tan and white.

New Shipment of Standard Axminster Rugs Specially Priced

Limited consignment of these very good rugs identical in quality with some we have been selling in regular stock at considerably higher prices. Staple patterns and colors. In the most asked-for sizes.

11 1/2 x 15-ft. Rugs, \$62.50. 9 x 12-ft. Rugs, \$33.50. 8 1/2 x 10 1/2-ft. Rugs, \$31.50. 6 x 9-ft. Rugs, \$18.75. 36 x 63-in. Rugs, \$6.50. 27 x 54-in. Rugs, \$3.45. 27 inch x 9 ft. Hall Runners, \$6.85. 27 inch x 12 ft. Hall Runners, \$9.65.

New Plaited Rag Rugs a Third Less

Firmly woven of new rags and securely stitched in oval shapes. Hit-and-miss patterns. 18 x 36-inch Rugs, \$1.15. 24 x 48-inch Rugs, \$2.25. 9x12 Seamless Velvet Rugs, \$35