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BRYSON IS INSANE, SPECIALISTS AVER

Gradually Drifted in Mind Till He Became Social Derelict, Witness Says

SUFFERED TWO SEIZURES

Special Dispatch to Evening Public Ledger

Huntingdon, Pa., Sept. 22.—Dr. John M. Ladd, of Washington, specialist in mental and nervous diseases, and star witness for the defense, took the stand this morning and described the organic brain disease with which Dr. Herbert Bryson is said to be afflicted.

His testimony was that the former Washington physician and war hero was mentally diseased before the war and that his defective mind, unduly strained by the terrific pressure of experiences in five battles, collapsed completely, leaving Dr. Bryson hopelessly insane, a moral degenerate and a social derelict, who wroshiped at the shrines of Venus and Bacchus.

He was an effective witness in the case which the attorneys for the defense are constructing to save Dr. Bryson from the electric chair in expiation of the slaying of Mrs. Helen Irene Haines, wife of a Washington chauffeur, with whom he fled from the national capital to the remote village of Cassville, this county. The shooting of Mrs. Haines took place at Cassville on the evening of April 8.

Dr. Ladd, who is a consultant of the United States Public Health Service and is connected with two universities at Washington, took the stand shortly after the fourth day of the sensational trial opened yesterday.

"I have examined Dr. Bryson on two occasions," Dr. Ladd testified, "and as a result I am convinced he is suffering from organic brain disease.

Formerly Under Treatment

"Dr. Bryson was treated for this condition several years ago.

"His disease process was insidious in its onset. The first symptom manifested was a mental weakness.

"This was demonstrated by testimony at this trial showing his complete failure to carry on the simplest of medical duties.

"His defective judgment was shown on numerous occasions, the most important of which concerns his failure in making the simplest diagnosis, his absurd treatment, which at times even caused him to be discharged by the families of his patients.

"Along with this gradual impairment of judgment was noted the character changes. Having been an upright citizen who acquired two degrees, a man neat in his personal attire, meticulous in his speech, he became opposite, at times grandiose, in his manner and overestimated his abilities even to such an extent that he was ridiculed by his fellow practitioners in Washington, where on one occasion it was brought out that he staged a 'military operation.'

"It was also noted that he changed from a neat and tidy individual to one who paid no attention to his personal habits and became a social derelict.

"His memory defects were emphasized by his failure to keep appointments, a failure to remember several camps at which he was stationed and at times a complete failure to recognize his most intimate friends.

"It was as clearly shown by testimony that simultaneously with his mental deterioration there was also a complete moral degeneracy.

"Where formerly he was a law-abiding citizen he began a career during which he worshiped at the shrines of Venus and Bacchus, the former temple being so great that he broke himself away from home ties, intimate friends, forsook a lucrative practice and wasted his substance. He had placed upon an individual who was younger and as being before his eyes a model.

"Dr. Ladd emphasized that the disease with which Dr. Bryson is suffering is chronic and progressive in its nature. He brought out that at the present time the disease had made such progress that two seizures had taken place, and as a result of the brain disorganization Dr. Bryson has at the present time a semi-paralysis of the right side of his body, with a facial paralysis on the opposite side.

"A preponderance of evidence," said the mental specialist, "has shown that Dr. Bryson's great break occurred overseas. It was shown that he could not stand the stress of battle and broke completely like the decayed limb of a tree."

Dr. Ladd took pains to make it clear to the court that Dr. Bryson's disorder is not a functioning one, or a so-called war neurosis.

THOUSANDS ATTEND FAIR

Governor Edwards Compliments Bridgeton on Its Scope

Bridgeton, N. J., Sept. 22.—Patrons during the second day of the Garden State Fair drew 11,000 paid admissions. Governor Edwards, Senator Ransom and a score of other State and county officials were present. Governor Edwards spoke briefly on a large crowd and highly complimented Bridgeton on the scope of the fair, pointed for the first time in twenty years. Senator Ransom also told the crowd he felt confident the fair had exceeded all expectations. The Senator was the guest of the Bridgeton Rotary Club at luncheon and praised the club for its record of twenty consecutive 100 per cent attendances at meetings.

Senator Ransom is a member of the Plainfield Rotary Club. The Chamber of Commerce "Made in Bridgeton" exhibit, showing sample products of many manufacturing plants, is one of the features of the fair.

COLLEGE TEACHER KILLED

Three Students Also Injured in Automobile Collision

Potsdam, N. Y., Sept. 22.—(By A. P.)—Prof. Max Hover, of the faculty of Clarkson College, was killed, and Kenneth Clark, of Old Forge, Karl Kelsey, of Thurso, and George Harnden, of Springville, Kan., students at the college, were dangerously hurt in an automobile near here early today.

The accident is said to have been the outcome of an attempt to stage a banquet of the freshman class. It is alleged that Prof. Hover's car was running without lights and collided with another car, also without lights, through a defect in the lighting system.

AIRPLANE LINE FILES RATES

Service Proposed Between San Francisco and Modesto

San Francisco, Sept. 22.—An indication that the airplane as a business proposition is emerging from the experimental stage was given here in the filing with the State Railroad Commission of the tariffs and schedules of the Pacific States Express for a proposed air service between San Francisco and Modesto, Calif.

THE BIRD-MAN competes with the birds. Flies through the air without motive power. Glenn H. Curtiss tells Charles W. Duke about his recent successes with gliders. Read this wonderful story in the Magazine Section of the Sunday Public Ledger. "Make It a Habit."—Adv.

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OLD MURDER TALE REVIVED

Pottsville Crime, Due to Women's Wiles, Recalled in Plea for Pardon

Pottsville, Pa., Sept. 22.—The alluring smiles of two beautiful Italian women, which led to the murder of one man and came near sending three men to the electric chair, are recalled by the action of the Board of Pardons yesterday, which continued the application of Antonio Frio, of this county, for pardon. Frio, with two companions, was convicted of the killing of Joseph Vairo in 1916. The three men were followed for 4000 miles, but were finally located by State Policemen Harvey Smith and Louis Bueno.

It was the bright smiles and winning ways of Mary Minoci and Rose Baldini which led to the murder, and after the women testified against Frio and his associates, they were taken to a place of residence which has ever since remained secret, so that they will not be the victims of Black-Hand vengeance.

HUGHES DUE TOMORROW

Battleship Keeps Up Good Speed Despite Big Storm

Washington, Sept. 22.—(By A. P.)—The battleship Maryland, on which Secretary Hughes and members of the Brazilian Centennial Commission are returning from Rio de Janeiro, passed Bermuda at 10 o'clock last night and was then maintaining a speed which was expected to bring her into New York Saturday morning, said a wireless dispatch from the battleship early today to the Navy Department.

Notwithstanding high wind and heavy seas encountered after daybreak Thursday, the waves occasionally breaking over the battleship's forecastle and quarterdeck, the message said, she clipped off 440 knots during the twenty-four hours ending Thursday noon, maintaining a speed which was expected to break all records for the distance. For the total of 3000 knots steamed up to that time the battleship was said to have averaged 18.48 knots per hour.

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3 Caracul Capes, full length	290.00	144.00
2 Scotch Moleskin Coats	335.00	167.50
4 Natural Raccoon Coats, 40 inches long	350.00	172.50
3 Scotch Moleskin Capes and Wraps, full length	350.00	174.50
3 Caracul Capes, Squirrel trimmed, full length	385.00	192.50
4 Hudson Seal Capes, full length	385.00	192.50
3 Hudson Seal Coats, self-trimmed	385.00	192.50
5 Skunk-Trimmed Hudson Seal Coats, 40 inches long	490.00	244.00
3 Beaver-Trimmed Hudson Seal Coats	490.00	244.00
4 Squirrel-Trimmed Hudson Seal Coats	495.00	247.00
4 Natural Squirrel Coats	595.00	292.50
2 Alaska Seal Coats and Wraps, full length	690.00	342.50
3 Persian Lamb Coats, 40 inches long, Skunk-trimmed	685.00	342.50
2 Natural Squirrel Capes, full length	795.00	394.00
2 Broadtail Wraps, full length	990.00	495.00
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2 Natural Mink Coats	1400.00	695.00

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6 Taupe Wolf Chokers	28.50	14.25
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4 French Seal Stoles	38.50	19.00
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5 Stone Marten Chokers	50.00	24.25
3 Baum Marten Chokers	60.00	28.75
2 Platinum Red Fox Chokers	65.00	32.50
3 Black Fox Scarfs	70.00	34.50
3 Hudson Bay Sable Chokers	90.00	44.50
3 Hudson Seal Stoles	95.00	47.50
2 Scotch Moleskin Stoles	130.00	63.00
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