

PAYS 15 CENTS TO SAVE LIFE

J. Jackson Then Is Fined \$5 for Playing Poker.

THE STAKES WERE DRINKS

Colored Man Tells Remarkable Story About Northeastern Section of Alexandria.

Alexandria, Va., October 21.—When H. J. Jackson, colored, was arraigned in police court today with two other colored men to answer a charge of assault, he told the court that he was playing poker or drinks last night in the northeastern section of the city and that a crowd entered—scattered him outside and threatened to put him to death unless he gave them fifteen cents. Rather than be killed he complied, after which he was allowed to depart. His conduct, however, cost him the fine imposed by Justice Caton.

A large number of retail merchants of the city met tonight in the chamber of commerce to discuss the proposed new tax on their counsel. Attorney James R. Caton and H. Noel Garner, the question of paying omitted merchants' license taxes will be taken up for consideration by the local board of review at a meeting which will be held tomorrow morning in the corporation court room.

The police looked most of the day for two large draft horses reported as stolen from the stable of Forbes Bros. & Co., located in the square bounded by Queen, Cameron, Fayette and Payne streets, and tonight found the two horses wandering in the subdivision known as Braddock's just north of the city limits. There were four other horses in the stable and the two truant horses kicked the stable door down and left. The police were kept busy on the case until the horses were finally located tonight.

The funeral of William C. Bruin, who died last night, will take place at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon from his home, 30 South Washington street. The deceased was 62 years old, and besides his wife is survived by six children. He was a Southern Railway locomotive engineer, having retired about three years ago owing to ill health. At the time of his retirement he was one of the oldest engineers in point of service on the road, having served in that capacity for about thirty-five years.

Mr. Bruin was a member of Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Masons, Mount Vernon Chapter, Royal Arch Chapter, O. E. S., O. T. O., O. S. E., Knights Templar and Acca Temple, Mystic Shrine, and also the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. These organizations will attend the funeral.

A horse and buggy belonging to Isaac W. Burrill, of the city, was taken to the Union passenger railway station to King and Whittier streets, where it collided with a street car. The driver, William Sampson, escaped injury, but the animal was badly injured, having its leg broken. It had to be shot and its line afterward by its owner, Mr. Burrill. The buggy was also badly damaged.

Rev. L. M. Ferguson, pastor of Trinity M. E. Church, tonight conducted union evangelistic services at First Baptist Church. The services last night were conducted by Rev. J. W. Duffey, pastor of the M. E. Church South.

Elmore Mudd, R. L. Merchant, and Andrew J. Hall are attending a meeting of the State Council of the Junior Order of United American Mechanics being held in Danville, Va.

J. H. Bartlett will leave tomorrow for Pittsburgh, Pa., to visit his son, H. F. Bartlett, who was injured several days ago in a railroad accident.

In the Corporation Court today a final decree for divorce on the ground of desertion and abandonment was granted by Judge E. B. Abbott against Marion Bland. Plaintiff was represented by Attorney S. G. Brent.

Alexandrians who have been elected members of the Royal Order of Scotland are as follows: T. C. Smith, T. A. Fisher, J. M. Duncan, C. M. Schofield, Newton King, James W. Bales, J. B. Hoelmann and D. G. Grillbortser.

John T. Sweeney, recently elected a commissioner from the Fourth ward, has resigned as a member of the city electoral board from the Fourth ward and his brother, Richard E. Sweeney, has been elected a member of the electoral board in his place.

Served in U. S. and British Armies at Same Time, He Did

William Stevens Tells of Forced Enlistment When He Went to England on Furlough—They Apologized and Sent Medals for Bravery.

Member of two armies at the same time and recipient of an honorable discharge, medal of honor for bravery in action, and a large hunk of back pay from the one while on active duty with the other, and the colonel said it couldn't be done.

If you should happen to want a cigar, a newspaper or a periodical of some kind just about the time to transfer from the Georgia to the Wisconsin avenue car at P street, you very probably will saunter into the cigar and periodical stand at the corner to fill your needs.

And you'll be served by a wise-faced but kindly and decidedly conversational proprietor who drops his "hatches" and multiplies his "highs" with cockney regularity but who claims Ireland for the land of his birth and the United States for the land of his adoption.

"Well, the officers cud see we wasn't rookies as they put us right in the ranks the first day, Sir. Clair was on guard, and I knew he was feeling pretty sick, so I sneaked in a bottle of liquor for him—well, we both got caught and carried belly down to the guardhouse."

"We was shipped to a military prison in Dublin for six months bit, and just after we got up there, the blacks in Zululand went on lame and cut up a French prince or some one, and an expedition was fitted out from England to put 'em down. Volunteers was called for and, of course, the military prisoners was given the first chance to volunteer."

"Well, I says to Sir Clair, 'We're in 'ere for six months and no chance to get back 'n' happy for our hestension if we stay 'ere, why not go with this bunch and maybe take our look at Capetown and work our way back to the States in time to report?'"

"Started into the Bush. "So we volunteered an' started off wid th' rest of 'em. We didn't go no chance at Capetown after we'd founded the Cape of Good 'ope, and we started out with the expedition into th' brush to where the blacks had roundlyyoued. Bout three in th' morning we was formed in a 'ollow square, ready for the blacks, and the general—'God 'elp 'im 'ere, ever got before my gun in a fight.' 'E called 'em 'back to Capetown. The general climbed on a commissary wagon in the middle of the square, with us facing 'im, an' made us a talk."

"Now looky 'ere, you men," says 'e. "H'm, a old soldier, and a lot of you are about six months an' no chance to get back six months' training. Now I'll tell you fair, you're got to do what you're told to do. If you do what you're told you may get back to Capetown; if you don't, you won't, that's all."

"Now when you about face, the front ranks will lie down, the second ranks will lie down, the third ranks will stand. 'Old your fire 'til them Zulus get to 200 yards, then take a good halm and make every shot count. We 'ad three regiments of infantry, two of cavalry an' four batteries of light field artillery, but some of them blacks was found as 'close as ten yards from the sides of the square."

"Dutchman Favored Them. "Well, in the 'ole expedition we didn't lose more'n twenty-five men, 'fore we got back to Capetown an' took ship for 'ome. We came back by way of Nova Scotia and St. John's, and we was there one night, told our story to a Dutch merchant captain an' he took us to New York an' squared us with a recruiting officer for a mission of a week to get us back to St. Louis—we was there just three days shy of our six months leave."

"When we got back to St. Louis, Sir Clair was sent to join 'is troop, an' the

SHOE'S HISTORY LECTURE THEME

Charles T. Cahill, of United Shoe Machinery Company, Traces Evolution.

VERY ROMANTIC STORY Says War Aids Foreign Trade, Life of Soldiers' Footwear Being Six Weeks.

The interesting story of the development down through the ages of the modern shoe, a story full of romance and human interest, was told last night by Charles T. Cahill, advertising manager of the United Shoe Machinery Company, of Beverly, Mass., in an illustrated lecture in the assembly hall of the W. C. T. U. Building before an audience of immense size.

The evolution of the modern shoe from prehistoric times down to the centuries to the present, explanation of the manifold processes required in the making of the shoe of today, a sketch of the rapid advancement in machinery for the manufacturing of shoes, a study of the ideal shoe constructed for the United States army and a discussion of the various types of boots and shoes worn by the soldiers now fighting on European battlefields formed the subject matter of the lecture.

"The making of a single pair of shoes today requires the use of 120 machines and involves 220 operations," explained Mr. Cahill, who was the guest of honor at the United States is turning out more than 200,000 pairs of shoes a year. Due to the improvements in machinery, the foreign trade in shoes has increased 500 per cent during the last fifteen years.

"The history of the development of shoe manufacturing machinery is full of romance and human interest. The wonderful lasting machine, which performs what was thought for a time could never be accomplished by mechanism, was invented by a poor Portuguese youth who died before the success of the product of his brain and genius had been recognized. So poor was he that he was compelled to make the model for his machine out of bits of cigar boxes and pieces of barrel hoops that he found in the street. The name of this young man was Jan Maizeliger."

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Norman Haggood, the Harper Weekly's editor, is sojourning in Washington gathering some items for his paper on national affairs. Mr. Haggood was one of the first to fight for pure food and it seems that a writer in one of the Washington hotels recognized him. "Breakfast the waiter asked: 'Shall I serve the dis, sir?'"

"Yes you serve it."

"I'll serve it," said the waiter, "I'll serve it."

\$3 Silk Waists \$1.98

The newest of the new silk waists, and every one an actual \$3 value. Some with high military collar, some in the latest low-neck effect; tulle, yoke styles; both white and black.

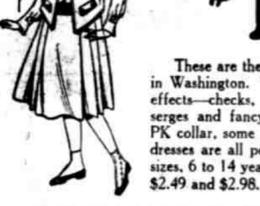
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JOSEPH GOLDENBERG, Proprietor. 8TH STREET AND PENNA. AVE. S.E.

STYLISH and HANDSOME Fur-trimmed Suits \$8.98



Girls' Dresses \$1.49



\$8.98 to \$12.50 COATS, \$5.98

NEW-YORK-DAY-BY-DAY. O-O-MEINTRE.

Special Correspondent of The Washington Herald. New York, Oct. 21.—You just can't stop that dramatic bunch known as the Washington Square Players when it gets going through history, mythology and the Dardanelles for a song. They have been free of charge on condition that they pay him small royalties on every pair of shoes that they sell. This is the beginning of the royalty system still maintained by the United Shoe Machinery Company. This company has also in its machinery in the shoe business many young men with small capital, or no capital at all, through supplying machinery on the royalty basis.

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Fall Skirts \$1.95

1,000 splendidly tailored and stylish new fall skirts, such as will be sold to other stores at \$2 and I was at \$1.95. Fine French all-wool serge, all-wool crepe cloth, gray mixture, black and blue checks. The serges are in black, navy and Copen.

STYLISH and HANDSOME Fur-trimmed Suits \$8.98

Greatest Bargains Ever Offered

Of course, you're surprised—and so were we when we were able, through a lucky buying chance, to secure one hundred of these extremely stylish suits at a price that enables us to give you the most remarkable bargain you ever heard of.

Suits with fur trimming are the vogue, as every follower of fashion knows. Because of their popularity this special sale will be of unusual interest to women who appreciate buying their new fall suit at a saving.

These suits at \$8.98 are fashioned of fine quality French Serges in blue and black. Beautifully tailored of guaranteed all-wool, double warp French Serge. The coat is full lined with guaranteed yarn-dye satin. Collar and bottom of coat is trimmed with 2-inch wide genuine coney fur. Skirt in the newest wide circular effects. Coat in the favorite box effect.

These smart new suits would be a real bargain at \$15—most stores would ask \$20. Sizes include those for misses of 16 and 17 as well as for women wearing as large as 38 and 40.

Girls' Dresses \$8, \$10 and \$12.50 Dresses \$4.98

These are the dresstest little dresses ever shown in Washington. They are in all the newest effects—checks, plaids, stripes, neat pin-stripe serges and fancy serges. Many have the fancy PK collar, some plain and some embroidered. The dresses are all perfectly made and in full lines of sizes, 6 to 14 years. The value is \$2.49 and \$2.98. Sale price \$1.49.

TELEFUNKEN SYSTEM GOES. WOMAN FRUSTRATES ROBBERS.

Marconi Wireless Replaces German Plan on American Ships. London, Oct. 21.—The Marconi Company has concluded an important agreement with the American Steamship Association to replace the German-owned telefunken system, at present in use on the vessels controlled by that organization. About 130 steamers will be affected. Contracts have also been entered into with a number of shipping companies along the Pacific coast and on the Great Lakes.

Owes Health to Duffy's



Had not slept in bed for five years and weighed only 111 pounds when Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey proved to be the best remedy Mr. Schappert had ever tried, increasing his weight to 150 pounds.

DUFFY'S PURE MALT WHISKEY

is a dependable liquid food tonic containing the life-giving elements of the choicest grains, thoroughly malted, and so refined and distilled as to render it absolutely pure. Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey is genuine. Doubt cannot exist where such a product has been of public benefit for more than 20 years. If taken in prescribed doses of a tablespoonful in water before meals, you can with every confidence.

"Get Duffy's and Keep Well!" Sold in SEALED BOTTLES ONLY. Beware of imitations.

NOTE: Get Duffy's from your local druggist, grocer or dealer \$1.00 per bottle. If he cannot supply you, write us, we will tell you where to get it. Medical bottles free.

The Advantages of Morning Newspaper Advertising

To the Advertising Editor: "Watson," said Holmes, as he placed the needle carefully back in his case and relighted his pipe, "I have just made another great discovery."

As Seen by One of the Readers Of The Washington Herald

Mere Man to Wear Wide Vestments, Too

New York, Oct. 21.—Women will no longer have a monopoly in the art of beautifying themselves with clothes. The turn of mere man has come.

Robbed Twice in Same Night. Robbed twice in the same night, both "trouces" within a short while of each other, the purser was Hector Hunter, newspaper reporter, and war correspondent, sometimes of Indianapolis and other times of Gotham.