

PENNSYLVANIA WON THREE BIG PRIZES

Capture Honors at Gathering of Photographers.

FAMOUS DOHNKOOP PICTURE

Altoona Man Captures Three of Four Awards at Pennsylvania Convention Held Here.

At the close of the convention of the Photographers' Association of Pennsylvania, which has been in session in this city at the National Rites' Armory for the past week, prizes were awarded for the four best photographs exhibited.

There was an exhibit of several thousand pictures by the best photographers in the United States, and also several by foreign photographers. One of these pictures by Dohnkoop, of Hamburg, was considered one of the best photographs exhibited, and would have been awarded a prize had it been in competition. The Dohnkoop photograph represents a group of fishermen's wives gossiping in front of a shanty. The expressions, surroundings and attitudes make this picture a masterpiece.

Of the four prizes awarded three went to Detrick, of Altoona, Pa. The other went to J. Will Kellmer. The most valuable of the prizes went to Detrick. He got the Morrison prize of \$5 in gold, which was one of the best prizes awarded. The Slater trophy, a silver cup, and the second Buchanan flashlight. J. Will Kellmer got the first Buchanan flashlight prize.

Wins Morrison Prize.

The prize which attracted the most attention was the Morrison prize, which was won by Detrick. To get this prize there were many requirements to pass, and much competition. To win the prize over the heads of some of the finest photographers in the country is an honor that is worth striving for. Mr. Detrick won the prize with the head of an old man. The expression on the face was typical of a benevolent old man of about sixty years, and was so true to life that no one could pass it by.

Nearly all of the pictures exhibited by Detrick were heads, and they were mostly of old men and women. The prize winners were all likenesses, although several landscapes and scenes of nature were in competition.

One of these which attracted more than passing notice was a landscape in colors. This picture was made by a new process, and was most beautiful. The coloring was in perfect harmony. Several pictures of beautiful women that were pronounced by amateurs to be prize winners were, when looked upon by the judges, pronounced to be pretty good pictures but not prize winners. They said that to the unpracticed eye they were perfect, but that to one who knew, it was more the beauty of the subjects than the style and finish of the photographs that made them look so well.

New Ideas Shown.

Among the pictures were many original ones, which showed that many new ideas had been developed since the last convention. One of the most unique and, at the same time, artistic pictures in the exhibit, was one of a man lighting his pipe. The glare of the match played upon part of his features while the rest were left in obscurity. This photograph was pronounced the prize winner by many but failed to pass the requirements.

Another striking photograph was a night scene on Lake Champlain. This picture was perfection itself. In the picture one could see the perfect play of the moonlight on the waves, the silver spray as it beat on a sandy beach and, above all, the great white moon. The action in this picture was marvelous as well as realistic.

In striking contrast to this picture was one taken at sunset. The coloring in this would have been hard to imitate with paint and brush.

Several pictures of negroes were on exhibition, all of which were very original.

Those who witnessed the exhibition pronounced it to be a great success, from the standpoint of art, as well as commercialism.

WORKED WISE GAME ON STOCK BROKERS

Gang of Sharpers Used the Telegraph to Beat the Ticker Service.

PITTSBURG, April 22.—Shad Gwilliam, the well-known sporting man, has just discovered he has been swindled out of \$20,000 during the past two weeks by a gang of sharpers.

Gwilliam is the senior partner in the firm of Gwilliam & Wiseman, brokers, who have their offices in the Ferguson block, and the firm depended on a ticker service for their quotations from New York.

The sharpers discovered this fact and installed a fast wire service, the receiving end being located in the same building with the brokers. The direct wire gave them quotations from seven to ten minutes quicker than the brokers received their figures.

The sharpers' agents received the quotations and then hurried to the office of the brokers and bought or sold before the firm had time to receive the changes.

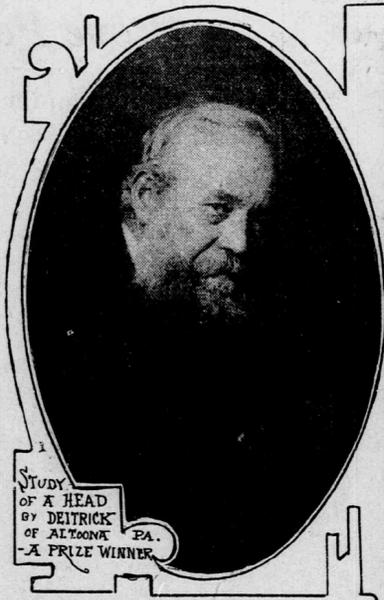
GOLF FOR YOUTHS.

Sir Hallowell Rogers, a practical golfer, presiding at the annual meeting of the Warwickshire County Lawn Tennis Association, said it was a great mistake for young men who had just left school to begin to play golf. They should first take up a game involving greater and more invigorating exercise than golf could provide. Golf was more a game for old and middle-aged men than for young men, who should first try their hand at tennis.—London Daily News.

SQUARING HIMSELF.

George, did you really intend to beat the street car conductor out of the fare? Never mind, my love. When I get rich I'll send 'em \$5 for their conscience fund.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

FINE ART PHOTOGRAPHY AT THE PROFESSIONAL EXHIBIT



ENGLISH FAT BOY SAILS FROM HIS NATIVE SHORE

Johnny Trundle's Fame Reaches Paris, and Frenchmen Want to See Him.

LONDON, April 22.—The fame of Johnny Trundle, the fat boy of Poekham, has become international. Paris has asked for him, and he has left England on his way to fulfill an eight weeks' engagement at the Buffalo Bill show in the Champ de Mars.

At the London Bridge station, surrounded by a ring of friends who had come to see him off, he demolished a plateful of sandwiches with celerity, adding his repast with copious drinks of coffee. He then turned his attention to a box of biscuits.

"Going to learn to dance in Paris, eh, Johnny?" queried an admirer. The prodigy found voice to deny so rash a project—he was not going to risk even a few ounces of fat, not he.

"It's going on fine," said his mother; weighs 179 pounds now, and only six years and five months." Johnny grinned complacently at the commendation, until the rolls of fat that are his cheeks completely hid his eyes. Then he had some more biscuits.

ST. MARTIN'S TO HOLD A FAIR AND BAZAAR

Preliminary Arrangements Completed and Special Committees Appointed to Manage the Affair.

On Monday evening next the fair and bazaar in aid of the building fund of St. Martin's Church will be opened in the Parish Hall, corner of North Capitol and T streets.

Special features are to be presented for the entertainment of visitors, and all who may attend are assured of a pleasant reception.

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Professor Hollander Is In Santo Domingo

Commissioner Arrives at His Destination and Begins Work of Investigation Into Political and Economic Conditions of Republic.

Secretary of War Taft has received a letter from Prof. Hollander, who has been commissioned to make an investigation on behalf of the United States into the political, economic, and industrial conditions in Santo Domingo, and more particularly into the extent and nature of the outstanding debts of that country, announcing his arrival at Santo Domingo City.

On his way from the United States Prof. Hollander stopped at Porto Rico and engaged as his secretary Judge Otto Schoenrich, a young German who went there as a law clerk, and was later elected a judge of one of the lower courts. Schoenrich has visited Santo Domingo before, and it is believed will be of considerable assistance to Prof. Hollander in his investigations.

Prof. Hollander reports that he had an interview with President Morales, by whom he was most cordially received.

Colonel Colton, the American agent who has been appointed by the Santo Domingo government to supervise the collection of the customs revenues of the republic, has not yet reported his arrival there.

BURGLAR A PRISONER IN OFFICE CHIMNEY

The Grate Had to Be Removed Before He Could Be Released.

LONDON, April 22.—The beaten track may be the safest, after all, even for burglars. When an estate agent entered his Wolverhampton office he was astounded to see a man's feet and legs protruding from the chimney into the fireplace.

"What are you doing there?" he cried sternly, seizing the poker. "Oh, Lord, give me another chance and get me out of this," came in smothered tones from the flue.

A policeman was summoned, and tugged at the wretched captive's legs, but in vain. The entire grate had to be removed before he could be set free—long enough to shake off some of the soot with which he was plentifully besmudged.

It would have been superfluous to deny that he was a burglar, for investigation showed that he had removed a chimney-pot and a few bricks and arranged them neatly on the roof before descending.

At the police court later he was perfectly frank. "It's not my first job," he said; "I've had a good innings, and I hope I shall get three years' penal servitude. He was committed for trial, and may be he will not be disappointed."

BET ON THE GIRL. An Atchison young man who can't tell Monday morning what became of the money paid him by his employer Saturday night is about to marry a girl who can remember to a penny just what she did with every dollar she has spent since she was ten. Friends are making bets: Which disposition will rule in the settling to come.—Atchison Globe.

EMULATION.

Canada's wealthy men are beginning to emulate the example of American philanthropists in the liberality of their gifts for public purposes. The gift of \$4,000,000 by Sir William Macdonald, of Montreal, to the cause of education in the province of Quebec is a princely one and would be notable in any country.—New York Tribune.

THINKS HE HAS BEEN A ROBBER

William A. Weaver Attempts Self-Destruction.

NOW AT POLICE STATION

An Expert Bookkeeper Who Lost His Position Believed Mentally Unsound.

Goaded by the delusion that he had committed a robbery and was being hounded by the police, William A. Weaver, a bookkeeper, forty-six years old, of 33 First street northwest, went into the lavatory of the Ontario apartment house, Poplar and Ontario streets northwest, yesterday evening about 5 o'clock and attempted to end his life by turning on the gas. The noxious fumes attracted the attention of Walter Moore, the colored janitor, who traced them to the room where he found Weaver lying on the floor in an unconscious condition.

Police of the Tenth precinct were informed, and within a few moments Weaver was on the operating table in Garfield Hospital. After several hours' work the doctors said he was in danger. When he regained consciousness Weaver sat up on his cot and said he was sorry for committing the robbery, but hoped the police would be lenient with him.

Believed Mentally Unsound.

It was believed that the man's mind is unbalanced, and before releasing him the physicians told the police of his statement to them. It was deemed advisable to take him to the Tenth precinct station. There he told Policeman Jackson that he had been out of work for six weeks and had been stopping at various places. The police also say he told them that he had taken poison several days ago in an attempt at self-destruction. Weaver could not remember the details of the robbery with which he sought to connect himself. He merely knew that he had wrongfully come into possession of a vast amount of money for which he had never done any work. He could not remember the name of the man whose money he took nor the place where the theft was committed.

Asked if he was acquainted with anyone living in the apartment house where he was found, he replied in the negative and added that he had been out near Brightwood looking for work and just happened to stop in the flat because it was a large building. His home, or the address he gave as his home, is about two and a half miles from the Ontario apartment house. His shoes and clothes were dusty and he looked as though he had been walking the greater part of the day.

The room in which Weaver was found by the janitor shortly after 5 o'clock, is in the back of the building on the first floor. He was not seen to enter through the main door, but it is not believed he gained access in any other way.

Odor of Gas Detected.

The first intimation anyone had of his presence in the flat was when Moore detected the odor of gas. He had filled his pipe with tobacco and about to light a match when he sniffed a couple of times and thought it would be inadvisable to make any blaze. After looking in all the rooms on the first floor to see if anyone had turned on the gas without lighting it he went to the lavatory. The door was locked. Having keys to all the public rooms he unlocked the door and was almost carried off his feet by the gas, which rushed out.

Weaver's tongue was protruding from his mouth and his knees were drawn up under his chin. He lay on his left side and clutched at the waste pipe of the wash stand. Moore hastened to the telephone, and when Dr. Reinefelder arrived he assisted in putting the man in the ambulance.

An Expert Bookkeeper.

The police say they learned that Weaver was one of the most expert bookkeepers in Washington, and had for many years been employed by a large F street firm. About a month and a half ago he lost his position, for what reason the police were unable to say. It is said he had been drinking heavily since the day he was dismissed, and his inability to obtain another place of employment is believed to have preyed upon his mind until it gave way.

After a rigid cross questioning at No. 10 he was placed in a patrol wagon and sent to the First precinct station. There he was put in a comfortable witness room on the second floor, where he will be kept until two police surgeons make an examination as to his mental condition.

READINGS AND MUSIC FOR BLIND PEOPLE

Readings and music in the reading room for the blind of the Library of Congress have been arranged for the week as follows:

Tuesday, reading by Miss May D. Jarvis; Thursday, piano recital by Theodor Hansen; Saturday, lecture by Prof. William Allen Wilbur.

ENGINEER STOPS TRAIN TO ROUT BURGLAR

HAZLETON, Pa., April 22.—As a Lehigh Valley freight train was passing through Weatherly at 2 o'clock this morning the engineer saw a robber at work in the Blakeslee store.

He whistled "down brakes" and an alarm was turned in. By the time officers reached the place the thief had fled, taking with him a large quantity of plunder.

DOING HIS EMPLOYER'S WORK.

"Young man," said the old merchant, sternly, "I caught you kissing the typewriter when I returned to the office this morning. What have you to say, sir?" "Why," replied his bright clerk, "you told me to attend to all your duties in your absence."—Philadelphia Ledger.

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