

4 KILLED, 5 INJURED, BY MANIAC CHEF

Victims Struck Down With Ax as They Flee Blazing House by Window.

SPRING GREEN, Wis., Aug. 15.—How maniacal ingenuity enabled John Carlton, a colored chef employed by Mrs. Mamah Bouton Borthwick, to murder Mrs. Borthwick, her two children, and Emil Burdell, and seriously wound five other persons was told by William Weston, one of the survivors of the tragedy, today.

Struck Down as They Flee.

Carlton struck his victims on the head with a hand ax as they tried to leave the burning building by a window. The dead are Mrs. Mamah Bouton Borthwick, her clothing burned; John Borthwick Cheney, her thirteen-year-old son, head chopped open, badly burned; Martha Borthwick Cheney, Mrs. Borthwick's ten-year-old daughter, cut about the head; Emil Burdell, thirty, draftsman, cut about the head and badly burned.

Skull Crushed With Ax.

Mrs. Borthwick was the first to put her head through the window. The maniac crushed her skull with the ax. As each of the inmates of the structure followed her he was struck down in a similar manner, Weston says.

Architect's Bungalow Called "Love's Cottage"

CHICAGO, Aug. 15.—Frank Lloyd Wright was in his office when he received a long distance telephone message informing him of the murder of Mrs. Mamah Borthwick and three other persons at Spring Green, Wis. He was prostrated and unable to discuss it. Later he left for Spring Green.

Funerals

Julia Emma Bullock. Julia Emma Bullock, who died at Garfield Hospital on Friday, was buried from her late residence, 1735 Lamont street, this afternoon. The interment was private.

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Louis Green. From his late residence, 606 Delaware avenue southwest, took place this afternoon the funeral of Louis Green, who was the brother of Annie Mae Green, and who died on Wednesday.

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Alice J. Purks. Alice J. Purks, the daughter of Mrs. Annie E. Nash, who died on Friday, after a lingering illness, will be buried from her late residence, 639 F street southwest, tomorrow at 8:30, thence to St. Dominic's Church, where a requiem mass will be said.

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CORNERSTONE LAID BY COLUMBUS CLUB

Mortar Spread by Mgr. Russell—Baseball and Tennis Follow.

Knights of Columbus of the District of Maryland and Virginia participated this afternoon in services marking the laying of the cornerstone of the new \$25,000 clubhouse of the Columbus Country Club, near the Fort Myer wireless towers, this afternoon. The Right Rev. Mgr. William T. Russell, of St. Patrick's Catholic Church, placed the mortar for the huge stone.

GERMAN-AMERICANS TO RAISE MILLIONS

Organization With Twenty-three Branches Here Promises Big Relief Fund.

German-American citizens of the District, joining those from Baltimore and other cities, have made preliminary plans for raising several million dollars for the care of wounded soldiers and widows and orphans of soldiers of Germany and Austria. This fund is to be collected in addition to that already subscribed to the American Red Cross.

French Report Capture Of Aeroplane and Crew

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Ethel J. Gaither, a twelve-year-old colored girl, who is accused by the police of attempting to poison the year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton L. Jenks, of 3020 Macomb street northwest, will be arraigned in Juvenile Court tomorrow.

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The Gaither girl was employed as a nurse. She got tired of working and wanted to go home. Mr. and Mrs. Jenks did not want her to leave. This is why, she said, she put carbolic acid in the baby's milk last Wednesday morning. She wanted to make the baby sick, she said, so that she would be discharged. She declared she did not want to kill the baby.

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Detectives Cornwell and Burlingame arrested the girl last night after a chemical examination of the milk showed the presence of carbolic acid.

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Oil-Soaked Rag Gives Firemen Sabbath Run. An alarm of fire from Tenth and D streets northwest, shortly before 12:29 o'clock today, called out most of the downtown fire apparatus, including two motor engines. The firemen on arriving at the paint shop of Samuel Hanlein, 677 D street, from which a cloud of smoke was rolling, discovered a burning rag which had evidently been ignited through the spontaneous combustion of paints and oil with which it was saturated.

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There was no other fire in the vicinity.

CHAUFFEUR HELD IN AUTOBUS FATALITY

Crowded Vehicle Dashes Under Awning, Sweeping Off Passengers on Top.

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—Coroner Healy today ordered that the chauffeur operating the bus from which eighty-five-year-old Mrs. Hannah Van Dusen, wife of Hiram Van Dusen, the retired real estate dealer, was swept and killed when the conveyance ran under the edge of a steel and glass awning at Fifth avenue and Thirty-fifth street last night, be held pending an inquest. Miss Florence Klingler, eighteen years old, was also knocked from the bus and rendered unconscious.

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Several passengers saw the danger and screamed, but Mrs. Van Dusen did not move quickly enough. The edge of the awning struck her under the chin, lifted her from the seat, and as the bus rolled out from under her, held her suspended for a second before she dropped to the street. Miss Klingler was also struck and knocked from her seat, but caught the edge of the awning and hung by her hands until her escort caught her in his arms and dragged her back to the top of the bus.

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Following the ceremony, the semifinals and finals of a tennis tournament which was begun this morning were played. A baseball game between married and unmarried knights, with James E. Colliflower as captain of the Benedicts, and Joseph Degnan leading the single men, also was played.

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The Columbus Country Club was organized last February, when a number of influential Knights of Columbus acquired an option on thirty-one acres near the Fort Myer wireless towers. The plans include a golf course, baseball diamonds, tennis courts and a large clubhouse. The main portion of the club will be ready for occupancy on September 1. The two wings, containing dining-rooms, card rooms, billiard and pool rooms, and dancing pavilion, will not be completed until next year.

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The club grounds may be reached by the Falls Church cars to Clark's Station, where automobiles will meet members and their guests. Cars will leave at a quarter before and a quarter after each hour. Another route is from Aqueduct Bridge to Fort Berry Station, and from there east to the grounds.

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Bouillon is on the Franco-Belgian frontier, about fifty miles due south of Namur.

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ASKS RELIEF SHIPS BE MADE NEUTRAL

United States Requests Warning Nations Promise Not to Molest Vessels.

The State Department has instructed American diplomatic representatives abroad to notify foreign governments that the United States will regard as neutral foreign ships chartered to bring home Americans from Europe. Belligerent governments have been asked for a declaration on the subject.

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The position that "ships chartered with the sole purpose of repatriating citizens now stranded in Europe" are neutral is based on the article of the second Hague convention, which was agreed to by all the belligerents except Serbia and Montenegro, declaring that "vessels chartered with religious, scientific, or philanthropic missions are exempt from capture." Prompt assurance from England, France, Germany, Austria, and Russia that this neutrality will be respected is looked for, as unofficial assurances to this effect already have been given.

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Secretary of War Garrison, chairman of the Cabinet relief board in charge of the work of bringing refugees home, remains confident that the problem soon will be worked out. He points to the release for transatlantic service of the

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big English ocean liners, and the chartering of the liners by Ambassador Herick at Paris as an evidence that transportation for the bulk of the Americans in English and French ports soon will be provided, leaving the Government to bring home Americans from other ports not touched by the regular steamship lines.

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Ambassador Herick has notified the department that of the two liners he has chartered the Espagne will leave Wednesday with 1,000 Americans, and the Rochambeau on August 28 with 1,200 Americans. School teachers and others holding posts demanding their immediate return and those who are penniless or ill will be given preference when these boats are filled.

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Criticism by returning tourists from Europe of the failure of the Government to provide transportation home for Americans were resented by officials today. They pointed to a London dispatch, which said that hundreds of Americans who had signed petitions urging that transports be sent already have returned to America, and to the latest report of the London citizens' committee that the sailing of forty-eight vessels within the next three weeks would make the sending of a transport unnecessary.

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If London's refugees can be accommodated by regular sailings it would have been an unnecessary expense to send boats for them, these officials declare.

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While rows is lacking of many Washingtonians in Germany, Austria, and Switzerland, cables to the State Department and to relatives here have brought reassuring news of several in other parts of Europe. Miss Madeline Mueller and Miss Lucille Reilly, buyers for a Washington military house, have cabled they are safe in Havre, France. Miss Ruth Stauffer has cabled her father, Charles C. Stauffer, of 1527 Twenty-eighth street northwest, that she is safe in Naples. With her is Miss Helen Ellis, a teacher in McKinley High School.

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250 pairs of Ladies' White Pumps and Oxfords, Canvas and Buckskin. A large assortment of pretty styles to select from. Values up to \$4.00; only \$1.65

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Men's Lisle 1/2 Hose; 19c values; only 11c

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Men's Pure Silk 1/2 Hose, 50c values; only 23c

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\$33,000 TRADE IN FRUIT MENACED

Fruit growers will be hit hard by a continuation of the European war. Figures compiled by the Department of Commerce show that in the year ended June 30 fruit amounting to \$33,000,000 was shipped abroad. The greater part of these products were consumed in the countries now at war.

There has been a growing demand in Europe for American fruits, particularly oranges, apples and dried fruits, which have commanded good prices. Apples are the most popular American fruit in foreign markets. Green or ripe apples sent abroad last year brought \$2,000,000, while dried apples brought a total of \$2,625,000. American prunes, which are popular as a dessert on foreign tables, brought \$1,000,000. Dried apricots sent abroad were worth \$1,350,000, while the exports in raisins amounted to \$1,000,000.

American canned fruits have found an increasing market and people in the Old World last year paid \$4,900,000 to America.

California and Florida oranges find larger markets in Europe each year. The total sale last year amounted to \$2,825,000, as against \$3,000,000 in the previous year. Peas alone shipped from this country, brought \$1,400,000. Europeans paid \$17,000 for berries of various kinds and nearly \$2,000,000 for various kinds of unclassified fruits.

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