

U. S. Sergeant a Suicide.
COBLENTZ, June 15.—Sergt. Lawrence Roberts, Fifth Infantry, United States Army, committed suicide Sunday night in a fit of despondency. He shot himself in the head. His nearest relative is understood to be Thomas Moore, St. Louis.

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PEEVED TEACHERS DENY CHARGE THEY DON'T KEEP CLEAN

Outrageous Insult, Says One, But Welfare Association Head Stands Pat.

TRENTON, June 15.—Charges by Mrs. Hugh Erwin, vice president of the Child Welfare Association of Morristown, that "certain of our teachers do not bathe properly before leaving home for school," made recently at a meeting of the executive committee of the association, have brought down upon Mrs. Erwin a storm of protests and demands by the teachers for a public apology.

Despite the broadside of denunciation and criticism to which she has been subjected, Mrs. Erwin remains serene and undismayed and declares with emphasis that it is her intention to stand pat on her charges, which consign the teachers to the ranks of the great unwashed. Mrs. Erwin today expressed her surprise that her comment upon the teachers should have created so much indignation. "It is really pitiful that it had been necessary to bring up such matters," she said.

"Mrs. Erwin has gone too far this time and the teachers have stood for enough slams. They don't propose to stand for this," Miss Juanita A. Branning, teacher of languages in the high school, hotly stated this morning. "If the conditions as referred to really exist, then Mrs. Erwin or some other member of the association or committee should have gone to that teacher privately and told her. All of the teachers are really under suspicion, the way things stand today," she added, resentfully. Miss Branning also stated that Mrs. Erwin would be requested to apologize and have the apology spread to the world.

Miss H. Emma Kirkbride, teacher of the fourth grade and a member of the faculty for nearly 25 years, stated she was really hurt such charges should be made against any teacher. She said she did not believe the conditions as charged existed with any teacher and she defied anyone to say that she or her room was unclean. She added that she may not dress in the latest fashion, but her clothes were always clean and neat.

Miss Ella S. Bond, in charge of the commercial department, declared Mrs. Erwin's accusation outrageous and an insult to the teachers. She stated it was bad enough for Mrs. Erwin to have made the charges in public meetings, but it was deplorable that the matter should have gotten into the papers.

COMMITTEE GOES TO N. Y. TO STUDY POSTAL SERVICE

Hearings on Needs of Department and Trips to Other Centers to Follow.

CONGRESS began an intimate study of conditions in the postal service in all parts of the country when the special Congressional Commission of Senators and Congressmen today went to New York to make a personal inspection.

The commission will spend virtually all day going over the postal service facilities of New York city which has been represented to them as typifying the growth of the United States in the past few years. Following the personal visits today the commission will inaugurate hearings at which will be presented the needs of the service. From New York the commission probably will return to Washington before going to other centers for similar studies. The commission includes Senator Townsend of Michigan, chairman; Senators Thomas Sterling of South Dakota; George H. Moses of New Hampshire; Kenneth McKellar of Tennessee, Congressman Stearnson of Michigan, vice chairman; Congressman W. W. Grist of Pennsylvania; Thomas Bell of Georgia; Calvin Page of Massachusetts, and Arthur Rouse of Kentucky.

YOUTH MAY SPURN HIS SECOND BIG FORTUNE

BOSTON, June 15.—Charles Garland, a young Harvard man, Socialist and farmer, of Buzzards Bay, Mass., who last year refused \$1,000,000 left him by his father, may have to turn down another fortune. He says he will do it if the opportunity arises. Charles Tuller Garland, a millionaire uncle, for whom he is said to have been named, died at Sonning, England, June 9. Young Garland, who is believed to be an heir of his uncle, said he could not speak for his brother Hamilton, who last winter announced that he too, would refuse his part of his father's fortune when he came of age.

Italian Envoy Gets Degree.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 15.—Italian Ambassador Ricci, who is a three-day guest of the city, was yesterday awarded the honorary degree of doctor of laws at the seventy-first commencement of the University of Rochester.



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