

THE WEATHER. Fair tonight. Friday rain and colder.

PRIESTS WATCHED

By the French Police As They Worship and Will Be Arrested and Prosecuted.

CHURCH DOORS ALL CLOSED But Church Goes in Large Numbers Enter Through the Side Portals of the Churches.

[By Associated Press.] PARIS, France, Dec. 13.—Impressive was the response this morning to the clergy's appeal to parishioners to attend the first masses celebrated outside of the pale of the law.

SUNDAY TRAIN TO BE RESUMED

B. & O. Reestablishes Accommodation From Buckhannon and Weston to Fairmont and Return.

The Sunday accommodation train from Weston and Buckhannon to Fairmont and return on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad which was taken off when the new winter schedule went into effect, will be put into service again.

PATRICK'S CASE IS DISMISSED

Governor Higgins, of New York, Will Now Commute His Sentence to Life Imprisonment.

[By Associated Press.] WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 13.—The case of Albert T. Patrick, convicted of the murder of William Marsh Rice, now under sentence of death, against the State of New York, was dismissed in the Supreme Court of the United States today on motion of his counsel.

THREE PUNISHED

By Mayor Harmer at Police Court Session For Drunkenness. Three prisoners were made to bow their respects to Mayor Harmer at the regular session of police court this morning.

SUMMONED TO CENTURY.

Humane Agent Benjamin Brown Stout has been summoned to Century in Barbour county to look after three children in a Boggs family there, who are in distress and need.

Miss Slussar May Be Crazy Like She Acts

SON OF ENGLISH BARONET HERE

He is Musical Director of Chester DeVonde's Company Which is Presenting Fine Plays Here.

The Chester DeVonde stock company presented the six-act musical comedy, "Bleeding Hearts," at the Grand last night.

This company is creating quite a sensation among theatregoers by the excellence of their plays, the art of the actors and the elaborateness of their stage settings.

Mr. Knight invariably answers: "ere, sound limbed an' 'appy." Knight's vernacular at once impresses those who talk with him that he is a thorough Englishman.

FAMILY SQUABBLE BROUGHT IN COURT

Mrs. Mary E. McClung Given Hearing on Charge of Assaulting Her Granddaughter.

Mrs. Mary E. McClung, of East Pike street, corner Oak, was given a hearing by Magistrate Riley Wednesday evening on a warrant issued at the instance of her daughter, Mrs. Rosa Jett, charging her with assaulting and beating Mrs. Jett's daughter, Edna Quinn, with a pick handle two or three days ago in a family squabble.

UNDERGOES OPERATION.

Paul Thorn Takes Surgical Treatment For Throat Trouble. Paul Thorn, son of Senator and Mrs. Arthur K. Thorn, underwent a surgical operation at St. Mary's hospital Thursday morning for swollen tonsils with which he has been suffering for some time.

LARGEST PORKER YET.

M. D. Garrison, of Quiet Dell, was in the city Wednesday. He holds the championship for having butchered the largest hog reported this season.

FESTIVAL.

Ivy Rebekah Lodge No. 104, of Adamston, will hold an oyster festival in the I. O. O. F. hall at that place Saturday evening and night, Dec. 18.

TO ELECT OFFICERS.

All members of W. S. Kearney Court, No. 15, I. O. O. F., will please be at the meeting tonight promptly at 8 o'clock.

Difficulty Is Experienced in Getting Her Before the Grand Jury Here.

Is Also Spitting Blood, But Some Believe Her Troubles Are Only Affected.

There is difficulty in getting Miss Maggie Slussar before the grand jury in the case of George Frush, who is in jail charged with attempt at criminal assault on her a few months ago on the Bridgeport road whither they had driven.

For several days she has acted in an insane manner at her home at Mt. Clare and heaps epithets all the day on Frush in her alleged hallucinations.

However, as to her mental state her physician has written the prosecuting attorney that she is not at present in mental condition to attend court.

The prosecuting attorney procured a rule and attachment from Judge Lynch Thursday morning for Miss Slussar and the Sheriff sent a carriage after her.

Deputy Sheriffs John Lang and John Knox arrived here with Miss Slussar at 2:30 o'clock and she went before the grand jury immediately.

PRESIDENT MUDGE AT THE MILLS

Of the Phillips Sheet & Tin Plate Company and Is Much Pleased With Operation.

Mr. E. W. Mudge, of Edmund W. Mudge & Co., Pittsburg, Pa., and president of the Phillips Sheet & Tin Plate Company, accompanied by Mr. R. G. Campbell, his assistant, are spending the day with E. T. Weir at the tin plate plant here, inspecting recent improvements made.

Mr. Mudge is exceedingly pleased with the steady operation of the plant during all of this year, which demonstrates the physical condition of the same.

SPOONER WILL HELP IN OLD DEBT CASE.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—It is said here that while Governor Dawson was in Washington he saw Senator Spooner and secured his services as one of the counsel of the state in the case of the Virginia bond suit.

REFUSED

Is a Divorcee to the Pittsburg Millionaire In His Famous Case Against Wife.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 13.—Judge Robert S. Frazer handed down his decision in the famous Hartje divorce case yesterday afternoon. The petition of Augustus Hartje, the millionaire paper manufacturer, for a divorce from his wife, Mrs. Mary Scott Hartje, whom he charged with intimacy with Thomas Mandine, a former coachman, is inconclusive, the decision refuses him a divorce.

MR. SCHUCK WILL ATTEND.

Charles J. Schuck, of Wheeling, grand chancellor of the Knights of Pythias of West Virginia, is in the city and will attend the meeting of the local lodge tonight in its hall in Glen Elk.

NEW GIRL BABY.

Mr. and Mrs. Jason Kester, of Quiet Dell, are the proud and happy parents of a baby girl which the stork brought them Thursday morning.

MR. GAZLEY REELECTED

To the Presidency of the Hotel Keepers Association of the State.

MEETS NEXT AT CHARLESTON.

Association Is Reorganized and Older Members Showing No Interest Are Drooped.

At the annual meeting of the Hotel Keepers Association of West Virginia held at Huntington this week, R. J. Gazley, the genial proprietor of the Waldo hotel, this city, was re-elected president of the association.

Upon assuming the presidency for the ensuing year Mr. Gazley announced the following committee appointments:

Vice president, J. F. Conway, Watson hotel, Fairmont; J. A. Herndon, New Martinsville; Fred Bartlett, Bartlett hotel, Mannington; C. D. Johnson, Richwood, and B. C. Williams, Fairmont.

Legislative—G. O. Taylor, Charleston; Homer Smith, Pt. Pleasant; L. H. Cox, Huntington; Harry McClure, Wheeling, and I. C. Woodard, Parkersburg.

Executive Committee—E. B. Carney, Wheeling; L. H. Crump, Kenova; Ed Brast, Parkersburg, and C. E. Van Kleuren, Wheeling.

The reorganization of the association, during which a number of the older members who had seemingly lost interest, were dropped from the membership list occurred, and dues were increased from \$2 to \$12 per year.

Three new members were taken into the organization, namely, R. W. Cox, of Huntington; L. E. Smith, of Charleston, and H. E. Penseat, of Thurmond.

No information was given out as to what action had been taken toward furthering the enactment of certain laws beneficial to hotel keepers, but it is learned that the association will not make any attempt to have any new laws enacted by the coming legislature.

The convention closed with an informal banquet at the Hotel Frederick.

The next annual meeting of the association will be held at Charleston.

W. VA. BREWERS IN CONVENTION

At Cumberland, Md., and Elect Officers to Serve the Coming Year.

CUMBERLAND, Md., Dec. 13.—The annual convention of the West Virginia Brewers' Association was held here in the hall of the Associated Merchants. A banquet was served to 50 at the Queen City Hotel.

MRS. ISAAC POST DIES AT HOME AT OVERFIELD

Estimable Woman Who Was Well Known in Eastern Part of County Answers Final Call.

Mrs. Elizabeth Post, wife of Isaac Post, died this week at her home at Overfield on Elk creek Barbour county, just across the Harrison county line.

LOCKED UP

On Suspicion of Having Stolen Suit Case From Waiting Room. Policeman Simms arrested a man giving his name as C. W. Thaw, in Glen Elk Thursday afternoon on suspicion of having stolen a suit case from a waiting room of the B. & O. depot.

OPERATED ON.

John Mansfield, of Jacksonburg, was admitted to the Kessler hospital Thursday and underwent an operation for an abscess.

Tours Country In His Search For Horses

COUNTY JUDGES ENTER ORDERS

Of Several Kinds Pertaining to the Business of the County and Citizens.

County court was in session again Thursday with all the members present.

The fiduciary report of the clerk was examined and approved.

Edward J. Keegan was granted a restaurant license at Lumberport.

Pool and billiard license was granted to F. A. McFarlin at Adamston.

Hardman & Ward were given a restaurant license at O'Neil.

James M. Morris was relieved as bondsman for A. M. Ritter, guardian of Margarie, Edison and Carl Ritter, and W. Guy Tetrick was appointed guardian ad litem.

An exoneration was granted C. Cunningham on \$920 and the name was ordered changed from Cunningham to Robinson.

John Parrill was granted an exoneration on \$1,980 and the same ordered stricken from the books.

The liquor license of Loyd Duff was transferred to M. D. Sheridan.

M. D. Sheridan was granted pool and billiard license at Salem.

The drug license of the Enterprise Drug Company was transferred from the company's present building to a new building.

GOLDEN SEAL

Receives Four Applications For Membership At Its Meeting Last Night.

Clarksburg Camp No. 350, Order of the Golden Seal, met in the Odd Fellows' hall last evening.

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Policeman Simms arrested a man giving his name as C. W. Thaw, in Glen Elk Thursday afternoon on suspicion of having stolen a suit case from a waiting room of the B. & O. depot.

The man was locked up awaiting a hearing before Mayor Harmer, or before a justice of the peace. Papers in the suit case bear the name of George Hinaros. An empty pocketbook was also found in it.

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Mrs. Myrtle Thompkins, of Morgantown, is visiting in the city.

Stolen From His Farm Last August and Brought To This Section of State.

Travels Fifteen Hundred Miles and Spends Three Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

William Courson, of Washington, Pa., has recovered a team of horses stolen from his farm last August and valued at \$150. As stated by the Telegram one was recovered at Lumberport from Lee Boggs, the latter having traded for it.

The horses were not recovered, however, until Mr. Courson had traveled more than 1,500 miles and spent fully \$350, possibly \$50 more than their worth.

The police authorities of West Virginia and Pennsylvania had been notified of the theft, but the thief made good his escape.

The horses were found were innocent of any wrong-doing, but they lost the price they paid for the animals.

It is stated that Mr. Boggs lost about \$90 and no less than that amount was lost on the other horse.

RIPS BODY WITH KNIFE

Actor Flings Cheese Knife Into His Own Abdomen and Will Die.

[By Associated Press.] NEW YORK, N. Y., Dec. 13.—A man who described himself as Rankin Duval, an actor, aged 40 years, entered a Sixth avenue saloon today, seized a cheese knife on the lunch counter, pressed the point to his abdomen, and threw himself heavily to the floor so that the big blade ripped his body. He cannot live.

KING OSCAR HAS A WEAK HEART.

STOCKHOLM, Sweden, Dec. 13.—The health of King Oscar is causing anxiety. Symptoms of the heart, accompanied by irregular pulse, have presented themselves.

BODY ARRIVES

But As Yet the Funeral Arrangements of Miss Despard Are Not Completed.

The body of Miss Diana M. Despard, whose death in Philadelphia has been noted in the Telegram, arrived in the city Thursday morning and was taken to the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Duncan, on West Main street.

SENATOR BROWN DIES.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 13.—Former United States Senator Arthur Brown, of Utah, who was shot in his apartments at the Hotel Raleigh, Saturday afternoon, by Mrs. Anna M. Bradley, of Salt Lake City, died at midnight last night at the Emergency hospital.

STATE POULTRY SHOW.

The State Poultry show will be held at Buckhannon next week, beginning the 17th and continuing until the 21st, the public to be admitted the last three days and nights.

FELONIES RETURNED

By the Grand Jury of a Nature of Much Public Importance.

SPECIAL INDICTMENTS FOUND

Against Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company For Failure To Have Water Closets.

The grand jury Thursday morning returned several important felony indictments, against several persons for various crimes, increasing the felony docket largely. Indictments for misdemeanor were also returned, some of which are quite important and affect the public, especially those found against the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company, for alleged failure to keep and provide suitable water closets at stations and to keep stations open.

The indictments returned Thursday morning are as follows: Felonies.

Waldo Talkington and Isaac Miller for the forgery of a note at Wallace, purporting to be signed by Patty A. Ice, of Smithfield.

James E. Sutton for forgery of a \$4,000 note on Silas Pittro.

John K. Cline for the burglary of B. F. Tichenal's house September 14.

Strick Jackson for stealing two calf hides from Hayden Cork's slaughter house.

Seymour Carson for criminal assault on Sarah J. Paul in September.

MISDEMEANORS. Patrick McGovern for selling intoxicants to a minor at the Loop saloon.

George C. Wachter for selling intoxicants to a minor at the Davis saloon.

Baltimore and Ohio railroad company, five cases—four for failure to keep and provide suitable water closets at the stations at Salem, Bristol, Wallace and Brown, and one for not keeping open the station at Brown.

Jack Kidd, John Stealey, Nuts Cottrill and Robert Reed, one each, for playing cards on a lot in Point Comfort in view of the public road.

The criminal docket will be taken up tomorrow, with the petit jurors present for duty.

FRANK THOMAS IS HELD FOR THE GRAND JURY

He Awaits the Action of That Body On Theft of Watch and Chain From Weston Man.

Frank Thomas, colored, was held for the grand jury now in session at the conclusion of his hearing before Magistrate Gordon Wednesday afternoon late on the charge of having stolen a watch and chain from Lawrence Phillips, of Weston, at the Fuel City Hotel some time ago.

WALF SENT AWAY.

The seven-year-old son of John Cottrill, now deceased, was sent from Adamston to Humane Agent B. Brown Stout to Humane Agent Samples, at Fairmont, who will send him to Wheeling. He has had no home since his mother died five or six months ago, and has been badly neglected.

BUYS RACE HORSE.

George Rogers, of Adamston, has just purchased a promising two-year-old race horse, Nanny, Hanks by name, from John B. Reed, of Fairmont. Mr. Rogers will place the racer in training and expects to win some races next season.