

RUSSIANS BUSY WITH ATTACKS

EIGHT ATTACKS IN SHORT TIME ARE REPORTED

Berlin Reports Say the Austrian Lines are all Holding Out So Far.

MORE PROGRESS IS MADE

Battleship and Cruiser are Hit by Shells from the Guns of the Turks.

The Russian offensive on the Bessarabian front apparently is assuming formidable proportions. Unofficial reports from Berlin say the Austrian lines have held so far although the Russians have attacked eight times since Christmas night with lavish expenditure of ammunition and men.

Further progress by the Russian troops in Persia is reported from Teheran. They have occupied Kasban, a city of about 30,000 population, 100 miles south of Teheran, and are advancing on Isfahan, 100 miles further south, the advices state.

The Turks reported continued success for their artillerymen in interfering with Allied operations in the Dardanelles. A battleship of the Agamenon class and a cruiser were hit by Turkish shells and the landing places of the Allies were repeatedly bombarded disturbing transport work, it is said.

Hand grenade fighting in the Chaulnes sector and bombardment of German positions west of the Navarin farm in the Champagne are the only activities reported by the Paris war office.

LONDON, Dec. 29.—Russian troops have occupied the important Persian town of Kasban and are marching toward Isfahan, according to the Teheran correspondent of Reuters' Telegram Company.

PARIS, Dec. 29.—The Eleventh Bulgarian infantry regiment stationed at Gumuldzine, Bulgaria, has mutinied, according to information reaching the Athens correspondent of the Petit Journal.

EIGHT ATTACKS MADE BY RUSSIAN FORCES

BERLIN, Dec. 29.—The Cernowitz correspondent of the Tageblatt sends the following:

"The Russians have made eight attacks against the Austrians on the Bessarabian border since Christmas night. Despite a tremendous expenditure of ammunition and men the attacking forces have not succeeded in breaking through the line. Every time the weakened columns of the Russians succeeded in reaching the Austro-Hungarians they were repulsed. The Russians maintained a gunfire for twenty-five hours, which was audible in Cernowitz."

ITALIAN TROOPS NOW ON EPIRUS FRONTIER

PARIS, Dec. 29.—"Italian troops which disembarked at Avlona, Albania, have reached the vicinity of the northern frontier of Epirus in some places, according to reports from voyagers arriving from Santi Quaranta," says the Athens correspondent of the Hava agency. Italian troops also have been seen near Tepelen, southern Albania.

FRENCH STATEMENT OF WAR OPERATIONS

PARIS, Dec. 29.—The following announcement was made today by the war office:

"The night was calm except in the sector of Chaulnes, where fighting with hand grenades at close quarters occurred and in the Champagne, where we bombarded the positions of the enemy to the west of Navarin farm."

WARRANT

Charging John Mastovich with Feloniously Cutting Oren Starkey Dismissed.

Wednesday morning Magistrate Jackson V. Carter dismissed a warrant charging John Mastovich with feloniously cutting Oren Starkey. Mastovich was tried late Tuesday afternoon on the charge, but Magistrate Carter reserved his decision until Wednesday morning.

Mastovich and Starkey engaged in a fight at Mt. Clare recently, and according to the evidence when Starkey was getting the best of the fight it is alleged Mastovich cut him with a knife. None of the witnesses, however, saw the knife and none of them saw the cutting done. When arrested Mastovich was not armed.

In dismissing the warrant Magistrate Carter said that as no one had seen the knife or seen Mastovich do the cutting and both men were engaged in the fight. As Mastovich produced a number of witnesses testifying to his good character the warrant was dismissed.

LEWIS COUNTY NEWS EVENTS ARE REPORTED

Telegram's Correspondent at Weston Records Happenings of That Section.

WESTON, Dec. 29.—James Morrison, who at the age of 94, is perhaps Weston's oldest citizen, is very ill at the home of his grandson, Rufus F. Morrison, of the McGarry addition. It is practically the first serious illness he ever suffered, and there is much anxiety about him.

There is much local satisfaction over the appointment by Superintendent Halterman of the Weston State Hospital of Miss Rose Davis of this city as supervisor to succeed Miss Sutton, who was called to the superintendency of the Girls' Industrial School.

A Troy correspondent writes a local paper of a blacksmith in charge of a shop in that town, who can neither read nor write, but who manages to keep book accounts in a manner that is highly interesting. He draws crude pictures of the men he serves, and of the character of the work he does. He can use figures, and he seems to know their value as applied to money. He writes the amount of the charge in the proper column opposite the picture.

While Ed Bennett, a merchant of the northern part of the town, was at Clarksburg Saturday night, fire destroyed his store and his living rooms on the floor above.

Postmaster James W. Samples, whose home is in Harrison county, was in the city the last of the week. He is teaching his seventy-eight term of school, he informs your correspondent, and is this year located in the upper end of this county. He once lived in the lower end of the county, and while there taught a number of schools in the vicinity of his home.

Postmaster Lively and his office force are authority for the statement that the number of parcels mailed here for transit exceeded the number mailed last year by more than a hundred per cent. Everything was done with commendable haste, however, and there was not a package left for delivery after the doors were finally closed on Christmas night.

A. G. Gould, a farmer living in the Shadybrook addition, was on Christmas Day exhibiting to his friends a sample of strawberries grown on his farm near town. He carried a fine, large ripe berry, with some green ones, and some bloom and also some swelling buds, all grown under cover of some paper and up-turned tin-pan, with snow all about them.

On Wednesday night the last meeting of the Catholic Club for the year will be held. The amusements announced are expected to draw a large crowd of its members and their friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Van McWhorter celebrated their golden wedding at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Homer Stalaker, of this city, Tuesday. A few of the near relatives from Lewis, Harrison and Braxton counties were invited to be present, and a surprise was planned and carried out to the great enjoyment of all in attendance.

One of the best known families in the county are the Loshes, and the Marion Losh branch assembled for a family reunion on Christmas Day. All the children were with the old folks, and they had a very pleasant day together.

All of the shelving of the north side of B. & O. piers department store fell with its burden of goods on Christmas night. Luckily the fire was out and nothin gignited from falling on stores.

After spending Christmas at his old home Frank J. Ross left Monday for New York, where he is in business.

HUSBAND

Of Woman, Seriously Ill with Appendicitis in Smithfield, is Sought.

Seriously ill with appendicitis and refusing to go to a hospital unless her husband goes with her—Mrs. O. J. Marsh lies in a critical condition in her home at Smithfield, while local police are making an effort to locate her husband, an oil well driller, who is said to be working in the Harrison county fields.

The news of Mrs. Marsh's illness reached here this morning in a letter to a local man. The letter was written by a friend of the Marsh family in Smithfield, who requested that an effort be made to locate Mr. Marsh.

STATE LAWYERS BEGIN SESSIONS AT WALDO HOTEL

More Than 200 of Them Are Present at Opening Session of Annual Meeting.

LIST OF NEW MEMBERS

Splendid Addresses on Live Topics are Made and Business is Begun.

With more than 200 members present, the thirty-first annual meeting of the West Virginia Bar Association is in progress in the assembly hall of the Waldo hotel, the opening session having taken place Wednesday morning. Sessions will continue until Thursday night, when an elaborate banquet will be served in the banquet hall of the hotel.

Two splendid addresses were heard at the morning session, committees were appointed, sixty-seven new members were admitted and officers' reports were submitted.

The opening session was called to order at 10 o'clock by the president, J. W. Vandervort, of Parkersburg, who delivered his annual address. Although he spoke briefly upon the affairs of the association as its president, the theme of his address was "The Lawyer and the People," and it was an able and interesting exposition of that relationship and the rights and duties of each. It was warmly applauded and followed by a discussion of various points raised.

New Members

Upon recommendation of the committee on admissions, the report of which was submitted by Charles G. Coffman, of Clarksburg, the following applicants were admitted to membership:

- H. M. Bennett, Weston.
- W. G. Stathers, Clarksburg.
- A. L. Lohm, Clarksburg.
- George C. Cole, Weston.
- B. C. Eakie, Clay.
- Osman B. Swartz, Clarksburg.
- J. Phillip Clifton, Clarksburg.
- Guy H. Burnside, Clarksburg.
- Charles C. Scott, Clarksburg.
- Da Costa Smith, Weston.
- J. J. Smith, Weston.
- W. M. Foster, Weston.
- Edward A. Brannon, Weston.
- W. M. Conaway, Clarksburg.
- O. L. McDonald, Clarksburg.
- L. C. Orle, Clarksburg.
- E. L. Cullip, Webster Springs.
- Louis A. Carr, Clarksburg.
- Carl W. Neff, Clarksburg.
- Will E. Morris, Clarksburg.
- H. L. Robinson, Clarksburg.
- C. C. Davis, Clarksburg.
- Howard F. James, Clarksburg.
- B. F. Thompson, Clarksburg.
- D. S. McIntire, Clarksburg.
- G. W. Bland, Clarksburg.
- B. Merindino, Clarksburg.
- C. B. Johnson, Clarksburg.
- Robert R. Wilson, Clarksburg.
- G. H. Duthie, Clarksburg.
- Harry W. Sheets, Clarksburg.
- Roy E. Parrish, Clarksburg.
- F. O. Sutton, Clarksburg.
- John C. Southern, Clarksburg.
- Fred L. Shin, Clarksburg.
- Fred B. Deem, Clarksburg.
- E. D. Lewis, Clarksburg.
- Harry R. Downs, Clarksburg.
- George R. Jackson, Clarksburg.
- D. J. Carter, Clarksburg.
- J. E. Law, Clarksburg.
- S. R. Harrison, Jr., Clarksburg.
- Glenn P. Williams, Clarksburg.
- Leo P. Caulfield, Clarksburg.
- E. B. Templeman, Clarksburg.
- Taney Harrison, Clarksburg.
- Charles W. Louchery, Clarksburg.
- John Ross, Jr., Clarksburg.
- Ray L. Strother, Clarksburg.
- J. M. N. Downes, Buckhannon.
- C. M. Pew, Buckhannon.
- W. H. Pile, Beckley.
- J. E. Campbell, Charleston.
- Edmund L. Jones, Wheeling.
- Kent B. Hall, Wheeling.
- B. S. Honecker, Wheeling.
- Carl O. Scheidt, Wheeling.
- David A. McKee, Wheeling.
- J. B. Handlan, Wheeling.
- Oliver G. Beas, Wheeling.
- S. P. Meckell, Terra Alta.
- J. J. Devine, Welch.
- J. M. Crockett, Welch.
- Wallace B. Gribble, West Union.
- Ernest V. Morton, Summersville.
- S. H. Sharp, Marlinton.

President Vandervort appointed the following committee on nominations:

W. P. Hubbard, of Wheeling; W. C. Mathews, of Charleston; W. W. Hughes, of Welch; W. W. Brannon, of Weston; and L. J. Williams, of Charleston.

W. B. Mathews, of Charleston; and Birk S. Stathers, of Weston, were appointed as the auditing committee by the president.

The secretary reported that all matters brought to his attention had been attended to so far as possible and the treasurer gave an account of the finances of the association.

Paper on Debt Suit

Judge Thomas P. Jacobs, of New Martinsville, then delivered his able and illuminating paper on the question whether the supreme court of the United States has the power to enforce the decision against West Virginia in what is known as the debt case, reaching the conclusion, after exhaustive research and analysis, that the federal supreme court has not such power on the ground that a state possessing sovereignty can not be legally enforced to do anything. An abstract of Judge Jacobs'

SPECIAL PRIVILEGE SEEKERS BACK OF LILLY'S CANDIDACY

address is published elsewhere in this issue of the Telegram.

Adjournment was taken for lunch after the reading of Judge Jacobs' paper, but upon motion the first hour of the afternoon session was devoted to a general discussion of the debt suit as presented by Judge Jacobs.

Afternoon Session

The following business was scheduled for Wednesday afternoon's session:

Report of the executive council by W. P. Willey, of Morgantown, chairman; a paper on "Constructive Contempt," by John C. Palmer, of Wheeling; report of the committee on nominations and election of officers, members of executive council and delegates to the American Bar Association, selection of the place for the next annual meeting and a report of the committee on judicial administration and legal reform by B. M. Ambler, of Parkersburg, chairman.

A session will also be held Wednesday evening with an address on "Law and Morals," by Rose Pound as the feature, followed by a general discussion.

Members Present

The members in attendance at Wednesday's sessions are as follows: W. N. Miller, Parkersburg; J. Judson Williams, Charleston; Robert S. Spillman, Charleston; William G. Mathews, Charleston; Angus W. McDonald, Charleston; B. T. England, Logan; B. S. Stathers, Weston; E. L. Long, Charleston; Charles McCamie, Wheeling; H. Roy Wagh, Buckhannon; J. Blackburn, Wirt; Phillip Ira B. Robinson, Grafton; Hugh Warden, Grafton; C. G. Young, Buckhannon; John J. Cornwell, Romney; Andrew Price, Marlinton; Samuel V. Woods, Phillip; J. Hop Woods, Phillip; J. C. Harman, Parsons; Joseph R. Curl, Wheeling; W. P. Hubbard, Wheeling; Nelson C. Hubbard, Wheeling; William B. Mathews, Charleston; J. W. Vandervort, Parkersburg; B. M. Ambler, Parkersburg; O. A. Creps, Parkersburg; Judge H. B. Woods, Harrisville; E. H. Morton, Webster Springs; A. A. Lilly, Charleston; John L. Whitten, Point Pleasant; George Poffenberger, Point Pleasant; James A. Hughes, Huntington; F. N. Alderson, Richwood; W. N. Brannon, Weston; Thomas P. Jacobs, New Martinsville; E. G. Rider, Sutton; William Goodkowitz, Williamson; Stephen G. Jackson, Clarksburg; A. J. Horan, Fayetteville; John M. Baker, Spencer; Harvey W. Harner, Clarksburg; C. W. Lynch, Clarksburg; H. A. Ritz, Bluefield; E. G. Smith, Clarksburg; Millard F. Snider, Clarksburg; E. L. Nickolls, Fayetteville; Robert L. Bland, Weston; Linn Brannon, Weston; F. O. Sutton, Clarksburg; John T. Simms, Fayetteville; James W. Robinson, Clarksburg; Fred B. Deem, Clarksburg; S. P. Mitchell, Terra Alta; T. L. Jeffords, Harpers Ferry; Harry R. Downs, Clarksburg; E. F. Garrett, Clarksburg; C. C. Davis, Clarksburg; Clarence T. Martin, Martinsburg; Louis Bennett, Weston; W. W. Hughes, Welch; H. W. Williams, Clarksburg; C. W. Gore, Clarksburg; Jean P. Smith, Huntington; Raymond Maxwell, Clarksburg; Harvey F. Smith, Clarksburg; J. E. Law, Clarksburg; Ben A. Ross, Clarksburg; Wheeling; W. G. Stathers, Clarksburg; Charles G. Coffman, Clarksburg; John C. Palmer, Jr., Clarksburg; V. M. Woods, Martinsburg; A. J. Findley, New Martinsburg; G. W. Atkinson, Washington; and Judge M. H. Willis, New Martinsville.

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GREEKS CHEER

Entente Ministers as They Call on the Former Premier of Greece.

ATHENS, Dec. 29.—Thousands of Greeks of all classes began filing past the residence of Ellipharios Venizelos former premier of Greece, this morning on the occasion of his Saint's day and gave him an extraordinary greeting.

There were workmen in blouses, soldiers in uniform, statesmen, former cabinet ministers, politicians and men of every social rank in the procession. Entente ministers called on the former premier and were cheered by the crowd.

SHREVLIN DEAD

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 29.—Thomas L. Shevlin, of Minneapolis, millionaire lumberman and Yale football coach, died at his home here this morning of pneumonia. Mr. Shevlin contracted a cold while training the Yale football squad last fall.

BROOKOVER DEAD

MORGANTOWN, Dec. 29.—Harry E. Brookover, aged forty-one, county superintendent of the Monongalia county schools, died in a hospital in Pittsburg Tuesday night following an operation performed two weeks ago.

COURT CANNOT FORCE COLLECTION OF DEBT CLAIMED BY VIRGINIA

Men Who Led Fight against the Governor Align Themselves with "Abe" Lilly.

FAIR TAXATION OPPOSED

Candidate Tries to Make It Appear That Party is Ill and He Poses as Its Doctor.

(SPECIAL TO THE TELEGRAM) CHARLESTON, Dec. 29.—That the fight of certain allied interests, which for years have been seeking special privileges in the state at the expense of the great body of taxpayers who only ask that the burden of taxation be distributed fairly and equally among all classes, is to be carried on and made an issue in the next campaign, is already indicated by the support lining up behind the entrants into the race for the Republican nomination for governor.

The strong opposition put up by these interests at the 1915 session of the legislature to all legislation which did not render them immune from their just share of taxes is well known throughout the state. It was not until after payment of the ordinary running expenses of the state had been suspended that revenue measures were adopted sufficient to uphold the state's credit. Leading the opposition to Governor Hatfield in his fight in behalf of the people were the coal operators' associations and other interests which combined to fight against any measure which assumed to levy upon them anything like their just share of taxation. Finally, through the efforts of Governor Hatfield and those who assisted him in the fight, compromise measures were adopted at an extraordinary session of the legislature and the state resumed payment of its running expenses.

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Industrial News Notes

Correspondent Records Interesting Events of Hustling Eastern Suburb.

INDUSTRIAL, Dec. 29.—James Stuart, a student of the Carnegie Technical school at Pittsburg, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schmidt and son, Edward, are guests of relatives here.

Miss Agnes Evans is convalescing after having diphtheria.

Bryan Hollen returned to Pennsylvania after spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hollen.

Mr. and Mrs. Alph Cottrill, of Quiet Dell, were guests of relatives here recently.

Miss Mary Bee and Miss Desette Cottrill have returned home after spending a few days with friends at Lost Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Smith, of Toronto, O., visited at the home of the latter's brother, H. H. Crummit.

W. E. Rymer and daughter were recent visitors at the home of his mother, Mrs. W. T. Rymer, of Point Comfort.

The Rev. W. C. Wise was a business visitor here yesterday.

Mrs. Ray Wamsley spent the week at Wilsonburg at the home of her mother.

Harvey Faidler is ill of influenza.

Miss Dorretta Evans is spending a few weeks at Howardsville with her grandparents.

Frank Greathouse, who is employed as bookkeeper for Swift and Company, at Rocky Mount, N. C., has returned home after spending a few days with his parents. Mr. Greathouse surprised his many friends when he brought home his bride.

The Ladies Aid Society will meet at the home of Mrs. H. U. Crummit at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday evening.

CABLE INTERRUPTED

The Western Union Telegraph Company announces that the cable between Halifax and Bermuda is interrupted. Messages for Turks Island and Bermuda may be sent via Jamaica, West Indies. Messages for San Domingo by normal route subject to a slight delay.

THREE ARRESTED.

Two men and one woman were arrested by police Tuesday night on charges of assembling for immoral purposes, and all three are under bond for their appearance in police court at 7 o'clock this evening. Those gave their names as Edward Smith, John Doe and Grace Carson. Lieutenant Whyte, Detective White and Patrolman Joyce made the arrests.

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Judge Thomas P. Jacobs Declares Such Attempt Would Be Revolutionary.

BRILLIANT ARGUMENT

Setting Forth How the State is a Sovereign No Court Can Legally Reach.

That the United States Supreme Court would not and could not enforce the judgment for \$11,000,000 against the state of West Virginia in the Virginia debt case and that to attempt to do so would be revolutionary was the opinion expressed in an address here today before the West Virginia Bar Association by Judge Thomas P. Jacobs, of New Martinsville.

Judge Jacobs, who is well known as an attorney throughout the state, cited many authorities and declared that a solution of the proposition would depend on certain elementary constitutional principles. These, he said, in the main are:

"That a state in the union is a sovereignty in all things not delegated to the central government; that a state cannot be forced into the payment of any debt; that the federal judiciary has no power or authority to compel the levy or collection of taxes either by Congress or by a state; that the debt of a state unlike that between persons is only a debt of honor and not an obligation; that the judgments and decrees of the supreme court in such cases are only advisory and not binding on the state of honor of the litigant; that the court has disclaimed any power to compel the levy and collection of taxes by a state for any purpose and that the officers of the state government are not coercible by any authority.

"With these principles in view it is confidently believed that the supreme court could not and would not undertake to cover the state as it would an individual in a matter of such delicacy and such importance and that to do so would be revolutionary," Judge Jacobs declared.

"It is interesting to inquire if the supreme court is going to enforce the debt in this case, whether it will proceed on the law of the equity side, though this is not important for the court having original jurisdiction might resort to any writ it had if it found it had authority to do so," he added.

"While the constitution created a government acting upon all the citizens regardless of state lines and thus created a real nation, yet the national government is one of limited powers.

"The state government is also a sovereignty yet not in the full sense of that term, for it has surrendered some of its sovereignty to the national government or rather to the people here. Yet there is a very large residuum of sovereignty which the state has not surrendered to the central government—much larger indeed, than that which has been surrendered, which by the tenth amendment are reserved to the states respectively or to the people.

"There is a compromise boundary of sovereign matters and things never yet committed to the central government over which no branch of

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NOT GUILTY

Of Highway Robbery Are Dewey Daugherty and Harry Floyd.

Dewey Daugherty and Harry Floyd were cleared of the charge of highway robbery preferred against them by Charles Buisset, an aged man of Richmond, Va., who is visiting a son here, at the close of a trial in Magistrate J. V. Carter's court late Tuesday afternoon.

Buisset was held up and robbed in the West End recently by two young men who had lured him there from the Sixth street bridge, where he had stopped them and asked the way to the interurban station. Although Buisset identified the boys as the two that had robbed him and Sheriff Stout's bloodhounds had trailed them from the scene of the robbery to their homes at Point Comfort, they produced five witnesses who testified that they were at their homes at the time the crime was committed.

On account of the majority of the witnesses testifying that the boys were at their homes the warrant was dismissed.

At the close of the trial, however, Daugherty was taken to the county jail and will be sent to the reform school for boys at Front Royal, where he had violated a parole granted by Criminal Court Judge James V. Robinson, at the last term of the criminal court when he was convicted of some minor offense, but was paroled on account of his age.

Mrs. Charles B. Warrs and Mrs. Emma Bowers, were called in Parkersburg Wednesday morning to appear in police court. They were shown to answer charges of loitering in the streets. They were arrested late Tuesday afternoon by Officer Shahan.

Roosevelt Illustrates Principles of Pacifists

By Showing What Has Happened in China and Several Other Countries.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—A paper by Theodore Roosevelt on "Social Values and National Existence" furnished a theme for an animated discussion today before the American Sociological Society in annual session here. It was read by Professor Edward A. Ross, of the University of Wisconsin, president of the society.

"Infinitely the most important fact to remember in connection with the war and militarism in relation to moral and social values," wrote Mr. Roosevelt, "is that if an unscrupulous, warlike and militaristic nation is not held in check by the warlike ability of a neighboring, non-militaristic and well-behaved nation, then the latter will be spared the necessity of dealing with 'moral and social values,' because it won't be allowed to deal with anything. It seems to me positively comic to fall to appreciate, with the example of Belgium before our eyes, that the real question which modern peace loving nations have to face is not how the militaristic or warlike spirit within our own borders will affect these values, but how failure on their part to resist the militarism of an unscrupulous neighbor will affect them."

Mr. Roosevelt referred to Medieval Persia and Russia and to modern China, Korea and Armenia to show what happened to nations which applied precisely the theories of the pacifists.

POLICE RAID

Building on West Pike Street and Arrest Four on Charges of Gambling.

City police late Tuesday night raided the Fordyce building on West Pike street and arrested four men on charges of gambling. All of those arrested gave bonds of \$5.00 for their appearance in police court at 7:30 o'clock this evening.

The raid was planned by Lieutenant of Police Nicholas M. Whyte, who headed the police squad. The other officers taking part in the raid were Patrolman Joyce and Detective L. E. White.

The men arrested gave their names as George Brown, Frank Ferris, Timothy Bell and John Smith. All the names are thought to be fictitious.

BONDS FORFEITED.

Bonds of \$5.00 each posted by two women giving their names as Irene Smith and Mabel Brown were declared forfeited by Mayor O. E. Gordon when the two women failed to appear in police court Wednesday morning to answer charges of loitering in the streets. They were arrested late Tuesday afternoon by Officer Shahan.