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CROPSEY MAD WITH FLYNN BECAUSE SECRET SERVICE IS KEPT SECRET FROM HIM

Commissioner and Deputy
Haven't Spoken in Two
Weeks, Is Report.

INSIDE DETAIL CUT.

Detective Head Intimated That
His Superior Might "Leak"
Information.

It was declared at Police Headquarters today that Police Commissioner Cropsey and Deputy Police Commissioner Flynn are at loggerheads, and that they have not spoken to each other for two weeks.

The fact that Commissioner Cropsey continued to transfer men out of Police Headquarters who have been detailed there by Flynn is construed as an open declaration of war. Today Mr. Cropsey removed Lieut. William Sullivan from detail at headquarters, thereby reducing Mr. Flynn's inside detail from six to five.

The trouble between the two police officials started when Commissioner Cropsey demanded from the former secret service agent a list of all the men he had on secret assignments. Flynn refused to furnish this list. He declared to his superior that when Maxey Grayson put him in charge of the Detective Bureau he assured him that he would have a free hand. The fact that he had had a free hand, he said, was responsible for the many important arrests made. He never could have proceeded against the black hand kidnapping gang successfully if he had not kept the knowledge of his secret assignments to himself.

Cropsey Flares Up.

At this announcement Commissioner Cropsey flared up. He told Flynn that he was head of the department and had a right to know of every detail of every branch of the department. Flynn retorted that Mr. Cropsey had better take his complaint down to the City Hall.

The Commissioner did not go down to the City Hall, but he got right after the inside details at Police Headquarters that he could reach. Last week he transferred out of headquarters Captains Murphy and Linden. Today he ordered a change in the inside detail of desk men.

That he contemplates other changes in details made by Flynn was the universal prediction at headquarters today.

Flynn Protects Sleuths.

In giving Commissioner Cropsey a reason why he should not reveal the names of his detectives in secret details Mr. Flynn said he feared that they would suffer personal harm if the nature of their work became known. Flynn said he intended to protect his men, as he was responsible for their safety and for the success of their work. This intimation that Commissioner Cropsey might permit a "leak" served further to enrage him.

It was almost midnight when the Commissioner called at Police Headquarters last Saturday. His visit was entirely unexpected. Capt. Thomas H. Murphy and two lieutenants were in charge. They were amazed to see the commissioner at that late hour.

Cropsey Transferred Both

The commissioner demanded of Murphy that he prepare a list of lieutenants who were assigned to take charge of Headquarters in the absence of Mr. Flynn. Flynn was off duty at the time. Capt. Linden and Capt. Murphy saw Flynn's visit as a change of the bureau in his absence.

Both these captains have been transferred by Mr. Cropsey, one of them going to Brooklyn and the other to the Bronx. The transfer to Lieut. Sullivan is said to be the first transfer of the six lieutenants personally selected by Flynn to assist him in his most important work.

HELD AS MAN SMUGGLERS.

Steamship Agents Under \$5,000 Bail on Charge of Bringing Alien.

Alexander C. Christophers and William Boonister, steamship agents for the Hellenic Steamship Company, which operates between Brooklyn and Greece and Turkish ports, were arrested today by United States Marshals.

They were held in \$5,000 bail each by United States Commissioner Marie in Brooklyn, charged with having been in a conspiracy to smuggle into this country two Filipinos, a Greek alien,

GHOULS KNOWN TO THE POLICE; ARRESTS SOON

Declare They Have Located
Men, Know Their Motive and
Are Ready to Seize Them.

NEW SENSATION IS DUE.

Belief That Prominent Person
Was Back of Gang Who
Ruined Scott Mausoleum.

(Special to The Evening World.)

ERIE, Pa., Feb. 11.—Detective Gilbert Perkins, who heads the detective force working to solve the mystery of the desecration of the Scott mausoleum in the cemetery here, declared today that arrests would be made in the case before night.

He stated that he and his men know who the desecrators are, where they are and can lay hands on them at any moment.

It is generally believed now that the men who will probably be under arrest before the day ends were but the hirelings of some man of position and influence, and that the real sensation of the whole affair is yet to come. That they were ordered to get into the body of W. L. Scott is the theory on which some of the detectives are working. All the bodies are positively known to be in the mausoleum.

Know Their Motive.

The detectives claim that the motive of the vandals is definitely established, but that it cannot be divulged until the proper time comes.

Following a night of general activity, the detectives were out early this morning and before 11 o'clock had gone to the cemetery and reentered the tomb. They watched the removal of the body of Mrs. Anna W. McCollom to a local undertaker's establishment, where it was placed in a new casket and then taken back to the tomb and placed in one of the crypts. The bodies of Congressman William L. Scott, John Van McCollom and Richard Townsend were replaced in new caskets yesterday and sealed in the mausoleum this morning.

How the body of Mrs. Anna McCollom supposed to have been stolen from the Scott mausoleum, was discovered was told today by Mrs. C. H. Strong, niece of the dead woman and daughter of the late Congressman William L. Scott.

"Detective Perkins and his men," said Mrs. Strong, "went to the tomb with the late yesterday to make a thorough examination of the place, and we found the body of Mrs. Anna McCollom, my aunt, at first believed to have been stolen, but was in a crypt which had never been used. This vault was behind the door, and was partly concealed from view when the door was opened, as was the one during our first visit Wednesday evening, after the desecration of the mausoleum was reported. In the hasty examination of the place made then my husband and I overlooked this compartment."

First Search Explained.

"We looked only in the vaults that had contained bodies. We saw that the body of my aunt was missing and naturally believed that it had been removed from the tomb. I was warned against disturbing the interior of the tomb before the arrival of detectives, as it was feared valuable clues would be destroyed. Therefore, my inspection was merely superficial. The detectives also arrived too late Thursday to make a thorough inspection of the tomb at that time."

"It was only after a search of almost two hours yesterday, during which we opened nearly all the unused vaults, which had been sealed, that we discovered the right one. The cover of the vault containing Mrs. McCollom's body had been cleverly removed, so that it resembled the same appearance as others which had not been tampered with."

"The body of my father, William L. Scott, had not been touched, although there were a few marks on the crypt cover. My mother's casket had been pushed partly from the niche, but it was not broken into."

The casket containing the corpse of my aunt was almost demolished, but the body had not been removed. Coins containing the bodies of John McCollom, Richard Townsend and his wife, Anna Townsend, were not harmed. Silver napkins and ornaments were torn from several.

Members of my family and I have remained silent concerning the affair because we were intent on catching the guilty, and we were convinced that the chances of so doing would practically be ruined were we to talk of the outrage.

Maid Caught Arrest.

The Government has taken steps for forfeiture of the cable coat and jewelry, but Mrs. Hill will fight that suit.

But for a supple with her maid Mrs. Hill would now be free. She had smuggled the coat past the customs inspectors on the pier by having it wrapped up in an old coat of American make, carried across her arm. The jewelry she got safely home and wore several days. Then came the quarrel with the maid. The latter woman went to the Custom House and told what she knew. Inspectors invaded the Hill apartment, seized the goods and arrested Mrs. Hill. She was held in \$5,000

Long Missing Girl and Her Suitor, Who Now Admits They Will Wed



DOROTHY ARNOLD—GEO. S. GRISCOM JR.

ARCHBISHOP RYAN DEAD AFTER BRAVE FIGHT FOR LIFE

Thought on Road to Recovery
When He Took Sudden Turn
and Sank Steadily.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 11.—The Most Rev. Patrick John Ryan, Archbishop of Philadelphia and Metropolitan of Pennsylvania, died at 106 o'clock this morning at the archiepiscopal residence in this city.

The death of the Archbishop came as a distinct surprise, as the results were thought on the way to recovery, after making a brave fight against illness. At 10 o'clock this afternoon he sank rapidly, and was pronounced dead at 106 o'clock. His death was a sudden one, and was unexpected by those who were near him.

His Reputation National.

Archbishop Ryan was considered the arbiter of the line of Europe and Archbishops that have followed in Episcopal line of Philadelphia since its creation in 1868. His reputation as a national and in his home city was as accorded a popular recognition that far surpassed that of any of his predecessors, he having been on the highest terms with most of all religious organizations. He was one of the foremost and most prominent of the Catholic prelates in this country.

The Archbishop was born in Tipperary, County of Tipperary, Ireland, on Feb. 11, 1824.

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POLICE OFFICIAL ONCE DISMISSED ACCUSED AGAIN

Deputy Commissioner Driscoll
Says He Found Foody Drink
in the Captain's Room.

ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 11.—The High Bridge police station was suspended today by Albany District Commissioner Charles W. Driscoll, because the acting superintendent of the station, James J. Driscoll, had been found guilty of selling liquor to a woman in the police station.

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Father of Otto Hanned Dead.

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 11.—W. J. Hanned, father of Otto Hanned, a candidate for Mayor of New York, died here tonight at the age of eighty-nine.

Are You Going South?

Large numbers of people are expected to leave for the South for the winter season. The Southern Railway Company is advertising the "Winter South" route, which is a very attractive one. The route is through the most beautiful scenery in the South, and the climate is very pleasant. The Southern Railway Company is advertising the "Winter South" route, which is a very attractive one. The route is through the most beautiful scenery in the South, and the climate is very pleasant.

BUYS 10-CENT KNIFE AND KILLS SELF AS WOMAN WATCHES

Customer in First Avenue
Share Tests Blade and Deliberately Commits Suicide.

An unidentified man of about thirty-five years, who was seen in the First Avenue store, bought a ten-cent knife and used it to kill himself.

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GRISCOM NOW CERTAIN DOROTHY ARNOLD WILL REAPPEAR TO-MORROW

Suitor of Long Missing Girl Says She
Will Be Produced When Mother
Arrives From Europe on
the Pannonia.

WILLING TO WED HER,
BUT MUST GAIN CONSENT.

Admits That There Was Opposition on Part
of the Family, While Denying All
Responsibility for the Girl's
Vanishment.

(Special from a Staff Correspondent of The Evening World.)

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Feb. 11.—"As soon as Dorothy Arnold is found I will marry her, providing the Arnold family consents. I cannot place my hands upon her right now, but I feel positive that as soon as Mrs. Arnold arrives in this country to-morrow on the Pannonia the whereabouts of Dorothy Arnold will no longer be a mystery."

This statement was made today by George S. Griscom jr. in his room at the Hotel Chalfonte. The middle-aged Pittsburg bachelor, whose name has been linked so much with that of the missing New York heiress, summoned several newspaper men to his room and in the presence of his father made the declaration.

Griscom was anxious to get the statement off his mind. Before he began the conversation he was nervous, and paced about the room excitedly.

"Now, George," said his indulgent gray-haired father, looking approvingly upon his forty-two-year-old hopeful, "the best thing to do is to tell them all your story and have it ended."

"Gentlemen," said the old lawyer, turning to the reporters, "you can't appreciate how distasteful this is to me, being hounded by you newspaper men, so I guess we had better tell everything we know, which isn't much, and have it ended."

"You fellows have bothered me to death," said Griscom jr., with his peculiar English drawing accent, "about whether I will marry Miss Arnold. I guess you must know that there has been an attachment between us, and so that you won't ask me again, I will tell you that I will marry her."

"When?" he was asked.

"As soon as she is found. Now, gentlemen, believe me, I don't really know where she is. The fact is, I was terribly upset to find that we were here before Mrs. Arnold got here, and that made it decidedly unpleasant, for you know I could not see things that I would like to see, and I wanted to tell you I would marry her, but then I had to keep silent."

"Now, understand me, I don't know where she is to the extent that I could lay my hands on her at this minute, but I am positive she will be found soon, say when her mother gets here, which I understand will be to-morrow."

OBJECTIONS TO MARRIAGE.

"Understand me, son, I was in no way responsible for her going away. Before I marry her I must get the consent of the Arnold family, and I will tell you now that there have been objections to the marriage on the part of the Arnolds."

This statement caused the reporters who had gathered day after day in the details of the father of the missing girl and the father's lawyers that there had been an attachment between Griscom and Dorothy Arnold to smile.

After his son had made his statement, the father said that one reason why neither he nor his son would talk in New York yesterday was that they wanted to see Mrs. Arnold before they made any statement.

"We expect to see Mrs. Arnold," he added.

He declined to say when and where the meeting will occur.

"While we expect to see her here a day or two or more," he added, "George may receive a message to leave at any time."

"With the message he was from New York or Philadelphia," he was asked.

"I'll answer that father," said Griscom jr. "You know, don't you?"

Full of the interview this afternoon Dorothy Arnold's address had been a prisoner in his room. The only communication he had with the outer world was the telephone and his father, but he was afraid to use the telephone. He even refused to let the waiter who carried his messages into his room enter