

CASHIER AN EMBEZZLER

First National Bank of Freehold, Pa., Loses \$56,900.

Hazleton, Pa., March 17.—F. N. Everett, cashier of the First National Bank of Freehold, was arrested here on the charge of embezzling \$56,900 from the institution.

President Oswald said: "The money that is missing was borrowed or taken without our knowledge. There is no collateral whatever to cover the shortage."

Everett and Beckley claim the money was sunk in the Pennsylvania paper mills of Catawissa.

The capital stock of the bank is \$50,000. It was organized in April, 1902, and Mr. Everett has been its cashier ever since.

It is said all the depositors will be fully protected.

Robert Lyons, who has been appointed receiver for the bank, has arrived at Freehold, and had a conference with the officers of the institution.

After the meeting, Receiver Lyons said he was authorized to make the announcement that if no further discrepancies are found the bank will be able to resume business in a short time.

OVER \$4,000,000 INVOLVED

Administrators of Millionaire Start Sensational Suit.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 20.—In common pleas court No. 2 F. N. Hoffst, president of the Pressed Steel Car company, and J. W. Friend, also an official in the same company, were made defendants in a most sensational suit involving \$3,833,000 worth of securities and real estate valued at about \$250,000.

It is alleged by the Colonial Trust company and Mrs. Jane C. Jutte, administrators of the estate of the late W. C. Jutte, a millionaire Pittsburg coal operator, who died suddenly at Atlantic City last summer, that the latter, while a mental wreck, gave over the securities for a loan of \$200,000, besides paying \$6000 interest and \$6000 commission for getting the loan.

In the bill filed Hoffst and Friend are alleged to have secured the securities and property while professing friendship for Jutte and his family.

"BLACK HAND" LEADERS CAUGHT

Two Italians Arrested While Receiving Money From Victim.

Seranton, Pa., March 20.—Special Agents Robert Wilson and T. H. Huffling, of the Municipal League, arrested two Italians who are believed to be the leaders of the "Black Hand" movement in this corner of the state.

They are Paul Trapi and Giuseppe Cogliano. They were led into a trap and were caught in the act of receiving money from Giovanni Fazio, a grocer, under threats of violence.

The detectives were in another room and were watching through holes cut in a door. Fazio's store, which is in the heart of the city, was blown up with dynamite on New Year's eve. He positively identified both Trapi and Cogliano as the men who had threatened him before this explosion.

Both prisoners were given a hearing and were committed to jail by Magistrate Kasson in default of \$8000 bail apiece.

HAZING BILL AGREED ON

Sub-Committee on Naval Affairs Ready to Report Measure.

Washington, March 20.—A hazing bill was agreed upon by the sub-committee sent to Annapolis to investigate discipline there. The bill will be reported to the full committee on naval affairs and doubtless will be introduced in the house in a few days. It provides for a graduated system of punishment for hazing; empowers the secretary of the navy to dismiss midshipmen when he sees fit, and makes it possible for him to have cases of hazing investigated by court martial.

The bill embodies most of the recommendations of Secretary Bonaparte and vests the whole responsibility for discipline at the academy in the secretary of the navy and the commander of the academy.

SAVED BY FREE ANTITOXIN

Diphtheria Among the Poor Conquered by the Serum.

Harrisburg, March 19.—Health Commissioner Dixon announces that, according to the records compiled in his office, he finds that in the four months since November there has not been a single death from diphtheria where the free antitoxin, provided by the state, has been used within 24 hours after the onset of the disease, and in doses recommended in circular sent out by the commissioner.

Several months ago he said that the free use of antitoxin among poor patients had reduced the death rate 8.8 per cent.

A WEEK'S NEWS CONDENSED

Wednesday, March 14.

The camp of United Veterans of Poplar Bluff, Mo., elected President Roosevelt an honorary member.

A slight fire caused a panic among the 150 guests of the Ironside hotel, Donora, Pa., but no one was hurt. Loss, \$2000.

The house committee on military affairs reported favorably the bill to appropriate \$200,000 for a government powder factory.

Citizens of Toledo, O., will make an organized effort to induce President Roosevelt to pardon George E. Lorenz, who is now in prison for conspiracy to defraud the government in the postal cases.

Thursday, March 15.

The North Carolina Pine Association, representing \$20,000,000 capital, held their annual meeting at Norfolk, Va.

Leola Fisher, 7 years old, of Philadelphia, died of meningitis, superinduced by a fractured skull, sustained by falling while jumping rope.

While sweeping snow from the tracks of the Delaware railroad, near Dover, Del., Harvey Dyer, an assistant foreman, was struck by a train and instantly killed.

Fire destroyed the warehouse of Inman, Akers & Inman, the plant of the Atlanta Compress company, 700 bales of cotton and seven loaded freight cars at Toccoa, Ga. Loss, \$175,000.

Friday, March 16.

S. H. Kaufman, publisher of the Washington Evening News, died suddenly.

Rev. William D. Shea, one of the oldest and best known Methodist ministers in the south, died at Atlanta, Ga., aged 77 years.

Eight workmen were burned, three fatally, by an explosion of hot metal in the converting mill of the Edgar Thomson Steel Works at Braddock, Pa.

The house committee on military affairs reported favorably a bill appropriating \$75,000 for the purchase of a building in Washington to be used as a temporary home for soldiers and sailors.

Saturday, March 17.

A block of stores were gutted by fire at Pittston, Pa., causing a loss of over \$50,000.

John S. Pershing, father of Captain John J. Pershing, of the U. S. army, died at Lincoln, Neb.

Four guests were burned to death in a fire which destroyed the Hotel Compton, at Osceola, Mich.

Edward Lynch, a New York iron worker, was sent to prison for one year for assaulting a non-union man.

Dr. Herman Freist was arrested at Nashville, Tenn., charged with the murder of Mrs. Rosa Mangrum.

The Dreeses Machine Tool Company's plant at Cincinnati was destroyed by fire, entailing a loss of \$100,000.

Monday, March 19.

Reports from Georgia fruit growers say no damage was done to the peach crop by the recent cold.

Found guilty of improper conduct, Frank Z. Wilcox, leader of the opposition to the increase of rates, has been expelled from the Royal Arcanum at Rome, N. Y.

During a fight in a saloon at Chicago, William Curry was killed and three other men were wounded, Henry Dusing, the proprietor, being arrested for the shooting.

Trustees of the New York Life insurance company, who were members of the finance committee in 1895, 1900 and 1904, declined to pay back the \$148,000 presented to the Republican campaign fund.

Tuesday, March 20.

The supreme court of the United States took a recess until Monday, April 2.

Valeatine E. Tyler, under arrest at Chester, Pa., for bigamy, attempted to commit suicide by opening an artery in his wrist with a piece of glass.

The postoffice appropriation bill reported to the house provides for an expenditure of \$191,373,848 for the fiscal year 1907, an increase of \$10,351,755.

Worry over an investigation of his accounts caused Charles P. Lytle, warrant clerk in the city controller's office, Buffalo, N. Y., to shoot and kill himself.

35 DEAD IN BLAZING CARS

Head-On Crash On Denver & Rio Grande Near Pueblo, Colo.

Pueblo, Colo., March 17.—Thirty-five persons were crushed to death in a collision of two passenger trains near Adobe, Col., on the Denver & Rio Grande railway, and more than a score of the victims were incinerated beyond identification by a fire that destroyed the wrecked coaches. More than a score were injured, but all will probably recover.

The wreck was due to undelivered orders, heavy mountain grades, a blinding snow storm, a sharp curve and the slippery condition of the rails. Only the locomotives, baggage and day coaches were wrecked, the sleeping cars escaping almost unscathed.

The impact was scarcely noticeable, but the trains crashed and ground into each other. The helper engine of the westbound train acted as a cushion, minimizing the force and weight of the heavy mountain engines. This helper was crushed together like so much paper, and the larger locomotives ran through the mesh of iron and plowed each other to pieces.

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Neuro Rapist Lynched.

Knoxville, Tenn., March 20.—A message from Chattanooga to the Journal and Tribune says that Ed Johnson, the negro rapist in whose case the United States supreme court granted an appeal, has been lynched. A determined mob battered down the jail doors, and after a show of resistance took Johnson out and lynched him. The rope broke and the negro's body fell, and the mob quickly riddled it with bullets. Sheriff Shipp and the jailer were locked in a bath room while the mob secured the prisoner.

Boy Shot in Quarrel.

Philadelphia, March 20.—A quarrel over a 10-cent brass ring here resulted in the killing of Herbert McArthur, a 16-year-old boy, by William Johnson, a companion, who is only 14 years of age. They had a dispute over the possession of the ring and began to fight. Before anyone could interfere Johnson took a small revolver from his pocket and shot McArthur. The latter died in a few minutes. Johnson was arrested.

Struck By Train In Snow Storm.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., March 20.—While driving through the snow storm, Frank Strasser, of Wapwallopen, failed to see an approaching Pennsylvania passenger train, which struck the wagon he was driving. Both horses were killed and he was so badly injured that he died at the county hospital here shortly afterward.

WHOLE OR HALF TRUTHS.

Better be single in peace than married in war. The rock of success isn't located in a field of roses.

The fellow who objects to discipline needs it the most. You can inherit ability, but you've got to hustle for experience.

The optimist has an easy time of it. He smiles while others work. It doesn't cost anything to say "good morning" even if it's raining.

Some folks ought to take their consciences out once in awhile for exercise. Silence isn't always golden. The talker with something to say is worth a dozen keep stills.

The optimist who thinks that folks are civilized should yell "Fire!" to a crowded house and watch results.—From "Gumption," by N. C. Fowler, Jr.

The One Thing He Dreads.

Mrs. Benham—Are you afraid to die? Benham—I wouldn't be if I felt sure that I wouldn't meet your mother.—New York Press.

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"John," said she, "any man who has served three terms in the state senate, been lieutenant governor and had two terms in congress must be a pretty good man if he doesn't know a champagne opener from a hoof cleaner."

Somehow the story got out and was copied by nearly every newspaper in Iowa. One day the congressman met the newspaper man whom he understood to be the author of the first squib in the matter.

"You did me a great service," smilingly said the representative to the correspondent. "All the prohibitionists are taking my wife's view of my ignorance, and all the 'anties' are insisting that I'm a devil of a good fellow for imposing so successfully on my wife. It works in my behalf whichever way you take it."—Saturday Evening Post.

Obedient.

"Now, Tommy," said the mother of a small boy as she pursued in the disciplinary slipper exercise, "what made you eat the whole of that pie?" "C'-cause," sobbed Tommy, "you t-told me to n-never do t-things by h-halves."—Chicago News.

She Got the Blessing.

"That young 'oom," said the minister after the ceremony, "gave me a fifty dollar fee. What a blessing!" "Yes," said his wife, with her hand out, "it is more blessed to give than to receive."—Exchange.

Strangers.

Mrs. de Fashion (at a children's party)—Marie! Nursegirl—Yes, ma'am. Mrs. de Fashion—It's time for us to go home. Which of these children is mine?—Home Chat.

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