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BOODLER BARDSLEY.

His Stealing White Treasurer of Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, July 16.—The experts appointed by Mayor Stuart to investigate the accounts of John Bardsley have made their final report, in which the disgraced ex-treasurer's dealings are fully shown. With few exceptions all the money for Bardsley's stock deals, made through Glendinning & Co., was secured by checks on the deposit of public money in the Keystone bank.

The total of the stock bought through Glendinning & Co. amounted to \$102,732.13; from William H. Kemble, \$50,357.40; and through the People's bank, 18,850—a total of \$172,000.

The recapitulation of losses through Glendinning & Co. was \$102,732.13; through William H. Kemble, \$50,357.40; and through the People's bank, 18,850—a total of \$172,000.

Bardsley's total gains on these stock transactions were \$36,116.63, and the net loss was \$136,453. Gain on stock purchased by Mr. Bardsley, mainly with money borrowed by him from the Farmers and Mechanics National bank; West Side Chicago Railroad company—2,000 shares bought from Kemble, Widener & Elkins, \$22,518.75.

The dividends and interest received by him during 1889, 1890 and 1891 on stock and bonds purchased by him with public money amount to \$28,370.00, and the interest paid by him to carry loans amounted to \$19,064.01, leaving a profit of \$9,306.99.

Loans were made by Bardsley with public money to Robert Glendinning & Co. amounting to \$300,000, which were repaid him. He received from Glendinning & Co. as interest on loans \$13,028.37. He loaned the Bradford mills cash to the amount of \$375,700.78, which does not appear to have been returned.

There are other and smaller loans which were made by Mr. Bardsley from time to time to different persons. As to many of these loans there is at present no means by which we can satisfactorily determine which have been paid and which have not.

With relation to the question of loans to judges, Hon. Thomas K. Finletter, either borrowed from Mr. Bardsley personally the sum of \$200, or obtained this sum through Mr. Bardsley's indorsement. The very small amount and the further fact there is no evidence that a loan was made out of any public money, proves the transaction to be entirely free from any element of impropriety; nor indeed, does there appear in the matter anything which would reflect upon Judge Finletter in any way whatever.

The transactions with Hon. William N. Ashman related solely to his salary. These are the only judges with whom Mr. Bardsley appears to have had any transaction whatever.

Memorandum on page 43 shows that Bardsley received as rebate on advertising in 1889, \$16,239.04, and the entry reads less amount paid to H. N. Grafflin, \$14,289.04. One half to Thomas McCamant, \$7,144.52; one half to J. B., \$7,144.52.

In 1890 the mercantile advertising amounted to \$2,365.20, and an item showing a deposit to Bardsley's account of \$17,076.00, which is 40 per cent. of the sum credited as newspaper balance.

The account between the state and city is gone into very fully, and leaving the due bills on the Keystone bank, amounting to \$925,600, on the total net deficiency in Bardsley's accounts is \$553,835.38. With the due bills added it is just that much more.

Of the due bills, however, the experts state that they have a well grounded suspicion that they are not genuine, and to settle the question must have free access to the books of the Keystone bank.

Children Fatally Burned.

PHILADELPHIA, July 18.—Lena, the 6-year-old daughter of a baker named Charles Schwartz, while making a bonfire in the alley at the rear of her home yesterday afternoon, spilled some coal oil over her clothing and was soon ablaze. The clothing of her baby sister, aged 6 months, also caught fire, and their mother started by the children's screams, rushed to the rescue.

When neighbors discovered the situation all three were clinging to each other, wrapped in flames. They were speedily stripped of their clothes and everything was done to relieve their sufferings, but despite prompt medical assistance, Lena died a few hours later in horrible agony and the baby is also dying. The mother may survive. Several persons who assisted in the rescue received serious burns.

Caught After Four Years.

PHILADELPHIA, July 20.—J. C. Cullinan, who was ticket agent for the Pennsylvania company at Globe, Ill., in 1887, and who in that year absconded with \$576 of the company's money, has just been arrested in Toronto. Cullinan has but one arm and one leg, and when the Guarantee Insurance company of North America made good his shortage it thought that a man so peculiarly marked could not evade the eye of justice. The police everywhere were notified of the embezzlement. Cullinan was fully described and a reward of \$1,000 was offered for his arrest. But it was not until recently that he was located.

Three Workmen Drowned.

PITTSBURG, July 20.—The temporary trestle of a new Pan Handle railroad bridge across Cor's run, six miles below this city, was washed away by a sudden flood, and three workmen drowned. The body of one was recovered and identified as that of Thomas Coleman. The two others were foreigners, and their names had not been learned. About the same time an immense landslide came down the hill below Duquesne Heights and fell on a Charters street car. The roof was crushed in, but none of the passengers were injured.

National Veterans' Encampment.

READING, Pa., July 21.—The national encampment of the Union Veteran Legion will be in session in this city on Oct. 14 and 15. It is estimated that between 3,500 and 4,000 veterans will be in attendance, and provision is being made for their entertainment. Communications have been received from members of the Union Veteran Legion in every state in the union, signifying their intention of being present.

PENNSYLVANIA NEWS

Items of Real Interest Presented in Condensed Form.

WHAT OUR NEIGHBORS DO AND SAY

A Chapter of Accidents, Crimes and Local Happenings Picked Up Here and There in the State and Flashed Over the Busy Wires.

SHAMOKIN, Pa., July 18.—Paul Panlyski, a laborer at Burnside colliery, was instantly killed by falling timbers. He was engaged in what is known as robbing pillars, when heavy collars fell from the roof.

GORDON, Pa., July 18.—A camp meeting of the Pottsville district of the Evangelical association is in progress here. It is in charge of Rev. D. A. Medlar, residing elder. About 500 persons participated in the opening services.

POTTSTOWN, Pa., July 18.—Traffic on the Schuylkill Canal has been almost paralyzed by a break fifty feet long and six feet deep in the six-mile level near Naomi. The water is entirely out of the canal, and a large force of men are at work repairing it.

ALLENTOWN, Pa., July 18.—A man from Philadelphia came here last evening and made charges against five Jewish peddlers who are peddling throughout this county without a license. If he proves the charges in each case he will receive one-half of the fines—\$425.

WASHINGTON, Pa., July 18.—S. J. Bigley, an oil well torpedo shooter, was killed here by an explosion of nitro-glycerine. Bigley was driving through one of the suburbs with 200 pounds of the dangerous fluid, when it exploded, blowing himself and the two horses and wagon to atoms.

ALLENTOWN, Pa., July 18.—Charles Hughbill, a Lehigh Valley car builder, was at work underneath a freight car at the Fullerton Car works, when a shifting engine backed up, and before the unfortunate man was able to get out his legs were both cut off and death resulted shortly after.

CORNWALL, Pa., July 18.—Coleman Hoots, a baggage master on the Reading and Columbia railroad, was struck by a water column at Penny Park. A deep gash was cut in his forehead, and he was found hanging across the chain in the door of his car in an unconscious condition. His injuries are serious.

CHESTER, Pa., July 18.—A sympathetic citizen of Chester has interested himself in the fate of Mary Hill, the pretty Irish girl now in jail, charged with attempting to drown her baby girl. Counsel has been retained for her, and an effort will be made to have her released on a writ of habeas corpus.

STEELTON, Pa., July 18.—A scale of wages, demanding an increase of 30 to 25 per cent. over the reduction of last fall, was presented by the Amalgamated association to the management of the Pennsylvania Steel work. A notice was subsequently posted by the management stating that neither the scale nor the organization that issued it would be recognized.

WOMELSDORF, Pa., July 18.—Edwin Eberly, the 13-year-old son of Harrison Eberly, of this borough, was drowned in the Tulpehocken creek. After having been in the water about an hour he attempted to swim across a deep hole in the creek, but his strength became exhausted and he sank beneath the surface. Several small companions who were with him were unable to save him.

BERNSVILLE, Pa., July 18.—Mrs. John Canada, residing near this borough, was seriously burned while boiling her berry jam. She was standing in front of an old fashioned hearth, in which there was a raging fire, when she was overcome and fell upon the hot coals, striking her head upon a large kettle. She sustained severe burns on the face, breast and arms, and her condition is critical. She was unconscious for some time after the accident.

PHILADELPHIA, July 18.—In his report upon the river and harbor improvement for Philadelphia, just issued, Major C. W. Raymond gives the following figures: The total amount appropriated for Delaware river improvements from 1838 to 1891, \$2,252,000. Balance unexpended, June 1, 1890, \$69,058.22. Amount appropriated by last congress, \$340,000. Amount expended during fiscal year ending June 30, 1891, \$47,417.77. Balance July 1, 1891, \$271,640.45. Estimated amount required for completion of existing project, \$1,725,000.

BOWER'S STATION, Pa., July 18.—Some of the crops in the northern and north-eastern sections of Berks county are beginning to feel the effects of dry weather. In this portion of the East Penn valley there is very little clover coming up in the grain fields. Some farmers are plowing the fields for the purpose of re-sowing them with grain, and will depend upon the old grass fields for next year's hay crop. Many of the cornfields present an unfavorable appearance. An examination of the roots revealed the fact that the main root had been eaten off by a worm, which accounts for the slow growth of the stalk.

READING, Pa., July 18.—A number of officers charged upon the camp of the Salvation Army in West Reading, and arrested Captain William Duffin, the commander, and some of his followers. The warrant was issued upon the information of John D. Freeman, who alleges that Captain Duffin, William A. Thompson, William Paff, Walter Heckman, William Reddy and Oscar Welke, all members of the Salvation Army, "are conducting a nuisance and disturbing the public peace." The captain, accompanied by Mrs. Duffin and a number of his followers, went with the officers to the alderman's office and entered bail for a hearing.

PHILADELPHIA, July 20.—The case of Henry H. Yard, charged with contempt of court in not appearing before the city council's committee of investigation, was up again before common pleas court, but was not finally disposed of. The decision of the case hinged on whether or not the writ of certiorari taken out by Yard's attorney was a supersedeas and stayed further proceedings in the lower court. After hearing the argument Judge Allison announced that it was not in the power of the common pleas court to decide whether or not the writ of certiorari was intended as a supersedeas in the supreme court, by which it was issued, and in the meantime Yard would be held under \$5,000 bail until the supreme court should decide if court No. 1, common pleas, could, under the circumstances, commit him for contempt.

THE HISTORY OF A WEEK

Wednesday, July 15.

At Birmingham, Ala., Hay Thomas Hyde, a railroad man, was shot and fatally wounded by Solomon Bonheimer, a drummer, during a quarrel in a saloon. Bonheimer is under arrest.

The northbound New Orleans limited, on the Illinois Central, ran into an open switch at Duquoin, Ill., and badly wrecked the mail car for the southbound train. Mail Clerks Hughby and Hodge were badly injured, but are not in a dangerous condition. No one else was hurt.

Thursday, July 16.

Maggie Bishop, aged 3, and Maggie McCarthy, aged 4, were killed by a fire in a Brooklyn tenement house.

Frank Meister, aged 12, fell from the roof of his home at Williamsburg, N. Y., while flying his kite, and was killed.

Dr. Henri A. Lafuer, resident physician of the Johns Hopkins hospital, Baltimore, has resigned to accept the position of assistant to the chair of medicine in the McGill institute, Montreal, Canada.

At Sofia two students were arrested on suspicion of complicity in the murder of Balcheff, the Bulgarian minister of finance, who was assassinated on March 27 last. They confessed the crime and implicated others.

Friday, July 17.

George E. Smith, of Laurel, Del., has received his commission as postmaster.

The executive committee of the Republican league of clubs of Pennsylvania decided upon Sept. 23 as the date for the convention at Scranton, which place had previously been selected.

Prince George, of Greece, has arrived in London. The Prince of Wales has placed a suite of apartments in Marlborough house at his disposal, and has detailed one of his aides-de-camp to attend Prince George.

A cyclone struck the town of West Superior, Wis., yesterday, causing immense destruction to property. A building in course of erection at Second and Lamborn streets collapsed, and five men were mangled to death in the ruins.

Saturday, July 18.

The coal miners of McLean county, Ill., to the number of 300 have struck for higher wages.

George Brown, who waylaid messenger boys and relieved them of their packages, was sentenced to six years' imprisonment.

The comptroller of currency has appointed Arthur C. Bell, of Lincoln, Neb., recorder of the First National bank of Red Cloud, Neb.

Pittsburg is promised another baseball club next season. A number of Allegheny capitalists have organized a club, and will enter the American association.

William Hall, aged 40, was killed and John J. Moore, aged 31, probably fatally injured by a falling casting at the West End Railroad Power Station, Boston, yesterday.

Dr. Frank Hamilton Potter, a prominent physician of Buffalo, N. Y., and well known throughout the state in connection with the State Medical society, died aged 32 years. Death resulted from an abscess in his side.

Joseph Deane, son of Assemblyman George B. Deane, and brother of the late George B. Deane, Jr., of New York city, died at the summer home of the family in Cornwall, N. Y., of consumption. He was a prominent Republican worker in the Ninth Assembly district of New York.

Monday, July 20.

Two-year-old Elsie Diette dropped from a third story window in Chicago and, strange to say, was picked up wholly without injury.

Fire at Gosport, Ind., destroyed the Odd Fellows' building, four of the leading business houses and three dwellings. The loss will be about \$50,000.

Edwin B. Bennett, of Beaver Falls, Pa., committed suicide by cutting his throat with a razor. He was about 55 years old and a veteran of the late war. He was getting a pension of \$12 a month.

A colt driven by Moses Irving, of Fallsburgh, N. Y., ran away throwing Irving and his wife, who were in the vehicle, out upon the ground. Mrs. Irving struck upon her head, breaking her neck. Irving was badly injured on the face and head.

Tuesday, July 14.

James Streit, the boy sleeper, of Seymour, Ind., awoke after a continuous sleep of 109 hours.

James H. Eaton, president of the Commercial Travelers' Association of the state of New York, died at Syracuse, N. Y.

The plumbers of London have gone on strike for nine hours a day, and twenty-five cents per hour and other demands.

Edward Taschereau, a lawyer of Quebec, Canada, died at Roosevelt hospital, New York. It was said to be the brother of the chief justice of Quebec and a nephew of Cardinal Taschereau.

The village of Sawyerville, Osceola county, Mich., consisting of thirty houses, one general store, one large sawmill, shingle mill and lumber yard, was totally destroyed by fire. The loss is between \$250,000 and \$300,000, partly covered by insurance.

PHILADELPHIA MARKETS

Closing Quotations of the Stock and Produce Exchanges.

PHILADELPHIA, July 20.—The stock market was dull and steady. The changes in price were not important. Pennsylvania was firm. Lehigh Valley and Lehigh Navigation were quite strong.

Following were the closing bids: Lehigh Valley..... 47 1/2 Reading g. m. 46 7/8 N. Pac. com..... 25 1/2 Reading 1st pf 54 1/2 N. Pac. pf..... 64 Reading 2d pf 54 3/8 Pennsylvania..... 59 1/2 Reading 3d pf 54 1/2 Lehigh Navigation..... H. & B. T. pref. 69 St. Paul..... 63 1/2 H. & B. T. com. —

The Produce Market.

PHILADELPHIA, July 20.—State and western flour, super, \$3.20; do. do. extras, \$4.00. No. 3 winter family, \$4.50; do. Pennsylvania roller process, \$4.50; do. western winter, clear, \$4.00; do. do. straight, \$4.50; do. winter patent, \$5.25; Minnesota, clear, \$4.50; do. do. straight, \$4.75; do. patent, \$5.25. Rye flour, \$4.10 per barrel for new and \$4.20 for old.

Wheat—Dull, lower, with 93c. bid and 93 1/2c. asked for July; 92 1/2c. bid and 92 3/4c. asked for August; 93 1/2c. bid and 93c. asked for September; 93c. bid and 93 1/2c. asked for October.

Corn—Weak, lower, with 66c. bid and 66c. asked for July; 66c. bid and 66c. asked for September; 66c. bid and 66c. asked for October.

Oats—Dull, weaker, with 66 1/2c. bid and 67c. asked for July; 66c. bid and 66c. asked for August; 66c. bid and 66c. asked for September; 66c. bid and 66c. asked for October.

Beef—Firm, quiet, extra mess, \$9.50; do. family, \$10.00.

Pork—Quiet, unchanged; new mess, \$12 1/2; do. mess, \$12 1/2; extra prime, \$13.00.

Lard—Steady, quiet; steam rendered, \$6.65.

Eggs—Quiet, steady; New York and Pennsylvania, 10 1/2c.; western, 10 1/2c.; south-western, 10 1/2c.

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