

GREEN PLEADS GUILTY.

HE ADMITS KIDNAPING A WHITE GIRL OF THE WELSH MOUNTAIN.

The Charge of Rape Not Proved, But the Negro is Sent to the Penitentiary for Three Years.

Thursday Afternoon.—Court re-assembled at 2 o'clock and the jury in the Harvey Brown case returned a verdict of guilty of kidnaping a white girl.

A similar verdict was entered in the late and felonious entry case against Brown, on complaint of Kitch & Smith.

These verdicts were unexpected to the district attorney, and he asked permission to withdraw the plea of guilty entered by Harvey Brown, who was also indicted for these offenses.

The district attorney stated that the evidence of two of the above named defendants, Yeakley and Brown, would prevent a conviction of John Faegley, charged with receiving the goods stolen from Kitch & Smith, knowing the same to have been stolen.

The court said Faegley ought to be tried and Mr. Leaman, his counsel, said he was ready to go on, and as the commonwealth had all the testimony it could get, it was held ready, and the defendant was entitled to his trial at this time.

Mr. Brown referred to the practice of Mr. Faegley furnishing the boys just acquitted with money, by purchasing from them stolen goods. This desire for money on their part was the result of reading dime novels and a mania to see cheap shows, and when complaint was made against them they were found in the gallery of the opera house.

The court directed the cases to be continued to the next term of court and in the meantime some additional testimony may be secured.

Mr. Leaman, for Faegley, protested strongly against a continuance, but the court would not recede from the position they had taken.

A preliminary hearing was had on the indictments charging Theo. Loehmyer with violating the liquor law, upon the payment of costs by defendant. He represented a Baltimore brewing company and was guilty of a technical violation of the law by delivering beer to parties in Columbia.

Constable Wittick, the complainant, and Loehmyer had sold beer to twenty-three different parties, there were that many complaints returned to court. There were only eight indictments returned and those were disposed of as above stated.

Samuel Green, a Welsh mountain cook, with black in color, was charged with rape and enticing from home a female under the age of 16 years. The district attorney stated the rape case could not be made out, and on that a verdict of not guilty was entered. Green entered a plea of guilty as to the other offense. The girl enticed was Cora Bland, a white girl, also a resident of the county.

The court sentenced him to pay a fine of \$500, costs of prosecution, and undergo an imprisonment of three years.

Mary Alice Wanamaker, of Rapho township, was tried for adultery and concealing the death of an illegitimate child. The testimony showed that she was married in 1866, but did not live with her husband. During last year she became an intimate friend with Frank Lisa and the result was the birth of an illegitimate child, which it was alleged she concealed. The testimony failed to substantiate that charge and a verdict of not guilty was entered. She then entered a plea of guilty of adultery and was sentenced to pay a fine of \$50 and undergo an imprisonment of one year in the county jail.

Wednesday Morning.—Court met at 9 o'clock and the case against Charles Wambaugh, larceny, was called for trial. This defendant was charged with stealing letters from the postoffice addressed to his employer, L. B. Herr. He saved the county an expense of the trial by pleading guilty. Sentence was returned for two years when testimony will be heard as to previous good character in mitigation of punishment.

Nora Reidenbach was put on trial for larceny. The commonwealth proved that on the 20th of January the defendant accompanied Mrs. Rippl to the dressmaking establishment of Maggie Kitch, at No. 5 South Duane street. While Mrs. Rippl was having a dress fitted up stairs Nora remained down stairs. After Nora and her companion left the house, Mrs. Kitch missed a table cloth and four towels, she ran after the parties and charged Nora with the theft. Nora denied having taken any of these articles. Later in the day Nora admitted to Mrs. Rippl that she had stolen the articles and they were found at the house of Mrs. Rippl's father, where Nora had secured them.

AFTER LONG SUFFERING.

YOUNG ABRAHAM LINCOLN DIED OF DYPHTERIA.

The Son of the United States Minister to England Had Been Suffering With a Carbuncle Under His Left Arm.

London, Feb. 3.—Master Abraham Lincoln, son of Mr. Robert T. Lincoln, United States minister, who has been suffering for a long time from blood poisoning, arising from a carbuncle under his left arm, died below the arm pit, died at seven minutes after eleven o'clock this morning.

During the morning the lad was in a comatose condition and unable to retain nourishment.

The doctors stated definitely that his death was merely a question of a few hours. He suffered no pain.

Mr. Lincoln and his family were at the bedside of the dying boy from early in the morning until he died. He passed away quietly. Upon being informed of the death of Master Lincoln, the queen immediately sent a message of sympathy to Mr. Lincoln. The body will be embalmed and sent home for interment.

Abraham Lincoln was 15 years of age, and the only son of the American minister to England. Hon. Robert T. Lincoln married in 1859 Miss Mary Harlan, daughter of Senator Harriet Martineau. President Lincoln appointed his secretary of the interior, although he did not take office until the 1st of March. His administration was marked by the removal of children: a handsome girl, the eldest child, now budding into womanhood; a daughter, still young, and a second daughter, still young.

Young Abraham was born in Chicago, where his father was practicing law. Soon after his father's removal to London the boy's health became impaired, and he was sent to the South of France in the hope that he would be benefited by the climate. The treatment of the French physicians, however, proved disastrous to the little invalid, and his condition became much worse. He was taken to Versailles, where an operation was performed for an abscess of the throat, but this was followed by his father's home in London. Becoming worse, however, another operation was performed, but this also failed to do any good, which had formed him, and it was hoped that the lad then had a fair chance of recovery. He suffered since November.

LURED TO DEATH: A Bogus British Lord Held For the Mysterious Murder of F. C. Benwell. A Woman in the Plot.

The following dispatch to the Philadelphia Record from Niagara Falls gives some startling details in connection with the murder of the young Englishman, Frederick Benwell, whose body was found in a swamp near Woodstock, Ont.; the whole affair seems to point to an organized gang in London, of which Benwell was the chief factor, the object of which was to lure the sons of wealthy English people to Canada, presumably to take an interest in an extensive horse-raising farm at Niagara Falls.

AN OLD PHYSICIAN.

DR. JACOB H. MUSSEY DIES AT HIS HOME, WITHIN STATION.

He Resided Ten Years Ago, After Practicing Thirty Years.—A Prominent Member of Menonite Church.

Dr. Jacob H. Mussey died on Tuesday afternoon at his home near Wilmer Station. He had been in ill-health for some time and died from a general breaking up of the system.

The deceased was well known, his circle of acquaintances being very large. He was a prominent member of the Menonite church.

The deceased leaves the following children: Willis B. Mussey, of the firm of Bowman & Mussey, wholesale jewellers of this city; Omar Mussey, proprietor of a drug store at Nineteenth and Arch streets, Philadelphia; Mrs. Luetta Mussey, wife of Christian Mussey, of Wilmer Station, and Mrs. Anna Bowman, wife of Dr. Frank Mussey, of Lancaster, who died some years ago.

Dr. Mussey was highly esteemed in his neighborhood and was on many occasions called upon to administer upon the estates of his neighbors and he was at all times faithful to the trusts reposed in him. It is said that he settled more estates than any one man in the county.

The funeral will take place from Longnecker's meeting house on Saturday afternoon at half-past two o'clock.

DEATH OF WM. F. BRADY.

The Well-Known Edge Tool Manufacturer Dies on Tuesday.

William F. Brady, a well-known Lancaster manufacturer, died at the residence of his son, W. Scott Brady, No. 17 East Walnut street, late on Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Brady had several children, but only the following survive: Henry A. Brady, Mrs. C. Jane Hubbard, wife of H. H. Hubbard, of Lancaster, Mrs. A. T. Carter, of Wheeling, West Virginia, and W. Scott Brady.

The only brothers of Mr. Brady are George, the baker, who has a store at Carlisle and succeeds streets, this city, and David, a confessor, of Chicago, Ill.

Mr. Brady had been a member of the Church of God for a number of years. The funeral takes place on Friday. After services at the house, where Mr. Brady lived, by Rev. J. H. Esterline, the body will be taken to Mt. Joy on the 9:31 train for interment.

CHASING THE FOX.

A Poor Hunt at Mechanicville on Wednesday—A Riding Accident.

A fox chase of the "hike" kind was held on Tuesday afternoon at Zook's hotel in Mechanicville. There was a good sized crowd in attendance and the fox was dropped about the usual time. He set the dogs and did not get more than a mile away from the hotel until he was captured alive by "Weir" Miller, of Oregon, who took him home.

There were quite a number of queer looking horsemen in the chase and some of them acted like cowboys, yelling and screaming at the top of their voices. Even with all this noise the fox could not be induced to run. Emil Doster, the bookback of this city, was at the chase mounted on a horse. He imagined at times that he is a scout and he was giving exhibitions of wild Western life.

While he was riding at a break-neck pace his horse suddenly turned from the main road into a lane. Doster was thrown with great force to the ground, and his left leg was slightly bruised. His voice was not heard a loudly during the remainder of the afternoon.

This afternoon a great number of Lancaster hunters went out to the residence of William W. Grosh, at Neffville, to organize the Lancaster Kennel club and have a private chase.

The Young Men's Democratic Society. The Young Men's Democratic society is one of the most flourishing organizations in this city at present, and new members are constantly being added. The regular monthly meeting will be held Wednesday night, and there was a very large attendance.

The following gentlemen were elected active members: Matthew Dorsey, Frank Suidam, Edgar Martin, Michael Hogart, Harry Effinger, Frank Leman, Milton T. Robinson and L. C. Klesner. Twenty aspirant members who wish to become active members were laid over until next meeting.

The society is now making arrangements to bring Nellie Bly, the famous traveler, to this city for a lecture in which she will describe her lightning trip around the world. She will be at Fulton opera house on Thursday evening, March 13.

THE REPUBLICAN CLUB.

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