

**FRIEND FLAYS FRIENDS FOR SHARING PROFITS OF LIQUOR BUSINESS**

**Ellwood Roberts Charges Montgomery County Members With Violating Principles of Religion by Aiding Saloons.**

Friends who hold stock in brewing companies and sign applications for liquor licenses were severely rebuked as being untrue to their faith at the Yearly Meeting of Hicketts Friends, at 15th and Race streets, today.

"Until a very few years ago," said Ellwood Roberts, of Norristown, "certain Friends were known to be so fond of their daily glass that they fought all attempts of the meeting to aid the prohibition propaganda, and the mere mention of a movement to stop liquor selling acted on them like a red rag to a bull."

"I am not making charges, but it is simply a well-known fact that judges, clergymen and lawyers in Montgomery County, who profess to be Friends, today hold stock in one of the big brewing companies of that county. They are aiding the rum sellers to fasten their talons tighter and tighter upon the public morals and upon decency."

"Despite the fact that the question comes up here yearly about the signing of applications for liquor licenses by Friends, the practice still goes on. These are not real Friends who do these things, and I fail to see how they can reconcile their professed objection to drinking with their signing of these petitions."

Dr. Pusey Head also denounced the practice of signing liquor license applications. William G. Huey, for five years president of the Board of Prison Inspectors of the Eastern Penitentiary, declared that the liquor men regularly contribute to the funds of candidates in the legislative districts. He said Americans that do not vote are degenerates and they should be put in jail for a year for neglecting the privilege of the franchise.

Other speakers today were Elizabeth Newlin, Robert Barnes, Griffiths E. Coale, Edward J. Darnell, Joel Burton, Alice Serrill and Emma Eyrre. The Yearly Meeting, which has been in session for the last week, held its final sitting this afternoon.

**FLAGS TRAIN WITH THE EVENING LEDGER**

**Newspaper Torch Protects Automobile on Tracks in Collingswood.**

An EVENING LEDGER used as a torch saved an automobile from destruction when the occupants were thrown on the tracks of the West Jersey and Seashore Railroad as the car leaped an embankment on Grant avenue in Collingswood last night.

The automobile was occupied by William F. Schoeffling, a notary public, of 1378 Haddon avenue, Camden, his wife and two other members of the family. The machine was going along Grant avenue at a fair rate of speed, but as the party neared the railroad tracks Schoeffling's attention was distracted by conversation and the car plunged over the embankment. Fortunately the automobile did not turn upside down, and beyond a slight shaking up none of the members was injured.

Then it was realized that an east-bound fast freight was due in five minutes. While Schoeffling was trying to pull the car off the tracks, J. Fred Carpenter and Edward Reily, of Collingswood, happened along. They realized that the machine could not be removed from the track in time to escape the train. Carpenter had an EVENING LEDGER with him. He lighted it and gave it to Schoeffling, who ran along the tracks. The torch burned almost to his fingers when the headlight of the speeding locomotive appeared and the train stopped within a few feet of the improvised signal.

With the assistance of the crew of the freight train the car quickly was removed. With the exception of Schoeffling the members of the automobile party rode home in a trolley car.

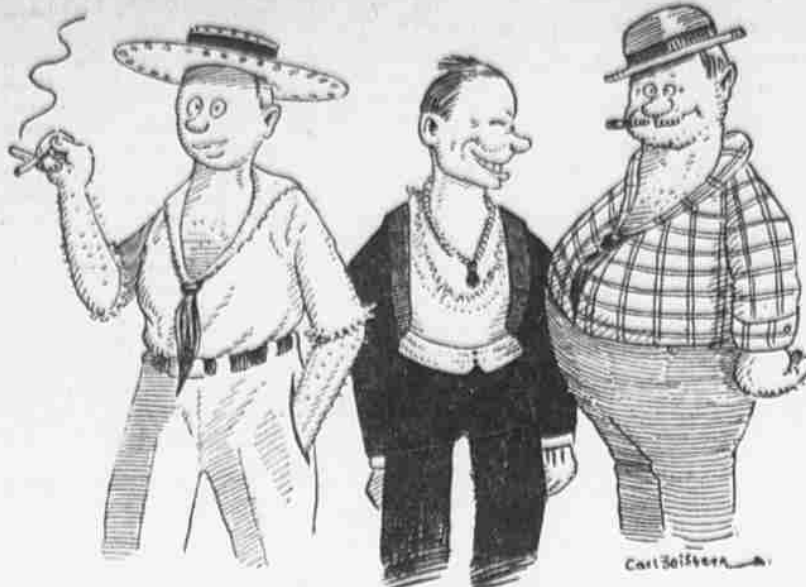
**FURTHER ARRESTS EXPECTED IN ELDRIDGE DIVORCE SUIT**

Auto Manufacturer Accused of Conspiring to Desmirch Wife's Character. Further arrests are expected to follow the sensational charges made before the Grand Jury yesterday in the divorce proceedings brought by Willard Eldredge, a wealthy automobile manufacturer, against his wife, Mrs. Eva J. Eldredge. According to Congressman John R. K. Scott, counsel for Mrs. Eldredge, who lives at 4 North 53d street, a conspiracy to besmirch her character and to create a basis for divorce proceedings was planned by Eldredge.

Edgar Bowkley, alias E. B. Bennett, who is named as correspondent in the suit for divorce, it is charged, rented a room in Mrs. Eldredge's apartment last year and attempted to place her in a compromising position before other witnesses. Following an indictment by the Grand Jury, Bowkley was arrested in Atlantic City, where he is employed as an assistant steward in the Hotel Dennis.

When the conspiracy charged by Congressman Scott is fully exposed, several other arrests will be made. The Eldredge couple were married in 1906 and separated in 1913. They have two children who are with Mrs. Eldredge.

**DECOLLETE SHIRTS FOR MEN DECREED BY MERCHANT TAILORS' ASSOCIATION**



**Befriended Men May Grace Ballroom Ere Long—Necklace With Pearls May Become All the Rage—Who Knows But We May Yet Have the Hoop Trousers.**

It's plain as day now, this mystery of the last few weeks about men's collars and neckties. You had noticed, of course, that while hats and suits and shoes had changed to accommodate the latest whims of mad hatters and quitters and shoers, somehow or other the neckwear of men had remained conservatively similar to that of other days. But the reason for this conservatism was not that no change was desired, but that the orders had not come from makers of fashions, and so nobody knew which way the cat was going to jump, whether it was to be stiff, three-inch-high collars, or—

Well, as it turned out "no" was right. It's to be low-neck shirts for men, so low in some cases that a four-in-hand necktie will have no room for existence and will be dispensed with. The edit has gone forth from the National Fashion Committee of the Merchant Tailors' Association.

in Chicago and as, of course, no one in this broad land would think of giving the N. F. C. M. T. A. low-neck it must be.

The new decollete shirt for men must be of silk and the low collar must be of a piece with the shirt, the flaps of the collar falling back Lord Byron style. One may wear, if he likes, a loosely tied four-in-hand clasped with a beauty pin.

Just how far this new tendency will develop still rests with the arbiters of fashion, but it is understood that the decollete habit is to be extended to include evening clothes. We are to expect, then, to see with the conventional black, ugly uniform, not the shirts of yesterday, but a V-shaped neck, edged, perchance, with a frill. Then around the white column of the bare, rounded throat, a fine gold chain may be expected to hang, with pendant, a single pearl or the gold and enamel insignia of some order. Short sleeves would naturally follow.

**ROOSEVELT DEFENSE GREATLY WEAKENED**

**Colonel's Chances to Win Case Hurt by Exclusion of Much Testimony.**

SYRACUSE, N. Y., May 14.—Theodore Roosevelt's defense in William Barnes' \$50,000 libel suit today had but two points to stand on.

At the end of Barnes' direct testimony Justice Andrews told the jury the defense had in justification of the libel only the alleged Barnes-Murphy communication on the senatorial deadlock of 1911 and the alleged corporation campaign contributions to both parties.

"You are to disregard wholly," Justice Andrews told the jury, "the Albany printing evidence, the Hart-Agnew racing bill, the Hinman-Green primary bill, etc."

"It has been shown that Mr. Barnes was interested for or against those measures, but nothing has been offered to show he was in corrupt alliance with Mr. Murphy, or in an alliance of crooked business with crooked politics, except the testimony on the senatorial contest and campaign fund evidence."

After branding Theodore Roosevelt as a boss, and repudiating any and all connections with Charles F. Murphy and Tammany Hall in any legislation, William Barnes at noon finished his direct testimony in the \$50,000 libel suit. He was upon the stand only five hours.

Barnes put William Loeb in the Amman Club along with Roosevelt today, by denying that he ever talked to Loeb about the senatorial deadlock of 1911. Barnes swore he never discussed the senatorial deadlock with Murphy, or communicated with him directly or indirectly.

**REUNION OF VETERANS**

**122d Pennsylvania Volunteers Urged to Stand by President.**

LANCASTER, Pa., May 14.—The annual reunion of the 122d Pennsylvania Volunteers is being held here today. Of the original 94 members, 63 are dead. Today 75 are present. Adjutant Daniel H. Heitau, the only surviving commissioned field officer, was elected president. Of the 15 captains none survives and only four of the 27 lieutenants. In his address of welcome, City Solicitor B. J. Myers, referring to the strained relations with Germany, said:

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**12,000 WOMEN HEAR SUNDAY**

**Great Crowd Fills Tabernacle, Policemen Busy Handling Throngs.**

By a Staff Correspondent  
PATERSON, N. J., May 14.—All the women of North Jersey, to say nothing of their sisters from the wicked little island of Manhattan, who are any good when it comes to worming a way through a sweltering crowd, jammed into the "Billy" Sunday tabernacle here this afternoon to hear the evangelist, who preached his women-only sermon.

The rush at the tabernacle doors three hours before the service was scheduled to start was terrible. A dozen women were carried fainting into the emergency hospital. Forty-five nurses were scattered through the tabernacle to care for the 12,000 who crowded every inch of sitting room on the hard pine benches and sprawled tailor-fashion in the sawdust aisles.

So serious was the crush that "Billy" was summoned by telephone to the tabernacle three-quarters of an hour before the hour set for his sermon, and he opened up his attack on the sins of society the moment he got into the place. Forty reserve policemen meanwhile worked for all they were worth at the doors to keep back a crowd of 300 men who would not be persuaded that it wasn't their day and had come, some of them many miles, to see the evangelist in action.

The heat was something awful. The tarred roof of the building oozed a black stream and the dust from the sawdust choked everybody. "Billy" was greeted with cheers and a swirl of handkerchiefs when he made his appearance and said to the policemen, newspapermen and the few ushers, "Beat it, boys, or we'll have you pinched."

Preparing himself for his talk to the converts at Sing Sing tomorrow morning, "Billy" and "Ma" this morning attended a session of the Passaic County Court of Special Sessions and sat upon the bench with Judge Abram Klenert. "Billy" was shocked when the judge sentenced Frank Smith, 23 years old, for from 8 to 17 years because he had stolen only 125 from a storekeeper. "Ma" was principally interested in the recital of the domestic difficulties of an Italian who had one wife too many.

After leaving the Court House "Billy" received a delegation of 31 prominent clergymen and laymen from Rochester, N. J., who, like delegations here within the last two days from Minneapolis, Chicago and Bridgeport, were keen for "sawdust trails" in their city. The Rochester men informed Sunday that 49 churches in Monroe County were lined up as the "Billy" Sunday Evangelistic Association of Monroe County and that they wanted him directly after his campaign in Syracuse, which opens in November.

As he tells all delegations "Billy" told Rochester he was "favorably inclined."



MISS MARIE L. WANEMAKER  
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and that if it was possible (which it isn't, because he's dated up now for more than two years) he'd see about Rochester very soon.



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**BABY ON DOORSTEP PROMPTLY ADOPTED**

**Woman Who Answers Bell Finds Little Girl in Basket and Makes Her Her Own.**

It was providential that the person who had the rare "nerve" to leave a baby in a market basket on a doorstep three doors from the 11th and Winter streets police station chose at random the home of a woman who was five seconds after she first laid eyes on it.

There was a smart ring at the doorbell at 6:30 o'clock this morning, and Mrs. Nellie Miller, of 223 North 11th street, went to the door. She looked up and down the street for some sign of the person who had played a trick upon her, rung the doorbell and run away. Then she glanced down and saw the market basket, from which came at that moment a wail. She looked down into the blue eyes and the baby stopped wailing and began to smile.

Mrs. Miller, who has no children, took the basket in and shut the door. The baby was well cared for and there was a milk bottle beside it, but this week had not been emptied, for a baby three weeks old is not logical enough to grope for a milk

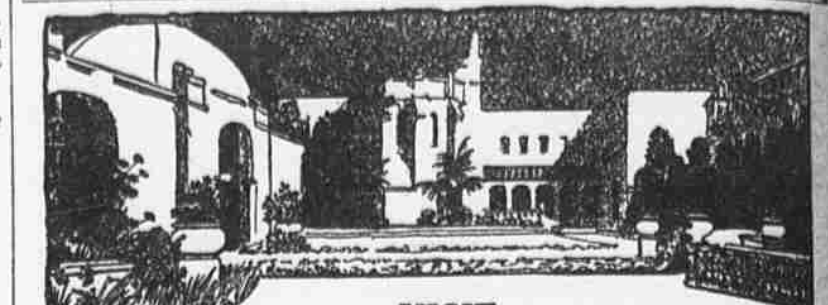
bottle that goes astray and not able to hold it in the right position even if it found it. So the child had cried for food with food right at hand.

Mrs. Miller kept right on adopting the baby until it appeared that the police law had something to say about it and she had to carry the wail into the police station, where it—that is, she, for it is a girl baby—had to go through the formalities of being sent to the Philadelphia Hospital, where Mrs. Miller followed her to adopt her for good as soon as that should be possible.

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