FOUR GIANTS CHOSEN TO GUARD THE BELL

Distinguished for Learning, Courage, Manly Beauty and Neatness of Habits.

Director Porter today made public the names of the four reserve policemen who will act as guardians of the Liberty Bell during the trip from Independence Hall to the Panama-Pacific Exposition at San Francisco. The men who will have the honor of being custodians of the famous relic were selected out of a list of 400 policemen. Each policeman who will accompany the bell to the coast has a reputation in the police department as a "walking encyclopedia." Two of the policemen have been commended for heroism. One of the policemen risked his life two years ago to save a banker and his family from death. The policemen selected are:

Reserve Policeman Joseph W. Franks, detailed at Market street ferry.

Reserve Policeman James E. Jackson, detailed at 16th and Chestnut streets.

Reserve Policeman William E. Sykes, detailed at 4th and Market streets.

Reserve Policeman James J. Quirk, body guard for Mayor Blankenburg.

Each of the four policemen is more than six feet tall and weighs more than 200 pounds. They have a record for neatness. Among the rank and file they are often referred to as the "Beau Brummels" of the police force. Besides always being seen in neatly pressed uniforms they are known also to manicure their finger nails regularly.

"DON'TS" FOR BELL'S GUARDIANS.

In appointing the four policemen Director Porter framed a set of "don'ts" for them. The don'ts are:

Don't lost your temper while enroute between Philadelphia and San Francisco.

Don't become angry at too many questions being asked.

Don't taste any liquor while absent from Philadelphia.

Don't complain about accommodations or a little hardship while on the journey.

Don't forget that it is the same old grind performing police duty when you return.

The trip to the coast will begin on the afternoon of July 5. The four policemen will take along a dress uniform. On the sleeve of each uniform there will be a reproduction of the Liberty Bell. During the trip the policemen will not wear celluloid collars. They will wear neat white flannel collars. Each will take along a grip containing a sufficient number of collars, scarfs, shoe blacking and other things.

Reserve Policemen Franks and Quirk are the tallest of the four policemen. Quirk is 22 years old, is 6 feet 3 inches tall, weighs 230 pounds and lives at 861 North 50th street. He is the personal bodyguard for Mayor Blankenburg. He was appointed to the police force 10 years ago and has been a reserve policeman ever since.

The next tallest policeman is Reserve Policeman Franks. He is 26 years old and lives at 3234 Chestnut street. He weighs about 210 pounds and is 6 feet 3 inches tall. He was appointed to the force three and a half years ago.

Reserve policeman Jackson is 30 years old and lives at 3005 Wharton street. He is 6 feet 2 inches tall and weighs 230 pounds. He was appointed a reserve policeman five years ago.

The fourth man, Sykes, is 36 years old and lives at 1500 Adams street, Frankford. He is 6 feet 1 inch tall and weighs 205 pounds.

"The appointments," said Director Porter, "were made after careful consideration."

"Superintendent Robinson and I went over the list carefully for weeks. Politics didn't figure in any of the appointments. After the policemen had filed their applications, we investigated the records of each applicant. We inquired into his qualifications as a police officer, and also tried to ascertain what sort of an education each man had. Then we made up three lists which were headed 'Excellent,' 'Good' and 'Fair.' Later Superintendent Robinson and I visited different parts of the city and personally viewed hundreds of policemen. Finally we decided to appoint the four men named."

TAFT OUTLINES PEACE PLANS

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tween this country and Great Britain, especially in matters concerning Canada, as an example of what may be accomplished by pacific measures of adjustment.

"Economic pressure," exerted by cutting off supplies from a belligerent which violated the treaty terms of the league, was declared by Edward A. Filene, of Boston, representing the United States Chamber of Commerce, to be available as a means of punishing such a nation.

"Force of arms would still be available if this economic pressure failed," he said.

URGES DEFENSE OF SEA RIGHTS

A strong stand by the United States in defense of the rights of her citizens on the seas was advocated by Mr. Filene, who said:

A strong stand by the United States in defense of the rights of her citizens on the seas was one of the first policies advocated today at the opening session of the League of Peace Conference, called by ex-President Taft and 112 other prominent Americans in Independence Hall. It was made by Edward A. Filene, of Boston, representing the United States Chamber of Commerce, who said:

"If America stands now for the rights of her citizens on the high seas she will help to give the world sound peace after the war. The present situation compels attention on the part of our nation to international affairs that it has never before been compelled in any insistent way to give to them. This is evidenced by the present crisis. The American Government may, by its action within the next few days or weeks, determine the kind of settlement that Europe will have to make after the war—a settlement so fundamentally important to the peace and prosperity of the United States. For these things we must stand if we would preserve our own respect, our own interests and those of civilization in general.

"The rights of travel on the seas which are now at stake," he said, "can be vindicated finally only by a drastic reform of sea law, an international court to give a just interpretation of this law and some method of compelling respect for the court's decision, which means finding something better as a way of enforcing international law than taking sides in a war in which both sides may be violating the law. The United States can find that method by properly organizing in advance economic pressure—some form of nonintercourse or international boycott against a law-breaking nation."

Ex-Congressman Victor Berger, Socialist, of Milwaukee, advocated that, in the event of war being waged by a nation of the league in violation of it, arms but not food supplies be cut off from it.

Former President Taft was elected president of the conference.

A fund of $500 was subscribed to carry on the work of the organization.

Theodore Marburg, former United States Minister to Belgium, outlined the proposals formulated by former President Taft, which are the starting point of the conference's discussions. The project includes four proposals:

"Before this war, I, like many others, favored a purely voluntary international court of justice," said Mr. Marburg. "The Hague Convention, the International Commission of Inquiry, Good Offices and Mediation and the Permanent Court of Arbitration all are voluntary institutions. Since this war, many of us have begun to feel that the element of obligation must be added."

"Such a group as the projected league would embrace, to begin with, the eight great Powers, including ourselves. In them you would have three great peoples, the English, the French and ourselves, who have common political aspirations. That is, they have ceased to look upon democracy as a passing phase of political experiment, and have come to regard it as a fact of politics. You would have two important nations, Great Britain and the United States, which may be said to be satisfied territorially.

"Whether a league of peace is possible or not depends on the answer to the question, Will it do justice? If it does not do justice the league cannot be permanent."

SAYS SCHEME IS NOT "UTOPIAN"

Dr. John Bates Clark, professor of economics in Columbia University, declared that the scheme is not utopian and that "something having the characteristics of a league of peace is rapidly evolving—something that is highly effective and will have ample force at its command. At the close of the war it probably will need only minor modification to enable it to prevent for an indefinite time recurrence of a great war on the Continent of Europe. The Entente and the Alliance are in full vigor and each was formed for a pacific purpose—the protection of members from attack. They will drop their present militancy when they gain their chief end—security against another war without it."

EXPECTS BOND ISSUE BY U. S. FOR DEFENSE

Head of Bankers' Association Urges Preparation for Floating of Government Paper.

CAPE MAY, June 17.—Preparation for a bond issue by the Government, which he thinks will take place before long to increase the navy and improve coast defenses, was urged upon delegates attending the Pennsylvania Bankers' Association convention here by L. T. McFadden, of Canton, Pa., president of the association.

Mr. McFadden devoted most of his annual address to the effect of the European war upon financial and business conditions in this country. It seems to be the consensus of public opinion, he declared, that the United States should be better prepared to resist possible invasion and to enforce such demands as those made upon the Kaiser by President Wilson in the Lusitania notes. He expressed the opinion that the agitation for greater preparedness will undoubtedly necessitate the expenditure of great sums in the near future for battleships and coast defenses.

Mr. McFadden urged the bankers to take advantage of the present opportunities for the development of trade in the foreign markets, particularly in the countries of South and Latin America. He referred to the recent visit of the Pan-American delegates to this country as being of the greatest significance to the financiers and business men of the United States, and urged the delegates to look to South America for investments for their surplus funds. He also suggested the establishment of branch banks in Latin America.

"There is no doubt as to the need for a great merchant marine in this country," Mr. McFadden said, "but the interference of the Government in this development is to be deprecated. As soon as a few objectionable features are removed from the Federal laws covering this matter, American capital will be enabled to handle the situation without aid of the Government."

The Federal Reserve system, according to Mr. McFadden's summary, has been working satisfactorily. He suggested several changes, among them the transfer of the arbitrary powers now exercised by the Comptroller of the Currency to the Federal Reserve Board. This, he said, would make for greater efficiency and security.

The convention opened with several hundred bankers from all parts of Pennsylvania in attendance. During the sessions many questions of vital importance not only to financial men, but to the country in general, will be discussed. Senator Boies Penrose and former President Taft are among those who are expected to address the body.

This afternoon there will be a debate on the following resolution, "Resolved, That it would be a public benefit if national banking associations were permitted to act in a fiduciary capacity." The affirmative side will be taken by W. W. Allen, Jr., and P. B. Detwiler. John A. Price and Albert E. Eyler will take the negative.

Suppose—

The man you loved had been arrested on a charge of having murdered your father!

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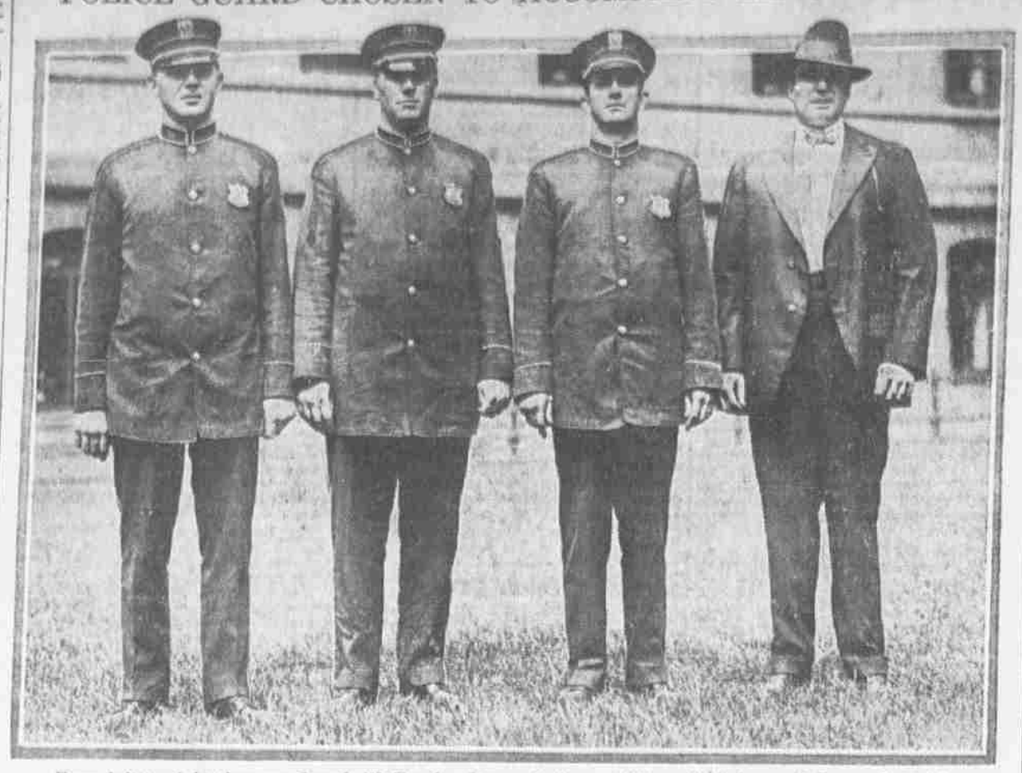
POLICE GUARD CHOSEN TO ACCOMPANY LIBERTY BELL



From left to right they are Joseph W. Franks, James Jackson, William E. Sykes and James J. Quirk.

AUTO RACE ACROSS CONTINENT

Woman Dancer and Partner Start Long Journey on $1000 Wager.

A thousand dollar bet led Miss Joan Sawyer, the dancer, and Harry Harcourt, also a dancer, to race by automobile from coast to coast. They left this city early today for Baltimore, Md., on the second stage of their trip, having completed the first when they arrived here last night from New York. Their destination is the Fair at San Francisco.

Miss Sawyer has only recently learned to run a machine, and playfully challenged her dancing partner, Mr. Harcourt, who is an expert driver, to a race to the Pacific coast for $1000. He accepted the challenge, and a real race was decided upon. Miss Sawyer has a handicap of 200 miles, 45 of which she lost yesterday, having got lost on the way here from New York. They will pass through 14 States on their trip.

The woman suffrage cause will be advertised along the way. Miss Sawyer is an ardent suffragist, and displays a huge "votes for women" banner on her automobile. It was partly to advertise woman suffrage that the race was decided upon.

TELLS OF HAGUE MEET

Alice Carpenter Addresses Limited Suffragist Organization.

Miss Alice Carpenter, one of the first American delegates to the Women's Peace Conference to return from The Hague, spoke to the Pennsylvania Limited Equal Suffrage League this afternoon at a garden party at the residence of Mrs. James D. Winsor, Haverford.

The part that women should play hereafter in the avoidance of war and the plans made by the delegates at the conference were discussed by Miss Carpenter. Miss Rose Livingstone, the Angel of Chinatown, whose experience with "white slave" dealers has converted her to the belief in woman's heed of the vote, told of her work on New York's East Side.

Consular Assignments Announced

WASHINGTON, June 17.—The following consular assignments were announced at the State Department today:

Francis B. Keene, Milwaukee, to be Consul General at Zurich, Switzerland.

David F. Wilber, New York, to be Consul General at Geneva, Switzerland.

John E. Jones, Washington, to be Consul at Lyons, France.

William F. Kelly, Lincoln, Neb., to be Consul at Rome.

H. H. Balch, Madison, Ala., to be Consul at Yarmouth, N. S.

L. T. Mays, New Orleans, to be Consul at St. Stephen, N. B.

John A. Gore, Banner, Miss., to be Consul at Regina, Sask.

J. Paul Jameson, Washington, to be Consul at Nankin, China.

John K. Davis, Ohio, to be Consul at Antung, China.

REAL ESTATE BROKER ACCUSED BY BAKER

W. H. Armstrong Charged With Embezzlement of Funds Left for Investment.

William H. Armstrong, of 5531 Walnut street, a prominent real estate broker with offices in the Perry building, was held in $2000 bail today by Magistrate Glenn, accused of embezzlement. The complainant is Gottlieb Fisher, a baker, of 1621 West Dauphin street.

Armstrong was taken into custody at his office by Constable Kellenbenz, of Magistrate Glenn's office. Kellenbenz says he sat in the Perry Building offices of the Penn Real Estate and Mortgage Company, with which Armstrong is connected, all day Tuesday and part of yesterday before he met Armstrong.

Fisher declares he started negotiations with Armstrong last December to invest $1500 in West Philadelphia homes. He paid this amount about $250 at a time, he says, but did not secure any final settlement from Armstrong. He says the latter told him the Pennsylvania Railroad Company wanted to buy some of the property and induced him to sign an agreement giving the broker an extension of time. Armstrong was not at his office after the hearing and attaches there said they knew nothing of the case.

Buys Part of Roach Shipyard

A part of the Roach shipyard property between Front and 2d and Ulrich and Pusey streets, Chester, has been purchased by Stacy G. Clauser & Son for $10,000. The tract, which is about 300 by 200 feet, will relieve congestion in the coal and lumber plant of the firm at 6th and Parker streets.

How the Butterfly Goes to Sleep

The butterfly, like the bat, invariably goes to sleep head downward, its eyes looking straight down the stem of the grass on which it rests. It folds its wings to the utmost, and thus protects its body from the cold.

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CLASS ENACTS DIALOGUE

Graduates of Comegys School Present Prophecy as Play.

An unusual feature of the graduation exercises at the B. B. Comegy's School in West Philadelphia yesterday was the manner in which the prophecy was handled by the seeresses of the class of Miss Francis H. Leeds.

Instead of following the beaten path, the committee, consisting of Misses Florence McIntyre, Harriet C. McLain and Emily Thompson, gave the prophecy in dialogue, placing the scene at Bar Harbor, Me., in 1925.

The little play was acted by the members of the committee in costume. The lines were full of wit.

The amateurs were recalled five times, and the uproar was only stayed by command of the principal, Mrs. Emma V. T. Tindal.

FREEING OF COP WHO KILLED MAN OPPOSED

District Attorney Says Coroner Acted Illegally in Case of Policeman Archibald.

The paroling by Coroner Knight of Policeman John Archibald, of the 20th and Federal streets station, charged with homicide, has been declared unlawful by District Attorney Rotan, who says that it is in direct conflict with a decision by Judge Sulzberger that a defendant involved in the death of another person must be committed to prison by the Coroner and can only be released on bail after the Court has reviewed the case.

Policeman Archibald shot and killed John J. Murtagh while pursuing him at 21st and Morris streets last Saturday. Instead of being committed to Moyamensing Prison by the Coroner and held there until released on bail, Archibald has been paroled in the custody of his superior officer, Police Lieutenant Bennett.

Archibald was held yesterday by Coroner Knight to await the action of the Grand Jury, but when the prison records and those of the criminal courts failed to show that the policeman had entered bail following the coroner's hearing or that he was in jail, his whereabouts became somewhat as a mystery. The District Attorney then declared that if Archibald was not in prison the law had not been complied with. After a busy session at the telephone, it was discovered that the policeman had been paroled.

"I know of no legal authority for Archibald not being in prison if he was held to await the action of the Grand Jury in a homicide case," said District Attorney Rotan. "Coroner Knight had no right to parole Archibald in the custody of the policeman's superior officer, if such is the case. Under the law Archibald should be held in jail until the court allows bail, and there is a legal decision for the Coroner's guidance in this respect. AsaCoroner Knight had no authority to parole Archibald, he should see that the policeman is brought in at once."

It is alleged that Murtagh was shot while running from a pawnshop where he attempted to pawn a watch believed to have been stolen.

Normal Girls Off for West Point

Three hundred girls of the February and June classes of the Philadelphia Normal School left this morning for West Point in charge of their principal, J. Eugene Baker. The itinerary of the trip which takes the place of class day exercises, will include Tarrytown, Stony Point and other places of historic interest.

AVIATOR'S BRIDE HORRIFIED, SEEING HIM FALL 1500 FEET

But Motor Starts as He Nears Ground, Saving Life.

NEW YORK, June 17.—Sylvio A. Pettirossi, an aviator from Paraguay, gave a private exhibition last evening on the Brighton Beach race track, which was watched by a number of friends and his bride.

In a French monoplane he rose at 6 o'clock to a height of 1500 feet. He flew over to Coney Island, circled Luna Park twice and was heading back for the track when his motor stopped and the machine began to fall.

It came down like a shot until within 100 feet of the ground, when Pettirossi managed to start the motor. In this way the fall was broken so that when the monoplane struck the ground the aviator escaped unhurt. One part of the monoplane was broken off by a fence and the engine was damaged.

"Ad" Collector Comes to Grief

Collecting ads for an imaginary booklet which, he said, was to be issued by the Montgomery Firemen's Association, proved profitable for Daniel Glackin, 43d street above Lancaster avenue, until Judge Bechtel, of the Quarter Sessions Court, wound up his collecting career by a six months' jail sentence.

Villa Retakes Monterey

LAREDO, Tex., June 17.—Monterey has slipped out of the hands of the victorious Carranzistas, who a few weeks since swept into it, according to persistent reports of Nuevo Laredo today. Loss of Saltillo is now admitted by Carranza officials, but they claim as a partial offset the capture of Icamole.

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Queen Mary of England

A Woman-to-Woman Talk

By Mary Roberts Rinehart

QUEEN MARY received Mrs. Rinehart informally while she and the ladies of her court were making garments for the men at the front. She talked so simply and so feelingly as to afford to Americans a close view of her as a Queen, a Woman and a Mother.

The Treasure Sink

By Alfred W. Atwood

EVER since West and East began to trade and traffic, a steady stream of gold and silver has been pouring into India. For thousands of years her wealth in precious metals, in gems, pearls and objects of beauty has been piling up. This article describes the incredible riches of some of the native princes and indicates the sources of India's royal contributions to England's war chest.

Other Features in This Number

War: A timely love story by W. B. Trites; The Courting Candle, an Irish tale by Mary L. Magruder; The Knothole, a hard-times article for manufacturers by James H. Collins; Her Negatives, a new Phœnix story by Richard Washburn Child; War Orders, a timely fact article by Will Payne, and an able paper on the economic effects of the War, by Former Senator Beveridge.

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