80 MEXICAN TEACHERS ARRIVE HERE; THEY WILL INSPECT CITY'S SCHOOLS



They were photographed at the Baltimore and Ohio Station as they alighted from their train. General Carranza sent them to the United States to study American educational methods.

POLICE FEED STARVING TAILOR AND FAMILY, THEN ARREST HIM

Kindness Softens Stern Hand of Law When Bluecoats See Sad Plight of Man Accused of Larceny

NOTHING TO EAT, NO FIRE

Serving of Warrant Deferred Until These Painful Deficiencies Are Repaired

A man who had the good luck to have an overcoat and the even better luck of having the money to get it pressed occasionally took it to a tailor to have it fixed up. When it was not delivered he had a warrant sworn out for the tailor's arrest and two policemen, Stauffer and Royle, cheerfully went to the home of the tailor, whose name is Antonio Napoleon, to ar-

little house at 5120 Pentridge street. Naeon came to the door. Are you Napoleon?" asked Stauffer,

yes," said the man, who looked haggard, and he let them in without re-grets about the fix he was in. But the policemen saw things that made them delay the business of capturing the un-fortunate Napoleon and conducting him to a cell. On the floor, for instance, they six children huddled together under blanket to keep warm.

It seems that the tailor who made clothing for other people had not been able to provide clothing for his children. Mrs. Napoleon sat on a chair, listle her hands in her lap. The family had not had a meal for 24 hours. It was neces-sary to arrest the husband, but Stauffer had other things to do first. For exam-ple, to get coal. There wasn't a scrap of coal in the house, which was precisely the same temperature as the outer air. So the policeman bought several buckets of coal and made a fire in the kitchen range, around which the children, who used to be out playing all day before their father failed at his talloring, immediately assembled, holding their hands to the small stove, which soon began to assume a red glow of kindly heat as

Stauffer piled on his coal.

But while this was going on the other policeman was not idle. Royle was out policeman was not idle. Royle was out policeman was not idle. Royle was out policeman was not idle. buying something to eat. He not milk, because the youngest of the tailor's six children is only 6 months old and is sick from lack of proper food. He bought

sick from lack of proper food. He bought also bread and canned soips and all the things he could think of that heat up quickly when placed upon a stove.

Soon there was a meal in the kitchen of the Napoleens, in the rear of the little house on Pentridge street. The two policemen presided, and ladled out the soups and crackers to the children—the five that can walk are between 9 and 2 years of age—while Mrs. Napoleon grabbed the milk and fed the silent haby, who was too weak even to whimper for who was too weak even to whimper for his food.

his food.

There was enough for the tailor Napoleon to eat, too, for the policemen were feeling flush and had spread themselves, and after that they talked about the decline in the tailoring business and how a man like Napoleon, try as he will to get along in life, can fail, most miserably and forforniy, and not have a friend to turn to, and yet must live on to see his children starve and huddle like rats in an old blanket to keep warm.

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There was a silence.

"Well, I suppose we'll have to zo," said.

Stauffer, and brought forth the warrant,
which said that one Antonio Napoleon
was accused of the largeny of an overcoat as halles and Napoleon langted and coat, as ballee, and Napoleon laughed and went out with the policemen late the street, where, whew! how the wind blew through his rags. He was taken to City Hall to face the charge last night.

POLICE HUNT "JOY RIDERS"

Their Car Seriously Injured Man on Sidewalk in Tenderloin

The police are searching for the "joy The police are searching for the "joy riders" who were in a large touring car when it run on the sidewalk at 11th and Vine streets last night and seriously injured Ralph Passeo, of 935 McClellan street. Passeo is in the Hahneman Hospital suffering from a broken right shoulder, fractured elbow and probable internal injuries.

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According to the police, Passeo was standing near the curb wailing for a trolley car when the motor turned the sorner and drove up on the sidewalk. He was thrown against the wall of a building and crushed. The car then made a perilous turn into the street, and dashed toward Broad street, while the members of the party were still laughing members of the party were still laughing

\$469,893 FOR CITY SCHOOLS

City Treasurer McCoach Receives Last Payment of State Appropriation

City Treasurer McCoach today received a warrant for \$169,893.38 from State Treasurer Robert K. Young. This repre-sents the final payment on account of the mual appropriation made by the State the school fund of the County of Phil-

The total amount paid was \$89,881.38, as compared with \$78,352.55 received last year. The payment is based on its number of teachers employed and pupils in

attendance.
In addition to the sum received for general school purposes in 1914, 122,000 was divided between the Teachers' Annulty Association, the Philadelphia School of Design for Woman and the Teachers' institute of Philadelphia: 550 to the industrial schools, and 185,000 for the care of the Normal School for Guis and School of Pedastery for Men. Of the last-named items, the city has received as for this year \$500 for industrial schools. It is expected that the remaining appropriations will be paid before the close of the year.

WOMAN WHO POISONED HER TWO BABIES BREAKS DOWN

Did Not Know Children Were Dead. To Test Prisoner's Sanity

"Are my babies alive?" pleaded Mrs. Mabel Fields, 24 years old, of 2731 Sher-man avenue. Camden, today, when she was arraigned before Recorder Stackhouse, in Camilen, on the charge of pois-poing her two children, John, 14 months old, and Mabel, 3 months old. Both children died last Thursday in the Coope Hospital. After giving her children poison Mrs. Fields attempted to end her life by swallowing saveral ounces of the same poison. She has been in the Cooper Hos-pital since last Thursday.

Mrs. Fields didn't know that her children had died until she was informed of their death by Recorder Stackhouse. She then broke down and became hysterical. Recorder Stackhouse committed Mrs. Fields to the Camden County jail, where Prosecutor Kraft will have an allenist ex-

SELF-RINGING BELL ALARMS

West Philadelphians Call Police to Stop Midnight Tolling

The bell in the tower of the Emanuel German Reformed Church, 38th and Baring streets, went on a rampage last night and aroused the neighborhood from its slumbers. From 11 until nearly mid-night the bell clanged incessantly, and night the bell clanged incessantly, and all kinds of conjectures were allout among the peaceful residents in that vicinity.

Some one called up the pelice and a detail was sent out from the 29th street and Lancaster avenue station. When they arrived, however, the bell stopped ringing as auddenly as it had begun.

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The Rev. S. S. Stern, pastor of the church, explained that the bell had been out of order for months and that experts "fixed" it yesterday. It is attached to the mechanism of the church clock and rings every hour. All went well until late last night, when something got out of order. The experts were called upon to do some more "fixing" today.

STRICKEN ON TRAIN, DIES

Merritt H. Haynes Taken Fatally Ill While Returning Home

Merritt H. Haynes, 34 years old, of 515 North 13th street, son of J. B. Haynes, a wholesale lumber merchant, with offices in the Real Estate Trust Building, died today in the Samaritan Hospital of heart disease. He was stricken late last evening while riding on a Philadelphia and Reading train. Mr. Haynes was returning to his home from Germantown, wherehe had attended a dinner party, when he suddenly fell from his seat on the train. Mr. Haynes was a life insurance agent connected with the Penn Mutual Life Ensurance Company. He is survived by his marents and two brethers I. E. the Real Estate Trust Building, died his parents and two brothers, L. E. Haynes, of Ambler, and E. C. Haynes, of Jenkintown.

Negro Attacks Young Woman A young negro crouched in the shadow of a doorway on Jefferson street near Sydenham until Miss Ella Melin, of 1425 North 15th street, was beside him. Then he jumped out, struck her in the face with his fist, seized her pocketbook and

escaped. The attack occurred early last night as Miss Melin was walking west on Jefferson street. Miss Melin was treated by a physician and then reported the attack to the 19th and Oxford streets solice station. Her packetbook contained

Bishop of Wall Street' Preaches Here The Rev. Dr. William Wilkinson, known is the "Bishop of Wall Street," is conducting a series of services in this city in connection with the Advent Mission now being held by the Protestant Epis-copal Churches throughout the world. His work is in the districts covered by St. Simeon's Church, 8th street and Lo-high avenue, and St. Timothy's Church, Roxborough. Doctor Wilkinson will hold services at noon today on Main street be-low Walnut lane, Manayunk. Yesterday he addressed a large number of operatives in front of the Keystone Mills, Levering ton avenue and Wilde street, Manayunk

Merchana e purchased now may be reserved for Christmas delivery

M'KENTY STRICKEN

at Hospital-Doctors Predict Quick Recovery



ROBERT J. McKENTY Warden of the Eastern Penitentiary, who underwent an operation for appendicitis today at the Pennsylvania Hospital.

Warden Robert J. McKenty, of the Eastern State Penitentiary, it became known today, was stricken with appendicitis yesterday afternoon while dictating letters in the office of the prison. He was hurried in an automobile to the Pennsylvania Hospital, where he was operated on early this morning. Physicians at the hospital said this afternoon that Mr. Mc-Kenty, or "Bob," as he is known to thousands, would be able to leave the hospital in about a week.

A few hours after the operation several telephone messages reached the Pennsylvania Hospital, inquiring for Mr. McKenty's condition. The messages came from settlement workers and others. The message which touched Mr. McKenty most was one from prisoners confined in the Eastern Penitentiary, This message was phoned to the hospital by the deputy warden at the request of some of the "lifers" and other

"Tell the boys that I will soon be with them." was the message sent back to the prisoners.
Some of the prisoners at the prison are preparing to raise a fund with which to purchase flowers for the patient.



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SUIT AGAINST THREE WITH APPENDICITIS RICH DEFENDANTS FAILS

Warden Undergoes Operation Statute of Limitations Bars Claim on George W. Elkins and Widener and Dolan

> Judge Dickinson, in the United States District Court, today dismissed the sult of Richard B. Kelly, a minority stockbolder of the Central Park, North and East Railread Company, of New York, attainst George W. Elkins and the estates of Peter A. B. Widener and Thomas Do-lan. The court held that the Pennsylcania statute of limitations harred the days in which to move to amend the heir cause within the six years' statu-

claim was for \$2,000,000. The gation was that the defendant Philadeldans were derelict in their duty as di-stors of the company, and as a result c company went into the hands of a

the principal derelictions with which Widener, Elkins and Dolan were charged were that after they failed to provide for a renewal of \$1,200,000 in mortgage bonds of the Central Company, and after they were six years overdue, foreclosure pro-ceedings were instituted, and the proprty of the company was sold at auction. John G. Johnson, who appeared for the defense, brought forward the fact the statute of limitations interfered, as his principal point. Mr. Johnson pointed out that the bill of complaint stated that the three Philadelphians were directors of the Central Company, from 1893 to 1995. If the defendants committed any breach

If the defendants committed any breach of trust, it must of necessity been not later than 1905, declared Mr. Johnson, many years previous to the statutory period of six years in which Kelly could sustain his suft.

Chase Mellen, of New York, of counsel for Kelly, contended that the alleged derelictions of the directors were not discovered until 1908, when the foreclosure proceedings were instituted, and that the statute of limitations should be computed from that time.



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CHASE NEEDLE WITH X-RAY

Surgeons at the Homeopathic Hespital, in Canaden, will make a third X-ray ex-amination of Haymond Lilly, 18 years old, amination of Haymond Lilly, 18 years old, of 189 Haddon avenue, today, in an effort to locate a needle, which is wandering somewhere around the youth's body.

Yesterday Lilly told the physicians that the piece of steel was giving him considerable trouble and asked that it be removed. An examination disclosed the needle in his hand, but when surgeons explored that member the needle had disappeared. Another examination by the rays showed it to be several inches away and still moving. Physicians are hopeful of finding it today. of finding it today.

DEFENDANT AND SURETY GONE

Doctor Accused of Violating Drug Act Fails to Appear for Trial

RICHMOND, Va., Dec. I.-Dr. Boyce D. Bronker, of Hichmond, indicted for violations of the Harrison drug act, failed to answer in the United States District Court today when his name was called for a second trial. The first jury stood II to I for conviction. Brooker gave bend for his appearance, his wife being

He left the city a week ago and Mrs. Brooker left yesterday. It is believed they have gone to England.

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INJURED IN TROLLEY WRECK

Two Persons Cut and Bruised When Car and Freight Collide

Two persons were injured and many others shaken up when a trolley car go-ing west on Gray's Ferry road at 54th street collided with a Pennsylvania Raijroad freight train last night. The soci-dent resulted from a misunderstanding between the motorman of the trolley oar

and the engineer of the locomotive. and the engineer of the locamotive.

Joseph Murphy, 29 years old, of 1805
Reinhard street, was hadly cut and
brulsed. He was taken to the Polyclinic
Hospital for treatment. Marie Jackson,
M years old, of 2830 Peliz street, was cut
about the face by flying glass, but refused to go to the hospital. Several other
passengers were jarred and brulsed.

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