

IRISH REVELERS BOB AND SWAY TO JOLLY DANCE OF THE MAYOS

Peter Fiddles and Sons and Daughters of Erin Frolic in Annual Ball, "The Best Ever Held"

NOTABLES PRESENT

While Peter Hamilton stamped his foot to keep time and sawed Irish dances from his fiddle, 200 sons and daughters of Erin bobbed and swayed through the figures of the Irish hornpipes and reels till dawn broke this morning.

"When, woof, whoopee-ee!" shouted Peter and faster danced the throng. Peter, content as he danced, tucked his left collar, only added the faster.

"WEE-WOOF! WHOPEE-EE!" "Me mither and father were Orlah-an-ooe Orlah, ton," shouted one true son of the old country as he snatched a lassie with a crimson poppy in her black hair.

"IRISH DECORATIONS." Hung low from the ceiling on the main dance floor was a huge set of Irish ferns and other plants, and in the corners of the room were strings of pennants representing all the colors of the various counties of Ireland.

THE BEST DANCE EVER. Yellow dresses, crimson dresses, white, blue and every other color all wound and swayed like the colors of the rainbow.

Accident Victim Dies. A fractured skull, caused by a heavy blow of wood which struck the victim's head, was the cause of the death of a 25-year-old man.

TODAY'S MARRIAGE LICENSES. Harry M. Smith, 1011 S. 8th st., and Hester Larson, 1205 S. 10th st., both of Philadelphia.

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HALF-HEARTED SEARCH FOR MURDERER CAUSE OF DARBY CITIZENS' IRE

Residents Declare Delaware County Authorities Are Making No Effort to Solve Mystery

PETITION FORTHCOMING

There was general indignation in Darby today. Residents declared that the Delaware County authorities were making no effort to solve the mystery surrounding the murder of Mary Davison, the woman who lost her life in trying to save the valuable of William Collinsgrove, her employer.

Many declared that the indifference in regard to investigation of the case was due to the attitude of District Attorney John B. Hannum, Jr., who came to Darby. It is said, pronounced the case such and returned to Media.

It is generally agreed that Chief of Police Clark and his staff of policemen are doing all in their power to solve the mystery. It is known, however, that there is considerable friction between the police of the small settlement of Delaware County and the county authorities.

FINAL HEARING IN DU PONT GUN CLUB SUIT OPENED TODAY

Newbridge Citizens Want Shooting by Prominent Men Stopped

WILMINGTON, Del., Jan. 25.—A final hearing of the suit brought to enjoin the du Pont Gun Club from continuing its activities on its grounds at Newbridge, near this city, was begun before Chancellor Curtis in the Court of Chancery today.

TEXAS MOB LYNCHES MAN ACCUSED OF TRIPLE MURDER

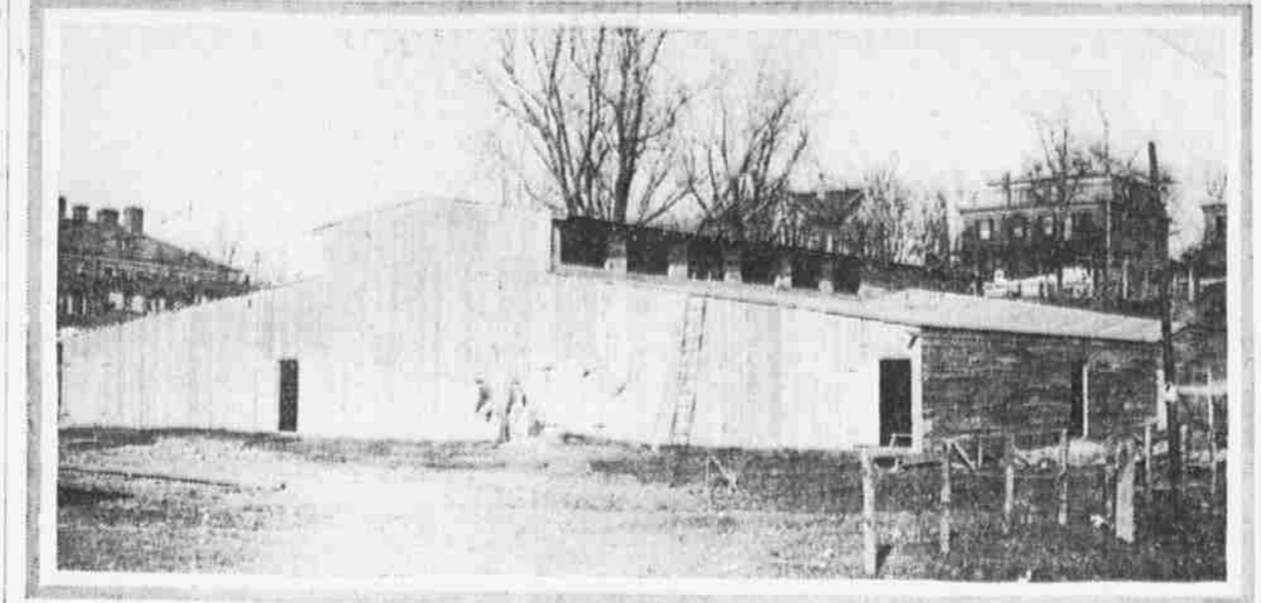
Was Charged With Killing Parents and Brother With an Ax

HOUSTON, Tex., Jan. 25.—W. J. Mayfield, 39 years old, charged with killing his father, mother and brother with an ax, was taken from the county jail here early today by a score of masked men and hauled to a tree half a mile south of town.

Golden Wedding Fete in Camden

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Sand, of 312 Arch street, Camden, will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary at their home tonight. Surrounded by their relatives and friends, they will be "re-married" by Justice of the Peace W. Taylor Wright, of Camden.

MORE THAN 1000 DRUNKARDS CONVERTED AS TABERNACLE RISES



NICHOLAS-HEMMINGER TABERNACLE GOING UP AT DARBY

Great Structure in Darby the Scene of Activity in Preparation for Revival

Tons of white pine board recently unloaded in a lot in Darby, which will be used in constructing a tabernacle where the Nicholson-Hemminger evangelistic campaign will open February 23. It has had the effect of converting more than 1000 drunkards who live in different parts of Delaware County.

The conversion of former drunkards, bartenders and owners of saloons, according to ministers who are aiding in the superintending of the building of the tabernacle, was accomplished without a sermon or one of the famous "Billy" Sunday lectures.

The tabernacle will be in a large lot adjoining the P. R. T. terminal at 9th and Main streets, which is in the heart of Darby and less than 300 yards away from McClure's saloon.

From farmers' wagons, trucks and other vehicles which daily pass the place where the tabernacle will be erected, empty beer bottles and whisky flasks are thrown out. From a farmer's wagon, which stopped near 9th and Main streets today, a large barrel was hauled which contained dozens of empty whisky bottles.

At a previous hearing of the case against the du Pont Gun Club the Court granted an injunction restraining the club from shooting on its grounds. This injunction will be combated by attorneys from the club today.

JANUARY SALE OF PIANOS

Advertisement for a piano sale. Features a Weber piano for \$400 and a Mahogany Case for \$160. Located at Cunningham Piano Co., 11th & Chestnut Sts.

Former Drunkards Work on Darby Tabernacle

Many former drunkards are working as carpenters on the tabernacle. One thousand men, minister estimates, have been converted since work was started on the tabernacle.

Whisky and beer bottles are being thrown daily into gutter. Saloon receipts in Darby and Delaware County said to have fallen off since work on tabernacle began.

Churches of various denominations are maintained in a vacant lot until they were carried away by Darby streetsweepers. Since work on the tabernacle began cottage prayers are being held nightly on the roof of the half-completed tabernacle.

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Nicholson - Hemminger Evangelistic Campaign Cuts Saloon Profits

represented in the preparation of the evangelistic campaign. John T. Peckoff is chairman of the Executive Committee. Edward M. Hoag has been appointed secretary, to act for R. F. Maguire, who is ill. George Grayson is treasurer.

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Field Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church: The Rev. E. P. Hoffman, Olivet Methodist Episcopal Church, the last five being in West Philadelphia.

The following are chairmen of committees: Finance, John H. Krampon, Darby; Building, Milton L. Staley, Collingdale; Prayer Meetings, the Rev. H. K. Galloway, pastor of Woodland United Presbyterian Church, West Philadelphia; Personal Workers, F. S. Underhill, Lansdowne; Music, Alona H. Yeom, Darby; Ushers, W. Albert Bernhart, Colwyn; Press, John H. Martin, Darby; Publicity, William G. Gray, West Philadelphia; Community Extension, the Rev. W. H. Shaw, pastor of Sharon Hill Methodist Episcopal Church.

JACK SMASHER, NOT MASHER, OUT FOR THE REAL JEWELS

In Fact He Has Annexed Great Collection in Ridge Section

There's a new Jack in town. He's called "Jack, the Smasher," instead of Jack, the Masher, because he crashes windows whenever he feels like it.

As a brick thrower he makes the dancs throwers of old look like amateurs. And, by way of a prize, each time he lands a tray of gold rings or watches.

BLOCKLEY CHIEF RESIGNS

Daniel W. Seltzer Quits at Request of New Administration

Daniel W. Seltzer, superintendent of the Philadelphia General Hospital, today resigned from the city service, to become effective March 1. The change is said to be in line with Director Krusen's plan to make many changes in the present personnel of those in authority at Blockley.

Near-Panic in Ferryboat Crash

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—A number of persons were injured and a serious panic was narrowly averted when the Brooklyn ferryboat Gowanus, with 50 passengers on board, collided with another ferryboat off the Battery today. The accident was due to fog.

"SUPER-DIRECTORS" OF CITY "NAMED"

They Are the Wives of the Members of Mayor's Cabinet, Says E. J. Berlet

The "superdirector," a new kind of city official, is the name on many lips today. "Superdirector" is what E. J. Berlet termed the wives of the members of Mayor Smith's cabinet at a reception and ball given in their honor by the Walnut Street Business Association at the Ritz-Carlton Hotel last night.

Mr. Berlet, president of the association, outlined the plans of the association and its achievements. The first national bank to be opened on Walnut street will open its doors within a few weeks near Broad street, he announced. He named the art jury appointed by the association which will aid in the project of making Walnut street the most beautiful thoroughfare, architecturally, in the city.

The members of Mayor Smith's cabinet, their assistants and their wives, who were introduced by Mr. Berlet to the guests, were: Director George E. Datesman, of the Department of Public Works, with Mrs. Datesman; Dr. Wilmer Krusen, Director of Public Health and Charities, and Mrs. Krusen; Director of Public Safety William H. Wilson, with Mrs. Wilson; Director of Supplies Joseph McLaughlin, Director of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, George S. Webster, with Mrs. Webster; Assistant Director Harry C. Davis, of the Department of Public Safety, with Mrs. Davis; Assistant Director Joseph L. Baldwin, of the Department of Public Works, with Mrs. Baldwin; Assistant Director Harry W. Mace, of the Department of Public Health and Charities, with Mrs. Mace; Assistant Director Peter J. Hoban, of the Department of Supplies, with Mrs. Hoban; and Assistant Director Joseph P. Haskard, of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, with Mrs. Haskard. A musicale, which included a harp solo by Miss Marceline Skipped, dancing and a buffet supper followed the reception.

Large advertisement for Mawson & DeMany fur store. Features 'Fur Day' sale, Wednesday Will Be 'FUR DAY', and lists various fur items like scarves, muffs, and fur sets with prices. Includes contact information for 1115 Chestnut Street.