

JESUS OR THE WORLD, ALTRIA FIVE DEFINED IN REVIVAL AT DARBY

Evangelist Nicholson Submits Pilate's Question in Afternoon Service in Form of Court Trial on Religion

PREACHER SNOWBOUND

Evangelist Nicholson this afternoon, in the Nicholson-Heminger tabernacle, in Darby, made it plain that he was confident men and women could not be saved unless all their evil ways were given up and they came out solidly for Christ's work and devoted their lives to it.

PILATE'S DILEMMA

His sermon was on "What shall I do with Jesus? And they cried, 'Let Him be crucified.'" He said, in part: "It is a personal question. Your mother cannot answer it for you. Your church, your preacher, your father, I cannot answer it for you. God cannot answer it for you. You must come face to face with it and you are responsible for your answer to it. No bishop or priest can answer it for you.

"It is a practical question. At the bar of judgment God will not ask, 'Did you live a drunkard's life?' 'Did you follow the gambler's art?' 'How much money did you make?' 'By what denomination were you named?' But the thing that will determine your destiny forever will be your answer to this question: 'What did you do with Jesus?'

"Worldly propriety witnesses against Christ. 'A lady in the North of Ireland said to me, 'Mr. Nicholson, I don't want you to talk conversion to my daughter.' I asked her why and she said, 'Well, because she has been baptized and joined the church, and I want her to marry so-and-so, and for her to be converted would spoil her social prospects.' The young man and his wife were a wealthy brewer, and that woman would sell her daughter's soul for wealth to him. You may lose your job if you take Christ.

"You may be employed by whisky interests, and if you have money invested in the business or own the building in which the business is done you will have to get out or you will lose Christ. Yes, accepting Christ is against it. It is antagonistic to that kind of prosperity. But it's Christ's way.

"NO TOMORROW" "You need to be saved, of course, but you think you can take your time to do it. Wait until after that coming-out dance. You think you have tomorrow. Young friend, you have not tomorrow. A cobbler in my country once hung a five-pound note in his window, under which he hung the words: 'If any man wants this note, let him come in tomorrow and he may have it. A day or two after, early in the morning, a rapping at the shop aroused the cobbler. He found a man asking for the note. He told him to read what the note said, and he read: 'If any man wants this note, let him come tomorrow.' Tomorrow is eternity.

"SUFFRAGE LEADERS OF CITY OFF TO STATE CONFERENCE" Delegation Goes to Harrisburg for Annual Meeting

Yellow "votes-for-women" ribbons and sunny suffrage flags gave a bright touch to a band of leading suffragists of this city that left today to attend the annual conference of the Pennsylvania Women's Suffrage party, in Harrisburg. They left for the State Capitol at 8:30 o'clock from Broad Street Station. The delegates from this city were Mrs. George H. Wobensmith, Miss Helena Guest, Miss Florence Williams, Mrs. John Frommeyer, Mrs. Susan Dally, Miss Ellen Winsor, Mrs. Frederick Drinker, Miss Sarah D. Chambers, Miss Mary Burnham and Mrs. Wilfred Lewis.

"WILLIAM HOWELL, JR., GRAIN MERCHANT, DEAD" One of the Oldest Members of Commercial Exchange

William Howell, Jr., for many years a prominent grain merchant in this city, died today at his home, 2218 St. James street, from pneumonia. He had been ill for 10 days.

"FOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION" HELP WANTED-FEMALE

ELECTROLYSIS-Wanted thoroughly competent woman for N. Y. office. M 848, Led-Cont.

LAUNDRESS-Thoroughly capable white woman to do chamberwork also; 5 in family. Permanent. Apply 1200 Locust St. Phone 2-10. Inwood av. Ardmore.

RENOVATOR-Expert, wanted for term contract with large steel company; give full particulars and refer. M 848, Ledger Cont.

HELP WANTED-MALE

BOY wanted to be 16 years old to run errands. M. Grossman, 1507 Market st.

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LAMP-LIGHTER'S LOVE IS REWARDED TODAY; WINS PRETTY BUT WEE BRIDE



Maria De Giacomo, 13-year-old Italian Girl, Wooded and Won as She Watched Man at His Daily Task. Wedding at Mater Dolorosa

The love songs he sang to her from the street below, and the smiles he gave her, won the heart of a little black-eyed, 13-year-old Italian maid, and today Maria De Giacomo became the bride of James Egnazzo, 3221 Almond street, a street lamplighter, who fell in love with the pretty child that flattened her nose against the window when he stopped in front of her house at twilight every day to light the lamp there. They were married this morning in the Mater Dolorosa Italian Catholic Church, Paul and Rowan streets, by the Rev. Cosmos Bini, Egnazzo is 25 years old, twice as old as his bride, but neither thinks anything of that or of the youth of the girl.

SPEAKER AMBLER MUM ON CHARGE OF TAKING CONTRACTS OF STATE

Will Prepare Reply, However, to Citizens' League Accusations—Campaign Quarters Opened Here

Issues First Statement

Charles A. Ambler, candidate for the Republican nomination for Auditor General, today refused to make a reply to the charges of the Porter-Winston Citizens' League that he accepted contracts in recent years from the State Highway Department, but he expects to prepare a statement and answer his accusers in two or three days.

"Only recently the Ambler-Davis Company has completed for the State Highway Department the following contracts for the construction of 'State and highways,' the roads which are built and paid for by the State and county jointly and under the supervision of the State Highway Department:

Contract No. 28, awarded May 15, 1914, to the Ambler-Davis Company, for 10,000 feet of road in Lancaster County, West Earl township, for the sum of \$24,000.

Contract No. 71, awarded June 16, 1914, to the Ambler-Davis Company, for 10,250 feet of road in Montgomery County, Abington township, for the sum of \$19,000.

Contract No. 2, awarded July 18, 1914, to the Ambler-Davis Company, for State road construction in Lancaster County, Warwick township, from the Manheim-Whitcomb road to the Warwick-Whitcomb road, for the sum of \$258,751.

"Furthermore, the Ambler-Davis Company's activities in State contracts have included efforts to secure many other contracts. This company has recently been a bidder on contracts for the construction of State aid highways. The said contracts having been awarded to others."

A permanent campaign committee, composed of personal and political friends of Speaker, Ambler today took charge of the campaign of the State-Vare-Brumback candidates.

Headquarters were opened in the Harrison Building, 15th and Market streets. They are in charge of a committee of Montgomery County citizens, headed by Theodore L. Boan. The committee was organized last night, and its first act was a counter-attack on the Citizens' League, which is supporting the candidacy of Senator Charles A. Snyder, of Schuylkill County, the Penrose candidate.

"The Montgomery County Ambler Committee will wage an open and honest campaign," said the committee in a formal statement, "and will take the public into its full confidence in every detail. It promises to use steel pigeons or postal hacks discarded by other parties, but will resort only to clean methods to win."

LETTER TO VOTERS

The committee addressed an open letter to the voters of the State asking them to support the Ambler candidacy. The letter was signed by the following men: CHARLES JOHNSON, insurance commissioner and treasurer of the Republican State Committee, Norristown.

FRANK V. CROTT, State Senator and manufacturer, Upper Merion.

WILLIAM D. HEIBNER, County Controller and manufacturer, Pottstown.

HORACE ZIEGLER, farmer, Ledarsville, Bloomsburg.

PERDIAND A. ALTENEDER, manufacturer, Bloomsburg.

ARTHUR M. JENKINS, banker, Ambler.

IRVING LUKENS, farmer, North Wales.

DR. ANDREW GODFREY, physician, Ambler.

JOHN W. STORR, banker, Pottstown.

GEORGE O'SHEA, County Commissioner, Dala, secretary.

PALMER BEGS HARMONY

A. Mitchell Palmer, Democratic National Committee man from Pennsylvania, today called upon both factions of the Democratic party in this State to send a united and harmonious delegation to the St. Louis convention. He voiced party harmony as the result of a conference held here late yesterday, at which the delegates' situation and the selection of candidates for United States Senator and for the State ticket were discussed.

Little Girl Seriously Burned

Four-year-old Louise Falco was seriously burned in the kitchen of her home, 2113 West Stella street today, when a newspaper with which she was playing ignited when she walked too close to the stove and the mother who was sweeping the front porch at the time beat the flames out with her hands. The child was taken to the Samaritan Hospital, where she is in a serious condition. The mother was also treated for burns of the hands.

POLICE AND FIREMEN BACK IN POLITICS, SAYS REPUBLICAN LEAGUE

Employees of Director Wilson's Department Returning to "Old Practices," Letter Asserts

PORTER ISSUES CHARGE

The police and firemen, under Director of Public Safety William H. Wilson, are returning to "old practices" and are again participating in politics, according to the Citizens' Republican League, which made the charges today.

By making the charges the league, which recently was organized as an annex to the Penrose machine, showed that Penrose is determined to attack the Smith-Vare administration from every possible angle.

The league charged that the police and firemen are being forced to join political clubs and that many of them are being harassed for refusing to do so. The Citizens' Republican League learns from unquestionably reliable sources that the employees of Director Wilson's department are being virtually compelled to return to "old practices."

The league has accordingly addressed the following letter to Director Wilson, but as yet has had no reply: William H. Wilson, Esq., Director of Public Safety, Philadelphia.

Dear Sir:—From the information coming to us from employees in the Department of Public Safety, it is quite apparent that there is a concerted attempt on the part of certain politicians to revive the old practice of compelling city employees to resume their membership in political clubs.

We do not wish to infer that this pernicious system is being revived with your knowledge or sanction, but we do feel that if the public declarations of the Mayor mean what they say, some steps should be taken to stop this practice. In some cases attempts are being made to collect dues unpaid during the previous administration. Manifestly, this is unjust and a hardship.

It is reasonable which you will perfectly understand, the complainants cannot appear, as they would be subject, as you well know, to persecution. This will handicap you, however, as the facilities of your office for securing this information are far superior to ours.

We trust you will issue and enforce the proper orders to stop this abuse. Yours very truly, POWELL EVANS, Chairman.

Director Wilson said today he would answer the letter at a later date.

CLINGS TO SKYLIGHT AND SAVES HIS CHILD

Father Slips on Icy Roof While Fleeing With Family at Germantown Fire

Thrilling escapes over roofs and a father saving his 4-year-old child from death by holding to the iron frame of a skylight after he had fallen through the glass were features of an early morning fire today, which swept the store of Joseph Schwartz, 2856 Germantown avenue.

Schwartz, his wife and three children, John, Abraham and Esther, were asleep on upper floors, when Patrolman Hensan discovered that a fire was in progress in the shop. The policeman turned in an alarm and returned to warn the inmates.

He, with patrolman Wiegand, aroused the family by this time and the flames cut off escape through the shop, so the policemen helped the family get over the roofs and reach safety by way of the shoe store of George Westenberg, at 2860 Germantown avenue.

William Muller, proprietor of a shop next to the Schwartz's, seized his 4-year-old child, Sarah, and with his wife also made their way over a roof to Westenberg's store.

Muller slipped on the icy roof and fell through the skylight. He was suspended by his arm from an iron grating, still holding the child, until rescued by neighbors. The damage to Schwartz's store was \$2000, and to that of Fred Mussen, 2854 Germantown avenue, next door, \$700. The origin of the fire is not known.

Martine Won't Run for Delegate

WASHINGTON, March 7. — Senator Martine today announced that in view of his Senatorial candidacy he would not run for delegate-at-large to the Democratic National Convention. He urged the renomination of President Wilson.

Man Dies in the Snow

The body of Frederick Seward, 45 years old, partially covered by snow, was found near Beach street and Fairmount avenue, early today by a pedestrian. It was taken to the Roosevelt Hospital, where it was found the man had died of heart disease. The police are searching for his relatives. The body is at the Morgue.

Rich Richards Almanac

You cannot phone all of Philadelphia's 18,000 income tax-payers every morning, but you can talk to them daily in the Public Ledger.

THREE WOMEN EXPIRE SUDDENLY IN CAMDEN

Old Age, Acute Indigestion and Heart Disease Cause of Death

Three women died suddenly in Camden within the last 24 hours. One of them was found dead in bed this morning, another died from acute indigestion while at the breakfast table, and the third was found dead in a chair last night when her son and his wife returned to their home from a theatre.

Mrs. Mary Goodman, 69 years old, suddenly stopped eating her breakfast in her home at 1904 Walnut street, this morning and asked for a glass of water. Before she could drink it, however, she fell over in the chair—dead from acute indigestion.

Mrs. Mary E. Nichols, 56 years old, was found dead from heart disease in her bed at her home, at Locust and Pine streets, this morning, by her daughter. The other woman, who died from old age while her son and his wife were at a theatre last night, was Mrs. Margaret Straub, 83 years old, of 27 South 4th street.

Coroner Schoderer investigated the deaths and pronounced them due to natural causes.

PLAN BOYS' SCHOOL FOR INCORRIGIBLES

Applicants for Principal Examined—May Start Work Shortly

A school for boys who are incorrigible in the ordinary school discipline is now likely to become a fact in Philadelphia. An oral examination for the principalship of the school was held today by the Board of Education in its offices in the Stock Exchange Building, and three applicants were examined by Dr. George Washington Flourens, chief examiner of the Board of Education.

The building of the school has been acquired for years in this city, which is said to be the only city of any considerable size without such an institution. A site in Byberry at Byberry and Knight's roads, was purchased a year ago for \$20,000, but nothing more has been heard of the school until today.

The chief agitator of the scheme has been the Juvenile Court. The idea is to send incorrigible boys there, not as to a reformatory, but to a place where they will have home refinement, but at the same time, will be confined under strict discipline. There will be farm and air work. It will be for a class of boys between good and bad and will be called a "parental school."

It is understood that the principal will receive a higher salary than that of the ordinary public school principal, and that the successful applicant must be a high-grade man, understanding thoroughly the handling of boys.

The three applicants for the position today were: Cornelius J. Walter, principal of the Meade School, 18th and Gwynn streets; Albert W. Dudley, principal of the James L. Claghorn School, 17th street and Susquehanna street; and George W. Bickel, principal of the Alexander L. McKim School, 6th street and Alexander L. McKim Park avenue. No announcement was made for two weeks as to the successful applicant.

There was no definite statement as to the building of the school, but it was felt by those boosting the scheme that the successful applicant will select a building of the school will not be much longer.

Woman Arrested on Bigamy Charge

Mrs. Mildred Frances Long was arrested today at 6543 Saybrook avenue by Detective Walsh at the request of the Bull mouth police, accused of Bigamy.

Advertisement for Bert Williams Columbia Records. Features a portrait of Bert Williams and a Columbia Gramophone. Text includes: 'Bert Williams will keep you and a houseful of folks in a roar to-night or any night you want to get rid of gloom—if you have his exclusive Columbia Records.' 'That sad, sleepy, Southern coon-drawl of his in "I'm Neutral," "Nobody," "Indoor Sports" or "Never Mo" is as funny as all the well-known Williams brand of humor. Get these and other Bert Williams records and put him on as a headliner in your "home vaudeville" bill of.' 'And if you want to "bury the blues," invite these other Columbia artists to the wake: Weber and Fields, Frank Tinney, Al Jolson, Irene Franklin, Nat Wills, Raymond Hitchcock and enough other stars to cause a riot if Broadway could hear them all together. You can—just get their records.' 'Stick around to-night, instead of taking in a show—and have the biggest show of your life without taking a step from home. Any Columbia dealer will gladly "assist"—just get the nearest one on the wire and give him the bill you want.' 'New records on sale the 20th of every month. Columbia Records in all foreign languages. This advertisement dictated to the Dictaphone.'

Advertisement for Pennsylvania R.R. Sunday Outings. Text includes: 'SUNDAY OUTINGS. FROM MARKET STREET WHARF. \$1.00. Atlantic City, Wildwood, Hally Beach, Anglers, Wildwood Crest. SUNDAYS. Atlantic City 7:30 A.M.; Wildwood 7:30 A.M. FROM BROAD STREET STATION. \$2.00. The Monumental City 7:55 A.M. \$2.50. Washington. SUNDAYS, March 13, April 18, May 14. Pennsylvania R.R.'

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