

HOUSE IN AN UPROAR OVER PLAN TO MAKE MILITIA "REGULARS" Amendment to Put Guardsmen Under Same Obligations as Federal Soldiers Beaten ARMY BILL IN SENATE

WASHINGTON, March 22.—The expected storm in the House over the clause of the Hay bill providing Federal control of the National Guard broke today. Representative Tilson, of Connecticut, a member of the Hay committee, offered an amendment designed to place guardsmen under the same obligations as regular soldiers. The amendment would force men entering the militia to take the oath administered in the army.

Members all over the chamber leaped to their feet, ready to attack the constitutionality of the proposed federalization of the militia. Mr. Tilson then explained that his amendment would remove one argument against presidential control of the citizen soldiery.

Chairman Hay opposed the amendment on the ground that it was unnecessary. An oath for militia men already provided, he said, the framers of the Constitution had intended the National Guard as a national not a State force. The amendment was lost, no record of the vote being taken.

LITERARY BURGLAR ESCAPES WITH LOOT AFTER FEAST

Enjoys Dinner and Book Before Fleeing With Silverware and Gems

A burglar of literary taste is visiting the city. He is also somewhat of an epicure. He believes that a good dinner is essential to good work. He called at the home of Mrs. Mary E. LaDow, 615 North 12th street, last night while she was at church and first of all visited the commissary department.

Three Cronos Indictments

CHICAGO, March 22.—Three indictments, charging assault with intent to kill and murder, have been returned in the Criminal Court by the Grand Jury against Jean Cronos, accused of attempting to poison guests at the banquet given Archbishop Mundelein. Caplases for his arrest were issued and his bonds fixed at \$75,000. Cronos still is at large.

Towns Destroyed by Prairie Fires

TOPEKA, Kan., March 22.—According to reports reaching News City, the town of Urica, in western Kansas, has been destroyed as a result of prairie fires. Scott City received reports that the town of Modica, west of Urica, also has been destroyed.

THE WEATHER

Official Forecast

WASHINGTON, March 22.—For eastern Pennsylvania: Snow in north and west, snow or rain in southeast portion tonight; colder; Thursday and partly cloudy; northeast to northwest gales.

U. S. Weather Bureau Bulletin

Table with columns for location, temperature, wind, and weather conditions. Includes cities like Allentown, Altoona, and Philadelphia.

ASK BALA-CYNWYD TUNNEL

Removal of Railroad Gates Fails to Placate Residents The members of the Bala-Cynwyd Neighborhood Club, a civic association of the double suburb, held a meeting last night in the Union Fire House to discuss what steps should be taken in connection with the recent action of the Pennsylvania Railroad in removing the gates that permitted the residents to cross at the two stations.

What the residents want is tunnels connecting the two sides of both stations. One member last night said the 32 steps at the Bala station were too much for him to climb, and his doctor had advised him to stop climbing. Another young woman, suffering from a broken leg, was brought home, and of the inconvenience in carrying her up the stairs.

NICHOLSON ATTACKS JOYLESS CHRISTIANS

"Pleasure-Loving" Philadelphia Is Also Assailed by Evangelist in Darby Tabernacle "A joyless Christian is like a piano out of tune or a dislocated limb," declared Evangelist William P. Nicholson while preaching this afternoon in the Nicholson-Hemming tabernacle in Darby. And at the same time he assailed "pleasure-loving" Philadelphia for trying to find joy "without following the teachings of God and the Bible."

There was a good attendance, and the preacher was frequently applauded when he hammered home some of his strong punches against sin. In opening his sermon, Mr. Nicholson said that "the Bible says 'be joyful in the Lord,' not 'happy in the Lord.' We cannot always be happy, but we may always be joyful," he continued. "Happiness depends on what happens. Joy is independent of either disposition or circumstances."

"There is a large place in God's word given to joy. But we find the Bible in black cloth churches have dim light and many hymns are sad and are sung in a minor key. What a slander on Christianity! If God gives such a large place to joy, we should have a lot of sadness there is among Christians!" "There is no cause for this sadness," said the evangelist. "But, instead, there is all the reason for joy on the part of Christians. Many lives have been written over them 'The Glory Departed.' They once had the joy of the Lord, but they have backslidden."

Marriage Licenses Issued at Elkton

ELKTON, Md., March 22.—Marriage licenses were issued today to Harry L. Cuthbert, Jr., and Laura M. Fricks; Michael J. Katz and Anna Egrealt; Thomas A. Gangei and Anna Bonelli, all of Philadelphia; Harold B. Thompson and Florence A. Lantz, and Alvin J. Haffner and Winifred J. Lynch, all of Camden, N. J.; Frank C. Brown and Mary A. Smith, Mt. Holly, N. J.; Ralph E. Gill and Allmena Harkins, Parkersburg, Pa.; Thomas A. Anderson and Nellie Barr, Newark, Del.; Harry A. Hyland and Mary E. Ellsworth, Havre de Grace, Md.

TODAY'S MARRIAGE LICENSES

Benjamin (1st), 2959 Kater st., and Viola (1st), 2959 Kater st.; Julius Silver, 1027 S. 23d st., and Ethel Feldman, 1045 S. 5th st.; Benjamin J. Camden, N. J., and Julia E. M. Black, Camden, N. J.; Alexander, N. J., and Annie J. Dampier, Germantown; Samuel Kier, N. J., corner 10th and South sts., and Anna Lipschutz, 254 N. 2d st.; George F. Brownholtz, Germantown, and Harriet A. Liebman, Germantown; Joseph T. W. Kane, 1275 S. Ringgold st., and Henrietta C. Gertrude, Philadelphia; August Lee, 2113 Naudain st., and Mary Hawkins, 208th and Lombard st.; Arthur W. Buehman, 871 N. 25th st., and Helen S. Wood, 627 S. 23d st.; Hartz S. Wood, 627 S. 23d st.; Edward B. Washington, D. C., and Esther Kessler, Washington, D. C.; and Annie Medfisch, 435 S. 18th st.; Roland M. Bickerstaff, Jr., R. F. D. 224 and Hanson st., and Mary M. Green, 224 and Edward H. York, Jr., Ardmore, Pa., and Elizabeth C. Anderson, Haverford, Pa.; and Edmund S. McLawley, Haverford, Pa., and Margaret Y. Bernard, 2502 Du Laney st.



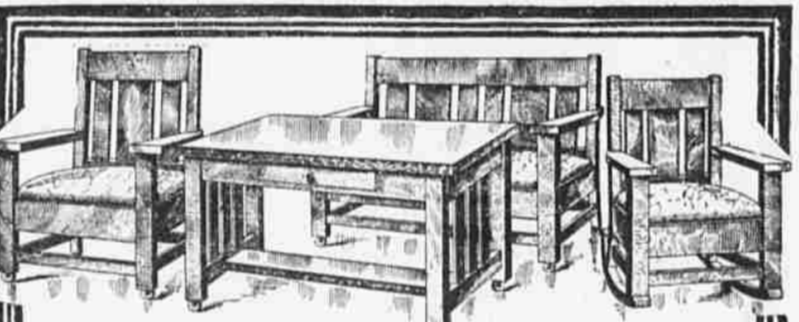
MRS. ELOISE ENGLISH

The wife of Arthur English, whom she shot and killed in self-defense in their lonely mountain home at Indian Springs, seven miles west of Frederick, Md., on March 17. Attended by her stepson, Thomas Dunn English, she was present with her sons, Hugh and Edgar, at the funeral of the dead man.

BORAH NOT A CANDIDATE

Senator Says in Letter He Does Not Seek Presidency

WASHINGTON, March 22.—In a letter to a Republican club in Atlanta, Senator Borah says that he is not a candidate for President. He deprecated the manner of selecting Republican delegates from the Southern States and advised that the party there make itself strong by electing delegates without consideration of patronage.



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SEIZURE OF SECURITIES DRAWS U. S. PROTEST

Britons Had No Right to Take Bonds From Ships, Page Tells Them

LONDON, March 22.—Protest against the seizure of United States securities was made to the Foreign Office today by Walter H. Page, the American Ambassador. Mr. Page declared that he was acting in behalf of the American owners of the securities and set up the claim that the British Government had no right to hold up the stocks and bonds, because they constituted a bona fide neutral consignment.

The American Ambassador said he would call at the Foreign Office on Thursday for a definite answer to his protest. It is estimated that between \$12,000,000 and \$15,000,000 worth of American securities have been seized by England on ships. The excuse given was that the British Foreign Office suspected that some of the owners of the stocks and bonds were Germans.

SISTERHOOD TO GIVE DANCE

Beth-El Congregation to Have Series of Entertainments

A dinner, to be followed by a dance, will be held tonight in the assembly rooms of the Sisterhood of Beth-El Congregation, 28th and Walnut streets. This is one of a series of entertainments planned by the Sisterhood, which consists of the women members of the synagogue. The younger women will act as waitresses and will be costumed as Dutch peasant girls.

Roses

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Look for Arbitration at Paterson

PATERSON, N. J., March 22.—That the threatened strike of Paterson's 25,000 silk operatives in their campaign for a nine-hour working day will probably be settled by arbitration was the opinion expressed last night by Louis Magnet, secretary of the Brotherhood of American Silk Workers, and others conversant with the situation. The Brotherhood, through which more than 5000 ribbon weavers made their demand for a shorter day, has already been assured that the manufacturers will accede to their demand that the question be arbitrated.

Trade Board for Phoenixville

PHOENIXVILLE, Pa., March 22.—Business men here will meet Wednesday night, March 23, and organize a Board of Trade. The many advantages possessed by Phoenixville have drawn a number of important industries here, and it is felt that the publicity an active trade body would give the city should bring additional plants. The organization of the board is in charge of a committee composed of M. F. Hackett, Amos Gotwals, Herbert Acker, Samuel Deininger, William Englemeyer and Thomas E. O'Connell.

\$27,000 for Highway's Right of Way

MILFORD, Del., March 22.—The purchase of the 270-acre farm of William Isaac Simpson, a wealthy resident of this town, by General T. Coleman du Pont, gives the entire right of way for the duPont Boulevard from Selbyville to Milford, the entire length of Sussex County, with the exception of that across the farm of Frederick Whitehead, near Lincoln City, for which negotiations are pending. The price paid for the Simpson farm was \$27,000.



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