

COURT RULING GIVES WOMEN OF STREET CHANCE FOR REFORM

Oriady's Decision Transfers Cases of Unfortunates to Misdemeanors' Division of Municipal Bench

MRS. RIPPIN PLEASSED



MRS. NORMAN MAC LEOD

It is not often that additional work is responsible for rejecting, but up in the misdemeanors' branch of the Municipal Court today there is much jubilation as the result of the recent decision of Judge Oriady...

This decision means that every woman who since the repeal of the 1915 amendment of the Municipal Court act, following an order of Director of Public Safety Wilson...

DON'T MIND EXTRA LABOR

"But, of course, we do not mind the extra work," Mrs. Rippin said enthusiastically. "We are only too glad to be able once more to follow the cases of these unfortunate women and do what we can for them..."

"They were literally outcasts of society; there was no one to look after them. When their sentences had been served they came out again and were forced back into the old way of living in order to support themselves. Or, if they were fined and did not have the money, they borrowed at high rates from unscrupulous men, perhaps, and were forced right back on the street again in order to pay the fine."

WOMEN ADVOCATES PLEASSED

Mrs. Norman MacLeod, who was a member of a committee of women which has fought tooth and nail to get the cases of these women out of the hands of the magistrates, expressed her satisfaction at the Municipal Court decision.

"It is hard for me to express the great pleasure," she said, "that I have had ever since I heard of the successful outcome of the litigation of the Superior Court. I have read only extracts from Judge Oriady's opinion, but I understand that he fixes once and for all the fact that the Municipal Court has exclusive jurisdiction over the cases of fallen women and that the jurisdiction which heretofore existed in the Magistrates has been taken away. This to my mind is a very great step in the advance in sociological reform."

It not only does away with the evils which have been so freely commented on in the past, but fixes definitely the fact that these women will be dealt with in a broad, hopeful and Christian-like spirit. It will also make it possible for the Municipal Court to use the Industrial Home for Women now being erected at Muncy instead of the House of Correction. The women of the State have fought for years for the establishment of this home for women, and it is an added source of pleasure that the Municipal Court, which is the leader in this moral work, should be the first in the

State which can make use of this institution. I feel sure that all the women associated with me on the committee in connection with the Misdemeanors' Court will also rejoice."

GOOD THING, SAYS WRIGLEY

Magistrate Wrigley was asked his opinion of the decision. "I think it is a good thing," he said. "The Municipal Court will turn these women over to societies, who will take care of them and no doubt some of these women will be reclaimed. I have never had any such cases as these before me, so I only know of them by hearing and reading of them."

HIS APPOINTMENT VOID, WANTS CITY JOB BACK

Court Reserves Decision on Tangle Over Electrical Bureau Man Who Was Discharged

President Judge Martin and Judge Staake, in Common Pleas Court No. 5 today, reserved decision after hearing argument in a suit regarding the right of reinstatement to municipal employ of persons discharged because their original appointment was void.

The issue was raised in an action brought by R. Francis Wood, a taxpayer, against the Civil Service Commissioners, Director of Public Safety Wilson and Joseph Stinson. The last named had been originally appointed a fireman in the Bureau of City Property November 13, 1907, without examination, under the clause exempting soldiers and soldiers' children from such competitive test.

On behalf of the taxpayer it was argued today that the reinstatement was void because Stinson had not qualified under the rules governing the position at the time of his reinstatement. Combating this position, Assistant City Solicitors Lowenrund and Magee contended that Stinson, being a fireman in service, could not be discharged lawfully without trial and conviction, and that, having been for eight years actually and de facto so engaged in the municipal service his reinstatement was proper and legal, irrespective of the right or propriety of his previous attempted discharge.

SOLDIER'S WIFE KILLED; TRAIN STRIKES AUTO

Mrs. S. W. Shetron Victim—Mechanical Expert Hurt in Crash in Dauphin Narrows

HARRISBURG, Oct. 24.—Mrs. S. Wilbur Shetron, wife of Corporal Shetron, of Troop C, First Pennsylvania Cavalry, at Adams, was killed, and Thomas G. Adams, of Harrisburg, was perhaps fatally injured when an automobile in which they were riding was struck by a Pennsylvania freight train at a grade crossing in the Dauphin Narrows today.

Adams said he thought the watchman signaled him to cross. The watchman said he waved him back. The automobile was smashed and the pilot of the locomotive was killed. The car was owned by Adams, who is chief mechanical inspector for an industrial company, with headquarters in this city.

SLASHED IN CABARET ROW

Sixty-six Stitches Required to Mend Patron's Head—Proprietor and Waiters Arrested

An argument with a waiter caused a riot shortly after midnight in a cabaret adjoining the saloon of Owen McGoldrick, Seventeenth and Market streets, in which Anthony Brookey, 3112 St. James street, was severely cut and the proprietor and two waiters arrested by the police. Sixty-six stitches were taken in Brookey's head at the Medico-Chirurgical Hospital.

Brookey, who was in the place with his wife, Mrs. Marjorie Brookey, had an argument with Samuel Camarto, 227 1/2 South Eighth street, one of the waiters. A fight followed, Brookey being attacked by several of the waiters. It is said, armed with knives, Sergeant Penn and Special Police-men McCullough and Malone, of the Fifteenth and Vine streets, responding to a riot call, arrested McGoldrick, Camarto and Peter Lyman, 1207 Green street, another waiter. They were held under \$1500 bail for a further hearing by Magistrate Tracy.



ATTENDING CLUB CONVENTION

Snapshot portraits of some of the women who are taking part in the State Federation's meeting in this city. In order, from the top, are Miss M. I. Smith, Mrs. F. B. Gilbert, Mrs. F. R. Otto and Mrs. W. T. Good, of Williamsport.

Hit by Auto He Tried to Avoid

BORDENTOWN, N. J., Oct. 24.—While attempting to get out of the way of an automobile here last night, Yavella Kasbon, of this place, was struck and badly injured. He is at St. Francis Hospital at Trenton and is not expected to recover.

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GIVE NATION'S IDEALS TO IMMIGRANTS, SAYS CLUB WOMEN'S CHIEF

Mrs. Ronald P. Gleason, State President, Urges Need of Helping Adopted Citizens Upon Convention

BIG PROBLEM FOR STATE

Mrs. Ronald P. Gleason, president of the State Federation of Pennsylvania Women, made a stirring appeal for better Americans in an address before the convention of that body in the Chestnut Street Baptist Church, Fortieth and Chestnut streets, today.

"The great need in all this country is for better Americans," said Mrs. Gleason. "If it is imperative in States that are homogeneous, where only one language is spoken, where virtually every one has the same ideals of citizenship, where every one shares the same history and the names of Washington and Lincoln make a common appeal, what can be said of such need in Pennsylvania, where we have a confusion of tongues and customs, and where thousands upon thousands understand nothing of our ideals of citizenship?"

Republicans Active in Camden County Three Republican rallies were held last night in Camden County. One meeting was held at the First Ward Republican Club, one at Sutton's Hall, Collingswood, and the other at Haddon Heights.

CUPID'S FAKE AGENT HELD FOR MAIL FRAUD

Young Farmer Charged With Swindling Men Through Matrimonial Scheme

READING, Pa., Oct. 24.—Accused of fleecing scores of men all over the country out of several hundred dollars by means of a fake matrimonial scheme, Daniel O. Schaller, a young farmer of Auburn, near here, was arrested on a warrant issued by United States Commissioner Maltsberger, of this city. The charge is using the mails to defraud. After a hearing he was held in \$1000 bail for a hearing in the United States District Court at Philadelphia.

The prosecution was brought about by Postal Inspector R. G. Gibbons, of Philadelphia. Schaller's scheme was to insert an advertisement in a matrimonial paper published in Fort Madison, Iowa, setting forth that a pretty girl of eighteen years, with a college education and shortly to inherit a fortune, wanted a husband.

DIES IN MOTORCYCLE CRASH

Man's Neck Broken When Machine Hits Pole; Friend Hurt

QUAKERTOWN, Pa., Oct. 24.—Harvey Hendricks, thirty-five years old, is dead, and Charles Henry has severe cuts on the body and a broken shoulder blade as the result of a motorcycle accident near Brick Tavern Inn last night.

Hendricks, owner of the machine, invited Henry to go with him for a pleasure ride and they were on their way to their homes here when Hendricks lost control of his machine, which ran headlong into a telephone pole, hurling Hendricks into the air. He was cut on the head and his neck was broken. He died several hours later.

KILLS RIVAL IN LOVE IN WOMAN'S PRESENCE

Man Driven to Murder When Munitions Maker Wins Handsome Widow

MILTON, Pa., Oct. 24.—Thomas Thompson shot Homer Reynolds, of New Berlin, through the neck as he was at dinner in a restaurant with Mrs. Arthur Coup, a handsome widow, killing him instantly. Jealousy is given as the cause. Thompson is in jail without bail.



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