

NIGHT EXTRA

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LIGHTS OF CITY WILL BLINK OUT ELECTION NEWS

Four Flashes, Hughes Wins; Five, Wilson Is Re-elected

EVENING LEDGER TO GIVE INFORMATION

1,600,000 to Watch for Result as Returns Are Gathered

ELECTRICAL CHIEF HELPS

City Arc Lights Will Blink Election Result

THE EVENING LEDGER has arranged to have the 16,000 street arc lights of Philadelphia announce the result of the presidential election to the entire city Tuesday night by a series of blinks.

The news of the election of a President will be blinked over Philadelphia's wide area with the co-operation of Chief McLaughlin, of the Electrical Bureau and of officials of the Philadelphia Electric Company. The EVENING LEDGER'S blink code follows:

Election of Charles Evans Hughes—four blinks. Re-election of Woodrow Wilson—five blinks. At midnight, if election is in doubt, three blinks. Get on the band wagon and become a blink fan right away.

The EVENING LEDGER will blink the presidential election results to every man, woman and child in Philadelphia Tuesday night.

If Charles Evans Hughes comes in a winner in the race for the highest public office in the land every one of the 16,000 or more electric arc lights within the city limits will blink four Republican blinks—that is, the lights will go off for a fraction of a second, and come on again. This will be repeated until the entire arc lighting system of the city has blinked four times, just as a human eyelid blinks when the owner desires to flash a humorous signal to another human.

If Woodrow Wilson is re-elected arc lights throughout the city from Bustleton to South Philadelphia, and from Delaware avenue to the most western limits of West Philadelphia will blink five Democratic blinks.

If at midnight the election is in doubt the city's arc lights will communicate this fact to the citizens of Philadelphia by blinking three times.

It will be the first time in the world's history that the lighting system of a great city has been employed to convey to everybody the news of a momentous national event. It will be the first time in the history of the United States that 1,600,000

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CHIEFS OF CAR STRIKE HELD IN NEW YORK FOR DYNAMITE CONSPIRACY

Union's Financial Secretary, His Assistant and Business Agent Among Those Accused of Planting Bomb

POLICE RECITE DETAILS

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—Six men—five of them traction strikers, and one financial secretary of the Carmen's Union—were arrested today and accused of wrecking with dynamite the subway station at 110th street and Lenox avenue October 24.

According to the police, the union official, Michael L. Herlihy, confessed that a violence fund had been raised. The plans of the men, it is alleged, included the destruction of the Times square and Fifty-ninth street subway stations.

A seventh conspirator is sought, the police say.

It was established that all of the prisoners but Thomas McGuire were officers or Local Number 371 of the Amalgamated Association of Electric and Street Railway Employees. Captain Tunney, of the Detective Bureau, said: They are Benjamin Hamilton, business secretary; George Pollock, assistant financial secretary; Clarence Kalle, secretary; and James Marcus, a member of the executive committee, and Michael J. Herlihy, McGuire is a chauffeur.

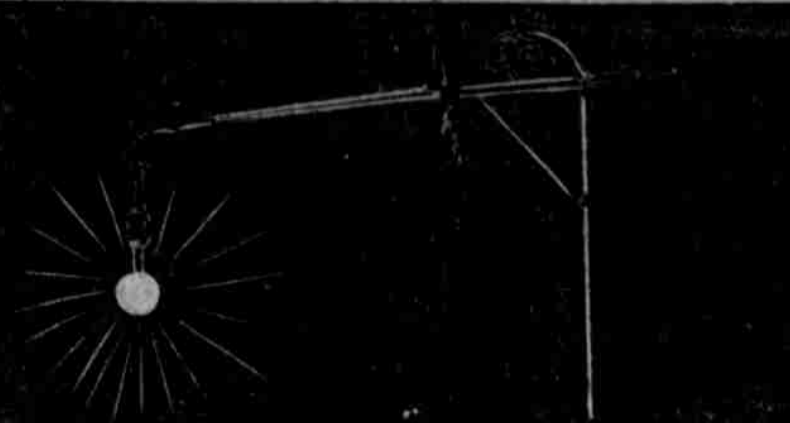
The police said Hamilton was business agent of a local of the street car workers' union, Pollock assistant financial secretary and Kalle secretary.

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Leaves \$17,000 Estate to Widow

Will probated today were those of Joseph T. Hill, who died recently in the Germantown Hospital, leaving to his widow an estate valued at \$17,000; Henry C. Lowrey, 4225 Market street, \$7900; Dr. Matthew Woods, Methodist Hospital, \$4800; Barbara Geiser, 1218 East Ontario street, \$4100; Elizabeth Price, Twelfth and Race streets, \$3400; Anton Gesta, 2524 North Lawrence street, \$1950; and Bridget Whal, St. Agnes' Hospital, \$2200. The personalty of the estate of Milton C. Krueger has been appraised at \$25,422.87; Mary T. Burroughs, \$22,922.12; and Thomas T. Lyng, \$12,422.75.

"BLINKS" WILL SHOW WHO'S ELECTED



HUGHES (4 BLINKS) - WILSON (5 BLINKS) DOUBTFUL (3 BLINKS)



Just watch the nearest electric light, and as soon as the result is known the EVENING LEDGER, by arrangement with the Philadelphia Electric Company, will flash to you who has been elected President of the United States. If Charles Evans Hughes, the Republican candidate, wins, every electric light used in illumination of Philadelphia's streets will blink four times. If Woodrow Wilson is re-elected, the lights all over the city will blink five times. If the result is in doubt, the lights will blink three times at irregular intervals until a decision is reached. It makes no difference in what section of Philadelphia you live, you can learn the election results without leaving your home and without the trouble of calling up a newspaper by watching the electric light in front of your home.

CLASS ANTAGONISMS LAID TO PRESIDENT IN ADDRESS BY HUGHES

Wilson Assailed in New York State for Special Legislation: A Plea for the Common Good

A MUSHROOM PROSPERITY

KINGSTON, N. Y., Nov. 3.—Charles Evans Hughes, speaking before large crowds here and at Hudson today, hammered hard at the Wilson Administration for stirring up class antagonism by special legislation. He also assailed the Administration vigorously for failing to take adequate steps to protect American labor and industry from European competition after the war.

"We can have success in the future despite the keenness of the competition to which I have referred if we will have sound governmental policies, a broad vision, a correct attitude," he said. "Nobody need talk to me about class antagonism who does the best he can to stir it up. I do not believe in any development of bitterness among us. We cannot stand that. We have got to have a common prosperity or we will have none at all. We have got to work together for our mutual interests or we will have no results in the way of progress at all."

Mr. Hughes again used the recent statement of Chairman Hurley, of the Federal Trade Commission, warning against European competition after the war to combat the President's Cincinnati speech in which he declared Europe would be so wasted economically that it would be unable to compete with the United States commercially.

AFTER-WAR COMPETITION "I agree with what Mr. Hurley says as to the necessity of organization and efficiency, which, it seems to me, he should have reached. Because we may have a very high degree of efficiency, and we should develop it to the utmost; and we may have the best possible organization, and we should do far more than we have done to encourage it, and still we may be unable to compete with Europe where there is at least an equal organization and equal efficiency," he said. "But there will come into play other factors in connection with our prosperity which we must have in mind. The price of labor is a very important factor, as you all know, and if with equal efficiency and organization the nations of Europe can command labor at

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COPS' RUSE TRAPS ACTOR

Two Pose as Theatrical Agents and Arrest Vaudeville Man on Charge of Abducting Girl

Two detectives, looking for an actor wanted on a charge of abduction, found him, gained entrance to his apartments by posing as theatrical agents, heard him sing several songs and then told him he was "booked for City Hall." The man swore, the fourteen-year-old girl who was with him screamed, then fainted.

Charles E. Wheatly is a twenty-seven-year-old vaudeville actor, from Carrollton, O. The girl found with him is Martha Weaver, from the same town. She is his sister-in-law. He is accused of eloping with her two months after marrying seventeen-year-old Nellie Stewart. Detective Gold and Harrington found them last night at an apartment at Fifty-second and Chestnut streets. The actor is booked up in City Hall. He sits in the House of Detention, 12422-75.

VILLA GAINS 2000 MEN IN CAPTURE OF PARRAL; FEARS FOR AMERICANS

Carranza Garrison Joins Bandit Cause as Chihuahua Town Falls—Officers Put to Death

REFUGEES TELL STORY

JUAREZ, Mex., via El Paso, Tex., Nov. 3.—Villa has captured Parral and the entire Carranzista garrison, numbering more than 2000 men, has enlisted under his leadership, according to refugees reaching here early today from Chihuahua City.

General Herrera, the Parral commandant, and several officers were executed by Villa, the refugees stated.

News of the fate of nine Americans known to have been in Parral is anxiously awaited here. It is feared that they may have been killed in fulfillment of Villa's reported vow to shoot all Americans on whom he can lay his hands.

Torreon, it is believed, will be the next objective of the Villistas.

The train which brought the refugees here is the first to arrive from Chihuahua City since Monday, when the Villistas tore up tracks and burned bridges on the railroad between here and there. The railroad has been repaired, but 400 Villistas under General Salazar are operating along the line and attacks upon other trains which may be coming here are feared.

Carranza soldiers in large numbers are protecting all passenger trains to prevent repetition of the hold-up of Monday, when the twenty-nine soldiers were killed and all passengers lined up and robbed. The troop trains preceded the passenger today. No Villistas were seen on the way.

Guerrilla fighting is taking place daily north of Chihuahua, the refugees said. They declare that the plight of the city is desperate, that food is badly needed and that the inhabitants who have been compelled to remain behind are in a state of panic because of the Villistas.

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AIR TRIP TO NEW YORK FASTEST ON RECORD

Carlstrom Makes Journey From Chicago in 8 Hours 37 Minutes' Flying Time

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—Victor Carlstrom swooped down from the sky today, landed on Governors Island and ended his lightning-like journey from Chicago. He had hung up a new American piston record yesterday, and had made his journey at an average speed of more than 110 miles an hour.

His actual flying time for the journey of about 975 miles was 8 hours 27 minutes. He left Chicago at 6:59 yesterday morning. Carlstrom averaged 127 miles an hour on the last leg of his flight. A stiff wind blew at his back all the way. Officials of the Aero Club of America, commenting on this feature, declared that so far as official records show it is the fastest time ever made by an airplane.

Little more than a week he sailed near tomorrow's Atlantic, but before 3 p. m. after quitting Memphis, Tenn., 212 miles away, at 1:15 a. m. He started again upon his journey today. It may be some more to cross the South Polar Continent.

CADORNA DEALS CRUSHING BLOW TO FOE'S LINES

Austrian Casualties Estimated at 20,000, Rome Hears

ARTILLERY RESUMES DEVASTATING WORK

Battle Grows in Fury as "Key to Trieste" Is Attacked

REGIMENT ANNIHILATED

Teutons' Trenches Penetrated One and a Half Miles on Two-Mile Front

ROME, Nov. 3.—Consecutive waves of Italian infantry are crashing against the Austrian lines south of Gorizia in one of the most powerful blows struck by General Cadorna since Italy entered the war.

The battle is extending southward to the Adriatic. The Italians are attacking Austrian lines southwest of Duino, an important railway point called by some military writers the key to Trieste.

The opinion prevails here that General Cadorna is preparing to strike a death blow.

Heavy losses were inflicted upon the Austro-Hungarians in the first stage of the new offensive, which began on Wednesday. Official dispatches say that the Twenty-first Regiment of Austro-Hungarian Landwehr troops was completely annihilated.

Austro-Hungarian losses in the battles southeast of Gorizia on Wednesday are estimated at 20,000 by the correspondent of the Messaggero at the front. The dispatch adds that 100 Austro-Hungarian battalions took part in the fighting.

The Austro-Hungarian lines were pierced at several points on the Carso plateau. At one point the Italians penetrated a mile and a half across a front of two miles.

Seven infantry brigades and two regiments of Bersaglieri were thrown against the Austro-Hungarian positions southeast of Gorizia. The attack was particularly directed against Hill No. 207 and 208, both of which were captured by storm.

Following up the first attacks, however, the Italians encountered some more difficult ground and the infantry actions ceased, to give the artillery a chance to pound the hostile lines further.

The Italian bombardment that preceded the first assaults began at 10:30 o'clock on Wednesday morning, says an official dispatch from the front. Massed batteries along the Castagnavizza-San Grado line poured a devastating fire against the Austro-Hungarian positions over a six-mile front. This shelling continued until 4:30 in the afternoon, when reconnoitering parties went out to ascertain the extent of damage done to the hostile works along the Lovkica-Hudlog-Castagnavizza roads. The cannonade was then resumed, and continued all night, being especially heavy around Hill No. 202.

The fresh blow General Cadorna is now striking against the powerful Austrian defenses east of Gorizia and the Wipacch River on the Carso Plateau is intended to secure stronger positions to the Italians on their eastern front for the coming winter and to relieve the pressure the Austro-Germans are now exerting on the Rumanian frontier. But it is also a new step toward the coveted goal of Trieste, which is the territorial objective of the Italian commander.

The Austrian line which the Italians have just broken east of the Valgono, on the Carso, is quite a new one, having been organized soon after the Italians smashed the first line of the Carso and took Gorizia and Opacchiana.

RUSSO-RUMANIANS PLAN GREAT DRIVE IN DOBRUDJA; SAKHAROFF IN COMMAND

LONDON, Nov. 3.—Russia and Rumania are preparing a counter-stroke at von Mackensen's victorious army in the Dobrudja.

Russia has sent one of her most brilliant

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SHACKLETON IN U. S.; ON RESCUE MISSION

Will Try to Reach Marooned Comrades on Antarctic Continent by January

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 3.—Captain Sir Ernest Shackleton, Antarctic explorer, arrived here today at the first English-speaking region he has touched since he left civilization two years ago and set out in a futile effort to cross the South polar continent and reach the South Pole.

The explorer arrived from Colon on the steamship Parisianus. Shackleton left for San Francisco, whence he will sail to Wellington, N. Z., and thence to Dunedin, to join the Aurora and attempt to effect the rescue of ten companions marooned on the ice-covered Antarctic continent in the Ross Sea. He will sail from San Francisco November 5. Shackleton hopes to reach his stranded comrades and rescue them if they are still alive late in January. After effecting the rescue he says he will return to England and join the English army.

"If you're not saved when I get back," he said, "I propose to enlist and fight with the British until the end. After the war, if I survive, I may then embark again upon some other rescue. I may try some more to cross the South Polar Continent."

QUICK NEWS

TODAY'S RACING RESULTS

First Fimlico race, claiming, purse, 2-year-olds, maidens, 6 furlongs—Precise, 102, Ball, \$6.40, \$3.80, \$2.00, won; Bright Star, 107, Butwell, \$4.80, \$4.00, second; Tyrant, 110, Troxler, \$29.50, third. Time, 1:15 1-5.

First Windsor race, all ages, 6 furlongs—Moss Fox, 110, Williams, \$4.80, \$3.10, \$3.00, won; Dorothy Carlin, 109, McEwen, \$17.70, \$7.00, second; Vivian S., 113, Dolanick, \$9.60, third. Time, 1:13 3-5.

Second Windsor race, purse \$600, 2-year-olds, 5 furlongs—Carpushe, 100, Claver, \$5.50, \$5.00, \$3.10, won; Sybil, 115, Stearns, \$10.60, \$4.30, second; Kagura, 100, Moleworth, \$2.80, third. Time, 1:01 2-5.

TWIN SISTERS, 75 YEARS OLD, KILLED BY TRAIN

GREENVILLE, Pa., Nov. 3.—While walking along the tracks the Erie about noon today, Myra and Mary Love, seventy-five years old, were hit by an express train and killed. The sisters were twins.

DRIVER OF AUTO THAT KILLED CHILD HELD

Louis A. Berkham, driver of the automobile truck that struck and killed Mortimer H. Miller on October 10, was held by the Coroner today to await the action of the Grand Jury.

COMPANY B ENGINEERS, DUE TOMORROW MORNING

Company B, Engineers, of Philadelphia, who have been at the Mexican border for several months will arrive at the Philadelphia and Reading station at Thirteenth and Callowhill streets at 1 o'clock tomorrow morning.

RUSSIAN JEWS GRANTED AUTONOMY IN FOUR TOWNS

COPENHAGEN, Nov. 3.—Municipal autonomy has been granted to the Jewish cities of Kielce, Lublin, Pietrkow and Radom by the Russian Government, says a dispatch from Petrograd.

FRENCH AIRMAN FIGHTS SIX GERMANS; DROPS ONE

PARIS, Nov. 3.—A spectacular air battle, in which a French flyer in a single-handed attack on a group of six German aviators brought down one machine, was announced by the War Office today. A squadron hastened to the Frenchman's aid and brought down another German machine, putting the others to flight. A third German aeroplane was shot down by the French artillery in the Nonnebruch Forest.

SHACKLETON ARRIVES AT NEW ORLEANS

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 3.—Sir Ernest Shackleton, the explorer, arrived here today aboard the United Fruit steamship Parisianus.

UNITED STATES CREDITOR NATION

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.—The United States stands today—for the first time in her history—in an indubitable position as a creditor nation, Comptroller of the Currency John Skelton Williams declared today. Since the outbreak of the European war, he declared, the United States has sold in full a floating debt of \$350,000,000 in gold, bought back American securities held abroad in an amount estimated at between two and three billion dollars and has loaned to foreign nations in both hemispheres \$1,500,000,000 of new money.

NEW P. E. R. DEMURRAGE CHARGES IN EFFECT DEC. 1

TRENTON, Nov. 3.—Announcement of the first radical change in freight car demurrage rates in twenty years was made here today by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. Instead of the present flat demurrage charge of \$1 a day the Pennsylvania company will charge, after the expiration of the two days' free time, \$2 for the first day, \$3 for the second, \$4 for the third and \$5 for the fourth and each succeeding day or fraction of a day. The new demurrage charges will affect interstate shipments only and will go into effect December 1.

978 VIOLATIONS OF PURE FOOD ACT

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.—Government pure food inspectors during the fiscal year 1916 uncovered 978 violations of the pure food and drug act, it was announced today. Of these criminal actions was taken in 401 cases and seizures of stores of impure foods in 577. Total indictments under the pure food, meat inspection, animal quarantine and other acts administered by the Department of Agriculture amounted to 222, with total fines collected of more than \$116,000.

PUBLIC MAY HAVE TO PAY DEARLY FOR COAL

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.—Fears that the private consumer is going to pay heavily for his coal this winter were expressed here today by Government agents investigating the threatened fuel famine. A rush of wholesale buying by large industrial concerns in all sections, in fear of a shortage, has injected an unexpected menace into the situation. Manufacturing concerns, it was stated, are not only making large spot purchases, but are tying up all the fuel they can on long-term contracts. The fear was expressed that even should the shortage of coal be relieved the present tactics of industrial interests will keep coal prices at high levels for some time to come.

ACTOR HELD FOR BLACKMAILING BANKER

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—J. J. Klein, a wealthy Baltimore banker, caused the arrest today of George Bush, an actor of this city, on a charge of obtaining \$15,000 in cash by blackmail. It is claimed Bush and two companions surprised and held up Klein in an Atlantic City hotel in the presence of a woman. The complaint names Ed Donahue, now under arrest at the Tombs, as one of Bush's companions. The three impersonated Federal officers, it is charged.

BETTERS DIFFER ON LENGTH OF HUGHES ODDS

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—Reports on betting odds varied widely today, with Wall street wagering more in Hughes' favor than the uptown betting. Republicans reported that odds on Hughes were from 10 to 7 to 10 to 6 1/2, while Democrats said the prevailing rate was 10 to 3 and 10 to 5 on Hughes. The amounts placed appeared to have fallen off, commission agents estimating only about \$25,000 was bet yesterday.

FATHER AND SON HELD IN HUGE COUNTERFEIT PLOT

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—Joseph Russell, alias John Kelly, of Brooklyn, was held today as a central figure in one of the biggest counterfeiting plots of years. Secret service men say he admitted passing nearly 1000 \$5 bills, fooling many expert tellers, and sharing in their manufacture. His arrest followed that of H. H. Wilkes in California recently. Russell's father, a wax engraver, was also taken by the secret service men, who said he had a part in the plot.

GUARDS TAKE REAL SHELLS INTO WAR GAME

CAMP STEWART, El Paso, Tex., Nov. 3.—The First Pennsylvania Artillery came on to the field here in participation in the war game of the division with real shrapnel shells. Major W. M. Lashelle, the regular army instructor, discovered the fact just as the guns were being drawn into position to hurl the shells into the 14000 militiamen participating in the maneuvers. The regiment was with

LIAR, GIBBONEY HURLS AT "DRY" MAN IN COURT

"Hypocrite," He Calls H. C. Dennis at Haddington License Protest

BOTH JUDGES AROUSED

Remonstrant's Charge That Permit Had Been "Fixed" Brings Vigorous Denial

A sensational clash between D. Clarence Gibboney, secretary of the Law and Order Society, and Harry C. Dennis, one of the remonstrants against the granting of a saloon license in the heart of Haddington, stirred the License Court today as it has never been stirred before, and even drew Judges Barratt and Davis into the discussion.

Bitter accusations and recriminations started the hundreds of church folk and foes of the saloon who had come to hear the outcome of the special meeting of the court in regard to the rehearing of the transfer granted Michael J. Burke from 2100 Callowhill street to Sixtieth street and Lamdowne avenue, over which such a storm of protest arose that Judges Barratt and Davis granted the meeting for a rehearing. The spectators heard direct statements made that were new to the court sessions. They heard Dennis repeat his charges that Gibboney told him the case was "fixed" before the license was granted; they heard Judge Barratt aroused by Dennis's statements, quit his repeatedly, and they heard Gibboney call Dennis a "confessed hypocrite, a blackmailer and a liar."

3987 WANT SALOON

But the big surprise, following the Gibboney-Dennis clash, came when counsel for Burke filed a petition containing the names of 3987 residents of the Thirty-fourth Ward in favor of the saloon. They left the room in silence when the court held the case under advisement.

It was after the temperance folk had closed their case that the preliminary verbal encounters to the long statement read by Gibboney, defending himself and denouncing Dennis, started.

Gibboney stepped to the bar and said to Judge Barratt, "I suggest that Dennis be called after these charges he has made." He referred to the charges that Gibboney had accused him the case was "fixed."

Judge Barratt turned to Dennis, "Yes, you have said so much, why nothing today?"

DENNIS'S STATEMENT

Dennis then went to the witness stand. "I went to Gibboney," he said, "and he started: 'Well, Dennis, I see your name on the top of the remonstrance list. I thought you were neutral. The license is going to be granted. The court has it fixed.' I told him that I didn't see how the court could conscientiously grant the license. He repeated, 'It has been fixed. If the license is granted they will take care of you.'"

"Who?" asked Judge Barratt and Davis, rising from their seats on the bench as they, like the hundreds in the court room, understood the "they" as meaning the court.

"The liquor dealers," replied Dennis. "Oh," came the relieved whisper from the crowded court room.

"I told Gibboney," continued Dennis, "that

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SLEUTHS SMASH DOOR, BREAK UP DOPE PARTY

Two Pretty Girls Participants in Alleged Sniffing Boe on Mount Vernon Street

A "heroin party" in which two pretty young girls were alleged participants was interrupted today when city detectives and internal revenue officers smashed down the door of a room on the third floor of 1428 Mount Vernon street and confiscated large quantities of tablets and powder, alleged to be heroin and cocaine. Thomas Fredericks, alias "Fasterton Tom," alleged to be the proprietor of the place, was arrested on the accusation of being a dealer in narcotic drugs in violation of the Harrison act. He was held in \$500 bail by United States Commissioner Long.

Ralph Oyer, special internal revenue agent, and City Detectives Hart and Walsh went through the house at 1428 Mt. Vernon street in search of Fredericks. They heard noises on the third floor and listened at the door of a rear room. From within the room came the unmistakable sound of persons sniffing heroin.

Then the detectives burst into the room. When Fredericks was arrested he is alleged to have said: "I haven't been sniffing any stuff. I just give it away. I use to see the poor devil sniff." The Harrison act provides a penalty for the giving away or another as well as for selling the drug.

THE WEATHER

Forecast For Philadelphia and vicinity: Weather and winds tomorrow night and Wednesday, with showers every day.