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PAINTINGS NOT FAKES, IS ROSENTHAL ANSWER

Artist Ridicules Assertion That Independence Hall Portraits Are Not as Represented

Albert Rosenthal, painter of historical portraits, today ridiculed the charge that he had "faked" copies of paintings in the Versailles Gallery for the Independence Hall collection of famous patriotic Frenchmen who aided the American Colonies during the Revolution.

The several photographs of paintings in question, which were sent to Versailles for comparison with the originals, were not photographs of his work, he said, but of that of C. W. Peale, an artist of the Revolutionary War.

"Naturally, these photographs do not resemble paintings in Versailles, because they represent different paintings, with which I had nothing to do," said Mr. Rosenthal. "Some of them were painted by C. W. Peale. The photographs taken of my copies in Independence Hall bore exact resemblance to the originals in Versailles. Other originals in question are not in Versailles at all, as I plainly stated before. In every case, however, I gave the source of my copy."

Wilford Jordan, curator of Independence Hall, had charge of photographing the paintings and sending the prints and color descriptions to France, Mr. Rosenthal said.

Among the paintings by C. W. Peale and others, which were confused with his own, Mr. Rosenthal said, were Chevalier du Chambray, Chastellieux, Duportal, William Henry, Luzerne and Volney.

Boy Drowned While Skating

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 19.—Harry Wettenbeck, thirteen years old, was drowned and his brother, Anthony, eleven, and Malcolm Hoover, thirteen, narrowly escaped a similar fate when ice broke yesterday while they were skating on the Allegheny River near Herrs Island.

Supreme Court Decisions

The State Supreme Court, sitting in this city, today handed down the following decisions:

Per curiam, J. H. B.:

Borell's estate. (O. C., Phila.) Appeal dismissed.

Crawford's estate. (O. C., Phila.) Decree affirmed.

Sherry vs. Hughes, et al. (C. P. 2, Phila.) Judgment affirmed.

Commonwealth vs. Crew Levick Co., appellant. (C. P. 4, Phila.) Judgment affirmed.

Cox et al. vs. Dickson. (C. P. 5, Phila.) Judgment affirmed.

Houston County Oil Mill and Mfg. Co., appellant, vs. Dumee, trading as Dumee Son & Co. (C. P. 5, Phila.) Judgment affirmed.

Coyle vs. Philadelphia and Reading Ry. Co. (C. P. 2, Phila.) Judgment affirmed.

Smith vs. Pennsylvania Railroad Co. (C. P. 2, Phila.) Judgment reversed.

Sixteen-Year-Old Girls to Wed

Two sixteen-year-old girls, together with their intended husbands and fathers, went to the Marriage License Bureau today and received permission to wed by Clerk Ferguson.

The first one to apply for a license was Jeannette Foster, of 2628 South Jessup street, who will wed Lee Stout, a farmer, age twenty-one. The latter also resides at the Jessup street address.

Edna M. Anstey, of 2537 West Gordon street, was the second sixteen-year-old girl to appear. She will wed Floyd K. Rulon, a teamster, of 2446 North Twenty-sixth street. The latter is twenty-two years old.

TODAY'S MARRIAGE LICENSES

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Morris Villaki, 724 Mifflin st., and Bessie Gruber, 428 Mercy st.
Howard S. Neiman, Jr., 1421 Arch st., and Eva S. Elder, 508 E. Allegheny ave.
Leslie J. Burnett, 1717 Woodstock st., and Estelle Briscoe, 1717 Woodstock st.
George Sickles, Lester, Pa., and Mae Phy, 730 Union st.
Thomas Bennemy, 1720 Wolf st., and Jennie Carroll, 2337 S. 13th st.
Frank Silver, 2501 S. Philip st., and Beckie Rothstein, 701 Mifflin st.
William J. Casey, 319 N. Uber st., and Margaret T. O'Leary, 1747 Pearl st.
Alexander Morris, 2055 Redner st., and Elizabeth Jackson, 2248 Turner st.
William Jackson, 47 Ashmead st., and Julia Tinsley, 5556 Boynton st.
Albert I. Herring, 4244 Viola st., and Anna Belles, 1027 Morris st.
Louis Uchitell, 1429 N. Randolph st., and Anna Kushin, 606 N. Randolph st.
Floyd K. Rulon, 2446 N. 26th st., and Edna M. Anstey, 2537 W. Gordon st.
George F. Fiade, Jr., 3965 Richmond st., and Helen Smith, Brooklyn, N. Y.
William Marcus, 924 S. 3d st., and Annie Freedman, 241 Catharine st.
Robert J. Lawrence, 2434 N. Warnock st., and Florence V. Grimes, 2434 N. Warnock st.
James C. McConaughey, 7108 Pine st., and Edna M. O'Neill, Wayne, Pa.
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MILLER NOW IDENTIFIED AS MISSING MUSICIAN

Family Here Receives Positive Information of His Reappearance

Positive information is said to have been received by the family of Selden Miller, of this city, to prove that the Philadelphia musician and choirmaster, who disappeared in 1913 and who has eluded an almost world-wide search, is alive and in hiding in Milwaukee.

Official announcement to that effect has been made by County Supervisor Louis Harms, of Milwaukee.

Miller sent word indirectly to his brother in this city saying that he was alive, well and happy in Milwaukee, but that he does not want to ever see members of his family again.

The former choirmaster said he is living an entirely new life and wishes to remain cut away from his family and former friends. He refuses under any circumstances to meet his kinsmen. "I would rather work all my life as a laborer than return to the bosom of my family," he said.

Selden is heir to an estate in this city valued at $200,000 left by his father. Selden has promised to sign the necessary legal documents if he can do so by proxy. That is the only condition on which he will do so, and receive his share of the money.

Selden Miller's message to his family came through County Supervisor Harms, whom he asked to notify his family relative to the estate. If the papers which Doctor Miller wants signed are left with Mr. Harms, with either one of three notaries in Milwaukee, or with the cashiers of the south side branches of any of the Milwaukee banks which have branches in that district, Selden will appear, sign the papers, have his signature attested, prove to the agent chosen that he really is Selden Miller and then fade back into the anonymity in which he has lived for two years.

"I am in a strange predicament," said Supervisor Harms. "I am bound by my word of honor to divulge nothing that I know of Mr. Miller except that he is well. I am authorized to act as his intermediary in arranging for his signing the papers which his brother wants signed, but only under the terms he has given. He specifies that under no condition will he meet, see or speak to his brother or be seen by him. This is his ultimatum. His brother can have the papers signed in this way, or the estate can remain unsettled."

When this message was transmitted to Doctor Miller word was received that it was entirely unsatisfactory, and Dr. Miller made strenuous efforts to have the entire story of Selden Miller's reappearance kept out of print. He wants to see Selden again and thinks he will be successful in his efforts in twenty-four hours. Harms says there is no change from Selden's attitude. Whether it is a reconciliation that Dr. Miller seeks can only be guessed at, but there is no doubt of Selden's irreconcilable bitterness over some happening before he disappeared. Harms says that Selden Miller's only desire is to remain in his new life, with no further communication with his family.

BERNSTORFF AND HIS SUITE PASS BRITISH INSPECTION

Examination of Frederik VIII at Halifax Still Continues—Date of Liner's Departure Not Known

HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 19.—Still shrouded in official secrecy, the liner Frederik VIII, carrying Count von Bernstorff and his suite to Germany, today lies in the river here. Conditions, so far as known, are unchanged aboard the ship.

Reports reaching shore today were that Count Bernstorff and his suite had passed the examinations and that officials were proceeding with other passengers. There is no communication between ship and shore.

Fine weather yesterday and today brought those aboard the Frederik VIII on deck. They curiously watched the shore, where crowds gathered all day to take a look at the ship which is carrying the dismissed Ambassador through the war zone.

The date of the liner's departure has not been fixed. It depends wholly upon the completion of her examination.

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PHILOPATRIANS TO DANCE
Misses Dorothy Power and Marie Boner will attend the annual reception of the Catholic Philopatrian Literary Institute at the Bellevue tonight.

Wilmington Pickets Go to Washington

WILMINGTON, Del., Feb. 19.—Delaware has decided to furnish its quota of women to picket the White House at Washington and fifteen members of the local organization, headed by Mrs. Margaret Bacon, left here today to take part in that work.

PEACEMAKER SLASHED TO DEATH IN BOOZE RIOT

Free-for-All Fight Ends Fatally at Quarry Near Lewiston. Two Held

LEWISTOWN, Pa., Feb. 19.—Alfreda Rocci, twenty-five years old, of Mount Union, was slashed about the head and breast in a free-for-all fight at the foreign quarters of the Naginey stone quarries last night and died on his way to the local hospital. Louis Degi, twenty-four, and Dan Alexandro, thirty-five years, are in jail charged with the killing, while Tony Bundea, Frank Butterino, Rio Chardelea, Tony Palermo and Harry Gomacina are held as witnesses.

The fight had its inception in an all-day carousal in which liquor played an important part. Rocci and Degi came from Mount Union the previous night to spend Sunday with the Alexandro family, with whom they had boarded while working in the quarries some time previously. Bad feeling was engendered by the refusal of the head of the household to furnish them with a bed.

A preliminary fight occurred at 9 o'clock in the morning, which included shooting and threats, but the real scrap was reserved until night, when Degi drew a revolver, firing four shots.

Alexandro accepted the challenge and the two men soon clinched. Rocci, acting into the capacity of peacemaker, attempted to separate the two men and was slashed by a knife in the hands of Alexandro.

Patrolman M. A. Davis, of the Pennsylvania Railroad force, followed the slayers through the heart of the Seven Mountains in an automobile, overtaking them near Potter's Bank, where he arrested them.

Chester Woman Attacked

CHESTER, Pa., Feb. 19. — Mrs. John Biggins was found lying unconscious along the Pennsylvania Railroad tracks at Second and Tilghman streets last night. A paving block weighing fifteen pounds evidently had been used in an attempt to murder her.

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SUFFRAGE PICKETS PLEASED

Miss Ida Rosenfelt in Party of Four Off to Capital

The effect on the public of the suffrage picket line at Washington is described as "splendid" by Miss Ada Rosenfelt, one of the four young women who today went from this city to the capital to take their places in the line on Wage Earners' Day.

"You would be surprised to know the amount of consideration given the pickets," said Miss Rosenfelt. "Every morning the President bows and tips his hat to the pickets."

The three young women who accompanied Miss Rosenfelt yesterday are Miss Yetta Gabin, Miss Lillian Levaint and Miss Minnie Shoat. They are all members of local trades bodies and represent the working women of this city.

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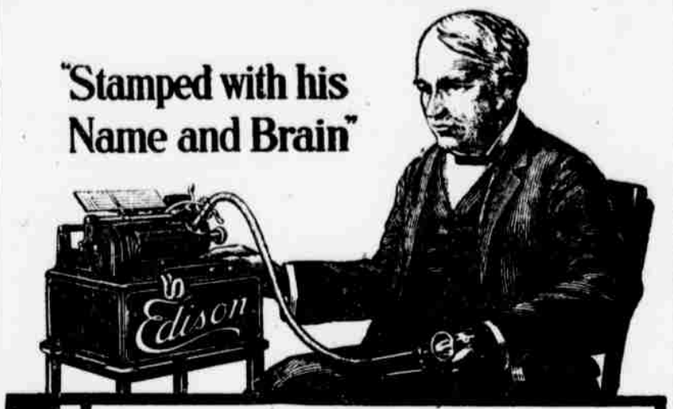

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