

POLICE CAPTURE TWO AS SALOON BURGLARS

Chinese, 80 Years Old, Commits Suicide—Worried Over Nation's Internal Strife

OTHER CITY NEWS BRIEFS

Ardmore Clubman to Buy Automobile for Personal Service in France

Two stealthy forms were seen outside the saloon of Mrs. Pauline Ross, Fifth and Chestnut streets, early today. One man "boosted" the other to a side window, the screen was wrenched from the frame and the forms disappeared inside. "Burglars," telephoned an observant neighbor to the police station. A patrol wagon from Newtown was rushed to the corner. Policemen stationed themselves at every door and window. Presently the front door opened. A trice policemen Gillen and Murphy a trice searched for loot and, according to the police, two packages of cigarettes were found. The prisoners said they were William Sailer, 2561 Lee street, and John Kelly, 3502 Lancaster avenue, each twenty-one years old.

Chinese Commits Suicide
The constant strife in China and the fear that it would soon be torn with revolution preyed upon the mind of Joe Lingee, eighty years old, for many weeks. But here in Philadelphia's Chinatown no one seemed to care and, unable to find sympathy, Joe killed himself. He was found hanging by a rope in his bedroom at 1315 Chestnut street. The body was discovered by a neighbor who entered the room early today. Lingee will be buried with the rites of his native land.

Can't Keep Him Away From War
Alexander L. Crawford, wealthy Ardmore man, is determined to go to the trenches on the other side. He failed to get into the Officers' Reserve Corps. Later he failed because of physical requirements to land at the officers' training camp at Fort Niagara. Now Crawford says he will purchase for himself an armed automobile—proof—and go to France and make himself useful some way.

Coals Set Railroad Bridge Afire
Live coals falling from a locomotive caused a fire this morning at the Pennsylvania Railroad junction bridge at Lansdowne below Sweetbriar mansion. A number of ties had been destroyed when Fire Company No. 16 was called and extinguished the blaze.

Mosquito Pools to Be Removed
Stagnant pools along Cobb's Creek will be drained by merchant members of the Sixteenth Street Business Men's Association in their war on mosquitoes. Each week it is planned to arm the members with picks and shovels and go forth and end the life of troublesome insects.

Coal Bin in Foundry Ablaze
A fire was discovered early today in a coal bin of the iron foundry of Paul S. Reeves & Co., 1415 Catherine street. The fire was quickly extinguished. The damage was trifling.

Queer Gold Coin Puzzles U. S. Officials
A red-gold coin of peculiar design, in puzzling officials at the United States treasury today. The coin, which is about the size of a \$5 gold piece, attracted attention the moment it was received by Receiving Teller Keller. It was not coined at a Government mint, it bears the head of the Goddess of Liberty and is of a high grade of gold.

City Makes Appointments
City appointments today include those of Jacob Stahl, Jr., 3437 Sunnyside avenue, assistant storekeeper, Bureau of Charities, salary \$850; Arnold Shenkin, 1609 Venango street, clerk, Bureau of Water, \$800; Jacob Carver, 1105 East Susquehanna avenue, machinist, Bureau of Water, \$2.75 a day, and Thomas A. Moorhead, 3113 North Twenty-fifth street, machinist, Bureau of Water, \$4.25 a day.

C. S. HENRY DEFINES VIEWS ON HEROIN
Representative of National Association of Retail Druggists Corrects Erroneous Report

In the report of a recent meeting of the American Association of Pharmaceutical Chemists, at Atlantic City published in this paper, C. S. Henry, representing the National Association of Retail Druggists, was represented as being opposed to legislation forbidding the use of heroin in medicinal preparations.

Investigation shows that Mr. Henry was not opposed to such legislation per se, his contention being that heroin was one of a group of narcotics, and had its proper place in medicine as such, but that the harm lay in its sale through illegitimate channels, to which he is strongly opposed, and he believed the efforts of the association should be directed toward the illegitimate and not the legitimate use of heroin.

Contracts Let for 2 More Army Camps
WASHINGTON, June 20.—The contract for the Fort Riley cantonment camp was let to the George A. Fuller Company, of New York, and the Fort Sam Houston camp to Stone & Webster, Boston.

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LEWIS H. VAN DUSEN
Philadelphia lawyer, former Civil Service Commissioner, who has been ordered to Washington by the War Department, having been commissioned a captain in the Ordnance officers' reserve corps.

TWO KILLED AS BLAST WRECKS DU PONT MILL

Explosion Heard at Uniontown, Eight Miles From Scene of Tragedy

UNIONTOWN, Pa., June 20.—An explosion today wrecked the coining mill of the Du Pont Powder Company at its Oriental plant in the mountains above Uniontown and killed two employees. The dead:

ALBERT WALTERS, twenty-three, unmarried, son of James K. Walters, of Fairchance.

ARTHUR GARNER, twenty-two, unmarried, son of William Garner, Sr., of Oil-plant.

Officials of the company here would give out no statement regarding the cause of the disaster. The plant has been carefully guarded, and additional guards have been there for several weeks.

Employees of the company said that another mill near the blast mill also was destroyed.

Walters and Garner were the only persons in the mill when the blast occurred, other men whose duties were in that mill having been engaged in working in another shop. The sound of the explosion was plainly heard for many miles and the shock was felt in Uniontown, eight miles away, give up his work at the powder mill, but he insisted that he would always stick to it. Arthur Garner was a member of Company K, Tenth Regiment, N. G. P., and formerly resided in Kittanning.

An investigation of the disaster is being made by Governor S. H. Baugh. Extra guards were placed about the plant today and all spectators and newspaper photographers were refused admittance.

Two Negroes Electrocuted
RICHMOND, Va., June 20.—Robert Jones and Hamilton Cosby, negroes, resisting arrest when caught robbing a Charlottesville store, shooting and killing a policeman ten weeks ago, were electrocuted in the penitentiary here today. Jones confessed.

A Series of Eye Talks
No. 130
Our Next Talk, Thurs., July 5
By Joseph C. Ferguson, Jr.

SOMETIMES happens that the transparent part of the eyeball—becomes ulcerated.
This condition is not only very painful, but very serious, inasmuch as it sometimes extends to the deeper layers leaving a white scar which may result in permanent defect of vision.
Prompt treatment is a necessity in such cases, and this is but another instance accentuating the advisability of consulting a specialist at the moment it becomes evident that the eyes need attention.
If it happens that glasses are necessary, then have the prescription filled by a competent optician.

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WAR DRAFT DELAYED BY CHANGES IN PLANS

Ward System to Be Used, Necessitating New Tabulation of Returns

A hitch in conscription became known today when it was announced that there must be a retabulation of the registration figures of June 5 and that some of the fifty-one conscription boards appointed by Mayor Smith to draft men for the army will not be accepted by the Federal Government.

An order has been received from Governor Brumbaugh by the Board of Registration Commissioners calling for the city's registration returns by election divisions and wards instead of by the specially created registration divisions. New summaries, therefore, must be prepared, using the election divisions as the units. This involves a great amount of additional work. The order explained that the State authorities want the registration summaries by divisions that are permanent and understood by all and not by the special districts outlined for the occasion only.

T. Henry Walnut, special assistant United States District Attorney for the Eastern Pennsylvania District, assisted by agents of the Department of Justice, is making a systematic canvass of the district to apprehend all slackers. In Berks County, where they are now working, it is believed that there are more than a dozen men who have failed to register.

The Eastern Pennsylvania District comprises ten counties—Berks, Bucks, Chester, Delaware, Lancaster, Lehigh, Montgomery, Northampton, Philadelphia and Schuylkill. Information that the War Department would not use all of the members of the conscription boards appointed by the Mayor also came from the Capitol at Harrisburg. The city's draft machinery was built up on the forty-two registration boards of three men each, nine additional boards of three men each being added so as to divide the city into fifty-one districts of about 30,000 population each.

No information has been received as to when the draft will begin.

Two alleged registration "slackers" were turned over to the Department of Justice today by the police, following their arrest in the northeastern section of the city. They are Weis Levanec, 322 North Lawrence street, and Paul Reichel, 194 Germantown avenue. Both are said to be Austrians.

PRIEST FROM SEMINARY FOUND DEAD ON TRACKS

Rev. Joseph A. Konenberg, of St. Vincent's, Struck by Chestnut Hill Train

The body of the Rev. Joseph A. Konenberg, a teacher in St. Vincent's Seminary, 308 East Chestnut avenue, was found early today on the Reading Railway tracks near the Washington lane station on the Chestnut Hill branch. He had been struck by a train and the body was mangled. Police investigating declared they were puzzled by the case and hinted that Father Konenberg might have been attacked before the train struck him.

The body was found by Tony Delnegina, 407 East Haines street, who was walking along the tracks. It lay about fifty yards east of the station. Delnegina notified police of the Germantown station, who had the body taken to the Germantown Hospital. Physicians there said Father Konenberg had been dead about an hour.

At the seminary, where Father Konenberg taught church history, nothing was known that cleared up the mystery. No one could be found who remembered having seen Father Konenberg leave the seminary. According to the Rev. Joseph Sniely, assistant rector of St. Vincent's Church, which is near the seminary, Father Konenberg came to this country from Germany ten years ago and four years ago was assigned to the Philadelphia diocese from Brooklyn. He was about forty years old.

The police, satisfied that the death was accidental, intend making no further investigation. It is believed that the priest was struck by a southbound train. Persons in the neighborhood said that he was often seen taking early morning walks in the vicinity. This would account for his being there.

According to the station agent at Washington lane, Father Konenberg fell asleep in the train and rode beyond the Germantown station. He was awakened at Washington lane and got off the train. The station agent saw him, apparently confused, start to walk down the track toward the Germantown station. The agent ran out and urged Father Konenberg to wait for the next down train, but the priest refused. It is said, and set off beside the track again.

12 ALLIED SHIPS SUNK BY U-BOATS

Three of Latest Submarine Victims Sailed From American Ports

TWO WORTH \$7,500,000

LONDON, June 20.—Losses by German submarines are on the increase. An authoritative prediction this afternoon of the showing in the official loss statement, to be issued tonight, was that the number of British ships lost in the past seven days will considerably exceed the destruction inflicted in the submarine zone during the previous week.

BOSTON, June 20.—The sinking of twelve allied steamships,

including three which sailed from one American port, was reported today in a rush of news concerning German submarine activities.
The Elele was valued at \$1,500,000 and the value of her cargo was estimated at \$2,500,000.
The Bay State was valued at \$1,250,000 and her cargo at more than \$2,000,000.
The dispatches contained no information as to the fate of Captain Fenton and forty-five members of the crew of the Elele. The fate of Captain J. E. Piers, of the Bay State, and his crew is also unknown.
The Elele was built in West Hartlepool, England, in 1912 and was a thoroughly modern steamship, with a gross tonnage of 6557 tons. She was 405 feet long. The Elele was owned by the Elder-Dempster Line.
The Bay State hailed from Liverpool and displaced 5964 tons. She was a comparatively new vessel, having been built in Sunderland in 1915. The vessel was 420 feet long and 53 feet in the beam. She was owned by the Warren Line.

\$100,000 Loss in Gasoline Blast
CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind., June 20.—Seven Clover Leaf Railroad gasoline cars exploded at Kirkpatrick, near here, today, starting a fire that caused \$100,000 damage.

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America, Here's My Boy	American Quartet	18256	10	.75
Let's All Be Americans Now	Harry Macdonough	35009	12	1.25
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