AGAINST SPITTING

Plain Clothes Police and Home Defense Arrest 200 Men as Violators

Nearly 200 men, representing all classes in life, were arrested today for violation of the law prohibiting spitting. The campaign against this nuisance and other insanitary conditions started today in real earnest.

Several hundred patrolmen in plain clothes and more than 1000 members of the home defense reserves are "covering" the city and will arrest immediately any persons, regardless of their station in life, who spit on the streets or sidewalks.

Those already arrested will have a hearing at Central Station this afternoon, and others arrested during the day will be arraigned tonight.

The night court will sit every night in the week to dispose of prisoners brought in for this offense.

Among the first alleged violators arrested was Orlando Ector, of Sixteenth and Lombard streets. He is charged with spitting on the sidewalk near Thirteenth and Market streets by Policeman McSherry, of the East Girard avenue station.

Ector went along quietly until he reached City Hall courtyard. Then he broke away from his captor and ran through the north entrance. McSherry and a mounted policeman chased him. The latter drew a revolver and poked it near Ector's nose. He fell to his knees and surrendered.

Two alleged spitters were arrested by Francis B. Reeves, Jr., of the home defense reserves. They were each fined $2.50.

Miss Ida De Lissa, 2020 Ridge avenue, was the first woman arrested for violating the law which requires the sprinkling of sidewalks before sweeping. When Sergeant McGuire, of the Nineteenth and Oxford streets station, informed her of the law, it is said she gave him impudence. He arrested her and took her to City Hall.

Superintendent of Police Mills issued an order to all police lieutenants today to instruct patrolmen to arrest all spitters and all persons who sweep sidewalks or streets without sprinkling. Drivers who permit garbage or dirt to fall from their carts also will be arrested.

PRIVATE BEW CRIPPLED

Former Philadelphian Invalided Home—Three Comrades Killed

Atlantic City, N. J., Oct. 25.—Berton Bew, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Bew, of 107 South Dorset avenue, Ventnor, formerly of Philadelphia, has been invalided home from France. He reached Norfolk yesterday aboard a hospital ship and has been sent to an army hospital at Lakewood, N. J., for further care. Bew, who went out with an Allentown ambulance unit, after trying for other branches of the service, is permanently crippled in one foot and has other serious injuries, but is contented with his sacrifice.

According to a letter to his father, Bew with three other ambulance drivers was ordered to rescue wounded Americans in a fighting sector which had been literally annihilated, leaving nothing but shell-pocketed roads and fields. With Bew at the wheel, they made many trips, although the shelling was lively where the Hun artillerymen secured the range. On their way they stopped under a lone tree where Bew got up to adjust the radiator of the car. A shell exploded, killing the three under the tree, wrecking the ambulance and knocking Bew unconscious.

HELD IN SUPPOSED MURDER

B. and O. Fireman Detained in Case of Body Found in Pool

Alfred Doss, 1328 South Patton street, was held without bail today for further hearing on a charge of suspicion of murder by Magistrate Baker, at the Fifteenth street and Snyder avenue police station. Doss was arrested following the finding of the body of John Manos in a pool of water at the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad yards, Thirty-sixth and Jackson streets.

Manos was twenty-nine years old. He lived in the rear of 832 Locust street, and was employed as a mechanic by the Baltimore and Ohio Company.

Manos' body was dragged from the pool after Doss had told other employes that he heard a cry that attracted him to the pool, where he found a cap floating on the water. No other evidence was introduced, and there was nothing to show that there had been any difficulty between Doss and Manos. Doss is a fireman, and he was engaged in coaling his engine, he said, when he heard the cry.

FORD BUYS COAL MINE

Entire Output to Be Used in His Automobile Factory

Charleston, W. Va., Oct. 25.—Current rumor among coal operators here is to the effect that Henry Ford has purchased the Marmot mines, Kanawha and Putnam Counties. The output, amounting to 120 tons daily, will, it is said, be used exclusively for Mr. Ford's automobile plants in Detroit and elsewhere, which are largely engaged in war work.

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CHUMS RUN AWAY TO WAR, 3 DIE, ONE DYING OF GRIP

Germantown Youths, Filled With Patriotism, Offer Themselves to Country and Are Sent to Great Lakes Naval Training Station. Laid Side by Side in Hospital

Four Germantown youths, feeling the surge of patriotism within them at the news of the great Allied drive from the Marne, ran away from home a month ago to offer themselves to their country.

Three of them are now dead from influenza and the fourth is in a serious condition from the same disease at the Great Lakes naval training station, Great Lakes, Ill.

Those dead are Edward Fisher, twenty-two years old, 6120 Stenton avenue, who died October 8; Thomas Ford, twenty-two years old, 5511 Bloyd street, who died October 4, and a youth named Schaffer, whose home was on Limekiln pike.

John J. Anderson, 829 Locust avenue, is the fourth member of the quartet. He is only sixteen years old, but owing to his mature appearance was able to pass the scrutiny of the recruiting officer. His condition is said to be serious, but strong hope is entertained for his recovery.

Inseparable companions for years, the boys had only one request to make when they offered themselves for enlistment with the Naval Reserves. This was that they be assigned to the same unit. Their wishes were respected, and all were sent to the Illinois training station.

Even when they were taken down with influenza the hospital authorities remembered their friendship and placed them on cots side by side. There young Anderson was forced to endure the sight of his comrades die one after the other within a few days.

BLINDED BY GERMAN GAS

Philadelphia Officer, Recovering, Hopes to Get Back in Fight

Gassed severely while commanding his battery during the successful repelling of a German counter-attack, Lieutenant Norbert G. McCaffrey, of Olney, was blind for four weeks, but is gradually recovering his sight, according to a letter received by his mother, Mrs. Mary McCaffrey, of Eleanor and A streets.

N. G. McCAFFREY

Lieutenant McCaffrey is a grandson of the late Hugh McCaffrey, founder of the McCaffrey File Works, veteran reformer and member of the Committee of One Hundred. Lieutenant McCaffrey's father, Henry McCaffrey, died several years ago. The young officer is twenty-three years old and attached to the Machine-Gun Battalion of the 320th Infantry. He graduated from St. Vincent's Parochial School and enlisted in the army as a private shortly after this country entered the war. He earned quick promotion, first to corporal, then to sergeant, and finally to lieutenant.

"I did not have much time to try out my new job with the machine-gun bunch before 'Fritz' got me," he wrote to his mother, "but I will make up for lost time when I get back to the trenches. And I want to stay right in the front line until we make our triumphant entry into Berlin."

JOHN R. HALSEY DEAD

Republican Leader of Luzerne County Succumbs to Influenza

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Oct. 25.—John R. Halsey, son of the late Judge Gaius Halsey, died here today. He was thirty-four years old. He was the Republican leader in Luzerne County. He injured his ear while swimming last summer. Mastoiditis developed, and while at a hospital influenza developed. Blood transfusion was resorted to, but failed to save his life.

He was a member of the Luzerne County Bar and counsel for the Lehigh Valley Railroad.

SOLDIER'S DEATH CONFIRMED

William Bender Succumbed to Wounds, Father Is Told

Confirmation of the death of Private William Bender, 908 North Fifty-first street from wounds received in action has just been received by his parents here.

WM. BENDER

Bender was a member of Company I, 110th Infantry, and received the wounds which caused his death while with his company in action on the Marne July 29. He was twenty-seven years old.

The first word of Bender's death was received from Albert Manley, a member of the same company, who wrote his brother, Edward H. Manley, West Philadelphia, in September, of the fatality.

Bender's father, John Bender, has now been officially notified. Bender, before enlisting in the infantry, had served four years in the navy, and was one of those who made the landing at Vera Cruz.

AMATEUR BURGLAR ROUTED

Put to Flight by Physician's Revolver, Abandoning "Kit"

An amateur "Raffles," equipped with a stove lifter and an old knife, practiced his profession without interruption throughout nearly an entire block last night until he attempted to solve the mystery of the back door at the home of Dr. Elmer E. Gibble, 733 Erie avenue. There he was discovered by the physician, who fired three shots through the panel of the door, but the intruder escaped. In so doing he was forced to leave his lifter and knife behind him.

The same man, it is presumed, also forced an entrance into homes at 709 and 711 Erie avenue, where a gold watch and a small sum of money were taken. An unsuccessful attempt was also made to force entrance to 713, 715 and 725 Erie avenue.

Detectives Myers and Lyons, of the Germantown avenue and Lycoming street station, are investigating the robberies.

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TELLS OF ARMORED GERMANS

Isadore Lonker Writes to Parents of His Division's Success

"The Germans are now wearing breast armor to escape our bullets," writes Private Isadore Lonker, Sixty-first United States Machine Gun Company. In a letter to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Lonker, 738 South street, he says:

ISADORE LONKER

"I have been in the trenches nearly two weeks. We had plenty of open fighting, and it was some fight.

"Those Germans are dogs. They will turn their machine guns on you, and continue to fire until they run out of ammunition, and then they will shout 'Kamerad!'

"I have a great many German souvenirs which I am going to send home. As I write shells and bullets are whistling past my head. We are all acquainted now with the French life. So much acquainted that when I get home I am going to sleep in the cellar.

"The men from one division captured two German towns, for which not we received a silver stripe with a star on it. Our division also won the honor of being the first Americans to enter a German town."

SERVED 10-COURSE DINNER

Frenchmen Show Hospitality in Entertaining Americans

When an American goes to a Frenchman's home to eat three days the bars are lie down in spite of the everyday efforts to conserve, and the guest is not allowed to go away hungry. This is emphasized by Sergeant Harry Roos, of Doylestown, who sends home a copy of a menu served to him when he went to dinner at the home of a well-to-do French family. The menu follows:

First course—Cantaloupe, cured cider, white wine.
Second course—Sliced tomatoes, radishes, bread and butter.
Third course—Egg omelet, bread and butter, red wine.
Fourth course — Roast chicken, brown gravy, rice, red wine.
Fifth course—Roast veal, brown gravy, mashed potatoes and Corsican wine, thirty-two years old.
Sixth course—Cheese, lettuce salad, bread and butter, more Corsican wine.
Seventh course—Cake, chocolate pudding, French brandy.
Eighth course—Sliced peaches, grapes, red, white and pink and red wine.
Ninth course—Black coffee, crackers, white wine and brandy.
Tenth course—Cigars and cigarettes, more red wine and more brandy.

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WIDOW OF SOLDIER IS FATALLY BURNED

Mrs. Anna Tolan Dies on Anniversary of Husband's Death in Civil War

On the anniversary of the day her husband was killed in battle in the Civil War Mrs. Anna Tolan, seventy-four years old, 2320 North Bodine street, today received burns that caused her death within an hour.

As the aged widow was lighting the gas in her bedroom a spark flying from a matchhead ignited the lace curtain. The woman's clothing caught fire.

Her eighteen-year-old nephew, Frank Cannon, ran upstairs when he heard her screams. He beat out the fire with his bare hands. A newly-appointed city fireman, Charles Edmundson, resides at 2314 North Bodine street. Edmundson heard the commotion and ran to the house. He carried out the fatally burned woman and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Sophie Cannon, who was suffering from shock.

After summoning police and a fire company Edmundson returned to the house to fight the fire. Through his prompt work the blaze was confined to a single room on the second floor.

Mrs. Tolan was taken to the Episcopal Hospital, where she died within an hour. Fifty-seven years ago today her husband fell in one of the early battles of the Civil War.

GRIP KILLS CAMDEN SOLDIER

Relapse, With Meningitis, Fatal to Private W. J. Burke

Private William J. Burke, of the regular army, died at the Government hospital, Colonia, N. J., today of influenza complicated by meningitis. He was twenty-two years old and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Burke, of 719 North Sixth street, Camden.

Private Burke was stationed at Fort Niagara, N. Y., where he had an attack of influenza, but recovered. Following the explosion at South Amboy, N. J., his regiment was rushed there for guard duty. They were kept on the job continuously for several days and the exposure brought on a relapse. Private Burke was hurried to Colonia, but too late to save his life.

Two brothers of the dead soldier are in the service of their country—Private Harry M. Burke at the aviation camp, Bartow, Fla., and Corporal Edward Burke at Camp Dix.

GLOUCESTER MAN GASSED

Corporal Samuel Matlack Convalescing, He Writes Mother

Corporal Samuel Matlack, Company G, 327th Infantry, was gassed August 11, according to a letter and message to his mother, Mrs. Margaret Matlack, of 835 Monmouth street, Gloucester, received from him and the War Department.

SAML. MATLACK

The letter from the son, dated September 8, stated that he was gassed in the eyes and sent to a hospital, adding that he expected he would be back again in a few days with his company. From a letter received by a sister of another member of the company, the mother learned he was back with his company. The message which the mother received from Washington said that he had been wounded, the degree not mentioned.

Matlack was drafted nearly a year ago and was sent to France early in the spring. He has a brother, Charles Matlack, also in the service in France, and an uncle, Samuel Matlack, with the heavy artillery in France.

TWO RAILROAD MEN HURT

P. and R. Locomotives Collide Near Sixteenth Street and Indiana Avenue

Two men were seriously injured today in a rear-end collision of two locomotives on the Philadelphia and Reading Railway near Sixteenth street and Indiana avenue.

The injured are Otto Reis, a fireman, of Reading, and Herman Long, a brakeman of Norristown. Reis was sent to the Hahnemann Hospital and Long to the Women's Homeopathic Hospital. The accident, it is said, was due to an open switch.

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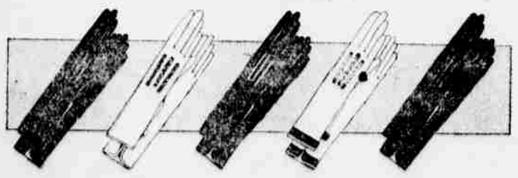
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