

1-2 OF 1 PER CENT ALCOHOL ILLEGAL

Kane Receives Instructions to Prosecute Beer Cases of Brewers and Dealers

WHOLESALE ARRESTS SOON

Prosecution of all brewers who make and dealers who sell beer containing as much as one-half of 1 per cent alcoholic content has been authorized by Washington.

Proceeding on these instructions, District Attorney Francis F. Kane is getting ready to issue warrants by the wholesale.

As soon as one hundred of the samples of beer taken by Department of Justice agents since July 1 have been analyzed, arrests will be made on the story told by their chemical contents.

The authorization to go ahead and prosecute was received this morning in a letter from Assistant Attorney General William F. Friedman, who urged the denunciation by the government in the Borgner & Engel Brewing Company's recent case.

Near-Beer Offense A quotation from the letter reads: "You may publicly state that you are instructed to prosecute all persons who manufacture and sell beer containing as much as one-half of 1 per cent of alcohol."

This, it is contended, benefits the legality of sale of even near-beer.

Evidently with a view of offering the public and the federal authorities some explanation of the determination of the beer sellers of the city to flout their defiance of the law in the face of recognized authority, Neil Romper, in participation of the action of the Philadelphia Retail Liquor Dealers' Association, declares the government should discontinue the sale of revenue stamps if it desired to stop the brewing of beer.

Bars Poorly Patrolled Judging from the small sales made by Philadelphia saloonkeepers on Saturday, when it is estimated there were 1500 saloons open offering 2.75 per cent beer for sale, the vending of the inferior product will not appeal to many of the masses.

Another City Soldier Receives War Cross Pershing Honors John E. Eigenauer for Taking Gun Nest Single Handed

How Second Lieutenant John E. Eigenauer, of Philadelphia, advanced ahead of his platoon, engaged two enemy machine gun nests single-handed and killing all the gunners, is set out by General Pershing in awarding the Philadelphia the Distinguished Service Cross.

Lieutenant Eigenauer, who was then a "top sergeant," led his platoon forward after clearing up the enemy machine gunners, who were impeding the advance. His father is August Eigenauer, of 2837 Cabot street.

Eigenauer invested in giving a commission and got it without any holding up by officers behind the lines, "training" by officers behind the lines, as a result of his exploit. He was a sergeant when, leaving men of his company—H. Sixteenth Infantry, Fifth Division—he worked his way forward one day last September and wiped out two machine gun nests, which were holding up his platoon's progress. He killed three of four soldiers. The other, who had surrendered, tried to pull a pistol, and was shot also.

CLOTHING ON BRIDGE STARTS POLICE HUNT FOR WOMAN SUICIDE

Schuykill Is Searched All Day. Milliners May Identify Owner of Hat

The police are puzzled as to the identity of a woman who is supposed to have leaped into the Schuykill river from the Walnut street bridge after discarding her clothing.

The clothing found upon the bridge yesterday consisted of a striped hat, a pair of rubbers and a woman's tailor-made coat. The only clue leading to the possible identification of the owner of the garment is the trademark of the milliner, which is that of the Dutton Millinery Shop, 5125 Chester avenue.

The police are further complicated by a fruitless twenty-hour search for the body by the crew of the police boat Reburn, Lieutenant James Barry, in command of the police boat, expressed the belief that the whole thing is a hoax.

Detectives say they are working on the theory that the woman dropped up near the eastern end of the bridge in a taxi and after discarding the clothing, made her way unnoticed to the center of the bridge in the heavy rain, and jumped into the river.

The effects were discovered by James Boyle, a private watchman, who makes his headquarters at the Fifteenth and Locust streets police station. He notified the police of that fact, when in the afternoon of Friday, August 15, he was informed that the crew of the boat in a small launch, grappled for the body. They will resume the search today.

An effort will be made today by detectives to have clerks of the millinery store identify the owner through their sales record.

FAIL TO FIND LOST CHILD

Ethel McCleave Still Missing From Home in Highland Park, N. J.

Mrs. James McCleave is prosecuted with grief and Highland Park, N. J., is puzzled over the mysterious disappearance of her five-year-old daughter, Ethel McCleave, who has been missing since Saturday night.

The lack of information at Highland Park was such that the police could not be called on to search for the child. The police at Philadelphia, however, have been asked to join in the search.

The child's father is James McCleave, former of carpenter at the Pennsylvania yard of the Pines & Jones Company, Gloucester City.

ITALIAN MACHINERY MARKET

U. S. Agent Who Studied Needs to Tell Results Here Philadelphia manufacturers interested in the market for industrial machinery in Italy will have an opportunity to secure first-hand information on that subject from a trade commissioner of the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce, who will visit this city August 18 and 19.

Mr. Marshall has been an extensive student of the subject. While in Philadelphia he will make his headquarters at the cooperative offices of the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce in the Chamber of Commerce building.

CRAMP SHIP MERGER DESCRIBED IN DETAIL

New Corporation Will Take Over Building Plant and Kerr Navigation Company

FIVE SHARES FOR ONE

Details of the big merger by which the business of the Cramp shipyard will be absorbed by the newly organized American Ship and Commerce Corporation have been officially made public.

The new company has been incorporated under the laws of Delaware with a capitalization of \$1,000,000. The company will consist of 1,000,000 shares of one dollar each. Not less than 300,000 shares are to be immediately cashed and offered for sale at \$10 a share.

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Moyer Visits Penn Bank Under Guard

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Justices, assets and all, have been made to Governor Sproul, it is said. The intention, it was stated from first-hand sources, is to put the bank on its feet and operate it as an urban branch of the country's leading banks.

The seven-year-old bank was to hold their convention here early in June. On June 20 they were expected to drop their shells and begin their campaign against trees in the squares and parks of the city.

That not a single locust showed its face from any section of the city," said Harry Gelman, of the landscape gardener's office.

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INJURED IN FALL THROUGH SKYLIGHT

LADY DIANA COOPER



While watching the Victory fireworks in London from a roof she fell through a glass skylight and broke her thigh. Before her marriage to Captain Lord Mountbatten, she was described as the most photographed woman in England.

SEVENTEEN-YEAR LOCUSTS "CUT CITY COLD" THIS YEAR

Landscape Gardener's Office Waited Patiently With Poison Spray for the Slaughter, but Wary Pests, Athirst for Better Feeding Grounds, Didn't Pause Here

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MISSING SALOON MAN FOUND DEAD ON GRAVE

Thomas Scully, Despondent Over Prohibition and Financial Loss, Called Victim of Worry

Thomas Scully, a saloonkeeper, of 1970 Locust avenue, was found dead on a grave in Holy Cross cemetery, Yeadon. He was fifty-three years old, and had been absent from his home for nearly a week.

Business troubles are said by the police of the Thirtieth street and Lancaster avenue station house to have been the direct cause of Scully's death.

LUXURY TAX RETURNS DUE

This is the last day for making returns to the government of the luxury tax received since this new form of federal revenue was instituted on May 1.

"SLIPPERY EDDIE" IN AGAIN

Man Who is Always Escaping "Held" on New Charge

"Slippery Eddie" is in jail again. He must have lost his pep, for he has been in custody four successive days.

RED CROSS HELPING SOLDIERS' FAMILIES

Dependents of 500,000 Service Men Get \$6,636,760 Relief in 14 Months

HOME BRANCH BIG AID

By the Associated Press Washington, July 21.—Reports from home service sections of American Red Cross chapters throughout the country indicate that more than 500,000 families of soldiers and sailors still are being assisted financially and otherwise through these agencies, it was announced yesterday at Red Cross headquarters.

The report showed that, in the last fourteen months, a total of \$6,636,760 has been contributed to the financial relief of needy families of service men, while for a single month recently the amount reached \$560,000, this money being derived from membership dues and contributions to war funds.

The number of families assisted by the Red Cross home service sections reached 700,000, it was said, the work being carried on by more than 30,000 home service workers, 26,000 of whom were volunteers.

The federal government service announced yesterday that assurances had been received from the war camp service and the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America of continued cooperation in securing employment for discharged soldiers and sailors throughout the demobilization period.

Chief Clerk's Job Given Penrose Man

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tion expired at midnight last night, after the commission had sat all day Sunday, but additional time was granted for the filing of today upon appeals of the Democrats.

E. L. D. Roach, of the committee of seventy, conferred with Thomas Raeburn White today, and then announced that the committee would meet tomorrow to decide whether any action will be taken on the individual strike-off petitions already filed.

The registration commission is expected to decide tomorrow whether the names of men who are not naturalized but who have declared their intention of becoming citizens shall be stricken from the assessment lists.

Only Few Are Expected Of the thousands who might have come forward tomorrow to register on this account, it is anticipated that a small minority will show up.

FREDERICK MONTAGUE, Actor, Dead

New York, July 21.—The death of Frederick Montague, a well-known actor on the American stage, occurred recently in Los Angeles, Calif., according to information received here yesterday.

Transport Due Here July 25

Another troopship is due to arrive at this port July 25. The American steamer Santa Barbara, which brought troops to Philadelphia last month, left St. Nazaire, France, July 12 with 1600 returning soldiers on board.

DELAWARE CONSTABLE HELD UNDER ARREST FOR SHOOTING CYCLIST

Assault, With Murderous Intent, Charged After Philadelphia Is Wounded

Edward Gam, county constable at St. Georges, Del., is under arrest in Wilmington, Del., on a charge of assault with intent to commit murder.

The arrest is the outcome of the shooting of George Henle, of this city, by Constable Gam, at St. Georges a week ago yesterday, when Henle endeavored to drive away in his motorcycle from the officer after he had been arrested on a charge of speeding.

Henle, who resides at 3231 North Seventeenth street, Philadelphia, was accompanied by a young woman, and he asked for a hearing at once. While waiting for the magistrate to arrive, it is alleged, he drove off in his motorcycle.

EVANGELIST OBSERVES CONVERT ANNIVERSARY

Mrs. George Long Tells How Husband Predicted She Would Become His Wife

"This is my tenth birthday as a Christian man," asserted George Long, the evangelist, at a service commemorating that anniversary last evening in the Presbyterian tent.

Mrs. Long, who was chiefly responsible for her husband's conversion, told her story in the afternoon. She visited the Water Street Mission with a friend, she said, and there met Mr. Long, who was in a weakened physical condition.

Mr. Long, at the evening service, spoke on "The Lily and the Rose." "I became an evangelist like that," he said, "and I have learned that my former friends in view would have nothing to do with me."

VALLEY TRACK WASHED OUT

Mahanoy Division Hit by Cloudburst That Floods Weatherly Streets

The law is, under the new charter, that there shall be one councilman to each 20,000 assessed voters, and one for each additional number of more than 500 per cent of 20,000, i. e., 10,001 or more.

The Third district was, for a time, the Republican committee's "ace in the hole." Had the fight against the omnibus "scratch-out" failed, it was planned, so it was reported in political circles, to register enough freeholders to bring the Third district up one, thus keeping the councilmanial total at twenty-one.

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JEWELERS—SILVERSMITHS CHESTNUT AND JUNIPER STREETS

SCHUYLL FLOOD WARNINGS SENT OUT

River Is Rising Rapidly at Reading, Menacing Mill Properties on Banks

"Warn mill owners along the lower Schuylkill river in Philadelphia to guard against flood."

This was the message received by the police here today from the authorities at Reading, Pa., who declared the Schuylkill river will soon reach the flood stage, unless the storms abate.

The Reading authorities declared the river there is nearing the flood stage with every indication that it will reach a higher level.

Mill owners immediately set their employees to removing thousands of dollars worth of goods stored in the basements of their plants along the Schuylkill.

Many creeks are swollen, thousands of cellars are flooded, street caves and washouts are numerous and in several sections of the city water mains have burst.

Automobiles and street cars are having all sorts of trouble ploughing through flooded streets.

Even the wood blocks on Market street are buckling under the strain. At several points the blocks have sunk, causing huge pools of water to form.

Street caves are flooded, cellars, flooded, trolley cars, broken water-pipes and telephone conduits are a few of the results of the steady rain that has been falling here since Tuesday, St. Swifth's day.

WATER, WATER EVERYWHERE

That's Why Attendance at Swimming Pools Dropped About 35,000. Folks had enough water in their own back yards last week and didn't seem to see the need of frequenting the city's swimming pools.

According to statistics, 212,628 men, women and children splashed in the bath houses last week. There were 44,362 men, 125,334 boys, 12,482 women and 29,919 girls. The week before the total exceeded 250,000.

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