

5TH WARD SENTENCES TO START TOMORROW

Decision Tonight Whether Appeal to U. S. Supreme Court Will Be Asked

CONVICTED MEN TO MEET

Former Police Lieutenant David Bennett and the five former patrolmen of the Third and De Lancey streets station, all convicted in the Fifth ward conspiracy case, will probably start their sentences in the West Chester county jail at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

There is a possibility, however, that an appeal for a retrial of the case against the convicted men will be made tomorrow. In case this plea is entered in the United States Supreme Court any time before 2 o'clock tomorrow the defendants will be at liberty under bail until a decision is reached.

Some time before the hour set for their imprisonment the defendants will meet at the law offices of William A. Gray, their attorney. Mr. Gray is absent from the city on his vacation and will not return until September 1. In his absence the interests of the convicted men are being cared for by Thomas E. Cogan, associate of Mr. Gray. Mr. Cogan said today he expected to be in telephone communication with Mr. Gray tonight, when they will reach a decision as to whether an appeal for a retrial will be made.

The convicted men, aside from Bennett, are Louis Feldman, Michael Murphy, Emanuel Uram, John Wierschaffer and Clarence Hayden. Hayden is a negro and received the lightest sentence of the six. Bennett will pay an \$800 fine and serve eighteen months in prison, and, with the exception of Hayden, the other men will pay \$400 fines and serve one year each. Hayden will pay a fine of \$200 and serve six months.

Deaths of a Day

Mrs. Fannie Garwood
Mrs. Fannie Garwood, of Edgewater Park, N. J., widow of Sylvester S. Garwood, died yesterday at the summer home of her daughter, Mrs. Samuel A. Nedich, at Ventnor, after an illness of several weeks. While shopping in a Philadelphia store a year ago Mrs. Garwood tripped and fell and an operation was found necessary a few months later. Mr. Garwood and a daughter, Mrs. Fisher, of West Philadelphia, died within the last two years.

Mrs. Garwood is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Nedich and three sons—Perce, George and Sylvester S. Garwood. Funeral will be held at Parkside avenue, West Philadelphia, tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Henry Lewis Wood
Henry Lewis Wood, of Beverly, N. J., son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wood, of West Philadelphia, died yesterday in Jefferson Hospital, following an operation for stomach trouble.

Mrs. Wood, who was Miss Jean S. Smith, of Edgewater Park, and their little daughter were at Mr. Wood's bedside when he died.

Mr. Wood was long connected with the Pullman Car Company, but was forced to resign on account of his health.

Isaac A. Schwarz
Isaac A. Schwarz, aged sixty-two years, a retired bread manufacturer, who lived at 2245 North Broad street, died yesterday after a short illness at his summer home, 205 South Rhode Island avenue, Atlantic City. Mr. Schwarz was a member of the Masonic fraternity and the Mercantile Club. His widow survives him with one daughter. Funeral services will be held tomorrow in Atlantic City.

James A. Leonard
James A. Leonard died suddenly yesterday at his home, 1522 Dickinson street. He was the father of the late Sister Bonaventure. His wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Leonard, died several years ago. The funeral will be held Thursday afternoon from the home and interment made in Holy Cross cemetery. High mass will be said in the Church of St. Thomas Aquinas.

Three Philadelphia Men Wounded
Three Philadelphians are named in a casualty list containing a total of fifty-three names made public today by the War Department. They have all been slightly wounded. They are Privates William J. Burke, 1829 South Ringgold street; George E. Little, 2546 South Third street; and Michael Diacrian, 1035 Vine street.

LEG OF TROUSERS FIGURES IN ARREST

Man Caught in Chase Charged With Theft—Held in Bail of \$600

The leg of a pair of trousers was produced in evidence today at a hearing before Magistrate Grellis in the Eleventh and Winter streets station.

The rest of the pair adorned the figure of the prisoner, William Hanley, twenty-eight years old, who boarded at 925 Spring street. One leg was the usual length. The other stopped suddenly well above the knee.

According to the testimony of Mrs. Mary Newman, in whose home Hanley boarded, he went home last night with his trousers ripped. She went upstairs to get a needle and thread to mend them, forgetting for the time her pocketbook. This rested on a table and contained two \$5 bills and \$130 in government checks, the latter insurance payments she receives on the policy of her son, a marine, who was killed at Belleau Woods. When she returned the pocketbook was gone. Hanley was still there.

Mrs. Newman accused him of the theft, and Hanley is said to have made a hasty retreat out the rear door. He was just going over the fence when she grabbed the leg of his trousers. He kept on going, leaving the leg behind.

A chase started in which many of the neighbors joined. It continued to the tailor shop of Isaac Pockel, at 228 North Ninth street. Here Hanley rushed in, grabbed the first pair of trousers he saw and started to run them on. Then he was arrested by Patrolman Stein. The pocketbook was found later in the alley in the rear of the Newman home.

Magistrate Grellis held the prisoner in \$600 bail for court.

WOMAN LEFT \$845,133

Account of Personal Property of Mrs. Harrison Is Filed

An account of the personal property of the late Mrs. Emily T. Harrison was filed today at the office of Register of Wills Sheehan showing effects valued at \$845,133.70.

Mrs. Harrison, who was the widow of John H. Harrison, died in May at her residence, 1428 Spruce street.

Among the items shown in the account of personal property are: Nine hundred shares of United Gas Improvement Company, 33 shares of the Germantown Passenger Railway Company, 150 shares of the Green and Coates Streets Passenger Railway Company, 100 shares of the Girard Trust Company, 100 shares of the Philadelphia and Trenton Railway Company, 273 shares of the Catawissa Railway Company, 275 shares of the Consolidated Traction Company of New Jersey, 190 shares of the United Railways and Canals Company of New Jersey, 200 shares of the Acme Tea Company and 184 shares of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company.

The will of Deborah A. Major, of 1445 West Venango street, was filed, showing private bequests from an estate of \$5500.

ORDNANCE PLANT BOUGHT

Metallurgical and Manufacturing Organizations Announce Merger

The Tacony Steel Company and the Tacony Ordnance Corporation, of Tacony, announce the purchase of the ordnance corporation plant by the Tacony Steel Company and the consolidation of the respective metallurgical and manufacturing organizations.

The Tacony Ordnance Corporation, which was organized August, 1917, by J. B. Warren, then secretary, now president and general manager of the Tacony Steel Company, and George Satterthwaite, vice president and treasurer, built a complete steel-making plant in a little more than seven months. During the war the new corporation made a record in the production of large-caliber gun forgings for the United States army.

The company makes a wide variety of products, but specializes in carbon and alloy steel, rolled bars, forgings and special shapes.

RATIONS OF ICE CUT 25 PER CENT

Concerns Who Serve Cracked Ice to Customers Have Slightly Decreased One-half

SODA FOUNTAINS HARD HIT

Restaurant keepers, drug store owners, saloonkeepers and milk dealers found today that their usual supply of ice had been cut 25 per cent. This was by order of the ice commission. The commission also has reduced supplies of 50 per cent to dealers who serve cracked ice to customers.

It was shown by reports submitted by the thirty companies and individuals engaged in the manufacture of ice that of the 80,000 tons in storage on July 15, there remained 30,000 tons on August 1. The daily output of the combined plants in the last two weeks was 4570 tons. The daily average consumption was 2604 tons.

The average daily consumption has been 5004 tons.

There must be a further conservation in the use of ice and for this purpose the committee recommends: Ice distributors are requested to eliminate sales of ice for show-cases or exhibition purposes.

To reduce the ice served to restaurants, drug stores, soda fountains, saloons, meat and milk stores 25 per cent.

Restaurants, soda fountains, drug stores, saloons, etc., continuing to serve cracked ice will be reduced 50 per cent.

In view of the small amount of ice in reserve, the committee urges that it is absolutely necessary that the above recommendations be followed in order to avoid hardship, suffering and a definite health menace later in the summer.

CAMDEN GETS U. S. FOOD

Motortruck Sent to New York to Get Army Canned Goods

A motortruck of the Camden Water Department left for New York today to bring back a carload of two tons of hams, one ton of bacon and canned goods ordered by the Camden Council from the government.

These goods are a part of the stores which are being sold by the government to help reduce the cost of living. The city has thirty days in which to pay for its order.

When the goods reach Camden they will be distributed to the firehouses at Twenty-seventh and Federal streets and Twenty-seventh and Hayes streets; engine house No. 4, Post 5 Hall, engine house No. 3 and the Second police district station, from which points sales will be made Friday and Saturday of this week. The food will be sold to the public at reduced prices. Firemen and policemen will act as salesmen.

Villa Nova Pastor's Son to Wed

Mrs. Clairville E. Benedict, of New Haven, Conn., announces the engagement of her daughter, Elizabeth A. Benedict to Arthur McCrea Conger, son of the Rev. Arthur B. Conger, of Villanova. Mr. Conger is a graduate of Princeton of the class of 1909.

SCHOOLS BAN POEM "NOT FIT TO KISS"

Theory Is All Right, but Grammar Is Terrible and Thought Is Biased

"Not Fit to be Kissed" has been banned from the public schools, not because the little darling of the wide eyes and yellow curls didn't like the taste of kisses with a tobacco smell but because the grammar she used was "something awful."

According to Dr. Theodore L. MacDowell, associate superintendent of schools, the W. C. T. U. booklet No. 7, in which the poem appears as part of an anti-tobacco propaganda, is "ungrammatical, unintelligent and biased" and for these reasons it was banished from the classroom.

Here is the poem:

"What ails papa, mother?" said a sweet little girl,
Her bright laugh revealing her teeth, white as pearls,
"I love him and kiss him and sit on his knee."
"But the kisses don't smell good when he smokes!"
"The you like these kisses of 'bacco and 'bacco?"
"They might do for boys, but for ladies and girls!"
"I don't think them nice," and she tossed
"her bright curls."
"Don't these 'papas have mouths nice and clean?"
"With kisses like yours, mamma, that's what I want to kiss papa, I love him so well,
But kisses don't taste good when he smokes a pipe."
"It's nice to smoke and eat 'bacco and 'bacco,"
"And the kisses ain't good and ain't sweet, not a bit."
"And her blossomlike face wore a look of disgust."
As she gave out her verdict, so earnest and just,
"Yes, yes, little darling, your wisdom has won."
"That kisses for daughters and wives should be clean,
For kisses like something of nectar and bliss,
From the mouths that are stained and unfit for a kiss."

COM. PAYNE 48 TODAY

Head of Naval Home Observes Birthday in Hospital

Lieutenant Commander Frederick R. Payne, U. S. N., retired, and commanding officer of the United States Naval Home, Philadelphia, is spending his forty-eighth birthday in the Naval Hospital.

He is convalescing from a recent attack of pneumonia. Commander Payne graduated from Annapolis in 1892. He saw service in the Philippines, and there contracted some intestinal trouble which necessitated his retirement from active duty in 1910.

Commander Payne organized the recent Naval Relief Day celebration at League Island.

LOSSES THREE FINGERS IN ACCIDENT

Private Brigman, twenty-one years old, 614 Berkeley street, Camden, had three fingers amputated at the Cooper Hospital today as a result of having had his right hand mangled in a machine at the Gloucester Paper Mills, where he is employed. Dr. George Adams, of Gloucester, had him taken to the hospital following the accident.

REPORT TO DECIDE U. S. FOOD SALE HERE

Expert to Tell What Other Cities Are Doing at Conference Here Today

Whether the surplus War Department foodstuffs allotted to Philadelphia will be retailed direct to the consumer at cost prices under the auspices of municipal officials will be decided at a conference here today. This conference will be attended by Director Joseph S. MacLaughlin, of the department of supplies and chairman of the market commission; Clarence Sears Kates, secretary of the latter body, and Mrs. Charles M. Teas, of the Emergency Aid.

Action in the matter will depend entirely upon the report of the expert investigator who has visited New York and Baltimore to inquire into the methods in the sale of government stores in those cities. He will attend the conference, and if his recommendations are favorable Mr. MacLaughlin and Mr. Kates will visit Washington and ascertain whether the foodstuffs are wholesome and salable.

"What we want to be positive of," said Director MacLaughlin, "is whether these goods are in proper condition. Unless we are assured the goods can be inspected prior to shipment here and

ATTEMPTS TO END LIFE

Disappointed in Love, Camden Man Shoots Himself

Despondency due to disappointment in love, the police say, caused Peter Sissick, twenty-four years old, 1141 Master street, Camden, to attempt suicide early this morning by shooting himself over the heart.

His boarding mistress heard the shot and on going to Sissick's room, found him on the floor. Sissick was taken to the West Jersey Hospital. His condition is critical.

House Fumigation Kills Man

Michael Malloy, twenty-eight years old, Ninth street below Locust, died in the Jefferson Hospital from asphyxiation as the result of inhaling poison gas fumes. According to the police his death resulted when he entered his room in an apartment house that had just been fumigated. There had been illness in the house and a general fumigation was ordered. Malloy, it is said, was told not to enter the room, but is alleged to have disobeyed the warning. He was quickly overcome by the fumes.

Here's as Good News as you'll read in this newspaper today!

PERRY'S Big Annual REDUCTION SALE of Spring & Summer Suits

is ready for you in spite of the steadily advancing prices!

- \$65 Suits are Reduced!
- \$60 Suits are Reduced!
- \$55 Suits are Reduced!
- \$50 Suits are Reduced!
- \$45 Suits are Reduced!
- \$40 Suits are Reduced!
- \$35 Suits are Reduced!
- \$30 Suits are Reduced!
- \$25 Suits are Reduced!

Get these Home Truths home!

- Our regular prices all season were lower than the average elsewhere for clothes of similar quality!
- It costs us more right now to duplicate every one of these Suits than these cost us!
- Everybody will pay more next season for the right kind of clothes than he paid this Summer for the same qualities!
- It always pays to buy the best!
- And Philadelphia has put its O. K. on Perry's!

In View of those Facts

- This Big Annual Event in which we Reduce the low, reasonable Prices of our Summer Suits is a golden opportunity—so pitch in—NOW!

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This Mammoth Store Shows Tremendous Values in Its August Furniture Sale

Before you start on a tour of comparison in the August Furniture Sales, which every homemaker should do before finally buying, get this firmly fixed in your mind: What makes value? Highest quality plus lowest price equals greatest value.

That's the Linde Store definition of value, based upon real, intrinsic worth, not the mere manipulation of a profiteer's pencil upon a price tag. Comparison will show you that the QUALITY of our furniture and floor coverings cannot be excelled, for the very simple reason that there's nothing better made. The same comparison will also demonstrate quite plainly that we have the LOWEST PRICES. It is therefore self-evident that Linde Store values exceed those of other August Sales.

Examine them all. See for yourself. Your own good judgment will tell you where to buy. Our prices are the lowest because they are based upon what we paid for our merchandise six months ago, not upon its present market value, enhanced by three to five advances since we bought it. Profiteers plead privilege to mark up goods with the market. We play fair with our customers.

This is the Square Deal August Furniture Sale. The extent and variety of our assortments are in keeping with the largest Furniture and Carpet Store in Pennsylvania. You may readily be suited in price, design, woods and coverings. As a special caution we desire to point out that we are so rushed with business on Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings that you must come early in order to get prompt attention.

Open Monday, Wednesday and Friday Evenings Until 10 o'Clock

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Starting Tomorrow Morning
Special Close-Out Reduction Prices
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Palm Beach Suits \$8, \$13.50, \$15
Breezewe Suits \$10, \$13.50, \$15
Mohair Suits \$10, \$12, \$13.50
Hannel Suits \$16.50, \$18, \$22.50
Sport Coats \$6, \$7, \$8

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