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GETS 3 YEARS FOR HIGHWAY ROBBERY

Judge McCullen Sentences Other Prisoners—One Year for Man Having Drugs

Judge McCullen today, in Quarter Sessions Court, sentenced Daniel J. Dougherty to three years in the county prison for highway robbery.

Dougherty was convicted of holding up Charles Geary, 534 North Thirteenth street, on the night of June 19, at Thirteenth and Spring Garden streets.

Judge McCullen also sentenced Samuel A. Daves to fifteen months in the county prison on charges of larceny and false pretense. Daves was arrested July 25 following complaint from several dealers in electrical supplies of a man defrauding them by using order blanks of well-known concerns and bogus checks for payment of the goods obtained on the order blanks. The defendant pleaded guilty to a number of charges against him.

George Wilson was sentenced to fifteen months in the county prison after he pleaded guilty to attempting to enter a business place at 3 South Strawberry street.

John Watson pleaded guilty to having drugs in his possession and was sentenced by Judge McCullen to one year in the House of Correction.

MRS. PHILIP LEIDY DIES

Widow of Noted Physician Was Invalid Fifteen Years

Mrs. Philip Leidy, widow of Dr. Philip Leidy and widely known in the social life of this city, died this morning in her apartment at the Gladstone. She had been an invalid fifteen years.

Mrs. Leidy was Miss Penelope Fontaine Maury Polk, of Virginia. She met her husband during the Civil War, when he went to Winchester, Va., with the federal forces.

Mrs. Leidy remained in her old home at Winchester during the war, though the little Virginia town was in the thick of the fighting, being captured and recaptured by the opposing armies seventy-two times.

Following her marriage to Doctor Leidy, who was a brother of Joseph Leidy, the famous scientist, she came to Philadelphia to live. Mrs. Leidy is survived by two sons and two daughters—Dr. Joseph Leidy, Dr. Clarence Fontaine Maury Leidy, Miss Gertrude Harwood Leidy and Mrs. Wain Morgan Churchman. There are five grandchildren—Mrs. Hamilton Cheston, Philip Leidy, Carter Randolph Leidy, Wain Morgan Churchman, Jr., and the little daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Clarence Leidy.

Elkton Marriage Licenses

Elkton, Md., Aug. 20.—The following marriage licenses were granted here today: Thomas H. Andrew and Sarah Dallas, Norman Massey and Bertha P. Parkhill, Charles S. Goodman and Josephine C. Robinson, Michael M. Years and Margaret Schaffer, Joseph Weist and Agnes Hanlan and Frank J. Keskes and Helen U. Merry, all of Philadelphia; Kenneth B. Kerr, Camden, and Esther M. Bond, Philadelphia; Albert F.ullo, Philadelphia, and Evelyn M. Walters, York; Herman Dilshimer, Sr., Philadelphia, and Christina M. Hensler, Easton, Pa.; Nathan M. Heuscher and Iva M. Davis, Hatboro; Robert R. Barrow and Eva M. Rink, Rising Sun, Md.; Thomas Hutchinson and Marion Callahan, Glassboro, N. J.; Marlan F. Brumfield, Colona, and Violet S. Cheswell, Rising Sun, Md.; William W. Ramsey and Manola Mulren, Wilmington; Grover C. Reasler and Viola Rigfuss, Reading; Joseph Youcknavics and Hilda Mitzner, Shamokin, and Emory G. Lowe, Wilmington, and Dorothy Diggs, Northeast, Md.

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Got in the Wrong Car

For attempting to steal an automobile standing outside the Bourse Building, William Austin, seventeen years old, today was sentenced by Judge McCullen, in Quarter Sessions Court, to the Huntington Reformatory. The prisoner, a negro, was arrested on July 1, after he had tried to start the machine, which was the property of Garvey & Co.

Family Association Elects Officers

John F. Engart, of Philadelphia, was elected president of the Wilson-Thompson Family Association at the annual reunion on the country place of Albert J. Thompson, Wycombe. Other officials elected were Thomas B. Claxton, vice president; Mrs. Kathryn A. R. Thompson, secretary, and Lydia N. E. Thompson, treasurer.

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LANDLORD PROFITEER BEYOND PUNITIVE LAW

Public Opinion and Remedial State Legislation May Relieve, Says Federal Official

PLAN NO PROSECUTION HERE

There is no legislation, either federal or state, by which profiteering landlords can be prosecuted, unless the question of dependency upon a man in the service is involved.

There is such a thing as rent profiteering in this city, in many cases rents have been advanced as much as 50 to 75 per cent, an increase far in excess of any rise warranted by the increased cost of property maintenance or construction.

The only method by which tenants here can obtain a relief from this situation is to unite, gain the backing of public opinion and secure remedial legislation through the state Legislature.

These statements were made today by Assistant United States District Attorney Achey in defining his stand as to a proposed prosecution of rent profiteers in all sections of Philadelphia. He said:

"Any rumor to the effect that I am about to start an active prosecution of rent profiteers here may be branded as false because there is no federal legislation which would give me the authority to pursue such a course. Civil war-time legislation we have been prosecuting in cases where it was shown that dependency upon a man in the service was one of the issues and I may say that such cases are still continuing here, but in decreasing numbers.

"There is real rent profiteering here. For weeks I have received any number of requests from tenants in all sections of the city, asking me to take some action in the matter. I know of cases where rents have been increased from 50 to 75 per cent, which is an unwarranted advance.

"Appeal to Congress Useless

"But there is nothing that I can do. In the first place this is a state matter, and any appeal to Congress for legislation would be useless. The rent profiteer is a product of recent times, and as yet there is no means of combating him. And as they realize this the landlords are becoming bolder.

"There is only one course by which the tenant can obtain relief from these conditions," continued Mr. Achey. "Let the various tenant protective associations unite and appeal to public sentiment until the state legislative bodies are forced to pass some remedial legislation."

Complaints of tenants against increases in rent which are said to be exorbitant are becoming numerous. The advisory committee of the Tenants' Protective Association of West Philadelphia has instructed tenants to refuse to pay unwarranted increases in their rent. One of the counsel for the association explained that the law under which leases are drawn never contemplated placing the home renter in a position where he would be compelled to pay any rent which might be demanded.

Gougers Seek to Override Law

The attorney added that the fundamental law is based on common sense principles, and proposed to be fair, reasonable and equitable to both landlord and tenant, but that the profiteers and rent gougers are making an attempt to override the law through the situation which has come about in this city. It is pointed out that where a fair compromise is refused by the new purchasers of property the tenant is justified to stand on his rights, pending the outcome of the appeal to the government and the decision of the Superior Court in the Roach case from the southwestern section of the city.

As to this case which was argued by Richard T. McSorley the ejection of the tenant who refused to pay what he regarded an exorbitant rental, has been halted since last spring, and he will remain until the appellate court hears the case finally in October next.

LAST DAY OF BLANKET SALE

Reclaimed Coverings Selling at Rate of \$1000 an Hour

This is the last day to buy reclaimed army blankets at \$5 apiece.

The sale, conducted at the quartermaster's depot, Twenty-first street and Oregon avenue, has been in progress since last week. Its popularity with thrifty housewives is indicated by the fact that the quartermaster's clerks have been taking cash in exchange for blankets at the rate of \$1000 an hour.

The blankets are described as "wool" blankets, though they are not pure wool. They are not new, but are in good condition and have been sterilized.

The quartermaster announced the sale would be discontinued at the close of business hours this afternoon.

NO 5TH WARD TACTICS IN 4TH

Slogan Adopted Today by Moore Campaigners

"No Fifth ward tactics in the fourth ward."

This is the slogan adopted at the Moore headquarters in the Liberty Building, this afternoon, following the visit of three delegates from the Fourth ward.

The delegation asked that a Moore organization be started in their ward for instruction of the Italian voters there.

The visitors were Joseph Bartolucci, Louis Zimmerman and Ralph Tannello. They said Vore men had been telling Italians, unlearned in the English language, that a penalty of \$100 would be attached to any one voting for Moore.

After hearing what the delegates had to say the Moore war board decided to start an organization in the ward, using the above slogan.

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Prelate Visits Archbishop Dougherty on Way Home From Spring Lake—Call Is Personal

Silent on Politics and League of Nations Issue—"Matter Rests With President Wilson," He Says

Cardinal Gibbons, in this city today to pay a short visit to Archbishop Dougherty, declared "the government is doing exactly right in going after the food profiteers."

The Cardinal believes all profiteers should be punished, without regard to how powerful or how small they are.

"The merchants and dealers can be expected to receive a fair profit in making their sales," he said, "but those who take advantage of the times and conditions and ask and receive more than a fair price for their goods should be punished."

The cardinal has been visiting at Spring Lake for the last two weeks and stopped off in this city at 9:30 o'clock this morning to call upon the archbishop.

Won't Discuss League

When questioned about his views on the League of Nations, he said he did not care to discuss that matter at this time.

"It is my hope that President Wilson will be able to complete a treaty which will be satisfactory to the nation and which will give the world real and lasting benefits. This has been my hope from the beginning. But I do not wish to comment upon the treaty as it now stands or upon the discussions concerning it. The proposed covenant is before our officials, chosen to act well and wisely in such matters. I hope that they will act well and wisely."

When asked what he thought of such world treaties in the light of his study of history, and particularly the history of efforts to bind the world to enduring peace, the cardinal said:

"I do not wish to go into the matter of old-time leagues or treaties. Other efforts are interesting, of course, but the issues of today must be considered from the viewpoint of the conditions of today."

He added that he hoped a good treaty would be made that would benefit this world and be of everlasting good to the world at large.

Regarding prohibition, the cardinal said:

"It is now up to the people to act as they see fit. I do not care to discuss

KILLED ON HER HONEYMOON

Mrs. John Foster Sanger Victim of Motor Accident

A telephone message was received today by Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Burgess, 6672 Lincoln drive, apprising them of the death near Denver, Col., of their daughter, Mrs. John Foster Sanger, who with her husband was on an automobile trip. They were on their honeymoon.

At the Burgess home it was learned that all the message had said was that Mrs. Sanger had been killed in an automobile accident on Sunday. No mention was made of Mrs. Sanger's husband, so it is assumed that he escaped uninjured. An effort is being made to ascertain the details of the accident.

It is pointed out that Mrs. Sanger was Miss Dorothy Abbott Burgess, and was socially prominent in Germantown. Her husband's home is in New York. The couple announced their engagement April 1 and were married in June.

Mr. Burgess is an official of the Quaker Lace Company, Fourth street and Lehigh avenue.

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A reinsurance of the Seneca's business has been made with the Globe and Rutgers Fire Insurance Company of New York, effective as of noon, August 19. By such reinsurance the policy holders, many of whom are Pennsylvanians, get full protection against loss, and no cancellation or placement of the policies is necessary.

Summary action is looked for on the part of District Attorney Rotan, since the crash of the two insurance companies leaves the State Banking Department, which is liquidating the North Penn Bank, "holding the bag" and wondering where to find money to pay the \$380,000 for which the James J. Boland Company, Inc., is obligated.

PREFERS D. S. C. TO CROIX DE GUERRE

Sergeant Flanagan Says He Made Up His Mind to Get American Honor—Got It

A Croix de Guerre was awaiting Sergeant James Flanagan, winner of the Distinguished Service Cross, at the army recruiting station when he applied for transportation to Camp Humphries, W. Va., where he will join the Second United States Engineers, Sergeant Flanagan, whose home is at 1339 South Taylor street, received the decoration from the French Government for unusual bravery shown on July 18, 1918, near Soissons.

"I had received word that I had shown great bravery when I went out and brought in a few of the wounded men of my company while the shells were raining things up," said Sergeant Flanagan.

"What I prize most is this," and he pointed to a bit of colored ribbon with a tiny silver star in the center. That's the Distinguished Service Cross, and it's what I made up my mind to land when I enlisted in 1908."

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