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Deaths of a Day

LONG FUNERAL THURSDAY

Thousands to Pay Tribute to Dead Mission Head

Thousands of persons who knew and loved George Long, many of whom benefited by his work, will view his body and attend his funeral services at the Inasmuch Mission Thursday night. The body will lie in state Thursday afternoon and night in the chapel of the mission house founded by him.

Funeral services will be conducted by Bishop Rhineland, president of the board of directors of the mission. Others of the directors, including George Wharton Pepper, A. J. Drexel Biddle, A. E. Newbold, Jr., A. V. Morton and Dr. George Woodward, are expected to attend the services.

The body of Mr. Long will be taken to Brooklyn, N. Y., Friday morning, and buried in Greenwood Cemetery.

Edward Pollock
Edward Pollock, a descendant of one of the early settlers of Pennsylvania, died last night in the home of his son, Walter W. Pollock, 423 West Stafford street, Germantown. He was eighty-five years old.

He was born in Mount Union, Huntingdon county, Pa., in a house that was removed to make way for the Pennsylvania Railroad tracks when that railroad was built through the town, and was a son of Colonel William Pollock, the founder of Mount Union and the owner of the Winchester blast furnace there, and a grandson of Thomas Pollock, who emigrated from Ballinacorney, Ireland, in 1750. At the age of ten years he went with his family to Cassville, Wis., where he grew up.

He was educated in the New Athens, O., University, and in the law school of Albany, New York, from which he obtained his degree. Returning to Wisconsin on the completion of his education, he took up newspaper work and founded the Lancaster Teller, of Lancaster, Wis., of which he continued as editor and proprietor forty years.

He leaves a widow and three sons—Walter W. Pollock of this city, president of the Manufacturers' Appraisal Co.; E. W. Pollock of Seattle, and Burne Pollock of Milwaukee.

Barre, Strong Man, Dies
Montreal, Dec. 2.—Horace Barre, retired professional "strong man," who claimed the world title at weight lifting, died here yesterday after an illness of two months. Barre, who was born in France forty-eight years ago, had been a jail guard here ten years.

WIVES OF WORKERS GREAT MANAGERS

This Is Edict of Economic Investigators Who Report Conditions in Phila. Homes

CONTENTMENT GENERAL

Wives of Philadelphia's workmen are wonderful managers and their family life is, on the whole, pleasant and contented.

Those are some of the "unofficial" findings of Miss Myra Thwing and Miss Rebekah Davis in making investigations of "Workingmen's Standard of Living in Philadelphia," which has just been published by the Macmillan Co. as a report of the Bureau of Municipal Research.

They visited more than 350 families that were self-supporting, but whose principal bread winners did not earn more than \$2000 a year, to get data on what would be a fair minimum standard of living. The report shows the average family of five could live for a year at present on \$1803.

"It was fascinating work," said Miss Davis, "and it was wonderful the way the women responded to our questions and poured out their household secrets. Of course war conditions had much to do with this. The women knew we were trying to get a fair average of living cost in order to help regulate city salaries, and they were eager to help."

Told Troubles Too
"Often the telling of these intimate things led them to confide their troubles. But of all the families visited we found most of them happy. In most cases either the mother or some of the older children worked to help support the family. Perhaps the father or mother was not contented with this, but they all seemed to possess the happy faculty of making the best of things."

"It seemed strange to us that the areas and corners were entered into the family budget and even 'movies' were not indulged in often. If the children went on Saturday afternoons, they usually used money they themselves had earned during the week and been allowed to keep. Tobacco was frequently noted as one of the features of the budget, and liquor, before last July, played an interesting part, too."

"I don't think a man with a wife and three or five children can live in Philadelphia on \$1000 a month and keep up a proper standard of living. We visited many homes where the father earned only \$1200 a year, but in every case his earnings had to be supplemented by those from other members of the family. Sometimes the mother took in washing. Or, if she had small children, perhaps she kept boarders. When not impossible for her to work, we found relatives or friends supplying articles of clothing or food."

Houses Are Similar
"Another interesting thing," continued Miss Davis, "was the similarity of homes among these people. We visited every section of the city. Miss Thwing going to some while I went to others. When we compared experiences we found the same type of plush furniture in the parlors, the same sort of pictures on the walls and the same ideas existing as to cooking and keeping house. In nearly every home the parents expressed a wish that their boys and girls could go to high school. Many hope to send the children to college, but in most cases the children were having to go to work early in life."

"We found housing conditions in some parts of the city dreadful, espe-

WOMAN HIDES GEMS AND FOILS THIEVES

Mrs. Lillian Small Outwits Robbers Who Entered Her Home in West Philadelphia

MAID BEATEN UNCONSCIOUS

How she pluckily outwitted four burglars who entered her home, 6202 Washington avenue, and scared them away after they had severely beaten Josie Pughin, her maid, was related today by Mrs. Lillian Small.

Suffering from the shock, Mrs. Small's eyes snapped as she told of her encounter.

"I was awakened by a peculiar feeling that some one was attempting to smother me," she said. "I opened my eyes and looked into the countenance of a burglar. He appeared to be as frightened as I was. Shoving a revolver against my cheek, he warned me not to move.

"I quickly began taking my rings off my fingers and shoved them to the foot of the bed. The men weren't after money, because one of the four, after searching around the room, opened my pocketbook and threw the change about in disgust. Then one of them asked me where my jewelry was.

"In the safe," I said. Had he pressed me I would have given the jewels to him without submitting to a beating—as my maid did.

"The men then left the room, after



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Lieutenant of Police Jeffries, of the Thirty-eighth district, Fifty-fifth and Pine streets, conferred with Superintendent Robinson today regarding the Small robbery and was assured of a temporary addition to his force of a detail of plain-clothes men.

Director Wilson has asked Council for additional police, but has not as yet had any response from that body.

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ing I saw; the machine disappeared down the street. It appeared to be a bluish green car of an old style.

The maid, Josie, is thirty-two years old. She was beaten over the head with a butt of a revolver when she resisted the men and then thrown down stairs. She was found unconscious after the robbers had fled.

The robbery of the Small home was the fourth of its kind within a few days. Each was accomplished by four men. Police of the Fifty-fifth and Pine streets station believe the same thieves responsible for each robbery.

The intruders missed in addition to the jewelry, furs valued at \$2000 and several hundred dollars' worth of silver stored in the first floor.

Mr. Small is president of the McDowell-Smith-McKibben Co., dealers in plumbers' supplies, 725 Richmond street.

Gives \$5000 to Jewish Work
As Mrs. Edward Bok's contribution of \$5000 to the Jewish war relief fund was the largest gift made by a woman, her portrait will be painted by Lazar Raditz.

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GOL. HUTCHINS SELLS BUSINESS

Colonel J. Warner Hutchins, after thirty-five years in the jewelry business in Philadelphia, has retired. He has sold his store at 1328 Walnut street, to the D. C. Percival Company, of Boston.

Chokes to Death on Bread

Martin Muller, a patient at the Philadelphia General Hospital, choked to death yesterday when a piece of bread lodged in his throat. He was fifty years old and lived at 2909 Gaul street.

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