

VICTIM OF JEALOUS SUITOR TO RECOVER

Mrs. Irene Steyles is Expected to Survive Bullet Wound Inflicted by Farmhand

STILL REMAINS IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. Irene Steyles, of Vinland, N. J., who was shot by William Mercer, who afterward killed himself, is expected to recover. The woman is in the Vinland Hospital suffering from a bullet wound in the head. Her condition this morning was favorable. Mercer was a farm hand and was employed by William Boyd, father of Mrs. Steyles. He was infatuated with Mrs. Steyles. It is said, but she regarded him only as a friend. Mrs. Steyles was employed as a stenographer in the State Home for the Feeble-Minded. After she started for her place of employment yesterday Mercer followed her. He accosted the woman while she was waiting for a trolley car, and a quarrel followed. When she fell he ran toward the woods. A posse was formed and late in the afternoon his body was found in the woods near Vinland. There was a deep bullet wound in his forehead. Mercer, who was thirty years old, from Whiting, W. Va. Mrs. Steyles has been separated from her husband, who is said to live in Washington.

FORM COMPANY CLUB

Monthly Dinners to Be Features of Organization of 312th Men

Monthly dinners feature future plans made for a Company Club formed by former members of headquarters company, 312th Field Artillery, at a dinner held Saturday evening. A close reunion of the former service men is the plan of the organization. A reunion dinner will be held next week. The following committee was named to arrange the same: Edward Weib, Edward Drayer, Earl W. Daley, S. W. Brooks, M. F. Torpey, Walter Small, Joseph Klock, John McNamee, James McKeever and William C. Jackson.

Sentence Overbrook Bank Robber

Convicted of robbing the Overbrook Bank, Sixtieth and Market streets, on January 14, William Ferguson, twenty years old, was sentenced by Judge Finletter yesterday to serve not less than six years and two months nor more than ten years in the Eastern Penitentiary, the maximum sentence permitted by law.

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Home Quartet Puts on Impromptu Opera in A Flat. Marauders Flee Without Taking Loot Collected

Mrs. Max Ginsburg's lungs were the undoing of four armed burglars at 4 o'clock this morning.

A band of motor thieves drove up to the Ginsburg tailoring establishment, Fifth and Titan streets, about that hour and entered the place by kicking in a side door.

After they had piled up several hundred dollars' worth of cloth in the front of the shop, one burglar opened a rear door to take the goods out to the machine.

That was the first faux pas. An electric burglar alarm, attached to the door, went into action and Mrs. Ginsburg, in the apartment above, was awakened.

Did Not Need Revolver "Max, get the pistol," she shouted to her husband.

Max grabbed the weapon and offered it to his spouse. She looked at the thing and then decided that she did not need it.

Making her way to a window, Mrs. Ginsburg opened it and began a mid-night serenade that went something like this:

"Murder! Police! Help! Burglars!" Her son, Berger, appeared with the family ordinance and aimed at one of the fleeing burglars.

"Click," went the piece. But nothing happened. It wasn't loaded.

Then Berger joined in the family chorus with a couple of shrill "murders" in high C.

Both Sides Retreat Frieda and Max then appeared at the window and the four made the "Anvil Chorus" sound like a kindergarten chanting nursery rhymes.

The burglar quartet had reached their automobile by this time and two fired a few shots into the air. The Ginsburg family made a united retreat from the window and the burglars drove off. Nothing was taken from the shop.

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