

MINISTER'S CHARGE STIRS N. J. COLONY

Dr. Kopfman Ready to Organize "Moral Vigilantes" at Washington's Crossing

PEOPLE DENY "HIGH JINKS"

The Rev. Dr. Frederick Kopfman is ready to organize a company of "moral vigilantes" to clean up alleged immoral practices at Washington's Crossing, near Trenton.

MAYOR TAGGED TO AID HORSES



Laurence M. Carey, Boy Scout, collects from city's chief executive for national Horse Day fund.

TO CELEBRATE HORSE DAY

Mayor Asked to Take Part in National Observance. A delegation from the Pennsylvania Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals called on Mayor Moore this morning in connection with the celebration of a National Horse Day.

CAUGHT IN SILK STORE

Court Holds Man Charged With Attempted Larceny. Charged with attempted larceny of a case of silk valued at \$1500, Harry Davis, 3022 Euclid avenue, was held in \$500 bail by Magistrate Boyle at the Fourth and Race streets police station this morning.

\$200,000,000 FOR RAILROADS

Huge Loan for Improvements Recommended by Commission. Washington, Aug. 17.—(By A. P.)—Distribution to the railroads of the country of nearly \$200,000,000 was recommended to the Interstate Commerce Commission today in the final report of the Association of Railway Executives on the applications of the various carriers for loans from the \$200,000,000 revolving fund created by the transportation act.

TODAY'S MARRIAGE LICENSES

Edgar J. Shaw, 56 N. 61st st., and Anna M. Powers, 58 N. 61st st.; and Elizabeth R. Fitzgerald, 1918 Rowan st., and Giuseppe Verto, 3702 Calumet st., and Pina Verto, 3702 Calumet st., and Samuel S. Greenberg, 1826 N. 30th st., and Lillian Middleton, 1826 N. 30th st., and Morris Muller, 829 N. 38th st., and Caroline Phillips, Garden st., and Bernard McGrath, 2717 E. Indiana ave., and Mary Mahoney, 2717 E. Indiana ave., and Warren R. Glover, 1003 W. Stella st., and Marie W. Rose, 1003 W. Stella st., and Frank Molinaro, 1222 S. 9th st., and Mary De Foggia, 1212 S. 15th st., and Charles J. Gorman, 2008 Locustdale ave., and Jennie Westwood, 2444 Edenham st., and Gustave B. Deuch, 2033 E. Rittenham st., and Anna R. Herman, 2435 Hall st., and Clarence A. Roberts, Federalburg, Md., and Charlotte Robertson, 27 S. 41st st., and William A. Lomas, 1844 S. 34th st., and Edith Green, 1329 W. Market st., and Frank C. Herring, Pittsburgh, Pa., and Robert Clayton, 1824 Tasker st., and Alice Finnegan, 1824 Tasker st., and Van Pelt and Belle Jackson, 1825 N. Van Pelt st., and Samuel Paterick, 1024 Schuylkill st., and Mary L. Jones, 1331 N. Garnet st., and Giuseppe Santoli, 829 W. American st., and Mary Goella, 445 Carey st., and Colard, 3222 Mt. Vernon st., and Natalia Garabed, Chapman, 9230 Addison st., and Rose Kazian, 3438 N. 84 st., and Pasquale Monti, 1618 S. Juniper st., and Rosalie Vecchini, 1618 S. Juniper st., and Salvatore Flammia, 1840 S. 10th st., and Olive Grant, 1445 Vine st., and William J. Brown, New York, and Mary Reid, 1420 Haverhill st., and Devesha Dumas, 1105 Dickinson st., and Homer E. Hafferty, Pittsburgh, Pa., and Pearl A. Horning, Pottstown, Pa.

ASKS POLICE TO FIND GIRL

Father Believes Daughter, Missing Since August 7, Eloped. Mary Fortunato Rizzo has been missing from her home at 8136 Mingo avenue since August 7.

Fire at Baisley Iron Works

A small fire in the John Baisley Iron Works at 5 o'clock this morning was extinguished by watchmen before the arrival of the fire engines. The damage was slight.

Deaths of a Day

SWITHIN SHORTLIDGE. Prominent Resident of Chester County Dies in Hospital.

West Chester, Pa., Aug. 17.—Swithin Shortlidge, former member of the board of commissioners of Chester county and a director of the poor died in the Chester county hospital here last night at the age of sixty-nine years.

BAND CONCERTS TONIGHT

The Municipal Band will play tonight at Fifty-second street and Greenway avenue. The Fairmount Park Band will play tonight at Strawberry Mansion.

COMMISSION TO BID ON NEXT BOND LOAN

Sinking Fund Expected to Ask Big Block of Improvement Issue

CALLED MONEY "BLOOMER"

Going into the open market this time, instead of buying through Drexel & Co. or any other financial syndicate, the sinking fund commission, it is understood, will bid for a big block of the \$2,000,000 improvement loan.

Is Called a Bloomer

Recent purchase of \$3,000,000 of the \$4,000,000 municipal loan of July 19 by the sinking fund commission from the Drexel & Co. syndicate was a financial bloomer that gave the city a \$7500 "rose" after the company had abstracted all the money.

Says Company Lost Money

Mr. Gates wrote Mr. Develin that the Drexel company lost money by selling to the Sinking Fund Commission \$1,000,000 of the issue for \$996,061.65, contrary to the law of July 6, 1917, forbidding the sale of city bonds below par.

Magistrate Carney Favors Using Plats on Man Who Struck Girl

Charged with having knocked a seven-year-old girl downstairs while intoxicated, Joseph Markins, Twentieth and Calowhill streets, was held under \$500 bail for court by Magistrate Carney at the Twentieth and Calowhill streets station.

ARSENAL STRIKE SCOUTED

No Walkout Expected at Frankford, Colonel Phillips Says. No strike is expected at Frankford Arsenal, according to Colonel Phillips, aide to the commandant there.

Truck and Food Burned

A truck owned and driven by Alfonso Duchossais, a smoked fish and provision dealer of 2441-43 Harold street, caught fire at 10 o'clock this morning at Thirty-third and Cumberland streets. The truck and contents were destroyed, the loss being \$2500. A back-fire caused the blaze.

MAN TAKEN AS BLACKMAILER, ACCUSED OF 'MEAN' THEFTS

Victim's Wife's Wedding Ring and Crippled Child's Savings Taken by Alleged Extortionist, Complainant Asserts

Frank Labriola, alias Frank Emery, was held in \$5000 bail today charged with blackmail and other offenses, including the extortion of his victim's wife's wedding ring and their crippled child's savings.

The money was given, Simpson said. Later Labriola is said to have made other visits and got cash totaling \$613, included in which was the contents of the bank of little Jennie Simpson, who has only one hand.

The bank contained almost \$100, a fund which the Simpsons were saving to educate their daughter.

When funds gave out Labriola, who is a locomotive builder at the Baldwin plant, near Chester, Simpson charged, got virtually all of the jewelry in the family, including Mrs. Simpson's wedding ring.

Last week, according to Simpson, Labriola demanded that Simpson give him another \$150, and set a meeting place on Crum creek, near the Baldwin plant yesterday.

Simpson kept the appointment, accompanied by Magistrate Harris and Detective McDowell and Baker, of the Thirty-second street and Woodland avenue station. Labriola was arrested when he appeared.

JEALOUS MAN SHOTS WIFE AND IS KILLED

Double Tragedy Near Mahanoy City—Constable Slays Woman's Assailant

Mahanoy City, Pa., Aug. 17.—In a fit of jealousy John Snyder, aged forty years, shot and perhaps fatally wounded his wife and he in turn was shot to death by a constable when he resisted arrest shortly after the tragedy at Mahanoy, near this city, today.

Snyder, his wife and children were spending the day at the hotel of Peter Lastovsky. Charging his wife with infidelity, Snyder drew a revolver from his pocket and fired three shots, two of which lodged in the woman's breast.

While she was being hurried to the state hospital at Fountain Springs in a dying condition Snyder took refuge in a barn to the rear of the hotel.

Constable Andrew Soucek, of Ryan township, hurried to the scene and demanded of Snyder to come out. The latter's reply was a shot which grazed the constable's arm. Soucek returned fire, one of the bullets entering Snyder's brain and killing him instantly.

The children were witnesses of the shooting of their mother and the killing of their father.

Coroner John Williams, of this city, is investigating the case. Snyder was a railroader and is said to have been insanely jealous of his wife the last two years.

CALLS FINE TOO LENIENT

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The magistrate told the man he regretted he could not step down and thrash him.

The injured girl is Miss Helen Bandos, who boarded in the same house. She is in the Hahnemann Hospital with severe bruises and possibly internal injuries.

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\$13.00, were \$17.50; \$15.00, were \$20.00; \$17.25, were \$23.00; \$18.75, were \$25.00; \$22.50, were \$30.00; \$26.25, were \$35.00; \$30.00, were \$40.00; \$33.75, were \$45.00; \$37.50, were \$50.00; \$41.25, were \$55.00.

Note: Regular Spring and Summer Cloth Suits proportionately reduced.

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Silk Neckwear, 60c, were \$1.00; \$1.00, were \$1.50; \$1.50, were \$2.00, \$2.50; \$2.00, were \$3.00, \$3.50; \$2.75, were \$4.00, \$5.00.

Madras Shirts, \$1.50, were \$2.50; \$2.25, were \$3.00, \$3.50; \$3.00, were \$4.00, \$4.50; \$3.75, were \$5.00, \$6.00.

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COUGHLIN TRACES \$6682 TO 'CRANK'

Attachment Covers Bank Funds, Auto Truck and Farm at New Gretna, N. J.

\$12,000 'RANSOM' SOUGHT

A detailed statement of the property against which George H. Coughlin, father of kidnapped Blakely Coughlin, of Norristown, has obtained writs totaling \$5400 of Augusto Pasquale, "The Crank," alleged kidnapper and admitted extortionist, was made public today.

He will endeavor to get final possession of the property as a partial refund of the \$12,000 he paid Pasquale for the return of the child, a contract which Pasquale did not carry out.

The writs were obtained through the Montgomery County Court recently. The property attached includes \$3000 invested in the New Jersey Farm Agency, Egg Harbor, N. J.; \$2500 in a bank at the same place; \$900 invested in a truck, his \$1700 equity in a New Gretna, N. J., farm, and \$300 in personal property.

Proceedings have been instituted to attach \$300 deposited with the West End Trust Co. here, and \$952 in personal property held by the state police at Norristown.

C. Townsend Larzelle, attorney for Mr. Coughlin, denied today that bond purchases totaling the remainder of the \$12,000 have been traced to Pasquale and will be attached.

Blakely Coughlin, now fifteen months old, was kidnapped from his bedroom on the morning of June 2.

HEALTH OFFICIAL RESIGNS

Chief Medical Inspector of State Department to Retire September 1. Harrisburg, Aug. 17.—(By A. P.)—Resignation of Dr. Howard L. Hull, chief medical inspector of the State Department of Health, was announced today at the office of Colonel Edward Martin, commissioner of health, and when he leaves state service on September 1 further steps for reorganization of departmental bureaus will be taken.

In the last half year men in charge of tuberculosis and venereal inspection activities have resigned, and it was stated at the commissioner's office today that no further resignations were expected as a part of the reorganization.

Doctor Hull has been with the department for several years. He came here from the United States army and was on duty at Vera Cruz some years ago. He was appointed chief medical inspector last year.

Dr. George K. Strode, chief of the

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CONSIDER SCHOOL BOND

Board to Determine Way to Float \$2,000,000 Issue for Loan

A special meeting of the Board of Education will be held this afternoon to consider the question of selling the proposed \$2,000,000 school bond issue over the counter to individual subscribers.

A second attempt by the board to float the loan was made recently and failed completely, only two bids, totaling \$2100, being attracted. A meeting of the finance committee of the board was held immediately after the bids were opened, which resulted in a suggestion to sell the bonds over the counter.

Theodore F. Jenkins, attorney for the board, later furnished an opinion that such a sale would be legal.

A special meeting of the board has been held up for the last month because it was found impossible to get two-thirds of the members, or a quorum in attendance. The present bond issue was for a 5 per cent payment. The bonds are not taxable by the state or the federal government.

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