

BANDIT THROWS HOT SOUP OVER WOMAN

Man Empties Pot Over Restaurant Keeper After Failing to Find Money

PROTECTED HER CHILDREN

With her right shoulder and arm and left hand swathed in bandages, Mrs. Lena Schiff, twenty-eight years old, told today of an unsuccessful attempt at robbery made last night in the restaurant she and her husband, Herman, conduct at 510 South Street. Mrs. Schiff was badly scalded when the bandit threw a pot of boiling soup on her. "It was about 10:30 o'clock," said Mrs. Schiff, "and we were just closing the place. My husband had taken \$300 from the cash register a few minutes before this man came in. He sat down at the table nearest the kitchen and ordered a cup of coffee. As I turned to get it, he asked, 'how's business?'" Mrs. Schiff got suspicious and went into the back yard and hid the money, but before he returned I had been burned and the man had disappeared.



MRS. LENA SCHIFF
Bandits threw hot soup on the woman as she attempted to call the police when her husband's restaurant was being held up.

CHURCH FOR WESTVILLE

Bishop of Trenton Makes Plans for New Edifice

A new Roman Catholic church is to be built at Westville, N. J., according to the plans of Bishop Walsh, of the Trenton diocese. There is no Catholic church in Westville now, the nearest being at Woodbury.

Plans for the new edifice, which is to be built of brick, are being drawn. A site has been obtained on Highland avenue, 250 by 150 feet in dimension, and it is expected that ground will be broken this spring.

The Rev. Father McCarrollson, of St. Patrick's Church, Woodbury, is the priest in charge of the parish in which the new church is included. A pinocchio and dance party tonight is one of the number of benefits being held for the building fund.

Escaping Gas Kills Man

Detecting an odor of gas while passing a house at 1027 North Second street last night, Patrolman Riley, of the Fourth and York streets station, broke into the place and found Peter Keenan, fifty-four years old, a roofer, unconscious on the bed. The man was taken to the Stetson Hospital, but died before the patrol wagon arrived. According to the police, Keenan's death was accidental. While the man was asleep the end of a tube attached to a jet split and the escaping gas inhaled by Keenan.

NOT IN BED FOR 30 YEARS

Locktender on Schuylkill Prefers a Board—On Job 36 Years

Winfield Giles, locktender at the Flat Rock dam on the Schuylkill, celebrates his sixty-eighth birthday today. He has been employed at his job for thirty-six years and declares he has not slept in bed in the last thirty years. Giles prefers a short nap on a board or a bench to a night's rest in a bed. He has been in the employ of the Schuylkill Navigation Co. for fifty-eight years, or since he was ten years old.

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THIEF USES ETHER IN ROBBING WOMAN

Sprinkles Her With Fluid and Then Escapes After Taking \$10

POLICE HAVE NO CLUES

Mrs. Nellie Frank, of 5716 Media street, was held up and robbed at midnight Saturday by a hold-up man who used ether instead of the usual highwayman's blackjack.

The hold-up was reported to the police of the Sixty-first and Thompson streets station early today. They found no trace of the ether-thrower when they hurried to the point where the attack was made.

Mrs. Frank, according to the story she told the police, was walking on Fifty-eighth street near her home, when she noticed a well-dressed man approaching. He had on a dark coat and hat.

"I saw the man make a throwing motion with his arm," said Mrs. Frank, "and then I felt something strike my face and hat. It was a liquid of some sort, with a queer odor. Then I felt ill, and the man said 'Give me your money.'"

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DISCUSS "DRY" LAW

Enforcement and Civil Service Reform Topic for Monday Conference

Enforcement of the prohibition amendment and its relation to civil service reform was the subject presented at the second meeting of the Monday conference this afternoon in the assembly room of the Emergency Aid, 221 South Eighteenth street.

The subject was discussed both from a national and a state point of view. Wayne B. Wheeler, attorney and general counsel for the Anti-Saloon League of America, spoke on the national aspect, and Dr. Homer Tapp, of the Pennsylvania Anti-Saloon League, presented the status of prohibition enforcement in Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Frank Miles Day, chairman of the Monday Conference, opened the meeting and turned it over to Mrs. Imogen B. Oakley, chairman of the civil service reform in the General Federation of Women's Clubs, who presided.

ANOTHER BANDIT VICTIM

Moore's Man Held Up and Robbed of Cash and Watch

Harry Castle, of Moore's, Pa., was held up and robbed at 1 o'clock this morning at Locust and Pine streets, Camden.

Castle was returning to this city after visiting friends in South Camden, when three Negroes halted him. While two held him and told him to make no outcry or he would be killed, the third man searched his pockets.

The bandits escaped with \$10 in money, a gold watch and chain and a gold-mounted penknife.

U. S. ALCOHOL STOLEN

A quantity of government alcohol was stolen from a storehouse at the navy yard several nights ago. Officials at the yard followed up the theft immediately and have succeeded in recovering most of the loot.

IS Sadder Budweiser Thief

A thief who entered the Budweiser saloon, Fifteenth street below Market, early Sunday morning, obtained only eighty-two cents from the cash register for his trouble.

Attaches of the saloon forgot to close a rear window, through which the thief entered.

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ACADEMY BALL TONIGHT

Original Opening of House in 1857 to Be Commemorated

The opening of the Academy of Music, which took place in January, 1857, is to be commemorated tonight with a large ball, given at the Academy under the auspices of the women's committee of the Philadelphia Orchestra. The proceeds will be for the chorus of the orchestra.

In the matter of decorations, music, costumes and dancing, the ball will be in keeping with the original, which was called the "Grand Inaugural Ball."

Similarity being the keynote, guesses have been hazarded as to the possibility of Mayor Moore personally patrolling the streets, as his predecessor did sixty-four years ago. Tradition says: "The Mayor and his marshal policed the street in front of the Academy all night to preserve order, and obviate confusion caused by the congestion of several hundred carriages."

FAMILY SAVED FROM GAS

Fairview, N. J., Home Filled With Fumes From Cellar Stove

A family of six persons escaped death by suffocation from coal gas in Fairview Village, near Gloucester, early today.

lived in Constitution road, filled with fumes from a stove in the cellar.

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| Lot 10,808. BLACK CROMBIE MONTAGNAC, 6 left. Originally \$125.00. Will sell this week for \$85.00. | Lot 10,829. IRISH CHEVIOT ULSTER, 5 left. Originally \$100.00. Will sell this week for \$67.00. | Lot 8534. FULL SILK-LINED MONTAGNAC, 36 left. Originally \$100.00. Will sell this week for \$56.00. | Lot 10,846. OXFORD BEAVER ULSTER, 6 left. Originally \$110.00. Will sell this week for \$78.00. |
| Lot 10,870. CROMBIE BEAVER ULSTER, 13 left. Originally \$120.00. Will sell this week for \$78.00. | Lot 10,867. HEAVY CHEVIOT ULSTER, 4 left. Originally \$100.00. Will sell this week for \$68.00. | Lot 10,662. OXFORD HERRINGBONE ULSTER, 18 left. Originally \$80.00. Will sell this week for \$56.00. | Lot 8698. BOX MODEL OXFORD OVERCOAT, 8 left. Originally \$60.00. Will sell this week for \$31.00. |
| Lot 10,869. ULSTER OF IRISH CHEVIOT, 10 left. Originally \$115.00. Will sell this week for \$73.00. | Lot 10,878. CROMBIE BEAVER ULSTER, 5 left. Originally \$95.00. Will sell this week for \$54.00. | Lot 10,667. HERRINGBONE ULSTER, 9 left. Originally \$75.00. Will sell this week for \$52.00. | Lot 9608. CHEVIOT SLIP-ON OVERCOAT, 7 left. Originally \$70.00. Will sell this week for \$51.00. |
| Lot 10,839. CROMBIE BEAVER ULSTER, 5 left. Originally \$115.00. Will sell this week for \$78.00. | Lot 10,813. IRISH CHEVIOT BOX COAT, 6 left. Originally \$90.00. Will sell this week for \$66.00. | Lot 5050. IRISH FRIEZE ULSTER, 11 left. Originally \$90.00. Will sell this week for \$48.00. | Lot 9701. OLIVE MIXTURE SLIP ON COAT, 4 left. Originally \$80.00. Will sell this week for \$56.00. |
| Lot 10,864. CROMBIE BEAVER ULSTER, 3 left. Originally \$115.00. Will sell this week for \$82.00. | Lot 10,863. PLAID-BACK BEAVER, 7 left. Originally \$110.00. Will sell this week for \$76.00. | Lot 5010. OXFORD CHEVIOT ULSTER, 29 left. Originally \$85.00. Will sell this week for \$47.00. | Lot 8961-31. BLUSH BROWN BOX MODEL OVERCOAT, 5 left. Originally \$65.00. Will sell this week for \$38.00. |
| Lot 3320. OXFORD CHEVIOT ULSTER, 11 left. Originally \$110.00. Will sell this week for \$72.00. | Lot 10,669. OVERPLAID ULSTER, 9 left. Originally \$75.00. Will sell this week for \$51.00. | Lot 6001. OXFORD ULSTER, 20 left. Originally \$80.00. Will sell this week for \$46.00. | Lot 8737. OXFORD GRAY ULSTER, 3 left. Originally \$65.00. Will sell this week for \$36.00. |
| Lot 10,868. CROMBIE BEAVER ULSTER, 14 left. Originally \$110.00. Will sell this week for \$74.00. | Lot 10,865. BROWN CHEVIOT ULSTER, 8 left. Originally \$75.00. Will sell this week for \$49.00. | Lot 8952. BROWN CHEVIOT ULSTER, 5 left. Originally \$75.00. Will sell this week for \$39.00. | Lot 8724. BROWN CHEVIOT ULSTER, 5 left. Originally \$65.00. Will sell this week for \$36.00. |
| Lot 10,842. CROMBIE ELYSIAN ULSTER, 4 left. Originally \$85.00. Will sell this week for \$85.00. | Lot 5054. OXFORD ULSTER, 14 left. Originally \$85.00. Will sell this week for \$47.00. | Lot 8950. BROWN MIXED CHEVIOT BOX MODEL OVERCOAT, 16 left. Originally \$65.00. Will sell this week for \$38.00. | Lot 5598. OXFORD GRAY CHEVIOT ULSTER, 23 left. Originally \$65.00. Will sell this week for \$33.00. |
| Lot 10,857. WORUMBO BEAVER ULSTER, 3 left. Originally \$110.00. Will sell this week for \$82.00. | Lot 6002. BROWN CHEVIOT ULSTER, 7 left. Originally \$80.00. Will sell this week for \$46.00. | Lot 8524. OXFORD CHEVIOT OVERCOAT, 4 left. Originally \$90.00. Will sell this week for \$46.00. | Lot 9700. CHEVIOT SLIP-ON OVERCOAT, 7 left. Originally \$80.00. Will sell this week for \$56.00. |
| Lot 8672. ULSTER IN BROWNISH MIXTURE, 11 left. Originally \$60.00. Will sell this week for \$31.00. | Lot 5017. SILK-LINED CONSERVATIVE OVERCOAT, 57 left. Originally \$80.00. Will sell this week for \$46.00. | Lot 8958. BROWN BEAVER ULSTER, 3 left. Originally \$75.00. Will sell this week for \$39.00. | Lot 10,881. CLOSE-FITTING OXFORD OVERCOAT, 10 left. Originally \$75.00. Will sell this week for \$53.00. |

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