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NIGHT EXTRA

THE WEATHER
Cloudy and slightly colder tonight; lowest about 25 degrees.

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WOMEN CARD-INDEX MOVES AND VOTES OF STATE LEGISLATORS

"Tabs" Kept on Every Member, Says Mrs. J. O. Miller

FACTS ARE SUPPLIED TO ORGANIZATIONS
Jolt Coming to Some Political Sleeping-Sickness Victims in Assembly

CAMPAIGN FOR BILLS ON

By GEORGE NOX McCAIN Harrisburg, Feb. 23.—There are women in attendance at the Legislature.

She is as regular in her attendance on the sessions of the Legislature as its most conscientious male members.

Mrs. Miller is a low voiced, well groomed, unassuming woman, a keen judge of character, thoroughly posted on legislative routine, a charming conversationalist and a public speaker of persuasive and convincing power.

Called "Lady of the Legislature" Above and beyond all, however, she is chairman of the League of Women Voters, and it is in that capacity that she has earned the sobriquet of the "Lady of the Legislature."

When she is not present in person she has an understudy, or another official, or a scout of approved character, who watches her for the reason that she is the best-posted woman in Pennsylvania today on affairs at Harrisburg and the legislation that is being and will be enacted at the present session.

Moreover, she is that striking anomaly, a clever, educated woman, who in her political relations as a leader among the women voters, does not place her self upon the broad platform of political equality and equal rights with the men of the League of Women Voters.

It is not a separate woman's party, but a party of women, and it is for the things that are most essential to the education and advancement of woman and the general cause of the League of Women Voters.

"I presume we might be justly charged with being altruistic. We are to a large extent," said Mrs. Miller, "but we are voters, and as such are a valuable asset to any political party. The political leaders no longer say we cannot do this or that, but they inquire, 'What can we do?'"

Conditions Are Different Now
"Until we were given the vote we were a party of women, and as such we were a valuable asset to any political party."

Princeton Students Win Battle Against Storm
Hunters Reach Hotel After Battling Blizzard for Hours in New York

Blowing their way through snow that lay two feet deep on the level and in drifts from three to five feet deep on side trails and in the gullies where they hoped to corner and shoot wild geese.

A message sent by George A. Wigan from Dingman's Ferry last night verified the report that the blizzard had been a hard one, but when the hunters returned to the hotel they were greeted by a blizzard that had continued to intensify.

Wigan's Ferry is on a stage route, five miles from Bluekill, on the Delaware Valley Railroad. Louis Cleave, who runs a general store at Dingman's Ferry, said today that the hills are swarmed with hunters who have advanced into the mountain regions because of the snow and the exceptionally good trail.

It is getting through all right, but I don't think the boys would have any trouble unless they were out of all the usual range of hunting parties," he said.

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"RAY" SCHUCK AND "HIS MARY"



A photograph of Schuck and Mrs. Mary Metiarvey, on whom Schuck says he spent part of the money stolen from David S. Paul, aged bank messenger, of whose murder Schuck was convicted yesterday.

MRS. SCHUCK VISITS U. S. AGENTS SEIZE HUSBAND IN PRISON

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GIRL SCOUT SLEW FATHER TO SAVE MOTHER, SHE SAYS

Elizabeth Lance, 15, Under Arrest. Stabbed Parent, Overseas Veteran, Four Times

Elizabeth Mabel Lance, a Girl Scout, fifteen years old, told the police today that she killed her father by stabbing him four times in the chest because he beat her mother at their home in 130 South Bonaal street, last midnight.

She is now held at the House of Detention for the murder of the father, Edgar M. Lance, thirty-seven years old.

Mrs. Elizabeth A. Lance, the mother, had a hearing this morning before Magistrate Carson at Central Station and was discharged after Patrolman Lawler, of the Fifteenth and Locust streets station related details leading to the murder.

Mrs. Lance wept, but before she could leave the building she was arrested by the coroner and given testimony regarding the case.

Another Woman Blamed
According to Detective Belshaw, Mrs. Lance said her husband was a veteran of the war and had become infatuated with a nurse who attended him in France.

Mrs. Lance said that her husband had sent his entire compensation of \$120 a month to this woman, whose name was not given out. It was a girl over the name that led to the fight at the Lance home.

This morning Lawler was told by a postman that there had been a quarrel in the house and that the father had been found dead in bed, dead. There were wounds in his chest, made by a knife.

The mother and the daughter were in the room. Lawler questioned them for more than fifteen minutes before the girl declared she stabbed her father while he was choking her mother across the bed.

"I lost my head," she told the police, "I thought he might hurt her and I got excited and grabbed my knife. I struck him—I killed him."

At this juncture Detectives Coyle and Arroy arrested the girl and woman and returned them to the Fifth district station. The girl was sent from there to the House of Detention and the mother went to Central Station.

Mrs. Lance is an employee of a monopoly company at Twenty-fourth and Locust streets. Before her marriage Mrs. Lance was Miss Margaret Kenny.

Fought With 28th Division
Mrs. and Mrs. Lance had quarreled frequently since the husband's return from France. Mrs. Lance is a native of Pennsylvania, according to Mrs. Anna Shanahan, 117 South Twenty-fourth street, a friend of Mrs. Lance.

Mrs. Shanahan said, "Mrs. Lance came to live with me and remained nearly two months. Then she returned to her husband, who had been several months in the hospital. Her husband had threatened to kill her."

Neighbors say Lance returned from France with a bad case of influenza, which he carried to his home. He worked as a brakeman for the Pennsylvania Railroad, but when he returned he did not act enough to return to his job.

Mrs. Agnes McCollum, a sister of Mrs. Lance, lives in Waverly street near Locust street. She has two other children, Mrs. Lance, Alfred, thirteen years old, and Catherine, eleven. They were taken to the sister's home after the killing of their father.

"I know Edgar wasn't drunk at 10 o'clock last night," she said. "That's the last time I saw him. He was just as usual. That man beat those children once too often. The grandmother went on, the youngest was peering from behind her. 'Oh, he beat 'em often.'"

Camden Young Woman Fires 6 Shots as Burglar Bounds Down Steps

Blanch Fields, twenty-two years old, of 511 Felton street, Camden, fired six shots at a burglar who was found prowling through her own and her mother's room this morning before dawn.

She escaped, probably in spite of one wound or more, with \$20 he had obtained from the mother's room.

Miss Fields and her mother slept on the second floor. The father works in Chester and sleeps there just now, and Miss Fields believes the intruder knew this. Some one fumbling under her mattress in search of valuables and money awakened her.

An oil lamp, turned very low, shed just enough light to silhouette the bulk of the big burglar before her. She feigned sleep until he, falling to find any valuables, crept toward her mother's room adjoining.

"Mother, there is a burglar in your room," she shouted. As she gave the alarm she leaped from her bed. The man glided back toward her, then, turning suddenly, headed down the stairway. By this time Miss Fields had gotten her revolver from under her pillow, and from the head of the stairway she shot at the stumbling form as fast and often as she could.

He had left the front door open after making his way in through a rear window. This foresight probably saved him from arrest, as he managed to get out and away. Miss Fields believes she wounded the burglar, and hospitals are being watched by the police.

Today's Developments in National Capital

The army appropriation bill providing for an army of 175,000 men was ordered reported to the Senate.

The Senate agreed to House amendments to the resolution directing the War Department to cease operation of the New York barge canal and sent the measure to the White House.

Senator Nelson asked the judiciary committee for prompt action on the bill to prohibit trade with China.

Young Woman Artist Wins \$100 Prize

Today's winner in the Limpin' Lim'ricks contest is a girl artist. She spent several years studying at the Academy of Fine Arts and just at present is hard at work painting a set of scenery for the play "Why Not?" to be presented by Philadelphia society girls next week. Her limerick as completed reads:

LIMERICK No. 57
A fellow named Oliver Green
Invented a flying machine;
He said, "Pretty soon
I will fly to the moon"—
He's dead and they've
"creped de machine."

MISS MARGOT SULLIVAN
The Rosemont
119 South Nineteenth

There's Another Limpin' Lim'ricks Today—See Page 2
And don't forget Jack's Jingle Box for Kiddies—See Page 30

TEACHER BEATEN, ROBBED IN STREET

Woman Is Waylaid at Twenty-second and Fitzwater Streets by Thugs

Mrs. Marie Stretter, twenty-three years old, a school teacher, of 2623 Bainbridge street, was attacked by two men, struck repeatedly on the head with a milk bottle, dragged into an alley and robbed of rings valued at \$150 at Twenty-second and Fitzwater streets at 9:15 o'clock last night.

The attack occurred two blocks from the Twenty-third and Center streets police station. Two patrolmen standing at Twenty-second and Christian streets knew nothing of the attack.

Mrs. Stretter was walking west on Fitzwater street from Twenty-first to her way to the home of her mother-in-law at 2231 Fitzwater street.

As she reached the corner of Twenty-second street one of her assailants stepped in front of her and demanded her purse. Mrs. Stretter told him she had none. When she struggled to free herself the man struck her over the head with a bottle, and called to a confederate.

The two men both Negroes, dragged the school teacher into an alley. There they struck her again, tore a fur collar from her throat and a pair of gloves from her hands.

Falling under blows from the bottle, Mrs. Stretter feigned unconsciousness when her assailants had fled. Then she struggled to her feet and, with blood streaming from deep gashes on her head, she walked to her home.

Adi was summoned and the injured woman was taken to the Polyclinic Hospital.

Mrs. Stretter is a teacher in the Alcorn School at Thirty-fourth and Wharton streets. She had been married six months to her husband, Samuel Stretter, was employed as a draughtsman by the Sun Shipbuilding Co.

\$750,000 for Starving Chinese
Special cable dispatch, commodity.

Pekin, Feb. 23.—An additional donation of \$500,000 in gold has been given to the American Red Cross for constructive famine relief. This brings the total funds subscribed for the work to \$750,000.

Tells of Whisky Ring
Witness, Double-Crossed in Deal, Exposes Gang

Chicago, Feb. 23.—(By A. P.)—Maurice "Mossy" Joyce today had his revenge for being "double-crossed" in the Mike de Piko-Heider \$200,000 whisky robbery last November.

As chief witness for the government in the prosecution of Heider and other defendants of Chicago and Louisville, on charges of transporting liquor illegally, Joyce today stood in the Federal Judge Evan Evans court yesterday that he would not be there testifying if he had been given back the money he said he advanced Heider to pay for 100 cases of liquor.

The government has twenty-four more witnesses to be called before the defense begins presentation of its case.

To Name Acid-Thrower
Victim in Hospital Says Woman Had No Cause for Jealousy

Miss Elsie Weigel, 1228 North Jessup street, pretty twenty-three-year-old waitress, will prosecute the as yet unnamed acid-thrower who yesterday afternoon threw acid in her face at Eleventh and Walnut streets, and escaped.

This was learned from her today at the Hahnemann Hospital, where she is being treated for burns of the face and hands that may mark her for life. She declined to divulge the name of her assailant, but said that it is a woman who is jealous of her husband, and who believes, in error, that she has been his daughter's intention to bring prosecution as soon as she is able to leave the hospital.

Sir Gilbert Parker is III
Nianta Rosa, Calif., Feb. 23.—Sir Gilbert Parker, Canadian novelist, who arrived here yesterday, is confined to his room in a hotel with illness, a few serious the illness is has not been made known.

SCALDED HELPING MOTHER
Girl Tipped Over Basin of Water, Will Live, Doctors Say

A nine-year-old girl was painfully scalded when she tipped over a basin of boiling water while helping her mother wash dishes this morning.

She is Katherine English, 5133 Funston street.

While carrying the scalding water from the kitchen range she tipped it over the lower portion of her body.

JOHNSON SEEKING POLITICAL GAIN IN HEARST ALLIANCE

Entry Into New York Traction Fight May Have Wide-Spread Effect

AFTER FOOTHOLD AMONG VOTERS OF THE EAST

"Going to Be Great Fight," Says Johnson in N. Y.

New York, Feb. 23.—(By A. P.)—Senator Hiram W. Johnson, of California, arrived here last night to take up his work as legal representative of the New York city government in its opposition to the proposed state supervision of city transit urged by Governor Miller.

Senator Johnson will confer today with Mayor Hylan and Corporation Counsel O'Brien, who retained him. To newspapermen the senator said:

"It's going to be a great fight."

By CLINTON W. GILBERT
Staff Correspondent, Evening Public Ledger

Washington, Feb. 23.—Washington reads big politics in Senator Hiram Johnson's entry into the New York traction fight.

Things are breaking against Johnson here. The tentative appointment of Hoover to the cabinet without apparent consultation with the California senator means that Hoover's entry into the traction fight is not a foregone conclusion.

The Harding foreign policy in favor of "an association of nations and a useful method of counsel" means that Johnson has failed to effect his party's position on the League of Nations.

Johnson is being crowded into very small space at the extreme left of his party. Not having taken room in Washington, he has gone to New York to enter a traction fight there which may split the Republicans of New York state in two camps, the Republicans of Illinois are split.

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