

SID'S LAWYER PROUD OF HIM

Tells Mingo Jury Defendant in Murder Trial Is Unimpeachable

ATTACKS FELTS DETECTIVES

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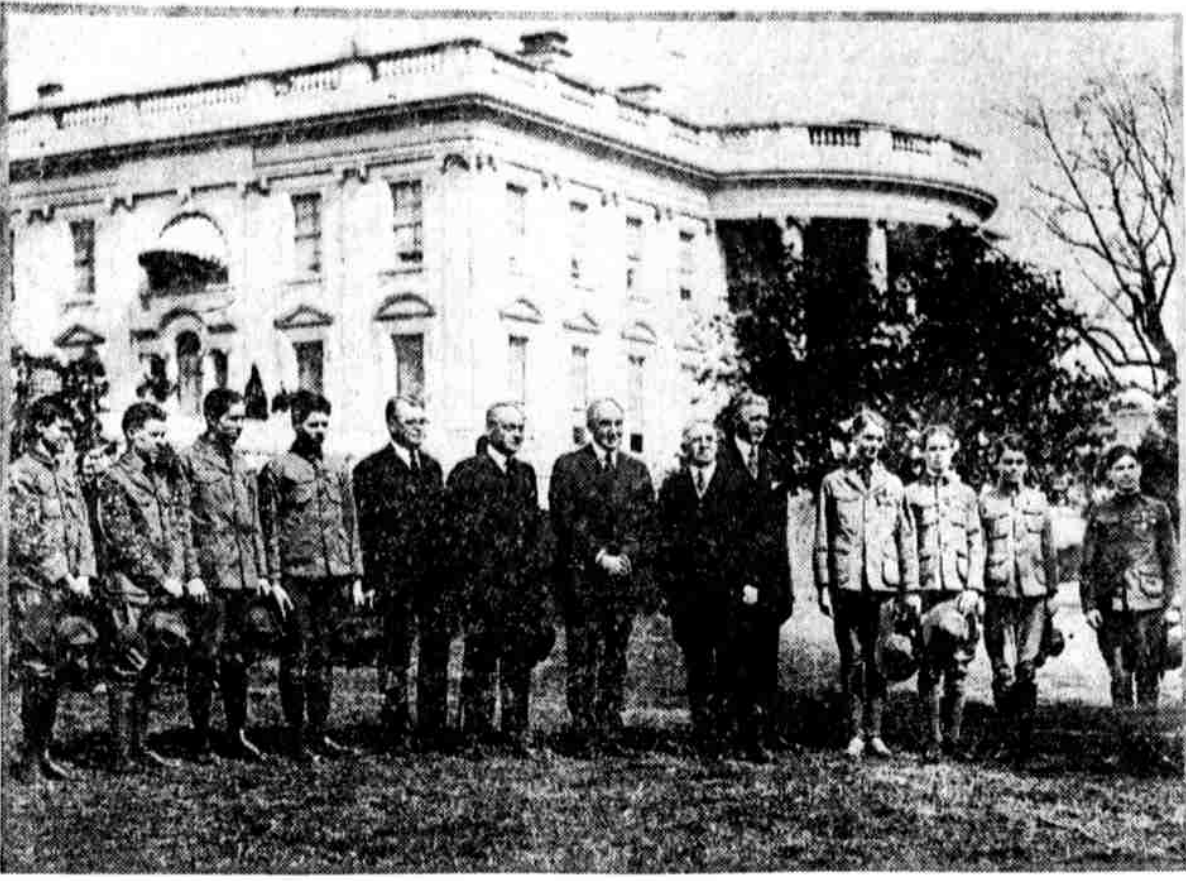
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PRESIDENT HARDING HOST TO BOY SCOUTS



These Boy Scouts, known as Eagle Scouts because of the high ratings they have attained in Scout work, with several of the officers of the Boy Scouts of America, were received by the President at the White House. Mr. Harding accepted the office of honorary president.

250 REFUGEES LAND HERE FROM RUSSIA

Seek Safety From Bolshevist Armies—Red Star Liner Brings 360 Others

FOOD SCARCE IN GERMANY

Food has been so scarce in Düsseldorf, Germany, now occupied by the Allies, that poorer residents have been forced to obtain prescriptions from physicians in order to buy butter, eggs and other essentials.

Peter Emmanuels, an American citizen of German birth, thus described the destitution in the German city on his arrival here today aboard the Red Star liner Samland, which docked at Washington avenue with 410 passengers from Antwerp, 250 of them refugees from the Bolshevist armies.

The Samland is the first Red Star liner to make this port. Regular passenger sailings once a month will be maintained between Philadelphia and Antwerp, the which docked at Washington avenue with 410 passengers from Antwerp, 250 of them refugees from the Bolshevist armies.

Stowaway Aboard Sunderses April 5, when the Samland was two days out of Antwerp, Gerard Fransols, a Belgian stowaway, gave himself up and told the ship's officers that his parents had left him in Belgium and were now in Chicago. A telegram has been sent to them, and he may be released by immigration officials.

Among the Russian refugees are Isaac Koffler, his wife and young son and daughter, who abandoned a farm and backyard, valued at \$20,000, situated near Warsaw. Koffler's two older sons, Isidor Koffler, of Providence, R. I., and Charles Koffler, of Fall River, Mass., met the destitute family.

Samuel Whiteshelf, of near Kleeve, with his wife and three children, were also among the refugees whose homes were seized by the Bolshevist armies. He said the soldiers had stripped members of his family of their clothes and had given them rags to wear.

Pitman Trade Board to Dine Pitman, N. J., March 18.—Albert L. Mose, member of the Philadelphia bar, will speak at a dinner to be given here next Monday night by the Board of Trade, at the Hotel Pitman. W. A. Thrent, Camden manufacturer and vice-president of the board, will be toastmaster.

Gloucester Pastor Arrives The Rev. W. E. Zimmerman, newly appointed pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal Church, of Gloucester, N. J., moved to the parsonage there today with his two older children. His wife and two younger children are detained at Bridgeton, as one of the children is ill of scarlet fever.

ATTACK WATER CHARGES

New Cumberland Appeal From Service Commission Argued Harrisburg, March 18.—The question whether the burden of proof should be put upon a borough complaining against rates of a water company when the rate was applied to the municipality three years after it had been effective in neighboring communities was argued before the Superior Court yesterday in the appeal of New Cumberland from the decision of the Public Service Commission in the Riverport Consolidated Water case.

Questions of whether the difference in rates between service from a gravity system and a filtered water system should be taken into consideration also entered into the argument.

Hearings in the complaints of the borough of Middletown and others against the Middletown and Swatara Consolidated Water Co. have been continued pending testimony and argument on a motion for the company to give bond covering any decision the Public Service Commission may make.

The Huntington and Clearfield Telephone Co. has filed notice with the Public Service Commission of increase of rates in Clearfield, Indiana, Centre and Cambria counties. The Houzerville Water Co., operating in Franklin county, has advanced its rates for Pennsylvania and Houzerville.

PUPILS TO DEBATE

Ocean City High School Team Will Visit Collingswood Collingswood, N. J., March 18.—The Ocean City High School debating team will come here to debate with the Collingswood High School team tonight.

Resolved, that the principle of the open-shop shall be established and maintained in American industry. They expect to bring a large force of school boys and girls to "whom it up" for them if they win. The visitors will argue the affirmative side, coached by

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Deaths of a Day

John J. McCaffrey

John J. McCaffrey, a member of the police force for the last eighteen years, died on Wednesday of pneumonia in the University Hospital. He was forty-four years old, unmarried and made his home with his sister, Mrs. Gustie Gallagher, 828 Federal street. Solemn requiem mass will be celebrated Monday morning in the Church of the Annunciation, Tenth and Dickinson streets, Interment will be in Holy Cross Cemetery.

Richard R. Robb Funeral

Funeral services for Richard R. Robb, for almost fifty years a trolley-car motorman and horse-car driver in this city, will be held at his home, 4148 North Fairhill street, this evening. Interment will be tomorrow afternoon at Churchville, Pa.

Mr. Robb was born in Bucks county, Pa. He came to this city, at the age of twenty-three, when he began service on the street cars. He was one of the oldest motormen on the P. R. T., and one of the to win the employ of the company who had worked on horse-cars.

Michael C. Laughery

Following an attack of vertigo on Monday night, Michael C. Laughery, sixty-seven years old, of 508 East Tulpehocken street, Germantown, died yesterday at his home. He was a locomotive engineer on the Reading Railway, retiring seven years ago, after having filled the position for thirty-eight years. He had a run on the New York division.

Mrs. Margaret H. Oddyke

Mrs. Margaret Henry Oddyke, wife of W. Austin Oddyke, widely known in financial circles in this city, and daughter of the late Rev. J. Addison Henry, for many years pastor of Princeton Presbyterian Church, Thirty-ninth street and Powelton avenue, died in Bryn Mawr Hospital yesterday. The Oddyke home is at Radnor, Pa.

Mrs. Emma C. Rick

Mrs. Emma C. Rick, who died at Reading, March 16, will be buried there Saturday morning at 11 o'clock. She had numerous friends and relatives in Philadelphia and was the widow of Charles Rick.

GREEDY—EVEN FOR BANDITS HELD AS BAD-BILL PASSER

Three Thieves Take Man's Money and Keys. Then Demand Overcoat

Three hold-up men last night compelled Louis Jones, 5301 North Lawrence street, to remove his overcoat after they had taken \$30 in cash and two bunches of keys.

Jones was walking on Third street between Olney and Clarkson avenues when a tall man and two shorter companions approached. The tall man held a revolver to Jones' head while the others searched his clothes.

When they had taken his overcoat Jones was compelled to "heat it." Because of the darkness Jones was able to give only a meager description of the bandits to the Broadbottom police.

UNIDENTIFIED MAN ENDS LIFE

The body of an unidentified man, about forty years old, 5'7" tall, 140 pounds, and weighing 160 pounds, was discovered, shortly after 2 o'clock this morning, by the Frankford police at Orthodox street and Torresdale avenue.

The man was lying on his face, blood streaming from a wound in his temple. A revolver was found by his side. He was dressed in working clothes, and is believed to be an Italian who was put out of work when a number of factories closed in the mill district.

Man Accused of Offering Twos Raised to Tens

Ralph Heisler, twenty-five years old, of 1749 North Fifteenth street, was arrested today charged with passing a two-dollar bill which had been "raised" to ten dollars.

Heisler was arrested by Detective McCullough, of the Twentieth and Vine streets police station, on a charge preferred by the proprietor of a restaurant near Eighteenth and Market streets.

It is alleged that Heisler passed such a bill at the same restaurant several days ago and the proprietor discovered he had given the young man change for a ten-dollar bill, which upon examination after he had left the place proved to be a \$2 bill. He reported the matter to the police. Today Heisler returned and after breakfast tendered \$10 of the same variety.

Making an excuse to go outside for change, the restaurant proprietor telephoned to the police.

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Miss Marjorie English, Martin Austin, will present the exhibit. The Collingswood High School team, taking the negative, coached by Miss Estelle Venable and Howard Wessel, will be Miss Florence Emmons, Taylor Jones, and Ronald Kinnon, who will make the rebuttal. Three will be three judges, ten of whom have been selected. Walter Carson, a Camden lawyer, and F. C. Kinble, treasurer of the National State Bank, of Camden.

New Bus Line Does Big Business Haddon Heights, N. J., March 18.—The Public Service Railway Co. is being impeded of its patrons here, in Camden, Camden and in a part of Camden, by a new motorbus line running from this place to the Camden ferries. It will be three judges, ten of whom have been selected. Walter Carson, a Camden lawyer, and F. C. Kinble, treasurer of the National State Bank, of Camden.

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