

CAMDEN BARROWNER KILLS TWO PATRONS

Victims Battered for Poor Business Berated for Fatal Shooting, Police Say

SELF-DEFENSE IS PLEA

Two men were shot and killed by Arthur Shurtleff, a saloonkeeper of Fourth and Chestnut streets, Camden, according to the police, following a quarrel in the latter's place last night.

Honored for Bravery



ARTHUR McKEOGH of Fifteenth and Spruce streets, who has been given the Distinguished Service Cross for his valor in aid in saving the famous 'Lost Battalion' of the Seventy-seventh division

'LOST BATTALION' SAVIOR GETS D. S. C.

Arthur McKeogh Took Word of Plight of Americans to Regiment Headquarters

HERO IS PHILADELPHIAN

Arthur McKeogh, of the Maryland Apartments, Fifteenth and Spruce streets, former lieutenant and adjutant of the famous 'Lost Battalion' of the Seventy-seventh Division, has been awarded the Distinguished Service Cross for his work during the Meuse-Argonne drive.

Lieutenant McKeogh is given the medal of bravery for crawling for twenty-four hours through the thick undergrowth in the Argonne Forest, and informing regimental headquarters of the 20th Infantry of the plight of one of its battalions.

Lieutenant McKeogh shot three Germans during the trip and was himself wounded in the arm.

WOMEN'S CLUBS CONDUCT THEIR MONDAY SESSIONS

Miss Jane Campbell's Class Hears History of Westmoreland County

Parents Suspect Murder

Philadelphia Soldier Found Shot in Texas to Be Buried Tomorrow

Big Business Links Up With Farmers

Realtor Left \$330,000

Family Gets Estate of Mark Haller

Held on Robbery Charge

Bury Bert Leaton Taylor

Chicago, March 21.—(By A. P.)—Funeral services for Bert Leaton Taylor, editor of the Chicago Tribune, will be held at 11 o'clock today at the funeral home of the Chicago Tribune.

SPROUL TAX BILLS MAY BE STRANGLERED

Progressive Element Fears Plan to Delay New Revenue Raisers Until Last Jam

FIGHT ANTHRACITE LEVY

Harrisburg, March 21.—Hard coal operators are expected to descend on the state Capitol with a powerful lobby today to work against the proposed tax on their commodity which administration leaders believe would raise about \$6,000,000 in new revenue.

In this connection, reports reach here from Washington that Senator Penrose is getting ready to leave the city for his home in Atlantic City, the center of another conference on the question of anthracite to be held in the near future.

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Charter's Friends Fight Amendments

Conducted from Page One

When the jury was photographed, each member was given a number, but two, with names, were weakly expected to find duplicated in sunny France, 'ran around so fast' they lost their numbers. The picture, which shows a big portion of the crowd, is on the back page.

The Rev. Dr. Frank P. Parkin asked the Mayor two questions: 'First, Do you believe that it would be helpful to the Civil Service Commission had more assistants?' and 'Second, Do you believe that civil proposal would be of the same weight and fulfilling the official service system?'

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RULES OF THE LIMRICK CONTEST

Today's limerick winner was chosen by a jury composed of members of Major A. J. Drexel Biddle's Bible Class No. 5, Presbyterian Church of the Exchange, Twelfth and Spruce streets, at a dinner given at the church. Photo on back page.

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BILLS AID NEW VETERANS

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WOMEN OVERRULE DAVIS HEARS PLEA OF PACKERS' MEN

Insist on Serving as Jurors Despite His Objections and Decide Case

GIVE BIGAMIST A YEAR

Three women today disregarded the advice and wishes of Judge Audenried and insisted upon sitting on a jury in his court before which criminal cases are being tried. The judge twice has declared the jury box is no place for a woman.

Today the three women declared they would fulfill their rights as citizens and insisted upon serving. The first case they heard was that of a bigamist and the women promptly assisted in sending him to the penitentiary for a year.

Miss Catherine Clothier, of 706 Spruce street, was the first called. She said she was willing to listen to the criminal testimony. She took her place as a juror of the jury.

Miss Louise Hoopes, 1022 South 15th street, and the third Miss Lillian Sherline, 1609 Mt. Vernon street.

UNOFFICIAL FRENCH DUN CAUSES LITTLE ALARM

Historians Refuse to Get Excited Over Claim We Owe France

Historians in this city are inclined to smile at the editorial claim advanced in Paris that the United States owes France \$100,000,000,000.

The claim was made in the *Elclair* by Jean Bernard and was accompanied by the further claim that had been \$100,000,000 francs on the purchase price of Louisiana, sold to this country by the first Napoleon.

Some of these claims we know are not correct. I do not remember any thing about these specific claims. We would have to do a good deal of research work to look it up. But even a trifling debt would pile up a tremendous interest in 150 years. If such mathematics pretty well to have computed all that interest.

Treasury officials in Washington dug through musty records today and announced that they had been unable to find any record of the United States owing France any money on account of Louisiana.

Mice Blamed for Fire

A shed at the rear of the home of Mrs. Catherine Black, 3221 E. 10th street, was damaged by fire at 10 o'clock this morning. Mice are believed to have caused the fire by chewing matches.

TODAY'S MARRIAGE LICENSES

John Dapkins, New Boston, Pa. and Stella Dapkins, Frankfort, Pa. Benjamin Green, 1731 N. Marshall st. and Ethel Robinson, 1731 N. Marshall st. George H. Southern, 1319 N. 2nd st. and Olivia Schaefer, 3025 N. 2nd st. James Castello, 421 Federal st. and Mary Messing, 421 Federal st.

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DEATHS

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WEDDING CAUSE OF SUICIDE

Boy, Refused Invitation to Attend Chokes Himself to Death

Ridgwood, N. J., March 21.—Henry Wadsworth Smith, thirteen years old, committed suicide Saturday in his home at Glen Rock by tying a necktie to an iron bed pillar, knotting the other end around his neck and pulling away until he had strangled himself. He was found by his parents when they returned from a wedding across the street.

The parents did not know the cause of the boy's suicide until this morning when they were informed by his chum, George Cummings, Jr., twelve years old, that Henry had threatened to kill himself unless he was invited to the wedding of J. R. Townsend and Mrs. Jane Chappelle.

"When I told Henry that I was invited," said George, "he told me that he would choke himself to death unless he was invited too."

Henry did not get an invitation. After his parents had gone to the wedding, however, he went to the residence where the ceremony took place and, according to others who watched through a window, immediately after the wedding he disappeared. Less than half an hour later he was found dead.

Milan Anarchists on Hunger Strike

Milan, March 21.—Emeric Malatesta, the Anarchist leader, who was arrested last October in connection with an anarchist plot, has gone on a hunger strike, in which he has been joined by the other anarchists arrested with him.

Declares Men Won't Yield

"We will not yield," said J. J. Brennan, of the International Brotherhood of Firemen and Millers. "If necessary we can make the packers stand up to their agreement."

Mr. Brennan, when asked if the packers' representatives had come here with authority to make a new agreement with the employees, said they were here only at the invitation of the secretary of labor.

"We do not know what he has in mind," he added. "We have no knowledge of any plan that Secretary Davis or the employees may have."

Going into the conference with the announced 'moral support' of the American Federation of Labor, the employees' representatives were prepared to insist, labor leaders said, that the packers reinstate the arbitration agreement adopted during the war, but terminated at the end of the strike. It was pressed, it was said, even ahead of objections to the 12 1/2 and 15 per cent wage reductions.

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