

WOMEN DRYERS SEEK AID FROM WOMEN

Will Lay Plans Before Their Clubs, Says G. C. Hinckley, Secretary

DENIES BREWERY BACKING

G. C. Hinckley, secretary of the Association Against the Prohibition Amendment, came here from Washington today to confer with Philadelphia members of the organization.

He said that plans were being made for local and state organizations which would work in harmony with the national body in its campaign for the repeal of the Volstead act.

It is the plan of the association to organize along the same lines on which the Anti-Saloon League operated," he explained.

"There are more than 1500 members in Philadelphia and in other towns and cities throughout the state.

"Efforts will be made to present our plans to all the women's clubs, so that they will be able to make their own fight is based against an American law."

"I want it to be understood also that no brewers, distillers or others that have been interested in the liquor business will be accepted as voting members.

"The association's financial backing and voting membership includes voters who are working for the principle that their liberty and freedom have been tampered with by the prohibition amendment and the Volstead enforcement act."

"Captain W. H. Saxton, of Baltimore, founder of the association, will be in Philadelphia in a few days. He further plans for a big meeting here within the next month."

Perforator Frazer, 1521 Spruce street, one of the leaders in the anti-prohibition movement, said:

"An act which is questionable is worse than no act at all. We can force a day when, from Maine to California, no man can be elected to office who favors the present prohibition law."

Dr. Charles D. Hart, of Chestnut Hill, said that he would not be the association in any way possible, either personally or financially.

"I do not drink liquor of any kind myself," said Dr. Hart. "But I am thoroughly opposed to the continuance of a law which is so personally injurious to the health of the people."

Similar news was transmitted by Dr. Charles S. Potter, 2018 Chestnut street, Dr. Collier E. Hart, of Harton, 2102 and Harrison streets, a lawyer, 2102 De Lancey street.

SUPREME COURT UPHOLDS MISSOURI PACIFIC RULING

Conviction of Discrimination in Freight Rates Sustained in Washington, April 11.—(By A. P.)

Conviction of the Missouri Pacific Railroad Co. for violating the Missouri freight discrimination statute, sustained today by the Supreme Court. Charges were brought against the railroad by the Missouri Pacific Railroad Co. which alleged that the carrier had violated the statute by charging a lower rate for coal for carrying coal from Merick to Blackwater, a distance of sixty miles, while at the same time hauling coal from Mavery to Kansas City, 62 1/2 miles for forty cents a ton.

The court affirmed decrees of California courts upholding assessments made by the San Joaquin reclamation board to pay for construction of a canal in the Sacramento valley. The court also affirmed a decree of the California court upholding an assessment made by the San Joaquin reclamation board to pay for construction of a canal in the Sacramento valley.

The boundaries between Oklahoma and Texas followed by the Supreme Court. The court held in deciding the dispute between the two states.

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In session and ready to receive communications from him. The Senate then adjourned until 2 o'clock. The first session lasted last evening minutes.

A conference of Republican senators tomorrow was called today by Senator Lodge to advise the Senate of committee assignments arranged by a conference committee. Because of Republican preponderance, it is proposed to have sixteen instead of fifteen senators on the ten major committees.

The House today passed a bill to require an amendment to a bill adopted a year ago and some Democratic senators are inclined to object when the matter comes before the Senate next week.

CONVICT EX-AUTO DEALER James A. Van Dyke Found Guilty on Two Charges of Fraud

Admitted by Court



MISS TILLIE S. THOMPSON

Takes High Court Oath

Tillie Thompson, City's Youngest Lawyer, Broadens Her Practice

Miss Tillie S. Thompson, city's youngest lawyer, was admitted to the bar of the State Supreme Court today at City Hall.

The oath was administered by Chief Justice Von Moschles.

Miss Thompson was admitted to the bar of the Common Pleas Court September 23 last year. Her court certificate is a graduate of Syracuse University and passed her examinations last June. She lives at 4049 Spruce street.

I have been looking forward to this for a long time, Miss Thompson said after she had taken the oath.

FIREMEN SAVE FAMILIES

Northern Men Carry Wives and Children From Apartments

A number of thrilling rescues were made, one fireman was severely burned and seven were overcome by smoke in a blaze which swept the Arcade Apartments, Broad and Essex streets, last night.

The fire started in the basement, used as a storeroom for the Main Line Shoe Store, which occupies the first floor. The fire burned with a roar in the cellar. He was overcome by smoke almost at the same time, and his faint cries for help were heard by two other firemen, Taylor and Alfred Miller.

Two of the residents of the house, an aged woman and her three-year-old granddaughter, are seriously ill today as a result of smoke. They are Mrs. Anna Fleck and Evelyn. Both were rescued by Mrs. Fleck's son, one of the firemen, assisted by his brother, George Fleck.

WOMAN PUTS DUTY FIRST

Mrs. Lippincott, Despite Sick Son, Refuses to Ask Jury Discharge

Mrs. J. Bettina Lippincott, 1212 Spruce street, has not asked to be excused from jury duty in spite of the fact that she has a sick son at home.

The fact is that Mrs. Lippincott's son, Mrs. Lippincott, and Mrs. Hampton Moore, wife of the Mayor, again were temporarily excused from jury duty in Judge Barrett's court.

They were excused on the ground that they were unable to appear for the last week.

"Yes, I'm glad," Mrs. Lippincott said with a sigh of relief. "I have a sick son at home and I want to spend every moment that I can nursing him."

Mrs. Moore accepted the order today.

However, she remarked making her way out of the court room, "as long as I can get down I really would like to sit on the jury."

Judge Barrett excused all women shortly after court convened at 10 o'clock as the case being tried would run through the day.

SAVE POLICE A SEARCH

Supposed Auto Thieves Go to Hospital and Are Arrested

Three men were arrested in the hospital in Philadelphia today on charges of kidnaping which they are charged with driving off in a stolen automobile.

SUSPECT AIR ATTEMPT

BRITISH STRIKERS MEET MINE HEADS

Wage Parley Likely to Avert "Industrial Alliance" Walkout

LLOYD GEORGE IS MEDIATOR

By the Associated Press

London, April 11.—British mine owners and their striking employees conferred for an hour at the Board of Trade this morning in a possible settlement of the controversy which led to the miners' walkout last week.

The conference adjourned at noon until 4 o'clock this afternoon. Robert S. Home, chairman of the executive, presided.

Estimates of the cost of the miners' dispute to the country, including the loss of mineral coal, unpaid wages, decreased railway traffic and the cost of emergency measures, place the bill which the country is paying because of the strike at nearly £10,000,000 (about \$62,700,000).

Leaders of the "Triple Alliance" of labor view the situation as considerably improved. John Robert Clynes, chairman of the parliamentary party, is quoted as saying a solution of the problem could be found.

The Daily Herald, organ of labor, declared "the first round has been won by labor," adding that reports of rates were opposing the strike were untrue or grossly exaggerated.

Miners Tolerate Pumping

Information was reached the government today by the London Times, that everywhere but in Effie-hire the miners are observing instructions from their officials not to interfere with safety measures and pumping, which have already been begun in South Wales and elsewhere.

Prime Minister Lloyd George, suggested at today's conference that the owners give full presentation of their case, stating why they considered wage reductions justified, after which the miners' counter-claims should be fully presented.

It is proposed that the miners then delegate six men to meet six representatives of the owners, with or without government representatives present. These officials not to interfere with safety measures and pumping, which have already been begun in South Wales and elsewhere.

Would Be Fair to Both Sides

In setting forth the government's desire to the conference, the prime minister said:

"First, if the mine owners present their case for their new wages. They should state their case fully. Then the miners should present their case, and then the government should present its case, and then the government should present its case, and then the government should present its case."

Berengaria's Sailing Cancelled

London, April 11.—By A. P. The sailing of the Berengaria, the great steamship Berengaria, formerly the liner, now at Hoboken, N. J., has been cancelled by the United States Coast Guard.

WOULD PAY EVEN SHYLOCK

248 Pound Schoolboy Hikes Far to Keep Weight Down

Stoughton, Pa., a 248-pound schoolboy, a member of the 1920 team, has been practicing long-distance carrying as a means of keeping his weight down.

He carried yesterday from an afternoon to Atlantic City. His "gain" was a loss of four pounds.

STRUCK BY TAXICAB, DIES

Driver Surrenders to Police Following Accident

Richard Monzo, thirty-four years old, 529 North street, was injured today by a taxicab last night at Broad and Chestnut streets.

HARRIS' CONFESSION OF MURDER A HOAX

Self-Accused Slayer Breaks Down and Admits Inventing Story

LIMERICKS ARE OVER; FANS CAN NOW TURN TO NEW MOVIE PAGE

Daily Film Magazine an Innovation Suggested by Contestants Themselves—Last of Awards Will Be Made This Week

He Can Pay for His Midnight Oil

Frederic A. Cantwell nearly lost his happy home winning the limerick prize. He used to settle down to business about noon and any night at twelve out at the Cantwell home on Spring street, you could hear the following dialogue not-splendidly making trips between the sitting room and the second-story back: She: "When are you coming to bed?" He: "Not till I finish this."

And he didn't!

LIMERICK NO. 97

While doing a perilous scene For a movie, Miss Hazel Bodine Was shot in the finger, Cried she, "I can't linger"— 'Twas a Colt got the goat of the queen.

Well, fans—no, this time we are going to say FRIENDS, the limerick contest is over. You saw the last one Saturday. This week we will finish the daily awarding of prizes and then, dear friends!

The old limerick editor's head may be bent but his heart has been warmed by the contact with thousands of good sports—dull people whom he would like to have met but couldn't, folks who laughed with him and at him, and sometimes scolded him, but who, nevertheless, took the whole thing in the best of spirits.

It is not going to be long before we will have a personal contact and help. We have arranged something for the fans which we believe will please them even better than the temporary limerick contest. It is the "Daily Page of Movie News and Magazine Features," which will keep you constantly informed of what is going on in the world of film, and will also give you favorite stars are doing, how they did this or that, and what work, answer your questions about them, give you their latest photographs, and your serials, and so on, and everything.

Fans Suggested the Idea

Very early in this contest we noticed that every time we wrote a limerick about the movies the number of answers jumped up. For one of our limericks we had a total of TWENTY-TWO THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED AND FIFTY answers. Think of it!

Naturally, that got us thinking. What we wanted to do was to give you a chance to see what your favorite stars are doing, how they did this or that, and what work, answer your questions about them, give you their latest photographs, and your serials, and so on, and everything.

Here, these people are crazy about movies, same as you and the old editor are. But the limerick contest is making you can last long life. It is the only way to be worthy of a friend is to try to treat him the way he wants to be treated.

And evidently movie stuff is a treat to those new friends of yours. So give it to 'em. Give 'em all that want of it. Give 'em what they nobody else has ever given them before.

So here it is today. You'll find it a little further back in the paper on the "Daily Page of Movie News and Magazine Features." It is a big feature EVERY DAY, and we are the first newspaper in the country.

SAILOR BLOWS OUT GAS. FORGETS TO CLOSE JET

He and Sleeping Companion Near Asphyxiation as Result

Just before going to bed at midnight Saturday in the room of a hotel at 728 Race street, Jackson C. Dorsey, a sailor on the United States battleship New Hampshire, blew out the gas.

He fully intended, he declared yesterday in the Hahnemann Hospital, to close the jet but overlooked this detail. Frank Paul, seventeen years old, a "buddy" on the same vessel, laid gas to sleep before Dorsey blew out the jet.

At 1 o'clock yesterday morning Paul woke up with a choking sensation in his throat and staggered to the first floor of the hotel, where he collapsed. The body of the eleven-year-old Walter streets station were notified, and both sailors taken to the Hahnemann Hospital where Dorsey's condition is said to be serious.

Paul, discharged after being treated, told the police that the asphyxiation was accidental. Police Officer Dorsey, who was called to the scene, had no idea of the cause of the accident.

HARRIS' CONFESSION OF MURDER A HOAX

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Buffalo, N. Y., April 11.—(By A. P.) Confessed that Roy Harris told the truth in repudiating his confession of complicity in the murder of Joseph R. Ellert in New York last June.

Gov. Governor Charles S. Whitman and United Arthur Curry, of the New York police department, today motioned Harris to confess to the murder of Joseph R. Ellert in New York last June.

LAST AND FINEST

WOMEN VOTERS' LEAGUE IN SESSION

More Than 1000 Discuss Vital Topics at Pre-Convention Conferences

SEEK LEGISLATIVE REFORMS

By the Associated Press

Cleveland, O., April 11.—More than 1000 women delegates and alternates, representing every congressional district in the country, attended seven pre-convention conferences this morning at the National League of Women Voters, which opened a week's meeting here today.

Each conference discussed a program of action upon which the convention will act during the week. The conferences will open tomorrow morning, afternoon and evening sessions.

Conferees of the seven standing committees of the league were held this morning and this afternoon. A full and free discussion of legislative reform, the league is trying to get for the women of the nation marked each conference. The discussion will be continued at seven separate dinners this evening.

Nationally known experts discussed the following subjects: American citizenship, child welfare, election laws and methods, food supply and demand, social hygiene, uniform laws concerning women and women in industry.

One of the speakers at the conference on uniform laws concerning women was Mrs. Catherine Vaughn McCulloch, of Chicago, whose subject was "Wife and Husband as Guardians."

DEAD SOLDIER HONORED

Man Killed in Fighting in France Buried with Military Ceremony

The funeral of Captain Frederick David Clark, who was killed in action at Godwareyville, France, May 10, 1918, was held yesterday from the home of his parents, 3222 Montgomery avenue. Services were conducted by Rabbi Israel Nathan.

Beside the relatives and friends of the deceased were attended by members of the Stockton Lodge, No. 246, E. and A. M., and the Sixty-fourth Army Religious, Royal Field Artillery, The Frederick D. and Irving Club Post, No. 37, American Legion, escorted the funeral cortege.

The flag-draped casket was carried on a gun carriage and the pallbearers were eight physicians, former army surgeons and overseas comrades of the deceased. The interment was in Adah Jewish Cemetery.

SIX SAVED FROM FIRE

Christian Street Family Given Shelter by Neighbors

A family of six was led to the street in their nightgowns shortly after 4 o'clock this morning when fire was discovered in the upper story of the home of Peter J. Conway, 2108 Christian street.

Peter Conway, Jr., eleven-year-old son, detected the smoke and awakened his father who roused the rest. They made their way to the back of the house and finding their passage blocked by smoke and flames, proceeded to the front of the house.

They were taken care of by neighbors until firemen extinguished the blaze, which was confined to the second floor. The loss is estimated at \$1500. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Men Held for Attacks on Women

Ensign Hetrick, twenty-six years old, of Belgrade street near Clearfield, and Charles Gormley, twenty-three years old, of Argle street above West, were held today on charges of attacking a woman on the streets of Philadelphia.

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TOKIO THINKS U. S. SEEKS NEW 'PEACE'

Japanese Believe That Hughes' Note Implies Another World Conference

LOOK FOR NAVAL PARLEY

By the Associated Press

Tokio, April 11.—Newspapers of this city have given great prominence to the note from Charles E. Hughes, American secretary of state, to the Allies relative to the subject of mandates in general, and that over the island of Yap in particular.

There has been no official comment, but in responsible unofficial circles the opinion is held that the American note virtually implies another peace conference.

Statements made by Vice Admiral Tomosaburo Kato, minister of marine, last month relative to the Japanese naval policy are regarded here as intended to answer charges that Japan is inherently militaristic, and is insisting upon naval expansion. These statements, which were made to the Associated Press, are also taken upon as paving the way for an international discussion of naval policy.

Representative Japanese declare that if the naval race between Great Britain and the United States continues, Japan must be obliged eventually to drop out because of financial considerations. If the other powers refuse to curtail their naval programs and decline to discuss the matter the government is liable to lose the support of the nation, which is planning for internal reforms.

Yukio Ozaki, former minister of justice and one of the leaders in the movement for a curtailment of naval expenditures, delivered lectures in great crowds in fifteen cities recently during a tour of the country, which was undertaken to explain his stand on disarmament. At the conclusion of each lecture he called upon his auditors to express their views, and he announces his intention to obtain a signature of 90 per cent of the people who heard him has voted in favor of armament reductions.

Publishing Vice Admiral Kato's statements in the Associated Press, the newspaper, the Yomiuri Shimbun, of this city, quoted naval officials as saying that the minister of marine clearly explained Japan's position. They were of the opinion that President Harding would call a naval conference, but emphasized the fact that the real difficulty would come in finding a formula for curbing out a reduction of naval programs.

The Yomiuri Shimbun, of this city, declares it is convinced that the cabinet before making his statements and therefore they can be interpreted as embodying the intentions of the government. The newspaper says that considering the minister's mistake before the Diet upon his project for an eight-battleship program, his new declaration was surprisingly inconsistent and liable to confuse people as to its real significance.

GARRETT CASE A PROBLEM

Police Consider Advisability of Reward for Missing Woman

The advisability of offering a reward for information that would lead to the recovery of Miss Anna C. Garrett, the Swarthmore woman who has been missing since April 1, will probably be taken up by the borough council of Swarthmore at their meeting this week. It is also possible that Delaware county may offer a reward. District Attorney Taylor believes that a suitable reward may have results.

Miss Garrett, a life-long resident of Swarthmore, disappeared at a time she was supposed to be on her way to the First National Bank at Media. Since that time a complete search of the surrounding country has been made and several streets and a quarry were dragged without any result. Albert Garrett, a brother, has been most active in the search for his sister, and is now convinced she is the victim of foul play.

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