

# DOCTOR BRICKER, JR. WITHOUT BAIL

Son of Physician Serving Term for Illegal Operation Similarly Accused

## SHORE DOCTOR PROSECUTES

Special Dispatch to Evening Public Ledger—Atlantic City, Aug. 17.—Dr. William H. Bricker, Jr., of Philadelphia, son of Dr. William H. Bricker, now in the Eastern Penitentiary for malpractice, after extradition from Argentina by the Philadelphia authorities, is held in the city jail without bail to answer a similar charge preferred by Dr. Walt P. Conaway, a well-known Atlantic City physician.

The alleged victim in the case, a Miss Dovey, a twenty-five-year-old actress, belonging to Attleboro, Mass., is dangerously ill in the City Hospital, a criminal operation having been performed on her, it is alleged, in a sanitarium maintained by Dr. Bricker at Derby avenue and the Beach, an exclusive section of Ventnor City. The city officials of Ventnor are aroused to-day over the allegations in the case, and are taking a hand in the prosecution of the man.

Bricker will be given a preliminary hearing before Magistrate David Porter, who issued the warrant for his arrest, either tonight or tomorrow morning.

The young woman first visited the place of Bricker's father on South Broad street, where she met Bricker, Jr., and made an appointment to come to his sanitarium on August 1, said Dr. Conaway. "The operation was performed here on that date. She remained at the sanitarium for three or four days, and then returned to her room in a side avenue hotel. She was suffering intense pain, and a local physician was called in. He gave her something to relieve her pain, and a

day or two later I was asked to admit her to my ward in the City Hospital. "I consented to do this, and on August 7 she became my patient. The young woman was then dangerously ill from septic peritonitis, her system having been poisoned. She is by no means out of danger, and still has a high fever, but she may recover."

"When the case was reported to the Board of Governors of the hospital they asked me to prosecute it. I understand the Ventnor officials have taken it up as well."

Dr. Conaway said that members of the girl's family had arrived at her bedside.

## WANT QUARANTINE LIFTED

Forty-fourth Ward Republican Club Complain of Police

The Forty-fourth Ward Republican Club, 4353 Lancaster avenue, has begun injunction proceedings against Director Corbett and other police officials to compel them to remove the "quarantine" established at the clubhouse. This petition is signed by David Honnig, president, and Fred B. Chandler, secretary of the club.

"Movie" Beauty to Meet K. of C. Madeline Starhill, winner of the EVENING PUBLIC LEDGER movie beauty contest, will appear tomorrow night at St. Philomena's Hall, Lansdowne, at 8 o'clock, in connection with the "movie" program of the La Salle Council, Knights of Columbus. Ferd O'Beck,

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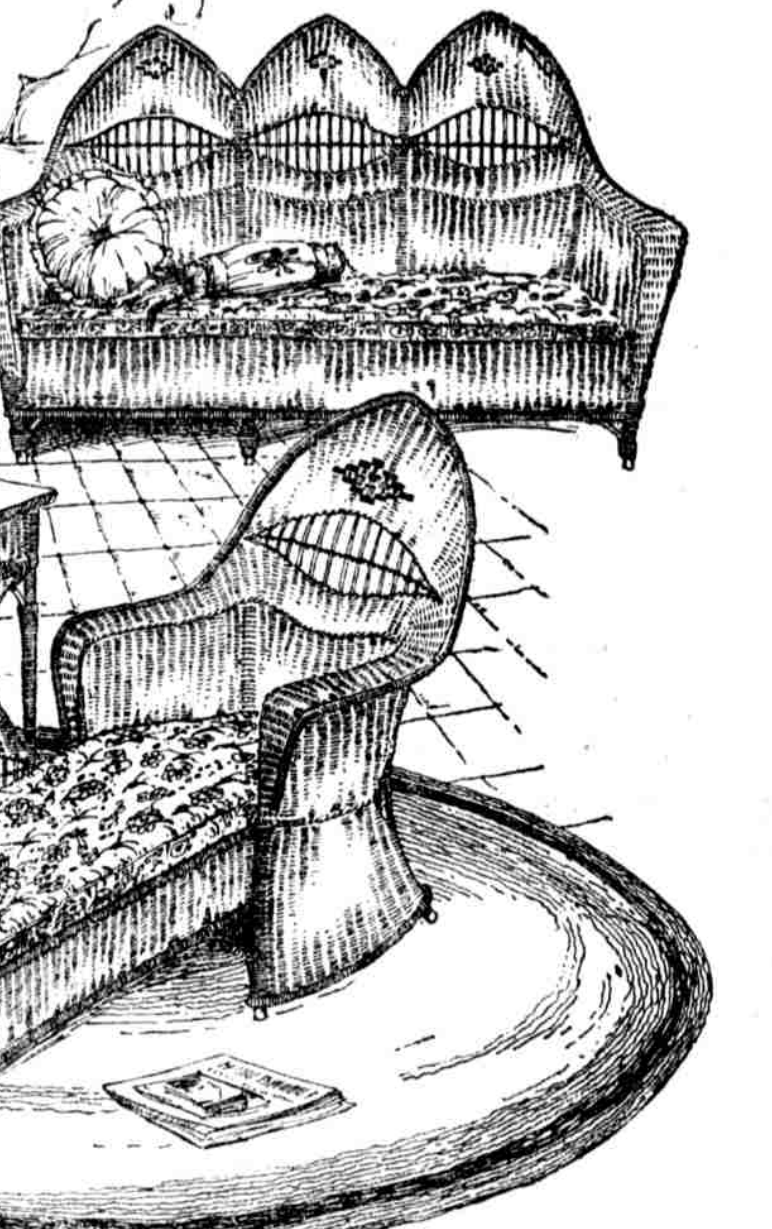
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