PASTOR ASSAILS DRESS AT SHORE

Rev. H. Medley Price Tells Ministers Exhibition Was Worst He Ever Saw

CONDUCT WAS OUTRAGE

"I have never seen so many legs in my life."

The Rev. H. Medley Price, pastor of the Tennent Memorial Presbyterian Church, Fifty-second and Arch streets, thus summed up his impressions this summer in Atlantic City in his address before the first fall meeting of the Philadelphia Ministerial Association, held today in Westminster Hall, Witherspoon Building.

"It was the worst exhibition of the world, the flesh and the devil I have ever seen," he said, in expressing his opinion of the women who sit cross-legged in roller chairs or loll on the sand in lack of garb shocking to ministerial ideas.

Got An Awful Shock

"I don't know what they're coming to," the Rev. Mr. Price lamented. "The styles have reached such a point of brevity that sashes are used where skirts used to be.

"In one instance, while walking along Atlantic avenue, I saw a woman with a market basket over her arm, going from store to store. She wore nothing but a flimsy bathing suit. I consider such conduct an outrage.

"I wish it were in my power to correct these things."

That hotels may be conducted profitably without permitting drinking or gambling was the assertion of the Rev. Dr. Matthew Hyndman, of the Oliver Covenant Church, who said that from his observations of the manner in which Quakers conducted hotels at a New York State resort and in Atlantic City, he was convinced lawlessness was not essential to profits in the hotel business.

Captain ("Gypsy Pat") Smith, a Scotch evangelist, who has been in America eight months, declared that, from a study of American veterans of the World War, he has decided that they are not in a receptive mood when approached with the pleas of organized Christianity.

The reason, he believes, is that they were not under fire as long as the British soldiers and, consequently, did not learn to give the same thought to eternal things. He served throughout the war, was twice wounded and rose from a private to a captain.

Tells of Outdoor Revivals

The Rev. W. L. McCormack, of the Bethlehem Presbyterian Church, Broad and Diamond streets, presided at today's meeting of the Ministerial Association. The Rev. John F. Sheppard, of the Conshohocken Presbyterian Church, told of outdoor revival meetings in the South.

The Rev. Dr. William Mitchell, of the Calvary Methodist Church, Forty-eighth street and Baltimore avenue, told the Methodist ministers at their meeting in Simpson Hall today that he had encountered peculiar advertising of church services while touring the Northwest this summer.

Among sermons advertised, he said, were three on "Why Is a Rooster?" and "Getting God's Goat" and "How to Go Through Hell Unseen."

The Rev. N. J. Downing, pastor of the Methodist Church at Sixty-first and Jefferson streets, presided. Among the other speakers were the Rev. Dr. Charles M. Boswell, corresponding secretary of the association, and Dr. J. R. Taylor Gray, of the Bryn Mawr Methodist Church.

LOBSTERS CLAW CHEF

Gas Explosion at Shore Cafe Mixes Cook With Cockables

Atlantic City, Sept. 12.—A loud explosion rocked the Turner Hall, South New York avenue, today and sent the occupants of the building scurrying for safety. Clarence Ford, a colored chef, was catapulted across the kitchen, where he became entangled among several live lobsters and bottles of preserves.

The lower floor is occupied as a restaurant and cafe conducted by Harry Strassburg. The night cook departed last night, leaving two of the oven gas jets turned on. This morning when Ford entered the kitchen he started to apply a match to the oven. The explosion resulted.

When Strassburg and Harry Noonan, a waiter, hurried to the kitchen, they found several live lobsters had closed their claws on Ford's hands and face and the chef was suffering extreme pain. They succeeded in releasing the chef from the grip of the lobsters, and barring a few abrasions and a bad shaking, he was little the worse for his experience.

WARNS OF SPEED TRAPS

Keystone Automobile Club Also Asks Careful Driving

Lincoln Highway motorists are warned by cards issued by the Keystone Automobile Club against speed traps in various townships. The club at the same time appealed for more careful driving in an effort to reduce the number of accidents.

"The Keystone Automobile Club urges you to co-operate with the authorities in reducing the number of accidents which have occurred recently on Lancaster pike," say the notice. "The Paoli police have been instructed to arrest motorists for reckless driving and exceeding the fifteen-mile speed limit. Don't speed. Blow your horn. Drive carefully."

On the other side of the card is a list of townships where special attention is being paid to the enforcement of motor laws. This includes Paoli and Malvern, in both of which places members of the club have been summoned and fined.

WOMAN DEFIES U. S.

Mother Says Let It Find Alleged Slacker Son

Defying the Government to find her son, William W. Walton, of 1215 Crease street, listed by the War Department as a deserter, Mrs. Anna Walton, his mother, said yesterday that if the Government wants her son, "let them find him."

Walton, with Edward Lennox, Jr., of 1027 Sarah street, and Arthur Morris, of 1055 Germantown avenue, who failed to fill out questionnaires sent out by the draft boards after the registration of eligibles, was classed as a deserter by the War Department in a recent "slacker list."

Last Parkway Dance Arranged

Special arrangements are being made for the last municipal dance on the Parkway, which will be held a week from Thursday night. There will be two singers and special musical features. Miss Margaret Walz, who is in charge of the dances, announced that the "tango trot" would be demonstrated by professional dancers.

Want Gaelic to Displace English Tongue in Ireland

Belfast, Sept. 12.—(By A. P.)—Irish has been declared the official language of the Irish Republican Parliament, declared Pierce Beasley, a prominent Republican, today in addressing the Waterford Gaelic Festival.

He added that when the Dail Eireann controlled its own government it would "no longer allow an English education board to officiate, but would start to make Irish the spoken and written language of Ireland from the center to the sea."

ASK HARDING TO PREVENT WAGE CUT AT NAVY YARDS

Machinists Appeal to President to Reverse Board's Ruling

Washington, Sept. 12.—Navy yard employes represented in the International Association of Machinists will make an appeal to President Harding at Atlantic City for reversal of the wage cut ordered by the General Navy Wage Board. Following a protest meeting here last night a committee headed by William H. Johnston, president of the association, left for Atlantic City.

Copies of a resolution adopted at the meeting are to be presented to President Harding and Secretaries Hoover Denby and Davis. The resolution says:

"We, the members of Columbia Lodge 174, I. A. of M., in mass meeting assembled, September 11, 1921, hereby earnestly and emphatically protest against this apparent disregard of previous governmental policies, unjust interpretation of the wage law and disregard of facts and figures favorable to the employes; and we call upon the President of the United States to direct the adoption of a wage schedule commensurate with the facts as herein set forth or at least allow the present scale to remain in effect until the cost of living is actually reduced, which the Wage Board has admitted is abnormally high and on the increase, and thus carry out the real wishes of the masses of the people of the United States as against the insistent and well-defined plans of minorities of our population who desire apparently to see the wage-earner reduced to poverty, want and subserviency.

"And be it resolved, our protest and the detailed reasons therefor be given publicity throughout the United States in order that the workers of the nation and the public at large may know the real injustices which are being imposed upon navy yard employes under the guise of economy; and be it further resolved, that copies of these resolutions be sent to the President of the United States, members of the Cabinet, to the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President of the United States Senate."

DOBSON STILL AT LARGE

Wide Search Pressed for Alleged Slayer of Wife

Circulars bearing a photograph and describing George Dobson, alleged slayer of his wife Isabella, who was found dead in their bungalow at Runnemede, near Camden, last Friday, have been sent broadcast to aid in his capture.

The circular also bears a picture and description of his eight-year-old son George and Barbara McKeown, eight years old, Mrs. Dobson's niece, whom he took with him when he left. No trace of the man has been found since he was known to have placed Barbara's younger brother John on the train for Mount Holly at Camden.

It was first thought Dobson would go to Clayton, where he has several relatives and where he formerly lived with his first wife. County detectives have watched and searched the place without result.

Deaths of a Day

THOMAS W. SPARKS

Shot Manufacturer and Salt Works Director Buried Tomorrow

Thomas Weston Sparks, for many years identified with the social and business life of Philadelphia, died at his home at 4100 Walnut street late Saturday night, at the age of sixty-seven.

Born in this city in 1854, Mr. Sparks was the son of Thomas and Annie E. Sparks and a great-nephew of Thomas Sparks, builder and original owner of the old Philadelphia shot tower, at Front and Carpenter streets.

Mr. Sparks was a member of the vestry and rector's warden of Old Swedes' Church; member for thirty-three years of the Union League, Society of the Sons of St. George, Franklin Institute, Historical Society of Pennsylvania, Union Lodge No. 121, F. and A. M.; Excelsior Mark Lodge, No. 216; Signet Chapter No. 254, Philadelphia Consistory Scottish Rite, and senior director of the Pennsylvania Salt Works.

Funeral services will be held at the residence tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Laird Weber

Laird Weber, for many years an executive of the William H. Wanamaker store, died at his home in North Glenside shortly after midnight yesterday morning. The cause of his death while not immediately attributable to an automobile accident at Ocean City, in which he suffered several broken ribs, was indirectly due to that circumstance, which occurred several weeks ago.

William Dougherty's Funeral

The funeral of William Dougherty, for a quarter of a century and more a member of the Bureau of Fire, and lately stationed at Company 37's house, Chestnut Hill, who died suddenly Friday evening at his home, 5665 Ardleigh street, Germantown, will be held on Tuesday afternoon with services in Covenant Presbyterian Church, East Germantown. Death was attributed to heart disease. He was born in this city. For a period of twenty-six years, with the exception of one year when he worked as an engineer at Cramps' Shipyard, he was a member of the Fire Department. He is survived by his widow and one daughter.

John L. Landers Dies

John J. Landers, a director of the York Railways Company, died suddenly Friday of a complication of diseases at the home of his cousin, J. J. Cannon, Hatboro road, Fitzwatertown. Mr. Landers was forty-four years old. He had not been in good health for several years. Mr. Landers' home was in York. He was a graduate of St. Joseph's College, this city. Since 1906 he has been identified with the railway, and during the last four years had been a director of several of the railway companies. He was a director of the York County Red Cross, president of the National Accountants' Association, a member of the Knights of Columbus and of the York Elks. Mr. Landers is survived by his widow and a sister.

FEARS IRISH STRIFE EMBROILING WORLD

Don't Curtail Powers of Ulster Parliament, Warns Speaker O'Neill

SAYS U. S. WOULD STEP IN

By the Associated Press

Belfast, Sept. 12.—Warning to the British Government against circumscribing the powers of the new Ulster Parliament was given by Hugh O'Neill, speaker of the Parliament, in an address at Ballymena, County Antrim, yesterday.

"Any diminution of the rights and privileges of the new Ulster Parliament as a result of the projected negotiations between members of the British Cabinet and the Sinn Fein," he declared, "would lead to a bitter civil war in Ireland. It would mean war between North and South Ireland, the horrors and misery of which we do not like to contemplate. The calamity, as Prime Minister Lloyd George has truly said, would not be confined to Ireland.

"The war would become worldwide. Hundreds of thousands of people from Great Britain and the Empire would support the point of view held in Northern Ireland, and there would be hundreds of thousands of people from the United States, and possibly from the British colonies and dependencies, who would come to the aid of Southern Ireland.

"In brief, there would be in Ireland a war which would embroil Great Britain and the United States and would spread horror over the earth."

Sir James Craig, the Ulster Premier, returned to Belfast this forenoon and presided at a meeting of the Cabinet.

The Ulster Parliament will open its session on September 20, the date being the same as that set for the proposed Irish peace conference at Inverness.

Arbuckle to Face First Degree Charge

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heard by the Grand Jury will be Miss Zey Prevon, showgirl; Mrs. D. Maud Delmont, friend of the dead actress, and Mrs. Jean Jameson, nurse, who cared for Miss Rappe during the twenty-four hours preceding her death.

Mrs. Jameson, the nurse, revealed that during the whole last day of Miss Rappe's life she made outcries against Arbuckle, had blamed him for her internal injury, had spoken reproachfully of him in view of the fact that her fiance, Henry Lehrman, of Los Angeles, was "one of Roscoe's closest friends," and had died with the words on her lips: "Get Arbuckle; follow this to the finish."

Assistant District Attorney O'Ren and Captain of Detectives Duncan E. Matheson visited her in the afternoon. Afterward they made no statement, except that the case against Arbuckle was "stronger than before."

"This woman," said Captain Matheson, "without doubt died as a result of an attack by Arbuckle. That makes it first-degree murder, in our opinion. We don't feel that a man like Fatty Arbuckle can pull stuff like this in San Francisco and get away with it."

It is known that Miss Prevon bore out the previous testimony of Alice Blake, show girl, in telling of Arbuckle's retirement with Virginia Rappe into his bedroom, adjoining the room where the wild festival was being held; of hearing the girl's screams, and trying vainly to batter down the thick double doors, and of how the door was finally opened by Arbuckle himself, clad in pajamas and dressing gown.

Both girls said that on entering they found Miss Rappe lying exhausted on the bed, her clothing torn and disheveled. Attempts to restore her and relieve her pain followed. There is every indication that Miss Prevon made further revelations which the police refuse to lay bare at this time.

According to Dr. William Ophuls, pathologist, who performed the post-mortem examination, there were no marks of violence on the body, and "absolutely no evidence of a criminal assault, no sign that the girl had been attacked in any way. Death," he said, "supervened from a ruptured bladder."

Mrs. Jameson, in an interview reiterated her previous statement that the girl had accused Arbuckle.

She declared, however, that the girl's mind had been a blank as to much that had happened within the room.

Victim in Delirium

"I know from long experience that patients' statements must often be taken with a grain of salt," said Mrs. Jameson. "The girl was calling for me continuously throughout the twenty-four hours before her death. At times her mind wandered in delirium, while at other times it was evidently clear.

"The girl," said Mrs. Jameson, "was more worried over the money side of her plight than over the other aspects. She said:

"'It wouldn't be right for me to have to pay for all this, when it was Roscoe's fault.'"

Mrs. Jameson would not be certain the actress had said that she had been dragged by Arbuckle into the room, but she declared unhesitatingly that Virginia Rappe had accused him of having caused the bruises and the other injuries that resulted later in her death.

Before Detective Griffith Kennedy and Henry T. McGrath the nurse told her story quietly and with an assurance that impressed the police. She declared that she was speaking voluntarily, without fear of punishment or hope of reward.

Wanted Him Punished

She said in part:

"Miss Rappe said she took three drinks and did not remember anything after that. She said Arbuckle was rough with her, and at other times she would say that she did not know what happened.

"While at the sanatorium she was calling to me to ask if we had got Arbuckle, and I told her 'yes' to please her. She said she blamed him for her injuries and wanted him punished for it. This was just before she died, which was about 1:30 P. M. September 9.

"I noticed bruises on her body, her left thigh and right arm, I think, and she said they were made by Arbuckle."

Ira G. Fortlouis, salesman for a New York gown manufacturer, said he saw Miss Rappe in the lobby of the Palace Hotel Monday and commented on her beauty. He was told her name. Later in the day, while visiting Arbuckle at the St. Francis, Fortlouis mentioned that he had been struck by the beauty of Virginia Rappe. Some one suggested that Arbuckle knew her and that she be called up and invited to come over to a party. This was done, Fortlouis said, and Miss Rappe appeared at the room in the St. Francis. They had several drinks, Fortlouis said, but he saw nothing unusual and heard no disturbance. He departed when some one in the party said the "newspaper men were coming to interview Arbuckle," and he and some of the others went away.

Mrs. Delmont has declared that in all there were five men and four girls in Arbuckle's apartments at the St. Francis last Monday afternoon, and that Arbuckle showed the effects of drink and that the party became extremely rough, ending with Arbuckle's pulling Miss Rappe into his own room and locking the door.

Mrs. Delmont has said that she could hear the girl scream and the sounds of scuffling and that for nearly an hour she made vain attempts to get Arbuckle to unlock the door. When he finally came out, says Mrs. Delmont, Virginia Rappe was unconscious.

Made "Too Much Noise"

The latter portion of Mrs. Delmont's story has been corroborated by Alice Blake, who already had told the police that Mrs. Delmont made frantic efforts to induce Arbuckle to unlock the room and let Miss Rappe out.

"When Arbuckle finally opened the door," Miss Blake says, "I went in with Mrs. Delmont, and Miss Prevon. We heard Miss Rappe moaning 'I am dying.' She was lying on the bed almost unconscious and evidently in extreme pain. And all that Arbuckle said was: 'Get her out of here and back to her hotel—she makes too much noise.'"

Miss Blake has told the police of the efforts made by Mrs. Delmont and herself to revive Miss Rappe by means of a cold bath, and of their attempt to dress her, only to find that her clothing had been torn so badly as to make it useless. And then, she says, the hotel office was notified and the physicians were summoned.

To all of this Arbuckle thus far has made utter denial, declaring that Virginia Rappe, intoxicated after one or two drinks, had voluntarily gone into the other room of his suite, and in delirious manner, had torn off her own garments. He denies that any violence was used by him on the girl.

Exaggerated, Says "Fatty"

"The accounts of the party last Monday have been grossly exaggerated," Arbuckle said on his return to this city after a fast motor drive from Los Angeles, "and portions of them have been circulated with the sole idea of doing me a great injustice."

Arbuckle had been cautioned by Frank Dominguez, his Los Angeles attorney, to "say no word to any one, come what may." The rotund star agreed to obey the lawyer's injunctions at the start from Los Angeles. Consistently throughout the day he resisted any and all attempts to get him to talk.

Even when at midnight he staggered, red in the face, forlorn of expression and weak of knee, out of the office of Captain Matheson, shocked at the seriousness of the charge against him, Arbuckle kept his word. Once he turned his head as if to speak to Dominguez, who followed close behind. But the stern counsel, who in the inner office had refused to allow his client to utter a word in his own defense, quickly raised his finger to his lip in admonition. Arbuckle, in obedience, closed his lips and followed his guard of detectives to the city prison.

When Arbuckle arrived in San Francisco about 8 o'clock Saturday night and was met at Market and Montgomery streets by detectives, who escorted him to the Hall of Justice, he was subdued, but showed no indications of great distress. He personally drove his custom-built, sportively decorated touring car over the road from Los Angeles, and when the detectives met him he was standing on the curbing opposite the Crocker National Bank coolly smoking a cigarette.

While a photographer had him in charge Arbuckle made his only break in silence of the entire evening.

As Arbuckle stood before this camera some one made the trite suggestion, "Look pleasant, please."

"Not on an occasion of this sort," responded the actor in a low tone. Plans were made for the immediate raising of bail in case a charge of manslaughter were to be preferred. Nothing more serious than that was discussed in the corridors of the Hall of Justice. And when it was announced that Arbuckle would be charged with murder and committed to jail without bonds his friends literally wilted.

Miss Rappe was twenty-five years old and was born in Chicago. She attracted attention in that city in 1913, it is said, by advice to young women to create original methods of making a living. She was then making $4000 a year as a traveling art model, she said. Miss Rappe came to San Francisco in 1915 and for a time designed gowns and wore them as a model. She began acting motion pictures at Los Angeles in 1917, and took leading parts in several.

Arbuckle was born in Kansas thirty-four years ago. When eight years old he appeared as a pickaninny in a stock company at Santa Ana, Calif. Ten years later he sang popular songs in a San Jose, Calif., vaudeville house. Afterward he sang in a Portland, Ore., burlesque theatre, and later was a dancer in Oakland, Calif.

Arbuckle's first motion picture work was as extra man for companies producing slapstick comedies. Since then he has produced many film plays as head of his own company.

FILM STAR AND ALLEGED VICTIM

Miss Virginia Rappe

Mrs. Roscoe Arbuckle

Roscoe "Fatty" Arbuckle

MISS RAPPE SLAIN, HER FIANCE ASSERTS

Special Dispatch to Evening Public Ledger

New York, Sept. 12.—Messages from San Francisco to Henry Lehrmann, a motion picture director, who was Miss Virginia Rappe's fiance, leave no doubt in his mind but that Miss Rappe was murdered and did not die as the result of pneumonia. Mr. Lehrmann was in a highly nervous state when he was interviewed last night.

"The loss of Miss Rappe has nearly driven me crazy," he said.

Long-distance telephone talks gave him the information, he said, that Miss Rappe died in an effort to save her honor.

"I know she fought and fought desperately, but she lost the battle and died. My prayer is that justice will be done," he said.

Was Arbuckle's Director

"For a year and a half I was Arbuckle's director," he added. "He made his boast to me that he had torn the clothing from a girl who sought to repulse his attentions and had attacked her. That is what results from making idols and millionaires out of people you take from the gutter. Arbuckle was a bar boy in a saloon when he came into the movies—a boy, not a bartender—cleaning glasses and spittoons.

"The statement that Virginia died from pneumonia is a silly lie. Dr. Brummel, of the Wakefield Hospital, San Francisco, telegraphed me to the contrary."

Lehrmann said that Mrs. Mamie Delmont would take the initiative in assisting the State to investigate the actresses' death.

Lehrmann explained that he was directing the production of a picture for Owen Moore in Great Neck, Long Island, and probably would be unable to go to the Pacific Coast. He showed a telegram from Mrs. Delmont which read in part:

"Will tell the truth if I have to die. Virginia did not die from congestion of the lungs as first reported. An autopsy disclosed she was crushed and injured, proving violence."

"Did Not Trust Arbuckle"

Lehrmann said that Mrs. Delmont in a telephone conversation with him said Miss Rappe asked her to go with her to the party in Fatty Arbuckle's rooms, saying "she did not trust" Arbuckle. Lehrmann reported Mrs. Delmont's statement over the telephone as follows:

"After we got to the suite and had a few drinks, Arbuckle jumped up and grabbed Virginia. He carried her into another room and locked the door. I heard her struggling and screaming and pounding on the door.

"They were in the room a quarter of an hour when we heard a terrible scream. I threatened to call the hotel office and Arbuckle opened the door. I found Virginia's clothing had been torn to shreds and she was unconcious."

Lehrman said that Miss Rappe had a physical aversion to Arbuckle and he quoted her as saying, "He is coarse and vulgar and he nauseates me. He thinks he is funny when he is only cheap."

HELD FOR ROBBING HOTEL

Silver and Linen Used to Fix Up "Love Nest," Police Say

Detective Woodruff arrested three men this morning on charges of robbery of one of the central hotels of silver and linen. Juan Blanco, 1539 Cherry street, a cleaner in the hotel, was accused of taking $600 worth of silver and linen, which Woodruff said Blanco was using to furnish an alleged disorderly house at the Cherry street address.

Thomas Demio, also employed at the hotel and living at 2429 South Twelfth street, who came to this country from Italy four months ago, and his father-in-law, Nicola Pitassi, were also picked up by Woodruff. Woodruff says he found a trunkful of the hotel's property in the man's room. He charges the father-in-law with receiving stolen goods. It is said that Demio was stealing the stuff to furnish a home for his wife, whom he expects to bring over from Italy.

Orders Arbuckle Films Barred

Medford, Mass., Sept. 12.—(By A. P.)—Mayor Haines today notified all motion-picture houses in this city that films of Roscoe (Fatty) Arbuckle, the screen star, held in San Francisco in connection with the death of Miss Virginia Rappe, would be barred until Arbuckle's case has been disposed of in the courts. In one picture house an Arbuckle film was withdrawn on the Mayor's orders.

ST. MIHIEL HEROES WILL PARADE TODAY

Fifth Division Veterans to Commemorate Battle Fought Three Years Ago

PERSHING NOT TO BE HERE

Veterans of the Fifth Division attending their first reunion since discharge from the army will parade this afternoon to commemorate the Battle of St. Mihiel, fought three years ago today.

Contrary to expectations, General Pershing will not lead the march. At the last moment he received orders from the War Department sending him overseas. He had to retract his acceptance of the invitation to both lead the parade and speak at the exercises in Independence Square.

The route of the parade, which will leave Broad street and Fairmount avenue, extends south on Broad street to Spring Garden, west on the Parkway and southeast on the Parkway to Broad, south on Broad to Locust, where the line countermarches to Chestnut street and continues east to Independence Hall for the outdoor meeting.

Sergeant John L. Burke, formerly of the Sixty-first Infantry, will be the grand marshal. Near the front of the parade will ride in autos 100 members of the Philadelphia Chapter of the National American War Mothers, with their president, Mrs. John E. Gallagher.

Ten cars will carry guests and various city officials. Sergeant Rudolph S. Frye, of Baltimore, Md., formerly of Company D, Sixtieth Infantry, will ride in one automobile. A bursting shell in a barrage in the Argonne destroyed Sergeant Frye's sight on November 10, 1918, the day before the armistice was signed. Another car will hold Fred White, 2021 North Fairhill street, who is believed to be the first man in the Fifth Division to be wounded in the war. He had both legs blown off at Ban de Sapt.

Other organizations in this line will be 300 sailors and marines from League Island, Second City Troop, Veterans of Foreign Wars, a detachment of 150 men from the 114th Infantry, the American Legion, State Fencibles, the British Great War Veterans, the Federation des Veterans Francais de la Grande Guerre and the Society of the Forty Hommes and Eight Chevaux. An important tribute to the more than 2000 men of the Fifth who died in action will be conveyed by six caissons and four fieldpieces.

After the meeting in Independence Square the veterans will hold their final celebration of the reunion—a banquet in the Bellevue-Stratford. Among the distinguished speakers will be Major General C. A. F. Flagler, Brigadier General Joseph C. Castner, Brigadier General Paul B. Malone, Richard Weglein, president of City Council; Colonel Herbert Parsons, of New York, and Captain J. F. Bacon, president of the Philadelphia society. Lieutenant John S. Anderegg will be the toastmaster.

The mothers of members of the Fifth Division will be entertained tomorrow morning from 10 o'clock until noon at the Philadelphia Chapter of the National American War Mothers, 1807 Ranstead street.

The veterans spent yesterday in Atlantic City, where they greeted President Harding.

WOMAN AND PASTOR SHOT

Two Are Fatally Wounded at Negro Baptist Convention

New Orleans, Sept. 12.—(By A. P.)—Mrs. Janie Miller, a New Orleans woman, and the Rev. C. J. W. Boyd, of Nashville, Tenn., were shot and fatally wounded at last night's closing session of the National Baptist Convention of Negroes. A number of persons barely missed serious injury in the panic that ensued among the 2000 persons crowded into the auditorium.

David Miller, the woman's husband, is being held for the shooting, the motive of which, the police say, was jealousy. According to their reports, all the five bullets fired by Miller were intended for his wife, and the Rev. Mr. Boyd was the victim of a stray shot. The clergyman is secretary of the Baptist Training School.

TWO KILLED IN GUN DUEL

Jealous Quarrel Causes Double Tragedy at Preston Park, Pa.

Binghamton, N. Y., Sept. 12.—(By A. P.)—Raymond Green, twenty-three, and Chester Eldred, twenty-two, both of Preston Park, Pa., are dead as a result of wounds received in a gun duel. The shooting occurred after Mrs. Green returned from a dance with Ray Knapp, and is said to have been the result of a jealous quarrel between Green and Knapp, which ended fatally when Eldred interfered in behalf of the latter, his brother-in-law.

Eldred, with four bullet wounds in his body, died in a hospital at Carbondale. Green disappeared for a time after the shooting and was found by searchers in a barn, badly wounded. He was rushed to Honesdale but died.

Patrolman Is Acquitted

John A. Kelley, a patrolman, 931 North Eleventh street, charged with attacking Mrs. Florence Taggert, 1620 North Sydenham street, was discharged by Magistrate Renshaw in Central Station this morning.

TODAY'S MARRIAGE LICENSES

William H. Bull, 674 N. 45th st., and Pauline M. Marx, 504 N. Vendes st.
Harry J. Sweeney, 634 E. Ontario st., and Mary S. Sykes, 1947 E. Buckius st.
Harry M. Howard, Adelphia Hotel, and Ethel D. Traylor, Washington, D. C.
Herbert Morrell, Clifton Heights, and Sarah A. Kendall, 139 E. Lehigh ave.
Louis Poissel, 64 Mercy st., and Helen M. Keating, 538 Tree st.
John Golden, Jr., Barnesboro, Pa., and Julia Wyrostik, 2329 Carlton st.
Frank J. Runge, 2568 Emerald st., and Irene H. Weilhart, 2563 Emerald st.
Nicholas De Marco, 867 N. 29th st., and Solomia Boas, 1423 Park ave.
Louis Reif, 1919 E. Clearfield st., and Sadie Mullin, 617 E. Lippincott st.
Robert J. McGee, 2407 N. Hollywood st., and Elizabeth H. McNeill, 814 Perkiomen st.
Fred Bastka, 110 N. Camac st., and Angeline Gridzinski, 110 N. Camac st.
John Copper, Greenlock, N. J., and Ida W. Carlson, 519 N. 60th st.
William B. Rogers, Altoona, Pa., and Mildred B. Conover, 1813 Vine st.
Emil J. Roech, 2534 E. Indiana ave., and Elsa Nickel, 3145 E. 17th st.
John T. Garigan, 3907 Baring st., and Margaret M. Moane, 2827 N. Bonsall st.

THIS CAT COMES BACK: SAVES FAMILY FROM FIRE

Despite Rebuffs Mabel Is a Hero, Pint of Cream for Him

It is a more or less fortunate thing for the family of Harry Schwartz, 3206 Mantua avenue, that there is truth to the adage, "A cat comes back."

The Schwartzs are the owners of a black cat called, in a happy disregard for gender, Mabel. Early this morning Mr. Schwartz awakened to find that Mabel was in his bed and was briskly pulling the coverings from his body. Mr. Schwartz uttered an unpleasant sound and, picking up Mabel, despite vigorous protests, flung him out of the room. Mr. Schwartz had hardly settled back to sleep when the occurrence was repeated. Mr. Schwartz uttered two unpleasant sounds and flung Mabel twice as hard and twice as far, and, to make sure against another intrusion, closed his door.

The door opened quickly and Mr. Schwartz, uttering in rapid succession no less than twenty unpleasant sounds, rushed forth and chased Mabel downstairs. Halfway down the smell of smoke struck the nostrils of Mr. Schwartz and his indignation gave place to alarm. Investigating, he found a basket of clothes in the kitchen had been set ablaze and fire was threatening the whole house.

BANDHOLTZ QUITS W. VA.

Thanks Governor and Residents for Reception of Troops

Charleston, W. Va., Sept. 12.—(By A. P.)—Brigadier General H. H. Bandholtz, commanding troops in the Southern West Virginia coal fields, where recently disturbances and clashes occurred between armed men on the border of Logan and Boone Counties, left today for his headquarters at Washington.

The Tenth, Nineteenth and Forticeh Regiments remain in the fields, under the command of their respective colonels. The Nineteenth, however, has been designated as a headquarters outfit with regimental headquarters at Kanawha City, near Charleston.

Before his departure, General Bandholtz addressed a letter to Governor Morgan, thanking him and the residents of West Virginia for the manner in which they received the Federal soldiers during military occupation. "The Federal troops have been shown only the utmost courtesy," General Bandholtz said.

Williamson, W. Va., Sept. 12.—(By A. P.)—Taking of testimony in the second Matewan battle trial began here today before a jury composed of residents from Pocahontas County. The men on trial, Reece Chambers and Fred Burgraff, are charged with the killing of W. J. Ferguson, one of seven Baldwin-Felts detectives slain during the gun fight at Matewan in May, 1920, when ten men met death. It was expected that the trial would be of short duration in that only two of the twenty-four originally indicted were to be tried.

"SHOT" 3000 MILES AWAY

Alleged Victim Contradicts Tale of Wife-Slayer

Richmond, Va., Sept. 12.—(By A. P.)—Dr. Jesse Ansley Griffin, whom Dr. Wilmer Amos Hadley, confessed wife-slayer, is said to have declared he shot on the bank of the James River in December, 1918, just before he threw the body of Mrs. Hadley into the water, wired the local authorities from Los Angeles yesterday he was in France at the time the murder is said to have been committed.

In a telegram to Sheriff Snydor, of Henrico County, Dr. Griffin said he had never seen Hadley or his wife since November, 1916, and that "Hadley's claim of my being with his wife at the time of the murder is absolutely false."

Brill Gets Canadian Plant

The Canadian Brill Company, Ltd., subsidiary of J. G. Brill Company, Philadelphia, has been formed to take over the plant of Preston Car and Coach Company, Preston, Ont. Samuel M. Curwen, of this city, remains president of the Brill Company, and subsidiaries. The new company starts business with substantial volume of orders, including cars for Toronto and Winnipeg street railways and Temiskamig and Northern Ontario Railway.

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POTTSTOWN SHAFT TRIBUTE TO NURSE

Monument to Civil War Veteran Dedicated by Patriotic Organizations

NORRISTOWN MAN BURIED

Pottstown, Pa., Sept. 12.—Veterans of the Civil War and of the World War and members of patriotic organizations joined yesterday in dedicating the monument placed at the grave of Mrs. Annie Wittenmayer, a Civil War nurse, in Edgewood Cemetery by the Woman's Relief Corps, auxiliary of the Grand Army of the Republic.

The presentation address was made by Mrs. Abbie Lynch, of Pittsburgh, past national president, and the speech of acceptance by Mrs. Jennie Dinsmore, department president of the Woman's Relief Corps, Mrs. Laura E. Willow, secretary, of Johnsonburg, Pa., also spoke.

Mrs. Wittenmayer, who died in 1900 in Sanatoga, was instrumental in installing sanitary kitchens in field hospitals in the Civil War. She spent $3000 of her own money for that purpose, and raised $200,000 by personal appeals. She placed her plans before President Lincoln, who gave her a pass for transportation to all the armies of the North. She also aided in starting a soldiers' orphans' home in Davenport, Ia. She was the author of several books dealing with the work of women in the Civil War and in the reconstruction period.

Norristown, Pa., Sept. 12.—A cortege a mile long followed the body of George Moyer from the home of his father in Center Square to Bethel Methodist Church, where services were conducted yesterday afternoon. Interment was at Rose Hill Cemetery, Ambler. Hamilton K. Fish Post No. 20, Veterans of Foreign Wars of Philadelphia, had charge of military ceremonies.

WILLS PROBATED

The will of Elizabeth B. C. Hunter, 1300 South Broad street, who died September 2, was admitted to probate today. It amounts to between $50,000 and $100,000 and the bequests are divided among four children and two sisters. Other wills probated and disposed of in private bequests were those of Henry Smith, 718 South Seventh street, $5000; Isabella C. Dallas, 503 South Forty-eighth street, $6750, and Katie Treacy, 122 Hortter street, $4700. An inventory of the personal estate of Agnes V. Alburger, $30,240.87, and Bestel C. Hansen, $5424.19 were filed. Letters of administration were granted this morning for the estate of James G. Davis, $6958.

Coolidge Boys Enter Mercersburg

Northampton, Mass., Sept. 12.—(By A. P.)—Vice President and Mrs. Coolidge, with their sons, John and Calvin, Jr., left Northampton today for Washington. The Coolidge boys, who will enter Mercersburg Academy, were elated over the fact that their trunk, which had been shipped ahead to the school, was the same one which was used by their father when he left Plymouth, Vt., to enter Amherst College.

Mrs. Woodruff on Grand Jury

Mrs. Clinton Rogers Woodruff, wife of the president of the Civil Service Commission, begins service today on the Grand Jury. Forty-three other women also begin jury service in the September courts. Mrs. Woodruff was drawn under her maiden name of Florence V. Stilwell and at her former residence, 341 South Eighteenth street.

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DEATHS

NUGENT.—Sept. 12, 1921, ARTHUR J., beloved husband of Mary A. Nugent. Due notice of funeral will be given, from his late residence, 3737 N. 15th st.

FLEMING.—Sept. 11, 1921, ROBERT J., husband of the late Mary Fleming, formerly of 1432 Catharine st. Relatives and friends are invited to attend funeral Wed., 8:30 A. M., from the residence of his son-in-law, Mr. Joseph R. Eldred, 2620 Reed st. High mass of requiem St. Gabriel's Church, 10 A. M. Interment Holy Cross Cemetery.

STOVER.—At his late residence, 1927 N. 12th st., Sept. 10, 1921, JAMES M. STOVER. Funeral services Wed., 2 P. M., precisely, at David H. Schuyler Bldg., Broad and Diamond sts. Interment private.

GIBSON.—At Riverside, N. J., Sept. 11, ELIZABETH G. GIBSON (nee Shaefer), daughter of Elizabeth M. Shaefer, aged 35. Funeral Wed., 8 A. M., late residence, 303 Keasbuhn st., Riverside, N. J. High mass St. Peter's Church, 9 A. M.

FLEISHMAN.—Sept. 11, at Chicago, SAMUEL S. FLEISHMAN, father of Louis and Morris Fleishman, Mrs. Albert Lehman, Mrs. Fred Kline, Mrs. Jules Josephson. Relatives and friends are invited to attend funeral Tues., 2 P. M., Chapel of Mt. Sinai Cemetery.

GREER.—Sept. 11, 1921, GEORGE W. GREER. Relatives and friends are invited to attend funeral services Wed., 2 P. M., chapel of Andrew J. Bair & Son, Arch and 19th sts. Interment private.

WHARTON.—On Sept. 11, 1921, MARGARET HENDERSON WHARTON, aged 82. Services on Wed., 2 P. M., at the