

TOMB OF ST. JOHN REPORTED FOUND

Archeologists in Ephesus Think They Have Discovered Evangelist's Grave

SCHOLARS HERE PLEASED

Word comes from ancient Ephesus, where archeologists are digging among its sun-baked ruins, that the tomb of St. John the Evangelist has been discovered.

For centuries Ephesus has been a city of dust, its great temples leveled, its wide theatres razed to the ground, its porticoes and villas buried in the accumulated rubbish of ages.

But there was a time when this city was the queen of Asia Minor. Merchants from Far Eastern Persia mingled in her streets with swart Phoenician sailors, dapper Athenians rubbed elbows with barbarian Parthians—the whole world of that time came to worship and to trade. And here also came the Apostle John to spend the last years of his life.

Ephesus, since its foundation some 1100 years before the birth of Christ, was the victim of many different conquerors and invasions. Originally one of the twelve Ionic colonies from Greece, it was taken and ruled by the Cretans, the Persians, the Athenians, Macedonians and Romans in turn. The Goths held it briefly in the second century A. D., and destroyed the great temple of Artemis, which was so marvelous in its detail and proportions that it was considered one of the wonders of the ancient world.

During the lifetime of Christ the great city was at the height of its glory. It was only natural that the Apostle John should come to the center of art and learning, to spend the remainder of his life after the close of the dramatic episodes connected with the life and death of the Master, most of which took place

in nearby Palestine. Such at least is the generally accepted tradition. In 1864, James G. Harbord, of Harford Co., Md., whose knowledge of St. John and his times is extensive, was intensely interested in the report concerning the finding of the tomb.

"It is very interesting," he said, when informed of the report of the discovery, "and by no means unlikely. Scholars are inclined to credit the old tradition that St. John passed his waning years in Ephesus, and if that is true, it is very probable that he died and was buried there. The archeologists in charge of the excavating work may have found something in the crypt of which you speak which establishes its identity."

While the legend from the time of Trajan asserts that St. John died of old age, there is a reference in George Hamartolos quoting from the lost works of Pappus, to the effect that the apostle suffered martyrdom at the hands of the Jews.

If such were the case, it affects the probability of his tomb existing in Ephesus, as the body would in that case have been cast out to the dogs, as was often done in such cases. In the meantime, until more definite evidence is received from the expedition now in Asia Minor, it will be impossible to estimate the true value of their discovery.

COLLAPSES ON STREET

Walk Proves Too Much for Boy Just Out of Hospital

A boy like shortly after his release from the Philadelphia General Hospital was too much for Charles McEwen, two years old, 444 Sloon street, yesterday.

He collapsed in the northeast section of the city while attempting to walk from West Philadelphia to Harrowgate Square. He was taken to the North-eastern Hospital.

PUPILS FAIL WHEN ASKED WHAT SCHOOL LOOKS LIKE

Few in Conshohocken High Able to Give Description of Their Classrooms—Many See "Nothing"

Do you suppose you could live for an hour each day in the same room and tell at the end of a year how many windows it had? Or how many panels led into it? And how many panels were in each door? Or how many goldfish were in the bowl in the corner?

Could you say certainly whether the room were broader than long? Or longer than broad? Could you tell what the ceiling was made of and what color it was painted?

If you can you are, as they say, good—and considerably better than any pupil in the Conshohocken High School—Russell C. Erb, teacher of science in that institution, recently gave an examination in little details like these, with the result no pupil could make a better average than 75 per cent.

And there were several zeros by pupils who could not even tell how many legitimate ways there were of getting into the Assembly Hall or if there was or wasn't a mat in front of the main doorway.

More than half the pupils who took the examination were shown to observe not more than half of what they saw. Thirty-three per cent had observed hardly anything, while 4 per cent revealed virgin attentions.

AUTO KILLS BOY SOON AFTER FATHER'S SPEED PROTEST

John Mallon, Jr., Loses Life in Front of Home, 5851 Walnut Street

John Mallon, Jr., six years old, 5851 Walnut street, was killed by an automobile at Sixty-first and Walnut streets yesterday. This spot is one recently protested against as a speedway by his father and a number of other residents of the vicinity.

Young Mallon was playing football with schoolmates. The ball rolled out in the street. Witnesses say Hugh McCullough, Addison street near Fifty-sixth, made every effort to avoid striking the boy. He was held today to await the action of the coroner.

FIRE DAMAGES GROCERY

Fire in the grocery store and dwelling of D. W. Williams, 1137 South Second street, Camden, early this morning destroyed furniture on both the first and second floors. Williams and his family were asleep on the second floor. He awoke in time to get them out before the flames had made material headway from the hallway, where, apparently, it started. Loss is estimated at about \$800.

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AGED PHILA. PASTOR GOES TO ELKTON

The Rev. Daniel Lockerby Opens 'Marriage Parlors' in Quarters Westren Formerly Occupied

BUSINESS IS BRISK

The Rev. Daniel Lockerby, an aged Philadelphia Presbyterian minister, has opened "marriage parlors" in the place deserted by the Rev. R. T. Westren, the Methodist Episcopal minister of Elkton, Md., who was deposed last week on a charge of having split his fees with jitney drivers.

Mr. Lockerby, who is eighty-three years old, lives at 2413 North Nineteenth street. He has been active in evangelical work since he resigned as pastor of the Fifth church about ten years ago. He did not deny last evening that he had been attracted to the Grana Green by the lucrative fees to be had there.

He came to Elkton yesterday and presented his ordination papers and made clear that he was competent to perform wedding ceremonies. He then rented the same "chapel" that had been used by the Rev. Mr. Westren before the action of the Methodist Conference last week. Business started at once.

Lodgers Flee Fire

A lighted cigarette set fire to the mattress in the room of Samuel Haber this morning, who conducts a rooming house at 2328 Ridge avenue. The bed burst into flames, and Haber ran to the street and turned in an alarm. A number of lodgers fled from the house, but no damage was done except to the bed.



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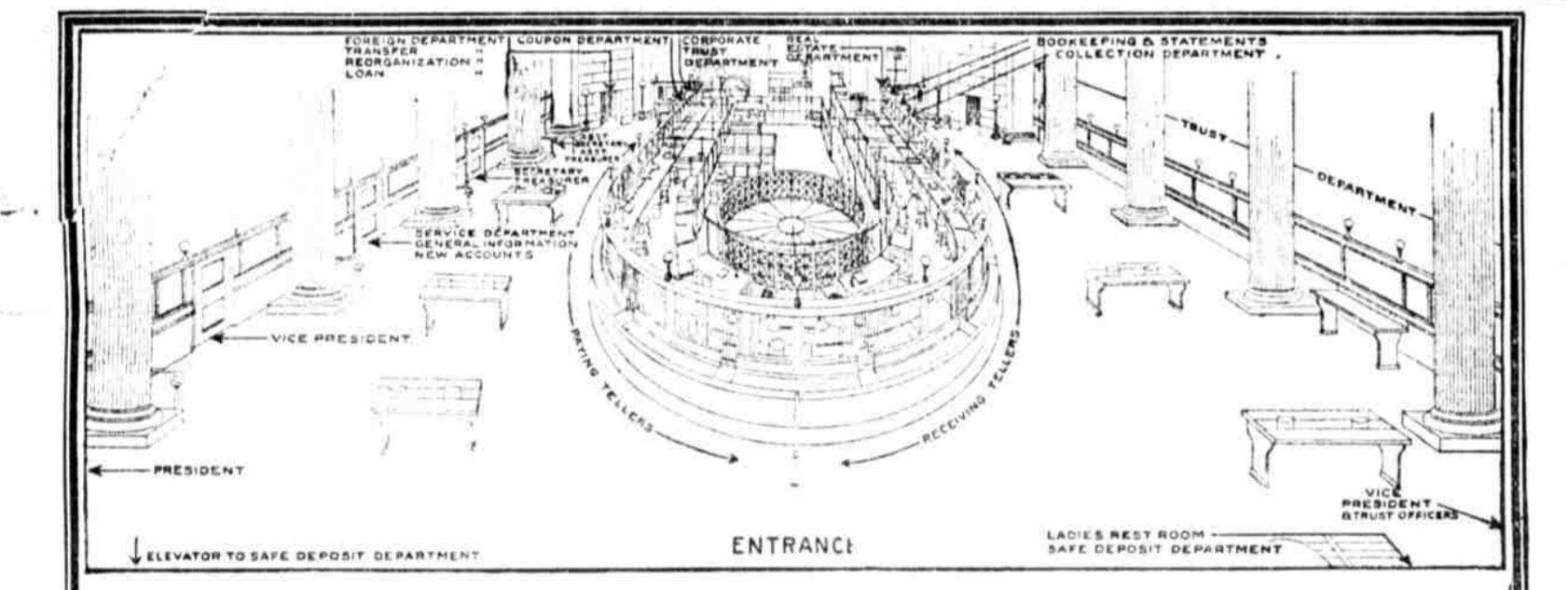
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