COUNSEL CONFER WITH DONALDSON

Accused Insurance Chief Discusses "Firebug" Case With Pusey and Kendrick

REFUSES STATEMENT

State Insurance Commissioner Donaldson, who is technically under arrest for alleged conspiracy in the "firebug" investigation here, conferred for an hour today with Colonel Fred Taylor Pusey, Deputy Attorney General, and Murdoch Kendrick, also his counsel.

The conference was held in Mr. Kendrick's office in the Land Title Building. Later the Commissioner and the Deputy Attorney General walked to Broad and Chestnut streets. They stood on a corner talking, then walked to the Union League, where the discussion was continued.

"I have nothing to say," Mr. Donaldson stated at the close of the first conference. It is understood a date will be agreed upon today for the Commissioner's arraignment before Magistrate Beaton. Colonel Pusey was assigned by Attorney General Alter to defend Mr. Donaldson.

The Commissioner is charged with conspiracy in connection with the arrest of George McCann, a detective, and Harry Fox, a watchman, in the fire insurance scandal. Fox and McCann are under $10,000 bail.

Mr. Donaldson admitted McCann was in his employ and that he was responsible for his actions. Mr. Donaldson in a statement made Tuesday night said he hired McCann to bust crooked fire insurance adjusters in this city at the solicitation of several insurance companies who financed the investigation. During the investigation wires were tapped and papers taken from several adjusters' offices it was charged.

In announcing that he thought it his duty to designate counsel for any State official who is attacked while in the performance of his duty, the Attorney General said in Harrisburg last night:

"I am informed by Insurance Commissioner Donaldson that he has been notified to appear before a committing magistrate in Philadelphia, on charges based on his recent effort to ascertain the facts in connection with fraudulent fire losses in that city.

"I have designated Deputy Attorney General Pusey to represent Commissioner Donaldson at any hearing which may be held, and have arranged with Murdoch Kendrick to assist him. I deem it proper for the Attorney General to stand by any State official who is attacked while seeking, in good faith, to perform his duty.

"Commissioner Donaldson, in my opinion, is one of the most conscientious and valuable servants of the Commonwealth, who has not thought except for the performance of his duty and the prot of the public, for which purpose department was created. If the ions exist which he has been seeking to correct, then, in the warfare between society and crime, there would be only one course for him."

Gordon Issues Statement

James Gay Gordon, who obtained the warrant as counsel for the private prosecutors, issued a statement when asked as to why a warrant had been issued for Mr. Donaldson. Mr. Gordon's statement is as follows:

"In view of Mr. Donaldson's public statement Tuesday admitting his knowledge of and assuming full responsibility for the criminal acts of his agents, I have caused a warrant for his arrest to be issued on the charge of participation in the criminal conspiracy for which his agents were bound over for court on Monday last. Donaldson's statement supplied us with the link we needed to support a prosecution against him for his criminal acts. Without that link we could not proceed against him, and that is why a warrant was not obtained for him before now.

"I shall not comment on Donaldson's public statement, other than to say that he was silent until the evidence produced against his agents, especially that at the hearing on Monday last, showed he had received thousands of dollars from private insurance corporations for personal work in their interest—corporations which he is supposed officially to watch with suspicious and scrutinizing eye, so as to protect the public against their misdoings. When this was established incontestably from his own books at the hearing day before yesterday, he then, and not until then, published his lame and impotent and utterly irrelevant and uncandid statement. With the publication of that statement our case against him was completed and, therefore, the warrant for his arrest was issued."

BLOODHOUNDS TO TRAIL MURDERER OF PRIEST

Rewards Aggregating $1500 Offered for Arrest of Assassin

Leads, S. D., Oct. 27.—(By A. P.)—Bloodhounds sent here from Mitchell, S. D., are expected today in an effort to trace the man whose call on Rev. A. B. Belknap here early yesterday was followed by the shooting of the priest on a highway just outside the city.

City and county peace officers worked throughout yesterday and last night in an effort to find something tangible in the many rumors which came to their attention. The fact that no one but the priest saw the man has given officers a severe handicap at the start.

Bishop J. J. Lawler, at whose residence Father Belknap made his home, expressed the belief that the crime was the work of a mentally unbalanced person. Rewards totaling $1500 have been offered for the arrest of the slayer.

The circumstances of the tragedy bear a striking resemblance to the recent murder in California of the Rev. Patrick E. Heslin. Like the California case, Father Belknap was called from his home before daylight ostensibly to administer the sacrament to a dying man. His automobile had been tampered with, apparently, and he was forced to accompany his strange visitor on foot.

Several shots were heard by residents and later the body was found in the highway.

JAPANESE PRINCES IN N. Y.

Three Serving as Cadets on Training Squadron From Nippon

New York, Oct. 27.—(By A. P.)—A training squadron of the Japanese Navy, consisting of the first-class cruisers Idzumo and Yakumo, which left Japan last August on a world cruise, arrived here today to remain until November 8.

The squadron is in command of Vice Admiral Harroku Saito. On board the two ships undergoing a course of sea training, are 236 cadet officers. Among the cadets are Princes Higashi, Fushimi and Kuni. Both ships took part in the World War.

How Do You Like These Names for 1926 Fair?

"World's Philadelphia Intelligence Exposition" is the suggestion of Miss Eleanor Austernichle, 5071 West Reno street, for a title for the 1926 Sesqui-Centennial.

"Twentieth Century Word's Fair" is the idea of James A. Hummel, 2236 South Lambert street.

"'76 Roosevelt Centennia," Robert Wizer, 4654 Westminster avenue.

"The Philadelphia Fair," Dr. Elizabeth M. Clark, 2411 North Eighteenth street.

"The World's Greatest Demonstration Fair," Mrs. M. A. Horen, 5008 Catharine street.

Let's hear from you!

SURGEONS' SESSION SEES SPECIAL CLINICAL WORK

Demonstrations Made of Treating Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat

Special clinical demonstrations in ophthalmology, otology, rhinology, and laryngology, were given in the ballroom of the Bellevue-Stratford this morning in connection with the present congress of the American College of Surgeons.

Dr. Theodore Weisenburg, this city, read a paper on "The Relation of Intracranial Lesions to the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat." Dr. Lewis Fisher, also of this city, spoke on "Intracranial Conditions as Localized by the Barany Test." Dr. Wells P. Eagleton, of Newark, discussed "Aural Manifestations of Surgical Intracranial Lesions," and Dr. T. B. Halloway, of Philadelphia, treated the subject of "Some Phases of Pituitary Body Diseases."

Following the reading of the papers there was a general discussion.

A nation-wide inquiry into use of radium in treatment of cancer has been ordered by the Board of Regents of the College of Surgeons, which will appoint five of the greatest cancer and radium specialists to carry out the investigation.

Announcement that the first steps to plan the work of the committee to carry out the contemplated work has been made by Dr. Franklin H. Martin, of Chicago, secretary general of the college.

Several days ago Dr. John B. Deaver said that little success could be looked for through the use of radium in the treatment of cancer. Since then every meeting of the College of Surgeons has echoed with discussion of his statements.

JOBLESS EXPERT AT U. OF P.

Seebohn Rowntree, Friend of Lloyd George, Talks to Students

Seebohn Rowntree, of Great Britain, noted English authority on unemployment, addressed the members of the Wharton Association in Houston Hall at the University of Pennsylvania this afternoon. Mr. Rowntree is one of Lloyd George's personal friends and is studying unemployment problems in America.

The Cercle Francais and Salon Francais Societies will give a joint reception for those who are not members of the organizations at 8 o'clock this evening in the International Students' House, 3905 Spruce street. The guests will be welcomed by J. P. W. Crawford, head of the romance language department of the University, and Professor Hurlbart will speak on "The Modern French Drama."

The Mountaineers' Club of the University, consisting of students who reside in the Rocky Mountain district, will be addressed by Theodore Grayson in Houston Hall at 7:30 o'clock. His subject will be "The University of Pennsylvania. Its Development and National Appeal."

DENTISTS MAY MEET HERE

International Body Likely to Convene in 1926, Mayor Told

Dr. Edward C. Kirk and Dr. Charles R. Turner, dentists, who were appointed by Mayor Moore as a committee to invite the Federation Dentaire Internationale to hold its convention here in 1926, during the Sesqui-Centennial, reported back today.

The outlook is most encouraging, they say, and final decision will be given for the world's dental convention when the association convenes in Madrid next year. Enthusiastic support, they said, is being given the project. American societies cooperating being the National Dental Association, Pennsylvania State Dental Society, Academy of Stomatology of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania Association of Dental Surgery, North Philadelphia Association of Dental Surgery, the Eastern Dental Society and the Odontographic Society of West Philadelphia.

ASKS AID FOR INSTITUTION

Cardinal Announces $500,000 Drive for Houses of Good Shepherd

Cardinal Dougherty, in his first public interview since his elevation, announced today a campaign to raise $500,000, "to clear off the indebtedness and extend the work" of the Houses of the Good Shepherd in his diocese.

These institutions, the Cardinal pointed out, are in danger of being deprived of the state aid which they have hitherto received, and they can be saved only by public charity. The appeal is not limited to Catholics.

"These houses receive and care for girls, irrespective of creed, color or nationality, and to their work the State, the city and the public in general are benefited," the Cardinal said.

The campaign will be in charge, under Cardinal Dougherty, of the Rt. Rev. Monsignor Donovan, rector of St. Agatha's Church. It will open Sunday and continue until November 27.

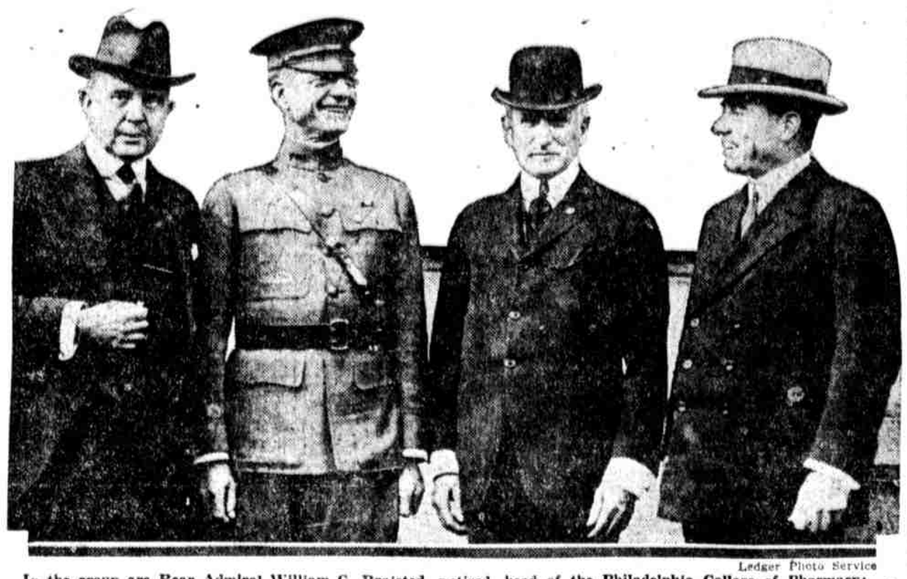
Louisiana Urges Irish Republic

Baton Rouge, La., Oct. 27.—The Louisiana Legislature yesterday by a close vote of 58 to 51 passed a resolution asking President Harding to recognize the Irish Republic.

TODAY'S MARRIAGE LICENSES

Benjamin Godt, 885 N. 4th st., and Bessie Zietz, 1207 Belmont ave.
Lawrence Newman, 2057 Sigel st., and Eleanor M. Reilly, 2057 Sigel st.
Charles A. Mac, 4114 N. Darien st., and Esther Rubin, 3826 Girard ave.
Harry Smith, 3232 Columbia ave., and Bessie Pretsky, 3232 Columbia ave.
Henry C. Schultz, Kansas City, Mo., and Mary A. Cole, 1732 S. Taylor st.
Michael Dmitrowski, 1809 E. Front st., and Josepha Kurowski, 407 E. Front st.
Julian Gadinsky, Camden, N. J., and Helen V. Kornacki, 3109 Salmon st.
Malcolm D. West, 811 Noble st., and Christina M. Walker, 811 Noble st.
Walter Squire, Merchantville, N. J., and Martha Alston, 1531 S. Woodstock st.
Clarkson Addis, Edge Hill, Pa., and Ann M. Heinrich, Mount Vernon, N. Y.
Levi Searcy, 26 S. 42d st., and Mary J. Tate, 28 S. 42d st.
Frederick G. Palmer, Gracehaam, Md., and Florence V. Cuilleflower, Gracehaam, Md.
William A. Wagner, 5030 Baltimore ave., and Hannah P. Stoffer, 1747 N. 61st st.
Thomas F. Donnelly, 3028 Columbia ave., and Helen Bonsie, 2412 N. 26th st.
John Randolph, 1724 S. 17th st., and Laura Wickins, 2035 Wharton st.
Ralph Pellandrone, 746 S. 12th st., and Molly Ransley, 1219 St. Albans st.
Pasquale Morone, 822 S. 12th st., and Catharine McLaughlin, 822 S. 12th st.
Alfred J. Young, 3000 Pine rd., and Anna K. Frankel, Bethlehem, Pa.
Barney Radlitz, 3003 Poplar st., and Martha Simister, 752 N. 37th st.

AT THE AMERICAN COLLEGE OF SURGEONS CONGRESS



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In the group are Rear Admiral William C. Braisted, retired, head of the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy; Merritt W. Ireland, surgeon general, United States Army; Franklin H. Martin, director general, American College of Pharmacy, and Richard P. Strong, dean of tropical medicines, Harvard University (left to right). All are on the Gorgas Memorial Committee

BLANTON OUSTER CASE UP IN HOUSE

Objectionable Matter in Record Declared "Unspeakably Vile, Profane and Blasphemous"

WOMEN CROWD GALLERIES

Washington, Oct. 27.—The resolution for expulsion from the house of Thomas L. Blanton, Democratic, Texas, was called up today by Representative Mondell, the Republican leader.

Adoption of the resolution was asked by the Republican leader, who declared that while it was proper to inform the public of the reasons for which the House was called upon to do, "the publication of which is the basis of the charge is of such a character that it can not be presented on the floor."

Mr. Mondell characterized the objectionable words in the affidavit inserted in the Congressional Record by Blanton as "unspeakably vile, foul, filthy, profane, blasphemous and obscene."

"I know members of the House will agree it was the vilest thing they ever saw in print," he added. "If I were to recite here even a very small portion of these words I, myself, would be subject to expulsion."

Mr. Mondell said he knew of no instance where a member, exercising the right of leave to print, published profane or obscene matter in the Congressional Record. The Blanton "remarks," he told the House, were sent to the printing office Saturday night, with a direction for its publication that night. The printing office, he added, had no right to refuse to insert the offending article.

"And on the dawn of the Sabbath," he shouted, "this vile, foul thing was on its way to homes and schools. The language used would subject one now mailing it to jail for five years."

Crowded galleries were on hand when the resolution was brought up, many of the visitors being women who expecting a protracted row brought their lunches.

Mr. Blanton entered the chamber a moment before the chaplain's prayer and took his accustomed seat on the second row and during Mr. Mondell's speech sat with his hand to his lips looking in the opposite direction.

Nearly every member of the House was present and a dozen Senators came over to see what would happen.

In concluding his speech, Mr. Mondell declared:

"Men do some things in anger for which we forgive them. Men commit crimes under sudden uncontrollable impulse, for which we must be lenient. Mr. Speaker, this is a crime against the House, its dignity, its honor. It is a crime against decency, against every law and usage of civilized man, done deliberately, on purpose, without regard to law or for the honor of this House."

Blanton Replies to Attack

Mr. Blanton was pale, but smiling when Speaker Gillett gave him the privilege of the floor.

"If corridor reports are true," he said, "this will be my last speech in the House."

Mr. Blanton said the usual procedure was to bring witnesses against the accused and for the defense and added:

"But there is no appeal from a conviction in this case, even if my constituents should send me back to this Congress."

SHORE STADIUM SETBACK

Mayor Bader and Three Other Officers Resign as Backers

Atlantic City, Oct. 27.—The movement for a big shore stadium was given a severe setback today with the resignation of Mayor Edward L. Bader as treasurer and three other officers of the National Stadium Corporation. Tentative plans were outlined some time ago for a great $5,000,000 project at the Airport.

B. George Ulizio alone remains of the original promoters. Assemblyman Joseph A. Corio, solicitor for the corporation, gave out the statement this afternoon. Mr. Corio gave as the reason for the resignations that the men did not think business conditions at this time were ripe to carry out the ambitious plans. The other resignations received were from Harry L. Latz, beachfront hotelman, president; Joseph A. McNamee, City Clerk, as secretary, and Mr. Corio.

Unless Ulizio should succeed in affecting a financial alliance, the whole project will be abandoned indefinitely. The corporation is breaking clean. It sold no stock to the public. The stock of the resigning officers was taken over by Ulizio.

DIAZ REVIEWS MIDDIES

Italian Commander Received With Honors at Annapolis

Annapolis, Md., Oct. 27.—(By A. P.)—General Armando Diaz, commander of the Italian Army, today was a visitor at the Naval Academy, where he was received with special honors by Rear Admiral H. B. Wilson, superintendent of the Academy, the ranking officers and the regiment of midshipmen.

After reviewing the midshipmen, the visitors were taken on a tour of inspection of the various departments and later were guests of Admiral Wilson at luncheon.

Kidnapper Caught

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CHARLES HEMPHILL
Escaped inmate of Trenton State Hospital for the Insane, who admits stealing three-year-old Carl Frye Carlin

RECKLESS DRIVERS CALLED "ARABS"

Lieutenant Stuckert Addresses High School Students in Safety-First Campaign

CALLS STREETS UNSAFE

"Wild Arabs" was the phrase coined by Lieutenant John Stuckert, of the police accident prevention division, in describing reckless motorists today in a "safety first" address to students of the West Philadelphia High School.

The lieutenant said in the same period in which 48,000 American soldiers were killed in battle or in accidents during the war 91,000 persons were killed in the United States by automobiles.

Reminding the students that this is Roosevelt's birth anniversary, Lieutenant Stuckert said one of Roosevelt's hobbies was the hunting of wild game. He added that Roosevelt if alive today would be kept busy if he tried hunting the "wild Arabs," whose recklessness with motorcars makes the streets unsafe.

The accident prevention division headquarters will be opened November 1 in the Twentieth and Belmont streets police station. Captain James J. Hearn will command the division.

Police officials plan a "safety first" bonfire campaign to impress on citizens the great need of caution in crossing the streets and in operating motorcars.

Assistant Director of Public Safety Tempest will discuss the subject tomorrow night before the Police Chiefs' Association of Delaware County in the Media courthouse. Saturday evening he notes Cortelyou will address citizens of Bryn Mawr, near the Sixty-ninth Street Terminal.

REAL ESTATE MEN GATHER

Delegates From Philadelphia Among First Arrivals at Pittsburgh

Pittsburgh, Oct. 27.—(By A. P.)—Registration of delegates and a reception marked the opening here today of the first convention of the Pennsylvania Real Estate Association, which will remain in session two days. Delegates came from all parts of the State.

D. W. Harper, of Erie, and Robert J. Nash, of Philadelphia, president and secretary of the State Association, and I. B. Hiett, of Toledo, president of the National Association, were among the early arrivals. They will address the realty men tomorrow. A delegation of sixty persons, headed by W. H. Wilson, arrived from Philadelphia during the morning.

Mayor E. V. Babcock and other city officials welcomed the visitors, after which the women were taken for an automobile trip. The housing situation and plans for stimulating house building is the most important subject to come before the convention.

Funeral of John C. Potter

Funeral services for John C. Potter, late sexton of Zion Episcopal Church, Broad street and Wyoming avenue, will be held at the church Saturday. Potter, who died yesterday at the age of 84, was a Civil War veteran and for more than forty years was sexton of the Holy Trinity Church of Southwark, which was afterwards merged with the Zion Church. He lived at 217 Durham street, Mount Airy.

Dynamite Wrecks Kansas Mine

Pittsburg, Kan., Oct. 27.—(By A. P.)—The Gray Wolf mine, near Gross, Kan., was wrecked by two charges of dynamite shortly before midnight last night. One charge of dynamite wrecked the tipple mine and the other the mouth. The Gray Wolf is a shipping mine. Damage was so extensive that the mine cannot be worked for several days.

MURDER BREAKS UP 'BOOTS" HAPPINESS

Ticket Bought to Return to Husband When Mother Was Slain

WAS ON VISIT FROM TEXAS

Special Dispatch to Evening Public Ledger

New York, Oct. 27.—"Boots" Rogers minded her sister's baby today as all about her preparations were being made to sweep away the last trace of the home that was the Planovskys.

Her mother, Mrs. Planovsky, was murdered by Julius Planovsky, "Boots'" stepfather. There were phases in the murder that brought curiously to mind the murder of Henry T. Peirce in Philadelphia last fall, in which Boots' name figured prominently.

The slaying of the mother of the girl whose career in the white lights of cities gave her widespread notoriety during her trial as an accessory in the murder of Peirce, came at a moment that "Boots" had planned as a happy one.

Yesterday, the day Mrs. Planovsky was found with her head battered with a hammer and bullet wounds in her body and with her dead boy, shot through the back, beside her, "Boots" was planning to return to her husband in Texas.

She came to the Planovsky home, which is in the basement of a large apartment house at 125th street and Amsterdam avenue, six weeks ago, on a visit. Her trunk was packed and her ticket bought for the return to her faithful sailor husband who came to her rescue during her trial in Philadelphia.

The only time she has left the little home since the tragedy was to go down to the Pennsylvania Station last evening to cancel her reservation. Her trunk stood in the hallway of the apartment house still packed and waiting. Aside from her one little venture forth "Boots" has shut herself up in a room, refusing to see even her most intimate friends. She will return to Texas immediately after the funeral. Her husband is in business in Texas, and they are getting along happily.

Search of the Planovsky apartment revealed a note Planovsky had written. The note read, "To whom it may concern:

"Please bury me and my dear child at Woodlawn. He is the dearest thing I have. I could not stand this any longer."

RARE FIRST EDITIONS BROUGHT TO THIS CITY

Dr. A. S. W. Rosenbach Pays $1400 for Copy of the Decameron

A number of rare first editions and first English translations of ancient classics from the library of Rita Wellman Leo have brought to Philadelphia by Dr. A. S. W. Rosenbach, of the Rosenbach Galleries, who bought them at a sale held yesterday by the Anderson Galleries in New York.

The most valuable purchase is a copy in three volumes of the first complete English translation of the Decameron of Boccaccio, for which he paid $1400. The three volumes are dated 1620 and were printed in London by Isaac Jaggard.

Another rare work is a first edition, of which there were but five copies, of Robert Burton's "Anatomy of Melancholy, by Democritus, Jr." For this Dr. Rosenbach paid $300. It is bound in crimson levant morocco and was printed in Oxford, England, in 1621 by John Lichfield and John Short.

Dr. Rosenbach also purchased a metrical translation of the "Aeneid of Virgil" for $350. This was translated by Gawin Douglas and was printed in London in 1553.

Another purchase was a first English translation of the "Rabelais" in five volumes for $255. This is regarded as a very unique and rare translation and was made by Sir Thomas Urquhart and Peter Motteaux. The printing was in 1694 by Richard Baldwin, of London.

CLEARED OF GIRL'S MURDER

Suspicion of One Crime Wiped Off Lively's List of Killings

Louis Lively, held in Mt. Holly jail for the murder of seven-year-old Mathilda Russo, of Moorestown, was today cleared of suspicion of another brutal child murder, that of Jeannette Lawrence, a six-year-old girl killed October 6 at Madison, in Morris County.

Madison is in Northern New Jersey, and because Lively said he had come down from New England and New York, and answered somewhat to the description of a man sought for the murder, County Detective Brennan, of Morris County, came on to question him.

Lively cheerfully told Brennan of his movements on October 6, saying he had worked all that day on a farm near Newburg, N. Y., and had left some of his clothes in an old shack there. The county detective went to Newburg to check up on Lively's statements and found he had been there at 6 o'clock on the evening the child was killed. The murder occurred at 6:30, and the distance between the two towns was too great for Lively to have traversed it in time to commit the murder. Brennan sent word to this effect to County Detective Ellis Parker, of Mt. Holly, today.

CHANDLERS TO PAY 2 CENTS ON DOLLAR

Estimated Payment Shrinks Again—$82,000 to Meet $5,500,000, Receiver Thinks

CREDITORS MEET TODAY

As matters look today, the defunct brokerage firm of Chandler Brothers & Co. may not be able to pay more than two cents on the dollar, according to Cornelius Haggarty, Jr., one of the receivers. At first ten cents on the dollar was predicted, then five cents.

"Personally," said Mr. Haggarty today, "it does not look to me as though more than two cents on the dollar will ever be collected. Of course in matters of this kind the unexpected often happens, but that is the way it looks to me. You must remember that these accounts have been in the hands of able attorneys for some time, with very poor results, generally speaking."

According to the report of assets and liabilities of the firm, filed recently with John M. Hill, the referee, assets were $1,059,133, with liabilities of $5,618,369. It is stated in this report there is owing to Chandler Brothers & Co. the sum of $4,117,827. Only ten per cent of this amount is estimated in the report as being collectible. This leaves $411,782 which was supposed to be collectible out of the millions owed.

According to Mr. Haggerty's unofficial estimate today, however, something more than $80,000 may be expected for the creditors, with their bills for more than $5,500,000.

Mendenhall and Reber Confer

Earl Mendenhall, one of the Philadelphia partners and head of the firm, held a long conference today with J. Howard Reber, who was attorney for the receivers, and will be attorney for W. B. Barrows, the newly elected trustee.

"I am feeling very well again," he said. "You know, I broke two ribs while in the West. There is nothing I care to say now. I may have a statement to make later."

According to Mr. Reber, the receivers are practically through with their duties. Mr. Barrows is now familiarizing himself with the situation, he said, and will take hold soon.

"I am getting ready the receivers' account," said Mr. Reber. "This is to be filed after the decisions of the courts on reclamation matters have been handed down. I refer to all reclamation matters to date. There is also to be filed the account of the ancillary receivers in New York. In this case, the receivers are the same. This report must be filed in New York, showing the New York assets of the firm. Then receivers will be officially through.

Account for Confirmation

"After these reports are filed the referee will send out a ten-day notice for a meeting of creditors, at which time the account will be presented for confirmation. Mr. Barrows takes hold as soon as I get that receivers' account prepared and filed. From this report he will find actually where matters stand and will be ready, from a legal standpoint, to proceed."

There will be another reclamation meeting this afternoon in the office of Referee Hill in the South Penn Square Building. "This will be a small meeting," said Mr. Hill. "It will be a continuation of the reclamation proceedings that have been going on for some time. Persons who lay claim to securities in the hands of Chandler Brothers & Co. at the time of the failure, are filing their petitions for return of these stocks at these meetings."

LEAVES $100,000 ESTATE

George R. Henderson, Engineer, Names Widow His Beneficiary

The will of George R. Henderson, the well-known engineer, who died in Media October 9, was admitted to probate today, leaving a $100,000 estate to his widow, Virginia P. C. Henderson.

Other wills probated were: Michael Di Rico, 762 South Tenth street, $18,500; Mary E. Dix, 5510 Girard avenue, $4300; Emma H. Mostiller, 2126 North Fifth street, $57,000; Margaret C. Ryan, 3549 Richmond street, $15,000.

The estate of Michael Rummel, 1216 Oxford street, treasurer of the Apex Hosiery Company, is valued at $139,483, according to the inventory filed today. The estate includes 467 shares of the Apex Hosiery Company stock, 310 shares of United Gas Improvement Company and 180 shares of Philadelphia Electric Company common stock. The other inventories of personal estates were: James Brooks, $5576.47, and Carl Nicolai, $5474.

Letters were granted to administer the estate of Eliza H. Holt, 4625 North Thirteenth street, who left an estate of $18,800.

BOY MAY LOSE LEG

Rear Wheel of Five-Ton Truck Runs Over Him—Driver Held

Victor Wilson, fifteen years old, 450 North Wilson street, is in the Lankenau Hospital, where he may lose his left leg as the result of a peculiar accident yesterday. Wilson, who is employed by the Enterprise Cake Company, Twenty-sixth and Oxford streets, was standing in front of a line of trucks signaling one of the drivers to aid him in getting out of his space.

A five-ton electric truck, driven by Charles Benjamin, 2854 Boudinot street, passed by. The front wheels missed the boy, but in some way the right rear wheel caught Wilson and passed over his left leg.

Benjamin was held in $300 bail for a further hearing by Magistrate Oswald in the Nineteenth and Oxford streets police station this morning.

For Parliament

Underwood & Underwood

MISS MARGARET BONDFIELD
England's most noted woman labor leader, widely known in Philadelphia, is a candidate for Parliament from Northampton

MISS BONDFIELD WAS HERE

Candidate for British Parliament Made Many Friends on Visit

Miss Margaret Bondfield, who is running for membership in the British Parliament, is affectionately remembered by many Philadelphia women.

She has been here on several occasions, notably for the national convention of the Women's Trade Union League which was held in Philadelphia in June, 1919. Later she appeared as the representative of British Labor at the American Federation of Labor Congress at Atlantic City. She was back again in October, having returned home meanwhile, to attend the first International Congress of Women Workers, held at Washington.

Miss Bondfield is attending the second International Congress of the same organization at present, at Geneva, Switzerland. It is expected she will revisit the United States in a short time, to be here during the disarmament conference.

Since the death of Mary Macarthur, last February, Miss Bondfield has been regarded as the greatest woman labor leader of England. When she was here she made scores of the warmest kind of friends by her delightful personality, her whole-souled interest in the cause of the workingwoman, her keen humor, and her great gift of oratory. She was one of the cleverest women speakers and debaters ever heard in Philadelphia.

PRESBYTERIAN RECRUITS TO MINISTRY SCARCE

Dr. Tuttle Tells Synod Accessions Show Slight Pro Rata to Churches

Tyrone, Pa., Oct. 27.—Speaking for the committee on recruiting the ministry before the Pennsylvania Synod of the Presbyterian Church, in session this morning, the Rev. Dr. John E. Tuttle, of Swarthmore, said that it takes six and one-third churches, with an average of 300 members each, to produce one candidate for the ministry.

The report of the Home Missions Committee showed that forty ministers and seventy laymen were employed among the foreign-speaking peoples of Pennsylvania last year at a cost of $37,000.

The Rev. Dr. John T. Reeve, of Lancaster, and the Rev. Dr. M. H. Anderson, of Philadelphia, reporting on the New Era movement, said the per capita gift to benevolences had risen from $4 to $8.10 in three years. A recommendation was made that the features of the New Era movement be carried out by the Pennsylvania Synod, but not as the New Era movement.

QUEST FOR MISSING MAN

Relatives of W. J. McCormack Ask Police to Aid in Finding Him

Relatives of W. J. McCormack, of 4055 Lancaster avenue, have asked the police to institute search for the man who has been missing since July 10. On that day McCormack, who is president of the National Home Furnishers' Association, left his home to go to his office, but investigation shows he never arrived there.

Mrs. McCormack, who lives with her three daughters and one son at 4536 Chestnut street, told detectives that her husband had been under the care of a physician for several months prior to his disappearance. Police of Atlantic City were asked to search for the missing man on the theory that he may have been drowned while visiting the shore.

HOLD 3 IN GIRL'S DEATH

Johnstown Men Suspected After Seven-Year-Old Child Is Slain

Johnstown, Pa., Oct. 27.—(By A. P.)—Adam Potaillos, Thomas Vassel and Andy Sarendo, arrested last night after the body of seven-year-old Mary Reba was found in the cellar of Potaillos' boarding house, were held for further investigation after a hearing today before Mayor Joseph Cauffiol on a technical charge.

The little girl disappeared a week ago, and, according to the authorities, she was attacked and then killed by a blow on the head.

HARDING INSPECTS INFANTRY SCHOOL

Stops at Camp Benning and Goes Over Grounds With Secretary Weeks

SPEAKS IN ATLANTA TODAY

By the Associated Press

Columbus, Ga., Oct. 27.—A two-hour stop at Camp Benning to inspect the Infantry Training School took President Harding off the direct route of his Southern trip today and delayed his arrival at Atlanta, where he will deliver an address late this afternoon.

The presidential special departed late last night from Birmingham, and was routed to reach Camp Benning shortly after 7 A. M. today. During the stop Secretary of War Weeks, a member of the President's party, arranged to take the executive for a tour over the extensive tract used for training maneuvers and also requested a demonstration of the use of various agencies of infantry warfare.

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 27.—(By A. P.)—Atlanta was gaily decorated today in flags and bunting in honor of President Harding and his party, who will arrive early in the afternoon from Columbus, Ga. The program for the day includes a luncheon with a brief address and a public speech at the Grady Monument late in the day.

Governor Hardwick and prominent business men have been assigned as hosts to the President, Secretary Weeks and Fall and Senator Underwood at the luncheon at the Druid Hills Club. Mrs. Harding will be the luncheon guest of Mrs. Lee Ashcroft, wife of the president of the Chamber of Commerce. Mayor Key left a letter of welcome and apology for the President, explaining that he had to leave the city earlier in the day, as he had promised to accompany the Georgia Tech football team to New York for its game Saturday with Penn State.

After the luncheon the President and his party are to be escorted by local military organizations and R. O. T. C. units from nearby schools and colleges to the Grady monument for the public address, which is set for 4 o'clock. Early in the evening the President will leave for Washington, having completed his Southern trip which included a visit to the Birmingham semi-centennial and an inspection of Camp Benning, Ga.

COUNCIL TO SUPPLY FUNDS

To Act on Requests of Departments at Today's Meeting

City Council this afternoon will make appropriations to city and county departments sufficient to tide them over until the first of the year.

Recently the departments came to Council with requests for more money to keep them going until the end of the year. These requests amounted to approximately $4,000,000. Members of the Finance Committee told the heads of the city and county offices to revise their requests downward. This was done and the committee made additional cuts.

The money required will be gotten from liquor license money received during the year, but not included in the estimated receipts.

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DEATHS

HATTEN—At Sea (Cordelia), N. J., Oct. 26, ELIZABETH MELOY HATTEN, wife of Lewis and friends are invited to attend funeral services at the residence of her father, Willard Beitler, on Sunday, Oct. 30, at 2 P. M. Interment Lake View Cemetery, Hill.—On Oct. 26, 1921, THOMAS G. HILL, husband of Elizabeth Hill, Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral, on Friday, at 2 P. M., at his late residence, 2516 Columbia ave. Interment Rodeia. For Saturday, 2 P. M. 4250-DOE, P. son of Jacob and Mary Doe, and Charlotte McNaul, husband. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral, on Friday, at 2 P. M., at his late residence, 2511 Kensington ave. Interment Mount Vernon Cemetery. Friends may call after 1 P. M. Saturday. [illegible] Saturday, 2 P. M., at his mother's residence, 1359 E. Eyre st. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery. Friends may call after 1 P. M. Friday.