

### "MENTAL SLEEP," RUNAWAY'S EXCUSE

Penn Charter Boy "Awakes" in New Haven, Conn.

### GONE SINCE MONDAY

A sudden attack of "mental sleep," which made him unaware of his actions, was the explanation given by fifteen-year-old William Gray Williams, of Ambler, for his disappearance last Monday.

Williams, a Penn Charter School student, said he "awoke" in New Haven, Conn., from which city he telegraphed yesterday to his worried parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Williams.

The boy arrived at Broad Street Station last night. He was met by his father and taken to his home immediately.

"He did not know that he had gone away," said Mrs. Williams, the boy's mother, this morning. "I can't explain his complete loss of memory, but I believe everything he tells me."

Mrs. Williams, with others early yesterday, had shared a theory that her son had gone away with a Philadelphia Frame, of Camden, a Penn Charter School student of the same age. Frome was found yesterday in Downingtown.

"Bill said he was walking along the streets of New Haven Wednesday morning," Mrs. Williams continued. "When he suddenly realized he was away from home. He immediately went to a telegraph office and wired me what had happened. He told me that he realized he had wandered away, but couldn't explain his actions at the time. We are sure now that he had a lapse of memory. The only way I can explain this is that he is a very large boy for his age and has grown very fast. This has been a great strain on his vitality and would make him very susceptible to any nervous disorder."

"He had been ill two weeks prior to his disappearance, and I believe his vitality was at a very low ebb. When he left home Wednesday morning he was on his way to school. He probably lost his memory on the train and lapsed into a state of amnesia."

Mrs. Williams said a physician was summoned last night when the boy reached home, and found that he was in a bad nervous condition. This morning she said he was much better.

His books and brief case were found on the train which he took to the city Monday morning, and were turned up at the lost and found bureau of the railroad.

### TWIN SISTERS 83 TODAY

Mrs. B. H. Shepherd and Mrs. Marion Rowland Celebrate Occasion. Twin sisters are celebrating the eighty-third anniversary of their birth today. They are Mrs. B. H. Shepherd, an inmate of the Elkins Masonic Home, and Mrs. Marion Rowland, who lives at the Methodist Episcopal Home for the Aged. They were born on November 3, 1838.

They are the daughters of Thomas B. Welch, of this city, who in the early half of the last century gained considerable fame as a portrait painter. Mrs. Rowland is the oldest living member of the Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, at Broad and Master streets. Mrs. Shepherd is the widow of Henry F. Shepherd, who for many years was manager of the J. R. Jones Publishing Company at Eighth and Cherry streets. He died in 1909.

### NAB ALLEGED FORGER

Richard Otis Arrested After Hunt Through Many States

Richard Otis, said by police to be one of the most elusive criminals who ever penned a forged signature to a check, has been locked up in the Gloucester County Jail, at Woodbury, N. J., after search by police and detectives which they say extended through many States and at least twenty-five cities.

The specific charge upon which he was arrested is for passing an alleged bad check for \$150 on George Cox, a merchant of Swedesboro, N. J.

Otis was carefully and fashionably dressed and might easily be mistaken for an alert captain of industry. It is upon this fresh appearance he was able to do business with banks.

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### Typical Conversations

By J. P. McEVROY

Father and Mother Correcting Child. Take your elbows off the table. What difference does it make? He is only a kid once. There you go again. How do you expect me to make these children behave if you take their part every time I correct them? Well, I don't see any harm in putting your elbows on the table. You do it, don't you? I don't do it. You certainly do. Well, what if I do? That's no reason the children should grow up that way. Oh, well, have it your own way. Yes, now that you have spoiled the effect of my correction, you say, "Have it your own way. Why didn't you keep quiet at first?" But it's silly hollering at the children all the time. What difference does it make if they put their elbows on the table, just so their feet are off? Let them enjoy themselves while they are young. Don't be always picking on them. Who is always picking on them? You are. Yes, because I want them to grow up like ladies and gentlemen instead of barbarians. A little training like that wouldn't have hurt you any when you were young. Oh, is that so? Yes, that's so.

I don't see you wearing any medals for excessive politeness. If you are so polite you might start and talk polite to your husband. You are setting a nice example in front of your children. You make me tired. (Meanwhile both children have their elbows on the table.)

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Rump or Shoulders of Veal for Roasting . . . . . 15c lb.  
Finest Country Scrapple that money can buy, 3 lbs. . . . . 25c  
Our Fresh Sausage—can't be beat for money . . . . . 20c lb.  
If you want good eggs—try a dozen of our finest selected eggs—packed one dozen in carton . . . . . 45c doz.  
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ASCO Mince Meat lb 24c	ASCO Oats pkg. 10c
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Richland Butter, lb 50c Pure creamery prints. Big value.

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Asco Means Quality	New Crop Calif. Sunsweet Prunes lb. 10c, 17c	Asco Means Quality
Asco Cocoa . . . . . 1/2 lb can 15c		Asco Golden Syrup . . . . . can 9c
Asco Corn Flakes . . . . . pkg 7c		Asco Applesauce . . . . . can 19c
Asco Sliced Bacon . . . . . pkg 17c		Asco Baking Powder, 5c, 9c, 17c
Asco Dried Beef . . . . . pkg 10c		Asco Corn Starch . . . . . pkg 7c
Asco Oleomargarine . . . . . lb 25c		Asco Pork & Beans . . . . . can 9c
Asco Fatless . . . . . pkg 10c		Asco Naine Corn . . . . . can 15c
Asco Macaroni . . . . . pkg 9c		Asco Peanut Butter . . . . . lb 15c
Asco Spaghetti . . . . . pkg 9c		Asco Bread Crumbs . . . . . pkg 10c

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