PROOF OF CRUELTY TO SOLDIERS ASKED

Senator Watson Requested to Substantiate Charge of Executions Without Trial

IMMUNITY FOR WITNESSES

By the Associated Press

Washington, Dec. 8.—Beginning investigation of charges by Senator Watson, of Georgia, that private soldiers were hanged during the war without convictions by court-martial, Chairman Brandegee, of the special Senate committee, announced today that the proceeding was not an investigation of the Georgia Senator but was ordered to ascertain "whether officers of the United States Army were murderers."

Senator Watson appeared before the committee immediately after the adoption of a resolution requesting him to appear and testify in support of his charge.

"I made no indiscriminate charge in the Senate against officers and nurses," said Senator Watson. "I said too many officers were guilty of brutality toward soldiers."

Disagreeable Duty, Says Brandegee

Explaining the work of the committee Senator Brandegee said it was "a most disagreeable duty," adding that he had received many letters "resenting" the charges, and that the purpose was to find if they were true.

"I told Senator Watson," the chairman said, "that I would summon witnesses from any part of the world that he on his honor as a Senator believed could present evidence to support the charges."

Senator Watson declared he was prepared to prove his charges that soldiers were hanged without trial.

The Senator read a story from a Waco, Tex., paper which quoted John J. Forbes, of Cleveland, O., a former service man, as saying the Watson charges were true, and that "the half had not been told about cruelties inflicted on soldiers by officers."

"Do you want Forbes summoned?" Chairman Brandegee asked, and Senator Watson said he did.

The newspaper printed a picture of what was purported to be the gallows on which Forbes alleged he saw the soldier put to death.

Intimidation of Witnesses Charged

Discussing procedure as to calling witnesses, Senator Watson said there were some men who were injured in the war and now drawing compensation who were afraid their compensation might be affected by their appearance before the committee.

"They will be protected," Chairman Brandegee declared. "This committee gives you carte blanche to say what you please and to call any witnesses you please."

An affidavit signed by George H. Taylor, setting forth that he saw twelve soldiers hanged in France, and that he did not know whether all were convicted by court-martial was presented. The soldier said he saw two Negroes and a white sergeant hanged, the latter after conviction by a French court-martial on charges of attacking a girl. The sergeant, Taylor said, resided at Detroit, Mich., and asked that his mother be notified that he died of influenza. According to Taylor, there was no justification for the charges.

Eleven Hangings Admitted

Colonel Walter E. Bethel, assistant judge advocate general of the army, testified that eleven members of the American expeditionary forces were hanged in France. He said all of them had been convicted by a military court-martial.

Senator Watson presented an affidavit by Samuel Long, of Paterson, N. J., a leging that he saw a private soldier killed by a sergeant with a bayonet because he was a conscientious objector and refused to carry a gun.

Kenneth C. Robinson, of Washington, D. C., in an affidavit, said he saw a private suspended by the wrists from a tree from 7:30 P. M. to 3 A. M., and then knocked down by a colonel because he refused to work on bread and water.

According to an affidavit by Henry L. Scott, of Kenmore, O., a major openly shot and killed two soldiers "without provocation." Scott was ordered suspended.

Writing from Devil's Lake, N. D., Dr. W. D. Jones, in a letter to Senator Watson, declared his son, a marine, told him of the execution of a Negro soldier without court-martial.

GOAL OF WELFARE DRIVE IS CUT TO $3,000,000

Will Continue Until Irreducible Minimum Is Reached

Change from a $4,000,000 to a $3,000,000 objective has been made by the Welfare Federation, with an indefinite continuation of the drive until that total is reached.

Arthur W. Sewall, one of the Federation's trustees, pledged the organization to that sum at a meeting of the Federation's executives held yesterday in the Bellevue-Stratford.

With a total of $1,850,000 gave in the Federation treasury, Mr. Sewall pointed to the fact that it would be necessary to raise approximately $1,200,000 more to reach the new objective. "And we will raise it, we will keep faith with the public and the agency members," he added, "if we have to continue the campaign through this month, through next and through the next."

Following remarks by Judge J. Willis Martin, president of the federation, in which he called attention of his audience, which filled one of the large halls on the Bellevue roof, to the splendid support accorded the campaign by the newspapers, Mr. Sewall declared that the Federation has won and has come to stay in Philadelphia.

TODAY'S MARRIAGE LICENSES

James R. Jones, 3110 Manton st., and Florence Walley, 2110 Manton st.
Clifton White, 2005 Moravian st., and Annie R. Stanford, 1421 Ellsworth st.
Harry Nix, Navy, 1421 Ellsworth st., and Stella E. Kempf, 2327 W. Fletcher st.
Harry C. Smith, 4409 Thompson st., and Josephine S. McKenna, 3161 Van Pelt st.
Ben E. Jarrett, Allerton, Pa., and Elizabeth B. Willis, Clarkin, Pa.
Abram Axe, 1754 N. Lindenwood st., and Ada Kalis, 1754 Lindenwood st.
Alex Sanders, 3206 Columbia ave., and Lena Spector, Port Grove, Pa.
Joseph Taylor, 702 Brewster ave., and Augusta V. Lovenberg, 702 Brewster ave.
Isadore Lambert, 1611 S. 23d st., and Anna Sleger, 23 S. 59th st.
Walter Martin, 418 S. 12th st., and Rose Morris, Buenavista, 304.
David D. Owen, 1761 Lyons st., and Regina D. Neles, 1656 Watkins st.
Tomaso Di Paolo, 1312 Tasker st., and Carmela Principe, 1312 Moore st.
William Ramon, 1021 Morris st., and Vivian F. Culhane, 410 Brandywine ave.
Calman Weinstein, 709 S. Marshall st., and Dora Schenfeld, 1841 S. 10th st.
Stephen B. Hyde, 1419 Fairthorne st., and Laura Reese, 1419 S. 16th st.
Harry Donath, Philadelphia Navy Yard, and Minnie Simmons, 2020 Bainbridge st.
Constantin D. Demopoulos, Washington, D. C., and Petro Grosberis, 758 N. 60th st.
Homer D. Johnson, 2024 S. 56th st., and Bessie M. Thourot, 2024 S. 56th st.
Daniel H. Heaney, Audubon, Pa., and Helen Weber, Audubon, Pa.
Hyman J. Walker, 62 S. Ruby st., and Rose Levick, Davis, 117 N. 58th st.
Jacob Klein, 2233 N. 18th st., and Nora R. Newman, 1929 N. 22d st.

Soon to Wed

MISS DORIS STEVENS

Known as one of the beauties of the woman suffrage movement, who is to marry Dudley Field Malone in New York tomorrow

DUDLEY MALONE TO WED

Expected to Marry Suffragist Beauty Tomorrow

New York, Dec. 8.—It is understood that Dudley Field Malone and Miss Doris Stevens will be married this week. The wedding probably will take place tomorrow. Mr. Malone will sail with his bride after the wedding for Boulogne on the liner Rotterdam, which leaves here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Malone will make their home in Paris, where Mr. Malone has established law offices.

Miss Stevens is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Stevens, of Oneida. She was graduated from Oberlin College. She was one of the members of the Executive Committee of the National Woman's Party, which was headed by Miss Alice Paul, and which picketed the White House during President Wilson's first term. Miss Stevens has been called one of the most beautiful young women in the suffrage movement.

Mr. Malone was an assistant corporation counsel of New York City, when he accompanied Woodrow Wilson about the Nation in his 1912 campaign for the presidential nomination and election. Mr. Wilson appointed him Third Assistant Secretary of State and later collector of the Port of New York.

He resigned this lucrative office because of President Wilson's attitude toward the White House pickets, many women of refinement among whom were imprisoned in the wretched bullpen at Occoquan with the scum of the District of Columbia.

"QUANTITY PRODUCTION" BY COLLEGES DECRIED

Little Opportunity Given for Character Building, Says Educator

New York, Dec. 8.—(By A. P.)—"Quantity production" of college graduates by American institutions of learning was scored today as an "unfortunate condition, giving little or no opportunity for character building," by Professor A. G. Christie, of Johns Hopkins University, in an address before the American Society of Mechanical Engineers.

Professor Christie said that the "factory organization idea" when applied to colleges caused a breakdown of educational standards and resulted in instruction staffs being overworked and underpaid. He quoted Dean T. L. Bishop, of the University of Pittsburgh, as saying that there is no first-class engineering school in America.

Dr. Christie declared he could guarantee that he could prove in a five-minute oral examination that 98 to 99 per cent of the graduates in electrical engineering of any institution in the country did not understand in a thorough fashion the fundamentals of the subject.

This morning's session was devoted to discussions on engineering education, to observance of the Education Week proclaimed by President Harding. Members of the society's student branches, representing fifty-nine universities and colleges, conducted the program, which included addresses by four students, W. K. Ramsey, Massachusetts Institute of Technology; George E. Lyon, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, N. Y.; F. M. Spitzglass, Armour Institute, Chicago, and J. M. Robertson, University of Kansas.

ACCUSED OF RUM FRAUD

Advertising Agent Mulcted Prominent Citizens, Is Charge

City authorities today started investigating the activities of a certain agent of an advertising concern in the central section of the city who is said to have mulcted prominent citizens by a fraudulent scheme dealing with liquor.

This individual will be indicted by the Federal Grand Jury next December, according to Government officials. He is charged with conspiracy to obtain whiskey on forged permits and the use of Government agent.

He is said to be one of the largest operators in this section in illegally obtained liquor, and it is said he has received many thousands of dollars from prominent people for whom he has never delivered. He is also under prosecution in the courts on a charge of violation of the internal revenue laws.

His operations have extended to New York, where he is being investigated by Federal dealing in liquor permits. It is expected that his name will be made public when the Federal Grand Jury makes its report tomorrow.

Both State and Federal agents have been working on a case against the man. Several former prohibition agents have been working around the Federal Building for the past two weeks trying to get a line on the doings of the Grand Jury.

"INSULTED" IN WILL

Cut Off From Longfellow Bequests Because of "Pacifistic" Activity

Alston Dana, 575 Green street, Mount Airy, who was cut off in the will of his uncle, the late Ernest W. Longfellow, of New York, because of his "socialistic and pacifistic opinions," declared today that his uncle's statements "constitute an insult."

His uncle is the son of Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, the great American poet. Dana's brother, Henry W. L. Dana, formerly a professor at Columbia University, was also cut off in the will.

"This is merely a family squabble," said Alston Dana. "My uncle was a very conservative man."

The uncle's will, disposing of a large estate, was probated in New York yesterday, and bears a codicil dated May 26, 1916, which bars payments of quarter shares to the Dana brothers as originally provided.

Harry W. L. Dana was discharged from the faculty of Columbia University in 1917 because of his pacifist activities.

CALL 1500 POLICE IN CHICAGO STRIKE

Nine Badly Hurt After Riots by Packer Employes in Stockyards

"L" TRAIN IS STORMED

By the Associated Press

Chicago, Dec. 8. — Fifteen hundred policemen were sent to the stockyards early this morning when long before daylight several groups of persons, including a few women, gathered about the stockyards.

Only a few hours before 200 policemen had fired into thousands of strike sympathizers who attacked plant employes and finally the policemen. Last nights' toll of casualties included nine seriously injured and an uncounted number hurt when mounted police charged into the crowd with drawn batons.

Forty men were cut and bruised this morning when strike sympathizers stormed an elevated train carrying packer employes to the yards. All windows in the train were broken by missiles which were thrown at it.

Saloons Are Closed

All saloons in the neighborhood of the yards were closed today by order of Chief of Police Fitzmorris. The chief said that the trouble would be stopped at any cost. When the strike went into effect here Monday there was little trouble and the situation remained quiet until last night, when workers began to leave the yards.

Strikers on picket duty and strike sympathizers blocked their way to the car lines and policemen tried to make lanes through the crowd. Hundreds suddenly swelled the ranks of the strike sympathizers until they overwhelmed the few hundred policemen on duty and riot calls were sent in. When reinforcements arrived the crowd was finally scattered and the heavy guards were partially withdrawn.

However, by 2 o'clock this morning they began wandering back and the number increased so quickly that the regular 500 policemen on duty were increased to 1500. The day shift at the packing plant was to report at 6 o'clock and every precaution was taken by the Chief of Police for their safety.

A rumor that a Negro was thrown in Bubbly Creek and stoned until he was drowned could not be confirmed.

Immediate action was expected today on a petition for an injunction against pickets of Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butcher Workmen of North America by twenty-two packers who allege that intimidation of workers has been practiced by the union.

The large packers say they are working about 90 per cent of normal, while the smaller firms have given out statements that their output is curtailed to 50 or 60 per cent of normal.

Omaha, Neb., Dec. 8.—(By A. P.)—Street fighting followed by a dozen arrests, including two women, marked the closing hours of the afternoon here yesterday, in the packing house district, where a strike of butcher workmen and meat cutters is in force.

Following a conference of city and police officials late in the day, every North Side policeman, detective and traffic officer was sent to South Omaha. Thirty riot guns with bayonets and loaded with buckshot also were sent to the South Side.

The fighting, which was between strike sympathizers and workmen, was confined to fists and bricks, and nothing of a serious nature had been reported last night.

MENNONITES MIGRATING

115 of Sect, With Year's Supplies, Leave Canada for Alabama

Regina, Sask., Dec. 8.—Migrating Mennonites from Saskatchewan were on their way to Yellow Pine, Ala., today, carrying supplies to last a year or more. A special train with 115 members of the religious sect aboard left the town of Crystal Tuesday night.

Like the migratory folk of Biblical times, they are taking along their cattle, horses, sheep, swine, poultry and other domestic animals, and also enough seed and farm implements to keep the party busy and contented for a long time.

The supplies and household effects filled fourteen freight cars.

Former Kaiser Publishes Book

Berlin, Dec. 8.—(By A. P.)—Former Emperor William has published a book entitled "Comparative Historical Tables From 1878 to the Outbreak of the War in 1914," according to the newspaper Achtuhrabendblatt. In addition to tabulated matter the book contains information regarding events immediately preceding the great war.

Home Owners' Saving With $1.75 Tax Rate

Assessment	Full City Rate 1921	Full City Rate 1922	Suburban Rate 1921	Suburban Rate 1922
$3,000	$64.50	$52.50	$43.00	$36.00
4,000	86.00	70.00	57.32	48.00
5,000	107.50	87.50	71.65	58.82
8,000	172.00	140.00	114.66	96.33
10,000	215.00	175.00	143.32	120.00

The proposed $1.75 city tax rate for 1922 is an approximate reduction of 20 per cent in the present $2.15 rate. The suburban rate for districts not having full improvements is two-thirds of the city rate.

There is also a farm rate, one-half the full city rate. This is levied principally in the extreme northeast and south west. The tax tables above do not include the school tax of ninety-five cents on every $100 of assessed property valuation which is to be the 1922 school rate, a fifteen-cent increase.

LISTING CHANDLER LOSERS

To Name Customers Whose Securities Went to Prevent Failure

When the next hearing in the Chandler Brothers & Co. failure is held on December 16, before Referee John M. Hill, lists will be presented by Ear Mendenhall, head of the firm, giving the names of the firm's customers who owned the $5,000,000 in securities sold by the firm in an effort to prevent bankruptcy. These securities were disposed of, according to Mendenhall, months before the failure on July 25 last.

According to Mendenhall, who Clark, Childs & Co., of New York called for margins from Chandler Brothers & Co., these millions in securities left with them by customers to secure marginal accounts were sold by Clark, Childs & Co. and the proceeds used to bolster up that account.

Another reclamation hearing will be held tomorrow afternoon in the office of Mr. Hill, in the South Penn Square Building, at 2 o'clock.

SHOT BY POLICEMAN

Burglar's Leg Fractured by Bullet as He Flees

Atlantic City, Dec. 8.—(By A. P.)—A Negro who gives the name of James Higris, was shot early this morning by Bicycle Policeman Nichols, as he was observed running from the porch of the home of Fireman Wallace Steelman, on Trinity avenue near Ohio. The bullet fractured the man's right leg below the knee.

A short time before Policeman Nichols discovered Higris breaking into the home of Steelman, a Negro answering the same description was discovered in the home of Detective Webb, 618 Hobart avenue, in the same neighborhood. He had boldly entered the room of Mrs. Webb, who occupied the front room on the second floor, and made no effort to avoid making a noise. He was frightened away by the screams of her daughter, Frances.

MURDER TRIAL UNDER WAY

State Begins Argument in Case of Harry Lessner

Assistant District Attorney Kelly made his opening address to the jury today in the trial of Harry Lessner for murder before Judge Rogers in Quarter Sessions Court No. 1.

Lessner is nineteen years old and lives at 231 Tree street. Mr. Kelly outlined the crime, saying he expected to prove that Lessner and George Jacked, thirty-one years old, of 115 Sears street, a co-defendant, first tried to rob the jewelry store of Samuel Bugay, at 2027 South Seventh street, on June 28 last. Jacked has been granted a separate trial.

Lessner, according to the State, when frightened by the cries of Mrs. Bugay, tried to escape. In his efforts, after Jacked had been held by the crowd, he is charged with having fired his revolver, the bullet killing Isadore Rabinowitz, fifty years old, of 2118 South Eighth street.

ONLY U. S. PEER TO WED

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London, Dec. 8.—The engagement was announced yesterday of Lord Fairfax, the only British peer born an American, to Miss Maud McKelvie, of Sussex. His ancestors settled in Virginia. Handing over his English estates to his brother, Lord Fairfax, who is the son of an American doctor, came to England in 1908, when he claimed the title which had fallen in abeyance. He is now connected with an English banking firm, is unmarried and fifty-one years old.

Drop Gabriel and Kelly Appeals

The Superior Court has nolle prossed appeals taken by Joseph C. Gabriel and Mae C. Kelly, who were convicted on October 17 on two indictments, charging statutory offenses. The trial in the lower court was held before Judge McCullen, sitting in Quarter Sessions Court No. 2, and Gabriel was fined $500 and Miss Kelly $100. On their behalf appeals were taken to the high court, but were not prosecuted to hearing and accordingly the nolle pros was entered on both petitions.

Anatole France Off to Get Prize

Paris, Dec. 8.—(By A. P.)—Anatole France, winner of this year's Nobel Prize for literature, left Paris for Stockholm, where he will receive the prize in person.

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DEATHS

FELTUS.—December 8, CORA BEETLE, widow of Roswell G. Feltus. Due notice of funeral will be given.

HEAD.—December 7, WASHINGTON D. HEAD, husband of Mary E. Head, in various and friends, also Cheerful Lodge, No. 400, F. and A. M., Harrowgate Cemetery, A. M. Friends and Zembo Temple, A. A. O. N. M. of Harrisburg, and employes of Penna. R.R. are invited to funeral services on Friday, 2:30 P. M., at residence of his grandchildren, 801 W. Willis st. (the park). West Collingswood. Interment Haddonfield Cemetery. Friends may call Friday after 1 P. M.

WITSIKER.—December 7, 1921, HERMIA J., husband of the late Rena L. Witsiker. Relatives and friends invited to funeral services on Sunday, 2 P. M., from his late residence, 2210 N. Van Pelt st. Interment private. Germantown Cemetery.

TURNER.—December 6, LYDIA V., daughter of Hannah C. and the late Edwin P. Turner. Relatives and friends invited to funeral services on Saturday, 2 P. M., at the residence of her uncle, William M. Turner, 2007 N. 8th st. Interment private.

SAY SPIESE PUT O. K. ON GET-RICH TALKS

Misrepresentation by Stock Salesmen Laid to Promoter at Fraud Hearing

GLOWING PROMISES MADE

False representation made by salesmen of the National Guarantee Credit Corporation under instructions from Franklyn Spiese caused the stockholders to invest in the stock, according to witnesses who appeared against the officials of the concern and its subsidiaries today before Magistrate Dugan.

Spiese and five officials of the affiliated companies are charged with conspiracy to defraud. The corporation, which had headquarters in the Franklin Bank Building, went into the hands of receivers October 20.

A quantity of alluring literature of the credit corporation, promising big returns to investors, figured in the hearing. The small courtroom was packed with stockholders and former employes of the concerns dominated by Spiese.

In addition to Spiese, five other officials were arraigned. They are: William H. Hubbard, 28 East Mt. Pleasant avenue, president and director of the National Guarantee Credit Corporation; Charles G. Gartling, 159 Roosevelt Boulevard, secretary and treasurer of the same company; Charles S. Gabriel, 4651 Rising Sun lane, president and director of Worth & Co.; Frank A. Rowcroft, 2025 Conlyn street, executive assistant to Spiese, and Andrew M. Flanagan, Thirty-third and Huntingdon streets, treasurer National Music Stores, Inc., and a brother-in-law of Spiese.

The complainants are Frank J. Farrell, Ardmore, former sales manager of the credit corporation; Andrew Crawford, 2112 Green street, a stockholder, and E. H. Collins, 1526 Irving street.

Promoter Appears Ill

Spiese and several of his co-defendants were represented by Henry J. Scott, while William A. Grey was counsel for the stockholders.

Spiese appeared to be suffering from illness and was assisted to the court by James McCurdy, who wrote most of the company's literature.

He left his automobile a block away from the magistrate's court to avoid attracting attention. Spiese dodged in back of McCurdy when photographers appeared.

Collins, the first witness, testified he had bought stock valued at $280 from a salesman named L. J. Caldwell.

Try to Put Blame on Spiese"

Mr. Grey asked what representations were made by Caldwell and added, "We propose to show that false representations were made by Caldwell under the instructions from Spiese."

The witness said that Caldwell had told him that all the stock was paid up and there was no bonus stock. Caldwell, according to Collins, also said that the company was a banking institution, and Collins said he thought therefore it was "on the level."

Cross-examined by Mr. Scott, Collins said he had read considerable of the company's literature and this partially induced him to invest. Collins also testified that in November, 1920, he subscribed for $140 more of stock.

MAY FACE U. S. CHARGES

Steamship Agents Accused of Violating Immigration Laws

Charles L. Licherchuck and Herman L. Weiss, steamship agents at Franklin and Poplar streets, indicted some time ago on charges of conspiracy to cheat and defraud, also will be prosecuted under a Federal law forbidding the encouragement of illegal immigration.

It is charged they obtained nearly $40,000 from foreigners on the pretense of sending it abroad or bringing their families here from Europe. Upon failure to do either, it was charged, the firm refused to refund the money.

Licherchuck lives in Ninth street near Hunting Park avenue and Weiss lives in Seventh street near Poplar.

BOOST POLLUTION BILL

Chamber of Commerce Backs Measure to Keep Harbors Clean

Secretary Herbert Hoover's recommendation of the bill to prevent pollution of waters at important harbors was seconded today by the Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce.

As soon as public hearings are held on the bill representatives of the Harbor and Navigation Committee, of which Joseph T. Hasskarl, former Director of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, is chairman, will attend the meeting. This committee has been studying the subject from the standpoint of the danger to navigation at a fire hazard.

Congressman Dead

HENRY D. FLOOD

Virginia Representative who succumbed to heart disease in Washington today after an illness of several weeks

HENRY D. FLOOD DEAD

Congressman Who Introduced Resolution Declaring War With Germany

Washington, Dec. 8.—(By A. P.)—Representative Henry D. Flood, Democrat, of the Tenth Virginia district, died at his home here today. Heart disease was the cause of Mr. Flood's death. He had been ill for several weeks.

On convening at noon the House immediately adjourned out of respect to Mr. Flood after adopting resolution of regret over his death.

Henry Delaware Flood was serving his eleventh term in Congress. As chairman of the House Foreign Affairs Committee he introduced the resolutions declaring existence of a state of war between the United States and Germany and Austria-Hungary. His home was in Appomattox, Va., and he was fifty-six years old.

In April, 1914, Mr. Flood married Miss Anna Portner, in Washington, the wedding being a noteworthy social event, attended by the President, members of the Cabinet and the ambassadors and ministers of foreign countries.

DELAWARE TALL CEDARS SURPRISED BY WEDDING

Mysterious Number on Program Proves Real Marriage Ceremony

Milford, Del., Dec. 8.—As the Ladies' Night program of Evergreen Forest, No. 49, Tall Cedars of Lebanon, neared its close here last night, every one in the big audience was still wondering what surprise was held in the row of question marks that made deep mystery of the concluding number.

Gasps of surprise greeted the rising curtain as it revealed an elaborate wedding scene, with the bride a widely known society matron of Georgetown, and the bridegroom an equally well-known Tall Cedar, John S. Kaiser, who is superintendent of the motorcar division of the P. R. R. division from Harrington, Del., to Franklin City, Va.

Kaiser had often been "kidded" by his brother Tall Cedars as to when his marriage to Mrs. Amy Lynch was to take place, and he had chosen this method of letting them all know. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. James Colons, of Dover. Mr. Kaiser has several grown sons and daughters who are prominent in Wilmington, and Mrs. Lynch has a grown son and daughter. The bridegroom is fifty and the bride forty-five years old.

Boy Scout Lecture Tonight

A series of winter lectures given at Starr Garden Park, Seventh and Lombard streets, by the S. G. P., the veteran scout organization of Troop 05, will be opened tonight with a talk on "Insurance" by Samuel G. Friedman, chairman of the Scoutmasters' Round Table.

Boy Scouts Need $17,680

Reading, Pa., Dec. 8.—Boy Scouts of Berks County will require $17,680 to finance their 1922 operations here, the Country Scout Council announced yesterday.

HIGH SPOTS IN PHILADELPHIA ADVERTISING

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The Rev. H. H. Brayles Fears Noise Would Interfere With Church Services

GORDON MISQUOTES BIBLE

The Rev. H. Herbert Brayles, pastor of the Anderson Presbyterian Church at Stonehurst, testified today at Media during the hearing of the suit to prevent the P. R. T. from building its proposed amusement park at Sixty-third and Market streets, that the noise of the Sunday crowds that would be attracted to the park would interfere with his church services.

"I would not be able to hold the attention of my congregation because of the constant noise that would be plainly audible inside the church," he said.

He also expressed fear that "the undesirables who would be naturally attracted to the park" would develop a bad atmosphere in which his small daughter would have to be raised.

In cross-examining the witness former Judge Gordon, of counsel for the P. R. T., asked him if he recalled a quotation from the Bible which asked God's ministers to "go out into the highways and byways and bring them into my house."

Would Not "Admit Quotation"

Mr. Brayles said he "did not admit the quotation."

There was applause from the audience and laughter because of the misquotation by Judge Gordon.

Judge Gordon attempted to show that Mr. Brayles would have an excellent opportunity to spread God's word among the crowds who would come to the park.

The witness replied that he would be very glad to welcome the people in his church if they would come. But he feared they would not be attracted.

Mr. Brayles also expressed fear that the lights from towers that "would possible be erected in the park" would interfere with evening church services. Judge Gordon then attempted another biblical quotation.

Tries Another Quotation

He asked the witness if he recalled "place your light on the hill that it may be seen." The witness replied he thought the quotation irrelevant.

At the opening of court Judge Gordon made a motion asking the court to issue an order compelling all members of the Stonehurst Improvement Association and all other persons directly or indirectly interested in the suit to be made of record.

Just as Judge Johnson was about to overrule the motion, Judge Gordon withdrew it, saying he would offer it later.

John Callahan, one of yesterday's witnesses, admitted in his testimony that he had been asked to testify as a complainant by the Stonehurst Improvement Association, although he had contributed no money toward the financing of the suit.

E. J. CATTELL CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY; IS MUM ON AGE

City Statistician Heard Sumter Guns, but Is Bachelor With Hopes

E. J. Cattell is—well, this is his birthday. The City Statistician and Phi adelphia's greatest booster flatly refuses to tell his age. He admits having heard the guns fired upon Fort Sumter, but further back than that he declines to go.

"No, I won't tell my age," he said. "I'll be durned if I do. I'm a bachelor with hopes, I am. I won't tell. I realize the damage done by talking too much, as suggested by Deuteronomy, eleventh verse, fourth chapter, in which Jonah says to the whale, 'This thing wouldn't have happened if you had kept your mouth shut.'

"You know, there was a poem written about me by a Commercial Museum man once. It ran something like this:

Before I made the universe,
Or scattered the Milky Way,
Cattell was floating out in space,
And then his hair was gray.

"So let it go at that." Dr. Cattell was on the job early, as usual. He spoke last night before the American Wool and Worsted Association in New York. He also spoke this morning at the Hotel Adelphia, at a meeting of cut glass manufacturers. Then he took a train for Bridgeport, Conn., where tonight he speaks before the Connecticut Manufacturers' Association; bobbing up tomorrow at Lancaster, Pa., for a speech at noon. Tomorrow night he speaks at Haddonfield, N. J.

During the last year he has made 800 speeches in twenty-eight states and four Canadian provinces, traveling 40,000 miles to do it.

After the statistician had granted his interview and had turned to his letters again, a newspaper man turned up with a baffled look in his eye. "The old man had the chapter and verse of that Biblical quotation wrong," he said. "I checked up on him and could not find it."

TESTIFIES MRS. OBENCHAIN PREDICTED KENNEDY DEATH

"Will Soon Pass Out," Statement Attributed to Woman

Los Angeles, Dec. 8.—(By A. P.)—Interest in the trial of Arthur C. Burch, charged with the murder of J. Belton Kennedy, was increased today with publication of the testimony of Mrs. Mary A. Bailiff, Mrs. M. L. Wilson and E. W. Cummings, termed "surprise" witnesses. Their testimony, it was predicted by the prosecution, opened the way to possibly even more "surprising" evidence.

Mrs. Bailiff declared that shortly before Kennedy was slain she had met Mrs. Madalynne Obenchain, indicted with Burch, in a "beauty parlor," and was told by Mrs. Obenchain that "Belton will soon pass out." Mrs. Wilson, proprietor of the "beauty parlor," identified postcards she said Mrs. Obenchain had sent her. One of them bore a reference to Kennedy and the phrase, "This is his last chance."

Cummings, a realty operator, told of having seen in Beverly Glen the night Kennedy was killed a parked automobile with dimmed headlights. The State contends this was a car rented by Burch and that he lay in wait for Kennedy in it.

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