

SISTER OF BRYSON DOUBTS HIS SANITY

Says Mother Knew Accused Physician Had Common-Law Wife

TRIED TO DISSUADE HIM

Special Dispatch to Evening Public Ledger. Huntingdon, Pa., April 15.—My mother knew that my brother was living with a woman in Huntingdon County, and she did everything in her power to induce him to give her up and come back to Washington.

Mrs. Laura Randall, sister of Dr. Herbert Bryson, who is here on the charge of murdering his alleged common-law wife, made this frank declaration here today in the first interview she has granted newspaper men since she came here with the physician's aged mother.

Her brother could not have been in his right mind or he would never have fired the shot, if he did fire it, which killed that woman, she continued.

Mrs. Randall is a woman of refinement with the same dignity of manner and quiet purpose which has characterized her mother.

Dr. Charles R. Luce, of Washington, close friend of my brother, who was with him in France and who gave him medical attention for his shell-shocked condition after the war, but declared that Dr. Bryson has not been in a normal condition since he came home from the war.

Dr. Luce has communicated with my brother and has declared he will do everything humanly possible for him at the trial.

Was Noted for Self-Control. Scores of the doctor's friends in Washington, both in the army and in civil life, have sent him telegrams declaring their belief that he could not have killed that woman except in a moment of mental aberration.

My brother was always noted for his calm, even temper. His self-control was one of his chief characteristics.

Mrs. Randall told incidents of her brother's earlier life, and spoke of his letters to his mother during the time he was living in the remote village of Casselle at the supposed husband of the woman for whose murder he is held.

We knew at home that the doctor was not himself. He had been hurt that he worried night and day about his patients, and there were hints that he was troubled with recurrences of the shell-shock condition.

Some weeks ago one of his patients died in the hospital at Huntingdon. This affected him to a marked degree. He attended the patient's funeral, and it was there that he broke down completely.

Something happened to my right eye, he said in his letters later. Feeling seemed to leave my right arm and hand, and my face twitched and was without feeling for a time.

War Blighted His Career. I do not believe Dr. Bryson recovered from that attack. Something must have happened in his brain when he fired the shot which killed that woman, if he really fired that shot.

Mrs. Randall told of Dr. Bryson's earlier career, of his bright prospects in Washington, of his military decorations, and of how that career was sacrificed when war came.

She said he was a graduate of the George Washington University and of the practice several years in Washington before the war.

He was born in Philadelphia, she said, and he fought in the first of the four wars, as the authorities state.

The night the shooting took place was the anniversary of the death of Dr. Bryson's father, who was a shipbuilder and an expert in the use of dynamite.

Dr. Bryson, reduced to a haggard hulk by the shock of the shellfire of the Argonne and the terrific strain which he has been under the last few days, now appears to have gained his old color and with his mother, sister and war buddies rallying to his defense he appears to have taken new hope.

URGE DAIRY CONGRESS HERE

Plans for National Event Were Discussed by Business Men. Plans for inducing dairymen to bring the World's Dairy Congress and the National Dairy Show to be held in October to Philadelphia were discussed by a group of business men at a meeting at the Bellevue-Stratford today.

The meeting was under the auspices of the Interstate Dairy Council.

The World's Dairy Congress was provided for in the Federal Agricultural Act of March, 1921, which invited foreign Governments to send representatives and exhibits to the congress.

The congress lasts a week. This year it is expected that about 500,000 visitors will come.

FALLS 50 FEET INTO QUARRY

Ardsley Man Is Found Some Time Later, Seriously Injured. Paul Coppia, forty years old, North Glenside, fell over the edge of a quarry pit at Ardsley, late last night, and landed on a pile of dirt fifty feet below. He is in the Allegheny General Hospital with serious internal injuries and a crushed leg.

The quarry pit is only a few feet distant from a roadway at Ardsley Station, and it is believed Coppia became confused and stepped over the edge. He was found, unconscious, some time later by two workmen.

Seek Scholarships



MISS FRANCES HOWARD

Are applicants for the Summer School for Working Girls at Bryn Mawr. Miss Howard lives at 2055 East Allegheny avenue, and Miss Thorp at 5248 Rorer street. They are frequently mistaken for sisters.

MISS ETTA THORP

CONSIDER 32 WORKING GIRLS FOR COURSE AT BRYN MAWR

Thirteen on List From Philadelphia Eagerly Await Outcome. Thirteen Philadelphia working girls, all candidates for summer school scholarships at Bryn Mawr College, are awaiting anxiously to learn the names of the fortunate ones who will be chosen to represent this city.

Last night the local Summer School Committee of the college held a meeting at the home of Miss Fannie Cochran, 131 South Twenty-second street, to consider applicants. They gave favorable consideration to the names of thirty-two from Pennsylvania and Maryland, which are distributed to the entire quota for Pennsylvania and Maryland is from fifteen to eighteen, so there are bound to be some disappointed seekers for a college education.

Bryn Mawr will entertain 100 students, guests this year from among working girls from all parts of the country. The summer school was inaugurated last year with great success by Miss Thomas, president of Bryn Mawr.

The Philadelphia girls among the applicants are: Etta Thorp, 5248 Rorer street; Frances Howard, 2055 East Allegheny avenue; Frieda Springer, 2025 South Perry street; Elmina Wilkins, 2021 South Eighth street; Katherine Hill, 3050 Crosson street; Mary Cantor, 1000 North Linwood street; Stephanie Frankczak, 154 Roxborough avenue; Elizabeth Rudolph, 4065 North Lindenwood street; Bertha Kohns, 3018 West Clifford street; Sarah Prigout, 4222 Stiles street; Doran Wladensky, 2125 South Fairhill street; Marjorie Murray, 1618 Oakland street; Rose Dorfman, 4119 Pennycroft street.

Miss Thorp and Miss Howard have been friends for years. They bear a marked resemblance to each other, and are often mistaken for sisters. Five years ago they entered Y. W. C. A. work at the Kensington branch and developed unusual proficiency as swimmers.

DR. MATHESON AT DREXEL

New President Hopes to Develop Athletics at Institute. Dr. K. C. Matheson, new president of Drexel Institute, has arrived at the school and assumed full charge. He succeeds Dr. Hollis Godfrey, resigned. Although he has begun active work as head of the institute, he will not be inaugurated until next year.

Dr. Matheson is announced that he would desire special attention to the engineering school and hoped to make it one of the best in the country. He said also that he will develop athletics to a point heretofore unacquainted at the school.

Dr. Matheson was the head of Georgia Tech for fifteen years.

SIX HURT BY BOMB IN NEW YORK

New York, April 13.—Six persons were injured last night when a bomb exploded in a tenement house at 218 Eldridge street, on the East Side, demolishing the stairway between the third and fourth floors and tearing a large hole in a wall of one of the apartments.

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CROW IMPROVES AFTER RELAPSE

Senator Suffering From Pernicious Anemia—'Feels a Lot Better'

HAS BEEN ILL FOR MONTHS

By the Associated Press. Pittsburgh, April 13.—Senator William E. Crow, who has been ill from pernicious anemia for some time, rested well last night and "feels a lot better today," according to a report from Mercy Hospital last night.

Senator Crow's condition was considered critical yesterday by his physicians. He has been in the hospital four months.

The following official statement was issued by Mercy Hospital last night: "On account of so many inquiries and so many conflicting reports concerning the illness of United States Senator William E. Crow, we feel it our duty to state that from the beginning of his illness he has had severe anemia, the type of which we believe to be pernicious. This conclusion was reached after a thorough study of his case."

"During the first two months in the hospital Senator Crow's condition improved to a considerable extent, but he has not been able the last month to hold what he previously had gained."

Senator Crow's brother, left there yesterday for the last few days, has been more serious than at any time during his illness. He is, however, somewhat improved today.

It was reported yesterday members of Mr. Crow's family had been summoned to the bedside, and in Uniontown it was said Dr. A. E. Crow, the Senator's brother, left there yesterday morning to go to his brother on a hurried summons. He reached the hospital late yesterday afternoon.

Appointed to the United States Senate last October by Governor Sprout to succeed the late Senator Knox, Mr. Crow has appeared in the Senate only twice, the day he was sworn in and once after that. The rest of the time he has been under treatment in his home in Uniontown and in Mercy Hospital.

His youngest brother, George, who would not be a candidate for re-nomination for the full term in the Republican primaries, May 16.

BURNHAM IS RE-ELECTED

Again Chosen President of Civil Service Reform Association. The Civil Service Reform Association had its annual meeting yesterday in the City Club and re-elected George Burnham, Jr., president; Clarence L. Harper, chairman; Samuel H. Scott, treasurer, and Albert Smith Fought, secretary, for the ensuing year. Charles J. Rhoads presided.

A statement from William Dindorf Foulke, acting president of the National Civil Service Reform League, pointed out that "the recent removals in the Federal service show a general misapprehension by the public and by the higher officials of the Government themselves as to the unrestricted power of removal under the Federal Civil Service Law."

Seeks Maid and Missing Apparel

Efforts are being made today to find a Negro maid-servant who left the house of Mrs. L. Harrison, 2326 North Broad street, about the time 8:30 a. m. of dresses disappeared.

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The classified columns of the Public Ledger contain the name of the best bargain to be found in used cars on page 27-28.

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DANNY SAYS GOOD-BY

Mrs. William H. Page's Collic. Neighborhood Pet Is Dead

Children in the neighborhood of Twenty-third and Locust streets, are mourning the loss of a dear friend, Danny, the big, white, woolly collic, with whom they always used to romp after school, and who would come running to meet them ready to play, is dead and many childish tears were shed today.

Danny was the property of Mrs. William H. Page, 2314 Locust street, who raised him from a puppy. Not only did he win the heart of every child in the neighborhood, but at his home he was regarded as one of the family and Mrs. Page feels the loss keenly. Danny was fourteen years old.

2 FIRMS FOR HADDONFIELD

Radio Apparatus and Auto Signal Concerns to Start Operations. The organization of the Lee Radio Corporation, a concern with New York backing, was announced today in Haddonfield, N. J., where the new concern was taken over a floor of the building of the John E. Crow, who is a factory. The hundred men will be employed in the making of radio apparatus, Manittell Van Rensselaer, New York, is president of the company. John H. Lippincott, Jr., Mayor of Haddonfield, is president of the Vacuum Signal Company, another concern, with \$100,000 capital, which will start work June 1 on another floor of the same building. The company will manufacture automobile signals.

HELD FOR DOUBLE CRASH

Truck Driver Ran Into Auto and Was Only One Hurt. Michael Di Orto, 6023 Germantown avenue, blamed for a double auto collision last night, when a Buick near Philadelphia street, was held in \$500 bail and his hearing continued by Magistrate Lindell today. Di Orto was the only one hurt in the crash and he was treated at the Germantown Hospital for cuts and bruises.

Di Orto, driving a truck, was following the touring car driven by Frank Batcher, of Palmyra, N. J. He ran the truck into the rear of Batcher's machine with such force that the latter plunged into the automobile of H. C. Peck, of 110 Rosebud avenue, Glenside, coming in an opposite direction.

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AUTO HITS 2 BOYS, RIDERS ABANDON IT

Flee as Crowd Finds First Youthful Victim Lying in Bottom of Car

ONE MAY BE HURT FATALLY

After striking and probably fatally injuring a nine-year-old boy last night, four men in an automobile picked up the injured child and placed him in the car, but proceeded only a short distance until they struck another boy. Then the men took to their heels at Broad and Fairmount avenue and fled the car standing after a crowd gathered and grew threatening.

In the second accident William Gudowski, four years old, 93 Fairmount avenue, was injured. When witnesses picked up the injured lad and carried him to the abandoned machine with the idea of taking him to the hospital they were surprised to find the inert body of the first victim lying on the floor of the car.

The two boys were hurried to Roosevelt Hospital. Police learned that the first boy injured is Julius Adams, 1018 North Hope street, who had been struck at the intersection of Hope, Hancock and Widley streets a short time before.

Witnesses of the first accident believed the men intended taking the boy to a hospital, but police are puzzled by the fact that the machine was headed away from the only two hospitals in the section.

The Gudowski boy was released from the hospital after being treated for cuts and bruises. The Adams boy, however, was found to be seriously hurt, suffering from a probable fracture of the skull, a broken right arm and cuts and bruises.



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