

PRINCESS' FLEES FROM GIPSY BAND

Rosa Miguel, Kidnapped by a Tribe Here, Escapes in Sydney, N. S.

WILL RETURN TO NORFOLK

Rosa Miguel, born in Norfolk, Va., twenty-one years ago, and whose life since then has been as colorful as any story book princess, closed another chapter of her life, and perhaps the most interesting, yesterday, when she found sanctuary in the police station at Sydney, Nova Scotia, after spending two months as the prisoner of a roving band of gypsies who kidnapped her from this city.

Her father, Eli Miguel, wealthy Egyptian gipsy, has left for Sydney to claim the lost Rosa, who is waiting impatiently to be restored to her own people in Norfolk. During the war he was commissioned by the War Department to purchase horses in Oklahoma for the government.

A succession of kidnapping episodes, starting with the abduction of her own people and civilization.

Yesterday afternoon, according to a dispatch from Nova Scotia, a dark-eyed girl dressed in the fantastic garb of the nomadic gipsy rushed into the police station at Sydney and demanded protection from a band of gypsies camped on the outskirts of the city. She asserted she had been kidnapped two months earlier in Philadelphia and her captives had beaten and drugged her. She said her name was Rosa Miguel and her parents lived in Norfolk.

The girl told a weird story when she sank breathless into a chair in the station. She said when she was twelve years old she was kidnapped by a band of wandering gypsies, and she roamed with them for seven years over two continents and was forced to marry the son of their king.

She was rescued, she said, in 1920, after a night pitched battle on the outskirts of Norfolk. A fight between her captors and detectives employed by her father. The Sheriff who raided the caravan with private detectives, she said, met stiff resistance and her husband and father-in-law were arrested and placed in jail.

After that exciting episode she lived quietly for two years with her parents in Norfolk, Newport News and Philadelphia. Two months ago she was trapped again by the same band of gypsies from whom she had escaped. A blow was thrown over her head, she said, while she was on the street alone, and she was placed in an automobile and carried on a wild two-day race across Pennsylvania and up into Canada. From Montreal they went east to Sydney by train.

Whenever strangers came near the camp the girl said she was concealed in the wagon. Several times she escaped, but the gypsies always followed her and preferred charges of theft to cause her arrest. Invariably, she said, upon exacting a promise from her that she would return to them the gypsies would withdraw these charges and procure her release from the authorities.

LUTHERAN CONVENTION TO BE HELD IN READING

Ministerium in Session Here to Conclude Tonight

The next convention of the Lutheran Ministerium of Pennsylvania and adjacent States will be held at Reading, Pa., it was decided at the session today after invitations from four churches had been voted upon.

Sentiment of the convention seemed to favor St. Michael's Church in Zion, of this city, for the next convention, and the question was about to be voted on when Dr. E. P. Pfeiffer, of Reading, proposed that the convention be held in that city in conjunction with the municipal celebration.

Following the vote, Dr. H. A. Swisher, the president, announced that the convention would continue with the business of Wednesday, which probably will necessitate a special session tonight.

It was first supposed that the session would be extended until tomorrow. The convention was scheduled to close this afternoon.

Boy Hurt in Fall From Tree

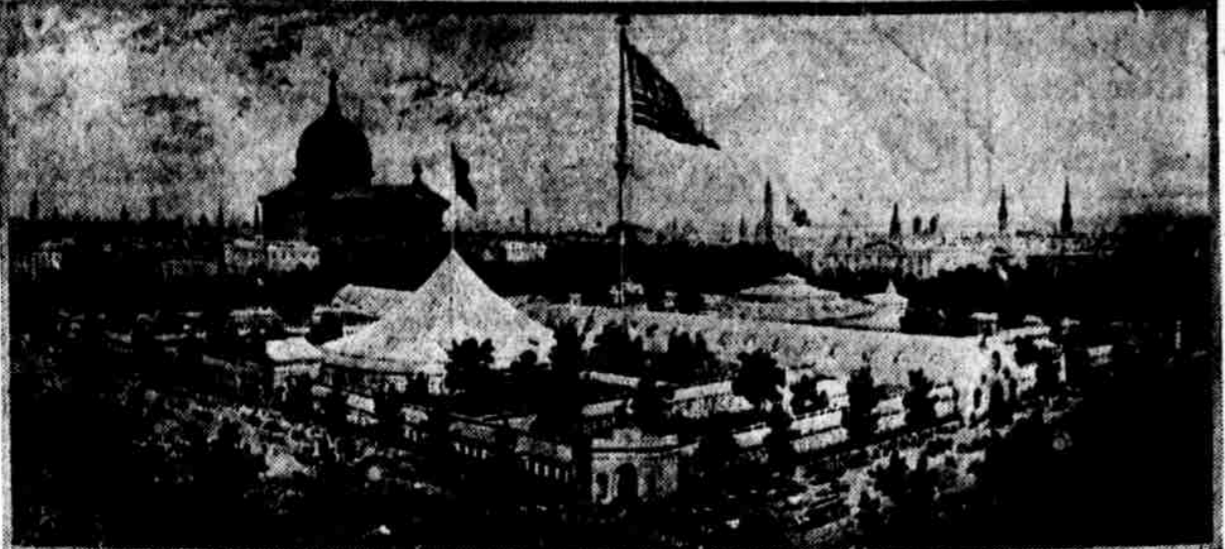
While climbing a tree in the back yard of his home, Jacob Rifer, ten years old, of 2913 North Napa street, lost his balance and fell to the pavement below. He was taken to the Northwest General Hospital, where he was found to be suffering from a compound fracture of the right arm and a broken right ankle.

Slashes Throat With Knife

After cutting his throat with a potato knife and taking poison, Joseph E. Wright, a Negro real estate dealer of 265 North Fifty-eighth street, died shortly after he had been removed to the West Philadelphia Homeopathic Hospital this morning.

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Here is the scene of the Great Central Sanitary Fair, which was held here in 1864

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Seldom or never is reference heard now to the Great Central Sanitary Fair of 1864, though it was, with the reelection of President Lincoln and the steady ascendancy of the Union forces in the field, among the important events of that year—at least so far as concerned Philadelphia. For one of its secondary accomplishments was the creation of an organization and a formula for the Centennial thirteen years later.

It was war-time, and the purpose of the fair was to raise money to build hospitals for wounded Union soldiers, homes for disabled Union soldiers and quinine for Union soldiers fighting in malarial areas. So far as the organizing committees were concerned, nobody's health was under particular solicitude except those of these special classes, and hygiene in general only so far as it concerned war and the now vaguely seen aftermath of war.

The etymology of "sanitary" was from the Sanitary Commission of the army, then filling functions analogous to those of the latter-day Red Cross. The work and the problems of the Sanitary Commission were at this time greatest.

The fair was held in Logan Square during the month of June. A structure that was part hall and part tent, covered the entire square (except a few spaces that were spared to save the trees), in a pattern never seen again, or very likely before. A semi-cylindrical corridor bisected the square and led from the side into the "court of flowers" at the center, where now is the fountain. Wreath shot out to

the right and left, wherever possible, without running into either of the arenas with tented tops. Turned entrance were at all the corners. Inside the halls and booths were hung with the national colors, the flags of all the faithful States and the names of the reigning heroes, "Lincoln," "Grant," "Sherman," "Meade" and "Hancock."

Every one—save only perhaps Cooperhead, who, though the election was not yet decided, were intently seen outdoors—deemed it his duty to go as often and buy as much as possible.

American Engineers Elct

The closing session of the American Engineers Supply Men's Association at Moose Hall this morning chose as president for the coming year J. Maurice Willitta, of Jersey City. Andrew P. Landerback, of Cincinnati; John W. Armour, of New York, and W. J. Bryce, of Philadelphia, were chosen, respectively, vice president, treasurer and secretary. Before relinquishing the chair Roy C. Downs, of Philadelphia, the retiring president, declared the convention had been the most successful in the history of the association.

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TAKE BULLET FROM BRAIN

Believe Man at Jefferson Hospital Will Recover

Living five days with a bullet in his brain, the result of an attempt at suicide, is the experience of Rudolph Maier, of Stone Harbor, N. J., who had the missile removed by surgeons at the Jefferson Hospital yesterday afternoon.

The operation, the second of its kind at Jefferson, was performed after physicians discovered that paralysis was rapidly developing. The victim in all probability will recover, but says he wants to die. He was found shot after a quarrel with his wife. It is said, his condition is improved today.

Reports Spruce St. Suite Looted

W. S. Walker, 1921 Spruce street, reported to the police this morning that his apartment had been robbed of clothing and other things to the value of \$700.

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