CHANDLER PAID HIM, CHARGE IS DROPPED

Why Jail Broker? It Would Do No Good, Customer Says

OTHERS FEEL SAME WAY

Two victims of the crash of Chandler Brothers & Co. explained today why they did not care to push criminal proceedings against Frederick T. Chandler, Jr., and Earl Mendenhall, members of the bankrupt brokerage firm.

The two creditors are Anton M. Torrello, 5432 Laurelwood avenue, a member of the Philadelphia Orchestra, and Gordon S. Carrigan, a stock broker, 6666 Lincoln drive, Germantown, who were two of the private prosecutors.

Mr. Torrello said that he could "see no use in having Chandler go to jail," and verified the statement of Assistant District Attorney Fox that his claim had been satisfied.

The significance of Mr. Torrello's attitude reflects the general apathy of all creditors of the firm in the failure to press for prosecution, lawyers say.

Chandler was arraigned last January 7, charged by Mr. Torrello with embezzlement and fraudulent conversion.

Mr. Torrello said settlement was made with him in May.

Mr. Carrigan swore out warrants for Chandler, Mendenhall and Clarence N. Williams, manager of the firm's Philadelphia office, on October 13 last. He alleged that he had lost $3555. Magistrate Toughill issued the warrants.

"Are you going to press those warrants?" Mr. Carrigan was asked last night.

"What's the good of trying to hurt anybody?" he answered. "I don't think any good would come of it. I don't believe any settlements will be made except in the mind of some ambitious reporter."

Mr. Carrigan was then informed that Mr. Fox said the claims of four persons had been paid and that one of those said he was satisfied.

"Well, of course, that's different," Mr. Carrigan replied. "I shall see my lawyer."

At least three other men swore out warrants for Chandler, Mendenhall and Williams during August and September last. All three warrants were issued by Magistrate Toughill and turned over to private detectives for service. So far as can be learned they never were served.

Oscar Loeb swore out warrants for all three, charging they had defrauded him of $525. Raymond M. Embigh swore out warrants for all three, charging false pretense and intent to defraud him of $2421.25. The third batch of warrants were sworn to by John S. Parke, making the same charges against all three, the sum involved in this case being $6250.

NEW IRISH CONSTITUTION SATISFACTORY TO BRITAIN

Objections Raised by Treaty Signatories Adjusted by Revisions

London, June 12.—(By A. P.)—The articles of the new Irish Constitution have been revised so satisfactorily, the Evening Star asserts today, that Arthur Griffith will return to Dublin with them tonight.

Winston Churchill, the Colonial Secretary, announced in the House of Commons this afternoon that it would be more convenient and in the general public interest if he deferred his statement on Ireland, which it had been expected he would deliver today, until Tuesday or possibly Thursday.

The whole six points raised by the British signatories to the Anglo-Irish Treaty in connection with the framing of the Constitution have been adjusted, the newspaper declares, and the problem of the immediate future is a settlement between Michael Collins and Eamon de Valera.

The adjustment, the newspaper adds, is believed to be largely due to the skill and dexterity of Lord Hewart, the Lord Chief Justice, who has been playing a prominent part in the negotiations.

Peking and Tokio Changes Suit U. S.

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by General Wu Pei Fu, borrowed money from Japan and took office apparently with the intention of still further putting China under obligation to her island neighbor. A victory for General Chang Tso Lin would have resulted in still further delivering China over to Japanese influence. The present Government of China stands for a China for the Chinese.

If probably hopes for financial aid from the United States and unless loans are forthcoming it probably will also fail, for China is in bad straits financially. The failure of the last rather pro-Japanese Government probably signified that Japan was unwilling to hazard the good will of the United States to the extent of increasing China's financial obligations to herself.

It is to be assumed that there will be co-operation between the government of Baron Kato and this government with regard to China, Kato having been the chief of the Japanese delegation here at the Washington Conference and having agreed with Mr. Hughes about the policy of the Powers with respect to China.

No U. S. Interferance

The statement of Minister Schurman is no doubt put forth to assure the Japanese Government that though things have taken on an American turn in China, it has not been due to interference by this Government, and that there will in future be no undue influence exercised by this Government at Peking.

The Administration here looks for the prompt acceptance of the Washington Conference treaties by Japan under Baron Kato. It has all along been perfectly confident that Japan would ratify those treaties. And the new premier takes an especial interest in them, as he helped in their negotiation.

Only the hesitation of France over the naval treaty and the doubt whether she will attach to it an important reservation appears to be delaying action by the other Powers.

Freight Conductor Dies of Heat

Harrisburg, Pa., June 12.—(By A. P.)—Thomas Rochford, sixty-three, Pennsylvania Railroad freight conductor, was overcome by heat in the railroad yards here yesterday and died. In the storm which followed a day of excessive heat, wind wrecked a grandstand at Elizabethville, carrying a portion of the roof 100 yards away across railroad tracks. The crew of a train died a few minutes later removed the debris before the train could proceed.

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LENINE'S CONDITION IMPROVES STEADILY

Premier Is Able to Walk in Garden and Dictate Letters

Moscow, June 12.—(By A. P.)—Premier Lenine's condition continues to show improvement, it is stated in official circles, and he is now able to walk in the garden and to dictate letters. Contrary rumors still prevail, but the pessimistic attitude of the communistic circles ten days ago, when the Premier was admittedly in a critical condition, has vanished since the specialists have pronounced his ailment curable.

The Petrograd Soviet in a letter addressed to M. Lenine asks him to follow the doctor's orders strictly and to spend some of his time in the fields and woods.

Meanwhile M. Rikoff and M. Tsurupoff continue to care for the technical duties of the Premier's office, while War Minister Trotzky and Leo Kameneff, president of the Moscow Soviet, are reported to be acting as an advisory directorate.

Only the absolute conviction that Lenine is forever out of action would lead to the appointment of any one to succeed him permanently, and it is now the feeling in official circles that, unless unexpected developments occur, the Premier will be back in the thick of the nation's affairs within a few months at the most.

EBERT VISITS BAVARIA

Heavy Details of Police Guard President Against Hostile Outbreak

Munich, Bavaria, June 12.—(By A. P.)—President Ebert, paying his first official visit to Bavaria since his election as head of the State, arrived here this morning. Although it had been feared that the Nationalists might make the visit the occasion of a hostile demonstration, the President's arrival was not marked by any disturbance. He was received at the station by Premier Lerchenfeld and other members of the Cabinet, and the municipal officials and conducted to his hotel. He afterward paid an official visit to the Bavarian Government and the Diet.

All precautions were taken to maintain order, heavy details of police patrolling the streets.

AQUATIC HUNT FOR THIEVES

N. Y. Detectives Have Thrilling All-Night Search

New York, June 12.—A thrilling all-night waterfront search for two bandits who held up a West Side poultry market, escaped with $1000, jumped into the North River when discovered on a pierhead counting the stolen money and were believed to have taken refuge in a sewer, was abandoned yesterday by scores of police.

The robbers leaped off the pier at low tide, and the sewer outlet being in the vicinity, detectives working on the theory that they had crawled into it, plunged in and joined in the aquatic hunt.

Deaths of a Day

MRS. ELIZABETH YARROW

Operation Following Illness Proves Fatal to Society Woman

Mrs. Elizabeth Yarrow, wife of George R. Yarrow, of 2022 Walnut street, died yesterday morning about 8:30 o'clock in the Presbyterian Hospital, after an operation following an illness of two weeks. She was the daughter of the late William and Mary Frances Kemble, of this city. Her father was prominent in traction fields.

Mrs. Yarrow was a member of the Colonial Dames, Daughters of the American Revolution, Century Club, and other organizations. She is survived by her husband and three sons, William, Harry and Walter Yarrow. The funeral will take place from the Yarrow home tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be in Laurel Hill Cemetery.

Mrs. Sarah R. Cordo

Mrs. Sarah R. Cordo, widow of the Rev. Charles E. Cordo, died Saturday at the home of her son-in-law, Frederick Geiger, at 6359 Woodbine avenue, Overbrook. She was seventy-seven years old and death was due to the infirmities of her age. Mr. Cordo was for twenty years pastor of the First Baptist Church in Manayunk, retiring ten years ago and making his home in Haddon Heights, N. J. He died a year ago. Mrs. Cordo is survived by two sons and two daughters. Services will be held tonight at 8 o'clock. Burial will be at New Brunswick, N. J.

Joseph P. Connelly

Joseph P. Connelly, twenty-nine years old, a veteran of the World War, who was gassed overseas, died today at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Connelly, 773 Wright avenue, Camden. Connelly had been a member of the 307th Field Artillery. He had been ill ever since returning from France, where he was gassed in the Argonne Forest, and had visited several hospitals for treatment. Arrangements for the funeral have not yet been made.

Morris G. Reichard

Funeral services will be conducted this afternoon for Morris G. Reichard, fifty-seven years old, who died Friday at his home, 24 South Thirty-fourth street, Camden. He was for many years an employe of the Public Service Railways Company. He formerly lived in Pottsville. He will be buried in Arlington Cemetery.

Robert Finley

Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon for Robert Finley, sixty-eight years old, who died Saturday at his home, 314 Point street, Camden. He was for many years janitor at the police headquarters in Camden. He will be buried in Harleigh Cemetery.

Mrs. Louise Bricker

After an illness of one year from heart disease, Mrs. Louise Bricker, wife of Dr. Charles E. Bricker, died at her home, 2739 Girard avenue, Saturday morning. She was fifty-eight years old. Funeral services will be held Wednesday, with interment in Laurel Hill Cemetery.

Mrs. Bricker was born in this city and was the daughter of Otto Cook, who was a prominent tailor here for many years. Dr. Bricker is the oldest police surgeon in the city, having held that position for the last thirty-seven years. Besides her husband, Mrs. Bricker is survived by one brother, Charles K. Cook, of Haddonfield, N. J.

Dixie Carroll

Pittsburgh, Pa., June 12.—(By A. P.)—Carroll Blaine Cook, well known among sportsmen of the country, especially anglers, as Dixie Carroll, a name under which he had written for newspapers and magazines for nearly ten years, died yesterday at his home in Chicago. Cook was born in Great Bend, Susquehanna County, Pa., on November 28, 1883.

Henry F. Keffer

Reading, Pa., June 12.—Henry F. Keffer, sixty-five years old, a Democratic leader for many years and formerly school controller here, died yesterday in his home at Germant.

M'CONNELL ENTERS NOT GUILTY PLEA

Forty-six Other Defendants in Rum Cases Plead Likewise

EX-DRY HEAD NOT IN COURT

Pleas of "not guilty" were entered today before Federal Judge Dickinson in the United States District Court by former Prohibition Director William C. McConnell and forty-six other defendants, charged with whisky frauds and conspiracy.

McConnell was not in court, pleading through his attorney. It was plea day and the room was thronged with lawyers and defendants in the 300 or more cases of offenses against the Federal statutes, all ready to make their pleas at the bar.

Council for McConnell asked the court to set aside pleas until he had an opportunity to argue the case. This Judge Dickinson refused. Plea must be made, he said, but leave to withdraw the plea on a later motion would be allowed, he said.

Assistant United States District Attorney Jones asked the court to set aside a time limit within which motions may be filed, so the entire case could be tried in September, but the court refused.

When the name of Jacob G. Sonaker, former enforcement officer for Philadelphia was called, his attorney, former United States District Attorney McAvoy, filed a demurrer, to the effect that even though guilty of the offense charged, his client had committed no crime. He offered to argue this at once, but Mr. Jones was not ready. It is charged that Sionaker, while he took no part in frauds, should have known such alleged frauds were going on about him.

A motion to quash was filed by Mr. McAvoy in the case of Robert McCarter, a bottler, at Sixteenth and Ritner streets. One of the defendants, Robert C. Goffried, was neither present nor represented by counsel when his name was called. If he does not appear before court closes, it was announced, a bench warrant will be issued for his arrest.

BRIDEGROOM MISSES LINER, BRIDE SAILS WITHOUT HIM

Daylight-Saving Time Delays Honeymoon of California Rancher

New York, June 12.—Mrs. Sherman Holt is on the broad Atlantic, aboard the liner George Washington, sailing to Europe for her honeymoon, while her husband is at his hotel here, anxiously awaiting the next liner's departure and keeping in touch with his bride as well as he can by radio. His predicament is all due to the vagaries of daylight saving.

Holt has an angora goat ranch at San Bernardino, Calif., and when Miss Evelyn Jackson, of Paterson, N. J., came to visit the ranch one day began a romance which culminated in their wedding at Paterson. After the ceremony Holt had to go to Philadelphia on business and arranged to meet his bride on the pier at Hoboken just before the vessel sailed. But the bridegroom got mixed up with daylight saving time and in his hurry got on the wrong ship, so the bride sailed away without him.

He will follow his bride when the President Adams sails on Wednesday.

FOUND DAZED IN AUTO FROM MASTOID STROKE

Atlantic City Realtor Blocks Traffic When Seized by Brain Attack

William Kline, a wealthy Atlantic City real estate dealer, was picked up here by the police on the street in his automobile yesterday afternoon, dazed from the effects of a mastoid abscess. He was taken to an Atlantic City hospital by his family for an operation.

Patrolman Haigh, of the Manayunk station, found Mr. Kline in his machine in the middle of Ridge avenue at Manatawna avenue, peering about in a bewildered manner, while a long line of cars honked behind him to get out of their way.

A telephone message to his home at 3021 Atlantic avenue brought his wife. Mrs. Kline told the police her husband had left his home yesterday morning for a short drive. He was suffering, she said, from mastoiditis, and believed the pressure on his brain had affected his mind. No charge was preferred against him by the police.

NEW HONOR FOR HOOVER

Belgium to Have Special Medal Struck for Him

Washington, June 12.—(By A. P.)—Herbert Hoover's wartime relief work in Belgium soon is to be further recognized by the award to him of a special medal by the Belgian Government.

This decision at Brussels was announced today in the following statement of the Belgian Embassy:

"The Belgian Ambassador has been advised that his Government has ordered a special medal struck at Brussels to be offered to Mr. Herbert Hoover in recognition of the invaluable service rendered to the Belgian civilian population during the war by the Commission for Relief in Belgium, of which Mr. Hoover was the organizer and chairman."

HELD FOR CORONER

Testimony Favors Motorman After Collision With Police Motorcycle

E. G. Walther, motorman of the trolley car which collided with the motorcycle of Edward R. Keck, a policeman, on Saturday morning at Twelfth and Diamond streets, causing his death, was held today by Magistrate Roberts in the Twentieth and Berks streets station to await the action of the Coroner.

Walther, the motorman, has been in a highly nervous condition since the accident. He says he will be unable ever again to run his car over the same route.

DEATHS

GRIM.—June 11, 1922, MARY, widow of Jesse L. Grim. Funeral services Tuesday, 2 P. M., at her late residence, Newtown Square, Pa. Interment private.

RICE.—June 11, MARGARET, wife of Geddie J. Rice. Relatives and friends invited to funeral Wednesday, 8:30 A. M., from her late residence, 1925 S. Ithan st. Solemn requiem mass at the Most Blessed Sacrament Church, 10 A. M. Interment New Cathedral Cemetery.

MONTANYE.—June 11, ESTHER B., widow of Harman Y. Montanye, aged 76. Relatives and friends invited to funeral Wednesday, 3 P. M., daylight saving, from her late residence, Johnsville, Pa. Interment private. Train for Johnsville leaves Reading Terminal 1:43 P. M.

GRIFFIN.—June 10, MARY A., wife of John Griffin. Relatives and friends, also Sacred Heart of St. Ann's Church, invited to funeral Thursday, 8:30 A. M., from her late residence, 2618 Cedar st. Solemn requiem mass at St. Ann's Church 10 A. M. Interment St. Ann's Cemetery.

ASHCRAFT.—Suddenly at Swedesboro, N. J., June 11, ADRIAN LOCKE ASHCRAFT, in his 18th year. Relatives and friends invited to funeral services at the residence of his parents, Carl B. and Constance L. Griffin, Swedesboro, N. J., Wednesday, June 14, 2 P. M. Interment Lake Park Cemetery.

THEY BROKE GROUND FOR CHURCH

Elisha C. Hussey, ninety, and Mrs. Catharine W. Parker, eighty-two. They turned the first sods for the new Oak Lane Baptist Church. Mr. Hussey helped break ground for the present church

OAK LANE CHURCH WILL COST $95,000

Impressive Ceremonies Mark Breaking of Ground—Dr. Gordon Officiates

HISTORY OF EDIFICE READ

Ground was broken for the new Oak Lane Baptist Church, Oak Lane avenue and Twelfth street, last night, with impressive ceremonies. Construction will be started immediately on the new building, which is to cost $95,000 and it is expected to be completed by November.

The two oldest members of the congregation were the first to turn the ground, Deacon E. C. Hussey and Mrs. Catherine Parker. They were followed by L. J. Schumacker, chairman of the Board of Deacons; John A. Wurst, president of the Board of Trustees; Henry Ross, Mrs. C. H. Jacobs, Mrs. Harry Tanpen and other prominent members of the parish.

Because of the rain the addresses were delivered in the old church building. The Rev. Dr. John Gordon, of Temple University, the retiring supply pastor, opened the services with prayer and Scripture reading. The history of the church was read by L. J. Schumacker. The incoming pastor, the Rev. Alonzo D. Winters, who will be formally installed Tuesday evening, June 27, delivered a sermon on "Charitableness, Co-operation and Consecration."

The old church, founded in 1832, has two daughter churches, the First Baptist Church of Germantown and the Jenkintown Baptist.

WALES SAILS FOR HOME

Prince Leaves Egypt on Last Lap of Journey

Port Said, June 12.—(By A. P.)—The British battle cruiser Renown, bearing the Prince of Wales, sailed from here today on the last lap of the Prince's eastern tour. Only short visits at Malta and Gibraltar will break the remainder of the voyage.

Previous to his departure from Cairo, the Prince received the Order of Mohammed Ali, the highest Egyptian honor, which was conferred by King Fuad.

McSPARRAN HERE TONIGHT

Democratic Candidate for Governor Will Formally Open Campaign

John A. McSparran, Democratic candidate for Governor, will be here tonight to open his campaign. He will address a great mass-meeting in Scottish Rite Hall. This meeting has been arranged by leading men and women members of the Democratic Party in this city. Mrs. Ellen Duane Davis, who is candidate for Congress from the Second District, will preside. Other candidates, including Robert E. Pattison, nominated for Lieutenant Governor, will speak also.

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DEPARTMENT STORE HEADS SEEK LOWER LIVING COSTS

"Efficiency in Retailing" Keynote of Atlantic City Meeting

Atlantic City, N. J., June 12.—The men who control the purse strings of America's department stores are seeking ways to reduce the cost of living—the cost of commodities—at the convention of the Controllers' Congress of the National Retail Dry Goods Association here today.

"Efficiency in retailing"—the lowering of prices by lowering the expense of selling and thus vending more goods, is the keynote of the convention. Representatives of more than 250 dry goods and department stores, including practically all of the larger establishments in Philadelphia are present.

The means by which the Controllers' Congress is attempting to lower prices is by systematizing the accounting of stores, so that store heads can instantly tell when expenses are going too high and how to take means to stop it.

In opening the convention today Carlos B. Clark, of Detroit, chairman of the congress, told how the controllers have co-operated with every banker in the country to standardize the accounting of every retail store, so that all may benefit by the system. Bankers are working with the congress, since they believe its system means that stores are better customers of banks and safer risks.

Every college and business school in the country, including the school of business administration at Harvard and that of New York University, has been shown the standardization system and the two institutions named are sending delegates to the convention to work with the controllers. Numerous accounting firms also have representatives here.

UNION HEAD DENIES PLAN TO MOVE OFFICES TO CANADA

No Such Step Contemplated, Says Jewell—Speed Up Strike Ballot

Cincinnati, June 12.—(By A. P.)—B. M. Jewell, head of the railway employes' department of the American Federation of Labor, denied emphatically today that the railway shop crafts unions have under consideration a plan to move their headquarters from Chicago to Canada to escape any suits brought against them under the Coronado decision recently handed down by the United States Supreme Court.

"We have no such move under consideration and I have heard no talk among our leaders of doing such a thing," Mr. Jewell said. "We are not running away from any fight. We are not seeking a fight, but if forced into one will battle to the last ditch."

Strike ballots to the 400,000 railway shopmen, sent out from Chicago, were accompanied by the following letter:

"Every possible effort should be made to obtain the vote of every employe eligible. This ballot will be tabulated as soon as possible and there must be no stoppage of work until you are properly authorized to do so.

"This is the time for action and not talk or unnecessary delay. The railway employes department desired that every ballot shall be in Chicago at the earliest possible moment and in no case later than June 30."

DENIES HOMICIDE CHARGE

Letter Carrier Is Arrested in Connection With Drowning of Woman

New York, June 12.—(By A. P.)—Albert Lowis, a letter carrier, was arrested today on suspicion of homicide in connection with the death of Bridget Sullivan, forty years old, who, it is alleged, was drowned after being thrown from a dock in the Bronx. He denied the charge.

He told the police he had seen the woman struggling in the water and shouted vainly for help.

TODAY'S MARRIAGE LICENSES

William J. Nichols, 1613 N. 56th st., and Jean H. Lentz, 8 Wynnewood Court.
Walter J. McComb, 1134 Glenwood ave., and Teresa R. Lehman, 425 N. 32d st.
William A. Ulrich, 2148 Wishart st., and Theresa A. Sager, 3229 Borer st.
Alonzo C. Shaw, 2430 Bolton st., and Nellie L. Rodgers, Coatesville, Pa.
Samuel D. Strain, 939 E. Tioga st., and Margaret Gillespie, 122 W. Allegheny av.
Anthony J. Werner, 2823 Reynolds st., and Margaret E. Hipp, 4532 N. 16th st.
Martin B. McCann, 2402 W. Oakdale st., and Mary E. Greene, 2226 Diamond st.
Florence R. Allison, 924 S. 17th st., and Julia Scott, 138 N. Redfield st.
Irving Aanis, New York City, and Miriam Cohen, 332 Reed st.
William J. Fickenscher, 229 E. Cambria st., and Laura Kirkpatrick, 229 E. Cambria st.
George Holzgrove, 2150 N. 5th st., and Elizabeth Labeka, 1348 N. Hope st.
George H. Cox, 4724 Griscomb st., and Frances M. Schadler, 2359 Susquehanna ave.
Edward A. McManus, 51 Snyder ave., and Regina M. Byrne, 54 Dudley st.
Joseph A. Connell, 7213 Paschall ave., and Anna Saunders, 2143 S. 67th st.
Donald Y. Kester, 2109 N. Park ave., and Louise C. Otto, 2142 N. Darien st.
Edward Mery, 3101 Springfield ave., and Bertha M. Jones, 3101 Springfield ave.
Charles F. Price, 225 Ashdale st., and Helen A. Boulin, 617 Centre st.
George K. McIlwain, 2117 Pine st., and Viola B. Homer, 254 S. 21st st.
John G. Bourne, 2748 N. 2d st., and Jane R. Haering, 2658 E. Orleans st.
Jacob Pope, 1237 Rodman st., and Ruth Heard, 720 Wallace st.
Daniel R. Kinsley, 5641 Tinicum ave., and Lillian E. Exley, 5641 Tinicum ave.
William F. Ferber, 4202 N. Reese st., and Helen J. Schinnerer, 5437 N. American st.
George A. Harkis, 724 Shadrock st., and Patsey E. Ross, 113 W. Hortter st.
Milton H. Troppe, 544 N. 11th st., and Marguerite Silhardt, East Greenville, Pa.
William J. Dunn, 1242 S. 21st st., and Kathryn V. Deeney, 1234 S. 21st st.
John W. Waltz, 3522 N. 9th st., and Anna M. Herbert, 219 Eleanor st.
Frank Flanigan, 1325 Mt. Vernon st., and Eleanor Egan, 865 N. 23d st.
Jacob Vernekoff, 557 N. 2d st., and Bertha Spector, 605 N. 3d st.
Wyatt J. Benton, Phila. Navy Yard, and Marjorie O. Newiger, Brooklyn, N. Y.

3 SEEK POST OF CHIEF OF PROHIBITION FIELD FORCE

Two Officers of State Constabulary Among Candidates

Washington, June 12.—Several candidates have appeared on the horizon for appointment as chief of the prohibition field force in Pennsylvania. Among them are:

Major William E. Mair, of Harrisburg, deputy superintendent Pennsylvania State Constabulary.

Captain William G. Price, Jr., in charge of the bureau of investigation of the Pennsylvania State Constabulary.

John N. English, of Pittsburgh, formerly prohibition agent attached to the Pittsburgh office and one of the "dry" crusaders in Western Pennsylvania.

It is understood all three will be considered by Senator Pepper in making a recommendation to Prohibition Commissioner Haynes. Major Mair and Captain Price are said to have been proposed by interests closely identified with the Republican State organization, and probably could get the indorsement of Chairman Baker. The appointment of one or the other has been urged on the ground that the selection of a constabulary officer to head the prohibition force would result in more effective co-operation between the two organizations in the suppression of bootlegging.

John N. English is understood to have the backing of Anti-Saloon League elements for the prohibition post.

John Exnicios, of Pittsburgh, chief of general prohibition agents for Pennsylvania, has also been serving as acting chief of field agents under Prohibition Director Davis. He has asked to be relieved of the latter assignment.

PROF. SUGGESTS BRYAN MAKE STUDY OF EVOLUTION

Course in Summer School Advised by Protagonist of Theory

Morgantown, W. Va., June 12.—(By A. P.)—Dr. R. C. Spangler, professor of botany at the West Virginia University, today sent a letter to William Jennings Bryan suggesting that both of them go to the University of Chicago summer school and take a course in evolution and modern Christianity.

The letter is one of an exchange between the professor and Mr. Bryan growing out of his offer of $100 to the man who could harmonize evolution and the Bible. Prof. Spangler claimed the $100, and Mr. Bryan awarded it "under protest," asking a series of new questions.

In his letter today Prof. Spangler said: "You should take the trouble to inform yourself on some of the common facts that prove evolution to be the truth, as well as to learn how to interpret according to modern views of Christianity and the natural laws of the universe."

DEMOCRATS FIGHT FOR CHAIRMANSHIP

Bonniwell and McCullough Go to Mat Today at Committee Reorganization

BOTH CLAIM VICTORY

By a Staff Correspondent

Harrisburg, Pa., June 12. — The Democratic State Committee will enact over again today the role enacted Saturday by the Republican State Committee in Philadelphia.

The question which faces the Democratic Committeemen and women arriving here for the reorganization of the State body this afternoon is whether the gubernatorial nominee or the practical politicians shall name the State chairman and control the party machinery.

John A. McSparran, the nominee, has put forward his personal friend, Austin E. McCullough, for State chairman, and Judge Eugene C. Bonniwell, of Philadelphia, Democracy's most picturesque and fighting figure, has put himself forward. Both sides are claiming victory by margin of ten to twenty.

Chairman Bruce F. Sterling said he expected every place to be filled when the committee met and expressed the opinion that McSparran's choice would win.

McSparran put forth a manifesto last night, declaring that he was backing McCullough to get away from factionalism and bring about harmony.

But the effect of his declaration was to do just what he claimed he was trying to get away from.

From the best information that can be obtained the situation is this:

Bonniwell got on the job early and made a thorough canvass of all the members of the State Committee and claims to have the pledges of a majority of the 115 members.

The State Organization people, or what is left of the old Palmer-McCormick leadership, made no canvass, but is relying on the oratory of McSparran, which was good enough to win the indorsement of the famous harmony slate committee, to sway the meeting.

McSparran got away with his oratorical stunt before the State Committee because the women were in the majority, but if the Democratic statisticians are to be believed there will be only fifteen women entitled to vote today.

McSparran is in much the same fix as Pinchot was in his fight, only worse. Judge Samuel Z. Shull, candidate for United States Senator, and Robert Pattison, candidate for Lieutenant Governor, are openly fighting for the nomination of Bonniwell.

Four years ago, when Bonniwell broke the slate and won the gubernatorial nomination, he demanded the election of his campaign manager for State chairman. The leaders refused to accede and elected their own chairman. Bonniwell refused to go near the meeting, and the committee then indorsed all of its party ticket except Bonniwell, while Attorney General Palmer and a few other potent leaders denounced Bonniwell on the floor of the meeting.

One thing helps Bonniwell. No one in Democratic politics ever heard of McCullough before last week. He is a Lancaster newspaper man and has never even figured extensively in the Democratic affairs of his home county.

But Lancaster normally has such a small number of Democrats that he may not have figured it worth while bothering about it.

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Plainfield, N. J., Lad Victim of Lightning at Greenwich

Phillipsburg, N. J., June 12.—Arlington Staats, seventeen years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Staats, of Plainfield, was instantly killed during a heavy electrical storm at Greenwich near here, last night, when he was struck by lightning.

With a party of friends, he was out on a farm when the storm started, and was returning to the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Porter, where he was a guest, when he was struck as he stepped on the porch.

On the farm of Howard Wolfe, nearby, four cows were killed, and another was killed on the Gramana Dairy Farm.

RICKENBACKER QUITS

Trans-Country Trip Halted When Plane Crashes in Omaha

Omaha, June 12.—Eddie Rickenbacker's around-the-country flight ended abruptly early yesterday when his large all-metal plane crashed while attempting to take off from the air-mail field here for Denver.

None of the Rickenbacker party was injured.

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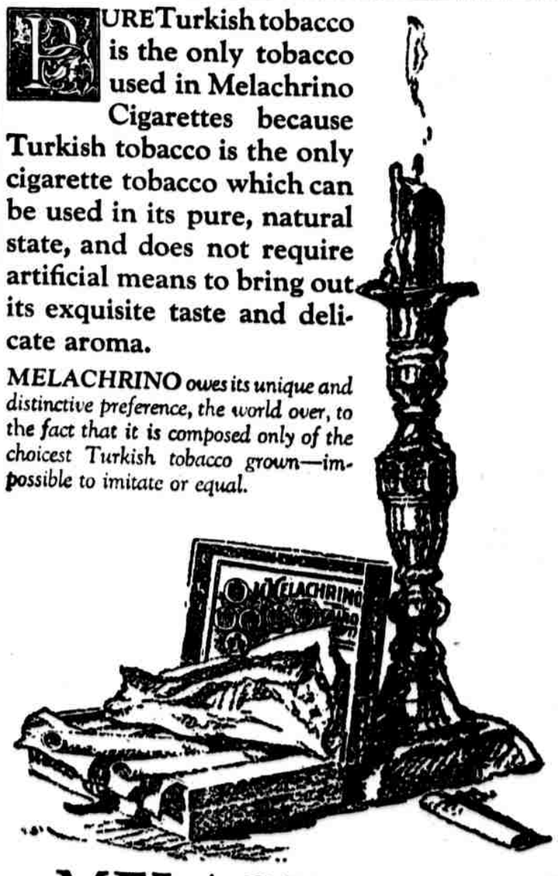

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