

DIFFER ON BLAME FOR BARTRAM HOME

Baxter Lays Dilapidation and Tardiness of Architect, Who Holds City Responsible

PLANS READY, NO MONEY

Chief Baxter, Bureau of City Property, today blamed the continued dilapidated condition of Bartram's Gardens and the Bartram mansion on Horace Wells Sellers, architect appointed by the city to draw up plans and specifications for the restoration of the grounds.

Chief Baxter denied that antique furniture had been taken from the house. He admitted, however, that many old pieces had been moved and placed in a single room, away from the eyes of interested visitors.

In regard to statements that the massive trees planted by John Bartram along the river front had been ruined by oil and smudge, Chief Baxter said that efforts had been made to remedy that condition.

Councilman Tom Tagon introduced an ordinance calling for the erection of a protecting wall some time ago.

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PLANE AND FLIERS FOR LONG TRIP



FLIERS ARE READY FOR 'HOP' TO BRAZIL

Lieutenant Hinton, of NC-4, Leaves Will Leave Here Today on Flight to New York



Above is big airplane which leaves Esington today for New York preparatory to start of flight to Rio de Janeiro. Below are Dr. E. P. Martini (left) and former Lieutenant Hinton, who will make the flight.

Five men in an 800 horsepower sea plane expect to "hop off" from the hangars at Esington this afternoon for New York City, whence they will start the first leg of their 8305-mile journey to Brazil.

The giant plane will be piloted by Walter Hinton, former lieutenant of the United States Navy and pilot of the NC-4, the first aircraft to make a transatlantic flight.

Six months ago Hinton and Dr. E. P. Martini, a Brazilian sportsman and graduate of the engineering and electrical schools of the University of Pennsylvania, conceived the idea of a flight to South America.

With the aid of Senator Sampaio Corrêa of Brazil and president of the Aero Club of Brazil, they purchased an H-10 sea plane from the Philadelphia Navy Yard. The planes of the Government \$32,000 each and are now being sold for \$7,000.

The plane, which has a seating capacity of seven persons, is forty feet long, eighteen feet high and has a wing spread of ninety-six feet. The motors consume about twenty-five gallons of gasoline every flying hour.

The flying party consisting of Hinton, Dr. Martini, Chief Mechanic John Witherspoon, a moving picture man and a historian, to record the trip will fly down the Delaware river to the mouth of the river and from there up the coast to New York, where they will board the Hudson river off the Columbia Yacht Club wharf at the foot of North Street.

H-10 will remain in New York until Saturday when she will make the first "hop" of the long flight.

"I think we can cover the entire distance in about five flying hours," Lieutenant Hinton said as he climbed into the cockpit for a trial spin down the Delaware.

"We do not expect to encounter the dense fogs on our trip south which we did near the Azores on the transatlantic flight," he continued.

"Another peril, which we hope to avoid, is the hurricanes off the West Indies."

"We fly at an altitude of two or three thousand feet, and in this way we hope to be able to get out of the way of anything that looks like a hurricane or other bad coming."

Hinton plans to fly more than 1000 miles on the Amazon River before making the final "hop" to Rio de Janeiro, the route, with stopovers, is as follows:

New York to Charleston, S. C., 600 nautical miles; to Nassau, B. S. P., 400 miles; to Port-au-Prince, Haiti, 420 miles; to Fort de France, Martinique, 390 miles; to Trinidad, 390 miles; to Georgetown, British Guiana, 280 miles; to Paramaribo, Dutch Guiana, 280 miles; to Manaus, 750 miles; to Para, 420 miles; to Natal, 300 miles; to Paraty, B. S. P., 300 miles; to Rio de Janeiro, 750 miles.

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BASEBALL HALTED, TOWN UP IN ARMS

3000 in Angry Crowd Surround Justice, Deputies and Clergymen at Audubon

MAYOR AVERTS CRISIS

Through the intervention of Mayor Bennett, of Audubon, trouble was narrowly averted at Audubon yesterday when Horace Brown, justice of the peace, accompanied by several deputies, attempted to break up a Sunday baseball game and arrest players.

Mayor Bennett, by a timely speech, prevented a serious disturbance, and what might have been a free-for-all fight was confined to the firehouse in which ministers, ball players and spectators, including the Mayor and other officials, participated.

The game between the local representative of the athletic association and the Roxborough club was scheduled as a test game to determine the sentiment of the town toward Sunday ball.

For the last three weeks the ministers and church folk have been at loggerheads with the athletic association over the question, and when the Board of Commissioners of the town failed to take action at a meeting last Tuesday it was decided to play a game and await developments.

The developments came hot and heavy as the visitors came to bat in the sixth inning with the score 5 to 1 in their favor. Armed with warrants, the special deputies and ministers' delegation, including the Mayor, the justice of the peace, the pastor of the Presbyterian church, and the Rev. George Yord, of the Methodist Episcopal church, marched on the field.

Singing and shouting, the chief of police, Mr. Brown called on him to serve the warrants.

But the chief of police's sympathies apparently were with the players and he refused. The umpire, who was paid for that contingency and aided by his deputies and the ministers, started to arrest the players. Thereupon a roar went up from the stands, where more than 3000 persons were watching the game.

An angry mob quickly surrounded the justice and his aides and a riot seemed inevitable.

It was then that Mayor Bennett, pushing his way to the front, prevented the fans from rushing the ministers off the field.

He led the way off the field. The spectators followed, the warrants were served, the officials of the athletic association lined up the players and the parade to the firehouse began.

It was headed by the ministers' delegation. Then came the players in uniform, the two umpires and managers of the Roxborough club, 1000 persons and seventy-five automobiles. Each of the players was fined \$1 and costs.

Camden Hoop Corrupts Gloucester, Chief Says

Prohibition Begins at Home, Chants Police Head in Starting Clean-Up

Camden hoop, sold at \$3 a gallon, and fifty cents a quart, is responsible for the epidemic of drunkenness recently rampant in Gloucester, according to the chief of police, Van Meter.

The chief admits there is a quantity of home brewed being made in Gloucester, but it isn't half so potent or exciting as the brand Gloucester citizens find in Camden at less than pre-prohibition prices.

Chief Van Meter bases his statement on an investigation which followed the arrest of two men who early yesterday attempted to wreck the town jail ten minutes after they had been lodged for the night. It became necessary for the Mayor of Gloucester to leave his home, as the jail was being broken into.

Both Women in Serious Condition at Fountain Springs Hospital

Mahony City, Pa., Aug. 7.—(By A. P.)—Mrs. Margaret H. Brouse, 67, is believed to be dying and her mother, Mrs. Robert Curry, fifty-two years old, is in serious condition at the hospital at Fountain Springs, Pa., where they are being treated.

Miner Shoots Wife and Mother-in-Law in Quarrel

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Beer Seized in Jersey

Dry Agents Descend on Billingsport, Arrest Four Persons

Two Negroes Injured When Machine and Trolley Car Collide

Found Dead in Bed

Wife Seeks Husband

Armed Men Hurt in Auto

Girl Swallows Poison

Take Check From Safe

Physician Dies

DR. FREDERICK C. CHIRINOS

Physician, Ex-Consul and Philanthropist Dies in His 46th Year

Funeral Services will be held Thursday morning for Dr. Frederick C. Chirinos, honorary ex-consul of Venezuela and philanthropist, whose funeral will be next Thursday at his home, 3026 East Allegheny avenue.

Dr. Chirinos was born in Spain, the son of a former Spanish minister to the United States at Eastern Point, twenty-three years ago. He began the practice of medicine after his graduation from Jefferson Medical College. He was well known for his charity work and was a member of the Spanish church near Seventeenth and Green streets.

He was forty-five years old and is survived by his wife, Catherine. Following services at his home at 9 o'clock Thursday morning, there will be a requiem mass at the Church of St. Adolph at 10 o'clock. Burial will be in Holy Redeemer Cemetery.

William G. Price

Head of Leather Firm Dies of Pneumonia Contracted While Golfing

William G. Price, senior member of the firm of William G. Price & Sons, leather manufacturers, and prominent business man, died this morning at his home, 574 North Eighteenth street, from pneumonia which he contracted recently while playing in a golf tournament at Worwarrville, Pa.

Mr. Price, who was a member of the Manufacturers' Club and a resident of the city, is survived by his wife, two sons and one daughter, Mrs. W. R. Willhite, of Norwood.

Charles Chipman

Charles Chipman, founder of the Chipman Hosiery Mills, formerly of the city, died this morning at his home, 574 North Eighteenth street, from pneumonia which he contracted recently while playing in a golf tournament at Worwarrville, Pa.

Matthew Leech

The funeral of Matthew Leech, former Roxborough will occur on Sunday at his home, 357 Jameson avenue, Roxborough, will be held on Wednesday, at 2 o'clock, from his home.

Mrs. Margaret W. Barber

Mrs. Margaret W. Barber, seventy years old, died at her home at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frederick A. Godehard, wife of the deputy secretary of the Commonwealth, at her home, 1507 West Chester street, on Sunday afternoon.

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Edwin Lee Wrothe

New York, Aug. 7.—Edwin Lee Wrothe, 37, died at his home in Philadelphia, where he was playing in Philadelphia, he fell and suffered serious injury, but after a brief illness was able to resume his stage work.

Found Dead in Bed

Dr. Lawrence Howard Victim of Heart Disease at Norristown

Norristown, Pa., Aug. 7.—Dr. Lawrence Howard, sixty-two years old, was found dead in bed at the York Apartments on West Marshall street, here today. The registrar, who investigated the death, authorized Dr. H. Knapp to issue a certificate of acute heart disease.

Wife Seeks Husband

Father of Two Children Missing Since July 7

Not hearing from her husband, who left this city on July 7, ostensibly to find employment in Baltimore, Mrs. Charles Nelson, 1507 West Montgomery avenue, has asked the aid of police to locate the missing man.

August Grand Jury

German Ships to Avoid France

Girl Swallows Poison

Collapses on Steps of House and is Rushed to Hospital

Take Check From Safe

Thieves Leave Money, but Select Single Voucher

CATHOLIC 'DRYS' ARE MEETING HERE

Reception Today Marks Opening of Convention of Total Abstinence Union

SESSIONS TO LAST A WEEK

Delegates from all parts of this country and Canada are here today for the fifty-first national convention of the Catholic Total Abstinence Union of America.

The occasion also marks the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the local chapter of the society, with a special jubilee program arranged as a part of the week's activities.

One of the most interesting questions to be brought before the convention is a discussion of the stand of the union concerning the prohibition enforcement laws.

In the past members of the union have taken the stand that their society was not formed on the same principles as the prohibition laws and have endeavored to bring about a change in favoring the aims of such organizations as the Women's Christian Temperance Union and the Anti-Saloon League.

In this connection it is also interesting to note that repeated requests from clergymen and others interested in the prohibition movement to speak before the coming convention on that subject were refused by the committee in charge, the intimation given in such refusals being that although the union is strictly an American organization it was not formed on the principles involved in the Volstead Act.

The Catholic Total Abstinence Union, according to Joseph C. Gibbs, of this city, one of the leading laymen of the society, is a church organization and is entirely spiritual in its motives.

"It is not fanatical in its spirit and regards any promise in the matter of abstinence as a matter of conscience rather than an intention whatsoever of enforcing any legislation to prohibit the use or sale of liquor," he said.

"We believe that total abstinence is a good thing, but we have never helped in any way the movement for the prohibition of the use of liquors, and regard the latter as a political movement with which we have nothing in common."

The convention will open at 9 o'clock tonight with a reception at the Bellevue-Stratford, which hotel will be headquarters for the week's activities. Tomorrow morning there will be a high mass at the Cathedral, followed by the opening of the first business session at the Cathedral School, Eighteenth and Wood streets. The remainder of the week's program will include religious exercises, business meetings and social affairs.

A number of the delegates are staying with the Rev. Francis J. Kane, of St. Paul's Catholic Church, Ninth and Christian streets.

Man Blown Up in Auto; Vengeance Theory Held

Dynamite Believed to Have Been Connected With Starting Wires

Sullivan, Ind., Aug. 7.—John Evers, 35, died yesterday when a Ford automobile was blown up in the town of Sullivan, Ind. The explosion occurred as the driver was starting the car.

Chicago Cars Running Men Again at Work After Six-Day Strike

Chicago, Aug. 7.—(By A. P.)—Chicago workers today found normal transportation restored after a six-day strike on surfaces and elevated lines.

Boy Hurt in Fall From Tree

ONE ROW AFTER ANOTHER IN MERRY TAXI WAR

Taxicab Company Now Threatens Arrest of Officials, Who Don't Care

SENDS FOR AID; ENDS LIFE

Aged Man Commits Suicide as Wife Goes for Doctor

Neighbor Admits Ugliness

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Advertisement for Heinz Beans, featuring the slogan 'The real "Community Kitchen"' and 'A great deal of women's kitchen work is now done in the spotless Heinz kitchens. Bean baking for instance—in real dry heat ovens, the good old way.'

ROBS 4 HOMES, BREAKS JAIL, ARRESTED TWICE IN DAY

Lancaster Police Have Busy Sabbath With Daring Young Man

Lancaster, Pa., Aug. 7.—Breaking four padlocks and escaping from a police headquarters after committing three robberies near here yesterday, Harry Clark, also known as Harry Greco, twenty-two years old, was captured again at midnight last night.

Clark, now facing two charges of burglary and two of felonious entry, used the church period yesterday to enter two homes on Lincoln Highway, just west of this city. He was arrested when he alighted from an automobile on the description of a man who had seen him come from one of the homes.

At 4 o'clock he had forced his door and the basement door of the store on the corner of Lincoln and 10th streets, through the city, stopping at the home of Harry Bowers, where he stole an automobile, \$40 in money, two cell phones, a bank and a wrist watch.

Clark, who is being held at the Lancaster Jail, had a record for a burglary in Lincoln Highway. A network was spread about the county by phone on Sunday morning, started out on all roads.

Pennsylvania Railroad officer appealed him from description as he was about to cross the toll bridge over the Susquehanna River at Columbia.

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