SUSPECT SMILES AT RECORD BAIL

"Any More?" Says Youth Held by "Judge" Under $26,000 on Variety of Charges

THEN HE GOES TO CELL

Harold Davis, 1936 South College avenue, a snappily dressed young man, never winced this morning when Magistrate Coward in Central Station held him under bail totaling $26,000 on charges ranging from automobile stealing to assault and battery.

Davis' bail is the highest amount ever demanded in Central Station. When held Davis laughed, and said, "How much more?"

For many weeks detectives have been after Davis, but he always left a few minutes before they arrived. Yesterday they learned that he was at Broad and Columbia avenue, drinking soda in a corner drug store.

As they arrived in a car Davis saw them and ran for his machine, but the detectives covered him with guns.

At the hearing this morning the first charge against him was preferred by the Allentown police. February 11 a policeman was shot while chasing him. On this charge he was held under $5000 bail for his appearance in Allentown. He was also held under $3000 for the larceny of the car he was riding in. This was owned by Frank Braslin, of 1708 Vine street, and had been stolen from Broad street and Fairmount avenue, on February 8, and $1000 additional bail on a charge of carrying concealed deadly weapons.

Charges Pile Up

The next complainant was Fred P. Carter, of Beacon lane, Merion. Carter said his machine had been stolen from Sixteenth and Walnut streets on June 8. Davis is said to have sold the car to a Greensboro, Md., banker. On this charge he was held under $2000 bail on a larceny charge and a similar amount on a charge of receiving stolen goods.

William Jawers, of 604 North Broad street, said his car had been stolen on July 13 from Sixteenth and Oxford streets. Davis is alleged to have sold it to Sam Berman, of Second and Spring Garden streets. Three thousand dollars more bail for court was demanded on this complaint.

Fitzgibbon and Christ, of Trenton, identified a machine which had been stolen from Sixteenth and Chestnut streets on June 22. It was later recovered in Dover, Delaware. Magistrate Coward demanded an additional $3000 bail on this charge.

Byron T. Roberts, of Marlton, N. J., said his machine had been stolen from Sixth and Arch streets on June 22. It was later found in the possession of H. Bean, of Lansdowne, and Bean testified that Davis had sold him the car. Three thousand dollars more bail was demanded in this case.

And Then He Smiled

Davis wet his lips and prepared to go back to his cell, but the end was not in sight. A Government warrant charging him with the violation of an interstate law in that he brought a stolen car from Delaware to this city was lodged against him. Magistrate Coward held him under an additional $3000 bail on this charge until such time as the Government wants him, and then, as an afterthought, said "I'll hold you under $1000 bail additional for court on a charge of carrying concealed deadly weapons."

It was at this point that Davis smiled. Then he was led back to his cell.

TWO HELD IN DOVER IN BIG AUTO PLOT

Two men who say they are H. Smith Johnson and Elmond Mather were held under $3500 bail each for further hearing by Federal authorities in Dover, Del., today, on the advice of Government agents of this city.

They are suspected of being implicated in the wholesale theft of automobiles disclosed at the time of the arrest of Harold Davis and James Saunders last week. Department of Justice Agent Clark, who arrested Davis and Saunders, says that Davis made a confession that he had stolen 200 automobiles in Philadelphia. Saunders, according to Clark, admitted that he had stolen about forty.

GANG OF AUTO BANDITS BROKEN UP BY JAIL TERMS

'Lone Star' and His Aides Get From Three to Ten Years Each

The "Lone Star Gang" was broken up today when Judge Walsh, in the Municipal Court, sentenced Adam Piotrowicz, alias "Lone Star," to seven to ten years in the Eastern Penitentiary on a charge of robbery.

Other gangsters associated with "Lone Star" who were sentenced were James Fee, given four to five years for robbery, and Stephen McKiernan, alias "James Bradley," who got three to five years on the same charge.

There were seven other indictments charging the youths with larceny of automobiles.

Ernest H. Steinmeyer said he had been held up by Piotrowicz and lost a gold watch and $15 in cash; Louis Solomon testified he had been held up by McKiernan and robbed of his gold watch and $4 in cash.

TARIFF CONFEREES MEET

Soon Plunge Into Work of Compromising Rates

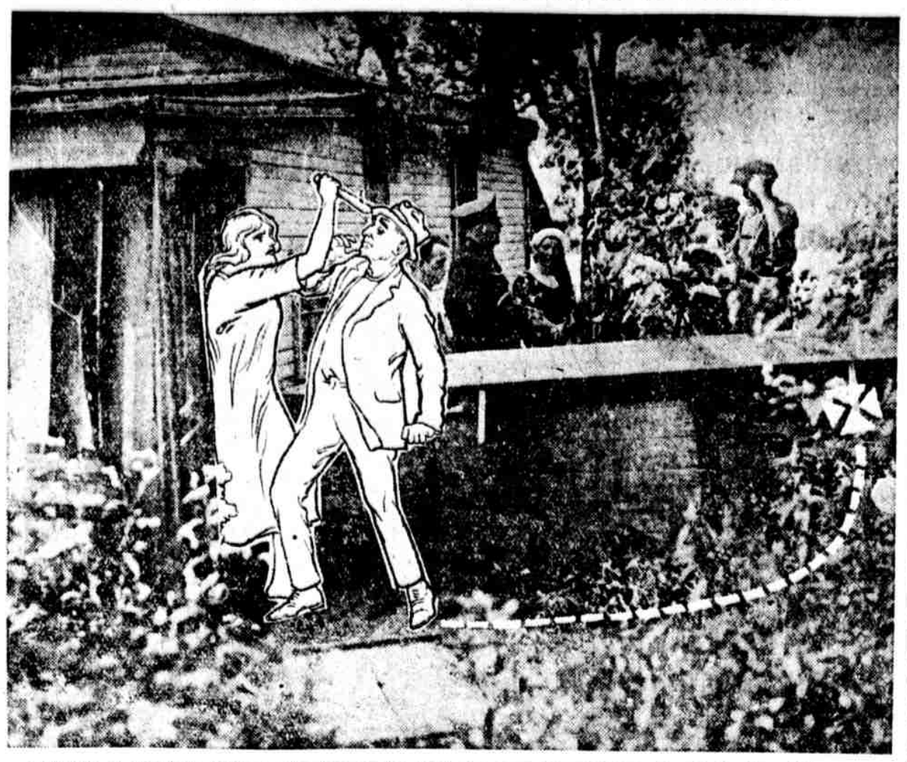
Washington, Aug. 24.—(By A. P.)—Republican conferees on the Administration tariff bill held their first session today discussing American valuation briefly without decision and then plunging into the work of compromising rates. Chairman McCumber, of the Senate managers, said the chemical schedule was first taken up with Senate figures generally agreed upon as far as the work progressed. The proposed high duties on dyes were not reached.

In passing the valuation question for the time being the conferees agreed that when ad valorem rates were reached an agreement would be made on two sets of duties, the one based on foreign valuation and the other on American valuation so as not to make necessary a retracing of steps after one or the other valuation plan had been approved finally.

Elkton Marriage Licenses

Elkton, Md., Aug. 24.—Marriage licenses were granted here today to Joseph I. White and Catherine M. Kreck, James T. Dougherty and Gladys J. Cornelly, Peter Laule and Millie Capobianchi, Edward W. Hagy and Minnie A. Beach, Joseph J. Glasco and Hazel E. Paulina, Charles P. Lamont and Bertha E. Summerton, Louis Calabrets and Katie Pinfoborn, and William C. Kergel and Josephine W. Wood, all of Philadelphia; Walter F. Eckstein and Elizabeth G. Darrah, Trenton; Paul K. Fisher and Mildred M. Heist, Skippack, Pa.; Albert R. Hohnstine and Alma V. Freas, Camden; Harold H. Roberston, Fort Wayne, Ind., and Cheety E. Weight, Renova, Pa.

PHOTO-DIAGRAM OF BOATHOUSE STABBING



According to Elizabeth Sabbott, who lives in the boathouse near Girard Point, Joseph Buckley, fifty-seven years old, attempted to enter her cabin last night. In a fight at the door, she says, the man was stabbed. His body was found at a point at the extreme right of the photograph

PUBLIC THE LOSER IN CONDUIT FIGHT

Whoever Wins in Chestnut St. the People Pay, Says Bureau of Municipal Research

CABLES NOW BEING LAID

Analysis of the "conduit war" in Chestnut street, between the business men of that thoroughfare and the Western Union Telegraph Company, has been made by the Bureau of Municipal Research. The conclusion arrived at is the public loses.

The weekly bulletin of the bureau says:

"While obviously the concern of the protesting merchants is a private and commercial one, nevertheless the whole controversy has implications, from the public's point of view, which should have had greater attention before the ordinance was originally passed.

"Perhaps the most important objection made by the Mayor in his veto is to the fact that the telegraph company pays no rental to the city for the use of the street. While the city may impose future rentals, nevertheless such rentals have not yet been imposed, nor is there any assurance that Council will impose such rentals. To the extent that the company gains by the delay or failure to impose equitable rentals the city is the loser.

"There is also the question whether in effect the present ordinance gives the telegraph company practically a monopoly. He would be a rash prophet who would predict that after the present rumpus any other public utility company could obtain permission to tear up the other side of Chestnut street for the purpose of installing conduits.

"The case in point is an object-lesson of the need for comprehensive city planning—which contemplates not merely visible things like streets and parks, but also the substructural needs of the city. With real city planning, we might have built, or be building, in Chestnut street a conduit that would care for the needs not only of one telegraph company, but of all telegraph companies and like utilities.

Suggest Sansom Street

"An entirely distinct phase of the controversy is the question why the city's leading retail thoroughfare, Chestnut street, was selected in preference to some other street, such as Sansom street. The telegraph company asserts that because of the location of their several offices to be served by the conduit, the Chestnut street route requires considerably less construction and is therefore much cheaper. That the congestion of existing wires and pipes under Sansom street would make the Sansom street route tremendously expensive, or even impracticable. On the other hand the Chestnut street merchants assert the Sansom street route is entirely feasible, and that the feature of monopoly on Chestnut street is the real underlying motive. The difficulty from the public's point of view is that neither the Chestnut street merchants nor the telegraph company present evidence to support these claims, and that the persons who could give valuable testimony on this point are outsiders who have no desire to become involved in the controversy.

"It is perfectly evident that as usual the public will lose—not merely the rentals for a time, or for all time, on the conduit now being laid, but also the rentals that might have been collected if a conduit had been constructed in the interest of the public instead of in the interest of one company."

Mandamus proceedings to have the court compel Mayor Moore to sign the agreement between the city and the Western Union Company were instituted yesterday.

The agreement, if signed, will allow the Western Union Company to proceed with its work of laying a conduit in Chestnut street. After the agreement is signed, Director Caven and Chief Dunlap, of the Highway Bureau, must issue permits allowing the digging of the street to continue.

The action was brought by Gill, Guckes & Sharder, attorneys for the company. It answers the petition filed in the same court last week in behalf of the business men of Chestnut street asking an injunction restraining the Mayor from permitting the opening of the street. It is expected that a joint hearing will be held by the court next Monday.

YOUNG ASKS REPRIEVE

Attorney for Slayer Would Lay Case Before Pardon Board

Application was made today to Governor Edwards for a stay of execution of Guilford C. Young, of Camden, convicted of the murder of Harry Garwood, condemned to die during the week of September 3.

John Cleary, counsel for Young, took this step in order that he may appear later before the Board of Pardons and ask that the sentence be changed to life imprisonment. The Pardon Board meets in November.

Knife Stab in Dark by Woman Kills

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rest were compelled to burst the door of her ramshackle home, which was barricaded with furniture. A knife wet with fresh blood stains was found under her pillow. She admitted the knife belonged to her and broke into a shrill laugh when asked to give an explanation.

Conflicting stories were told by the woman and neighbors who were questioned concerning the murder.

Mrs. Leonore Agas, who lives near Mrs. Sabott, said she heard groans outside the woman's home shortly after 1 o'clock and a man's voice pleading for help. The voice grew weaker and weaker until it ceased altogether.

Others living near Mrs. Sabott said she was acting strangely yesterday. Several persons said they saw the woman kneeling near the bank of the Schuylkill in an attitude of prayer. The knife was clutched in one hand and frequently she waved it toward the sky.

Buckley lived alone at the Magazine lane house, but was said to have a daughter living at the George Washington Hotel in the northern part of the city.

WOMEN ASK CLEAN POLLING PLACES

Delegation From Various Organizations Presents Plea to Commissioners

A request for more habitable and better polling places in various sections of the city was made of the County Commissioners today by a delegation of clubwomen representing political and civic organizations.

They asserted that some of the polling places were not fit for a woman to enter and said that in one instance the polling booths were in a place where fish and vegetables were sold. For the purpose of quickly locating polling places, it was also suggested that placards bearing the words "men and women vote here" be placed on every one in the city.

Commissioners Holmes and Kuenzel heard the request of the women and promised to do everything possible to make voting pleasant.

The visitors were informed that in order to have changes in polling places it was necessary for ten voters of a division to sign a petition to that effect.

A hearing on request for such changes will be held before the commissioners tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock. The women were invited to be present.

More supervision of polling places was urged by Mrs. George Horace Lorimer, president of the Republican Women of Pennsylvania. She said that in one of the polling places in the Twenty-fourth Ward a man and woman there gave assistance to voters.

Among the women who joined in requests for general betterment of conditions were Mrs. Marie O'Connell, Women's Democratic Club; Mrs. George A. Dunning, Mrs. Bromley Watt, Mrs. A. G. McCollins, Women's League for Good Government; Mrs. E. E. Fales, Miss Clara Middleton, Civic Club; Mrs. Franklin Cheney and Mrs. George Morgan.

HOUSE KILLS STEP TO OUST VOLSTEAD

Resolution Declared He Was Given Election Help by Anti-Saloon League

WRANGLE THEN ENSUES

Washington, Aug. 24.—(By A. P.)—Resignation of Representative Volstead as chairman and as a member of the House Judiciary Committee because of help alleged to have been given him in the last election in Minnesota by the Anti-Saloon League was requested in a resolution presented and read in the House today by Representative Tinkham.

Immediately after reading of the resolution Representative Mann moved that it be laid on the table, and the motion was adopted with a loud chorus of ayes.

After the resolution had been laid on the table, which move amounted to killing it, there was a demand, led by Representative Dyer, to strike it from the record, and this was ordered, 141 to 3.

The resolution set forth that Wayne B. Wheeler, counsel for the Anti-Saloon League, had filed returns showing the expenditure by his organization in the Seventh Congressional District of Minnesota, represented by Mr. Volstead; that Mr. Volstead knew that Mr. Wheeler would appear before the Judiciary Committee "either favoring such distinctive legislation or the repeal or specific legislation of which his committee had jurisdiction," that Mr. Wheeler did appear before the committee and favored specific amendments to the Volstead law. The resolution then continued:

"Whereas, these facts disclose circumstances derogatory to the honor and dignity of the House of Representatives and divest the said representative from Minnesota of impartiality and unprejudiced conduct in the performance of his legislative duty in the public interest and in his representative capacity;

"Resolved, That it is the judgment of the House of Representatives that the Representative from Minnesota, Andrew J. Volstead, should resign both as chairman and as a member of the Committee on the Judiciary, and if at the expiration of fourteen days from adoption of this resolution he has not tendered his resignation the chairmanship of said Committee of the Judiciary is hereby declared to have become vacant and his membership upon said committee terminated."

Then there was a wrangle. On motion to expunge from the record, Representatives Carew and Cullen, Democrats, of New York, joine dthe Massachusetts representative in voting to keep it in.

As the document was sent to the clerk's desk to be read there was a craning of necks and cupping of ears, as word had gone forth that Mr. Tinkham was preparing to hit at the father of the Volstead law.

REPARATIONS IN DEADLOCK

Berlin, Aug. 24.—(By A. P.)—The negotiations between Sir John Bradbury and Eugene Mandere, representatives of the Reparations Commission, and officials of the German Government over the German reparations question are still continuing, it was stated today, but so far no real progress has been made.

U. S. MAY PAY NORTH PENN BANK LOSSES

House Passes Bill to Refund Liberty Loan Issues Deposited in Bank

SIX MONTHS FOR CLAIMS

By a Staff Correspondent

Washington, Aug. 24.—The House today passed a bill pending in Congress since last November for the relief of Liberty loan subscribers of the North Penn Bank, of Philadelphia. It has passed the Senate and goes next to the President for his signature.

Representative Edmonds, of Philadelphia, who called it up today, said that the measure would afford relief to many residents of Philadelphia, as well as those of a few other cities where similar situations existed.

The amounts already received from the bank are to be deducted from any claims.

The bill provides:

No payments are to be made to any director or officer of the failed banks.

All claims must be presented within six months.

PHILA. DRY AGENTS RAIDING IN EASTON

13 Hotels and Cafes Searched in Effort to Check Sale of Liquor There

MANY ARRESTS ARE MADE

Ten Philadelphia prohibition agents and a score of State police swooped down on Easton, Pa., today and raided thirteen hotels and cafes.

Last week United States Commissioner Turner, of Easton, sent an appeal to State Agent John T. Davis. He said Easton was flooded with liquor.

Not much liquor was confiscated during the early afternoon, and formal reports had reached the commissioner's office of only seven raids. The Valley Hotel, the Clifton House, Steve's Cafe and the Keystone Hotel were closed up tight; Seip's Cafe, Tie's Cafe and the Barnett House were raided. Several arrests were made.

FREIGHT THIEF SHOT, 4 OTHERS NABBED

Wounded Thug Near Death After Battle Between Narberth and Wynnewood

$5000 IN LOOT RECOVERED

Five freight thieves, one of them seriously wounded, were captured at 11 o'clock last night by the Lower Merion police after a fifteen-minute revolver battle in Wynnewood road, between Wynnewood and Narberth.

The wounded man, who is reported to be dying in the Bryn Mawr Hospital, and his companions, are believed by the authorities to be part of a band of thieves who have been robbing Pennsylvania Railroad freight trains along the Main Line over a period of nearly two years. One of the thieves escaped during the battle last night.

Loot, valued at $5000, was recovered. It had been hidden in the woods near Wynnewood Station.

The revolver battle, in which seven policemen were directed by Magistrate Fred Walzer, of Narberth, aroused residents of the towns between which it took place. Later, when the wounded man was being taken to the hospital, two accidents on Lancaster pike and Ardmore avenue added to the excitement. First an automobile struck and overturned the machine taking the man to the hospital, and then another car threw a mounted patrolman from his horse while he was trying to direct traffic at the intersection.

Open Fire on Police

Magistrate Walzer returning home about 10:30 o'clock last night, saw a large touring car drawn into the woods off Wynnewood road, near Windsor avenue. Two men were in the machine. The magistrate saw four others carrying boxes from the woods. He located Patrolman Johnson and left him on guard while he telephoned the Lower Merion police station.

Sergeant Mullin and five men in plain clothes, armed with pistols motored to the woods and were immediately discovered and fired upon. The thieves, with the exception of the man who later was wounded, abandoned their machine, and fled down Wynnewood road, firing as they ran.

The alleged leader of the gang, John Smith, twenty-six years old, of South Beechwood street, this city, crouched behind the automobile and fired at the police. He finally fell, with three bullet wounds in his abdomen.

The other men who were captured gave the names of Francis Hays, twenty-four years, 1714 Arch street; John Ott, twenty-six years, 753 Tree street; Anthony Leonard, twenty-three years, 1210 McKean street, and Cornelius Freedman, twenty-four years, of 2608 South Fifteenth street.

Man Unconscious When Picked Up

Smith, unconscious when picked up by the police, was placed in an automobile driven by William Tragor, of Narberth. While speeding out Lancaster pike to the hospital, the machine was sideswiped and overturned by another machine at Ardmore avenue. Tragor, Smith, and Patrolmen Johnson and Stagg, who were in charge of the prisoner, were thrown out but escaped serious injury. Smith was still unconscious from his bullet wounds.

A moment later another automobile struck Patrolman Blacklidge's horse. The patrolman and horse fell, but escaped injury.

Smith was taken the rest of the way to the hospital in another machine.

Reports from the Pennsylvania Railroad to the Main Line authorities have shown a series of robberies from freight trains in that section. The cars have been broken into, and the merchandise rolled down the embankmnet along the tracks and then hidden in the woods. The loot recovered last night had been covered by broken trees and bushes. It consisted of stockings, suits, bolts of cloth and cigars and tobacco.

WILL PUNISH AUTHORS OF 'POISON PEN' LETTERS

Tried to Stop Marriage of New Orleans Woman to Candler, Is Claim

New Orleans, La., Aug. 24.—(By A. P.)—Friends of Mrs. Onezima de Bouchele, of New Orleans, whose engagement to marry Asa G. Candler, Atlanta capitalist and banker, was recently announced, stated today that Harold A. Moise, an attorney, had been retained at the request of Mrs. de Bouchelle to prosecute the authors of "poison pen" letters, who, it is alleged, have been located by detectives. A prominent New Orleans man and woman are said to be involved, but their names are being withheld.

It was said that the detectives had learned that the letters were written in an effort to prevent the marriage of Mrs. de Bouchelle to Mr. Candler. A few days ago a letter was received here by a close friend of Mrs. de Bouchelle in which the writer said the marriage would take place soon.

Judge P. S. Candler, of Atlanta, brother of Asa G. Candler, is understood to have been here recently and made an exhaustive investigation of the source of the letters.

SHAMOKIN BANKER ROBBED

Suitcase Taken From Auto of F. P. Llewellyn

While F. P. Llewellyn, president of the Dime Trust Safe Deposit Company of Shamokin, was making purchases in a store near Eighth and Market streets today his suitcase containing clothing and other articles valued at $400 was stolen from his automobile.

MRS. SPROUL SELLS HOUSE

Chester, Aug. 24.—The stone building on the northeast corner of Ninth and Kerlin streets, belonging to Mrs. W. C. Sproul, was purchased by Edward McLaughlin, Leiperville hotelman, yesterday. It was occupied by Governor Sproul and his family prior to his purchase of Lapidea Manor. The price was not made public.

DEATHS

BOYLE.—On Aug. 24, KATHERINE A. BOYLE (nee Rodhr), widow of Dr. Ralph R. Boyle. Relatives and friends invited to funeral on Monday, at 8:30 A. M., from residence, 1722 W. Girard ave. Solemn requiem mass at the Church of Gesu at 10 A. M. Interment Holy Cross Cemetery.

ALTEMUS.—On Aug. 24, 1922, at Montclair, N. J., WAYNE HUGHES, son of the late Edward J. and Medora L. Altemus. Notice of funeral later.

CARRELL.—Aug. 24, 1922, LIZZIE DANENHOWER, wife of John B. Carrell, M. D. Relatives and friends invited to funeral services Saturday, 4 P. M. (daylight saving), at her residence, Hatboro, Pa. Interment private.

GAUGHAN.—Aug. 23, 1922, MARY A., daughter of the late Ann and Richard Gaughan. Relatives and friends invited to funeral Saturday, 7:30 A. M., at her brother's residence, Richard J. Gaughan, 636 Market st., Gloucester, N. J.

SMILEY.—Suddenly, Aug. 23, 1922, ANDREW ROBERT SMILEY. Relatives and friends invited to funeral services Saturday, 2 P. M., at residence, 5609 Walton ave. Interment private.

WEIKEL.—At her home, 5522 Girard ave., on Aug. 23, 1922, FLORENCE P., wife of Charles B. Weikel. Relatives and friends invited to service on Saturday, 1 P. M., at the Oliver H. Bair Bldg., 1820 Chestnut st. Interment private.

VOIGT.—August 22, APOLLONIA R., beloved wife of Chas. Voigt, in her 54th year. Relatives and friends invited to funeral services on Saturday, 10 A. M., at her late residence, 1868 Judson st. Interment private. Remains may be viewed Friday, 8 to 10 P. M.

Merchantville Fire Co. Turns Out for Blaze Here

A red glare seen in the sky last night by a volunteer fireman in Merchantville, N. J., gave him the impression that at least a part of the State of New Jersey was threatened.

He sounded an alarm, and soon the Merchantville firemen and scores of residents were racing in the direction of Pensauken Township. A sudden stop was made as they reached the Delaware River. The glare was caused by the fire at Shoemaker & Co.'s plant at Venango street, near the river.

REV. P. J. DAILEY DIES AT AGE OF 76

Rector of Church of Our Lady of the Rosary Was Ill for Two Years

WAS STRICKEN SAYING MASS

The Rev. Patrick J. Dailey, rector of the Church of Our Lady of the Rosary, Sixty-third street and Westminster avenue, died today in his seventy-seventh year. He had been ill more than two years.

The death of Father Dailey, who was among the most widely known priests of the archdiocese, occurred at the church rectory, 345 North Sixty-third street, where he had been confined to his bed for the last three weeks. Eighteen months ago he was stricken while saying mass and collapsed on the altar.

Archbishop Dougherty, now a cardinal, on June 6, 1920, celebrated with a pontifical mass the golden jubilee of Father Dailey's ordination.

At the age of three Father Dailey came to this city from Westmeath, Ireland, where he was born March 25, 1846. He attended the parochial schools of Assumption and St. Augustine, and on September 5, 1863, entered the seminary at Glen Riddle, Delaware County.

In 1866 he was transferred to the seminary at Eighteenth and Race streets, and four years later was elevated to the priesthood in the Cathedral by Bishop Wood. He was rector of St. Francis Xavier Church for seven weeks, his first mission, and then went to St. Patrick's, Norristown.

From St. Patrick's, Father Dailey went to the Assumption Church as assistant to Father McAnany, who was afflicted with blindness during the later years of his life. He then became rector of the Church of the Immaculate Conception, and after spending seven years there returned to the Annunciation Church as rector.

Mrs. Henry Barnett

Word was received here yesterday of the death of Mrs. Henry Barnett, 1515 Allegheny avenue, widow of one of the founders of the Black Diamond File Company, last Monday in her summer home in Chelsea, N. J. Mrs. Barnett is survived by four sons—Alfred W., Harry, N., George T. and Frank N. Barnett, a daughter, Mrs. Frank P. Lloyd, and three grandchildren.

John M. McClintock

Funeral services for John M. McClintock, sixty years old, a former real estate dealer here, who died Monday, were held today at 1245 North Seventeenth street. He is survived by his widow and one daughter, Mrs. William R. Long, who live in Fairview, N. J.

Mrs. James R. L. Nisbett

The death of Mrs. James R. L. Nisbett, of 216 Church road, Ardmore, wife of the Rev. James R. L. Nisbett, vicar of Christ Church Chapel, Twentieth and Pine streets, was a great shock to her family and friends. She leaves, besides her husband, three daughters, Mrs. Edmund C. Hoyt, Mrs. George M. Harding and Miss Janet M. Nisbett.

Cornelius Stevenson's Funeral

Cornelius Stevenson, for many years prominent in the city's social and legal circles, who died Tuesday in Atlantic City, was buried today. Funeral services were conducted in St. James' Protestant Episcopal Church, Twenty-second and Walnut streets.

Richard Henry Boyd

Nashville, Tenn., Aug. 24.—(By A. P.)—Richard Henry Boyd, seventy-nine, founder of the National Baptist Publishing Board, which furnishes secular literature to Negro Baptists over the entire country, and the leading Negro publisher of the South, died here last night.

He was born a slave in Mississippi on March 15, 1832, and served through the Civil War with the men of the family that owned him. Unable to read or write at the ageof twenty-one, he assumed leadership among his denomination by hard study and application. Dr. Boyd published a daily newspaper in Nashville.

PENNA. ELKS STAGE COLORFUL PAGEANT

Crowning Feature of State Convention at Scranton Is Big Parade

PHILA. LODGE WINS PRAISE

By Associated Press

Scranton, Pa., Aug. 24.—Elkdom of Pennsylvania marched in colorful pageant today as the crowning feature of the sixteenth annual convention of the State organization. More than 5000 Elks were in the procession and a large crowd thronged the streets.

Threatening skies and occasional showers failed to dampen the spirit of the marching herds. The Philadelphia Lodge, with its mounted patrol, big band and natty drill team, was a hit. The Erie delegation, with band and white squadron, also won a hit. Several lodges of Williamsport, Johnstown, York, Binghamton, New York, Wilkes-Barre and other visitors, scored heavily, too.

The Scranton lodge had a mammoth float decorated in the Elks' colors. Joseph F. Conrad, Scranton, was the grand marshal.

At the closing business session George J. Post, of Mahanoy City, was installed as the new president of the State organization, succeeding Charles H. Grakelow, of Philadelphia. Other newly elected officers took the oath of office. Passage of a resolution provided for the erection of a home in Pennsylvania for widows and orphans of Elks, and for aged and disabled Elks.

The president of the State organization is to appoint a committee of seven, including himself, together with the trustees of the organization, to work on the project. Former State Senator Edward F. Blewitt, Scranton, presented the resolutions.

He stated that he expected to have Charles M. Schwab and other prominent Pennsylvania Elks serve on the committee. The home will probably be built this year. The Elks will attend the grand ball in the armory tonight, the last number on the convention program.

The convention voted down the resolutions to hold election of State officers on the last day of the convention instead of the first day, as is the custom. Erie's famous white squadron won first prize in the competitive drill contest this morning.

SOUTH ST. SAFES ROBBED

Thieves Work Rapidly and Loot Three Offices in Building

Thieves broke open three safes last night at 1504 South street. Upon the first floor they obtained $1000 from the Keystone Co-operative Banking Association; on the second floor nothing from the safe of J. C. Asbury and T. D. Tucker, lawyers, and $20 from the strong box of W. B. Webb, real estate man on the third floor.

All the victims are Negroes.

State Carpenters Install

Reading, Pa., Aug. 24.—(By A. P.)—State Carpenters' Brotherhood adjourned today after installing the following officers for the next twelve months: President, D. A. Post, Wilkes-Barre; secretary and treasurer, Vernon Fletcher, Philadelphia; vice presidents, H. F. Storin, Pittsburgh; W. T. Allen, Philadelphia; Harry Coder, Conshohocken; Thomas F. Flynn, Scranton; R. M. Williams, Philadelphia; D. S. Wenrick, Harrisburg, and George A. Wuvenschel, Erie.

Married at Valley Forge

A wedding of much interest was that of Miss Helen A. Custer, of Norristown, to Dr. Lloyd N. Cooper, a Glenside dentist, at the Washington Memorial Chapel at Valley Forge yesterday. The Rev. W. Herbert Burk, rector of the chapel, performed the ceremony.

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HEINZ OVEN BAKED BEANS with Tomato Sauce

PINE RESERVE TO BE SOLD

Oregon Tract, Containing 7,000,000 Feet, to Be Put on Market

Washington, Aug. 24.—(By A. P.)—The largest compact body of yellow pine timber owned by the Federal Government, a tract of 550,000 acres in Eastern Oregon, is to be opened for sale and development, the Forest Service announced today, in pursuance of the "Federal policy of putting the forests of our country to their highest use instead of locking up valuable timber resources so that they are of no benefit to the American people."

Forest Service officials said the land would be sold for development under Government regulations so framed as "to insure continuous production for all time" of 50,000,000 to 60,000,000 board feet annually.

The tract is on the watershed of the Silvies River in the Malheur national forest and is said to contain 7,000,000 feet of mature saw timber.

Illegitimate Births Increase

London, Aug. 24.—(By A. P.)—The marriage rate for England and Wales during the year 1920 was 20.2 per thousand of the population at all ages, the highest ever recorded, according to the eighty-third annual report of the registrar general. Illegitimate as well as legitimate births showed a definite increase.

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