

N. Y. CENSOR LOSES 'SATYRICON' FIGHT

Judge Refuses to Ban Classic on Account of Isolated Paragraphs

LIBEL SUIT NOW LOOMS

New York, Sept. 28.—Another attempt to have a book suppressed as immoral—this time the classic "Satyricon" of Petronius Arbiter, fell flat under the gavel of a magistrate yesterday.

A summons obtained by Charles J. Dumber against Boni & Liveright for publishing the book and against Harry J. Stalder for offering to sell it was dismissed by Magistrate Oberwager, who said its value to the student and the scholar was such that it would be too serious a matter to deny it to the volume.

The magistrate confirmed other recent court opinions that one must not judge a book by isolated paragraphs, but by the freedom of press would be the result of such a statute.

It is generally believed by scholars that the book in question was written by the Roman in the time of Nero.

The "Satyricon" is a keen satire on the vulgarity of mere wealth, its vanity and its grossness, and constitutes a fragment containing parts of two books out of a total of sixteen. The magistrate continued, "The author was interested in the intellectual pursuits, as well as in the vices and follies of his own evil time. The worship of the flesh and its lusts, alternatively disgusted and fascinated him.

"Time has determined that this work must survive, and were it simply a piece of obscenity it would have perished long since. The immortal writings, long since, the immortal writings, of the nineteenth and eighteenth centuries, molder in forgotten libraries, where not even an antiquarian stirs the dust.

After the decision, Horace Liveright, of Boni & Liveright, announced that a libel suit for \$25,000 damages would be instituted immediately by his firm against John S. Sumner and against the New York Society for the Suppression of Vice on account of their statements in print and in court that his limited editions of such works as "The Satyricon" were not truly really limited—that any one with the price would be supplied without question.

CHICKEN THIEVES BUSY

Several Henneries Raided in West Chester District—Shots Fired

West Chester, Pa., Sept. 28.—Chicken thieves using an automobile and believed to be from Philadelphia, have been raiding many henneries in the vicinity of Milltown and Chester road, east of this place, and have taken hundreds of fowls from the homes of farmers.

The raids were committed on three successive nights, but last night two men were fired upon at Chatswood, where they were discovered near the home of Oscar Thomas. Fowls had been taken from the Thomas farm, Edwin Walters, Charles J. Everts, George S. Turner and others.

WOULD INCREASE PENSIONS OF CIVIL WAR VETERANS

Bill in Congress to Advance Remuneration of Widows

Washington, Sept. 28.—(By A. P.)—A pension pay envelope increase from a month or Civil and Mexican War veterans, possibly as a Christmas gift from Uncle Sam, is planned by Republican leaders in Congress.

A bill providing the pension increase already has passed the Senate, and Senator Bursum, Republican, New Mexico, its author, says he has been promised by House Republican leaders that it will be passed by the House soon after it reconvenes. He expects the bill to become law before the holidays.

All Civil and Mexican War veterans having served ninety days or any who have developed disabilities would receive the increase from \$50 to \$72 a month under the bill and their widows' pensions would be increased from \$30 to \$50 a month. Other beneficiaries under the bill include Civil War army nurses, who would receive \$50 a month, while pensioners of the Indian wars would receive \$30 and their widows \$20 a month.

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