



REWARD OFFERED TO ONE BRINGING HILL FIREBUG TO JAIL AND JUSTICE

People of Big Residential District Living in Terror of New Outbreak of Incendiarism; Private Watchmen and Detectives on the Job

CITY POLICE ADMIT THEY ARE BAFFLED

Arson Believed to Be Work of Some Fire-mad Brain; \$50 Will Be Handed Over to Person Gathering Evidence Leading to Arrest and Conviction

\$50 Reward

To the person or persons gathering evidence leading to the arrest and conviction of the firebug or firebugs responsible for the series of incendiary fires in the Allison Hill district, the telegraph will pay a reward of fifty dollars.

Believing that the safety and protection of the people of Allison Hill depend upon the immediate arrest and conviction of the firebug who has been burning schoolhouses, factories, stables and other buildings in the Allison Hill residential and industrial district, the telegraph to-day offers a reward of \$50 to the person or persons gathering evidence which will lead to the arrest and conviction of the incendiary.

Hill People in Terror Ever since the outbreak of the first series of incendiary fires a month ago when three schoolhouses were set ablaze the residents of the Hill have been living in constant terror that a new outbreak might occur.

Over Saturday and Sunday a second series of fires, not so serious as the first, because of prompt action on the part of the city fire department, pointed conclusively to the hand of the fire fiend.

William L. Windsor, head of the city

President Played in Verse by Owen Wister

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 22.—Owen Wister, the distinguished author, gave out the following poem for publication yesterday:

TO WOODROW WILSON: FEB. 22, 1916.

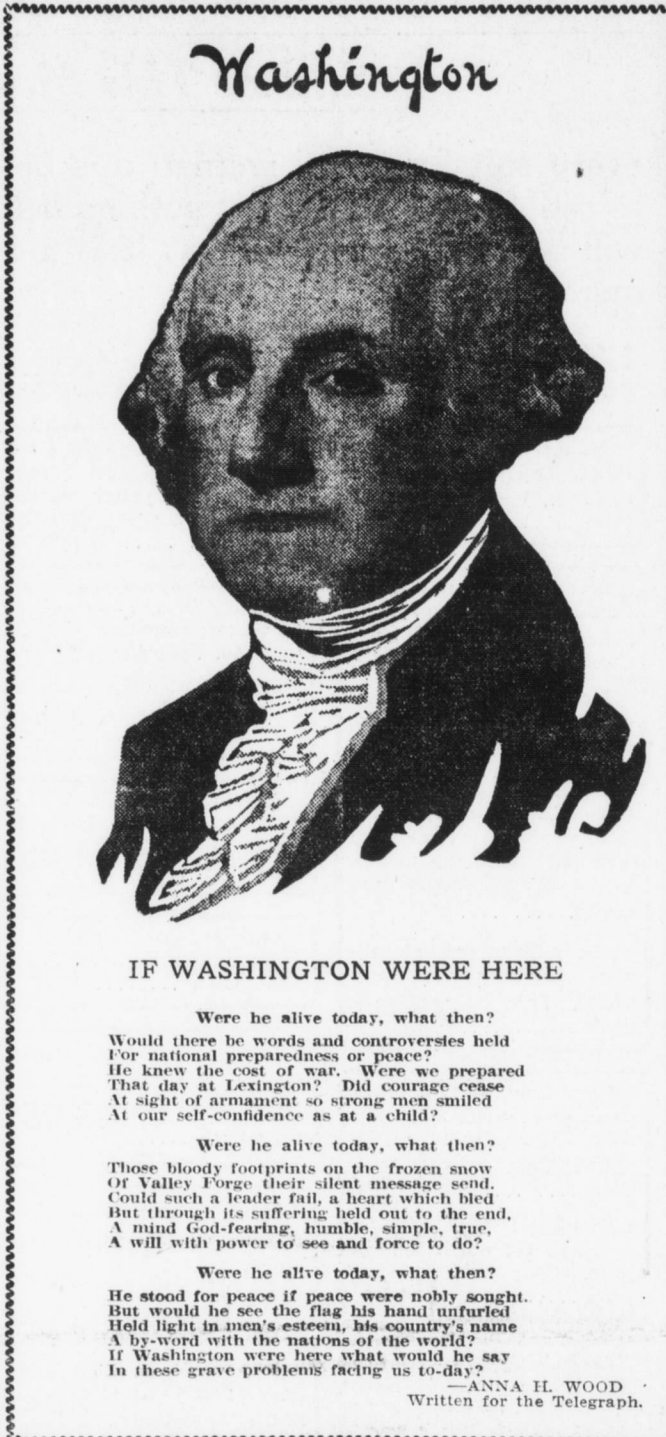
Not even if I possessed your twist in speech, Could I make any (fit for use) fit you; You've wormed yourself beyond description's reach; Truth if she touched you would become untrue.

Five Lose Lives When Boardinghouse Burns

New York, Feb. 22.—Four men and a woman lost their lives to-day in a fire which destroyed a theatrical boardinghouse over a restaurant in the theater section of this city.

THE WEATHER

For Harrisburg and vicinity: Fair and warmer to-day; Wednesday fair, with no change in temperature. For Eastern Pennsylvania: Overcast to-night and Wednesday; warmer; moderate south winds.



Washington

IF WASHINGTON WERE HERE

Were he alive today, what then? Would there be words and controversies held for national preparedness or peace? He knew the cost of war. Were we prepared that day at Lexington? Did courage cease at sight of armament so strong men smiled at our self-confidence as at a child?

BISHOP'S BODY LIES IN STATE AT CATHEDRAL

As Doors of Great Church Swing Open Hundreds File in to View Remains

The body of the late Rt. Rev. John W. Shanahan, bishop of the Diocese of Harrisburg, was taken into St. Patrick's Cathedral shortly after three o'clock this afternoon and at 4 o'clock the doors of the great church which the bishop built, were thrown open to the general public so that the prelate might be seen for the last time.

MAISIE SAW THE BIG SHOW SO SHE CALLED UP FLOSS

Chum May Have Been a Wee Bit Stupid About Details of the Display

In her fox furs, rabbit-topped boots and pheasant-braided Spring straw, she went to the big show last evening. Her bosom friend Flossie hadn't finished breakfast when the phone jingled this morning.

WHOLE COUNTRY PAYS HOMAGE TO GEO. WASHINGTON

National Figures Participate in Monster Celebration at Washington

Washington, Feb. 22.—Every agency of the American government paused to-day to pay homage to the memory of George Washington in the capital which bears his name.

PRIPET SWAMP BRISTLES WITH MACHINE GUNS

Mild Russian Winter Enables Germans to Hold Eastern Lines With Ease

St. John, N. B., Feb. 22.—The British steamer Arracan, loaded and in the outer harbor ready to sail, was slightly damaged by fire of undetermined origin early to-day.

FIVE DEAD, 50 HURT IN WRECK ON NEW HAVEN

Fast Speeding Special Crashes Into Passenger Train Stopped by Breakdown

FLAGMAN GIVES UP LIFE

Stands in Middle of Track Erectically Waving Flag Until Too Late to Leap

Milford, Conn., Feb. 22.—At least five persons were killed and more than fifty passengers were injured to-day when the Connecticut river special, No. 79, from Springfield, Mass., for New York, over the New York, New Jersey, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, was run into by a special passenger train. This train was made up in New Haven to carry passengers, who otherwise would have gone on the regular express from Boston to New York, leaving New Haven shortly after 11:30.

The dead are said to be a flagman who had come back to protect his train which had been stopped by a broken air pipe; Engineer Curtis and Fireman McGinnis, of the special and a man and a woman passenger on that train whose bodies have been seen under the wreckage.

It is said that the flagman lost his life in a futile attempt to stop the special running up the track so close to the engine that he could not escape. His body was cut to pieces. The rear end collision followed a moment later.

The Connecticut river special had stopped about a mile and a half east of Indian river bridge because of a broken air pipe. The flagman went back with his red flag. The Connecticut river special was drawn by a motor while the special, which had been made up at New Haven shortly after the train had been stopped by a locomotive. It approached the stalled train at a good headway, it is said, and as yet it is unknown whether Engineer Curtis applied his brakes upon seeing the flagman's warnings.

Freight Train Drawn In

At the time of the collision a freight train was running west on the next track. When the smash came a passenger coach was forced over against the freight adding to the mixup. The

Thinks He's "Billy" Sunday and Starts Revival

After "looking upon the red, red wine," a man believed by the police to be John Brodnick, South Front street, imagined he was "Billy" Sunday and attempted to start an impromptu revival in the West Side, Steelton, this morning. When placed under arrest by Patrolman John Wynn, after a tussle in which the officer was severely scratched and bruised about the face, Brodnick insisted that he was being persecuted because of his religious beliefs and took to his heels at Front and Locust streets, the center of the business section, and declined to accompany the officer.

COLONEL HUTCHISON IS REPORTED AS RECOVERING

Colonel Joseph B. Hutchison, who is in the Fountain Springs Hospital, Ashland, is improved to-day. Dr. C. C. Blinn, who is attending to the case, reported that the colonel is recovering from serious operation on Sunday. Condition good.

ROUGH TRIP FATAL TO TWO

New York, Feb. 22.—Two deaths which were attributed to the vessel's rough passage, occurred on the American Line steamship New York which arrived from Liverpool to-day encased in ice. Mrs. S. A. Wallace, of Everett, Mass., died last Sunday of heart failure ascribed in part to the rolling of the ship. February 15 John Haughey, coal passer, was crushed under coal.

KING GEORGE RECOVERED

London, Feb. 22.—King George has now completely recovered his health and his medical advisers have given him permission to resume his visits to the troops in training.

GEO. E. MILLER DEAD

Allentown, Pa., Feb. 22.—George E. Miller, for six years general superintendent of the Lehigh Valley Transit Company, died of pneumonia here this morning, aged 49 years. He was a resident of Allentown and was born in Pennsylvania. He was born in Pottsville.

MURDERER KILLED BY TRAIN

Lexington, Ky., Feb. 22.—The search for Billy Mullins, who was accused by the police of having killed Quincy Dye and fatally wounded R. A. Mattox, at Paris, on Sunday, ended to-day when Mullins was identified as a man who ran over and killed by a Louisville and Nashville train near Elkins, Ky.

WIFE MADE HIM WOO HER PRETTY ADOPTED CHILD, PRINCE SWEARS



As Flashing-eyed Yvonne Listens, Foster-Mother's Husband Says It Was Tiresome to Make Love to Her at Princess' Orders; Yet He Called Her "Little Kizi-Kizi"

New York, Feb. 22.—Bending forward in the witness chair, his swarthy chin usually resting upon the palm of one hand, Prince Alexander Miskinoff of Kakheda, Caucasus, told Supreme

TURKISH LOSSES AT ERZERUM ARE PLACED AT 40,000

Russians Following Up Victory by Chasing Ottoman Groups in All Directions

The Turks lost heavily in the fighting resulting in the capture of Erzerum by the Russians, according to a Petrograd dispatch to-day which estimates their losses as 40,000 killed, wounded and prisoners.

Sends Quotations From Bible on Postal Card; Woman Is Held For Trial

Lewistown, Pa., Feb. 22.—Miss Sarah E. Taylor, of Salfillo, Pa., has been lodged in the Mifflin county jail here at the instance of the postal authorities, charged with sending defamatory matter through the mails. In default of \$2,000 bail the woman is being held as a federal prisoner until March 13, when she will be given trial at Scranton.

Chicago Woman Official Is Accused of Grafting

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 22.—A sensational allegation of graft was made yesterday by Alderman William E. Rodriguez, who said that Mrs. Page Walker Eaton, lecturer, author and head of the Bureau of Social Survey under Mrs. Louise Osborne Rome, Commissioner of the Bureau of Public Welfare, had been compelled for months to pay over approximately one-third of her salary to Mrs. Rowe.

LEPERS DRANK WOOD ALCOHOL; FIVE DEAD

Honolulu, Feb. 22.—A band of lepers at the leper settlement on the Island of Molokai found a tin of wood alcohol and drank it, with the result that four men and one woman are dead and several others are seriously ill, according to word received here to-day from the settlement.

STORY OF PINK LIGHTED CABARET IN COURT TODAY

Dauphin License Judges Hear Tales O'Nights in Savoy Green Room

HOW MABEL ENTERTAINS

Impossible For Witnesses to Go Into Full Detail About Singer's Dress

The long awaited story of the pink-lighted "green room" cabaret of the Savoy was told to-day in Dauphin county license court. The tales that were told of the wine-rooms of the St. Charles and the Harris had edited or startled the crowded courtroom—it depended on which side you sat—from day to day, but developments of a character to make one gasp had been promised for the airing of the fight against the Savoy.

And these tales were told this morning by John P. Guyer, field secretary of the Dauphin County Law and Order League, and the Rev. Harvey Klear, president of the No-License League. The curious courtroom heard all about how "Mabel," the cabaret singer, entertained; how she was—or was not—clad; how the men and girl patrons of the "green room" on the fifth floor

East Penna. U. E. Delegates Gather For Conference

Ministers and lay delegates from the three districts of the East Pennsylvania conference to the United Evangelical Church will arrive in this city to-morrow for the opening of their twenty-second annual session. The Missionary Society will hold a business meeting at 2:30 o'clock to-morrow afternoon, and in the evening at 7:30 an address will be made by the Rev. Agide Pirazzini, professor of Hebrew Exegesis in the Bible Teachers' Training School, New York City.

TEN ARE REPORTED KILLED

New York, Feb. 22.—Ten persons were killed and sixteen injured in the wreck of passenger trains near Milford, Conn., to-day, according to reports received by the local offices of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad. Six of the dead were passengers and four were trainmen.

AMBASSADOR GERARD HURT SKIING

London, Feb. 22.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company says that James W. Gerard, American Ambassador to Germany, broke his collarbone while skiing yesterday near Munich and also injured his left side. It is said his injuries are not serious.

DINGLE SUNK; ONE SURVIVOR

London, Feb. 22.—Sinking of the British steamship Dingle is reported by Lloyds. There probably is only one survivor. No details have been received. The Dingle, 593 tons gross and 170 feet long, was built in 1914.

MULTIMILLIONAIRE DIES IN WEST

Pueblo, Colo., Feb. 22.—Mahlon D. Thatcher, Pueblo millionaire banker died this morning. He was 76 years old. Thatcher was born near Gettysburg, Pa., in 1839. His estate is estimated to be worth from \$10,000,000 to \$20,000,000.

COURT DISCUSSES SHORT SKIRTS

Harrisburg.—"Nowadays one may see most any style on the streets," declared Additional Law Judge S. J. M. McCarell this afternoon in license court. The court's observation was in response to the statement of James J. McClellan, proprietor of the Savoy, that the dress of the cabaret singer in the "green room" was "no shorter than the styles that you can see any time on the streets." The Savoy remonstrance will likely run well into to-morrow's session.

CHINESE REBELS DEFEATED

Peking, Feb. 22.—Rebels made an attack yesterday on governor's mansion at Chang-Sha, capital of the province of Hu-Nan. They were repulsed and captured. The leaders were put to death.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

George A. Gatchell and Olive A. Bealor, Lancaster. John E. Simpson and Mary K. Schaeffer, York Springs. Isaac A. Keilcher and Pearl E. Boyer, city. Henry C. Shumper and Theresa Dietrich, city. Edwin H. Gruber, South Hanover, and Beale Della Shive, Union Deposit.