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ATHENS. ELOPING COUPLE ARRESTED AT ATHENS

Man and Woman Wanted By Danville Police Returned to the latter Place Today.

Athens—There were two inmates of Hotel Mulligan over Sunday that are sadder if not wiser than they were a few days ago. Charles Sutton, a married man from Danville, Pa., got impressed with the idea that his wife was unfaithful to him, and that her sister, Miss A. D. Krum would be a more agreeable companion and so on the 5th of November they mutually pledged their eternal devotion to each other and started out on foot and alone to find greener pastures. They obtained work at several farm houses and lived together as husband and wife, and about December 1st they arrived in Athens and went to boarding at Will Jenny's over near the tannery. Sutton assumed the name of Charles Wray and obtained work at the American Bridge Company's plant. Here everything went well until Chief Mulligan read in the Towanda Review, "Danville police are anxious to locate Charles Sutton, alias Charles Wray, about five feet seven inches tall, weight about 140 pounds, slender, dark moustache, very much pitted with small pox. Is accompanied by a 17 year old girl, who is short and thick set. They left Danville in November and Danville authorities claim he is stopping in Bradford county with John Martin."

Chief Mulligan soon located the man and with Constable McGovern they arrested him about noon Saturday. He owned up that he was the man wanted and said that he had assumed the name of his grandmother, and that he had several times wanted to go back but the girl objected, and so they were doing the best they could to support themselves.

John G. Voris, chief of police of Danville came to Athens last night in response to a telegram from Chief Mulligan and took the wayward couple under his care and returned with them on No. 3 this morning. When we saw the couple this morning they did not try to conceal anything but seemed willing to go back and face the music.

MRS. LUNDIE'S BODY STILL UNRECOVERED.

Dynamite Scheme for Raising Body Proves Useless.

Athens—There was a large crowd on the Chemung river bank opposite the old dam yesterday forenoon watching for tidings of the drowned woman, Mrs. J. B. Lundie. Chief Mulligan, Burgess Kinney, W. H. Nutt and John B. Ackley had charge of a dynamite scheme for the purpose of raising the body to the surface should it be lodged in that vicinity. They fired three charges of dynamite and the fourth missed fire. The explosion stirred up the water in great force but it was without results. Two large fish came to the surface and Charlie Ostrander secured them with a net. A large eel was disturbed and came to the surface and sticking his head about six inches above the water struck out with lightning speed across the river and the supposition is that he did not stop until he reached the further hills. He evidently did not like the proceedings.

THREW BOMB FROM "L" STATION

Attempt to Kill Sylvester Cimilica, Victim of Venetta.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—Three persons were seriously injured and many others narrowly escaped when a bomb was thrown just before 11 o'clock at night from the northbound station of the second Avenue Elevated road in Forty-second street.

The bomb was undoubtedly thrown with the intention to kill Sylvester Cimilica, a fruit dealer, who has been active in the prosecution of a woman now in the Bedford home charged with murder.

No trace of the bomb thrower was found, but investigation of the circumstances and the statement of the fruit dealer made it virtually certain that some friend of the woman hurled the explosive from the stairway leading to the uptown station.

Cimilica will lose one arm, if his injuries do not prove more serious. Mrs. Mary Bailey was an innocent victim of the affair, as was Giorgio, a fifteen-year-old son of Cimilica.

Mrs. Bailey was on her way home from market and had stopped to buy fruit, when the bomb fell directly between her and the fruit dealer. Both were hurled from their feet, while showers of glass fell about them. Their faces and hands were cut by the flying glass.

The force of the explosion broke a large plate glass window in a saloon on the corner and all of the smaller panes of glass on the side of the building next to which the bomb fell. The sidewalk was cracked where the bomb fell, but search for fragments of the missile was fruitless. Mrs. Bailey and Cimilica described it as large and round, as near as they could remember.

"There was a flash of black in front of my eyes," Mrs. Bailey told the police, "and after that I did not know anything."

Cimilica refused to admit that he was the victim of a vendetta, but he admitted that "some enemy," as he put it, had sought his life.

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PERKINS POST INSTALLED OFFICERS.

Most Enjoyable Meeting Was Held Saturday Afternoon.

Athens—Perkins Post had a very enjoyable meeting Saturday afternoon on the occasion of the public installation of their officers for the year 1917. Past Department Commander J. Andrew Witt officiated as installing officer by authority of the orders from headquarters, and he was assisted by Comrade D. C. Gray as Officer of the Day. The following were installed: Commander Artemus Weller; S. V. C., Geo. L. Pendleton; J. V. C., John Santmyre; quartermaster, A. L. Richards; O. D., George W. Parsons; O. G., A. P. Sexton; chaplain, W. H. H. Gore; surgeon, Abreznah French; adjutant, C. T. Hull; sergeant major, Geo. W. Morse; Q. M., S. A. Y. Vansice. The hall was well filled with the comrades and their wives and after the services were concluded Commander Witt made a patriotic address giving some splendid counsel in regard to the work of teaching patriotism to the citizens and younger generation. After his speech Miss Clara Belva Kelley sang with tender pathos the song, "Just Before the Battle." The incident of that song awakened some touching reminiscences of war times that were recited by a comrade.

Comrade H. G. Blair then was called out and said that he was filled with tender memories that made it almost impossible for him to contain himself. He then proceeded to relate the scene of his enlistment when at a little cottage amongst the hills of Vermont he stepped over the threshold of his childhood home, bidding mother "good bye" never to see her again—of the visions of mother and wife sitting through the dreary hours of anxiety with bleeding hearts listening for tidings of the dear one that had been reported killed in battle. Of her four boys who went to the field of strife only one came back before she crossed the river, and he came as a wounded cripple to pass a few years at the home that had been so dear to them.

After Comrade Blair finished his address he sang "We've Drunk From the Same Canteen," and the meeting concluded with the benediction.

There is a renewed interest in the Post and although the comrades are getting feeble they have great enthusiasm in the work of the order and their gatherings are looked forward to with great satisfaction.

Miss Jennie L. Keefe returned to Syracuse today.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Moore yesterday, a son.

Mary Doran and sister Helen returned from Oneonta yesterday.

The new Steinway Grand piano has been placed in the Willow school.

Mrs. F. B. Wright was in Ulster today at the home of Mrs. Geo. Matson.

Mrs. Ellen Butler of Port Alleghey is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Steward B. Haight of Milford, N. Y., spent Sunday at the home of D. C. Gray.

Mrs. A. B. Schermerhorn, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Clara Chubbuck, returned to Asylum today.

Mrs. M. A. Davis, who has been visiting her brother, S. F. Robinson, returned to her home in Troy this morning.

Mrs. W. H. Sawtelle of Ulster, was in Athens today, returning home this afternoon. She spent Sunday with her son in Sayre.

A. L. Richards of East Athens, went to Towanda this morning to attend the Republican meeting called by the County Committee.

L. O. Snell received notice Saturday not to go to New York until Monday, January 14, and his trip to Panama has been postponed a week in consequence.

F. G. Sals, W. F. Waters, Jas. B. Maney and S. F. Robinson went to Towanda today to attend the call meeting of the Republican County Committee.

Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Campbell of Shunk, Pa., have been to Elmira and stopped over last night with Athens friends, returning home today.

C. P. Hunt went to Ulster today to attend the funeral of his son-in-law, Walter Farrell. Bruce Merrill and wife will go this evening. The funeral will take place tomorrow.

At Athens opera house, Wednesday, evening, Jan. 16, under the auspices of the P. O. S. of A. No. 633, the beautiful pastoral play, "The Rector of St. Mark's," will be presented by amateur players of Athens and Sayre. The cast will be under the personal direction of Will J. Vance, who has staged the play in ten different states. A competent cast has been selected for the different parts and rehearsals are under way.

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