



OFFICIALS SUMMONED

To Appear Before a Police Magistrate in New York.

CHARGED WITH MISDEMEANOR.

Captains Westervelt and Herlihy, For Failure to Suppress Gambling Places, May Be Brought to Trial Before the Court of Special Sessions.

New York, April 16.—Police Captain Josiah A. Westervelt, in command at the Charles street station house, was served late yesterday with a summons directing him to appear before Magistrate Cornell in police court today. The summons was served by W. H. Broderick, chief of the county detective staff, and was from the district attorney's office. It was obtained by Assistant District Attorney Schurman from Magistrate Cornell a few hours before.

The formal complaint against the captain is John R. Wood, a detective for the Tammany committee of five. The formal basis for the charge rose out of the raid of the committee of five on the Parole club on Day street several weeks ago. Wood was the detective who obtained most of the evidence which led to the raid. Of the 50 men caught in this raid eight were police officers, and of this latter number five were attached to the Church street station, at that time commanded by Captain Westervelt. The story is that five of the eight policemen have turned state's evidence.

For several weeks past District Attorney Phillips and Assistant District Attorneys Schurman and Wood have been giving careful study to the law regarding the duties of police officials regarding disorderly houses and gambling places. The result of the study and study conferences was a number of summonses made yesterday.

The conclusion reached by District Attorney Phillips and his assistants is that a police official who knowingly permits a disorderly house or gambling place to exist in his precinct, even though he has not been apprised of the existence of the places referred to by a citizen, is guilty of a misdemeanor.

The procedure against Captain Westervelt is entirely new. If Magistrate Cornell thinks that the complaint in the case has been sustained by the prosecuting officer he can hold the captain for trial before the court of special sessions, which is presided over by three justices. The punishment provided for by the code in case of a conviction is that the person convicted shall be imprisoned for a period not exceeding one year or a fine of not exceeding \$500, or both.

The summons served upon Captain Westervelt does not make it imperative for him to appear in court. In effect it is nothing more or less than an invitation for him to present himself before the court. He may decline to do so if he sees fit.

It is stated, however, that if he pursues this course, then, upon a new statement of facts and the presentation of an affidavit to the court by a complainant, a warrant for the captain's arrest could follow. Captain Westervelt said last night that he did not know of any reason why he should not appear in court.

Capt. John D. Herlihy, of the steamboat squad, formerly in command of the Eldredge street station (the red light district), was also served last night with a summons to appear before Magistrate Cornell today.

At a recent meeting of the Police Captains' association an agreement was arrived at in anticipation of such a move as the present one. It is said that an agreement was reached that in case summonses were issued an appeal in the matter should at once be taken into the supreme court to have the cases transferred to the court of general sessions. This would entitle the accused to a trial before a jury and a possible indictment by the grand jury.

Siamokin Strikers Gain Their Point.
Siamokin, Pa., April 16.—The Siamokin Silk Mill company started up yesterday after an idleness of six weeks, caused by the 300 employees being locked out because they insisted on having their union recognized. The company notified the girls yesterday that their organization would be recognized, whereupon the employees at once started work.

Mrs. Nation Fined and Exiled.
Kansas City, Mo., April 16.—Mrs. Carrie Nation, arrested on Sunday charged with obstructing the street, was arraigned before Police Judge McAuley yesterday, fined \$500 and given until 6 o'clock last evening to leave the city. Fifteen minutes later she boarded a street car for Kansas City, Kan.

Acquitted of Voluntary Manslaughter.
Scranton, Pa., April 16.—For want of evidence to show criminal intent, Frank Jansen was acquitted yesterday of voluntary manslaughter. It was admitted he threw the lamp which set fire to the house and burned his daughter to death, but the commonwealth could not prove it was not accidental.

UNORGANIZED WORKERS

Must Not Be Interfered With by Trades Unionists.

IMPORTANT TO LABOR UNIONS.

Pennsylvania's Supreme Court Sustains the Decision of an Allegheny County Court in a Case Against Members of Glassworkers' Union.

Philadelphia, April 16.—The supreme court, in an opinion by Justice Brown, yesterday continued the injunction granted by common pleas court No. 2 of Allegheny county restraining the interference by officers of trade unions with apprentices. The title of the case is Charles L. Flaccus against W. J. Smith, M. S. Branin, John Kunzler, W. J. Clare, T. W. Rowe, P. J. Skelly and J. D. Beatty.

Flaccus is proprietor of a glass works at Tarentum, Allegheny county. In 1894 he established his factory on an independent basis, stipulating that employees should not be connected with a labor union. Flaccus declares that the appellants, who are connected with the American Flint Glassworkers' union, enticed a number of his employees to join their organization. Flaccus secured an injunction from the Allegheny county court, and in the opinion sustaining that injunction Judge Brown says:

"The appellee had an unquestioned right, in the conduct of his business, to employ workmen who were independent of any labor union, and he had the further right to adopt a system of apprenticeship which excluded his apprentices from membership in such a union. He was responsible to no one for his reasons in adopting such a system, and no one had a right to interfere with it to his prejudice or injury. Such an interference with it was an interference with his business, and, if unlawful, cannot be permitted. The court found that the interference was injurious to him, and, if allowed to continue, would utterly ruin his business. The damages resulting from such an injury are incapable of ascertaining at law, and justice demands that specific relief be furnished in a court of equity."

MONSIGNOR M'MAHON DEAD.

Donor of McMahon Hall at the Catholic University.
Washington, April 16.—Mr. James McMahon died at the Catholic university yesterday, aged 84. He had been at the university for about eight years, but had no official connection with the institution. He was born in Ireland.



THE LATE MONSIGNOR M'MAHON.
But came to this country many years ago, the greater part of his life and having been done in New York, and vicinity. Father McMahon while in the New York diocese was connected most of the time with St. Patrick's church. When he retired from active work and became the guest of the university he gave liberally of his large property interests in New York city to the university. McMahon Hall alone representing \$250,000.

Rear Admiral McGowan Retired.
Washington, April 16.—Capt. J. McGowan has been retired with the rank of rear admiral. He broke down in health while commanding the monitor Monadnock on the Asiatic station several months ago and has since had a short term of service in command of the naval station at Key West.

Accused Postal Clerk Acquitted.
San Juan, P. R., April 16.—Mr. Harold Crowley, of Lockport, N. Y., son of ex-Congressman Crowley and an employe of the postal department, who was recently arrested on a charge of misappropriating postal funds, was formally arraigned yesterday and found not guilty.

Territorial Governor of Oklahoma.
Tulsa, Kan., April 16.—It is reported on reliable authority that Henry William J. Jenkins, of Oklahoma Territory, has been selected as territorial governor by President McKinley, to succeed Governor Barnes.

Grip brings weakness, exhaustion, nervous prostration. Dr. Miller's Nervine cures them.

TAYLOR'S STATEMENT

Modified by an Alleged Kentucky Conspirator.

BRADLEY AND YOST MISTAKEN.

The Ex-Governor and the Judge, Ripley Declares, Either Misunderstood Him or He Failed to Convey the Proper Impression on Them.

Frankfort, Ky., April 16.—The trial of Garnet Ripley, charged with complicity in the assassination of William Goebel, was resumed yesterday. Put upon the witness stand, Ripley did not deny that he made the statements attributed to him by ex-Governor Bradley and Judge W. H. Yost concerning ex-Governor Taylor's remarks to him, but said that while he thought that they were substantially correct in their evidence they had misunderstood him or he had failed to convey the proper impression on them at the time.

Ex-Governor Bradley and Judge Yost will not be recalled as witnesses, and the jury will have to decide as to whether they or the defendant is correct as to Ripley's statement of the Taylor incident.

Ripley stated that he had never known Governor Taylor till that day, and never saw him but once after that (Jan. 25) till after his company was called out. He said he never knew Powers or Youtsey till some days after the shooting; never saw Berry Howard at all; had seen Jim Howard only since they had been in jail together, and never knew either Cuiton or Wharton Golden. Taylor gave him the order Jan. 15 for the organization of the company and on Jan. 25 Ripley came here and secured equipments for it. This was the day on which he had the conversation with Taylor, and his version of it, which varies materially from that stated by Messrs. Bradley and Yost, was as follows:

"I went into the governor's office and found Governor Taylor looking very badly. I told him I was sorry to see him looking badly, to which he replied in substance: 'In these horrible times anybody would look bad. Some irresponsible fool or crank is likely to kill me or Goebel, and cause a riot around here in which there will be many lives sacrificed.' Then I told him I did not think this would occur, and went on talking to him about my company, which I was getting equipments for. 'My God,' said he, 'haven't you got that company ready yet?' That was what I was trying to tell Governor Bradley and Judge Yost, but I may not have stated it to them as clearly as I intended to."

Ripley denied that he ever said to Ferguson and Crawford that Goebel would be killed, but admitted that he warned W. P. Thorne on Jan. 29 to keep his son away from Frankfort, claiming he did so because of the disturbed conditions here, and not from any knowledge of what was going to occur the next day. He maintained that there was no secrecy about the organization and equipment of his company, and said that Governor Taylor told him that it was not necessary to apply to the county judge for authority to organize it. The company, he said, was organized for pleasure.

Witness said he received a special delivery letter from Governor Taylor late in the afternoon of Jan. 30 ordering the company out. The letter did not state that Goebel had been shot and did not give the reason for calling them out.

THE PITTSBURG BURGLARS.

Partially Identified as the Men Who Killed Grocer Kahney.

Pittsburg, April 16.—The real names of the two men who are suspected of the Mount Washington murder and the killing of Detective P. E. Fitzgerald have been discovered to be Edward and John Biddle, instead of Wright, the name they gave the police. They are brothers of Harry G. Biddle, of Knoxville, and of William Biddle, a Consolidated Traction company conductor. William Biddle was arrested yesterday just after he had resigned his job on the traction road preparatory, the detectives thought, to leaving the city. He had in his possession, the officers say, goods that he admitted getting from his brother.

The most important development in the case yesterday was the identification of Robert Wilcox and "Jack" Biddle, alias Wright, by Mrs. Thomas D. Kahney and her son, wife and son of the murdered grocer. Mrs. Kahney said that while they talked exactly with the men who stood at the foot of her bed when her husband was shot she would prefer to see them fully dressed before she would make a positive statement. Her son Earl, 12 years old, had no hesitation in picking out the two men.

Remained on Engine and Was Killed.
Point Pleasant, W. Va., April 16.—A south bound freight train on the Ohio River railroad ran through a temporary trestle near here yesterday. The engine and five cars went through and were destroyed. Engineer John Pennock, of Parkersburg, remained on his engine and was killed. Several trainmen were slightly injured, among them F. W. Johnson, F. E. Frost and Burt Way, of Parkersburg.

To License Dram Drinkers.
Little Rock, April 16.—The state senate passed a bill making it unlawful for any person to drink any intoxicating liquor as a beverage unless he or she shall have first obtained license as a dram drinker. The license is fixed at \$5 per annum.

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Boys' Wool Suits with long pants	worth \$5 at	2.00
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		\$2.00 and up

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