

CRAZED BY SECT.

"Order of 15" Unbalanced Mind of Alexander.

WIFE WED HIM TO SAVE HIM.

Philadelphia Broker Who Tried to Commit Suicide Had Studied Teachings of Theosophist Until He Wanted to Die.

Philadelphia, Dec. 1.—Frank Ellwood Alexander, the Philadelphia broker who tried to kill himself by cutting his throat in the Hotel Junkert in Baltimore Monday, was temporarily unbalanced mentally by study of the teaching of the mystic Order of Fifteen, which was founded by Dr. F. Homer Curtis, a University of Pennsylvania student, a few years ago.

He was led into this sect by his fiancée, Miss Mary Kelly, with whose family he boarded at 5320 Girard avenue, this city. Seeing that he was becoming so deeply engrossed in the mysteries of the theosophic sect, Miss Kelly married him secretly April 9 this year with the sole purpose of leading him back to a normal mental state.

These are the startling facts that were developed in Baltimore by Mrs. Alexander, formerly Miss Kelly, when she visited the bedside of her husband, who has been struggling for life since he cut his throat with a razor.

When told that Alexander might live his wife clasped her hands. "I'm so glad," she repeated over and over again. "He surely ought to live, for I married him to save him."

The motto of the Order of Fifteen is "Do, dare and keep silent." According to its principles marriage is not regulated by laws made by man. Civil and religious contracts are not observed and are not held as having any worth.

There are three grades of marriage. One is a union of persons who are physically equal, another higher grade is a union of those who are mentally equal, and the third is a marriage of beings that are spiritually fitted to each other.

STURGIS TELLS OF FRAUD.

Legal Pool of Racing Associations Was at Least \$264,000.

New York, Dec. 1.—In the hunt for a race track bribery fund the legislative fact committee has so far found that \$264,000 was collected from the various racing associations. This was to be used for legal services, according to the entries on the books.

The most exhaustive examination has traced disbursements of only \$8,474.22.

The committee again tried to find out how the racing interests disposed of more than \$250,000 which was collected to use in opposing the anti-gambling bills.

In the hope of getting some evidence on this point F. K. Sturgis of the brokerage firm of Strong, Sturgis & Co. was called today. Mr. Sturgis was treasurer of the Jockey club.

August Belmont, chairman of that organization, and Victor A. Schaumburg, secretary of the Coney Island Jockey club, have testified that the funds raised for "legal purposes" were put in the custody of Mr. Sturgis.

MESSAGE READY SATURDAY.

All of Taft's Time Is Being Spent on the Document.

Washington, Dec. 1.—President Taft is devoting practically his entire time to his message, and it probably will get to the printer Saturday morning. Copies of it cannot be obtained in time to mail to remote parts of the United States for release in the newspapers upon its delivery to congress.

The chances are that a good many American newspapers will have to receive this document of great length by telegraph, a process which will entail a slaughter of the text in some cases and a tremendous strain on the telegraphic service of the country.

Guide Named as Correspondent.

Stamford, Conn., Dec. 1.—Walton Ferguson, Jr., a New York business man, who lives here, has brought suit for divorce from his wife, Winnie Carstairs Ferguson, for alleged unfaithfulness. George T. Graham, a guide in charge of the Ferguson camp at Moosehead lake, Maine, is named as correspondent.

Weather Probabilities.

Snow; tomorrow unsettled; snow in northern portion; brisk to high west to northwest winds.

Market Reports.

BUTTER—Weak; receipts, 5,811 packages, creamery, specials, per lb., 31 1/2c; extras, 30c; thirds to fourths, 24 1/2c; held, specials, 21c; seconds to extras, 25 1/2c; 30c; state dairy, common to finest, 34c; process, 24 1/2c; factory, current make, 22 1/2c.

COMES TO LIFE.

Farmer "Dead" Ten Minutes Startles Undertaker.

HE PROBABLY WILL RECOVER.

Burlington (N. J.) Man Breaks Up Conference of Coroners by Rising Up and Asking, "Where Am I?" Drugs Started Heart Again.

Burlington, N. J., Dec. 1.—Ten minutes after physicians had pronounced him dead and an undertaker was waiting to take charge of his body, the supposed corpse of a Burlington township farmer named Buzby suddenly broke up an argument as to which coroner should sit upon his sudden and mysterious death and gave a crowd in the Hotel Metropolitan the fright of their lives.

A brother found Buzby lying face downward and apparently lifeless in a hotel room. He summoned Dr. J. B. Cassidy and other physicians. Buzby responded to none of the remedies and was given up for dead, and W. W. Slack, an undertaker, was summoned to remove the body to the morgue.

Upon the arrival of the undertaker there was difference of opinion whether Coroner Bisbing or Coroner Elect Leconey should be notified. The discussion waxed warm and at its height the "corpse" moved, threw the blanket covering from his face and sat up on the stretcher.

"Why, Bill, where am I? What's the matter?" he exclaimed as the terror stricken crowd fell back. He again relapsed, but the surprised physicians were able to revive him, and he is expected to recover.

Doctors say Buzby's case is one of the strangest on record. They say the farmer was in absolute coma, caused by a peculiar kidney trouble, at least ten minutes, with a total cessation of respiration and pulsation. Even the extremities of the body had begun to cool when powerful drugs at first apparently ineffectual dragged him back from death.

JOHN F. DONOHUE A SUICIDE.

Thomas Lawson's Confidential Man Dies In Subway.

Boston, Dec. 1.—John F. Donohue, many years the confidential man of J. Edward Addicks and of Thomas W. Lawson, committed suicide by throwing himself before a fast moving train in the subway. Death was instantaneous.

For about fifteen minutes Mr. Donohue had been pacing the station platform, walking to the edge and looking down at the rails and peering up and down the track. Just before a north bound train drew up Mr. Donohue dropped a light cane he had been carrying and jumped into the train pit.

His family furnished no explanation for the act. Friends say he had been suffering from stomach trouble about a year. He was sixty years old and a native of Ireland and for a time was engaged in shoe manufacturing in Lynn, Mass.

Mr. Donohue was known as "Lawson's Man Friday." About three years ago he broke with Lawson and filed a suit for \$250,000 against him, asserting that amount was due him for confidential services for a long period.

Among the thirty-three specifications in the suit was the delivery to Lawson of the books of the Bay State Gas Companies of Delaware and New Jersey. This, he said, enabled Lawson to make terms to his advantage with the late Henry H. Rogers.

He also said that he had arranged for a meeting between Lawson, Rogers and F. Augustus Heinze in the Waldorf hotel, in New York.

Her Evidence.

"I had a colored woman before me as a complaining witness," said a criminal court judge. "She had a man held for trial by a city magistrate on the charge that he had attacked her with a pair of scissors. 'He mou' near gouge mah eye out, judge,' she said to me. 'Yes' come at me lak a lion, he did, a-roarin', suh. He poke me in de face wiv dem scissors, judge, not once, but for four or five times. He jes' cut up my face lak it was a yahd of ribbon, judge. The magistrate what hevd him to dis heal court says he nevah did hear tell of no more dangerous man."

"Well, I looked her over. She had a wide, smooth, yellow face that didn't have a mark on it. I told her to repeat her story, and she went all over it again, telling how the man had slashed her face with that pair of scissors.

"'But, madam,' I said, 'there isn't a mark on your face.'
''Marks!' said she indignantly. 'Marks! What I care for marks, lem me ask you dat? I got witnesses, I tell you.'"
—New York Cor. Cincinnati Times-Star.

The Test of Type.

How often it will cause dismay
That's tinged, mayhap, with sorrow
To see how what was said today
May look in print tomorrow.
—Washington Star.

Got Stung All Right.

Bill—This paper says that bees were unknown to the Indians.
Jill—Yes; I believe it was the traders who used to sting them.—Yonkers Statesman.

"WHEN WE HAVE SNOW."

The Skating Girl in Comfortable Knitted Costums.



A STUNNING SEATING COSTUME.

There is nothing so comfortable for the girl who skates than a warm, well made, becoming sweater, and to this garment this year the manufacturers have added a knitted Broton cap that is the choicest thing of its kind in existence. A delightful scarf of fleecy wool and a splendid pair of gauntlet gloves, all in wool, the girl who loves to skate may have for her own this winter.

In Velvet Attire.

Persian paw, a comparatively cheap fur as to price, but exceedingly good looking in appearance, makes this smart coat, combined with black velvet. The upper part of the coat sleeves is of the fur, while the deep cuffs are



COAT OF FUR AND VELVET.

of velvet. There is a perfectly new feature to be observed in the stole of velvet trimmed with a wide fancy black silk braid. This braid also trims the entire jacket, which is very French in design and execution.

Uncle Joe's Daughter Popular.

While the insurgents are fighting to drive Uncle Joe Cannon from the speakership of the house of representatives, their wives would feel very sorry to have Uncle Joe driven from Washington. They are fond of Helen Cannon, the speaker's daughter, and they frankly confess they do not wish to lose such a charming woman. Of course the wives of the insurgents sympathize with their husbands and want to see them victorious, but they like Miss Cannon as a hostess. The speaker's daughter has been one of the most modest and yet charming entertainers in Washington for several seasons. She has managed to avoid all political disputes that sometimes get the women into disagreements and has been as cordial to the wives of the insurgents as to the wives of the stand-patters.

Vaseline a Cleanser.

Vaseline has quite a number of domestic uses. When the brasses are cleaned it is little extra work to rub them over with vaseline and polish with a soft duster, but this will save much work ultimately, as after this treatment they will not readily tarnish.

To Save Stockings.

To save stockings from being torn by the garters, stitch an inch wide strip of silk ribbon round the top. It gives the stockings a new lease of life and prevents needless darning.

The Dinner Table of Old France.

Could we restore for half an hour the dinner table of old France and obtain half a dozen instantaneous photographs of a royal banquet at any era between the reign of Francis I and Louis XIV. such laughter would be heard as might disturb the serenity of Louis in paradise. The duchess, her napkin tied securely around her neck, would be seen nibbling a bone, the noble marquis surreptitiously scratching himself, the belle marquise withdrawing her spoon from her lips to help a neighbor to sauce with it, another fair creature scouring her plate with her bread, a gallant courtier using his doubtless or the tablecloth as a towel for his fingers and two footmen holding a yard of damask under a lady's chin while she emptied her goblet at a draft. All of these at one era or another were the usages of polite society. During a feast of inordinate length it was sometimes necessary to substitute a clean cloth for the one which the carelessness or bad manners of the guests had reduced to a deplorable condition.—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

The Transformation.

They sat hand in hand on the yellow sands, in the shelter of a bowlder, watching the fleecy wavelets creep timorously shoreward.

"Frankie," she sighed, "say I'm oos ikkie pettee once more."

"Oo's my ikkie pettee, blessums ikkie heart," came from the youth in the puce socks.

Up to the blue heavens rose a fair guffaw from the other side of the bowlder.

"Ikkie pettee! Ikkie pettee!" chuckled a corpulent gentleman with a four day stubble growth.

"Go it, Frankie! You ain't art done yet. Eight years ago!"

"'Enry!' interrupted a shrill voice from the cliffs above. "You'll sleep wot little sense you 'ave got away if you ain't careful. Thought you was goul' to get some whelks for tea!"

"Eight years ago, Frankie," continued the stout gentleman, mournfully, jerking his thumb cliffward, "she was my ikkie pettee!"—London Tit-Bits.

Florence Nightingale.

There is a story that after the return to England of the troops from the Crimea Lord Stratford at a dinner suggested that those present should write on a piece of paper the name of the person whose Crimean reputation would endure longest. When the votes came to be examined it was found that not a single soldier had received a vote. Every paper bore the same two words—Florence Nightingale.

The "Lady With the Lamp" used to relate the following story: "Calling one day on one of her humble neighbors, she was surprised to see the usually tidy cottage in a state of great disorder. 'Why, Mrs. —,' said Miss Nightingale, 'what is wrong with you? I never saw your home looking like this.' 'Beg your pardon, miss,' said the abashed woman, 'but, you see, I am expecting the visiting lady, and if she sees my place looking clean and tidy she'd think I didn't need no helpin'."

Chihuahua Dogs.

The true Chihuahua breed is the smallest race of dogs in the world. They are also the most highly strung, sensitive and valiant of their kind. Their sense of sound, sight and smell is developed to a marvelous degree, and they have a bark which would rise supreme above the noises of a boiler shop. A strange step sets one of the little hair trigger animals into a frenzy of ear splitting rage, and yet they are so keenly intelligent that they can distinguish between friend and foe almost at first sight, sound or whiff. Long before the duller senses of man can detect a foreign presence these little marvels of nerve force will have "sized up" the intruder, and if not satisfied that all is well their staccato warning will wake the echoes.—Los Angeles Examiner.

The Ruling Passion.

Among the well known figures of the Paris salons mentioned in "An Eighteenth Century Marquis" was Bossut, mathematician and abbe, who had translated Maria Agnes's work on the infinitesimal calculus. "When he was dying Maupertius was by his bedside. No one knew whether the agony was ended. 'Twelve times twelve?' asked Maupertius in a distinct voice. 'One hundred and forty-four,' came the automatic answer as Bossut breathed his last."

Appearances.

It is the appearances that fill the scene, and we pause not to ask of what realities they are the proxies. When the actor of Athens moved all hearts as he clasped the burial urn and burst into broken sobs how few then knew that it held the ashes of his son!—Bulwer-Lytton.

A Straight Tip.

"You can't see my husband. He is not at home."
"But, madam, I want to see him the worst way."

"Well, if that's the way you want to see him you'd better sit right there on the steps until he comes from the club."—Houston Post.

Infantile Depravity.

Elsie (aged seven)—Ma, I want a penny. Mother—What for, dear? Elsie—I asked Bertie Jones to pretend we're getting married, and he says he won't do it unless I have a dowry!

Harsh words are like hailstones in summer, which, if melted, would fertilize the tender plant they batter down.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF Farmers and Mechanics Bank,

OF HONESDALE, WAYNE COUNTY, PA.

at the close of business, Nov. 9, 1910.

RESOURCES.		
Reserve fund.....	\$ 89,740 50	
Due from approved reserve agents.....	\$39,777 96—49,527 96	
Nickels, cents and fractional currency.....	162 32	
Checks and other cash items.....	1,123 01	
Due from banks and trust companies not reserve.....	29,210 81	
Bills discounted.....	31,453 99	
Time loans with collateral.....	30,948 25	
Loans on call with collateral.....	33,067 00	
Loans upon call upon two or more names.....	33,067 00	
Loans secured by bonds and mortgages.....	14,755 50	
Investment securities owned exclusive of reserve funds, viz: Stocks, bonds, etc.....	\$47,427 91	
Mortgages and judgments of record.....	44,000 32—92,968 23	
Office Buildings and Lot.....	2,800 00	
Furniture and Fixtures.....	1,504 41	
Total.....		\$ 355,968 33

LIABILITIES.		
Capital Stock paid in.....	\$ 75,000 00	
Surplus Fund.....	16,000 00	
Undivided Profits, less expenses and taxes paid.....	4,592 72	
Individual deposits subject to check.....	\$92,139 94	
Deposits, special.....	174,325 67—266,465 61	
Total.....		\$355,968 33

State of Pennsylvania, County of Wayne, ss.
C. A. EMERY, Cashier of the above named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
C. A. EMERY, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of Nov. 1910.
RENA S. EDGETT, N. P.
Correct-Attest:
M. E. SIMONS, } Directors.
J. S. BROWN, }

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE HONESDALE NATIONAL BANK

AT HONSDALE, WAYNE COUNTY, PA.

At the close of business, Nov. 10, 1910.

RESOURCES.		
Loans and Discounts.....	\$ 249,777 67	
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured.....	16 49	
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation.....	50,000 00	
Federal Reserve Notes.....	2,800 00	
Bonds, securities, etc.....	1,310,432 44	
Banking-house, furniture and fixtures.....	40,000 00	
Due from National Banks (not Reserve Agents).....	2,475 25	
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies, and Savings Banks.....	1,472 15	
Due from approved reserve agents.....	143,892 08	
Checks and other cash items.....	3,153 88	
Notes of other National Banks.....	490 00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents.....	440 82	
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz: Special.....	\$7,242 50	
Legal tender notes.....	96,726 38	
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer, (5 per cent. of circulation).....	2,750 00	
Total.....		\$1,908,487 69

LIABILITIES.		
Capital Stock paid in.....	\$ 150,000 00	
Surplus fund.....	10,000 00	
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid.....	82,071 31	
National Bank notes outstanding.....	51,000 00	
Due to other National Banks.....	494 21	
Individual deposits subject to check.....	\$1,463,831 99	
Demand certificates of deposit.....	23,940 00	
Cashier's checks outstanding.....	30 00	
U. S. Bonds.....	50 00	
Cashier's checks outstanding.....	1,125 67—\$1,474,411 57	
Notes and bills rediscounted.....	None	
Bills payable, including certificates of deposit for money borrowed.....	None	
Liabilities other than those above stated.....	None	
Total.....		\$1,908,487 69

State of Pennsylvania, County of Wayne, ss.
E. F. TORREY, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
E. F. TORREY, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of Nov. 1910.
R. A. SMITH, N. P.
Correct-Attest:
H. Z. RUSSELL, } Directors.
J. S. C. BIRDALL, }
E. E. HARBENBERG, }

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE WAYNE COUNTY SAVINGS BANK

OF HONSDALE, WAYNE CO., PA.

at the close of business, Nov. 9, 1910.

RESOURCES.		
Reserve fund.....	\$ 100,000 00	
Cash, specie and notes.....	\$42,780 85	
Due from approved reserve agents.....	149,639 30	
Legal securities at par.....	43,000 00—235,259 24	
Nickels, cents and fractional currency.....	67 81	
Checks and cash items.....	1,425 80	
Due from banks and trust companies.....	2,839 45	
Reserve agents.....	9,239 45	
Bills discounted.....	\$37,170 04	
Time loans with collateral.....	31,750 00	
Loans on call with collateral.....	144,049 11	
Loans on call upon one name.....	240 00	
Loans on call upon two or more names.....	80,557 16	
Bonds secured by bonds and mortgages.....	22,700—586,426 31	
Investment securities owned exclusive of reserve funds, viz: Stocks, Bonds, etc.....	1,700,509 71	
Mortgages and judgments of record.....	276,530 53—2,067,140 24	
Office Building and Lot.....	27,000 00	
Other Real Estate.....	6,000 00	
Furniture and Fixtures.....	2,500 00	
Overdrafts.....	31 41	
Miscellaneous Assets.....	400 00	
Total.....		\$2,936,686 36

LIABILITIES.		
Capital Stock paid in.....	\$ 100,000 00	
Surplus Fund.....	310,000 00	
Undivided Profits, less expenses and taxes paid.....	115,007 56—525,007 56	
Deposits subject to check.....	\$178,839 37	
Individual Deposits.....	2,501,948 75	
Time certificates of deposit.....	238 78	
Certified Checks.....	250 00	
Cashier's check outstanding.....	5,719 71—2,384,861 61	
Due to Commonwealth.....	25,000 00	
Due to banks and Trust Cos. not reserve agents.....	1,880 00	
Dividends unpaid.....	None	
Total.....		\$2,936,686 36

State of Pennsylvania, County of Wayne, ss.
L. H. SCOTT, Cashier of the above named Company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
(Signed) L. H. SCOTT, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of Nov. 1910.
(Signed) ROBERT A. SMITH, N. P. (Notarial Seal)
Correct-Attest:
W. B. HOLMES, } Directors.
E. P. KEMBLE, }
H. J. CONGER, }

TWELVE muslim trespass notices for \$1.00; six for seventy-five cents. Name of owner, township and law regarding trespassing printed thereon. CITIZEN office.

Notable Manuscript Sold in Germany.

Some interesting manuscripts by great musical composers were recently sold by auction at Herold's rooms in Berlin.

The manuscripts of five lieder by Mendelssohn fetched 810 marks, Beethoven's rough draft of King Stephen 250 marks, one of Mozart's compositions 300 marks, sixty-two letters by Schumann 405 marks and fourteen of Wagner's letters were bought for 800 marks.—Munchner Neueste Nachrichten.

She Had Her Way.

The oddest named country home is in Jackson county, according to a Columbian who is a friend of the owner. The name as it appears at the front gate is "Hadderway" and never fails to attract attention from passersby. For years the wife wanted to leave Kansas City and go to a farm. When the family finally moved they named the home "Hadderway."—Columbia (Mo.) Herald.

How's Your Liver?

The natural laxative and antiseptic of the bowels is the bile, which is secreted by the liver. The bile is nature's lubricant. When your liver is torpid it produces less bile, and of course the bowels become clogged with poisonous matter which finds its way into the blood, producing biliousness and constipation and indigestion.

Smith's Pineapple and Butternut Pills are by far the best remedy to empty the bowels and relieve congested conditions. They act as a true tonic to the liver, preventing as well as curing constipation. One or two of these pills taken every night mildly stimulates the liver and corrects biliousness without the driving purgative effects of harsh drugs. Their gentle laxative action especially commends them to ladies who after eating and are subject to periodical headaches. To secure a healthy secretion of bile, thus establishing perfect bowel regularity, these little pills possess merits peculiarly their own, not found in other remedies. Physicians use and recommend. They form no habit. You should always keep them on hand. These little Vegetable Pills will ward off many ills.

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