

PRAYS IN HER JOY.

Pardon For Mrs. Danz Ends Famous Murder Case.

WAS SERVING LIFE SENTENCE.

After Eight Years In Eastern Penitentiary Woman Convicted of Murdering Husband and Once In Shadow of Death to Be Freed.

Philadelphia, June 29.—The news that the board of pardons granted her a full pardon at its meeting in Harrisburg was given to Mrs. Catherine Danz in her cell at the Eastern penitentiary by Warden McKenty, and the woman, who has served over eight years of a life sentence imposed on her for killing her husband, William G. Danz, with poison, was so overcome by the tidings that for a time she was speechless and could not give voice to her gratitude.

When she had in a measure recovered from the shock of the surprise she fell upon her knees and expressed thanks for the mercy shown her in prayer. As soon as the pardon arrives Mrs. Danz will be released.

George P. Hossey, a colored voodoo doctor, who was charged with having sold Mrs. Danz the poison with which she killed her husband, was also tried and convicted. Both were sentenced to death on first degree verdicts, but this was commuted to life imprisonment in each case.

William Danz, who was a butcher, died in 1901 presumably of heart disease. Nearly two years later doubts as to the cause of his death were raised by the revelations attendant upon the arrest of Hossey. The body was exhumed, and traces of arsenic were found in the stomach, and in June, 1903, Hossey was placed on trial for murder. John C. Bell, at that time district attorney, conducted the prosecution and claimed that Hossey had been promised \$100 by Mrs. Danz if he would supply poison.

The trial of Mrs. Danz followed. It was shown that Danz had been a heavy drinker and that his wife had placed powders in his food to cure him of alcoholism. These failings, she was advised to see Hossey, she testified, who supplied her with drugs that were alleged to be beneficial for the drink habit. The trial was bitterly contested, expert chemists figuring as witnesses and neighbors and acquaintances of Mrs. Danz appearing for and against her.

MANY DOCTORS SEEK JOBS.

Governor Tener Besieged by Candidates For Medical Board.

Harrisburg, Pa., June 29.—At least a hundred physicians are applicants for appointment on the new state medical board, and partisans of three schools are in a hot campaign of wire pulling and letter writing.

It was the plan to name the state medical board before this, but now it is intimated that as the new board will not have to begin work until late in the summer there is no hurry about it, which, being interpreted, means that Governor Tener has not yet framed his slate.

The most plausible report is that the selections will be held off until Commissioner of Health Dixon, who is a close personal friend of Dr. Charles B. Penrose, brother of the senator, gets back from Maine. Dr. Dixon will be an ex officio member of the new board, and he may be asked for advice. Dr. Henry Beates, Jr., Philadelphia, also is prominently named.

TO AID STRIKING MINERS.

National Union to Spend \$90,000 a Month in Irwin District.

Indianapolis, Ind., June 29.—Following the plea of "Mother" Jones, the executive board of the United Mine Workers of America adopted resolutions relative to the strike in the Irwin district in western Pennsylvania, where about 6,000 mine workers have been out for a year and a half.

The resolutions provide that the executive board endorse the strikers and urge them to continue their fight, and the board pledges its continued support to the miners. It is also provided that a general meeting be held in the region, at which a vote is to be taken to ascertain if a majority of the miners favor the continuance of the strike. The miners' organization is spending about \$90,000 a month to support the families of the strikers. It is said that the operators refuse to recognize the organization in the district and will not consider any compromise.

SEIZE FOOD ON A LINER.

Federal Health Officers Fear Cholera at Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, June 29.—Carrying out an order from Washington, officials of the United States marine hospital service stationed in this city boarded the Hamburg-American line steamer Graf Waldersee, from Hamburg, and seized all the foodstuff that could be found in the baggage of the 500 passengers.

This was done in connection with the precautions being taken by the health authorities to prevent cholera from being brought into this country. The food, which consisted mainly of fruit, cheese and crackers, was burned in the ship's furnaces.

JOSEPH REICHMANN

New York Banker Convicted of Making False Reports.



Photo by American Press Association.

SAILS ON OLYMPIC "INCOG."

Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, Jr., Quiet on Subject of Rumored Divorce.

New York, June 29.—Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., sailed for the other side under an assumed name. Though her children and a retinue of servants were on board early, Mrs. Vanderbilt did not reach the ship until late and was apparently desirous of concealing her identity and keeping away from reporters.

The Vanderbilt party sailed aboard the Olympic, and Mrs. Vanderbilt was registered under the name of Mrs. Vincent.

To the question as to why she preferred sailing under an assumed name, Mrs. Vanderbilt replied: "There is no reason why I should answer that question."

Then the recent report that a divorce might follow the apparent separation between Mr. and Mrs. Vanderbilt was broached and she was asked if she cared to make a statement regarding it. "I won't talk about that. Please don't ask me any more questions."

ALL THIS IN THIRTY MINUTES

Wheat From Field to Bakers Is the Record Claimed.

Beloit, Kan., June 29.—What is thought to be the world's time record in harvesting, thrashing, milling and baking into bread was made with wheat from the W. S. Gable farm, two miles west of town. The time consumed in doing this was exactly thirty minutes.

At fourteen minutes after 3 the team started into the field with the header, and one minute later the harvested wheat was at the thrashing machine. At twenty-three minutes past 3 Mr. Gable drove his touring car up to the mill door, and at 3:29 flour had been made from the wheat by the regular process employed by a Beloit milling company. At 3:30 the flour was delivered at a bakery, and the maker made biscuits that were taken from the oven at 3:44, just thirty minutes from the time the header went into the wheat field.

NO GRAFT FUND, SAYS TILDEN

Lorimer's Election Straight, According to Chicago Packer.

Washington, June 29.—Edward Tilden, president of the National Packing company of Chicago, denied before the senate committee investigating the election of Senator William Lorimer that he was the receiver or custodian of contributions to the so called Lorimer corruption fund.

Mr. Tilden was mentioned in the testimony of Clarence S. Funk, general manager of the International Harvester company, as the person to whom Edward Hines of the Edward Hines Lumber company asked Mr. Funk to send a \$10,000 contribution.

Mr. Tilden denied any knowledge of allegations of corruption in Senator Lorimer's election. He said that his company had not contributed any money nor had he ever received contributions from any person or corporation to be used in Senator Lorimer's behalf.

CAPTAIN DIES AT WHEEL.

Collision at Boston Navy Yard is Narrowly Averted.

Boston, June 29.—The United States scout cruiser Birmingham, Commander Jones, had a narrow escape from collision with the dry dock at the navy yard when Captain Joseph B. Reilly of the navy tug Iwana dropped dead in the pilot house.

The tug was towing the cruiser into the dry dock. The engineer of the tug, missing the accustomed signals, went to investigate and discovered the captain lying over the wheel. Death was thought to be due to heart disease. The engineer took charge of the wheel and the cruiser was docked without further incident.

First Confederate Prisoner.

Washington, June 29.—The first Confederate soldier taken prisoner in the civil war, John T. Ball, has just been buried at Fairfax County Court House.

BANKER GUILTY. PUTS END TO WAR

Reichmann of Carnegie Trust Fame Convicted.

FALSE REPORT TO THE STATE TO ARBITRATE ALL DISPUTES.

Jury in Case of New York Banker Decided Against Recommending Mercy For Defendant and He May Get Year In Prison.

New York, June 29.—The jury which had been hearing the evidence against Joseph B. Reichmann took one ballot and found him guilty of having made a false report to the state banking department while he was president of the Carnegie Trust company. Then for about an hour the jury debated as to whether it should recommend him to the court for mercy and decided it would not.

The verdict was a surprise to Reichmann and his counsel, who were confident of a disagreement, if not an acquittal. Reichmann is the first banker to be convicted in this county of making a false statement to the bank department. He did not go on the witness stand in his own defense.

Reichmann was sent to the Tombs, Justice Davis, before whom he was tried in the supreme court, allowed him to remain at liberty on \$10,000 bail until tomorrow morning, when he will be sentenced. This was done by Justice Davis so that Reichmann's lawyers should have an opportunity to prepare application for an arrest of judgment and a certificate of reasonable doubt. The punishment may be a year in the penitentiary, a \$500 fine or both, as it is a misdemeanor for a banker to concur in a false report. It is likely that Justice Davis will impose a prison sentence.

District Attorney Whitman said that William J. Cummins, who had stock control of the Carnegie Trust company, of which Reichmann was president, and who is indicted for grand larceny, will be tried in October, and that the conviction of Reichmann will not change his program for the trial of former City Chamberlain Hyde, who is indicted for bribery, some time in the fall.

Later, however, James W. Osborne, counsel for Mr. Hyde, served notice on the district attorney that he would appear before Justice Page in the supreme court today and ask to have the bribery indictment against Hyde transferred from the supreme court to the court of general sessions. Mr. Osborne is anxious to have his client tried at once. Mr. Whitman will oppose the application.

WIN POINT FOR AVIATION.

Navy Decision Says Aeroplanes Won't Scare Academy Cows.

Washington, June 29.—The important question whether aeroplanes will interfere with the quality of the milk supplied at the Naval academy has been decided by Acting Secretary of the Navy Winthrop in the negative, and the work on the aerodrome will now proceed.

Captain W. I. Chambers several weeks ago selected a lot on the Naval academy grounds adjoining the academy on which to open an aeronautic school for the navy. The operator of the dairy protested that the flying of machines over his pasture would frighten the cows and interfere with the milk production. He loses.

MAY JOIN SHIP STRIKE.

Transport Workers of England to Hold Conference July 3.

London, June 29.—The National Federation of Transport Workers has decided that unless the dispute between the dockers and the shipowners is settled by July 1 the federation will hold a conference on July 3 with a view to taking drastic action.

The Pacific and Nelson lines have granted all the demands made upon them, including those of the dockers. "There is a truce at Hull pending a conference between representatives of the men and shipowners and board of trade officials."

SETBACK FOR SENATOR LEA.

Wife of Tennessean Also Has Relapse After Transfusion.

Washington, June 29.—Senator Luke Lea of Tennessee, weak from the recent transfusion of blood given to save his wife's life, has returned to the hospital to remain a few days recuperating. He overtaxed his strength in resuming his duties with the Lorimer investigating committee, and physicians ordered him to bed.

Mrs. Lea also is said to have suffered a setback.

TALE OF THE WEATHER.

Observations of the United States weather bureau taken at 3 p. m. yesterday follow:		
	Temp.	Weather.
New York	83	Clear
Albany	78	Clear
Atlantic City	82	Clear
Boston	78	Cloudy
Buffalo	64	Cloudy
Chicago	64	Clear
St. Louis	86	Clear
New Orleans	80	Cloudy
Washington	82	Clear

Anglo-American Treaty Tentatively Agreed To.

TO ARBITRATE ALL DISPUTES.

England and United States Soon to Have New Agreement, Which Follows Recent World Peace Plans Suggested by President Taft.

Washington, June 29.—It is announced at the White House that the Anglo-American arbitration treaty has been agreed upon in every important provision, there now remaining only a few minor details for settlement between the state department and British foreign office.

Ambassador Bryce called upon Mr. Taft and the announcement was made following a conference between the two. The final negotiations in the work of smoothing out the unimportant points of difference between the state department and the British foreign office will be begun at once between Secretary Knox and Ambassador Bryce, and it is believed that the treaty will be ready for submission to the senate at this session of congress.

There is, however, no certainty yet as to the date of its completion, and though negotiations will be pushed as rapidly as possible the treaty may have to wait over until the regular session of congress in December. The announcement follows the approval of the tentative draft of the treaty prepared by Secretary Knox and Mr. Bryce, which was approved by President Taft and the cabinet and submitted to the British foreign office. The approval of the British foreign office was not complete, but it embraced every important provision of the tentative treaty submitted. The treaty is now agreed upon by the two countries supplements existing arbitration treaties in the following respects:

It adds to the list of arbitral controversies those of vital interest and national honor. It provides that negotiations under this treaty shall be direct, the senate to retain only the right of passing upon the protocol or statement of the questions at issue.

Questions considered by both countries as arbitral shall be submitted to The Hague tribunal except in instances where by special agreement some other tribunal is created or selected, and questions which either country considers as not internationally justifiable are to be referred to a commission of inquiry, which shall have the power to make recommendations for the settlement of the controversy. Should this commission recommend arbitration its disposition is to be binding upon the two governments.

The commission will be composed of citizens of the two governments who are members of The Hague tribunal.

This commission is to investigate the necessity of arbitration even in controversies which both countries may agree are susceptible to arbitration. The power of this commission extends only to recommendation for arbitration, and its decision is not in the nature of an arbitral award by an international tribunal; also the decision of this commission is to be delayed one year at the request of either government while a diplomatic settlement of the issues is sought.

Under this treaty the separate arbitration of disputes will be conducted under terms of submission subject to the advice and consent of the senate. This eliminates any questions of a serious curtailment of the rights of the senate in dealing with international questions. Under existing treaties the senate passes upon two questions, the propriety of arbitrating any controversy and the manner in which that controversy shall be submitted to The Hague tribunal for arbitration.

FOR McNAMARA'S DEFENSE.

Labor Leaders in Indianapolis Discuss Raising of Funds.

Indianapolis, Ind., June 29.—Leaders of the American Federation of Labor and of international trade unions are here for a conference to decide on a plan for raising money for the defense of John J. McNamara and James W. McNamara, who are charged with complicity in dynamiting outrages at Los Angeles, Cal.

Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, arrived from Washington, accompanied by Frank Morrison, secretary of the federation, and Thomas F. Tracy and G. P. Foster of the executive council.

Mr. Gompers refused to discuss the McNamara case or the means that may be adopted to raise the fund.

LETTERS FROM THE AIR.

Aviator Flies Over Outbound Olympic to Drop Bundle on Deck.

New York, June 29.—Tom Sopwith, the young English aviator who has only been flying since last October, made a flight from the Nassau Boulevard aerodrome down to the Narrows to greet the Olympic of the White Star line, and after dropping a bundle of letters that barely missed her deck, he circled back over the Bay Ridge clubhouse of the Crescent A. C. and dropped easily on to the baseball field. With Sopwith rode a single passenger, R. R. Sinclair.

Weather Probabilities. Fair; cooler today; tomorrow fair; light to moderate northerly winds.

Governor Tener for Safe and Sane Fourth

SIGNS BILL REGULATING USE OF BLANK CARTRIDGES AND FIREWORKS.

The crusade for a safe and sane Fourth of July received a decided stimulus by the recent legislature and Governor Tener. A bill regulating the use of firecrackers, fire works, blank cartridges, etc., was introduced in the legislature, passed and approved by the Governor.

The following act which is now embodied in the statutes of the Commonwealth clearly defines the prohibition and its careful study and obedience is suggested:

An Act—No. 203.

Section 1. Be it enacted, etc., that it shall be unlawful for any person to set off, fire, or make use of, for the purpose of explosion, any fire cracker over six inches in length, over three-quarters of an inch in diameter, and any fire cracker to the length of three and one-half inches, over one inch in diameter; or to set off, fire or explode, in any county in this Commonwealth, any fire cracker or fire works containing picric acid or picrates, dynamite, or other high-explosive compound; or to explode any blank cartridge, pellet or tablet containing dynamite or other high-explosive compound, when used in pistols, hollow canes, or any toy for explosive purposes. Any one violating the provisions of this act shall, on conviction before any alderman, magistrate, or justice of the peace, be deemed guilty of disorderly conduct, and shall be fined not more than twenty-five dollars, and, in default of the payment of said fine, be imprisoned not more than ten days.

Section 2. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

Approved—The first of June A. D. 1911.

JOHN K. TENER.

The foregoing is a true and correct copy of the act of the General Assembly No. 203.

ROBERT McAFEE, Secretary of Commonwealth.

Honesdale Borough Ordinances.

Ordinance No. 14.

Fireworks.

Sec. 1. If any person shall light, burn or throw any fire-crackers, rockets, fire ball or other fireworks within the borough except between the hours of six a. m. and ten o'clock p. m. on the Fourth Day of July, or other day legally observed as Independence Day, such person shall be liable to a fine or penalty of one (\$1.00) dollar.

MRS. JULIUS M. COELLO.

Whose Sisters Accompany Her on European Honeymoon.



New York, June 28.—Four daughters of Manuel Gomez, president of Cuba, were passengers on the Ward liner Saratoga, just arrived here. Two of the young women were married recently and are on their honeymoons, while their sisters are accompanying them for the trip. The party will sail today on La Provence for Europe. Mr. and Mrs. Primitivo Porpal will join them here and go to Europe with them.

Within the past month Miss Petronilla Gomez was married to Julius Morales Coello, commander in chief of the Cuban navy. Her sister, Manuela, was married to Dr. Manuel Mencios. The other two girls are Narcisca, who is eighteen, and Marianna, sixteen.

MAY OUST A U. S. CONSUL.

Day Portrait Mystery Verdict Hits State Department Employees.

Washington, June 29.—As a result of the investigation of the Day portrait mystery, which has just been concluded, the subcommittee of the house committee on expenditures in the state department, which conducted the inquiry, has recommended that Colonel William H. Michael, former chief clerk of the state department and now a United States consul at Calcutta, and Thomas H. Morrison, disbursing clerk of the department, be dismissed "for the good of the service."

The full committee is expected to approve the findings. The report holds on the evidence gathered by the committee that there was a misappropriation of the amount representing the difference between \$850 paid to the artist for painting the portrait and the \$2,430 which was the amount of the voucher.

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SUNDAY, JULY 2.

CENTRAL METHODIST EPISCOPAL church. Rev. Will H. Hiller, pastor. Services as follows at 10:30 a. m.: Prelude; hymn, No. 208; Apostles' Creed; prayer; male quartette, "Oh Land We Love," Lassett; scripture lesson; offertory; solo, "The Dream of Peace," Geibel, C. J. Bible; reading; anthem, "Lest We Forget," Ashford; hymn, No. 701; sermon, "The Church and the State," Rev. Will H. Hiller; hymn, No. 703; benediction; postlude. Evening service at 7:30 will be as follows: Prelude, "The Honored Dead," Susa, organ and orchestra; hymn, No. 726; anthem, "Awake Thou That Sleepest," Florio; scripture lesson; offertory, "Meditation," Richardson, organ and orchestra; solo, "Cavalleria Rusticana," Mrs. Jas. Miller; scripture lesson; hymn, No. 704; address, "Whence," the pastor; triple quartette, "Cantata Domino in C," Wiske; address, "Ideals," the pastor; anthem, "Lead On O King Eternal," Buck; address, "Realization," the pastor; hymn, No. 702; benediction; postlude. C. J. Dibble, chorister; Mrs. N. J. Spencer, organist; Paul Sommer, violinist; Frank Dupplax, cellist.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. Rev. W. H. Swift, D. D., pastor. Morning service at 10:30 o'clock. Administration of the Lord's Supper. Sunday school at 11:50 a. m. Bright Hour service at 5 p. m.

Death of Charles H. Peltz.

Charles H. Peltz, brother of Mrs. Charles Schuller, of this place, died in the Wyoming Valley Homeopathic hospital, Wilkes-Barre, the latter part of last week. Death was due to a complication of diseases.

The deceased was born in Honesdale January 16, 1839, and was a son of Andrew and Martha Peltz. The early years of his life were spent in Honesdale, and when the Civil war broke out he was one of the first to offer himself to defend the Union. Mr. Peltz enlisted as a private in Company A, Sixth Pennsylvania regiment on April 9, 1861.

He served in that company for three months and on July 26, 1861, received an honorable discharge. He immediately re-enlisted in Company F, New York regiment of engineers, and served faithfully as a member of that company until the close of the war, when he returned and settled in Scranton.

He married Miss Minerva Sagor, Bloomsburg, in Scranton, Nov. 10, 1867.

During his early life Mr. Peltz was employed as a railroad worker, but after the war he became interested in ore mines, and shortly after his marriage he secured a position as superintendent of a large ore mine at Bloomfield, this state. The last few years of Mr. Peltz's life have been spent in West Pittston.

Besides his wife he is survived by nine sons and three daughters. Lewis Peltz, Hawley, is a brother of the deceased and Mrs. C. Schuller, Honesdale, a sister.

STERLING.

[Special to The Citizen.]

STERLING, Pa., June 29.—Serenio Hine line had the misfortune to lose another good horse.

We are having lots of rain but grass and oats are improving the occasion.

On the 22d at the parsonage Rev. W. E. Webster married Miss Viola Smith, Greentown, and William F. Simons, of the same place.

After two years of intense suffering Mrs. May Evans, Wilkes-Barre, was quietly laid to rest in the Oaklawn cemetery on Saturday last. Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Cross were present at the burial. Mrs. Cross is still spending a few days with the afflicted family.

Last Saturday Royal and David Cross returned from Cornell University, where they graduated in electrical engineering.

Earl Cross is attending the commencement exercises at Perkiomen Seminary, where he graduated last year.

The Sterling Sunday school will picnic on the Fourth.

Rev. F. L. Hartford attended a Baptist meeting in Susquehanna county last week.

REAL ESTATE DEALS.

D. P. Hine to John Taylor, both of Preston township, 50 square rods of land, \$50.

Max A. Schultz, Palmyra township, to James Butler, Moosic, tract of land in Paupack township, \$153.75.

George E. Cliff to Charles E. Lucks and William E. Hafer, all of Sterling, six tracts of valuable land in said township, \$4,500.

David N. Manning, Bethany, to Charles H. Manning, Newburg, N. Y., 58 acres in borough of Bethany; \$1 and other valuable consideration. Casey & Kelly Brewing Co., Scranton, to William O'Neill, Pleasant Mount, 100 acres in said township. Consideration private.

Death of Charles H. Peck.

Charles H. Peck, one of the oldest native-born residents of Wayne county, died Tuesday morning at the home of his son-in-law, George Williams, at Tanners Falls, aged 81 years. Dropsy was the cause of his demise. Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock in the North Clinton Baptist church. Interment in the cemetery adjoining.

THREATENED TO KILL FAMILY.

Jacob Shurmbco, of Browndale, was brought to Honesdale by W. L. Hopkins, overseer of poor, Tuesday, charged with threatening to kill his wife and family. A commission was appointed by the court, comprising Dr. H. B. Ely, Attorney C. A. Garrett and John Rickett, who found Shurmbco insane. He was directed to be sent to Danville.