

MORRISON FAVORS AN EXCISE BOARD

Commissioners Discuss at Length the Sabbath Excise Violations and the Solution—Hard to Get Evidence and Then Conviction, Says Houghton—F. R. Stout May Turn Detective.

Stirred by newspaper rebuke and the comment on the streets that the saloons of this city are wide open and doing business on the Sabbath, the City Commissioners at this morning's meeting went into thorough discussion of the matter.

Commissioner Morrison advanced the statement that the city should go back to the days of the Excise Board, and on this point he met with the approval of Commissioner Houghton.

F. R. Stout, of Livingston avenue, opened up the way for the discussion by appearing and telling of the Sunday violations. He said: "Gentlemen, I am not here to find fault. I worked for commission government and want to cooperate with the present commissioners. I want to see the law enforced, however. All of us know that the saloons are doing business on the Sabbath. You can see drunken men reel out of side doors of saloons most any Sunday."

Following this up he called attention to the fact that papers are allowed to blow all over the streets, because the business houses have not been prevented from unloading the boxes of goods on the streets. Another matter he called attention to was the awnings on some streets that are so low that you cannot walk under them without having your head bumped or hats knocked off.

His comment on the excise conditions was followed by remarks from all the commissioners. The discussion was a friendly one throughout.

Commissioner Houghton said: "As Director of the Department of Public Safety, I am responsible for the excise conditions in this city. I want to call your attention to how hard it is for the police department of this city to get evidence against the saloons. Our police department consists of 24 men and four superior officers. There are three shifts, six go on duty at 6 a. m. and go off at 1 o'clock; another shift of six goes on at 1 o'clock and remain on until 9 o'clock. From that hour until 6 o'clock in the morning when crime is most likely to be committed, there are

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YOUNG MAN IT'S UP TO YOU!

A bright, clean cut young man who wants to connect with one of the fastest growing concerns in this city is offered exceptional opportunities. At times the work may seem hard and the hours long, but the fellow with the right kind of stuff in him will be well repaid. If you are honest and ambitious and have backbone and grit, address "Store," Home News, N3-4t\*

GET YOUR FURS AT MANUFACTURERS' PRICES

Are you going to be fashionable this winter, and fur a muff, coat, or outfit set in fur? If so, consult M. Schwartzman, the old reliable dealer, in business 14 years at 84 Church street. He bought skins when they were cheap last winter, and now prices have soared so high Mr. Schwartzman can sell at manufacturers' prices and beat the ordinary retailer 30 per cent. Just look at his stock and be convinced. o28-tf\*

Pennsylvania Lunch Ladies' dining room at attached. Opposite P. R. R. station. o25-1m\*

FALL MILLINERY.

Our fall millinery opening is now in progress and we are showing a complete line of all the new styles in trimmed and untrimmed hats, feathers, fancies and trimmings. The public is invited to inspect our display. Gallagher's Millinery, 69 Church street. s30-tf\*

WALLPAPER AND PAINTS

Now is the time to do your papering and painting. Let me give you an estimate on your papering, interior and exterior painting, and I will save you money. Mervin Nelson and Bayard street. S22-4t\*

FALL MILLINERY

AT MISS BICKEL'S All the latest creations, as well as the ideas of our own milliners, are ready for your inspection. Come in and look them over. Miss Frances Bickel, 38-40 Peace street.

GIRLS WANTED—Over 16 years of age. Russell Playing Card Co., Milltown, N. J. o18-tf\*

LEWINE'S MILLINERY

Finest assortment of beautiful trimmed and untrimmed shapes of every description at prices far below others. Mournful goods a specialty. 9 Church street. O22-1m\*

Term Verdicts Only \$4,127; One Matter Pending

The verdicts given in Judge Lloyd's Court during the September term reached a total of only \$4,127.22, the lowest in many years. The suits in which verdicts were given for the plaintiffs were as follows: Helen Kallay vs. Arctic Ice Company, \$400.

Nellis Marukywicz vs. Joseph Sulzsky, \$1,200. Henry S. Heckelmer vs. Edward and Edna Lamebt, \$2,526.72. Judge Lloyd returned here yesterday with a view to completing the trial of causes, but found nothing ready and as a consequence all the cases remaining on the list were marked off for the term.

Condemnation Hearing. Judge Lloyd has fixed Friday, November 15, for a hearing in the appeal of John H. Sebring, Henry C. Sebring and Kate C. Sebring, from awards made by condemnation commissioners on lands they own in Middlesex Borough, and which are wanted for the joint sewage disposal plant of Plainfield, North Plainfield and the borough of Dunellen.

The matter will be heard before a jury to be struck on November 14. The jurors will be taken to view the lands soon after they have been sworn in to try the case.

WANT ALL SENATE VOTES RECOUNTED

In Effort to Upset Election of Florance as State Senator—Irregularities Are Charged by Spencer's Friends.

The vote cast for State Senator in Middlesex county at the election last Tuesday is to be recounted, Lawyer William A. Spencer, the Republican nominee, who on the face of the returns, was defeated by Prosecutor W. Edwin Florance of this city, by 239 majority, will make application before a Supreme Court Justice within the next few days for the recount of the vote cast in the seventy-five voting districts. This means that over 17,000 ballots are to be recounted.

Mr. Spencer met here last night with County Chairman John Pfeiffer and several other party workers when the matter was considered and the decision arrived at that a recount would be asked for. The application will be made upon several grounds, chief of which is that in

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GEORGE W. DUNHAM DIES AT WELLS HOSPITAL

George W. Dunham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dunham, died at Wells Hospital to-day. The deceased, who was about 35 years of age, was engaged in the painting business.

Mr. Dunham was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dunham, of 35 Hartwell street. Undertaker Quackenboss has charge of the funeral arrangements.

ACHTUNG! ACHTUNG!

Unsere Deutsche Freunde werden hiermit ersucht an die Feskcheiten in der Deutschen St. Johannes Schulhalle Teil u nehmen. Das Kommittee hat Einrichtungen getroffen (heute Abend) und Samstag Abend dieser Woche den Deutschen eine froehliche Unterhaltung zu bereiten. Herr Schneider und der National Band Siefert die Musik. Der Eintritts Price wird 10c. setz. Taenze von 8 bis 12 Uhr Abends. N3-2t\*

NOW IS THE SHOOTER'S TIME.

Get ready. G. Dreier has a fine stock of all makes of guns, loaded shells, coats, leggings, pants, rifles and cartridges. Game and fishing laws free. G. Dreier, 75 Church street. O7-1m\*

400 Ask That Charge Against South Amboy Teacher Be Withdrawn

SOUTH AMBOY, Nov. 4.—The charge preferred against Miss Amedea Everett was heard by the Board of Education last night. Miss Everett was represented by Mr. English, of the law firm of McCarter & English, of Newark. Former Judge Adrian Lyon, of Perth Amboy, represented the Board of Education. Mr. English presented the charges against Miss Everett, and the members of the Board were present.

Mr. Barr testified to the particulars of the complaint, and was questioned by the attorney for the defendant. Other points in the complaint were testified to by Professor James H. Dawson, Miss Laura V. Russell, Miss Mary Mack, Miss Helen Brown, and E. E. Coogan. The witnesses for the defense were Cyrus E. Davis, Mrs. Sig. Emlenu-

BOOM WOODBRIDGE FOR THE JOB OF PROSECUTOR

Wire-Pulling for Various Candidates Has Already Commenced—Perth May Get Plum for Reasons of Political Expediency.

Friends of Judge Freeman Woodbridge, of this city, have already begun an active campaign in his behalf with a view to securing his appointment as prosecutor of Middlesex County, to succeed William Edwin Florance.

Judge Woodbridge is now the presiding genius of the local district court and his fine record in that position as well as his past services to the Democratic party are being urged in his behalf. The prosecutorship would be a considerably more lucrative berth than the one he now holds, the salary of prosecutor being \$5,500 as compared to \$2,500 for the judge of the district court, under the census to be promulgated shortly.

Perth Amboy is bound to make a determined bid for the prosecutorship, however, and friends of Joseph E. Stricker, of that city, will urge his claims to the office of prosecutor. Not only was Mr. Stricker formerly assistant prosecutor and acquainted with every detail of the work but there is the further fact that the Middlesex Democracy is realizing the need for mending its fences in Perth Amboy and the appointment of Mr. Stricker would, it is believed, go far in that direction.

A Republican majority was polled in Perth Amboy in the recent election for State Senator, and the Democratic leaders also recall that Arthur A. Quinn polled a greater vote there in the primary election of September 28 than did William E. Florance, the organization candidate of the Democrats. That some steps will have to be taken to line up the Democratic vote in the "down-river" city is apparent.

The threatened contest over the election for State Senator may delay the resignation of the present prosecutor and in the meanwhile at least five Democratic lawyers who would like to be prosecutor are on the anxious seat. Beside Messrs. Woodbridge and Stricker, the five include John A. Coan, John P. Kirkpatrick and Fred. M. P. Pearse.

We Have With Us To-day-- the Tax Bills

The 1916 tax bills are out and incidentally a number of tempers are out of joint today. Property values in many sections of the city have been jumped, in some instances nearly one hundred per cent being added to the assessed valuation by the taxing officials.

Some of those whose valuations had been jumped took occasion to remark that the drop from a tax rate of \$2.39 to the \$2.30 tax rate of this year, was explained in the increased valuations.

Bills for poll taxes have also been mailed by Collector Ridgeway, following the general custom in other parts of the county and State. Highland Park is now the only municipality in Middlesex that does not levy a poll tax.

Manias Slays Wife and 4-Year-Old Son

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—His mind unbalanced as the result of a long and severe illness, Edward McManus of this city today attacked his wife and four year old son in their home, and after cutting the throats of both with a razor he committed suicide.

NOTICE

Notice to the Public—My wife having left my bed and board, I will therefore not be responsible for any debts contracted by her. (Signed) ISAAC COHN, 11C.C. Sayreville.

WALLPAPER OF QUALITY.

George Churchward, 33 Albany street. A30-tf\*

FREE QUINN OF MURDER IN ITALY

Fellow Countrymen Acquit Man Charged With Murdering Mrs. Tessie Kubbery at Milltown—Remarkable Ending of Tragedy That Stirred the County.

Following closely upon the conviction of Porter Charlton, an American who was tried in Italy for murder, comes the announcement in the form



Luigi Aquino, alias Louis Quinn.

of a communication to Prosecutor Florance that Luigi Aquino, alias Louis Quinn, charged with the murder of Mrs. Tessie Kubbery at Milltown on July 25, 1913, has been acquitted and set at liberty by the Court of Assise at Avellino, Italy.

Following the crime at Milltown, Quinn escaped to Italy, his native country, where he was arrested in December, 1913, through a decoy letter sent by County Detective John

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Physicians Conflict Over Reality of Pain Hyman Bell Suffered

The morning session of the suit of Hyman Bell against the Public Service Railway Company for damages for injuries alleged to have been sustained by him as a result of an accident in which he was thrown from a wagon he was driving when a trolley car struck it, was occupied entirely with examinations of physicians on both sides.

Dr. J. W. Rice and Dr. E. M. Donohue, who examined Bell for the company, declared that they had found no objective evidences of injuries, but they were unwilling to declare that Bell could not have been suffering from some internal disturbance.

Dr. Donohue stated that after a very thorough examination he was unable to find any lesion, and therefore it was his opinion that Bell's pain and distress had not been caused by the accident. Dr. Rice, who examined Bell immediately after the accident, also said that he could find no evidence of concussion of the brain or of serious injury.

Dr. William Klein, however, testified that if the concussion were not accompanied by shock it might occur without any external symptoms. He said it was his opinion that Bell had been suffering from trouble brought about as a result of concussion of the brain from the time of the accident on April 15 to September 24 when the last examination was made.

Examination of witnesses to the accident was reserved until the afternoon session of the court. The case was tried by a jury, but there were so many challenges that the supply of available jurors was used up and the case had to be tried by seven jurors, by consent of course. The jury were Harry Solomon, William N. V. Ackerman, Patrick Burns, Frank Schlesinger, C. N. Bastedo, Andrew Parent, and J. L. Williamson.

Alfred S. March represented the plaintiff, while former Judge Cole, of Newark, appeared for the defendant.

File Charges Against Osborne, Sing Sing Warden

ALBANY, Nov. 4.—Dr. Rudolph T. Dielding this morning filed a report with the State Prison Commission charging Warden Thomas Mott Osborne of Sing Sing Prison with immorality, inefficiency, and inattention to the duties of his office. It could not be learned what action is to be taken by the board in the matter.

For Sale. Brick building, No. 310 George street, 37 feet front. Good location for business; the best bargain on George street. James A. O'Connell, 417 George street, agent.

FOR ECONOMY AND STYLE Go to The Bon Ton, 71 Church street. O13-1m\*

MOVIE CROWD GETS A THRILL ON GEORGE ST.

Lewis Brown's Auto Turns Turtle and Charley Chinn Puts Out Fire—Brown Escapes Injury.

Patrons coming out of the Empire and Bijou motion picture houses shortly after nine o'clock, after an evening of pleasure in enjoying the thrilling, pathetic and laughable scenes thrown upon the screen, witnessed a thrill at the corner of George and Bayard streets, which wasn't on the reel, and which they hadn't anticipated. It was a thrill in real life. If a movie camera operator had only been around, he could have snapped a picture which a motion picture concern would have paid him handsomely for.

Louis Brown, a colored cabman, with a license to hack at the Pennsylvania Railroad, furnished the thrill and that he is alive today is a miracle. Brown owns a Ford touring car and carries on a business at the depot. Last evening, shortly after 9 o'clock, Louis was on the way to the station, when the accident occurred.

Driving at a moderate rate of speed up Bayard street, Brown turned into George street, making a long turn. As he did, he quickly spied an approaching trolley car. Without hesitating he attempted to pull to the side of the street to avoid being hit by the trolley. He misjudged the distance between the track and the curb and drove his machine directly against the curb in front of the lot between the Baldwin building and a laundry owned by Charlie Chin. The front wheels hit the curb with great force. The machine jolted and Brown attempted to pull the car from the curb. In so doing the machine hurled the curb with such force that it hit the fence beside the walk and turned turtle.

Patrolmen John Bates and John Wilcox were quickly upon the scene and did good work. The two officers, with the assistance of a number of others, succeeded in righting the machine, which was dragged out by the two officers. He was in a semi-conscious condition.

Dr. Howard C. Voorhees was summoned and quickly responded in his automobile. It was thought that Brown was internally injured, and he was placed in the physician's machine and rushed to St. Peter's Hospital. An examination at the hospital revealed, however, that he suffered more from fright than actual injuries. He soon recovered and was permitted to leave the institution. He suffered considerably from contusions of the body.

The machine was a total wreck. The radiator hood ripped off clean and flattened out, the headlights demolished and one side of the body cracked in several places. The running board was bent into a V shape.

Wilson Leaves for New York to Speak on Preparedness To-night

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—President Wilson, together with Secretary Tumulty, Dr. Grayson and a squad of Secret Service men, left for New York at 10:03 this morning to speak on the subject of preparedness at the Manhattan Club dinner to-night. He will return to-morrow with Mrs. Galt.

1 Killed, 4 Hurt in New York Explosion

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—One man was killed and four others were badly injured, perhaps fatally, in a boiler explosion that wrecked the entire building of the New York Ash Can Company in this city.

American Marine Shot

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—Admiral Caperton reported to the Navy Department this morning that Marine Private W. L. Fudshok was wounded in the knee and five natives were killed by the American troops in a fight between Cacos and marines at Letrou, Haiti.

South River Sunday School Superintendent Attacked, Hits Back

C. C. Armstrong, who is superintendent of a Sunday School in South River, is in very much perturbed state of mind over the circulation of reports that he is to be rewarded for his support of Mayor Fee for re-election. Mr. Fee being a wholesale liquor dealer the appearance of Mr. Armstrong at a mass meeting of the Fee faction created a sensation in South River. Mr. Armstrong made a speech at the meeting and endorsed Fee heartily and on Tuesday Mr. Fee was re-elected by 83 majority.

Mr. Armstrong has issued a statement concerning the report, as follows: "Inasmuch as certain false statements have been made (not directly to me) regarding my participation in the recent campaign, I wish to take this opportunity to deny them. It is alleged that representations were made to me in the way of

Carranza Troops Deliberately Fire Upon Americans

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—General Funston reported to the War Department to-day that the forces of General Calles, the Carranza commander at Agua Prieta, deliberately fired at a group of United States officers who were standing on the American side of the border yesterday. Funston immediately demanded an explanation, and General Calles sent his regrets and promised that it would not happen again. General Funston said that the Villa troops have been careful not to shoot on American soil.

The Americans did not return the fire because Calles was the offender, and it would not have been fair to open fire when both Villistas and Carranzistas were in range.

General Funston reported that the Carranza forces fired 500 rounds of artillery at the Villa troops as they withdrew yesterday after a futile assault. It is uncertain where Villa's main body is located at present, although some are reported at Cabullona and others at Naco.

Villa is believed to have lost over 1,000 men in his attack on Agua Prieta, and it is not expected that he will renew the attack.

SIXTH WARD RESIDENTS WANT ACTION

Petition Commissioners to Lay New Crossing at College Avenue and Ray Street—Will Pay for It Themselves if Necessary—Commissioner Oliver Says He Ordered Sidewalk Laid.

William R. Lee, of College avenue, at the meeting of the city commission, presented a petition today containing the names of about seventy-five residents of the Sixth Ward in the vicinity of College avenue and Ray street, asking that a new crosswalk be laid at Ray street and College avenue. Mr. Lee and Lawrence Howley and Eugene Gilligan were present to back up the petition and a somewhat lively discussion followed.

As previously stated in the Home News, Rutgers College has laid a

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France and Italy Will Not Discuss Peace Now

PARIS, Nov. 4.—All the newspapers here today contained the following warning, taken to indicate that the French government is absolutely opposed to any talk of peace at the present time. "If Prince von Buelow, the supposed peace agent of the Kaiser, attempts to cross the Atlantic to lay peace proposals before President Wilson he will be placed under arrest by the crews of French or British warships."

The London Daily Mail correspondent at Rome reports that it has been denied at the Vatican that the Pope will act as the Kaiser's peace mediator. Rome advices also deny most emphatically that Italy is willing to discuss peace terms at the present time.

New Pennsylvania Sauer Kraut, white and tender, 6 cents quart at Johnson's, 28 Liberty street. Phone 966. n4-tf\*

TEUTONS CLOSING IN ON SERBIA

Ring of Steel is Tightened and Fall of Mountain Stronghold Gives Austro-Germans Control of More Than Half the Country.

LONDON, Nov. 4.—More than half of Serbia is now in the hands of the Austro-German forces, and several of the mountain strongholds have fallen, giving the invaders a firmer grip on the conquered territory. South of Carak, an eventful ring of steel is being drawn in around Nish, and little hope is now felt for the capital. It is thought that by the end of the week the city will be in the hands of the Germans. The Serbian First Army in the northern part of the country, is in danger of annihilation, and unless the Allies succeed in getting aid to the Serbians, there is small chance of their escape.

SOFIA, Nov. 4.—The Serbian forts which defend the city of Nish on the north are reported to be crumbling rapidly beneath the continuous bombardment of the Bulgarian heavy artillery. Advices from the front also state that the wireless station at Nish has been destroyed, isolating the former capital from the rest of the country. Telegraphic communication was cut off several days ago. The Bulgarians have captured favor.

French Rush Aid.

ATHENS, Nov. 4.—Additional French troops are being rushed to the aid of the Serbians in the north and several regiments have been landed at Salonika in addition to the troops already there.

Russians Make Progress.

GENEVA, Nov. 4.—It is reported on good authority here that the Russian invading army in Bukovina has captured Czernowitz and is rapidly pushing ahead. Important successes are claimed against the Austrians.

French Gain in Champagne.

PARIS, Nov. 4.—The French have captured the ground recently lost in the Champagne fighting at the Chausson farm. Hard fighting is reported all along the Lille highway, the French troops having taken the offensive.

Hindenburg Rolled Back.

PETROGRAD, Nov. 4.—The strengthened Russian offensive has rolled back the armies of Field Marshal Von Hindenburg a distance of 15 miles. The Germans are retreating, and a well executed blow on the flank caught them off their guard. reinforcements are being rushed to Dvinsk, and it is now believed that both that city and Riga are safe from capture.

Dr. Lipman Buys Land to Protect Interests of Experiment Station

Director Jacob G. Lipman of the State Agricultural Experiment Station and the Rutgers College Farm has just purchased a tract of land of a little more than an acre adjoining the lands of the College Farm.

When asked about the purchase Dr. Lipman said that he had made it personally, but that he had done it in the interests of the farm. The land was put on the market by Otto Stillman, the owner, and Dr. Lipman felt that it would be to the best interests of the station to have the land retained as a whole so as to make it possible for the Station to acquire it later if thought advisable. Otherwise it would have been cut up into building lots.

The land is good for farming purposes and in the past it has been used as a garden. Dr. Lipman said he intended to allow the Poultry Department of the State Experiment Station use the land free of charge, as in the case of another tract that he recently purchased in the interests of the Station.

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