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ESTATE OF FATHER OF MRS. J. H. BUDAU WORTH \$2,000,000

All of the Property Is Left In Equal Shares to Widow and Children

Elizabeth N. J., Jan. 10.—Mrs. Carrie Budau, wife of the well known physician, Dr. John H. D. Budau, 876 North avenue, Bridgeport, Conn., is one of the heirs to an estate whose estimated value is over \$2,000,000, left by her father, William Horro, who died in New Brunswick, N. J., on Christmas day. The deceased was a merchant, largely interested in the distribution of coal throughout the state of New Jersey, and was not only well known in Elizabeth, N. J., but in the largest manufacturing cities of Newark, Hoboken, and Jersey City, as well.

The will has been admitted to probate in New Brunswick without opposition. According to its provisions the widow, Mrs. Elizabeth W. Horro, with her three sons, George W., Julius W., and William H. Horro, and also her daughter, Mrs. Marie Elizabeth Groebe, all of Elizabeth, are named as the executors, and with Mrs. Budau and another daughter, Mrs. Anna Louise Groebe, of New Brunswick, are made the sole beneficiaries, to share equally in the vast properties left by the coal and wood baron, who owned the largest yards in the New Jersey section of the east.

Besides his coal properties he was an extensive realty holder as well as being a director and stockholder in a number of local concerns. The estate has not as yet been divided, it is estimated by those conversant with the business of the late William Horro that his holdings are far in excess of two millions of dollars.

According to the New Jersey law, the executors have a year in which to distribute the estate in accordance with the stipulations of the will, and may even obtain an extension beyond that period by application to the court.

It could not be learned today whether it was intended to divide the various interests of the deceased or to conduct them in trust for the legatees.

A rumor recently current to the effect that both Dr. and Mrs. Budau intended leaving Bridgeport to establish a residence elsewhere was strenuously denied at the home here today. Budau stated that such an intention had never been present in either his or Mrs. Budau's mind.

BRUTAL MURDER OF BARGE WOMAN IS CHARGE BY POLICE

New Bedford, Mass., Jan. 10.—A brutal murder was disclosed early today by the finding of the body of Annie Walsh, of this city, on board a coal barge lying at a dock. Charles Matrony, captain of the barge, was arrested, charged with the murder.

The woman's head was crushed in several places, the feet were partly cut off and the body was otherwise mutilated. There was little clothing on the body, which was in a bunk in the cabin. On the floor nearby was an axe covered with what appeared to be bloodstains.

Matrony is alleged to have told the police after his arrest that he had been drinking heavily last night. The woman was 32 years old.

TWO SUITS FOR AUTO COLLISION

Two suits resulting from an automobile collision in Greenwich last May, were filed in the common pleas court today. John E. Coffin of Greenwich brings action against S. Laskau of New York for \$500, alleging that on May 20, 1913 the defendant's motor truck crashed into Coffin's automobile, damaging the latter machine. Coffin seeks \$500, claiming that his collarbone was broken when he was thrown out by force of the collision with the Laskau truck. Both actions are returnable to the February term.

POLICE BAG A BAG OF LIVE CHICKENS

The sight of Vincent Charalante, 17 years, living at 75 Cowles street, trudging along the street during the early hours this morning with a bag over his shoulders that appeared to be very much alive attracted the attention of Police Constable George E. Simpson, and resulted in Vincent's arrest. The bag contained seven live hens and one chancier. The prisoner's stories proved convincing, but enough information was gained to result in the arrest of Antonio DeFurio.

Vincent has lived with DeFurio for the past three years on Cowles street, where three other fowls were found. It is alleged that these were stolen several days ago.

A valuable coach dog was found tied in the yard and the police suspect that this too belongs to someone else. An attempt is being made to locate the owner.

Later in the day it was found that James St. Clair's chicken yard, 121 Bishop avenue, had been broken into last night and eight fowls taken.

A STRIKING BIRDSEYE VIEW OF THE PANAMA CANAL



Colon, Jan. 10.—It is now generally conceded that the first steamer to traverse the Panama canal from one ocean to the other will go through late in March provided no new slides occur at Culebra cut. The accompanying illustration gives an effective presentation of the canal's course from end to end and the adjoining territory.

BIG BUILDING FOR CHRISTIAN M. SSION

Fireproof Brick Structure With Modern Equipment to Replace Old Quarters

Athletic, Sleeping and Lounging Rooms Will Be Provided

Quarters that will not only be entirely adequate to the growing needs of the mission but a credit to the city are being made the subject of active plans by the supporters of the Bridgeport Christian Union. The proposed building is to be on the property adjoining the present institution.

Architect Joseph W. Northrop has been engaged and while official report has not been made, it is planned to have a building of four stories, entirely fire proof and of brick construction.

A chapel will be located on the first floor with accommodations for seating about 175. There will also be an office, quarters for the superintendent, a dining room, store-room, and an adequate reading room.

There will be 19 rooms on the second and third floors, each with a bath, for those desiring a room to themselves and preferring to live at the Union. They will be of moderate size, conveniently arranged, and with one and two beds.

There will also be quarters for the industrial department on the second floor, room accommodation being made for 60 per sons. There will be beds for new comers and better ones for others, known as double deckers. Quarters for the janitor are also to be provided here.

The second floor will partially cover the wood yard, which will be in the rear. Steam heat is to be used throughout and electricity for lighting. Plans call for the erection of one of the best equipped buildings of its kind in the country and will carry out the expectations of Jerry Holmes, father of the Union, and Superintendent C. W. Simpson, at present in charge, who is responsible for much of its success.

Imported Criminals Subject to Quarantine

Hartford, Jan. 10.—Jeffery O. Phelps, commissioner on diseases of domestic animals, has issued rules regulating the importation of horses and mules into this state and they have been approved by Governor Baldwin.

The rules provide that such importations must be accompanied by a permit, the arrival reported to the commissioner within 24 hours and must remain in quarantine until released by the commissioner's order. The rules do not apply to animals crossing the border in their daily work or to those being transported across the state.

Diseased animals will be killed, the carcasses burned and the premises disinfected.

The rules are promulgated for the purpose of suppressing glanders and farcy, now quite prevalent in Connecticut.

At the meeting of the Olympic Band last night which under the efforts of John J. Broadhead, its founder, has had a prosperous year, the following officers were elected: Charles Capozzi, president; Stephen Willie, vice-president; Emil Steindahl, treasurer; Emil Lunden, secretary; Martin Strukle, leader.

STRIKERS SAY THEY'RE FIRM AS BLUMENTHAL

Attitude of Men Unchanged, They Say, As to Treat- ing With Outsiders

MASS MEETING WILL ATTRACT BIG CROWD

First Appearance of Giovan- nitti Is Awaited With Interest

(By Our Staff Correspondent.)
Shelton, Jan. 10.—While no outward disturbances were recorded in Shelton today following the big mass meetings of last night, strikers today through spokesmen at their headquarters declared that the same firmness of purpose to continue the strike until the differences are settled will be shown as was expressed in the statements of the day before. The head of the mills, before the civic meeting yesterday.

Although both George Sullivan, Mayor of Derby, and Warden George Harlow, of Shelton, are actively engaged in efforts to bring about an adjustment of the grievances between factory and workmen, it was learned that they had been told their efforts would be difficult following the antagonism which the recent statements of Blumenthal had inspired in the minds of the strikers. It is intimated that the strikers have indicated that neither Sullivan nor Harlow can qualify as representatives of the factory owner, and that his rejection of intermediary means of settlement is to be cordently emulated by the strike contingent.

Suppressed excitement and expectancy is everywhere apparent in Shelton, Derby and Ansonia today over the coming to the Shelton opera house, Derby, tomorrow, of the famous Lawrence strike leader, Giovanni. It is expected that almost every male and many female residents of this town will tomorrow clamor for admission to the theatre, to listen to this well known speaker and idol of the I. W. W. Besides Giovanni, the Italian-speaking leader, Rossoni, as well as Miss Lorraine, the actress, are scheduled to speak at 8:30. The addresses will be in several languages.

Statements issued from headquarters today allege that 11 Syrian strike breakers left the mills today by trolley for Bridgeport and presumably thence to New York, from which city they are to return. It is alleged by the strikers that they did not leave owing to any dissatisfaction upon their part, but that they were unable to perform the high class tasks allotted them today in the probate of the Blumenthal mill is said to be of the finest nature, such a task as cannot be performed by the ordinary weaver, and for this reason it was left to the breakers being imported. It is also rumored that the defections from the inside workers are of daily occurrence.

At the home of Michael Komlek, in the cement house today it was reported that the condition of the surviving infant twin, whose brother died from exposure subsequent to the riots of last Tuesday week was critical. The child is under the care of Dr. Parlatto, who today diagnosed a relapse.

JACKMAN ESTATE APPRISED \$65,000

Prior to His Demise Late Manufacturer Disposed of Manufacturing Holdings

George W. Jackman, former president of the Springfield Mfg. Co. and a manufacturer here for years left an estate of \$65,000, according to the inventory filed today in the probate court. Mr. Jackman before his death had disposed of his interests in the Springfield Mfg. Co. His estate consisted mostly of real estate in Elm street, his personal estate comprising his holdings in North avenue is valued at \$7,049.07.

OIL TANK STEAMER REPORTS DISTRESS; TUG DESPATCHED

New Bedford, Mass., Jan. 10.—A wireless message, reporting the steamer Comet to be sinking off Nantucket south shoals, was received today by the revenue cutter Aqueduct, which left immediately to render assistance. The steamer in distress is believed to be a Standard Oil Company boat which left Boston for New York yesterday.

New York, Jan. 10.—The Standard Oil Company received a wireless message today from the captain of the Comet, saying that a small leak had been discovered after the vessel left Boston. To prevent an explosion, the fires were drawn.

Pending stoppage of the leak, the tug Standard left Vineyard Haven to stand by the Comet.

Boston, Jan. 10.—The commission to determine whether Harry K. Thaw's mental condition would make him a public menace if he were released, on bail met here today. It will report to Federal Judge Aldrich at Concord, N. H., within a few days.

BY WAY OF EXPLANATION

On Thursday, the Standard published a list of street sprinkling bills, containing the following items:
Standard, 54 inches \$60.75
Farmer, 52 1/2 inches \$98.91

Over the Farmer's charge, our esteemed contemporary made quite a howl, not however characterizing it as "graft" but conveying that inference.

On Friday, the Standard undertook a correction, but in so muddled a manner that the average reader would probably be mystified which was possibly the intention. Only one sentence was clear. It follows:

"It is apparent that if the advertisement was inserted in two additions of The Farmer the charge of \$98.91 would be correct."

The word "additions" was probably intended for "editions."

Now, for a few words of facts: The advertisement came by messenger to The Farmer, and the order for insertion which was verbal, was understood as for two insertions.

It was published twice in The Farmer and charged for at the regular rate, and billed at \$98.91 which, as the Standard admits, was correct for two insertions.

Promptly on ascertaining that the advertisement should have been inserted but once, The Farmer forwarded a new bill for one insertion—amount \$49.45. The present record for the same advertisement stands now:

Standard, 54 inches \$60.75
Farmer, 52 1/2 inches \$49.45

The difference in price is \$11.30. It is perhaps due to some "peculiar method of keeping books." Only in some such way does it seem possible to explain why that 1 1/4 inches of excess is charged for at the rate of \$9.04 an inch.

DEALERS IN COLD STORAGE EGGS FINED \$500 IN NEW YORK

New York, Jan. 10.—A fine of \$500 was imposed today on the James Van Dyk Company, egg dealers, on their plea of guilty to selling cold storage eggs fresh. It is the first conviction of its kind in this state.

The action was brought by the state department of health, which has been conducting a crusade against the practice of misrepresenting cold storage products.

Frisco Will Put Its Unemployed to Work

San Francisco, Jan. 10.—Three thousand of the unemployed here are to be put to work next week, 1,000 on government reservations in this vicinity.

Word was received from Washington that \$5,000 had been authorized for the purchase of other men's work on boulevards and public improvements. These men are to be chosen from a registration bureau which has a list of 7,000.

Denies Motion to Default Suit Brought Against McNeil Co.

Judge Curtis of the Superior court handed down a decision today denying the plaintiff's motion for default in the action of the Commercial Credit Co. of Baltimore against Archibald McNeil & Sons. The default was asked because it was claimed McNeil & Sons had not filed an answer or before December 19 as they agreed. The original suit was brought to recover for a consignment of coal bought by McNeil & Sons from Dimmick & Co. of Philadelphia, who afterward assigned the claim to the Credit Co. The local dealers are perfectly willing to pay the bill but do not know to whom it should be paid.

Clock Restored, But On Meigs' Corner, Where Thousands See

Great satisfaction was expressed this morning when a small corpse of workmen, employed by the Western Union Telegraph company, began the transfer of the standard time clock from the old Badford B. Smith building on the southeast corner of Main street and Fairfield avenue to a trolley post upon the northwest corner, in front of the Meigs building.

This clock had become of such universal use that thousands missed its moving hands during the past few days. Traffic Officer Al Goulden doing duty at that spot and his right successor as well as the local trolley company's dispatcher at that point almost contracted paralysis of the arm in reaching for watches to supply the time to hundreds of pedestrians who, accustomed to securing the accurate time as they passed by, by force of habit secured it from these servants of the public.

Although the clock in its present condition will be more exposed to the wintry weather than heretofore, it is asserted that its mechanism is such that it will withstand the elements and continue to give the correct time.

SYLVIA PANKHURST FREED FROM JAIL

London, Jan. 10.—Miss Sylvia Pankhurst was today released from Holloway jail where she had been a prisoner since January 3 when she was arrested in the East End of London. She was in a state of collapse as the result of a week's "hunger strike."

TO WAGE FIGHT AGAINST THE WHITE PLAGUE

Gunshanan to Speak to Rep- resentatives of Local In- dustries Next Week

A monster meeting to inspire workers to organize to protect themselves against the ravages of the white plague, will be held, Thursday evening, Jan. 15, in this city.

Some 200 business houses are interested, and each is expected to send two delegates. The delegates will assemble in the Board of Trade rooms, and John P. Gunshanan, formerly of the state tuberculosis commission, will address them.

Mr. Gunshanan recently discussed the subject here, with many employees.

In New Haven 20,000 workers, employed by the Winchester Arms Co., Sargent & Co. and others have organized for mutual protection against the plague.

Among those signing the call for the meeting on Jan. 15 are: Lucien F. Warner, Warner Bros.; George Barnes, Singer Mfg. Co.; F. J. Kingsbury, Bridgeport Brass Co.; A. H. Bullard, Bullard Machine Co.; C. F. Stead, Sait's Textile Mfg. Co.; Chas. G. Stanford, The American Tube & Stamping Co.; W. C. Bryant, Bryant Electric Co.; Amos J. Brant, Union Metallic Cartridge Co.; Wm. J. Gaspin, Bridgeport Malleable Iron Works; Frederick G. Blanchard, Ashcroft Mfg. Co.; E. W. Bassick, Burns & Bassick; H. H. DeLosa, Handy & Harmon; H. H. Hamilton, Whittier Mfg. Co.; C. N. Choate, Bridgeport Doubled Bronze & Metal Co.; Harvey Hubbell, Harvey Hubbell, Inc.; John G. Howland, Howland Dry Goods Co.; James G. Landon, Landon, Edwards & D. F. Read, D. M. Read Co.

WATERBURY WATCH FIRM TO SHUT DOWN

Waterbury, Conn., Jan. 10.—The creditors committee of the New England Watch Company, in a circular letter issued today, reported that it is unable to recommend a successful plan for reorganization. The business will now be closed as quickly as possible the receivers having instructions to sell the plant and machinery.

The power will be shut down tonight and only a few employees will be retained after today. This is the concern that at one time manufactured the famous Waterbury watches.

Accuse Motorist of Killing Mr. Maloney

Waterbury, Jan. 10.—A warrant was issued today charging William J. Shanley, of Pittsfield, with manslaughter. Mr. Shanley drove the automobile that struck Editor Cornelius Maloney, of the Waterbury Democrat, fatally injuring him.

The young man has retained Attorney Francis P. Gulliflow, Waterbury's corporation counsel, as counsel and when the warrant is served probably this afternoon bail in the amount of \$1,000 will be furnished.

The deputy's coroner's finding made public yesterday holds Shanley responsible for the death of Mr. Maloney.

OBITUARY

William Burr, one of the best known of the residents of Fairfield, died last night aged 83 years. He was born in Fairfield and had lived there all his life although he had retired from active business life several years ago. Mr. Burr is survived by two sons and five daughters. His sons are W. O. Burr and F. A. Burr, both of Fairfield. The daughters are Mrs. G. W. Cole of Lons Hill, Mrs. E. N. Sargent of Passaic, N. J., Mrs. W. C. Hawley of Bridgeport, and Mrs. G. W. Polk of Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

MOTHER DIES AS HER SONS ARE FINED

New Haven, Jan. 10.—Just after Luigi Coppola, a former supernumerary police officer, and his brother Ralph, aged 18, had been fined in police court this morning for participating in a policy game, Mrs. Marianna Coppola, their mother, walked out of the court room, screamed and then fell to the floor, dying almost immediately. The excitement attending the trial of the sons is believed to have overburdened a weak heart.

Luigi Coppola, who is a milkman, was fined \$100 and costs and a lengthy hearing while the brother was fined \$10. Appeals were taken.

There have been 17 arrests in the policy cases and many of these were settled by imposition of fines. The rest remain to be tried.

NORDICA IS DECLARED IN CRITICAL SHAPE

New York, Jan. 10.—Mrs. Lily Nordica is in critical condition, pneumonia on Thursday Island, Queensland, according to a cable message received today by her husband, George W. Young, a New York banker.

The message is brief, saying merely that Mrs. Nordica "had developed pneumonia and was in a critical condition."