

METROPOLITAN CLUB NAMED AS VIOLATOR OF EXCISE LAW

Ten Warrants Sworn Out by Taggart Against Establishments Alleged to Be in Residential Sections.

Stoneleigh Court and the Cairo Among Palces Whose Licenses Are Called Void. Other Complaints to Come.

Ten warrants against holders of liquor licenses, including Nathaniel Wilson, president of the Metropolitan Club, the Capital's most exclusive club, charging violation of the Jones-Works excise law, were sworn out in Police Court today by Assistant Corporation Counsel George R. Taggart.

It is contended by Mr. Taggart that the licenses in question are null and void and that the places conducted by the holders of them should be closed.

Other warrants will be issued on the same theory.

The complaint is made in the following cases that the places in question are conducted illegally because they are located in residential districts and are located on a block "where less than 50 per centum of the foot frontage, not including saloons, hotels and clubs having bar room licenses, is used for business purposes," the warrants being in two counts:

LIST OF DEFENDANTS.

- Nathaniel Wilson, president of the Metropolitan Club, southwest corner of Eighteenth and H streets northwest.
- D. Edgar Stephan, manager of Stoneleigh Court, at 1019 Connecticut avenue.
- Thomas F. Schneider, proprietor of the Cairo, at 125 Q street northwest.
- Gustave Brahier, the Alhambra, 40 E street northeast.
- Robert E. Buzahan (wholesale), 670 B street southeast.
- Patrick Rafferty, 225 Eleventh street northeast.
- Timothy Hanlon, 822 H street northeast.

One warrant charges that John D. O'Connell's saloon, 318 Ninth street northwest, is located within 100 feet of the College of Pharmacy, at 508 I street. In violation of the Jones-Works law, while another warrant charges that Henry M. Marks is conducting his bar room at the Marks Hotel, 1006 E street northwest, contrary to law because the hotel has less than fifty rooms for guests.

CLARENCE MOORE'S WIDOW TO MARRY

Licence Issued Here to Mrs. Mabelle Swift Moore and Axel Wichswald.

A marriage licence was issued today to Mrs. Mabelle Swift Moore, widow of Clarence Moore, who was lost with the Titanic, and Axel Wichswald, of New York.

The news comes as a great surprise to Mr. Moore's friends, for, though Mrs. Moore's attentions have been marked all winter, no announcement of an engagement has been made and Mrs. Moore's plans were all laid to leave Washington for a trip to the West Coast early next week.

Mrs. Moore was Miss Mabelle Swift, daughter of the late Edwin C. Swift, of Boston, from whom she inherited a large fortune. She was married to Clarence Moore on June 28, 1901, and has three children, Jasper, aged ten, and is named for his grandfather and is at boarding school. Clarence, Jr., and little Lloyd, who was a boy of a few months at the time of the tragic death of his father in 1912.

Since her husband's death, Mrs. Moore has traveled a good deal, but has maintained her home in Washington, and the latter she presented Miss Frances Moore, her husband's daughter by a former marriage, to society at one of the most brilliant functions of the season.

He's Real Hero Now



ARTHUR LUSBY.

POLICEMAN'S SON EARNS HERO MEDAL

Rescue of Four Boys From Ice-Chopped River Brings Recognition After Three Years.

Eleven years old and a hero. Not exactly the hero of small-boy dreams perhaps—for they usually include a death-swept battlefield, with the dreamer himself in the prominent foreground, ringed about by the heaps of enemies he has slain—but a real kind of hero, the kind who saves life rather than destroys it.

And that is the kind of hero Arthur Lusby is. His rescue of four playmates from the ice-chopped Eastern Branch, after three years have passed, has brought him a Carnegie hero medal.

It was a hard task for the eleven-year-old hero, but at last he had all three of the boys out of danger.

RAILROAD MEN MAY REJECT WAGE AWARD

Chief Stone and President Carter Confer With 100 District Chairmen.

CHICAGO, May 1.—Behind barred doors, W. S. Stone, grand chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, and W. S. Carter, head of the firemen, today discussed with 100 district chairmen from all parts of the United States possible action on the award of a wage increase last night by the arbitration board.

A long-drawn-out court battle with a subsequent reopening of the matter is a possibility.

Baseball Board Refuses To Reinstatement Ben Kauff

CINCINNATI, Ohio, May 1.—The national baseball commission today refused to reinstate Ben Kauff, baseball player.

THIRTY COMMISSION MEN MUST STAND TRIAL IN FOOD CASE

Chief Justice Covington Overrules Demurrers Filed by Alleged Conspirators.

OUTCOME OF HIGH PRICES

District Attorney Laskey Prepared to Bring Merchants to Court in Near Future.

Demurrers against the blanket indictment charging thirty Washington commission men with conspiracy to violate the Sherman anti-trust law by combining to control the price of foodstuffs in the District were overruled by Chief Justice Covington, in Criminal Court, No. 1, today.

United States Attorney John E. Laskey is preparing to place the defendants on trial in the near future.

The indictment was issued by the Department of Justice today when the Attorney General was advised that "the Sherman act had been violated by the defendants in the District of Columbia, who were conspiring to control the price of foodstuffs in the District of Columbia."

One Case Dismissed.

The charge against Albin Price, who was also indicted, was dismissed today, Prosecutor Hawken informing the court that evidence against him did not justify his being held for trial.

SENTENCES ROBBERS TO TEN-YEAR TERMS

Justice Covington Sends Coleman and Gray to Prison. Lawson Sentence Deferred.

Ten years' imprisonment each was the sentence imposed by Chief Justice Covington in Criminal Court No. 1 today against William Coleman and William Gray, who were convicted last week of eight charges of housebreaking and larceny.

Several thousand dollars' worth of loot, including silks, jewelry and other merchandise was recovered by the police detectives when the house in which the three men were living was raided a year ago. The robberies were committed more than a year ago, and were described by the court today as "the most skillfully planned and ably executed ever coming to the attention of the District authorities."

Veteran, 77, Jailed For Attacking Child

Henry Davis Given Ten Years for Attempting to Assault Eight-Year-Old Girl.

Henry Davis, seventy-seven years old, a civil war veteran, was sentenced to ten years in the penitentiary by Chief Justice Covington in Criminal Court No. 1 today, on a charge of having attempted to assault an eight-year-old girl.

"MOVIE" MEN DENY NEED OF CENSORS IN CAPITAL THEATERS

Vigorous Exception Taken to Plea for Board to Pass on Pictures Here.

ALL FILMS NOW APPROVED

Strictest Supervision Possible Now Maintained by Police, Says Pullman.

Vigorous exception to the contention of church and social workers that motion pictures shown in Washington need a stricter censorship was taken by the leading owners and operators of the city's "movie" theaters today.

The fact that practically all pictures shown here already have been passed on by the National Board of Censorship assures clean pictures for Washington, the "movie" men contend.

The charge that some of the pictures shown are conducive to crime among youthful patrons is emphatically denied by the theater owners.

Would Ruin Industry.

"Establishment of local censorship will ruin the moving picture industry," said A. Brylawski, operator of the Cosmos and other "movie" houses. "This matter of censorship has been thoroughly threshed out before Congress, churches and others interested in purifying the motion picture film appeared before the Committee on Education and Labor of the House and an advocated censorship of the films, but Congress, after investigating, found the plan non-feasible."

Arthur Robb, manager of Moore's (Golden Theater), declared that stricter censorship would be a great loss to the industry.

Police Vigilant.

In the first place, the police are so vigilant in inspecting motion picture theaters, and in the second place, the public is about as strict as a censor as one wants to cope with. Show a picture which is not just right from a moral standpoint in Washington, and the effect on the earnings will be sufficient punishment.

Major Pullman, in his announcement today, said the entire time of Patrolman Thomas O'Neil, of No. 1 Precinct, is devoted to the inspection of motion picture plays.

NORWEGIAN WOMEN APPEAL FOR PEACE

President Wilson, through Secretary Tamm, was today asked by H. H. Bryn, Norwegian minister to the United States, to communicate to the women of this country a remarkable appeal from the Norwegian Women's Peace Association urging united action on the part of the women of the world to bring about permanent peace.

Essential to any idea of success along these lines, declares the memorial, is the uprooting of "the political creed amongst the nations that leads to violence, and of which we now witness such lamentable results."

FLEETS REDUCE FORTS AS PENINSULA ARMIES FORCE TURKS INLAND



COUNT VON BERNSTORFF.

NOTICE!

Travelers intending to embark on the Atlantic voyage are reminded that a state of war exists between Germany and her allies; that the zone of war includes the waters adjacent to the British Isles; that, in accordance with formal notice given by the Imperial German Government, vessels flying the flag of Great Britain, or of any of her allies, are liable to destruction in those waters and that travelers sailing in the war zone on ships of Great Britain or her allies do so at their own risk.

IMPERIAL GERMAN EMBASSY
Washington, D. C., April 22, 1915.

Bernstorff Warns U.S. Citizens Not to Travel On Ships of the Allies

German Embassy's Announcement Astonishes Government Officials—Declares Travelers Sailing on Enemy Vessels Do So at Their Peril—Berlin Ignores U. S. Views.

NEW YORK, May 1.—In the face of an advertisement signed by the German embassy and published in all New York newspapers today warning the public that they travel to Europe at this time at their own risk, nearly 3,000 persons sailed on trans-Atlantic liners today.

With a directness which has astonished Administration officials, Germany once more has sounded warning that it does not intend to be responsible for the injury or death of American citizens who take passage on the vessels of Great Britain or any of her allies in the war zone which the Kaiser's government has decreed to exist in the waters adjacent to the British Isles.

TRAVEL AT THEIR OWN RISK.

The warning in this case takes the extraordinary form of an advertisement put out in a large number of American newspapers by the German embassy.

Lusitania's Passengers Warned of Ship's Doom

NEW YORK, May 1.—Scores of prominent passengers who sailed today on the giant Cunard Lusitania found themselves in a perilous position when the pier giving warning that the Lusitania would be sunk on her trip to Liverpool.

DUNKIRK SHELLLED AT NIGHT BY GERMANS

LONDON, May 1.—The public was greatly concerned this afternoon by the official announcement that German submarines are again operating off the Irish coast.

FORTS AT NAGARA BOMBARDED BY ALLIED SHIPS

Flank and Rear Attacks by British and Colonial Land Forces Under Way.

FRENCH CAPTURE A FORT

Six Points Seized by Co-operation of Fleet With Landing Parties at Dardanelles.

LONDON, May 1.—Further fighting of the heaviest character is reported in progress on the Gallipoli peninsula, where the British forces are making every effort to cut off the Turks from the mainland. Athens dispatches say that a series of night assaults drove the Turks further inland.

The co-operating allied fleet is shelling the Turkish forts from inside of the Dardanelles, from the Gulf of Saros and from the Aegean Sea. Meanwhile the French are advancing along the Asiatic side.

The Turkish positions at Nagara were heavily bombarded last night. Sweeping toward Constantinople on land and sea, the combined French and British forces are conducting a determined campaign from flank and rear to reduce the forts guarding the Dardanelles.

TWO FORTS CRUMBLE.

Two forts have already fallen before the brilliant campaign inaugurated in the new movement, Seddul Bahr succumbing to the British and Kum Kaleh, on the Asiatic side, to the French allies.

At six points on the Gallipoli peninsula the British land forces are firmly established and the co-operating fleet is established ten miles up the Dardanelles.

Colonial troops from Australia and New Zealand, landing at Sari Bahr, have the task of cutting a way across the narrow part of the peninsula and of attacking the forts guarding Nagara Roads from the rear.

Official reports of the operations reaching the British war office indicate that today the attack is well under way, and that the advance along the Dardanelles has begun, the main British army sweeping up the European side while the co-operating French force is advancing along the Asiatic side from Kum Kaleh.

Heavy casualties are reported on the part of the land forces in the face of determined opposition by the Ottoman forces led by German officers.

The official reports indicate the successful disembarkation of troops at the extreme tip of the peninsula at Seddul Bahr; at Sari Bahr; at Cape Teke, at Cape Hellas, at Mordo bay, at Suvla bay, and near Bulair, while the French are established at Kum Kaleh.