

## MOB RAIDS THE FUNERAL OF GIRL

Break Through Police Cordon and Jeer Mourning Party—Husband Held in Contempt.

(New York Times)

While Jacob Reiser, known in sporting circles in this city as "John the Barber," was attending the funeral yesterday of Miss Bertha Katz, his sister-in-law, who was shot and killed the day before in her home at 1738 Sterling Place, Brooklyn, he was adjudged in contempt of the Supreme Court here for failing to pay his wife, the self-accused slayer of his sister, weekly alimony of \$50, pending a decision in her suit for separation.

Mrs. Reiser, who is in the Raymond street jail under a murder charge with her brother, Max Katz, and her two sons, Morris and George, began the suit last November, alleging that the slain woman had stolen his affections. Reiser was not represented in court, and judgment by default was entered at the request of Livingston & Livingston, Mrs. Reiser's counsel.

A thousand men and women gathered about the Katz home hours before the funeral party was to leave for Washington, D. C. A force of policemen under Captain of Detectives Gallagher sought to maintain order among the on-lookers, but as the body was borne to the hearse the crowd broke the cordon. A dozen women ran to an automobile in which Reiser and his two sisters were seated and hurled epithets at its occupants. A man was caught in the jam of women and crowded against the automobile door, whereupon one of the women inside seized his straw hat and struck him in the face with it.

Reiser pulled down the shade of the car, but a woman in the crowd snapped it up again. Then the straw hat was hurled from within at half a dozen women who were jeering the mourners. After the body of the dead woman had been placed in the hearse, Mrs. Katz, her mother, fainted. Some of the women spectators had pressed close to her and indulged in remarks which, it appeared, were intended for others in the funeral party.

Two women among the mourners spat at the critics, and started to drive them off by force, when several policemen interfered, and cleared the sidewalk. The departure of the funeral procession was watched by hundreds from windows and roofs of neighboring houses, while hundreds remained discussing the murder and the cause of it for two hours after. Mrs. Reiser, in her cell, persisted in her assertion that she fired the shot which killed her sister, but District Attorney Ruston said that the ante mortem statement of the slain woman, corroborated by that of her mother, left no doubt that Morris Reiser, the twenty-four year old son of Mrs. Reiser did the killing, and that his mother was trying to shield him. He said that evidence would be submitted to the Grand Jury this morning with a view to having first degree murder indictments returned against Mrs. Reiser, her sons and their uncle.

## ABOLITION OF DEATH PENALTY MAY BE ISSUE

(Canadian Press Despatch)

Winnipeg, July 31.—Abolition of capital punishment in Canada is a possible issue in the house of commons at Ottawa before long, according to Hon. D. D. McKenle, solicitor-general, who is here today following a trip to the Pacific coast. "I find," said Mr. McKenle, "that there is a growing public opinion adverse to capital punishment. The question is a most serious one and deserving of the sincere and earnest consideration of parliament as a whole and should never be dealt with as a party question." The solicitor-general said he had no reason to think from general observation that crime was increased in any way in Canada.

## CAN'T QUIT STEALING, GIRL SAYS IN COURT

Stenographer, Caught Twice Before, Confesses Mania for Department Store Pilfering.

New York, August 1.—Frances Gilbert, a 17-year-old stenographer of 8 Third Avenue, Bogota, N. J., told Justice Preschi, Herbert and Voorhees in Special Sessions that she simply couldn't resist pilfering articles in department stores. She was arrested by store detectives on July 28, last, when detected

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in the act of stealing a sweater worth \$13.94 at Macy's.

When she was called for trial Justice Preschi, who presided, recognized her as the girl who was arrested before him last April for shoplifting and who was released on suspended sentence when she promised she would keep away from department stores. Detectives of the Stores Mutual Protective Association at that time told the court that she had twice before been caught stealing small articles, but was permitted to go when she signed statements admitting the thefts.

"She just can't keep her hands off things when she is in a department store," Miss May Mangan, a probation officer told the justices. "She is an orphan, and her brother, who lives with his family in Bogota, induced her to move to his home last Summer in an effort to remove her from temptation. She was employed in an up-town office when she was arrested in April last, but on her brother's insistence she obtained employment in a downtown office for the same reason."

The brother of the girl informed the court that his sister received \$25 a week and had no reason to steal, but that it seemed impossible to dissuade her from taking articles without paying for them. In pleading guilty, the girl told the court that she took the sweater impulsively and seemed to have no control over herself on entering a department store. As she was offering this plea she broke into tears. The court remanded her to the Toms for sentence and ordered Miss Mangan further to investigate the case.

## Her Two Children Had Diarrhoea Terribly Bad

Anyone suffering from bowel complaints such as diarrhoea, dysentery, colic, cholera, cholera morbus, cholera infantum, or any other loosening of the bowels, will find that Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry will give quicker and more permanent relief than any other remedy on the market today. Mrs. Roy Keith, Charlton, Ont., writes:—"I am writing to you what Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry did for me. Last summer my children had diarrhoea, terribly bad, and they would vomit and pass a great deal of blood. I tried every remedy we could think of, but finally bought a bottle of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, and about one-half of it stopped the diarrhoea altogether. I have told several others about it, and I would not be without it in the house, as I can truthfully say it saved the lives of my two children."

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## SPANKINGS IN STORE FOR YOUNGER SET

If they Insist on Daring Dances at Bayside Yacht Club Some Fathers May Act.

New York, Aug. 1.—Spankings are in store for some of the younger members of the Bayside Yacht Club who persist in exhibitions of the "Lorraine dance," says the latest warning from James B. Moore, chairman of the entertainment committee of the club, among the most exclusive of the north shore of Long Island. Chairman Moore recently served notice upon the youngsters that their exhibition of certain dance innovations had been disturbing to some of the older members with a more highly developed sense of propriety. In his first appearance, in her prime must have come far short of measuring up to the suggestions indignantly conveyed in what some of the youngsters, confounded on our opening evening. Apostles of this Broadway Lorraine dance should remember that the Bayside Yacht Club is not the "Great White Way."

Despite the warnings of the chairman of the entertainment committee, the youngsters have continued to indulge in their daring dances at private parties at the club, and their alleged violations of the edict of Mr. Moore soon came to the attention of the other members who shy at "syncopeated jazz." The result is recorded as follows by Mr. Moore in the "or book" of the club: "I suppose not until we speak to the four p.p.s. about these exhibitions of indecent exposure, will some of the sons and daughters behave. We should like to be alone when the spanking is administered. It looks very queer as if one or two pupas will be called upon right soon."

## BISHOP LE BLANC WILL OFFICIATE AT GRAND PRE

The Aedonian Memorial Church at Grand Pre is rapidly approaching completion, and arrangements are being made for the formal opening and dedication of the edifice on August 16. A special train will leave Moncton the night before, as well as special trains both ways on the D. A. R. to convey the large number of Aedonians and others who expect to attend. Mass will be celebrated, Bishop LeBlanc, of St. John, officiating. The corner-stone service

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## RECENT DEATHS

Mrs. Patrick J. Sweeney.

Shediac, July 31.—The funeral of Mrs. Patrick J. Sweeney, widow of Patrick J. Sweeney, died here this morning with requiem high mass at St. Joseph's church. Interment was in the church cemetery, where the late Mr. Sweeney is interred. One brother, Captain William McDonald, of Shediac, survives. Nephews are Senator J. A. McDonald, of Shediac; Harry McDonald, of Shediac; William A. Simpson, of Shediac; William McDonald, of Halifax, and E. R. McDonald, of Shediac, and Albert E. McDonald of St. John. Nieces are Mrs. E. Chene, Shediac, and Mrs. William Bateman, of The Crest.

Reynold Parker Freeman, aged thirty years, a native of Amherst, died suddenly on Saturday morning of pneumonia at his home in Halifax. He was a son of D. W. Freeman of Amherst.

## RECENT WEDDINGS

Fowler-McNeil.

(Quebec Telegraph.)  
The friends of Frank W. Fowler, wharf superintendent of the Canadian Pacific Steamships, Ltd., were surprised to hear of his marriage, which took place quietly Wednesday last, to Miss Jessie McNeil, of the nursing staff of the C. P. S. McTaggart. The wedding was performed privately at the residence of the Rev. Mr. H. H. Wentworth. A large number of friends looked in the house docks yesterday afternoon to congratulate the happy couple. The newly weds will take up their residence in Quebec during the summer season and in St. John (N. B.), during the winter.

## SURE WAY TO GET RID OF BLACKHEADS

There is one simple, safe and sure way that never fails to get rid of blackheads, that is to dissolve them. To do this get two ounces of peroxide powder from any drug store—sprinkle a little on a hot, wet sponge—rub over the blackheads briskly—wash the parts and you will be surprised how the blackheads have disappeared. Big blackheads, little blackheads, no matter where they are, simply dissolve and disappear, leaving the parts without any mark whatever. Blackheads are simply a mixture of dust and dirt and secretions from the body that form in the pores of the skin—pinching and squeezing only cause irritation, make large pores, and do not get them out after they become hard. The peroxide powder and the water simply dissolve the blackheads so they wash right out, leaving the pores free and clean and in their natural condition. Anybody troubled with these unsightly blemishes should certainly try this simple method.

The annual Sunday school picnic of the Brookville church, held yesterday afternoon on the church grounds, was a success.

## Try Wonderful Kora-Konia For Baby's Prickly Heat

Think of Baby's petal-like skin, which is ten times more sensitive than yours, covered all over with an angry rash which would drive even you almost crazy. Wouldn't you do most anything to save the poor helpless little thing from this unnecessary suffering. Kora-Konia does much more than just soothe for a short time the way other powders do—it really heals! It drives the rash away and keeps skin a healthy pink. Kora-Konia forms a waterproof velvety film which protects while it heals. The very first application will convince you that Kora-Konia is wonderful for prickly heat and diaper rash. Get a box today at any drug store.



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## BURGLARS STAY TO CHAT WITH VICTIMS

Sit by Long Island Merchant's Bedside and Smoke His Cigarettes.

Great Neck, L. I., Aug. 1.—Three masked men of youthful appearance entered the home of Samuel Sobel, a Manhattan business man, on Cedar Drive, Great Neck, about one a. m. and after cutting the telephone wires robbed Mr. and Mrs. Sobel and Mrs. A. Wald, mother of Mrs. Sobel, of jewelry valued at \$400. Each of the robbers carried a flashlight and a revolver; two had black-jacks and one a piece of lead pipe. Mrs. Wald was aroused by a tinkle of the telephone, which, the authorities believe, was caused by the cutting of the wires and went to answer the call. She was met at the door of her bedroom by two of the bandits, who turned flashlights on her and warned her not to scream.

The electric lights were turned on, and the third bandit joined the others. They forced Mrs. Wald to conduct them to the bedroom of Mr. and Mrs. Sobel, who were then aroused. Mr. Sobel was ordered to get out of bed and to stand against the wall.

One of the bandits wore a black mask and the other two had white ones. They took a diamond ring valued at \$200, and a diamond-studded watch valued at \$100, from Mrs. Wald; two rings, valued at \$80 and \$200 respectively, from Mrs. Sobel as she sat up in bed; and a watch and gold pencil from Mrs. Wald.

Mr. Sobel was ordered to open a wall safe, and did so, but there was nothing in it. Mrs. Sobel was asked where her bonds were, and replied that they were in a safe deposit vault in New York. The bandits then asked Mr. Sobel for his cash, but he had nothing but some small change.

The bandits remained in the house for

## LONE BANDIT GETS \$15,000 IN DIAMONDS

Holds New York Firm in Streets of Newark

Newark, N. J., August 1.—Lorenz Collin, son of W. L. Collin, diamond importer, of 947 Fifth Avenue, Manhattan, was held up by a lone bandit at Chestnut Street and New Jersey Railroad Avenue, Newark, and robbed of unset diamonds valued at \$15,000.

Mr. Collin, who is twenty-five years old, left the store in Manhattan at about 10 a. m. with a wallet containing \$15,000 worth of loose diamonds, which he was to show to the trade in Newark. Mr. Collin has a regular route in Newark, which he covers once a week, and it is thought by the elder Mr. Collin that the robber must have had a "line" on him.

GETS SUIT PIECEMEAL, BUT LANDS IN PRISON  
Thief Steals Vest on One Trip, Coat on Next and Finally Is Caught With Trousers.  
New York, Aug. 1.—When James Frazer, twenty-seven, of 105 Bowery, pleaded guilty in Special Sessions to the

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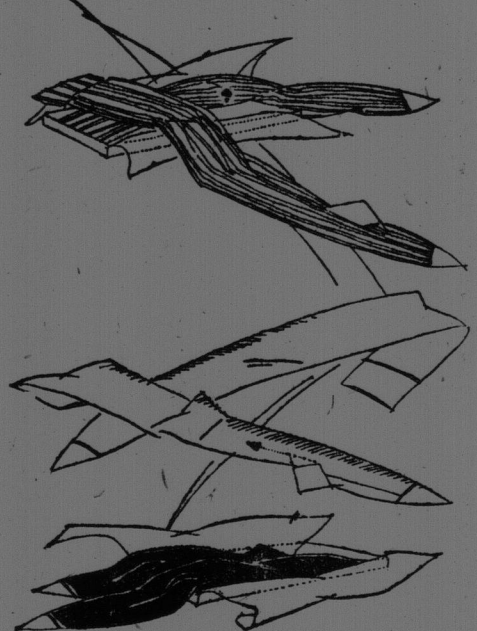
## Good Summer Hosiery At Small Prices

It's important that you have plenty of hosiery packed in your bag when you start on your vacation.

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two hours, continuing a conversation, threatened by violence, with their victims. One of the bandits took Mr. Sobel's cigarette case and smoked that Frazer was a most persistent thief. He explained that a few days before Frazer's arrest in the store the vest of the suit disappeared from the counter, and the following day the coat was taken.

The detective said he was assigned to watch the trousers, and when he saw Frazer take them he followed him to his room. There, after Frazer had bitten the detective's thumb in a struggle, the coat and vest were recovered. Frazer was sentenced to an indeterminate term of from six months to three years.

thrift of a pair of trousers worth \$8 from R. H. Macy & Co.'s department store four days ago, a store detective told Justices French, Herbert and Voorhees that Frazer was a most persistent thief. He explained that a few days before Frazer's arrest in the store the vest of the suit disappeared from the counter, and the following day the coat was taken.

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## MUST DELIVER ICE FREE.

"Short Weight" Drivers Sentenced by a Malden Judge.

Malden, Mass., Aug. 1.—Seven customers will receive free ice from now until Labor Day as a result of the appearance of four Wakefield drivers before Judge Thomas P. Riley.

The four were found guilty of giving

short weight, and Judge Riley offered each in turn the alternative of paying a \$50 fine on each count or giving the respective victims free ice for the period stated. All chose the latter course.

The complaints were brought by State Agent S. A. L. Jones, who told the court that the sales complained of averaged twenty per cent. deficiency in weight. Judge Riley told the offending drivers that next time they would have to choose between a heavier fine or free delivery to every family in the streets in which the offences take place.

Judge Riley ordered a milk dealer who had been taking the cream off his milk to deliver free cream to a large number of families for one week.

The local Y. M. C. A. staff have gone to Couchiching, Ontario, for the summer school of instruction. A. M. Gregg will be general secretary of the local association in September, while R. H. Penfold will leave for Charlottetown to take the position of general secretary there. He was given a camera and a gold Eversharp pencil by the local staff as a token of their appreciation of his work.

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