

## 'DANNY DEEVER' OF 5TH MARINES MAY BE FREED

Clarence L. Massey, Held as Slayer of Innocent, Thought Innocent.

### MOTHER WANTS HIM

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WASHINGTON, March 7.—The "Danny Deever" of the famous 5th Marines, Clarence L. Massey of Monongahela City, Pa., will be released from Ft. Leavenworth Military Prison, if efforts of Congressman Kelly (Pa.) and other officials here are successful. Massey was court-martialed for killing a sergeant in France. He has served nearly four years of a life sentence. His friends believe him innocent. They say evidence in his trial was incomplete. A widowed, dependent mother is praying Mr. Kelly will be able to obtain recommendation for his pardon. The case was brought to the attention of Congressman Kelly several months ago. War Department officials advised him to get affidavits from officers and comrades of Massey before requesting reopening of the case. Those affidavits are ready. They were obtained from Massey's captain, his lieutenant, a sergeant and a number of his "buddies." They bear eloquent testimony of his good character and some express a doubt he was the murderer.

### ON DUTY FOR FORTY-FIVE DAYS

Mr. Kelly has gone over the records of the court-martial carefully. He says the evidence brought out substantially the following narrative: Massey had been on continuous duty in the front line trenches for forty-five days. He was back of the lines with several friends. They were hungry—too hungry to wait for mess. They decided to eat in a little French restaurant near by. The wine they drank with their meal was unexpectedly potent. They were rather belligerent when they returned to barracks. Though there was no real disorder, they went to bed, lights were out, but good-natured banter still passed between the bunks. A sergeant ordered them to "shut up." It was agreed he was not a very popular sergeant with any of the men. But there was temporary quiet. When the talk started again he could be heard coming toward them. There was the flash of a revolver in the darkness. The lights were lit. The sergeant was lying on the floor. Massey was arrested.

### GUN CLEAN AFTER SHOT

On one point Mr. Kelly is certain. Evidence was presented to show Massey's revolver was clean—not a bullet had been fired from it when it was seized. But other testimony was damningly circumstantial and the boy was sentenced. Some of his "buddies" openly expressed the opinion he had simply been made the goat.

"Goat," one much longer, Mr. Kelly believes, the life sentence will be short, after all. Mrs. Mary A. Massey, too, is very ill. She needs her son. Mr. Kelly hopes to be able to reopen the case in a week or so in the hope the judge advocate general will see fit to recommend a pardon.—Copyright, 1922, by Public Ledger Company.

## BROKER ENTERS INNOCENT PLEA

Seventh Under Indictment Under \$10,000 Bond.

NEW YORK, March 6.—Joseph B. Sugarman, head of the brokerage firm of J. B. Sugarman & Co., today surrendered himself and pleaded not guilty to a charge of grand larceny in the first degree.

Sugarman is the seventh of the indicted brokers who fled the city recently to be apprehended. Charges against him were preferred by E. W. Barrington of North Carolina who gave Sugarman orders for Texas oil stock which he alleges he never received. The firm failed recently. Bail was fixed at \$10,000.

An involuntary petition in bankruptcy has been filed in the Federal District Court against Alfred E. Lindsay, broker indicted in an alleged \$1,000,000 swindle of rich women clients. Mrs. Sarah Arnold, Mrs. Doris Alwood and Mrs. Lillian M. Duke, former wife of the tobacco king, were the petitioners.

Two other brokerage houses went to the wall today. Eitzing, Wall & Co. and I. B. Mullens & Co.

**HERESY TRIAL OFF.** OXFORD, England, March 7.—The Bishop of Oxford has refused to hear the heresy charges made against the Rev. H. D. A. Major, principal of Ripon Hall. This ends the case.

## Highways and By-Ways of Lil' Ol' New York

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By RAYMOND CARROLL

NEW YORK, March 7.—Apropos of the recent collapse of many Wall Street bucket shops—there is no need to put an "alleged" before the "bucket shop" designation applied to any brokerage house that falls in a rising stock market—a school has been opened for the 200 pages employed by the New York Stock Exchange.

It has been named the New York Stock Exchange Institute, and it is conducted by the Wall Street division of the New York University at 90 Trinity place.

"We are giving to these boys from the big exchanges work which has a special bearing on the work they are doing," explained Dean A. Wellington Taylor. "They frequently have occasion to write out orders for buying or selling stocks and bonds that come in over the telephone. Accordingly we have emphasized penmanship in connection with the class in business English."

"We also explain to the boys in simple terms the functions of Wall Street, and the need of an organized market. The boys, accustomed to seeing the exchange as a place where men shout themselves hoarse and full of apparent confusion, are taught the laws governing the seeming confusion."

Boys who take the course are to be given the best chances for promotion. Bert Williams, the most noted negro on the American stage, who died Saturday of pneumonia, once told the writer he was more than two-thirds white. His grandfather on his mother's side was the consul of Denmark and of Spain to the British Bahamas. He was well educated and of polished manners and he spoke many languages. As a youngster he served an enlistment in the United States Navy. His full name was Egbert Austin Williams.

The Manhattan Opera House, built by the late Oscar Hammerstein as a home for grand opera, has been sold for \$800,000 to the Scottish Rite Masons, who will convert the structure in West Thirty-fourth street into a temple. Many new operas were given for the first time upon the Manhattan stage, and here is where Mary Garden, Tetrazzini, Bond and Orville Harrold got their start. The building was opened as a rival to the Metropolitan Opera House sixteen years ago.

Mayor Hylan thinks exercise is a good thing, particularly for city employees, "who have crawled so far into dark corners and pigeon holes" as to have lost sight of the fact that recreation is "indispensable to happiness and progress and as necessary to life as food and drink." He is out with a proclamation to the 80,000 employees of the city calling upon them to engage in sport of some kind.

Floor maids in the big New York hotels make a lot of money. Although her salary at the Waldorf Astoria Hotel was only \$16 a week, Mary Giles died leaving \$15,000. Maids have their board and lodging supplied by their employers and often when seen leaving or entering the hotel arrayed in their furs they are mistaken for wealthy guests.

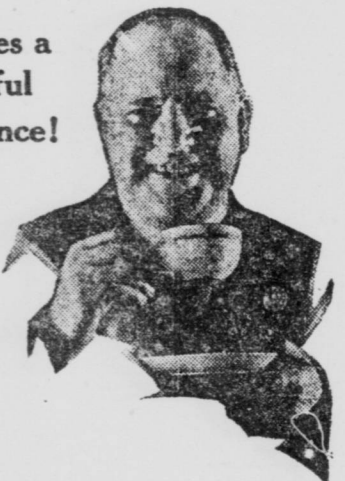
Two of the largest apartment houses in the world have been started in New York. One, to cost \$2,000,000, will cover

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## Effort to Smuggle French Securities Leads to Detection

BERLIN, March 7.—French securities valued at several million marks, stolen by German soldiers during the war, have just been restored to their owners, owing to an attempt to smuggle them out of the country.

The securities were found by two soldiers in an abandoned French chateau and brought to Germany. Acquaintances who tried to cut in on the division reported to the police and the soldiers were arrested boarding a train for the occupied area. They could not be tried for theft, owing to the general amnesty for pre-revolutionary offenses, but were convicted and sentenced for violating the so-called capital-flight law prohibiting the movement of property abroad to escape taxation.—Copyright, 1922, by Public Ledger Company.

## SUSPECTS HELD IN CHICAGO MURDER

Wealthy Merchant, Cousin of State's Attorney, Slain.

CHICAGO, March 7.—Two suspects were held today in connection with the probe into the murder of Anselmi Benedetti, wealthy Italian merchant and cousin of Robert Crowe, State's attorney.

The men—Frank Salerno and James Carlini—purchased a store from Benedetti and quarrelled with the victim over payments. Benedetti was lured from his home by a mysterious telephone message. He was standing at a corner waiting for a taxi when an automobile drew up beside him, the slayer stepped out and after talking a few minutes in a loud voice with Benedetti, shot him. Adolph Roessman, a witness to the slaying, identified Salerno as the man who fired the first shots.

## CHILDREN LOSE FEET BY FREEZING

Amputations Reported Not Uncommon in Armenia.

Every mail and cablegram seems to tell of worse conditions among the homeless children of Armenia, according to State headquarters of Near East Relief, 403 City Trust building.

Amputation of the feet of children, due to frozen feet—orphans who have no protection from the cold—is told of in a letter just received.

"This new problem in our work is the result of no shoes and prolonged wandering in a very high altitude," says the writer. "I dread to think of those frozen feet, for to some of these children it means gangrene and amputations. Today a hundred hungry, shivering and almost naked youngsters were at our door. They were a sorry looking lot. Most of them landed in our hospital. I contrast this with what took place Thanksgiving day. As we were at breakfast our attention was attracted by the noise of many voices. Prolonged cheers straight from the hearts of a thousand children from our orphanage school greeted us. A great chorus of young voices broke forth in the singing of our beloved 'America.' Some English speaking school teacher had taught them the tune and the words."

"How much that would have meant to the thinking people of the United States could the Armenian environment have been theirs for a day."

State headquarters announces that one prominent Indianapolis professional man has given \$1,000 for orphan relief in the last year.

## Held for Passing Worthless Checks

William D. Pyle, 38, 5638 College avenue, salesman, who, according to information given out at police headquarters, is wanted at Danville, Ind., for passing worthless checks, was arrested last night by Detectives Brickley and Finerman charged with being a fugitive from justice.

## RURAL PLACES IN GREAT NEED OF MEDICAL MEN

Cities Overcrowded With Doctors While Country Suffers.

CHICAGO, March 7.—Producing more "Doc Kennicots for America's main streets" was declared to be the biggest problem facing the National Congress on Medical Education meeting here today.

"We have come to a place in our development where only the second-rate physicians are willing to practice in the country," Dr. J. L. Litzberg of the Minnesota Medical School asserted.

"The rural communities of the United States are facing a serious shortage of competent physicians," he said.

"This convention would do well to start a 'back to the farm' movement for doctors."

"Part of the blame for this situation must be laid at the door of small towns themselves and part to the physicians who are unwilling to give up the superficial advantages of city life."

"American cities are overstocked with medical men who would be of greater service to society in rural places, but who are unwilling to make the effort of breaking into small town ways."

Dr. Litzberg pointed to many physical examinations as evidence that country folk are not as healthy as city folk.

"The old theory," he said, "that rural life invariably made strong bodies was, thoroughly exploded when we began to select men for the army. We learned that the city lads in the main, were the sturdier."

This fact he said was the result of better medical attention in larger cities.

## NO AIRSHIPS FOR GERMANY

Allied Decision Will Not Deter Building in United States.

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WASHINGTON, March 7.—American organizers of the General Air Service, the company which proposes to operate a fleet of lighter-than-air type of craft between New York and Chicago, do not believe the recent decision of the Council of Ambassadors and the Aeronautical Committee on Control Operating in Germany, will affect their plans.

The council, according to advices from Berlin, is determined that Germany shall not continue to build large dirigibles, which intended for commercial purposes might be turned to military uses. The council believes it dangerous to permit the maintenance of an aircraft industry in Germany.

"The decision of the council and the apparent intention of the Allies to prevent the Germans from building airships will not interfere with the plans of General Air Service," said Clifford A. Tinker, former Navy air officer, who is connected with the company, "the General Air Service does not expect to build airships in Germany. The ships would be built in the United States and the arrangements which have been made abroad for certain parts and material I do not believe would upset."

Lieutenant Tinker also said that action of the council will have absolutely no effect on the work of the Zeppelin which Germany, under the terms of the reparations provisions of the Versailles Treaty is building for the Navy.—Copyright, 1922, by Public Ledger Company.

## Three Arrested in Ohio Street Raid

John Baker, 38; Frank Kirzan, 37, and Flossie Norris, 19, were arrested in a raid conducted by Lieut. Volderauer and a

squad of police at 715 West Ohio street last night. Charges of child neglect were placed against the men and contributing to the delinquency of children against the young woman. The men gave their address as 715 West Ohio street.

The same squad also arrested Elmer Kidwell and Carrie Wilson at 2128 Hines avenue. The man was slated for contributing to delinquency of a child and the woman was charged with child neglect.

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