

WILHELM LIVES QUIETLY AT DOORN AS BAVARIA PLOTS WAR

WOMAN WHO SHOT GREEK PRIEST IS BELIEVED INSANE

Alienists Summoned to Examine Beautiful Wife of Former Pastor of Congregation—Revenge Thought Motive for Crime During Sunday Mass.

CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 8.—Alienists have been summoned to examine Mrs. Emma Strutsynsky, 42 and beautiful, who yesterday shot and killed the Rev. Basil Statsuk, 44, in the Church of St. Michael the Archangel, a Greek Catholic Church.

Worshippers in the church were startled and thrown into a panic as the Sabbath quiet was shattered by revolver shots and shrill maledictions of the woman.

DROWNING VICTIM TO BE BURIED BY LODGE BROTHERS

Bert W. Price Meets Death While Assisting Wife Up Creek Bank.

The body of Bert W. Price, 53, of 401 E. Eleventh st., drowned Sunday when he fell fifty feet into Fall Creek from a bank known as Mt. Nebo, one and one-half miles northeast of Millersville, is at the Johnston & Montgomery funeral home. Services will be held there Wednesday.

It was the eighth drowning of the year in Marion County.

The Rev. J. D. Stanley of Christ Church will officiate at the rites, with Center Lodge of Masons in charge. Burial will be in Crown Hill cemetery.

Mr. Price, after climbing to the edge of the bank, turned to assist his wife, lost his balance, and was precipitated into the stream. Mrs. Price walked a mile to a telephone to summon assistance.

Allen H. Johnston, and Clyde Montgomery, of the Johnston and Montgomery firm, which had employed Mr. Price for more than a year, took the body from the water, with the assistance of Kenneth Hall, 343 North Western Ave., a son-in-law.

Deputy Coroner William A. Deerpers said Mr. Price evidently was insensible when he reached the water, from a blow on the head, where a deep gash was found.

Mr. Price, a member of the Center Lodge and Scottish Rite Masons and the Mystic Shrine, had lived in Indianapolis five years. Surviving are the widow, a daughter, Mrs. K. M. Hall, 343 Northern Ave., and two brothers, William, of Ames, Iowa, and Frank, of Burlington, W. Va.

APOSTOLIC AGENT TO VISIT IN CITY

Distinguished Leader Will Officiate at Mass.

The Most Rev. Rev. Pietro Fumasoni-Biondi, apostolic delegate to the United States, with official residences at Washington, D. C., will arrive in Indianapolis shortly before noon Thursday.

While in the city the distinguished visitor, personal representative of the Pope, will be the guest of the Rt. Rev. Joseph Chartrand, bishop of the Indianapolis diocese. He will officiate at 10 o'clock mass Sunday morning at St. Peter and Paul Cathedral.

He will leave Monday for St. Mary-of-the-Woods, Terre Haute, to dedicate a new college building and chapel.

FROM FAR AND NEAR

First returns in Australia wet and dry election show large wet majority.

Twenty-three miners were killed in two disasters in upper-Silesia Sunday.

Paris luxury tax figures show women pay more than men.

When lights were extinguished and a cry of "fire" was given, sixty people were trampled to death and 200 injured in a synagogue at Kieff, Russia, Sunday.

Six men were killed by an explosion Sunday in the Midwest Coal Mine at Grand Junction, Colorado.

An Italian army officer was killed and six soldiers injured when a military truck turned over near Rome, Sunday.

President Obregon, of Mexico, ill for several weeks, has suffered a relapse.

Grover Cleveland Bergdoll will return to United States and serve sentence for draft evasion, his mother declared at New York Sunday.

Gifts of \$1,100,000 to Northwestern University were announced Sunday. John C. Shaffer, newspaper publisher, gave \$100,000.

Fire destroyed a theater and five hotels at Asbury Park, N. J., Sunday. Loss, \$400,000.

Maj. Gen. George M. Moulton, Spanish-American war vet and wealthy president of the Western Life Indemnity Company, Chicago, was rescued from an angry crowd Sunday and

Footsteps of U. S. Arsenal Guards Now Filled by 400 Youths, Officers of School Traffic Troop



SOVIET RUSSIA IS SAFE AS OUR U. S., BISHOP DECLARES

Great Possibility Exists for Nation if Awakened, Vets Are Told.

Conditions in Soviet Russia are not what they are pictured through the press, and one is as safe on the streets of Moscow as in Chicago, said Bishop Edgar Blake, Paris, France, of the Methodist Church to the Service Club at the Lincoln today.

"Person and property are as safe in Moscow as in New York or Chicago," the bishop declared. He spent two months in Russia, studying economic and social conditions.

"The reign of terror is over. Cities are as quiet as is Indianapolis," he said. "No country could pass through what Russia has suffered without destruction. The surprising thing is the comparative limited evidence of it seen in Moscow and Petrograd."

"The Soviets have much to their credit educationally," Bishop Blake declared. "Under the old regime education was taboo for the masses. The Soviets have reversed the policy of the Czar. They believe education makes for strength," he said.

"If Russia ever becomes really awakened, if the masses become truly educated and enlightened, Russia will be one of the strongest and most powerful nations in the world," Bishop Blake predicted.

"Discussing economic conditions, he said: "Private property has been restored. Communism has broken down. Eighty per cent of stores and shops of Moscow are privately owned and run for personal profit."

"Russia is not yet out of the woods and will not be for a long time to come," he advocated establishment of trade relations with the Soviets and if good faith is shown, diplomatic recognition by the United States.

Well Driver Dies; Hurt While on Job



Struck on the head by a revolving arm of machinery with which he was driving a well, George McCarty, 40, of 2133 Ringgold St., died in city hospital.

Gone, but Not Forgotten

Automobiles reported stolen belong to: Indianapolis Light and Heat Company, Circle Place, from rear of office.

George E. Ross, Advance, Ind., from Capitol Ave. and Market St.

Mortimer Schussler, Gardner Pl. and White River, from Illinois and Ohio Streets.

Harvey M. Maddox, 4706 Washington Blvd., from Meridian and New York Sts.

BACK HOME AGAIN

Automobiles reported found belong to: William A. Sullivan, 2042 N. Delaware St., found at Vermont and Pennsylvania Sts.

L. J. Bapman, 1558 N. Naomi St., found at W. Washington St. and Eagle Creek.



ABOVE, AT LEFT (CAPTAINS OF STREET CAR SQUAD), LEFT TO RIGHT—MARY KLEZMER, STANTON GREEN, AUDREY KASERBAUM, TORRANCE CAMPBELL AND MARION CROFTS. AT RIGHT (CAPTAINS OF CAMPUS TRAFFIC SQUAD LOOK OVER THEIR TERRITORY), LEFT TO RIGHT—WENDELL HICKMAN, ARCHIE MERCER, GRACIA HODGES, RALPH HOOD, MARY LATHAM, DOROTHY LOVELACE, ALFRED LAUTER, SUSANNE HIATT, KURT MAHRT, EUGENIA HARRIS, RAYMOND KATZENBERGER AND EVELL NEWMAN.

CENTER (MEMBERS OF TRAFFIC DEPARTMENT KEEP CROWDS AWAY FROM RECITATION BUILDINGS DURING LUNCH PERIOD), IN FRONT—ORAN ALLEN, MELVIN KINNEY, DOROTHY CUNNINGHAM, MABEL JAMES, JESSIE MAE HAMILTON, ROBERTA CARLISLE AND EBER BATEMAN.

BELOW AT LEFT—LESTER LIVINGSTON, PRESIDENT OF THE CHURAL SOCIETY, WHICH HANDLES TRAFFIC DURING ATHLETIC GAMES. AT RIGHT—CAPTAINS OF SQUAD WHICH CARES FOR TRAFFIC LUNCHROOMS. LEFT TO RIGHT—HELEN HITTLE, EMMA HOFFMEISTER, GERTRUDE HOFFMAN, DOROTHY HILL AND DONALD HIRCHMAN.

'REDS HELPED BY COAL OPERATORS'

Ellis Searles, Mine Workers' Editor, Makes Charge.

"Communists and other destructive reds have received substantial encouragement and aid from non-union coal operators in their various activities," Ellis Searles, editor of the United Mine Workers Journal, declared in a statement today.

Searles discussed the declaration of the public reaction to the declaration of the mine workers that reds are attempting to seize the labor unions.

Searles discussed the attitude of John C. Brydon, head of non-union operators.

"Numerous depredations, instigated by and directly traceable to the Communists, have been reported in Mr. Brydon's own field in the non-union county of Somerset, Pennsylvania, and when the union offered to cooperate with him in an effort to run down and apprehend the perpetrators of these crimes, Mr. Brydon ignored its letter and refused to answer," Searles said.

He quoted the letter telling of alleged depredations.

STOKES DIVORCE JURY IS CHOSEN

Wife Personally Passes on Qualifications of Panel.

By United Press

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—The jury which will decide whether W. E. D. Stokes, New York Millionaire, is entitled to a divorce from Mrs. Helen Elwood Stokes was selected and sworn in an hour and fifty minutes today.

Mrs. Stokes passed on the qualifications of the jurors. Her attorney, Samuel Untermyer, consulted her before accepting each man.

This is Stokes' second divorce suit. Mrs. Stokes won the victory in the first one but the verdict was ineffective because of a technicality. Mrs. Stokes last week had her husband indicted in Chicago on a charge of blackmailing her good name.

Their feud has lasted five years and cost \$1,000,000.

Colored "Y" Opens Anniversary

Dr. J. E. Mooreland, secretary of the International committee of the Colored Y. M. C. A., was principal speaker at the opening of the tenth anniversary celebration of the local colored Y. M. C. A. lasting through this week simultaneously with a membership drive.

Princess Hermine Declares Former Emperor Feels Deeply for German People, but Is Powerless to Aid Them—Family Live Simple.

By FERDINAND JAHN
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SAABOR, Silesia, Oct. 7.—Bavaria beats the war drum, and monarchist Germany answers. Panopied in the shining helmets, the gold and steel of the old regime, monarchist officers and rallying of the standard of revolt, mobilizing, training marching, singing the old war songs, toasting, again, "the day."

Northward the call goes forth—a German monarch on the German throne, death of the young republic, defiance of France. Against this background Stresemann struggles to stem the swelling tide.

It was with fresh pictures of a hungry, money mad Berlin, torn by throes of Cabinet crisis, that I came to Saabor Castle to ask Princess Hermine, wife of Wilhelm II, whether the war lord would answer the call, returning to a German throne or aiding his sons to restore the glory of the Hohenzollerns.

Two days ago Germany thrilled at the word that Crown Prince Wilhelm had left his island exile at Wieringon. Was it in answer to word from Munich? Was he plotting war plans at Doorn? Why had the Kaiser, leaving Holland, come to Saabor?

Old World Drawing Room

Quiet sunlight flooded an old world drawing room as Prince Hans George Von Schoenich Carloth, son of the Kaiserin, ushered me into the presence of the woman who, if monarchist dreams came true, might be Empress-mother of Germany.

Across the home-like elence room a motherly, plainly clad woman sat knitting. Her neat and simple dress was of thick stuff suited to the autumn air. Her stockings were of cotton. The yarns in her firm, capable hands were destined to become a sweater—for the poor of the village, she explained.

Princess Hermine rose as I stepped across the room, and graciously offered her hand, in the European fashion, to be kissed.

Princess Chats Freely

Then resuming her knitting she chatted freely, grave when she talked of the sorrows of Germany, grave still, but with a twinkle of amusement in her eyes, as she spoke of reported plots aimed at the return of the Hohenzollerns.

"No active politics are played at Doorn," Princess Hermine answered when asked what relationship she expected to the present crisis. "The greatest reserve is maintained there as to developments in Germany. It does not thus signify we do not feel for the German people. It is to the contrary—and Hermine's voice carried sincere emotion—we feel the German nation's sufferings as though they were our own."

Darkest Fears Surpassed

"I view the German crisis with the deepest gloom. As you will recall, I told you when you visited Doorn Castle last spring, the situation warranted utmost pessimism. Today I must say that my darkest fears already have been surpassed."

"Yet even today I can scarcely believe that the climax has been reached. The collapse of the mark continues. Apparently there is no hope of halting it. Unemployment and misery increase."

Then she paused and looked up, answering the unasked question, what would the Kaiser do. The answer was a shrug, the strangely vivid continental shrug of hopelessness. No solution could come from Doorn in the time of the people's sorrow. The hands of the former monarch are tied.

Turning to the family life of the Hohenzollerns, she revealed clearly complete harmony exists between the Kaiser and his children. She told how the crown princess and her youngest child had only left Saabor castle a few days ago, and added:

"The crown prince is our cherished guest at Doorn each month."

Father and Son Agree

Hermine declared the father and son had both enjoyed these brief interludes in the monotony of exile, and said that there were no differences between them on political questions.

Talking of economic conditions in Germany, she pointed out the greatest suffering had fallen on the middle classes, giving an example of the plight of the British born philosopher Houston Stewart Chamberlain, son-in-law of Richard Wagner, who lives in extreme poverty at Beyreuth. Hermine disclosed that the Kaiser has been aiding Chamberlain despite the fact that the Kaiser himself is not living in plenty.

Returning to Doorn

Hermine is returning soon to Doorn, taking her youngest daughter, who is 4 years old, with her, and arranging for the return of two of her boys to Doorn at an early date.

These children's education will go on under the eye of the "Kaiser" and "Kaiserin," who declared she wanted to teach them "that practical charity, which comes from sacrifice."

So, as the Kaiserin talked of family things, the day wore on and the interview came to an end.

Bavaria beats the war drum. But, beyond the frontiers, the Kaiser does not answer the call. An old man, in a Holland garden, merely is waiting for his family to come home—so it seems.

SPEAKER BUREAU TO MEET

C. of C. Department to Hold First Gathering.

The Chamber of Commerce speakers' bureau will hold its first meeting at 6:30 p. m. Thursday. E. A. Worthington, president of the C. I. & W. Railroad, will talk on the "Present Advantages of Indianapolis and Its Future." Felix M. McWhirter, president of the chamber, will preside.

The speakers' bureau was organized by the Chamber of Commerce to furnish speakers for civic, luncheon clubs, societies, conventions and special occasions.

Representatives from civic and luncheon clubs will attend the meeting.

TWO FATALITIES BRING ACCIDENT DEATHS TO 49

William F. Smith Dies From Injuries Received in Auto Crash.

Deaths from automobile accidents in Marion County number forty-nine with the death Saturday of William F. Smith, 45, of 1138 W. New York St., and of Fireman Louis C. Rauth, 23, of 1424 E. Ohio St., Sunday.

Mr. Smith, injured in an automobile accident last Thursday, died at the Protestant Deaconess Hospital Sunday night. Coroner Paul F. Robinson is investigating.

A car belonging to Charles Smith, a son, 1128 W. New York St., driven by John Sweeney, same address, collided with a truck driven by Thomas Miller, Maywood, Ind., at Keystone Ave., and Harding St. Joe Harris, city, in the Smith car, was also injured and taken to the Deaconess Hospital.

Mr. Smith was a Mason. He was born in Kentucky and had lived here fifteen years.

The funeral services will be held at the home tonight with burial at New Madison.

Surviving are the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rube Smith, New Madison, Ind.; the widow, and a son, Charles, and daughter, Anna.

Clyde Sylvester, 22, Bloomington, Ind., is improving today at St. Vincent's Hospital, where he was taken after the automobile he was driving was struck by a Pennsylvania train.

Sylvester, who was alone in the machine, told attendants at the hospital that he was unable to stop his machine when he saw the train. The automobile was struck a glancing blow and thrown into a ditch.

The train crew said that they were not aware of the accident until the train had passed Friendswood.

The injured man was brought to Indianapolis by an Interurban from Martinsville.

Mattie Cooper, colored, 1026 N. West St., and Mary Joseph, colored, 540 W. North St., were injured about the head Sunday, when the automobile in which they were riding collided with a machine driven by Marcel Pettit, 1120 Central Ave., at Tenth St. and Senate Ave.

Blucher Smile, colored, 1115 N. Belmont Ave., with whom the women were riding, was arrested charged with operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of liquor.

Police today searched for an automobile thief who stole a truck from L. J. Bauman, 1558 Naomi St.

Earl Thompson, 7, of 430 S. Alabama St., was bruised about the shoulder when the master wagon in which he was riding was struck by an automobile driven by Joseph E. Fleener, 130 W. Nineteenth St., in front of 530 S. Alabama St. The boy was able to go home. Fleener was not held.

MAN KILLED WHEN AUTO TURNS OVER

Two Others Injured in Wreck Near Newcastle.

By Times Special

NEWCASTLE, Ind., Oct. 8.—John Ridgeway was killed and two other men, whose names were not learned, were injured, one seriously, when an automobile driven by Ridgeway turned over on the National highway ten miles south of here this morning.

All parties resided near Hamilton, Ohio, and were en route to Indianapolis. The injured men were taken home and Coroner Davis took charge of Ridgeway's body. The deceased leaves a wife and three children.

HISTORIANS WILL VISIT

Centerville and Salisbury to Be Objective of Pioneers.

Historical spots in Centerville and Salisbury, formerly Indiana county seats will be visited by a committee of the Society of Indiana Pioneers, Oct. 19 and 20, Charles J. Buchanan, chairman, announced today.

The party will go to Centerville Friday morning and to Richmond Friday afternoon. Saturday it will go to New Castle to be entertained by the Henry County Historical Society.

Members of the committee: Evans Woolan Jr., William R. Teel, Mrs. A. B. Philpott, Miss Flora Ketchum, all of Indianapolis, and Mrs. R. C. Williams of Hartford City.