

PASTOR FACES THIRD WIFE AT BIGAMY TRIAL

Woman Pursued Him From
Town to Town, Declares
Carolina Minister.

By United Press
CHARLOTTE, N. C., Oct. 7.—Striking at the Rev. Wills T. Jordon's "amnesia defense," counsel for the State in his trial on a bigamy charge prepared today to diagnose his mental condition in court.

The story of the pastor's three marriage ceremonies—only one of which he recognized as legally binding—was told in court yesterday.

A court convened today, Jordon slipped into his seat at defense table and met the chill gaze of his alleged third wife without a trace of concern. The prosecution expected to have Jordon examined by alienists in court.

Mrs. Emma Landridge Jordon, complaining witness, denied Jordon's story, told yesterday, of his alleged elopement with her.

"There is no truth in his saying I bounded him from place to place," she said. "I always had considered him a fine Christian gentleman and a worthy man."

Jordon, however, asserted the first time he recognized Mrs. Landridge was when he woke up in a Chester, S. C., hotel and found her there with him.

"My friends," the pastor said, in addressing the jury, "I said to her, 'You are you and what are you doing here?'

"She replied to me, 'I am your wife. I married you in Charlotte.'

The pastor then told the jury he

Promoted



MINES REOPEN IN FIVE STATES

Agreement on Pay Reached in Southwest.

By United Press

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 7.—Coal mines of the Southwest started working at normal today for the first time since April, when the nation-wide strike started. An agreement by which miners of Oklahoma, Arkansas, Kansas, Missouri and Texas returned to work was reached here yesterday.

Virtually the same wage scale as that under which the men worked before the strike will be paid, it was announced. Several thousand men were affected by the walkout in this region.

JOINT PARLEY PLANNED

Masonic Lodges of Three Towns to Meet at Columbus.

By Times Special

COLUMBUS, Oct. 7.—Clifford, Elizabethton and Columbus lodges, F. and A. M. will meet here Oct. 25. Herschel Prather, master of the local lodge, has charge of arrangements.

Ivory C. Toole, Lebanon, grand lecturer and inspector, will make his annual visitation and inspection.

Elizabethton lodge will give work in the apprentice degree, and the

Clifford Lodge will give work in the fellowcraft degree. A dinner is to be served at 6:30 p. m., and the

Master Mason degree will be given in the evening by the Columbus

lodge.

REDMEN TO HOLD FAIR

Fourth Annual Indoor Celebration at Bristol, Oct. 31 to Nov. 5.

By Times Special

BRAZIL, Oct. 7.—Improved Order of Red Men here will give their fourth annual indoor fair Oct. 31 to Nov. 5.

The affair will open Hallowe'en with a masquerade ball. A Negro Charleston contest is the Tuesday night feature. A battle royal of Negro boxers is on the Wednesday night program.

A style show is scheduled for Thursday, and Friday another Charleston contest will be held. Announcement of winners in the popularity contest will be made Saturday night.

CAMP PLANS MINSTREL

Woodmen Prepare for Show Oct. 17 at Their Hall.

Oak camp, No. 9006, Modern

Woodmen of America, will give a minstrel show Oct. 17 at its hall, Twenty-Ninth and Clifton Sts. Plans are being formed and the cast selected, according to Hiram Mason, clerk of the camp, and Matt Epperson, deputy and member of the arrangements committee.

Marion camp, No. 3558, will hold initiation in the Fraternal degree Tuesday night at Modern Woodmen hall, 322 E. New York St.

PUBLISH MASONIC PAPER

New Weekly Tabloid Publication to Make Appearance.

The Craftsman, a weekly tabloid newspaper devoted to Masonic interests, will make its initial appearance Saturday, W. S. Richley, formerly of Memphis, Tenn., is the editor, and L. W. Drapier is advertising manager. Publication office are at 463-4 Pythian Bldg.

Ft. Wayne Camp to Initiate

By Times Special

FT. WAYNE, Ind., Oct. 7.—Montpelier Camp, Modern Woodmen of America, will give degree work Oct. 14, here at the district meeting. W. S. Richley, formerly of Memphis, Tenn., is the editor, and L. W. Drapier is advertising manager. Publication office are at 463-4 Pythian Bldg.

Daughters of America to Meet

District No. 5, Daughters of America, will meet Wednesday night at the Denison, according to Miss Jessie Stagg, secretary. State and national officers will be guests. Initiation will be held.

Elks to Hold Dance

First Ball of Fall Season Set for Saturday.

Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, lodge No. 13, will hold their first fall dance Saturday in the ballroom of the club-house, Meridian and St. Clair Sts. C. C. Cohee is chairman of the entertainment committee.

Births

Boys

William and Bessie Campbell, 431 S. Harding, Oscar and Della Winter, 2324 N. Hale, Kenneth and Dolores Melbod, Methodist.

Julian and Lillian Stogsdill, 1014 W. Twenty-Eighth.

Delbert and Hazel Herbert, 426 N. Noble, Oklahoma, and Clara Engleking, 335 S. Arlington.

Paul and Blanche Jarboe, 1749 W. Washington.

Marcus and Helen Stapert, 3400 Carson.

Herbert and Myrtle Miston, 1964 Park.

James and Mildred Bacon, 927 N. Chester.

Freder and Marie Stiles, 724 Congress.

John and Thelma Webb, 230 S. Randolph.

Twins

George and Agnes Breithaupt, 1019 S. Alabama, girls.

Deaths

Nellie Maud, 80, 1617 E. Eighteenth, arteriosclerosis.

Mary Stell Easley, 50, 1515 Yandes, cerebrovascular.

James W. Green, 66, Methodist Hospital, uremia.

Lillian Crossman, 62, city hospital, nephritis.

Elizabeth Johnson, 68, Christian Hospital, accidental.

Infant Duncan, 5 hours, St. Vincent's Hospital, premature birth.

Building Permits

Dr. S. A. Farnas, garage, 834 N. West.

\$600. C. Morris, dwelling and garage, 810 E. Thirty-Second, \$250.

School B. Brooks, 934 E. Pratt, \$650.

Highway Dept. Firehouse, dwelling and garage, \$2,000.

Puritan Finance Company, dwelling, 15th and Reuter, \$2,000.

The Rev. M. Bryan, addition, 1816 N. Arsenal, \$400.

10th and Locust, garage, 2032 Main, \$150.

Blaine H. Kimberlin, alterations, 2416 W. Walnut, \$1,000.

Robert McGregor, reroof, 1545 Park, \$25.

Benjamin F. Lucas, dwelling, \$150.

Robert F. Lucas, foundation, 313-24 S. Daisy, \$200.

J. E. Osgie, garage, 1555 W. Washington.

Lillian Linderhouse, bldg, 62 N. New Jersey, \$100.

Walter Baker, dwelling, 2505 E. Raymond.

Claud Young, garage, 744 E. Twenty-First, \$170.

F. G. George, storeroom, 2528-30 Brookside, \$2,000.

Indianapolis Security Company, tank farm, 10th and Meridian, \$100.

Patrick Hester, reroof, 1455 N. Goodlet, \$100.

Conrad Bender, reroof, 1440 S. East, \$75.

Helen Sharp, remodel, 3028 W. Michigan, \$50.

Marie A. Stamm, garage, 1104 N. Pershing, \$65.

J. E. Ennis, porch, 237 McKinnon, \$50.

George T. Weldon, reroof, 1455 N. Meridian, \$25.

Alexander Bell, reroof, 3002 Broadway, \$25.

G. L. Wiedenhoff, dwelling, 2268 S. Meridian, \$100.

Charles Ester, shed, 1207 Spruce, \$100.

G. H. Habing, dwelling, 1335 Kelly, \$2,000.

William Frenzmann, repair, 1104 N. Alabama, \$100.

Robert W. Long, Hospital, cables, W. Michigan, \$50.

Mr. E. L. Lilly, shower conservatory, 4936 N. Meridian, \$2,000.

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PLAN DISTRICT MEETING

Royal Neighbors to Gather at Muncie on Oct. 14.

By Times Special

MUNCIE, Oct. 7.—Royal Neighbors of America will hold the annual district meeting here Oct. 14. Mrs. Mary Buncle, Maple Leaf camp, No. 1829, will welcome delegates. Mrs. May Murphy, Elwood, will respond.

A play, a musical and an instruction class will be held in the afternoon, and dinner will be served by the Ladies' Aid Society in the evening.

Elwood degree team will initiate about seventy-five delegates from Elwood, Muncie and Anderson. Officials who will attend: Mrs. Bessie Hayden, Lowell, State superintendent; Mrs. Fannie Volz, Indianapolis. State oracle; Mrs. Hazel Shaw, Elwood, district deputy.

Mr. W. L. Warren, Durand, (I.L.) Methodist Episcopal pastor, charged with conduct unbecoming a minister.

Mr. Warren took the stand before the committee of fifteen conducting his trial at the Oak Park conference of the church and declared himself innocent of charges brought by the father of Miss Hazel Lamb, 19, a member of his congregations. Miss Lamb testified at the trial.

It was rumored after the end of yesterday's session that the secret trial had ended, but this was denied by the Rev. L. F. W. Leseemann, presiding officer. He said another session would be held today.

It was reported after the session that the credibility of prosecution witnesses has been attacked by Warren's defense. The defense declared the charges were the result of factionalism in the church.

Miss Lamb was understood to have said the minister made love to her several times and that he told her he would divorce his wife.

A banquet will open the evening's program and will be followed by vaudeville skits and dancing and cards.

GALVIN TO BE SPEAKER

Peru K. of C. Will Have State Deputy as Guest.

By Times Special

PERU, Oct. 7.—Timothy P. Galvin, Hammond, State deputy of the Knights of Columbus, will speak before the local council Discovery day.

Grand officers were honored

Thursday night with a dinner in the Spink-Arms Hotel. The Shelbyville degree team gave a mock initiation at Tomlinson Hall following the banquet. Remaining business and adoption of resolutions completed the annual business session.

**HOLD COST OF DIVORCE
NOT BUSINESS EXPENSE**

By United Press

WASHINGTON, Oct. 7.—Money paid out in obtaining a divorce is not a necessary business expense and therefore is not deductible when computing income tax returns.

This was the opinion of the United States Board of Tax Appeals today in holding that Frank G. Robbins, New York, could not deduct \$5,000 fees he paid an attorney for helping his wife in her separation and alimony suit and \$1,750 he gave his own attorney for negotiating a settlement.

Robbins contended the two payments were necessary business expenses as a court separation suit would injure him with his employer.

Robbins' contention was rejected.

The cost of the service and improbability of any favorable flying conditions over the North Atlantic route before next spring were given as the reasons.

Card of Thanks

WE CANNOT thank each individual

separately, so we take this method to thank friends and neighbors who, so kindly, have given us their services. We thank you.

WE sincerely thank the palbearers, Rev. Joseph R. St. John, Mrs. Anna Stout, and those who expressed their friendship with beautiful flowers. MR. T. F. STOUT, MR. AND MRS. WILL IRWIN.

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