

DISMISS CHARGE OF SEDITION AGAINST PRIEST

Judge Woodrough Sustains Demurrer That Remarks Charged in Indictment Are Not Unlawful.

The trial of Rev. Father Ferdinand Schmetzgen was resumed on Friday at the federal court in the case of his indictment for violation of the espionage act.

The court room was crowded with spectators...

The case was dismissed when Federal Judge Woodrough sustained a demurrer on the indictment...

The remarks alleged in the indictment follow: "I would like to have one of these Omaha cathedral bonds in every home..."

Friends Greet Priest. A large group of friends of Father Schmetzgen gathered in the lobby of the Paxton hotel...

M. F. Shafer & Co. Hold Salesman Convention. A convention of salesmen of the M. F. Shafer and Co. printers...

Three Nebraska Boys Named in Add. to Casualty List. The names of three Nebraska boys...

Children's Colds --- Danger!! TO MOTHERS! Whatever else you do for your child's cold, feverish head or sore throat...

The Abandoned Room

By Wadsworth Camp

CHAPTER XXXI The Scar on the Neck

"That's what I meant," Paredes whispered.

Graham moved back. "Good God!" Robinson started.

"What's the matter with the back to your neck?" Blackburr drew fearfully away. He raised his hand and fumbled at the top of his collar.

"I don't know," the doctor answered. "Heaven knows." Blackburr sat down. The light shone full on the stained collar and the dark patch of hair at the base of the brain.

"I would like to see you buy these bonds even though they are not compulsory. These bonds are better than Liberty bonds...

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"What's that?" Who's Howells? "And as Robinson told him of the second crime he sank back in his chair again, whimpering from time to time. His fear was harder to believe he could return as Mr. Blackburr had."

CITY ASKS WHY GAS BILLS ARE ON THE CLIMB

Butler to Introduce Resolution for Refund on Statements When Gas is Not Up to Standard.

A refund of 15 per cent of your monthly gas bill for every 10 points lacking in the quality of the gas supplied is provided in an ordinance which City Commissioner Butler will introduce in city council next Tuesday.

Files Motion Against Administrator in the Pratt-Magee Case. A motion in connection with the Pratt-Magee estate case of long standing will be heard in district court at 10:30 a. m. Saturday.

To Be Named Prefect. Rio Janeiro, Dec. 19.—The Havas agency announces Dr. Lauro Muller, former minister of foreign affairs, soon will be appointed prefect of Rio Janeiro.

WAR PUZZLES



RUSSIAN OFFICERS IN FRANCE. Offered their services to the U. S. to fight Germany, one year ago today, December 20, 1917.

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER. Right side down nose at Dutchman's chin.

FLASHES FROM FILMLAND

On the Screen Today. STRAND—CONSTANCE TALMADGE in "MIS LEPPELWIG'S BOOTS".

R. BERT SHIRLEY, manager of the Muse theater has been forced to announce to his patrons that "Cannibals of the South Sea Islands" which was booked for his theater for today and tomorrow, has been held up, and in place of it there will be shown in the last two days of this week Carmel Myers in "All Night" a comedy drama.

AT THE THEATERS

ALBERTINA RASCH, who tops the bill at the Orpheum this week, began her career as a classic dancer when she was 7 years old.

Only four more opportunities remain to witness "Hearts of the World," which concludes its five weeks' engagement at the Brandeis theater Saturday night.

Richard Carl will be the drawing card at the Brandeis theater for four nights commencing next Sunday evening, when, assisted by a large and talented supporting cast of 50 and a bewitching beauty chorus, he will present his new musical comedy, "Furs and Frills."

The engagement of Florence Nash in "Remnant" has been extended indefinitely in New York.

A performance of "Tea for Three" was given last week in New York before an audience of more than 1,000 wounded soldiers and sailors just returned from Europe and awaiting transfer to base hospitals.

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DREAMLAND ADVENTURE

By DADDY.

Blue Jay turns detective and leads Peggy in an adventure which finds her looking for a man in the case.

CHAPTER V.

Peggy Uses a Pistol. "CRACK" sounded the rock as it bounced on the German's head.

Officer Casey promptly rolled on top of him and pinned him to the ground. After gagging Off German he dragged him to a small tree and sat him down facing it, with a leg on either side of the trunk. He clasped the German's arms around the tree, fastening them together with handcuffs.

"You'll be perfectly safe there, my hearty, until we've found who all this mystery is about. Then if you've been up to evil tricks we'll cart you off to jail!"

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well guarded. I wish Blue Jay would take a look around. "I'll do better than that," promised Blue Jay.

Officer Casey's eyes followed Peggy's hands. "It isn't loaded, but you may feel safer with it," he said.

"This is the place!" screamed Blue Jay. "The man was standing right here when you are, Princess Peggy, when the German lit him."

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Payne Has New One; Says Officer Brought Booze into Nebraska. A jury in federal court Wednesday afternoon brought in a verdict of guilty against Ike Payne charged with illegal transportation of liquor into Nebraska.

INFLUENZA HAD NO TERROR FOR STUART, HE SAYS Had Fortified His System Against Attack by Taking Tanlac. "Tanlac built me up so well that the 'flu' didn't have a chance, so far as I am concerned," said Will Stuart, who lives at 128 Poppleton Ave., Omaha, and is employed at C. N. Dietz lumber company, a few days ago.

"About two months ago," he continued, "my stomach got all out of fix and stayed that way until I got hold of a bottle of Tanlac a few weeks ago. I didn't have much appetite, and what little I did eat would sour right away, and seemed to form into a lump right in the pit of my stomach."

"Well, when it comes to getting relief, Tanlac is the medicine. Why, it was the very thing I needed, for just as soon as I started on it my appetite improved, and in little or no time I could eat anything I wanted and as much as I wanted, and never have the slightest sign of indigestion or stomach trouble. Those awful headaches passed off, and one by one all my ailments disappeared. I sleep as sound as I did when I was a boy, and get up in the morning feeling chock full of energy, and my day's work is a real pleasure instead of a drag."

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