

CHILDREN PROVE GUILTY OF FATHER

Testify in Court to Seeing Drunkard Shoot Their Mother Dead.

HE WILL GO TO GALLOWES

Boy of Nineteen and Girl of Thirteen Are Principal Witnesses. Another Boy Guilty of Aiding in Murder.

CHICAGO, Sept. 21.—(Special.)—Children's day in the Criminal Court was fraught with tragedy today. Anton Bemis, Jr., 19 years old, and Rose Bemis, 13 years old, sent their father to the gallows for the murder of their mother.

During the days that Anton Bemis has been on trial in Judge Karsten's Court for the murder of his wife at their home, 741 Morgan street, on the evening of March 2, his children have been the strongest witnesses against him.

"Father drew a revolver and shot mother," the girl affirmed. "Mother fell and I ran to pick her up, but father shot again. I dragged her out in the hall and closed the door and father went in after her. Then I dragged her to the yard, but she couldn't stand up."

The boy testified that his father was almost continually intoxicated, and acted strangely. Bemis testified that 27 years ago his head was injured and that thereafter he drank to ease the pain.

Five ballots were necessary before the jury agreed on a verdict of death in preference to one of life imprisonment. A motion for a new trial will be argued next week.

Boy Convicted of Murder. The Foglio boy, one of the youngest defendants ever in the Criminal Court, was sentenced by Judge Kavanagh for the murder of Giulante Tomasio, October 15, 1905.

PACIFY BY INTERVENTION

(Continued From Page 1.) row. This is in accordance with a message from Secretary Taft, who, on being informed that the officer had arrived here, requested that he proceed to Havana at once.

REBELS FIRE ON NAVAL FORCE

Disperse at First Fusillade of Jackies—More Marines Landed. HAVANA, Sept. 21.—La Discussion publishes a dispatch from Cienfuegos, saying that bluejackets from the gunboat Marietta, who were guarding the Boland sugar estate, have been fired on by rebels. The Americans returned the fire and the rebels fled.

Commander Pullam, of the Marietta, at Cienfuegos, wires that 25 marines have been landed there from the cruiser Dixie, which sailed immediately thereafter for her original station at Monte Cristi, Santo Domingo.

WARSHIPS REACH HAVANA.

Squadron of Six Now Under Command of Captain Couden.

HAVANA, Sept. 21.—The United States battleships Louisiana and Virginia and the cruisers Cleveland and Tacoma arrived here this morning. The four warships entered the harbor at 9 o'clock, the Louisiana leading and saluting. The new arrivals, together with the cruisers Denver and Des Moines, now occupy the six best anchorages and give an unwonted, striking and warlike appearance to the harbor, where it is rare to see more than two warships at a time.

DOZEN WARSHIPS FOR CUBA

Navy Department Will Send No More at Present.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—It is not the present intention of the Navy Department to order any more war vessels to Cuba. Including those now in Cuban waters and those on the way, the latter being the battleship New Jersey from Boston, cruiser Minneapolis from Philadelphia, and the cruiser Newark from Norfolk, there are a round dozen American warships destined for at least temporary service there.

Beginning of Cuban Sugar Trust.

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—In the formation of the Cuban-American Sugar Company, which was incorporated in Trenton, N. J., the five largest sugar companies in the Cuban fleet have consolidated under one head. The capital stock consists of \$2,000,000. During the year these five companies handled 11,000,000 tons of sugar cane, which represented an output of 100,000 tons of sugar, about one-tenth of the entire supply of Cuba.

Barry and Duval Hurry Home.

LONDON, Sept. 21.—Brigadier-General Thomas H. Barry and Brigadier-General

W. P. Duval have come here from Germany. They had arranged to sail for home September 22, but having received orders to return as soon as possible, they sail on the Zealand from Antwerp, September 22. As an indication of the haste of their departure, they are leaving behind them their families and their aides.

President Has Direct Wire.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—Direct telegraphic communication has been established between Havana and Oyster Bay in order that Secretary Taft may be able promptly to report to President Roosevelt the progress of negotiations now under way in the Cuban capital for a cessation of hostilities and the pacification of the Cuban Republic.

Naval Men Keep Rebels Quiet.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—A cablegram was received at the Navy Department today from Commander Fullam, of the Marietta, at Cienfuegos, stating that the situation there was quiet and that he had 225 men acting as guards for American interests in that vicinity.

PANAMA WELCOMES ROOT

SECRETARY WANTS REPUBLIC TO BE INDEPENDENT. Isthmian Republic Pays High Honors to American Statesman

Columbia Awaits Him. PANAMA, Sept. 21.—Secretary Root landed from the United States cruiser Charleston today. The streets were crowded and Secretary Root was cheered all the way from the station to the American legation. Mr. Root called upon President Amador, who returned the visit at once.

The National Assembly met in special session this afternoon in honor of the visitor. Mr. Root, addressing the National Assembly, said that the United States, the first Nation which recognized the Republic of Panama, would retain a keen interest in the preservation of Panama's independence.

At the close of the session Mr. Root went to the president's palace, where he was introduced to the government officials and members of the diplomatic corps. More than 2000 public school children paraded before the building in Mr. Root's honor.

Mr. Barrot, the American Minister to Colombia, received a cablegram today from President Reyes, announcing that the people of Colombia are anxiously awaiting Mr. Root's arrival and that preparations have been made at Cartagena to extend him a hearty welcome.

Mr. Root will leave Panama tomorrow morning to inspect the canal zone.

Resume Relations With Colombia.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—Acting Secretary of State Adams today received a cablegram from John Barrot, American Minister to Colombia, now at Panama, stating that Secretary Root and he expected to leave Panama in about two days for Cartagena, where they would have a conference with President Reyes of Colombia and the Minister of Foreign Affairs of that country.

CHINESE BOYS ADMITTED

Baltimore Made Port of Entry to Admit Two Students. WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—For a short time today the City of Baltimore was made a port of entry for the admission of Chinese, in order that Charles Foo and S. L. Franking, two Chinese boys from the Philippines, might be admitted. They arrived yesterday.

Never before in the history of the Immigration Bureau has similar action been taken, but the circumstances were so unusual that they required but brief consideration in order to reach a favorable decision. Rev. E. S. Lyons, of Manila, who accompanied the boys to the United States, explained to Acting Secretary Murray that he had been unable to secure a passport and berth to New York, a Chinese port of entry, for his party. It developed also that the boys came of well-to-do parents and were supplied with ample funds, and further that their intention to attend American colleges is bona fide.

BISHOP'S BODY SIGHTED

Floating Corpse of Typhoon Victim May Be Recovered. HONGKONG, Sept. 21.—The steamer Shanghai, from Canton, sighted the body of Bishop Hoare, the American bishop who was drowned in the recent typhoon of Castle Peak Bay. A party on board the steamer Stanley has been dispatched to recover the body.

EARL GREY SHIPWRECKED

Yacht Thistle, Carrying His Party Stranded at Alert Bay. SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 21.—A dispatch from Victoria says that the Heungshan's back is broken. The sailing steamer Protector is proceeding to the scene. A dredger has been dispatched to the scene of the steamer Kinshan's stranding, confident of success. An attempt to tow off the stranded steamer Fatchan was unsuccessful. Her position, however, is secure.

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THE "DIFFERENT STORE" OLDS, WORTMAN & KING FIFTH, SIXTH AND WASH. STS.

There's Much of Interest for Housewives in Today's News:

Bear in mind particularly TODAY, please, that this is the "Daylight Store" NEVER open—except at Christmas—after 6 P. M. Help our helpers by getting shopping thru by daylight. We help our helpers to help us heartily by not asking 'em to work evenings.

You needn't hurry today: There are ten hours for shopping ahead, and the extra values will last all day. An eager, earnest force of salesfolk is ready to give our customers undivided and uninterrupted attention from morning 'til evening, with the pleasant prospective of their own time for rest and recreation after 6 P. M. Our public is now well in town, back from vacation pleasures, and everybody wants to see the new things appearing all over the Store and to share in the day's special values. Welcome.

This Great Sale of Kitchen Furnishings Ends Tonight:



- Sale of Granite Ironware: RICE OR MILK BOILER, 1 1/2-qt. inside boiler, regular 70c; special. 55c. 2-qt. inside boiler, regular 75c; special. 60c. 2 1/2-qt. inside boiler, regular 90c; special. 70c. BAILED KETTLES: 3-quart, regular value 25c; special. 20c. 4-quart, regular value 30c; special. 24c. 5-quart, regular value 35c; special. 28c. DISH PANS: 10-quart regular value 50c; special. 39c. 14-quart, regular value 60c; special. 49c. 17-quart, regular value 70c; special. 55c. MILK PANS: 1-quart, regular value 11c; special. 9c. 2-quart, regular value 15c; special. 12c. 3-quart, regular value 17c; special. 14c. PUDDING PANS: 2-quart, regular value 17c; special. 14c. 3-quart, regular value 18c; special. 15c. 4-quart, regular value 20c; special. 16c. SAUCE PANS: 2 1/2-quart, regular value 22c; special. 18c. 3-quart, regular value 25c; special. 20c. 4-quart, regular value 30c; special. 25c.

- Sale of Granite Ironware: COFFEE POTS: 2-quart, regular value 40c; special. 32c. 3-quart regular value 45c; special. 35c. Faucet Coal Oil Cans: 2-gallon size, special. 48c. 5-gallon size; special. 55c. 6-gallon Never Leak Can; special. 99c. American Waffle Irons: American Cast Iron Waffle Iron, high grade: No. 7, special. 75c. No. 8, special. 80c. No. 9, special. 90c. No. 8 Waffle Iron, high frame for gas stove. 85c. Rulison Toaster for gas stove, does not burn, no odor or taste from gas. 25c. Universal Food Choppers: Chops everything, raw or cooked meats, vegetables, fruits, fine or coarse, as desired. Small family size, special. 80c. Medium family size, special. 98c. Large family size, special. 1.20. Hotel size, special. 1.60.

- Cast Aluminum: For cooking is the most durable and lightest ware made; lasts a lifetime. No. 7 Cast Kettle, special. 1.53. No. 8 Cast Kettle, special. 1.65. 2-pint Cast Sauce Pans; special. 1.30. 3-pint Cast Sauce Pans, special. 1.40. 2-quart Cast Sauce Pans, special. 1.70. Cake Griddles, No. 8; special. 1.65. Cake Griddles, No. 9; special. 1.80. Bailed Kettles, 4-quart; special. 2.10. Bailed Kettles, 6-quart; special. 2.35. Bailed Kettles, 8-quart; special. 3.15. Tea Kettles, 7-quart; special. 3.00. Tea Kettles, 8-quart; special. 3.25. Tea Kettles, 9-quart; special. 3.40. Basting Spoons, 10-inch; special. 25c. Basting Spoons, 12-inch; special. 30c. Basting Spoons, 14-inch; special. 35c. Waffle Irons, No. 8; special. 2.35. Lisk's Enameled Roasters: Everyone guaranteed the best self-basting roaster made. 17 inches long, special. 1.90. 18 inches long, special. 2.15.

Special Sale of Girls' Shoes Annex, Sixth Street, First Floor. Very Special. We feel like saying: All the girls in Portland, with those who help to buy their footwear for 'em, should be here bright and early and stay through the day to share these values.



Women's Autumn Suits Second Floor—Grand Salons. Buy Today—Save HALF! The woman in need of a new tailored suit can get it here now in correct style for the incoming season, practical and serviceable, splendidly tailored; a suit that will serve her well all through the Winter, and pay just half its actual worth. Read:

\$25 Suits for \$12.50 \$85 Suits Today at \$42.50 And In-Between Values ALL at ONE-HALF Reduction!

We've convened a group of smart, pretty Tailored Suits suitable for Fall wear, the ends of lots, but very attractive styles, hardly any two alike, an exceptional saving opportunity; values range up from \$25.00 to \$85.00; you may choose from any for today at HALF PRICE. Jacket, Eton and Blouse Eton styles; materials of silk, etamines, chevots and fancy mixtures, in greens, blues, helios, lavenders, black, grays, tans and white. All masterfully tailored, some in severe lines, others handsomely trimmed in velvets, shirrings, laces, buttons, braids and embroideries. Choose from the suits at HALF PRICE.

Fourth-Floor Housekeeping Helps

- at Saving Prices LACE CURTAINS. White Lace Curtains, Brussels and Renaissance effect, in one, two and three-pair lots; 40 styles to select from. Regular \$1.50 value; special, pair. 1.18. Regular \$1.75 value; special, pair. 1.35. Regular \$2.25 value; special, pair. 1.80. Regular \$2.50 value; special, pair. 2.20. Regular \$2.75 value; special, pair. 2.35. Regular \$3.00 value; special, pair. 2.50. Regular \$3.25 value; special, pair. 2.75. Regular \$3.50 value; special, pair. 3.15. Regular \$4.00 value; special, pair. 3.50. Regular \$5.00 value; special, pair. 4.50. RUGS: Size 9x12 feet, regular value \$39.00; special. 29.50. Size 9x10 feet, regular value \$35.00; special. 26.00. Size 9x12 feet, regular value \$39.00; special. 29.50. SMYRNA RUGS: Size 6x9, regular value \$15.00; special. 10.50. Size 7x10 1/2, regular value \$18.50; special. 13.50. Size 9x12, regular value \$26.00; special. 19.50. Carpets in all the new Fall styles. \$7.50 COUCH COVERS \$4.95. Heavy Tapestry Couch Covers, fringed all around, 60 inches wide, 108 inches long; very handsome. Our \$7.50 value—special at \$4.95. \$2.00 SCRIM CURTAINS \$1.19. Ruffled Scrim Curtains, Battenberg edge and insertion. Our \$2.00 value; special at, the pair. 1.19. Bonne Femmes to match; our \$2.00 value; special at, the pair. 1.19. \$12.00 IRON BEDS \$8.95. Continuous Post White Enameled Iron Beds, with brass trimmings; our \$12.00 value—special at. 8.95.

Down in "Domestic" Aisle A Special Sale of Household Needs on Street Floor

Towel Supply Sale First Floor. Need Towels? Supply the need today. Read: 30c HUCK TOWELS 19c. All-linen Huck Towels, with colored borders or all white; large size; our 30c value; special today at 19c. Buy the Damasks Today First Floor—Linen Store. See how you may save: Supply the needs today for the Thanksgiving boards. 75c SATIN DAMASK 59c. Fine quality Satin Damask, nicely assorted patterns, regular value 75c; special, yard. 59c.

Unusual Values in Today's Sale of Silks and Dress Goods

Fifth-Street Annex—First Floor. 2750 yards of new Fall Novelty Suit Silks, in all the newest weaves and colorings, splendid value at the regular price of 85c yard; special for today only, yard. 62c. Waist, skirt and suit lengths of neat figured, striped, checked and plain silks; all good, desirable colors and patterns: Regular \$ .85 grades for, yard. 56c. Regular \$1.00 grades for, yard. 63c. Regular \$1.25 grades for, yard. 73c. COLORED DRESS GOODS SALONS. Imported Cream Mohairs In Sicilian and brilliantine. No better values ever offered than these numbers at our regular prices. These fabrics are specially good for suits and waists: Our regular \$1.00 grade; special for, yard. .79. Our regular \$1.25 grade; special for, yard. .98. Our regular \$1.50 grade; special for, yard. \$1.19.

Black Dress Goods Special for Today.

Imported English Brilliantines and Sicilians, every yard warranted fast rich black. Regular \$1.00 grade; special only, yard. .81. Regular \$1.25 grade; special only, yard. .98. All-wool Black Storm Serge, 38 inches wide, special values at our regular prices, at a big saving: Regular 50c grade; special, yard. 40c. Regular 65c grade; special, yard. 52c.

'Tis the Man's Shopping Day!

Sixth-Street Annex—First Floor. Men's 20c Hosiery 12 1/2c—A line of natural gray and Oxford Fall weight merino Hosiery, seamless; regular value 20c; special, pair. 12 1/2c. Men's new Fall Golf Shirts, in full weight goods; come in the newest designs for the coming season, with attached or detached cuffs; a splendid \$1.50 value; special sale price, each. 1.05. Men's Seamless Cashmere Sox, in gray, medium weight and extra value at 25c; special sale price, the pair. 15c. Men's medium weight Ribbed Balbriggan Underwear, in eoru; best finish and a fine garment; our 75c value; special sale price, a garment. 45c.

Today's Bargains in Women's Underwear:

First Floor. WOMEN'S \$3.00 UNION SUITS \$2.25. We selected this special value from the famous "Munsing" lines; picked it on account of superior worth. They're in medium weight white cashmere, very soft and fine, the favorite of a "fussy" skin, and the best \$3.00 Union suit for women on the market; special today at. 2.25. WOMEN'S \$1.50 PANTS OR TIGHTS 98c. A fine lot of splendid White Cashmere Pants in medium weight, made with French bands, also tight tops. They're ankle lengths. No vests to match, hence the reduction to close out the \$1.50 garments for today at. 98c.