

MAIE CASE IS JUSTIFIED BY NEW WOMAN CHARACTER

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 21.—Elmer La Maie, defendant in a sensational divorce case, filed by his wife, Helen La Maie, who had attempted to sell her to a gambler for \$500,000, remained today, his whereabouts undetermined, despite determined efforts to find him.

The prominent theatrical man and actor is reported as saying he is in a fight to the charge. He will claim, he said, that the story of his attempt to sell his wife to Lou Harris Baker, a gambler, is a myth.

Consult Federal Officers.

Elmer La Maie and her attorney are in consultation with federal and state authorities. Possibility of Maie's being brought against either charges being brought against either Maie or the negro is remote, since La Maie has admitted that she never saw Baker.

Appearance in El Paso of another man claiming to be La Maie's wife is being denied by the Mrs. La Maie here. She admitted she received a letter from Helen Hoyer of El Paso, claiming she had been in love with La Maie, but did not know he was married. The El Paso man says her name is Mrs. Violet La Maie, according to advices from that city.

Fashion Hint



A smart suit of brown wool shows the Egyptian trend in fashions by its design of jade, yellow and bronze flame interknitted at the bottom of the jacket, sleeves and skirt.

MAN AND WIFE ARE GUILTY OF MURDER

New York, Nov. 21.—Mrs. Mary Vetter and her husband, Ernest Vetter, were convicted today by a jury of first degree manslaughter for the slaying of Alonzo Storey, the woman's former lover.

The jury, which was out since 4:30 p. m. Thursday afternoon, returned its verdict at 10:30 this morning.

Mrs. Vetter screamed and collapsed when the foreman of the jury announced the verdict.

Her husband put his arms around her and attempted to console her.

Made Confessions.
The couple had confessed to clubbing and stabbing Storey to death in their home after he had made improper advances to Mrs. Vetter. She had lured him to their home to convince her husband that his suspicions of her intimacies with Storey were unfounded.

Previously, she had told her husband of an affair with Storey before her marriage.

She alleged that her husband's constant suspicion drove her to put the matter to the test and that when Storey tried to embrace her she struck him down with an iron bar, after which she and Vetter killed the former lover and threw his body into the ocean.

SPORT NOTES

New York.—Tex Rickard will make another effort today to have Mike McGuire and his manager, Joe Jacobs, bury the club so that McGuire will accept terms for a fight with Gene Tunney or Georges Carpentier.

New York.—Ad Stone, Philadelphia light heavyweight, regarded as the coming heavyweight champion, will meet Bill Shade, California, in a 12-round bout tonight in Madison Square Garden.

New York.—"I will never box again in New York or New Jersey," Mickey Walker, world's welterweight champion, declared before leaving for Canada. He is bitter against the New Jersey officials for warning on him because he boxed at a church benefit.

New York.—Italian Joe Gans, New York middleweight, and Phil Krug, Newark, went 12 rounds to a draw.

Lowell, Mass.—Lew Paluso, Lynn featherweight, won a ten round decision from Joe Fox, former British champion.

Blue Island, Ill.—Joe Burman, Chicago featherweight, and Johnny McCoy, Cleveland, box ten rounds here tonight.

New York.—Bill Johnson, California tennis star and one of the world's ranking players, will not be able to play with the American Olympic team for business reasons, the United States Lawn Tennis association announced.

Washington, Penn.—Herbert Kopf, Cincinnati, end on the Washington and Jefferson eleven for three years, has been elected captain of the 1924 team. He is a brother of Larry Kopf, former National league star.

New York.—Arthur Havers, British champion, made a drive of 280 yards from the first tee at the Westchester-Ritmire club in his first trial yesterday. He leaves for the south today.

Drug Addiction Is Discussed By Medics

Discussion of drug addiction and drug users' paraphernalia by Dr. W. K. Livingston of the University of Oregon infirmary marked the meeting of the Lane County Medical society held last night at the Osburn. Dr. Livingston based his talk on the study of approximately 250 cases he had under his observation in Boston and other eastern hospitals.

Dr. W. H. Dale was elected president of this organization, which now numbers 35 Lane physicians. Other officers are as follows: Dr. N. C. Nelson, vice-president; Dr. E. L. Zimmerman, secretary-treasurer; Dr. F. E. Adams, censor. Dr. W. B. Neal was elected as delegate to the annual state convention to be held next summer.

The officers of the society for the past year were Dr. A. H. Ross, president, who has held the office for two years; Dr. E. L. Zimmerman, vice-president; Dr. Gavin Dyott, of Cottage Grove, secretary-treasurer; Dr. P. J. Barile, censor; Dr. A. H. Ross, delegate to the state convention.

Alameda Naval Base Plan Opposed By Congressmen

Washington, Dec. 21.—Protests against the inclusion of the "Alameda naval base scheme" in the naval lands bill were voiced today by Senator King, Utah, and Representative Curry, California.

Both King and Curry characterized the proposal to construct a naval base at Alameda, Cal., as necessitating extravagant expenditure. Curry referred to Alameda base plan as "unsavory."

Both statements urged the retention of the present base at Mare Island.

Hollywood Offers Wrap Stockings As Late Society Fad



Miss Hortense O'Brien of Hollywood, Cal., introduces a novel idea which may give stocking manufacturers something to think about. Miss O'Brien has introduced the idea of "wrap stockings," using ribbon in the manner that was introduced by the army wrap leggings. The "wrap stockings" are more economical than silk stockings in both cost and wear.

MRS. MAHER TO HAVE BABY SHE ABANDONED

San Francisco, Dec. 21.—Mrs. Frances Maher was to receive tonight her Christmas present—her own baby.

The restoration of the child to its mother will mark the end of the long fight over possession of "Baby Mike," aged five months, which Mrs. Lauretta Fleming and Mrs. Maher have waged.

Mrs. Fleming has had the child since its birth—claiming Mrs. Maher gave it to her in return for her paying the hospital fees and other costs attendant upon "Baby Mike's" arrival.

Mrs. Maher demanded the child by right of birth. Late yesterday the case was settled when the attorney for Mrs. Fleming suddenly announced in court that his client had decided to abandon the fight to keep the child and would return it to its mother today.

WILSON IS JINX TO NAVY GRID TEAM IS BELIEF OF COACHES

Seattle, Wash., Dec. 21.—Is Wilson a jinx for the navy football team? If so the middies are in for a tough afternoon on January 1, at Pasadena when they tangle with the University of Washington grid eleven in the feature event of the Tournament of Roses celebration.

Football records show that one Harry Wilson, halfback on the Penn State grid team, just about defeated the navy and glebauded in their game early in the season with the Nitany Lions. Wilson was the whole show for Penn State and the navy defense could not stop him until after he had made successful gains.

The middies will have to encounter a man with the same name New Year's day. He is George Wilson, star halfback on the Washington team. Elmer Henderson, U. S. C. coach, which school has played both Penn State and Washington within the last two seasons, lets forth the opinion that he thinks George Wilson the better of the two.

Helped Troupe U. S. C.

Henderson's statement is not based on prejudice. George Wilson was mainly responsible for the 22 to 0 defeat administered by Washington to U. S. C. this season. Harry Wilson, the Penn State ace, played against the southern California eleven in a post-season game two years ago but the California team won by 14 to 3.

George Wilson hits like a bullet, is speedy, is an accurate passer and a handy man to have around on any football team. North Washington fans predict that the count will be amended at this man's prowess in the navy game.

KORETZ BELIEVED TO BE HIDING IN EAST

Chicago, Dec. 21.—Search for Leo Koretz, Chicago's \$10,000,000 oil swindler, today was concentrated in New York City in the belief that Koretz is hiding there in the hope of escaping from the country.

A statement made in New York by Mrs. Marcy Schoener, friend and confidante of the missing Koretz, was forwarded to Chicago authorities, who said it indicated Koretz will be in hiding in New York.

Authorities today said they were certain Koretz attempted to flee from the country. They believe, however, that discovery of the fraud came sooner than he expected and that his flight was checked.

Poultry Growers Are Asked To Join Now

Portland, Dec. 21.—The contracts between the members of the Pacific Cooperative Poultry Producers and the association expire January 1, 1924. Efforts are being made to sign up a new contract. This contract will be for five years with a yearly withdrawal privilege, and 250,000 hens, according to the contract must be signed by January 1, 1924, or all the contracts, which have been signed in the campaign so far, become void.

The association is short at the present time close to 100,000 hens. Unless poultrymen get busy and sign up at once, Oregon will be without an association and the poultry industry in the state will have received a blow from which it will take years to recover.

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last night, Roy G. Gruwell, 42, a salesman, crashed into two other automobiles with his own machine, narrowly escaping death, when his car straddled an embankment and threatened to go over. Gruwell was arrested on a charge of driving while drunk and was held in jail in lieu of \$200 bail.

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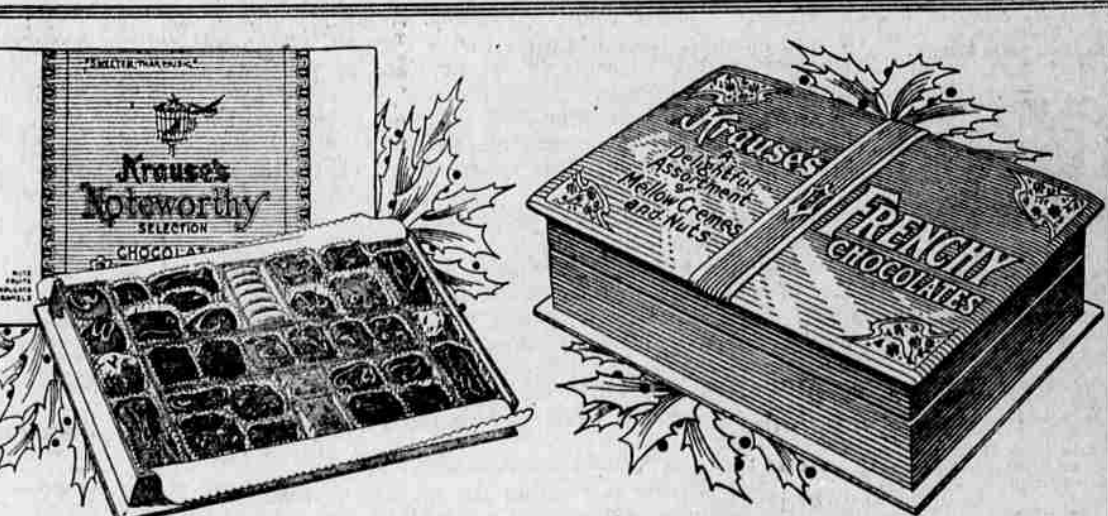


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