

GIRL TRIES TO ENTER CONVENT REQUEST DENIED

NEWARK, N. J., Aug. 11.—(A. P.)—The Newark Star-Eagle, in a copy-right story today will announce that Mary Louise Spas, the 21 year old Bohemian girl who unsuccessfully tried to become a modern Cinderella, spent the night and this morning in Newark in a vain effort to enter a convent and become a nun.

"If I cannot become a nun," sobbed the young woman, "I'm going to marry a poor boy and we'll work and have a nice home."

At the convent of St. John the Baptist, 17 Amity Place, the girl threw herself at the feet of the Mother Superior and begged to be accepted for the novice.

"Oh, I'm so tired of everything," she sobbed. "Please take me, sister, everything is ashes."

A later appeal to the dominican fathers at 337 South Orange also failed.

"I do not think you are capable of making a judgment now," a father of the order told her. "If you insist you can go to the convent station near Summit or to the House of Good Shepherd near here, but I advise against it. Go home with your father and mother; I give you my blessing."

Accompanied by her father and mother, the girl who for a day or two had been the adopted daughter of Edward W. Browning, wealthy real estate operator, arrived here shortly after midnight.

"Take me to this place," she told James O'Neill, a taxi-driver, as she pointed to a newspaper story telling how Geraldine Riche, 19, New York girl, sought asylum in the orphanage of St. John the Baptist, adjoining the convent at 17 Amity Place.

When the early morning attempt to arouse the inmates of the convent was unsuccessful, the girl consulted with her parents and told the driver to take her to a cheap hotel and call for her this morning.

They spent the night at a hostelry near the tube station and breakfasted in their room on a can of coffee and sandwiches, after which the unsuccessful attempt was resumed.

Before 9 o'clock the trio left Newark, the girl announcing that she must appear in court in Jamaica, L. I., at 10 a. m.

Before leaving Newark Mary obtained from the taxi driver a statement showing that she had tried to gain admittance to the convent, giving him a duplicate. She signed his copy as Mary Spas, and experts have pronounced her signature that of the erstwhile Browning ward.

The girl's plea was denied at the orphanage by Sister Illuminata, who told her that she was too old to enter that institution.

FALL TERM CIRCUIT COURT OPENS OCT. 19

The next term of the circuit court will be called Monday, October 19, for the petit jury and Monday, October 20, for the grand jury.

Two cases of exceptional interest locally are scheduled to be heard at the term: The civil action of the Ashland Baptist church against the First Baptist church of Ashland, to settle a controversy over the ownership of church property, and the trial of Omar W. Murphy, charged with manslaughter in connection with the death of his wife, Emma, following an alleged beating administered last April.

The fall naturalization hearing will be held Wednesday, September 23, and five applicants are scheduled to appear.

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GIRL SWIMMER NEAR DEATH IN CHANNEL SWIM

BOULOGNE, France, Aug. 11.—(A. P.)—Miss Libian Harrison of Argenteuil, who was taken from the water in a state of collapse last night, when eight miles off Dover, while attempting to swim across the English channel, suffered a relapse after reaching her home at Gris-Nez today. The doctors said her condition was not serious, but that she would require absolute rest for some weeks.

Miss Gertrude Ederle, the American girl whose indisposition last week-end compelled her to postpone her attempt to swim the channel until August 18, has not yet resumed her training. She is remaining at her hotel and will not begin training in the water again until Thursday.

Miss Harrison, in addition to her physical collapse, is suffering from let-down in her morale, which was severely broken by her failure of yesterday. She complains that she has had very bad luck, meeting unfavorable weather conditions on all four of her attempts to swim the channel. She vows she will never try it again.

Miss Harrison this afternoon appeared to be far from well and a doctor was summoned. Her father asserted he desired to have the advice of a physician as to whether it would be prudent for her to make further attempts to swim the channel.

Her fourth attempt to swim from the French to the English coast yesterday almost brought her death through drowning, when she was within eight miles of the goal, Dover. She had been in the water for seven hours and five minutes and had reached a position better than ever reached by channel swimmers in the same elapsed time.

Fortunately the strong Egyptian swimmer, Isak Helmy, was at her side in the water when she collapsed. With the words "catch me, Helmy, I am going down," she clutched the swimmer. She was semi-conscious when hauled aboard the accompanying tug. It was shortly after 7 o'clock that her unexpected collapse came when the flood tide seemingly was rapidly drawing her toward the English shore.

Jabez Wolff, who is training Gertrude Ederle for her attempt to swim the channel, holds the opinion that Miss Harrison's collapse was due to lack of proper nutrition. She is a vegetarian and Wolff declared it was his belief that the diet on which she had been living did not afford her the amount of nourishment which was necessary for anyone undertaking such a strenuous swim as that across the channel.

Kearns Will Sign.

NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—(A. P.)—Jack Kearns manager of Jack Dempsey and Mickey Walker, announced on his arrival here today that he would attend the meeting of the New York state athletic commission Friday and definitely sign contracts for a Willis-Dempsey match and Walker-Shade contest.

Weeks Calls on President.

SWAMPSCOTT, Aug. 11.—(A. P.)—Secretary Weeks called on President Coolidge late today and stated upon leaving he was undecided as to whether he would return to his office in the fall.

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ANY MEMBER OF GOLF CLUB MAY PLAY AT EUGENE

A return golf match between the Eugene County club and the Oakland Golf club of Medford will be played at Eugene next Sunday. Every man in the local club is invited to enter this match and to go to Eugene to play. Entries should be sent to Earl Tunny, chairman of the local tournament committee prior to next Thursday evening to enable proper notice to be given Eugene as to how many players they may expect from Medford.

Keen interest is shown in the coming match by the local golfers who won a team match against Eugene on the Medford links last Sunday and they hope to repeat at Eugene next Sunday.

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Cleveland	1 11 1
Washington	2 8 1
Buckeye and Myatt; Coveleski and Ruel.	
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New York	4 11 2
Pittsburgh	7 10 3
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Brooklyn	2 8 2
Cincinnati	7 14 2
Geochiger, Brown and Hargrave; Donohue and Hargrave.	

POSTAL MESSENGER IS HURT IN CRASH WITH AUTOMOBILE

Raymond Delaire, 16, a messenger boy of the local Postal Telegraph office, suffered a severe laceration of his right arm when the motorcycle he was riding collided with a car driven by Harold De Voe, at 9 o'clock this morning at the intersection of Central avenue and Main street. The injured boy was taken to

the Sacred Heart hospital where several stitches were taken in the arm. According to local police the fault of the accident belongs to Delaire, who cut the corner when turning around on Main street instead of going around the "dummy" in the center of the street. He had nearly made the turn when he collided with the De Voe car, which was traveling

at a slow rate of speed. The accident was witnessed by over a score of people. Bearing this accident in mind, Chief of Police Adams, warns all bicyclists and motorcycle riders to avoid cutting corners, cutting in front of cars while passing, and not to ride about at night without a proper light. The chief has received many com-

plaints in regard to this matter and states that drastic steps will have to be taken in order to make cyclists realize how their flagrant violations endanger life. Detection, plus correction, equals protection. Cook with gas. **

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Silk Underwear
Women's and misses' brassieres in satin and lace; values up to \$1.29—**Special 89¢**
Women's Richelieu glove silk chemise in flesh, orchid, Nile and peach; \$3.45 value—**Wednesday Special \$2.39**

Knit Underwear
Women's Kayser Knit bloomers in pink, white, navy, brown and black; a real \$1.25 value—**Special 85¢**
Women's knit vests with bodice or built-up tops; a very fine quality; value up to 59¢—**Special 29¢**

Hose
Women's Humming Bird silk hose in all the new colors; \$1.50 value—**Special \$1.25**
Women's La France silk hose, all sizes, in all of the very latest shades; \$2.50 value—**Special \$1.98**

Gloves
Kayser chamoisette gloves in two-buttoned and gauntlet wrist, colors in black, white, brown and grey; mostly large sizes; \$1.25 value—**Special 29¢**
Kayser and Ivanhoe silk gloves with fancy and plain cuffs; all colors and sizes; \$1.75 value—**Special \$1.59**

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The balance of our summer trimmed hats, each one beautifully styled; most of them will do for some time; many originally \$16.50—**To Clean Up, \$1.00**
A few women's sport hats, up to \$4.00 values—**To Clean Up, Each 69¢**
Women's white kid hats, up to \$3.75 values—**Wednesday Special, \$2.95**

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36-inch fine nainsook in white and pink; a very good quality; 25¢ value—**Special, Yard 15¢**
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