

MINISTER BEATEN BY BRIDEGROOM FOR KISSING THE BRIDE

Letter of Apology Is Written To Wife of Lieutenant Hague By the Rev. Lyman Paine

BOSTON, July 13.—Rev. George Lyman Paine, executive secretary of the Greater Boston Federation of Churches sent a letter of apology and explanation to Mrs. Priscilla Redgrave Hague, bride of Lieutenant Wesley McLaren Hague, U. S. N. in connection with the incident which culminated in a hand to hand encounter between Lieutenant Hague and the Rev. Paine in the latter's office.

Hague has said that his anger was aroused when the clergyman admitted kissing his bride and that he went to the clergyman's office with the intention of administering a thrashing, which he did.

Sends Letter of Apology The letter of apology in part, was: "I am gentleman enough to begin by apologizing to you as a lady, humbly and sincerely, for having, cause for annoyance. That was the last thing in the world that was in my mind. Certainly at the time you took no offense, and I would have stopped playfully tickling you with a grass stalk the moment you asked it."

"I don't think Hague a man in letting me extend my hand for a friendly handshake, and while saying to him 'I'm glad to see you again,' striking with full force in the face and following it up with further blows while I was dazed and trembling. Had he first asked me for some account of whatever had been done, simple and foolish as it was, and what we had not done, I am sure he never would have struck me at all, nor acted like the mad man he did."

Counts Himself a Friend "If I were his enemy and not his friend, as I still count myself, I could have him arraigned on a charge of assault and battery. I am afraid the affair will be out in the papers, but the less said about it the better and sooner they will forget it."

The episode referred to in the letter was alleged to have occurred when Paine took Mrs. Hague for an automobile ride to Belmont and later for a walk.

Paine, who officiated at the marriage of Lieutenant and Mrs. Hague and who baptized Mrs. Hague, has stated that he kissed the girl on both occasions as well as the day of the automobile ride and that in each case it was merely a display of fatherly affection.

ETHERIDGE IS CLEARED

PORTLAND, July 13.—The three remaining indictments against John L. Etheridge in connection with Morris & Bros. Incorporated, bond house failure were dismissed today. He was acquitted on one indictment last April.

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