

CASHIER EXPOSES 'BANKER'S' LAXITY

Louis Frank Says He Quit John Worthington When Methods Got "Rough."

NO MONEY COMING IN.

Certificates of Deposit Sold, but Proceeds Not Placed in Bank.

A little thing like selling deposit certificates and then not placing the proceeds in the bank does not bother John Worthington, who is the American Banking association and the owner of other organizations in corporate and not incorporated. His cashier, Louis Frank, told of Worthington's actions with regard to deposit certificates at a hearing before Master in Chancery Sidney Pollack yesterday.

Joseph Stout of South Bend charges Worthington sold him a share of stock in an incorporated "corporation" for \$5,200. The hearing was on Stout's petition that the "banker" be declared bankrupt.

Operations Get "Too Rough." Frank, the cashier, was put on the stand by George Schein, attorney for Stout. He said he had left the employ of the American Banking association because things were getting a little too rough.

"When certificates of deposits were issued did you sign them?" Attorney Schein asked. "I was instructed by him (Worthington) to sign them."

"At the time you signed them was there any money on hand?" "No, sir. When John would want these certificates he would come to me and order them made out, and as I could not see any money coming in for them, or anything to offset them, I just refused to sign any more. At times there were about \$150,000 or \$105,000 outstanding."

Buyers Deposit Certificates.

Frank C. Patten, a real estate dealer living at the La Salle hotel, testified he had purchased certificates of deposit for \$15,000 through A. J. (Hippopotamus) Halter of Denver, Colo. He transferred one certificate for \$5,000 to a bank at Genoa, Ill., he said. That bank is now suing for the money.

MARY FANCHER WILLIAMS, TEMPERANCE LEADER, DIES.

Iowa Club Woman and Editor Succumbs to Heart Disease at Home of Her Daughter Here.

Mrs. Mary Fancher Williams of Mount Vernon, Ia., wife of Prof. S. N. Williams of Cornell college, Iowa, and one of the best known women in the W. C. T. U. of that state, died yesterday at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Williams Lounsbury, 2503 Jackson boulevard. Mrs. Williams was born at Waterloo, Ia., July 5, 1855, and was graduated from Cornell college, Iowa. Years ago she became interested in the work of the W. C. T. U. and largely through her efforts the two branches of that organization became united in Iowa. She was editor of The Champion, the official organ of the W. C. T. U. in Iowa, for years, and had on three occasions been delegate to the national convention of that body. Last year she was a delegate to the national party convention at Minneapolis, and was elected to go to the international convention this year.

Mrs. Williams was perhaps the best known club woman in Iowa. She came to Chicago shortly after Christmas to visit her daughter and was taken suddenly ill. Heart disease caused death. Interment will be at Mount Vernon, Ia., tomorrow.

'Surprise' Nominee in Twelfth Ward.



Mrs. Bernice Napieralski.

The "surprise" woman candidate is Mrs. Bernice Napieralski, who was nominated by the Progressives for alderman of the Twelfth ward. She did not run for office, but her friends wrote her name in on the ticket.

"I was a surprised woman," she said last night. "When I learned that I had been nominated. Now I am going to make a hard fight to win. I believe I shall have the support of practically all the women in the ward."

Mrs. Napieralski has two saloonkeepers as her opponents. She is the wife of Stephen J. Napieralski of 2222 Marshall boulevard, a probation officer for the juvenile court. She is a member of the Polish Woman's Progressive club.

HOUSE COMMITTEE INDORSES TWO-BATTLESHIP PROGRAM.

Bill as Reported Provides for Six Instead of Eight Destroyers and for Additional Submarines.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 24.—[Special.]—Formal approval was given the administration's two battleship program by the house naval affairs committee today, after the "small navy" men had made their final stand against it. The navy department's construction plans were changed so as to provide for six instead of eight destroyers, and for additional submarines. As reported to the house, the bill provides appropriations of \$140,200,000, exclusive of amounts to be spent for armor and armament, and fixes the building program for the coming fiscal year as follows: Two first class battleships of the highest speed and largest possible radius of action, to rank among the world's dreadnoughts, \$7,800,000 each, exclusive of armor and armament. One powerful 1,200 ton, twenty-one knot, seagoing submarine, \$1,100,000. Six torpedo boat destroyers, \$925,000 each. Three coast defense submarines of 300 tons each, \$620,000, designed for use on the Pacific coast. Four harbor defense submarines of smaller type, \$375,000 each, intended for use on the gulf coast and at Panama.

OHIO GIRL SUES AVIATOR ATWOOD

Former Cafe Worker Asks \$50,000 for Alleged Breach of Promise.

CALLED LAWYERS' PLOT.

Airman, Already Engaged, Says He Will Leave Country to Escape "Schemers."

Toledo, O., Feb. 24.—[Special.]—Harry N. Atwood, the Ohio aviator, was made a defendant here today in a \$50,000 breach of promise suit. The suit was filed for Miss Cecile E. Harris, former checker in the dining room of the Secor hotel in this city. The plaintiff is the daughter of William Harris, a laborer.

The suit alleges that some time last September when the girl was riding in an automobile with Atwood he asked her to marry him. She alleges she withheld her answer until the following day, when she promised to become his wife.

Says He Refuses to Wed Her. She declared she has asked him to fulfill his promise upon several occasions, but that he has used some pretext or another to avoid doing so.

She says when she read in the newspapers several weeks ago of his announced engagement to Miss Ruth L. Satterthwaite of Reading, Pa., and his proposed aerial trip around the world with his bride-to-be, she renewed her requests that he keep his promise to wed her.

Atwood Denies Charges. Atwood denies the charges, declaring it is a trumped up case between the girl and a number of local attorneys. He moved here from Sandusky, O., several months ago, and established an aeroplane factory near the city.

He has been negotiating with the Wright Brothers at Dayton for the construction of a new machine which he proposed to use in a flight across the Atlantic ocean. He declared tonight, however, that he will leave Toledo and go to a new country, where he "will not be pursued by scheming attorneys."

OBITUARY.

ARTHUR I. MARKS, a resident of Chicago for thirty-five years, died on Monday at his residence, 4746 Prairie avenue, after an illness of four months. He was born in Alleghany, Pa., and came to Chicago when he was 2 years old. He was in the wholesale cigar business twenty years. The funeral services will be held this morning from Sinai temple and the burial will be at Rosehill.

MRS. ELLEN W. COPELEY, mother of Congressman I. C. Copley of Aurora, died at her home in San Diego, Cal., yesterday after a long illness. Mr. and Mrs. Copley are expected in Aurora from Washington tomorrow. She was a sister of Col. Richard Whiting, at one time a congressman from Peoria. She came to Aurora in 1867.

MAJ. GEN. JOSHUA L. CHAMBERLAIN, ex-governor of Maine and former president of Bowdoin college, died in Portland, Me., yesterday, aged 80 years. He distinguished himself in the civil war and had been surveyor of customs here since 1900.

JOHN T. MCLEISH, a manufacturer's agent, died yesterday at his residence, 1318 North La Salle street. He was born in Scotland in 1837. Funeral services will be held tomorrow at 10 o'clock.

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GIRL'S STORY HITS RAIL MAN

Well Known Cincinnati Admits Share in Delinquency.

ESCAPES PRISON BY AGE.

Three Other Men Named by Young Woman; Society Gets Shock.

Cincinnati, O., Feb. 24.—[Special.]—Following the issuance of a warrant for the arrest, Brent Arnold, general freight agent and superintendent of terminals of the Louisville and Nashville railroad, appeared before Juvenile Judge Gorman late this afternoon and pleaded guilty to a charge of having contributed to the delinquency of 17 year old Mildred Crane, who made charges against him and several other prominent Cincinnatians.

Because of his age, nearly 70 years, no sentence of imprisonment was meted out to Arnold by Judge Gorman. A fine of \$750 and costs was imposed.

Warrants were also issued for the arrest of Hugo Goldsmith, member of the firm of P. Goldsmith & Sons, well known sporting goods manufacturer; Isaac Newton Fox, traveling agent for the Fox Bros. & Co., jewelry dealers, and Charles B. House, traveling representative for a New York textile house.

These three men are said to be out of the city. Their counsel denied they are implicated in the charges made by the Crane girl. The arrest of Col. Arnold came as a climax to a case that has shocked Cincinnati society. In a signed confession, written at the request of the court authorities a few days ago, the Crane girl made out a list of men she asserted had been guilty of conduct which would warrant their arrest if her charges were true.

In the case of three of the four for whom warrants were issued today the girl alleged that she was introduced to them by Elizabeth Phares Bowen, a manicurist, at the latter's parlors; that she had taken dinner with the men mentioned, and the delinquency followed. The single exception was Charles House.

SMALLPOX FOUND AT URBANA: MORE SCARLET FEVER CASES.

Mayors of Two Cities Confer with University Authorities to Plan Methods of Checking New Epidemic

Champaign, Ill., Feb. 24.—[Special.]—Alarmed by the appearance of smallpox in Urbana and the report of new cases of scarlet fever, the mayors and health officers of Champaign and Urbana today conferred with University of Illinois authorities to plan methods to check the threatened epidemic. Dean Clark issued a warning, urging all students who have not been vaccinated or whose vaccination scars are not plainly marked, to be vaccinated at once. Hundreds of students complied with the advice.

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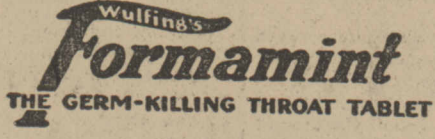
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