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# WOMAN ESCAPES GALLOWS IN POISON CASE AT TOWSON McGUINN AND FITZGERALD NAMED IN PRIMARY ELECTION M. E. CONFERENCE ENDS; IMPORTANT CHANGES ARE MADE

Sarah Thomas Who Fed Husband Rough on Rats, Chicago, Ill., April 3-Bishop He Wanted

law husband, was tried before voting himself to medicine and for ed guilty and sentenced to life im-Judge McClain in the criminal this reason studiec and earned his prisonment by the Circuit Court in court at Towson on last Wednes- M. D. degree in Jefferson Medical Waterloo, Ill., Friday.

pathetic picture as, weeping, she He was married to Miss Anna Tay- pealed if this is denied. life, even shoes, to give money to 1870. the murdered man, who had de- He pastored churches in Ohi

body. Sarah Thomas, stated that of the delegates to the Ecumenica. she did not intend to kill Tillman, Conference in London in 1902 and but wanted to make him sick. Now that same year held two church she was sorry that she had com- conferences in Africa.

During the testimony the name of one George Morgan was fre- MOTON AND PICKENS TALK quently mentioned. Sarah Thompoisoned Tillman if Morgan had R. Moton and Dean Wm. Pickens A price was placed upon Dr. as testified that she would not have not told her. According to her were speakers at the W. C. C. S. Bundy's head for a long time and

hardly knew their right hand from their left. In one case, when the permitted to sit on the county jury esty of the Negro as a race.

Charles W. Held. whose mother that to date 138 of them have reared the prisoner, asked the jury turned the borrowed dollar. for a verdict in the second degree. The only witness for the defense was the prisoner who threw her- LABOR SITUATION ACUTE

self entirely on the mercy of the States Attorney Hartman in sum- Memphis, Tenn., April 5th- Bundy of Cleveland, a presiding built his own but, where no color last week to report to Bishop Levi liams were both booed, when they No More" spirituals sung by the had been raised for Morgan Colming un the case asked that the The labor situation here is made elder in the A. M. E. Church and line was drawn. In another part J. Coppin the reason for leaving attempted to speak, and Robinson Fisk Quartette in their own way lege. fury render a verdict of murder in more acute because Negroes are was at one time mentioned for the of France the 'Y' refused to sell his charge. the first degree without capital refusing to accept employment on bishopric. . He did. nurishment, for he did not believe farms. Demands from every sec- Richard Bund, secretary of the only white soldiers. In Bordeaux up by white ministers and quesin hanging a maman whether she tion are coming in for farm hands legation at Monrovia, Liberia. mas black or white. "For women but both white and Negro citidiffer from treen. You can't mest zens are refusing to "go back to BENSON WILL HELP sure morron by the same standard the soil". They claim that they defense portion of the farm work, and the

mye cortein he said vet the jury should consider the intelligence of DRAMATIC ART SCHOOL the mann and do the virtue of

though the je black, loves her chi'- Players, is director, in their beauti- and that every effort should dren and consideration should be ful quarters at 459 E. 31st street. made to show our appreciation Trenter minutes rendered the verdie of gul'er of murder in the first

Broken in body and in spirit the slump because of the war, is atneisoner received the verdict and tested by the fact just brought the sentence of Judge McClain to to light that a single lawyer tite imprisonment in the Maryland John A. Auter, of this city has

Aside from the most that there awaiting settlement. are no colored members of the court room in Towson were segregated in a gallery in the rear of

tor of Bethel Church, This

Shaffer of the A. M. E. Church to was buried from his home here the early part of the week. News of Leave.-Colored People his death was sent out Thursday" Put in "Gallery" of Court evening. He was in good health until a few days ago.

Bishop Shaffer was born in Troy , January 3rd, 72 years ago. He was educated in Berea College in Kentucky, and later took special work in Hebrew in Cadiz, Ohio and Brooklyn, N. Y. He thought of de-College in Philadelphia in 1888. That the case created consider- He was given his D. D. bv. Wilberable interest among both races force University and Allen Univerwas evidenced by the crowded sity in 1905.

Bishop Shaffer served in The accused presented a most Union army during the Civil War. told how she had worked and de- lor of Cincinnati the same year he prived herself of the necessities of was ordained into the ministry

cided that she no longer suited his New York, Pennsylvania and was fancy, and was about to leave her once pastor of Bethel Church, Balfor another woman, Miss Punks timore. From Bethel he became secretary-treasurer of the Church INTEND TO KILL Extension Board and was elevated to the bishopric at Columbus, Oh Between sobs that shook her in 1900. Bishop Shaffer was one

the work of colored officers overwork than the American colored ed a special hearing, and after velously fine record. I have never Bundy to be taken back to Illinois. been more hopeful of the future After languishing in jail for some than I am today-hopeful that hu- months, he finally secured bail and man justice and fairness will pre- all last year traveled over country telling his side of the

The state closed its case at 2:30. from France and had not been the suit.

are treated like slaves in a large

OPENS IN CHICAGO incritibly loads to crime. "Of stage, war formally opened Mon- Mr. Benson said: large number of colored peo- day night. Virgil L. Williams is "I agree that recognition of t present, few have taken the president and Clarence E. Muse heroic deeds of Maryland's colored "This woman, former star with the LaFayette soldiers should not be overlooked

> ING IN CHICAGO "divorce market" has not had a them.

LOT AROUSES WHITES any public place has been recalled.

giving much concern to the whites of this section. It is stated that

End of Celebrated Case Not Yet. Appeal to be Made to Higher Court. Extradi-Aroused Country Wide Interest.

A. N. P. Service Chicago, Ill., April 1-Dr. Leroy N. Bundy, dentist and prominent in civic matters in his former home at East St. Louis, Mo., was declar-

charges preferred against Dr. Bundy as the result of the East St. Louis riots in 1917. It is certain that there will be a motion for a The East St.Louis riots, in which

more than one nundred persons were killed and resulted in the devastation of that section of East S.t. Louis where the majority blackest spot on the escutcheon Dr. Bunday was the last of 34 defendants to be given prison terms

whom twenty were whites. The case is one of national importance as thousands of people are of the belief that Dr. Bundy is being persecuted, and is being made the scapegoat in a carnival of crime that will never be effaced

testimony Morgan wanted her to meeting at Ogden Hall here today. he was finally taken into custody get rid of Tillman so that he and The latter reffered to the colored at Cleveland, Ohio, his former she could go away together. They people as "gentle in peace, and home, where his parents live, and Dr. Moton paid a fine tribute to Reserve University in Dentistry. Extradition was fought before "No group did any better Governor Cox, of Ohio, who grant-These men made a mar- much delay finally permitted Dr.

stroy and raising funds for his dewere being sworn, it was SAYS SOLDIERS ARE HONEST. The National Association for the Advancement of Colored people New York, April 3-Charles M. was at first very active in cooperatthat he was holding up the wrong Schwab tells a story that shows ing with Dr. Bundy and his friends Since colored men are not more than anything else the hon- in fighting the case, but because of certain indiscreet incidents conmen were aboard the steamer with organization publicly announced its saving that colored men were not persuaded his congregation not

of East St. Louis, in endeavoring old New York violently:

Wants Cannon for First Separate Company

sentative Carville D. Benson, from Chicago, April 5-The Chicago nounced today that he would find in a morning names the state School of Dramatic Art, for the it a pleasure to cooperate wit.

> their work. I think the acquisition of the cannon captured by the First Separate Company and placing it in Baltimore as a memoria

cases Equal Rights Bill recently passed. by both houses of the State Legis lature, making it punishable with a fine of from \$100 to \$500 to dis-

Motor Corps Women Still Doing Their "Bit."



The Colored Motor Corps women attached to the Motor Corps Women of America have done a great deal both during the war Corps women helping a wounded colored soldier out of the ambulance into the theatre where a show was given for the

Army and K. of C. Said to be Free of Discrimination

aroused genuine sympathy. Dr. nation, but it was unavailing. He an agent of the "Crisis." for French, Americans and for the white Commercial Club.

'Colored Brother'.

relief. He made his way to a hut delphia. and offered to buy some tobacco. which was refused with the same statement that the 'Y' served only

An attempt to read the above letters at a meeting of the Y. M. A. caused the presiding officer to refuse to allow Wibecan to speak

When informed of the charges South and abolish lynching. their policy to discriminate, but rights bills. A fury of "white and that they knew of individual cases colored citizens is asked for, when-

Against Reading Colored

Newspapers and Maga- an extra load of followers toured zines. Walked 46 Miles Mr. Warner T. McGuinn utilized. To Catch Train.

Mr. Schwab says that he loaned nected with the collection of funds fantry arrived in France, all the he read colored newspapers when tributed among the crowds and i use men who were of average in- 154 soldiers \$1 each recently. The as claimed by the Association, this Y. M. C. A. huts had up signs ordered not to, and because he the doors showing how Dr. Robin-THE CASE GOES TO THE JURY him enroute to the United States withdrawal from participation in admitted. A letter to this effect attend an address by a speaker the color line by having his colorfrom Sergeant Charles Conick of who was booked to advise colored ed campaign manager write letters lation in the interest of Fisk Uni-Dr. Bundy has no children, but the above regiment to George E. people to stay in the South. Rev. to the colored voters, while Robin- versity last week, District Attorney Northern and Southern Methodis is married, and the untiring inter- Wibecan of 434 Pulaski street, Thomas Collins, of Yazoo. Missis- son himself wrote letters to the Kane said that Philadelphia has apart. est and efforts of his wife; a native Brooklyn, N. Y. has stirred little sippi, narrowly escaped a severe white voters. beating from Klu Klux. With The two bands and their large tion of any city in the Union. Al- platform of colored men and wh to obtain his freedom, have at- "Col Hayward entered a vigo- Rev. Collins were several other per followings came together on Penn- most 200,000 Negroes are now said men. Dr. Jones moved the whole tracted the greatest attention and rous protest against this discrimi- sons from his town, one of them sylvania avenue near Gold street to reside here. Bundy is the son of Rev. Charles finally secured some lumber and Rev. Collins came to this city was deafening. Johnson and Wil- and "I ain't going to Study War It was announced that \$12.00

one hut had separate entrances tioned and then taken before the dents showed bad feeling when the people had ordered that no race their little parade, and some of was resumed, a collection taken Another letter received by Wib- literature be circulated in Yazoo, them disgusted with the spectacle and a picturesque pageant "by cit- Havnes: Bedford City. C. E. The ecan from a member of the 367th and they went through his pockets of Johnson's and Williams' support izens of Philadelphia" was present. Bedford Springs, A. W. Jones Inf., relates an instance where to find out what sort of letters and of Robinson, broke the silence of ed, with the title "A New Genera- water. J. H. Lewis: Brownsbur in Toul and requested some cigar- satisfied because he had advised Guinn. At Presstman and Etting To plane accompaniment the stage ington. L. A. H. Moore: Falls C tettes. They were refused upon his congregation not to attend the streets there was scarcely a cor-filled under the calcium ray with C. A. Brady; Grottoes, J. W. which the colored men drew their meeting of a lecturer who announc- poral's guard out to hear Robin- groups of social workers, Campfire Halls Hill, T. revolvers and threatenedthesecre- ed that "colored people ought to son's talk. At other places the Girls registered nurses. Spanish Bradley Johnson:

tary with death if he did not sup- stay in the South with their only band attracted folks, who soon War War Veterans, soldiers and Brashears; Leesburg, C. S. them with tobacco, for which friends." the Commercial Club or- scattered, when they found out sailors of 1918, engineers carpen- Lexington, R. W. Stennett they had ample money to pay, dered him to be taken out and with who the candidate was. "We got the cigarettes" says the four other colored citizens beaten. In the two places where Mr. Mc-On the way to the whipipng post Guinn spoke, he received a rousing of the Civil War drew. perhaps, the Richmond

Lynching Urged number of leading citizens co- 2500 colored voters in the Ward, gave a convincing object lesson of operating with Washingtonians met due to the fact that whites have the attainments and deserts of the In a statement to the press Mr. Senator Joseph J. Fr. ce at Wash- left in large numbers and colored race represented by 200,000 cit Wibecan said that colored people ington. Thursday morning and pre- have taken their places. In his zens of Philadelphia.

to improve schoo' candidans in the the effort to bull Robinson thru in the general election. ommittee said that it was not peal for mixed juries and for epual DR. ROBINSON WILL On the question of lynching, Con- Mr. McGuinn by 'phone and offer- checkers and various games, also Restaurant, Druke

Young. Fourteenth Ward Campaign Red Hot. Robinson Out For McGuinn

ELECTION RETURNS

REPUBLICAN For Mayor-Wm. J. Broeningnot contested. First Branch City Council 14 Ward Warner T. McGuinn, 788 Leon Robinson (white) 350 17th Ward Wm. L. Fitzgerald, 545 Louis H. Davenport, 89 W. Martin, 44 Alexander Williams, 54

DEMOCRATIC For Mayor Geo. W. Williams, 24,936 James H. Preston, 20,967

Howard E. Young, 362

14th Ward Daniei C. Joseph, unopposed 17th Ward Charles H. Garland, unoppose Interest in the Primary election for colored folks centered in the and 17th Wards: In the 17th, the contest was between five colored men, and the kept clean and hard. As expected the chief contest was between Young and Fitzgerald.

eight big passenger cars to carry his group of speechmakers and rooters into every section among

was admonished by his aids to brought applause as well as tears. In several other precints, resi- er were other sepakers. White Robinson faction drew up with

cheer from large crowds. He heartiest applause of all. told of only 300 white Republicans Spirit of '76" was portrayed and ". the Ward, while there were the Spirit of Liberty, carrying a 1500 colored voters, and asked the torch aloft draped in the national question. "Should 1500 Negroes be oclored made her appearance while West Staunton, J. H. E. Carter: every direction. Enthusiasm was description of the various occupaat a still higher pitch when Mr. tions and activities of the colored McGuinn said that after the next race which the several groups reregistration, the books will show presented. All in all, the evening had given largely to the War Work sented a petition on hoha f of the last words. Mr. McGuinn told how. Campaign Fund, and that the K. International Unit's Towner. It is if Robinson succeeded in beating ROOSEVELT CLUB FOR and the Salvation Army made said that the Senator all be asked him in the Primaries, he would

juris- to help Mr. McGuinn in the gener- Q. Parker is the executive secre

Washington Yesterday.

Justice McCoy yesterday in Crim-Moerns, white, was convicted of having in his possession and ex-Washington two years ago, with Conference of the Methodist Episthe credentials of a professor of copal Church closec its sessions on anthropology in a Dutch Univers- Sunday after one of the most won-He speaks several languages derful meetings in history. and made himself at home among. Some of the changes include the the educators in Washington, sten- sending of Rev. sibly to study the physical differ- from Annapolis wined and dined extensively. number of pictures of nude women Matthew W. Clair were found in his possession. They Church in Washington.

TENNESSEE JAIL

teachers in the city schools.

rivalry was keen, but the fight was Were Wanted by the State for the

Chain Gang. Knoxville, Tenn., March 27.-As Many persons were disappointed the result of an investigation at Dr. Young's showing, which was this city by three colored lawyers due to the opposition of the "wet" sixteen men were released from the Knoxville County Jail. The men were arrested during was more interesting because o the first week in March charged Colored with "beating board bills." Actual ministers led by Rev. E. S. W. people residing in the ward in the ly, the state wanted workers in the majority, waged a hard and bitter chain gang. In several cases the each day and an unusual crowd fight to defeat the white candidate men were arrested without war-The fact that rant and by men who had no colored man- authority to execute a warrant. agers and helpers only made the a result of a habeas corpus filed interesting. The the lawvers the men were broug

result proved for all time that col- before Judge Nelson, the presiding

Quaker City Has Largest Dr. W. A. C. Hughes was sent over Population in U. S.—Fisk day and on Saturday a delegation Rally Under Auspices of of fifty five men and ten wome Armstrong Association.

perhaps the largest colored popula standing together on a high Conference to tears with his adabout nine o'clock, and the din "Shout all over God's Heaven" dress.

Rev. C. A. Tindley and Isaac Fish-PAGEANT PICTURESQUE

After the speakers the singing Further dis- the night with lusty yells for Mc- tion in the March of Democracy... Charlottesville, T. B. Dunable

by 300 the "Star Spangled Banner was "Noes" sounded from sung. A reader gave a succinct

> COLORED SERVICE MEN. Annapolis, Md., March 29-The Roosevelt Military and Naval Club is becoming the centre of attraction for sailors and soldiers in this city. The club is well furnished

Conference at Staunton, Notable. \$12,000 for M gan College. Center Fund Fixed at \$4,000,000

Full List of Appointments from the several changes, some of Moerns came to them unexpected, the Washington

ences between the white and col- Superintendency of the Baltimore ored races. He spoke at Howard District. District Superintendent University several times and was C. G. Cummings was sent to a charge at Charleston, W.Va. Rev. He was arrested, it is said, as an Julius S. Carroll of Centennial. alien enemy sometime ago and a Baltimore takes the place of Rev. were identified in Court yesterday fills the place of Dr. I. L. Thomas as likenesses of many well known deceased. Rev. J. H. Jenkins was

the Annapolis District. Two of the sad incidents of the gathering were the departure of Rev. C. E. Hodges for his home in New Jersey on account of the death of his father and the enforced return of Rev. Alexander Denisn. of Eastport, Md., who was stricken and is now ill at his home. Officers of the Conference Bishop W. P. Thirkield presided over the sessions of the conference and Rev. J. S. Carroll was elected treasurer. Rev. S. H. Norwoo

Centenary Func Four Million One whole day of the Conference was given to the discuss. of the Centenary Fund. The was a question as to whether th assesment should be the same white as for colored churches, Re W. A. C. Hughes and Dr. I. Gar. and. Penn and Rev. D. D. Turpeat

others and eventually won.

quota of the Conference was set a \$4,000,000 instead of \$2,000,000. The Baltimore Conference of the E. Church, white, South, was I presided over by Bishop Hendrix

year leave of absence for travel

ormerly of Denver, Colorado opened fully equipped DENTAL OFFICE