

NEWS OF A DAY IN CAMDEN

At the meeting of the Camden Excise Commission to-night there will be rather a knotty problem to solve when the application to transfer the liquor license of Wladslaw Wilgocki, deceased, at 1135 Liberty street, to Mary Wilgocki comes up for consideration. The woman lived with Wilgocki for twenty years, bore him children and was generally looked upon as his wife. Now a daughter by a former wife declares the woman was not married to Wilgocki, and hence is not entitled to the license transference. Both sides have employed counsel.

George W. C. Baker, of Berlin, who last week held up Disston Janney at the point of a gun on a lonely road, was yesterday declared insane at the Camden county jail by a commission of physicians. He was subsequently taken to the State Hospital for the Insane.

Camden is now enjoying the purest milk in years, according to State Health Inspector Townsend. Yesterday he completed an inspection, which embraced depots and dairies throughout the city and county.

For over a week Recorder Stackhouse has had a warrant in his office in Camden for the arrest of George Rhedemeyer, a member of the Park Commission, superintendent of the Harleigh Cemetery and one of the best known automobilists of the city. He is charged by George Evans, of Collingswood, with throwing tacks on Haddon avenue, near City Line, resulting in many bicyclists and autoists coming to grief. Saturday Rhedemeyer visited Recorder Stackhouse's office and demanded a hearing, but as Evans could not be found the case was postponed. He declares emphatically he knows nothing about the distribution of tacks along the road.

John M. Feltze, aged 22 years, was arrested at the home of his parents, at 904 Carbon street, Camden, yesterday as a deserter from the United States Navy. Feltze was asleep when he was surprised by Sergeants Schreger and Hyde. He submitted to arrest and was later taken to Newport by a detective. He is alleged to have taken French leave from the gunboat Constellation, now lying at Newport.

The Camden County Republican Executive Committee in Camden yesterday fixed September 12 as the date on which the delegate elections will be held. On September 14 conventions will be held for the nomination of Republican candidates

as follows: State Senator, City Hall, Camden; Assembly, Gloucester City; Sheriff, Merchantville; County Clerk, Post 5 Hall, Camden; Register of Deeds, Collingswood; Councilman-at-Large, Post 37 Hall, Camden; Excise Board, Mechanics Hall, Camden; Board of Education, Trinity Hall, Camden. Another meeting of the committee will be held August 14.

Mrs. Mary Emma Phillips, aged 24 years, of 763 Pennsylvania avenue, Camden, who disappeared while on a trip to Washington Park last Saturday, has not yet been heard from. Her mother told Chief of Police Foster yesterday she is under the impression that her daughter met with foul play.

Returning home early yesterday morning Newbold Dickson, of 781 Pine street, was held up by two men at Haddon avenue and Lane streets. When he resisted one of the men pulled a revolver, pointed it at Dickson, but it failed to go off. After striking one of the highwaymen over the head with his fist Dickson escaped by running.

Maurice Daly, a boy, of 422 Lawrence street, Camden, was arrested yesterday on a charge of buncoing a slot machine belonging to Samuel Hibbert, of 816 Market street. Maurice had a pocket full of circular iron discs the size of pennies. With these he nearly emptied the machine of its chewing gum.

Frank Alexander, colored, was held, in \$500 bail by Recorder Stackhouse in Camden yesterday on a charge of beating Lizzie Moore, a blind and feeble old woman. The attack is alleged to have resulted from the failure of Mrs. Moore to get the defendant a meal.