

# STRENUOUS CAMDEN YOUTH IS JAILED

George Willingmire, who shot into a crowd of women and children Monday and performed other stunts that aroused the southern section of Camden, was arrested at Centerton, Burlington county, yesterday by Constable Gilbert. Detective Hart and Policeman William Harvey were at once sent to bring the youth to Camden.

When he appeared before Recorder Stackhouse he faced two charges of shooting Mrs. Helene Lotowski, aged 28 years, of 1219 South Tenth street, and Mrs. Caroline Zersch, aged 38 years, of 1270 Mechanic street, two of the six persons who received the contents of Willingmire's gun when he fired into the crowd.

Willingmire claimed he shot a dog. He was committed to the county jail in default of \$1500 bail.

## WATCHMAN GOES TO PRISON

**Three Years for Breaking Into a Camden Dwelling**

The first session of the Camden Criminal Court of the September term was held yesterday. John Javers, the private watchman charged with breaking into the home of S. Fred Hall, on Front street, pleaded guilty and was sentenced to two years in State Prison by Judge John.

Charles White, charged with being responsible for the disappearance of several hundred pigeons on the East Side, also pleaded guilty and was given two years in State Prison.

## Excise Board's Easy Night

The Camden Excise Commission met last night and for the first time for several years did not grant a license or transfer. William Martin, 2101 Broadway, wanted his license transferred to James W. Branzell, but his request was refused. Other applications for transfers were laid over as follows: Joseph Palese, 909 South Fourth street, to 907 South Third street; Frank Rose, 130 Federal street, to Joseph K. Munyon; John Schuda, 1140 Kaighn avenue, to Max Yaroch.

## Citizens' Committee Preparing Report

The Citizens' Committee appointed to investigate the charges of irregularities in tax assessments in Camden by the Commission of Appeal held a secret session yesterday. While the members refused to say what was discussed, it was reported they were preparing their findings, which will be presented to the Finance Committee of City Council on next Monday night.

## Lyceum League's New Officers

The Lyceum League, Camden's well-known debating society, has elected Howard B. Nixon president; Cyrus D. Marter, vice president; Roy Heisler, recording secretary; Boyd Sheppard, corresponding secretary, and Leon Van Heckle, treasurer.

## CAMDEN NEWS NOTES

\*\* The funeral of Mrs. Martha C. Ayres, aged 84 years, the oldest member of the Union M. E. Church, took place yesterday from the home of her daughter, 275 Mt. Vernon street. Interment was made in Evergreen Cemetery.

\*\* The Second Battalion, Naval Reserves, will go to Sea Girt September 28 for two days' rifle practice.

\*\* John Moore, aged 30 years, had several teeth knocked out yesterday at Dialogue's shipyard by being struck in the mouth by a bolt. He was treated at the Cooper Hospital.

\*\* Ernest Still, a colored boy, of 930 Chestnut street, Camden, was admitted to the Cooper Hospital yesterday with his face badly torn as the result of being struck by a missile thrown by a neighbor.

## That Fortune Was a Myth

Special to The Inquirer.

GLOUCESTER CITY, N. J., Sept. 16.—Having received no further tidings of the great wealth which was supposed to have been left him, Joseph Fontaine, the fruit vendor of this city, has given up all hopes of receiving the fortune. Three months ago Fontaine received word that a sister in Belgium had left him a fortune, and although efforts have been made to ascertain if it was true he has received no further information.