

## OVER IN CAMDEN

Andrew Collins, indicted for policy selling, in whose case a jury disagreed, was brought into court yesterday by Assistant Prosecutor Carson, who advised him to plead guilty and throw himself on the mercy of the court. Collins refused to do so.

Not because she was a bad girl, but because she was an orphan and had no one to look after her, Ethel Wilkie, an 11-year-old colored girl, was committed to the State Industrial School for Girls by Judge Armstrong.

Harry Grosscup, of No. 2 Engine Company, is acting chief of the Fire Department owing to the illness of both Chief McCreth and Acting Chief Buzine. Foreman Grosscup is one of the oldest members of the department, and has several times been injured while gallantly performing his duty.

The Committee on Revision of the U. A. M. E. Conference, now in session in Camden, reported yesterday against any material change in the church ritual. The Conference will be in session for several days yet.

Camden's pure water plant is still shut down, with no prospect of an early resumption.

Matthew Maguire, the Socialist-Labor candidate for Governor, will address a mass meeting in the Court House to-morrow night.

The police have been notified of the disappearance of James Gullford, of 119 Taylor avenue, an employe of Harper Brothers, of Tenth and Walnut streets, Philadelphia.