

DR. O. H. COBB DEAD; NOTED PSYCHIATRIST

**Superintendent of State School
for Mental Defectives for
the Last 18 Years.**

HE HAD PRACTICED HERE

**Served as Assistant in 1909-12 at
West Haverstraw in State
Reconstruction Home.**

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Jan. 23 (AP).—
Dr. Oren Howard Cobb, for the last
eighteen years superintendent of the
Syracuse State School for Mental De-
fectives and widely known in medi-
cal circles of the State, died here to-
day of heart disease. He was 50 years
old.

He had returned only recently from
Baltimore where he underwent treat-
ment. Dr. Cobb was born at Corn-
wall-on-Hudson on April 27, 1880. He
received his education at Harvard
where he obtained his A. B. degree
in 1902 and at Johns Hopkins Univer-
sity where he received his M. D.

Dr. Cobb practiced in New York
City for three years and in 1909 was
appointed assistant superintendent of
the New York State Reconstruction
Home at West Haverstraw. He served
there until April, 1912, when he was
appointed superintendent of the
State school here.

He was a member of the City,
County, State and American Medical
societies, University Club of Syra-
cuse, Harvard clubs of Syracuse and
New York City, American Psychi-
atric Association and the American
Association for the Study of Feeble-
Mindedness.

DR. ERNST SEIDLER, HAPSBURG AIDE, DIES

**Summoned as Premier by Emperor
Charles—Served in Critical
Days of Abdication.**

Wireless to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

VIENNA, Jan. 23.—The last Haps-
burg Premier—with the exception of
Lammarsch, who formed a Cabinet
a few days before the revolution—Dr.
Ernst Seidler, died of a stroke today.

Dr. Seidler was no politician. His
summons by the Emperor Charles in
the last critical year of the mon-
archy caused general amazement in
Austria. The only explanation the
young Emperor even offered as to
his choice was that he knew Dr.
Seidler well because Seidler had in-
structed him in jurisprudence.

Dr. Seidler shared responsibility in
the critical days of the Emperor's
abdication with the pacifist Lam-
marsch, Mgr. Ignaz Seipel and Pro-
fessor Joseph Redlich, who is now
at Harvard.

DR. CHARLES D. McGETTIGAN

**San Francisco Physician Dies After
Influenza Attack.**

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 23.—Dr.
Charles D. McGettigan, San Fran-
cisco physician, died this morning
at St. Mary's Hospital, after an at-
tack of influenza, with complications.

Dr. McGettigan, who had been iden-
tified with San Francisco's civic and
social development for more than
thirty years, was born in Vallejo,
Cal. He was the son of the late Ed-
ward McGettigan, Democratic leader.

Dr. McGettigan joined the staff at
St. Mary's Hospital in 1896, and in
1910 was made chief of the medical
staff, a position he held at his death.

In the Spanish-American War he
served as assistant surgeon and later
as Captain in the Eighth California
Volunteer Infantry. He acted as ex-
amining physician for the local draft
board in the World War. He served
for a time as examiner on the San
Francisco Lunacy Commission. His
widow, a daughter and six sons sur-
vive.

DR. ALFRED P. MAUDSLAY.

**Archaeologist of Aztec and Maya
Remains Dies at 80.**

Wireless to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Jan. 23.—Dr. Alfred
Percival Maudslay, archaeologist
with a brilliant record of researches
in the Maya and Aztec civilizations,
died at his home near Hereford to-
day. His age was 80.

It was his enthusiasm which re-
vived the lagging interest in Central
American archaeology and led to the
great discoveries of recent years.

As a young man Dr. Maudslay was
private secretary to the Governors
of Trinidad, Queensland and Fiji,
later serving as acting consul gen-
eral for the Western Pacific. He
was a former president of the Royal
Anthropological Institute. He wrote
"Biologia Centrali Americana," and
translated "The True History of the
Conquest of Mexico" by del Castillo.

His wife, who was Miss Anne Cary
Morris, a daughter of Gouverneur
Morris of Old Morrisania, this city,
died in 1926.

HENRY HOUGHTON.

**Civil Engineer Is Dead at His Win-
ter Residence in Miami.**

MIAMI, Fla., Jan. 23 (AP).—Henry
Houghton, 63 years old, former resi-
dent of New Rochelle, N. Y., died
at his home here today, after an ill-
ness of nine months.

Mr. Houghton was a prominent
athlete at Amherst College, where
he was graduated in 1890.

Mr. Houghton was a civil engineer
who built many large hotels, includ-
ing the Biltmore at Atlanta, Ga. He
formerly lived in this city. He was
born in Constantinople.

Rev. Charles W. Frazer.

Special to The New York Times.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Jan. 23.—
The Rev. Charles W. Frazer, rector
of St. Mary's Episcopal Church here,
former missionary in Cuba from 1909
to 1917, died suddenly today after at-
tending a dinner to Bishop James
De Wolf Perry of Rhode Island, given
by Frank A. Juhan of Florida. The
Rev. Frazer was born at Pleasant
Plains, Iowa, April 10, 1863.

Prince Oatthyany Dies in Vienna.

VIENNA, Jan. 23 (AP).—The Hun-
garian Prince Ladislaus Oatthyany,
eminent eye specialist, who treated
hundreds of patients gratuitously at
his private eye hospital, died here
today at the age of 61.

Mrs. Willard D. Rockefeller.

Mrs. Blanche E. Rockefeller, wife
of Willard D. Rockefeller, president
of the Hotel Rockefeller, 33 West
Fifty-first Street, died at the hotel
yesterday.

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