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## WHITEMARSH REPUBLICANS HOLD RALLIES

CANDIDATES BEAN AND ACUFF AND ATTORNEY DU BOIS ADDRESSED TWO MEETINGS IN WHITEMARSH TOWNSHIP, ON WEDNESDAY NIGHT.—HEARERS WERE VERY ATTENTIVE AND SPEAKERS GAVE SURPRISING FACTS.

Republican candidate for Congress for this district, Oscar O. Bean, Attorney DuBois, of Doylestown and candidate for the Assembly from the third district, William Acuff addressed two meetings, in Whitemarsh township, on Wednesday evening. The first meeting was held at Spring Mill, on the open lots opposite the Lee Tire and rubber Co. A speakers stand had been erected and the meeting was attended by about one hundred and fifty men. The men stood on the cold, damp ground for over an hour listening attentively to the addresses.

Former Recorder of Deeds, George W. Keys presided over the meeting and introduced the speakers. Mr. Bean was the first speaker and gave an array of tariff facts that should appeal to every workingman employed in an industry, such as the local ones, that need protection. Mr. Bean told of the loyalty of Bucks county to the Republican nominee for congress during the past twenty years and asked that the voters of this county now show their loyalty to Bucks and the Republican ticket. He spoke of Mr. Ober's candidacy, he being the nominee for congress on the Washington party ticket, saying that he withdrew from the race before the uniform primaries and admitted that the nomination should go to Bucks County. He then said that after Mr. Ober dodged a fight at the primaries and saw the result of the Roosevelt sweep in this county, he then sought to further his ambition and hopes to be carried into office on the popularity of some one else. He said that Mr. Ober had a chance to come before the people but withdrew and now is the candidate of the Washington party, not by the consent of the people, but by the dictation of a few men who met at Norristown and fostered him upon the vote of 15,000 citizens.

In speaking of the tariff he told of Congressman Diferderfer's attitude toward protecting the industries of the Schuylkill valley. He said that he voted for the Underwood bill, which had it not been vetoed by President Taft, would to-day be a law and every textile mill, iron mill and chemical works in the country would be affected and some of the smaller or independent concerns would be unable to compete with the product of the cheap labor of foreign countries. He cited what effect the bill would have on an iron foundry, at Bristol, which would have to cease business or else cut wages so low that the American workman could not stand, as the passage of the bill would permit foreign countries to sell the pipe in Bristol at a price of a dollar and a half a ton less than it costs the Bristol foundry to manufacture.

Mr. Bean cited the prosperity that is being experienced to-day but the workingman and the business man and he showed how much better off to-day, the farmer is than he was during the Cleveland administration. He showed that during the past eleven years, the value of land and crops have wonderfully increased in value and taking the higher prices of to-day of the cost of commodities, the farmer, is better off than ever before.

Mr. Bean urged the support of the entire Republican ticket that the present prosperous times may not be changed.

Candidate for Assembly, Acuff, was the next speaker and in a frank, straightforward manner told his hearers of his position in the campaign. He urged the importance of the election of Mr. Bean and said that if the voter must hesitate in voting for either he or Mr. Bean, he would rather that Mr. Bean be given the vote as it is of the utmost importance to the welfare of this district that it be represented by a Republican in Congress and one who will support the principle of protection for American industries and American workingmen. Mr. Acuff said that if he is elected to the assembly he will do all in his power to secure legislation that is only for the best interests of the people of the State and that he will strongly urge the building of

good roads and will do all in his power to have the State enlarge its agricultural college and laboratories for the benefit of the farmers.

Mr. Acuff paid his respects to the Washington party and to his opponent H. Wilson Bergy, the Democratic Washington party candidate. He accused the Washington party leaders of unfairness and insincerity. He said that he subscribed to the platform of the Republican party and that he was interviewed by leaders of the Washington party for the purpose of having him subscribe and give his aid to the election of Roosevelt. He replied to them that he is a Republican and will support the whole Republican ticket. He then said that the proposition was submitted to H. Wilson Bergy, the Democratic nominee for Assembly and that Mr. Bergy made an agreement which he signed and which is now in the possession of the Washington party, at Norristown. Mr. Acuff said he knows of this agreement and makes the statement publicly so that he will be asked to prove his charges. He stated that he has requested the Washington party leaders to permit him to photograph the agreement, but they have refused. He said he has the text of the agreement and will make it public. Mr. Acuff told his hearers the gist of the agreement as follows: "That H. Wilson Bergy, subscribes to the conditions of the platform adopted at Harrisburg, on May 1st, 1912 and that he will remain neutral in the presidential campaign and that he will give the use of the columns of his newspaper to the Washington party." Mr. Acuff then told of Mr. Bergy's straddling of platforms to gain his ambition to sit in the State Assembly. He said that he secured the Democratic nomination and subscribed to the Democratic platform and later, at the expense of gaining the Washington Party endorsement, he subscribed to their platform and agrees to take no part for the election of the head of the ticket of his supposed party (the Democratic). He issued a challenge to meet Mr. Bergy in debate at any time or place that Mr. Bergy may select. He branded Bergy as a straddler and asked the voters whether they could afford to support such a man and asked what such a man, who promises both sides before election would do were he to be elected to the Assembly. Mr. Acuff's remarks struck home to the voters and they cheered his condemnation of Bergy.

Attorney DuBois, of Doylestown, made a fine address. The crowd was with him and he kept them in good humor. He strongly advocated the election of Mr. Bean and Mr. Acuff and the whole Republican ticket pointing out the achievements of the National administration and showing that the Republican party is responsible for prosperity. He compared the Republican administrations with the Cleveland administrations.

At the conclusion of the Spring Mill meeting, the party went to Barren Hill where another successful meeting was held. At both meetings the audiences were composed of men who gave the speakers undivided attention.

## BURGESS RAY HONORED

Appointed An Assistant Fire Marshal for the State

State Fire Marshal Joseph Baldwin has honored Burgess Ray by appointing him an assistant Fire Marshal. The appointment is for the year 1912 and will be renewed after December 31st, for another year.

While the appointment does not carry with it any prescribed duties or compensation, it will be the duty of the assistant to report any matters, which in his opinion, will serve for better protection of property against fire.

The commission of the Burgess's arrived here this morning.

## DEMOCRATIC RALLY

The Democratic will hold a Mass Meeting on W. Hector street, on Saturday evening, the 26th. Congressman Diferderfer and other prominent speakers are expected here.

Stove pipe and elbow, Curtis 5 & 10 cent store.

Fresh Maurice River Coves received daily and served in all styles at the New Restaurant, 121 Ford St., West Conshohocken.—Adv.

## MANUFACTURER MAKES A PAY ROLL COMPARISON WITH THE TARIFF

HORACE C. JONES, PRESIDENT OF THE H. C. JONES COMPANY, SAYS OPERATING UNDER A DEMOCRATIC TARIFF REDUCED THE AMOUNT PAID IN WAGES ONE-HALF.—REDUCTION IN PRESENT TARIFF WOULD OPEN THE MARKETS IN CASHMERE TO GERMANY AND LABOR WOULD SUFFER. EMPLOYEES HAVE HAD ONE EXPERIENCE OF LOW TARIFF.

That the re-election of President Taft and the election of Oscar O. Bean, Republican candidate for Congress from this district is absolutely necessary for the continuance of the present prosperity is the belief of Horace C. Jones, President of the H. C. Jones Company, of this borough, textile manufacturers, whose mills are kept busy so long as there is any business to be had.

A Recorder man asked Mr. Jones' opinion of the present business and political situation and he replied as above. Mr. Jones said: "In our mill we employ 125 to 150 persons manufacturing a cheap cassimer used exclusively by the workmen for suits and trousers. These goods are manufactured extensively in foreign countries, especially in Germany and the present tariff gives us a fair chance for competition with the foreign made goods and permits us to pay a living wage to our employees. The wages paid in the textile mills here is far greater than paid abroad and our cost of manufacture is increased to that extent."

If the tariff on your products were to be reduced what would be the effect on your mill; would and how would labor suffer? was asked Mr. Jones. He replied: "If the tariff were to be reduced, it certainly would compel us to reduce the cost of our product to meet foreign competition and if it were not possible to so reduce the cost of production, we should certainly be compelled to curtail or stop entirely. This would naturally throw out of employment a great number of hands and as the supply of labor was increased it would naturally become cheaper as the price of labor, like every other commodity, is governed by supply and demand. Labor would be the greatest sufferer."

Mr. Jones was asked as to the business conditions; present conditions and the outlook. He said: "Our bus-

iness after a depression of several years, appears to be very satisfactory at the present time, although competition is so keen on our product that every department must be run to the greatest advantage and the most economical methods must be employed in order to hold our business."

When asked if he believed the present era of prosperity to be due to boom conditions, he said: "It is most certainly not a boom in any sense but appears to be steady and healthy and without something should occur to destroy confidence, we have every hope of its continuance."

Asked his opinion of the present political situation, Mr. Jones said: "You are old enough to remember the Cleveland victory of 1892. You remember on the morning after the election the girls from the mills of the late Stahley Lees and from our mills formed in procession and paraded the streets rejoicing over the Democratic victory, well, in looking over our books, I found that for six months ending November 1, 1893, we paid out just half the amount in wages paid for the six months ending November 1, 1892." Continuing, Mr. Jones said: "Our company hopes sincerely that the employees of our mill will use good judgment in this election and vote for the Republican congressman in this district as well as the National ticket as we think it would be a grave mistake from their standpoint to vote for a radical change in the administration of our government when they are just beginning to receive full wages and working full time, which they full well know, has not been the case, at least with us, for several years. And we further say from absolute knowledge, that this applies to every mill in this country making the same character of goods as are being made in our mill."

## ROBBERS CUT OUT WINDOW TO ROB SHOP

PLUMBING SHOP OF HORACE FERRIER WAS ROBBED LAST NIGHT—A WINDOW WAS CUT OUT TO GAIN ENTRANCE.—MANY VALUABLE ARTICLES TAKEN.—A REWARD OF \$50 IS OFFERED FOR INFORMATION.

A bold robbery was last night or early this morning, occurred, when robbers entered the plumbing shop of J. Horace Ferrier, at Hector and Sansom streets, by cutting out a window, sash and all, on the Sansom street side of the building.

The robbery was discovered when Mr. Ferrier entered his shop, this morning, and found many valuable articles missing. The articles are of such weight that there must have been more than one man implicated in the robbery.

The robbery was a particularly bold one as it occurred within a few feet of Fayette and Hector streets, where there is usually an officer on duty and a night watchman is on the street. The burglars must have worked very quietly. They made sure of having plenty of room to make their escape from the building and to remove the stolen goods. They not only cut the glass from the window, but tore out the sash, cutting the sash with a jack knife.

Mr. Ferrier has offered a reward of Fifty dollars for information that will lead to the apprehension and conviction of the burglars.

The articles stolen are: One set of taps and dies for bolts, 1/4 to 5-8 inch; one Colt's .44 calibre army revolver, loaded with powder and shot; two self-closing, compression basin cocks; 24 plain bibbs; one altitude gauge; one hot water thermometer; 12 1/2 inch stop and waste; one 24-inch Trimo wrench, new; one 14-inch Trimo wrench, used and one 10 inch wrench of the same pattern and two 4 inch testing plugs.

The police have been notified and a description of the property is being sent to the police of other towns.

## DR. BEAVER INJURED

Was Crossing Fayette Street When Run Down by an Automobile.

Dr. David R. Beaver, the oldest physician of the borough and one of the best known physicians of Pennsylvania, was run down by an automobile driven by mail carrier, I. J. Moyer, at Fourth avenue and Fayette street, at one o'clock, this afternoon.

The Doctor was crossing the street from his office to go to McCoy's drug store and when about the center of the street, Mr. Moyer came along in his Overland runabout, and ran into him. The machine struck him in the abdomen and felled him to the street. The clothing of the Doctor was ripped and torn open about the stomach, H. Grey Steele, who had been conversing with the Doctor before he crossed the street, rushed to his assistance and summoned physicians Dr. George Lukens and Dr. J. Q. Thomas hurried to the scene and removed the Doctor to his office and made an examination of his condition.

Mr. Moyer was running at ordinary speed and when the accident happened, he stopped and helped to care for the Doctor.

The physicians have not determined how bad he is injured and their patient insisted in getting up from the couch, on which he had been placed, but his condition is such that they required him to go to bed.

## REPUBLICAN RALLY

Prominent Speakers will Address Republicans at the P. O. S. of A. Hall To-morrow Night.

A Republican rally and mass meeting will be held in the P. O. S. of A. hall, at eight o'clock, to-morrow evening. Charles Heber Clark, of this borough, will preside and the principal address will be made by J. P. Wood a prominent manufacturer, residing at Wayne. Col. Henry S. Williams, of Sellersville and Mr. DuBois, of Doylestown, will also make addresses.

The committee in charge of the meeting have been very fortunate in securing speakers as the gentlemen, who will speak, are able talkers and will handle their subjects in an interesting and instructive manner.

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## NAGLE ANNIVERSARY A BIG SOCIAL EVENT

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY GUESTS ATTEND THE SILVER WEDDING ANNIVERSARY OF MR AND MRS. BERNARD NAGLE.—RECEPTION WAS HELD AT THEIR HOME.—MANY VALUABLE PRESENTS RECEIVED.

The largest social event of the season was given on Wednesday evening, when Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Nagle, of W. Hector street, celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of their wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Nagle, with their children, the Misses Elsie and Caroline and Bernard Jr., received the guests, in the parlor of their home, which was tastefully decorated with autumn leaves, hydranges and chrysanthemums. The guests to the number of one hundred and fifty extended their congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Nagle and presented them with many beautiful presents. The presents were displayed in the second story front room and one of the most unique and the one that was most commented upon was the remembrance of the Conshohocken band, of which Mr. Nagle is the business manager. The present consisted of a horse shoe of twenty five silver dollars, mounted on a handsome setting. The first dollar in the shoe bore the date, 1887, the year of Mr. and Mrs. Nagle's marriage, and the last one bore the date of 1912.

After the reception, the guests were ushered to the house of the Washington Fire Company, which is directly across the street, and there the party was assembled in the spacious parlors and were entertained with music. The Norristown Mannerchor, under the direction of Prof. Knecht, sang a number of choral selections. There was also singing by a quartette and several duets and solos were also sung. After the entertainment the guests went to the main floor of the engine house where a bounteous wedding supper was served. The long tables were beautifully decorated with cut flowers. Mr. George Malen acted as toastmaster and made a happy speech congratulating Mr. and Mrs. Nagle on the happiness of their married life. Mr. Malen told of his long acquaintance with the couple. He told of their happy life and said that the town is honored in numbering the Nagle family among its residents. He told of the upright, christian living, the success that Mr. Nagle has met with in his business here by his genial disposition and the public confidence he has gained, so that to-day he is one of the town's foremost merchants. He wished the couple many more years of happy life and hoped that the party there assembled would assemble again and help celebrate the Golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Nagle.

Mr. Malen, then called upon Father Parker, who responded, and made remarks that were highly complimentary to both Mr. and Mrs. Nagle. Rev. Father Higgins also responded to a toast and spoke in the highest terms of Mr. and Mrs. Nagle and their children. Father Higgins speaks German fluently and addressed the Germans present in their own language. Toasts were also responded by T. F. McCoy and Englebert Wetzel.

Miss Caroline Nagle was called on and paid a beautiful tribute to the life of her parents.

After the supper, dancing was indulged in, in the ball room of the fire house. The music was furnished by the Conshohocken orchestra.

In the wee small hours of the morning, the guests, tired and happy, departed for their homes.

The guests were present from the Conshohockens and nearby towns.

Mr. and Mrs. Nagle have resided here at their married life. Mr. Nagle is a shoe merchant and conducts a store at 25 Fayette street. He has occupied the same store for many years and by his close attention to his business; his fair and courteous treatment of his patrons, he has built up a successful and steady growing business. In public affairs, those that tend for a direct advancement of the town's interests, he has always taken a prominent part. He has a large acquaintance throughout this section of the county and is one of the town's solid men.

All sorts of Hallow'en goods at Curtis 5 & 10 cent store.

## MY VOTE IN CONGRESS.

Shall It Be for Protection and Good Times, Through Bean; or Low Revenue and Wilson Bill Times, Through Diferderfer?

Every Voting Resident of the United States may elect to have a voice in the making of the laws to be enacted by Congress, through the Representative from the District in which he shall have voted... it is so written in the CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES.

Either OSCAR O. BEAN, Republican or Robert E. Diferderfer, Democratic, will be elected on November 5th to voice in the Lower House of the 63rd Congress the Desires of the People of Montgomery and Bucks Counties, a District Rich in Farming and Manufacturing. MR. BEAN is pledged to continued PROTECTION TO AMERICAN INDUSTRY AND LABOR and a revision of the Tariff Laws by Safe Men when the further Progress of the United States or changed American conditions make a revision imperative.

Mr. Diferderfer voted in the Sixty-second Congress for the Underwood-LaFollette Bill, and other measures more Destructive than the Wilson Bill. These vicious Bills would have become law but for the VETO OF PRESIDENT TAFT.

Probably at no time since the FIRST PROTECTIVE TARIFF LAW enacted by a REPUBLICAN ADMINISTRATION became operative was there such a LONG PERIOD WHEN MILLS AND FACTORIES WERE IDLE, AND WILLING WORK PEOPLE WITHOUT EMPLOYMENT AND IN DISTRESS, as from 1892-1897, during the operation of the Wilson Bill and prior lack of confidence in the Cleveland Administration, which enacted the Wilson Bill into a Law.

"IF I FAVOR A TARIFF LAW SUCH AS BROUGHT ACTIVITY AND EXPANSION TO MILLS AND FACTORIES; THE CONTINUED EMPLOYMENT OF LABOR AT THE HIGHEST WAGES EVER PAID IN THE WORLD; THE MAINTENANCE OF FAIR PRICES FOR FARM PRODUCTS, I MUST VOTE FOR OSCAR O. BEAN."

To avoid the danger of a mistake, I need to keep in mind ONLY MR. BEAN, FOR PROTECTION. No other candidate favoring a PROTECTIVE TARIFF was nominated at Party Primaries. A vote for any other will be a vote through which I, FAVORING PROTECTION, cannot hope to be heard in Congress.—Adv.

## GEM TO REOPEN

Moving Picture Men Lease the Gem Theatre

The Gem theatre on Fayette street which has been closed during the summer, has been leased by Messrs. Rog-

ers and Weiss, men who are experienced in the moving picture show business. These men operate independently and operate twenty-two picture show houses. They will open the theatre to-morrow with a matinee at 2 P. M. and will give shows every week day evening.

**STATES HAVE ADOPTED BIG ROAD PLANS**

TEN STATES HAVE ADOPTED COMPREHENSIVE ROAD BUILDING PLANS AND NATIONAL GOVERNMENT IS ASSISTING. PENNSYLVANIA'S \$50,000,000 BOND PLAN WILL GIVE MANY FINE ROADS.

Ten states have adopted comprehensive road building programs in the last three years and within the next twelve months almost a dozen more will have committed themselves to definite plans for highway improvements. The United States government is assisting the general movement by the construction of model roads on its reservations and by experimental work to determine the best wearing materials and means of keeping roads in order and free from dust. In some states, notably New York and Massachusetts the road building programs are about to be enlarged, and in Ohio and Virginia the rebuilding of numerous highways is to be undertaken on a systematic basis, experiments similar to those now being made by the Pennsylvania State highway department being now under way.

Pennsylvania has a road building program for the first time, the Legislature of 1911 having enacted a plan which as had been demanded for years by taxpayers, farmers, land of the state Grange, automobilists owners, economic students, members and others. This program was inaugurated through and appropriation of \$3,000,000 for road building purposes in 1911, but to carry it out it is proposed to amend the constitution so as to permit issuance of bonds for road construction. If the next legislature approves of the amendment, the people will vote on the proposition next year. The State is now without debt, because its sinking funds contains thousands of dollars above the outstanding obligations, and as the State has adopted a road building plan it will be up to the people to furnish the means to make it effective.

If the bond issue should by any mischance be defeated good roads in Pennsylvania would be set back ten years. The constitution prohibits the submission of the same amendment oftener than once in five years. Thus it would be 1917 or perhaps 1919 or even later before another road bond issue proposition could be laid before the people if the \$50,000,000 project so generally endorsed should be rejected at the polls. But it is not believed to be at all probably that the bond issue will fail of approval next year. Too much depends upon it and too many people are interested in providing good roads. Its defeat would make the building of new highways dependent on appropriations from current revenues with consequent reduction in allowance for construction of "State aid" highways, systematic repair of State roads, sign posts, bridge work and township roads. By providing funds for the main highways from the proceeds of the bond issue the Legislature will be enabled to be more liberal in allowances to townships.

It is not the intention to issue the bonds all at once, but only as needed. All of the contractors experienced in road building in the state of Penna. could not handle in five years fifty million dollars worth of work such as is demanded by the State Highway department. The plan is to let contracts gradually, so that the best work can be assured, and to issue bonds as needed, with provision that they may be paid off after five years. In this manner the burden will be distributed and the State secure improved roads in a systematic manner.

**Hamilton's Charity Gifts.**

The Baptist Orphanage benefits to the extent of \$800 and the Gladwyne Baptist Sunday school \$500 by the will of Richard Hamilton, the wealthy resident of Ardmore, who died suddenly last Friday of heart disease at his home. Mr. Hamilton directs that his coopership business in Philadelphia shall be continued by his wife, Annie M. Hamilton, and his sons, Richard Hamilton and Henry Hamilton.

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After Them Both Ways.

**FIND ATTORNEY GUILTY**

Jurors Believe Evidence of His Attempted Blackmail.

Aaron S. Swartz, President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas, of Montgomery County, was called as a witness on Wednesday, in the case in Criminal Court, in which Edwin S. Nyce, a member of the bar, convicted of attempting to levy blackmail. In order that he might testify it was necessary for Judge Swartz to take a recess in the case in which he was sitting on the bench. J. Ambler Williams, another witness, was also, an attorney in the case, which was also a trial before Judge Swartz.

Harry E. Elston, the prosecutor, alleged that a charge of perjury against Elston. In a suit which the Camden Heating Company had instituted against Elston a verdict of \$250 had been returned in favor of the company. This was a year ago and was used on a mechanics lien. Nyce was counsel for the victorious company. He was visited by Elston, who threatened to sue the company in Camden to recover counter claims, which he had made, but which were not allowed by the jury in the Norristown case. Nyce told Elston that a charge of perjury would be pressed for the purpose (in the event of conviction) of disqualifying Elston as a witness.

Elston was told, however that the heating company would not press the charge of perjury if Elston should release the company from any further alleged liability or if Elston paid the \$250, the amount of verdict already secured and costs of about \$50 and a further sum of \$200 to cover the cost of a certified transcript of the notes of testimony of the trial in Norristown.

Thus, Elston contended, that Nyce attempted to extort \$700 from him to drop the perjury charge. This Nyce denied, and said that Elston had threatened to "get even with him," and aside from the present prosecution had preferred charges against Nyce before the Board of Censors of the Bar Association, and before the association, too, which took no action on the charges.

Judge Swartz was called by the defense and he testified that he had not sent word to Elston as Elston testified, that the cost of the transcription of the testimony in the previous case would be \$50. He said that he might have told Attorney J. Ambler Williams, then acting for Elston, in taking an appeal of the case, that he would order the record of testimony transcribed if Elston would pay for it but he never mentioned any amount.

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**BURGLAR'S SHOT A BLANK**

He Fires at Bank Director, Then Dedges a Similar One

A burglar whose revolver was loaded with blank cartridges, visited the home of W. C. Keightley, storekeeper and bank director, at Willow Grove Tuesday night, and had there been bullets in the gun there might have been a murder instead of an attempted burglary.

Keightley heard a noise upstairs about nine o'clock. With a lamp he ascended the stairs to investigate. When he reached his room he was confronted by a man six feet tall, with a dark mustache and wearing a blue serge suit and a cap. The fellow drew a revolver and Keightley put down the lamp and grappled with the intruder, so that there was a scuffle in which the revolver was discharged.

The men rolled from a couch to which Keightley had thrown his assailant, and together they tumbled down stairs, with the householder landing on the top. But the burglar managed to get loose and fled. As he went Keightley fired a parting shot from the fugitive's revolver, which he had wrested from him. But the shot did not take effect, the reason being explained when the Abington police, on examining it, found that it was loaded with blanks.

The burglar, who had forced a window to gain entrance, got nothing of value, but left behind, besides the revolver, his cap and a bunch of keys.

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**BENEFICIENT STREAM OF WAGES FOR LABOR**

Some Facts Showing the Vast Amount of Money That Has Been Distributed in Wages to Workingmen Under the Protective Tariff System.

President Jackson, who was a protectionist, doubtless would have been in entire agreement with the late President McKinley in his estimate of the value to the poor men of the United States of industries that have been built up and maintained here by a protective tariff which without that aid could never have been established in the country at all. Some one said to him that Andrew Carnegie, who had begun life as a poor man, was reported to be worth \$100,000,000, which was too much money for any one person to have. President McKinley promptly replied:

"Before you come to such a conclusion, I would ask if you have ever estimated the amount of wages Mr. Carnegie caused to be distributed to labor in America while he was accumulating this alleged \$100,000,000. I am quite sure that while he was accumulating his fortune, he distributed in wages fully ten times as much money as he saved. This would be \$1,000,000,000. The value to the nation of this distribution would be over ten times that amount, which you can easily comprehend.

"If you attempt to follow every dollar that is paid out in wages, as each dollar circulates from hand to hand, and see what is done with it, I am quite confident that every dollar paid out in wages will change hands on an average nearer twenty times than ten times during the year; but to be within conservative bounds, I will assume that each dollar paid out in wages circulates on an average only ten times during the year."

You will thus see how wages employed in a new domestic industry, through the operations of only one such captain of industry as Mr. Carnegie, filtering out through the nation in wages paid to labor, enriches the whole country to the extent of \$10,000,000,000.

This advantage to the nation may be illustrated by a physical example, such as the throwing of a stone into a pond. As the ripples caused thereby radiate in every direction, so do the protective benefits of a protective tariff radiate beneficently to every part of the country for the country's good.

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## THE TARIFF AND THE PAY ENVELOPE

Surest Way to Determine Prosperity Is By the Wage-Earner's Returns.

"I want to see the benefits of the tariff put into the pay envelope," Mr. Roosevelt is quoted as saying on June 19.

The pay envelope more than anything else determines the prosperity of the country. The buying power of the nation is proportioned by the dollars and the pennies that go out in the pay envelope.

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The Democratic platform declares that the American wage-earner shall be denied that protection which has kept his pay envelope from being reduced to the size of that paid the wage-earner of England, Germany and the coolie of Japan and China. Mr. Wilson has repeatedly declared that he wants the products of American manufacturers put on the competitive basis with foreign, cheap-made goods—thus, that he, too, favors the European pay envelope with its \$5 and \$6 a week.

This is the question which the American wage-earner must consider in the approaching campaign. Does he intend to support the party and the men who have made it a law that the difference between the American pay envelope and the European pay envelope must be considered before all things in drawing up tariff measures, or does he favor the party and the candidates who want to reduce the pay envelope to the European standard?

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The line between the Republican and Democratic parties, and one that directly concerns every man, woman and child is the tariff. The Republican party stands for protection of American workmen and American producers against the products of cheap foreign labor. The Democratic party stands for free trade. The Baltimore platform reiterates the party's position on that question, and the convention nominated an avowed free trader for president. There is no middle ground. The one stands for prosperity, the other for poverty. The one stands for high wages and plenty of work, the other for low wages and little work. The one stands for the home market for home producers, the other for the home market for foreign producers. The one stands for the full dinner pail, the other for the free soup house.



WILSON'S IMMIGRATION POLICY.  
See "History of the American People" Volume 5, Page 212.

## FOR CHINESE IMMIGRATION

What Woodrow Wilson Wrote in His Well-known "History"

### PREFERRED IT TO EUROPEAN

"More to Be Desired as Workmen, if Not as Citizens, Than Most of the Coarse Crew That Came Crowding Every Year at Eastern Ports"

Woodrow Wilson, Democratic candidate for president of the United States, has declared himself in the most public and permanent manner in favor of Chinese immigration as preferable to foreigners from southern and eastern Europe, whom he calls "the coarse crew crowding in at the eastern ports"—that is, New York, Boston, etc. As a very large proportion of the workers in New England mills belong to the class denounced by Wilson as less desirable than the Chinese, they ought to be interested in the views which he has expressed and which we quote as follows from page and volume of Wilson's "History of the American People."

From page 212, volume 5, "Now there came multitude of men of the lowest class from the south of Italy and men of meaner sort out of Hungary and Poland, as if the countries of the south of Europe were disporting themselves of the more sordid and hapless elements of their population."

From page 213, volume 5: "The Chinese were more to be desired as workmen, if not as citizens, than most of the coarse crew that came crowding in every year at the eastern ports. It was their skill, their intelligence, their knack of succeeding and driving duller rivals out rather than their alien habits that made them feared and hated and led to their exclusion at the prayer of the men they would likely displace should they multiply. The unlikely fellow who came in at the eastern ports (that is, the immigrants from Europe) were tolerated because they usurped no place but the very lowest in the scale of labor."

Foreign born workmen and working women of New England, what do you think of this statement by Woodrow Wilson, Democratic candidate for president of the United States? He says that you are "a coarse crew," that the Chinese are better workmen and might make better citizens than you are, and that you are tolerated because you usurp "no place but the very lowest in the scale of labor."

We have given you page number and volume number where these statements are to be found in Woodrow Wilson's "History of the American People." You can go to any library and read them for yourself.

Woodrow Wilson is the first candidate for president of the United States who has declared himself in favor of Chinese immigration. Of the estimated population of 350,000,000 in China many millions would like to come to America. If admitted they would soon drive American labor out of the mills and workshops and also out of retail and much of the wholesale business. At present Wilson is keeping very mum on the subject, but there can be no doubt whatever that he would, if elected president, attempt to carry out his published views, and open the door to the Chinese. In this he would have the backing of the southern Democrats, who would be glad to have the Chinese come over and work for them in place of the negroes.

In this connection we suggest particular attention to Woodrow Wilson's expression about "the unlikely fellows" from southern and eastern Europe being "tolerated because they usurped no place but the very lowest in the scale of labor."



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The Republican party, whose first president was Lincoln the rail splitter, whose second president was Johnson the tailor, whose third president was Grant the tanner, whose fifth president was Garfield the towpath mule driver, whose eighth president was McKinley, in his youth an iron founder, regards and treats all honest labor as honorable and as not merely to be "tolerated," but honored.

Wilson's slur upon the labor of the foreign born finds no echo in the utterances of President Taft, who, returning from a visit to the west, in the course of which he addressed large gatherings of our adopted countrymen, declared that nothing had gratified him so much as the intelligent interest shown by his hearers in American institutions and their earnest desire to understand the spirit and meaning of the constitution of the United States.

Rida Johnson Young, who wrote "Brown of Harvard" and "The Lottery Man", has just finished a new musical comedy which will be presented by Messrs. Shubert at the Adelphi Theatre next week under the title of "Look Who's Here." Paul West is co-author with Miss Young and Jerome D. Kern has composed the music. The leading role has been entrusted to Helen Lowell of the "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch" and "The Lottery Man" fame. It will be her first appearance in musical comedy.

The scenes are laid in Lost River, a Nevada Mining Camp. Luck has been against the settlement and Otto Schmalz, the leading spirit of the village begins a campaign to pull the citizens together. One of the first things he does is to send East for a barber. Sophie Brush responds. Imagine the surprise of the male population when the discovery is made that Brush is a female. And she brings with her six manicure girls, at the sight of which the men of the camp set up a yell that is heard for miles around. Everybody declares that Sophie must return East, but she sticks to her guns and within three weeks she has the town on the road to prosperity. Then gold is suddenly discovered,—the very thing everyone has been looking for. Sophie then is regarded in a light little short of a goddess. But meantime many exciting things happen. One of the prospectors of Lost River has with him his pretty sister Phyllis who falls in love with Jack Warner, a gambler from an adjacent camp and, as Jack does not stand particularly well at Lost River, he gets into an argument with one of the "bad men" and is compelled to shoot him up. He escapes the lynching party. Jack persuades Phyllis and Sophie to wait for him in the cellar underneath Otto's shack. While he is there he digs a tunnel, through which he hopes to make his escape. Of course, he discovers gold. But this is not made known until the very last minute, and at the time everybody has deserted the old town,—everybody in fact, excepting Otto, Sophie and Phyllis, and it is these three who share the prosperity of Lost River.

The cast, in addition to Miss Helen Lowell, includes: Gertrude Millington, Grace Field, Maude Kennedy, James B. Carson, Joseph Phillips, W. L. Romain and others.

Two new plays have been added to the Sothern & Marlowe repertoire for this season namely, "Much Ado About Nothing" and "Richelieu," both of which plays will be presented during the Philadelphia engagement which opens at the Lyric Theatre, The Monday night Nov. 4th. The Sothern and Marlowe season will last three weeks this year instead of two as heretofore.

One of the really big shows which the Messrs. Shubert will offer at the Lyric Theatre during the current season is "Whirl of Society", which comes to Philadelphia from the New York Winter Garden. The company is headed by Al Jolson, the Courtney Sisters, Ada Lewis, Maurice, Oscar Swartz and a dozen other well known players.

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itimate comic opera and has struck the popular note and been acclaimed a huge success.

The theme is delightfully refreshing and astonishingly progressive. Never once during the entire performance does one lose sight of the central idea—universal peace, with now and then a subtle poke at some pet American foible, just as the immortal Gilbert & Sullivan operas punctured the British fads and short comings of their day.

It would be impossible to say exactly which principal in the formidable array made the most distinct and profound impression as the characters are all well drawn and essayed by artists who play and sing them for all they are worth. Conspicuous in the role of honor may be mentioned Mme. Henriette Wakefield, that great American personality from the Metropolitan Opera House, New York, who essayed the part of 'Juanita,' a Spanish exile on the Island of Guam. Mme. Wakefield fairly typifies the ideal comic opera artist, but then she did not top Miss Ruth Thorp, the prima donna, who sings in a most charming manner some of the most deliciously sweet refrains in the opera, nor did Miss Thorp top Miss Jessie Brabury, a vivacious singing comedienne of wide popularity. Among the men Robert Lett, the singing comedian, probably takes precedence as his part is so "with" comedy lines and business and singable music. However the singing artists of the male section were far and away above the average, Frank Pollock, who made a big success in London at Oscar Hammerstein's Opera House, was fine, as was also Thomas Hardie, the grand opera baritone, in fact they are all fine.

The most inspiring feature of the whole production was the orchestra playing and the ensemble singing. Never before has the Lyric Theatre harbored such a melodious harmony as it now does. The orchestra under the magnetic control of Max Hirschfeld is the best ever heard in Philadelphia and must certainly have made Walter Demrosch ascend to the Seventh heaven of delight when it played that massive finale to the second act. Go and see "The Dove of Peace" as it will make you so glad you will forget the trivial troubles you sometimes think are the bane of your existence. You will be lifted right out of your seat by the extraordinary spectacle and the wondrous music.

THEATRICAL NOTES

Gaby Desjeux, the most talked of woman in the world will be a Lyric Theatre Attraction beginning Nov. 25th. This pretty Parisienne will be seen in the title role of a musical comedy entitled "Vera Violetta."

"Bunt Pulls the Strings" will be the attraction at the Adelphi Theatre for a limited engagement beginning Monday November 4th. The original Scotch organization which has been appearing at the Comedy Theatre, New York, will be seen in this city.

In the new musical comedy, "Look Who's Here," Miss Helen Lowell will be seen for the first time in a play with music. Miss Lowell will be remembered for her amusing portrayal of the character of Lizzie in "The Lottery Man." Her character in the new piece is that of Sophie Brush, a female barber.

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TOWN NOTES

HAPPENINGS THROUGHOUT THE BOROUGH CONDENSED INTO SHORT PARAGRAPHS.

Carl Holliday is confined to his home on Fifth avenue by illness.

Miss Mary Work, of the Central hotel, has returned from a visit to friends at Morrisville Pa.

The Alcott Club will meet at the home of Mrs. H. E. Brehm, Fifth avenue on Tuesday evening next.

Joseph C. Jones is at Harrisburg to-day, attending the re-union of his regiment the 17th Pa. Cavalry.

Mrs. C. H. Brooke, of East Fifth avenue, is confined to her room suffering from a nervous attack.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Crawford of Wayne, formerly of this borough, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son.

There is a slight improvement in the condition of Miss Eva Lobb, who was admitted to Charity hospital on last Sunday.

Any person wishing to make returns of tickets or money for the K. of C. Euchre, may do so at the McCoy's Drug Stores.

Jacob J. Ruser, Jr., of Harmonville, has composed a song entitled "Try and Remember Me" which has made quite a hit in this section.

Mrs. David Smith, formerly of this borough, now of Phoenixville, has returned to her home, after spending a week with the Edward Dempsay family, of East Hector street.

A Welsh Tea will be given in the dining room of the Methodist Church on November 2nd. A Welsh menu will be served and the attendants will be attired in the Welsh costume.

The Conshohocken foot ball team will play its first regular game of the season to-day, when they will journey to Lansdale and meet the High school team of that place. The locals are confident of winning, and will take a large crowd of rooters with them.

William Kehoe was arrested on Wednesday by officer Ruth for being drunk and disorderly. Burgess Ray committed him to the county jail for ninety days. Kehoe had just been released from jail where he had been committed on the same charge and released upon the payment of a fine.

A large delegation from the Epworth League of the Methodist church attended the convention of the Epworth leagues held at the Ebenezer Methodist Church, Manayunk, last evening. The convention opened yesterday and will continue in session to-day and this evening.

Seven boys, who had been annoying the neighborhood of Elm and Forrest streets, by their play and boisterous acts, were summoned before the Burgess on Tuesday evening and ordered to discontinue their annoyance. The boys were given a fatherly talk and cautioned that if there was cause for future complaints the boys would be arrested.

An adjourned meeting of town council has been called for Monday evening. A meeting was scheduled for yesterday afternoon to view Harry street but only five members, Messrs. Bate, Harvey, Dale, Jones and Williams were present and as this number does not constitute a quorum, no business was transacted. The councilmen viewed the street.

There will be a soup sale at the home of Mrs. James McGowan, on Spring Hill avenue, on Saturday between 11 A. M. and 1 P. M. and in the evening a supper will be served between the hours of 5 and 8 o'clock. Home-made pies and cakes will be offered for sale. Orders will be received for pies. The affair will be in charge of the ladies of St. Matthew's church and an invitation is extended to the public to be present and make the affair a success.

On Thursday evening of next week a "Rally Night" will be conducted by the members of Conshohocken Lodge, No. 117, Knights of Pythias. A short business meeting will be held after which the exercises will be made public for the members and their families. A fund has been set aside to cover the expenses and the affair will be free. It is expected that several of the grand lodg officers will be present and take part in the exercises. Arrangements are now under way to provide an interesting program for the entertainment of the members and visitors.

On Nov. 16th, Geo. Smith Post No. 79 will hold their annual supper in G. A. R. Hall from five to nine o'clock. The G. A. R. are noted for their fine well served suppers.

H. Grey Steele, who has been living at Saskatoon, Sask., Canada, for the past six months, returned to this borough to-day and will take up his duties as choir master and organist at Calvary church.

John Augustus, of No. 43 Elm street was arrested by special officer Harry Lyle in front of the Garrick Theatre, Norristown, Wednesday night on the charge of disorderly conduct. He was arraigned before Burgess Latimore yesterday morning and discharged upon payment of the costs.

E. M. Foster who is employed by the United States Government on the Isthmus of Panama in the Canal Zone will address the Men's Bible Class of the Methodist Church, next Sunday morning, on the habits and customs of the people there, and his own experience from a religious standpoint. The talk will be interspersed with some of the advantages of the world's great waterway (the Panama Canal) and methods of excavation. There will be special music.

ROBERTS—WILLIAMSON

At noon, yesterday, Miss Jean Margaret, daughter of Mrs. Sarah Meredith Williamson, was married to Mr. Walter Ernest Roberts, of Elmhurst, Long Island, N. Y. The couple were married by Friends' ceremony, at the Swarthmore Meeting House, before a large number of friends and relatives of the couple.

The overseers were Prof. Paul Pearson, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Roberts and Mrs. Linville, all of Swarthmore. After the ceremony, all those present signed the marriage record.

The bride wore a blue traveling suit with hat to match and wore a corsage bouquet of lillies of the valley.

After the ceremony, the couple were warmly congratulated by the guests and upon leaving the Meeting House they were showered with rice and confetti by a number of students of the Swarthmore College, who also greeted the couple with college yells.

The bride is very well known here being a niece of Samuel Roberts and Samuel Meredith, of this borough and for several years she resided with her parents at Cold Point, where her father was engaged in business. Miss Williamson is a graduate of Plymouth Friends' school and of Swarthmore College. She was educated for teaching school and taught for one term at Norristown and for two years at Enterprise, Ore.

The groom is in the employ of the engineering department of the Pennsylvania Railroad, at New York city.

The couple after a wedding tour in New England will make their home at Richmond Hill, L. I.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The regular Sabbath services of the Church, Sabbath school and Y. P. S. C. E. will be held.

Dr. W. E. Browning, who gives the address at the 10:30 A. M. church service is a leader in educational work in South America and will present the Foreign Mission Enterprise from the educational side.

Offerings for Charity Hospital will be received by the Pastor.

A good many of the Christian Endeavors will attend the Rally in the "Brown" Church this evening at which Dr. Browning will speak.

More Work Than Workers.

To the Editor of the World: I have read your paper for about fifteen years and during that time I have always found it very much on the level, but just now I don't agree with you on Wilson. I am a Republican, and have been for more than fifteen years, so I am for Taft always. I will answer why by taking up your advertising sheet of Sunday, Sept. 29.

That's the answer. Can you or Mr. Wilson tell me, if he is elected, whether you will have more pages of help wanted advertisements than you had on that day? Eight pages of help wanted, male and female, and a little two and one-half pages of situations wanted, male and female! Don't you think that means something? Business must be good in this little city. Will it be better if Wilson is elected? I know it won't be nearly as good and you don't want to know it.

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SPRING MILL

ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM THE VILLAGE ADJOINING OUR BOROUGH CONDENSED FOR READY READING.

Alan W. Frankenfield, of the "class of '12" was a school visitor, on Tuesday afternoon.

Will J. Davis, of Norristown, was visiting on Cedar avenue, on Thursday evening.

Mrs. Clara Haverstick, of Cedar avenue, was visiting in Mt. Airy and Philadelphia, on Thursday.

On Sunday evening at seven-thirty o'clock, Mr. L. B. Jones will deliver the sermon in the Spring Mill Baptist Church, taking as his topic "Some Conceptions of God."

Thursday morning, was the coldest so far this season, around here. The thermometer registered 32 degrees at 6 A. M. and ice had formed in water pails left out over night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Haverstick, of Cedar avenue, attended a performance of the "Historical Pageant" on Belmont Plateau, Philadelphia, the early part of this week.

Mark Devereaux, of Mt. Pleasant avenue, is taking a trip, through the South, for the benefit of his health, which has not been very good of late. He is enjoying the pleasures of the Southern States at present, in Jacksonville and Tampa, Florida.

All persons who heard Mr. DuBois of Doylestown, speak at the Mass Meeting, on Wednesday evening and wish to hear him again, can do so by going to P. O. S. of A. Hall, Conshohocken, to-morrow evening. Mr. DuBois, will be there, together with Mr. J. C. Wood, of Wayne, Pa., and another speaker, both equally as good as Mr. DuBois, to address a meeting which will be held there at 8 P. M.

Roadmaster Frank B. Davidson has laid a paved gutter and curb along the North Lane side of the property of John D. McKeown, at the corner of Hector street and North Lane. If the Roadmaster, would put a pile culvert in there, right at the turn, to carry off the water which comes down that side of the road, it would save a great deal of wash and wear on the road bed at that point.

About 200 persons attended the open air Republican Mass Meeting, held on the grounds opposite the Lee Rubber Plant on Wednesday evening. Through the kindness and generosity of Mr. J. Ellwood Lee, President of the Lee Tire & Rubber Co., a speakers' stand was furnished and erected and seats provided for the speakers and committee. Mr. Lee also offered the use of part of the mill, in case of rain for the meeting. Robert T. Potts, George W. Keys and Howard Gilmore were the committee in charge.

GATHER UP THE LEAVES

Instead of burning the leaves which makes a smudge and smoke all over the town and if allowed to be burnt on Fayette street, the heat will destroy the binding Tarva, and allow the water to soak in each place that is burnt cut, and the result will be a ruined street. Now a much better and useful way to dispose of the leaves will be to gather them up, put them on a heap in the backyard, wet them well and if necessary, to keep them from blowing away, cover them with ashes or dirt and next spring you will have a ready-made fertilizer for the transplanting of flowers or for forcing the growth of early vegetables. You will be acting the part of a good citizen and possibly save the Borough force less, by preventing the leaves from blocking up the sewers and causing washouts.

WILL INSTALL PASTOR

Impressive Ceremonies Will be Held at St. Mark's Church, on Sunday.

In St. Mark's Lutheran church, on Sunday morning, at 10:30 o'clock, the impressive ceremony of installing the new pastor, Rev. J. T. Fox, will occur. For the ceremony a special music program has been prepared and will be rendered under the direction of Mr. E. G. T. Davis.

The charge to the pastor will be made by Rev. S. Billmer, D. D., of Gettysburg and the charge to the congregation will be made by Rev. S. G. Dougherty, of Philadelphia. Rev. J. T. Fox will reply to the charge and accept the pastorate of St. Mark's.

It is expected that every member of the congregation who can possibly attend will be present at the service.

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PLYMOUTH MEETING

INTERESTING ITEMS OF THE DOINGS OF THE PEOPLE OF PLYMOUTH TOWNSHIP.

The Dutch Social given on Saturday evening by the Cold Point church proved a success.

George Keiper, who is on the sick list, is reported better.

Miss Lydia Freas' Sunday School class will give a Halloween social on Oct. 26 in Cold Point church hall.

Miss Jane Levering, of Norristown, is visiting Mrs. C. M. Harrar, of Narcissa.

FIRE DESTROYS HAY HOUSE

Cold Point Farmer Suffers a Serious Loss.

The large hay house on the farm of Louis J. Stannard, on Broad avenue, near Cold Point, was totally destroyed by fire shortly before ten o'clock, last evening. The house contained fifty tons of hay and burned quickly making a fierce and very hot fire. The hay house was a large frame structure and was situated some little distance from the large stone barn. The heat was so intense that one end of the barn caught fire. The fire was discovered by neighbors and an alarm was sent to the Ambler Fire Company and the Conshohocken No. 2. Neighbors rendered what assistance they could until the arrival of the Ambler company, which went into service with a chemical engine and quickly extinguished the fire at the barn, but owing to the highly inflammable contents of the hay house, the structure and its contents were entirely destroyed. The Conshohocken Company went as far as Harmanville and were notified that their services would not be needed.

How the fire started is a mystery. There were no light nor fire about the hay house and it is the opinion of some that tramps were responsible for the loss. The loss is about \$1500 covered by insurance.

CHILDREN COMMITTED

Four Children Homeless by Parents' Separation.

Four children, Carmella, aged 14 years, Petre, aged 11 years, Genato, aged 6 years and Joseph, aged 10 years, children of Frank Lanzella, of Oak street, are the sufferers for the differences between their parents.

Sometime ago Frank and his wife agreed to separate and he sold his Oak street house and gave her \$100. The wife went to live with relatives on N. Elm street, taking two small children with her. Frank remained at the Oak street house with the four children, mentioned above. Carmella was installed as housekeeper and placed in charge of the children, while her father was at work. Things about the house did not go to suit his taste and he complained that the child did not take the proper care of the other children. He went before Burgess Ray and entered a complaint against his daughter charging her with being incorrigible and had her and the other children committed to the House of Detention. This occurred yesterday. After the commitment, Burgess Ray got into communication with the probation officer and he also investigated the case. He found that the cause of Carmella's absence from home was that she took the children to the mother to have them properly cared for and dressed. The probation officer also made an investigation and to-day the father wants the children returned home and the probation officer and the Burgess will try to have the father and mother reconciled and once again bring their family together.

NOTICE!

The Street Committee of Town Council, will sit at the Borough hall, on Tuesday evening, October 29, 1912 between the hours of 7 and 8 o'clock, to hear objections against the adoption of a grade for Third Avenue from Maple street to a point twenty-five feet east from Freedley street.

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## CONSERVATIVE TASTE IN MODERN FASHION

SUBDUED TONES THE RULE FOR GOWNS AND SUITS WORN ON THE STREET.—BLACK VELVET CORSAGE FLOWERS

However much a woman may admire bizarre fashions, if her purse permits her to buy few gowns she must shun any tendency to the freakish as sedulously as she would whooping cough or measles. Unless one can become callous to being spotted by a gown, care must be taken to select inconspicuous material and conservative style for the dress which is in constant service, of which must do duty for several seasons. New modes as they appear are undoubtedly attractive to a taste sated by older fashions, but unless one is chary of acceptance, bitter repentance often follows the hasty purchase of a new dress. A fashion destined in time to become really very popular, when modified to suit the requirements of good taste often makes its first appearance her abnormal sleeves, her Not until later does the woman of small means who attempts it realize her folly. Then her huge paniers, perhaps, her abnormal sleeves, her slashed skirt, or whatever her particular idiosyncrasy may be, will not be laid off, but, like inbad's burden clings to her until the turn of fortune enables her to shake it off. One need not be afraid of too great plainness. Indeed, it is better to err in that direction than in the other

direction is the better part, and dress soberly. Fortunately modern taste dictates the choice of quiet shades for our street clothes, and for once fashion, economy and good sense are in accord. There is not unlimited choice in that respect. Brown and taupe seem to be reigning favorites for street wear, but the main consideration is the selection of something which will be becoming to face and figure. If for any reason either of those two colors is unsuited to her particular style, she need not feel restricted to its use. But whatever the selection, it should be subdued in tint and soft intone.

For trimmings, lace of all kinds seem to receive the most favor just now. Irish and Venetian point, Cluny and another heavy weave known as Bohemian lace, are effective, and both in real and imitation are seen on the best dresses and in millinery. The gown illustrated in figure one with one of the fashionable laces able for indoor wear, and trimmed would satisfy an esthetic if made of a delicate shade of silk or satin suit—instead of the braided satin shown here.

Fashions in sleeves are undergoing pronounced changes, and it is difficult yet to predict just what the outcome will be. Recent examples show a tendency to great fullness at the top, tapered off to narrow, close fitting proportions below the elbow. This sounds like a description of our former beloved leg-of-mutton sleeves but they really bear very little relation to that shape. Peg-top would more nearly denominate the present inflated shape. However, this style is as yet only tentative—adopted by the women who can afford many changes and early relinquish a mode which fails to fulfil its early promise of success. Again the conservative woman should be wary and venture no further afield than the long sleeve with unexaggerated lines.

Such a sleeve is shown in this illustration. Loose and comfortable it is yet so carefully designed as to suggest the real beauty of the curves of the feminine arm. The whole dress features many of the most recent ideas in the realm of fashion. Again we see the inset section in the skirt, pleated, this time, in accordance with the prevailing fancy. The heavy Bohemian lace or brown satin in the full revers is a charming touch. So, too, is the slightly gathered vest of shadow lace, while the black velvet flower at the girdle gives accent to the otherwise monotonous tone of the brown messaline gown.



A gown like this, for instance, made of taupe messaline, with collar, cuffs and inset section of white satin covered with a braiding design in fine black cord, is a gown of which its wearer will never tire. It answers every requirement for an afternoon dress, and for informal gatherings which all women love.

No one can possibly have any objection to an opening in the skirt filled in, as this one is, with a trimming feature incorporated into the general plan of the costume. Very pretty, also, are the skirts which open over an underskirt or petticoat of silk or fluffy lace, giving a dainty touch very dear to the feminine soul in these days of much mannish attire. But when the skirt opens high on the sides, or eighteen inches of the back seam flare apart, revealing in both cases, complete innocence of under drapery, the conservative woman will view the style askance. If she can have but one or two "dress up" dresses, and is wise, she will be quite content not to be in the height of the fashion in that respect at least.

But there are many other ways in which she can follow the leaders and be essentially well gowned. She can choose the popular colors for her gowns and have them made of the fashionable materials. The more up-to-date she is in that respect, the longer may she wear her dress with satisfaction.

As to color, no matter what the particular vogue of the time, it is always well to remember that dis-

smaller blossoms with buds and foliage. Some very attractive ones are large flowers like the poinsettias, with black velvet petals, however, instead of red, and with the centers made clusters of small yellow beads, with their spreading loose leaves these are undoubtedly artistic. But in whatever guise they appear, in assemblages of fashionable women at this time black velvet flowers at the girdle are noticeable features of the stylish costumes.

### VIEWS OF GREAT STATESMEN

**Shows That There is Nothing That Labor Buys That Under the Beneficent Influence of Our Protective Tariff Cannot Be Bought Today For Fewer Hours of Service Than Elsewhere.**

In a letter to L. H. Colman, of Virginia, dated Washington City, April 26, 1824, replying to a question as to his views of a protective tariff, General Jackson said in part:

"There is too much labor employed in agriculture. The channels of labor should be multiplied. Common sense at once points out the remedy. Draw from agriculture the super-abundant labor, employ it in mechanism and manufacture, thereby creating a home market for our breadstuffs, distributing labor to a most profitable account, and benefits to the country will result. Take from agriculture 600,000 men, women and children, and you at once create a home market for more breadstuffs than all Europe now furnishes us."

This was General Jackson's idea of diversified industries that in the twentieth century has reached its perfection, for labor now receives from 100 to 500 per cent more pay than is received for similar service in Europe. There is nothing that labor buys that under the beneficent influence of our protective tariff cannot be bought today for fewer hours of service than anywhere else on this globe. If labor would consent to live here in the same way as in Europe, it could do so for the same cost.

Sixteen staple articles, in November, 1910, were found to be dearer in France than in the United States. Laborers in the United States live better than the so-called middle classes in Europe. A working man in the United States for the proceeds of one week's labor can buy a fashionably cut, well-tailored, all wool suit, which could not be bought for two weeks' labor in Great Britain, for three weeks' labor in France or Germany, or for five weeks' labor in southern Europe.

### Effect of the Tariff.

The protective tariff, that is now blamed for the higher cost of living, has more than worked out in this generation the blessings for the country that General Jackson's foresight indicated nearly a century ago. It has not only made the home market the best in the world, but it has cheapened to the consumer everything but food. The better prices for foodstuffs that General Jackson had in mind as so desirable have been achieved by the agriculturalist. The general did not foresee that while a protective tariff would enlarge the market for agricultural products, it would within twenty years lower the cost of everything produced in factories, and at the same time increase the per hour wage almost 40 per cent. (See the July Report of Commerce and Labor.)

While the higher cost of living is world-wide, it is only the American wage earner who today is able to earn the wages necessary to maintain the higher standard of living for labor, which exists nowhere outside of the United States. The average daily compensation here is from two to three times as great as that of our severest European competitors.

### Foreign Wages.

As an example, the average daily compensation of railway employes of all classes for the year 1910 in the United States was \$2.23; in the United Kingdom of Great Britain, \$1.95, and in Prussia, 81 cents, showing that the pay in the United States was more than double that of Great Britain, and almost three times that of Prussia; and the pay of railway employes is a fair sample of the average difference in all other occupations.

A recent report of the English Board of Trade on railway wages showed that the average weekly pay of engineers in the United Kingdom was \$11.17, as against \$25.80 in the United States. It is well within the truth to estimate in a broad and general way that while the cost of a much higher standard of living of the railway employes in the United States is net 50 per cent higher than that of the corresponding employe in Great Britain, his compensation averages more than twice as much.

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**FOOD FOR THE FOOT BALL FANS**

AS THE SEASON PROGRESSES THE INTEREST INCREASES IN ANTICIPATION OF THE BIG GAMES. J. A. C. GAME IS DROPPED FOR GOOD.—LEHIGH A. C. DISPLACES BACHELOR F. C. FOR SATURDAY.

Off again! on again! gone again! The Reliance-J. A. C. game. First they thought they would. Then they said they couldn't. Then they said they would but now they won't. Such was the game of checker arrangement for the annual contest between the locals and the Norristown eleven. The final notice of no game has been hung out at the headquarters of the two clubs and the "Rough Necks" will not meet the "Mamma's Boys" this season.

The game was at first scheduled to be played and when the J. A. C. Club secured the Stockade, the Norristown School Board placed the ban on Reliance and barred them from the ground. The game declared off then, but the managers of the two teams got in consultation and it was agreed that the game be played even if the Norristown team had to leave their own grounds. Last night Manager Hyde interviewed the J. A. C. management and he was informed that the Advisory Board of the Club had stepped in and put the kibosh on the game and the contest is now declared off for good and all time. Manager Hyde was anxious to play the game and the Norristown Manager said that he and the players wanted to meet Reliance and shifted the whole thing onto the Advisory Board, but could not assign any reason for the action. In the face of the facts as advanced by the Norristown Manager, the question naturally arises as to who this Advisory Board is. No names were given and Reliance fans are asking one another whether it is the parents of the team's players or whether it is the Norristown School Board.

Let the so-called Advisory Board be who it may, there is one thing certain and that is by their action in cancelling the game with Reliance they have relinquished what little hope they have entertained of being the county champions for this season, for any team to claim this high and dignified honor must first take the scalp of the local warriors. Reliance defeated J. A. C. last season and that victory will stand until the two teams clash again at least.

The cancelling of the J. A. C. game make another hole in the schedule but Manager Hyde will endeavor to secure another team of equally strong calibre to fill up the gap and when he goes for a team he will get it if it is not an impossibility. Whether it will be Yale, Harvard, Princeton or Pennsylvania will be announced later?

The poor showing of the Bachelor Field Club against Union Club last Saturday was good and sufficient reason for Manager Hyde to get busy and cut them loose from his schedule. The Bachelor boys were to play here to-morrow but in the face of a 55 to 0 score against the Union club the number of people who would go to Pastime park would not total up to the number that have been occupying "buzzard's roost" in front of the pumping station at the previous games this season.

In place of the Bachelor's Club Manager Hyde has taken a chance on being defeated by the strong Lehigh A. C. team. The teams that have appeared at the local grounds this season have all proved to be easy picking for the locals and it was decid-

ed to schedule a team that is sure of making Reliance extend themselves to win. Then, too, with the big Villa Nova game only a week off the players need some stiff practise to get them in condition, but the locals will be compelled to take some long chances on getting injured. Lehigh is a heavy team they are fast and have been playing a good game for the past three seasons and they are coming to this borough with an unbroken chain of victories imbued with the determination to defeat Reliance and prevent them from claiming the championship of the Eastern part of the state. The following will be the line up of the two teams:

RELIANCE	position	LEHIGH
Levering	L. End.	Turner (Young)
Herron	L. tackle	Warner
Yerger (Campbell)	L. Guard	Dickson
H. Armitage	centre	Fleming (Reex)
J. Eagan (White)	r. guard	Martin
Gibbs	r. tackle	Henderson
G. Armitage (Bishop)	r. end	Johnson (Doehney)
E. Eagan	quarter B.	Haverly (Parkinson)
Shaffer	R. H. B.	Sprague (Lee)
Akins	L. H. B.	Walling
Ellam	F. B.	Wolter (Sidney)

The game will start at 3.30. The following is the schedule:  
Oct. 19th.—Lehigh A. C.  
Oct. 26th.—Villa Nova College  
Nov. 2.—Frankford.  
Nov. 9th.—Open  
Nov. 16th.—Royersford  
Nov. 23rd.—Union Club.  
Nov. 28th.—Holmesburg (away)

**BASE BALL**

The baseball season for the Conshohocken A. A. team was brought to a close last Sunday, when they defeated the Garrett Hill team at Garrett Hill by the score of 8 to 3. The Garrett Hill boys started off well, getting three runs in the opening inning, but after that Kindregan settled down and backed by good support, had little trouble in holding them scoreless. Smith of Garrett Hill, pitched well for seven innings and had the locals shut out, but in the last two sessions the "Champions" batted him hard and scored all their runs. The entire Conshohocken team played well and the plays pulled off by White, Murray and Johnson kept the big crowd on edge. This is the first defeat Garrett Hill has suffered this year and they immediately tried for another game, but as the foot ball season has started for some of the local boys, it will be impossible to play again this season.

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**MEDICAL INSPECTION FOR SCHOOLS**

The medical inspection of schools in districts of the fourth class has been extended this year so that 400,000 children are now receiving the protection of this State work. 870 physicians have been appointed inspectors by Dr. Dixon, Commissioner of Health, to do the work in the 1,500 boroughs and townships. There are 11,559 schools in all in which the examinations will be made, this field work will be practically completed by the end of October.

Last year 781 districts were inspected and 115,000 children were examined. Of this number 111,621 were found to have some defect. Of these 107,386 were white native born children, 3,221 were foreign born and 1,014 colored. Of the total number of defectives found, 73,033 had defects of vision, 72,605 had defective teeth, 51,155 had defective tonsils, 1,248 had defects of hearing, 14,738 showed defective nutrition and 15,659 had defects of breathing. As the total figures show many of the children suffered from more than a single infirmity.

Thousands of letters from grateful parents were received saying that they were surprised to learn that their children needed attention and that immediate steps have been taken to remedy the various weaknesses.

Double the number of fourth class districts accepted the medical inspection this year which shows the growing appreciation of the value of this work. When medical inspection was first proposed many letters were received by Dr. Dixon from school boards throughout the State saying that "the pupils in our schools are all native born and we do not feel that we need the inspection." A glance at the figures noted above is sufficient evidence that all children suffer alike from unobserved defects.

In addition to the examination of the pupils, the medical inspector, makes a report on the sanitary conditions of the school buildings and their surroundings, the condition of the rooms and halls is noted, the amount of lighting space is computed as well as the number of cubic feet of air space per pupil and the methods of heating. Special attention is given to the water supply whether from a well or from a municipal supply, if the former the possibility of contamination from surface drains, cess pools and stables is noted and if the city supply is used the possible source of contamination within the building, if any, are observed. The care of water in the school building is also noted and such points as the use of individual drinking cups and whether they are dipped in the bucket. At first sight these things seem to many teachers and parents of trifling importance but their value in protecting the health of the children is of the utmost consequence.

The value of medical inspection of schools in the districts of the fourth class has been proved parents have shown themselves quick to take the remedial measures necessary to put their children on an equal footing physically with their fellows and thousands of youngsters who were struggling under an unobserved handicap, have improved in their school work and have been benefited in every way thanks to medical inspection.

**GUILTY OF SECOND DEGREE MURDER**

Other Cases Which Occupy Attention of Court.

George Matek, the Slav, of King-of-Prussia, who was charged with the murder of Andy Babyok, at King-of-Prussia Inn, on July 4th last, withdrew his plea of not guilty and changed it to guilty of murder in the second degree. The plea was accepted by the Court and the District Attorney and the jury withdrawn. Judge Swartz stated that the Commonwealth had failed to show a motive for the crime. This fact, together with the degree of intoxication established by the defendant would be sufficient to raise a reasonable doubt in the minds of the jury and led the Court to join with the District Attorney in accepting the plea of the defendant.

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**HE TURNS TO TRUSTS.**

Woodrow Wilson Evades Discussion of the Tariff Question.

It is the trust issue, we are now told by Woodrow Wilson, that is paramount in the campaign. Last week it was the tariff. What it will be next week has not yet been indicated.

In his speech of acceptance Governor Wilson emphasized the fact that a platform was not a program. Those were words of wisdom. A program is something to be followed with some degree of fidelity. A platform, in the lexicon of the Democratic candidate, is a flexible thing, not to be taken too seriously, but to be bent and altered to meet the demands of the moment. A nice, adaptable platform is good enough for him.

In all fairness and in all decency, however, Dr. Wilson should not be permitted to evade a discussion of the issue he brought forward as the important one early in his campaign. His campaign manager refused a challenge for a joint debate between Republican and Democratic speakers on the tariff, and the candidate might disclaim personal responsibility for that, but certainly Dr. Wilson cannot avoid responsibility for his own words and his own arguments. The fact that he found his audience totally out of sympathy with his free trade views should not still his tongue if he has the courage of his convictions and honestly believes the doctrine which he preached. If he be a true leader of the anti-protectionists he will justify his beliefs and opinions.

So far from doing this, however, he has elected to evade, precisely as his managers evade, adequate discussion of the subject which means so much to every individual in the land. First assailing protection and making statements that demonstrated his lack of knowledge of the facts, he shifted from that position to one where he was trying to calm the fears of the industrial and commercial elements in the population aroused by his initial utterances. Out of all his more or less vague talk on the subject only one thing emerges clearly and distinctly—that is, that he and his party propose a purely political revision of the tariff, with all the disaster, distress and disturbance that such a revision entails. Scientific revision on accurate information is rejected by him and his party. Political revision is just what the people do not want, but both candidate and party are committed to it; hence, their desire to get away from the issue.

By all means let the trusts be discussed, too, but not in terms of generalities, such as Governor Wilson indulged in before the Democratic state convention at Trenton last Tuesday. And while discussing it Governor Wilson might explain why it was that the Democratic house curtailed the trust investigating work of the department of justice by granting only two-thirds of the sum needed to carry on the labors mapped out.

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