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DEDICATION PROGRAM FOR NEW HIGH SCHOOL

SEVEN COUNCILS WILL ASSIST THE LOCAL COUNCIL O. OF I. A. AT FLAG PRESENTATION EXERCISES.—PARADE WILL BE HELD.—STATE COUNCIL OFFICERS WILL MAKE ADDRESSES.

Saturday afternoon, October 3, will be public school day here. The new High School building will be completed and Conshohocken Council, No. 241, Order of Independent Americans will make it an important event. The Council will present a large American flag to the school board, to be flown from the iron pole to be erected on the school lawn. The event will also be in the nature of a dedication and addresses will be made by members of the school board and officers of the State Council.

Preceding the exercises there will be a parade, the route of which will be as follows: Form on Spring Mill avenue, proceed to Fayette street, to Ford street, West Conshohocken, to the George Clay Fire house, countermarch to Fayette street to Third avenue where the school children and school directors will join the procession, thence to Eleventh avenue and countermarch on Fayette street to the school building.



GEORGE GILES

Seven Councils have accepted an invitation to be present and participate in the parade. They are: Montoye Council No. 968; Manayunk Council No. 768; Wayne Council No. 49; Port Kennedy Council No. 844; Col. Hyatt Council No. 573; West Park Council No. 408 and Royersford Council No. 521.

The officers in charge of the arrangements are: George Giles, chairman; John Kinsler, treasurer and John B. Bailey secretary.

The exercises will be held in the open air if the weather permits. In case of bad weather, the program will be given in the auditorium of the school.

The program: Invocation..... Rev. A. J. Davies Address by President of School Board..... Dr. Tegtmeler Selection by Band. Address by Rev. Armour, of Clifton Heights Council. Music (by School Children) "America."

Address by State Council Officers Edward Wilson Presentation by State Council Sec'y Wm. A. Pike

Firing Salute. Acceptance by School Board William Cleaver Selection by Band. Music (by School Children) "Hail Columbia, Gem of Ocean" Address of Day.

Benediction by Rev. John T. Fox. The local Council invites every organization of the borough to attend the exercises at the school building.

THREW BRICKS THROUGH WINDOW

Drunken Man Made a Target of Cigar Store Windows

John Heger, of East Hector street, became intoxicated Sunday night and created a lot of excitement on East Hector street. It appears that he got into an argument with Louis McCall who conducts a cigar store on Hector street below Harry street. Heger went into the alley aside of the store and threw stones into the building. A large crowd collected and Heger's sister went for the police. Officers Mason and Kay arrested Heger and yesterday he was given a hearing before Burgess Bloomball. The Burgess questioned the man as to his conduct but Heger said that he did not remember any of the occurrences of the preceding night. He refused to tell where he secured liquor. As the only charge against him was drunkenness and disorderly conduct, he was discharged upon payment of a fine. McCall failed to appear against him.

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WICKERT-DUNCAN

Elsie May Duncan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Duncan, of West Sixth avenue, was married on Saturday evening to Mr. Edward Wickert, of West Sixth avenue. The ceremony was performed at the Baptist parsonage, Rev. Abner James Davies officiating. After the ceremony a reception was given the newly married couple at 319 West Sixth avenue, where they will reside.

The couple are well-known among the younger people and the groom is employed at the works of the Lee Tire and Rubber Company.

Bible Class Resumes Meetings.

Notwithstanding that Parker S. Williams, President of the Men's Bible Class of the Gulf Christian Church was unable to be present at the first fall meeting of the organization on Sunday afternoon, owing to being in the mountains of New York State, the class resumed its meetings with renewed energy, more inspiration, handshaking among the members and officers, and greetings in general. Indeed it was a great assemblage of the body on the opening session about seventy-five being present including members and others.

In the absence of the President J. Arthur McFarland vice president, made an address of welcome, which struck a responsive chord among his listeners.

Jacquette Palmer, class leader, after a short address and after mingling among those with whom he has been affiliated in the Bible movement, and predicting bright prospects in store for the class, he gave a fine talk on spiritual matters, which was full of meaning and instruction, and which was listened to very attentively.

Mrs. Otis Hunsicker, who was elected pianist last year, presided at the piano on Sunday afternoon, and a number of fine musical selections were rendered.

When Walter E. Mullen, secretary read the class roll during the meeting, the response of members present, was exceedingly gratifying to the officers. Jeremiah Duncan, of Villa Nova, is treasurer of the organization.

Before the close a number of persons presented new membership cards to the secretary declaring their intention of becoming affiliated with the Bible Class movement. With the addition of these the enrollment will be much larger, and it is probable that it will nearly reach the two hundred mark.

It is likely that the class will give a number of entertainments and socials during the fall, winter and spring months, and everything possible will be done towards the advancement and uplift of the movement. J. Arthur McFarland stated on Sunday that the class will hold its first social and entertainment of the season on Thursday evening, and that capable musical talent and others will assist in the entertaining part. Refreshments, served in the basement, will conclude the event. The public, irrespective of membership, is invited.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS TO HOLD RALLY

Monster Meeting to be held in Methodist Church on September 28

Arrangements are now under way for a monster rally of the different Sunday Schools connected with the Conshohocken District.

The meeting will be held in the Conshohocken Methodist Church, at Sixth avenue and Fayette street, on Monday evening, September 28, at 8 o'clock. The different Sunday schools which are taking an active interest in the affair include those of Conshohocken, West Conshohocken, Gulf Mills, Plymouth Meeting, Lafayette Hill and Spring Mill.

Mr. W. D. Reel, Field Worker of the Pennsylvania State Sabbath School Association, will be present and deliver an address. Other speakers will be present.

The meeting, it is anticipated, will arouse considerable interest in the evangelistic movement to be held in this borough next April.

WORK STARTED ON NEW SCHOOL

Erection of the Connaughttown School Began Yesterday

Contractor James Jackson Jr., yesterday, began work on the erection of the primary school for Plymouth township at Connaughttown. The building will be a one story and basement and will be built of Conshohocken stone, pointed. The building will be an attractive one and will be ready for use this winter.

Child Dies

—George, an eight-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dempsey, died early yesterday morning. The funeral will take place from the residence of his parents, No. 20 Cedar avenue, tomorrow afternoon, at two o'clock. The interment will be made at the Gulf cemetery.

PLYMOUTH MEETING FRIENDS' SCHOOL

will re-open Tuesday, September 8th. The Principal may be seen at the School building, from 9 until 10 a. m. on and after September 2nd. 9-15-2t

SCHOOLS TO HAVE USE OF ATHLETIC FIELD

THE PUBLIC AND PAROCHIAL SCHOOLS ARE GIVEN PERMISSION TO USE NEW ATHLETIC FIELD ON WHICH TO STAGE THEIR ATHLETIC EVENTS.—HOPE TO HAVE PERMANENT FIELD FOR BOROUGH.

That the management of the new Conshohocken A. C. foot ball team are liberal in their views and sincere in their intentions of giving the borough something real in the line of a first class athletic field is attested by the offer made to the public and parochial schools. Manager Crawford, personally visited the schools yesterday and kindly offered to the school teams through the principals of the two institutions the use of the new grounds at Eleventh avenue and Harry streets for the purpose of playing all of their athletic contests and the only proviso inserted that he be consulted before any contest shall be arranged in order that there will be no conflicting dates between the two schools.

At the present time the borough has no athletic field that can compare with the new foot ball field and being a close student of athletics, all of his life and realizing the benefit to be derived by the young men from this source was what prompted Manager Crawford in his liberal offer.

Manager Crawford realizes the great need of a good athletic field for the borough and in accepting the management of the new foot ball field, he expressed his desire in supplying the borough with this long-felt want.

Mr. Crawford is very enthusiastic over the question and is very desirous of seeing the public play grounds which proved so successful during the past summer located on the athletic field next season.

It is understood that the lease on the present ground is for only a short term, but if the time cannot be extended at this point it is the earnest desire of Mr. Crawford that another site can be secured and that eventually the property will pass into possession of a permanent organization.

GUSTAVE LANZ DIED SUDDENLY

Well-Known Norristown Jeweler a Victim of Acute Indigestion

Gustave Lanz, aged 63 years, one of the county's best known business men died suddenly, early yesterday morning, at his home, at Norristown, of acute indigestion.

Mr. Lanz was apparently in good health on Sunday but early yesterday morning was attacked with illness and in spite of the efforts of physicians, his illness could not be checked.

Mr. Lanz was born in Germany and when fourteen years old came to this country with his parents and settled at Pottsville, where Mr. Lanz secured a position as a breaker boy in one of the coal mines. He later learned the barbering business and in 1874 came to Norristown and opened a shop on Mill street adjoining the Exchange Hotel. He used his spare time in repairing clocks and watches. In 1878 Mr. Lanz purchased from John Ogden the building on DeKalb street which he has occupied for the past thirty-six years. He started in the jewelry business on a small scale and each year he continued to increase until he was one of the leading Norristown jewelers.

Deceased was a prominent member of Bethany Church and took an active interest in the church work. For the past thirty-five years he was the treasurer and secretary of the official board. He was also a trustee of the Schuylkill Seminary, Reading.

Mr. Lanz was the first president of the Chamber of Commerce. He was also a member of Norristown Lodge No. 620, F. & A. M.; Charity Lodge No. 190, F. A. M.; Hutchinson Commandery, No. 32, K. T.

He is survived by a widow who was a daughter of the late Paul Daring, and the following children: Mrs. J. Warren Kline, of Reading; Mrs. Calvin Eroh, Gustave Jr., Harry P., Raymond S., of Newark; Ralph L. and Norman L.

The funeral will be held from his late residence, Marshall street and Haws avenue, Thursday afternoon at two o'clock. Services will be held at Bethany Evangelical Church, Swede and Marshall streets. The interment will be made at Riverside cemetery.

REUNION OF LOCKE'S PUPILS

The Treemount Seminary Boys will Hold Their Annual Reunion To-day

This afternoon the "boys" who attended the Treemount Seminary, Norristown, are holding their annual reunion to-day. At three o'clock they will go to Riverside cemetery and hold a memorial service at the grave of their former instructor, John Locke whose memory is cherished by hundreds of men.

At six o'clock the banquet will be held. A number of the former students from this borough are attending the reunion.

Confirmation Lectures

Rev. Herbert Burk will deliver a series of Confirmation lectures in Trinity Mission, beginning next Thursday evening, at eight o'clock. The lectures will be illustrated with lantern slides.

TEMPERANCE WORKERS TO HOLD CONVENTION

MONTGOMERY COUNTY W. C. T. U. WILL MEET IN ANNUAL SESSION AT BRYN MAWR, THURSDAY.—ELECTION OF OFFICERS TO BE HELD.—LOCAL UNION TO GO FROM HERE BY AUTOMOBILE.

The twenty-eighth annual convention of the Woman's Christian Union of Montgomery County will be held in the W. C. T. U. building at Bryn Mawr, on Thursday.

The convention promises to be one of the most interesting ever held by the Union and indications favor an exceptionally large attendance. The reports of the various activities of the Union, covering the work done during the past year will be received, and these will show that the work has been greatly increased over any preceding year.

A feature of the convention will be the election of officers and superintendents for the coming year.

The Conshohocken Branch will be represented by Mrs. Adam Sommer and Mrs. Sarah Thwaites as delegates and Mrs. Emma Ristine and Mrs. Ada Silk as alternates.



MRS. ELLA NACE

A large delegation from this borough will be present at the convention. The trip from here will be made by automobile. The automobile will leave from Graham & Johnson at 8.45 A. M. and will stop at the homes of Mrs. Henry W. Eisenberg and Mrs. Ella Nace, in West Conshohocken.

All of the visitors will be entertained by the Bryn Mawr Branch, who will serve coffee and sandwiches free. Superintendents of Departments of Work from the local Union are:—

Evangelistic—Mrs. Ella Nace, West Conshohocken.

Mother's Work—Mrs. Agnes Hyde, West Conshohocken.

Railroad Work—Mrs. T. W. Murray, Conshohocken.

Mrs. Ella Nace is also one of the vice-presidents of the County Association.

PROGRAM.

9.15 A. M.—Meeting of Executive Committee.

9.30 A. M.—Devotional, Led by Member of Bryn Mawr Union.

10.00 A. M.—Convention Opened. Reading of the Minutes.

Roll Call of Officers, Superintendents.

Address of Welcome—Mrs. J. T. Criswell.

Response—Mrs. Mary R. Livezey.

Report of Treasurer.

Report of Corresponding Secretary.

Appointment of Committees.

Election of Officers and Superintendents.

Department Reports.

Evangelistic.

Legal.

Press.

Moral Education.

Y. P. B. Work.

Vocal Solo—Miss Morris.

12.00 M.—Noontide Prayer, Rev. S. W. Smith.

1.15 P. M.—Executive Meeting.

1.30 Devotional Meeting—Led by Mrs. Nace.

2.00 Convention Called to Order.

Reading of the Minutes.

Department Reports.

Social Meetings.

Mercy.

Railroad Work.

Soldiers and Sailors.

Scientific Temperance.

School Savings Banks.

Prison Work.

Franchise.

Flower Mission.

L. T. B. Work.

Collection.

3.00 Address—Prof. Francis H. Green.

Report of Committees.

Mothers' Work.

Music.

Literature. Foreigners and Miners. Juvenile. Medal Contests. Sunday School Work. Introductions and Adjournment.

HISTORIANS VISIT

ANCIENT HOUSES

Lower End of County Was Visited in All Day Pilgrimage

With many members participating the fall outing of the Historical Society of Montgomery County on Saturday was delightful from start to finish.

The trip was made in coaches, automobiles and other means of conveyance. The large procession left the society's quarters on Penn street, Norristown, at 9.15 in the morning. Although the sky was lowering at the start, the sun later broke through the clouds and the day was beautiful though cool enough for a day in October.

The first stopping place was the old "James Morris House" which was the headquarters of Washington during the Revolution and occupied the north or west wing as an office and used a room on the second floor as a bed chamber. In this latter room stands, it is said, the bed which he occupied. It is uncertain which was admitted the most, the ancient bed or the small baby in arms, who held forth in the same room at the same time. On the first floor the room in which Lafayette slept was also shown by Mr. and Mrs. George J. Cooke who own and occupy the house and who very graciously threw the house open for the society and its guests.

Again entering the conveyances the journey was resumed. A bout 11.45 Edward J. Perskings, summer residence of the "Sally Wisar" house, was reached. Mr. Perskings, gave all a very cordial welcome. Then the visitors were shown through the old house furnished in colonial style. Many of the pieces of furniture appear as it did in Washington's day and were the cause of raptures of delight. Seated on the spacious porch which extends around three sides of the large building the guests were served by Mr. Perskings with an elegant and elaborate luncheon. Miss Siddons, Mrs. Molony and Miss Lois Fornance assisted.

After a hearty expression of thanks had been given the host and his assistants, the pilgrimage was continued to the old, but well preserved Keith mansion, located in what was known as Graeme Park in the early part of the eighteenth century. It was built in 1721 and is now the property of Morris Penrose, son of Abel Penrose. It has been in the hands of the Penrose family for years and has been cared for by them. The house recently had put on a new shingle roof.

A tour through the immense building which looks as though it might have been intended for a mill or malt house in the original, revealed the remains of what at one time had been a splendid structure, well built, splendidly paneled wood, spacious fireplaces in every room. The spacious main room on the first floor had been tiled, a whole tile of blue delft ware has been preserved by the Penrose's. It was taken out years ago to preserve it from vandals, who had disfigured most of the walls to get relics. The tile's eye and half circular windows in the tops of the cupboard doors are as originally placed as are the bull's eye windows over the doors. The wrought iron latches and other iron work on the doors are ancient; the latch strings on the upstairs doors were a leather thong, which was drawn in at night or when the occupant of the room did not wish to be disturbed.

After a half hour's examination of the building, piloted by Morris Penrose his family and some friends, the society held a business meeting on the lawn in front of the house. Joseph Fornance, president of the society, presided and George K. Brecht, the secretary was assisted by Miss Frances M. Fox, curator. Many new members were proposed and elected.

DIVORCES GRANTED

Local Women Among Those Freed

Three more divorces were granted by Judge Swartz yesterday morning. Margaret H. Orr from James H. Orr, of Conshohocken. They were married November 18, 1908 and the cause of divorce was cruel and barbarous treatment and indignities to the persons.

Alma M. Raudenbush, Norristown, from Samuel H. Raudenbush, last heard from in Youngstown, Ohio. They were married November 17th, 1897 and the husband was charged with a statutory offense in the Pleasant View Hotel, Lower Pottsgrove with Elsie Sonver, a married woman. In addition the testimony showed that when Mrs. Raudenbush went to Kansas to visit relatives, upon her return she found her husband living with a Mrs. Barker in the Raudenbush home.

Annie Swede, Norristown, from Alfred Swede, last Address, Green's hotel, Philadelphia. The couple were married September 20, 1896 and the husband deserted the home December 9, 1910.

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PLYMOUTH MEETING

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

**Mrs. Staley, of the Lancasterville Pike, who has not been very well all summer is considerably improved.

**Mr. and Mrs. Harry Maxwell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Dietrich, of Hickorytown.

**Albert D. Bartholomew, of the Conshohocken Pike is doing some repair work at the Trappe this week.

**Mr. William Wood, of the Conshohocken Pike has a very fine flock of white wyandotts and white Rocks which he prizes very much.

**Aged Joseph Baker, who fell down a flight of stairs at his home some time ago is in a very critical condition and is failing rapidly.

**Rev. Horace T. Houf and wife enjoyed a fruit shower the latter part of last week from members of the church and wish to thank each and every person.

**Mr. and Mrs. Streeper Karr, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lingo, Mrs. Gertrude Hendren and Mrs. Tarbutton spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Yost, of Hickorytown.

**The Loyal Crusaders Bible Class of the Cold Point Baptist Church will hold its monthly social and business meeting in the Church Hall on Saturday evening. The public is invited.

**The Ladies Aid Society, of the Plymouth United Evangelical Church, will hold a Sauer-Krout supper in the Church Hall, on Saturday, October seventeenth. Pies, cakes and candy will also be on sale.

**The Men's Bible Class of the Plymouth United Evangelical Church will hold an ice cream festival on the Church lawn on Saturday evening. Candies and cakes of all description will be on sale.

**Mrs. Danelower, who has been ill for some time went to Philadelphia on Sunday to spend a week or more with her sister in order to rest from household cares and if possible to regain her strength.

**The meeting of the Women's Bible Class of the Plymouth United Evangelical Church will be held at the home of Mrs. Lingo on Thursday evening to make preparations for their play entitled "A Trip Abroad." At this meeting talent will be chosen and the date for the affair will be set.

**Rev. Wm. Musselman, of the United Evangelical Church, who has been spending his vacation in the upper part of the State will return the latter part of this week. He has been visiting his parents, at Mohnton, and afterward visited Wilkesbarre and Harrisburg and other places.

**The Germantown Pike, from the Conshohocken Pike to Hickorytown is near completion and will make a very fine highway. This road was in very poor condition for one so greatly traveled. The road was first covered with large stone and then filled in with a fine crushed stone which was then sprinkled and rolled.

**John Kalas, of this place, was arrested by Officer Harry Nuss on Saturday evening, at Norristown. He was charged with carrying concealed deadly weapons, having flourished a revolver while a passenger on a Chestnut Hill trolley car. Magistrate Clark held the defendant in \$300 for court.

DEMOCRATIC MEETING

Held Yesterday at Norristown in City Hall with Crowd Present

Democratic county committeemen and a few outsiders, probably 100 in all, heard addresses yesterday morning by A. Mitchell Palmer candidate for Senator and others, in city hall. All made Penrose the issue of the campaign, and declared he should be defeated.

C. D. McAvoy presided. He was nominated by Magistrate Clark, of the Fourth ward, vice chairman of the committee. Harvey Christman, the chairman, called the meeting to order. Mr. McAvoy declared that he is now for the state ticket and asked that all of his friends be for it likewise. The "big-gun" candidates were scheduled to arrive at ten o'clock but it was nearly an hour before they arrived.

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Number One. A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing an amendment to section one, article eight of the Constitution of Pennsylvania.

Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following amendment to the Constitution of Pennsylvania be, and the same is hereby, proposed, in accordance with the eighteenth article thereof:—

That section one of article eight, which reads as follows:

"Section 1. Every male citizen twenty-one years of age, possessing the following qualifications, shall be entitled to vote at all elections, subject, however, to such laws requiring and regulating the registration of electors as the General Assembly may enact:—

"First. He shall have been a citizen of the United States at least one month.

"Second. He shall have resided in the State one year (or, having previously been a qualified or native-born citizen of the State, he shall have removed therefrom and returned, then six months) immediately preceding the election.

"Third. He shall have resided in the election district where he shall offer to vote at least two months immediately preceding the election.

"Fourth. If twenty-two years of age and upwards, he shall have paid within two years a State or county tax, which shall have been assessed at least two months and paid at least one month before the election," be amended so that the same shall read as follows:

Section 1. Every citizen, male or female, of twenty-one years of age, possessing the following qualifications, shall be entitled to vote at all elections, subject, however, to such laws requiring and regulating the registration of electors as the General Assembly may enact:

First. He or she shall have been a citizen of the United States at least one month.

Second. He or she shall have resided in the State one year (or, having previously been a qualified elector or native-born citizen of the State, he or she shall have removed therefrom, and returned, then six months) immediately preceding the election.

Third. He or she shall have resided in the election district where he or she shall offer to vote at least two months immediately preceding the election.

Fourth. If twenty-two years of age and upwards, he or she shall have paid within two years a State or county tax, which shall have been assessed at least two months and paid at least one month before the election.

Fifth. Wherever the words "he,"

"his," "him," and "himself" occur in any section of article VIII of this Constitution the same shall be construed as if written respectively, "he or she," "his or her," "him or her," and "himself or herself."

A true copy of Joint Resolution No. 1.

ROBERT McAFEE, Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Number Two. A JOINT RESOLUTION Proposing an amendment to section eight of article nine of the Constitution of Pennsylvania.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in accordance with the provisions of the eighteenth article thereof:—

Amend section eight, article nine of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, which reads as follows:

"Section 8. The debt of any county, city, borough, township, school district, or other municipality or incorporated district, except as herein provided, shall never exceed seven per centum upon the assessed value of the taxable property therein, nor shall any such municipality or district incur any new debt, or increase its indebtedness to an amount exceeding two per centum upon such assessed valuation of property, without the assent of the electors thereof at a public election in such manner as shall be provided by law; but any city, the debt of which now exceeds seven per centum of such assessed valuation, except that any debts hereinafter incurred by the city and county of Philadelphia for the construction and development of subways for transit purposes or for the construction of wharves and docks, or the reclamation of land to be used in the construction of a system of wharves and docks, as public improvements, owners or to be owned by said city and county of Philadelphia, and which shall yield to the city and county of Philadelphia current net revenues in excess of the interest on said debt or debts, and of the annual installments necessary for the cancellation of said debt or debts, may be included in ascertaining the power of the city and county of Philadelphia to become otherwise indebted; Provided, That a sinking-fund for their cancellation shall be established and maintained," so that it shall read as follows:—

Section 8. The debt of any county, city, borough, township, school district, or other municipality or incorporated district, except as herein provided, shall never exceed seven per centum upon the assessed value of the taxable property therein, nor shall any such municipality or district incur any new debt, or increase its indebtedness to an amount exceeding two per centum upon such assessed valuation of property, without the assent of the electors thereof at a public election in such manner as shall be provided by law; but any city, the debt of which on the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, exceeded seven per centum of such assessed valuation, and has not since been reduced to less

than such per centum, may be authorized by law to increase, the same three per centum in the aggregate, at any one time, upon such valuation. The city of Philadelphia, upon the conditions hereinafter set forth, may increase its indebtedness to the extent of three per centum in excess of seven per centum upon such assessed valuation for the specific purpose of providing for all or any of the following purposes,—to wit: For the construction and improvement of subways, tunnels, railways, elevated railways, and other transit facilities; for the construction and improvement of wharves and docks and for the reclamation of land to be used in the construction of wharves and docks, owned or to be owned by said city. Such increase, however, shall only be made with the assent of the electors thereof at a public election, to be held in such manner as shall be provided by law. In ascertaining the borrowing capacity of said city of Philadelphia, at any time, there shall be excluded from the calculation a credit, where the work, resulting from any previous expenditure, for any one or more of the specific purposes hereinabove enumerated shall be yielding to said city an annual current net revenue; the amount of which credit shall be ascertained by capitalizing the annual net revenue during the year immediately preceding the time of such ascertainment. Such capitalization shall be accomplished by ascertaining the principal amount which would yield such annual, current net revenue, at the average rate of interest, and sinking-fund charges payable upon the indebtedness incurred by said city for such purposes, up to the time of such ascertainment. The method of determining such amount, so to be excluded or allowed as a credit, may be prescribed by the General Assembly.

In incurring indebtedness, for any one, or more of said purposes of construction, improvement, or reclamation, the city of Philadelphia may issue its obligations maturing not later than fifty years from the date thereof, with provision for a sinking-fund sufficient to retire said obligation at maturity, the payments to such sinking-fund to be in equal or graded annual installments. Such obligations may be in an amount sufficient to provide for and may include the amount of the interest and sinking-fund charges accruing and which may accrue thereon throughout the period of construction and until the expiration of one year, after the completion of the work for which said indebtedness shall have been incurred; and said city shall not be required to levy a tax to pay said interest and sinking-fund charges, as required by section ten of article nine of the Constitution of Pennsylvania, until the expiration of said period of one year after the completion of such work.

A true copy of Joint Resolution No. 2.

ROBERT McAFEE, Secretary of the Commonwealth.

nia in General Assembly met, That the following amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania be, and the same is hereby, proposed, in accordance with the eighteenth article thereof:— Amend section twenty-one, article three of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania which reads as follows:— "No act of the General Assembly shall limit the amount to be recovered for injuries resulting in death, or for injuries to persons or property, and in case of death from such injuries, the right of action shall survive, and the General Assembly shall prescribe for whose benefit such actions shall be prosecuted. No act shall prescribe any limitations of time within which suits may be brought against corporations for injuries to persons or property, or for other causes different from those fixed by general laws regulating actions against natural persons, and such acts now existing are avoided," so that it shall read as follows:— The General Assembly may enact laws requiring the payment of employees jointly, of reasonable compensation for injuries to employees arising in the course of their employment, and for occupational diseases of employees, whether or not such injuries or diseases result in death, and regardless of fault of employer of employee, and fixing the basis of ascertainment of such compensation and the maximum and minimum limits thereof, and providing special or general remedies for the collection thereof; but in no other cases shall the General Assembly limit the amount to be recovered for injuries resulting in death, or for injuries to persons or property, and in case of death from such injuries, the right of action shall survive, and the General Assembly shall prescribe for whose benefit such actions shall be prosecuted. No act shall prescribe any limitations of time within which suits may be brought against corporations for injuries to persons or property, or for other causes, different from those fixed by general laws regulating actions against natural persons, and such acts now existing are avoided.

A true copy of Joint Resolution No. 3.

ROBERT McAFEE, Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Number Four. A JOINT RESOLUTION Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of Pennsylvania abolishing the office of Secretary of Internal Affairs.

Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That article four of the Constitution of Pennsylvania shall be amended by adding thereto section twenty-three, which shall read as follows:—

The office of Secretary of Internal Affairs be, and the same is hereby, abolished; and the powers and duties now vested in, or appertaining or belonging to, that branch of the executive department, office, or officer, shall be transferred to such other department, office or officers of the State, now or hereafter created, as may be directed by law.

A true copy of Joint Resolution No. 4.

ROBERT McAFEE, Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Secretary of the Commonwealth. Number Five. A JOINT RESOLUTION Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of this Commonwealth in accordance with provisions of the eighteenth (XVIII) article thereof.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in accordance with the provisions of the eighteenth (XVIII) article thereof:—

AMENDMENT. Laws may be passed providing for a system of registering, transferring, insuring of and guaranteeing land titles by the State or by counties thereof, and for settling and determining adverse or other claims to and interests in lands the titles to which are so registered, transferred, insured and guaranteed; and for the creation and collection of indemnity funds; and for carrying the system, and powers hereby provided for into effect by such existing courts as may be designated by the Legislature, and by the establishment of such new courts as may be deemed necessary. In matters arising in and under the operation of such system, judicial powers, with right of appeal, may be conferred by the Legislature upon county recorders and upon other officers by it designated. Such laws may provide for continuing the registering, transferring, insuring and guaranteeing such titles after the first or original registration has been perfected by the court, and provision may be made for raising the necessary funds for expenses and salaries of officers, which shall be paid out of the treasury of the several counties.

A true copy of Joint Resolution No. 5.

ROBERT McAFEE, Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Number Six. A JOINT RESOLUTION Proposing an amendment to section eight, article nine of the Constitution of Pennsylvania.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in accordance with the provisions of the eighteenth article thereof.

Amendment to Article Nine, Section Eight. Section 2. Amend section eight, article nine of the Constitution of Pennsylvania, which reads as follows:— "Section 8. The debt of any county, city, borough, township, school district, or other municipality or incorporated district, except as herein provided, shall never exceed seven per centum upon the assessed value of the taxable property therein, nor shall any such municipality or district incur any new debt, or increase its indebtedness to an amount exceeding two per centum upon such assessed valuation of property, without the assent of the electors thereof at a public election in such manner as shall be provided by law; but any city, the debt of which now exceeds seven per centum of such assessed valuation, except that any debts hereinafter incurred by the city and county of Philadelphia for the construction and development of subways for transit purposes, or for the reclamation of land to be used in the construction of a system of wharves and docks, as public improvements, owners or to be owned by said city and county of Philadelphia, and which shall yield to the city and county of Philadelphia current net revenue in excess of the interest on said debt or debts, and of the annual installments necessary for the cancellation of said debt or debts, may be included in ascertaining the power of the city and county of Philadelphia to become otherwise indebted; Provided, That a sinking-fund of their cancellation shall be established and maintained," so as to read as follows:—

Section 8. The debt of any county, city, borough, township, school district, or other municipality or incorporated district, except as herein provided, shall never exceed seven per centum upon the assessed value of the taxable property therein, nor shall any such municipality or district incur any new debt, or increase its indebtedness to an amount exceeding two per centum upon such assessed valuation of property, without the assent of the electors thereof at a public election in such manner as shall be provided by law; but any city, the debt of which now exceeds seven per centum of such assessed valuation, except that any debts hereinafter incurred by the city and county of Philadelphia for the construction and development of subways for transit purposes, or for the reclamation of land to be used in the construction of a system of wharves and docks, as public improvements, owners or to be owned by said city and county of Philadelphia, and which shall yield to the city and county of Philadelphia current net revenue in excess of the interest on said debt or debts, and of the annual installments necessary for the cancellation of said debt or debts, may be included in ascertaining the power of the city and county of Philadelphia to become otherwise indebted; Provided, That a sinking-fund of their cancellation shall be established and maintained," so as to read as follows:—

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A true copy of Joint Resolution No. 6.

ROBERT McAFEE, Secretary of the Commonwealth.

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Number Five. A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of this Commonwealth in accordance with provisions of the eighteenth (XVIII) article thereof.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in accordance with the provisions of the eighteenth (XVIII) article thereof:—

AMENDMENT. Laws may be passed providing for a system of registering, transferring, insuring of and guaranteeing land titles by the State or by counties thereof, and for settling and determining adverse or other claims to and interests in lands the titles to which are so registered, transferred, insured and guaranteed; and for the creation and collection of indemnity funds; and for carrying the system, and powers hereby provided for into effect by such existing courts as may be designated by the Legislature, and by the establishment of such new courts as may be deemed necessary. In matters arising in and under the operation of such system, judicial powers, with right of appeal, may be conferred by the Legislature upon county recorders and upon other officers by it designated. Such laws may provide for continuing the registering, transferring, insuring and guaranteeing such titles after the first or original registration has been perfected by the court, and provision may be made for raising the necessary funds for expenses and salaries of officers, which shall be paid out of the treasury of the several counties.

A true copy of Joint Resolution No. 5.

ROBERT McAFEE, Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Number Six. A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing an amendment to section eight, article nine of the Constitution of Pennsylvania.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in accordance with the provisions of the eighteenth article thereof.

Amendment to Article Nine, Section Eight. Section 2. Amend section eight, article nine of the Constitution of Pennsylvania, which reads as follows:— "Section 8. The debt of any county, city, borough, township, school district, or other municipality or incorporated district, except as herein provided, shall never exceed seven per centum upon the assessed value of the taxable property therein, nor shall any such municipality or district incur any new debt, or increase its indebtedness to an amount exceeding two per centum upon such assessed valuation of property, without the assent of the electors thereof at a public election in such manner as shall be provided by law; but any city, the debt of which now exceeds seven per centum of such assessed valuation, except that any debts hereinafter incurred by the city and county of Philadelphia for the construction and development of subways for transit purposes, or for the reclamation of land to be used in the construction of a system of wharves and docks, as public improvements, owners or to be owned by said city and county of Philadelphia, and which shall yield to the city and county of Philadelphia current net revenue in excess of the interest on said debt or debts, and of the annual installments necessary for the cancellation of said debt or debts, may be included in ascertaining the power of the city and county of Philadelphia to become otherwise indebted; Provided, That a sinking-fund of their cancellation shall be established and maintained," so as to read as follows:—

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thereto; the building of bulkheads, and the purchase or construction or lease of wharves, docks, sheds, and warehouses, and other buildings and facilities, necessary for the establishment and maintenance of railroad and shipping terminals along the said rivers; and the dredging of the said rivers and docks. Provided, That the said city and county shall, at or before the time of so doing, provide for the collection of an annual tax sufficient to pay the interest thereon, and also the principal thereof within fifty years from the incurring thereof.

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ROBERT McAFEE, Secretary of the Commonwealth. SAFETY CARNIVAL TO FOOL-PROOF PEOPLE

HOME AND SCHOOL LEAGUE WILL HOLD AN INTERESTING EXHIBITION SHOWING DANGER OF CARELESSNESS.— FIRE DEPARTMENT, MOVING PICTURES AND OTHER DEVICES WILL BE USED TO ILLUSTRATE.

Safety, moral, physical and industrial safety, will be expounded in various ways and by numerous methods at the Carnival and Convention of Safety to be given by the Home and School League in Convention Hall, Broad Street and Allegheny avenue, Philadelphia, September 26, 28, 29.

The direct purpose for which the Home and School League is working is to bring about harmony and unity between all the forces that have to do with the building of a citizen of the Republic.

Mental laziness is the cause of most accidents. There is only one way to remain safe and that is to keep your mind on what you are doing. The smartest people are subject to mental lapses.

Work the brain and keep yourself fool-proof. Safety is a habit, not something to be worn like one's best clothes and then laid aside for state occasions, but a habit that becomes a part of life.

Accidents cost the country \$25,000,000 every year. What part did you play in causing this loss to the nation?

One of the most important factors to be used in demonstrating the lesson of "Safety First" will be the moving picture and there will be thrown upon the screen scenes which show the causes of many accidents. The fire department will give exhibitions of modern methods of fire extinction and lessons on fire prevention will be impressed by realistic demonstrations, while the health department will show the war which is being waged against contagious and communicable diseases.

Exhibits and demonstrations will be made at frequent intervals showing why fire escapes should be kept clear, how the oily rag thrown into a closet is often the cause of a disastrous fire, in fact everything calculated to improve the living conditions of the community will be visualized and simplified in the booths which are now being erected for that purpose.

By those public spirited men and women who are giving time, energy and money to make the Carnival a success, it is predicted that the affair will establish a precedent for other cities of the country which will be surprised at the spectacular safety demonstrations, and for that reason the courts in nearby states have been invited to attend and to send official representatives.

To accommodate out of town visitors, special arrangements are being made with the Rapid Transit Company and the Pennsylvania Railroad for handling this suburban class of the community, the North Philadelphia Station being almost at the doors of Convention Hall.

TWO SHOT IN NEGRO FIGHT Failure to Settle Pool Score Starts Fracas Among Seven.

Four shots startled residents of Cricket avenue, Ardmore, about 1 A. M. Sunday, when Rufus Riddle and James Rice were shot down in a fight among seven negroes. Riddle is in the Bryn Mawr Hospital and may die. Although all the other participants in the fight fled immediately after the shooting, Lower Merion policemen rounded up Parker Epps, accused of the shooting; his brother, Eldridge Epps; Tom Fidget, Ed Smith and William Colesby, before morning.

The negroes, the police learned, had been playing pool and had to leave the poolroom at midnight on account of the Sunday closing law. Riddle and Eldridge Epps had been playing a game for a dollar a side. Riddle had pocketed six balls and Epps three. Riddle wanted Epps to pay. Five men sided against the brothers and demanded the money.

They drew into a side street, Masonic avenue. Smith and Colesby declared that several blows had been struck, when Parker Epps, who came to Ardmore from Norfolk a week ago, drew a revolver and started firing. Riddle was struck twice in the back, the bullets penetrating his abdomen. Rice, who was married by Squire Warner Saturday night, was shot in the hand.

SUSPECTED THIEF CAUGHT Philadelphia Man Arrested After Chase in Boat.

Detected in the act of breaking into the house of alien railroad workmen at Swedeland on Saturday evening, Robert Easter attempted to escape by plunging into the Schuylkill River. Several men gave chase in a boat and overtook him and brought him before Magistrate Clark, Norristown, who sent him to jail. Easter, who was well-dressed, gave his residence as Lombard street, Philadelphia.

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TOWN NOTES

HAPPENINGS THROUGHOUT THE BOROUGH CONDENSED INTO SHORT PARAGRAPHS.

The RECORDER solicits from its readers the news of engagements, weddings, parties and all social functions, with lists of guests, also personal items. All communications must have authentic signature and address, which will be kept confidential. If you ask for an extra copy or so of the RECORDER when sending in news, they will be sent to you without charge.

George Pope, of Cleveland, Tenn., is visiting his son, Thomas Pope, of Harry street.

Samuel J. McLaughlin addressed the Men's Bible Class of the Methodist church, on Sunday last.

John Shay, clerk at the Lafayette hotel, on East Elm street, is enjoying a week's vacation at Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Frank Campbell and son, have returned home, after spending ten days with relatives in Clearfield, Pa.

Miss Loretta Much, of Cleveland, Tenn., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Thomas Smith, on Hollowell street.

Lambert Pierson, who has resided here for many years, has removed to Burlington, N. J.

Mrs. George Misgrave, of Fayette street, has returned home from an extended visit to relatives at Oswego, N. Y.

Mrs. John Smith, a former resident of this borough and now residing at Brooklyn, N. Y., visited friends here on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Tracy and children returned home to-day from Atlantic City where they spent the summer.

Officer George Ruth and Mrs. Ruth returned home yesterday from a week's vacation spent at Bower's Beach, Del.

Prof. E. E. Zeigler, former superintendent of the local schools and now residing at Philadelphia, spent Sunday with friends here.

Dr. and Mrs. George N. Highley and son Charles, and Mrs. Alan Wood Jr. have returned home from a vacation spent at Rangley Lakes, Me.

Adolph Rakosky, son of Joseph Rakosky, a Fayette merchant, has secured a clerical position with the firm of Rose and Lehrfeld, Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Able and daughter Rhea and Mr. and Mrs. James Peach, spent Sunday at Atlantic City. The trip was made by automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. James L. Gibney and family, of Fayette street, who spent the summer at Chelsea, N. J., returned home yesterday.

Next Monday will be the last day for children to begin the fall school term. Beginners not entering the schools by that day will not be permitted to enter until the beginning of the spring term in February.

A mission for women is being held at St. Matthew's church. Services are held each morning and evening. The services began on Sunday and will continue all week. Next week the mission will be for men.

The Ladies of the Baptist Church desire to announce that they will hold another Sale of Soup from the Church Kitchen on Thursday morning next.

Miss Marguerite Barrett, of North Elm street, has entered Chestnut Hill Seminary to complete a four-year course. Her brother, Harry Barrett, yesterday entered Villa Nova college to study civil and electrical engineering.

Today is the last day that county tax may be paid without having 5 per cent. added for collection. The rate is 2 mills this year, a reduction of 1 mill. The place to pay is at the county treasurer's office in the court house at Norristown.

Elder Clark, of Philadelphia, will deliver the last lecture of his series on the Bible Prophecies, in the P. O. S. of A. hall, this evening. The meetings are held by Faith Tabernacle and are open to the public. The previous lectures have been very interesting and were well attended.

Officer Kay, Sunday evening, found Mrs. Devera, of West Conshohocken lying helpless at Twelfth avenue and Fayette street. The woman was intoxicated and was taken to the station house. The burgess gave her a hearing on Monday and ordered her to remain away from the town.

A slight fire occurred in the frame dwelling on Washington street above Forrest street, owned by Ira Saylor and occupied by an Italian family, yesterday afternoon. The fire originated in a pile of wood in the cellar and was of unknown origin. Both fire companies responded to an alarm but there was little need for their services.

Washington Camp No. 121, P. O. S. of A. celebrated the 100th anniversary of the writing of the Star Spangled Banner, on Saturday with a parade and block party. Many visiting camps were here and participated in the parade which was held on Fayette street. The committee in charge of the affair were greatly disappointed not being able to secure speakers. Mr. Heap, of Baltimore, sent word Friday night that he would be unable to be present and on Saturday, word was received from Mr. Wells that an unexpected business engagement would prevent his being here. No word was received from Mr. Stone. After the parade the Conshohocken band played a concert.

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STRONG PLATFORM ADOPTED

Party Goes on Record For Beneficial Legislation—Senator Penrose, Dr. Brumbaugh and the Other State Candidates Make Enthusiastic Addresses—Campaign Begins Under Most Encouraging Auspices.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Aug. 31.—With the adoption of a strong platform of principles and speeches by the party's standard bearers the Republican state campaign was formally opened here last Wednesday. Much enthusiasm marked the meeting, and the theater where it was held was crowded to the doors with citizens of all parties.

Protection to American industries and American workmen are features of the platform. There is no hesitancy or equivocation in dealing with this important subject. The party in Pennsylvania strikes right from the shoulder in its tariff declaration. The man who toils is entitled to adequate protection, and the Republicans of Pennsylvania are determined that it shall be given him.

The platform is concise and to the point. Live issues are discussed with clearness and in a manner indicative of the fact that the representatives of the Republican party are not afraid to meet the argument of the enemy. Among the subjects gone into are workmen's compensation, child labor, mothers' pensions, denunciation of the Democratic administration for its foreign policy and its general unfitness to govern this nation, conservation of forests, liberal appropriations to deserv-ing institutions, good roads and advancement of agricultural interests.

Senator Penrose's keynote speech dealt at length with the issue of protection and was a complete exposition of what the tariff means to the industries of Pennsylvania. He went back to the days of Henry Clay and pointed out that the words of that famous statesman on the situation of this country applied with equal force at the present moment; that Clay wanted this country to encourage industries, to give employment, to augment the national wealth and to create a home market for our agriculture, and that the Republican party today stands for the same thing.

Dr. Brumbaugh's address left no doubt in the minds of his auditors as to where he stood on the issues in Pennsylvania. In brief, he advocates justice to labor, good roads, local option, state civil service, submission of the woman's suffrage amendment, conservation of resources, advanced educational policies, a recognized treatment of charities and a wider field in local municipal regulations.

The speeches of the other state candidates and that of State Chairman Crow were forcible and interesting, stirring the large assembly to a high point of enthusiasm. Following are some of the important excerpts from the platform adopted:

The Platform.

"We declare our unchanging faith in the Government of the people, by the people and for the people, our devotion to the cause of Republican institutions, and renew our allegiance to the principles of the Republican party, whose achievements in government constitute the most luminous pages in the history of our nation.

"Our greatest national advance has been made during the years of its ascendancy in public affairs.

"It has always been the party of real effective progress.

"It always has progressed conservatively.

"It never has been either stationary or reactionary.

"It has been the party, not of mere agitation, but, of construction.

Tariff.

"We reaffirm our belief in a protective tariff. The industrial depression and stagnation which has steadily increased under the free-trade legislation of the Wilson administration is apparent to all men. At the close of the last Republican administration the country had reached the height of prosperity at home and had a foreign trade of extraordinary magnitude. Labor received full employment at increasing rates of remuneration.

Since the enactment of the Under-wood-Palmer free trade law, we have had an army of the unemployed, idle freight cars stretching clear across the state, and general curtailment or suspension of industrial activities.

The cost of living has steadily gone up. The Republican tariff policy has always been at the basis of our national prosperity, developing our resources, diversifying our industries and protecting our workmen against competition with cheaper labor abroad.

Assuring for our wage earner the American standard of living. We urge restoration of the protective policy at the earliest possible opportunity, providing for import duty which shall be high enough, while yielding sufficient revenue, to protect American industry and wages, so that prosperity may be restored to the land. A Republican president and Republican senate and house of representatives when elected, can enact in a very short time such legislation as will bring about a return to former conditions of prosperity.

Mexican Policy.

"We deplore the policy of the present administration in connection with affairs in Mexico. The murder and maltreatment of American citizens and the destruction of many millions of dollars of American property have been viewed with callous indifference by the present administration. We are opposed to war with Mexico for the purpose of interference or aggrandizement. A proper assertion of the national honor and insistence upon the respect of Americans who are in Mexico as the pioneer of civilization, we declare to be the first duty of our government.

State.

"The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, though blessed by natural advantages and a loyal and industrious people, has arrived at its proud position among the states of the nation by reason of the wise administration of its affairs by the Republican party of Pennsylvania, which has been practically in control for over a half a century. She stands today absolutely free

from debt. "No state tax upon real estate has been collected since 1866, when it was abolished by Republican administration.

"No tax upon any personal property of any character (except moneys at interest) has been collected by the state for many decades.

"No subject taxed locally by counties, boroughs, townships or school-districts is taxed by the state.

"The great revenues of the state are derived mainly from taxes on corporations. Of the revenues of Pennsylvania nearly two-thirds is appropriated for educational, eleemosynary and charitable purposes, nearly \$10,000,000 being for educational purposes of which amount over \$7,000,000 is applied towards the maintenance of public schools, as state funds to the local districts. What state or empire can produce a greater showing?

"Pennsylvania has reason to be proud that she is the envy of her sister states, and the Republican party takes pride in being the moving cause thereof.

Good Roads.

"There are few functions of the government which have a more intimate relation to the comfort of the masses of the people and their welfare than the construction and maintenance of the public highways. Pennsylvania has committed herself to a comprehensive and generous plan of adding the local authority in the construction and maintenance of the principal public roads of the state. It was proposed that the commonwealth should make a loan to carry out this great plan and make an immediate start upon providing a system of laying the highways which would reach every important community; but a majority of those voting upon the constitutional amendment which was needed to make such a project possible, expressed themselves as opposed to the creation of a debt for this purpose. We do not state that it is the wish of the people of Pennsylvania that the system of highways taken over by the state shall be turned back to the township to add to the weight of local taxation, but feel that every effort should be made to raise sufficient funds from the revenues of the commonwealth to maintain these roads in a proper manner and speedily to provide for their permanent improvement according to the most advanced scientific methods. We pledge ourselves to insist upon liberal appropriation for these purposes and to the economic and businesslike administration of the state highway department.

"The last general assembly appropriated the money received in the state treasury from the license of motor vehicles and their operators, for the specific purpose of maintaining and improving the state highways; and many hundreds of thousands of dollars, sufficient to have placed in good condition the roads embraced in the state highway plan, were paid in and became available for this work; but the state highway department, under the administration of the Republican party, hostile to the Republican party and antagonistic to the state administration of which they should be a cooperative part, persistently refused to honor the requisitions of the state highway department for the money of this vast idle fund; and despite the fact that the court and the law officers of the commonwealth swept aside the legal technicalities and artful plans which had been interposed to sustain the impossible position taken by these officials, they succeeded in hampering and hindering the work of the department, and for more than a year absolutely tied up the work of maintaining the state highway, with the result that not only the people, but the roads were inconvenienced and injured, but damage amounting to practical destruction, resulted to many of the roads of the state. We shall insist upon the immediate release of the commonwealth with the provisions of the law known as the "Dirt Road Law" and upon the necessary appropriation and such further legislation as may be necessary for the maintenance of the highways as provided for by the law known as the "Dirt Road Law" used by so great a portion of our farming community.

Child Labor.

"At the last session of the Pennsylvania legislature an earnest effort was made by Republican members to have enacted a bill regulating the employment of minors between the ages of fourteen and sixteen years.

Workmen's Compensation.

"We favor the passage of such a workmen's compensation law as will secure to injured workmen, or those dependant upon them, just and adequate compensation for injury received in the course of employment without regard to the solvency or insolvency of the employer and be just and fair to both employer and employee with such safeguards to small employers of labor as will protect them against such burdens, and with such liberal provisions for individual, state, mutual and stock company insurance as will afford the fullest opportunity for protection at reasonable rates, excepting however, from the operation of said law those engaged in agricultural pursuits and domestic service.

Pennsylvania State College.

"We commend the support by the state of the state college, and congratulate it upon the effective work it is doing in the lines of agricultural, mechanical and scientific education.

Woman's Labor Law.

"The law regulating the employment of women which was enacted at the last session of the legislature, in the form advocated by the Republican party, has now been in effect for a sufficient time to test its merits. It has received with general approval and has received special commendation from those engaged in social work.

Education.

"From the inception of the laws creating the public schools, throughout the statesmanlike and heroic exertions of the great commoner Thaddeus Stevens until the present time, augmented by the life-long work of such men as Dr. Brumbaugh and Henry Houch the public schools of the state have continually grown and improved until they are today the pride of the people. We specially commend the rapid increase of instruction in agricultural, mechanical, and other vocational arts in our common schools so necessary in fitting the youth for their life's work. We commend the liberal appropriation of state money for these schools and liberal laws for their maintenance.

Forestry.

"Under Republican administration the development of forestry in Pennsylvania has been in accordance with wide, broad, economical and practical policy; so that today the state is in the lead in forestry conservation.

"This great work, begun in 1893, has cost the state to July 1st, 1914, approximately \$4,000,000 and represents assets of more than \$6,000,000 in addition to the inestimable value to industry, agriculture, water supply and health of the people. There still remain several millions of acres of barren land in Pennsylvania, and we recommend the acquisition of this domain by the state as promptly as possible while it can still be secured, so that water sheds may be preserved and game animals conserved and recreation grounds assured to the people of the commonwealth for all times.

Health Department.

"We recognize the superb work done by the department of health in its comprehensive campaign against the great plague of tuberculosis through its dispensaries and sanatoria established for consumptives; the saving of lives of our children by the distribution of diphtheria anti-toxin; medical inspection of schools and the general health work including its broad educational policy. We also call attention to the successful war it is waging against typhoid fever, by guarding the public water supply throughout the commonwealth; and we pledge ourselves to a continuance of a liberal policy in appropriations for the maintenance and furtherance of this comprehensive work in which Pennsylvania leads the nation.

Conservation.

"We believe in the conservation of our natural resources, the preservation and increase of our forest lands, the maintenance of a pure and plentiful water supply, and the adoption of such methods as may be needed to bring an increased supply of game and fish near to the centers of our population.

Agricultural Department.

"We favor such legislation and appropriation as may be necessary to broaden the scope of state's work in the agriculture department by establishing in each county one or more bureaus of research and investigation, maintaining correspondence with the farmers, supplying them with information, giving practical illustrations, and generally assisting in the advancement of agriculture.

Mothers' Pensions.

"We approve of the mothers' pension law adopted by the last general assembly and favor an increase in the appropriation by the state for the purpose thereof, and such other legislation as may be necessary for the furtherance of that object.

Soldiers and Sailors Pensions.

"We favor the granting of pensions by the federal government to all soldiers and sailors who have served the United States in any war in which the nation has been engaged, when such soldiers and sailors shall have reached the age of 62 years.

"We favor the granting of pensions by the federal government to the widows of all soldiers and sailors who have served the United States in any war in which the nation has been engaged.

"We also favor the enactment by the general assembly of Pennsylvania of a law recognizing and granting pensions to the men who enlisted during the years from 1861 to 1865 known as the "Emergency Men" or "Emergency Volunteers."

Public Service Commission.

"We recommend such amendments to the public service law as will more effectively safeguard the rights of the people and protect the interests of the boroughs and municipalities of the state.

Public Monuments.

"That the heroic acts of Pennsylvania and the hallowed spots endeared thereby may not be forgotten, we favor the withdrawal of these plans from the mart of trade, and we pledge ourselves to liberal appropriation to mark these sacred spots and commemorate these heroic acts.

Woman Suffrage.

"The last legislature passed a resolution authorizing the people to vote on amendment to the constitution providing for woman suffrage. The next legislature should also pass this resolution and give the people an opportunity to vote upon this important question and we hereby pledge the support of principles they made to the favorable consideration of the voters of Pennsylvania.

"We ask the support of all Pennsylvanians in our efforts to bring about the restoration of prosperity to Pennsylvania, and extend a cordial welcome to all electors, regardless of past party affiliations who are in sympathy with this declaration of principles."

Commissioner Gets First Prize

James Krewson, County Commissioner, was awarded first prize in the exhibit of evergreens at the Philadelphia county fair at Byberry last week.



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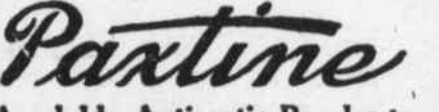
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WEST SIDE NOTES

THE DOINGS OF OUR SISTER BOROUGHS CONDENSED FOR READY READING.

—Edward Cooper, of Cedar avenue, has purchased a fine driving horse.

—Evangelist Ella Nace conducted services at the Holiness Christian Church at Goldsboro, Md., on Sunday.

—Harry and Frederick Fish, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday with relatives in this borough.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Craig, of upper Ford street, spent Saturday and Sunday at Bridgeton, N. J.

—Elizabeth McPeak has accepted a position with the Ruth Glass Company of Conshohocken.

—John Benz, of DeHaven avenue, has accepted a position with Henderson Supplee at Port Kennedy.

—Theodore Hare, of DeHaven avenue, is suffering from a large carbuncle which has developed on his wrist.

—Timothy J. Foley, who has been in charge of the Spring Mill store of John Fearnside, will remove from this borough to Harmonville.

—Mr. and Mrs. Howard Downey, of Bryn Mawr, spent Sunday with Mr. Downey's brother, Springer Downey, on upper Ford street.

—Mrs. Anna Trainor, who has been spending several weeks with relatives in this borough, has returned to her home in Burlington, N. J.

—Mr. and Mrs. Buhl, of Philadelphia, were week-end visitors at the home of Mrs. Buhl's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Havener, on Merion avenue.

—Mrs. Harry Hobson and daughter, of Camden, N. J. spent the week-end with Mrs. Hobson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Armitage, on Josephine avenue.

—Irvin Finney has returned to his home in Roxborough, after having spent a few days at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Finney, on Apple street.

—John Welsh, Sr., of upper Ford street, is incapacitated from attending to his duties at the plant of the J. Wood & Bros. Company, owing to an affection of the eye.

—Following out their custom of several years the Peoples National Bank of this borough, will be opened every Saturday evening during the winter for the accommodation of its many patrons.

—Mrs. Manus McLafferty has returned to her home in this borough, from a few days' visit to her sister, Mrs. McIlvaine, at Bristol, Bucks County.

—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Connors, and children, of upper Ford street, have returned home from a few days' visit with Mrs. Connors' parents, at Riverton, N. J.

—Patrick McGough, of Front street, this borough, left yesterday for a trip to Niagara Falls, the great Lakes and Canada. He expects to be away from home for about a week.

—Yllanova College has re-opened its seventy-first Academic year to-day. Joseph Cunningham and William Mulkey, with whom Mr. Cunningham spent his vacation, have resumed their studies. The number enrolled this year, exceeds that of last year.

—Rev. J. M. Lyons, of Germantown, occupied the pulpit of the Ballgomingo Baptist Church on Sunday, during the absence of the pastor, Rev. H. D. S. Coates. A large congregation was treated to two excellent sermons.

—The first meeting of the season of the Wm.ah Girls Club of the Ballgomingo Baptist Church will be held on Thursday evening at 7.45 o'clock. The Waverly Boys Club of the same church, will begin their indoor sports on Friday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

—Owen Davis, a graduate of the local High School, Class of 1914, who entered Williamson's School of Mechanical Trades, last April, has discontinued his studies at that institution and will enter the employ of the New York Ship Building Company at Camden, where he will continue to work at his trade as machinist.

—The carnival of the George Clay Fire Company was brought to a close on Saturday evening, when one of the largest crowds of the week was present. The attendance during the entire week was greatly reduced on account of the extremely cool weather and while a neat sum has been realized, the receipts would have been much larger had the weather been more appropriate for an outdoor function.

—Miss Kathryn Flanagan while attempting to descend a flight of stairs at the home of her sister, Mrs. Harry Cunningham, of upper Ford street, on Sunday missed her footing and was precipitated with great force to the bottom. As the result of the fall the young lady injured her arm so badly that she was unable to use it and the services of a physician was procured. It is not known whether or not the member is broken.

—The entire teaching force and a number of the directors of the local school attended an educational meeting held in the Bridgeport High School, on Friday evening. The meeting which was largely attended was addressed by State Inspector Koch, of Harrisburg. Assistant County Superintendent Miss Carrie Niblo also made an address on history and how it should be taught. The meeting was presided over by County Superintendent J. Horace Landis.

—The Ministerial Union of West Conshohocken are planning for a Sunday School Rally along elaborate lines. A meeting in the interest of the affair was held at the parsonage of the Ballgomingo Baptist Church, last evening and much enthusiasm was shown toward the movement. The meeting will be held in Odd Fellows' hall on Sunday afternoon, October 11. The following organization was effected to carry the movement to completion: Charles Merkel, chairman; Irvin Ellam, secretary; Charles Pyle, treasurer; Philip Eckart, chairman of the ushers and A. Stanley Hyde, musical director. The various ministers of the Union will take part in the meeting.

—Harry Doherty is confined to his home on Ford street, by illness.

—The September meeting of the School Board was held last evening at the office of the secretary, William J. Pennington. All of the members were present with President Fearnside presiding. The Teachers Committee reported that the schools opened on August 31 with all of the teachers at their accustomed places; only the morning session being held until Wednesday, September 9th. The Building Committee reported that the necessary repairs to the building had been completed. Supervising Principal T. J. Steltz reported that the enrollment of pupils is the largest in the history of the schools. The treasurer reported a balance of \$1500.00 in treasury, including the state appropriation of \$1300.67. Orders to the amount of \$478.00 were granted.

GULF MILLS

ITEMS OF INTEREST GATHERED BY OUR LOCAL CORRESPONDENT FOR OUR READERS.

John Fleming, of Port Kennedy, has gone to Fredericksburg, Va., to visit his parents.

James McGuire has secured a position in an asbestos manufacturing plant in Manayunk.

George W. Berry, of Gulf Mills, has purchased a fine bay driving horse from Ivins Walker, of Norristown.

Edward Tittle, who died at his home near New Centreville, last week, was buried in the cemetery at that place.

John Zimmerman, of Mechanicsville, employed on the property of Frederick Hensley, has been off duty owing to illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Gray, of South Norwalk, Conn., were visiting at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wellard, Gulf Mills, last week.

Mrs. David Smith and daughter Helen, of Glen Riddle, spent the week end in the village with an elder daughter of the former, Mrs. Walter Thompson.

Mrs. Sallie McDowell, of Gulf Mills, who has been visiting her son, John McDowell, in Atlantic, during the greater part of the summer, returned home on Friday.

Charles Wellard, who arrived home from the Bryn Mawr Hospital on Friday, where he had been an inmate for about six weeks ailing from typhoid fever, is able to walk about, but is still quite weak.

A small daughter of Ernest Worcester, farmer for F. P. Croft, of Port Kennedy, was attacked by a vicious dog on the place last week, and before the animal was driven off it had bitten the child severely about the face.

Farmers are cutting and shocking their corn. As there have been no bad wind storms to damage the growing corn since it has attained a high growth, the crop this year should be bumper one.

Hazel Wilfong, a daughter of Thomas Wilfong, of Wilmington, Del. while on her way home from New York City stopped at the residence of her uncle, Thomas Foy, at Mechanicsville, for a few days' visit. She left for Wilmington on Sunday.

Mrs. James Francis Sullivan, Miss Frances L. Sullivan and Miss Letia L. Sullivan will leave Bar Harbor next Monday and return to the "Woods," their country place at Radnor, where they will spend several weeks before opening their town house in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. William Supplee, and sons Albert and Henderson Supplee, the 3d, of Junction, N. J., automobile to this section last week and passed several days with the former's father and brothers at "Kenhurst," Port Kennedy. They were also visitors at Gulf Mills. They left for Atlantic City to spend a few days before returning home.

The retaining wall around the yard in front of the parsonage of the Gulf Christian Church has been rebuilt, which adds to the appearance about the pastors home. It is also the intention to make improvements to the new portion of the church which was dedicated in the year 1895. They will be mostly on the exterior and will include a new roof on the western side of the building and other things that are necessary.

Charles Rowe, of Gulf Mills, a member of Curtis Lodge, No. 216, I. O. O. F., of Norristown, was one of the thirty-five members of that organization, who enjoyed a three days' trip through New York State last week. The itinerary included a visit to Kingston, where the tourists were the guests of brother Odd Fellows; a visit to a gigantic reservoir now in course of erection near that city which will furnish water to the Metropolis; and a sail down the Hudson River to New York.

George Derrickson, the well-known and popular auctioneer of Berwyn, Pa., was visiting at Gulf Mills on Friday. Mr. Derrickson is recovering from an illness of about a months duration. While engaged at his duties at the residence of Mrs. Elizabeth Townsend, at Mechanicsville, he was stricken with illness as the result of the heat, and although able to reach home, he was confined to his bed for some time and his condition reached an alarming state. Mr. Derrickson enjoys an extensive patronage, and his host of friends hope for his speedy restoration to his usual good health.

Miss Violet Black, of Mechanicsville, daughter of John Black, who was bitten on the hand by a bird dog belonging to her father which animal was said to be suffering from rabies by the authorities on such subjects, has fully recovered and has ceased taking the Pasteur treatment. The wound from the bite of the dog was not a very bad one, caused but little pain and inconvenience at any time, and Miss Black went about among her friends at all times while undergoing treatment. She is enjoying the best of health and all thoughts of the unfortunate occurrence are forgotten.

After residing at Mechanicsville for many years, Henderson Davis, will dispose of his personal property on Saturday, August 29th, and with his wife and family will remove to Springfield, Mass., where he holds a respon-

sible position with a large manufacturing company. Mr. Davis will still retain his real estate in his possession and when he removes to the Eastern States the place will be occupied by Joseph Carpenter, who will vacate one of Rev. John Epright's houses. Dallas Davis, one of the oldest residents of Mechanicsville, who has resided with his son Henderson, will remove to the home of his son, James, on upper Ford street, West Conshohocken.

Losing control of a motor cycle which he was riding near his home at Mechanicsville, on Sunday, Robert Griffith had a narrow escape from serious injury when the machine shot obliquely across the road and plunging into a gutter, the rider was tossed off with such force that he nearly landed in a garden of Thomas Daly. As it was, Griffith sustained a number of painful cuts about the hands and arms and other minor injuries, besides being shaken up. Some parts of the motor cycle were badly twisted, rendering it unfit for use until repairs are made. The machine belonged to Horace Gamble, a resident of Mechanicsville. It was believed among those who saw the cycle do the queer stunt, that Griffith was familiar as to the manner of operating it, but that he made some wrong adjustments about the mechanism which was responsible for the accident.

The last stretch of mud road on the highway between King-of-Prussia and Radnor is a thing of the past and the thoroughfare, which is a most extensively traveled one, is now macadamized its entire distance. This road extends through three counties, namely, Delaware, Chester and Montgomery, therefore it was up to the road authorities of Radnor, Tredeffryn and Upper Merion townships to overcome its muddy condition and make it a credit to the district through which it passes. From time to time small portions of it have been macadamized, until at last there was only a small stretch of the old-time mud road left, that in Chester county between the old Rosier homestead and the Montgomery County Line. Last week the improvements were completed on this remaining part, and the Radnor-King-of-Prussia road, which is among the oldest in the State, is now one of the finest in this section of the country. One of the worst portions of this road for many years was what is known as Tyson's hill in Upper Merion, where mud was hauled in winter and large gulleys were plentiful. The road authorities after using ingenuity and engineering skill overcame its deplorable condition, and the hill, although steep, is still in excellent shape for traveling.

Hunt a Ghost.

Near Radnor, in the throes of a ghost scare. A number of residents declare they have seen the phantom of a man killed by a train at Radnor station several months ago.

Late travelers on lonely roads approaching the village have been frightened out of their wits by a shape and dully flitting out of dark corners, moaning. A woman, reports being called to her back door to find a man who stared at her piteously and moaned then disappeared before her eyes.

Many of those who have seen the ghost have done so Saturday nights, several declare their firm belief that the ghost looked and acted like the man killed by the train, who was well known to them all.

The scare assumed such proportions that the Radnor township police investigated thinking the "ghost" might be a crank or a thief. They have not found the ghost.

Classified Advertisements

LOST:—Gold and Pearl Pin on Spring Mill Road between Mt. Pleasant School House and State Road. Reward if returned to MRS. ANDREW WRIGHT CRAWFORD, near Mt. Pleasant School. 9-15

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CHARTER NOTICE. IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF MONTGOMERY COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an application will be made by certain citizens of the Borough of Conshohocken for a Charter of a proposed Club to be known as the COLUMBUS CLUB, to the said Court on the Fifth day of October, A. D. 1914, under the Act of the Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An Act to Provide for the Incorporation and Regulation of Certain Corporations," approved April 29, 1874; and the supplements thereto. The purpose of said corporation is to promote and encourage social intercourse and enjoyment among its members, and to maintain club rooms for meeting, reading and the indulgence in lawful games of cards, pool, billiards, and other forms of innocent and lawful amusement, and for those purposes to have, possess, and enjoy all the rights, benefits, and privileges of the said Act of Assembly and its several supplements. Said application is now on file in the office of the Prothonotary of said Court at Norristown.

SYLVESTER B. DRAKE, Prothonotary. HENRY I. FOX, Attorney. S-25-4t OW

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of Levari Facias issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Montgomery County, to me directed, will be sold at public sale on Wednesday, September 23, 1914

At 2 o'clock P. M., in Court Room No. 1 at the Court House in the Borough of Norristown, said county, the following described real estate:—

All that certain message and lot of land situate in the Borough of Conshohocken, said County to wit:—

BEGINNING on the northeast side of 6th avenue at the distance of 60 feet northwesterly from Wells Street, having a front on said 6th Avenue, of 15 feet, and extending of that width in length or depth northeasterly 140 feet, to a 20 feet wide alley.

THE IMPROVEMENTS ARE A 3 story frame dwelling house, 15 feet by 28 feet 3 inches, 2 rooms on each floor, cellar, cistern,

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Mary M. Eddleman, mortgagor and Eliza Eddleman, Amanda Bolton, Horace Eddleman, and Enoch K. Eddleman, real owners and to be sold by

CHAS. E. SCHWARTZ, Sheriff. Down Money—\$100.00. Sheriff's Office, Norristown, Pa., August 12, 1914.

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All that certain message and 2 lots of land situate in Whitmarsh Township, said County, to wit,—

LOT NO. 1, BEGINNING in the middle of Spring Mill Road, at a corner of land now or late of Charles Streeper, bounded by the same lands now or late of Girard Lentz.

LOT NO. 2 BEGINNING at a corner in the line of lands between William P. Ely, and Thomas W Morris, at the distance of 185.9 feet, southeasterly from the middle of Spring Mill Road, thence by the rear of the said Morris' land northeasterly 60 feet thence southwesterly 109 feet, thence northwesterly 89.6 feet to the place of beginning. THE IMPROVEMENTS ARE a 2 1/2 story stone dwelling house, 40 feet by 22 feet, with 2 1/2 story back building, 18 feet 6 inches by 33 feet, 4 rooms on first floor, 3 rooms and bath on 2d floor, 3 rooms in attic, cellar, porch front and side, steam heat, hot and cold water. Frame barn, 22 feet 3 inches, by 32 feet 3 inches.

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Less we forget, another revolution is preparing in Mexico.

Congress is searching diligently for a popular tax.—Daily paper. There is no such thing.

The Turkish ambassador has become offensive by reminding us of our practice of savagery in the many lynchings.

A tax on freight charges to make up the deficiency caused by the low tariff and the war places the burden on every one and gives the shippers an opportunity to secure some extra profits.

THE FARMER'S OPPORTUNITY

The "back to the farm" movement in this county has been greatly stimulated by the great conflict in Europe. The fact it is up to the farmers of the United States to supply the needs of millions and millions of people in addition to this country's population has caused much thought and as a result many farmers are already anticipating the enormous demand bound to follow and are doing their fall seeding accordingly. Wheat growing will be given more attention and more acreage will be sown. Corn and oats will be raised in larger amounts and good crops next spring and summer will make farmers independently wealthy, providing of course the present high prices continue. The farm will undoubtedly be more attractive to thousands and those who have for years been rushing to the cities from the rural districts are bound to be rushed back for labor on the farm will be needed and good wages can be expected.

Some experts say the price of corn will be up. Several bad seasons have caused the supply to become exhausted or practically so, and corn raising will be most profitable. If the war in Europe lasts a year or more better prices will be obtained, and regardless of how long the war rages, the next year's crop will bring top notch prices for the reason the European countries can not return to their labors for many months to come.

DEAN LEWIS'S WITHDRAWAL

The withdrawal of William Draper Lewis as the Progressives' candidate for governor is a frank admission of the decline of Progressivism in Pennsylvania and the hopeless outlook for the election of their ticket.

In 1912 the great magnetism of Roosevelt and the keenness of the American people for hero worship placed the Progressives at the head of the political parties in the state. Today the organization is fast disintegrating. In spite of the Progressive organs' claims of strength and a thorough party organization, it is plain to every one who cares to look, there is little semblance of organization in this county and it is very tottery throughout the state.

In withdrawing from the Progressive ticket Dean Lewis asks the Progressive voters to support Vance McCormick, the Democratic candidate for governor, and both he and the Dean stand for the same principles.

Dean Lewis's candidacy never appealed to the people; it did not even appeal to his own party. His radical theories of government made no impression and his personality carried no popular magnetism.

The advice to vote for McCormick comes in bad grace. While the Democratic candidate is a man of high ideals and spotless character, his expenditures in the last campaign showed he does not hesitate to use great sums of money to attain his political desires.

Dr. Brumbaugh, the Republican candidate, is a self made man. He was born poor and by hard work and right living attained his present position among the great workers of the country. He was born to labor and knows the obstacle confronting men. He is not a politician but a constructive workman. His character and reputation is without a blemish, and he is a good type of the true, high-minded American who accepts public service as a sacred trust.

The advice of Dean Lewis means nothing but his great desire to harass and defeat the Republican party. The voters give little thought to his ambition and will recognize the interests of the state rather than those of the Dean and his fellow bosses.

IF PEACE SHOULD COME

Sunday, October fourth has been designated as the day, by proclamation of the President, on which the ninety millions of Americans shall petition by sincere prayer to Almighty God that peace may come among the warring European nations.

To call ninety millions of people to prayer is expressive of a beautiful sentiment. To ask God to terminate this epoch making war is not compatible with our actions; we pray for the cessation of war and continue working our mills and foundries day and night to provide the means for carrying on war.

We pray for peace when the system pursued by every civilized nation makes it possible for any to go to war.

Today, all over the world, loyal citizens of the warring nations are petitioning the Almighty with the greatest sincerity for the success of the arms of their respective countries, yet all cannot win.

We pray for peace because the loss of life, the maiming of youth and the hardships inflicted upon human beings appalls us. The world is horror struck with the terrible of its own work.

For years the world has been waiting for that which is now occurring. For years a small party of men have led millions of their fellow beings to prepare for the destruction and subjugation of other millions. The people in their loyalty to kings have been disloyal to themselves and to God.

In building and maintaining vast armies and costly armament the ambitions of a few men have been furthered and millions have been caused to suffer poverty while their children have been denied that which brings men to recognize their responsibilities to each other and to God—education.

The masses of people were denied their rights that monster engines for destruction might be attained, and now are forced to give their lives that the policy of impoverishment and subjugation of the many for the advantage of the few may continue.

If peace should come now, what would result? At present nothing has been determined. Peace now would mean a further subjugation of millions of humans; the right of man to rule and bend a nation to his will would continue; ambition would be inflamed; efforts to correct the errors noted in the present conflict would be made and militarism would rule with greater force. Nations desiring peace would be compelled to engage in the war preparations and the people would be compelled to pay for extensive armaments and be denied their costs in the benefits of institutions for the enjoyment of peace and progress; a greater war would be staged in the future.

This war has been planned and expected. It has come. The fateful note to Serbia carried the damning confidence of unscrupulous ambition, and is the "scrap of paper" that proclaims freedom shall be denied men.

Each great war has brought a greater freedom to man. The result of this war should mean the emancipation of Europe and a recognition of the responsibilities of man towards his fellows. It should end the setting forth of the belief in divine right to rule; it should end forever the exploitation of whole nations in furthering destructive ambitions.

The end of this war must mean the end of the school house, and educating the masses will bring the knowledge of men's right to rule themselves; an elimination of race hatred; religion will be stripped of political sordidness and peace will be recognized as greater than war.

This war is for the freedom of men, and it is prayed that those responsible for it may live to see the thwarting of their selfish ambitions and recognize the means which may cause the establishment of the Republic of Europe.

"O! how wretched 'Is that poor man, that hangs on princes' favors."

"There is, betwixt that smile we would aspire to, 'That sweet aspect of princes, and their ruin, 'More pangs and fears than wars or women have"

"And when he falls, he falls like Lucifer, 'Never to hope again.'"—King Henry VIII. Act III; Scene II.

Clergymen's Editorial

By Henry D. S. Coates, Pastor of the Ballingomingo Bap. Church

"THE ANGEL SONG"

In time's progression toward eternity almost twenty centuries have marked indelibly the historic page since the angel song of "Peace, Goodwill" heralded the advent of The King.

His song like the prophecy of the Redeemer in Gen. III. 15; is pregnant of future good rather than of present experience.

For, just as the centuries rolled by before the Christian era. Centuries in which man gropes in spiritual darkness with scarcely any lifting of the clouds of ignorance, any ray of truth dispersing the gloom of night, when man drifted farther and farther away from the knowledge of the true God is that, he worshipped stock and stone, peopled the woods with nymphs the sea with naiads. Men of God, filled with the Spirit of Wisdom heralded with ever clarifying vision the glorious fulfillment of redemption.

A hope that ever shone brighter as the gates of Eden receded and the slopes of Calvary and Olivet drew near.

Just so, in this Gospel era, centuries have passed since that historic night when on the plains of Bethlehem shepherds watched their flocks by night and the angelic choir chanted with heavenly melody the first Christmas song.

As these centuries of the Gospel age pass under the yoke of time, each record their deeds of good and evil, the "song of peace" like the lost chord fades away in the vista of years.

The nations of earth have robbed themselves in the panoply of war, the peoples, instead of rendering their homage to the "Prince of Peace" bow themselves down, and burn incense at the altar of the "God of War."

Today, Mars reigns in the stead of the Man of Galilee.

Has Christianity failed? No, never! Christianity has not even been tried, the rulers and peoples of earth have been controlled by the policies of the great image portrayed in the prophecy of Daniel. In the fulness of time the little stone hewn without hands will destroy the great image representing man's view of government and the Divine system of government will be established. Daniel 2:44-45.

Christianity will then triumph, the angel song of "peace, goodwill" will become a fact in human experience.

When the spirit of the Christ of God controls and inspires the thought and action of rulers and peoples of earth cannons will be turned into implements of peace and dreadnaughts into conveyors of commerce and goodwill.

The world needs, badly needs the Man of Galilee—the ethics, doctrines, love and humble self-renunciation of Him, who took upon himself the form of a servant and became obedient unto death, even the death of the cross, are the final and only solution of the world's great problem.

DAHLIA SHOW FOR DEVON

Fifth Annual Flower Exhibition Will Begin Next Thursday.

The fifth annual dahlia show of the Devon Horticultural Society will take place at Devon Inn next Thursday and Friday. Although the dahlia will be queen of the show, exhibitions of asters, hibiscus, antirrhinum and other flowers will be introduced. Prizes are offered by Mrs. W. T. Hunter, Devon of Devon Horticultural Society; William H. Doyle, Powell Evans, Charles Reaman and others.

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TALES OF CONSHOHOCKEN

That a young man, whose matrimonial intentions are about settled, cannot be too careful in his actions while enjoying his summer vacation whether it be spent in the mountains or at the seashore, can be attested to by one of the borough's best known athletes, whose vacation this summer was spent at one of the leading hotels in Atlantic City, and who while at the resort enjoyed himself immensely. One evening, with the past fortnight this same young man was standing on a certain corner along Fayette street with a group of other young men discussing the probable outcome of the National League base ball race and whether the Giants or Braves would have the best chances of defeating Connie Mack's Athletics, who are about assured of the Championship of the American League, in the short series for the World's Championship. The young man was deeply interested in the subject under discussion and had brushed from his mind the many incidents which occurred during his vacation. While the group was standing there talking among themselves, a young lady of about sixteen summers, tall, thin, slender and very dignified in appearance, stepped up the street and scrutinized the group with a keen eye as though she were some one who knew the man who was the subject of their conversation. The young man was looking to see who she was, but she did not look at him. It was amusing to see how each of the young men glanced up his head to give her a look, but she did not look at any of them. She was "some body," and the man who was the subject of their conversation, he was at the shore, and introduced her to the group in some such way as this: "Well, I just can't help speaking to you, she is... didn't I meet you at the hotel... in Atlantic City, this summer? The rest of the crowd remained in at ease and did not see that it was not they who had received the winsome glance when the young man first passed them, but the dear-ol'-time ones nudged and stammered, and became all flustered at the salutation. He was guilty in the first degree, although he tried to plead innocent. The young lady gave him a full account of his stay at the resort, named the hotel at which he stopped and gave him a lot of other conclusive evidence which he did not care to remember, and very shyly admitted that all she told him was true. When she asked him if he remembered meeting her, he almost fainted, but retained enough composure to tell her he had met so many different people that he could not recall her to his mind. Before leaving the young lady told the athlete that she lived at a certain nearby town, visited Conshohocken, and finally hinted he would be a welcome visitor to her home. When she departed on her way the young man breathed a sigh of relief, for he was, at that time, waiting for his intended bride to come along, and he was much afraid that she would appear at the wrong time. By next year he will probably be accompanied on his vacation by his wife and the chances of meeting with a similar experience will not be near so great.

BEAN BROTHERS SUE FOR \$1000

Claim That It Is Owing Them From John A. Cahill.—Echo of Schuylkill Valley Hotel License Deal.

Because John A. Cahill will not give \$1000 down money paid by them on account of the purchase of the Schuylkill Valley hotel Main and Franklin streets, Norristown, Stanton and Robert Bean have, through Attorney T. L. Bean, instituted suit in the Prothonotary's office for its recovery.

According to the statement of claim the money was paid when on April 17th, they agreed to purchase the hotel. Because the wife of Stanton S. Bean "refused to accompany her husband to the premises," the Beans were not in a position to hold the liquor license, because they were advised that they could not be in possession of the hotel if they did not live therein. Learning this the Beans demanded from Cahill the money they had paid him. He refused to give it, hence the suit.

At the last license court it was decided by the court that Cahill was not the proper person to whom the license should be granted. That is why the hotel was put on the market.

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Perkasie Central News: "Get on the water wagon," facetiously remarked one of our citizens to one who had imbibed too much of the decoction of hops, etc. "What's the matter with the milk wagon?" replied the boozey one in return. The citizen remarked that he saw little difference since the milk wagon is pretty closely related to the water wagon. Hearing this remark we quietly inspected our milk bottles the next morning and upon applying our milk gauge we found that there had been added a good deal more than legal quantity of water. We came to this conclusion because that the excellent pasture was so lacking in rich milk producing qualities. If we must pay 7 and 8 cents for milk, we would suggest that it be brought to us a little less infected with water.

BEAN BROTHERS SUE FOR \$1000

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According to the statement of claim the money was paid when on April 17th, they agreed to purchase the hotel. Because the wife of Stanton S. Bean "refused to accompany her husband to the premises," the Beans were not in a position to hold the liquor license, because they were advised that they could not be in possession of the hotel if they did not live therein. Learning this the Beans demanded from Cahill the money they had paid him. He refused to give it, hence the suit.

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"And yet," she persisted, "it would be easier, now that I am going away."

"Going away! For long?" She nodded with compressed lips. Sedgwick turned very white. "Oh, don't look like that!" she faltered. "I can't bear it! Can't you see that after what has happened I must go? I must have time to forget. There is so much to forget! Surely you can be patient—and trust."

He drew her gaze to his own, held it for the space of a heart beat and was gone.

Summer had waned from the coast and with it had passed the keenness of local interest in the strangest victim of Lonesome Cove. Other subjects of absorbing interest supervened during the long winter, among them the rumor that Hedgerow house was to be sold before summer.

"And young Blair's body along with it, I expect," remarked Elder Dennett malevolently. "Seems to me, if I was a millionaire like Alexander Blair, I wouldn't sell my own flesh and blood, dead or alive."

Of Alexander Blair himself nothing had been seen in the neighborhood since mid-July nor of his daughter-in-law. Hedgerow house was in charge of Gansett Jim as caretaker. Professor Kent had left about the same time as the Blairs, but Francis Sedgwick had stuck to the Nook. Though his work prospered, the worker had paled.

Wind borne on the blast of a mid-March gale, Chester Kent dropped down at the door of the Nook one wild afternoon without warning. As always, he was impeccably clad, though his stout boots showed the usage of recent hard wear. Throwing open the door, he called his friend's name.

Instantly the artist came loping down the stairs and had him by the shoulders.

"I've got a caller up above," he said after the usual greetings and questionings were over.

"Yes? Have you gone in for local society?"

"Not exactly local. It's Alexander Blair."

"Hel-lo!" said Kent in surprise. "What brings him?"

"Why, he came down to Hedgerow house to look after certain books and papers and ran over here to make his amende honorable in form. Chat, I hate being apologized to."

"Of course. Every one does. Nevertheless, it's good exercise for Mr. A. Blair, Esquire."

"He's the grim fawed, hard bitten Blair of old. Just the same, he made his apology as handsomely as need be. I'll bring him down here."

The fabric magnate descended from the studio and greeted Kent briefly, then turned to his host. "You will excuse me if I ask Mr. Kent to step outside. I have some business with him."

"Stay here," said the artist. "I'll go back to my studio." Which he did.

"I need your assistance. Some one has been tampering with my son's grave," said Blair.

"You mean the grave at Hedgerow house?"

"Yes. Gansett Jim reports that there are signs of recent digging. It looks as if ghoul had been at work there with the idea of getting the body and holding it for ransom. They would have had a fine surprise if they had got the coffin out!"

"Because they'd have found no body in it, you mean?"

"Certainly. But suppose they discovered that there were no remains, nothing but a punctured sand bag? Do you see the potentialities of blackmail?"

"Do you know of an old lady named Orett in Annalaka?" asked Kent.

"No."

"She owns the house just next to Annalaka churchyard, where your son was buried as Jane Doe. She is a very worthy old lady. But she suffers severely from asthma. In fact, it keeps her awake most of the night. So some interested persons have subscribed money and sent her south to a sanatorium. I'd like to get you interested in her case."

"You wish me to subscribe?"

"Oh, more than that. I think it would be a good idea if you were to assume the entire expense of the proceedings."

"You mean reimburse the subscribers?"

"Exactly."

For a few seconds the millionaire studied Kent's candid face. "Very well," he agreed. "How much?"

"Sheriff Schlager can tell you. He is keeping the accounts. You see, it was necessary to get her out of the way. Her windows overlook the churchyard."

"So you took occasion to indicate before."

"Repetition of a really relevant point is excusable. She left two weeks ago, very much mystified but pathetically thankful, poor old girl!"

"When she was safely out of the way and no longer overlooking Anna-

laka churchyard by night from her window Schlager, Adam Bain and I paid a visit to the place. What lay, nameless, in Annalaka churchyard now rests in its own place at Hedgerow house. I wish that you might have heard the little prayer made by that simple country lawyer over your son's grave."

Alexander Blair's clinched hands went to his temples in a singular gesture and dropped again. "What interest did Schlager and Bain have in the matter?" he added in a low tone.

"Why, Schlager had done some dirty work for you and wanted to even accounts with his own conscience. As for Bain, we needed a third man we could trust. I asked him and got him. It was no small risk for him. If you felt that his risk is worth some reward you might!"

"Yes, yes!" interrupted the other eagerly. "Do you think a thousand—or perhaps more?"

Kent smiled. "By thinking hard I could think a thousand," he said, "but not more in this case. It wouldn't be safe. Bain might not survive the shock. Thank you very much, Mr. Blair."

CHAPTER XXI.
Reward.

"AND now," said Blair, "I am still in the dark as to your interest in the matter."

"Mine? Why, for one thing, I dislike to leave any affair unfinished. Besides, there was a promise made to Mrs. Blair. Is she back from Europe?" asked Kent.

"She is at Hedgerow house." Blair communed with himself for a time, then said abruptly, "By the way, do you think your friend, Mr. Sedgwick, would come over to a pickup dinner before we leave?"

Kent's face lighted up. "Ask him," said he heartily, "and see."

"I will as soon as I get home. Good day," Blair hesitated. "Kent," he blurted, "I realize now why you won't take my money. I can always buy brains, but I can't buy the bigger, better thing. It isn't in the market. Thank you!" He caught the scientist's hand in a swift hard grip and strode off down the road.

Chester Kent went back into the house with a glow at his heart. He shouted upstairs to Sedgwick: "Go on with your work, Frank. I want to loaf and invite my soul for an hour. Where's your reading matter?"

Three minutes later Kent was stretched luxuriously on the divan, with the window shade pulled down and the big electric chandelier glowing, immersed in the joyous nonsense of "Rhyme and Reason." The wind alternately shouted profane protests at the window because it couldn't get in, and then fell silent, waiting for an answer. In one of these lulls Kent heard footsteps outside.

He dropped his book. The footsteps approached the window. Tiptoeing to the door he threw it open. Chester Kent and Marjorie Blair stood face to face.

"I—I beg your pardon!" gibbered Kent.

Feminine wise she built up her self possession on the ruins of his. "Wonder," she said, with a smile, "whether I'm the worse frightened one of us."

"You see," he said lamely, "it was so sudden, your—your coming that way. I didn't expect you."

"And for that reason you intend to bar me from the house? It's quite disgustingly wet out here."

With a muttered apology Kent stepped aside, and she entered. Even amid his ill ease he could not but note how the girlish loveliness had ripened and warmed. But there glinted now in her deep eyes an elish spirit of mischief.

"What a surprise to find you here, Mrs. Kent!" she remarked sweetly. "Or are you calling yourself Mr. Blair nowadays?" His tormentor considered him with malicious eyes.

"Did any woman ever say 'Boo!' to you suddenly, I wonder?" she mused aloud. "May the kindly fates give me to be among those present when you fall in love!"

Kent favored her with an elaborate bow. "Your presence would be the one essential."

"Really," she approved, "you're progressing. I begin to feel repaid for my visit already."

This time Kent looked her in the eye. "You're not very demanding in the matter of returns for your trouble," he remarked. "You haven't asked me about Sedgwick."

"Is he well?" she inquired formally, but with quickened breath.

"He is more than that. He is cured—and a man—a man," he added meaningfully, "for any woman to be proud of."

There was a step on the floor above. Marjorie Blair's hand went to her heart.

"I didn't know he was here," she panted affrightedly. "I came just to look at the place."

Chester Kent raised his voice. "Frank," he called, "come down here; quick!"

Not twice in his life had Sedgwick heard that tone in his friend's voice. He took the stairs at a leap and on the landing stopped dead.

"Marjorie!" he whispered.

She shrank back a little from the light in his eyes.

"What do you do here?" he said very low.

Still she did not speak, but stood, tremulous, her face half panic, half passion.

Unobtrusively Kent slid along the wall, like a shadow, and vanished into the night.

"Where have you been?" Sedgwick



"Finished!" he said, asked the woman of his love.

"Everywhere. Nowhere. What does it matter?" she faltered. "I've come back."

He went forward and took her hands in his; cold little hands that clung as they touched.

"Why did you never write me?" he asked gently.

"I don't know. I couldn't. Don't ask me to explain. It was just that I—I felt I must come back to you as I had come to you first, unexpected and without a word. Can you understand?"

"No," he said.

"No; I suppose not. A man couldn't." "Good God!" he burst out. "Do you realize what it is to live in such uncertainty and longing as I've lived in since you left, to wait and hope and lose hope and hope and wait again for a word that never comes—to eat your heart out with waiting?"

A slow wonderful smile trembled on her lips. "My dear," she said, "I have waited for you all my life."

Suddenly her arms were around him. Her cheek was pressed to his own. The breath of her whisper was at his ear.

"Oh, forgive me! I will make it up to you, my dear, my dearest!"

Out in the wind and the rain Chester Kent drew in the deep breath of satisfied and rounded achievement. He had beheld against the wide window shade two shadows, which, standing motionless for a moment a few feet apart, had drawn slowly together as by some irresistible magnetism, and suddenly merged into one. The unintentional eavesdropper nodded in grave gratulation to the house and then turned away.

"Finished!" he said. "C'est conclu. Finis. Telos. Das End. And any or all other words of whatever language meaning a sound conclusion!"

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While Pennsylvania holds this unique position as a mineral producer on account of the enormous value of its coal output, which, in 1913, was \$88,220,933, yet it must not be overlooked that if the entire coal output of the United States is disregarded, that Pennsylvania is still the ranking State, exceeding California, which would be the second State.

Pennsylvania ranks first among the States of the Union in the value of the stone produced. In 1911 the total value of the stone produced was \$8,147,505. In 1912 this value rose to \$9,144,214 and in 1913 the value was \$10,117,459, being an increase over the preceding year of more than 1,000,000 or 11 per cent. Of this total production in 1913 \$6,189,145 was represented by the value of the limestone quarried, exclusive of that made into lime or used in cement manufacture. About 70 per cent. of the limestone thus quarried is used for fluxing purposes in the furnaces of the State. A large quantity is used as crushed stone for macadam, railroad ballast, and for concrete. The value of the sandstone quarried, including blue-stone, exceeded \$1,350,000. The other stones quarried consisted of granite, traprock and marble.

BASES BIGAMY ON NEWS Wife Saw G'etna Green Item and Pair Are Arrested.

Isaac Kehoe, Norristown, driver for American Express Company, is in jail charged with bigamy. His wife, to whom he was married in 1907, had him arrested. She says that two years after their wedding he deserted her and left her to shift for herself and two children.

She learned of his second marriage, she said, from a newspaper publication of weddings at Elkton, Md., when, September 2, he married Laura Carson, of Bridgeport.

Miss Carson says she was entirely ignorant of his being married, and while arrested on a statutory offense, she was released on her own recognition.

OPEN SUNDAY ON PART TIME Norristown Blue Law Compromise in Effect Despite Burgess.

For four hours Sunday every store in Norristown was closed up tight. It was the first time in years that there was such Sunday observance—all brought about by the Committee of Fifteen, to whom was referred the further enforcement of the blue laws. This committee, appointed by the Welfare League and the Business Men's Association, agreed unambiguously to compromise by asking the business men selling ice cream, candies and cigars to close their stores from 10 in the morning until 2 in the afternoon.

The proposition having been accepted, all the stores, including those for which fines have been paid weekly for 11 weeks, closed part of the day and stores not open since the crusade again opened.

The compromise was effected without the counsel of Burgess Saul, one of the prime movers in the Sunday closing movement, so everybody is waiting to see what he will do.

FRIENDS ORGANIZE Horsham School Association Starts With More Than One Hundred Members.

With a morning and afternoon session, the Horsham Friends' School Association was formally organized at the school Saturday. The acting officers were Davis W. Sill, president, and Susanna Waltz, secretary. The constitution was submitted by William H. Satterthwaite, Jr. Vote was taken on the question of how often the meetings should be held and the majority stood for three years.

This organization had its inception a year ago, when a reunion was held and so much interest was manifested that now more than 100 persons have paid dues. The idea of the association is to form a bond of fellowship between the past pupils, the present ones and the patrons and friends of the school. Officers chosen Saturday were John S. Engard, president; William L. Paxson, vice president; Florence Williams, secretary, and Susanna L. Walton, registrar-treasurer.

First Victim of Typhoid Epidemic

The first death from the typhoid epidemic of Skippack and Worcester townships occurred at the hospital at Norristown, Friday when Mrs. Christian Moseman, of Cedars, succumbed to the disease. Two daughters are ill.

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GUS ZIEGLER DRILLS FOOT BALL PLAYERS

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The candidates for positions on the local foot ball team were sent through a course of training on Sunday morning, the like of which a local team has never seen since the days of the old Conshohocken team which was coached by the late James Keys, whose efforts to give Conshohocken a winning team, were crowned with success.

The man who was at the helm on Sunday morning was no other than the illustrious Gus Ziegler, who was one of the greatest players ever turned out of the University of Pennsylvania, and for a number of years, the choice by all the greatest authorities of the game for the All-American team. Ziegler appeared in this borough attired in a silk shirt and all the accessories that accompany it, but the majority of those who appeared for the practice were glad enough that he was not attired in foot ball togs.

The practice which he sent the men through was far stiffer than any game that they have been called upon to play, and as a result all of the men are suffering from stiffened joints.

The new coach came to this borough only after earnest solicitation, but when he arrived here and looked over the array of talent he became very much impressed with the material at hand and started in at once to give the men all of the knowledge that he has at his command and that is plenty.

After a couple of hours the coach decided that the men had had enough practice for one day and the work was stopped for the day.

Mr. Ziegler will be on hand again next Sunday when another stiff workout will be given the players. It is not known at this time whether the services of this well-known foot ball solon can be secured permanently but it is earnestly hoped that they can.

He is particularly well pleased with the prospects of Conshohocken turning out the greatest team that the valley has ever produced and with him as a directing head, the people of this borough will have a team that will warrant the support they are ready and anxious to give.

After the game Mr. Ziegler had a talk with Manager Crawford. He was exceptionally pleased with the work of Pfeiffer and Bergey, two of the new men who last year were members of the J. A. C. team, of Norristown.

The men will practice this evening and again on Thursday evening, so as to perfect the instructions as laid down by the coach and be in a position to make a creditable showing next Sunday.

There are a few spaces remaining on the large advertising card remaining unsold but as these are being readily disposed of the card will be issued this week.

PRIZE FOR TOMLINSON. Captures Season's Point Trophy at Philadelphia Swimming Club.

By scoring 13 points Saturday afternoon in the three remaining events of the Philadelphia Swimming Club, Gilbert E. Tomlinson won first prize with a score of 73 points.

Ernest W. Sopp, 62 points, will get second prize, and W. C. Pogue, 60 points, third place, the former only displacing the latter in the final event. Edward Lackro, 51 1/2 points, will get fourth prize, while Frank L. Wharton and Robert M. Dippy tie for the remaining prizes with 38 points each.

Three other swimmers, John B. McCurdy, 38 1/2 points; Oscar Schleich, 19 points, and J. Darrach Shapleigh, 18 points, figured in the events, but will not come under the usual six prize winners for the season.

The temperature of the water, had fallen over 10 degrees since last week, and the 110-yard handicap starters shivered as they struck the water. Five of the lads started off at various marks up to 25 seconds on young Tomlinson, who was on scratch. Frank C. Wharton won first place in 1:32 actual; Tomlinson was a very close second in 1:31; E. W. Sopp, third in 1:31; Robert N. Dippy fourth in 1:24 2-5, and W. C. Pogue, who had the limit start, fifth in 1:39, only six seconds separating all the lads at the finish.

Wharton again won first place in the 220-yard handicap, with a start of 28 seconds, his actual time being 3:24. Oscar Schleich, 35 seconds allowance, finished second in 3:35; Tomlinson, scratch, got third place, in 3:06; Sopp coming next in 3:31; Dippy, 4 seconds following in 3:23, and Pogue, 35 seconds allowance last in 4:15.

Tomlinson took the fancy diving event with 134 points; E. W. Sopp, 120 points, second; W. C. Pogue, third 109 points, and Frank L. Wharton, fourth, 87 points. This event was also a handicap.

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PITTSBURGH MAN TO COACH RELIANCE

"BILL" DUNCAN, FORMER STAR ON THE UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH TEAM, HAS BEEN SIGNED UP TO COACH AND PLAY ON RELIANCE TEAM.—WILL REPORT FOR PRACTICE THIS EVENING.

"Bill" Duncan, one of the greatest foot ball players ever produced by the University of Pittsburgh, was yesterday signed up to coach and play with the Reliance foot ball team of West Conshohocken, for the coming season.

Duncan was a star half back on the University of Pittsburgh and played with the team for four years. After completing his college course, he came East where he has been coaching and playing regularly with the Wilmington team, which has been recognized as the champion team of the State of Delaware for several years. During the past summer he has been located at Atlantic City. He tips the scales at 195 pounds and will play in the backfield.

The team will practice this evening near the George Clay Fire House and Duncan will be on hand to meet the players and give them their first instructions.

The season for Reliance will probably open on Pastime field on Saturday September 26th.

A number of new men have signified their intention of trying for positions on the team and will report for practice this evening.

St. Matt's to Play for the Junior Championship

The St. Matthew's Base ball team will play Elm A. A. for the junior championship in the near future. The Saints have already defeated Elm A. A. by the score of 22 to 20, and without a doubt, will defeat them again, with the aid of their newly signed players Donovan, Post and Nevins, formerly of Elm A. A. The Saints have had a most prosperous season and have gained a "rep" for themselves by winning 25 out of 28 games played.

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Robert Love, of this place was a New York visitor on Sunday.

John Yorgey has secured a position with contractor Dav's, of Manayunk.

Bud Wood, the Barren Hill pitcher, won his first game pitching for the Plymouth Baseball team on Saturday.

William Brown claims to be in the lead in the peanut growing contest here. Mr. Brown has a very luxurious growth.

The local Baseball team were much disappointed on Saturday as the Drexel Baseball Team of West Philadelphia, which were scheduled to play here did not make their appearance.

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DUSKY RIVALS IN BATTLE

Pitchfork and Paving Stone Fight Brings Bitter Humiliation.

Ellen Coleman, 38, and Elizabeth Webb, 18, negroes, engaged in battle with a pitchfork and paving stones in Greenfield avenue, Ardmore, where they live Saturday. A man was said to be the cause. Squire Warner fined each \$13.50. The Coleman woman paid and was released but the younger woman could not pay and stayed in her cell on the second floor of the police station.

The Coleman woman, dressed in her best, afterward passed back and forth before the station house a number of times looking scornfully up at her imprisoned rival, who glared at her through the bars of her window in the woman's cell.

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