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ACCEPT AND DEFEND THE

TRUTH WHEREVER FOUND

VOLUME FORTY-NINE.

COLLEGEVILLE, PA., THURSDAY, JANUARY 10, 1924.

WHOLE NUMBER, 2529

For the Independent WHAT IS LOVE?

Possessing for all time a wondrous To light the way, to comfort cheer and

And shed abroad a wealth of happiness. Love like the lute bespeaks of distant | T.

With dreams of violets and daffodils, It is the heartsease in life's garden fair-Breathing a perfume on the balmy air. There is no discord where love reigns su-

It is the ever fair, transcendent gleam,

Love is the one thing that is all suffice-Enduring toil-will freely sacrifice, The greatest gift life ever can bestow To benefit and bless-come weal or woe MRS. HENRY ARMSTRONG. Dorchester, Mass.

ABOUT TOWN NOTES

Capt. and Mrs. H. M. Fetterolf and son, of Penfield, Pa., visited Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Fetterolf on Sunday.

family.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Saylor visited relatives in Schwenksville one day Master Ernest Kuhnt, of Philadel-

phia, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Graber. Mrs. J. W. Clawson entertained the "Five Hundred Club" on Friday even-

Mrs. Lloyd R. Smick, of Scranton, soon be occupied. and Mrs. Paul Eckert, of Norristown, spent Monday with Mrs. Pauline Shepard.

Miss Hazel Brown attended a party in Collingswood, N. J.

Mr. John Kratz and Miss Mary Kratz, of Lower Providence, visited Miss Kratz on Sunday.

in Logan. Mr. and Mrs. Nevin Renninger vis-

with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Price. Mrs. David Sacks, of Zieglersville,

Cornish one day last week. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Conway and Miss Elsie Conway spent Sunday with

relatives in Spring City. Miss Harriet Anchor visited at her home in Bristol over the week end.

Saturday in Philadelphia. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Graber entertained a number of kiddies at a birthday party on Saturday afternoon in honor of their son Junior's seventh

Miss Dorothy Scholl spent the week | Miller. end in Bristol.

ter spending the holidays with rela-Misses Helen and Emily Fry, of

and Mrs. Emily Lachman. Mr. and Mrs. George Berron, Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell Stevenson, Mr. and Mrs. John Barrett and Mr. George Barrett, all of Philadelphia, were the

guests of Mr. and Mrs. George F. Bridge on Wednesday.

in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. George F. Clamer entertained the following: Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Clamer and Miss Hazel Clamer, of Atlantic City; Miss H. fice department and financial secre-Field, of New Jersey, and Mr. and tary at Ursinus College, is recover-Mrs. Ralph E. Miller, Miss Margaret ing from an operation at the Phoeand Mrs. C. Bauer, of this borough.

Dr. and Mrs. C. V. Tower spent Saturday in Philadelphia. Born at Phoenixville Hospital, Sun-Frank Underkoffler.

TOWN COUNCIL REORGANIZED The members of the Borough Counurer: James Cresson, borough surveyor. The members of Council are: C. ders, has charge of the case. D. Yost, Arnold Francis, Thomas Hallman, Lewis Schatz, Frederick ASPIRES TO BE JUSTICE OF THE Sautter, William Miller.

WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. John Behm Miller, of pointment of Clement H. Bean, of Collegeville, announce the marriage Creamery, as Justice of the Peace to interesting result of the various ofof their daughter, Emma Ruth to Mr. succeed Wm. H. Fox, who resigned on checkup of county business in the on State highways and in cities of is chairman of the State Farm Pro- vidual net income is \$5,000 or less, ficers and teachers. Twenty-five mem-Alexander Ryback, Saturday the 29th account of his election to the office of the County Controller. The Pennsylvania, exclusive of Philadel-ducts Show Committee. day of December, 1923, Bethlehem, Sheriff. Pennsylvania.

W. C. T. U.

A meeting of the Collegeville branch day, January 16.

SPECIAL SERVICE AT M. E.

CHURCH.

THE DEATH ROLL

Neil B. Detwiler, son of Norris and Sara Detwiler, of Collegeville, died Sunday evening, aged seven months. Bechtel.

TRINITY REFORMED CHURCH.

A sacred cantata will be given in this Church on Sunday evening at 7.30 by the choir of St. James' Reformed church of Limerick. This choir is led The little magnet when we chance to roam by Mr. Eli Wismer and has more than Messrs. Samuel Yeakle, and A. L. rooters greatly worried as the locals thirty well trained voices. The coming of this choir will be a treat to all music lovers of the community. At the church service at 10 o'clock the subject will be, "The greatest day of the week." A cordial welcome to THE PASTOR.

FIRE COMPANY ELECTED **OFFICERS**

At a recent meeting of the Collegeville Fire Company officers were elected to serve for the ensuing year. Mrs. Charles Bossert, of Norris- The official of the Company who was town, is spending several days with requested to furnish the names of the her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Essig and officers elected failed, on account of a slight defect in memory, to comply with the request. Next week will do.

APARTMENT HOUSE FOR

COLLEGEVILLE John T. Keyser has in contemplation the conversion of his Collegeville hotel building into an apartment house. It is believed that attractive apartments, arranged for the convenience and comfort of renters, would

ILLUSTRATED LECTURE. daughter, of Lansdale, spent Sunday quite so much the fool as he was years.

thought to be. It was a sermon in an interesting cock. form to which the members of the

church listened with much attention. BANK DIRECTORS ELECTED.

At the annual meeting, Tuesday of the stockholders of the Collegeville Dr. and Mrs. Homer Smith spent National Bank, the following directors were elected to serve for the ensuing vear: A. D. Fetterolf, M. B. Linderman. B. F. Steiner, Horace Place, A. C. Landes John II Francis Jr. J. D. Frantz, I. T. Haldeman, M. B. Benner, M. B. Schrack, F. W. Gristock, E. S. Moser, Francis Miller, Ralph E. The election was conducted by Whorten A. Kline, George Dane-Mrs. Boswell has returned home af- hower and Abraham H. Tyson.

REAL WINTER WEATHER.

A few days ago real winter weather Philadelphia, were the week end was ushered in with a roar from the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sautter northwest. During Sunday and Monday ice formed rapidly on the Perkiomen. The weather man announced the frigid temperature would continue

until the latter part of the week. Some of the more venturesome of the younger folks were skating on the ponds and lakes in the vicinity on Sunday and on Monday their numbers Mrs. W. Z. Anders entertained at were greatly increased. The Perkiomen at present does not bear skaters, Miss Alice Bond spent several days but if the cold weather continues, they can "go to it" by the end of the week.

SURGICAL OPERATIONS.

Miss S. E. Ermold, head of the ofthe surgeon and physician.

Mr. James Townsend, of Collegeville, who has been ill for several chapel. months, recently underwent an operation for the amputation of the great try on Monday night, at the rectory. will be held at 2 o'clock. In the evenday, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. toe of his right foot. The bone of the As this will be the last meeting be- ing junior Christian Endeavor at 7 toe had become diseased to such an fore the special diocesan convention, o'clock and senior at 7.30. Topic: extent as to necessitate its amputa- all members are urged to be present. tion. Dr. Miller, the family physi- The rector will deliver a lecture in cian, had charge of the operation. | the fire hall at Oaks on Friday night

PEACE.

A petition has been forwarded to an election at which less than half the Governor Pinchot asking for the ap- qualified voters availed themselves of

ANNUAL MEETING OF MINGO HORSE COMPANY.

of the W. C. T. U. will be held at the Mingo Express Horse Company was as low as 15 per cent., while a few, jured in the cities other than Philadel- farm products from the 22nd to the home of Mrs. E. S. Moser on Wednes- held on Saturday at Beckman's hotel, notably the wards of West Consho- phia. Eleven occupants of motor ve- 25th of January. Reduced rates to There will be a special service held Harvey Buckwalter. Executive Com- tion boards, which, together with at the following locations: Railroad ature have been distributed generally cated Monday night shortly before at the Evansburg M. E. church Sun- mittee: Daniel Shuler, Wallace mileage for the judges of election, crossings, 5; road intersections, 19; among the farmers. Those who are 10 o'clock when the Hotel Windsor,

ANNUAL MEETING OF DIREC-

TORS OF THE POOR

Funeral on Wednesday. Services in Monday, January 7, at the County to the Temple University quintet in Trinity Reformed church. Interment Home. Only a few visitors were in the Central Y. M. C. A., Philadelphia, n adjoining cemetery; undertaker, J. attendance, in contrast with annual on Saturday night by a 37-41 score. H. Wilson Stahnecker, of Norristown, secretary and solicitor. In electing the employees of the Home the positions of steward, matron, dairyman, labor foreman, and seamsterss were left open, pending the expiration April 1, of the terms of those filling the positions designated. The following were re-elected for another year beginning April 1: Physician, Dr. Warren Z. Anders; engineer, Richard Pierson; farmer, Jacob Kulp; first-assistant farmer, John Gerhart; baker, Emil Hafner; watchman, John Monohan; seamstress, Mary E. Kerper. A few observations respecting County Home affairs will be found in the editorial department, page 2.

ENGAGEMENTS ANNOUNCED

which Miss Ruth Trucksess, of Fair- son field cage, Ursinus College. The view Village, recently gave at her local high school will also resume home in honor of Miss Maude Mc- basketball activities when they take An illustrated lecture on the play Harg, of Trooper, the engagement of on Hatfield High in the preliminary "The Fool," written by Channing Pol- Miss Trucksess to Harry White, of game before the Ursinus game. Urat Perkiomenville over the week end. lock, was given by Rev. Mr. Scofield, Trooper, was made known. The en-Mrs. William Miller spent Friday rector of St. James', Evansburg, at gagement of Miss McHarg and Allen games. They are: Jan. 11, with Trinity Reformed church last Sunday Henderson has also been announced. Drexel; January 15, with Moravian; evening. The play tells the story of Miss Trucksess is a daughter of Mr. and February 8, with Susquehanna. David Gilchrist, a young clergyman, and Mrs. David Trucksess and is su- All the rest of the games are played who tries to live a life as near Christ- pervisor of music of the Plymouth, on foreign floors. like as is possible for him amid his Whitemarsh, Worcester and Upper Mr. and Mrs. George F. Clamer twentieth century surroundings. He Providence public schools, and organand sons spent Sunday with relatives is forced to leave his church because ist of the Lower Providence Presby- THE HENRY K. BOYER SCHOOL. Farm Bureau office. he condemns the moneyed interests terian church. Mr. White is a memthat support it. He then devotes his ber of the firm of Buler and White, life to helping the poor and needy and | electrical contractors. Miss McHarg Mr. and Mrs. Howard Freed and The play ends by showing Daniel not Grammar School for the past four

MARRIED IN FLORIDA.

Mr. Horace A. Heffelfinger, of ter May 1, 1924.

MERCANTILE APPRAISER

an Inspector of county roads.

ST. JAMES' CHURCH NOTES.

Miller and Robert Miller and Mr. nixville Hospital. Dr. J. S. Miller is the Epiphany, the rector will speak Irving Brussel. in the morning on the Bok peace plan. The church school will be held in the

There will be a meeting of the ves-The family physician, Dr. W. Z. An- Collegeville.

ELECTION COST \$12,015.81

It cost the county of Montgomery approximately \$12,015.81 to conduct their privilege to cast ballots, is an

BASKETBALL RESUMED.

THE "HOME PAPER" OF THE MIDDLE SECTION OF PROSPEROUS MONTGOMERY COUNTY

Coach Zimmerman's basketball tossers resumed activities after the long The annual meeting of the Board Christmas holiday lay off by dropping of Directors of the Poor was held on a fast, thrilling and hard fought game meetings at the Home in former times | Ursinus staged a wonderful comeback when such occasions attracted the in the last half after being outplayed tions of the county. The old Board by the big total gathered by Temple convened in the forenoon, transacted in the first few minutes of play. The unfinished business, and passed reso- Red and Black aggregation showed lutions expressive of regard and es- the characteristic "Zimmerman fight" teem for the retiring members, in the second half and had the Temple Bauer, and adjourned sine die. The score column kept swiftly mounting new Board-William Ziegler (who during the last period of the game. was a member of the former Board) "Goose" Wismer, the flashy forward, of Lederachville, Mrs. Euphemia Dunn was high scorer for Ursinus while of North Glenside, and J. Wayne "Tiny" Clarke, the football star, at Heebner of East Norriton-organized a guard position and Derk at center by electing Mr. Ziegler, president, and also put up a fine brand of basketball. Courtney ... forward

center Heiges .. guard guard ... Clarke Field goals-Chapman, 5; Simms, 5: Hackman, 4: Jenkins, 2: Wismer, 6; Derk, 2; Clarke, 2; Heiges 2. Foul goals-Courtney, 3 out of 4; Hackman, 3 out of 6; Simms, 2 out of 3; Chapman, 1 out of 2; Jenkins, 0 out 2; Wismer, 3 out out of 5; Sterner, 2 out of 2; Derk, 0 out 1; Heiges, 4 out of ; Clarke, 1 out of 3. Substitutions-Jenkins for Courtney, Vernon for Simms, Simms for Chapman, Sterner for Kern. Referee-Kelly. Time of

halves-20 minutes. This Wednesday, January 9, Ursinus plays the College of Osteopathy of At a surprise miscellaneous shower Philadelphia at home in the Thomp-

At the beginning of the school year, in September, a new plan was pro- MONTGOMERY COUNTY in spite of the criticism of others he has been the efficient teacher of the posed for rewards for excellence. First supremely happy helping others. 4th and 5th grades of the Collegeville there was the monthly list of distinguished pupils—those perfect in atan average of ninety per cent. in duties at Norristown, Monday: Mr. and Mrs. Harry D. Hallman, scholarship. Each month has seen a Mr. Scofield's explanation accom- of Skippack, announce the engage- gratifying number of names on this ninger, with J. B. Holland, G. C. Corand Mrs. Warren Freed and Mrs. panied with the pictures from the play ment of their daughter, Miss Eliza- list. Then an honor roll was placed son and J. S. Weber, assistants; J. Margaret Hallmeyer, of Lansdale, was presented in such a way that no beth T. Hallman to C. Willis Hea- in each room on which were inscribed Crawford Johnson, Clerk of Courts, were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. S. D. one could help being benefited by it. cock, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Heathe name of every pupil. The condihonor roll were perfect deportment ton and William Vanskite, deputies,

Sumneytown, who sailed on the boat tire term up to the holidays. These Frank Shalkop, with William Haggin-Howard, December 26 and arrived in are the names: First and second bothom, William Barber and Jonah Lakeland Florida, December 30, 1923, grades, Miss Kathryn Farrar teacher W. Pennypacker, deputies; Recorder were married with the ring ceremony __Mary Boyle, Paul Hunsicker, Henry of Deeds, B. Paul Sheeder, with Jos-Sunday evening, January 6, 1924 by Kent, James Pappas, Lucille Taylor, eph C. Moore deputy and a dozen the Rev. Paul Hickel in St. Paul's Dorothy Wodock, Betty O'Hara, Helen transcribers; Controller, William C. Lutheran church, Lakeland, Fla. The House, Ruth Burns, Mildred Eigleson, Irwin, with Joseph Jervis, deputy; groom presented the bride with a Mary Graham, Wilma Thomas, Doro- County Commissioners, Daniel Stout white gold bar pin with a diamond thy Toal, Harold Weber; third and president, Samuel Crawford and Rein setting and the bride gave in re- fourth grades-Miss Mildred Miller, Keeler, with Harry Shainline clerk, turn a gold vest chain and emblem teacher - Margaret Jones, Elmer and a half-dozen deputies, including charm. Mr. and Mrs. Heffelfinger will Laughin, Frank Miller, Mamie Moy- Archie Crawford, brother of Commisvester Toal, Anna Albeitz, Florence | coroner. Hunsicker, Charles Kenney, Marian ard, Robert Silknitter, Almira Toal, Auditor General Samuel Lewis has Isaac Keyser; fifth and sixth grades,

IRONBRIDGE.

On Sunday afternoon Sunday school "In His Steps. How and When Jesus

Prayed." John 17:1-26. On Saturday evening the Christian

THIRTY-FOUR PERSONS KILLED BY AUTOMOBILES IN ONE

MONTH. of 106,881 registered, representing ment of Highways. Of this number, ner of the State are making ready to come blanks were so complicated that year. only 46 per cent. of citizens who took 14 persons were killed and 135 in- send in their exhibits and to attend it requires the services of a lawyer enough interest in the election to jured in accidents on State roads, and in person to witness this outstanding or an expert accountant to fill one Th 88th annual meeting of the cast a ballot. One of the districts ran 20 persons were killed and 409 in- assembly of Pennsylvania's choice out. Trappe. The following officers were hocken, which averaged 75 per cent., hicles and three pedestrians were kill- and from the capital city have been re-elected for the ensuing year: and Bridgeport, well over 65 per cent., ed in the 149 accidents reported, on granted and many calls are being President, H. H. Fetterolf; secretary, indicated considerable local interest. State roads. In 19 of these accidents, received for the identification certi-Wilmer Hunsicker; assistant secre- The largest item of expense for this the drivers were intoxicated, the re- ficates issued for this purpose. Pro- power beer, two cases of bitters and tary, Harry S. Shainline; treasurer, election constituted fees for the elec- port showed. The accidents occurred grams, premium lists and other liter- several quarts of wine were confistotalled \$8,761.94. Printing of the highway brdges, 15; undergrade interested in making exhibits and DeKalb and Washington streets, Nor-

FARMERS URGED TO EXHIBIT PRODUCTS AT STATE SHOW.

The Penna. Eighth Annual Farm Products Show will be held at Har- gomery County Farm Bureau, held friends over the week end: Mr. and risburg, January 22-25 inclusive. All Thursday morning of last week in Mrs. Hayes, of Collegeville; Mrs. Ries, town, celebrated their golden wedfarmers of Montgomery County who court room No. 1, resulted in some of Perkasie, Mr. and Mrs. William ding. wish to enter exhibits may bring changes. A. K. Rothenberger, retir- Rommel and daughter Ruth, of Readthem to the Farm Bureau office where ing county agent, was chosen treas- ing, and Mr. Ddecker, Mr. and Mrs. the proper entry blank will be made urer with 19 votes as against 10 for Sigman and Mr. John Macking, of throat of John L. Roberts, of Birdspresence of persons from many sec- in the first half and nearly swamped out and the exhibits will be packed Arthur Anders, of Worcester, and 1 Philadelphia. and sent collectively to Harrisburg. for Warren G. Schultz, who was The Farm Bureau is offering this treasurer during the last year. Mr. special service to the farmers of Mont- Anders was elected secretary without hem on Monday evening to attend the gomery county and it is hoped that a opposition. Other officers chosen in- rehearsal of the Bach choir. large number of farmers will make cluded: President, Charles E. Wisuse of this special service. All ex- mer, of Graterford; vice-president, hibits to be handled by the Farm Bu- John B. Park, of Horsham. The reau should be at the Farm Bureau treasurer's report, read by the secoffice, Penn Trust Bldg., Norristown, retary, A. R. Kriebel, showed a balby January 16. The corn exhibit con-ance of \$154.07. Of the \$3149.26 re sists of ten ears; varieties, Yellow ceipts, \$2500 was received from the spent Sunday with Miss Clara Dent, White Dent, and White Capped | county commissioners and \$178 as Miller. Yellow Dent. Cash prizes consist of dues of members. The dues do not rep-\$5, \$3.50, \$2.50, \$2, and \$1. Since resent that number of members, be-Montgomery county is the fourth cause the membership is about 135. county in the State and Seventh in Some members contributed as high the U.S. for poultry production it fol- as \$25. It was suggested that there lows that we should have a large should be more members, but no definumber of entries in the egg exhibit. nite plan was suggested to secure J. Harold Brownback on Sunday. Two beautiful silver loving cups are them. Of the expenditures \$1265 was being offered as prizes for the egg for salaries. A. K. Rothenberger, in exhibit. One cup donated by Daven- his annual report as county agent, port's Lunch of Harrisburg, will be covered thoroughly the work done durawarded for the best dozen eggs in the | ing the last year, telling of the efforts | Show, white or brown, all classes com- put forth for betterment of the in- day in Philadelphia. peting. The other cup, ten and one- terests of the farmers of Montgomhalf inches in height, is offered by the ery county, as well as of the fruit Pennsylvania State Poultry Associa- growers and poultry raisers. He told tion to the county sending in the larg- of successful calf clubs organized, est exhibit. In addition to these spec- and of the benefits derived from sprayial prizes, 53 cash prizes and ribbons ing fruit trees and of culling poultry. will be awarded. Many classes have He declared that Montgomery county been provided in order that every one is fourth in the state in poultry pro- day. who keeps chickens will have an op- duction and seventh in the United portunity to exhibit at this show. The States. Mr. Rothenberger told of a classes listed are the back yard class, new pest that is annoying peach farmer's class, the commercial class, growers, the oriental peach moth. He special dozen in carton and five dozen said that so little is known of its exhibits. Other exhibits open are habits that the ravages must be ensmall grains, consisting of one half dured until more is learned of it. Mr. peck, potato exhibit consisting of one Park asked Mr. Rothenberger of the peck. Fruit, vegetables, dairy pro- possible damage that might be ex- fined to his house the past week with Penn Board of Health resigned. ducts, apiary and poultry exhibits also pected from the Japanese beetle, but illness.

No entrance fee will be charged and any prophecy." There was one woall exhibits are sent prepaid. ion can be secured at the County husband.

OFFICIALS INSTALLED. The new Montgomery county offic-

District Attorney, Frank X. Ren-Charles V. Finlye, deputy; Robert C. and attendance, scholarship not being with H. W. Atkins assistant clerk of Orphans' Court; Sheriff, William H. A goodly number of pupils retained Fox, deputies, M. J. Clayton and

the Republican nomination for the of- son, John Kenney, Marie Laughin, fill the wheel, as he has been a judge ary 1 to March 15, 1924. fice of sheriff, but was defeated by Helen Seidman, Helen Sims, Ruth only for the last nine months. The In augurating the most progressive United Evangelical church on Sunday, William Fox, of Skippack. He has Thomas, Grace Jury, Frieda Ratner; names were put in the jury wheel and important step it has taken since January 13, at 2.30 p. m.; Sunday 607 one-armed drivers, who were been identified with public affairs for seventh and eighth grades, I. W. by Jury Commissioners Fisher and the initiation of the Income Tax Laws, school at 1.30 p. m.; prayermeeting at granted special licenses, an increase many years and is well-known Teats, principal—William Gray, Jos-Hartenstine and by Judge Williams. the Internal Revenue Bureau, after 10 a. m. C. E. on Saturday evening of 206 from 1921. Paid drivers and throughout the county. For seventeen eph Hunsicker, Edward Jackson, Dor- Each alternated in placing a slip, bear- months of research work, has devel- at 7.45 o'clock. Everybody welcome. years he was connected with the State othy Jones, Howard Keyser, Joseph ing the name of a man or woman, oped a simplified income tax form Highway Department and later was Mrauss, Louis Miller, Gertrude Tay- into the wheel. As the names were which Collector B. D. McCaugn delor, Sylvia Ratner, Dorothy Lauer, called they were inscribed in a book clared would make it as easy for Florence Blithe, Emma Chase, Frank by the jury commissioners' clerk, the salaried or wage-earning taxpayer Horricks, Rosie Litka, Gertrude Plush, Mrs. Katharine Podall. The drawing to prepare his return for the com-Rose Seidman, Maxine Silknitter, Jane of names from the wheel will begin ing filing period as it would be for him On Sunday, the first Sunday after Thomas, Ruth Wismer, Helen Wodock, Thursday when the jurors will be se- to fill in a request for a postal money and civil courts.

STATE FARM PRODUCTS SHOW.

George, the ten-year-old son of with stereoptican slides illustrating Endeavor Society is planning to hold joint mass meeting of twenty or more year 1923. Out of a total of approxiing and reorganized, as follows: C. Mrs. C. O. Bond, of Collegeville, was Pollock's play, "The Fool." He de-D. Yost, president; H. L. Saylor, sec- operated upon on Tuesday for ap- livered the same lecture last Sunday program is being prepared. Everyone January 22, which marks the official this district, more than 150,000 it is retary; William D. Renninger, treas- pendicitis at the Pottstown Hospital. night in Trinity Reformed church, is invited to come out. Immediately opening of the Eighth Annual State estimated will use the new form. before the social a business meeting Farm Products Show. Sharing speak- Persons who use Form 1040A will Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mathieu, of were only a few thin quilts. will be held and new officers elected. ing honors with Secretary Wallace find the problem of correctly making Wilmington, Del., was baptized, Sun-Thirty-four persons were killed and will be in charge of State Secretary | The new Form 1040A will be used last Wednesday evening. Interesting

ANNUAL MEETING OF FARM

BUREAU At the annual meeting of the Montthe speaker said, "I will not make

man in the audience, Mrs. M. N. Alle-Premium list or additional informa- bach, of Trappe, who accompanied her FARM BUREAU'S BOARD

CHOSEN. The first meeting of the new of- Robison, at Ironbridge on Sunday. ficials of the Montgomery County Farm Bureau, in conjunction with R. Wood, H. D. Allebach, William H. Mr. Harvey D. Plank who personally tions for retaining a place on the Miller, Register of Wills, A. L. Sax- Landis, Charles Renninger and Wil- disposed of over one thousand. liam West. These new men were chosen to serve on the executive committee: C. William Haywood, J. Edward Kirk, N. A. Anders, C. R. Hun-Trappe and Miss Alice S. Bordman, of place on the honor roll during the en-DeCou. After the selection of the executive committee matters pertainby the new county agent were dis- delphia several days last week. out a plan of procedure.

INCOME TAX RETURNS SIMPLIFIED.

be at their home in Sumneytown af- er, Anna Pappas, Kathryn Risher, sioner Crawford. George Huff, of tions be to file your income tax re- clerk, F. W. Shalkop; solicitor, Ralph In 1923, 988,347 passenger vehicles Dorothy Risher, Lillian Taylor, Syl- Lansdale, succeeds William Neville as turn early. Forms for filing individ- Wismer; treasurer, Edwin Beckman. were registered, compared with 632,-Kohn, Mae Sterner, Kenneth Scatch- MANY NAMES PLACED IN JURY ciary and other returns required by school physician. the revenue act are now available at Last week thirteen hundred names Revenue, Post Office Building, 9th & ably surprised their friends last Wed- registration of motorcycles exceeded Mercantile Appraiser for Montgomery Burns, Gerald Plush, Blanche Wis- were placed in the Jury wheel in the Chestnut sts., Philadelphia and branch nesday evening when they entertained by more than 500 that in 1922, but was county. Mr. Slaw was a candidate at mer, Kathryn Schrawder, Helen court house, Norristown. Judge Wil- office in Penn Trust Building, Norristhe primary election of last year for | Cleaver, Elmer Hayes, Mellinee Jack- liams assisted for the first time to town. The filing period is from Janu-

> lected for service in February criminal order or to make out an application for employment such as is required by the average commercial concern. Reduced from six pages to a single sheet on which answers are required Harrisburg, Pa., Jan. 8.—State agri- to only three questions in relation to cultural officials have been given de- income, Form 1040A has been revised finite assurance by secretary Henry C. in the interests of the great major-Wallace, of the United States Depart- ity of taxpayers. It is estimated that ment of Agriculture, that he will be more than 4,000,000 persons in the on hand to welcome the thousands of United States will use Form 1040A in Pennsylvania farmers who attend the reporting income for the calendar at this opening conclave of the State out an income tax return reduced to day afternoon at the home of Mr. mon avenue, and Martha Redenbaugh. Farm Show, Gifford Pinchot, Gov- a minimum. The difficulties of the Mathieu's mother, Mrs. H. A. Math- 2-year-old daughter of Marcellus Redernor of Pennsylvania, and Dr. J. audit also will be greatly lessened, ieu, by the pastor, Rev. Arthur C. enbaugh, of Wilkinsburg, were burned George Becht, State Superintendent whereby expediting the work of the Ohl. of Public Instruction, will also ap- Bureau of Internal Revenue and re- The quarterly meeting of the Sun- igniting while they were hovering

TRUCKLOADS OF BEER AND WINE SEIZED

NEWS FROM TRAPPE

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rommel entertained the following relatives and Spring City last year totaled \$300,000.

Mrs. Arthur C. Ohl went to Bethle-

Mrs. Albert Heffelfinger and Mrs. Paul Knoll, visited Mr. David Derr and daughter Minnie, of Conshohocken, on

Miss Susan Custer, of Norristown,

Miss Hannah Styer, of Norristown, schools. visited at the home of Mrs. Mary Beaver on Friday.

Mr. John G. T. Miller, of Philadel-Mr. Daniel Shuler and family.

Dr. William C. Samuel spent Thurs-Miss DeHaven, of Philadelphia, pent several days last week with Mrs.

David Kulp Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Wismer and children, of Pottstown were guests of Mrs. Elizabeth Austerberry on Sun-

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Grater and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Sylvanus Tyson, Jr., were among the guests at New Year's dinner given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Thomas and family in Wayne on Sunday.

Mr. Jacob T. Miller has been con-Mrs. R. C. Sturges is rapidly recovering from an attack of grippe.

The regular meeting of the Trappe Fire Company will be held in the fire Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Maute and son

tendance and deportment and having lials, and their deputies took up their G. Waltz, the new county agent, was spent Sunday as the guest of Mr. and press train at Shoemakersville. held Monday afternoon at headquar- Mrs. S. Walter Stearly and family. ristown. The following old members | mas seals of the Tuberculosis Society | Joseph Dombroskie, George Debretz of the board were chosen: Charles F. the Trappe district reports 1914 and Vincent Redinger, were sentenced Hoser, William C. Snell, James L. stamps sold. Special credit is due to to 30 days in jail.

> Mr. R. C. Sturges and family, was save the life of Edwin Thomas, 71, removed to the Phoenixville Hospital suffering with pernicious anemia. on Thursday, suffering with abscesses.

He was operated upon on Friday. Mr. Ralph Kling and daughter ing to the work as has been taken up Dorothy visited relatives in Phila-

cussed. Mr. Waltz is busy mapping Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Casey and son Raymond spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Engle, of Royersford.

which time the following officers were istration, fines and interest were Let one of your New Year resolu- elected: President, M. N. Allebach; \$15,828,494. ual, corporation, partnership, personal Board of Health officer is Geo. Rambo 541 in 1921 and 763,916 in 1922. The service corporation, information, fidu- with Dr. W. Z. Anders, of Collegeville, total number of commercial vehicles

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rommel enjoy-There were 16 present.

Preaching service will be held in the 1921 and 14,964 in 1922.

The Sunday School Association of Augustus Lutheran church held its | COLD WAVE CAUSES DEATHS. annual meeting on Tuesday evening and elected officers for the year. The ing made for greater efficiency in all

branches of instruction. The Luther League also held its annual meeting and elected its officers. annual meeting and elected its officers. nett street, was found frozen stiff in The League is looking forward to a year of active service.

The Pator's Aid Society will hold its regular meeting on Saturday at 2 p. m. The vice president, Mrs. Helena Rimby, will preside and present

pear on the program. The meeting ducing the cost of operating expense. day School Association was held on over open gas stoves. coming principally from salaries and bers of the Sunday School were actual number of men and women who phia, during November, 1923, accord- The time of the show is only two wages, and was designed to meet the awarded pins for attendance of all voted last November was 49,322, out ing to reports received by the Depart- weeks off and farmers in every cor- almost universal criticism that the in- sessions of the school during the and property from fires during 1922,

is invited to the services.

afternoon. The financial reports were

COUNTY AND STATE ITEMS

Losses by fire in Royersford and

A turkey bone which lodged in the boro, was removed at a Reading Hos-

Four new troops of Boy Scouts were organized in Pottstown.

A fire company has been organized at Spring Mill, Montgomery county. Thieves broke into St. Mary's Catholic Church at Hazleton, but secured only 50 cents.

A campaign has been started in Bucks county to see that fire drills are held regularly in all the public

Myers R. Stoner, 70, for 25 years a department head of the Pomeroy Miss Agnes Keown and Mrs. Walter store at Pottstown and Reading, died Hook were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. at his home in Friedensburg.

Frank Kresge, a farmer residing near Little Gap, slaughtered two pigs phia, spent Sunday at the home of which were only 6 months old, and weighed 538 pounds each dressed.

> When trolley cars collided at Trooper, Misses Margaret McDermott and Rose Gehringer and Mrs. Gilbert Farrington were slightly injured. Reading police records show 753 arrests for drunkenness last year, compared to 493 the year before, the

largest number in nine years. Jacob Hibschman, of Strausstown, who is one of the few blacksmiths still making horseshoes at his forge, and his wife celebrated their golden

Claiming they were not supported by the public in the enforcement of health laws, every member of the Mt. Coroner's Physician Dunn, after an autopsy, found that Charles Fountain,

found dead at a boarding house at Chester, died from poison liquor. Steward Smith, of near Kunkle-Hall on Saturday evening, January 12, foxes and 16 raccoons to his credit for the year just ended.

J. D. Forney, Miss Myrtle Forney

ly escaped death when an automobile Mrs. Ella Wisler, of Pottstown, they occupied was struck by an ex-Caught in the act of sending in a ters in the Penn Trust Building, Nor- At the close of the sale of Christ- false alarm of fire in Mt. Carmel,

> David Kite, 17 years old, a Reading waiter, gave a pint and a half of Louis Bowman, who resides with blood in a transfusion operation to

MILLION MOTORS LICENSED

IN 1923 Harrisburg, Jan. 5-The total number of motor-driven vehicles licensed in 1923 was 1,090,261, officials of the Automobile Division announced today. Registrations of all kinds, including On Monday night the Borough those of various operators, were Council/ held its yearly meeting at 2,086,501, and total receipts from reg-

> registered was 76,278, compared with 57,048 in 1921 and 65,821 in 1922. The while motor vehicle dealers registered were 19.120, compared with 13.255 in

> The year witnessed the licensing of operators licensed totaled 195,286 and 269,308 respectively, an increase compared with the two preceding years.

Pittsburgh, Jan. 6.—Death, distress reports of all departments showed a healthy condition, and efforts are behalthy condition. official theremometer registered five below zero this morning.

an alley near his home this morning. Information obtained by the Coroner indicated that he was slightly intoxicated last night and while in a dazed condition was overcome by the intense cold. Mrs. Alice Waters, aged 50, a negress, was found frozen to death in bed in her dilapidated home in Jones avenue. There was no fire in the Herman Keyser Mathieu, son of little house and covering the body August Polreschke, aged 75, of Ter-

EVERY DAY 41 HUMAN LIVES ARE DESTROYED BY FIRE.

to death as a result of their clothing

A steadily increasing loss of life the last full reportable year, reached Abram D. Reiff, of Spring City, a 15,000 deaths and damage of \$500,former resident of this vicinity and a 000,000, according to an analysis of life-long members of St. Luke's fire reports for the entire country. church, passed away last Saturday An average of 41 persons are burned evening. Funeral services will be held to death and 47 injured seriously in St. Luke's church next Saturday af- every 24 hours, with a property loss ternoon at two o'clock. Everybody of \$16 a second, the compilation show. Five schoolhouses burn each The quarterly meeting of the Board day, while 15 hotels have fires daily. of Trustees was held last Thursday One farm building is said to go up in smoke every seven minutes, with one dwelling adding fuel to flames m. A musical program will be rendered by a quartet from Philadelphia.

There will be a special speaker in addition to the musical numbers. All are cordially invited.

The adult class held its quarterly blanks can secure the same figures down to about 21 1-3 cents for and are ready for occupancy.

ballots, pay for tabulation board, decrossings, 2; highway culverts, 6; on ballots, pay for tabulation board, decrossings, 2; highway culverts, 6; on ballots, pay for tabulation board, decrossings, 2; highway culverts, 6; on straight road sections, 85; on light grades, 54 and on heavy grades, and entry blanks can secure the same figures down to about 21 1-3 cents for the Pennsylvnia Department of Agriculture.

Dekalb and Wasnington streets, Norristown, was raided by the police.

The adult class held its quarterly meeting and social last Thursday added the balance of the cost, which figures down to about 21 1-3 cents for the Pennsylvnia Department of Agriculture.

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E. S. MOSER, Editor and Proprietor.

Thursday, January 10, 1924.

COUNTY HOME AFFAIRS.

There is room for improvement in the management of the internal affairs of the County Home. This is stating the case mildly. A statement, involving bluntness and severity of expression is hardly in order, because there is no evidence of official dishonesty. In so far as the present Steward's efforts have, in fact, fallen below an average standard of efficiency, the members of the recently dissolved Board of Directors are, in due measure, responsible. Directors of the Poor are invested with full legal authority to direct the affairs of the County Home. Therefore, they are, in large part, responsible for the doings of their subordinates in office. Whatever action may be construed to mean a shifting of that responsibility must be accepted as an exhibition of more or less un-

The present Board of Directors-William Ziegler, Euphemia Dunn, and J. Wayne Heebner-will be expected to hew to the line of official efficiency; improve conditions where improvement is needed and to at all times possess themselves with first-hand knowledge respecting the performances of their employes. In this connection it is in place to note the excellent suggestion submitted by their solicitor, Mr. Stahlnecker, to the Directors at the meeting last Monday, viz.: That one or the other of the Directors, in an official capacity, visit the Home at least once every week. The application of Mr. Stahlnecker's suggestion will, undoubtedly, result in much advantage in the line of effective management. The new Directors-Mrs. Euphemia Dunn and J. Wayne Heebner will have the benefit of the official experience of Mr. Ziegler, the hol l-over member of the Board, and by exerting strong all-together efforts the present Directors of the Poor will be able to give a good account of themselves as public servants; and this much the taxpayers of the county are expecting them to do. * * * *

Mrs. Euphemia Dunn, of North Glenside, is the first woman to serve as a Director of the Poor of Montgomery county. The editor's guess will be exploded if Mrs. Dunn does not establish for herself a noteworthy official record. She possesses the intelligence and the decisiveness of character to hew to the line of duty. She is capable of especially useful service in looking after the physical welfare and comfort of the female occupants of the Home, a consideration that endorses the wisdom of the voters of Montgomery county in electing a woman to the office of Director of the Poor.

EFFICIENT PUBLIC SERVANTS.

Jacob Hamilton, of Conshohocken, who retired Monday from the office of High Sheriff of Montgomery county, has bequeathed a fine record to his successor, William H. Fox of Skippack. Mr. Hamilton proved himself to be one of the most efficient and courteous Sheriffs the county has ever had.

Horace Smedley, who as Controller concluded his term January 7, exhibited during his incumbency of an important public office the intelligence and firmness of character quite essential to the satisfactory discharge of the responsible duties of county controller.

Abraham H. Hendricks, of Collegeville, for a number of years officially connected with the office of District Attorney, returns with a very exemplary record for efficiency, as a prosecuting officer, to the practice of his profession as an attorney for private clients. His professional attainments and his large acquaintanceship with the people of the county should, in due time, afford him many opportunities to utilize his legal attainments.

THE WINNING PLAN FOR PEACE.

Winning Plan No. 1469 selected by Jury of American Peace Award "created by Edward W. Bok, who offered \$100,000 for the best practicable plan by which the United States may co-operate with other nations, looking toward the Prevention of War," in. cludes very distinct recognition of the League of Nations, thus indicating that the writer of the "winning plan" is not in harmony with President Coolidge, who recently spoke of the League as a foreign agency, as a closed issue, with which this nation has nothing to do. This nation had a very great deal to do in the matter of ending a revolting world war. If, after all the frightful sacrifice of American lives, this nation fails to perform its full part in effectualizing, in large part, permanent world peace, then will our nation stand disgraced in the light of advancing civilization. "A closed issue?" Well, it may be a closed issue from the present view-point of an assortment of political partisans, but it is NOT a "closed issue" with the people of the United States.

PESTERED WITH AN ITCHING.

Governor Pinchot, accredited at least in theory with "high moral ideals", has promulgated his intention to have at his command, during the next regular session of the House at Harrisbug, lawmakers who will do his bidding, respecting any prohibition enforcement program which he may see fit to formulate. That is to say: the candidates for the Legislature who will not promise to do just what the Governor may want them to do, if elected, will be defeated at the polls. That's throwing down the gauntlet! There will be an abundance of excitement, aside from national issues, during 1924, in Pennsylvania. Our Governor is pestered with an itching for notoriety, and there is a probability that he will get enough adverse notoriety to effectually decrease his itching.

INTOXICATED MOTOR CAR DRIVERS.

Public sentiment is rightfully and rapidly arriving at the conclusion that a drunken automobile or other motor car driver is a madman liable at any time to become a criminal—a very dangerous man at large—because he is jeopardizing the lives of men, women and children. He may at any moment cause a terrible accident and frightful loss of life. A few dollars fine, a few days in jail, the loss of a license, do not meet the case of a drunken motor car driver; do not afford the safety rightfully demanded by those whose lives are menaced whenever they go upon public highways. The drunken man guilty of operating a motor car should receive a long term in jail because he is a dangerous character and unfit to bishop Tikhon means that the entire run at large; because human life must be afforded more protection Christian world will celebrate Christthan it is at the present time receiving. If there is now not ex- mas this year on the same date for isting sufficient legislative and judicial power to meet cases of the national Fixed Calendar league anspeedily procured and vigorously applied. Liquor "hooch" or "hooch" crazvness on the part of motor drivers must be held in check. The loss of life and injury to persons resulting therefrom is appalling. Apparently, Prohibition has not in the least improved the situation,

The Autumn Poem.

The Russian and Greek churches for do. The windows our men clean the higher windows our men clean the higher to make a good as and heart to make a good as an as and heart to make a good as an as and heart to make a good as an as and heart to make a good as an as and heart to make a good as an as and heart to make a good as an as and heart to make a good as an as and heart to make a good as an as and heart to make a good as an as and heart to make a

\$100,000 PEACE PLAN PRIZE AWARDED

Advocates Entering World Court and Cooperation With League Without Full Membership at Present-Suggests League Membership Be Opened to All Nations and Provides for Development of International Law.

The American Peace Award brought forth 22,165 plans and many thousands of letters. Since many of the plans were the composite work of organizations, universities, etc., a single plan often represented the views of hundreds or thousands of individuals. The content of these plans is therefore an index of the true feeling and judgment of hundreds of thousands of American citizens.

living out its tragedy.

estly to be prevented, there must be co-operate with other nations to a face-about on the part of the nations achieve and preserve the peace of the in their attitude toward it; that by world." some machinery of cooperation if the sale of all materials of war. will to cooperate is to be made effective; that mutual counsel among the nations is the real hope for bringing about the disavowal of war by the open avowal of its real causes and open discussion of them; and finally that there must be some means of defining, recording, interpreting and developing the law of nations.

Statement of Jury of Award peace, and that it is necessary to rec- vote of the American people is asked, psychological and economic factors. Committee as follows:

These plans come from every group The only possible pathway to interin American life. Some are obviously national agreement with reference to from lifelong students of history and these complicated and difficult facinternational law. Some are from per- tors is through mutual counsel and sons who have studied little, but who cooperation which the plan selected have themselves seen and felt the contemplates. It is therefore the horror of war-or who are even now unanimous opinion of the Jury that of the 22,165 plans submitted, Plan But among them all are these dom- Number 1469 is "the best practicable inant currents: that, if war is hon- plan by which the United States may

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ELIHU ROOT, Chairman JAMES GUTHRIE HARBORD EDWARD M. HOUSE ELLEN FITZ PENDLETON ROSCOE POUND WILLIAM ALLEN WHITE BRAND WHITLOCK

The Question to Be Voted Upon The substantial provisions which constitute the plan selected by the The Jury of Award realizes that Jury of Award, and upon which the ognize not merely political but also are hereby submitted by the Policy

I. ENTER THE PERMANENT COURT

That the United States adhere to the Permanent Court of International Justice for the reasons and under the conditions stated by Secretary Hughes and President Harding in February, 1923. II. COOPERATE WITH THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS, WITHOUT

FULL MEMBERSHIP AT PRESENT That without becoming a member of the League of Nations as at present constituted, the United States Government should extend its present cooperation with the League and propose participation in the work of its Assembly and Council under the following conditions and reservations:

Safeguarding of Monroe Doctrine

1. The United States accepts the League of Nations as an instrument of mutual counsel, but it will assume no obligation to interfere with political questions of policy or internal administration of any

In uniting its efforts with those of other States for the preservation of peace and the promotion of the common welfare, the United States insists upon the safeguarding of the Monroe Doctrine and does not abandon its traditional attitude concerning American independence of the Old World and does not consent to submit its long established policy concerning questions regarded by it as purely American to the recommendation or decision of other Powers

No Military or Economic Force

That the only kind of compulsion which nations can freely engage to apply to each other in the name of Peace is that which arises from conference, from moral judgment, from full publicity, and from the power of public opinion. The United States would assume no obligations under Article X

in its present form, or under Article XVI in its present form in the Covenant, or in its amended form as now proposed, unless in any particular case Congress has authorized such action The United States proposes that Articles X and XVI be either dropped altogether or so amended and changed as to eliminate

any suggestion of a general agreement to use coercion for obtaining conformity to the pledges of the Covenant. No Obligations Under Versailles Treaty

That the United States will accept no responsibilities under the

Treaty of Versailles unless in any particular case Congress has authorized such action.

League Open to All Nations The United States Government proposes that Article I of the Covenant be construed and applied, or, if necessary, redrafted, so that admission to the League shall be assured to any self-governing State that wishes to join and that receives the favorable vote of

two-thirds of the Assembly. Development of International Law

As a condition of its participation in the work and counsels of the League, the United States asks that the Assembly and Council consent-or obtain authority-to begin collaboration for the revision and development of international law, employing for this purpose the aid of a commission of jurists. This Commission would be directed to formulate anew existing rules of the law of nations, to reconcile divergent opinions, to consider points hitherto inadequately provided for but vital to the maintenance of international justice, and in general to define the social rights and duties of States. The recommendations of the Commission would be presented from time to time, in proper form for consideration, to the Assembly as to a recommending if not a law-making body.

Author's Name Not to Be Revealed Until After Referendum

In order that the vote may be taken solely upon the merits of the plan, the Policy Committee, with the acquiescence of Mr. Bok, has decided not to disclose the authorship of the plan until after the referendum. The identity is unknown to the members of the Jury of Award and the Policy Committee, except one delegated

Do you approve the winning plan

JOHN W. DAVIS

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Old Calendar Shelved.

The adoption of the Gregorian calendar by the Russian orthodox church through a recent proclamation by Arch-

Slam, bang, crash:

Thus was shattered the silence of Legislatures authorized them for the night. After that final crash every species of public improvement, came a pause that was portentous. Mother whispered: "Dear me, faviduals by fire and otherwise; for ex- ther didn't know we moved the hat ample, Faneuil hall, after the fire of 1761, was rebuilt by lottery. The Con"Well, he knows now," muttered

"I guess I'm hopelessly behind the times." remarked old Uncle Pennywise. "I know I'm ignorant as a bear

but I don't brag about it." himself .- M. Dupin.

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tell you that he would rather wash the panes of the highest floor of a skyscraper than go to the most modest of Washington square or Greenwich Village apartments to work, says the New York Sun and Globe. "It's easy to understand," explained

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Augustus Lutheran Church, Trappe, Rev. W. O. Fegely, pastor, Sunday School at 9 'clock. preaching at 10.15; evening services at 7.30; teachers' meeting on Wednes-St. Luke's Reformed Church, Trappe,

9.00 a. m.; church service, 10.00 a. m. Evening service 7.30 o'clock. Monthly Workers Conference, last Wednesday even-St. James' Church, Perkiomen, Evans ourg, Rev. Charles F. Scofield, Rector Services Sunday morning at 10.30. Sun-day school at 9.30 a. m.

Rev. Arthur C. Ohl, pastor, Sunday School,

St. Eleanor's Church, Roman Catholic. Mass at Collegeville every Sunday at 8 a. m; at Delphi at 10 a. m.; William A. Buesser, Rector. Evansburg M. E. Church—Sunday School at 9.30 a. m. Preaching at 10.30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Prayer meeting, Wednesday evening.

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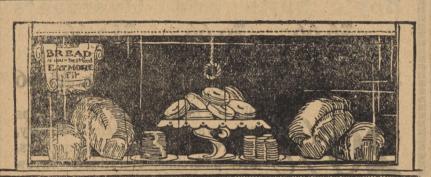
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By H. IRVING KING

(© by McClure Newspaper Syndicate.) Romance and prosperity are always | land "just around the corner." just around the corner. However, if you turn the corner abruptly you may | PICK SPORTS TO SUIT JOB sometimes catch them unawares. Such was the case with Giles Benson, who was out of a job, owed his landlady and was down to his last dollar. The financial situation in which Benson ound himself was not so embarrassing to a man of thirty as it would have ter of using your common sense, acbeen to a man of sixty, but even to a man of thirty it had its disadvantages. well-known health authority of New Benson had been brought up as heir | York city. The whole solution of the to his Uncle Peter, who had sent him through college, given him a liberal allowance and tried to instill into him enough of business acumen to warrant his being able to take care of the fortune which he was to inherit. But Giles had a rather overweening confi- Anything that is an entire change from dence in his own ability, old Peter was his daily work will suffice. crotchety and dictatorial. The con-

not earn your salt.'

"Humph," said Peter, as he read the recreation. note Giles had left for him. "Going to "Above all, get the play spirit. Get JACOB C. BROWER hurt him. Bet he'll be back inside of you." six months."

It was not entirely Giles' fault that BIG CONCRETE PLANT AFLOAT he had justified his uncle's opinion rather than his own; the last firm by which he had been employed, for instance, failed unaccountably and cast him adrift unexpectedly. And now the six months specified by old Peter in his musings on his errant nephew had come to a close and Giles turned a corner. As he did so he almost collided with a hurrying young lady, carrying a small handbag, and evidently bound for the ferry at the foot of the street. At a glance, Giles saw that she was well dressed, pretty and much agitated. As Benson stepped aside, lifted his hat and offered an apology their eyes met and they felt acquainted with each other at once.

"Oh, it was my fault," said the fair unknown. "I-that is, that man there has been following me for three blocks

"Calm yourself," replied Giles. "Just wait here a minute and I will interview the rascal." And he strode belligerently toward the suspected stranger. "See here," said Giles, "what do you nean by following that lady?"

The stranger was a middle-aged man, respectably dressed and grave of countenance. "I followed that young lady," replied he, "because she happened to be walking in advance of me. I am sorry to have caused her alarm, but as this is my house and I propose to enter it. I trust her fears will be relieved. Good day." And mounting he steps of the house, before which they were standing the stranger took out his latchkey and let himself in.

Giles, with an air of having scared off a horde of bloodthirsty savages from an intended victim, returned to the waiting young lady and asked the favor of being allowed to escort and protect her to her intended destina-"Oh, I don't know," replied the fair

one; "I fear I have acted rather impulsively. I have walked quite a distance. I feel rather faint-would you mind taking me somewhere where I can get a cup of tea?" She had to walk quite a little distance more before they found a quiet tearoom, into which they entered and called for refreshments. Over the tea and cakes they become quite talkative and even

"How foolish I was," she exclaimed, "but I thought that perhaps mother. It is related that one day father had sent some one-you see. I was running away. I am old enough when they were accosted by a begto know better, but when they told me I had got to marry a man I had never seen, I fancy I lost my head. However, when I have another cup of little queen, having a will of her own. tea I guess, if you will get me a taxi, insisted on stopping. She questioned will go home and fight it out there. the man in broken Italian, believing Rather curious my telling all this to a man to whom I have never even ceeding gave him half a franc. He been introduced, isn't it? But since looked from the silver in his hand to you have constituted yourself my pro- her, and then back again, and at last receiving my confidences."

"Oh, pardon me," said Giles. "I as that! Poor queen." should have introduced myself. My name is Benson.' "Any relation to Mr. Peter Benson?" she asked.

"His nephew," replied Giles. "Oh!" said the young lady, glancing at him, "I believe I have heard of you. Haven't you been away-to Europe-or somewhere?" "I have not-er-been at home of

ate." replied Giles evasively. "Now really." exclaimed the young lady, "you must get me a taxi, Mr. Benson. I want to get home before they discover my absence." As she was getting into the taxi

which Giles summoned for her she reached out her hand and said, "My name is Martindale-Caroline Martindale. I should be pleased to have you call, Mr. Benson." Giles walked to the public library, got a social register and looked up Caroline Martindale's address. The register also told him whose daughter she was, and he realized that the only chance he had of ever me ing her again on terms of social equality was to go back to Uncle Peter and eat humble pie. Uncle Peter had been right, after all. But still- All night long, between short intervals of slumber filled with visions of Caroline Martindale, he debated the question. When morning

came he had decided in favor of Uncle Peter and humble pie. "Hello!" said Uncle Peter cheerfully, "back on time, I see. How'd you make out?" "Rather poorly, I must confess, ing.

uncle," replied Giles. "Thought you would. Never mind. Now you are back, the first thing I want you to do is to get married.' "Well, perhaps it would be a good

"What, you ungrateful puppy!"

roared Peter. "Any man who would Z. ANDERS, M. D.

Giles sank into a chair as if shot. **Practicing Physician** "All right, all right, uncle," he said, COLLEGEVILLE, PA.

"Good boy. Thought your experi
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ace would not seem of the control of ence would put some common sense DR. J. S. MILLER into you. Here's a check. If you want more let me know." Thus Giles

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"Change your clothes, change your sequence was frequent quarrels, and mind, change your attitude," he adin one of these, about six months be- vises. "If you have a white-collar job, fore, the old man had said: "If I were put on a flannel shirt. If you have a to turn you adrift tomorrow you could flannel-shirt job, a white collar as a change will have its merits. If you "Indeed!" replied Giles, with a su- work indoors-go out. If you are out perior smile, and the next morning he of doors all day-stay inside. If you was missing. One of the many pleas- sit or stand at your work, walk, run or ant things about new work is that if dance for recreation. If you are conyou want to disappear all you have tinually meeting many people, seek segot to do is to move into the next elusion. If you work alone, seek conblock, and it is as if you had fallen genial company. If your work is with off the earth. Giles moved a little your head, seek vigoorus muscular acfarther than the next block and was tivities. If your work is mainly muscular work, seek some mind-testing

refuse Caroline Martingale-"

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Our Most Beautiful Words. A somewhat novel contest was held recently in New York to decide the wenty most beautiful words in the English language. Thousands of people took part, and John Shea, a lawver, was declared the winner. Of the 25 words submitted by Mr. Shea, 21 were accepted. The words accepted were: Melody, splendor, adoration, eloquence, virtue, innocence, faith, joy, honor, radiance, nobility, sympathy, heaven, love, divine, hope, harmony, happiness, purity, liberty. Three words were rejected: "Grace," "justice" and "truth." The two former were eliminated, it was explained, because of the harshness of the "g" in "grace," and the "j" in "justice." The word "truth" was eliminated because of its metallic sound. Why the words "mother" and "home" were not included in the list will appear somewhat puzzling to many readers.

Beggar Pitied the Queen, The recent celebration of Queen Wilhelmina's jubilee revives many stories of her youth in Florence, where she lived for a while with her they were going along the Lung Arno, gar. The queen regent wanted to push on, fearing that her daughter might herself quite unknown, and on protector you must take the penalty of said, with an air of impertinence; "So your subjects keep you as short

A Projectile's Speed. Experiments with improved instruments for measuring the velocity of projectiles have shown that the speed continues to increase after the missile has left the mouth of the gun. Leaving the muzzle with a velocity of about 1,474 feet a second, a projectile has been observed to increase its speed to about 1,689 feet per second within the first six feet. It is only after having traveled about 25 yards that the projectile's velocity becomes reduced to the speed that it had on leaving the muzzle. This is ascribed to the impulse of the expanded gas being felt for some distance beyond the gun's mouth.

Where Pearls Are Plentiful. In the vicinity of the Pearl islands, in the Bay of Panama, pearls are so plentiful that when the islands were first discovered the natives were using them as decorations for their canoes.

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Down of the Thistle.

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March and the 21st of September. Not Without Beer. A Dutch concert is a social entertainment in which every man sings his own song at the same time that his neighbor is singing his, or in which each person present sings in turn one verse of any song he pleases, some well known chorus being used as a burden after each verse.

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Moslems' Unlucky Days.

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deed, I'm full of grit."-Judge. An old colored man appeared as a

WHEAT DANGEROUS HORSE FEED.

A Colorado farmer not long ago threshed a load of wheat and left it standing by the machine. During the night six horses got out and ate their fill of the wheat. The owner gave them a quart of raw linseed oil at intervals but five of them died. G. H. Glover, of the Colorado agricultural college, explains that no poison is more certain to kill a horse than an over-feed of wheat. It forms a glutinous mass in the digestive tube and cannot be digested or otherwise elim-Wally—"We'll hit 80 in a moment. inated. Only skilled veterinarians are soul which virtue only knows .- Are you afraid?" Sally (swallowing able to completely evacuate the digesanother mouthful of sand)-"No, in- tive tract, but this must be done within a few hours after the wheat has been eaten.

It has almost gotten to the point wrist watch as a fad among English tion these questions were put to the where a wife will divorce her husband man: "What is your name? "Cal- for such a trifle as his inability to "I've made all the arrangements," went on the old man. "Expected you back about this time. Girl's all picked out. Arranged it with her father."

"Put uncle." protested Giles egheat

"In China the down of the thistle is gathered and mixed with raw silk so ingeniously that experts are deceived when the fabric is woven.

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Last Monday evening the Oaks Building and Loan Association had bers gave short talks including the nominated with the exception of pastor. The following officers were author of the covenant of the League ing year. All the old board was elected: President, John Ashenfelter; nnominated with the exception of secretary. William Godshall; treasthree, who tendered their resignation, urer, Stephen Tyson. After the businamely: Mr. George Brown, Mr. ness meeting a very enjoyable social Albert Crawford and Rev. Caleb Cres- was held, and refreshments were serson. The following board were nomi- ved by the social committee. nated: Messrs. W. R. Wright, Harry Next Sunday evening's service at St. Taft's League to Enforce Peace and Swearer, Leo Gotwals, Wm. McCord, Luke's will be of special character. Theodore Roosevelt's "posse com-Jr., John U. Gottwals, Alvin Landes, It will be a Young People's Rally. mitatus of nations," and it offered the David Benyon, Joseph Famous, Hor- A special program has been arranged only road to peace, as Henry Cabot ace Boyer, Frank Burgents, David and Mr. Ralph F. Wismer and two Lodge told Union College in June, Jones, Daniel Bartman, Lewis Schatz, members of the Y. M. C. A. of Ursinus 1915. It embodied the hopes of all Hannah M. A. Donten and J. R. Davis. College will deliver short addresses. Americans until a Republican con-Mr. J. R. Davis has been the efficient Special music will also be provided. spiracy headed by Senator Lodge desecretary ever since the Building and Everybody invited. Loan was organized twelve years ago. On account of failing health Mr. Davis tendered his resignation as secretary 7.45 o'clock. and Mr. Charles Mosser was nominated to fill the vacancy. The President Mr. Wright appointed the follow- ganized on Thursday evening.

Monday evening, January 7, the Oaks Improvement Association held of said church. their regular monthly meeting in the Oaks Fire Hall with a good attendance present. Mr. J. C. Dettra reported the sidewalk had been repaired on Brower avenue. Other committees lifted from the Newton Ulmer home, that the 50 odd nations which had reported progress.

The Woman's Auxiliary to the Phoenixville Hospital held their phia visitor, Monday. monthly meeting in the Knights of Golden Eagle hall on Tuesday evening, January 8.

Next Friday evening, Rev. Scofield, rector of St. James' church, Evansburg, will give an illustrated lecture "Channing Pollock's Fool", in the Oaks Fire Hall at 8.15 o'clock. The as we have read lots concerning it turned to her home, Sunday. and no doubt the house will be crowddecorating and arranging the hall to Jacob Brower home. make it have the appearance of a real play house. They have reserved seats rear seats, 25c and the boxes \$2.50. urday. The box seats are selling fast, only a few more left. Refreshments will be for sale-Punch, candy and cake. here. The person selling highest number of tickets will get a box free.

On New Year eve Armead Clark, a colored man working for the Penna. road tracks from Phoenixville when he stumbled and fell. A revolver he was carrying in his pocket, exploded was the name of the who wrongfully action against those who wrongfully action against those who wrongfully action against those who wrongfully are the name of the

the house with a very bad cold.

end in New York the geust of (?).

cousin, Miss Dorothy Levis. Mrs. Bennett and daughter, of Philadelphia, were week end guests in the Harry Crosscup family.

Mr. Charles Jones is hauling ashes Crosscup's residence. A fine im-

Mr. Herbert Francis and Mrs. Han-Gay street school.

Mrs. Charles Brower had the mis-Mr. Charles Campbell rented his ized citizen of the United States. house on Montgomery avenue to one of the managers of the Haslett Chute

Geo. Miller and family.

Mr. Henry Anderson spent the week end in Parkerford visiting relatives.

GOVERNOR PINCHOT AND THE

MINING LAWS

that Governor Pinchot has moved to ing of the veteran as permanently dis- the Fifteenth century. She wished to violate the State mining laws in the abled, in order to secure still higher effort to find money to enforce his pro- pay, will be carried on by the Lehibition hobby, was made by State gion's service officer. Szymanski was Representative David I. Fowler, Re- wounded four times at Chateau Thierpublican, of Scranton, tonight, at a ry, and is so weak that he is unable "wet" rally held here in Moose Hall to work, according to physician's under the auspices of the Association statements.

Against the Prohibition Amendment. 'Do not be deceived by Governor Pinchot's plea for law enforcement,' declared Representative Fowler. "He only cares for one law, and that is prohibition. In the anthracite coal fields today he has asked each and every mine inspector to lay off without pay two months. The law provides that the working place of each man shall be visited once every 30 days. If the mine inspectors were to start tomorrow, they could not cover this distance in 60 days. The Governor is willing to violate this law and run the risk perhaps of a great mine catastrophe, in order to find the money to enforce his pet prohibition hob-I know myself as a member of the Appropriations Committee that he made this suggestion in reply to a question, and my understanding is that it is now to be put in effect." The meeting here tonight is the first of a series to be held throughout the State in an effort to organize a Statewide revolt of liberal voters of all parties against Pinchot and prohibition. The speakers included Congressman James M. Mead, Democrat, of Buffalo; Representative Fowler, and Charles S. Wood, executive chairman of the Association Against the Prohi- at leisure .- Life. bition Amendment. Thomas M. Brennan, consulting engineer for the Philadelphia Coal Company, presided.

Arthur Mauger, a Pottstown young man, reported to the police that three strangers on a lonely road near Amityville, while the mercury was near zero, held him up at the point of a revolver and stole his automobile.

Heredity is the quality that makes a boy act the fool very much as his father did at that age.—Birmingham

NEWS FROM TRAPPE

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The Church Aid Society will meet | Wilson was a Democrat.

ing auditor: Mr. Wm. McDade, Mr. In adjudicating the will of John that as the United States has re-John U. Gottwals and Mr. Frank K. Harley deceased, the Orphans' fused to enter the League of Nations Weaver. Next Month a new series Court awarded the St. Luke's Reformed church, the sum of \$2,000, rections without assuming any of the which was received by the trustees responsibilities of membersship. The

PORT PROVIDENCE

Mrs. Lesher Root was a Philadel-The William Reifsnyder family, of

Mrs. Augustus McCord. Miss Elsie Moses has returned to Only through the League, then, can school after several days absence with co-operation of nations be used to

neuritis. pictures will be given for the benefit while playing at school, Friday. She of the accepted peace plan, the only of St. James' and St. Paul's Auxiliar- was taken to the Phoenixville Hos- way the United States can work for

ed. The young folks of St. Paul's are and Clayton Bertolette, of Norris- other nations, and he sees no reason devoting many hours of their leisure town, spent Sunday afternoon at the why we should not take part in ad-

at 35 cents, children's tickets 10 cents, aged mother to Chester Springs, Sat-

Mrs. Claude Stoll, of Oaks, spent

was carrying in his pocket, exploded, use the name of the American Legion and public opinion. causing a wound in his leg. Dr. Got-wals was called, had the injured man sent to the Phoenixville Hospital lows a recent announcement by Harry where an x-ray was taken. The bullet E. Ayres, chairman of the Scottsbluff Justice under the conditions stated was removed and the young man is county central Republican committee that the Gering, Neb., Legion had inthat the Gering, Neb., Legion had in-dorsed a certain candidate. Ayres with the League and participate in Mr. and Mrs. Isaac G. Price took in a show in Philadelphia, Monday night. Miss Emma Johnson, nurse at the partment Adjutant Frank B. O'Connell for the military or economic force County Home, spent the week end has issued a statement that the case contemplated by Articles X and XVI, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. will be taken before the executive safeguard the Monroe Doctrine, as-Mr. Herbert Francis spent the week ment was made unofficially, court action will be instituted. A provision Miss Florence Hedricks, of Mont of the national constitution of the Le-Clare, spent the week end with her gion provides that no indorsement of political candidates shall be made.

Wroblewski was the first Toledoan to it was intended to have, it is due die in the world war. An American chiefly to the fact that the most pow-Legion post in this city has been named in his honor. But Adam enter the Legion in the world refused to on the road in front of Mr. Harry Wroblewski, a brother, is in an ticles X and XVI, our opinion that Ohio penitentiary serving a term for they are not open to the objections burglary and larceny, and at the that they have been made to them nah Donten took the competitive ex-amination for postmaster at Oaks on the Legion are now considering this the opinions of two Republican ex-Saturday morning in Phoenixville at proposal to deport Adam in view of Presidents in favor of the use of ecomethod of dealing with the case. other until all means of a peaceful fortune to fall down the cellar steps Deportation is possible as the father settlement have been exhausted. But at her home on Montgomery avenue. of the boys never became a natural- as the Republican party has rejected

Mrs. Kate Miller spent a few days Szymanski, world war hero, were re- near an approach to the plan of in Philadelphia, visiting her son Mr. warded when the permanently dis- President Wilson, as is at present the amount of the original monthly compensation awarded him by the Veterans' Bureau, later reduced. Pubication of the facts brought an immediate order from Director Frank T. Hines of the Veterans' Bureau and Shamokin, Pa., Jan. 7.—The charge \$44 monthly to \$80. A fight for rat-

BEES AND FRUIT. An increase of 20 per cent in the yield of peaches and an increase of from 20 to 100 per cent in the apple crop of the orchards of The National Farm School, Farm School, Pa., has been attributed, for the most part, directly to the recent establishment of a Department of Bee Keeping in that institution. "The beneficial co-operation between bees and fruit is not sufficiently appreciated" said Prof. Schmieder in charge of the Bee Keeping, or Apiculture Department of The National Farm School, after summarizing his experiments of covering portions of trees and fields of buckwheat with nets to prevent the bees from fertilizing the flowers. Prof. Schmieder is of the opinion that the apple crop of the country could be increased by thirty million bushels, the peach crop by nine million bushels and the buckwheat crop by three million bushels besides the extra profits in honey, if fruit men and farmers would intelligently utilize the labors of bees.

Where used cars are concerned it s a case of buy in haste and repaint

Philadelphia Market Report Wheat \$1.04 to \$1.12

	Corn 88c to 97c
	Oats 52c to 55c
	Baled hay \$22.00 to \$29.00
	Steers \$7.50 to \$10.00
	Fat cows \$2.50 to \$6.00
	Sheep and lambs \$2.50 to \$14.00
į	Hogs \$7.75 to \$9.00
	Live poultry 20c to 30c
	Dressed poultry 22c to 32c
	Butter 42c to 59c
	7 to 450

From the Philadelphia Record. THE PEACE PLAN.

Woodrow Wilson was the principal insertion in the peace treaty after the other leading members of the conference had taken advantage of his brief absence in Washington to cut it out. That peace plan was substantially the same as Chief Justice cided to make war on it because Mr.

on Wednesday evening of this week at | The peace plan which was selected unanimously by the committee out of A teacher training class will be or- 22,165 submitted to it in competition for the Bok award simply proposes author of the plan recognizes that peace can be promoted only by the organized co-operation of the nations. The League is such a form of cooperation. He says it was found at Quarantine for scarlet fever was the Washington conference of 1921-2

joined the League would not leave it and join something else. President Harding admitted by implication last spring that it had been found impossible to form such an association Pottstown, spent Sunday with Mr. and as he had talked so much about during the campaign of 1920.

avert war. But the United States has refused to join the League. Miss Cora Detwiler broke her ankle | Hence, in the opinion of the author ies and Girls Friendly of the churches. pital to have the bones set. The foot peace is by co-operating with the No doubt the pictures are very good, is in a plaster of paris cast. She re- League. He points out a considerable number of international agen-Miss Elizabeth Crooks, of Trooper, cies in which we are now acting with

> ditional agencies. Therefore his plan for averting war Mrs. Fred Russell accompanied her is that we shall get as near to the League as the Republican animosity to Mr. Wilson will permit. He takes Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Epright, of note that the League has already Phoenixville, spent Sunday afternoon, found it impossible to use the force contemplated by the covenant to guarantee the political independence and | g territorial integrity of its members sharp. Sunday afternoon with relatives here, under Article X, and the use of the economic boycott under Article XVI. In practice these have been dropped

The plan, then urges that the Uni- PUBLIC SALE OF indorsement was not given by the its work as a body of mutual counsel committee of the American Legion, of Versailles except by act of Conto all nations, and provide for continuing the development of international law.

This is all that can be done without encouraging partisan objection. Toledo, Ohio, January 7.—Tony But if the League has less power than onclusion of this faces deportation. is supported by the opinions that have the lofty sacrifice made by Tony. nomic or even military force to re-They hope to find some less harsh strain one nation from attacking anthe opinions of not less than five of Syracuse, N. Y., January 7.-Ef- its most eminent members, the plan forts of Syracuse post of the Amer- proposes as near an approximation of ican Legion in behalf of Ludwig the United States to the League, as abled man received a check for \$80, practicable, and therefore it is the best plan available.

History of Starching. History verifies the fact that the practice of starching, which came into fashion in England in the reign of Szymanski's pay was raised from Queen Elizabeth, was invented by a Spanish woman about the middle of hide a blemish on her neck with an

> Definite Enough. Notice in Arizona-"My wife Sarah, has left my ranch and any man as takes her in will get himself pumped so full of lead some tenderfoot will locate him for a mining claim. A word to the wise is sufficient and orter work on fools."-Boston Transcript.

> Ambiguous Tribute. On a gravestone in a Burlington, Vt,. cemetery is the following ambiguous tribute to a woman of that city, who died in 1833: "She lived with her husband 50 years, and died in the confident hope of a better life."

Happiness. To be happy is not only to be freed from the pains and diseases of the body, but from anxiety and vexation of spirit-not only to enjoy the pleasures of sense, but peace of conscience and tranquillity of mind.

A Society 1,000 Years Old. At Creil, near Paris, there is a society of archers, with an annual competition for the original trophy given at the first meet of the society, more more than a thousand years ago. It Takes Time. Mrs. Post-"Our son writes that he

is studying psychology at college."

Post-"That's some encouragement.

After a while they may get around to

teaching him spelling."-Life. Prescriptions Followed. Doctor-"Has your husband had any lucid intervals since my last visit. Mrs. Jinks?" Mrs. Jinks (with dignity)-"He's had nothing except what you ordered."-London Answers.

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Real Estate and Personal Property!

Will be sold at public sale, on the premses, on SATURDAY, JANUARY 26, 924, the following described real estate and personal property belonging to the state of the late Joseph W. Stierly, deceased. eased: REAL ESTATE: A highly productive arm of 25 acres situated in Upper Provi-ence township, Montgomery county, and conting on road leading from the Black

ARMING IMPLEMENTS, &c.: One m wagon and body, one set good hay ders, market wagon in good condition; buggy, Syracuse plow, harrow and ler combined, double cultivator, hoe rrow, two sets work harness, several s light harness, double lines, mowing chine, hay rake, forks, rakes, shovels, i all kinds of farming implements; one double touring car, in good condition; one double touring car, in good condition; one double car, in good grain bags, of carpenter tools, two hundred bushof corn, 25 bushels of wheat, 25 bushof oats, about one thousand sheaves fodder, two tons of wheat straw, two so fhay, two sets chain traces, two so breast chains, single and double as, one extension ladder, 30 ft.; corn ller, also a lot of old pigeons and FARMING IMPLEMENTS, &c.: One

sets breast chains, single and double trees, one extension ladder, 30 ft.; corn sheller, also a lot of old pigeons and many other articles that will be hunted up by day of sale.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS: Large looking glass with shelf, oak bedroom suite, old fashioned oak bed with linen sacking bottom, goose feather pillows, stands, chairs, rockers, 60 yards rag carpet, 30 yards Brussels carpet, 25 yards ingrain carpet, ingrain hall and stair carpat, commode, small bed, quilting framer, looking glasses, upright piano, New Engand make; tables, Normal Oak heater, Irving range No. 8; good cook stove, No. 8; 30 gallon farmers' boiler, nearly new; lard press, sausage grinder, lot of dishes and granite ware, fonce how brooms and many other articles. Also: Shed at Augustus Lutheran church; five bundles new cedar shingles, portable chicken house, 8x10 feet, born grinder, iron troughs.

Sale to commence at 12 o'clock noon, sharp. Conditions by

JESSE H. STIERLY, Agent for Ida L. Stierly, Executrix. Wayne Pearson, auct.
Ralph F. Wismer, attorney.

P. S. The farm above described has been in the Stierly family for 100 years, and has never been rented.

PUBLIC SALE OF

Household Goods!

AVIII be sold at public sale on SATUR-DAY, JANUARY 12, 1924, at Yeagle & Poley's store, Fifth avenue and Main street, Collegeville, the following household goods: 2 good ranges, 2 parlor heaters, antique bureau, 4 wooden, and one iron beds, and springs, wash and marble top stands, extension table, 6-leg wing table, wood chest, sideboard, organ ice chest, mirrors, pictures, rocking, wing table, wood chest, sideboard, organ, ice chest, mirrors, pictures, rocking, caneseat and arm chairs, Vital vacuum cleaner, inside toilet, rag and ingrain carpets, rugs, matting, quilts and comforts, sheets, pillow cases and bolsters, feather beds and pillows, all kinds of cooking utensils and dishes, canned fruit, and jellies, dustless mops, 3-burner oil stove, oil heater, step ladder, garden tools, Studebaker No. 6 touring car in running order, and many other articles Sale at 1 p. m. sharp. Conditions by KATE SPRINGER. Forrest M. Moser, auct.

ESTATE NOTICE-Estate of Joseph W. Stierly, late of Upper Providence, Montgomery county, Pa., deceased. Letters testamentary upon said estate having been granted to the undersigned, all parties indebted to the same will make ompt settlement, and those having o IDA L. STIERLY, Executrix, R. D. Royersford. Ralph F. Wismer, attorney, Norristown, Pa.

FOR SALE—Three 6-7 h. p. gasoline ngines in running order. Your choice for \$35. Also 6-cylinder Oakland with rinter top, in running order, at \$125.

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500.00	750.00 For Loss of E	ither Arm 1,000.00	1,500.00
500.00	750.00 ForLoss of E	ither Leg 1,000.00	1,500.00
437.50	656.25 For Loss of O	ne Hand 875.00	1,312.50
437.50	656.25 For Loss of	One Foot 875.00	1,312.50
175.00	262.50 For Loss of	One Eye 350.00	525.00
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25.00	Double Accident I	Benefit, Seven Weeks	50.00
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otal of items 9, 10 11, 12 and 13\$63,724.66 LIABILITIES 50,000.00 Less current expenses interest and taxes pafd 0 0
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NOTICE-In the Orphans' Court of Montgomery County, Pa. Estate of Lewis H. Evans, deceased. Household Goods For Herman Becker,

SATURDAY, JANUARY 19, 1994 in said court her petition wherein the time. RALPH F. WISMER, Attorney

On same day will be sold the following sum of \$500.00 in cash has been elected to be retained by her as her exemption same will be approved by the Court on the 23rd day of January, 1924, unless ex-ceptions thereto be filed before that time. RALPH F. WISMER, Attorney for Petitioner.

NOTICE-Notice is hereby given tha an application will be made to the Governor of the State of Pennsylvania, on January 24, A. D. 1924, by Daniel H. Bartman, Arnold H. Francis, William M. Hill, Ralph F. Wismer and William C. Miller and others, under the Act o Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An Act to pro vide for the incorporation and regula tion of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called "Collegevil Building and Loan Association", the cumulate a fund by the contributions o the same to them under the rules and regulations of said Association and the laws of the State of Pennsylvania, and for these purposes to have and possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of the said Act of Assembly and its supplements. THOMAS HALL

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