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COLLEGEVILLE, PA., THURSDAY, APRIL 23, 1931

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

WHOLE NUMBER, 2907.

When all the folks are sleeping That walk the earth to-day, When death her watch is keeping Around each house of clay, Who then will sing the praises of noble deeds well done? Or read from archives pages of victories we have won.

If we are constant ever And fight a goodly fight Of earnest high endeavor Upon the side of right, The world upon life's pages Will read the record true, Our gift unto the ages The good we've tried to do.

The good is ever vernal Is something to adore, Is part of the Eternal will live forevermore. Then let this truth remind us There's work for us to do That we may leave behind us A record good and true.

MRS. HENRY ARMSTRONG. Dorchester, Mass.

MY "LINDY" CAT

Lindy sits upon a chair And strikes a pretty pose, His yellow tail is wrapped around His little yellow toes.

His splendid coat of yellow Is very fair to see, His lovely eyes like amber Are shining bright for me.

He knows I am his keeper He follows me about, Can tell in just a minute If I am in or out.

Now why does Lindy worship A little girl like me? Because I'm good to Lindy As good as I can be.

THE GOOD WILL LIVE

west, Collegeville, underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Montgomery Hospital, Norristown, last

BIRD BOX WINNERS

Collegeville and vicinity were on ex- enclosed \$20 "for the children." On hibition at Yeagle and Poley's store October 5, 1928, the Orphans Court, last Saturday afternoon and attracted Norristown, declared the faithless considerable attention. The handi- husband dead, and letters of adminiswork of the boys as revealed by the tration were granted to the wife. Last assortment of homes for feathery week, after hearing the report of the songsters was quite creditable. The master, Russel J. Brownback, Judge winners in the contest sponsored by Corson granted a divorce to Mrs. the Lions Club were: Class No. 1- Rodenbaugh. The only serious quarfirst prize, \$2.50—Robert Landes; sec- rel she ever had with her husband third prize, \$1 - Harry Ludwig; going around with another girl. fourth prize-50 cents, Lewis Schatz; fifth prize, 50 cents-Paul Hunsicker; sixth prize, 50 cents-Richard Landes. Class No. 2-first prize, \$2.50-Byron Hartenstine; second prize, \$1.00-Nelson Godshall; third prize, 50 cents-Leroy Buckwalter.

TOWN NOTES AND COMMENT

MRS. HENRY ARMSTRONG.

BY DOROTHY U.

Have you ever been to Washington a graduate of Germantown Friends' is requested to bring something to The organization at present is: Chas, in cherry blossom time? There are School and the Philadelphia School of sell. Baked goods, salads, soups, thousands of visitors from all parts of the country who come just to see the graduate of the Wharton School, Uniglories of pink Japanese cherry blossoms surrounding the basin of the and Collegeville High School, class of book and an appetite, so that these Potomac river with Washington Mon- 1923. ument as a background. It is worth traveling miles to see such extravagance in nature which covers these trees with flowers but does not permit any fruit to form later. The reflec- used a small piece of cardboard box not forget to mark off May 7, (Thurstion of these huge bouquets in the water adds to the sight. This year the few words testatrix directs all her our club is entertaining the Montgom- F. W. Gristock. W. A. Gensler was and many other points of interest. sun shone, the weather was warm and \$7,000 estate, with the exception of ery County Federation of Women's these added lures increased the an annual income of \$3,000, which she Clubs and should prove to be the bigcrowds. But each individual must says shall go to her sister, Mrs. Emgest day in our club calendar, and the have felt some response to the glor- ma A. Smith, was left to her husband,

planted iris, tulips, narcissus and flowering shrubs along the embank- 21, 1924. ment. Everywhere springtime and nature have glorified the landscape but in Washington, perhaps, the combination of nature's art and man's formed Sunday School, Collegeville, date and plan to come out and be hosforethought is irresistible.

moral, easily understood, was "don't Richard Allebach. take things too seriously; find enjoy- The two best essays in each group ment in every day life."

ed from Miami, Florida.

relatives in Logan. Mr. and Mrs. William Allen, of Ger- WOMAN'S SYMPHONY ORCHES-

mantown, spent the week end in town.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Y. Heckler.

is in constant attendance. Mrs. E. L. Conway has been seri-

Mrs. William McAllister is at home again after being in Jefferson Hospital for some time. She is improv-

ing slowly. As many people have remarked, Tuesday evening, April 28, at eight Ohio. The truck, getting beyond the it seems as the our town has periods o'clock. Prof. Claycomb's orchestra control of the driver, after the acciof critical illnesses when more than is a fine musical organization. Addent, ran into a field. one person's health is seriously af- mission, 35 cents for adults and 20 Such waves seem to come cents for children. rhythmically and we must accept

them. Kismet! Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bennung and daughter Betty Mae, of Overbrook,

Mr. Louis Todt, of Philadelphia, and daughter Irene, of Jeffersonville, were side. the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs.

Mrs. J. S. Miller and Mrs. John Freed spent Saturday in Philadelphia. Mr. and Mrs. Leon Hendrickson, of Jeffersonville, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D H. Bartman and family. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown motored MONTGOMERY MAY BECOME

to Smyrna, Delaware, on Saturday where they visited Mrs. Henry Brown.

a snoe store.

(Continued on page 4)

Mrs. George Walt, of Third avenue,

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED rad F. Bond, son of Mrs. Charles Otis | Electric Company. After this there Bond, of Germantown. Miss Field is will be a food sale and every member

versity of Pennsylvania, class of 1928, acceptable. Then also bring a pocket-

LETTERS GRANTED

Effie M. Lane, of Lower Providence, have felt some response to the glorious effect. Not far from the cherry blossoms is another body of water with beautiful weeping willow trees with beautiful weeping willow trees were granted to Mirate the field control of the scout masters of the Lower Perkiomen district held at the College, important business transport of the scout masters of along one side and Washingtonians, ed and letters were granted to Mirppreciating their possibilities have lam E. Miller, formerly Miriam E. A box Lane. The will was written October

> ESSAY CONTEST WINNERS Sixteen young people of Trinity Re- issue of this paper. Just reserve the May 16. competed in the annual Stewardship tess to our visiting guests. M. H. F.

"The Mender" was well performed naria, Royersford R. D.; 2nd prize-

were then entered in the general con-Mr. and Mrs. John E. Martin, of test and Trinity feels honored in hav-Perkiomen Bridge hotel, have return- ing two of these entrants returned as Jeanne Mathieu and Alice Wismer, of pack, Irvin Taney of Mont Clare and Mr. and Mrs. George Clamer and group A and Richard Allebach, sec- Helen Godshall, Jean Ann Fretz, The supervision of the program wil Mr. Frank Clamer spent Sunday with ond, group D.

the week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. | course of Community Entertainments | Hudson, Luvenia and Georgia Brooks, | were present. will be given in Bomberger Hall, Ur- and Blanche and Mary Sassaman, all Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cole and son, sinus College, on Tuesday, April 28, of Collegeville. of Pennsburg; Mr. and Mrs. Harper at 8.00 p. m., d. s.t., by the Philadel-Bean, of Jeffersonville, and Mr. and phia Woman's Symphony Orchestra ANNUAL SENIOR WEEKEND Mrs. H. A. Smith and family, of under the direction of J. F. W. Leman, Llanerch, spent Sunday with Mr. and assisted by Ciro DeRitas, a prominent Philadelphia operatic baritone soloist. Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Heckler, of Nor- This orchestra consists of about sixty ristown, were the Sunday guests of persons and is composed of artists who, under the leadership of Mr. Le-Little Margaret Dietterich remains man render very delightful programs. at Temple University Hospital, Phila- It will be remembered that when they delphia, and not out of danger yet. were here several years ago they She has been there four weeks and called forth much praise and enthuher mother, Mrs. Louneta Ditterich, siasm. Admission for persons not holding course tickets is one dollar.

CLAYCOMB'S MUSIC PUPILS

WILL GIVE MUSICALE The pupils of Eugene Claycomb motor vehicle, headed toward Read- Rev. E. S. Shelly, of Pennsburg, will will give a musicale in the Hendricks ing, was struck by a heavy truck preach the sermon. Memorial building, Collegeville, on driven by Clyde Boecher, of Akron,

The annual spring pep meeting and outside speaker will be present and of the Pool estate on April 25. other special entertainment arranged

EVANSBURG M. E. CHURCH

tinger, pastor.

Brown.

Dr. and Mrs. S. D. Cornish and Montgomery counties each be
MEETING OF COUNTY SABBATH don for a several days' stay. family and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Cor- come a separate Congressional dishish spent the week end in Wash- trict in the Republican State organi- The 36th annual convention of the dancing season at the Riverside pavil- Bentley Watters will manage the find in a strange newspaper. zation's plan to redistrict the State Montgomery County Sabbath School ion, largest in the valley, on Saturday Trooper baseball team in the 1931 Mrs. Ralph Graber entertained the to elect thirty-four Congressmen in- Association will be held Friday and evening, May 2. Wimodasi Sewing Club at a covered dish luncheon at her home on Tues- day and will open for busi- later the 1000 stead of thirty-six. The bill carrying out these changes made mandatory Presbyterian church, DeKalb and hotel property and will open for busi- his managerial activities by Wes Sla-

DEAD, WOMAN GETS DIVORCE

Prior to July 24, 1920, William S. dence in Norristown. The following Christmas eve she received a short The bird boxes made by boys of note from Cleveland, in which was

COMMUNITY CLUB NOTES

The meeting of the Community Club will be held on Wednesday afternoon, April 29, at 2.30 o'clock in the Fire hall. The program for this day will be in charge of Mrs. W. Z. delicacies may also be purchased. The Club needs the money and you will be rewarded by a fine variety of

Women of the Collegeville Club, do

prize winners: Emily Kagey, first, Trappe; Ruth and Dorothy Francis, J. B. Ziegler of Limerick. Laura Keyser, Mary Ella McDonald, be in charge of the Assistant Scou Clara Schonberger, Eva Ullman, Min- Executive, R. W. Hoxworth. TRA IN BOMBERGER HALL Detwiler, Eva Muche, Gladys Walt, Montgomery Council, Mr Mrs. Carrie Freed, of Lansdale, was The last number of the season's Virginia Poley, Evelyn Yeagle, Alix Burd P. Evans and J. Hansell French,

AT URSINUS COLLEGE Senior weekend was a delightful 12 inches in length, feature enjoyed at Ursinus College. The annual senior ball was held Fri- Endeavor Societies will attend the day evening. McNichol's orchestra Spring Rally of the Perkiomen Valley furnished the music for dancing. Saturday evening the senior minstrel was held with Blair Egge and Albert April 26. The Junior Rally will be Thompson directing.

AUTO CRASH IN LIMERICK Two men were slightly injured Sun- There will be no Sunday School day night in a crash on Ridge pike, next Sunday afternoon, Limerick. They were R. H. Stahl and

PURCHASED POOL PROPERTY

7.30—The Great Venture. Donald Ot- pany was summoned but was unable fire is unknown. Property damage to the firemen. ONE CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT is estimated at \$3,500.

OPERATION FOR APPENDICITIS HUSBAND DECLARED LEGALLY | ELECTION OF SCHWENKSVILLE | BURGLARS INVADED HOSIERY BANK PRESIDENT

At a meeting of the directors of the Rodenbaugh, lived with his wife Mag- Schwenksville Bank, Monday, Edward | week end, robbed the Campbell Hos-Mrs. Walt's condition was gie Benner Rodenbaugh, in their B. Schwenk was elected president to iery Company mill at Oaks and obserious when she was taken to the home on Third avenue, east, College- succeed his father, who was chosen tained loot said to be valued at \$1,200. hospital, upon the advice of Dr. W. Z. Anders. After the operation, the pa
Anders. After the operation, the pa
Among the outstanding changes of service to the bank—first as a clerk, iery, nearly ready for shipment, was such a dry season last year. Farm
Is unusual for the time of the year and especially so after experiencing officers was the resignation of Adam about both feet when he jumped from Anter the operation, the patient was in a critical condition until more favorable symptoms were obspaced by Frank Weaver, watched and the factory. Entrance to the hard if another prolonged drought for the past sixteen year. His son, hard if another prolonged drought for the past sixteen year. His son, hard if another prolonged drought for the past sixteen year. His son, dust on the dump at the plant of the Edgar Weaver, was elected to fill this continental Diamond Fibre Company, tient was in a critical condition until Rodenbaugh's life with whom he de- then as teller, as cashier, and as pres- discovered by Frank Weaver, watch- such a dry season last year. Farmchildren; after he had taken her in the vacancy of vice-president caused window. The stockings taken were is experienced. his automobile to her mother's resi- by the sudden death of John P. Kline. ready to be put on the boards for

EAGLEVILLE MAN ATTACKED AND ROBBED

Charles Croll, of Eagleville, was attacked and robbed by two colored men ASCO STORE AT GREEN LANE near Washington and Green streets, Norristown, Monday night. William Sisco, 31, of Elm street, was arrested on suspicion of being one of the robwithout bail for a further hearing.

BOY SCOUT NEWS

Collegeville Committee Reorganized The Troop Committee of the Col-Anders, chairman of the American and 18 were set aside as the dates geologist of note.

Home Committee There will be a first in one day. It is a and 18 were set aside as the dates geologist of note. Mr. and Mrs. Cromwell Field, of Home Committee. There will be a attendance, advancement and outside him has been found since. Mr. and Mrs. Cromwell Field, of Philadelphia, announce the engagement of their daughter May to Conment of the Ages," by the Philadelphia urged to take more interest in the movement and see that their boys at-Hildebeidle, assistant scoutmasters; pilgrimage to Washington, D. C., on Activities-A. H. Francis, A. T. Alle- by motor. bach, W. A. Gensler; Membership ber; Committee on Instruction, S. Mount Vernon, historical grounds and appointed the local representative to the district court of honor.

acted, a clever play in the afternoon. day evening, April 13, at which reprecream served in the college dining Clare, Skippack, Trappe and Limerick POTTSTOWN HIGH DEFEATS room will be an interesting part of were present, it was decided to have a the day's program. More details of treasure hunt for the Scouts of the this day will be published in another lower end of the valley on Saturday,

The Scouts will meet at St. James' Important notice! The Community Club card party scheduled for this Saturday night will be held in the Field Cage of Ursinus College. Remember this change and ignore the place designated on the ticket. See you at the Field Cage and you'll see you at the Field Cage and you'll see you at the Field Cage and you'll see you reighbors, friends and relatives there too. It is expected to be quite a large affair so don't miss it. Tickets 50 cents include refreshments and so the field cage affair so don't miss it. Tickets 50 cents include refreshments and so the field cage affair so don't miss it. Tickets 50 cents include refreshments and so the field cage affair so don't miss it. Tickets 50 cents include refreshments and so the field cage affair so don't miss it. Tickets 50 cents include refreshments and so the field cage affair so don't miss it. Tickets 50 cents include refreshments and so the field cage affair so don't miss it. Tickets 50 cents include refreshments and so the field cage affair so don't miss it. Tickets 50 cents include refreshments and so the field cage affair so don't miss it. Tickets 50 cents include refreshments and so the field cage affair so don't miss it. Tickets 50 cents include refreshments and so the field cage affair so don't miss it. Tickets 50 cents include refreshments and so the field cage affair so don't miss it. Tickets 50 cents include refreshments and so the field cage affair so don't miss it. Tickets 50 cents include refreshments and so the field cage affair so don't miss it. Tickets 50 cents include refreshments and so the field cage affair so don't miss it. Tickets 50 cents include refreshments and so the field cage affair so don't miss it. Tickets 50 cents include refreshments and so the field and for the camp-ticket of the two best congregational essays in the field on from place they will be led over a trail of notes, leading them from place they will be led over a trail of notes, leading them from place they will be led over a trail of notes, leading them from place they will o Saturday afternoon a birthday of notes, leading them from place to when five miscues in succession were standing. Too much spare time for been a patient in the Pottstown Homparty, in recognition of the 10th place, until they come to a plot of committeed. Moyer pitched a good husbands (and wives, too) is bad. birthday anniversary of Arline Walt, ground that has been given to them game for the home team. An inferand decorations in green featured the will prepare, cook and eat their even-ville on Friday for their second shall, Mrs. Joe Klumpp, and Miss Ed- open. At 7 p. m. a group of contes by the Junior Class of C. H. S. The Iva L. Angell, Collegeville. Group D, na Smith. The lassies present were: activities will be conducted. The var Dorothy Eppeheimer, of Spring City; ious scoutmasters, who were present Bertha Romig and Gladys Logan, of at the meeting, included Charles J Port Kennedy; Josephine Slotterer, of Smedley, of Collegeville, Ray Hagen Rahns; Elinor Klumpp, of Limerick; buch of Trappe, Clem Bean of Skip

nie Potts, Dorothy Smith, Eileen At the meeting on Monday even Winkler, Dorothy Hildebidle, Ethel ing two members of the Delaware and

RIPPLES FROM RAHNS

Harry Cole, of Rahns, landed 12 nice catfish one evening last week. Several of the catties measured over

The Junior and Senior Christian Branch C. E., to be held in the Mennonite church at Bally, next Sunday, it held in the afternoon and the Senior Rally in the evening. Both societies will take part in the program.

GRATERFORD NEWS

Firemen Save Rosenberger Property The timely arrival and efficient work of the Schwenksville and Col-Funeral director, L. H. Dotts, Skip- legeville Fire Companies early Friday pack, has purchased the attractive evening saved the frame and slate tensmoker of the Collegeville Athletic residence of the late Charles M. Pool, ant house of George Rosenberger Association will be held in the Fire hall on Monday evening, April 27. An Ullman.

A. M. Ullman. arrived but they managed to get the Mr. and Mrs. Walter Murray and for. President Joel Francis will pre-A bungalow owned by Benjamin fire is a mystery. The damage Hallman, ss. Long, of Spring Mount, containing amounts to about \$600.00. The house furniture and other fixtures, was was occupied by the three Evenstad Sunday, April 26—11.00 a. m., d. s. burned to the ground Monday after-brothers, who are employed at the Mosteller, rf. Education of the Boundary Repril 26—11:00 a. m., d. s., noon. The Schwenksville Fire Compenitoring, who are employed at the Boundary Repril 26—11:00 a. m., d. s., noon. The Schwenksville Fire Compenitoring, who are employed at the Boundary Repril 26—11:00 a. m., d. s., noon. bany was summoned but was unable to check the flames which destroyed the frame building. The origin of the fire is unknown. Property damage is estimated at \$3,500.

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grandson Billy motored to Hunting- BEN WATTERS NAMED PILOT

MILL AT OAKS

Burglars some time during the final inspection before being packed for shipment to distributors. The robbery was reported to police authorities and private detectives.

IS SCENE OF HOLD-UP a short time before. A masked ban- his hands. dit appeared in the store, with revolver pointing to the manager, delegeville Scout troop was reorganized without further argument. After se- legeville firemen were called out to men are contemplating fencing in this died within twenty-four hours. He

COUNTY SCHOOLS WILL JOIN

IN TREK TO NATION'S CAPITAL The senior class of the J. Horace J. Smedley, Jr., Scoutmaster; Joel B. Landis joint consolidated high school, Troop Committee-Rev. John Lentz, Tuesday, May 5 and return Friday, Chaplain; Ralph E. Miller, secretary- May 9. They will be accompanied by treasurer; S. D. Cornish, chairman; the senior class of the North Wales Committee on Outdoor and Indoor high school. The trip will be made

The trip will include visits to the Committee-Geo. Yeagle, Ralph Gra- U. S. Naval Academy at Annapolis, Students who will make the trip include: Misses Dorothy Ziegler, Goldye Fishell, Mildred Culp, Eliza-At a meeting of the scoutmasters | Charles Link, Hugh Schmidt, Merrill

COLLEGEVILLE HIGH 9-4 By Rick Allebach

The Scouts will meet at St. James' poorly played game to Pottstown on Episcopal church, Evansburg, at 2.30 the Commons field on Tuesday after- "gentleman" husbands who have noth- Mrs. A. Harvey Moyer and Mr. and as Norristown health officer and seciority complex seemed to have settled

The Colonels travel to East Green-

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Royersford Easy for Collegeville section of the Montco league, College- High Ball went south late in the af- Miller, returned to her home on Sun- at Trappe and Schwenksville at Oaks. ville high trimmed Royersford, 13 to ternoon with Canadian and Great day. Services will be conducted in the noon. Ed. Poley hurled a fine game turned with merchandise and perish- spent several days with her brother Benjamin Musk, of Reading. Their chapel on Sunday evening, May 3. for C. H. S. Les Becker, with a pair ables for the Allentown markets and chapel on Sunday evening, May 3. stanzas to clinch the league tilt. COLLEGEVILLE

Abram Espenship will open the OF TROOPER BASEBALL TEAM Perky league baseball race. The star abuse his privileges.

RAMBLING AT RANDOM

BY JAY HOWARD

The ground is dry, very dry. This

Several dozen people were in swimthey didn't stay in very long. Won-

will be held at Ursinus College on The American Stores Co. store at Saturday, May 2. Over 3000 school Green Lane, was held up last Satur- children and several thousand patrons bers. At the hearing before Burgess day evening, by a masked bandit and from all over the county are expected Wilson, Tuesday morning, Croll iden- robbed of \$102 in cash, the receipts on the campus for the all-day event. ond prize, \$2.00—Howard Shaffer; was when she spoke to him about while another man took \$38 from his Harg, of Trappe, manager, was alone legeville, assistant county supering the spoke to him about while another man took \$38 from his legeville, assistant county supering the spoke to him about while another man took \$38 from his legeville, assistant county supering the spoke to him about while another man took \$38 from his legeville, assistant county supering the spoke to him about while another man took \$38 from his legeville, assistant county supering the spoke to him about while another man took \$38 from his legeville, assistant county supering the spoke to him about while another man took \$38 from his legeville, assistant county supering the spoke to him about while another man took \$38 from his legeville, assistant county supering the spoke to him about while another man took \$38 from his legeville, assistant county supering the spoke to him about while another man took \$38 from his legeville, assistant county supering the spoke to him about while another man took \$38 from his legeville, assistant county supering the spoke to him about while another man took \$38 from his legeville, assistant county supering the spoke to him about while another man took \$38 from his legeville, as since the spoke to him about while another man took \$38 from his legeville, as since the spoke to him about while another man took \$38 from his legeville, as since the spoke to him about while another man took \$38 from his legeville, as since the spoke to him about while another man took \$38 from his legeville, as since the spoke to him about while another man took \$38 from his legeville, as since the spoke to him about while another man took \$38 from his legeville him about while another man took \$38 from his legeville him about while another man took \$38 from his legeville him about while another man took \$38 from his legeville him about while another man took and the spoke him about while another man took and the spoke him about w pocket. Sisco was committed to prison in the store at the time, his assistant, tendent of schools, will be in charge a drain in the cellar and grading the in the store at the time, his assistant, Nelson Schiffert, having left the store and it is a man-sized job he has on donated to the Fire Company by Mr.

Be careful about grass fires and property consists of a fifty-foot front manding the money in the cash regis- field fires. Don't start anything that on Fourth avenue, west, and is one The firemen may be forced to take of their annual carnival. drastic action if the grass fire nuisance doesn't soon abate,

It is beginning to look as if Trooper's representatives in the Perkiomen League pulled a fast one on the Meixel circuit moguls. After advocating the last moment spring Benny Watters and Wes Slater, two of the best players ever to grace the league, as team. They will have a supporting the highest and brightest state of caste of such players as Bob Faust, Whitle Beecher, McTamney, Mogul Shellenberger, Lin and Al Tarlecki, Himsworth, Cassel and others. It looks as if Trooper has the pennant

from "active" work some time ago. A busy man has no time to fight with ficials. The Collegeville Colonels dropped a That is why the writer keeps on work- New Haven, Connecticut, spent the lowing the death of Charles E. White. non. Errors marred "Bill" Brandiff's ing to do but sit around home all Mrs. Joseph H. Walters. Colonels' chances in the fifth frame day and "pick" is beyond our under- Miss Alamanda Plank, who has

> Spring housecleaning - husbands time to go golfing or fishing. Why homes so spick and span have to go thru the strenuous operation of Homeopathic Hospital.
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> Mrs. J. H. Hillier and that doesn't blow some good and ousecleaning means the exit for day.

The Japanese cherry blossoms at day. Perkiomen valley? David Jones, on ited Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Romberger is farm near Yerkes, has the finest on Sunday. acres of a solid mass of rich blue. Then week end in Washington, D. C. hunted up by the day of sight seeing.

past thirty years or more was one of | ily. cal" freight then distributed the con- day.

southbound trip the next morning. Pete Frederick, first assistant chief, of Mingo. fire on Friday evening. Pete alleges sey, on Saturday. as chief. Mayor Jesse Kline, who blossoms on Sunday. service by saving the historic dairy Detwiler, of Philadelphia. Tuesday.

We're all chiefly interested in our- over the week end. selves. Note how little news one can

Don't be a game or fish hog. Do and Mrs. Norman Bowers and daugh- by W. Stuart Booth, C. S. B., of Den-

NEWS FROM TRAPPE

Elect Trappe Fire Co. Officers Election of officers was the important business transacted at the annual ported a string of 14 legal size trout, meeting of the Trappe Fire Company He threw an equal number back. in the local fire house last week. vacancy with Ernest M. Pennepacker, Bridgeport. first assistant and Harold T. Alle- Less than two hours after he had bach, second assistant. S. Walter been discharged, Sunday morning, Edming in the Perkiomen on Sunday. Stearly, Hiram Bucher and Harold T. ward Cooper, 43, Norristown R. D. 1, Allebach were named as trustees; was back in a city hall cell, Norrispresident, Milton B. Schrack; vice- town. After spending several hours president, Daniel W. Shuler; record- in jail following his second arrest he Remember the annual May Festi- ing secretary, Earl B. Moyer; finan- was discharged. val of the Montgomery county schools cial secretary, Harry H. Stearly; treasurer, E. G. Brownback. The following men were named as drivers: his right hand badly bruised Satur-Edgar Weaver, S. B. Tyson, Reaser day afternoon when the high wind Felton, Ernest Pennepacker and S. Walter Stearly. Volunteer work by the firemen was started on Monday evening when the men began putting

C. C. Wismer Farm Sold

the season they turn around and at purchased property on Main street, for enactment by the 1933 Legislawhich was formerly owned by Grant ture." Whipple. Mr. Wismer is a retired farmer of wide reputation, having the nucleus for this year's Trooper buildings were always maintained in

Thieves Rob Fire House

Smashing the pay telephone located JOHN J. FERRY NAMED REGISclinched already. Oaks with a young in the local fire hall with a hammer, and coming combination should finish thieves who entered the building thru second. The other four teams will a rear door, one night last week, took outs with their wives. This is just what we expected when they retired what we expected when they retired was disconnected but no damage was reported by the fire company of their was assume his new reported by the fire company of

his wife and flirt with other women. Mr. and Mrs. J. Clifford Walters, of

eopathic Hospital for the past ten weeks, was conveyed to her home on on the locals and they were unable and sons beware! Now is a good to walk, having sustained a fall at Tuesday. Miss Plank is still unable time to go golling or fishing. Why housekeepers who always have their homes so snigh and snen have to go being attended by a nurse from the

those dirt catching, light excluding, daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Rahns, Tuesday. G. Heany, of Salford Station on Sun-

Washington, D. C., are in the public Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Hoyer and ye at present, and they are wonder- daughter motored to Allentown with ful; but did you ever stop to admire the beauty right here in our own sons, of Kenilworth, where they vis-

there are the meadows of Quaker Mrs. Malvina Mathieu and Mr. and be changed for each of the five games ladies and blue bells all along the Perkiomen, the mountain pink, the tored to Wilmington, Delaware, on league secretary's hands three days

The "High Ball" freight run of the Rahns, spent Saturday at the home ted to the strong personnel of the Perkiomen Railroad, which for the of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Reed and fam- Trooper line-up but did not offer a the branch's fastest and most impor- Mr. and Mrs. Walter T. Miller and called for. Each of the six clubs put tant freight trains, has been discon- sons Dudley and Robert, of Parkland, up an advance payment of \$30.00 for tinued. The run was taken off be- were guests at the home of Daniel baseballs and umpires. The league cause freight was not running suffi- W. Shuler on Sunday. Miss Helen will open on Saturday, May 2 with

2, on the Colonels' field, Friday after- Lakes freight. Before midnight it re- Mrs. Monroe Sierer, of Carlisle, FIFTY COWS ON HONOR ROLL of triples and a single, led the victors points beyond. All Perkiomen freight M. Hench. Mr. and Mrs. Norman in hitting. The Collegeville club from Philadelphia went north to Al- Jones and Miss Blanche Shellenberger association number two, shows 400 bunched eight runs in the first two lentown on the "High Ball." The "Lo- of Philadelphia, visited them on Sun-

> home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bechtel, butterfat during the mnth. accuses his superior, chief Theo. Sil- Rev. and Mrs. W. O. Fegely and was made by a registered Guernsey

> Theo. hurled a mirror and a full set | Misses Cecyl Walters, Mildred Walof dishes out of a second story win- ters and Pauline Walters and Mr. Ray Sons herd of Red Hill, with a record dow and carried the blankets and Hagenbuch, of Trappe, and Mr. Herpillows safely down the stairs. Theo. bert Harley, of Limerick, enjoyed a denies the allegation. He says Pete is trip to Washington, D. C., where they jealous and electioneering for his job saw the gorgeous array of cherry record was made by 18 registered Jer-

barn on the Colonial farm when it Mr. and Mrs. Winfield W. Harley, average of 35 pounds. was threatened by a grass fire on of Schwenksville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Horace Reed and family.

Mrs. Hiram Ganser, of Norristown,

entertained fourteen guests at a birth- seys. day anniversary dinner at the Frank-A true sportsman will use but not lin House, here, on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Warren W. Walters and daughter Geraldine visited Mr. Free lecture on Christian Science

as one district. | rally will take place Friday night. | Companies responded. | Saturday. | continued on page 4) | time. The public is invited.

COUNTY AND STATE ITEMS

Governor Pinchot, back to Harrisburg, Monday, from Pike county, re-

Peter De Cio, of Lafayette street,

Linwood R. Decker, Hartranft avenue, Norristown, had two fingers of caused the door of the garage to close on his hand.

Thomas O'Conner, 62, of Butler pike, Cold Point, sustained a possible fractured skull when he fell down a flight of steps, Monday morning. He was taken to Montgomery Hospital.

Harry Yeager, of Norristown. This Joseph Hill Brinton, 97, of Thornbury, Chester county, was operated ter, which sum was handed to him you can't finish. On Saturday the Col- hundred and fifty feet deep. The fire- upon at a hospital for hernia and on Monday night in an effort to raise curing the money the bandit left the two grass fires in one day. It is a property. The dates of July 11, 15, was a graduate of Yale College and a

More than 200 farmer taxpayers of Washington county in a meeting in James Staley, of Eagleville, has ington, Pa., Monday voted resolutions purchased the large farm of Christian against unequal taxation of land own-Wismer in Upper Providence. His ers and urging Governor Pinchot and farmer, Edgar Imes, and family, of the Legislature "to appoint a tax King of Prussia, will move into the commission to make a thorough study house on Monday. Mr. Wismer and of the laws of Pennsylvania with a a strictly amateur class of ball of a family will move into their recently view to preparing a modern tax bill

Paul J. March, 27, East Berlin, is at iberty under \$2500 bond on a charge of arson following fire which Saturday damaged the exchange stables of preservation. Mr. Staley realized this 100 prize pigeons owned by Walter J. Sell, were destroyed.

TRAR OF VITAL STATISTICS John J. Ferry, well-known underhave to fight it out for third place. the money from the coin box and taker of Norristown, has been ap-We see by the papers where Ty obb and Jack Demnsey are on the truders tampered with the fire appar- trar of vital statistics in the Norris-

> reported by the fire company of- duties May 1 and succeeds R. Ronald Dettra, 1310 Powell street, who has been registrar since May 15, 1930, fol-

The Norristown district includes, in addition to Norristown, East and West Norriton, Upper Merion, Lower Providence, Whitpain and a portion of Plymouth township.

GRASS FIRES NUMEROUS The Collegeville Fire Company responded to four grass fires over the housecleaning is hard for us "sloppy" Miss Kathryn Pennepacker attended a avenue on Saturday; near the Dunkweek end-Skippack hill near Fern theatre party in Philadelphia on Mon- ard meetinghouse, Skippack township, Saturday; the Ursinus College woods Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Weaver and Sunday morning; Colonial farm, near

PERKY LEAGUE MEETING

A special meeting of the Perkiomen the Trappe Fire hall on Tuesday evening. President M. W. Meixel presided. All six clubs were represented. field of blue bottles we ever saw—two Mr. Norman D. Schrack spent the the adopting of the players lists for dog wood and many other articles too Sunday where they visited Mr. and before the game when the new playnumerous to mention which will be Mrs. Herman W. Mathieu and family. ers are to be used. Trappe and Mr. and Mrs. Webster Smith, of Schwenksville representatives objecnegative vote when ratification was ciently heavy to warrant continuing Shuler, who had been attending a pa- Collegeville playing the Norristown In the opening fracas in the upper it on its former daily schedule. The tient at the home of Mr. and Mrs. High Club at Bungalow Inn, Trooper

> The March report submitted by David H. Magill, tester for cow testing milk and butterfat production. Fifty signments at way stations on its Mr. and Mrs. George Tyson and cows were placed on the honor roll daughter Jean spent Sunday at the for producing 40 pounds or more of

> The highest record for butterfat cott, of the Graterford volunteers, of family visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul P. owned by George Schantz, of Palm, pulling a boner at the Rosenberger Davenport, of Haddonfield, New Jer- with 75 pounds. The second highest butterfat record and first in milk production was made by Pauline, a regisof 2412 pounds of milk and 72 pounds

> is trying to bring the two factions to
> Mrs. D. W. Favinger spent the Wales, with 38 pounds. A herd of gether, says the boys rendered a great week end with her sisters, the Misses 26 grades owned by Charles Renninger, Fredrick, was second with an

Among the owners who had cows Mr. and Mrs. Abram Walker and J. L. Overly and Sons, State Hospital, to qualify for the honor roll were: If you know yourself you are sure son Charles motored to Washington, Charles Fetterman of Palm, Frank D. C., and visited friends in Baltimore Brinckman, Red Hill, each 1 Holstein; and Wm. Stephens, Collegeville, 2 Jer-

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day.

Nathan Schonberger is making extensive improvement to his property, lensive improvement to his property, will far a time fell dapta.

On Tuesday a field fire for a time will serve the buildings at the Constant of the Senate Monday.

Observe game laws faithfully that others may follow your example.

The Trooper team had little trouble on a field captural county. Salurday in the Country is an addition to his schools will attend the sessions, which will be started at 1.30 Friday in the Country in the Constant of the Board of Country is an addition to his schools will attend the sessions, will attend the sessions, lensing and distinct of the Board of The Mortha House faith days.

The Trooper team had little trouble of Half Way House, on th

\$25,00

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A GENERAL STATEMENT MINUS SPECIFIC FACTS AND PARTICULARS

Chairman Wickersham, of the Law Enforcement Commission says: "Every day furnishes examples of the absence of that wholesome respect for the law which ought to be characteristic of a self-governing people." The implication conveyed by the statement quoted being that there is an absence of "wholesome respect" for Prohibition laws. Chairman Wickersham's statement also distinctly involves the old Pennsylvania Sunday Blue Law-violated at least a million times every Sunday; the implication being that there is not a "wholesome respect" for Sunday Blue Law. Both implications are well sustained by the facts of general observation. Why? The answer is found in the fact, supported from time to time by indisputable evidence, that any law, whatsoever its character, that is not approved by preponderating public sentiment, or conviction, is incapable in the very nature of the case of successful enforcement. Human nature cannot be changed by legal enactments-never has been, never will be. Men create laws and create criminals when their laws are unjust and, in application, subversive of the personal rights and liberties of those governed. A good citizen who lacks "wholesome respect" for a bad or vicious law is far better than a crimecreating law. No law can be framed capable of changing the sincere convictions of men and women as to social or other questions, nor can a law be formulated to compel men and wo men, individually, or collectively, to mind their own business or quit fanatical intermeddling with the habits (however unharmful) of their neighbors. Laws designed to prevent or check real crimes-crimes actually destructive of the safety of mankind, of human life and property, are universally regarded with "wholesome respect" by every good and sober minded citizen. I a law fails to gain hearty and "wholesome" respect, it is because the creators of such a law have failed to create a law that commands "wholesome respect" of a majority public sentiment. A loud noise about law-enforcement will not prevent a bad law from creating criminals as to a particular law. That is certain. More clear reasoning from cause to effect, in the governmental affairs of mankind, as well as in many other activities of human life, might increase the number of level heads engaged in law-

REVOLUTIONARY HOSTILITIES IN NICARAGUA

Another revolution in sway in Nicaragua! A number of Americans have been killed. The government of Nicaragua is relying upon the indorsement and aid of the United States. The authorities at Washington are not disposed to "but in" to any considerable extent. That's about the situation. It rather conclusively appears that when American citizens, of their own | ing them to this and that entertainvolition, go outside of the United States and into territory not under the control of a stable government, they themselves assume risks of their own choosing. However, it is contended that since the United States Government has for some time held a supervising attitude toward Nicaragua, the Government should protect the lives of American in that quarter of the earth. Applying this view of the case the Government of the United States would be required to afford personal guards for all the restless Americans roaming here and there, within the boundaries of Nicaragua. And that would be an interesting and expensive procedure of doubtful efficiency.

WHAT MIGHT HAVE BEEN DONE ASIDE FROM SAVING HUMAN LIVES

A German statistician, writing in the Manchester (England) her own that Clara Bailey Bunting Guardian, estimates the cost of the late world war at approxi- of the new art industry known as the mately \$500,000,000,000, and points out what might have been done with this gigantic sum if it had been expended in productive channels instead of being turned over to the war profiteers. For instance, this statistician points out that it would have provided for every family in the United State, Great Britain, Germany, France, Russia, Belgium, Canada, and Australia a \$2,500 enable her to keep this tiny roof over home on a five-acre tract of land, containing \$1,250 worth of furniture, and still have enough left over to establish a hospital, a university, and a school for every 20,000 persons in every one of these countries. Contemplating such a vast economic loss alone, The twins grew older, and it was to without considering the 11 million lives lost or the 19 million serious injuries sustained in the late war, it is difficult to under- only in their sweet 'teens appearing stand how sane individuals will tolerate the efforts of jingoists ture studios of Hollywood. and militarists who seem to be doing all in their power to precipitate another conflict that will perhaps outstrip the last one ing to character roles. In between in serverity. Will there never be sufficient accumulated sanity to prevent war and bloodshed, and the wasting of vast sums and sewing for her girls, Clara was of money?

A MILLION DOLLARS A YEAR!

G. W. Hull, president of the American Tobacco Company, is receiving an official yearly salary of one million dollars. Is he earning that enormous remuneration? Well, whether he is or he is not, it appears to be a fact that under his direction, as president of his company cigarette smokers are induced to think or feel that the Company's brand of tobacco (rolled in paper) just about suits their discriminating tastes. While they are smoking their favorite cigarettes they are steadily contributing to a million dollar salary for one individual. Are smokers receiving full value for the money they are expending for cigarettes? That's a question for the smokers to answer in a manner most satisfactory to themselves. The users of pipes and smoking tobacco are not much interested. If cigarette smokers are paying too much for their numerous tho very brief smokes, the habit they have formed is more expensive than it should be, and that's their misfortune in this era of complex civilization and many extravagaces.

"I TOLD YOU

By FANNIE HURST

SO"

ACK in the days when "elocution" was a maidenly accomplishment, Clara Bailey Bunting taught that gentle art.

The two parlors of the modest home she occupied with her husband, Doctor Bunting, were given over to her work. It kept her busy. There were two babies, and in those days the doctor's practice, while never destined to be a large one, was of sufficient proportions to keep the telephone bell constantly jangling.

It was only Clara Bailey Bunting's perennial enthusiasm for her work that made it possible for her to carry on her fragile shoulders the triple duties of wife, mother, and elocution

As Clara used to say of herself, when she married George Bunting, she had not forfeited her stage career; but had merely postponed it. And George who doted on Clara's recitative talents, agreed that as soon as the children were of a more self-sufficient age Clara owed it to herself and to her art to resume her preparation for a career that had been nipped in its very bud by her young romance and subsequent marriage to the good-looking physician.

And of course what subsequently happened was that, as the years drifted, Clara became more and more in volved in home ties—the lives of her children and the problems of her hus-

Teaching elocution was about as far as Clara seemed to advance toward her ultimate goal—the theater.

And yet the quality of her enthusiasm remained undoused. When she was thirty, a bit heavier, her blond prettiness a bit paler, her never too robust health a bit frailer, the sweet blue eyes of Clara Bailey Bunting were still fixed resolutely upon the destination of the theater.

There was something undeniably dramatic to Clara Bailey Bunting with her maturity there came a Lady Macbethian quality to her voice and manner. She deepened, so to speak took on a new poise, and worked more indefatigably than ever with "her girls," as she called them.

The young girls from the high schools and finishing school of the town came in numbers to study elocution with Clara Bailey Bunting.

It soon became apparent, even to Clara who loved her husband, that he was not destined for success in his work. And yet, because she liked the nobility of the doctor's task, she discouraged her husband's valiant offers to abandon his medical practice for a and carried on her own shoulders the upkeep of the little home.

By this time their children, a pair of pretty girl twins, were of an age when they, too, were studying dramatic art with their mother. And how Clara Bailey Bunting worked with these girls! Into them she poured all of her diverted energies.

The doctor doted on these twins, and spent most of his time accompanyment. No local charity event, children's festival, or community occasion, was complete without them. Their mother was kept busy by these entertainments, arranging new readings, new dances, new little dialogue cenes for the children.

About this time Clara began to prepare for an enterprise that had long een smoldering in her mind. Together she, and the doctor wrote a little one-act skit which was to comprise three characters: Clara and her two daughters. The idea was to carry this skit, when completed, to New

That was the year that the doctor developed a spot on his lung. The next six catastrophic months saw this little family, bewildered by adversity, packing themselves, bag

and baggage, for the more benign slopes of southern California. It was thus out of a volition not found herself catapulted into the heart

Then and there Clara Bailey Bunting, carrying now the additional load of an invalided husband, took up her cudgels once more. In the front parlor of a tiny California bungalow she sought to gather unto herself a new class of dramatic pupils sufficient to

her family's heads. After a fashion she succeeded. Young ladies straggled into the parlor of Clara Bailey Bunting for instruction in the gentle art of elocution. be Clara's and her invalided husband's joy and delight to behold them when as "extras' in the local motion pic-

By this time Clara herself, forty, paler, leaner, tireder, was now aspirher teaching, running the household catering to the needs of her husband making hurried visits herself to the studios, registering with the agencies, sending her photographs, made up for

New Chicago Mayor



was born in Bohemia. He's a Democrat.

roles of her own creation, to various casting directors.

flukes of good fortune that can occur in the unstable world of the theater, were cast for parts in a picture that featured the predicament of mistaken identity. It was their opportunity. The picture scored a success and the names of Evelyn and Edith Bunting F. s. KOONS became overnight, as it were, ones to be reckoned with in the world of the

From this point, the destinies of the Stone, Buntings moved forward. Success comes quickly and dramatically in Hollywood. The Buntings found themselves transported from the tiny bungalow to a charming little villa on a rose-grown hillside. The Buntings acquired two cars, a roadster for the girls and a sedan for the doctor, who was unable to travel in an open car. JOHN A. ZAHND The lean years were apparently over and, for the first time in her married life, Clara Bailey Bunting found herself in a position to concentrate on dence EVANSBURG, PA. Phone College-ville 255. her own personal ambitions.

By this time the gray was frankly out in her hair and her never too robust shoulders were drooping noticeably. But the doctor's confidence in her was undiminished. Clara in his opinion undoubtedly had the makings of a magnificent character actress.

The girls, full of the sophistication of the studios, and wise with the cruel wisdoms of youth, opposed their mother in her ambitions. The time had come, in their opinion, for her to sit back and enjoy some of the good things of life. They did not subject her to the hurt of it, but between themselves they indulged in some hilarity at her obsession that she was destined for a stage career.

Poor darling. Best to indulge her and let her talk, but just fancy mother, at her age, still carrying on the de-

There came a time when even the doctor, who still doted on the mother of his children, came a little sadly to admit to himself what delusion it was. Sweet dear, her life had gone in service to him and to her children. and yet the vitality of her desires would not die down. Clara was visualizing herself in mother roles by now and character interpretations of old

And as the demands of her household grew lighter, as the girls were able to supply more and more of the creature comforts, Clara increased her visits to the studios. There were still a few pupils, too, the protestations of her daughters to the contrary notwithstanding.

At fifty, Clara Bailey Bunting, mother of two successful screen actresses herself, held on robustly to her ambitions.

About that time Evelyn married one of the world's most prominent screen stars and for the next five years, because grandchildren came quickly, there was an additional crimp in the professional dreams of Clara Bailey Bunting. It became necessary to take on a larger house, more servants. more domestic mechanisms, and it devolved upon the grandmother to supervise the lives of the three babies of

When Clara Bailey Bunting was sixty the white snow of gentle old age was upon her head. And when she walked out now with the doctor, they leaned quite mutually one upon the

And yet to the embarrassment, indeed the acute mortification, of her two married daughters and even her husband, Clara still made her visits to the studios. It became a sore and sensitive point

in the family, this attitude of Clara's. Her daughters never referred to it and her husband pretended not to notice the obsession

But through it all, with her white head high, Clara still referred to her future in dramatic art. When Clara Bailey Bunting was

sixty-one this happened: Seated with about seventy-five "extras" in the outer office of a large motion picture concern, a famous director, hurrying through, paused a moment before her, questioned her brusquely and motioned her into an adjoining office. Fifteen minutes later, Clara Bailey

Bunting was cast for a mother role that was to make her famous the world over. The family of Clara Bailey Bunting is overwhelmed at the overwhelming success that has come

"I told you so," they all argue triumphantly to one another. "I always knew Mother had the makings of a

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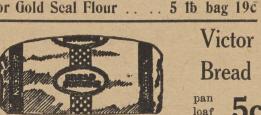
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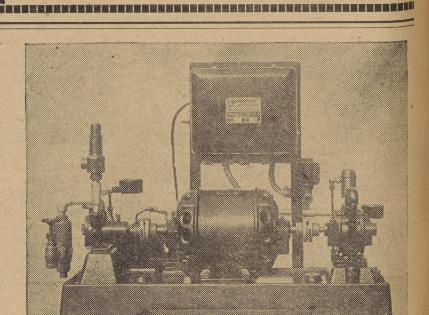
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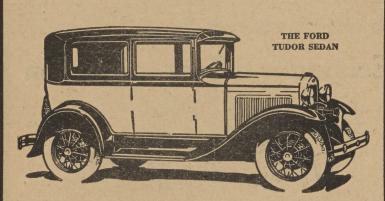
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"One of the surprising features share of the quota. their pockets or being the victims of unwise maternal or paternal affection, follow the line of least resistance by As has been the practice in preceding was better than that of the preceding year," according to George A. Stuart, will be made, and all visitors will be director, bureau of markets. "The ruining the appetite for body-building foods through an over-indulgence in

odas, sweets and cakes. "All little people in this great state have a right to start life with the Week extends to everyone the opportunity of checking up on the chil-

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f the difficulty, May Day Health The fire engine rammed a touring gomery, Dauphin and Lehigh.

SEVEN COUNTIES LEAD 1930 WHEAT CROP

Harrisburg, April 22-Million bushcal Association of Philadelphia is be- of seven counties within the Com- son which closed on February 28. ing held at the Edison Building 9th monwealth during 1930, according to While the amount fell below last seaand Sansom streets, Philadelphia, this the county estimates compiled by the son by about \$200,000 this was due to George R. Conover, Managing Di- Department of Agriculture. These of pelts. The number of animals takrector of the Electrical Association, counties in order of size of the crop en was nearly as high as for the prestated that this year's refrigeration are: Lancaster, York, Franklin, ceding year.

said Mr. Conover when interviewed bushels greater, but the value \$4,000,- opossum is considered wholly a Southrecently. "1,000,000 electric refriger- 000 less than the preceding year. The ern product, there were 127,000 trapators is the quota for the United acre yield was estimated at 22.5 bush- ped. The most of them were taken throughout Pennsylvania, also elo- States for 1931 and from the reports els, which equaled or exceeded that in the southern tier counties. Nearly tor Thoedore B. Appel, Secretary of tributors this district rill aready at hand from dealers and distributors, this district will exceed its producing states. This average yield to add to the supply of fur coats. The "It is interesting to know that the that secured in Kansas. In both Ches- foxes, nearly 8,000 gray foxes, 84,000

As has been the practice in pre- was better than that of the preceding follow the line of least resistance by supplied with an attractive recipe wheat was harvested under extremely favorable conditions which resulted in much of the crop being of high grade," he said.

physical handicaps removed. In many Darby township, Delaware county, is ally from the following counties: Lan-committee appointed at the last meetinstances the establishment of proper living and diet habits will be all that in jail at Media, in default of \$500 caster, York, Chester, Franklin, Cumbail. He is charged with joyriding, berland, Adams, Lebanon, Berks, Del s required. But whatever the cause last Sunday, in the town's fire engine. aware, Northumberland, Bucks, Mont-

Saucer Better than Mound-In comdren's health, and of removing the that he was returning from a brush pleting the planting of ornamental Breeders' Association, and Mr. Pate, causes which lead to devitalization fire. The State Highway Patrolman trees and shrubs it is better to create secretary of the Chester County who caused the arrest alleged Ford a wide "saucer" in the soil about each Guernsey Breeders' Association. was driving the engine around the plant than to form a mound against

TRAPPERS IN STATE EARNED \$1,207,00 IN LAST SEASON

Pennsylvania trappers made a el wheat crops were produced in each clean-up of \$1,207,000 during the seabureau of statistics, Pennsylvania the low prices received from the sale

muskrats trapped in Pennsylvania The total crop for the State was 25,110,000 bushels the highest since pelts of both these animals are in de-1918. The production was 5,000,000 mands by fur dealers. While the is nine bushels more per acre than trappers' returns also show 4,336 red connected with activities of this character is in the discovery of a number of little folks from so-called well-to
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FORM ORGANIZATION The Guernsey breeders of Montgomery county will meet in Court Room D. Norristown, Friday evening, April 24, at 8 o'clock. The constitu-The 1930 shipments came princip- tion and by-laws approved by the ing will be adopted. Other business will include election of officers, direcfor the year. A short address will be made by Warren Whittier, Berks county, director of the Guernsey

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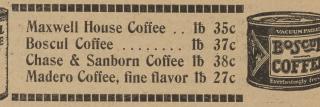
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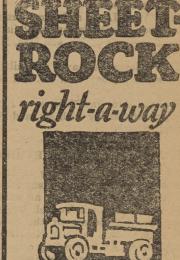
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Next Monday evening, April 27, the Oaks Building and Loan Association will hold their regular monthly meeting in the Oaks Fire hall at 8

Mr. and Mrs. George Ebelhare and son Andy motored to Stone Harbor on Sunday and spent the days with Mr. Ebelhare's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ebelhare.

Mrs. Margaret Landay and Mrs. Mary Francis entertained on Tuesday Mrs. Millhauer, of Rockaway, N. Y., and Mr. and Mrs. Messick, of Burling-

ton, N. J. Many families in this vicinity are

quarantined with measles. On Saturday evening, April 25, at dinner on Sunday. 8.15 two comedy sketches entitled "Sunset," will be given by players from the Methodist church, Phoenixville, at the Oaks Fire hall for bene-

fit of St. Paul's church school. Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Palmer, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday with John Gottwals and daughter, Miss Edna of Jefferson, Wisconsin, and Rev. party Tuesday evening, April 28, in Gottwals.

Little Miss Ruth Miller has returnsence with illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Davis entertained on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Abram and Mrs. Cyril Donahue and family and Mrs. Mary Davis, of Philadelphia, Quite a number of houses in the village are being beautified by a coat of paint.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Pennapacker, of Trappe, called on Mrs. Hannah M. A. Donten, Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. F. McGowen, of Philadelphia, spent the week end with Mr.

and Mrs. Bertram Ashenfelter. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lukens and Mrs. Forrest, of Spring City; Mrs. Samuel Bevan and son Ralph, of Royersford; Mrs. Lambkin and sister, Miss Rachel Bevan, of this place, called on Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weaver,

Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. C. Carmack, of Port Providence, spent Sunday with Mr.

and Mrs. Thornton Buzzard. Mr. and Mrs. Irvin H. Campbell at the parsonage.

the week end. Mrs. Margaret Landay spent Sunday in Port Providence with her daughters, Mrs. Foulk and Mrs. Ellis. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Buzzard of Phoenixville, spent Tuesday with Mr. Buz-Buzzard. Miss Manning, of Merchantsville,

N. J., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. The Young Men's Bible Class of the

Green Tree church enjoyed a banquet on Saturday evening in the annex. Weigner and Mrs. Agnes Reiff visited The Ladies' Aid of the church served Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Neiman and

family, of Pughtown, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Horace Ashenfel-Harvey Rexrode, who was seriously injured in an auto accident, is improv-

ing in the Phoenixville Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Neville Cook and family, of Ardmore, called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John I. Bechtel,

Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Wm. Levis and Mrs. Francis Henderson spent Friday in Philadelphia, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mike

Miss Nioma Cunnane, of Philadel-phia, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs.

Francis Henderson Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stierly, of Sanatoga, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stierly.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY EXHIBIT At the Historical Society of Montgomery county, 18 East Penn street, Norristown, there will be an exhibit next week which will be well worth a visit by all residents of the county who may be able to be in Norristown Phoenixville; Mr. and Mrs. Jacob H. at the time. An interesting collection of samplers and paper weights will Sarah Buckwalter and Sara Leopold, be on display from April 27 to May 1st, inclusive, from 10 a. m. to noon

and 1 to 4 p. m. each day, and on April 28 from 7 to 9 p. m. also. The Mr. and sum of 25 cents. The Society is endeavoring to raise funds so that it | Charles Herzog on Sunday may be able to keep its building for its own exclusive use, and do away with the former custom of renting offices. As the work of the Society ex- Johnson, of Haddon Heights, New tends throughout the county, and its Jersey. rooms and library are very largely used, the support and encouragement of all interested persons will be deeply appreciated. The Society is also desirous of securing new members at \$2.00 a year, and all interested in the work are urged to join by sending

AS TO FOOD AND LODGING about many things, not the least of she escaped injury. which is the low cost of living in Los Angeles and its environs.

M. Gearhart, Curator, at the Society's

of the world, including much of the United States, the Lansdale physician walter's, Trooper. C. E. Sunday evehas no hesitation in handing the palm to Southern California when it comes to the cost of middle class living in

To illustrate his point he cites a typical breakfast, secured in a coffee room in the hotel which he and Mrs. Herman made their headquarters in

It consisted of half of a large ripe grapefruit, two generous strips of bacon, hash, brown potatoes, an egg service in St. Luke's church, Sunday soft boiled, buttered toast, jelly and evening, May 3, at 8 o'clock. as much coffee as desired. The price The primary classes led by as much coffee as desired. The price of this layout was thirty-five cents. Sue Fry and Mrs. Edwin F. Tait con-Mrs. Herman's check was usually ten ducted the worship period in the Sun-

In rooms the cost was equally sur-

per week basis, but they occupied a period will be in charge of the Young Shalkop will sing, accompanied by Eli room such as they have often paid as much as \$50 a week in other cities— liam E. Kuhnt. The pastor and the organ solo. These young men are third floor front, two windows, twin choir will conduct services in the residents of Spring City. beds and bath. The price was \$16.10 Berger Old Folks Home, Wyncote, at The choir of St. Luke's Reformed

It will surprise many of us, accustomed to the scale of living costs light saving time. that prevail in large cities in the East, to learn that such prices can be found anywhere in the country. It also will bring inevitable conclusions.—North

Camp, will be in St. Luke's and show

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NEWS FROM TRAPPE

(Continued from page 1) ma Gottshall, of Vernfield, Mr. and Here is a real fish story and any Mrs. Frank Gottshall and family, of Limerick, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gottshall and family, of Royersford. Mr. and Mrs. Edward LeBon, Miss Fannie Moser, Albert and Harry Moser, of Philadelphia, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Moser and son on Sunday.

Mrs. Dora Poley spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bucher and family, of Township Line.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wismer were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob E. Fry, of Norristown, on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Carl M. Detwiler and Mrs. Jacob Buckwalter and son. daughters, of Reading; Mr. and Mrs.

daughter on Sunday.

Philadelphia on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Houck, of Phila-"Bargain Day at Blumstine's" and delphia, Michael and Nicholas Cas- Missionary Guild was held on Tuessico, Misses Marie and Viola Cassico, day evening in the Guild room. There of Cecane, and Mr. and Mrs. Claude were fifteen girls present. A new Fisher and daughter, of Ambler, spent course of study was started at this Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. meeting. The new book is "West In-Ralph C. Kling and family.

Rev. and Mrs. Garrett F. Gensler, The Eastern Star will hold a card George W. Gensler and daughter, the Grange Hall, Trappe. Mrs. J. Samuel Dahlstrom, of Racine ed to school after several days' ab- Wisconsin, visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl P. Bechtel and family on Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. John Heim and Mr.

Jones and family, of Black Rock road were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Heim, of Blue Bell, on Sunday. ipated in a preliminary oratorical get rose bush. Or a new spade or a contest in the public school building on Monday. They recited a poem "The Song of the Shirt" before the "The Song of the Shirt" before the back yard. He's probably wearing a other pupils and two judges, Mrs. Shoe slouch hat or maybe an old straw one Edwin F. Tait and Mrs. Harley Shoe-Pauline Brownback was chosen as the winner and she will May Day contest which will be held his "acreage". The plot is five feet

> Saturday, May 2. Dr. Berger, of Columbia, and Miss ishes and Golden Bantam corn and a Gladys Kercher, of Bethlehem, vis- few muskmelons and a few (just a ited Rev. and Mrs. Arthur C. Ohl on few) hills of pumpkin and squash, Sunday. Dr. and Mrs. Arthur Thomp- and a very few cucumbers. He will son, of Tamaqua, and Mrs. S. B. Sto- tend this all very carefully for a ler, of Saxton, Pa., were also callers couple of weeks until it shows green

Mrs. John C. Klauder spent a day motored to Washington, D. C., over at the home of her brother-in-law and and the neighbors' dogs he'll quit cold, sister, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Hayes, of smile sheepishly and decide that it's

Mrs. Harriett Stroup and daughter and Hannah Keely, of Schwenksville, Blade. zard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thornton and Mrs. Sarah Cauffman, of Trooper, visited Mrs. Susan Wanner on Sun-

> Miss Sue Fry and Ralph F. Wismer visited Mr. and Mrs. Lewis B. silage seed corn. Potato lertinger right. I. P. WILLIAMS Arcola. Wismer, of Reading on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. John F. Tyson, Leon

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton F. Miller and daughters Frieda and Betty visited Mr. Lawrence Miller, of Jersey City,

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Kern and family, of Phoenixville, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl F. Bowers on

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Overdorf and laughters and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert MacFarland, of Chester county, visted at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Weaver and family on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Tyson spent several days with friends in Lancaster. Mrs. Charlotte Dedaker and daughter Irene, Dr. and Mrs. Luther Peters and Mr. and Mrs. William Rommel and daughter, of Philadelphia, visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rommel on Sun-

Mrs. Sallie Thomas visited Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Hatfield and family, of Norristown, on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Guy Johnson spent

Sunday with Mrs. Louise Johnson and family, of Betzwood. Misses Frances and Thelma Harley, of Collegeville; Miss Evelyn Kern, of Bowers, of Graterford, and Misses of this borough, were guests at the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. K. Bowers

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Herzog and entrance fee is the very reasonable daughters and Mrs. Alice Morebach, of Philadelphia, visited Mr. and Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Klauder and daughter Eleanor were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. William E.

Miss Marion Barto and Mrs. Selby Hefelfinger, of East Greenville, and Walter Hostery, of this borough, were guests at the home of Mrs. Anna Hefelfiger on Sunday. Jean Roberts, 2-year-old daughter

of Mr. and Mrs. George Roberts, of their names and yearly dues to Wm. Norristown, formerly of Trappe, narrowly escaped serious injury Sunday afternoon when the baby coach she was pushing was struck at Markley street by a P. & W. trolley. Altho Dr. A. C. Herman returns from the child was thrown down when the Southern California enthusiastic carriage was knocked from her hands,

Preaching service in the Evangelical Congregational church, April 26, After traveling over a large section at 2.30 p. m. Sunday School at 1.30 ning at 7.30.

Augustus Lutheran Church All services and meetings in Augustus Lutheran church will be conducted on daylight saving time. Vespers will be discontinued during the period of daylight saving time.

St. Luke's Reformed Church Economy Lodge, I. O. O. F., of Collegeville, will hold an anniverasary

day school on Sunday morning. Regular morning worship will be held on Sunday at 10.30 a. m.; Sun- The young people who attended camp To be sure, the Hermans were on a day School at 9.30 a. m. The worship will give a pageant. Mr. Stanley

TOWN NOTES AND COMMENT | PUBLIC SALE OF BY DOROTHY U.

(Continued from page 1) Mr. and Mrs. Howard Berky and Master Ralph Webber spent several days in Allentown visiting relatives. Mr. Berky went on business. Misses Emma, Elizabeth and Edna

Fry and Mr. Michener, of Germantown, visited Miss Annie Shenkel on Several townspeople attended the B. F. James, auctioneer

luncheon given by the Children's Aid = Society at the Valley Forge Hotel on SHERIFF'S SALE OF Monday. About 150 guests were

Mr. and Mrs. J. Howard Fenstermacher spent Sunday with Mr. and

The desired crowd at the Junior Raymond Smith and family, Miss Ber- | Club meeting materialized. About ten tha Smith and Mr. Horace Smith, of or more Senior club members were House, in the borough of Norristown, said Mont Clare, were guests at the home present as well as a large percentage of Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Allebach and of Junior members. Miss Hoxie Jones spoke about the poetry and the Mrs. Melvina Mathieu enjoyed a rhythm in life. She also read three motor trip to Trenton with the sewing of her own poems which appealed to club of which she is a member from the audience immensely.

At the next Junior Club meeting, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lacey entertain- May 12, there will be the annual eleced Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Bucher at tion of officers. Members, plan now to be present.

The April meeting of the Girls' dian Treasure."

AN AVERAGE CITIZEN You may see him at the seed counter, furtively looking at the gaudy pictures on the seed packages and shaking them to see if they will rattle. He is likely to tote home a midthat some Saturday afternoon he may be glimpsed in what passes for his if it's warm enough. He's been spading and hoeing and raking all afternoon and has just finished planting May Day contest which will be held at Ursinus College, Collegeville, on Catalan Mar 2 so, he has onions and lettuce and rad-

and pretty. Then when the weeds come, and the drought and the bugs cheaper to buy garden stuff after all, although he did relish the exercise. Leidie, of Eagleville; Misses Emma For he's an average citizen.—Toledo

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o. 4. Lot No. 47. BEGINNING at a it on the northeast side of Juniata it on the northeast side of Juniata it a corner of this and lot No. 46; one along said road northwesterly 50 and extending in that width in length depth 180 feet 10 inches.

o. 5. Lots 55, 56, and 57. BEGING at a point on the northeast side of lata road a corner of this and Lot No. containing in front, northwesterly 150 to the southeast side of Orchard Lane extending: in that width in length or

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