

A SLIP OF THE KNIFE.

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 when his heart was revealed to me."
 "I understand now what you meant about mysteries," I said.
 "I lost Drenmere, of course, from that moment. I lost her. The boy had died under my knife, as it were. She couldn't bear me near her after that. And then—I had told. There was nothing for it but to disappear. The scandal was immense. But I might have faced even the irony of my own profession. What really sent me here? I sometimes ask myself."
 "And what is the answer?" I said.
 "Perhaps it is this—because I told, couldn't act a lie any more. So—were are!"
 "Lady Drenmere's dead, isn't she?"
 "Yes. She died three years ago. She was still with him. He didn't leave her. And she never tried to get away from him. They stuck together in the ruins."
 "I quite understand your life now," I said.
 And when I left him that evening I said: "I hope you'll allow me to call you my friend."
 We were friends till Laton died two years ago. He died at the bungalow of an apoplectic stroke. That purplish hue I had noticed in his face was an indication that something was wrong with him.
 I don't think he was sorry to go.—
 From Hearst's International Cosmopolitan.—By Robert Highens.

Scientist Sees Machine World Coming Triumph.

Visions of the time when the world will be a modern Utopia driven by machinery were unfolded by Professor F. W. Burstall, Professor of Mechanical Engineering in the student's meeting at Oxford.
 Professor Burstall predicted the day will come when the man will triumph over work, when manual workers will toil only five hours a day, and when domestic service will be a thing of the past.
 "Man is always greater than machine," he said. "Mankind will never in any circumstances allow itself to be mastered by mere blind mechanism, as some modern schools of thought have prophesied."
 "Laziness is the reason for all the remarkable mechanical developments. The human frame is quite incapable of any serious labor. Humanity has been struggling to provide other means of doing the work which it wants to do, and that is the bottom of the idea of the mechanical worker or Robot. The human is not really a working agent at all; it is really a directing mechanism."
 "Domestic service is going to be non-existent in the future. I look forward to seeing a comparatively simple form of dwelling, warmed and lighted as they are today, provided probably with clear, purified air, and with such simplicity that it will only be a matter of a few moments to remove the dirt and other substances which we bring in during the day."
 "Science is going to cut down the hours of labor. I venture to think that within a generation hard manual labor will be reduced to five or six hours daily. This is sure to come."
 "Science is going to put into our hands the possibility of a heaven upon earth. There are no limits to what we can do, but I venture to think that unless the human makes up its mind which way it wants to go, then instead of being pleasant this will be a curse."
 In Professor Burstall's opinion, once labor has been cut down to the minimum, there will be more time for amusement, with the result that a definite and systematic instruction to amusement and leisure will have to be prepared.
 In this modern Utopia of his, the roads will be built so that the automobile traffic will be able to proceed at speeds of 70 to 80 miles an hour, and the pedestrian will have his own road so that he can walk about without fear of being knocked down.

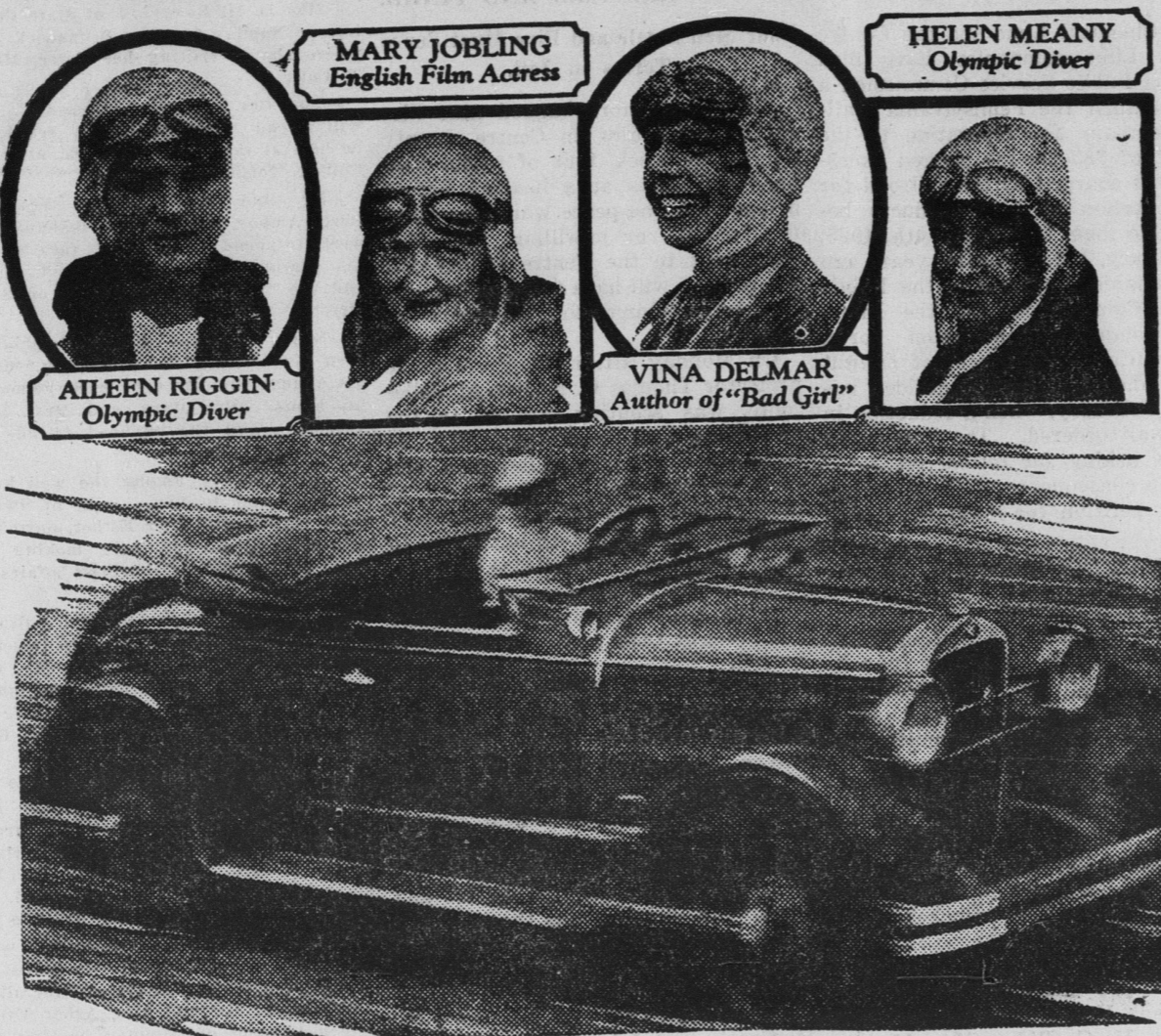
Asks Farmers to Help Game.

Officers of the State Game Commission today appealed to the farmers to permit some cover to remain for game birds and animals during the late summer cleanup of weeds and brush.
 Earlier in the season the Commission offered the assistance of its game protectors in the protection of game against machines and reapers. Usually, it was said, the nests of partridges and pheasants are abandoned if exposed by the cutting of hay or grain. Several instances were reported where game protectors obtained the eggs and placed them under hatching hens for incubation.
 Although taking cognizance of the desire of the average farmer to keep his fields clear of brush and weeds, officers of the Commission said that on most farms there are patches of brush which afford natural protection to birds and game and which do not detract from the value of cleared fields if allowed to stand.

Penn'a Has Most Auto Dealers in Nation.

About \$10,500,000 will be refunded to 53,125 automobile dealers as a result of the elimination of the 3 per cent automotive excise tax which went into effect May 29, according to figures of the American Motorists' Association.
 Pennsylvania, with 4,035 has the largest number of automobile dealers of any State. Other leading States are New York 4,000, Ohio 2,394, Illinois 3,329, California 2,504, Wisconsin 2,381 and Michigan 2,227.
 In addition to the 53,125 dealers in the country, there are about 90,000 service stations and repair shops.
 —Buying feed right is the first step toward making a dairy pay.

Women Drivers Make Record Runs in Studebakers



On June 13, at Atlantic City Speedway, a fully equipped Studebaker Commander Roadster, driven entirely by women, traveled 500 miles in 388 consecutive minutes, maintaining an average speed of 77.21 miles per hour. The large illustration shows The Commander circling the track at an 80-mile clip. Insets show four of the women who drove this and other Studebaker cars at the speedway.

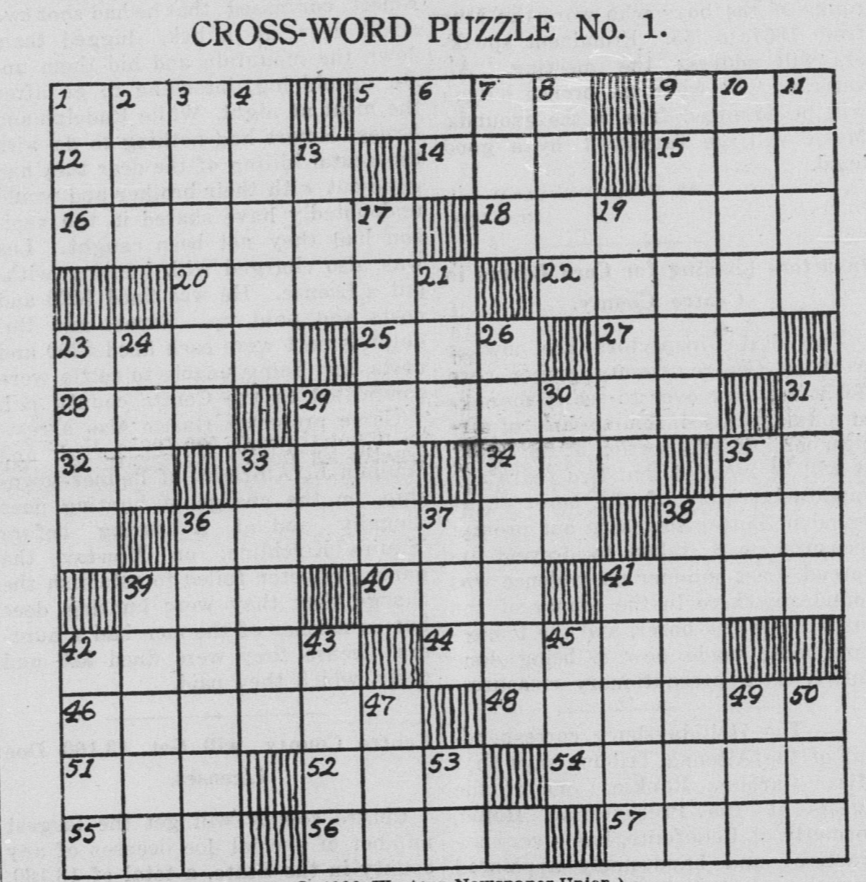
PENNSYLVANIA CITIES PAY GOOD SALARIES.

Only four of the forty-one third-class cities of Pennsylvania pay the maximum salary allowed for the mayor of such cities, according to a salary survey just completed by the bureau of municipalities of the Pennsylvania department of internal affairs. The maximum salary permitted by law is \$5,250 per annum and mayors of Erie, Allentown, Wilkes-Barre and Harrisburg are receiving that amount. In Bethlehem and Lancaster \$5,000 is paid while in Reading the salary is \$4,800. The cities of Johnstown, Chester, York, McKeesport and Easton pay \$3,500, while New Castle pays \$3,600. A salary of \$3,000 is paid in Altoona, the mayor of Williamsport is paid \$2,500 and Butler's mayor receives \$2,000. Uniontown pays \$2,400, while Hazleton, Pottsville and Coatsville have fixed the salary at \$1,800. The lowest salaries are paid in Titusville, Monongahela, Franklin and Connellsville. In these cities the salary is \$500, the minimum permitted under the Third Class act. Salaries paid in the other cities range from \$500 to \$1,500.
 Members of council in Erie, Allentown, Wilkes-Barre and Harrisburg likewise receive the maximum of \$4,500 allowed by law. The minimum, \$300, is paid in Franklin, DuBois, Monongahela, Lock Haven and Titusville, Reading pays \$4,200 to councilmen in that city and Lancaster councilmen receive \$4,000. The pay in Bethlehem is \$3,600 and in Johnstown, Altoona, Chester and McKeesport the salary of a city commissioner is \$3,000. Two councilmen in New Castle receive \$3,000 while the other two are paid \$2,000. In Easton two members of council are paid \$3,000 while the other two commissioners receive \$2,100. Butler pays its commissioners \$1,600, while the salaries of commissioners in all the other cities carry from \$1,200 down to \$450, two commissioners in Connellsville receiving that amount, while two others are in the \$300 class.
 Only a dozen city treasurers are paid fixed salaries without additional emoluments. In all of the other cities a salary is fixed for the city treasurer, but he is allowed commissions on collections. York and Lebanon pay only \$50 a year to the city treasurer, but he is allowed commissions. In Johnstown a salary of \$60 a year is allowed and commissions. The highest salary paid where commissions are not allowed is Altoona, the city treasurer there receiving \$6,000. Allentown and Chester each pay \$5,000 with no commissions permitted. The highest paid city treasurer who is likewise given commissions on collections is in Duquesne, where the salary alone is fixed at \$2,400. The next highest is in Lancaster, where a salary of \$2,000 is fixed and commissions are allowed to increase the figure.

Whiteface mountain is the site for a monument to be illuminated by an eternal perpendicular flame in memory of New York state soldiers who died in the World War. Whiteface mountain lies near the head of Lake Placid. The plan to erect a granite shaft at its summit topped by an acetylene light, which will be visible for a radius of 125 miles. The radius will include Montreal and numerous resorts in Vermont, New Hampshire, southern Quebec, as well as New York State. The beauty spots from the site of this proposed memorial include 65 bodies of water, among them Lake Placid, the largest lake of its altitude east of the Rocky mountains; the St. Lawrence river, Saranac lake, the St. Regis chain, the Ausable river and Lake Champlain. The eternal flame idea is patterned after the light in the Arc de Triomphe in Paris. The memorial includes the construction of a motor road of seven miles to the mountain.

Teacher: "Can anyone tell what causes trees to become petrified?"
 Bright Student: "The wind makes them rock."—Chicago Tribune.

HOW TO SOLVE A CROSS-WORD PUZZLE
 When the correct letters are placed in the white spaces this puzzle will spell words both vertically and horizontally. The first letter in each word is indicated by a number, which refers to the definition listed below the puzzle. Thus No. 1 under the column headed "horizontal" defines a word which will fill the white spaces up to the first black square to the right, and a number under "vertical" defines a word which will fill the white squares to the next black one, below. No letters go in the black spaces. All words used are dictionary words, except proper names. Abbreviations, slang, initials, technical terms and obsolete forms are indicated in the definitions.



- CROSS-WORD PUZZLE No. 1.**
- (© 1926, Western Newspaper Union.)
- Horizontal.**
- 1—Any workman in general
 - 5—Hastens
 - 9—Chicken
 - 12—Keenly observant
 - 14—Companion
 - 15—Swedish boy's name
 - 16—A continued story
 - 18—A fight
 - 20—Turns down
 - 22—Colorless liquid
 - 23—Native metals
 - 25—Pedal digit
 - 27—Writing implement
 - 28—Aeriform fluid
 - 29—To talk with an impediment in the speech
 - 32—Right (abbr.)
 - 33—Pastry
 - 34—Auditory organ
 - 35—To exist
 - 36—Things which horrify
 - 38—Fish eggs
 - 39—To plant seed
 - 40—Chinese coin
 - 41—Young deer
 - 42—Fathers
 - 44—Swift
 - 48—Anything which lines
 - 51—Self
 - 52—Mist
 - 54—To follow
 - 55—Prefix meaning through
 - 56—Small particle
 - 57—Noah's eldest son
- Vertical.**
- 1—Possesses
 - 2—Beerlike beverage
 - 3—An attack of nervousness
 - 4—Becomes arid
 - 6—Skyward
 - 7—To grab
 - 8—Sliced cabbage served as salad
 - 9—Warmer
 - 10—Girl's name
 - 11—Never (poetic)
 - 13—To make a kind of lace
 - 17—A game of chance
 - 19—A candle
 - 21—An old French coin
 - 23—A giant
 - 24—Rodent
 - 26—Everlasting
 - 29—Man's title
 - 30—A drinking cup (Scot. obs.)
 - 31—Sharp
 - 33—Ability
 - 35—To bend the body
 - 36—Singular of 36 horizontal
 - 37—Over (poetic)
 - 38—A vegetable
 - 39—Prolonged attack
 - 41—Natives of Finland
 - 42—Part of a stairway
 - 43—A divan
 - 45—A pastry
 - 47—To decay
 - 49—New (archaic spelling)
 - 50—A jewel
 - 53—To proceed
- Solution will appear in next issue.**

How to Qualify for November Election.

Qualifying voters in order that they can participate in the Presidential election on Tuesday, November 6, is just now the principal objective of the leaders of the several political parties in Pennsylvania.
 All personal registrations of voters residing in any of the cities of the State are void.
 No resident of any city of the Commonwealth can cast a ballot next November unless he or she shall personally register this fall.
 There are three days upon which registrars will sit at their respective polling places to qualify voters who present themselves to be registered. They at the same time can be enrolled as members of the political party to which they claim allegiance, respectively.
 One of the qualifications for voting is that a citizen shall have paid a State or county tax within two years.
 No tax receipts dated later than

November 7, 1926, can be used to qualify a voter for next November's election.

In order to purchase a poll tax, a citizen must have his name on an assessor's list.
 The last opportunities for citizens to get their names on the assessors' lists will be Tuesday, September 4, and Wednesday, September 5, when assessors are obliged to sit at their respective polling places for that purpose.
 Saturday, October 6, is the last day upon which poll tax receipts can be issued to qualify for voting on November 6 next.
 In all cities of the State registrars will sit at their respective polling places to register voters on these days:
 First Registration Day—Thursday, September 6.
 Second Registration Day—Tuesday, September 18.
 Third Registration Day—Saturday, October 6.
 —Subscribe for the Watchman.

Grange Encampment and Fair

BEGINNING August 25th Centre Hall, will be crowded with men and women interested in the most important business on earth, the business of Farming. Both as a social and educational event this annual gathering has much value. Farming has become as scientific as other professions and a proper social life on the farm, through modern invention, is now being realized.

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