# SNAPSHOTS AT STATE NEWS

All Pennsylvania Gleaned for Items of Interest.

## REPORTS ABOUT CROPS GOOD

Farmers Busy in Every Locality-Churches Raising Funds for Many Worthy Objects-Items of Business and Pleasure that Interest.

The Bath Fire Department has purchased a lot on which to erect a new fire house.

Mrs. Robert Mengle, of Nazareth, stepped on a needle which penetrated her shoe and foot, and threatens dire

The Lehigh Valley Coal Company, which had operated its mines four and five days a week, announced full time for the rest of the fall and win-

William B. Kay, of McKeesport, who will succeed T. W. Williamson, of Erie, as chief clerk in Auditor General Powell's department, is a newspaper man.

Otto Olson, in charge of the Federal tobacco experimental stations, has received a request for a display of Lancaster county tobacco at the National Corn Show, at Dallas, Tex.

Malcolm C. Holden, manager for a life insurance company, who has been wanted in Hanover for six months on a charge of false pretense, has been locked in the York County jail after a long chase.

Karl Romansky, of Audenried, was shot and killed by Wasil Vada in mistake for another man for whom Vada was lying in wait. Vada went to 'Squire Bonacci, who held him for court without bail.

"Wils" Powell, a mail agent of Oil City, came home from Trunkeyville, where he spent two days fishing, with a string of 20 black bass. The largest weighed two and a half pounds. Mr. Powell used live minnows as bait.

William F. Guthrie, of Philadelphia, was discharged by the Court at Scranton, on the charge of manslaughter, for causing the death of Gretchen Jones, 4 years old, by running the child down with an automobile last

After requesting his wife to do some shopping for him, Newton H. Fatherman, a rich resident of Stroudsburg, in ill-health, committed suicide by hanging in the attic of his house. A handsome new home is being erected for him. The wife is in a critical condition.

"Gee, that explains why Black Bess lost her tail," remarked Thomas Byrne, farmer, living near Erie. One of his black heifers has been lacking the longer part of her tail for two years. It was thought that it might have been shot away by malicious hunters, but there were no other been cut away with a knife. How. gressive. ever, when Byrne found the vertebra and tassel of the tail caught in the crotch of a low down tree, it was readily observed that she had caught her tail there and had pulled until she for removal. disjointed that part of her anatomy.

H. G. Eisele, a motorman on the Laurel Line trolley road at Wilkesweighed 12 pounds. The fox was trying to cross the tracks when the car struck it on the head. This is the second fox Mr. Eisele has killed in same manner. Not long ago Mr. Elner, and two or three times a week | Marshall however was reported to it is that ofttimes he has wild game status of the case than in the hope of though the season may be not yet restoring Sulzer to power. opened.

Miss Mira Lloyd Dock, who since 1901 has been a Forestry Commissioner, has resigned, and Governor F. L. Harvey, of Clarion county, as of more than two-thirds of the memher successor. Miss Dock is a member of an old Harrisburg family, but recently has been living at Graeffensburg, Franklin county. She is a sister of Dr. Lavinia Dock, who was surgeon general of the woman suffrage marchers who went from New York City to Washington, D. C., some months ago. She was a pioneer in this State in forestry and conservation work, and has been praised for her work many times publicly by Governor Stuart and Governor Tener.

Charles E. Hufford, of Wilkes-Barre, is the oldest man in point of service in the employ of the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company. Mr. Hufford has been connected with the railroad for 45 years and two months. He is the next in line to be pensioned.

W. Hal. Lewis, a recent graduate of the West Chester High School, has presented to the directors a handsome silver loving cup, to be awarded the student in the school who scores the largest number of points on the football, basketball and track teams, | dren lying on the floor.

# SULZER DEPOSED **GLYNN GOVERNOR**

Impeachment Tribunal Votes 43 to 12 for Removal.

### TESTIMONY 700,000 WORDS.

Glynn Becomes State's Executive And Wagner Lieutenant Governor By Action-Decision Is Given By Judge Cullen.

Albany, N. Y.-William Sulzer no longer is Governor of the State of New York.

A few minutes before noon the High Court of Impeachment by a vote of 43 to 12, removed him from office. Senator Wende and Judge Cullen

excused themselves from voting. The proposition of disqualifying Sulzer from ever again holding a place of honor or trust in the State was voted down unanimously with the exception that Judge Cullen again excused himself from recording his vote.

The Governor received the news of his removal in silence at the executive mansion, where he had waited to hear the result. He said he might make a statement later.

### Four Articles Voted Out.

Prior to the vote on his disqualification and removal, the last four articles of the impeachment charges were unanimously voted out.

Court was in session little more than one hour. It was officially adjourned sion. a minute after 12 o'clock.

Martin H. Glynn of Albany, the acting Governor, became Governor. Robert F. Wagner, of New York, majority leader of the Senate, became Lieutenant Governor.

No official notice of removal was given Sulzer. A record of the decis- preliminary to its acceptance as flagion of the court was filed with the Secretary of State, thus complying with all the legal requirements to a mass of blazing canvas and crumpled remove the Governor.

### How Vote Was Recorded.

The articles voted out charged that Sulzer committed larceny in speculating with funds contributed for his campaign; that he bartered his political influence; that he dissuaded Frederick L. Colwell from testifying against him before the Frawley Investigating Committee, and that he used his official position to influence the price of stocks in which he was interested.

The articles on which he was found guilty charged that Sulzer filed with is critical and he begged to be killed. the Secretary of State a false statement of his receipts and other monetary transactions involved in his Gubernatorial campaign; that he committed perjury in his statement to the Secretary of State relative to receipts and expenditures, and that he suppressed evidence by means of threats to keep witnesses from testifying before the Legislative commit-

## He Had Few Friends.

Those who voted against the removal of the Governor were:

Senators McKnight, O'Keefe, Peckham, Seeley and Wheeler, Democrats: Emerson, Heacock, Stivers, Thomas and Whitney, Republicans; Durhamel, Independence League and Demowounds. It was even thought to have crat; Palmer, Republican and Pro-

At their own request Presiding Judge Cullen and Senator Wende were excused from voting. Every other Judge of the Court of Appeals voted

Friends who were with Sulzer when of burglary and assault, local police he received the news of the verdict announced their belief that he is the said that he appeared to be relieved murderer of Miss Ida Leegson, the that the suspense was over. Mrs. art student who was lured to her Barre, ran down a gray fox that Sulzer, who has been hysterical at death October 4, at Chicago. times in the last week, was also said to have brightened perceptibly.

Useless To Go To Court. Sulzer is of the opinion that an atthe past few years. The other was tempt to take the case to the United killed at almost the same spot in the States Supreme Court would be of little use and it is doubtful if such prosele killed a raccoon in the same man- cedure is followed. Attorney Louis be brings home a rabbit which has be considering such an appeal more been run down on the track. Thus for to establish the constitutional

> Court's Announcement. Presiding Judge Cullen's formal announcement of the Governor's removal in court was as follows:

Tener announces the appointment of having been convicted by the vote bers of this Court on the first, second and fourth articles of impeachment, and the Court having resolved that for the offenses of which he has been convicted the respondent be removed from office, it is the judgment of the Court, and it is now the duty is making a campaign against poison of the president to declare that for those offenses the said William Sulzer, Governor of the State, be and he from the highways of Montelair, as other makes saloons, gambling or dis-

## LAST QUARTER BUYS DEATHS.

Mother Puts It In Meter And Dies

With Children. Chelsea, Mass.-Despondent from disease and hunger, Mrs. F. J. Johnson dropped her last 25-cent piece into the gas meter at her home here and opening five jets died with her night by reading in bed until day- burned, as a strong wind was blowing two children. Her husband is dying light, Mrs. John W. Hutchinson has and the flames were beyond control, of tuberculosis at a sanatorium, asked the Fusion Speakers' Bureau while the buildings in the path of the Neighbors who forced an entrance to to give him a job as speaker for the fire were not of fireproof construction,

## FOOTBALL SEASON IS ON



## 28 KILLED WHEN **BALLOON EXPLODES**

Awful Tragedy Over Johannisthal Field-Disaster Occurred On Trial Trip With Officials On Board.

Berlin.-The newest and largest of the Zeppelin war airships, the L-II. was destroyed in midair by an explo-

All except one of the 27 military nen on board, including the entire admiralty trial board, were killed.

The Zeppelin disaster occurred just above the main street of the city of Johannisthal while the big dirigible, 500 feet long, was making a trial trip ship of the new German aerial navy.

The shattered hulk of the airship, aluminum, dropped 900 feet into the public highway. Hundreds of persons, who had been

watching the flight from parks and housetops, rushed to the scene. There peace to Mexico were being considwas nothing to be done except take ered. No move is expected, however, out the dead bodies of the victims until after October 26, the date set from the mass of twisted wreckage.

### Only Survivor Begs For Death.

Queen Augusta Grenadier Guards, who the trend of events, they say, is unwas making the trip as a guest, was mistakably toward conducting negotiawas badly injured and his condition Many of the bodies were so burned and mangled as to be unrecognizable.

## LADY COOK'S DRASTIC PLAN.

Would Brand Men Unfit To Marry With Hot Iron.

Pittsburgh, Pa.-Lady Cook, of London, who was formerly Miss Tennessee Claffin, of New York, said that men unfit for marriage should be branded with a hot iron, like Cain. "My method may sound terrible, but it Is not one-millionth part as cruel as to allow an infected man to marry a good, pure woman and bring deformed children into the world."

## MAY BE PRAIRIE MURDERER.

Negro Arrested In South Suspect In Leegson Case.

Atlanta, Ga.-After examining the record of John Henry, a negro arrested here last Wednesday on charges

## TELEGRAPH TICKS

Chicago, "What would Bryan say," exclaimed Judge Scully when John Nicholson testified he got drunk on too much grape juice.

Winslow, N. J .-- A wedding ring lost 37 years ago, was found buried six inches under ground here. Its owner, Henry Kramer, had accused a farmhand of stealing it.

Canaan, Ct .- "We should worry," was the text of the talk at the annual banquet of the Bald Head Club of America held here. The affair is described as one of the "finest array of bald heads that ever draped a banquet."

Montclair, N. J .- David Paine, Democratic candidate for town council. ivy. Paine declares he is in favor of which such shipments may be rethe removal of all such noxious weeds is herby removed from his office as they constitute a menace to children orderly houses nuisances, to be abated night. This disturbance extended as and grownups alike.

> New York .- Miss Alice Bradley. aged 20, described as "athletic," punched a street car conductor be Blaze Causes \$100,000 Damages In Over 1,000 Favorable Responses To cause he refused to pick up a nickel she had dropped on the car floor. She was fined \$10.

New York .- Asserting that her husband prevents her from sleeping at feared that several blocks would be the home found the bodies of the chil- Fusion cause. She says he won't except one, the Philadelphia and Read-

Wilson Not to Have Any Further Dealings With Him.

### MAY AID CONSTITUTIONALISTS

Would Adopt Drastic Measures, But Doesn't Want To Risk Endangering Other Program, Is Report.

Washington.-President Wilson in dicated to those who discussed the Mexican situation with him that he was irrevocably determined to deal no longer with the Huerta regime, but that further steps toward bringing for the Mexican election.

Just what the Washington Govern Lieutenant Baron von Bleul of the lation among the high officials, but ment will do is yet a matter of specutions in some form or another with the Constitutionalists,

The policy of the United States has been to make a complete record of having attempted to handle the problem by peaceful means. Up to the present time parleys have been carried on with the Huerta authorities, who have rejected the good offices of the United States. Strong pressure now is being brought to bear upon the President and Secretary Bryan to give the Constitutionalists an opportunity to compose the situation

### through the support of this country. May Support Constitutionalists.

Reports that the President was prethe Constitutionalists are based chiefly upon the friendly disposition toward them that has arisen among Administration officials since Huerta's proclamation of dictatorship. The suggestion has been carried to President Wilson by those upon whose judgment he and Secretary Bryan have in the past been guided to some extent, and while the attitude is one of waiting until October 26 arrives, it appears that some move indicating support for the Constitutionalists was not at all improbable.

Such action might not be formal recognition, which would present a curious tangle in the technicalities of international law, but it is pointed out by those who are urging informal dealings with the Constitutionalists that in reality Governor Carranza was legally elected chief executive of the State of Coahulla, and that he and Governor Maytorena, of Sonora justify their armed resistence of Huerta as a measure of defense against those who took possession of the Federal Government machinery in the Mexican capital by arbitrarily overthrowing Ma-

## "DRY" BILLS THROUGH SENATE.

Law Enforcement Measures Now Go To Tennessee House.

Nashville, Tenn .- Two of the socalled law enforcement bills were passed by the upper house of the Tennesse Legislature with neglible opposition and now go to the House. One of these two measures prohibits intra-State shipment of liquor and charges the officers of a county in ceived with enforcing the law, and the ceived indicate another severe shock upon application of 10 or more citizens. far as Panama City.

## FIRE IN MAHANOY CITY.

Pennsylvania Town.

Mahanoy, Pa, - Seven business places in the heart of the city, including the Kaier Opera House, were destroyed by fire. For a time it was work, although he is highly educated. ing Coal and Iron office building

## THE HERO OF THE VOLTURNO

Fire Now Said To Have Been Que To The Explosion Of Chemical In The

Cargo.

New York.-New York took in and sheltered the first survivors of the steamship Volturno to arrive in this country, 105 in number, brought into port by the Grosser Kurfuerst, the North German Lloyd liner that sent the first rescue boat careening across the heavy seas that made so difficult the task of removing passengers and

crew from the burning ship. The wireless had brought ashore graphic accounts of last week's sea tragedy; and from the lips of some of the Volturno's saved there came descriptions which, containing the intimate details for which the world had waited, accentuated the heroic conduct of the Volturno's captain, officers and of men who manned the lifeboats that

put forth from other ships. The explosion of a drum containing chemicals was the cause of the fire, according to the story told by Waldron Disselman, third officer of the Volturno. Disselman gave a thrilling narrative of the long hours spent on his fire-ridden ship, fighting the flames, sustaining the crippled wireless plant, owering lifeboats, quieting the panictricken, steering the vessel to hand o keep her from drifting-fighting the battle unaided because the waves were running too high for small craft from other ships to accomplish the juorney to the Volturno's side. More than 80 passengers were burned to death when they were cut off by flames, Disselman reported.

## WILL PROBE ATLANTA PRISON.

Congressman Howard Actuated By Hawthorne Charges.

Atlanta, Ga.-Representative William Schley Howard, of the Fifth declaring his intention to secure an early investigation by the Department of Justice of alleged startling conditions in the Federal prison here. His statement followed charges against the prison management by Julian Hawthorne and Dr. W. J. Morton upon their release from the institution, where they had served sentences of more than six months. A message received here from the prison warden, William H. Moyer, who is now in Indianapolis, said the 800 prisoners here would sustain his statement that they were being treated "as well as they could expect."

## ROYAL WEDDING WAS BRILLIANT. Prince Of Connaught Marries Duchess

Of Fife. London,-Prince Arthur of Congovernor general of Canada, was married to Princess Alexandra Victoria, Duchess of Fife, eldest daughter of the widowed Princess Royal Louise. The ceremony took place in the ancient chapel of St. James Palace. where both were baptized. A futile attempt to reach King George and Queen Mary was made by a militant suffragette. Miss Margaret Sterling. as their Majesties were on the way to paring to recognize the beligerancy of the wedding. The young woman broke trade school in Sunbury for its em-

President Appoints Five To Membership On Commission.

FILIPINOS GIVEN CONTROL.

Washington .- President Wilson and Secretary Garrison selected the following Filipinos to be members of the Philippine commission. Victorino Mapa, Jaime C. de Veyra, Vicente Ilustre, Vicente Singson. Mapa will be secretary of finance and justice. The fifth Filipino commissioner will be Rafael Palmo, who since 1908 has been the only native on the commission. His resignation was not accepted. Governor General Harrison recommended the native commissioners, stating that they were among the most prominent and best educated of the islanders.

## OFFERED \$10,000 FOR PLAY.

Miss Eleanor Wilson, However, Will Not Accept It.

Washington.-It was learned here that Miss Eleanor Wilson, the youngest daughter of President and Mrs. Wilson, will not accept the \$10,000 offer of the Misses Nash, actresses, of New York, to write a play for them to co-star in.

## MORE PANAMA QUAKES.

Seismograph Has Registered Thirty-One In Canal Zone To Date.

Panama.-Earthquake tremors continue, 31 having been registered by the Ancon seismograph. Reports rein Los Santos province on Saturday

## GERMAN EXHIBIT ASSURED.

Invitations Received.

Washington.-An extensive German exhibit at the Panama-Pacific Exposition in 1915 is assured, acording to consular advices received at the State Department. Ambassador Gerard from Berlin stated that over 1,000 favorable responses have been received from invitations extended to great German commercial establishments to send representative displays to the United States.

# **NEW BALLOT ACT** IS HELD LEGAL

Test Case Decided by Judges McCarrell and Gillan

## WIDESPREAD IN ITS EFFECT

While Only One Act Was At Issue, Principle Sustained Is Same In All-Approved by Court of Last Resort.

(Special Harrisburg Correspondence.) Harrisburg .- The non-partisan ballot act of 1913 was upheld by Judge J. M. McCarrell, of the Dauphin County Court, and W. Rush Gillan, of the Franklin county court, in opinions given in the test cases brought by the committee of seventy of Philadelphia to test the act as relating to the Philadelphia municipal court and by Thomas Ross, of Bucks county, to

test the sole nomination clause. Both sections were in the form of prayers for mandamus against the Secretary of the Commonwealth, one being to compel him to accept the Citizens' party ticket nominations for the municipal court and the other to compel him to certify the name of Ross to the Bucks county commissioners as a candidate for judge when Judge W. C. Ryan, his opponent for the nomination, had received more

than fifty per cent. of the votes cast. In ruling on the first action the judges say: "We have not been referred to any provision of the constitution which prohibits the legislature from making regulations by which the names of candidates are to be determined," and the court reviews the ballot act from 1891 to recent years and says: "These acts have all been declared by our court Georgia district, issued a statement, of last resort to be constitutional, and valid, and practically all of the questions here submitted have been already determined by judicial deci-

## Head of His Class.

A story is being told about an uptown schoolboy who is posted on the advancement of medical science. This youngster has been reading about vaccination of people for smallpox and the inoculation against typhoid practiced in the regular army. Lately there has been diphtheria and other things that interfere with school work prevalent in some parts of the city and the juvenile reasoner out that if people could be vaccinated to prevent smallpox he could be made immune from diphtheria. He stands at the head of a class and he wants to stay there. The other day he dropped in on the family physician naught, son of the Duke of Connaught, and asked to be vaccinated. The doctor started to humor him and asked why. "Some's boy's got diphtheria. I don't want it. You vaccinate me.' replied the youngster. And the doctor had to do some awful sparring to save medical science from going below par.

## Trade School for Boys.

Announcement was made that the Pennsylvania Railroad will open a through the line of police waving a ployes. A general knowledge of all petition, but she was seized and ar- the work done by the railroad has been prepared and a forty-two weeks' course under competent instructors is scheduled for all who may desire to take the offer.

In addition to the trades taught there will be a good knowledge of English, arithmetic, reading, writing, geography and spelling given.

This school will be similar to those in Harrisburg, Altoona and other cities and to those to be established at Renovo, Reading and other points. Instructors from State College will have Can't Oust Dr. Philips.

Judge George Kunkel, of the Dauphin County Court, rendered a decision which upholds the contentions of Attorney General Bell and the State Board of Education that Dr. George M. Philips is an asset of the West Chester State Normal School. The Court continues the preliminary infunction obtained last month by the State Board of Education to restrain the school's trustees from ousting Doctor Philips.

Great Stock Increase. The Pennsylvania, New York and New Jersey Power Company. of Scranton, filed the biggest return of an increase of stock or debt known on the "Hill" in a long, long time. The stock was increased from \$405,-000 to \$5,000,000, and notice given of authority to issue bonds to the amount of \$25,000,000.

Will Not Resign. Highway Commissioner Bigelow came over from Pittsburgh and remarked that he was still alive and kicking. He has no thought of resigning and was attending to business as usual. He received delegations from Chester and Lancaster counties about roads.

Like a Real Hunter.

People proud of their hunter's license go around in hunting togs just outside of the city to warm up and display their togs. It is doubtful if the people who devised the new law could have hit anything better than the license on the sleeve. Everyone likes to display somethink like that and hunters, instead of evading the law by hiding it, are apparently proud to be enrolled. There is a lot of satisfaction in going along with a gun and khaki coat with a big license plastered on the sleeve.