

HISTORY AND PUNS FOR PASSENGERS ON SIGHT-SEEING AUTO

Lecturer Gives Interesting Account of City's Past Without Its Accuracy Being Challenged.

Did you ever view Philadelphia from a sightseeing auto? If you didn't you have lots to learn.

A trip on one of these "rubber-neck" cars was taken today by an Evening Ledger reporter.

Consistencies in Encyclopedia. Endowed with a vocabulary which would have done credit to a high school graduate, the speaker then went on like a human encyclopedia without a consciousness.

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GERMANS IN LORRAINE BLOCK FRENCH ADVANCE

Strong Fortifications Erected Where Invasion Was Planned.

LONDON, Sept. 21.—All reports received from the fields of France indicate that the bloodiest conflict of the war may be in progress today.

Unable to shell the Allies from their positions on the left center, the Germans resorted to the bayonet.

The German attacks have been repulsed, it is declared, and though the casualties of the Allies may be staggering, the losses of the troops of the Kaiser endeavoring to pierce the allied lines must have been heavier.

The advance of the French lines to Laasigny has revived the belief here that the determined movement to envelop the army of General von Kluck may yet be successful.

The original line of the French offensive into Lorraine is now blocked by the Germans.

One could half close his eyes and picture the guide enlightening an audience in a vaudeville house.

At 24 and Spring Garden streets the riders saw a small, three-story building, "That," exclaimed the guide, "is the original flat building, the first big building in New York copied in this country."

\$50,000 FLAGLER BROOCH MYSTERIOUSLY RETURNED

Messenger Brings It Back After Vain Search by Owner.

ASHEVILLE, N. C., Sept. 22.—The \$50,000 pearl brooch which Mrs. Henry M. Flagler wore when she entered the dining room of Grove Park Inn Saturday evening was missing when she left the room and diligent search by hotel employees at the time and two detectives since then failed to locate it until last night, when it was returned mysteriously by a messenger of whom no questions were asked.

In the brooch is a black pearl of large size, surrounded by diamonds. It was given to Mrs. Flagler years ago by her husband, the late Standard Oil and East Coast magnate.

NEW AMSTERDAM REPORTS SEEING FIVE 200 FOOT BERGS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—An iceberg 200 feet long and 60 feet high was reported east of Cape Race by the steamship Nieuw Amsterdam when it arrived here.

The Hydrographic Office also sent out a notice yesterday that the Danish steamship Russ passed 23 bergs.

SOUTH ORANGE, N. J., Sept. 22.—The Very Rev. Mons. James F. Mooney, D. D., president of Seton Hall College, was tendered a surprise dinner at noon yesterday in honor of his 60th birthday.

OWENSVILLE, Ind., Sept. 22.—On the farm of Miller Montgomery, one mile south of this city, stands an abandoned two-story frame house 100 years old, a building that sheltered General William Henry Harrison on many occasions when he was Governor of Indiana.

First, long logs were cut and placed as sills; sleepers were placed on these and on the sleepers rough puncheons, which were then built to floors.

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CENTURY-OLD LOG HOUSE STANDS AS YEAR IT WAS BUILT

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The house was built by Mr. Montgomery's father, Walter Crockett Montgomery, and the present owner was born in it.

Directly in front of the house is the family cemetery in which are buried the Crockett family and other members of the Montgomery family who left the borders of civilization in Virginia to begin life anew in what was then a dense forest and wilderness.

"PURTY OLD TOM" HIS FATHER. Walter Crockett Montgomery was born in Roanoke Springs, Va., in 1784. He was the last of five sons. He had three sisters. His father, Purty Old Tom Montgomery, was the seventh son of Hugh Montgomery, Sr., and took part in the Revolutionary War.

After his marriage Walter Crockett Montgomery set about to build a house—a house that still stands. Timbers were cut, and when ready to be placed in position they were hauled by oxen between Patoka and Mount Vernon to the first "house raising" in Montgomery township and probably the first of the kind in Gibson County.

DEATHS OF A DAY

WILLIAM A. HOEVELER Appointed Councilman by Governor Tener, Carnegie Institute Trustee.

PETERSBURGH, Sept. 21.—Councilman William A. Hoeveler, who has been paralyzed as he finished addressing a Council meeting tonight and died within a few minutes. He was one of the original appointees of Governor J. K. Tener.

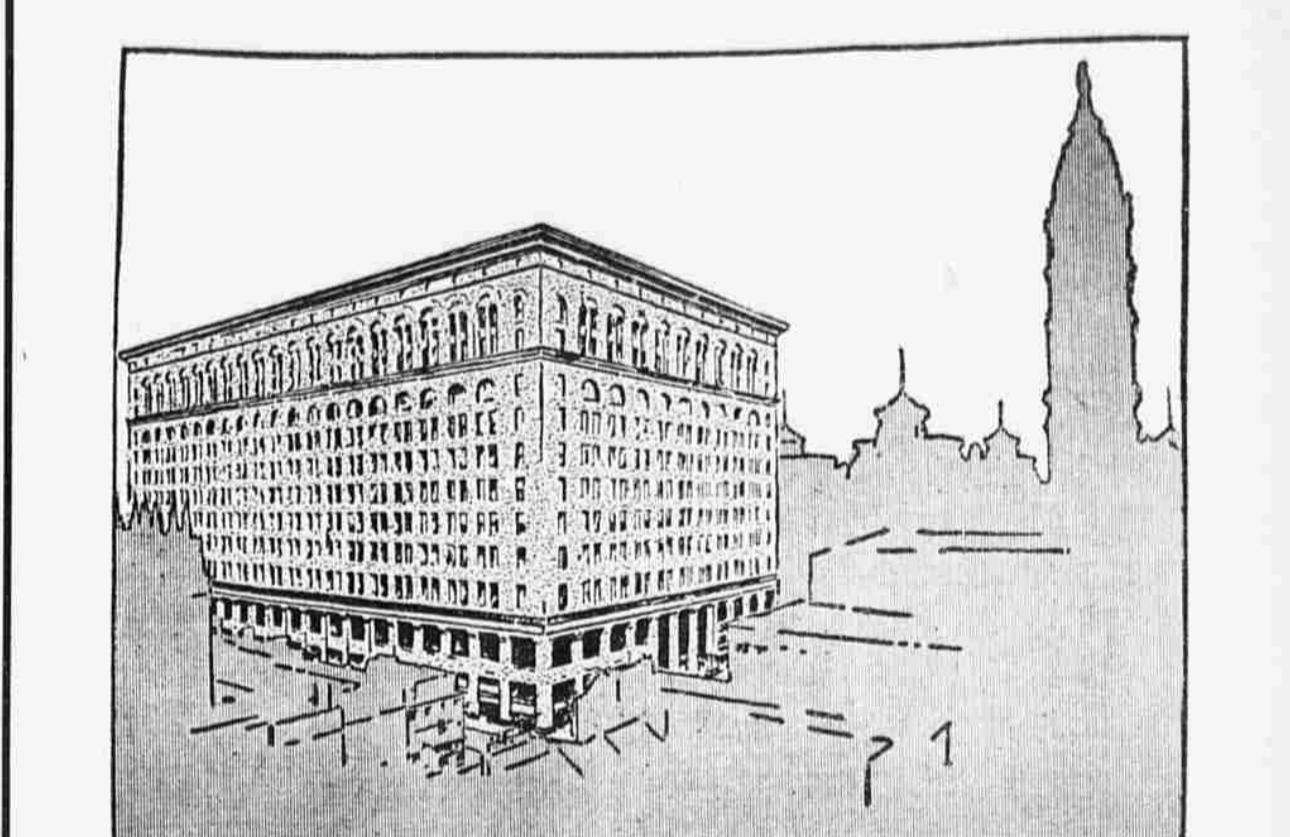
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Store Opens 8.30 A. M. WANAMAKER'S Store Closes 5.30 P. M.



The Grand Organ Plays Tomorrow at 9, 2 and 5:15 Fashion Posings in Egyptian Hall at 11 and 2:30

IMPORTANT ADVANCE ANNOUNCEMENT

The Wanamaker Stores of Philadelphia and New York have acquired more than \$100,000 worth of famous BIGELOW RUGS.

One-half of this great quantity is now being unloaded off the freight cars in this city; some of the rugs are already opened up in our stock room.

The purchase includes all the famous BIGELOW brands in all sizes.

The rugs will be put on sale THURSDAY morning, September 24th, in the Rug Store, on the Fourth Floor, Market.

The prices throughout the sale will be EXACTLY 25 PER CENT. LESS than the standard prices of BIGELOW RUGS known all over America.

It is the year's great event in domestic rugs and it is the year's great opportunity for all householders of Philadelphia and vicinity.

JOHN WANAMAKER

INQUIRY INTO ARMY STRIFE

AMSTERDAM, Sept. 21.—A dispatch from Brussels says that General Von Der Goltz is conducting a personal inquiry into the fighting recently between soldiers of the Bavarian and Prussian forces in the German army.

TURKISH OFFICIAL ARRESTED

LONDON, Sept. 21.—The Reuter News Agency states that Saliq Bey Gourou, Turkish consul at the Ottoman telegraph company, has been arrested at the request of Germany because he made public authentic war news.

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