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wallan, picneer vessels of the American-

shipways sold by the Sheriff today. The

seven years ago, was the last big steam-

did much to earn the appellation of the "Clyde of America" for the Delaware River. A famous old clipper ship, the Tillie E. Starbuck, was one of the first vessels ever built at these yards.

BIRTH OF NEW NAVY.

navy as it is with the history of the

first iron ships were turned out by John

Roach. The gunboats Alert. Huron

Chicago, Atlanta, Bennington, Boston,

Concord and Puritan were completed

In 1883 the Secretary of the Navy called

for bids on four vessels, the At'anta,

Boston, Chicago and Dolphin, Roach was

one of the bidders. He then owned in ad-

dition to the shipyard, the Morgan Iron Works and a steel making plant at Thurlow, just above Chester. His bid amazed other shipbuilders and the Navy Department. It was \$315,000 below the next low-

est bidder and \$774,100 below the estimate of the Advisory Board. Roach had tound, by experiments, he could produce

steel of required quality at a price lower than his competitors could.

Politics played an important part in

the fulfilment of these contracts and when the Government rejected the Dol-

phin upon completion the heart of John Roach was broken and he died a few years later. He had labored sincerely

and earnestly to make the ship an honor to his name. The proof that he did so is shown in the fact that the Dolphin.

which was later accepted, is doing active work in the navy today, when other craft

ADMITS HE ROBBED GARAGE

Admitting the theft of automobile

accessories while employed as a helper

in a garage, Clarence Fleming, a Negro,

for a further hearing, on October 2, by

Magistrate Morris this morning.

tires and tubes.

built later have passed into oblivion,

under his direction.

The fame of Roach's shippard is as

DAUGHTER LOSES FIGHT TO BREAK MRS. M'COY'S WILL

Mother Cuts Off Three of Five Children From \$6000

Nice: Harry Walden, 225 Coumbia avenue, 5000 Harnah Pord, 2127 Naudain street, \$2700.

Leiters were granted in the intestate estate of Mary E. Byrnes, who died in the De Labor, How tal, Faving \$12.00. Abraham Tauder Brantwood, Ph. E.00. Linda E. Lewis, 108 North Street. Linda E. Lewis, 108 North Street, Linda E. Lewis and E. Lewis and

CORNERSTONE LAYING AT

Dr. Brumbaugh Principal Speaker. The cornerstone of the new German-

of the First Methodist Episcopal Church, opened the ceremonies with an invocation. The school song of the Germantown District High School for siris was sing by a closus made up of the pupils, and another shorts of boys from the district high school followed. Addresses 251 North Eighth school followed.

and Roadsters-Which Was Canceled

on Account of the War-at a Great

Sacrifice, for Spot Cash.

the Board of Education, Bayard Henry, former State Senator, and presentatives of the district high schools.

Dr. N. H. Keyser selected a list of his-

torical books on Germantown and daily papers and prepared a list of the Bames of pupils which was placed in the conherstone. The program was arranged by George P. Darrow, widely known in Ger-

All societies in Germantown were in-vited to participate in the ceremonies.

TODAY'S MARRIAGE LICENSES

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FIGHT ON FREIGHT CAR

place early today unon the top of a rapidly moving Philadelphia and Reading freight train. The members of the gang GERMANTOWN HIGH SCHOOL attacked the detectives and both sides began firing revolvers,

Detective Mackert engaged one of the Chorus Singing a Feature of Event. | sangsters in a wrestling combat on top of a swaying boxcar. A lurch of the cartown High School at Germantown ave. threw them apart and Mackert drew his nue and High street was last this afternoon at a clock with Dr. Martin G. Brumbaugh as the principal speaker.

The true and lived, killing his man. The dead man's pockets was found \$1000 in counterfeit \$100 bills. counterfeit \$100 bills.

were delivered by William T. Tilden, of death due to heart failure,

The Most Phenomenal Purchase Ever Made!

The Entire Export Order of Half Milli on Dollars' Worth of 1915 Touring Cars

PASSING OF ROACH SHIPYARD ENDS ITS TROUBLED HISTORY

Sheriff Sells Plant Which Furnished Many Vessels to

N. Houart st., and Maris Romery, attorneys for the Cambridge N. 19th st. and Martrible st. and Aima
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STEAMSHIP DOMINION'S

port in the Merchants and Miners' Transportation Company's service. The 680 Steerage Passengers on Vessel Harvard and Yale, Long Island Sound steamships, and the American and Ha-

Due Here Late Tomorrow. Cabins crowded with returning American tourists, the American Line steam-Hawailan Line, were also built upon the ship Dominion is expected to dock at the City of Savannah, constructed for the foot of Washington avenue late tomorrow Ocean Steamship Company, completed or early Monday morning. The vessel, commanded by Captain Ingham, sailed ship to use these ways.

Shipping men recall the days when as many as 10 vessels under construction at one time were to be seen at Roach's. The work done at the plant from Liverpool on September 14 with 220 cabin and 530 steerage passengers. Twothirds of the cabin passengers are women. Among the passengers are:

Mrs. W. Altman, Miss E. Altman, G. Altman, Miss J. G. Beebe, Miss Mary Bernart, B. L. Bowen, Mrs. G. Bowen, Mrs. M. A. Bradney, Mrs. A. J. Briggs, Miss M. A. Briggs, Miss Julia Brown, Mrs. N. Bruck, Miss Helen Bruck, Dr. Joseph Crooker, Mrs. Florence Crooker, Miss Annette Cunningham, Miss Eliza-beth Cunningham, Mrs. J. Hull Davidson, closely aligned with the growth of our merchant marine. Some of Uncle Sam's Miss Anita Laguna, Miss C. S. Drerr, John Duffy, Mr. and Mrs. H. Fleisher, Miss Mabel Freeland, Mrs. K. Gable, Mrs. S. Gartner, Miss E. Gartner, Mrs. G. W. Haight, Mrs. Martha Harrison, J. B. Iroo-man, Mrs. Levering Jones, Miss Char-lotte Jones, A. Katne, Mrs. C. Kock, Miss Learned, Mrs. N. C. Learned, Mr. and Mrs. Lindblad, Miss Minnie Loy, Mr. and Mrs. F. Lungard, Carl Lungard, Miss F. Lungard, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mattheson, C. A. McCann, Mrs. S. J. Medd, Mrs. Beatrice Moranz, Rudolph Moranz, Vin-cent Moranz, Beatrice Moranz, Rosnline Moranz, Miss Mary Murray, Miss R. Munroe, Mrs. A. O'Donnell, Mrs. Mary O'Don nell, Miss Louise Olsen, Mr. and Mrs. R. Santell, Mrs. Lucy N. Scattergood, N. G. Schmutzler, Mrs Shakleton, Miss Agnes Shakleton, H. Squire, Miss J. L. Stitt, Miss H. Tomey, Mrs. R. Walters, Miss A. B. Ward, the Rev. Henry and Mrs. C. D. White, Miss Elizabeth E. White, the Rev. Patrick Keating, Robert McCracken, Dr. Herman Hirsch.

THIEVES RIP TIRE FROM AUTO Policemen Trace Men to Empty

House and Arrest Them. While an automobile was standing at 24th and De Lancey streets this morning. two mer ripped a new tire from a rear wheel, while many persons were passing, and carried it to an empty house at 24th and Cypress streets.

They were traced by Policemen Galla-2112 Bolton street, was held in \$600 bail gher and Murphy, and arrested. The pris- ator Boies Penrose. oners gave their names as Charles Milliken, of 2421 Waverly street, and John M. P. Sticker, who owns the garage Cummings, of 2223 Tasker street. They at 1928 North 20th street, testified that Fleming systematically robbed him of

JOY-RIDING PRISONERS MUST | PEERS INTO WINE BARREL! CABINS BRING 220 TOURSTS | REVERT TO COMMON PATROL

Pleasurable Ride to Lock-up Blamed

for Avalanche of Offenders. Joy riding among the regular weekend boarders at the Germantown police station came to an end today. Disturbers of the peace will no longer be taken to the lock-up in the latest improved touring car. Beginning Monday they will have to be content to go in an ordinary

of business several weeks ago by an accident, Fire Marshal William Coupe, who is an ardent Germantown citizen, immediately offered his automobile. Those who are in a habit of coming to the police station every Saturday immediately spread the news, and very soon the po-lice had more petty offenders than ever. It was noticeable, too, that the driver took the riders to the station house in

a roundabout way.

Incidentally, Magistrate Pennock who conducts the hearings in Germantown, found that the cases have increased threefold since the auto began serving as a patrol, while the charges were so slight that three-fourths of the prisoners were discharged. In fact, things reached such a stage that the approach of the touring car very often was the signal for an impromptu fight in the street. When the fighters were gathered in they simply chuckled and would lean back like millionaires.

That's why the police believe that the arrival of the regular wagon will work a reform in Germantown.

MAN LEAPS BEFORE TRAIN

Pension Papers on Dead Body May Identify Him.

WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., Sept. 26,-A man about 45, carrying pension papers in his pocket bearing the name of James Hoagland, of Carlisle, Pa., jumped in front of a train on the Williamsport and North Branch Railroad at Picture Rocks today and was killed.

YOUNG REPUBLICANS MEET

A meeting of the Pennsylvania Young A meeting of the Pennsylvania Young
Men's Republican Club, composed of
young men who will vote for the first
time at the next election, was held today in the headquarters of the organization at the Believue-Stratford. Unanimous indorsement was given Dr. Martin
G. Brumbaugh and United States Senator Boics Penrose.

Joseph H. Howay, president of the club, presided, and about 100 members at-tended the meeting. It was announced Cummings, of 2323 Tasker street. They that a dinner is to be held at the hotel were held in \$500 bail for court by Magis- Friday evening. October 2, at which both trate Haggerty. The the Delonged to Detor Brumbaugh and Senator Penrose Frederick Storch, of 1712 folf street, will speak.

HALF HIS MUSTACHE GOES

Alcohol Fumes Explode When Gerati Uses Lighted Match,

Removing one's mustache by alcohol fumes is not exactly painless. This is vouched for by John Gerati, 910 Fitswater street. Gerati has a well-stocked wine cellar and early this morning he paid the place

a visit. It was dark, so he lighted a a visit. It was dark, so he lighted a match while peering into a barrel of tempting liquid. In a moment a flash followed and when the smoke cleared Gerati had lost half his flowing mustache. His face was slightly scalded, so he went to the Pennsylvania Hospital. The doctors told him that the other half of the mustache would have to be half of the mustache would have to be hair of the mustache would have to be removed also. "Can't you patch it up somehow?" he asked. But the physicians said "no." "I don't mind the burns so much," walled Gerati, "but I grieve for my lost mustache."

CITY WINS GERMAN TRADE

Percy C. Donald, a representative of a London syndicate of ' - ware merchanta, in this city, has been informed by his employers that they intend to spend t8,000,000 in this country for supplies. The syndicate has hitherto been purchasing its raw material and supplies from Germany, but the war in Europe has diverted this trade from Germany to the United States.



How many people think of painting their roofs and spouting before leaks are detected? As a matter of fact the painter should follow the tinsmith. Indeed, it is often economy to let the painter go ahead first. Today have Kuehnle inspect your roof. If it needs painting it needs

Kuehnie Painting and Decorating



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