## BANKS URGE DEFEAT OF INTERLOCKING DIRECTORATE BILL

## Clearing House Here Tells Congress Measure Would Be a Serious Blow to Financial Institutions.

Bankers in this city are urging defeat of Section 8 of the Clayton anti-trust prohibitive. bill, which would prohibit interlocking directorates. The bill is now before Congress. Urging that this section of the bill, as far as it affects banks and trust companies, be stricken out, telegrams were today sent by the Philadelphia Clearing House Association to the chairman of the Judiciary Committees of the Senate and House, Senators Penrose and Oliver and members of the House of Representatives from Philadelphia.

Attention is called to the fact that if this section is incorporated into law it will cause an entire rearrangement of the directors of many banks and trust companies, and men who have a wide business experience will be barred from action as directors, thus causing a serious blow to be dealt the institutions. At a time when the new currency system is about to be placed in operation these men will be needed more than ever bfore,

The telegrams, signed by Joseph Moore, Jr., president of the Philadelphia Clearing House Association and of the National Bank of Northern Liberties, and Levi L. Rue, chairman of the Clearing House Committee and president of the Philadelphia National Bank, read as follows:

delphia National Bank, read as follows:

It is our opinion that if section 8, Clayton anti-trust bill, respecting interlocking directors, is adopted by Congress and becomes a law, it will deal a serious blow to the banks and trust companies of the larger cities of the country, and while doubtless intended to conserve the people's interests, is really most detrimental to those interests. The country is about to inaugurate a new banking system. Vast changes in banking methods are to take place, and if there ever was a time in the history of the country when the managements of the banks and trust companies should be in strong and experienced hands, it is now.

The resources of the banks and trust companies belong to the people. With them they place their savings and the managements of their estates, the beneficiaries of which are largely women and children. Their directors should be men of broad vision, wide experience, sound judgment and in touch with the commerce and trade of the world. The bill as written will strip these institutions of directors.

We therefore most respectfully urge upon many of the ablest men directors.

We therefore most respectfully urge upon Congress that section 8, of the Clayess anti-trust bill as affecting banks and trust companies, be stricken out.

### PORT OF PHILADELPHIA

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FREIGHTS AND CHARTERS The demand in nearly all trades continues easy in the steam market with a moderate mount of business being done. Bates remain ro. There is but little inquiry for sail tou-ies. Raics are weak.

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### GRAIN EXPORTS INCREASE August-September Records This Year

Better Than in 1913. Grain exports for August and September of this year are in excess of the figures for the same months last year in spite of the war in Europe. Early next week a still further increase will be recorded when the British steamship Oaklands Grange sails with 400,000 bushels of oats. believed to be the largest cargo of that commodity ever shipped from this port to

Cargoes totaling 1,595,698 bushels were shipped from this port in 20 vessels in August, 1913. This year but nine ships sailed with cargoes of \$43,721 bushels, owing to the slump brought about by the war. Shipping for a time was virtually at a standstill and rates became almost

Since August there has been a notice-able improvement in conditions, and every day the exports have been increasing. So far 13 vessels have sailed this month, carrying grain cargoes of 1,151,640 as com-pared to cargoes totaling 1,147,223 bushels taken from the port in September of 1913 in 18 vessels.

### COCAINE FIEND IN CELL BEGS POLICE FOR DRUG

Young Man, Caught in a Roundup, Sent to Hospital.

Denied his hourly doses of cocaine, James Lynch, who says he comes from a prominent family on Allegheny avenue and was once going to study for the min-istry, is dangerously ill in his cell at the Tenth and Buttonwood streets police station, where he is held by Magistrate Belcher under \$500 bail as a cocaine ped-

Young Lynch was arrested early this morning at Eleventh and Vine streets during a round-up of drug sellers by Special Officers Haines and Wessecker. He will be faken to a hospital today and

treated for the drug habit.

Lynch had a good-sized package of cocaine hidden under an elastic arm band when he was searched at the police sta-tion. He was in his shirt sleeves, and it is believed he sold his coat to buy the drug. Vice squad officers have been drug. Vice squad officers have been watching Lynch for several weeks in the belief that he was distributing drugs to Tenderloin habitues.

Lynch told the police that he has been using drugs for two years. He began just after he was graduated from High School. He was in a Chinese restaurant in the Tenderloin one night, he said, when a girl persuaded him to try sniffing co-

A month later he was a confirmed drug user. Eight months ago he was arrested by Special Officer Haines, who made the arrest this morning. This was just after he had buried his young wife. Since then the drug's inroads have been so marked that Haines hardly recognized the boy when he arrested him.

The Lynch boy was in a pitlable con-dition when he was arraigned this morn-ing before Magistrate Belcher. As soon as his case was disposed of he began beg-ging the police for cocaine. Arrange-ments were made to take him to the Hahnemann Hospital.

### WOULD GIVE AUTO FOR DRINK Police Accuses Man of Attempting

Theft to Satisfy Thirst. Although the price of whisky has not increased in proportion to the high cost of living, the police say Phillip McCul-lough, of 2315 Vine street, attempted to steal an automobile this morning and

exchange it for a drink.

The man was seen tinkering around a car at Sixteenth and Market streets by Special Policeman McCullough, of the Fifteenth and Vine streets station. The policeman, it was sald, saw McCullough try to drive the car off. He gave this up as a bad job on finding the machine locked. Then, according to the policeman, the other McCullough took a number of tools from the car and put them

owner of the car, who has offices at 939 Land Title Building, appeared. Horter accompanied the prisoner to the Fifteenth and Vine streets station, and McCullough was held in \$600 bail by Magistrate Tracy.

### PRISONER PUZZLE TO COURT Then Magistrate Gives It Up and

Sentences Sol Salm. A trip via "blind baggage" from New

York to Pittsburgh in order to borrow funds in the latter city with which to return to New York again, was inter-return to New York again, was inter-rupted by Magistrate Boyle this morn-ing when he sentenced the tourist, who gave his name as Sol Salm, 23 years old, and his home as Portland, Ore., to le days in the county prison.

Salm was arrested last night while riding "bilind baggage" on a through New York to Pittsburgh train on the Pennsylvania Railroad. He told Magis-trate Boyle this morning that he was on his way to Pittsburgh to see a man whom his father had made successful. He declared he wanted to borrow money from him so that he could get back to New York to start work. Magistrate Boyle sent Salm to jail.

Woman, 70, Recovering From Fall Mrs. Mary Morrissey, 70 years old, of 2915 Terrace street, is at St. Timothy's Hospital today suffering from injuries to her scalp sustained when she was stricken with vertigo and fell on the stone steps in front of her home. Physicians thought at first that because of her age the injury would prove serious, but the woman was so far recovered today that they expect to send her home.

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## PARKWAY-HEARINGS SOON TO BE HELD BY **BOARD OF VIEWERS**

Property in 10th and 15th Wards, in Section Between 19th and 22d Streets, Will Be Considered.

The Board of Viewers will shortly begin hearings, under an ordinance ap-proved July 2, "to authorize the opening of the unopened portions of the Parkway between 19th street and 22d street."
Under the law three months' notice was

served on owners of property on July 5, the damages to be settled by the viewers, after evidence has been presented by both sides, or failing to agree, there is an appeal to th courts,
In the portion of the 10th and 15th Wards covered by this ordinance, there are approximately 200 properties. For several

years, the city, through a committee, of which the Mayor is chairman, has been purchasing property from any iwners will-ing to sell, at 10 per cent. above the as-sessed value of the year 1909. Why that year was chosen is a mystery to many, as assessments were afterwards increased. In this way, out of the 200 properties, the city has taken title to about one-half, leaving approximately 100 properties to be considered, and a proper price paid to the owners of same.

PROPERTIES ON PARKWAY LINE. As the plan before the Board of Viewers is not yet obtainable, only an esti-mated list of properties can be given, the northwest boundary being the southeast line of the Parkway as laid out, and the southwest line of this proceeding runs along the south line of 236 West Logan square, and 237 North 20th street, then in a diagonal line to Wood street, taking in the northeast corner and thence to the north line of 403 North 22d street, where it meets the old Parkway.

Nos. 238 and 240 W. Logan Square are taken \$34,000 Nos. 236-42-44 are owned by city.

On east side of 20th st.—
Nos. 217-30-41-47-40 are taken. 27,000 Nos. 243-45 are owned by city.
Nos. 1920-22 Vine st. are owned by city.
On west side of 20th st.—
Nos. 218-41-30-38-00-02 N. 20th st. 25,700 Second Ref. Pres. Church exempt.
Nos. 202-54 N. 20th st. owned by city.
On Winter st. 2011-21 owned by city.
On south side of Vine st.
Nos. 2007-9-13-15-17-19 owned by city.
On south side of Vine st.—
Nos. 2008-8-10-10-18-20-22-24-28-30-32 38,100 Nos. 2012-14-26 owned by city.
On north side of Vine st.—
Nos. 2007-11-21-25-27-29-33-35-47-49-51-53-55 Cos. 238 and 240 W. Logan Square

Nos. 2000-13-15-17-19-23-31-37-39-41-43-45 Nos. 2000-13-15-17-10-23-31-37-39-41-43-45
owned by city.
South side of Pearl et.—
Nos. 2042-44-50
Nos. 2020-22-24-26-46-48-50-52-54 owned
by city.
North side of Pearl et.—
Nos. 2033-43-51
Nos. 2021 owned by city.
South side Wood st.—
Nos. 2032-42-52-54
Nos. 2032-42-52-54
owned by city.
South side Wood st.—
Nos. 2032-43-52-54
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Nos. 2033-43-52-53-54
Owned by city.
North side Wood st.—
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Nos. 2033-45-47-49-51 owned by city.
East side 21st st.—

Nos. 2853-55
Nos. 2953-45-47-49-51 owned by city.

East side 21st st.—
Nos. 3054-7-9-11-15-17-19
Nos. 301-3-13-21-23-27 owned by city.

West side 21st st.—
Nos. 314-20-22-26-28-36
Nos. 316-18-24-30-32-34-36-38-40-42-44
owned by city.

Properties to be acquired show an approximate assessment of, say, \$300,000, and represent a value of from \$400,000 to \$500,000. Eventually, there will be probably seven more properties taken on West Logan Square to bring the south line straight to the west side of the street. They will include Nos. 218-220-222-221-226-228-230 and 232, the total assessment for this year being \$199,000 and their value not far from \$250,000. This, however, will not be taken under the present notice, but

will come up at some future date. OWNERS ASK PROMPT ACTION. The attitude of owners of property, inin his pocket.

While the two McCulloughs were talking the matter over, Robert M. Horter, plotted, is that of being perfectly willing to accept a fair price for their property. but they ask prompt action. On October 5 the city of Philadelphia becomes owner, and the taking is an easement made fast,

which has really existed ever since the lines were put upon the city plan.
Losses of rent and low rental, because properties could not be improved, are total, as under the law such cannot be considered any more than loss of business. To show the hardship of delay caused by the City taking property so long ahead of payment only this week the ahead of payment only this week the estate of Theodore L. Harrison, Jr., were restrained by a decision of Judge Dickinson in the United States District Court from expending \$150,000 in improving properties Nos. 1403-5-7 Filbert street in the eastern end of the Parkway. A proper return on the value of the property could not be realized in present condition. The Court held that the cost of such improvement on a paper street.

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## could not be recovered when the physical

The law, as it stands on the statute books, works a great deal of hardship. No leases can be made, and the best that owners can do is to get what rent they can with the least possible ex-penditure and resist all appeals to keep the property up, or improve it. The re-sult is too well known. Rents go lower and lower and when vacated by old tenand lower and when vacated by old ten-ants, property remains idle, while taxes and loss of interest go on, the ownership oming an expense instead of a source

In the present proceeding, a report is asked by the Court "at the January ses-sions." 1915. It is believed in real estate circles prompt hearings will begin as soon as the plan appears.

NOTES OF THE STREET. It would be a boon to builders and real estate brokers if the banks would extend a little more liberality in the matter of

loans to building societies, one of the essentials in realty home development. Transfers this week are widely distributed. There are not, perhaps, as many as usual, but it must be remembered we are between seasons. West Philadelphia makes a good showing, and several indus-

makes a good showing, and several industrial propositions have obtained locations.

There is little change in the mortgage position. Trust companies are ready for all first-class offers and at ruling rates.

LESSOR.

## SEVEN DEATHS FROM DIPHTHERIA; 31 NEW CASES OF TYPHOID

451 Persons Died in Philadelphia During Week. 106 Due to Communicable Diseases.

There were 451 deaths in Philadelphia this week, of which 106 were due to communicable diseases. Last week 416 deaths were reported to the Health De-partment and 452 were reported during

the corresponding week last year. Seven deaths this week were due to diphtheria. Thirty-seven new cases of diphtheria developed. Thirty-one new cases of typhoid fever were reported and three deaths were due to typhoid.

Other new cases of contagious diseases developing during this week are: Scar let fever, 13; whooping cough, 15; mumps, 8; measles, 14; chicken pox, 9. The mortality statement for the week is

ns follows:

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Diarrhea and enteritis (2 yrs. and
over)... 2
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in the large Turner Hall, at Lehighton.

## Typical Soldiers of Warring Nations In Sunday's Intaglio

Soldier types of the warring nations, with a page of Great Britain's famous Indian commands, are shown at close range in Sunday's Intaglio. There are page-wide panoramas of the Knights Templars' recent peace exercises on Belmont Plateau, and photos of Germany's war lords and American treaty advocates. Pages, too, of gay county fair scenes. beautiful studio poses, artistic bed-room settings and prominent women contributors to the season's social entertainment.

Because of its wealth of authentic gridiron information, the Sports Magazine has been converted into a special football number without slighting other sporting activities. Among its articles on the possihilities of new football are special contributions by Parke H. Davis, Glenn Warner, R. W. Maxwell and Geo. E. McLinn. Wm. H. Rocap discusses "Who Was America's Greatest Lightweight," and Paul W. Gibbon tells of Philadelphia's new star in the tennis firmament. "Ty" Cobb discloses the object of his personal interview with Connie Mack.

PUBLIC LEDGER

## At the Theatres

COLONIAL

A new policy will be inaugurated next week at the Nixon Colonial, Germantown, with two shows of entirely different character. For the first three days of next week the bill will include Pollard, of the magic hands; the Omega Duo, in tangle talk; the Hamilton brothers, knockabout comedians: Bicknell and Gibboney, in a skit, "The Substitute," and the Sig Franz troupe of novelty cy-cilata. Beginning Thursday afternoon there will appear Ah Ling Foo, an Orienmagician; Kennedy and Burt, com-singers; the Mascognys, in a dancing act; Evans and Vidocq, comedians, and "The Dream Pirates," in which a dozen Philadelphia lads will take part.

#### NIXON'S GRAND

"Princess Elizabeth," a remarkable child artist, will make her first appear-ance in songs and dances at Nixon's Grand Opera House next Monday, "Mother Goose," a favorite musical comedy in miniature, presented by G. C. Mock and company, will head the bill. Other feat-ures will be Lamb's Manikins, an act to amuse children and grownups; the Monarch Comedy Four, a quartet of funmak-ers, and Mills and Moulton, with a merry melange of singingand talking.

"Hobert Bosworth is the real, three-di-nension Sea Wolf of my novel," de-

elared Jack London, of the chief actor for the "movie" drama based upon his famous romance which will be shown at the Palace next week. London's story is one of adventure and love, the scene in lands unaccutomed to the average trav-

The manufacturer of "The Sea Wolf," Bosworth, of Los Angeles, has just announced that Miss Lois Weber has been engaged at a salary of \$50,000 a year as a scenario writer and actress. Philips Smalley will assist Mr. Bosworth in directing as well as acting. Cour-tenay Foote, the celebrated English tenay Foote, the English actor; Miss Adele Farrington, the comedienne; Miss Helen Wolcott, Miss Margaret Edwards, Marshall Stedman and Gordon Sackville have signed up to act for this firm.

#### "CABIRIA" MOVES

"Cabiria," Gabrielle D'Annunzio's mo-tion picture drama of the third century, will move from the Chestnut Street Opera House to the Academy of Music next Monday afternoon. It will be continued for two weeks, showing each afternoon and evening.

QUO VADIS?"-METROPOLITAN George Kleine's original production of "Quo Vadist", one of the most magnificent motion picture plays ever produced, will be shown at the Metropolitan Monday and Tuesday. On Tuesday Mary Pickford, in "Ramona," one of her best and prettiest plays, will be a feature. Klaw and Erlanger's great dramatic success, "Strongheart," will be exhibited on Chronicle-Telegraph. George Kleine's original production of

Thursday, and on Friday Rlaw and Erlanger's comedy, "Seven Days.

#### LITTLE THEATRE

The sale of subscription seats for the coming season at the Little Theatre opened this week, and will continue until October 5, when the sale of seats for the performance of "Arms and the Man" will begin. B. Iden Payne, who will be stage director, will arrive from England next week and begin rehearsals for the first production. He will bring with him the rights to a number of clever one-act plays which will be included in the winter's plays.

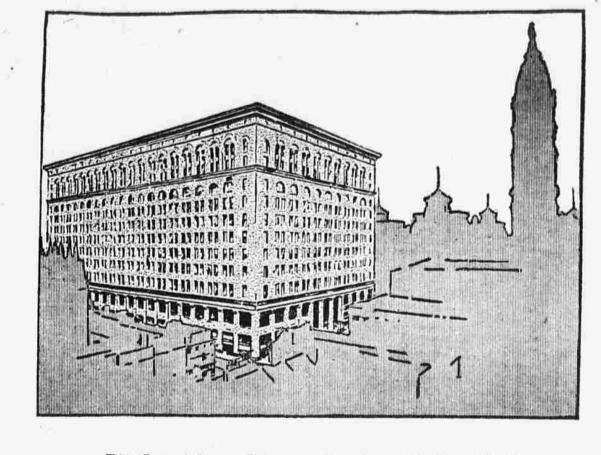
#### THE WALNUT

A musical comedy, based on George Me-Manus' cartoon series of "Bringing Up Father," by Gus Hill, will be given for the first time at the Walnut Street Theatre next week.

#### The Victim

It was a wizened little man who appeared before the Judge and charged his wife with cruel and abusive treatment. His better-half was a big, square-jawed woman, with a determined eye.

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



The Grand Organ Plays on Monday at 9, 11 and 5:15

## THE WANAMAKER STORE

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A large special sale of silk and satin dresses in the Store on the Subway Floor. Some brand-new and very fashionable things that have just come in, with prices kept down so low as to tempt women to buy two or three.

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At \$12.50 are dresses of crepe meteor, charmeuse and heavy satin; some of them are samples that represent a variety of the latest fashions.

Also a special sale of young women's cloth coats at \$7.50, of separate skirts at \$2.75 to \$7.50 and women's and young women's Autumn suits at \$12 to \$25.

(Subway Floor, Market)

# JOHN WANAMAKER