EVENING LEDGER-PHILADELPHIA, SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3, 1914.

REGISTRATION LIGHT IN EARLY HOURS, BUT RUSH LATER LIKELY

Party Leaders Estimate That Fewer Than 40,000 Went to Polls by 10 o'Clock Recess-Last Day to Qualify.

Penrose Henchmen, Armed With Lists, Trying to Herd Voters in Every District-Nearly 200,-000 Eligibles Had Not Registered When Polls Opened Today.

Despite frantic efforts of the Penrose Beutenants and the liquor men, registration this morning was fairly light. Party leaders at noon estimated that fewer than 10,000 had qualified to vote at the November election before the polls closed for a recess at 10 o'clock this morning

Indications are, however, that the totel registration today will be large, as every political organization is making a strong effort to get the citizens to the poils to register. Republican Organization ward bosses, particularly those in the downtown wards, alarmed at the outpouring of the anti-Penrose voters, had henchmen working in nearly every division in Philadelphia this morning, to herd the Penrose vote to the polling places:

These benchmen have been armed with lists of electors who did not register on September 3 or September 15, and are making a personal canvass of the voters In every division in an effort to line them up to register as members of the Penrose-McNichol-Vare machine.

They made little headway this morning, as the heaviest registration was in the independent wards, where the Republican organization does not control the voters and where the anti-Penrose sentiment, as a result, is overwhelming,

LAST REGISTRATION DAY,

Today is the last registration day for the November election. It is the last the Rev. H. L. Carl, the Rev. S. B. Wenchance for the citizens of Philadelphia to qualify to vote on November 2.

When the polling places opened this morning nearly 200,000, or half of the citizens whose names are on the as-zessors' lists and who are eligible to

qualify to vote, had not registered. The polls opened at 7 o'clock this morn-ing and closed for a recess at 10 o'clock. They reopen at 4 o'clock this afternoon and will remain open until 10 o'clock to-Il tox receipts can be purchased at

Foll tox receipts can be purchased at the polls by citizens who have been issessed for a poll tax prior to Septem-ber 3. P. resons who have paid a State or county fax since November 3, 1912, or who were assessed prior to 60 days be-fore the election this fall, are eligible to register, provided they show their tax receipts at the polls. receipts at the polls.

ENROLLMENT NOT NECESSARY.

Although the leaders of every party have been making an effort to have the have been marking an errort to have the voters rediater under their party name. enrollment is not necessary this fall. Voters enrolled this fall will not be eligi-ble to vote at the primary election next year without enrolling again next year

ARRESTED FOR INTOXICATION. 48 ARE FREED TO REGISTER Penrose Buttons on Prisoners Who

Face Magistrate and Escape Fines. Forty-eight men arrested for intoxicaion were freed this morning by Magistrate Tracy, in the Eleventh and Winters streets police station, when they

appeared before him after the general hearings were over. Each expressed f desire to get out and register. They all wore Boles Penrose buttons,

It required two slates to list the great number of intoxicated prisoners, and Lieutenant Smiley was busy for some time getting names and addresses straightened out.

When the prisoners were brought from their cells into the hearing room, each wore an all-wise and confident look. The magistrate, a Penrose supporter, dis-charged the men without fines. The red rose and guill pen of the Penrose bul-ten blazed before his eyes. But one fellow wanted to do the right

thing, and he consented to return for his sentence if he could only get to his poll-ing place and "do the right thing" by Fis division leader. He even consented to have a policeman accompany him to his voting place and back.

FOREIGNERS, NATURALIZED, RUSHED OFF TO REGISTER

Several Frankly Admit They Acted on Politicians' Orders.

Obeying the wishes of Organization ward heelers, 140 residents of South Phila-delphia were naturalized today in order that they might register. The new citizens were sworn in by Deputy Clerks Broadbeck and Cobaugh in room 324 in the Federal Building. After receiving their citizenship papers the men hurried away to their home wards and registered. According to Federal officials, a person

who becomes naturalized can register on the same day. Several of the applicants frankly admitted that they had become naturalized at the request of politicians. Since May 1 3500 foreigners have been

naturalized in this city. UNITED BRETHERN ANNOUNCE

THE ELECTION OF PASTORS Membership Reported to Be 22,862, Increase of 993 in One Year.

The successful pastors in the election of the conference of the United Brethren. in Christ, being held in the Second Church of the United Brethren, at 59th and Catharine streets, are the Rev. S. F. Engle,

conference treasurer; the Rev. I. H. Allbright, conference historical secretary; sert, the Rev. H. F. Rhoad, the Rev. I. N. Seldomridge and the Rev. J. A. Keiper, conference Sabbath School Board; the Rev. D. S. Longenecker, the Rev. H. E. Miller, the Rev. P. H. Balsbaugh, the Rev. Thomas Garland, the Rev. A. Leh-man and the Rev. A. G. Nye, trustees of

Conference Preachers' Aid; the Rev. G. F. Breinig and the Rev. A. S. Beckley, trustees of Lebanon Valley College; the Rev. D. D. Lowery, editor of Conference Herald; the Rev. J. T. Spängler and the Rev. E. A. G. Bossler, Educational Board; the Rev. C. S. Miller, Publicity Commit-

Ecturns from the membership census showed that the total membership is. 22.862, an increase of 923 in one year.

M'CORMICK AND PINCHOT EXCHANGE COMPLIMENTS

The Candidates Give Exhibition of Campaign Amenities.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Oct. 3 -- Gifford Pinhut. Washington party nominee for United States Senator, who is recuperat-ing at the Fort Pitt Hotel here, received

W. C. T. U. WOULD **DELUGE PRESIDENT** WITH ITS LETTERS

Million Requests at New Year's for His Support of National Prohibition, Plan of Executive Committee.

OIL CITY, Pa., Oct. 3 .- Last night's session at the opening of the 40th annual Convention of the State W. C. T. U. here brought out an attendance which taxed the centing capacity of Trinity Church. Dr. J. B. Siggins, Mayor of Oil City, extended a cordial welcome to the delegates, and spoke of the great work the organization is accomplishing. The Rev. W. E. McBride extended a welcome in behalf of the Oll City Ministerial Society, and Mrs. C. B. Simmons spoke for the Venanzo County W. C. T. U., of which

she is pesident. Response was given by Mrs. Baggerly, of the Schuylkill County who spoke in place of Mrs. Moll. presiwho spoke in place of Mrs. Moll presi-dent of the county union. She presented Mrs. George, the State president, with a bouquet of red roses. Mayor Siggins was cheered to the echo when he re-

marked that he was proud to be the chief executive of a "dry" town. A feature of the session was the stir-ring address of Mrs. Addie Bolleau Parsels, of Philadelphia, vice president of the State organization. She made a strong Impression.

session this morning was devoted to hearing reports of the various departments affiliated with the organization. The address this afternoon is by Dr. Amelia A. Dranga, of Pittsburgh, on "The Moral Care of Our Children."

This evening an address on "The Silent Partner" will be given by the Rev. Messa Murie Varney, of Paw Paw, Mich. The The Executive Committee has decided to have 1,000,000 letters sent to President Wilson at New Year's, requesting that he use his influence in securing a national prohibition amendment to the Constitu-tion of the United States.

The program arranged for Sunday calls for the convention sermon by the Rev. Messa Marle Varney, of Paw Paw, Mich. The Rev. W. P. Murray, D. D. will preside at the service. In the after noon a Sunday school rally will be held at which a special program arranged by Mrs. M. A. Irwin, of Bellevue, superintendent of Sunday school work, will be followed. Mrs. W. E. McBride, of will Oil City, has arranged the evening pro-gram, when the principal address will be given by Daniel A. Poling, of Boston, associate president of the International Y. P. S. C. E. Society, and chairman of the Good Citizenship Committee.

COUNTY FAIR AND MARKET DAY AIDS CONVALESCENTS

Proceeds.

The country fair and market day for the benefit of St. Francis' Country House for Convalescents, Darby, opened this morning. The opening of the event was attended by society folk. friends and supporters of the institution, and many

> guests, but mostly by housekeepers, who came from the countryside for miles around to purchase fresh eggs, chickens, vegetables, flowers and produce. The grounds of the home were pic

PENROSE

"THE GUNMEN"

will receive a bronze medal for the rural BICYCLIST HIT BY MOTOR TRUCK boy contest. His average is 98.5. The rural girl in the same class is Ruth Austin, New Hope, Pa. Her average is the same and she will also receive a conze medal.

William L. McGrath, of 560 Centre street, will get a bronze medal for an average of 59 in the city boys' contest. Eleanor M. Martin, of Hutchinson's Mills, will get \$20 for having shown the Six-months-old Carl Deutz Six-months-old Carl Deutz

Gets the Gold Medal. FREIGHT CLERK BADLY HURT William Owens, Struck by Train at

Wayne Junction, May Die.

William Owens, 18 years old, a freight clerk at the Wayne Junction station of TRENTON, N. J., Oct. 3 .- Prizes for the the Philadelphia and Reading Railway, coungsters in the "better babies" con- was struck by an outbound train this test at the Interstate Fair were announc- morning and badly injured. He was taken ed here today after the physicians had to the Germantown Hospital, suffering

to the station this morning to check a number of freight cars. In doing this he

stepped out upon a nearby track as the train was approaching the station. His

father, A. T. Owens, is freight agent at the Wayne Junction station. He was

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MEXICAN WARRIORS IN ARMED CONCLAVE **DISCUSS PEACE PLAN**

Fifty-eight Constitutionalist Generals, Each Carrying a Big Pistol, Continue Deliberations.

By ARTHUR CONSTANTINE

MENICO CITY, Oct. 3 .- Fifty-eight Constitutionalist generals, nearly all of them wearing big callbre army service pistols in their belts in plain view, crowded into the hall of the Chamber of Deputies today to continue their preparation of plans for the National Peace Convention, which will probably open on October 10

The chief question for settlement today was the eligibility of Francisco Canseco, of Oaxaca, to sit as a delegate in the peace conference because that State has never formally acknowledged allegiance to the Constitutionalist Government.

General Ramon Gutzierrez has been elected president of the national peace convention and General Francisco Murguia, of Monclovia! State of Coahulla, has been chosen vice president. It is likely that First Chief Carranza will be represented by his confidential agent, Roberto V. Pesqueira.

The news that General Villa has executed Augustine Perez and Jose San-doval, two members of the old aristocratic Cientifico party, is taken here to mean that Villa will devote all his energies in behalf of the peon population. Unless First Chief Carranza and his advisers guarantee to carry out reforms in favor of the peons demanded by Villa, the one time bandit chief will unquestionably go to war against the Constitu-tionalist Central Government.

MAYTORENA FORCE ATTACKS TROOPS OF CARRANZA

Fighting Reported at Naco in the State of Sonora.

EL PASO, Oct. 3 .- A special dispatch from Waco, Ariz., to an El Paso newspaper states that General Maytorena's force moved forward to attack the Carranzistas troops at Naco, Sonora, carly today, but up to \$ a. m. only light skirmishing occurred.



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is to swell the party strength on paper, and it is for this reason that the Repub-Ilean City Committee, the Palmer-Me-Cormick League and the Washington party City Committee have deluged voters with cards within the nast month, urging them to enroll when they register.

EXERCISES TODAY MARK SAFETY CARNIVAL'S CLOSE

School Children and Inmates of Orphans' Court.

Today's opercises will mark the close of the Carnival and Convention of Safety at Convention Hall, Broad street and Allegheny avenue. Children of public and parochial schools and orphan asylums are the guests today of the Home and School League.

Several thousand children from the Catholic Home for Destitute Orphans, Salvation Army Home for Children, Widener Memorial School, Home of the Merciflu Savior, Elkina Masonie Orphanage for Girls, Hedbrew Orphans' Home, Jews ish Foster Home and Baptist Orphanage, are expected to altend the afternoon and evening performances.

Drills by the police and fire depart-ments and Boy Scouts, the peace pageant assisted by the State Fencibles and illustraisd lectures on the rules of safety, will be given at both sessions.

Mrs. Joseph R. Wilson, chairman of the armival, has been asked by the Home and School League of Chicago to address sufety carnival in that city. She has sen appointed a member of the educa-onal bound of the Chicago National

BLOW AT DRUG TRAFFIC IN COCAINE THEFT CHARGE

Two Men Are Held, One for Stealing, the Other for Receiving Loot.

Another blow at the drug traffic, in this city, was struck today when Magistrate Beicher, at the Tenth and Buttonwood streets station, held two men for court. They are Lewis Walker, a Negro, of 1013 Mt. Verson street, accused of stealing condine and heroin from the plant of Smith, Kline & French Company, where he was employed until a short time ago, and Walter Aucout, of 1531 Have street, through whom Walker was captured

Wolker was held, on the charge of stealing the drugs, in 1690 half for court, and Aucoit in a total of 1000 ball on charges of having the drug in his posses-sion and of receiving stolen goods.

INJURY IN FOOTBALL GAME FATAL AFTER TWO YEARS

Boy, Kicked in the Spine, Dies as Result.

A kick in the back, received two years to, when he was playing football with number of commanions, was responsible at the death of H-year-old Hurlock D. artis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Z. Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Z. Martin, of 37.7 North 28th street. Fineral services will be held next Monday after-noon at 1 o'clock, at the house, with pri-vate burial at Arlington Cemetery. The hoy, whose father is a paying teller in the Land Title and Trust Company, we taken scribusly ill four weeks ago those that time had been gradually by weaker. He frequently had suf-from the kick in the spine. This brain his death.

ally advantage in enrolling this fall swell the party strength on paper, t is for this reason that the Repub-Governor,

Mr. Pinchot in turn informed Mr. Me-Cormick that he expected to resume speechmaking Monday in Butler County. The Progressive nominee and the Demo-eratic State candidates, who have been campaigning here, are quartered in the same hotel.

The possibility that Representative A. Mitchell Falmer and Mr. Finchot, rivals for the Senatorship, would meet last night

ave rise to considerable speculation. Mr. "almer came to the hotel after the mass-ueting at McKeesport, Pa., and left at nce for Washington to resume his duties a Congress. Other Democrats said today hey did not believe Mr. Palmer even they did not believe Mr. Palmer knew Mr. Pinchot was at the hotel. Mr

Pinchot said this morning that he did not meet Mr. Paimer. \$1582.55 IN "WAR CHEST"

Suffragists Send Melting Pot to

Mint. The suffragists are enriched by \$1582.55. epresenting the amount of gold and sli-ver builton assayed from their "war chest" sent this week to the Philadelphia Mint. This chest, containing watch phia Mint. This chest, containing water cases, all kinds of table ware, tollet arti-cles, rings, spectacle frames and odd pieces of jewelry, was collected by the suffragists of the Western States. It assayed \$1190.37 in gold bullion and \$20.18

in silver. The money derived from this chest will be used in the States of Montana, Ne-vula. North and South Dakota, Mizsouri, Nebraska and Ohio in the fall and win-ter camaign. i silver.

REED H. WALMER, Manager

turesque in their autumn dress. Booths carefully gone over all the averages of from concussion of the devoted to the sales of farmers' produce the 250 children entered in the different sicians believe he cannot recover. and useful and fancy articles were preclasses. Owens, who lives in Norristown, came

sided over by pretty girls, who form an Carl Deutz, 6 months old, of 227 Centre Auxiliary Committee of the fair. More street, was pronounced the most perfect than 299 women were on hand this mornand champion boy. He received an avering to assist in opening the fair and age of 100 per cent., which carries with it a prize of \$20 in gold, a gold medal making it a success. During last year, it was announced, St. and an additional award of \$10. He is in

Francis' Country House has daken care of 600 convalescents, who have been adthe class for city boys. The most perfect girl is Evelyn M mitted free, irrespective of creed, from the many hospitals of the city. Kirk, 6 months old, of 116 Stuyvesant avenue, Jersey City. Her average was 99.5. She will receive prizes of \$29 and \$10 each, and a bronze medal. She was

DIES WAITING FOR A CAR Man Standing at Street Crossing Suc-

combs to Heart Disease. Death due to heart disease came to Joseph Finkelstein, 60 years old, of 334 Bainbridge street, this morning while waiting for a trolley car at Fourth and Bainbridge streets. Finkelstein was seen to drop to the sidewalk by hundreds of passersby, and he was immediately conveyed to the Mt. Sinal Hospital, where he was pro-nounced dead. A widow and three children survive.

Sleeping Girl Overcome by Gas Grace Willis, 6351 Theodore street, nar-rowly escaped death by asphyxiation this morning. The girl's mother found her lying in bed unconscious at 5:30 o'clock. The gas fixture was leaking

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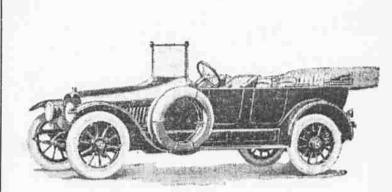
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