# PENROSE FAR BEHIND HIS PARTY STRENGTH IN COAL REGIONS

### Canvass of Schuylkill, Luzerne, Northumberland and Lackawanna Shows Strong Feeling Against Senator.

A canvass of the anthracite coal retions of Pennsylvania Indicates that Senator Penrose will fall far behind the Republican vote in his efforts for reelection to the United States Senate. Expressions of opinion from the hard coal regions follow:

Luzerne Against Penrose

HAZLETON, Pa., Oct. 17 .- The attitude of the United Mine Workers of the anthracite coal fields toward the re-election of United States Senator Penrose is decidedly antagonistic. If the miners have anything to say, Penrose and the interests allied with him will be relegated to political oblivion. While none of the leaders here would be quoted directly, they pointed to the resolutions adopted by their district conventions as to how they regard Penrose. They said the Pennsylvania Legislature dominated by Penrose and his "machine" gave grudg-ingly what little labor did get and throtthe enactment of the most impor tied the enactment of the most impor-tant labor measures that were up at the last session, among them the com-pensation and liability law. In his annual report, Thomas Kennedy, president of the miners of the Hazle-ton district, alluded to the defeat of this act "debased, selfish and cowardly."

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Referring to the Penrose-controlled
Senators who blocked it, Kennedy said
organized labor "owed them a legitimate
debt of vengeance," and that labor should not forget the men who prevented the passage of what he called the most humane law ever proposed in Pennsyl-

Local Unions Against Penrose SCRANTON, Pa., Oct. 17.-The miners of this district are taking no part in a fight against Senator Penrose or any other State candidate, said John M. Mack, secretary of District No. 1, of the United Mine Workers of America, at the headnuarters here today.

have heard that one or two locals have passed resolutions in opposition to the candidacy of Senator Penrose, but we have no official information that anything of the kind was done. The attitude of the miners as an organization has been to take no part in this contest."

John T. Dempsey, president of District So. 1, is the Democratic candidate for State Senator of this district, and is advocating the election of Palmer and Mc-Cormick. He was the Ryan faction candidate before the primaries and during the preliminary cauvass made strong at-tacks on McCormick and Palmer, par-ticularly the former for his alleged oppodtion to organized labor.

Sentiment Against Senator

WILKES-BARRE, Pa., Oct. 16.-Mine workers throughout Luzerne County have taken no united action for or against the candidacy of Boles Penrose for United States Senator Labor leaders declare here has been no action along political lines in the organization, and that the men are free to vote as they see fit with-out considering themselves under any

obligation in a political way to the organ-ization of the miners.

While there is much objection to Pen-roseism, miners of Luzerne in general cling to the party rather than to the candidate.

For Brumbaugh, Against Penrose POTTSVILLE, Pa., Oct. 17.-T. L. O'Donnell, of this city, Democratic County Chairman of Schuylkill, who, following the visit of the Democratic candidates, is pushing a vigorous campaign or votes, and Congressman R. E. Lee, who is now on the stump, being poked to address a mass meeting every night up to the eve of election, say care-ful reports, gathered from the district committeemen indicate success for the State ticket by splendid majorities, al-though they will not venture, at this ime, to quote figures.

Brumbaugh is showing strength, but housands of Republicans will cut deeply

nto Penrose's vote. It is plainly evident that there is much oncern felt by the Republican county land Penrose a winner, it being realized already that his vote will run away behind that which will be given to Brum-

Miners and Churches Hostile

SHAMOKIN, Pa., Oct. 17.—While the coal region end of Northumberland County is Republican, a large number of miners belonging to various churches are actively engaged in opposition to the re-election of United States Senator Penrose. During the last month church followers have been especially busy throughout this region, denouncing Penrose and praising Gifford Pinchot. They point to almost every saloon, which contains one or more large pictures of Penrose, and ask why liquid dealers are to the more large process. ask why liquor dealers are to the man

ass why liquor dealers are to the man lined up for him.

The past record of the Senator is being handled without gloves by his opponents. They say he will receive a vote of condemnation next month sufficient to put him out of politics. The agricultural portion of the county is naturally Democratic by a large majority and the vote in that section, it is understood, will remain solid for Palmer and McCormick.

that section, it is understood, will remain solid for Palmer and McCormick. Republican leaders in this region, rec-ognishing the condition of affairs, have sent numerous appeals to State head-quarters for a political rally here, and as a result Penrose and a number of other spellbinders will be in town tonight to participate in a parend and many meeting. speliblinders will be in town tonight to participate in a parade and mass meeting. On the contrary, arrangements are being made for the appearance here, next week, of Vance McCormick and possibly Falmer and a number of other Democratic candidates. There is every reason to believe Paragona by particular will reto believe Penrose in particular will series a decisive set-back at the polls.

### MRS. LONGSTREET'S CASE

Anticipated Revelations in Proceedings Against General's Widow Shelved.

ATLANTIC CITY, Oct. 17.-Anticipated sensations in the bankruptcy court pro-ceedings against Mrs. Helen Dortsch Longstreet, widow of the Confederate genetal, were temporarily shelved today by an order from Judge Relstab, of the United States District Court at Trenton, transferring the proceedings to the Bank-runtor Court at Freehold, N. J. Mrs Longatreet, who has transferred her residence from this city to Bradley Beach, charges that she was driven out

as certain. of the postmustership at Greenville, Ga. to which she was appointed by President Receivedt, and ruined financially by a Georgia water power company sceking to seize all the water powers in her native State.

Rallroad Will Fight Two-cent Fare

#### **BUCKS COUNTY LIKELY WILL** OPPOSE LOCAL OPTION BILLS

Democratic and Republican Legislative Candidates Against Such Measures.

DOYLESTOWN, Pa., Oct. 17 - There are slender chances of Bucks County supporting local option measures in the next Legislature. The Washington Party legislative candidates from this county favor local option, but their election is hardly a probability. Dr. J. E. Scott, of New Hope, is the Washington Party candidate for State Senator and the Assembly candidates are A. Russell Burton Tullytown, and William A. Hurley, Sole-

Both Republican and Democratic as pirants for the legislative berths from Bucks oppose anti-liquor measures. State Senator Clarence J. Buckman, the Republican candidate to succeed himself, is or record to that effect. George Ross, his Democratic opponent, opposes the local option movement. Democratic Assembly men Jesse D. Foster, Newtown, and W Elmer Savacool, Perkasie, who are again candidates, opposed local option measures in the last Legislature. The Reublican Assembly candidates, Daniel G. Fretz, Doylestown, and H. Y. Pickering, Yardwill not support local option

# SAW A MAN THROW HIS WIFE TO DEATH, CHILD'S TESTIMONY

Strange Story of a Motherhood Talisman Told at Inquest Into the Death of Mrs. Waltzer.

NEW YORK, Oct. 17 .- A story of sorow-tinged romance was brought out yesterday at the inquest held by Coroner Feinberg into the death of Mrs. Becky Waltzer. Samuel Waltzer, husband of the woman, was held on suspicion of having pushed his wife from the fire-esape at their home, 219 Broome street. Philip Wolf, 10 years old, testified that

e had seen Waltzer hurl the woman to her death. Relatives and neighbors told of threats that had been made against his wife by the prisoner.

The Waltzerz were married in 1912. He was 21 years old and his wife two years his junior. At the end of a year Waltzer became dissatisfied. He was fond of children, and none had come to them, The young wife listened to his tales of the large families of his friends until she became almost frantic. She prayed for a child. She even offered to buy the children of neighbors.

Waltzer came home one night and found his wife weeping. Then he left her and went to Philadelphia. About that time persistent rumors coupled his name with that of another woman. Suddenly Waltzer turned up at his Broome street home. He told his wife that they would begin all over again. She was very happy, and explained to the neighbors that she had secured a wonderful charm—a motherhood talisman. But her happiness was shortlived. The other woman again gained the husband's attention, it is alleged.

Mrs. Waltzer warned the pair that there would be a reckoning. She returned nome unexpectedly on Tuesday, but rethe door of the flat. From inside came the sound of a woman's muffled laughter.
Mrs. Waltzer went through the adjoining flat and crossed over to her windows on the fire-escape. She was trying to enter her home when she fell. The po-lice say that a hand reached out and

hurled her to the earth.
Waltzer admits that Rosie Kaiz, the other woman, was in the flat with him, but swears that neither of them even approached the window. His wife was conscious for a few moments before she died, but her only words were a wish for the happiness of Sam and Rosie.

#### 5000 GERMANS REMAIN AS GUARD IN OSTEND

Rest of Occupying Force Hurries Eastward-No Atrocities. LONDON, Oct. 17.

The Flushing correspondent of the Daily Mail wires that only 5000 German troops are remaining in Ostend and that the others have departed for the east. The correspondent adds that the Germans enthey have treated the inhabitants with

ensideration

The Times gives considerable space to a dispatch from its Bordeaux correspond-ent, who says that there is an impression here that the Germany must soon quit France, Official circles, the correspondent declares, say the German centre is in dan-ger, and that the Crown Prince's army may be outflanked and forced to retreat

### BEER FLOAT IN PARADE

Old Home Week Committe Disclaims

Responsibility. WILMINGTON, Del., Oct. 17.—The com-mittee in charge of the Old Home Week celebration has explained to numerous persons in response to demands for an explanation that the committee was not n any way responsible for a float adverwhich appeared to be a portion of the Boy Scouts' parade.

The liquor question is attracting con-siderable attention at this time, and to

dace the Boat in a parade composed of all under age has aroused consider-

### WAR TAX VOTE TODAY

Bill's Passage by Senate Assured and

Adjournment Close at Hand. WASHINGTON, Oct. 17.-Approval by washington, det. it. Approval by
the Senste of the war tax bill awaited
only the perfunctory formal vote late this
afternoon or tonight. Plans were made
to have it rushed through conference
early next week, sent to the President
and then have Congress adjourn until
December 7. Adjournment anywhere from Tuesday to Thursday was regarded

Cotion currency legislation, comprised in the Hoke Smith \$250,000,000 bond issue amendment to the revenue measure, seemed doomed to defeat. Cotton States Senators made their "last ditch" fight for the amendment today.

\$3,000,000 Jap Gold for U. S. Goods SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 17 .- Two steam-CONCORD, N. H. Oct. II.—James H. Huetis, president of the Boston and Misine Railroad, will have the constitutionality of the statute requiring that 590-mile books of mileage be sold for ill tested in the Federal courts. The State Commission has declined to permit the Commission has declined to permit the read to raise mileage to 11126.

# **VALUABLE HORSES** PERISH IN FIRE AT HAGERSTOWN FAIR

Anna Dane, Baltimore Horse, and Lord Percis. Valuable Wilmington Trotter, Lost When Sixtyone Stables Burn.

HAGERSTOWN, Md., Oct. 17.-Fire which started shortly before I o'clock this morning destroyed 61 horse stables at the Hagerstown Interstata Fair Grounds, entalling a loss of \$6000.

Although the fire companies were soon on the scene and did excellent work, the blaze gained such headway that nothing could be saved but the horses. All of these were gotten out but two. These were Anna Dane, owned by J. M. Dietrich, Baltimore, and driven by J. M. Lyle, in stable 99, and Lord Percis, a valuable trotter, owned by William M. Ward, Wilmington, Del.

The fire started in stable 100 which noused the horse belonging to Robert Barr, Winchester, Va. In the stable at the time were two negroes and one white man, all stable hands. It is said the men were engaged in a crap game.

Shortly before the ire started, quarrelng was heard by persons in stables near by. It is believed the three men engaged in a fight and that a lantern was upset. The broken lantern was found lying in front of the stable.

The fire burned north to stable 51, where t was stopped after one section had been cut away. From 100 it burned south to stable 116. The fire was sensational and both men and horses had narrow escapes. William W. Ward, of Wilmington, in stable 98, was nearly caught in the fire. He lost all his trunks and harness and barely saved one horse in his stable. His horse in stall 97 was burned. He said that upon awakening he had hardly time to realize what had happened. He said the smoke was smothering him when he ran to the door. He then assisted in removing the horses. The animals, when released, ran wild over the fair grounds.

#### WILL BRING BAGGAGE FREE

Holland-America Line Relieves Anx

iety of Fugitives From Europe. Announcement was made today at the cal branch of the Holland-America Line that all baggage left behind by Americans in their flight from the wartorn countries of Europe will be carried on the vessels of the line to American ports free of charge. Tige American Relief Committee of

Tige American Relief Committee of Berlin has appointed E. E. Gaston and L. G. Hoffman, American citizens, to look after the collection of the baggage. The officials of the Holland-America Line will act in conjunction with these men. The baggage will be shipped from Rotterdam, and upon its arrival here will be placed in charge of the Wells Fargo Ex-press Company for delivery.

#### GUILTY OF MANSLAUGHTER Negress Tried at Media for Killing Her Husband.

MEDIA, Pa., Oct. 17.—Mary Freeney, Negress, on trial here this week for the murder of her husband, at Sharon Hill, was convicted of manslaughter and the mercy of the court She has not yet been sentenced.

Alexander Moore and George Johnson. Negroes, were acquitted of the murder of Edward Robinson, also a Negro. Robinson was pitched out of a boat in the Delaware River during a fight, and was drowned

### HOUSE TAKES HOLIDAY

Congressmen Within 500-Mile Radius Make Quick Trips Home. WASHINGTON, Oct. 17.-There were scarcely half a hundred members of the

House in Washington today, as that body was taking a holiday, allowing nearly every Congress from a 500-mile radius opportunity to spend a few hours in his district for political purposes.

The only sorrowful members were the far Western men, who could not reach their homes under a four days' journey.

Philadelphian Heads Brotherhood ATLANTA, Ga., Oct. 17.—Edward H. Bonsall, of Philadelphia, was re-elected president of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew at the session of the brotherhood's national convention here.

Bar Women Voting for Commissioner CHICAGO, Oct. 17.-The State Supreme Court holds that women can not vote for County Commissioners in Cook County. This upsets the ruling of County Judge Owens, of the local bench.

### STOLEN SKINS FOUND ON FACTORY EMPLOYE

Michael Gross Held Under Heavy

Bail for Further Hearing. Forty-five finished skins were found wrapped around the body of Michael Gross. 3855 North Marshall street, a trusted employe of the Perkins Morocco Manufacturing Company, Wayne avenue and Bristol street, who was arraigned before Magistrate Grells at the Ridge and Midvale avenues police station today, He was held under \$1000 ball for a further hearing October 34.

Special Policeman Prendergast, who arrested the man, testified that he found the skins, the property of the firm, on the man's body when he searched him as he was leaving the factory last night. For many months, it was testified, skins have been carried out of the morocco factory, and despite the vigilance of the firm it was impossible to learn who was responsible for the thefts. Suspicion fell on Gross, who has been employed by the firm for five years. This led to his arrest.

# MRS. CARMAN WILL FACE OWN CHILD IN FIGHT FOR LIFE

State to Use Woman's Daughter in Effort to Prove Mother Killed Mrs. Bailey.

NEW YORK, Oct. 17 .- A little child today playing about her home in Freeport. L. I., will next week be drawn into a gripping murder trial and testimony to be wrung from her, on which the State will base part of its plea for the conviction of Mrs. Florence Carman on a charge of having shot and killed Mrs. Louise Balley.

The child is Elizabeth Carman, 12-yearold daughter of the accused woman. She was practicing on the plane a few minutes before a hand was thrust through a window of her father's office and a shot ong out which ended Mrs. Bailey's life. She has said that her mother called to her to stop playing the plane. Her mother had a dictograph installed in a closet in her room, its wires extending to Dr. Carman's office, that she might spy on her husband and his patients. It will be the contention of Prosecutor Smith that Mrs. Carman was listening at the dictograph to the conversation be tween Dr. Carman and Mrs. Bailey. He will assert that the child playing the plane prevented her hearing clearly. The child obeyed her mother and stopped her practice. Then, the State will allege. Mrs. Carman heard some-thing which threw her into a jealous rage. She seized a revolver, went downstairs, outside the house, and fired the shot. Prosecutor Smith will not contend that the shot was intended for Mrs. Balley, but rather that Mrs. Carman intended to shoot her husband.

What Mrs. Carman may have heard ever the dictograph which she tore out the morning after the tragedy is one of the mysteries of the case. The mystery revolver with which was committed is also baffling. It has not been produced by the State, despite

Two Die in Jail Breaking Plot SACRAMENTO, Cal., Oct. 17.—Night Captain J. B. Drewry, of Folsom State Prison, and George Phelps, a convict serving a 24-year sentence, were killed last night when Phelps and his cellmate. Frank Creeks, who was serving a life sentence for murder, overpowered Drewry and made a break for liberty.

Hartford Firms Busy on War Goods HARTFORD, Conn., Oct. 17.—One of the largest fire arms companies in the country, located here, is working night country, located here, is working night and day making revolvers and machine guns, presumably for the warring nations in Europe. Another factory is reported to be engaged on a contract for arsenal and army equipment for China, amount-

#### HOTEL DENNIS - ATLANTIC CITY N.J.-IN AUTUMN

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It was originally intended to offer these Glasses for one week only, but demands made upon us were so great that we extended it over for another week. Many letters have reached us from the suburban sections of Philadelphia, complaining of the inclemency of the weather preventing them from coming into town, so that we have concluded to extend this sale for one week more, to afford the disappointed ones an opportunity to procure these GOLD SHELL EYE-GLASSES for \$1.00. This is

# Positively For This Week Only

And under no consideration will we or can we extend the sale of these Glasses at this time, for the price does not cover the actual cost of the gold. It is done simply as an advertisement for our new store, and we believe it has accomplished its object, judging from the returns we have

believe it has accomplished its object, judging from the returns we have received. Correct fitting is the most important consideration here, and you can depend upon it that we see that your glasses fit perfectly.

We feel confident that if you buy a pair of these Glasses from us you will be so well pleased that you'll not only become a permanent patron yourself, but you'll tell your friends as well. And this is all we want. We are in a position to give you the best optical service obtainable for the least money, and we want you to know it. This is the why and wherefore of this offering of Gold Shell Eyeglasses at \$1.00 a pair, and remember this is positively for this week. \$1.00 a pair, and remember this is positively for this week.

# ALEXANDER'S OPTICIANS

3 South Eighth Street 2 Doors from Market St.

Opposite Gimbel Bros.

### STABS RIVAL IN FIGHT FOR AFFECTION OF GIRL

Victim of Jealousy in Hospital Suffering With Wounds.

A fight, said to have started among rivals for the affection of a young woman, early today, resulted in Charles McGrath, of 2028 South 17th street, being sent to the Polyclinic Hospital with stab wounds, which the police say, were inflicted by Charles Baytis, 5540 Woodland

When Sarah O'Donnell, is years old, of 2624 Annin street, started for home from a party, Baylls and McGrath, it is said. sought to accompany her. McGrath did and Baylis left the party. At Gray's Ferry road and Washington avenue, Baylls and McGrath met and a fight fol-

In the fight Baylis is alleged to have cut McGrath with a knife. He was ar-rested. At the 20th and Federal streets Briggs held Baylls in \$300 ball for court.

Good Teeth Aid to Longevity WASHINGTON, Oct. 17.-Doctor Harvey W. Wiley, the pure food expert, 70 years old today, gave as his recipe for longevity, "Take care of your teeth." man can keep well," he said. "If his teeth are bad or if his mouth is not kept n sanitary condition. I have not a bad

# WILMINGTON'S BUSY MONTH | SO UPSET BY ONE KISS

Many Conventions Held There-Home Week Ends Today.

WILMINGTON, Del., Oct. 17.-This is the busiest month in the history of Wilmington. It began with a dinner of the Chamber of Commerce and a campaign to put 1000 members on the roll of that body, and this was accomplished.

The annual convention of the Wilmington District, Epworth League, one of the most important meetings of the year in the Methodist Eniscopal Church. this section, was held in this city, and the Delaware Baptist Association met

ere at the same time. For a week Wilmington has been celerating Old Home Week, beginning with Columbus Day and ending today. It has been the biggest week in the history of

Beginning on October 27 and continuing or three days the annual meeting of the Synod of Baltimore of the Presbyterian Church will be held here. On the same day the triennial meeting of the Italian-American Alliance will be held here. The United Italian Societies will entertain the

'Hello" Girls at Posts With Fire Near NEW YORK, Oct. 17.- With a fire rag-ing just on the other side of the partition 100 girls of the Madison Square tele-phone exchange kept their places and continued to answer calls last night while three floors of the adjoining building, 34 East 29th street, were burned out.

THAT HE COULDN'T WORK

Mrs. Solotaroff Seeks Annulment of Marriage.

NEW YORK, Oct. 17.-The "marble bride" and the "unklesed bride" have had their day in court, and now comes a bride who says that ever since her hushand klassed her-which was fust oncebefore their marriage, he has suffered from amnesia and has acted queerly.

The husband is William Solotaroff, botanist, who has done work for the United States Government in Europe. Mrs. Solotaroff appeared in the Supreme Court to tell Justice Blanchard her reasons for asking that her marriage be

annulled.
"We had been going together for eight years," said Mrs. Solotaroff, "and I had never allowed him to kiss me. Then one night he took a kiss. I did not like the iden. The next day he wrote me that he was so upset by the kissing that he could not do his work. He also offered apploples. He said he was going to Eu-

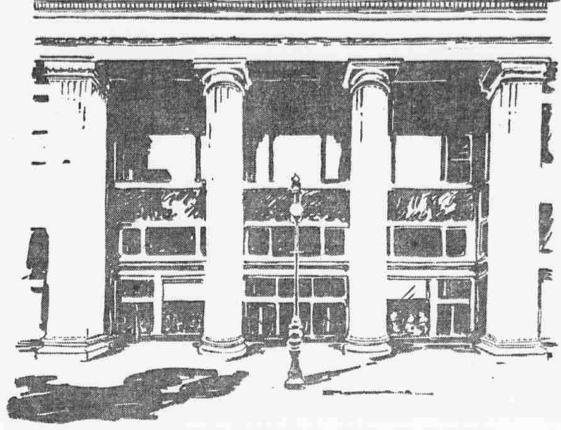
rope to think it over."

When the day for the wedding was fixed he wanted the minister to be on hand an hour before the ceremony. Solo-taroff appeared an hour late, wearing a bright red He, a worn sack coat and un-shined shoes. "I was dressed in white," shined shoes. said the wife yesterday, "and wore a veil and a large \$25 bridal bouquet which the had sent me.

Store Opens 8:30 A. M.

WANAMAKER'S

Store Closes 5:30 P. M.



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

# THE WANAMAKER STORE Announces for Monday

InThe Women's Fashion Salons

We have received a hundred new suits—half a dozen styles-at \$25 and \$27.50. They are of fine canvas cloth, cheviot and serge; they show the new length jackets and delightful pleated skirts, and they come in green, black and navy.

#### (First Floor, Central) Fairy Like Lace Flouncings Newly From St. Gall

In some instances the mesh is so fine that you can scarcely see it and only the beauty of the design is visible.

There are all white or black flouncings, others of a rich cream color and a few glittering gold and silver embroidered laces. Some of the meshes are the square filet which is so much used now.

The flouncings are 45 inches wide, an especially good width for dancing frocks, and they are \$5 to \$9 a yard.

### Silk and Wool Crepe—Special at \$1 a Yard

So silky and fine is the texture that it could hardly be better designed for the new pleated styles of gowns, both for afternoon and evening and there is practically every color one could wish for, including ivory and black. The width is 40 inches.

(West Aisle)

## Hundreds of Distinguished Lamp Shades For Practically Half

They were made abroad to our own order for the September Lamp Sale, but didn't get here in time. Now they are to be hurried out for

\$7.50 for the 16 inch size for the 20 inch size \$8.50 \*\* \*\* 18 \*\* \*\* \$10 11 11 22

They are the "flat Empire" shades intended for electric lights, and are beautifully made to the last detail. The outsides are covered with pleated habutai silk in soft, perfect tones of blue, brown, green, rose and yellow; and each shade is finished with shirring and fringe. No wires show inside.

MAHOGANY STANDS to go with them are also in the sale, and specially priced at \$5 and \$7.50. Nine different styles-all good.

(Fourth Floor, Central)

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