

PUBLIC OWNERSHIP DISCUSSED BY MAYORS

PUBLIC UTILITIES PROBLEM IS PUBLIC OWNERSHIP

The ultimate solution of the public utilities problem is municipal ownership. Whether the public utilities enterprises are owned by individuals operating privately or by the municipality, they must serve the people economically and in the best interests of the people.

Mayor of Chicago. November 14, 1914.

are lower than in most other cities of like size," he said. "The claim, therefore, that it is not profitable to serve the residence section of a city at a low rate has been exploded.

NO PREFERENCE IN RATES. "Our schedule of rates are not compiled with a purpose of charging all that a consumer can be made to pay, levying a high rate for residences and a lower rate for business houses, etc., but all our customers pay the first rate for the first quality and the same rates for the same succeeding qualities, without preference.

As American cities take over all profit earning utilities, there will be a manifest increase in efficiency in municipal government. This will eliminate the public service corporations' tendency to influence public officials and will take them out of politics.

Mr. Keizer emphatically advocated the establishment of a Public Utilities Bureau.

Albert E. Winchester, electrical engineer of the Municipal Electric Works, of South Norwalk, Conn., told of the success of the municipally owned plant in his city.

MAYOR BAKER'S CLEAR TALK The municipal ownership propaganda was furthered by Mayor Newton D. Baker, of Cleveland, when he opened the morning session.

"I want to point out," said Mayor Baker, "that the movement of municipal ownership is the fruit of the misconduct of privately-owned public utilities.

"The movement started in Europe because of the desire of the communities to find additional sources of revenue. In America it is the result of the vulgar

worship of a set of captains of industry whom this new country developed. The men who could obtain valuable grants from city, State and the National Government were looked upon then as the most successful.

PRIVATE CONCERNS JOIN HANDS. "The whole controversy has come to this, that the private utilities companies have banded together in an effort to maintain what they have secured. They would even be willing for every city to take over their plants at their face value, provided the cities would buy both their plants and their sins.

"The progress of the municipal ownership movement in this country is going to be more rapid than it has been in the past. Our effort should be to prevent the spread of misrepresentations concerning the subject."

The open discussion on the public ownership theory included a corporation viewpoint taken by Clarke M. Rosenkrantz, of the general counsel of the Milwaukee Electric Railway and Light Company, of New York city.

GERMAN FIGHTERS MUST SING AMSTERDAM, Nov. 14.—An official communique received from Berlin states that the German troops sang "Deutschland Ueber Alles" as they captured St. Eloi. Singing by the German troops is now enforced by a general army order.

MADE WIFE DIG GRAVES

Wilkes-Barre Woman Complains of Husband's Idleness. WILKES-BARRE, Pa., Nov. 14.—Appearing in Domestic Relations Court, Mrs. John Sheddock, wife of the sexton of a cemetery, declared that she was compelled to dig graves to guarantee support of five children and the preservation of her husband's job.

ROBBERY SUSPECT HELD Police Believe They Have Comrade of Man Now in Jail. Believed to be one of two Negroes who last week snatched a pocketbook from Miss Edie McDonald as she was returning to her home, 1427 North 17th street, Horace Griffin, of 1815 North Alder street, was held without bail by Magistrate Morris for a further hearing a week from today.

BRITISH EARL WOUNDED LONDON, Nov. 14.—Henry Edwyn King-Tenison, Earl of Kingston, has been wounded in both thighs, while fighting at the front, it was announced tonight. The Earl is said to be on the road to recovery.

TODAY'S MARRIAGE LICENSES William J. Emhart, 3422 N. Front st., and Alice Thomas, 2415 N. Lee st.; Emil J. Mueller, League Island, and Alice M. Grace, 1416 Wolf st.; George H. H. Smith, 1825 Rittner st., and Anna E. Houston, 2648 N. 26th st.; Ernest Schwine, 800 N. 6th st., and Emma Paul, Lafayette st., Venango st., and Sarah H. Ford, 229 N. 57th st.; William J. Byers, 5025 Nelson st., and Katherine M. Porter, Haverford.

CHILDREN'S CORNER

Who Was the Most Afraid? IN A big fruit farm, one section was devoted to a vineyard. There fine grapes of all sorts were grown. If you have ever seen a big vineyard, you know exactly how pretty the rows and rows of trellises covered with vines can look.

bunch of purple grapes and before they could run to shelter, the grapes were packed in a basket ready to take to market. "Oh, dear, what shall we do?" cried the biggest of the four little spiders.

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

We have just completed and opened on the Main Gallery, Chestnut, above the Jewelry Store, a new

Shop Exquisite

containing probably the most particular collection of very fine and treasured articles for personal use and for gifts to be found in America.

A woman may wish a veil, the only one of its kind on this side of the ocean---she may find it here.

Or some bit of novelty in the way of a traveling clock, a boudoir candlestick, an antique tray, a photograph frame, a lamp shade; menu cards for Christmas or Thanksgiving occasions---desiring them to be absolutely exclusive. This is the shop where she will find such things; and not expensive, either.

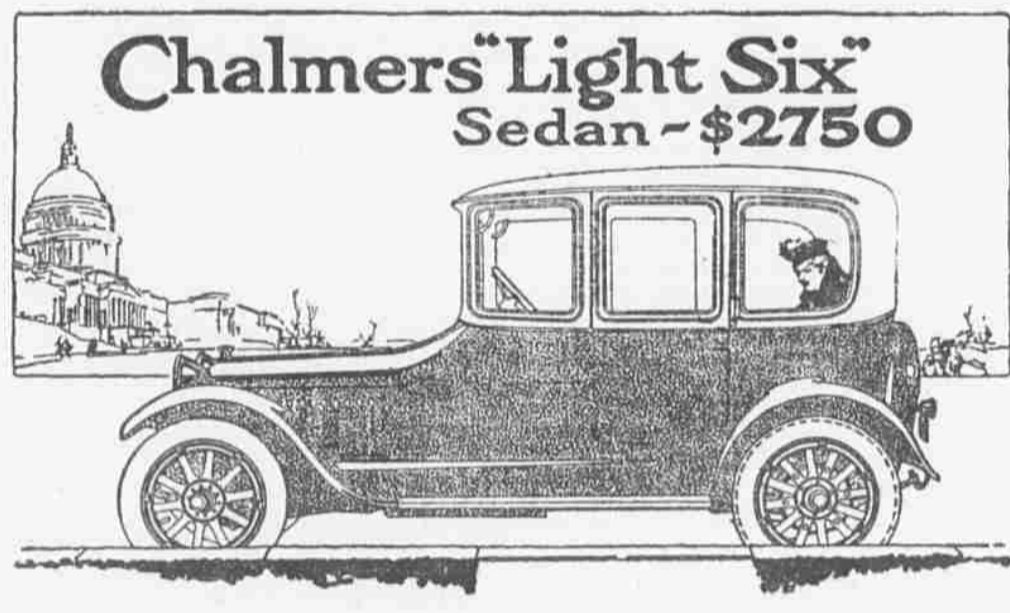
Besides the hundreds of little articles of intimate nature, there is also a rare collection of very old furniture pieces collected by the famous Aimone firm, of New York, and with the antiques a number of copies of other old pieces. Some of this rare furniture is surprisingly low in price.

It is a good shop in which to find things that are not to be found elsewhere, and the showing of them is right now at its best.

A private elevator runs from the Jewelry Store to this gallery.

(Main Gallery, Chestnut)

JOHN WANAMAKER PHILADELPHIA



Chalmers "Light Six" Sedan - \$2750

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The Chalmers Sedan is an exceptionally roomy car. It seats five with ease—three on the wide rear seat, two in the rounded-back front seats with an aisle between. You enter through a single door on either side—a unique feature, giving the car an unusually smart and distinctive appearance.

Mechanically the Sedan offers you all the power and speed, all the flexibility and convenience that makes Chalmers 6-cylinder cars the leaders.

The non-stallable motor with Chalmers-Entz one-motion electric starter has already won 4,000 owners. More than 6,000,000 miles of driving in owners' hands have proved this sturdy chassis mechanically right.

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The body is of solid aluminum—with snug fitting doors and windows set deeply in the doors. It is weather-proof, draft-proof. The one piece aluminum roof (exclusive to the Chalmers) eliminates the vibration or drumming common to so many enclosed cars.

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HOTEL BURBIDGE NEW MODERN FIREPROOF Leesburg, Florida.

LAKE VIEW HOTEL LEESBURG, FLORIDA Opened November 6th under the management of E. C. Worrell, owner.

THE WINTER INN RECREATION, RESTORATION, BUCK HILL FALLS, PENNA.