

CITY-WIDE NEWS

MAN DRINKS POISON WHEN WIFE SPURNS HIM
A dramatic attempt at suicide was foisted today, when Samuel E. Black, 37 years old, of 1800 West York street, drank a chemical used in photography...

SMALL BOY INJURED BY AUTO
Edward Winger, 7 years old, of 2806 Darien street, was struck and seriously injured by an automobile driven by Adolph Jafolla, 339 South 59th street...

CHARLEMAGNE TOWER ESTATE EXCEEDS \$6,156,000
The Charlemagne Tower estate is now valued at \$6,156,000, exclusive of home, according to an adjudication filed with Judge Dallett in the Orphan's Court today...

NAVAL RESERVE DROWNED IN DELAWARE
Police and naval authorities are grappling today for the body of John A. Smith, 251 North 5th street, a member of the 2d Battalion New Jersey Naval Reserves...

MORGAN PORCELAINS COMING HERE
Part of the famous Morgan collection of Chinese porcelains, which recently was sold in New York for a sum said to be \$4,000,000, has been obtained by the University of Pennsylvania Museum...

HUSBAND AWAY, WIFE ATTEMPTS SUICIDE
A melancholy woman attempted suicide by jumping from the Fountain street bridge into the Schuylkill Canal at Manayunk early today.

FALLING ROOF FRACTURES MAN'S SKULL
A tin roof fell from the building at 1421 Moravian street today and struck Joseph Mudscow on the head, knocking him unconscious.

MOTORTRUCK, HUCKSTER WAGON AND TROLLEY COLLIDE
A motortruck, a huckster's wagon and a trolley car collided shortly before noon today at 55th and Woodland avenue.

LOCKJAW CAUSES DEATH OF NEW JERSEY MAN
Lockjaw, caused by a wound sustained two weeks ago, today caused the death of Alfred Harker, 62 years old, of Painesboro, N. J.

HUCKSTER INJURED WHEN CALLING HIS WARES
Leaving too far out of his huckster wagon to cry his wares resulted seriously today for Jerome Aikens, 43 years old, of 2002 East Clementine street...

CAPTAIN LITTLE NOT EXPECTED TO LIVE
Captain William P. Little, of the police department, who retired three years ago, is lying unconscious in a serious condition at his home, 1411 North 1st street.

SCHOOL WINDOW CLEANER FALLS TO DEATH
A fall from a second-story window of the Lawndale School last Tuesday resulted in the death of Charles Scott, Levick street, Lawndale, early today in the Frankford Hospital.

SHEA MAUSOLEUM TO COST \$74,050
A mausoleum costing \$74,050 will be erected in Holy Cross Cemetery for Bartholomew Shea, a wealthy liquor dealer, who died three years ago.

LOSES 6-YEAR FIGHT FOR LIFE AND WEALTH
Injuries received six years ago in a fall from a building caused the death early today of James F. Tourish, 33 years old, of 2516 South street.

AVIATOR WOULD JOIN CORPS HERE
The first offer of an airplane and the services of an aviator for Philadelphia's proposed airbase at the Philadelphia Navy Yard was received today by the committee of the Aero Club of Pennsylvania...

1000 SONS OF ITALY SAIL TO SERVE KING
Loyal Reservists Given God-speed by 4000 Compatriots as They Embark on Ancona.

TWO KILLED; FIVE SHOT IN BATTLE WITH MOB
Sheriff and Deputies Wounded by Lynchers Who Put Negro to Death.

A Morning Dip
LLEWELLYN'S
Philadelphia's Standard Drug Store
1518 Chestnut Street

FIRM RETAINS BELIEF IN MISSING MEMBER

Confidence of Officials of Berry-Goodwin Co. Not Shaken by Berry's Disappearance.

Confidence in the integrity of Orlando C. Berry, the young contractor who disappeared Thursday after obtaining cash on a check for \$1400 in Burlington, N. J., was expressed today by members of the Berry-Goodwin Company...

"His standing with the firm will not be affected in the least if he can explain his disappearance," said a member of the company today.

The letter was mailed in the Pennsylvania terminal in New York. It contained two blank sheets of paper, two time tables and an identification card belonging to young Berry...

OBTAINS CHECK AT ROEBLING
Berry left his office last Thursday morning and went to Roebling, N. J., where he has a contract for a public school building.

The news that part payment was to be made had been made public in Roebling and Burlington. Berry went to the latter town from Roebling, Howard Scully, an attorney, identified him at the Burlington City Loan and Trust Company...

The police have been unable to find satisfactory business reasons as to why young Berry should have cashed the check instead of turning it over to the office of his firm for deposit in the regular banking house of the concern.

PHILADELPHIA POLICE ON CASE
State Detective Ellis Parker, Deputy Sheriff Joseph Fleetwood and Patrolman George Miller, assigned to the case by Mayor Mount, are co-operating with the police of this city in seeking further traces of Berry.

ALL MISSOURI INVITED
General Invitation to Wedding of Speaker Clark's Daughter.

WASHINGTON, June 14.—General invitations are out for the wedding of Speaker Clark's daughter, Genevieve, according to a Bowling Green, Mo., dispatch received here today.

Instruction School Opens at Sea Girl CAMP FIELDER, Sea Girl, June 14.—Opening what promises to be the most successful school of instruction ever held in New Jersey, 250 departmental staff, field and line officers of the New Jersey National Guard responded to recall this morning and got down to a week's hard work.

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Any old arm chair can be made to look like this.

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The Dependable Tailor
"A Great Buy," Said a Customer of Ours

SLIP COVERS \$6 AND MADE TO ORDER
We carry a full line of linens, crocheted, tapestry, velours and leather at lowest prices.

Cast-off Clothing Wanted
Highest Prices Paid for Goods! Get our offer and be convinced.

Full Dress and Furisode Suits
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FRIEND OF STAHL HAS BROVER HERE

Hardenberg, Witness in Lusia-tania Affidavit's Case, Traced Through Philadelphia Kin.

It developed today that Heinz Hardenberg, wanted in connection with the affidavit setting forth that the Lusitania was armed when she sailed from New York on her fateful voyage, has a brother living in this city.

Hardenberg, the brother of Heinz Hardenberg, was sweeping the floor at 154 North Broad street today, when he admitted his identity to a representative of the EVENING LEDGER.

Government Unearths Frauds Surpassing Those of Notorious "Whisky Ring."
WASHINGTON, June 14.—Oleomargarine frauds that have cost the Government more in lost taxes than the whisky tax frauds have been unearthed by national agents, it was learned today.

It has become known that the Government already has recovered several hundred thousand dollars from fraudulent dealers in oleomargarine in addition to the large sums collected by court proceedings.

What this means, it is stated, in the light of the \$400,000 recently awarded the Government by the Federal Court at Columbus, O., in its proceedings against the Capitol City Dairy Company and the additional \$400,000 being sought from that same concern by the Government, is that the frauds have aggregated many millions of dollars.

A revelation of the extent of the crooked work is promised when the Government's cases against certain Rhode Island dealers begin next week. This will not be the last of such prosecutions, it is said.

The oleomargarine frauds are understood to differ from the whisky frauds, in that the perpetrator connives with revenue department employees in not necessary. There is lacking, too, the political angle of the whisky cases.

William H. Orfley, superintendent of the New York Office of the Investigation Bureau of the Department of Justice, stated last night that he has positive evidence that Stahl never was aboard the vessel and that his affidavit was inspired and paid for by German sympathizers.

It is thought by Mr. Orfley that Stahl, finding that he would not be permitted to board the Lusitania, and needing money badly which he would be paid for, it decided to "take a chance" and made the affidavit on a venture.

The whole scheme, according to investigators, was clumsily planned and clues are easily found. The investigation of the Grand Jury will be continued today. It was said that 10 or more witnesses will be examined and that nearly 100 are available.

LOST \$300 AT FUNERAL
Solomon Sussman Accuses Three Acquaintances of Robbing Him.

Solomon Sussman asserts he was robbed of \$300 at the funeral services for his friend, Meyer Cohen, in the synagogue on Lombard street near 4th yesterday.

Stahl's Affidavit False
NEW YORK, June 14.—Agents of the Department of Justice who have been investigating the allegations that the Lusitania carried guns, this afternoon branded as an amazing fabrication the affidavit of Gustav Stahl, the German reservist, who swore he saw four six-inch guns on the Cunarder.

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Per half pint.....25c
Per pint.....45c
Per quart.....85c
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Highest class work at lowest possible price.

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DEVELOPING PRINTS ENLARGEMENTS
FRANK J. CURRY
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VILLA AND CARRANZA EACH PRESSING THE FIGHTING

Apparently Seeking to Strengthen Claims for U. S. Recognition.

WASHINGTON, June 14.—Advices reaching Washington showed that while Carranza and Villa both are seeking to win the favor of the United States, as indicated in their statements bearing on President Wilson's warning that they "set together" to end the war and provide food for the starving people, each is pressing the fighting.

Apparently desirous of strengthening the Constitutionalists' claim to recognition by the Government, Carranza's forces under General Gonzales are pushing toward Mexico City.

The Mexican situation has assumed a more prominent place in the eyes of official Washington since the German crisis took on a more hopeful outlook, and it is expected conditions south of the Rio Grande will receive more attention pending receipt of Germany's reply to the President's latest communication.

MAYOR APPROVES BILL TO BUILD \$1,500,000 PIER
Authorizes Acquisition of Property in \$25,000,000 Port Improvement.

Mayor Blankenburg today signed an ordinance authorizing the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries to acquire the necessary property at the foot of McKean street, Delaware River, for constructing a large municipal pier.

This will be the first of the group of 10 large piers forming the main project for the development of a really modern port.

The pier will cost approximately \$1,500,000, and the entire group, with the car storage yards and other facilities necessarily appurtenant to the piers, will eventually involve the expenditure of upward of \$25,000,000.

In addition to bids for dredging, advertisements were also issued requesting proposals for the leasing of municipal piers at the foot of Chestnut and Race streets, and for the construction of a harbor for small boats and launches alongside of the city pier at the foot of Allegheny avenue, Delaware River.

Baptists Will Hold Tent Services
Tent services will be conducted throughout the city by the Baptist Church, it was announced at a meeting of the Baptist Ministers' Association today.

Mrs. Carroll on the economy of fish dishes
Mrs. Carroll, whose cooking lectures have interested so many, spoke the other day of the use of fish as a means of keeping down family expense.

There is a variety of fish foods in tins here at Martindale's that lend themselves to the preparation of a score of delightful, easily prepared dishes.

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10th & Market
Established in 1849

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MONEY BACK WITHIN ONE YEAR
\$75 A CARAT PURE WHITE SOLITAIRE

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SCHWAB STEEL PLANT OFFERED TO FRANCE

Senator Humbert Says Magnate Was Willing to Turn Over Bethlehem Mills.

PARIS, June 14.—An effort of the French Government to obtain control of the Bethlehem Steel Corporation shortly after the war began was disclosed by Senator Humbert, who has been actively engaged in a campaign to see more arms and ammunition for France.

Senator Humbert was sent to the United States as an agent for the French Government. He went directly to Charles M. Schwab, told him that his Government required an agreement that would be equal to the great Krupp plant at Essen and made a bid on behalf of France for control of the Bethlehem Steel Works.

Mr. Schwab, according to M. Humbert's narrative, told him that he might put the entire resources of the Bethlehem works at the disposal of the French Government. At the same time Mr. Schwab intimated that he expected a \$100,000,000 cash offer for the works on behalf of Germany.

For some reason the plan was never consummated. As Humbert was about to sail from New York he received a letter from Mr. Schwab. It was dated September 25 last and expressed regret at Senator Humbert's departure and delight that the writer had been able to be of some use to him and the French Government.

"In serving you," the letter ran, "the dominant thought in our minds will be that we have contributed in some way, however small, toward helping your great and beautiful country, which we Americans who have lived so much in France have learned to love and admire."

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And you may have found out that you must wear a Suit of Clothes a while to test its claims to an easy and stylish fit, cool comfort, and enduring service.

Next to your own personal experience is that of a friend.

When he says to you: "This Perry Suit is the finest I ever wore," you may ignore the special plea of any Cicero "Pro Domo Sua."

"My old Latin Lexicon, dear! Thank you!"

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Write this on your cuff today!—You can't afford to put your good money into a Summer Suit until you have at least seen Perry's!

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