VARE-MOORE CONTEST FOR MAYORALTY NOW APPEARS IMMINENT

to glimination of Thomas B. Smith, So-Called "Harmony" Candidate, Brings Both Congressmen to the Fore

> perelopments in the Republican Orconfiation mayoralty maze, after the micke has cleared away from the shot ared by the Vares in catapulting former atmaster Thomas B. Smith, the Pen-McNichol "harmony" candidate, into public Service Commissionership, once mers point to a contest between Congressman William S. Vare and Congressman J. Hampton Moore for the nomina-

stlate with much stronger support than he had four years ago is conceded by eren McNichol lieutenants, and in Vare eircles his followers are certain that the South Philadelphia Congressman will announce his candidacy within a few days. var followers today in commenting upon the appointment of Mr. Smith said that the former postmaster had been one of the first to pledge his support to Congressman Vare in case he should run for Mayor at this time. Mr. Smith, they said, came to Congressman Vare several months ago, before David Martin, Edward to the Lukens, John J. McKinley.

That Congressman Vare can be a can-

patter, John Lukens, John J. McKinley, Patter, E. Costello or any of the other laders had seen him regarding his candi-dacy and voluntarily offered to support him.
Four years ago, according to the leaders in the Vare camp. Mr. Smith was prevented from working for Congressman Vare because of his position as postmaster. Ho-gave him to understand at that

time, however, that he was back of him. time, however, that he was back of him-His appointment to the Public Service Commission, according to the same Vare men, came as a reward for his loyalty to the downtown Congressman. Reports that he will be the "harmony" emdidate, however, are denied in the Penrose-McNichol camp just as vigor-ously as they were at the start of the Organization Mayoralty jockeying con-

Vare's candidacy will precipitate a bit-ter fight between the Vare faction and the Penrose-McNichol faction. A report that Congressman Vare has been decided upon as the "harmony" can-didate was branded by Senator McNichol as "too absurd for comment." It was authoritatively stated in the Vare camp that Congressman Vare has not yet made up his mind, and that the published report had no official "O. K."

test. Political observers still matutain that an announcement of Congressman

There is every indication, however, that Congressman Vare will make the race. Should he delay his announcement too long according to rumors that persist on the political "Rialto" today, Senators Panrose and McNichol will announce a candidate themselves, thus carrying the inevitable fight to the Vares.

In this connection, the announcement made last night by friends of Congressman Moore that they do not intend to permit Moore's name to be dropped, was said in Organization circles today to have special significance. Both Penrose have special significance. Both Penrose and McNichol are expected by friends of Moore to throw their support to Moore should Congressman Vare be a candidate. The Moore boom is thoroughly organized. Headquarters have been established and Moore clubs are being organized in every section of the city.

Within a week these clubs will be writed into one city-wide organization for the suppose of launching the candidacy of Congressman Moore as the "business mens candidate."

BUSINESS MEN PROTEST. The statement of Moore's friends was made public over the name of A. C. Keslay, president of the Kensington Board of Trade, the tonstmaster at the recently given to Congressman In the statement the Organization were bitterly assailed for putting is mayoralty nomination on the auction block, and it was declared that the con-tractors would not be permitted to en-danger the community. The statement was:

We business men of the northeast, who have heavy financial investment In our enterprises and years of hard labor back of our industries, feel that we and the great body of citizenship should be a factor in selecting a man to carry forward the great basic prin-

The future of this great municipality is in the balance. More than ever before do we need the guiding hand of a man with the faculities of a statesman—a man capable of dealing with the big problems such as the last few years will bring forth.

The mayoralty is not on the auction block. The Interests of the community must not be jeopardized by any contractor or set of contractors, and it is full time the real strength of the Republican party breaks loose from the shackles of petty squabbling and selfish ambition and personal political gain.

political gain.

The party of Lincoln must live.

Even a municipal government must be of, for and by the people, not of, for and by a group of contractors.

The mayoralty is not a bargain counter. Too late will leaders of short vision see the fallacy of opposing the situation that calls for the most constructive forces within the Republi-

structive forces within the Republi-A meeting was held in my office at which plans were formulated for engarizing the various sections of the city is behalf of Mr. Moore's candidacy. Moore boom clubs are expected a spring up within the next week.

SLATE MAKING GALORE. SLATE MAKING GALORE.

State-making is the principal diversion
the political "Rialto" today. Most of
Be dates are headed by Thomas Bhath or John Monaghan, and give the
the offices" to the Vares. They emahis from the Penrose-McNichol camp. the first the representation of over-tic indirectly proposed to the South Additional leaders by the opposing section. The Vare leaders assert that the Senator Vare and Congressian We continue to sit tight, and that they

hat considering for a minute any resuman Vare from the race. All of the Organization leaders will go Atlantic City early this afternoon and ain there until Monday or Tuesday-nateronce will be held until the mid-of next week at least, it was said it, but an effort is being made to shother "round table" conference

USH WORK ON DESTROYERS

Sealow and Ericsson Nearly Ready for United States Navy

wit is being rushed on two new tor-linest destroyer, the Winslow and Encason according to reports cur-folay, so that they may join the matic fleet in Narragannett Bay, off more The fleet is expected to leave floor aarly next week for summer

Window, which is virtually com-with the exception of farpedo was turned over to the Govern-teveral days ago. The Ericanon is to the lands of the New York chite-ing Company, but is expected to be-ing a few days. The Peport that two years are to the from the Fiducial by the order and ordered to proceed to Halli-cal by officials at the yard.

NEW HOPE FOR WORKERS

Free State Employment Bureau to Be Opened Soon

The task of organizing the free employment bureau provided for by an act of the large Legislature is now nearly completed and the central offices will soon be opened in Harrisburg, with branches in all the large cities and towns of the

State.

Jarge employers of labor, social service organizations, trade bodies and officials of the Government in every community in the State have been collated by Commissioner Jackson to aid in the fight against unemployment.

Under the plans already laid out, officials will keep in close touch with labor situations in every part of the State and will co-operate with the Federal Bureau and the bureaus of employment of other States. A campaign of education to prevent the seasonable layoff of workmen will also be waged and when there is no work available, the bureau will attempt to create work on municipal and county enterprises hanging fire.

INDEPENDENTS OPEN THEIR BATTLE FOR UNBOSSED COUNCILS

Committee of 100 Will Meet on Monday to Launch City Housecleaning

Campaign

FULL TICKET PLANNED

Nomination Petitions Will Be Circulated Next Week in Every Ward

The Public Service Committee of 100 will launch a vigorous campaign on Monday to overthrow the present organization-controlled Councils and to elect in every ward in the city men of political independence who will serve the city faithfully in the municipal legislative bodies. This will be the first move of the independents in the campaign.

The Campaign Committee of the Committee of 160, of which T. Henry Wainut is chairman, will meet on Monday and will at once inaugurate the campaign.

The committee plans to place a complete Councilmanic ticket of its own in the field and will not wait to large a committee to the committee of the the field and will not wait to indorse late in the campaign the best of the available candidates, as has been done in the past.

Petitions for nomination will be circulated next week. The committee has two weeks in which to assist independent aspirants for Common and Select Counaspirants for Common and Select Coun-cils to prepare their nomination papers, and an immediate start will be made along this line. In wards where ac-ceptable candidates have not yet ap-peared the committee will urge prominent independents to enter the race, and by August 31, the last day for filing nomina-tion papers, will have a complete ticket tion papers, will have a complete ticket in the field.

All of the members of Common Council and 17 members of Select Council are to be elected in November. In its statements to the voters of the city the Committee of 100 has called special attention to the necessity of electing independents to Councils

Present independent members of both branches of Councils who are seeking re-election will undoubtedly have the in-dorsement of the committee. In all of the dorsement of the committee. In an of the wards now represented by Organization followers, new candidates will be brought out and an effort will be made to secure for them the support of all civic and political organizations except, of course, the Republican Organization.

FAMILIES HOLD REUNIONS

Several Hundred Philadelphians Among the 1000 in Kratz, Gehman and Gruver Annual Celebrations

Three family associations are holding annual reunions in the northern suburban section today, and among the 1000 reunionists at the trio of affairs, are several hundred Philadelphians.

Prominent men are the principal speakers at the Kratz reunion, at Tohickon Park-State Senator Boies Penrose and J. F. Hendrick, a lawyer, being listed for the addresses. Probably the largest reunion is that of the Gehman family, in session at Perkasie Park. A feature of this reunion is an address by Mrs. William Gehman, of Cynwyd, on "Sufrage.

The Gruver family, whose progenitors are said to have come to America from Germany almost 200 years ago, is in ses-aion at Menio Park, near Perkaste. Within the next five weeks almost a score of notable reunion events are planned for points in the southeastern countles near Philadeiphia.

SUSPECT GOES TO ABINGTON

Identified Plunder Indicates Man Caught on Vine Street Raided Many Homes

Ernest Fullinger, burglary suspect, arrested in a house in Vine street several days ago, has been given into custody of the Abington Police Department, and will have a preliminary hearing at the Abington station tonight, on charges of burglary, felonious entry and larceny. He will be held for a later hearing, pending the identification of a large amount of plunder recovered and now at the Abington station.

The burglaries which the Abington po-

ton station.

The burgiaries which the Abington police say will be fastened on Fullinger by reason of plunder already identified are:

Home of Walter A. Balley, Lenox road, south of Jenkintown, scalakin coat, jewelry and clothing, worth more than \$600; home of William Steele, \$6, Lenox road, jewelry and clothing, several hundred dollars; home of George A. Elsasser, in Meadowbrook, jewelry and clothing, value undetermined.

TO CLOSE AN ESTATE Largest Lot at City Hall End

PARKWAY

132x150 Feet

This can never again be diplicated as to loca-tion and size—in the future of Philadelphia-nave at an enormous increase over present reasonable price.

Suitable Bank, Corporation or large HORACE H. PRITZ, TIS WALNUT ST.

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PACIFIC MAIL FLEET TO SAIL THE ATLANTIC

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One or More of Five Vessels Just Sold May Come to This Port

The sale of a large part of the Pacific Mail fleet to the Atlantic Transport Company of West Virginia will bring to the Eastern seaboard five vessels, four of which will be in size notable additions to the Atlantic merchant marine.

One or more of the vessels may visit this port as part of the company's trade route, but it is possible that, owing to the great demand for steamships to ply between New York and foreign ports, all five may sail from New York until after

At the offices in this city of the International Mercantile Marine Company, of which the Atlantic Transport Company is a subsidiary, it was said today that the schedule for the newly acquired steamships had not yet been considered.

The two largest of the steamships are the Manchuria and the Mongolia. They were built in Camden in 1904 by the New York Shipbuilding Company. They are each of 13,639 gross tonnage, 600 feet in length, 65 breadth, 31 depth and have a speed of 18 knots. The Korea and the Siberia are also victually of the same speed of 18 knots. The Korea and the Siberia are also virtually of the same size, with respective tennage of 11.276 and 11.284, with the length 551, breadth 63. They were built in 1901. The China is an old steamship, built in 1839 and much smaller than the others; 5060 gross tonnage, 440 feet in length, 48 breadth, 32 depth.

The sale of the vessels, made public today, is in pursuance of the plan announced some time ago by the Pacific Mail Steamship Company, of disposing of its fleet and other property as the first step toward a rapid and complete dissolution of all the company's interests. It announces that it was abandoning a prosperous business solely on account of the seamen's bill, the terms of which it the seamen's bill, the terms of which, it is said, made it impossible to compete with the Japanese lines.

The last sailing from San Francisco by

any of these vessels to Oriental ports under the Pacific Mail flag will be on August 25, by the Mongolia.

ACCUSED OF STEALING AUTO

Alleged Thief Could Not Put Parts Together Again

The proverbial joke about the man who takes an automobile apart and then finds umerous parts left over when he tries to put it together was again brought to light today when Detectives Gleason and Sullivan, of the Auto Squad, arrested Antonio Lerro, 22 years old, of 8217 Miliman street. Chestnut Hill, accused of the larceny of an automobile belonging to Dora Patriagnania, of 747 South 7th street.

The detectives in searching the man's ouse discovered a tool chest under his bed, the windshield back of a sofa in the parlor, the tires in the cellar and the top in the yard. The body and engine wer? found in a garage.

When pressed for an explanation, When pressed for an explanation, _erro said the machine had been given to him by the woman's deceased brother the lay before he died and because it was of ancient vintage he decided to take it apart and put it into proper working order.

'But I couldn't get the blamed thing together again," he said, "and there were lots of parts left over."

Lerro was held under \$400 bail for a further hearing on Tuesday by Magistrate

further hearing on Tuesday by Magistrate Beaton in the Central Police Station in order that he might assemble all the parts and return the whole machine to

\$4 LOSS ALMOST FATAL

Money Dropped in Cavern-Sewer Gas Overcomes Two

Two men were overcome by sewer gas

Two men were overcome by sewer gas today in a cavern in the rear of a residence at 128 Fernon street, following an attempt of one of them to recover \$4 which he dropped in the abyss. They are Michael Levelle, owner of the preperty on which the accident occurred, and Robert Carson, of 228 Pierce street.

Lavelle lowered himself into the cavern with a rope, which broke before he reached the bottom of the pit. Choking with the sewer gas which filled his prison, the man cried for help and attracted the attention of Carson, who got another rope and lowered himself into the hole, but-was almost immediately overcome by the gas. Meantime, others had sent for a the gas. Meantime, others had sent for fire truck No. 46, which was rushed to the scene. The men were taken to the Mount Sinai Hospital, where they were revived with pulmotors.

FRANCIS LINGO SEEKS PARDON

Negro Who Kidnapped Girl Asks to Be Freed From Jail

TRENTON, N. J., Aug. 14.—Francis Lingo, who has been an immate of the New Jersey Prison here for 17 years and 7 months, and who was sentenced to serve 20 years and pay a fine of \$3000 for abducting Miss Katherine Berry, of 2044 North 12th street, Philadelphia, in 1897, to-day applied to the Court of Pardons to remit his fine and allow him his liberty. He was twice acquitted of the slaying of women. Lingo is 59 years old and has been kept in the penitentiary two years over his time, in order to pay his fine.

Fair Competition

Advertising produces results—good and bad.

To get results that will be profitable in permanent patronage, advertising MUST BE THE TRUTE.

Failing by fair methods to secure the desired milk patronage in South Philadelphia, numerous competitors circulated a vile rumor that we had discharged many Italian employes because of their restionality and natural asympathics.

IT IS AN UNQUALIFIED FALSEHOOD THAT HAS BEEN FULLY DISPROVED.

For more than a year these same agencies and methods have been responsible for similar misstatements concerning Jewish

people.

When our Italian and Jewish patrons realize that their admirable loyalty and sincerity are being commercially exploited, the scheme will lose its value.

We have never resorted to such unbusinesslike methods to get trade and could not afford to do so.

THE FINEST PLANT—THE FINEST FACILITIES HONEST METHODS

THE HIGHEST GRADE OF MILK SUPPLIED IN THE CITY

have placed us in the leading position of the milk industry.

It is only appropriate to publicly express my hearty appreciation of the loyalty of our employes and the gratifying friendliness that has been shown by hundreds of friends and patrons.

NO NEED TO MISREPRESENT

THE BEST BY EVERY TEST

Dolfinger's Standard Dairies

One Italian employe was dismissed for cause over seven

their nationality and natural sympathies.



DR. R. TAIT MCKENZIE

M'KENZIE TOO BUSY TO RETURN TO PENN

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reduced from Fage One
reduced from four months to three
weeks. Doctor McKenzie's rank is now
lieutenant, but will soon be advanced
to captain, and his friends at the University confidently expect that his expert knowledge of physical training
methods will shortly advance him to the
post of director of military hygiene of
the British armies. He is a Canadian
by birth, and still a British subject.
The letter reads as follows:

"KNELLWOOD, Farnsborough, "Hanta, July 23, 1915.

"After many adventures I have at last got a billet here at Aldershot, the training quarters of the army. I am in the Royal Army Medical Corps and start with the rank of lieutenant, which may be raised to a captaincy, but no higher, for this temporary commission. I had to contract for a year or the duration of the war, so am not likely to be back next winter judging from the way things look

"Two days ago I reported to the di-rector general here, Sir Thomas Galway, a fine old Irishman, and he has attached a fine old Irishman, and he has attached me to the department of physical training, under the inspector of gymnastics, Colonel Wright. I have asked to take the regular course for instructors and have received permission and report on Monday. When the war broke out all their instructors rejoined their regiments. Most of them were killed, and they had to build up a per system for the 2000 000. to build up a new system for the 2,000,000 men who had to be broken in with as little delay as possible.

"They are using Swedish drill and they made out eight simple series of day's orders, and then called for commanding officers to select a suitable man from their regiment and sent him to Alderahot for three weeks instead of the four months they used to have. They are picked men and they work them from 9 to 4, with lectures on the side. "All that they learn is the 8-table bayo-

net fighting, obstacle work and form with constant practice in command, taking turn about. The sergeant instructor has a wonderful voice and command and the ground is like this:

NIXON TO MAKE FIGHT FOR SUPPRESSED FILM Charges Shore Officials With

Truckling to Negro Vote.

Goes to Court ATLANTIC CITY, Aug. 14.- "Fight," is the answer of Samuel F. Nixon, of Philadelphia, lessee of the New Nixon Theatre on the Boardwalk, to the order issued last night by William H. Bartlett, Director of Public Safety, forbidding the presentation of the "Birth of a

Nation" at the Boardwalk playhouse. "We shall apply for an injunction in Camden," declared Nixon, proprietor of two theatres here. "We are not going to be made the victims of a political dodge to corral the colored vote in Atlantic City. Talk of violence in connection with a film drama which has been reen by thousands in all of the large cities of the country is ridiculous."

Nixon had assembled a distinguished array of lawyers to give the City Comnissioners battle. His fighting force in cludes former Judge Gordon, of Philadelcludes former Indge Gordon, of Philans, phia; former Attorney General McCartor, of Newark; former Judge Robert Ingersoll, and former Assemblyman Emerson Richards, of Atlantic City. The application for an injunction will be made to Vice Chancellor Edmund Leaming. It is hoped a temporary injunction will be hoped a temporary injunction will be waiting at the box office of the Board-walk playhouse when police raiders ap-pear there on Monday.

"Talk about suppressing this produc-tion is absurd." Nixon, in a temper, said his morning. "Why, it has not only been passed by J. Louis Breitinger, of he Pennsylvania Board of Censorship. ut school authorities have been advised to make arrangements for as many chil-dren as possible to see it. Claims that it incites race hatred, and for that reason should be suppressed, are ridiculous deals with nothing but historical

Director Bartlett's order for the sun Director Bartlett's order for the sup-pression of the film was issued last night after detectives had reported to him that the negro section of the city, where more than 12,000 negroes live, was in a fer-ment. Threats have been made to stam-pede the theatre, to smash its windows and commit violence in other forms. Pastors of negro congregations have declared they will not be responsible for what oc-curs if the city fails to act. "Politics!" Politics!" Nixon exclaimed

Mayor Riddle and the City Commis sioners are playing for the colored vote. We are not going to let them frighten

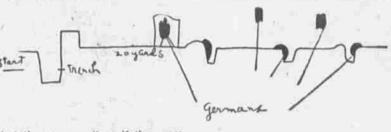
CONSPIRACY CHARGES FALL

South Philadelphia Milk Dealer Drops Complants Against Two Policemen

dispute between Harry Dolfinger, A dispute between Harry Dolfinger, head of the dairy firm bearing his name, who alloged and advertised in the newspapers a conspiracy to end the firm's trade in South Philadelphia, and Captain Harry Davis, of the Bureau of Police, has arisen as a result of a conference between the two. In his description of the "conspiracy" against his firm, Dolfinger said two policemen are involved.

Director Porter invited the man to so Director Porter invited the man to go

to City Hall and press charges. When Mr. Dolfinger arrived, he was turned over to Captain Davis. Later the captain an-nounced that Mr. Dolfinger had admitted he had no evidence against any police-men. Dolfinger denies this, asserting that he simply decided to let the matter drop rather than have any more trouble, the words come like the snap of a steel trap and the men jump as if they had sat down on a pin. The arrangements for conspiracy having been nipped in the bayonet fighting are interesting. The



"And they go over it as if they were after the real things. The 'Germans' are bags stuffed with straw and blocks of wood hanging or set in the trenches. I don't know if I can stand the pace set by these young bloods (Doctor McKensle in 48 years old), but will have a try at it. and it ought to do me good. Have had a talk with Lleutenant Olsen, the officer in charge of the Swedish work. He claims, and rightly, too, that it is not for development so much as for speed and form and discipline they work.

"A man who has been through it will not be so hard to get into line smartly, and the officers say it works wonders with the men. I will have a chance to see for myself anyhow, and will perhaps be able to give them some things that will be of use to them to return. I am also attached to the Connaught Hospital as consultant, to look up joints and other cases for massage. Will write you later when I have got over the first soreness when I have got over the first soreness of the Swedish."

of the Swedish."

Doctor McKenzie sailed for England with his wife on May 28. He has a year's leave of absence from the University, which will be extended if necessary. Doctor McKenzie was born in Ontario. Canada. He was graduated from the Medical School of McGill Univedsity. Montreal, and became the first director of physical education there. He later of physical education there. He later lectured on this subject at the Harvard summer school. He came to the University of Pennsylvania in 1904.

Duma Approves Income Tax

LONDON, Aug. 14 .- A dispatch from Petrograd says the finance committee of each \$5000 over \$50,000.

POLICE PROBE STABBING

Man With Serious Knife Wounds Refuses to Reveal Assailants

The police are investigating the circum stances surrounding the stabbins of Robert Gilmore, allas "The Weasel," 24 years old, who gave his address as the Mills Hotel, 9th and Race streets, and

who is in the Jefferson Hospital in a scrious condition.

Gilmore walked into the hospital late last night and announced that he was about to die, displaying to the physicians two stab wounds of the neck and chest near his heart.

Under questioning by Goscial Pollowsky.

Under questioning by Special Policeman Nolan, of the 15th and Locust streets station, he said he had been stabbed in a fight in Independence Square, but re-fused to say with whom he was fighting. Physicians at the Jefferson Hospital hold out little hope for the man's re-covery.

William Harvey, 40 years old, 1627 Swain.

street, is in a serious condition at the Hahnemann Hospital from the effects of acid which he drank at 13th street and Ridge avenue. The police who are in-vestigating the case do not know whether Harvey drank the acid by mistake or with suicidal intent. Pedestrians saw the man drain the contents of a bottle on the street last night and called the police

A little thing like falling from a ladder 25 feet to the ground and landing on his head did not feeze 19-year-old William Ludwig, of 19th and Tiega streets. He walked home from the place where the "accident" happened, 2d and Ontario streets, last night and went to bed. He did not mention it to his mother.

This morning when he awakened he felt a little digray and told his mother all about it. She ran with the boy to the Samaritan Hospital, where he was examined by Doctor Sowell. He said after the examination that there was not a cut, a bruise, or a lump on the boy's head. William can't understand why so much fuss is being made over it. being made over it.

Thomas Morris, 41 West Mount Airy avenue, the motorman of the car that struck a wagon at 7th and Sansom streets yesterday, causing an accident that killed one man, was held without bail today by Magistrate Beaton, to await the action of the Coroner, Morawait the action of the Coroner, Mor-ris' car struck a wagon which was un-loading heavy rolls of paper. One of the rolls, which weighed more than a ton, fell from the wagon and crushed Charles Rong, 58 years old, 2038 Mercy street, against the pavement, killing him in tantly

Joseph Brown, 18 years old, no home, was sent to the House of Correction for six months today, by Magistrate Boyle, at the 39th Street and Lancaster avenue police station, after it was testified that he had stolen two pocketbooks from pic-nickers at George's Hill, Fairmount Park,

James Boyle, 27 years old, of 2015 Mount Vernon street, was sent to the county prison for 30 days, in default of a \$10 fine, by Maristrate Boyle today, at the 39th street and Lancaster avenue police station, when it was testified that he had kicked to death a little dog. Boyle said he was under the influence of liquor and that the dog had attacked him.

Archie H. Fletcher, 24 years old, of 2023 Hoston avenue, was overcome by the heat shortly before noon today while standing in a store at 1822 Susquehanna avenue. He was taken to the Women's Homeo-pathic Hospital, where his condition is

WOMAN'S BODY IN RIVER

Police Believe Mrs. Louise L. Yocum Is Person Said to Have Jumped From Wilson Line Boat

The body of a woman found yesterday in the Delaware River, near the mouth of the Christiana River, and which is believed by the police to be that of a woman reported to have jumped overboard from the Wilson Line steamboat City of Ches-ter Wednesday night, was identified to-day at the Wilmington Morgue. Word was received here that the woman was Mrs. Louise L. Yocum, of Wilmington.

Officers of the City of Chester have been accused by Mrs. A. G. White, of 2442 North Front street, of making no effort to save the woman who jumped. White made her charge in a signed state-ment to the police. Desials of the story told by other passengers that the woman had jumped overboard wars made by of-ficers of the boat.

Walter S. Mater, secretary and treasurer of the Wilson Line, said today that an investigation is being conducted and that every effort will be made to get the the Duma has approved a bill for a graduated tax on incomes. The tax proposed is \$3.25 on incomes of \$300, \$16.50 on \$50.00, and a supertax on the tickets were sold indiscriminately to all who applied.

TRANSIT DECISION DUE THIS AFTERNOON

Public Service Commission Expected to Grant Permit to Begin Work Immediately

The decision of the Public Service Commission on the question of granting a certificate of public convenience to pernit the construction of the Broad strest subway and the Frankford elevated may be expected this afternoon, according to the announcement made by the commission when it adjourned at 9:30 o'clock last night. The commission was in session the entire day considering the rapid transit plans and upon adjournment last night the following statement was issued:

In the matter of the application of the city of Philadelphia for the approval of the construction of a subway on Broad street, between Oiney avenue and League Island, and the construction of an elevated railway structure from Front and Callowhill streets to Rhawn street, Frankford, the Public Service Commission has been in executive session all day Friday and until a late hour Friday night day and until a late hour Friday night in the consideration and discussion of the application for a certificate of public convenience. It will not likely be able to announce its decision before Saturday afternoon.

Members of the commission refused to say anything about their probable de-cision. The general belief is that the ap-plication for the certificate will be ap-proved and that the commission will make proved and that the commission will make some comment upon the plans in general. The commission yesterday called in lawyers and engineers and spent considerable time studying the financial problems concerned both with the construction and preparation of the proposed lines. It was said that there was a disposition to go slow because the action of the commission was not to be merely perfunctory.

ONE PASSES CIVIL SERVICE

Only Person to Qualify for Pipe Inspector-Five Others Eligible for Boilermaker Positions

One man qualified in civil service tests One man qualified in civil service tests for appointment as pipe inspector in the Bureau of Water at a salary of from \$1000 to \$1200 a year. He is Charles Heftt. of \$38 East Thompson street. His average was \$2.1

Five applicants qualified as boilermaker in any department at salaries fixed by ordinance. They are: John J. Purtell, 2018 Brandywine st. 86, John J. Purtell, 2018 Brandywine st. 81, 4 Frank R. Rodham, 3428 Arbor st. 75, 2 Hernbard C. Martin, 1878 East Pacific st. 75, 2 Robert M. Rawlings, 1242 North Taney st. 72,4

May Not Operate on Rea

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Surgeons at the Polyclinic Hospital de
not believe that it will be necessary to
operate on Samuel Rea, president of the
Pennsylvania Railroud Company, who
has been there since August 7. His condition is favorable today, although he
spent a somewhat restless night. None
but the immediate members of his family
have been allowed to see him. Many letters and telegrams of sympathy have
been received by Mr. Rea. LEG SUPPORTS

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FALLACY

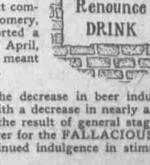
25,000 Men

Facts Versus Fallacies

FACT is a real state of things. FALLACY is an apparently genuine but really illogical statement or argument.

THE Anti-Saloon League Convention met in Atlantic City lately and the FALLACIES indulged in by the speakers were more numerous than were the audiences. The Secretary of the Philadelphia County Sunday School Convention gave utterance to the following FALLACY:

HAT the Internal Revenue Collector for the district comprising Philadelphia, Delaware, Chester, Montgomery, Bucks, Berks, Lehigh and Schuylkill Counties, reported a decrease in the consumption of beer for the months of April, May and June, 1915. This decrease, said the Secretary, meant 25,000 men in this district renounced alcoholic drinks.





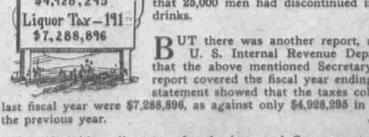
WHEREAS, in FACT, the decrease in beer indulgence was only in accord with a decrease in nearly all lines of trade during that period, the result of general stagnation, and afford no warrant whatever for the FALLACIOUS claim that 25,000 men had discontinued indulgence in stimulating

BUT there was another report, recently issued from the U. S. Internal Revenue Department in this district, that the above mentioned Secretary did not cite; and that report covered the fiscal year ending JUNE 30th last. This statement showed that the taxes collected on liquors for the

the previous year.

EVEN making allowances for the increased Government tax on liquors last year, the FACTS found in Uncle Sam's figures, prove the FALLACY of the Sunday School Secretary's boast of a decrease in drink and drinkers.

heart's content. But FACTS are hard-hearted as well as stubborn. Philadelphia Lager Beer Brewers' Association



A SPEAKER on a Public Platform, and who is free from interruption, may indulge in FALLACIES to his

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