PENNYPACKER LAUDS WORK OF WOMEN AT **BIG ALLENTOWN FAIR**

Ex-Governor Delivers Dithyrambic on Ability and Cleverness of Lehigh County's Fair Sex

FARM DISPLAYS LARGE

ALLENTOWN, Pa., Sept. 21.—Today is "Ladles" Day" at the great Allentown Fair, the time of visitors being devoted chiefly to an examination of the many thousands of articles exhibited by the women. No less an authority than former Governor Pennypacker declared that the women's display was the most interesting of all the exhibits. "That the women of Lehigh County are skilled in making embroidery, quits and other articles of wear, as well as jams, butter, bread and the manifold delicacles for the table," said Judge Pennypacker, "is a great oredit. It shows that the girls are reared in a proper manner from childhood to take their places as mothers of substantial families."

The exhibit of the women is wonderful, neguting probably \$0,000 articles in the me of kitchen and other household products and specimens of skill with the

After the men had paid compliments to the women they passed on to see the reat farm displays, from seed wheat to umpkins, and also visited the great dismy of agricultural machinery, which

play of agricultural machinery, which covers II acres, not counting the moter-car exhibit, with more than 100 of the newest cars on display.

An exhibition that is missing this year is that of the suffragists. Miss Ladson Hall, State organizer of the Pennsylvania Association for Woman Suffrage, is in Allentown, but she said Allentown seemed the most recalcitrant city in the State for making progress for the cause, and decided to work in another manner than exhibiting at the fair. The booth she occupied the last few years is occupied as a Red Cross tent, in charge of Dr. N. C. E. Guth, Allentown's health officer, and eight nurses. They give efficer, and eight nurses. They give demonstrations in home sanitation and are prepared to handle all emergency

Boolety is represented at the fair at a sauericanut stand, conducted by alumni for the beneat of Allentown College for Women. It is in charge of what was known at Team No. 12 during the campaign last spring to raise \$15.000 for the institution. This team raised more money than any other woman's team, and was second highest of all the teams in the contest. The stand, which is doing a land-office business, is in charge of Miss Anna Grim, captain; Mrs. James Rossard, Mrs. Raiph Schatz, Mrs. James Bossard, Mrs. Emil Baukat, Mrs. James Bossard, Mrs. Emil Baukat, Mrs. James Poters, Miss Flora Kramm, Miss Nina Danowsky, Miss Gertrude Nagle, Miss Florence Kramiich, Miss Hilda Yeager, Miss Madelline Keiter and Miss Bezsie Yeager.

Year Purchased, Thanks to War

Steel makers throughout the United Btates are deluged with orders for steel rails and war munitions. So much bustness has been contracted for that all the big mills will be running at full time for the rest of the year, and representatives of the large companies have announced that they cannot accept any more orders for this year.

Contracts for 1918 delivery already are

being made, while big foreign orders for delivery this year are going begging. Since september, 1,153,060 tons of steel rails have been ordered, of which 114,100 tons are for United States railroads, the rest going to Russia and other countries.

Agents of France and Italy will place trict.

big orders for shrapnel steel for delivery in the first three months of 1916 within a short time. Inquiries have been made for more than 250,000 tons of billets, bars and blooms for war materials. The French Government agents are attempting to close for 50,000 tons of forging billete for delivery this year, at Pittsburgh. Apart from the prosperity due to war orders, there has been a sudden increase of activity on the part of domestic enterprises. The locomotive business especially has taken a jump, Baldwins having obtained orders for 53 since September 1 and the Lima Locomotive Company for 3 in the same period. Numerous contracts have been closed also for structural steel.

PORTER AIDS INJURED

Mayoralty Nominee Helps Carry Injured Motorists Into Hospital. They Later Go to Police Station

Director Porter helped carry four vic-time of an automobile accident into the Bamaritan Hospital early today as he was on his way around the city gather-ing election returns. A light car imme-diately in front of his own turned turtle at Broad and Ontario streets and pinned four men beneath it. None was seriously injured, but three suffered severe bruises. Those taken to the hospital are: Frank Miller, of 2418 Natrona street; Charles Those taken to the hospital are: Frank Miller, of 2413 Natrona street; Charles Tighe, 1227 North Hollywood street; Frank Snyder, 2709 West Knox street. Albert Manns, of 1443 Myrtiewood street, who was in the car, escaped uninjured. As he saw the car upset, Director Porter stopped his own machine and helped Manns get the injured men into the Esmaritan Hospital, half block away. After having their bruises dressed they were taken to the Park and Lehigh avenues police station and later were given were taken to the Park and Lenign ave-nues police station and later were given a hearing at the 18th and Oxford streets police station. The car was swerving from side to side just before it upset.

Du Pont Men Demand Better Water Du Pont Men Demand Better Water WILMINGTON, Del., Sept. 22 — Hundreds of men employed by the Du Pont Powder Company at the plant at Hagley are awaiting the answer of the foremen of the company to the demand of one aqued of the men that they be allowed to go outside the plant to obtain spring water for drinking purposes and an answer is expected shortly. Some of the men declare they will quit unless they are allowed to go outside.

It is likely, however, that the company will make arrangements for a better supply of water, or at least one which the men will accept as better, inside the plant.

Cuntracts for Vare and McNichol Another contrast for the construction of the Parkway with be awarded to the Keystone Construction Company, Senator McNichol's firm, within a few days. The bid made by the Senator is the lowest of all submitted. The contract will call for the construction of the Parkway, between 18th and 17th streets. Senator vary is expected to get a contract for grading Oregon avenue, between 18th and 20th streets.

Labor Union Opposes Auto Law Wilmington, Dat. Sept. 22.—The orbid Labor Union has adopted resolution demanding repeal of the law see which outside business automobile core are fined for not having Dela-

OPIUM ABOARD? NO SIREE!

Searchers Also Fail to Find Smuggled Chinese

Customs officials and immigration in-pectors searched the schooner Pendleton listers on her arrival at Chester today. but they did not find one Chinese or an ounce of optum. They had been informed by the State Department that when the vessel left Fort Morant, Jamaica, 22 days ago, she had on board four Chinese and \$65,500 worth of optum to be smurgied into this country.

Captain "Jerry" Hayes, master of the schooner, was indignant when his vessel was boarded at the Delaware Capes late Monday night and a search conducted. He declared he never had any Chinese or opium on hoard.

A close watch will be kept on the schooner while her cargo of dyewood is being discharged at the American Dyewood Company's wharf,

SCHOONER'S MEN FIGHT HARD TO REACH PORT

Abbie H. Gheen, in Tow of Tug, and Leaking, Making for Breakwater

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Sept. 22.omewhere between this city and Philadelphia, the three-masted schooner Abbie H. Gheen, minus her rudder and leaking so badly that the crew is working the pumps continuously, is in tow of the tur Lenape, a Reading Railway sengoing craft.

After Government guards from Atlantic City station had rushed to the Gheen late City station and rushed to the Gheen late resterday in response to distress signals, the plucky skipper and crew of the lumber craft decided to stick. Just then the Reading tug. Philadelphia bound, loomed up, and the pump-weary men and their skipper decided to make a run for the Breakwater in tow.

RATABLES INCREASE IN CAMDEN COUNTY

Nearly \$10,000,000 More in Taxable Property in City Across the River

The ratables of each taxing district in Camden County have been completed and are now on file at the office of the Camden County Board of Equalization of Taxes. They show a total of \$103,276,572, as against \$92,852,839 for the year 1914. This is an increase of \$10,923,633, of which \$9,429,213 is in the city of Camden. The only decreases in the county are in Had-STEEL ORDERS FLOOD

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	Chestihurst	72,580	72.263	
	Collingswood	4,460,455	4.157.670	
	Haddonfield	3,885,026	8,747,990	
8	Haddon Heights	1,088,528	1,656,670	
Ø.	Laurel Springs	562,383	542,839	
	Magnolia	848,950	4,000,000	
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e.	Oaklyn	547,580	526,470	
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Ø.	Waterford township	541,656	500,804	
	Winslow township	291,542	98T,089	

The borough of Magnolia was created recently and the assessment of 1914 was made in Centre township, which causes the apparent decrease in the latter dis-

Quartet of Motorists Released

Four men who were in an automobile when it overturned at Broad and Ontario streats last night, and who escaped with alight injuries, were discharged by Magistrate Morris today, when it was ex-plained that a blowout of one of the tires was responsible for the accident. The men gave their names as Frank Millar, 2412 Natrona street; Frank B. Snyder, 27th and Oxford streets; Charles Tighe, 1227 Hollywood street, and Albert Manns, 1453 Myrtlewood, street Manna, 1483 Myrtlewood street.

"Paddy Lavin," Prizefighter, in Jail BUFFALO, N. Y. Sept. 22.—In default of \$10,000 ball, Patrick Stynes, known in pugilistic circles as Paddy Lavin, was taken to jail today, accused of first-degree assault in the shooting of William Ken-nedy, formerly of Toledo. The assault occurred a week ago over a gambling debt, it is said.

Police Court Chronicles

A vivid imagination often enables Her-A vivid imagination often enables Herbert Robinson to be happy. He is a quiet Negro of very regular habits. His habits plus his imagination, perhaps, led him to mistake the hard car tracks near 40th and Market streets for his comfortable bed at home. Before lying down to rest on the railway Herbert put a waterneion on the ground just where his head would strike, and it made a comfortable pillow.

He was snoring contentedly when a policeman saw him by chance and aroused him with a few whacks on the foot.

Robinson opened one lazy eye and said he didn't have to get up till 8 o'clock, But the cop convinced him that he had



on his feet and took him and the meion before Magistrate Harris.

The wabbly condition of the prisoner's legs showed that he had been partaking of something stronger than watermelon. "You took the pledge a year ago," said the Judge.
"Das right," said Herbert, "You've been drunk every month since," the Judge added.
"Guess I have," said Herbert.
"You've been drunk every week," declared the Judge.
"Guess I have," repeated Herbert.
'And you have been drunk every day," asserted the Judge.
"Guess I have," thundered the Magistrate.
"And you're drunk now," thundered the Magistrate.
"Guess I am," astreed Herbert.

Magistrate.

"Opens I am." agreed Herbert.

"What do you think of yourself?" the Judge inquired.

If dunnowhartesayaboutit," mumbled Herbert.

He was allowed in saler up. Than he took the please for another year. If he is accepted again he will get a year in the House of Correction.

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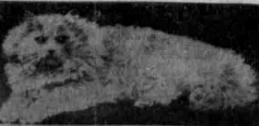
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