## CONTEST OVER SITE FOR STATION ON THE FRANKFORD "L" LINE

Spirited Neighborhood Controversy as to Whether or Not Director Taylor's Choice Is Logical One

POLITICS IS DRAGGED IN

Senator Vare, Congressman Costello and Senator Nulty Called on. Taylor as Umpire

apirited neighborhood controversy arisen in Frankford over the proed location of one of the most imporstations on the Frankford elevated
a. Under the plans of the City Tranit Department, there were to have been stations on Frankford avenue, at Church street and at Orthodox and Arrott streets. movement is well under way, however, have the station at the Church street is changed to Frankford avenue and Unity street.

Such a change would mean two stations ten than half a mile apart. For this rea-ton the engineers of the Transit Depart-ment have decided that if the Church street station is to be changed to Unity street, the proposed station at Orthodox and Arrott streets would have to be

Practically half of the residents of the sighborhood agree that the logical place for the station in dispute is at the site lest planned by Director Taylor. The other faction argues that this site would injure the business interests in the vicin-ity and contends that the Frankford aveme and Unity street site should be sub-

Senator Vare, Congressman Costello and Senator Nulty have been brought into the sensitor National and the controversy by the faction supporting the new site. The same faction also sent a delegation to present their claims to Director Taylor. Through the various indicates at work nearly all the political leaders in the Frankford section have the state sides in the controversy. een led to take sides in the controversy, hough the issue is purely a matter business and not politics.

Director Taylor, in order to decide the to act as umpire and listen to both sides of the controversy at a public hearing. The cate of the hearing has been set for October 22, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, in the assembly room of the Frankford Free Library. All persons interested have notified by letter of the meeting.

In laying out the stations on the ele-vated road the transit engineers were ferced to place them so that they would direct communication with the sur face lines, in view of the proposed free transfer agreement between the city and the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company. As there are surface lines at present on both Arrott and Orthodox streets, this was the deciding factor in determining location of the station in dispute.

The faction wishing the change also realize the importance of having the station at a junction point of the surface lines, and for this reason they urge that sent surface tracks be removed from Arrot and Orthodox streets to Unity

The approval of City Councils, however, would be necessary for this change, and through the political leaders interested in controversy the faction supporting the new site hopes to be able to have an ordinance passed providing for this

Howard George, a business man, of 4359 Frankford avenue, is one of the leaders of the faction urging the new site. Mr. George early this week headed a delegation which called upon Director Tayler and later upon Senator Vare, to present their arguments.

Among those who are supporting the osed by the Transit Department iam McDonald, secretary of the rowgate Improvement Association: E. C. Patterson, secretary of the Frankford Board of Trade; the Rev. John B. Laird. the Frankford Presi the Business Men's and Taxpayer's custion of Frankford.

#### PHILADELPHIA HEIRS TO BIG ESTATE NOT WORRIED BY SUIT

Woman's Demand in Robinson Case Will Not Be Granted, Is Belief

The Philadelphians who will share in the \$1,000,000 estate of the late Colonel Wardwell G. Robinson, of Oswego, N. Y., have no grave apprehensions about the salt of Mrs. Vera Robinson Coyne, of St. Louis, Mo., who says she is the daughter of the Civil War veteran, and which has caused a delay in the distribuion of the estate.

tion of the estate.

The appellate division of the Supreme Court of New York yesterday refused to allow a division of the estate until Mrs. Coyne's suit to break the will is decided. The Philadelphians who will share in the estate are Maud T. Townley and George T. Feeney, of 207 North 35th street, and Benjamin C. McPherson, of the Monterey Apartments, all cousins of Colonel Robinson, who was a bachelor. According to Mr. McPherson, Mrs. Coyne's mother said she was the wife of the veteran and assumed his name. Twelve years before Colonel Robinson's death, the Supreme Court of New York refused to recognize her position, and enused to recognize her position, and en ned her from the use of his name.

Colonel Robinson died three years ago, and by the terms of his will the estate was to be divided among about 75 relatives scattered all over the United States. When Mrs. Coyne first instituted suit, according to Mr. McPherson, her attories attempted to settle her claims on a basis of 25 per cent. Since then, he says, she offered to settle for 17% per cent. and recently he received a letter from the woman's attorney offering to settle for 12% per cont. of the estate.

Mr. McPherson says that the woman's pea will be rejected by the courts.

#### U. S. TO BE REPRESENTED AT CARRANZA'S ENTRY

in W. Belt Will Accompany "First Chief" to Mexico City

RA CRUZ, Oct. 8 — Secretary of Lansing has instructed John W. to accompany General Carrange to 500 City in accordance with an inview a extended by the Constitutionalist at Chief." Beit, who is private secry to Special Agent Silliman, will as the representative of the United as at Carrange's triumphal entry into sepital.

spital, without permitting, General Carranza the representation of the gunboat Brave and proceed Male Police (Ity via Monterey, Saltillo and sile Potost, Belt will be Carranza's of the Brave, which will be accoming by the gunboats Zaragoza and mee to Tampico.

"First Chief" expects to reach of City in about 10 days, but will ren route with General Alvarons.

Y. M. C. A. Boys in Conference lastern Pennsylvania Older Boys' nes of the Young Men's Christian tion started today at the Ardmore of that organization. It will con-omersow. Beversi hundred boys adding the conference. Hesidents

### BISHOP R. CODMAN DIES IN BOSTON

Head of P. E. Diocese of Maine Succumbs to Illness Necessitating Operation

The Right Rev. Robert Codman, Bishop of the Protestant Episcopal Diocese of Maine, who on September is was married to Miss Margaretta Biddle Porter, of Philadelphia, died yesterday at a hospital in Boston following an operation.

Bishop Codman, who was in his 58th year, was married in Bar Harbor, Ma. He became ill while taking a honeymoon trip on his yacht, Calumet II. A statement issued last night by his family ascribed the cause of death to polycythemia and apoplexy. Mrs. Codman, as well as brothers and sisters of the bishop, were present at the deathbed.

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The bishop's widow is the daughter of Mrs. J. Biddle Porter, of Philadelphia and Washington. Her father, Lieutenant Colonel John Biddle Porter, U. S. A., died last January at Fort Leavenworth, Kan. Because of his recent death the wedding was a quiet one, only a few relatives and intimate friends witnessing the ceremony in the Ledy Chanel of the Church of St. Saviour in Bar Harbor. The funeral of Bishop Codman will be held Monday in St. Luke's Cathedral, Portland, Me. The interment, at Forest

Portland, Me. The interment, at Forest Hills, Boston, will be private. Bishop Codman was a man of considerable means. He was the son of Robert Codman, a prominent financier and churchman of Boston.

He graduated from Harvard College in 1882. Entering the law school there after completing his college course he received the degree of LL.B. three years later. He practiced law for six years and was ordained a priest in Boston in 1894. The next year he was appointed assistant rector of All Saints' Church, Ashmont, Mass. From 1895 he was rector of St. John's Church in Roxbury, Mass., and in 1800 was consecrated bishop of the Protestant Episcopal Diocese of Maine, Many missions in Maine were supported by contributions of the Bishop, taken from his large personal income. He pur-He graduated from Harvard College in

from his large personal income. He pur-chased the steam yacht Hope, formerly flagship of Commodore Herbert E. Sears, of the Eastern Yacht Club, to be used in missionary work along the coast. Bishop Codman received the degree of S. T. D. from Trinity College in 1900. He was a member of the Delta Kappa Ersi-

ion Fraternity, and in Portland lived at 143 State street. Beside his widow, Bishop Codman is survived by two brothers and a sister. They are Edmund D. Codman, who for many years was president of the Fitchburg Railroad: Stephen Codman, a Bos-ton architect, and Miss Catherine A. Codman, of Boston.

## MONEY CAMPAIGNS CONFLICT

Two Hospitals, Seeking Funds, Interfere With Each Other

A conflict has arisen between the managers of two campaigns to raise money for hospitals here because virtually for hospitals here because virtually simultaneous dates have been set. A cam-paign for \$500,000 for the Children's Hospital, of Philadelphia, will start October 18. A campaign for \$150,000 for a hospital for negroes, to be conducted by the Mercy Hospital and School for Nurses,

will start October 20, The promoters of the latter campaign have protested to the managers of the former that it will be impossible to wage two such money-getting campaigns at the same time. The Mercy Hospital workers say they fixed the date first and that the Children's Hospital workers are encroach-

ing on their ground.

E. T. Stotesbury, Arthur H. Lea and other prominent Philade phians will head the movement to raise money for the Children's Hospital. Some of those in-terested in that campaign say plans have been made and it will be impossible to change them, and it is believed that no action will be taken on the protest of Dr. A. B. Jackson, superintendent of the Mercy Hospital.

Dr. Hillis Seeks an Accounting Dr. Hillis Seeks an Accounting
NEW YORK, Act. 8.—The case of the
Rev. Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis, pastor of
Plymouth Church, Brooklyn, whose tangled financial affairs have created so
much discussion among the trustees and
memoers of the church, took a new turn
yesterday when the minister's counsel obtained an order from the Supreme Court
to compel Frank L. Ferguson, former
president of the board of trustees of Plymouth, to give an accounting of his management of Doctor Hillis' business affairs.

## PORTER OPENS FIGHT ON SEGER; REPLIES TO ATTACK BY LANE

Franklin-Washington Mayoralty Candidate Asks Seventh Ward Voters to Defeat Councilman

FOR REAL ESTATE TAX

Calls on Smith to Fight His Own Battle and Quit "Shadow Boxing" in This Campaign

George D. Porter, Franklin-Washington candidate for Mayor, opened the campaign against the re-election of Select Councilman Charles Seger, who has been the floor leader of the Republican Organization in the upper branch of the municipal legislative body for years, and who has

been the principal opponent of housing and sanitation legizlation.

The independent candidate told the voters of the 7th Ward that they would render a real service if they defeated Seger. Porter carried his campaign into the 7th Ward to orge the defeat of Seger in a speech at a meeting held by several hundred independent workers at 1421 South street last night.

The former Director of Public Safety last night also declared for "a real estate tax, justly and equitably distributed," as the means for raising revenue to run the city. Porter's announcement of his stand on this question was in answer.

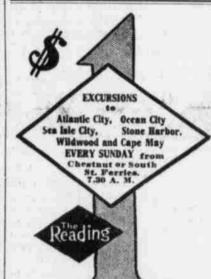
H. Lane's second personal attack upon his record, which the Republican City has record, which the Republican City has record, and the record of the rec this question was in answer to David his record, which the Republican Chairman made yesterday. Lane, among other things, asked the Independent can-didate if he is "still in favor of the ne-didate of the independent of the ne-

our own administration." Mr. Porter invited Thomas B. Smith, Organization candidate for Mayor, to make his own fight, and not to fight through Lane. "Let's have no shadow through Lane. "Let's have no shadow boxing in this campaign," he said. Speeches were also delivered by Mr. Porter at Manayunk avenue and Krous street and at Gates and Silverwood streets.

Howard R. Sheppard, who was in charge of the 1913 fusion councilmanic campaign, announced today that he has resigned from the Committee of One Hundred and that he would support Thomas B. Smith for Mayor. In explana-tion, he said that "it was the duty of all Republicans at this time to strengthen the Republican party and to prepare for the presidential campaign."

Franklin Party workers in the 47th Ward organized last night at a meeting held at 2001 Ridge avenue, where the ward committee will make its headquar-ters. Joseph L. Berens was elected chairman and Frank L. Rau, city committee

Director of Public Works Morris L. Cooke has issued a warning to the employes of his department not to contribute to the assessments levied by the Republican Organization. Director Cooke assured the employes that he will stand by them in case of intimidation or



#### 5000 MEN IN BIG INDUSTRIAL PARADE AT SOUTH BETHLEHEM

Many Gorgeously Decorated Floats in

More than 5000 men, in several divisions took part in the industrial parade today, the next to the last of the many events in semicentennial week here. The pageant was restricted almost whosly to organizations in the Bethlehems, and they made a

splendid showing. There were many gorgeously decorated floats in line.

The town still shows no signs of becoming tired of merrymaking, and the citizens are looking forward eagerly to each event as it takes place. Tomorrow will be a red-letter day, when more than 25. fire companies will parade. The laddles will come from the Lehigh and North Penn valleys. Today's festivities will end with a thousand-dollar display of fire-works this avenies. with a thousand-d works this evening.

#### BOY KILLED BY GOLF BALL

Caddy Fatally Injured-Hemorrhage Causes Death

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 8.-Struck on the back of the head by a golf ball driven by Dr. Joseph M. Douthett on the greens of the Pittsburgh Field Club late yesterday afternoon, J. Karle, a 10-year-old caddy, was so badly injured that he died in less than an hour later while being conveved to the hospital.

Karle was 130 yards away from Doctor Douthett when the latter made the drive According to eyewitnesses, the boy saw the ball coming and tried to dodge it. The pellet, however, struck him on the shoul-der and glanced off against the back of his head. He was nurriedly removed to the way. An autopsy showed that death was caused by a hemorrhage.

#### UNVEIL ROCK MONUMENT

Lancaster Historical Society Marks Scene of First Court

LANCASTER, Pa., Oct. 8.-Many per sons attended the exercises held this afternoon under the auspices of the Lancaster Historical Society, when a seven-ton rough rock monument was unveiled to mark the place where the first courts of justice in Lancaster County were held, August 5, 1729, by Justices Wright, Hen-dricks. Cornish, Read and James. The place was the Postlethwalte tavern, Con-estoga township, now the well-preserved George Fehl homestead.

The presentation address was made by D. F. Magee, Lancaster. The monument was accepted by Harry Fehl. Addresses was accepted by Judge Charles I. Landles, were made by Judge Charles I. Landles, H. Frank Eshelman, A. K. Hostetter, A. S. Benedict and C. E. Postlethwalte, Pittsburgh, A number of other Postleth-walte descendants were present.



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### H. F. GRANT, FAMOUS AUTO DRIVER, DIES

SOUTH BETHLEHEM, Pa., Oct. 8- Speed King Succumbs to Injuries Received When Machine Caught Fire

> NEW YORK, Oct. &-Harry F. Grant, world famous automobile speed driver, died early today in the Coney Island Hospital from burns received a week ago at the Sheepshead Bay Speedway. He was to have participated in the big race to-

morrow. While in the elimination tryouts last week at a speed of 95 miles an hour Grant's car caught fire. Before he could

and had inhaled some of the flames. The final trials for Saturday's race were to be held today, weather permitting. A slippery track prevented the trials yes-

stop the machine he was badly burned

#### GARRISON'S DEFENSE PLAN

SUBMITTED TO PRESIDENT

War Secretary Favors 20,000 Increase of Army and Creation of Reserves

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.-Secretary of War Garrison, it was learned today, has finally submitted to President Wilson his plan for national defense as it applies to the army—and it proves to be surprisingly inexpensive. His recommendations are understood to include an increase of the standing army by about 20,000 men, reorganization of the militia and the cre-ation of a reserve, increase of the field artillery corps and an increase of reserve

More extensive adoption of the Plattsburg, N. Y., plan of citizen-soldier camp Appropriations recommended this year probably will not be materially larger than last year.

Liner Twice Menaced by Fire LIVERPOOL, Oct. 8.—Fire again started on board the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Britain early today. Last night's fire was extinguished after several hours work. It was announced today that neither fire had caused serious damage, but the departure of the liner on government service will be delayed fo



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Erie avenue. Colonial Theatre, Germantown and Maplewood avenues.

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street. Pereyra's Cigar Store, 59 North 3d street. Fenner's Drug Store, Broad street and Columbia avenue.

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