

GARBAGE BID IS 'BOLD PLAN TO ROB CITY,' SAYS COOKE

Penn Company's Removal Offer \$100,000 Too High," Asserts the Director

URGES MUNICIPAL PLANT

Scheme to Raise the Charges on Eye of Election Called 'Brazen Violation of Trust'

Hundreds of thousands of dollars would be saved by the city annually through the construction of a municipal garbage plant, according to Director Cooke, of the Department of Public Works.

The estimate is \$50,000 in excess of the present cost of the work and was raised last April that was \$10,000 beneath the present figure.

An independent investigation shows, says Director Cooke, that the city could collect and dispose of the garbage with its own plant at a cost of \$115,751, including fixed charges. He estimates that a city plant would save \$1,000,000 in four years after its construction.

WOMAN DIES OF LOCKJAW

Heroic Efforts of Camden Physicians to Save Victim Fail

A four-day fight against the slow poison of lockjaw ended early today in the death of Mrs. Mary Harper, 39 years old, in the West Jersey Homeopathic Hospital, Camden.

Mrs. Harper, who lived at 1225 South 21 street, Camden, was brought to the hospital Friday night, after the first signs of tetanus showed themselves in the slow stiffening of her jaws.

Sunday Opera in Chicago in 1917 CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 25.—Five hundred business men have pledged themselves today to support a "Billy" Sunday campaign in Chicago to begin December 21, 1916.

THE WEATHER

Official Forecast WASHINGTON, Oct. 25. For eastern Pennsylvania: Partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday; somewhat cooler Wednesday; moderate south and southwest winds.

Cloudiness is increasing throughout the eastern portion of the country and has moved slowly into the Lake region from the northwest. The temperatures have risen in the Atlantic States to slightly above the normal at most places, but, as yet, the disturbance has developed but little rain.

U. S. Weather Bureau Bulletin

Table with columns for Station, Rain, Wind, and Weather. Lists various cities and their weather conditions.

Observation at Philadelphia. Table with columns for Parameter and Value. Lists temperature, wind, and other weather metrics.

Almanac of the Day

High water 5:07 p. m. Low water 11:29 a. m. High water tomorrow 5:01 a. m.

Lamps to Be Lighted

High water 8:05 p. m. Low water 11:29 p. m. High water tomorrow 4:57 a. m.

The Tides

High water 8:05 p. m. Low water 11:29 p. m. High water tomorrow 4:57 a. m.

BREAKWATER

High water 4:19 p. m. Low water 10:23 p. m. High water tomorrow 4:19 a. m.

LEG SUPPORTS

VARIKOSE VEINS, ULCERS, Weak Ankles, Leg Cramps, HEAVILY SUPPORTED BY THE USE OF THE Corliss Laced Stocking

VALUATION OF R. R. AGAIN SUBJECT AT RATE HEARING

P. R. R. Official Discusses West Jersey and Seashore Holdings.

TRENTON, N. J., Oct. 25.—At the hearing continued before the Board of Public Utility Commissioners here today on South Jersey railroad rates additional statements were made for the purpose of supporting testimony given last week by Charles Henschel, chief valuation expert for the Pennsylvania lines east of Pittsburgh.

ZIEGLER HITS AT BARKER

Director Calls Charge in Connection With Coal Purchases Unfounded

Dr. S. Lewis Ziegler, of the Department of Health and Charities, refuted the charges made by Joseph D. Barker, chief engineer at the Philadelphia General Hospital, last night, by opening the books of the hospital and showing that during the last year there has been a saving on coal used at the hospital.

PULMOTOR SAVES TWO LIVES

Men Overcome by Gas Within Few Minutes of Each Other

Physicians at Mount Sinai Hospital were forced to use a pulmotor on two men overcome by gas who were brought to the hospital within a few minutes of each other today. Both responded to the treatment and were declared out of danger.

Yale Sophomore Shot

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Oct. 25.—Henry Norman Grieb, a Yale sophomore, of Scarsdale, N. Y., was shot in his room today and is in a serious condition. It was said that the shooting was accidental, Grieb's shotgun being discharged while he was cleaning it.

U. S. TROOPS ORDERED TO RUSH TO SCENE OF THREATENED BATTLE

Carranza and Villista Forces Gathering for Conflict at Point Just Across Border From Douglas, Ariz.

SITUATION IS CRITICAL

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—Secretary of War Garrison this afternoon telegraphed General Funston, in charge of American forces on the Texas border, to rush all the troops necessary to Douglas, Ariz., to meet the threat of a possible conflict between Carranza and Villista forces.

HOPE TO SAVE TETANUS VICTIM

Mrs. H. Radcliffe Roberts is Making a Brave Fight for Life—Condition "Reasonably Satisfactory"

The continued use of anti-tetanus serum, it is hoped, will save Mrs. H. Radcliffe Roberts, widely known in Philadelphia society, who is struggling for life against lockjaw at her country home, Green Bank Farm, near Villanova.

Lincoln's "Sum" Book Sold

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—A book used by Abraham Lincoln to write his "sum" to Carranza representatives here, charged with active participation in the Zapatista movement. For his services he received the rank of colonel in Zapata's army, it is charged.

TEN COAL COMPANIES BID TO SUPPLY CITY'S NEEDS

Rogers-Corr Concern Among Those Seeking Contract

The Rogers-Corr Coal Company, accused by former Director McLaughlin, of the Department of Public Works, of selling inferior coal to the city, was one of the bidders today for the contract to supply coal to the different pumping stations. The bids were received by Director Loeb.

NURSES HOME FROM WAR ZONE

Three Were Entertained at Tea by the Queen of Belgium

Three young women graduate nurses of Philadelphia, who enlisted in the American Red Cross service on the war zone, have returned home after six months' service in the Belgian military hospital at La Panne.

Miss Haggerty tells many thrilling tales of the battlefield, and speaks in the highest terms of the heroism and stolidity of the Belgian people.

Three minutes to prepare

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- Solid Mahogany Colonial Sofa, Tapestry covering, 72 inches long. Factory price, \$70.00. Less 33 1/2%. Solid Mahogany Virginia Sofa, Tapestry covering, 74 inches long. Factory price, \$70.00. Less 33 1/2%.

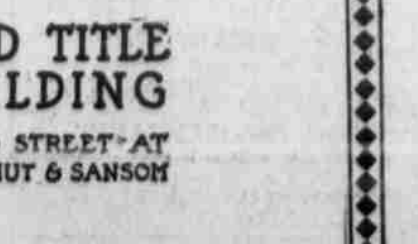
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Jacobean Antique Mahogany Library Chair—Tapestry covering. Factory price, \$80. Less 33 1/2%.

Charles II Antique Mahogany Hall Chair—Tapestry seat. Factory price, \$22.50. Less 33 1/2%.

In This 33 1/3 Manufacturers' Sale you'll find hundreds of other suits and odd pieces; hall and library chairs, tables, lamps and every kind of furniture that helps in the adornment of the home.

SALE BEGINS TO-MORROW—LASTS ONE WEEK

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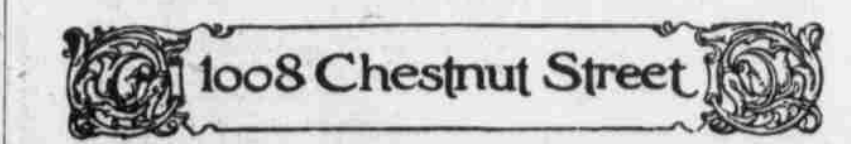
Our quilts and blankets were never prettier, nor more attractively priced.

Quilts

Filled with light, cozy lambs-wool and covered with silkline with silk border, \$4.75 ea. Covered with plain silk, \$11.00 ea. Silk Brocade Centre, plain border, \$16.00 ea. Down Quilts, covered with satin, \$8.50 ea. Down Quilts, covered with satin, \$15.00 ea.

Blankets

A wonderful special blanket; double-bed size; pink or blue border, \$5.00 pair. Better grades, single-bed, extra long, \$5 to \$22 pair. Double-bed size, \$7.00 to \$25.00 pair. Very beautiful Fancy Blankets in dainty tints—French gray, pink, blue, old rose. Solid-color centre with silk binding; tinted centre with white borders; tinted centres, with white borders and block corners—very novel and effective: Single Bed, \$10 to \$13.50 ea. Double Bed, \$12.50 to \$15 ea.



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