BLOODLESS OPERATION WILL MAKE CRIPPLED CHILD DANCE AND PLAY

Baby With Dislocated Hip Subjected to Intense Pain at Hospital in Order to Affect Change

Skilful Manipulation Puts Leg Into Proper Shelf-like Bone

Paln was given this morning-intense pain-to a tiny mite of a baby boy, that od might come, that he might in time walk like other boys, and that he might be saved from being a cripple for life. This happened at the morning ortho-

pedic clinic for the seniors of the Jefferson Medical College. A 15-month-old baby boy from Manayunk underwent a bloodless operation for congenital dislocation of the hip.

cation of the hip.

Had laymen been in that clinic they would have shuddered when the tiny bones crunshed under the gre t pressure of the skilful fingers of a strong, manly dector who is giving his life to "saving little ones from growing up cripples." Had the patient, little mother of the brown-eyed, soft-haired baby boy been there she, too, would have suffered. She was not in the clinic. It was to save 1 is suffering that the doctors sent word for her to come and see her little son this afternoon.

Few there were who could comprehend that such a twisting of the tiny bones, that such a twisting of the little right leg up over the baby's head would bring forth a "hip as good as new."

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To many it would have seered cruel. They would not have understood. They would not realize that when the trained hands of the doctor were twisting the baby foot upward and backward over the soft little baby shoulders the bones were going where they belonged. By manipulation that only years of training can perfect, the head of the femur of that baby leg was placed back in the acetabulum, or the cup-like socket in which the bone rests.

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After the bone had been put where It belonged, a cast was placed on the hip. That cast will be kept on for eight months and then the little hip will be as months and then the little mp will be as mother nature intended it should be. Such bloodless operations—for all this was accomplished without the use of a knife and without the shedding of a drop of the child's blood — though little known by laymen, have been resorted to a number of years. Some veritable miracles have been performed in the ortho-pedic clinic at the Jefferson Medical Col-lege Hospital.

GERMANTOWN RESIDENTS FEAST ON PARK DEER

Animal Had Escaped From City Reserve and Diners Thought It 'Wild'

One of the deer Robert Glendenning, the banker, presented the city some time ago to be added to the Fairmount Park collection, escaped recently and today an agent of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals and some game wardens announced that it had furnished

No announcement had been made by No announcement and seen made by the Park officials that one of the deer herd was missing. It was said today that therein lay the reason why it wasn't recovered. If it had been reported miss-ing there would have been no chance for those who ate the venison to plead inno-cence.

H. E. Currier, of 200 East Sharpnack street, Germantown, an agent of the So-clety for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, got a note today that three men had lasseed a deer and cut its throat in the back yard at William Unrugh's resi-dence at 5553 East Hortter street, Ger-

portion of it.

Unrugh told Currier that the deer had gotten into his yard on Sunday. After ineffectual attempts to get out it tried to jump a 14-foot building, so Unrugh taild, and impaled itself. To put it out of its misery Unrugh said he killed it, assisted by Robert Rascher, of 43 Good street, Germantown, and William Green, of 138 East Sharpnack street.

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The reason, they said, they didn't no-tify any authorities was because "they didn't know where the deer came from and thought it might be just a wild deer." Currier said he was satisfied with their story and that no action would be taken.

The anonymous note, he said, he thought was sent by "somebody who wanted a piece of venison steak and couldn't have it."

The deer, when it escaped from the Upper Wissahickon reserve on Sunday, wandered through Germantown and Chestnut Hill, stopping in Cliveden Park, at Chew and Johnson streets, to give a lively battle to some boys who stoned it.

WOMAN OF 70 ENDS LIFE

Loneliness and Ill-Health Believed to Have Prompted Suicide by Gas

Loneliness and ill health is believed to have been the cause for Mrs. Mary Heidle, 70 years old, a widow, of 1220 Monitor. Durst was chosen because he was sturdy, brave and an experienced by inhaling gas through a tube. She was found lifeless lying across the bed in her room. The door was locked and the key-hele was stuffed p with newspaper.

Mrs. Heidle, according to t police of the Sth and Jefferson streets station, was possessed of several pieces of property.

me sh and Jefferson streets station, was possessed of several pieces of property. Yesterday, according to the police, she bought a house for \$1000.

For years Mrs. Heidie had occupied a room at the 10th street address. Mrs. Annie Miller, who conducts a rooming seuse at that place, smelled gas while cleaning. She notified Policeman Janister. Aided by several neighbors he forced open the door. Mrs. Heidie is said to have a daughter, Mrs. corge Graff, living at 2463 North 18th street.

POLICE INVESTIGATE FIRE

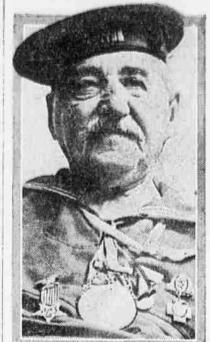
William I Potter Thinks Blaze in

Germantown Was Work of Incendiary The Germantown police have begun a rigid investigation of a fire which burned the third story and roof of the summer home of William F. Petter, at 121 West Chalten avenue, early today. The house is furnished, although unoccupied. Mr. Potter, who with his family, is spending the winter at the Delmar-Morris Apartments, believes the blaze to be the work of an locendary, as there were no fires burning to the house or live electric witing.

YOUR NEW YEAR COMPLETE

WILLIAM DURST, HERO OF MONITOR'S VICTORY OVER MERRIMAC, DEAD

Last Survivor of Memorable Naval Battle of Civil War, on His Deathbed, Recounts Thrilling Engagement



WILLIAM DURST

The last survivor of the pioneer band of sallors who manned the United States Monitor in its memorable battle with the Confederate ironclad Merrimac Joined his comrades in death today. William Durst died at his little home at 1315 George street. George street is

little thoroughfare near 13th and Scenes of the battle in which he dis-inguished himself rose befor, the ver-eran's mind in his last moments, and,

eran's mind in his last moments, and, as if to bear out the saying that he bore a charmed life, he lingered long after those about his bed thought he had passed away. Pneumonia, following an attack of grip, caused his death. It was his ninth serious illness in late years. On December 10 he was discharged from the Jewish Hospital after recovering from a heart attack. He was employed in the Bureau of Wate: for 25 years, Shortly before his death the veteran, propped up by pillows on his deathbed, gave his last rehearsal of the epoch-making engagement off Hampton Roads, in which he won a medal from Congress for vhich he won a medal from Congress for

bravery 'March 9, 1862, was the date," he said, faintly. The voice which had shouted Instilly during many a sea battle was very weak. "I remember it all as well as if it had happened yesterday. We were ordered into action early in the morning to protect the Minnesota, a wooden ship, from the Merrimac. The Merrimac had already done a lot of damage. "The fog was thick over the water, and

we sighted the Merrimac so sudden-like that everybody on both boats was sur-

"While we were creeping through the "While we were creeping through the fog we had been wondering how our little 'cheesebox' would compare with the pride of the Confederate navy. She seemed to be about three times as big as our Monitor. Several men were running along the deck. One of them yelled gomething at us. I couldn't hear what it was.

was.
"The two ships were pretty close together. The Merrimac opened fire—two shots—bang, bang; both fell short and splashed up the water." He stopped a moment, coughing with excitement, When he continued his voice was fainter than before

fell back into my arms and I carried him ut of danger.
"We maneuvered around the Merrimac

several times and licked her in great shape. History books that say we ran into shallow water where the Merrimac couldn't follow us are wrong. We drove her away and saved the Minnesota. The fight began at 6 a. m. and lasted half a day. The history books are wrong. The

Minnesota-His voice trailed off indefinitely. The light faded from his eyes. His last in-terview was ended, and soon there was not a man left living of that gallant band of 57 which manned the Monitor. William Durst was born in Tarnov, Aus-tria, May 6, 1839. He ran away from home

tria, May 6, 1839. He ran away from home in his early teens and came to this country after roving through England and the West Indies. He enlisted in the United States Navy at New York about 1859, as a coal passer on the receiving ship North Carolina, and was later transferred to the man-o'-war Princeton. He was one of the picked band, the cream of the

ording to a certificate of discharge ordered presented by the Secretary of the Navy, was from February 11, 1822, to November 6, 1882. He was absent on sick leave in December of the same year when the Monitor was sunk in a gale off Cape Hatteras with most of her crew. He served on the Galena and the monitor Catakill in the closing years of the war off the blockaded Southern ports and was mustered out of the navy at the Phila delphia Navy Yard in the latter part of

PURITAN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, RUMOR AVERS, **\$75,000 FUND WINNER**

Second and Clearfield Streets Congregation Awarded Palethorp Bequest, Report Asserts

MIRACLE OF SURGERY DECORATED BY CONGRESS DECISION ON FRIDAY

The Paritan Presbyterian Church, 2d and Clearfield streets, will receive \$15,00 for which it and the First Presbyterian Church, Olney, have been contesting for several months, according to a rumor current in local church direles.

A committee of men of the Board of Trustees of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church will recommend that the bequests be awarded to the Puritan Church at a meeting to be held next Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock, it is anti-

William II. Scott, chairman of the com-mittee named to investigate conditions and make a recommendation as to which church should receive the airt, would not deny that the rumor was correct, when asked to verify it.

"In it true that your committee has de-cided to recommend that the trustees of the General Assembly award the bequest of the late Henry B. Palethorp to the Puritan Church?" he was asked.

"I cannot confirm such a rumor, as the committee has no authority to make an committee has no authority to make an announcement regarding the matter, except to the Hoard of Trustees, which meets on Friday afternoon," he replied. "They will be at liberty to make the award according to the recommendation that the committee makes, og to refuse to do so. Under these circumstances no information should be given out for publication until the board has reached a decision."

"Would you deny that the rumor is correct, Mr. Scott?" he was asked.
"No, I can neither deny nor confirm it," said the chairman.

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Prominent Presbyterias elersymen have no doubt that the General Assembly trustees will make the award as recommended by their committee. This committee went over the ground thoroughly before reaching a decision in order that the money, which is to be used for the erection of a new shurch edilice, might be the total of the creetion of a new shurch edilice, might be the total of the creetion. be given to the church most in need of a new building and compment; also that the improvement might be awarded to that section of the city where the great-est results might be obtained through it. Each of the contesting churches presented arguments several weeks ago to show why the officials thought it should receive the bequest, and the members have been waiting with some impatience, ever since for the trustees to make an announcement of their decision.

The will of the late Henry B. Pale-thorp bequeathed \$75,000 to the board of

trustees of the general assembly, with the frustees of the general assembly, with the stipulation that the money was to be used for the erection of a clurch edifice on Palethorp street to be maned the Palethorp Memorial Presbyterian Church. Both the Olny Church and the Paritian Church have shown remarkable growth present years and are in used of new in recent years, and are in need of nev buildings and improved equipment. There fore, each has been auxious to receive the fund, which has been increased by more than \$1000 in interest since Mr. Palethorp died. The Puritan congregation's present

property extends to Palethorp street, and it holds options on adjoining property along Palethorp street, with a view to erecting institutional church buildings, if the rumor that it is to reserve the money proves correct, it is probable that it will carry out its plans for such a group. The Rev. James G. Raymond is pastor of the Laritan Church, and the Rev. William H. Wells leads the Olney congrega-

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PLEADS NEW HAVEN CASE

Defense Argues Additions to Line Were Only Normal

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There never was a more normal, a more natural development than nook place in New England," said Lindabury. "It costs no more to ship to Chleago a pair of sloces from Hangor, Me., than it does from Heidgeport, Com. Does that show harm to the public interest on which is

Lindabury argued that each acquisition made must be shown to have been in furtherance of a plan, a preconceived idea of monopoly,

HICKS TAKES SEAT IN HOUSE

Will Represent First New York District, Although Brown Contested Election

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.-Frederick C. Hicks, Republican, was today sworn in as the Representative of the First Congressional district of New York.

The certificate of the New York State Board of Canvassers, showing Doctor

built the foundation for the Sherman law Hicks' election, was presented to the

GAG ON MEN OF U. S. NAVY

Daniels Refuses to Allow Admiral Knight to Speak Before Club

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—Officers of the avy hereafter will not be permitted to talk in public." This fact became known today when Scoretary Daniels wired the Chicago Commercial Club he would not give Rear Admiral Austin M. Knight permission to before that organization Jan-

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