PROBE OF FOOD COSTS TO BE STARTED IN CITY BY FEDERAL AGENCIES

Frank Garbarino Gets Orders From Attorney General-Particular Attention to Be Paid to Milk

TO LOOK FOR COLLUSION

Investigation, immediate and thorough, min the cause of the high cost of living will be conducted here under the auspices of the beconducted from Attorney General Thomas W. Gregory, at Washington.

In discussing the subject last night Mr. Garbarino explained that similar orders have been received by other bureaus throughout the entire country. The instructions mention specifically that special intestigation shall be made as to the reason are the present high cost of milk, wheat, and goods, foodstuffs and coal. He also said no time would be lost in conducting the penutry, and so far as thoroughness is constructed in the orders of the Attorney General in the carried out to the letter.

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The recent jump in the price of milk, it is said, will receive special attention here. [Anwise, it is deemed certain coal dealers will be called upon for extensive testimony. The methods by which the investigation of the conducted have not as yet been secured. It is rumored, however, it will be of a more or less secret nature, as the Deartment of Justice is particularly antious to apprehend any violators of the anti-trust laws. How many agents will work on the inquiry in this district has likewise been kept secret. In Chicago twenty have been assigned to this duty, and it is believed an equally large number will be assigned to the work here.

WANT COMMISSION AID ding to dispatches from Washingbeen called upon to assist in the in-vestigation. The subject of freight charges will be gone into for the purpose of fer-reting out any evidence of favoritism on the part of the railroads toward certain

or large firms. The primary purpose of the inquiries, it said, will be to determine whether or of the consumer is getting a square deal. Ithough no attempt will be made to regute prices, it is the belief of Attorney Genpage prices, it is the Department of Justice will be able to break up any existent illegal combinations for the exploiting of prices on the necessities of life. The Federal investigation, it is said, will be more therough than any State inquiry ever con-

SUBWAY PASSENGERS TO BE GUARDED AS **NEW TUBE IS BORED**

City and P. R. T. Reach Agreement for Employing Watchman and Provision for Necessary Precautions

RESULT OF ORDINANCE

he Department of City Transit and Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company reached an agreement whereby the dy of passengers on the Market street way cars and on the subway surface will be guarded while the Broad street is being dug underneath the present that street subway at Broad street and

oth Penn Square. A special watchman will be stationed the tracks of the Market street tube, tly over the point where the work on Broad street line is being carried on, dgnal the motormen on the Market it subway trains and on the subwayce cars whether it is safe for them The Transit Company has already ar-

ed with the Keystone State Construc-Company, which holds the contract for section of the Broad street tube, to rethe subway-surface cars on Market Chestnut streets during a few hours night to facilitate the construction. The watchman, however, will serve in the daytime when the traffic is heav-and he will be a double safeguard to

and he will be a double safeguard to traysling public. Director Twining has decided that the playment of the watchman is a proper large against the city and for this reason Transit Company will be reimbursed the cost of the watchman's services from city treasury. The money was made lable under an ordinance passed last by which authorized the Transit Department to pay to the Transit Company any sounds up to \$47,000 for the company's transit to pay to the Transit Company and it connection with the construction of part of its tracks in Frankford, this were in the way of the Frankford others of the standard of the transit of the way of the Frankford of the manufacture.

Plan to Continue Poultry Show masting will be held on Thursday eveat 3 o'clock at the Philadelphia Chamd Commerce to perfect an organization
attnues the Philadelphia Poultry Show.
Epotary organization formed last Frimight consists of Mr. Hicks, of BrownsM. J., president; J. Temple, vice presiand T. A. Carr, secretary and treasTentative date for the show are the
a beginning January 22 and January
Committees on place of exhibition and
embership have been appointed.

WHEN COUSINS FALL OUT. POLICE CALLED TO END BOUT

Crowd on East Side of City Hall Witness Boxing Match

George M. Maloff, a lace importer of New York, met George S. D. Maloff, a lace importer of Boston, in Broad Street Station and there was a hearty reunion of cousins. which changed into an equally hearty fight when Cousin Majoff of New York warned Cousin Maloff of Boston to stop "cutting into his territory." The bout finished on the east side of City Hall before a crowd that enjoyed it until it was stopped by

"Why don't you hire a hall?" inquired Magistrate Imber, of the night court, when the police took the cousins before him. "We slapped each other a bit, but R's all right now," replied Cousin Maloff of Bos-

Cousin Maloff of New York, with a black cousts Maloff of New York, with a black eye and a red-stained collar, looked as if he had been slapped considerably, and Cousin Maloff of Boston got a slap that raised a big lump on his head.

"Can you get a train for Boston?" asked the Magistrate.
"Certainly," said the Maloff who had spilled the beans as he headed in that direc-tion, followed by the New York Maloff.
"Come again, gentlemen," called out the Magistrate as they left the court

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Philadelphians Off for Europe

Sailing on the American Line steamship Finland from New York for Liverpool to-day are the following from Philadelphia: Mrs. Robert Craig, Miss Miriam Craig, the Rev. O. Fadama, Miss Margaret Gamble, Miss Annie Hughes, Mrs. Emma Morley, Thomas Morley, George Morley, Mrs. Agnes Rainey and Miss Mary Strogan.



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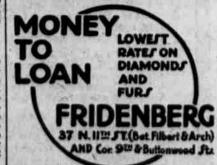
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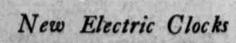
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Popular new pinch-back model, also English and conservative fashions.

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Mackinaws in Norfelk effects, with pocket, and large convertible collar. Of fancy woolens, checks and blanket plaids.

Pole styles in all-wool blue or gray chinchilla, with large convertible collars—some have belts. Sizes 3½ to 10 years.

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WOMEN'S & MISSES' \$20 COATS, \$15 Excellent assortment of styles.

Of mixtures, kerseys and zibelines—plain or fur-trimmed. Partly or fully lined with excellent quality satin. Choice of all prettiest autumn shades.

Women's and Misses' \$27.50 | \$32.50 COATS Sketch shows a stunning model in heavy, rich

Has slip pockets. Ragian sleeves; half lining of satin and handsome big natural raccoon collar. Also dressy seal plush coats, trimmed with baby caracul cloth.

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In wool velour, Bolivia cloth and plush velour—loose or belted. Richly lined with plain or flowered silks. Women's & Misses \$15 } \$9.90

Fur-Trimmed Suits.. Attractive styles. In navy blue, black, brown and lighter colors, with belted jackets and fur or velvet

\$7 SKIRTS, \$4.75

Women's and Misses'

\$30 SUITS An exceptionally pretty model in all-wool poplin.

Have box-plaited beited jackets with military collars of velvet, belts and mock pockets. Also splendid variety of smart suits in breadcisth and velour, in green, brown, plum, navy and black— many fur trimmed.

Women's and Misses' }\$12.75 \$16.75 SUITS Smart tailored and dressy styles.

Poplin and broadcloth in navy blue, black, green and brown. Belted effects, variously showing pockets, velvet or fur trimmings and beautifully silk lined.

Women's and Misses' }\$18.50 Poplin in all newest Fall shades, trimmed with military braids and velvets. Also other smart styles with novelty collars. Navy blue, black,



Lit Brothers-SECOND FLOOR Extra Special Anniversary Offering

Women's \$5 to \$7 High Grade Shoes Samples! This Season's Latest Styles in Novelty and Conservative Effects. Product of the well-known factory of Val. Duttenhofer, Cincinnati. An occasion of stirring importance to every woman who has not yet purchased her winter shoes.

Men's \$5 to \$7 Sample }\$3.65 Shoes

New shipment just received.

RUBBERS-In Subway Mail and Phone Orders Filled Men's 85c and \$1 Rubbers, 59c

Big Girls' \$3 and \$3.50 }\$1.98 Tan Shoes
Tan Russia calf. New English lace style, with red rubber soles and heels. Sizes 3½ to 6. FIRST FLOOR, NORTH

Women's 75c and 85c Rubbers, 39c Misses' and Children's 65c and 35c

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\$2 All-Wool Cheviots 84-inch Wilds \$1.15

Black, navy, midnight and Belgian blue, Russian green, taupe and stone gray. \$2 All-wool Poplins, \$1.69 85c Tweed Suitings, 59c Yard wide. Half-wool. In black-and- In 54-inch width. Black, African brown

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Fine Imported Sample Hats Trimmed Actually Worth \$5, \$6 & Even \$7 Unreservedly for choice tomorrow at only \$2.95

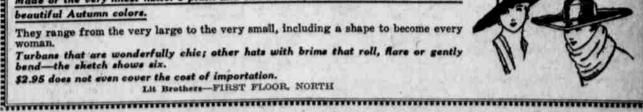
THERE are exactly six hundred and thirty-five of these handsome ▲ hats in the most beautiful and exclusive Parisian shapes. Made of the very finest hatter's plush and silk velvets, in black and all of the most

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}\$16.75

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Misses' 39c Union Suits, 29c

Children's 15c Stockings, 10c
Past black cotton ribbed. Seamless.
Double too, heel and knes. Makers im-Men's 75c Derby

Men's \$1 Night Shirts, 59c

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25c Block Plane, 17c
30c Adjustable Plyers, 19c
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