

FIREMEN RELIEF BILL TO BE ACTED ON SOON

Campaign Committee Assured There Will Be No Delay in Its Consideration

COPS ALSO SEEK ADVANCE

Friends on Finance Committee Would Have Them Share Any Rise in Pay

Assurance has been given to the campaign committee of the firemen of Philadelphia that there will be no delay in the consideration of the ordinance providing for their relief. This measure, which was referred to the Finance Committee after its introduction into Common Council late yesterday, embodies a salary increase of twenty per cent and an additional day off in every four.

The Finance Committee is scheduled to meet next Monday. It is in the hope of the advocates of the firemen's relief ordinance that the committee will be able to take it up for consideration at that time so that it may be reported back to Council at the next session with a favorable recommendation.

POLICE ALSO SEEK ADVANCE

The similar petition of the police is in the hands of the committee, but it is not alarming the supporters of the firemen's appeal. The police at present enjoy an eight-hour day with no hazardous duties or short-handed service as prevail in the Bureau of Fire. They also are enjoying a higher salary scale for less arduous work.

Another argument advanced on behalf of the firemen is the difficulty encountered in obtaining recruits of the proper sort to replace the veterans and other members of the fire-fighting force dropping out to re-enumerate is higher. Two hundred of the 646 hose and laddermen in Chief Murphy's bureau are men of the second and third grades. These have been in the service less than five years, yet they comprise nearly one-half of the fire-fighting force.

With a salary increase and less burdensome working conditions, it is the belief of the friends of the Bureau of Fire that the resignations would be fewer and the ratio of inexperienced men and the juggling of men from station to station reduced.

WILSON FOR MAXIMUM INCREASE

The firemen's relief ordinance now in committee provides for the proposed increases and appointments from January 1. With an amendment postponing operation until March 1, a considerable lessening in the salary appropriation would be effected.

The campaign committee is not resting upon the confidence that its work is done with the introduction of the ordinance, but is continuing its labors to arouse public opinion in favor of the men of the Fire Bureau so that renewed pressure may be brought to bear upon the members of the Finance Committee in order to expedite action and obtain favorable consideration of the pending ordinance.

S. D. GORDON CONTINUES ADDRESSES AT GARRICK

"Spending a Day With God" Topic of "Quiet Talker" at Noon Meeting

S. D. Gordon, the "quiet talker," continued his series of noon meetings, which have been running for two weeks at the Garrick Theatre, with an address today on "Spending a Day With God—Mastery in Actual Practice."

He drew his lesson from Enoch, comparing him to the nucleus flower in the spring. He said in part: "The frail little flower insists on living a springtime in the midst of wintry surroundings. It's calendar hangs open at May. Have you ever seen a thing like that? Well, away back here in these old, early leaves of the Book, there's the story of a circus man."

Inquiry Aimed at W. M. Daniels

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—Senator Norris today asked for an investigation of the means by which William M. Daniels, who was recently confirmed by the Senate as a member of the Interstate Commerce Commission, was able to obtain information about a speech made in the Senate by Senator Cummins opposing his appointment during two executive sessions, January 3 and January 6.

Police Asked to Find Missing Girl

The police were asked today to find Bertha Pangloss, an eighteen-year-old factory girl, who has disappeared from her home, 4477 Green street. She had on her best clothes and had two weeks' pay in her possession when she left the house, her mother said.

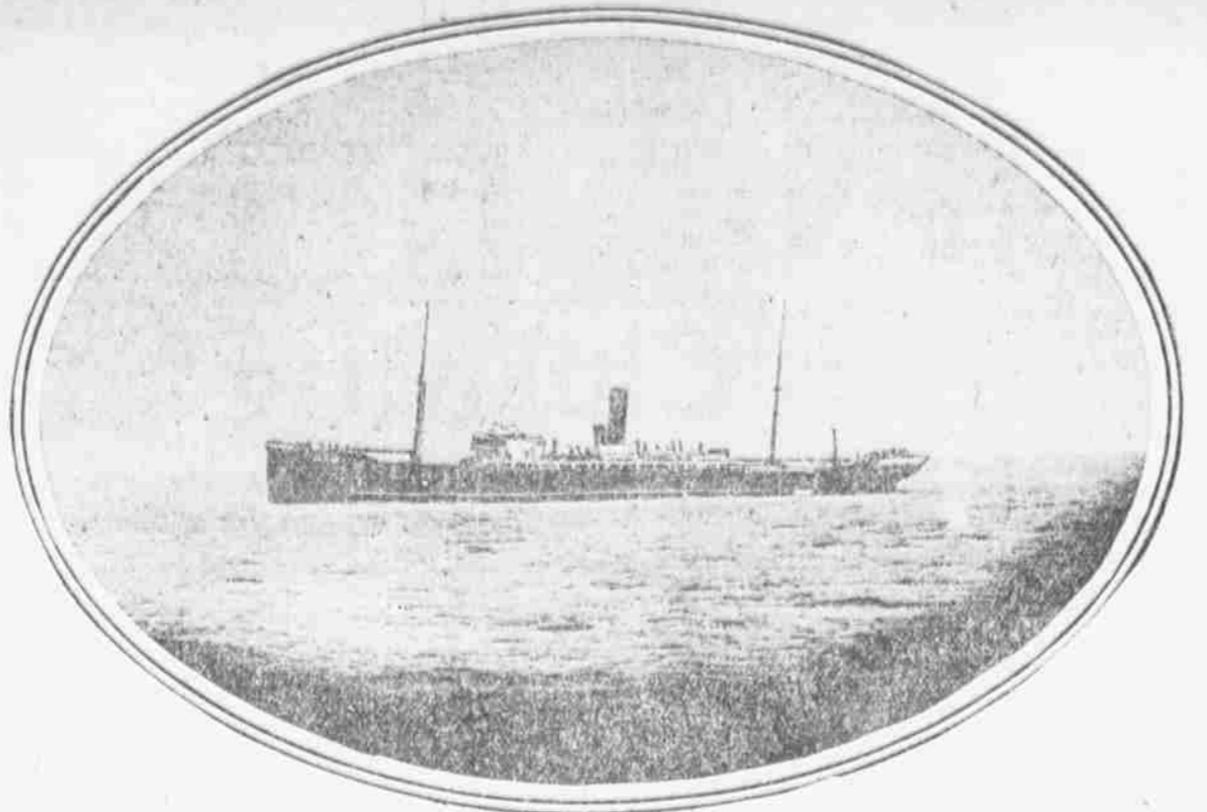


Resinol Soap will stop that scalp itching

The way a few shampoos with Resinol Soap check dandruff and stop scalp itching is a distinct surprise to people who have tried in vain to find relief from these annoying conditions. In severe cases, a little Resinol Ointment should be rubbed into the scalp after shampooing.

Resinol Soap and Resinol Ointment are sold by all druggists. For Resinol Soap, see the box, or write to Dept. 230, Resinol, Baltimore, Md.

THE MOEWE SUSPECTED OF BEING SOUTH ATLANTIC RAIDER



This photograph of the famous German raider was taken through the porthole of one of its victims when the exploits of the Moeve first came to light nearly a year ago. Several ships have been named as the South Atlantic raider which has sunk more than twenty-five Allied merchantmen recently, but the latest reports would seem to indicate that the "wasp" is the Moeve.

BOARD FACES LAWSUIT BY SOWDEN'S FRIENDS

Germantown School Association Starts Fund to Fight for Removed Principal

START HUNT FOR LAWYER

There was an old duffer named Jones. Whether he knew any better, he didn't believe. He kept on his when some of his friends thought he had it all. He was anything but pleasant.

The reading of the foregoing verse, "dedicated" to David H. Lums, was one of the features of a "red-hot" meeting of the Germantown School Association held in the Germantown Boys' Club, 25 West Penn street.

The Board of Education was attacked. A suit against it was threatened. War to the finish was declared, as the result of the recent "snarl" given to the association by the Board of Education, which, at its last meeting, refused to hear the pleas for the reinstatement of William H. Sowden as principal of the Pitzer School.

Joseph Bates, William C. Lynch and Thomas Merik were selected to employ counsel to bring suit against the board for transferring Sowden. Collections were taken up to provide funds for the legal expenses. Mr. Lynch's address stirred the members to action. He said:

"That the board is governed by political motives was virtually admitted by both Bowen and Boyle, of the board, who told our committee that if Sowden had been in their districts this state of affairs would not have happened."

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Our Patrons Say That These Suits and Overcoats Were 20% the Best Value in This Market at the Regular Prices.

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GRANT 1099 LICENSES IN SCHUYLKILL COUNTY

Court Adjourns Until Next Week, When New Applications Will Be Heard

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 19.—The session of the Schuylkill County License Court was temporarily adjourned until next week and 1099 applications were granted. The court held on eighty-six licenses of all-established hotels and saloons for further consideration. It also failed to grant any of the nineteen new applications.

Ackers Delicious Sweets advertisement for Birthdays, Anniversaries or Special Days. Features Bon Bons de Luxe, Dainty Parisian Style, Famous Swiss Style, and World Renowned sweets.

Goodyear Raincoat advertisement for Men, Women and Children. Features Lot 1 Raincoats, Lot 2 \$15 Raincoats, Lot 3 Overcoats, Lot 4 Imported Raincoats, and Lot 5 Boys' and Girls' Raincoats. Includes address: 820 Chestnut Street.

SALARIED JOBHOLDERS SEEK MORE CITY PAY

Delegation From Water Bureau Canvasses City Hall for Support of Increase

Encouraged by the fact that Councils, by resolution, have increased the pay of hundreds of laborers employed in the Water Bureau from \$2 to \$2.50 per day, a delegation of engineers and salaried men of the water plant are canvassing City Hall in an effort to obtain support for a bill providing for a general increase.

Chief Carlton E. Davis of the Water Bureau is in sympathy with the movement of the engineers, mechanics, machinists and workers of many classes to obtain better pay and is lending them every aid that lies in his power. According to Chief Davis, the demands of the men, if granted, would add \$155,000 annually to the payroll of the Bureau.

LANCASTER SELECTED FOR TOBACCO ROT CONTEST

United States Sends Agricultural Experiment to County for Experiments

LANCASTER, Pa., Jan. 19.—The Federal Government has selected Lancaster County in which to make the first experiments de-

signed to solve the puzzle of the cause of black rot in leaf tobacco, and with this end in view has sent Prof. E. G. Barnhart, of the Agricultural Department, here to conduct experiments, the object being to find a preventive. He will obtain several thousands of samples from all over Lancaster county for his experiments.

Harburger's advertisement for Diamond Gypsy Rings. Features a ring illustration and text: 'DIAMOND GYPSY RINGS \$35, \$40, \$45. A little finger ring of popularity and intrinsic value, set with two diamonds and sapphire, ruby or emerald. Our perfected credit system offers the opportunity for immediate possession with payments of convenience. 1014 CHESTNUT ST. WHERE CREDIT HAS THE SAME PURCHASING POWER AS CASH'

Wanamaker & Brown advertisement for overcoats. Features text: 'This Advertisement Is Less Strong Than the Facts Back of It Merit! CLOSE upon one thousand overcoats—500 of them specially purchased; 400 and more provided from the regular good stocks of Wanamaker & Brown—go on sale NOW at \$10 for \$35, \$30, \$25, \$20, \$18 and \$15 Qualities. WHY does this really wonderful opportunity come to our customers through Oak Hall? Like most great things, it came to us almost unawares. The whole manufacturing clothing trade of the East knows that Wanamaker & Brown are always in the market for good clothing when closing-out time comes. When manufacturers who have bought good wools and have over-produced their own markets—when they cannot sell through their normal trade channels and take their normal profits, but MUST CLOSE OUT, AND CLOSE OUT QUICKLY for cash, they come to Oak Hall just as surely as "chickens come home to roost." That is what happened in this instance. New England is a textile center equally famous with Philadelphia, and a New England manufacturer who takes pride in producing only all-wool clothing of a standard of quality as high as is maintained anywhere, found these overcoats on his hands. He sent us an offer giving us an opportunity to buy his whole stock at a price that represented only a fraction of what it cost him to produce it. A few hours later Wanamaker & Brown's chief buyer was on his way to New England. He picked the better of these stocks with selective care. He chose only overcoats that this same manufacturer had sold for \$10.50 to \$17 wholesale. This means that he picked overcoats that normally retail from \$15 to \$25, which we offer you today for \$10. To make the offer even greater, Oak Hall chose 400 overcoats for big men from its own all-wool stocks—overcoats that have sold for— \$35, \$30, \$25 and \$20—Beavers, Meltons, Blues, Oxfords—warm, big, comfortable and fine—also to sell for \$10. THOSE in the first group are mostly young men's. Those in the second are, as we have said, men's. All Wool to the Last Thread! Every One Is Silk Trimmed! All Colors Fully Guaranteed! Wanamaker & Brown Market at Sixth for 55 Years'