

NEWSPAPER GIRL JOINS DIET SQUAD

Evening Ledger Writer to Be Experimented On by Scientists Here

WILL TELL EXPERIENCE

Facts About City's First Diet Squad Experiment

FIRST meal Monday noon for members of squad. Philadelphia's first concerted movement, outside of a medical school, on diet.

At the Lighthouse, 182 West Lehigh avenue, under the direction of the Life Extension Institute, a national organization, backed by leading physicians and educators, organized three years ago to "teach people how to live."

By LISETTA NEUKOM

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City News in Brief

DWIGHT ELMENDORF gave an illustrated lecture on Spain at the Academy of Music. The audience was taken from San Sebastian, the seaside summer capital, down into the Andalusian country.

STUCK BY AN AUTOMOBILE, Miss Adelaide Snolick, sixty-two years old, of Goven and Stanton avenues, is in the Roosevelt Hospital suffering from a fractured left leg, six broken ribs and shock.

LEAGUE ISLAND OFFICIALS deny the report that a dredge had been blown up at the navy yard. They declared there had been no explosion and that no one had been arrested.

HENRI LA FONTAINE, a Belgian Senator, was the guest of honor at a reception given by the alumni of the University of Pennsylvania Law School at Thirty-fourth and Chestnut streets.

ALUMNI OF WILLISTON SEMINARY, East Hampton, Mass., celebrated the seventy-fifth anniversary of their alma mater by a banquet at the Manufacturers' Club.

JOSEPH SIMPSON, a former Philadelphia recently died in Minot, N. D., and the detective bureau has received a letter from E. J. Gohy, an undertaker at Minot, North Dakota.

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MISS O'DEA, GIFTED WOMAN LAWYER, SAVES CLIENT'S LIFE

Josiah K. Repsher Owes Escape From Electric Chair to Her Efforts in His Defense

Josiah K. Repsher, of Taneraville Monroe County, Pa., in an involuntary guest of Robert Wilkerson, warden of Eastern Penitentiary. Josiah arrived here Wednesday from Stroudsburg.

Miss O'Dea was admitted to the Lackawanna County bar about three years ago. She is a native of White Haven and a graduate of the Wilkes-Barre High School and Dickinson Law School.

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CAMDEN TRANSIT TO BE IMPROVED

Company's Promise of 44 New Cars Follows Planners' Criticism

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FLOODS THREATENED BY SUSQUEHANNA ICE

Area From Middletown to Tidewater in Danger as Huge Cakes Pile Up

HARRISBURG, March 2.—Experts in the State Water Supply Commission's office here view with alarm conditions along the Susquehanna River from Middletown to tidewater. Their views are shared by Weather Forecaster Demain, who has been receiving bulletins from the whole Susquehanna watershed.

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Noted Philadelphia Expert Named by Goethals to Proposed Organization of 100

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WINBLOW, N. J. March 1.—Business in this section is almost at a standstill, owing to the condition of the roads. It now requires four horses for team work, and many automobiles are out of gear, several

Public Hearing Set in Coal Freight Rate

Proposed Reduction of 25 Cents to Be Threshed Out Before Service Board

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TODAY'S MARRIAGE LICENSES

ABRAHAM W. BOWEN, 1828 N. 8th st., and EDITH B. POMER, 1017 Spruce st., Philadelphia, Pa. \$100.00