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## Five-Year-Old Nathan Plot

 After Rescue, Gives Description of Captor













 "UNLOADED" PISTOL KILLS Fatal Accident to Young Man at Hebron, Near Lebanon

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 Revenue Receipts Increase





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## The Foster Father

## Belgian Children's Week started yesterday.

$\$ 100,000$ a month for the next six months will be Philadelphia's share in this great humanitarian movement. And every cent must be raised before next Sunday.

Each dollar will give one little unfortunate an extra daily ration for one month-an extra biscuit and a cup of ocoa. It is far from a meal as the it is enough to save the lives of thousands of half-starved children in that sands of half-starved
war-torn little country.

Over a million homeless Belgian children need food. They want it with an urgency and an intensity which the imagination can hardly conceive.

They must have it in order to live. And remember-they are just little tots -fighting for existence against odds that are staggering thousands of older folks. They are weak from hunger and exposure.

America is going to help them This country has guaranteed the funds to provide every child in Belgium with its much-needed extra meal-every day;

## What Are You Doing to Help?

'Are you doing your part in raising Philadelphia's share

Give what you can to a "Ration Club." Hundreds of them are enthusiastically en gaged raising funds to provide extra food for the children of an entire town

Or, better still, start a "Ration Club" will tell you how and assist you in every way.

Or, if you prefer, send in your individual Contribution. And do it now, during Belgian Whildren's Week. Whatever you do, give generously and promptly. No one should feel that a single There can be $n o$ walt, can be spared. erich to caive dance or for the humble to from their abundance or for the humble to spare something
of their smaller portion.
This work-started by Herbert Hoover, the American mining engineer-has received the consent and support of all belligerent and neutral nations in Europe. It is strictly a non-partisan movement-just a plain work of humanity. And it will positively be continued of even in event of America entering the war. Every dollar donated buys 100 cents' worth phia's committee.

## Philadelphia's entire contribution must be pledged this week-how much will you give?

Make your check, money order or Crosby Brown, Brown Bros. \& Co 330 Chestnut street, or leave it at any bank or trust company in Philadelphia to be forwarded. Or fill out the attached coupon.
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