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INVESTMENT MARKET VERY DULL; FARM LOAN BONDS SCARCE

Hot Weather and Lack of Interest Keep Customers Away—Gossip of "the Street"

"HOW'S business?" asked the manager of one of the oldest established bond and investment houses in the city of a member of another firm in the same line. The reply was, "There is no such thing." And judging by the appearance of the offices and board rooms of the leading brokers he was very nearly right. The public is not in the market at present.

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And yet when the same question was put to the local representative of a large house which has made a specialty of Federal farm loan bonds he said: "Business has been fine. I haven't had as busy a month as July for a long time." When asked how the Federal farm loan bonds were taking, he said: "I have an order lying on my desk for some time past that I can't fill and I am refusing any more commitments until November. It's strange," he continued, "how the public didn't take to those farm loan bonds at first, and now we can't get enough of them. They are a 4½ per cent bond and were sold to net about 4¼. So far as yield is concerned, they are more attractive than the Liberty Bonds, as they are also tax free. But the people did not buy the Liberty Bonds on account of their yield; they bought through patriotism."

Short-Time Notes Have the Call

The principal member of a firm which deals largely in high-grade investments was asked what class of investments are most in demand at present, and replied that any business that is being done is in short-time notes with a large yield or in exceedingly good gilt-edge long-time bonds, but very little of the latter. "It would be impossible," he said, "to finance any new proposition today except with short-time notes with a very large yield of more than 6 per cent."

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There are some exceptions to this as far as the interest rate is concerned. It is reported that the issue of $20,000,000 three-year 5 per cent notes just offered by the Great Northern Railway through the First National Bank of New York at 98 and interest to yield 5¾ per cent has been largely oversubscribed. They are issued in denominations of $1000, $5000 and $10,000 each, callable at any time before September 1, 1918, at 101 and interest.

Easy to Sell Liberty Bonds

One of the most active canvassers for Liberty Bonds in the recent selling campaign, who was successful in placing a large number of the smaller denominations, represents an out-of-town house. He has had many years of a wide experience in soliciting among all classes. He claims that the next issue can be sold on a 3½ per cent basis as easily as on a 4 per cent basis.

"When I was going around with my 'gang,'" he said, "selling Liberty Bonds, and we would arrive at industrial plants or street-car barns around the lunch hour, the boys would ask me to address the crowd. To my mind there was no occasion to address these men. They were intelligent and read the papers and knew all about the bonds, and when I addressed them I said so. In a general way they knew that Uncle Sam had a big war on hand and was going to see it through and needed the money, and they were prepared to loan it to him. All we had to do was to take their subscriptions."

Mahoning and Shenango Valley Prosperous

Early purchasers of the issue of $500,000 5 per cent bonds of the Mahoning and Shenango Valley Railway and Light Company, which were brought out at par about six months ago, are complaining that these bonds are now being sold on a 6 per cent basis, and blame the brokers for not sustaining the market. Under ordinary circumstances that is a difficult matter to control, and under present conditions it would be impossible. Any one who knows anything of the recent phenomenal growth and development of population and industries in these two valleys, which extend from Youngstown, O., to Sharon, Pa., and which has been somewhat on a par with recent developments at Chester, Eddystone and surrounding territory, must know that the future gives abundant promise for the success of the company, which supplies that whole territory with traction, light and power.

A Detachable Stock Warrant

A unique feature in financing is the detachable stock warrant option attached to each of the $1000 three-year 7 per cent notes of the Sinclair Oil and Refining Company. This option entitles the holder to buy from the corporation twenty-five shares of stock at $45 if purchased on or before August 1, 1918, and at an increased price if purchased later. The proceeds from these warrants must be applied to the retirement of the notes through purchase in the open market or on call. The stock is now selling around 43.

The Danger of an Oil Famine

One of the best informed brokers in this city on the oil situation takes very little stock in the much-heralded boom in the Wyoming oil fields. "The safest way to get a correct line on new development in oil," he says, "is to follow the Standard Oil pipe-laying. If they are active in any particular field you may conclude they have looked it over thoroughly and have convinced themselves that it has staying qualities, and any pipes they put down are intended to do service until they rot in the ground.

"There was a lot of talk a while ago," he continued, "about big pipe lines being put down in Kentucky, but I have seen nothing about it recently. That State is a poor man's field, just as California was a poor man's field for gold mining in '49. A man could go in there with a pick, a shovel and a pan and get pay gold from the placers. In Kentucky a well can be drilled and cased for $3500, while in some parts of the Texas fields it costs $35,000 to drill and case a well. There is no particular activity in any field just now," he said, "and in such isolated spots as there is drilling going on it is purely speculative."

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In this connection, the recent purchase of the Big Creek Development Company, of West Virginia, by the South Penn Oil Company, a subsidiary of the Standard Oil, is significant of further extension and development of that field. The consideration for which this property changed hands was reported as $5,500,000.

The enormous increase in consumption of light-grade oils, both for the demands of the war and domestic purposes, is causing a serious situation and making new development imperative.

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Recently A. C. Bedford, president of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, called attention to the seriousness of the oil situation in this country in a statement where he said that the country was producing 300,000,000 barrels per year and using 335,000,000 barrels per year. With only 165,688,700 barrels in reserve, it can easily be seen that this source would soon be exhausted. Although three times as many wells have been drilled in 1917 as in 1915, the initial production is less than in 1915. The public, in the interest of the Government, which must have all it needs to prosecute the war successfully, is warned to economize, especially by cutting out joyriding altogether.

A Valuable International Connection

"The Investors' Service," in the Morris Building, is shortly to make a valuable connection with an old established English house which has been giving a similar service since 1883. This connection will very widely enlarge the scope of both concerns. Although the fundamental lines on which both services have been conducting their business have been similar, their methods of carrying them out have been very different. No doubt the English house will adopt many of the American ideas as soon as it can get English investors to adapt themselves to more advanced methods.

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This extended service will be very valuable to financial and commercial houses in the development of foreign trade after the war. In the past only one or two banking houses in the United States could properly conduct a foreign banking business. A great deal of this business had to be carried on through London houses that for hundreds of years have been adding to their experience and facilities along these lines, and through this new connection the "Investors' Service" expects to be in a position to place these advantages at the call of financiers and business men of the United States.

Allies Dumped Public Utility Bonds

It appears that in the recent financing of the Allies large blocks of public utility and other securities found their way into the market here at prices which, if not judiciously manipulated, would have knocked the market for such securities "galley west," but by careful marketing they have very generally been absorbed without affecting local prices beyond a point or two. It is said that these securities had been held in Europe as collateral for Government bonds.

September Too Early for Liberty Issue?

"If Mr. McAdoo had decided to issue the second Liberty Bond issue on November 15 instead of September 15, as reported, I believe he would have met with greater success, especially in the West," was the remark of a banker who took a very active part in the first issue.

"September 15 is too early," he said, "for the western farmers, but by November 15 they will have sold their corn and wheat and will be prepared to pay cash down for the bonds. Of course," he continued, "the selling on the instalment plan will meet this situation to an extent, but when a man has the money actually in his possession he feels he can afford to buy more than if he has to go into debt even for a short time."

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"It is not so much the diverting of future savings from the savings banks and such institutions to purchase Liberty Bonds that I am considering," said a well-known investment banker, "as what may happen if the clients of such concerns should make wholesale withdrawals to invest in these bonds. It will necessitate liquidation of the high-class 6 per cent bonds held by these institutions, as there will be no market for any other class of investments."

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"My advice to investors is, as soon as the second issue of Liberty bonds is placed on the market, to jump right in and buy everything on the board. I never [illegible]

MISS BROWNE WINS AGAIN FROM MOLLA

California Tennis Star Trounces Miss Bjurstedt in Single Set

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—In a match that was altogether unsatisfactory because it was too brief, Miss Mary K. Browne, of Los Angeles, three times national champion, scored another victory over Miss Molla Bjurstedt, the present holder of the title, on the courts of the Crescent Athletic Club yesterday. Only one set was played, and this went to the California girl at 6-4. In the previous matches between these two stars it has been evidenced that a single set is hardly a measure of their relative ability, and in view of the fact that Miss Bjurstedt was rallying superbly after an overwhelming lead the abrupt finish proved a keen disappointment. It had been agreed that the women, whose matches have aroused great interest, should play only one set, for they have engaged in so much competition recently that it was believed another grueling encounter, such as that at Southampton Saturday, would prove too great a tax on their strength, particularly in view of their approaching matches at the national doubles tournament, which starts in Boston today.

There was a suggestion in the brief engagement that Miss Bjurstedt is much overplayed. She hardly did herself justice in the opening games, and Miss Browne, who seems indefatigable when on the court, jumped into such a commanding lead that the Norse girl was under a tremendous handicap. Against this she fought with spirit and a marked degree of success as the match drew to a close, but she could not quite bring the contest to deuce and the verdict rested with Miss Browne.

The Norse girl was out of stroke in the first few games and she made repeated errors on shots that ordinarily she would have sent hurtling into her opponent's territory with speed and precision. It was a case of well-intended strokes dropping outside of the lines by the smallest margin or driven that barely caught the net. Miss Bjurstedt drove outside the lines, she did it with a completeness that left no room for doubt, and the strokes netted never had a chance of crossing the barrier. Miss Browne was not overtaxing herself, for she did not have to. In the first six games Miss Browne had [illegible] placement aces. At this stage [illegible] was leading at 4 to 2 on [illegible] by breaking through Miss Bjurstedt on the next game she made [illegible] was against this handicap [illegible] rallied, and with a [illegible]

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

		R.	H.	E.
Toronto	0 0 1 0 0 0 1 3 0	5	7	2
Newark	0 0 0 2 0 0 1 0 0	3	9	5

Batteries—Hearne and La Londe; Enzman and Egan.

Second game—

		R.	H.	E.
Toronto	0 0 1 2 0 0 4 0 0	7	13	3
Newark	0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0	2	7	5

Batteries—Leake and La Londe; McGraw, Wilkinson and Egan.

		R.	H.	E.
Providence	5 0 0 3 0 0 0 0 x	8	10	0
Montreal	0 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 1	3	7	1

Batteries—Gregg and Mayer; Hoyt and Howley.

American Association

Indianapolis, 5; Toledo, 4.
Indianapolis, 3; Toledo, 3 (second game).
Minneapolis, 1; Kansas City, 0.
St. Paul-Milwaukee, two games postponed, rain.

Deaths

ALLISON.—Aug. 11, AUGUSTA SELTZER, daughter of Helen Seltzer Allison, aged 17. Relatives and friends invited to services, Tues., 8 p. m., residence of grandmother, Mrs. Augusta Seltzer, 247 S. 53d st. Int. private, Pottsville, Pa., Wed. afternoon.

BABB.—Aug. 11, ELIZABETH L., wife of William Babb (nee Buckley), aged 52. Relatives and friends invited to funeral, Tues., 1 p. m., 5115 Melrose st. Int. North Cedar Hill Cem. Remains may be viewed Mon., 8 to 10 p. m.

BECKETT.—Aug. 11, ELIZABETH T. BECKETT, widow of Gabriel Beckett, aged 87. Relatives and friends invited to funeral, Wed., 2 p. m., son-in-law's residence, C. Fleming Stanger, Glassboro, N. J. Services at house. Int. Eglington Cem., Clarksboro, N. J. Auto funeral.

BRANIN.—At Vincentown, N. J., Aug. 10, WILLIAM H., husband of late Harriet E. Branin, aged 75. Relatives and friends, all organizations with which he was affiliated, invited to funeral, Tues., 1:30 p. m., Vincentown, N. J. Int. Baptist Cem.

BRETT.—Aug. 11, JOHN J., son of late John and Ellen Brett, of Tubbercurry, County Sligo, Ireland. Relatives and friends invited to funeral, Tues., 9 a. m., residence of brother, William F. Brett, 2448 W. Huntingdon st. High requiem mass at St. Columba's Church 10 a. m. Int. Holy Cross Cem.

BREWARD.—Aug. 10, LAURA, wife of John Breward. Relatives and friends invited to funeral services, Tues., 2 p. m., funeral parlors of P. J. Donahue, 209 E. Lehigh ave. Int. Oakland Cem. Auto funeral.

BROWN.—Aug. 10, LIDIE H. BROWN (nee Holland), wife of Edwin C. Brown. Relatives and friends, James G. Blaine D. of L., No. 2 Council, invited to funeral services, Tues., 1 p. m., 1932 N. 5th st. Int. private, Northwood Cem.

BURTON.—Aug. 11, JOSHUA E., husband of Ellen Burton. Relatives and friends invited to funeral services, Tues., 8:30 p. m., son's residence, William L. Burton, 1448 Louden st., Logan. Int. Wed., Conley's Chapel, Angola, Del., on arrival of train leaving Phila. 7:25 a. m. Delaware papers copy.

CAMPION.—ELIZABETH P., aged 80. Due notice of funeral.

COLESCOTT.—Aug. 12, JOHN F. COLESCOTT, aged 62. Relatives and friends, Trimble Lodge No. 117, F. and A. M., Senate Lodge No. 76, I. O. O. F., invited to funeral, Wed., 8 p. m., 435 Chambers ave., Camden, N. J. Int. private, at convenience of family. St. George's, Del.

CONNELL.—Aug. 11, ELLEN, wife of Terence Connell. Relatives and friends invited to funeral, Tues., 8 a. m., 544 Old Lancaster road, Haverford, Pa. High mass at Our Mother of Good Counsel Church 9 a. m. Int. St. Denis's Cem. Auto funeral.

CONNOR.—Aug. 10, JOHN J., son of Simon J. and Mary C. Connor, member of Naval Coast Defense Reserve, 4th Dist. Relatives and friends, Archbishop Ryan Catholic Assn., invited to funeral, Tues., 8:30 a. m., parents' residence, 5341 Chester ave. Solemn mass of requiem Church of Most Blessed Sacrament 10 a. m. Int. Holy Cross Cem. Auto funeral.

CONWAY.—Aug. 12, ROSE, widow of Peter Conway. Relatives and friends, B. V. M. Sodality, Altar and Rosary, Sacred Heart and Propagation Societies of Church of Our Lady of Victory, invited to funeral, Thurs., 8:30 a. m., 5120 Race st., West Phila. Solemn requiem mass Church of Our Lady of Victory 10 a. m. Int. Holy Cross Cem.

CORGEE.—Aug. 12, JOHN T. CORGEE, Sr., husband of late Harriet E. Corgee (nee Lyons), son of late Arthur W. and Margaret Corgee. Relatives and friends, members of Phila. Fire Dept. Relief Assn., invited to funeral services, Wed., 2 p. m., residence son, John T. Corgee, Jr., 1322 S. 30th st. Int. private. Friends may call Tues., 8 to 10 p. m.

CRAWFORD.—Aug. 12, JOSEPH H., husband of Margaret Crawford (nee Harkins), aged 63. Relatives and friends invited to funeral, Wed., 2 p. m., son's residence, Elwood Crawford, 4714 Almond st., Bridesburg. Int. Greenwood (K. of P.) Cem. Remains may be viewed Tues., 8 to 10 p. m.

DALTRY.—Aug. 11, LOVINIA G. DALTRY. Relatives and friends invited to funeral, Tues., 2 p. m., residence of G. L. Jones, 110 Park st., Ridley Park, Pa. Int. private.

DAVIS.—Aug. 11, J. CLARK DAVIS, Jr., son of James C. and Viola E. Davis (nee Eartels), in 4th year. Relatives and friends invited to funeral services, Wed., 1:30 p. m., parents' residence, Mt. Ephraim ave., Mt. Ephraim, N. J. Int. private.

DEMPSEY.—Aug. 12, CATHERINE, daughter of William and late Catherine Dempsey (nee McMackin). Relatives and friends invited to funeral, Thurs., 8:30 a. m., father's residence, 3850 Sharp st., Wissahickon. Solemn high requiem mass St. John the Baptist's Church 10 a. m. Int. St. John's Cem.

DEVINE.—Suddenly, Aug. 11, MARY ETHEL, daughter of William P. and Susan Devine, granddaughter of late Jacob and Ellen Norbeck, aged 14. Relatives and friends, scholars of St. Raphael Parochial School, invited to funeral, Tues., 8:30 a. m., parents' residence, 8036 Lyons ave. Solemn requiem mass St. Raphael's Church, 85th and Tinicum ave., 10 a. m. Int. Old Cathedral Cem.

DUFFY.—Aug. 11, PATRICK DUFFY. Relatives and friends, members of Irish-American Club and Samuel McAllister Club, invited to funeral, Tues., 8:30 a. m., residence of James J. Dougherty, 2017 Christian st. Mass of requiem St. Charles's Church 10 a. m. Int. Holy Cross Cem. Remains may be viewed Mon. after 8 p. m.

DUTHIE.—Aug. 11, CATHARINE, wife of Charles R. Duthie. Relatives and friends invited to funeral, Tues., 8:30 a. m., 1918 Fitzgerald st. Solemn requiem mass St. Monica's Church 10 a. m. Int. private.

ELLIS.—Aug. 9, JOHN, husband of Georgeanna Ellis and son of late John and Mary Ellis. Funeral, to which relatives and friends invited, Tues., 1:30 p. m., late residence, 110 Fernon st. Int. Fernwood Cem. Auto service. Remains may be viewed Mon., after 8 p. m.

FARLEY.—Aug. 11, MARGARET, widow of James Farley. Relatives and friends invited to funeral services, Wed., 2 p. m., son-in-law's residence, Philip Y. Smith, 410 W. Cumberland st. Int. Greenmount Cem. Remains may be viewed Tues., 8 to 10 p. m.

FLEMING.—Aug. 10, JOHN OSBORNE, son of William and late Maria Fleming, aged 29. Relatives and friends, L. O. L. No. 15, L. P. of A. No. 63, and employes of Lehigh Valley Railroad office, 3d and Walnut sts., invited to services, Tues., 2 p. m., 1219 S. 23d st. Int. Mt. Moriah Cem. Friends may call Mon., 7:30 to 9 p. m.

GILBERT.—Aug. 10, CHRISTINE, daughter of Emma Jane Kleinsteuber and late William Gilbert, aged 22. Relatives and friends, Mystic Temple, No. 28, Order United Americans, invited to funeral services, Tues., 2 p. m., parents' residence, 2927 N. Franklin st. Remains may be viewed Mon. after 8 p. m. Int. Greenmount Cem.

GUNDERSEN.—Aug. 11, OLAVA, wife of Floritz H. Gundersen, aged 48. Relatives and friends, Daughters of Norway, No. 50, invited to funeral, Tues., 3 p. m., sister's residence, Mrs. Bryneldsen, 402 Berkeley st., Camden. Int. Evergreen Cem.

HAMILTON.—Aug. 10, MARY J. HAMILTON (nee Williams). Relatives and friends invited to funeral services, Mon., 9 p. m., 2422 N. Hancock st. Int. Tues., convenience of family.

HAUGHEY.—Aug. 11, MARY A. HAUGHEY, daughter of Anna and late John Haughey (nee Green). Relatives and friends, employes of Link Belt Co., invited to funeral, Tues., 8:30 a. m., residence of mother, 2164 N. Palethorp st. Solemn requiem mass Church of Visitation 10 a. m. Int. New Cathedral Cem. Auto funeral.

HENDERSON.—Aug. 10, HANNAH CATHARINE, widow of Alexander D. Henderson. Relatives and friends invited to funeral, Tues., 2 p. m., Huntingdon Valley, Pa. Int. private, William Penn Cem. Autos meet train leaving Reading Terminal 1:02 p. m. at Bethayres Station.

HIPPLE.—Aug. 12, GEORGE, residence of son, F. Girvin Hipple, Montrose ave., Kirklyn, Delaware County, Pa. Due notice of funeral will be given.

HUGHES.—Aug. 11, MARGARET, daughter of late Barry and Arabella Hughes. Relatives and friends invited to funeral, Tues., 7 a. m., 4540 Sansom st. Mass at Church of St. Francis de Sales 8 a. m. Int. Holy Cross Cem.

KELLY.—Aug. 12, suddenly, MARGARET, wife of Dennis Kelly (nee Monahan). Relatives and friends, League of Sacred Heart, invited to funeral, Thurs., 8:30 a. m., Burmont ave., Oakview, Del. Co., Pa. Solemn mass of requiem St. Charles's Church, Kellyville 10 a. m. Int. St. Charles's Cem. No carriages.

KELLY.—Aug. 11, ROSE A., daughter of late Hugh and Ellen Mullin. Relatives and friends invited to funeral, Thurs., 8:30 a. m., 681 N. 24th st. Solemn requiem mass St. Agatha's Church 10 a. m. Int. Old Cathedral Cem. Auto service.

KNORR.—Aug. 11, FREDA KNORR, daughter of late Paul and Mary Knorr, aged 25. Relatives and friends invited to funeral, Tues., 2 p. m., brother's residence, 4134 N. Reese st. Int. private, Mt. Vernon Cem. Remains may be viewed Mon., 8 p. m.

LAMPLUGH.—Aug. 10, SARAH E., widow of Jacob Lamplugh, aged 72. Relatives and friends invited to funeral, Tues., 2 p. m., residence of daughter, Bessie Touzell, 5696 Media st. Int. Fernwood Cem.

LAUGHLIN.—Aug. 11, RUTH BERYLE, daughter of William and Elizabeth Mathews Laughlin, aged 15. Relatives and friends invited to funeral services, Tues., 1:30 p. m., parents' residence, 3 Maplewood ave., Germantown. Int. private.

LEISENBERG.—Aug. 10, FLORENCE MARIE, daughter of late John and Adelia Leisenberg. Relatives and friends, Blessed Virgin Mary Sodality, invited to funeral services, Tues., 8 a. m., Oliver H. Bair Bldg., 1820 Chestnut st. High mass Church of St. Anthony de Padua 9:30 a. m. Int. Holy Cross Cem.

MANGAN.—Aug. 11, GEORGE C., son of late George C. and Esther O. Mangan. Relatives and friends, Philanthropic Lodge, No. 15, I. O. O. F.; Washington Camp, No. 297, P. O. S. of A.; Red, White and Blue Council, No. 585, O. of I. A., invited to funeral services, Wed., 11 a. m., 2025 Master st. Remains may be viewed Tues. eve. Int. private.

MARON.—Suddenly, at Atlantic City, N. J., Aug. 12, EMILY MARON, of Merion, Pa., daughter of Anna and late A. Conrad Maron. Notice of funeral later.

McDEVITT.—Aug. 12, DENNIS McDEVITT. Relatives and friends invited to funeral, Thurs., 8:30 a. m., 3018 Richmond st. Solemn mass of requiem 10 a. m., Church of the Nativity, B. V. M. Int. New Cathedral Cem.

McLAUGHLIN.—Aug. 10, ELIZABETH (nee Cronhart), widow of Joseph H. McLaughlin, formerly of 5th and Christian sts. Relatives and friends invited to funeral, Tues., 2 p. m., 1546 S. [illegible] st. [illegible] Cem. [illegible]

MILLER.—Aug. 10, JOHN MILLER, son of late John and Savella Miller (nee Gross), aged 65. Relatives and friends, also Oakdale Beneficial Society No. 2 and employes of Fitler's Rope Works, invited to funeral services, Tues., 2 p. m., brother-in-law's residence, John G. Schwarzmann, 1943 Wakeling st., Frankford. Int. private, Magnolia Cem. Remains may be viewed Mon., 8 to 10 p. m.

MILNOR.—Aug. 12, at Bristol, Pa., C. WESTLEY MILNOR, aged 77. Relatives and friends, Vaux Lodge No. 388, F. and A. M.; Hopkins Lodge No. 87, I. O. O. F.; employes P. R. R., invited to funeral, 214 Mulberry st., Bristol, Pa., Wed., 2 p. m. Services at M. E. Church 2:30 p. m.

MITCHELL.—Aug. 12, at Newtown, Pa., Mrs. EMELINE MITCHELL, aged 78. Relatives and friends invited to funeral without further notice, residence of son, John H. Mitchell, East Washington ave., Newtown, Wed., 2 p. m. Int. Cem. of St. James's Church, Bristol.

MOONEY.—Suddenly, Aug. 10, MARTIN, husband of late Elizabeth A. Mooney. Relatives and friends invited to funeral, Tues., 1 p. m., residence of brother, James Mooney, 1907 W. Allegheny ave. Int. Ivy Hill Cem. Remains may be viewed Mon., 8 to 10 p. m. Auto funeral.

MORELAND.—Suddenly, Aug. 12, JAMES F., husband of Catharine M. Moreland (nee Coleman), aged 50 years. Residence 560 Fairview st., Camden, N. J. Notice of funeral given later.

MULLIN.—Suddenly, Aug. 11, JOSEPH A., husband of Alma C. Mullin and son of Charles and Sarah Mullin. Relatives and friends, Hosiery Workers' Union, No. 698, invited to funeral, Tues., 8:30 a. m., parents' residence, 3402 E st. Solemn requiem mass Church of Ascension 10 a. m. Int. Holy Sepulchre Cem. Auto funeral.

NAHM.—Aug. 11, KATHRYN, daughter of A. E. and Helen B. Nahm and granddaughter of John F. and B. McCormick, aged 5 months 4 days. Relatives and friends invited to funeral, Mon., 3:30 p. m., parents' residence, 213 W. Pomona st., Germantown. Int. Holy Sepulchre Cem.

POTTS.—WALTER, son of late William H. and Frances Potts, aged 34. Relatives and friends invited to funeral services, Mon., 2 p. m., residence of J. Wesley Bowen, 1018 S. 2d st. Int. private, Mt. Moriah Cem.

RECKARD.—Aug. 11, FANNIE C., wife of Claude R. Reckard and daughter of Charles R. and Mary Gibson Reckard, aged 34. Relatives and friends invited to funeral services, Tues., 4 p. m., 111 W. Pomona st., Germantown. Int. private.

RICHARDS.—Aug. 12, at Morton, Del. Co., Pa., IVA M. RICHARDS, wife of Frank W. Richards. Funeral and int. at Chittenango, N. Y., at convenience of family.

SEARING.—Aug. 10, at Lima, O., LEANDER SEARING, aged 70. Relatives and friends, Fernwood Lodge No. 543, F. and A. M.; University Chapter No. 256, R. A. M., Phila. Commandery No. 2, K. T., invited to Masonic services, Arlington Cem., Phila., Tues., 2 p. m.

SHEPHERD.—Aug. 11, JOHN, husband of Mary Shepherd (nee Drummond), aged 68. Relatives and friends, members of Norris Square M. E. Church, the Veteran Employes of the P. R. R. and Board of Directors of Mutual Benefit B. and L. Assn., invited to funeral services, Wed., 11 a. m., Norris Square M. E. Church, Mascher st. above Susquehanna ave. Int. private, Riverside Cem., Norristown, Pa. Auto funeral. Remains may be viewed at late residence, 2305 N. Hancock st., Tues., 8 to 9 p. m.

SIMPSON.—Aug. 11, JOHN, husband of Sarah A. Simpson (nee Tynan). Relatives and friends invited to services, Wed., 2 p. m., 1938 S. 18th st. Int. Fernwood Cem. Friends may call Tues. eve. Auto service.

SLEMONS.—Aug. 12, JAMES S. SLEMONS, 636 S. 48th st. Due notice given.

SPREMMEL.—Aug. 10, WALTER W., son of Frederick and late Mary Spremmel, aged 21. Relatives and friends invited to funeral services, Tues., 2 p. m., parents' residence, 2119 E. Tioga st. Int. Oakland Cem. Remains may be viewed Mon. eve.

STOVER.—Aug. 11, at Quakertown, Pa., AARON F. STOVER, husband of Elizabeth W. Stover (nee Hartman), aged 76 years. Relatives and friends invited to funeral services, 45 N. Hellertown ave., Quakertown, Wed., 2 p. m. Int. Union Cem., Quakertown.

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STRESSMAN.—Aug. 12, LOUISA D., wife of Gustave Stressman, aged 33. Relatives and friends, members of Ladies' Friendly Union, invited to services, Wed., 2 p. m., 1645 S. Taney st. Int. Glenwood Cem. Remains may be viewed Tues. eve.

SULLIVAN.—Aug. 11, ELIZABETH, widow of John Sullivan (nee Glessing). Relatives and friends invited to funeral services, Tues., 1 p. m., 416 W. Girard ave. Int. private, Greenmount Cem.

SWARTZ.—Aug. 11, RALPH J., son of Kathryn and late Henry P. Swartz, aged 41. Relatives and friends, also employes of Schaum, Uhlinger Textile Works, invited to funeral services, Wed., 2 p. m., 3013 N. 3d st. Remains may be viewed Tues., 7 to 9 p. m. Int. private, Greenwood (K. of P.) Cem. Auto funeral.

SWEENEY.—Aug. 12, ANDREW J., husband of Mary E. (nee Keleher). Relatives and friends, Elks Lodge, No. 2; L. O. O. M., No. 54; Grand Court of Foresters; A. O. H., No. 10, all other societies of which he was a member, invited to funeral, Thurs., 8:30 a. m., 858 N. 11th st. Solemn requiem mass Assumption Church 10 a. m. Int. Cathedral Cem.

TEWES.—Suddenly, Aug. 11, CHARLES HOWARD, son of William and late Louise Tewes, aged 23. Relatives and friends, employes Western Electric Co., invited to funeral services, Mon., 8 p. m., 1924 Marvine st. Int. Tues. morning, Baltimore Cem., Baltimore, Md. Baltimore papers copy.

TOWNSEND.—Aug. 9, MARTHA, widow of William Townsend (nee Linton), aged 72. Relatives and friends invited to funeral services, Mon., 3 p. m., residence of son-in-law, Frederick Hall, 3049 N. 10th st. Int. private, Northwood Cem.

TYNAN.—Aug. 12, EDWARD, husband of late Africk Tynan. Relatives and friends, Div. No. 25, A. O. H., invited to funeral, Thurs., 8:30 a. m., 418 N. 64th st. Solemn requiem mass Our Lady of Rosary Church 10 a. m. Int. St. Denis's Cem.

WALTON.—Aug. 12, suddenly, ANTHONY MAGG, son of late Morris and Mary C. Walton. Relatives and friends invited to funeral services, Wed., 2 p. m. sharp, 4817 Baltimore ave. Int. private. Auto service.

WHITE.—Aug. 11, LOUISA W., wife of Edmund C. White. Relatives and friends, also Clearfield Council, No. 146, D. of L., and Camp No. 108, P. O. of A., invited to funeral, Wed., 1:30 p. m., 435 W. Susquehanna ave. Services Episcopal Hospital Chapel, 2:30 p. m. Int. private.

WILSON.—Aug. 10, ELIZABETH, widow of Andrew J. Wilson, of Cedar lane, Highland Park, Delaware Co., formerly of 5637 Vine st., aged 68. Relatives and friends invited to funeral, Tues., 2 p. m., Oliver H. Bair Bldg., 1820 Chestnut st. Int. private.

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