

FIGHT ON TRUSTS COMES FOR J. V. THOMPSON

Consummation of Deal With Hill Interests of St. Paul Issue Involved

LAWYERS IN CONFERENCE

UNIONTOWN, Pa., Oct. 12.—A contest for the appointment of trustees in bankruptcy for Joseph V. Thompson occupied the entire day at a creditors' meeting yesterday before Judge G. Carroll, referee in bankruptcy. The meeting was adjourned and an effort to be made to reach an agreement.

'PAGING KING GEORGE'S MEN'

British and Canadian Governments Seek List of Subjects in Division No. 2

HARRISBURG, Oct. 12.—The British and Canadian Governments are trying to get a full and correct list of all British and Canadian subjects in Division No. 2 of the middle judicial district of Pennsylvania.

Two Women Fall Downstairs

Two women fell down the stairs and were seriously hurt last night at their homes in Philadelphia. Mrs. Mary Brann, seventy-nine years old, who lives at the southeast corner of Thirtieth and Moore streets, is in the Methodist Hospital with fractured ribs.

WHARTON ST. CHURCH TO HOLD 'DIAMOND JUBILEE'

Week's Observance Begins Tomorrow—Prominent Churchmen Coming

A week's celebration, beginning tomorrow, has been planned by the pastor and congregation of the Wharton Street Memorial Church, fifty-fourth and Catharine streets, in observance of the seventy-fifth anniversary of the organization.

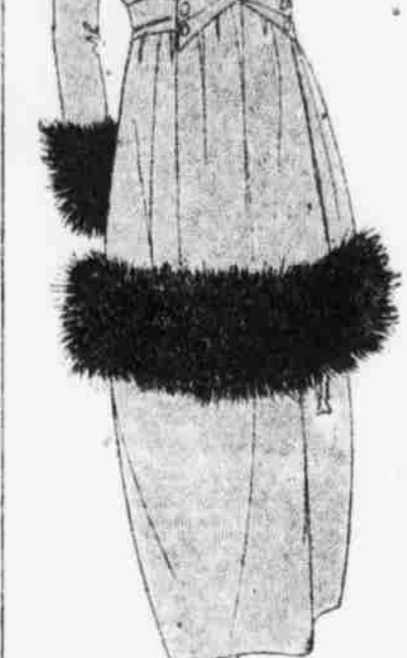
CITY'S MORTALITY

Death Rate Higher Than Last Week

Table showing mortality statistics for Philadelphia, including deaths by age group and cause of death.

IN THE MOMENT'S MODES

Coat Dress of Nut Broken Chiffon Velvet



Fox fur is again playing an important part in the sartorial scheme. The style creator's hand is lavish in its employment of this fur as a trimming for matinee frocks, afternoon tea costumes and dresses designed for semiformal occasions.

WHARTON ST. CHURCH TO DEDICATE CATHOLIC BOYS' HIGH SCHOOL

Impressive Services Will Mark Beginning of West Philadelphia Institution Tomorrow

Impressive ceremonies will mark the dedication tomorrow of the West Philadelphia Catholic High School for Boys at the northwest corner of Forty-ninth and Chestnut streets.

FIVE WORKMEN INJURED

Philadelphia Man's Back Broken and Four Others Hurt in Shipyard Accident

CHESTER, Pa., Oct. 12.—One man, a resident of Philadelphia, had his back broken, and four others were painfully injured at the Chester Shipyard Company when the truck in which they were riding was struck by a freight engine.

BOYS' BRIGADE CONVENTION

New Jersey Division Will Meet Today in Camden

BIG FARMERS' LOAN

High Prices Expected to Result in Large Buying of Bonds

By CHARLES R. BROWN

Two of the important developments of the week in Wall Street will bear a favorable interest. First, the obvious relaxation in the money market, which has permitted demand loans as low as 2 1/2 per cent.

GAINS IN PRICES

The price of corn is merely representative of all other main products. The price of wheat, for instance, is reported by the Government as \$2.06-10, an advance of 1/16-1/8 on October 1 last year.

EVERY ONE MUST HELP TO FINANCE THE WAR

School Lesson Points Out Need for Universal Action for Victory

The program of war lessons for the pupils of the Philadelphia public schools has been outlined. The war lessons are to be taught daily. On Monday next many of the interesting details of war financing will be explained.

SOURCES OF LATE LIQUIDATION

As to the sources of the liquidation that has been responsible for the steady downward movement in stock exchange quotations, they are so general as to hamper a specific explanation.

MILK PRICE INQUIRY STARTS

LANCASTER, Pa., Oct. 12.—An inquiry into milk prices will be started this afternoon in the Chamber of Commerce rooms, Lancaster, Pa.

Fair Grape Crop in This State

HARRISBURG, Oct. 12.—The grape crop in this State will have a fairly good yield in spite of the lateness of the crop and the weather conditions.

STEEL TRADE WAITS ON FIXING OF PRICES

Domestic Consumers Will Keep Out of Market Until Government Makes Announcement

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—With the exception of indications of Government activities in buying for its own purposes, the steel market shows no chance for the fixing of prices for all products by the War Industries Board.

A factor which is causing that attitude by the users is the question of deliveries. None of the steel makers is willing to make definite contracts, so far as shipments are largely concerned.

PROVISIONS

The market was quiet but firm. Quotations were steady. The market was quiet but firm. Quotations were steady.

POULTRY

The market was quiet, with slight advance in prices. The market was quiet, with slight advance in prices.

FRESH FRUITS

Peaches and pears were quiet and steady. Other fruits generally were steady. Peaches and pears were quiet and steady.

VEGETABLES

The general market ruled firm and quiet. The general market ruled firm and quiet.

LIVE STOCK QUOTATIONS

CHICAGO, Oct. 12.—HOGS—Receipts, 5000 head. Live stock quotations. CHICAGO, Oct. 12.—HOGS—Receipts, 5000 head.

BAR SILVER

United States Treasury Statement

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—The statement of the receipts and disbursements of the United States Treasury shows:

PHILADELPHIA MARKETS

GRAIN AND FLOUR

WHEAT—Receipts, 20,775 bushels. The market was quiet but firm. WHEAT—Receipts, 20,775 bushels.

DAIRY PRODUCTS

CONDENSED MILK—Receipts, 120,426 bushels. The market was quiet but firm. CONDENSED MILK—Receipts, 120,426 bushels.

REFINED SUGARS

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NEW YORK BANK STATEMENT

Big Increase in Average and Actual Loans—Surplus Larger

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—The New York bank statement this week shows a big increase in average and actual loans and gain in surplus in both cases.

DIVIDENDS DECLARED

Ohio Fuel Oil Company, a dividend of 50 cents a share, payable October 25 to holders of record October 20.

SELLING OF CORN WEAKENS MARKET

Trade of Moderate Volume and Sentiment Mixed—Oats Dull and Featureless

CHICAGO, Oct. 12.—Corn started lower on selling by Wm. & Lehigh, and Jackson Brothers. Trade in moderate volume and sentiment mixed.

COTTON CONSUMPTION LESS

Comparison With Last Year's Figures Shows Slight Decline in Southern States

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—The Census Bureau report issued today shows cotton consumption in the Southern States during the year ending September 30, 1917, compared with 1916, of which 299,440 bales were consumed in cotton-growing States in 1916, and 290,800 in 1917.

DEATHS

ANDERSON—Mr. J. L. suddenly, MARY, wife of Andrew Anderson and daughter of late General and Mrs. William Anderson, died at 8:30 a. m. Monday, Oct. 12, 1917.

BARRETT—Mr. J. H. suddenly, MARY, wife of James Barrett and daughter of late General and Mrs. William Barrett, died at 8:30 a. m. Monday, Oct. 12, 1917.

BRITTON—Mr. J. H. suddenly, MARGARET, wife of William Britton and daughter of late General and Mrs. William Britton, died at 8:30 a. m. Monday, Oct. 12, 1917.

COONEY—Mr. J. H. suddenly, MARY, wife of Joseph Cooney and daughter of late General and Mrs. William Cooney, died at 8:30 a. m. Monday, Oct. 12, 1917.

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'PRIDE, VAIN-GLORY, AND HYPOCRISY'

GERMANY AND ALL THAT GERMANY STANDS FOR MUST BE BEATEN.

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