## **ID FOR SOLDIERS** IS URGED BY BOK

ells of Sammee's Gift of a Quarter Toward Y. M. C. A. Fund

### ESCRIBES GREAT WORK

HARRISBURG, Nov. 13.
The spirit of the great drive for the Y. M.
A. war fund of Pennsylvania was summed
last night at the opening of the local
impaign when Edward Bok, State chairoampaign when Edward up the first quarter of a dollar contributed toward Philadel-phia's share,

"This came from a soldier boy at Camp leade," said Mr. Bok, who was the prin-ipal speaker before the 600 business men the women who will conduct the campaign tere. "Listen. Here is what he wrote:

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I hear you are to be the main guy of the campaign back home. We boys don't want to pass the buck when it comes to giving the kale. Some of us can't do much. I've got a mother and three kid slaters back in Philly. I live in Kensington. I guess you don't know where that is. I wanted to do something. I send \$29 a, month back home and haven't many ways of saving, so I cut out the smokes. The included is what I saved.

I hear you did not have much time for the F. M. C. A. before the war. I didn't give a darm either then. But I do now. You rich guys talk this Y. M. A. but we live it. Soak your rich friends hard. Don't use my name. I'm too young to set my name in the papers. But some day I won't be, for when, I get over there and go over the top. I'm going to plug a German or two.

This letter is typical of the feeling of the soldier boys," said Mr. Bok. "The T. M. C. A. is the connecting link between him and home, It is his home, his club, his recreation place, his library, his reading room, his writing room."

Mr. Bok said that the other day he desired to learn the feeling of the men to-ward the Y. M. C. A., and remarked to a private. What is this joint here?" pointing to the hut.

"That sin't no hallelujah joint, that ain't," replied. "Come on, fellows, we'd show m through." Then the soldlers took him into the buildings he had been instrumental placing in the camp.

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The speaker traced the work of the Y. M. C. A. from the time the green selected man leaves his home until he gets within forty yards of the German lines; denied the charge that the secretaries, some of whom have given their lives for the work and many of whom have been injured, were slackers, and made an earnest plea that the local aim to raise \$52.00 for the Y. M. C. A. and the Y. W. C. A. work he raised to a minimum of \$75,000.

READING, Pa., Nov. 13.—At the opening of the Young Men's Christian Association war fund campaign here it was announced that \$52,000 more than the \$45,000 stipulated by Edward Bok, of Philadelphia, last week to cover his gft of \$5000 had been raised. Mr. Bok's only condition was that the \$45,000 would have to be raised by the opening of the campaign. The \$90,000 total probably will be oversub-scribed as the country districts have already pledged themselves to exceed their share \$22,000. Many cornorations have reported \$22,000. Many cornerations have reported gifts in four figurest

### WIDOW OF PIONEER IS DEAD

#### Five Sons and Two Daughters Mourn Late Atlantic City Resident

ATLANTIC CITY, Nov. 13.—Five sons, ree of whom are prosperous hotelmen, and to daughters survive Mrs. Christine Mydaughers survive Mrs. Christine Myers, widow of George Myers, a pioneer resident of the resort, who died last right at
her home in Chelsea. She came to Atlantic
City in 1876 when the now famous city of
pleasure still was in the village class. Wise
investment in real estate, which doubled
and irrebled in value, gave the family its
starty.

The sons of the deceased are Charles Myers. Jowner of the Hotel Breakers: Daniel
W. and Jacob Myers, part owners of the
Hotel Chelsea; George and Fred Myers,
The daughters of Mrs. Anne Mueller, of
Meriden. Conn. and Mrs. J. B. Thompson,
wife of City Commissioner Thompson, president of the Hotel Chelsea Company.

### MANY BALK AT JURY DUTY

#### Nine Fail to Answer Rollcall-All Are in Military Service

WOODBURY, N. J., Nov. 13.—At the opening of court yesterday Judge Carrow found a long list of jurors who asked to be excused. He said he believed it might be a hardship to many to serve in these busy times, but it might also hold up the workings of the court. The next term will workings of the court. The next term will be in May, and without jurors some cases might have to go over to then. Six, mostly farmers, were allowed to go, but must be in readiness for a summons at any time. At roll-call there were nine absentees, but it was found that all were in war serv-

The court started without a county clerk. Clerk Lafferty's time expired yesterday, and because the board of canvassers for the recent election did not meet until noon. Oliver J. West, the new official, could not be sworn in until this afternoon. The court asked if there were any objections to his appointing a temporary clerk, and hearing none appointed former Clerk Lafferty.

### PET DOGS' FOOD HIGHER

#### Hotels Get 50 Cents for Shinbone and 75 for Chopped Beef

NEW YORK. Nov 13.—Pet dogs will suffer at several hotels where the price of dog food has been raised to equal that charged for guests.
Stiln bones will now cost fifty cents each

# and chopped meat has advanced from twenty cents a pound to seventy-five cents.

Plunges Down Shaft to Death SHAMOKIN, Pa., Nov. 13.—Failing 159 set down the Philadelphia and Reading oal and Iron Company Bear Valley shaft, tanley Robel, eighteen years old, a driver oy, was killed. He and some men were sing hoisted to the top of the mine when a lost his foothold and plunged downward.



### 92-YEAR-OLD HELPER OF SOLDIERS

Mrs. Mary M. Dunwoody, of Llanerch, Delaware County, weighted by almost a century of years, has pledged herself to work one hour each week for the benefit of soldiers. She has registered through Mrs. Henry V. Gummere in the enrollment organized by the Pennsylvania Committee of Public Safety and is probably the oldest woman in the United States so enlisted.



## Court Sanctions

Taxes, City Treasurer and Register of Wills.

CITY TREASURER REGISTER OF WILLS

Police of various districts were ordered Twenty-fifth and Twenty-seventh Ward Director Wilson has ordered this in co-

## GET NEW SIGNAL CORPS RANK

pliance with a request from the Varetrolled Board of Registration Co

#### Eight Philadelphians Among Those Receiving Commissions

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Nov. 13.-Eight reserve corps at Camp Warden McLean, as

are those receiving commissions are those receiving commissions:

First lieutenants—George A. Huriburt.
St. Ellmo, Tenn.; Gabriel R. J. Duval.
Winston-Salem, N. C.; Edward F. G.
Roberts, Anniston, Ala.; James W. Riser.
Birmingham, Ala.; Themas Donaidson,
Raleigh, N. C.; Matt M. Bries, Wilkinsburg,
Pa.; Henry Louis Rogers, Memphis, Tenn.;
Frank H. Blythe, Philadelphia; Henry T.
Rose, Brunswick, Ga.; Arthur H. Gabel,
Lancaster, Pa.; Jefferson E. Brown, Atlanta; Robert O. Robinson, Pittsburgh,
Second lieutenants—Andrew P. Monroe,
Philadelphia; Roscoe J. Spence, Atlanta;

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Held Up on White Horse Pike BARRINGTON. N. J., Nov. 12—John Sutton, of West High street, Haddon Heights, was held up by two negro high-waymen, knocked partly unconscious and robbed of his watch and \$10 while walking along the White Horse pike here with his wife on their way home. Mrs. Sutton was not attacked, and after the escape of the assailants she helped her husband home.

## NEW DATA AGAINST MINOTTO

Search for Fraud Indications Now Point to Accused Count Being an Austrian

CHICAGO, Nov. 13 + New evidence is to be introduced by Inspector #1 H. Faul, of the local branch of the Immigration Bureau who has been conducting the hearing in the case of Count James Minstin, charged with 5 profferman activities. The investigation will be reopened next Thursday

According to Mr. Paul, evidence vidlected by Lieutenant Communder Spencer Eddy, of the New York Naval Intelligence Bureau and expert on the Tentance size system, will be introduced. Vederal authorities also are said to be investigating a report that Minotto is an Austrian subject. He says he is an Italian.

### Professors Named for State Survey

HARRISBURG, Nov. 13.—Dr Frederick Elicenfeld, University of Pennsylvania, and Prof. Roswell H. Jehnson, University of have been named as member of the State Topographical and Geologica

### Incendiarism Costs Barn

POTTSTOWN, Pa., Nov. 12 - What Is be-itived to have been an incendicty fire destroyed the barn of Michael Takaco, 12 South Coventry, Chester County, yesterday causing a loss of \$3000, The season's crops, several hundred chickens and one helfer were burned. Three horses and nine cows were saved,

Hidlay Appointed Columbia Sheriff HARRISBURG, New 12 Governor Brumbaugh's office has appointed J. W. Hidday as sheriff of Columbia County. He fills a vacancy caused by death and was elected sheriff last week. Mr. Hidlay was the nominee of all parties except the Social-jat.



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JACOB REED'S SONS

## IN ELECTION AT NEWARK

STEP IN NEW YORK Menace of Enemy Activities Rouses Authorities to Take

NEW YORK, Nov. 13. New York authorities today took drastic steps to check the enemy alien menace which is admittedly alarming, especially

Drastic Action

**ALIENS MUST WATCH** 

along the water fronts. The bomb squad was trebled and the bu-reau of combustibles is co-operating by exercising more care in issuing permits to

move and handle explosives. The checking of a list of 25,900 German applicants to enter the barred zones also was begun today. It is believed that at least 6000 of these have committed perjury and, if so, they will be arrested and interned. Investigation also shows that 600 Aus trians are employed as captains on lighters operating around New York. Some of these are known to have been active in water-front labor troubles of recent date

### MEDALS AWARDED BY CITY FOR FRANKLIN INSTITUTE

and also are under Federal investigation.

Five Are Given to Various Persons as Rewards for Mechanical Ingenuity

A device which enables millers to make a A device which enables lilliers to make a good grade of flour at comparatively small cost and which is known as the Midget Marvel flour mill, won an award of a John Scott Legacy Medal and Fremium for Alfred Rishworth Tattersall, of London, England. The award, which was announced to-day, was made by the city of Philadelphia on recommendation of the Franklin Insti-

Schoop, of Zurich, Switzerland, for the Schoop metal spraying process, to Thomas A McCall, of South Akron, O. for the de-velopment of the Hooven automatic type-

writer and to John M. Pillings, of Hamilton, O., for improvements in the typewriter. The Franklin Institute awarded the Edward Long-treth Medal of Merit to the Hooven, Owens, Rentschier Company of Hamilton, O., for the development of ingenious methods used in the neutroparts. ous methods used in the manufacture of the typewriter mentioned.

## LOYALTY ISSUE RAISED

Socialist Candidate Promises Peace, Public Ownership and Eatables at Cost

NEWARK, N. J. Nov. 13 - Benedict Prieth, under indictment for treasonable utterances in his newspaper, is one of the andidates in today's election to name five City Commissioners here. His opponents declare he has raised the loyalty issue. They demand his defeat as a pro-German.
Seventy-nine scandidates are out for the five combinsionerships. In the field are forty-five Republicans, twenty-five Demo-

crats, five Socialists and four Independents. Mayor Raymond, failing to get the Reublican indorsement, is running as an independent. He charges the Republicans and Democrats will deliver the city govern-ment to the corporations. Socialist candidates promise peace, public ownership and

Wild Turkey Hunt to Open Thursday HARRISBURG. Nov. 13.—The wild turkey season will open Thursday and run until the last day of the month. The law allows one turkey in the season and the State Game Commission has been informed there are many of the birds in the State, especially in vicinity of game preserves. Success is reported to have attended the propagation of the turkeys.



CONGRESSMEN FACE SHELLS

plosives Near Vimy Ridge

PARIS, Nov. 13.—After visiting the various fronts American Congressmen have re-





plays at the Academy of Music November 16,17



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