

JOB T. PUGH, AGED 55, MANUFACTURER, DIES

Head of Auger-Making Firm Founded in 1774 by Great-Grandfather



JOB T. PUGH Head of one of the oldest tool-making establishments of the world, died today at his home in Swarthmore.

Job T. Pugh, head of the oldest manufacturing firm of Job T. Pugh, 41st Ludlow street, died last night at his home in Swarthmore, of a complication of diseases. Mr. Pugh had been ill for several months and had been confined to his home since September 10. He was 55 years old.

NO HIGHER PAY NOW FOR \$1800 CITY EMPLOYEES

Finance Committee to Restrict Boosts to Those Receiving Smaller Salaries

There will be no salary increases at present for employees of the city, according to a report from the Finance Committee. The committee has decided that no salary increases will be granted until the city's financial condition is improved.

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PIGS ROASTED, BUT NEDIBLE

Boys Set Fire to Sties and Animals Are Burned to Death

Four perfectly good pigs owned by Fred Helmann, of 2425 East Pennsylvania street, were roasted to death today and virtually spoiled for eating purposes.

MEANS ON TRIAL FOR DEATH OF MRS. KING

Defense Depends on Local Prejudice to Combat New York Evidence

CONCORD, N. C., Nov. 26.—New York's great crime-detecting machine is under test here today. Gaston B. Means, a bit worn and haggard from three months in jail, went to trial on a charge of the murder of Mrs. Maud A. King at lonely Blacksville on the night of August 11.

When Judge Gilie opened the special term of court today the big task was the selection of a jury. The regular court of Gaston County had been called to a special panel of 150 more men to be called. It is believed that it will take at least three days to select a jury.

SCHOOL BAY FOR RED CROSS

Teachers and Pupils Will Open Entertainment Tonight in Scottish Rite Hall

The Philadelphia School Board, in the interest of the American Red Cross, will open the school bay for the Red Cross at the Scottish Rite Hall, 15th and Chestnut streets, tonight.

NAMED TO BLOCKY CIRCULAR

Director Kruger, of the Department of Health and Charities, today appointed Howard B. Stinson, 2927 Baltimore avenue, to a \$1400 place on the clerical force at Blokey's.

'ORGANIZE AND WIN,' SUFFRAGISTS URGED

Mrs. George A. Piersol Addresses Pennsylvania Branch Members, Condemns Pickets

"Organize—and then organize," was the message earnestly impressed by Mrs. George A. Piersol, congressional chairman, on the thirty members of the day after tomorrow in the Woman Suffrage Association at the "Long Take Luncheon" at the Philadelphia County headquarters of the association, 1724 Chestnut street, this afternoon.

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40TH STREET STATION TO CLOSE JANUARY 15

Pennsylvania Railroad Notifies Public Service Commission of Intention to Discontinue

The 40th Street station of the Pennsylvania Railroad will be closed January 15, according to a notice served on the Public Service Commission by the railroad company. The company has long intended to close down the station, although the Public Service Commission has not yet decided on the matter.

51000 TRUCK AND OTHER AUTOS TAKEN BY THIEVES

Big Machine Recovered Later—Two Youthful Neighbors Arrested for Stealing a Car

Some 51,000 automobiles, trucks and other motor vehicles were taken by thieves in the United States last year, according to a report from the National Bureau of Investigation.

MORE SOLDIERS DEAD

WASHINGTON, Nov. 26.—Deaths of three American soldiers in France from influenza were announced today by the War Department.

U. S. OFFICERS RETURN HOME ON FRENCH LINER

Declare Bad Weather Demands Plenty of Warm Wearing Apparel for Men Abroad

AN ATLANTIC PORT, Nov. 26.—Admiral Fletcher and his staff, aboard the liner "Albatross," returned to the United States today aboard a French liner. Major General Charles Treat, commander of the Ohio troops, was in the party.

HEART-TO-HEART TALK HAD WITH CONTRACTORS

Datesman Urges Bidders to Be Satisfied With Less Profits in War Year

Director Datesman, of the Department of Public Works, today called into conference the various contractors who are bidding on the street cleaning and ash collection work for the city.

SNIPER'S BULLET GRAZES CONGRESSMAN'S SLEEVE

Dill, of Washington, Tells of Experience When He and Colleagues Return From Front

AN ATLANTIC PORT, Nov. 26.—A bullet from a German sniper's rifle grazed the sleeve of Congressman C. Dill, of Washington, while he and nine associates were in a "flaming trench" recently. Dill told about it on his arrival here today with seven of the party of ten Congressmen who visited the west front.

FIVE FAMOUS HORSES ARE BURNED TO DEATH

Century-Old Stable on Clothier Estate at Radnor is Destroyed. Loss About \$50,000

Five famous horses, show winners of the nation and prize winners, were burned to death in a fire which destroyed the century-old stable on the estate of Isaac H. Clothier, Jr., at Radnor, Pa., today.

ARRESTS FATHER AND SON AS COPPER WIRE THIEVES

Leopold and William, of the Twenty-third street and Franklin Park avenue station, today arrested a son and his twenty-year-old son, and at the same time, the police arrested a father and son as copper wire thieves.

3 YEARS FOR MULHALL, MAYOR'S HEARING WITNESS

Man Who Testified of Fifth Ward Officer Sentenced for Assault and Robbery

Joseph Mulhall, who testified at the hearing of Mayor Smith and his co-defendants before Judge Rogers today, was sentenced to three years in the Eastern Penitentiary for assault and robbery.

OPPOSE INSURANCE RATE INCREASE

Business Men Protest to State Commissioner Against 10 Per Cent Boost

The increase of 10 per cent in insurance rates recently announced by the Philadelphia Fire Underwriters Association, adding \$600,000 to the \$6,000,000 burden already borne by citizens of Philadelphia for fire protection, will not go into effect without a struggle.

JOSEPH M'NICHOIL, III., SON OF LATE SENATOR, ON FURLOUGH FROM CAMP MEADE, HAS SCARLET FEVER

Joseph M'Nichol, son of the late Senator James P. M'Nichol, who, with two other brothers, was on furlough from Camp Meade, has scarlet fever, according to the Municipal Hospital for Contagious Diseases, at Second and Luzerne streets.

FUNERAL OF EX-MAYOR SMITH

The funeral of former Mayor William B. Smith, who died at his home in Laura Springs, N. J., last Friday, will be held at 1 o'clock tomorrow afternoon from the undertaking establishment of Oliver H. Bair, 1829 Chestnut street. The body will be interred in Mt. Moriah Cemetery.

AGILE THIEVES BLOW SAFE AND GET \$500

George B. Evans' Store on Market Street West of Tenth Robbed

Agile thieves, with a plentiful supply of nerve, gained entrance to the store of George B. Evans, 1912 Market street, early today, took from the safe, some \$500 in cash and three jewelry boxes without dropping any clues to their identity.

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TWO WOMEN ACCUSE ALLEGED ARMY FAKER

Councilman Hetzell's Daughter a Witness Against Soldier Charged With False Impersonation

Clément H. Lamar, alias Leaky, who was arrested by Secret Service Agents McTamney and King at the Hotel Powerton last Friday, charged with impersonating a lieutenant in the United States Army for the purpose of collecting presents and the tobacco fund, had a further hearing before Judge Meade today in the Federal Building.

DIVORCES GRANTED

The following were granted final decrees in divorce by Court of Common Pleas No. 1:

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CHARGES THAT SALOONS VIOLATE COAL LAWS

Fuel Administrator Will Move Against Near-Ferry Resorts for Ignoring Light Edict

Francis A. Lewis, city fuel administrator, is preparing a drive against saloon-keepers and proprietors of pool rooms on East Market street near the ferries, who, he says, have brazenly ignored the regulation that no electric lights are to be used for display purposes until thirty minutes after sundown.

CHILDREN DIE BY GAS

Catherine and Paul Whitehead, twelve and four years old, of Had-donfield, N. J., who were found dead in their home. Their mother, who also inhaled the deadly fumes, is at the point of death in Cooper Hospital, Camden.

ACCUSED COP'S RECORD UNDER DETECTIVE PROBE

Anonymous Letter Writer Says John J. Rooney Is James Rooney, an Ex-Cop

Detective Captain Tate announced today that an investigation is being made to ascertain whether John J. Rooney, a reserve policeman, who was arrested on a charge of robbery last Saturday, and James Rooney, who was sentenced several years ago from Mead to serve twenty-five years in the Eastern Penitentiary, was the same person.

ARCHAEOLOGIST STARTS ON ORIENT

Langdon Warner, the archaeologist, who was recently appointed director of the Pennsylvania Museum, left today for Vancouver, B. C., on the first leg of his journey.

LEWIS TO OPEN SCHOOL FOR MARINE ENGINEERS

Head of Local Recruiting Service Will Explain Purposes of New Institution

SOME LANCASTER CATTLE BEING FED ON WHEAT

With Corn at \$2.25 a Bushel, Farmers Use Lower-Priced Grain for Feed

HUNCHBACK COMMITS SUICIDE

Depressed by constant illness, John Blake, a sixty-five-year-old hunchback, committed suicide by hanging himself from a tree in the yard of his home at 13 and Star streets, last night.

2 CHILDREN DIE, MOTHER IS PROSTRATED BY GAS

Deserted Wife, Lacking Funds and Food, Attempts Death of Entire Household



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