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PICTURES AND SCRAPPLE

MR. WIGGINS IS REFUSED AD MITTANCE TO THE SWELL MYRTLE APARTMENTS

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AT THE THEATRE

When the leading man comes on, and—

When the soubrette appears.

—The Tatler.

A Changed Tune

She smoked just one.
No more, you bet.
She calls it now
A sickerette.

THE CHEERFUL CHERUB

I have so many troubles now
My life is void of joys.
If I can work my way through this
I'll gain a lot of poise.

Yes, Who?

Recruiting Officer—Who do you think is running this draft, anyway?

Conscientious Objector—I'll bite, who is?—Harvard Lampoon.

Somewhat Smaller

Lawyer—How large were the hoofs? Were they as large as my feet or my hands?

Darkey—No, sah, they was jus' ordinary-sized hoofs, sah.—Widow.

His First Engagement

—Michigan Gargoyle.

SHELLING THE PEAS

A NATURAL QUERY

—London Opinion.

Tommy (with thermometer)—What's this got to do wiv it, nurse? I'm wounded in the leg.

Not What He Meant

Prof. (after explaining a very intricate theory of psychology)—Jones, when are you going to see it?

Stude (up from his reverie about her)—Next week-end, I think.—Lehigh Burr.

Not His Duty

Manager—Hey there! Run up that curtain, will you?

Stage Hand—Say! I'm hired as a stage hand, not a squirrel.—The Purple Cow.

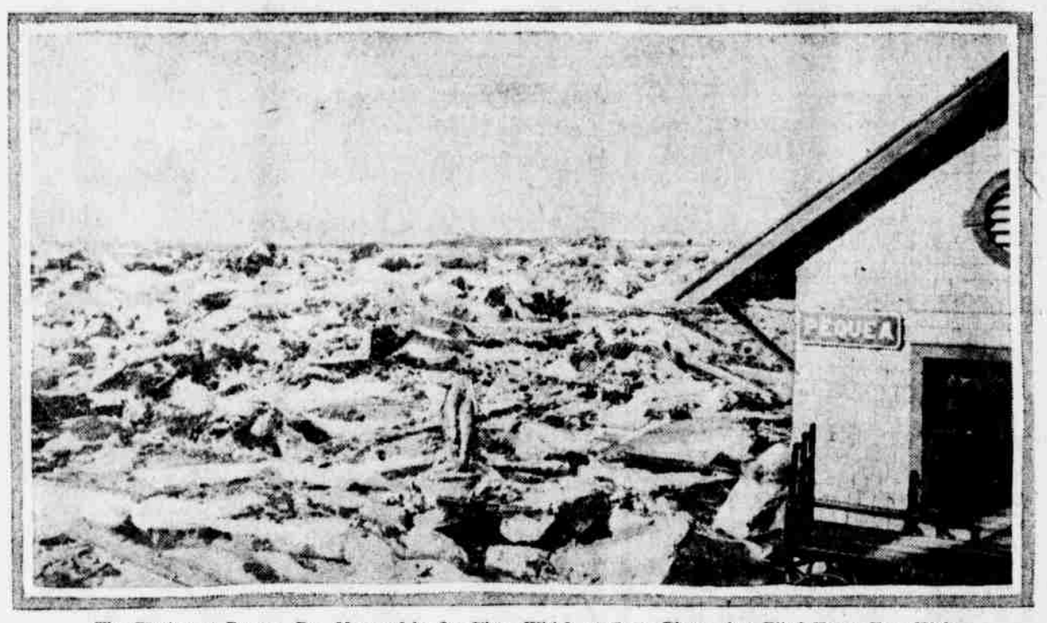
SCHOOL DAYS

The Young Lady Across the Way

The young lady across the way says there is so much danger of floods every spring that after the war is over we shall have to take up the problem of draining our great rivers.

UPSTATE TOWNS SWEPT BY ICE FLOES ON SUSQUEHANNA FLOOD

The Scene of Destruction at Pequea, Pa., Where Many Houses Have Been Wrecked by the Pounding of the Ice and the County Bridge Torn From Its Foundations. Despite the Thaw of the Last Few Days the River Towns of Pequea and Safe Harbor Are Still Held Securely by the Ice.

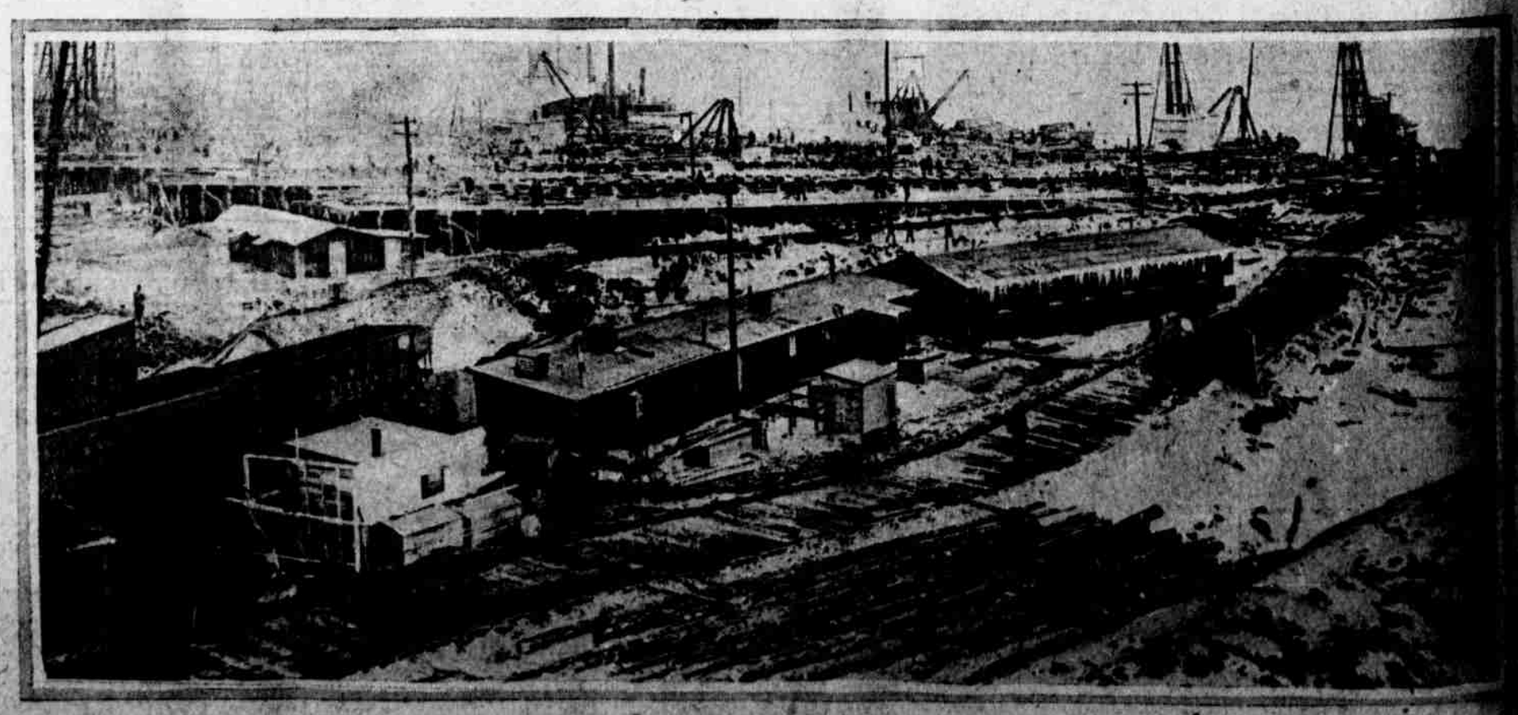


The Station at Pequea, Pa., Menaced by Ice Floes Which at Some Places Are Piled Forty Feet High on the Tracks of the Pennsylvania Railroad. The Crest of the Flood Rose to Thirty-five Feet Above Low-Water Mark.

One of the Spots Near the Town of Safe Harbor, Where the Ice Has the Right of Way Along the Pennsylvania Railroad.

The Railroad Tracks in Front of the Riverview Hotel at Pequea Are Covered With Six Feet of Water.

The Freight Car in the Photograph Was Standing on a Siding Thirty Feet Above the Normal Water Line, Yet It Was Torn From the Tracks by the Ice.



The Present Outlook Across the Hog Island Shipyard as It Appeared to the Committee of United States Senators Who Made a Flying Trip of Inspection From Washington.