France and another boy serving in

the navy, Mrs. Elizabeth Cornley,

726 South Twentieth street, strug-

gles on at her tasks and gives fully half her small wages to provide

comfort for other boys in the

service

Compel Motorman to Take

Them Aboard

Riders in West Philadelphia today sur

It first started at Fifty-eighth street

and Elmwood avenue. Nearly a hun-

dred persons mobilized at that point

shortly after 7 o'clock this morning were amazed to see the motorman dash

by without giving them the slightest

To remind the motormen that they

several of the prospective passengers rolled rocks on the track and the next

car which happened along paused. When it stopped nearly a hundred persons crowded inside. The rocks were re-

About the same time a block occurred

on the Woodland avenue line. A motor on a car bound for Darby dropped and wedged between the car and track.

While it was being removed a string of cars stretching from Sixty-fifth to Fifty-fifth street arrived. Many were filled with passengers boundf or muni-

tion plants at Chester and other places. Meanwhile there were no cars out of

Darby and for nearly an hour Darby was marooned. When the trouble was straightened out, inbound cars were jamined for several hours.

25 STUDENTS SHAKEN UP

Chauffeur Held After Collision

on Old York Road

Eugene Alexander, chauffeur employed at the Ogontz School, Rydal, was held under \$500 bail for a further hearing Monday, by Magistrate Williams, at the Abington Station, last night.

Alexander's car going south on Old York road, containing two students and William Furbey Brown, husband of Abby A. Sutherland-Broun, in charge of the Ogontz School, according to the police collided with an automobile bus.

ponce coined with an automobile bus, driven by Frank Brown, going west on Susquehanna avenue, in which were twenty-five students from Abington High School. One student was cut about the head. Both cars were damaged.

ved and the car proceeded.

supposed to stop at that point

ered from trolley trouble.

TO MAKE CAR STOP

PILE ROCKS IN PATH

NEW GOLD STAR IN FAMILY FLAG

Death Tidings, Instead of Christmas Label, Reach Cornley Household

SECOND LOSS IN WAR

Confidently, if somewhat impatiently five-year-old Ned was waiting the big nackage from Germany containing the Kaiser his big brother soldier had romised to send him for Christmas Sweet-faced "Mother" Cornley, with the rest of the family, just as impatiently waited the coming of the label from Private William M. Cornley so they could send him his Christmas packet. They wondered at the unusual delay in hearing from the lad. But as they waited they packed and repacked that Red Cross Christmas packet a dozen

limes in their minds, Instead of the much-coveted label there came a telegram from the War Department announcing the death of Private William Cornley, of Company M, 110th Infantry, on October 8. It is the second announcement of death the

Sovernment has sent this home. In a simple black cotton gown, Mrs. Elizabeth Cornley, of 728 South Twenfieth street, stood in her little living room today before the three pictures, similarly framed, of her boys in service. Over the likeness of the most youthful looking boy in khaki there was already a gold star and the words: "Died in

Tore up Release Papers "Francis was only sixteen when he enlisted." the mother almost whispered as she gazed through gathering tears at the clean, happy looking face of her youngest. "He was such a good boy. and he had never spent a night away from home. Twice we obtained a re-lease from the army for him because it Each time he tore up the release slip and said he would be ashamed to give

As she talked, the mother fingered a

Only One Blue Star Left "Joseph is the only one who can keep his blue star," she continued. "He, too, enlisted soon after America entered the with the landing party." enlisted soon after America entered the war, and has been a salior on transports carrying the soldiers across. He is in New York now and may go overseas soon. He is only twenty. He was married, a few months ago."

In addition to the three boys who enlisted, Mr. and Mrs. Cornley have three children at home. Miss Gertrude Cornley has helped her mother to knit sacks and sweaters not only for their

socks and sweaters not only for their own boys but for other service men in France who were not so fortunate as to have relatives. Money, letters and dainty boxes of homemade cakes and goodles from the Cornley home have cheered many soldiers overseas.

William Cornley, father of the family.

William Cornley, father of the family. a night watchman at the Bellevue Court Building and Mrs. Cornley has also worked to bring greater comforts to her home folk and to the boys overseas who used to help the family coffer with their

"They were good boys," she said simply and proudly. "I am glad they could serve. It is hard, but God bless ould serve. They done their part."

TELLS OF IRON DIVISION FIGHTS

Sergeant F. Bowers Says Pennsylvanians Are Best Soldiers A letter from Sergeant F. Bowers, Headquarters Company, 109th Infantry, to a friend here, tells of some of the fierce battles in which the Iron Division

Take it from the tron Division is the control of th

"Sergeant Barrett, Licutenant Milden-herg and Captain Cousart are now prisoners of war in Germany. Lieu-tenant G. H. West is sick in Base Hos-pital No. 25. He was very badly gassed. "We are very hard hit, but we hit the Hun a sight harder than he hit us."

ELEVEN ROUTED BY FIRE

Flames Originate in Rubbish Pile Near North 51st Street Store

Near North 51st Street Store
Eleven persons were driven into the
street at 3 o'clock this morning by a
slight fire in the cellar of a store at 601
North Fifty-fifth street.

Gustav A. Leubert, who has a drug
store across the street, saw smoke pouring from the building. He turned in an
alarm and then roused Joseph Corkery,
his wife and three grown children, who
live in the dwelling over the store. They
found refuge with neighbors.

Leubert then roused Howard Elton,
his wife, daughter and three grandohildren, at 603 North Fifty-fifth street,
The amoke was reaching into their
dwelling through the party wail, and the
Eliton family also were forced to leave.
A bucket of hot pitch ignited material in Bachman Brothers' celluloid
manufacturing plant, 607-09 Commerce
street, today. The blaze was slight.

HELD AFTER FATAL DUEL

Police Hold Man Following Fight Over Money

allowing a revolver duel between Ol-ressel and Osman Rusht at the lat-home, 319 Wilder street, today, at died at the Roosevelt Hospital ounds said to have been inflicted by

sel.

essel was arrested at Ninecenth and
owhill streets by District Detectives
s and Heyne and held without ball
Magistrate Mecleary to await the
on of the Coroner.

The two men were employed at the
dwin plant and Rusht is said to have
ed \$1500. Vessel, according to the
oe, entered Rusht's home and dended the money. A fight followed, in
ch both men drew revolvers, the posay. Rusht was shot in the stomach.

SPROUL "HIDES" FOR REST

ernor-Elect Seeks Brief Vacation, but Doesn't Tell Where relect William C. Sprou lay on a brief vacation, the s of which has not been It is said that he may go it gs. Va., or to Pike County. Pa remain there the rest of the

TWO SONS KILLED AND BOY IN NAVY



AMERICAN SOLDIERS WAR'S REAL HEROES

Pennsylvanians Especially Win Praise of Allied Mates, Writes Corporal Lee

"British and French soldiers return ing from the front-line trenches tell me that the American soldier is unques



greatest fighter.' This is an ex-tract from a letter written by Corporal James J. Lee, who James J. Lee, who is a member of Battery B. 312th Field Artillery, to his sister, Mrs. Mae Lee Devlin, 1703 Porter street. "E v erywhere," continued Cornors. continued Corpora

JAMES J. LEE Lee, "the American ist broke my heart to have him go. the world war. The pollus and the Brit Each time he tore up the release slip ish 'Tommies are loud in their praise and said he would be ashamed to give of the doughboys, especially those from up his uniform till Germany was beaten. Pennsylvania. You'd think, under the He was in Company K of the 199th circumstances, that the boys of the Infantry, and went overseas early. His other Allied armies would be just a frequent and cheery letters kept us believing he would come back safe. ity. And they may be, at that. But Then he was killed in service last July. they're sure strong for the Yankee i'William was wounded just a few fighter. And you can tell the folks days later and was in the base hospital down in the Girard Estate that the boys for three months. The last letter I from downtown are sure doing their had from him told of his release from bit to :-.. Philadelphia on the interthe hospital and return to the fighting line." We did some tough fighting up in

the front lines. But we're back now for of the blue star over William's picture.

Only One Blue Star Left

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mensely, but Philadelphia sure looks

SCHWAB'S RESIGNATION IN

He Will Ouit Emergency Fleet Corporation When Accepted Charles M. Schwab's resignation a

Charles M. Schwad's resignation as director general of the Emergency Fleet Corporation is in the hands of President Wilson. to be effective whenever the President sees fit to accept it. It was given the President two weeks ago.

This became known upon the return of Mr. Schwab to his office after an absence of several weeks.

Director General Schwab, as one of the largest private employers of labor the largest private employers of labo in the country, is anxious to leave hi in the country, is anxious to leave his Government task and return to his private interests. He has appealed to the President to release him, but was asked to stay on the job for the present.

Mr. Schwab said his resignation rested with the President, Chairman Hurley and the board of directors of the United States Shipping Board. Also he said that no definite action on the resignation could be taken until Chairman Hurley's return from Europe.

Car Inspector Severely Hurt William Bilger, 2316 North Third street, a car inspector of the Reading Railway, is in a critical condition at the Episcopal Hospital, suffering from internal injuries received while trying to open a chute bottom of a loaded car at a coal yard at Second and Huntingdon streets yesterday. He was wedged between the chute and the side of a coal pocket.

ENCOUNTERS WITH U-BOATS KEPT FOOTBALL STAR BUSY

Took No Chances With Fritz. Even After Armistice, Says George Owens

Skipper Made Ready to Fight Submarine Though She Flew White Flags

"You can't trust a German, even when he cries 'Kamrad' or carries an emblem of truce," said George V. Owens, 2120 Watkins street, former football and track star at the Southern High School, and now second-class quartermaster in the nave

"That is why the skipper of the ship on which I made my latest trip across the Atlantic took no chances when we

the Atlantic took no chances when we came upon a U-boat flying two white flags," he added.

"We were two days' journey from America, "said Owens, "when we sighted and spoke a "sub' displaying two white flags. We knew the tricks of the Germans, and the gun crews were ordered to their post. The Clare, the vessel I was aboard, stopped. So did the U-boat. We waited for Fritz to start something, and he waited for us. We knew the war was over, but we didn't know that

"Scoop" Owens, as he is best known in athletic circles, is home on a visit after completing his seventh round trip through the war zone, every one of which had a full measure of adventure and thrills. He was in Nantes, France, 250 miles southwest of Parls, when the news of the signing of the armistice reached there. He tells of the joy of the residents over the ending of the war with victory for, the Allies and of the "big fuss" made over the Americans who happened to be in the town during the celebration. West Philadelphia Patrons The town went wild with rejoicing."

"HAIL, HAIL!" THRILLS FRANCE | SHIP LINE CUTS SERVICE HERE

Most Popular Song "Over There," Writes Lieutenant Ringold "Hall, Hall, the Gang's All Here," was

Aero Squadron, in a letter to his brother, Dr. Sam-uel S. Ringold, 2414 West Clearfield st.

West Clearfield st.

Lieutenant Ringols expressed the belief that his unit and many other.

Americans will be kept in France a MURRAY RINGOLD year or more.

"Just picture to yourselt," he said, describing the celebration in Tours and Parls, "the pentup feelings of a nation that has endured and suffered all these long years.

"The Yanks here helped the celebra-

and soffered all these long years.

"The Yanks here helped the celebrating. As the crowds swept through the erects, singling, cheering, waving flags, shooting fireworks, some weeping, overcome with joy, others hugging each other—the entire population was out—amid the 'Vive la Franch', the vive la Americue.' 'The Marsellaise,' what do you think was the most popular tune? Nothing but 'Hall, Hall the Gang's All Here.'



PHILADELPHIANS WIN WAR DECORATIONS

Major Lawrence, Sergeants P. Freeman and A. B. Lynch Receive D. S. Crosses

Three Philadelphians have been deco-rated with the distinguished service oss for gallantry under fire. Major Jackson S. Lawrence, formerly practicing physician of this city, was

commended for gallantry in rescuing wounded under enemy fire. Word that her husband had been honored was re-ceived by Mrs. Lawrence, who resides at 405 South Forty-second street. Major Lawrence gave up a large prac-tice at the outbreak of war, and offered his services to the country. He was sent

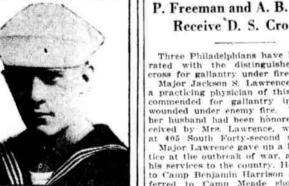
o Camp Benjamin Harrison and trans-erred to Camp Meade shortly after ecciving his first lleutenant's commision. Before he sailed for France las June he had attained the rank of major.

Sergeant Patrick Freeman, Company
B, 306th Infantry, for extraordinary
heroism in action in the forest of Argonne, France, September 27, 1918.

Sergeant Freeman displayed exceptional ourage and bravery while leading his olatoon against enemy machine-gun and rench-mortar positions and putting hem out of action. Although wounded.

shot to death any time than die by smothering," was his comment

Clyde Company Withdraws Ves sel for Lack of Business While port boomers are bending all



Former star athlete at Southern High School, residing at 2120 Watkins street, now second-class quartermaster in the navy. He is home on a visit after completing his sev-

France went wild with joy upon the announcement of the signing of the armistice.

This fact and something of how the French conducted themselves in the from the line offices here, it was learned the from the line offices here, it was learned the from several sources that the company made the transfer because local shippers did not properly support the line. Although no official statement giving reason for the transfer was obtainable from the line offices here, it was learned from several sources that the company made the transfer because local shippers had acted to save others and in line did not properly support the line.



GEORGE V. OWENS

and he waited for us. We knew the war was over, but we didn't know that Heinie knew it. There we lay.

"A few tense moments passed. Then the German slowly and apparently rejuctantly hauled down one of his white flags. We dipped our colors and proceeded on our course. The 'sub's prow again cut the sea on its way to a surrendered point. The U-boat evidently was coming from American waters when we encountered it."

"Scoop" Owens, as he is best known in athletic circles, is home on a visit

e remained on duty with his platoor killing and capturing several of the en-emy and finally occupying part of the hostile trench. He is from Bryn Mawr Sergeant Andrew B. Lynch, Head-quarters Company, 110th Infantry, was decorated for extraordinary heroism in ction near Apremont, France, Septem ber 29, 1918. Sergeant Lynch was on duty with a section operating thirty-seven millimeter guns. Under orders he moved the guns to the rear and then learning that his commanding officer had been taken prisoner, Sergeant Lynch with another soldier, organized a party

of five, attacked the enemy patrol, numbering thirty-five, and killed fifty of them, he personally rescuing his commanding officer and capturing three prisoners. Immediately afterward he took command of seventy-five men and launched a counter-attack, driving the nemy before them for over a kilometer Sergeant Lynch's conduct exemplified the greatest courage, judgment and leadership. His home address is 2446 South Franklin street.

CORONER HOLDS U.S. AGENT

Regrets Committing Man Who Killed to Save Others

Christopher Sprague, an agent of the Department of Justice, charged with kill-ing John Emmanuel a negro, when the latter attempted to shoot the Gevernment agent several days ago, was held today to await the action of the Coroner's

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at the

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