

SCHUYLKILL COAL TO LAST 900 YEARS

Senators at Pottsville Learn 20 Billion Tons Are Still Untouched

PROFIT \$2.50 PER TON Girard Estate Royalties Almost Repay \$2,000,000 Investment in Five Years

Pottsville, Pa., Jan. 24.—That the coal operators are scarcely scratching the surface of the huge coal deposits in Schuylkill County was emphasized today, when T. Ellsworth Davies, an old mining engineer, informed the Federal coal investigating committee that more than 20,000,000,000 tons of hard coal lies under the surface, enough to last 900 years.

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DUTCHMEN HERE REGRET ASYLUM GIVEN TO KAISER

Should Have Been Turned Away and Shot, Says Netherlands Society Speaker

Americans of Dutch descent believe the former Kaiser and his son, the former Dutch ruler, should never have been permitted to enter the land of their ancestors, according to the sentiment expressed by Chancellor Edwin Robert Walker, of the Court of Chancery of New Jersey, at the annual dinner of the Netherlands in the Bellevue-Stratford last night.

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BAKER DENIES EXCESSIVE LOSSES

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MARCH SUSTAINS CHIEF Corroborates War Secretary in Contradicting Report of 7000 Casualties in Argonne

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WANT TO ADOPT THESE STURDY BOYS?



These youngsters are Thomas and Charles Goodwin, of 1022 Marlborough street. At the left is Thomas, four years old; at the right, Charles, five years old. The mother of the children is dead. The father works at the Hog Island shipyard. He says he cannot give the children the care they should have. Accordingly, he has advertised the boys "for adoption."

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REPORT TROTSKY SEIZED AT NARVA

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U.S. PRICE-FIXING CURBED BY SWIFT

Head of Packing Firm Advocates Permanent Federal Stabilizing Power

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STATE WILL TEST U.S. POWER OVER PHONES

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CITY MUST PAY DAMAGES

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MADMAN IN NIGHT RAID SHOOTS 3 WOMEN

Invades Their Bedrooms and Uses Pistol With Dire Effect

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SUGAR WORTH \$745 STOLEN; DRIVER HELD

Three Men Accused of Stealing Motorcar—\$400 Diamond Missing

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