

3 BOYS DEAD, ONE INJURED IN ACCIDENTS

Youth Drowned in Fall From Wharf—Another Killed in Plunge From Auto

BABY STRANGLER IN CRIB

Three boys are dead today and another injured, the result of accidents. The dead are:

William Teesdale, Jr., ten years old, of 614 South Twenty-seventh street, who was drowned in the Schuylkill river when he fell from a board street wharf.

Walter Steghmond, eight years old, of 2528 South Gross street, died on the way to the University Hospital from injuries received when he fell from a motor truck.

Ernest Oberklahr, one year old, of 2770 North Waterloo street, was strangled by the bedclothes in his crib. The injured boy is:

David Glickman, thirteen years old, of 6510 Fairhill street, who fell from a window at the Ellwood Public School, Thirteenth street and Oak Lane.

The Teesdale boy leaped too far over the edge of the Lombard street wharf to "fix" his fishing line. He lost his balance, fell into the Schuylkill river and was drowned before aid could reach him.

William Teesdale, father of the lad, the police say, is dying of pneumonia at the family home. He has not been told of his son's death. The boy's body was taken to the Polytechnic Hospital.

Young Steghmond died in his father's arms yesterday afternoon while being rushed to University Hospital. The boy suffered a fractured skull when he tumbled from the rear of a motor truck at Sixty-fifth street and Elmwood avenue.

Mrs. Emily Oberklahr left the infant in his crib when she went to the store yesterday. When she returned she found the child with the bed clothing tightly wrapped about his neck.

David Glickman plunged out of a second-story window in the Ellwood Public School, Thirteenth street and Oak Lane, yesterday. He was taken to the Jewish Hospital suffering from lacerations and contusions, but was not seriously hurt.

FRIDAY NIGHT'S THE NIGHT

Lehigh Club Prepares for "the Big Drought"

"The last blast before the big drought." This is the heading of cards which have been sent out notifying members of the Philadelphia Lehigh Club of the annual dinner.

It will be given Friday at Essington, and also, according to the cards, will be "a meeting of bewitching splendor."

The Lehigh Club is composed of alumni of Lehigh University.

CHURCH TO DISBAND AFTER OLDEST MEMBER'S FUNERAL

Emmanuel Evangelical Edifice Sold Coincident With Death of Woman Who Served It Fifty Years

Fifty years to the day almost, when she first crossed the threshold of Emmanuel Evangelical Church, Fourth street below Poplar, Hannah Nittinger, eighty-seven years old, of 830 North Fourth street, tomorrow will pass from its doors forever. With her, the oldest member, the church will pass into time, for the edifice has been sold and Mrs. Nittinger's funeral will be the last to be held in the old church building.

Last week it was announced that with the changing neighborhood the church had been sold to a commercial firm. By a coincidence Mrs. Nittinger, who had been failing in health, began to decline rapidly about the time of the announcement, and Monday she died, in the neighborhood which had been her home since 1852.

For many years she had labored in church circles before the congregation established the church in 1893. Mrs. Nittinger helped establish it and was a director of the Deaconess Society.

She was the widow of August Nittinger, for many years engaged in manufacturing on Fourth street. Two sons, William F. and Samuel Nittinger, and a daughter, Mrs. F. O. Nagle, survive her.

She will be buried from the church tomorrow afternoon at 1.30. Interment will be in the Mount Vernon Cemetery.

POLICE HALT RADICALS

Meeting Here Stopped Before Collocation for I. W. W. Prisoners

A radical meeting at Grand Fraternity Hall, 1624 Arch street, was stopped last night by Lieutenant Wagner, of the Fifteenth and Vine streets station.

The principal speaker of the meeting of the Young Democracy was expounding his thoughts on what an ideal place this country would be if it had no laws when the police put a stop to the talking.

Before that the speaker, Charles Recht, a New York attorney, had told of the strike of the lumbermen of the northwest in 1916 and told of the trials of the I. W. W. at the hands of organized government.

Recht was to have taken up a collection to secure legal assistance for eight I. W. W. agitators still in jail from the disturbances in 1916, but the untimely interference of the police prevented all but one contribution from being made. That was a \$5 bill donated by Miss Mary Winsor.

U. of P. Debating Council Elects

The University Debate Council at Penn yesterday elected the following officers for next year: President, Harold N. Burt; vice president, Earl G. Harrison; secretary, treasurer, Thomas J. Murphy. Harrison and Burt have been active in debating for three years, and Murphy won this year's individual speaking contest at the University.

Palmyra Teachers to Get Raise

Palmyra, N. J., May 21.—With only one voice equipped men and women taxpayers at a special school meeting here last night approved the request of the school teachers for an increase in salary of \$100 per teacher to take effect next year. The tax budget of the township is increased \$3000 as a result.

Foot Crushed by Auto Truck

Carl Jeffson, 5625 Chew street, had his foot badly crushed today in Camden when he was struck by an automobile truck driven by Henry Edmonds, 3538 North Lancaster street. Jeffson was on his way to the New York Shipbuilding plant, where he is employed. He was taken to the West Jersey Homeopathic Hospital where an effort is being made to save his foot.

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OMEN SPURRED FIGHTERS

Rainbow Appeared in Skies as Famous Division Entered Battles

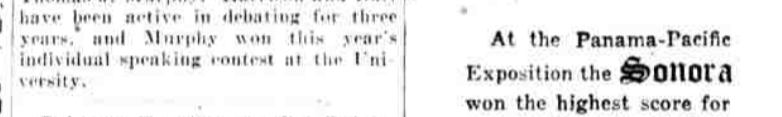
A rainbow appeared in the skies as the famous Rainbow Division went into its most severe battles.

Major General Charles T. Menoher, commander of the division, which is now demobilized, revealed this omen before leaving the city today. He spoke yesterday at Girard College.

"On four occasions the rainbow appeared in the sky as our Rainbow boys went into action," he said. "We first saw this remarkable omen while we were holding trenches in the Baccarat

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For motoring and mid-summer travels in warm climates, there are Linen Crash Coats, in tan and in jasper, \$7.50; Meshir Capes, in gray, blue and black, with vest front, \$12.00.

Light-weight Velour, Burella and Serge Coats

Made for full-hip figures. Various good colors; body and sleeves lined, \$25.00. The same style in serge, lined throughout, \$30.00.

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NIGHT GOWNS—Of flesh-color crepe de chine, \$3.95 to \$16.50. Of flesh-color washable satin, \$3.95 to \$12.50.

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BODICES—Of flesh-color crepe de chine or satin, \$1.99 to \$5.50. Of navy blue washable satin, \$1.50 to \$2.50.

VESTS—Of glove silk, flesh-color or white, \$2.75 to \$2.25. BLOOMERS—Of glove silk, \$3.00.

CREEPERS—Of crepe de chine or washable satin, \$2.95 to \$5.75.

PAJAMAS—Of flesh-color crepe de chine or washable satin, \$6.50 to \$10.00.

STEP-IN CHEMISE—Of flesh-color crepe Georgette, \$12.00 to \$35.00.

COMBINATIONS—Of flesh-color washable satin or crepe de chine, \$8.25 and \$6.50.

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