



Mystery Encircles Identity of **Additional Suspects in West** Philadelphia Hold-Up

### **'RED' MURPHY HELD IN BAIL**

Two other persons are being detained by the police in connection with the murder of the bandit by one of his colleagues Thursday morning last at the coal from the tracks at Bryn Mawr Fifty-first and Arch streets, following and it is expected that regular schedthe hold-up of Harry Peterman, a collector for the American Stores Company. The police refuse, however, to divulge their names

Albert ("Red") Murphy, held yester without bail on the charge of killhis companion during the hold-up arraigned again today in Central Station on a charge of assault and bat-tery with intent to kill. Magistrate Magistrate Mecleary held him in \$1500 bail for

court on this charge. According to the testimony at the bearing today, Murphy attacked Russell Mitchell, colored, of 1552 North Gar net street, in a garage at Eighteenth street and Ridge avenue, January 9. Mitchell, who was employed in the gaother men to take a truck from the place, it was testified. Murphy is said o have threatened the negro with a evolver and to have struck him. \* Counsel for Murphy at the hearing

\$1500 the attorney representing the pristerday. The other prisoner is "Jack"

Although identified by several witcar.

Captain of Detectives Souder said today that three other men made up the alone or women alone. automobile gang which planned the hold-up and that these men are hiding in the city. Detectives say that many has contemplated the naming of women of the recent hold-ups and cloth thefts for some time. We are not well ac-can be traced to the band and they quainted with the work of the organizahope to establish the fact that a head- tion because we have never attended any quarters was maintained in the heart of its meetings. And the women have of the city.

complicity in the affair, four men and the men and simply assist in carrying four women are held on various other charges.

"CURATIVE SHOPS" TO OPEN

#### Plans Made to Help Injured Sallors at Navy Yard

A plan to establish curative workps and subsequent vocational training for injured sailors and marines is being worked out by officials of the Philadelphia Navy Yard.

Medical officials of the yard are planning a building to be constructed for the work which is in co-operation with the federal board for vocational education. A standard system has been suggested for all navy yards.

Government officials declare that unr the plan men are permitted to be trained for long or short periods during the day in any kind of work suitable to their physical strength. The plan is already in operation at the Norfolk Navy Yard.

Freight Wreck at Bryn Mawr Cause P. R. R. Train Delay Thousands of commuters along the Main Line of the Pennsylvania Rail-road were delayed from thirty to forty minutes in reaching this city today as a result of a slight wreck this morning at Bryn Mawr.

FIFTEEN CARS JUMP TRACK

A train of fifteen coal cars jumped the rails at this point and buried three of the four tracks under a veritable pyramid of coal.

The accident was caused by a broken truck on the front car. It was necessary to divert all traffic to track No. 4, the only one which

escaped the deluge. Until the coal is all cleared all trains east of Bryn Mawr are ing operated by steam. A big force of laborers are removing ules may be maintained late this af-

# WOMEN CIVIC HEADS PLEASED WITH POSTS

New Directors of Merion Association Declare Board Will Be

Improved by Them Women of Merion are today express

ing an added interest in the civic betage, refused to permit Murphy and two terment of their community because for the first time in its history women have been elected to the board of directors of the Merion Civic Association.

"We are greatly pleased." said Mrs. today waived a henring and asked for Percy E. Matthes, first woman secre-bail. When the amount was fixed at tary of the association, I and we mean to give such satisfaction in our oner objected on the ground that an- that in time at least half of the direc other man said to have taken part in ters will be women. At present we have the attack was held in only \$800 bail five representatives on the board, which when arraigned on the same charge yes- includes twenty-five members. I feel that the board will be bettered by our presence for the simple reason that

women have a very good insight into ses as the man who drove the death the needs of a community. They spend Murphy insists that he did not most of their time there and they can the shot which killed the bandit see what is needed. They have keen who has now been identified as Wilfred sense of beauty and design that will aid Carpentier, a native of Belgium, long in the making of civic improvements. known as a criminal as escaped con- Certainly men and women working together, sharing ideas and working out

plans, can accomplish more than men

"There was very little opposition to women on the board. The association not made any plans of their own. We

While Murphy-is the only one held for mean to co-operate in every way with on the good work of the association. Mrs. Ross Cornish, Mrs. John J

Boericke, Mrs. Alba B. Johnson, Jr. and Mrs. Thomas Andrews, the others elected to the board, expressed their pleasure today in being among the first women to serve in such capacity. It is

expected a meeting of the association will be called soon, when the work for the summer will be outlined and the new members will be put on committees, Edward W. Bok was re-elected pres

ident, Henry Delaplaine, E. A. Van Valkenburg and Ira Vaughn were nam ed vice presidents, William H. Folwell. treasurer, and Mrs. Matthes, secretary. Men directors, in addition to the officers. include T. D. Belfield, John E Braun, Varcourt, Carwithen, W. J.

Conlen, John P. Connelly, E. C. Dear den, William De Krafft, James A. Em mons, William P. Gest, S. Earl Haines Walter T. Kareher, F. C. Pequignot, Ernest C. Searing, Earl C. Woodman, John Hughes and Joseph B. McCall. In his annual report Mr. Bok praises the community's war record.



Men's Association Expects Proposal From Transit Co.

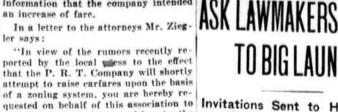
LAWYERS READY TO RESIST The

North Philadelphia Business Men's Association is preparing to op-pose any move of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company looking toward an inreased trolley fare by the establishment of a zone fare system.

Rumors that the company is preparler and Edward B. Martin, their attorstation

Service Commission. "We are going to meet the P. R. T. at the very beginning by filing a com-plaint with the Public Service Commission the instant the company files a truck ran into a residence 2008 Oxford added, however, that beyond suspicion down two children.

aroused by placards posted by the transit company presenting a comparison between carfares in Philadelphia and other large eities and a remark recently made by E. T. Stotesbury, chairman of the board of directors of the company, in an address before the Five of Clock Club that he considered it strange that the public should object to an advance in carfares when they acquiesced in taxes on delicacies, he had no definite other large cities and a remark recently



prepare the case in opposition to the cials of Pennsylvania and raise of fares and be ready to resist the attempt by appropriate action before the New Jersey Public Service Commission.

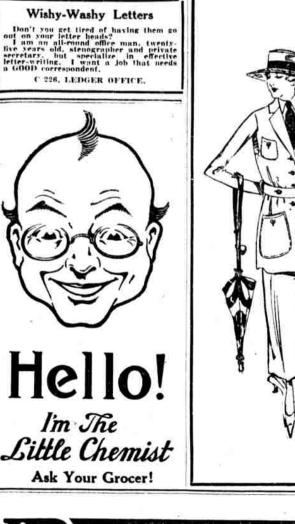
HOLD RECKLESS DRIVERS

Magistrate Detains Men Who Caused United States senators from Pennsyl **Two Crashes** vania and New Jersey and members of For racing along Oxford street in coal trucks last night Samuel Johnson. for these two states probably will be in-

street; Clarence Johnson, twenty-two, nival at Hog Island on Memorial Day. Governor Sproul and Acting Governor Edward E. Ziegler, president of the as- coal dealer, Twenty-sixth and Oxford Runyon and members of the Pennsyl-Edward E. Ziegler, president of the as-sociation, to instruct Howard E. Hock-streets, were held today under \$500 will be invited. Engraved invitations bail for court by Magistrate Grelis, are being sent to them today, They neys, to prepare a case against increased fares for argument before the Public Nineteenth and Oxford streets police will be the special guests of the American International Shipbuilding Corpo-

The police allege that Samuel's truck ration. The police allege that Samuel's trad. hit the automobile of Judson Leonard. which was standing outside a garage at which was standing outside a garage at United States shipping board : Raymond B. Stevens, vice chairman, and Commis new tariff," said Mr. Ziegler today. He street, and narrowly missed striking Colby, of New York, and Charles R. Page, of California; James L. Acker

head of the construction division. Ethelbert Watts, Former Consul, III and J. G. Rosseter, head of the opera Ethelbert Watts, formerly United tions division of the Emergency Fleet



day, has been chosen sponsor for the steamship Pipestone, one of the five vessels to be launched Friday. The management of the yard has not yet decided whether the Shavano or the ment house at 2111 Arch street, shortly Invitations Sent to High Offi- Luxpalile will be the fifth

inable to attend.

vessel before 11 o'clock last night. The blaze launched from division No. 1. Both are in about the same stage of completion. Mrs. Mary Arnold and her daughter, Mrs. Viola Currsair, who manages th

CITIZENSHIP TO BE TAUGHT apartment house. It was discovered by one of the boarders, who turned in an alarm. The fire was extinguished after SCHWAB AND PIEZ ABSENT Kirschbaum Company Will Open it had destroyed a rug and some ar-Classes in Americanization Today ticles of wearing apparel.

A second Americanization class for this city opens biweekly sessions today the national House of Representatives at the A. B. Kirschbaum Company factory, Broad street and Washington ave-

have been invited, but probably will be

Miss Lois Gaither, of Pipestone

Minn., it was announced by the Victory

Loan committee of Pipestone county to

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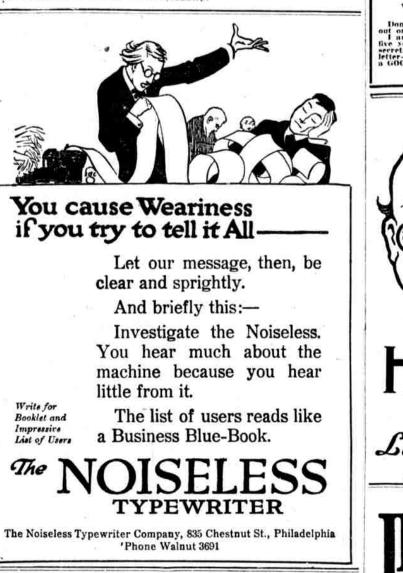
# **First Big** Summer Holiday

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twenty years old, a negro, 1742 Edwin terested spectators of the launching caring to substitute such a system caused his brother, drivers for Henry Snyder.







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This was the third night he had worked overtime. He was still far behind in his work. It seemed almost as if he were on a treadmill-working feverishly-doing the very best he knew how-but getting nowhere.

He stopped in his work for a moment and picked up a catalog. Let us look over his shoulder as he reads:-

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