

GENERAL BUTLER AWARDED D. S. C.

West Chester Brigadier Decorated by Pershing for Bravery Under Fire

COMMANDS CAMP IN FRANCE

Brigadier General Smedley Darlington Butler, of West Chester, youngest man of his rank in the United States Marine Corps, and noted for his dapper bravery, has been awarded the Distinguished Service Cross by General Pershing.

The news came today in a press cablegram from France. General Butler is in command of the embarkation station at Pont-a-Nason, near Bresl, and has added to his reputation as a fearless leader new fame as an administrator, having made Pont-a-Nason one of the best as well as biggest camps in France.

General Butler, who is but thirty-nine years old, is the son of Congressman Thomas S. Butler, of West Chester. He is one of the most widely known officers in the Marine Corps, and has served since he was seventeen, having won a lieutenant's commission during the Spanish-American War.

Deaths of a Day

HAROLD M. PEIRSON
Stock Broker and Glazed Kid Manufacturer Dies

Harold M. Peirson, a member of the Union League, who was widely known in stock brokerage circles, died yesterday at his home, Conshohocken road, Radnor. He had been ill ten days with tetanus. The cause of the disease, which was not the result of an injury, mystified his physicians.

Mr. Peirson was thirty-seven years old and unmarried. He was a member of the firm of Brown & Peirson, stock brokers, with offices in the Real Estate Trust Building, until January 1 last, when he severed his active connection with the house and became a member of the firm of Mitchell & Peirson, glazed kid manufacturers, at Thirty-sixth and Reed streets, of which his father, Walter Peirson, is one of the senior partners.

Mrs. Barclay J. Woodward
Mrs. Barclay J. Woodward, the widow of a former Philadelphia banker, died yesterday. Although in ill health for some years, Mrs. Woodward's condition did not become serious until Saturday last.

Dr. Henry C. Dimond
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Veteran Who Buried Brother in France Takes Exception to Proposal of C. W. Asbury

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Samuel M. McDowell
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Bernard Sachs

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Clyde W. Rigby

Youngstown, O., June 3.—Clyde W. Rigby, forty-two, theatrical manager, is dead at his home here after a lingering illness.

MORE JOBS FOR SOLDIERS

Knights of Columbus Service Has 200 Vacancies Listed
Two hundred unfilled positions for former service men are reported by the bureau of free employment of the Knights of Columbus, conducted at the Benedict Service Club, 1010 Market street. The National Catholic War Council is co-operating in the work.

Many Philadelphia soldiers, sailors and marines have been placed in positions already, but the number of applicants is constantly increasing and employers with jobs for former service men are urged to list the positions with the employment bureau.

Spanish

The commercial activities of United States, Mexico, Central America and Spain require hundreds of men and women who can read and write Spanish. We shall conduct a special summer course in practical Spanish that will be of practical value. The class starts Monday evening, June 9. Call, we of phone, 422-9.

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Red Chevrons! Attention!

The days of parades are now beginning to fade away, but there still remains the grand dress parade when you don civvies once more! "Eyes Right" to Becker Clothes

Sound, sensible clothes of fine, durable fabrics—as stylish (or as "swank") as you might have said in company with the British Tommy as young men's clothes can be—or just as conservative as you wish.

Every model, every style, every fabric—and easy prices for you to pay—from

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The Truth!

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Very Specially Underpriced Tomorrow
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These Hats answer the immediate needs of the season! They show in Taffetas and Straw combinations, in Crepe Georgette, in transparent Tulle and most attractively in draped Hindu Turbans. The colorings are of the supremest favor and charm.

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Advertisement for Becker's Quality Clothes, featuring a large graphic of a red chevron and text describing the quality and variety of clothing available at \$17.50 to \$45.00.

Large advertisement for Chesterfield Cigarettes, featuring an illustration of a pack of cigarettes and text describing the moisture-proof jacket and the quality of the blend.

Advertisement for White Enamel Nursery Furniture, including cribs, bassinets, dressers, wardrobes, scales, and blankets, with a list of items and prices.

Advertisement for Sterling Silver Wedding Gifts, featuring a sterling silver bowl of substantial weight and a list of items for sale at S. Kind & Sons.