ATLANTIC CITY, N. J.

### Atlantic City Plans **Great Development**

Continued from Preceding Page be the meeting place and stuntdemonstration stage this month for the National Association of Masters of Dancing. There also will be staged the \$250,000 exhibit of the Master Plumbers' Association of the United States, in connection with their post-bellum

in connection with their post-bellum convention. The headquarters of the latter will be at the Hotel St. Charles, which is experiencing a wonderful run of prosperity under the management of William A. Leech.

Atlantic City has reached the stage where it complacently asserts that nobody cares whether the nation goes dry on July 1 or not. If the cafes ring down the curtain on alcoholic refreshdry on July 1 or not. If the cafes ring down the curtain on alcoholic refreshments they will ring it up aghin with the same orchestra and the same dance floors and possibly more wholesome beverages of a non-alcoholic order to provide inspiration. For every dyedin-the-wool optimist who maintains that something is bound to happen to avert a great thirst for beers and light wines at least, there are a dozen others who maintain that John Barleycorn is a back number, and to prove they mean a back number; and to prove they mean it many of them are going ahead set-ting up soft-drink emporiums with plush carpet and mirrors and even 'bars' to make everybody feel thor-oughly at home.

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To provide for the multitudes who come to avail themselves of the famed hospitality of its hotels is not Atlantic problem this sum-City's only housing problem this sum-mer. Equally difficult of solution is the mer. Equally difficult of solution is the problem of taking care of those who want cottages or, if they cannot get them, then apartments. Even at rentals 20 and even 50 per cent higher than customary this has become a real prob-lem, for the cottage supply is virtually exhausted and curious devices are being resorted to to meet the famine in apart-

door. Philadelphia's greater housing problem is working to Atlantic City's advantage again, for scores of house-holders here have been enabled to sell attractive domiciles to advantage, yet at prices which make it profitable for the Philadelphia investors to bring their families to the shore and pay commutation rates daily to their city offices.

More Houses Going Up

Large housing operations are in progress at Chelsea Heights, hardby the shore airport which the -Pan-American Aeronautical Congress, in session here during May, made famous throughout the country. Nobody is prepared as yet to say these new domiciles will be taken over by amateur aviators, but if Philadelphia business men should go in for the flying game it will be mighty handy to have hangars right across the street in the airport to house their aerial steeds after a hop over Jersey from the city of Penn. A splendid boulevard extending along the Inlet front from the head of Pacific avenue around the municipal

A spiendid boulevard extending along the Inlet front from the head of Pacific avenue around the municipal park is one of the large projects upon which Atlantic City's wideawake Chamber of Commerce has embarked. This boulevard is the idea of Hubert Somers, a young business man with large interests, and shore boosters are rallying to its support, because they are convinced that, in addition to enhaucing the attractions of the resort, it will pay for itself speedily in increased real estate values throughout the whole of the Inlet section.

That part of the city is destined to boom greatly with the working out of the now definitely determined upon ship terminal for both ocean commerce and freights of various sorts, chiefly oysters and farm products, brought hither by the inland waterway. Fish of a valuation of more than \$141,000 were brought into Atlantic City's harbor in May alone, according to the report of Captain George B. Gale, newly appointed harbor master, a Chamber of Commerce booster and "admiral" of the Inlet yachting fleet.

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To Popularize Fishing Atlantic City is to make a mighty effort this summer to further popularize fishing and salling as attractions as necessary to the rounding out of a shore

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Depots and Beach

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Old Bowery Almost Gone

Summer folk will find the greater part of the old "Bowery" district gone. More than a square of the ancient structures which made that region a night mare have been razed and cleared for the erection of new hotels, apartment houses and homes when capital rushes in to find opportunities for sure-thing investments.

To provide for the action of the action as bathing and Boardwalk sightsecing. Atlantic City possesses a deet of more than one hundred staunch, splendidly appointed, skillfully navigated yachts. In the bays back of Absection Island it has hunting grounds for those who prefer crabbing and inside fishing to a run out to the artificial fishing 'bank' six miles at sea, where the big follows always are lurking.

Ship terminal plans, according to City Commissioner Thompson, who is a notelman and also bank president, contents the action of the act

Commissioner Thompson, who is a hotelman and also bank president, contemplate linking the sea directly with the trunk lines of the country via Philadelphia. It will be possible to load fish by wholesale directly from hulls at the docks to cars upon sidings there for shipment anywhere in America via the Pennsylvania's Delaware river bridge route, and this convenient arrangement

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One of the most common is to take a good-sized apartment and turn it into two by the simple process of locking a door. Philadelphia's greater housing problem is working to Atlantic Circ's problem is working to Atlantic Circ's.

A great boom and rapid development of the down-the-beach section; all the way from lower Chelsea to Longport, is being predicted in consequence of the shortage of the housing facilities and the steadily growing congestion of At-lantic City's business section. One of the sins of the times is the transformation of good-sized dwelling houses into improvised apartments.

A three-story hotel on one of the uptown streets has been turned into an "apartment" also, the new owner having made over the large dining room into a close relation of a community kitchen, with a designated section where each housewife with an apartment may do her cooking apart from the living quarters.

Plumber Had Idea Another way of "striking gold" at

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the shore was discovered by an enter-prising owner of a hotel on Michigan avenue, who is a plumber when he is not playing boniface. During the plumbers' strike last winter, when he had plenty of spare time, this handyman pienty of spare time, this handy-man-plumber-boniface turned the space occupied by what had been the kitchen and dining hall of his hotel into sleeping apartments. Then he proceeded to a but to the control of the apartments. Then he proceeded to add a bath to every sleeping room in the building and to refurnish the whole with brass bedsteads and attractive

When the big Boardwalk hotels near at hand run short of private baths, and that happens almost all the time, per-sons accustomed to having occan-front suites are glad to know they can get a nice little "room and bath" in the plumberman's modernized hostelry. Between Chelsea and Longport there

Between Chelsea and Longport there is space to build a second Atlantic City, and the movement will have to go that way, it is figured, because investors are not disposed to build on the meadows to the west of the big town. Several large operations already are under way at Ventnor, and Margate City, where the collapse of the real estate boom ten or twelve years ago left a model resort project on the shelf, is looking forward confidently to a revival that will dot its beachfront with imposing mansions. Margate and Longport already are well served with attractive drives for motorists, but county officials are working upon plans for a new boulevard there that will be free from car tracks, extending from Ventnor to car tracks, extending from Ventner to the Absecon island end of the Somers Point-Longport boulevard in the latter

Summer Convention List To June's lengthy list of convention of medical men, glass manufacturers, union labor bodies, car builders, the National Association of Real Estate Boards, there has recently been added

these important gatherings: these important gatherings:
July—National Brotherhood of Operative Potters, 5-12; National Glass Bottle Blowers' Association, 7th; Southern Life and Trust Company, 7-8; National Reunion of the Elks, 7-12; New Jersey State Dental Society, 12-20; Woodmen of the World, 15th; National Poster Advertising Association, 14-21.

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is designed with a view to making Atlantic City the most important coast shipping point on the Jersey scaboard.

Thy site of the ship basin, for which contracts shortly are to be let, was acquired from Dr. Charles Penrose, a quired from Dr. Charles Penrose, a Mystic Chain, 26th.

1-4: Travelers Insurance Company, 1-7: Duquesne Commandery, Knights Templar, 7-9: State Funeral Directors Association, 8-9; Ladies of the Golden Engle, 9th; National Convention Daughters of Liberty, 10th; National

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Funeral Directors' Association, 9-12; National Basket and Fruit Package As-sociation, 10-11; National Petroleum Association, 20th: American Association of Public Employment Offices, 23d

ions of the Forest, 2d; Conference of Undertakers and Embalmers Examin-ing Boards, 3d; International Alliance of Physicians and Surgeons, 4th; Jr. O. U. A. M. Funeral Benefit Associa-tion, 7th; Jr. O. U. A. M., S-9; Amer-ican Ment Packers, Association, 13-15; National Pain Oil and Variable Asso-National Paint, Oil and Varnish Association, 13-16.

December New Jersey State Horti-cultural Society, 1-3; New Jersey State Teachers' Association, 29-31.

One of the largest real estate operations in several months was consum mated this week when William F Shaw, who as owner and proprietor has made a success of the Grand At-lantic Hotel, acquired the Ostend, one of the largest hotels in Chelsen. The property was owned by Clarence M. Busch, formerly state printer of Pennsylvania. Under the new ownership the Ostend will be known as the Esplanade. It has a frontage of an entire block on the Boardwalk between Soversim and Boardwalk between Soversim and Boardwalk of the second control of the contr ereign and Boston avenues, and for sev-eral summers has had a large clientele of Philadelphians,

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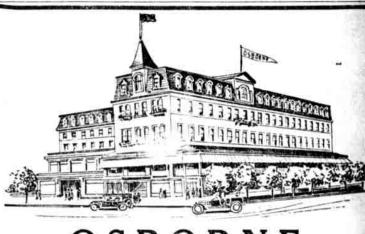
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