

\$5000 PAY BOOMS NEW COUNCIL RACE

Many New Candidates Crop Out for Post in City Legislative Body of 21

ANTI-VARE MEN SEEK UNITY

Candidates for the new Council of twenty-one with its fat salary of \$5000 a year continue to crop out. Select Councilman George W. Bradenburg, of the Fifteenth ward, is the latest entry. Bradenburg has been endorsed by the Fifteenth Ward Republican Alliance as a candidate for one of the three councilmanic places in the Seventh senatorial district, which takes in the Fifteenth, Twenty-eighth, Twenty-ninth, Thirty-second and Forty-seventh wards.

Select Councilman Richard Weglein, of the Twenty-ninth Ward, was endorsed some time ago for one of the other places. Both Bradenburg and Weglein are Penrose followers.

Independents in West Philadelphia are planning to concentrate their strength on four candidates in the sixth senatorial district. The district, which takes in all of West Philadelphia, is allotted four councilmen under the new charter. Prospects of an independent victory in the district are menaced by the appearance of so many independents in the field.

Followers of Magistrate Robert S. Carson and other independent leaders allied with Carson failed to attend the harmony meeting held last night in Spaeth's Hall, Fortieth street and Lancaster avenue, which was staged largely by Republican Alliance leaders from the six wards in West Philadelphia.

A committee was appointed to interview the Carson followers and try and bring about unity among the anti-Vare forces. Another meeting will be held next Tuesday night.

The committee appointed comprises Douglas Bartlett, J. N. Kennedy, Edward E. Cullen, John Freeman and Dr. D. W. Bacon.

"The business interests have determined to have a hand in the government of the city," declared John Fisher, vice president of the Manufacturers' Club, in addressing the meeting.

"The municipality is a \$1,000,000 corporation, and we propose to have it administered on a businesslike basis."

OPEN CUNARD SERVICE HERE

Freight Ships Will Ply Regularly From Philadelphia to London

Insuring the freight service between London and this city and marking another step forward in the efforts to develop the commerce of the port, the 7500-ton steel steamship Venonia, of the Cunard Steamship Company, has arrived from Liverpool to take on a cargo of general merchandise.

As the Venonia is the pioneer vessel of the service, her arrival excited great interest among shipping men and importers and exporters. The vessel, which was built at Dundee, Scotland, last year, registered 5225 gross tons. At first she was called the War Carp. She was built expressly for the Philadelphia service.

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- Mann's "Bank"—3 grades of hardness. 60c a dozen \$6.00 a gross
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The right is reserved to limit the sale of tickets for these excursions to the capacity of equipment available.

Pennsylvania R. R.

STOLEN GOWNS IN SHOW

Dresses Taken From Overbrook Home Used by Colored Actresses. Expensive imported dresses and gowns, most of them for evening wear, stolen from the home of John E. B. Blatz, a business man living at 6306 Overbrook avenue, and formerly the property of Mrs. Blatz, have been found by the police of Lower Merion township and the Sixty-first and Thompson streets station in the "wardrobe" of the "Sandy Burns Opera Company," a colored operatic troupe playing at a city theatre. Audiences at that playhouse have admired Mrs. Blatz's gowns during the last few weeks, displayed upon the forms of showgirls.

The stolen gowns included a wine-colored dress; one of old gold satin trimmed with Oriental embroideries; one of gold lace and apricot satin; another of gray satin with a girde of roses and a fifth masterpiece of silver lavender, embroidered with sequins.

The locating of Mrs. Blatz's gowns is an aftermath of the rounding up of five alleged thieves in connection with robberies from the temporarily vacant homes of Lawrence Wilbur, Haverford; Mrs. William W. Griscom, Haverford; Joseph H. Plumb, Ardmore; Dr. George Deik, Darby; Merion; James A. Emmons, Merion, and James Riddle, Ardmore.

COMMISSION PLANS SPOONING INQUIRY

Horace Johnson Says Board May Investigate Charges Against Squire Thomas

FIGHTS TO RETAIN FINES

Charges made against Squire Robert Thomas, of Haverford, the "spooner" nemesis, may be investigated by the board of commissioners, according to a statement made today by Horace Johnson, a member of that body. "I am not sure that we will probe into this matter," Mr. Johnson said, "because all we know about this is what the newspapers print."

No special meeting of the board has been called to look into the matter. The next regular meeting is to be held Monday, August 1. S. H. Johnson, a member of the police committee and a commissioner of the township, said that they had no authority over Squire Thomas. He

CHILD'S COFFEE PRICE UP

Charge for Tea Also Ten Cents in Chain Restaurants. Coffee is now ten cents a cup in all the Childs restaurants throughout the city and tea has taken a similar rise. So the Philadelphian going home very late and the Philadelphian getting up very early and all other Philadelphians who stop in at a Childs restaurant must dig deeper into their pockets and produce one more coin, worth five cents more, than they ever have been accustomed to pay.

Tea's rise will hit the shopper and the feminine early riser, who will probably be just as much disturbed as the average man. The order for the advance in prices came from New York and no reason was given for it by authorities there or in this city. The order went into effect yesterday.

Leaves \$62,194 to Relatives

Wills probated today included: Fredrick Krauter, formerly a Philadelphian, who died in Atlantic City June 29, \$62,194 left to his widow, daughter and grandchildren; Mary May, 105 East Rittenhouse street, \$3400, and Caroline R. Taggart, of Atlantic City, \$5500. Personality of other wills was appraised as follows: John E. Murphy, \$42,463.02; Mary M. Aberle, \$22,528.95; and Ann E. Bancroft, \$6866.58.

and at Newport

A fact:

Even here in the Casino, world famed as the center of society's inner circle, Fatima comes into its own. The steadily increasing preference is not, as one might suppose, for some fancy, extravagant straight Turkish brand—but for this simple, inexpensive, "just-enough-Turkish" cigarette.

FATIMA
—"just enough Turkish"

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Semi-Annual
Shoe Sale
Men's and Women's
5.90 7.90 9.90
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The Semi-Annual Clearance is being conducted this year as a matter of store policy, because Shoes are scarcer this season than ever before. Indeed, the Shoes hereby reduced in price could not be replaced at wholesale at the prices at which we're selling them.

Custom-built Shoes in black, tan and white.

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203 No. Eighth

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The Strawbridge & Clothier

Clearance of MEN'S Clothing

Why Men Should Buy Clothing Now

Scarcity of fabrics, shorter working hours, decreased number of skilled tailors—these are but a few of the indications that point towards higher prices for Men's Clothing shortly.

The Suits in this Clearance are marked at reductions of 15 to nearly 50 per cent. from present prices—extraordinary savings now and doubly important when one considers what retail values of identical grades will be in the near future.

The Suits Included In the Clearance

—Are chiefly lines from our regular stock which have become depleted in the matter of sizes through unusual selling activity. Others are from lines over-balanced in assortment and, therefore, subject to quick adjustment.

They are Spring and Summer Suits from our regular suppliers—thoroughly desirable in every way, fabric, fit and style—and the kind wanted for wear right now. The collection provides for every clothing need—in style, fabric, range of sizes and different proportions.

Tropical Suits in the Event

Palm Beach Suits, in all regular and stout sizes—now \$9.50 and \$13.50.

Cool Cloth Suits, a porous, light-weight fabric of great coolness and service. Styles for men and young men—now \$11.00, \$13.50 and \$16.50.

Mohair Suits, carefully tailored to hold their shape—now \$16.50, \$20.00 and \$22.50.

Suits now \$28.00
Of blue, brown and green flannels, and of neat mixtures—some silk-lined.

Suits now \$34.50
Chiefly worsted Suits, in a good selection of styles and patterns.



Suits now \$16.50
Faultlessly-tailored plain Sack Suits, of neat mixed fabrics.

Suits now \$19.50
"Alco" and other good makes, in light and dark-toned fabrics.

Suits now \$22.00
Chiefly "Alco" make, and including many comfortable tropical styles for men and young men.

Suits now \$24.50
From the best manufacturers in America, and including seasonable styles and fabrics.

Suits now \$25.00
A Collection of Men's Separate Trousers Reduced

Blue Serge Suits—Extra

Men's and Young Men's single- and double-breasted Suits, of fine (will all-wool blue serge, in nearly all sizes—now \$37.50.

Men's and Young Men's Suits, in regular, short, slim and stout sizes, which we cannot hope to duplicate at anywhere near this price—now \$25.00.

"Alco" Blue Serge Suits, WITH TWO PAIRS OF TROUSERS—now \$34.50.

\$36.50 & \$38.50
Young men's Suits of fine flannel, and a selection of large size Suits of fine serges for older men.

Youths' Suits
Long - Trousers Suits—Now \$11.00, \$13.50 and \$17.50; for youths of 16 to 19 years.

Strawbridge & Clothier—Second Floor, East

Never yet such a successful
Clearance Sale
—and in these efficiency days the one and only answer is

VALUE
—the chief but not the only evidence being in the Suits
for Men and Young Men
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\$15.00 \$19.75
Values up to \$22.50 Values up to \$27.50

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Quality Clothes
1514-16 Market St.
Open Evenings : Opposite Broad Street Station

1686 Cave Dwellers on ye Delaware

At the founding of Philadelphia many immigrants lived in caves in the river bank. In one of these the first child in Philadelphia was born.

In those rough days one had small worry about the safety of personal possessions. Two centuries, however, have made vast differences, so that today burglar-proof vaults and other devices are necessary to protect your valuables. We have individual boxes for rent at reasonable rates in burglar proof vaults. This is but one of the many features of our excellent service.

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Cool Summer Frocks—Some Special

Cool, dainty, and so inexpensive that one can have many, and subject them to hard wear with little regard for consequences. Just the kind of Dresses for the packing and unpacking, and general rigors of vacation time.

White Voile Frocks
With soft full tunics, lace trimming and pretty finishes of dainty buttons. In dotted and plaid effects—\$17.50 to \$18.75.

Lovely Tinted Voile Frocks
Light and dark shades. Several models, some with tunic showing deep tucks, also tucked vest effects and various little touches of lace, particularly the narrow lace edgings—\$12.50 to \$20.00. The model sketched, \$20.00.

Organdie Dresses, \$15
SPECIAL—Very desirable for summer fetes and afternoon wear generally. Lavender, corn, light blue, green, canary, Belgian blue and white, all softly frilled and lace-trimmed.

Organdie Dresses, \$8.75
SPECIAL—Figured organdies, and some of a combination of figured and plain colored organdie; some with effective touches of velvet ribbon.

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Here are those fine COVO muffins

If you haven't tried COVO and these muffins made with COVO you are missing a delightful household economy and your family is missing a delightful breakfast treat. Oil experts agree that no oil flavor has ever surpassed the delightful nut-like flavor of COVO—the new blend of nut and vegetable oils.

COVO GRAHAM MUFFINS
2 tablespoons Covo 1 cup milk
1 cup of Graham Flour 1 egg
1 cup white flour 2 rounded teaspoons baking powder
1/4 cup molasses
1/2 teaspoon salt

Sift together the flours with baking powder and salt. Add milk gradually with the well-beaten egg. Then the molasses. Then COVO. Beat thoroughly. Bake in hot, well-greased muffin tins about 25 minutes.

COVO, as Monsieur Panchard, chief supreme of the Waldorf in New York would tell you, is delicious in all salad dressings.

AT GROCERS in tin of pint, quart, half gallon sizes

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THE SALAD COOKING

Liberty Bicycles
The Ideal Bicycle for Pleasure or Business Use

Geared for easy pedaling on the level road or sharp grade. The real leather spring saddle insures comfort, while the New Departure coaster brake and rubber handle grips are important factors of safety. Moreover, the Liberty is built to withstand hard and constant usage—and is the best Bicycle equal money can buy anywhere. Price for men's and boys' models, \$35.00. Women's and girls', \$37.50.

Strawbridge & Clothier—Fourth Floor

S. & C. Special Housekeepers' Corsets, \$2 to \$5

Designed to withstand hard, general wear; reinforced over the abdomen. Both low- and medium-bust styles, to fit all types of figures—\$2.00.

S. & C. Special Models Reduced
A few models in S. & C. Special Corsets reduced for quick disposal:

- Pink brocade model—now \$2.50
- Corsets for growing girls—\$2
- Elastic-top model—now \$1.95
- Corsets for misses or slender women—now \$1.50

Brassieres Under Price Special at 50c and 75c
An unusual opportunity to replenish your stock of Brassieres below regular price. Several lace or embroidery-trimmed models, hooking in front.

Strawbridge & Clothier—Third Floor, Market Street, West

Millinery
Including Midseason Hats Just Received

Just in, some remarkably good-looking Midseason Hats, of satin and-velvet, also chiffon, brims with satin or velvet crowns—\$2.95 and \$3.95. The Hat sketched is developed in blue

—the crown and edge of brim are of velvet, the brim of chiffon in a lighter tone.

Hats for Sports Wear
Ribbon Hats in new and unusual effects, \$2.95 to \$10.00. White Milan-Hemp Sailors, \$2.95. White Milan Sailors, \$3.95. Also Sailors, in black, navy blue, brown and black-and-white, \$3.95.

Lovely Crepe Georgette Hats
In white, navy blue and black, all smartly trimmed, and the height of summer daintiness—\$3.95, \$4.95 and \$5.95.

Smart New Dress Hats
Medium and large Hats for afternoon wear, chiefly in black and navy blue, trimmed with ribbons, flowers, wings and feather novelties—\$6.00 to \$9.00.

Strawbridge & Clothier—Second Floor, Market Street, West

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Exceptional Value At \$3.45

Attractive models of striped tissue gingham, dotted and striped voile. These are the simple, but distinctive Dresses always suitable for morning or porch wear. Some in navy blue with white dots, others in all-white; many models in lovely shades and color combinations, including styles with white collar or in collarless effect. Sizes from 36 to 46. These House Dresses will not last long—at a reduction of about one-third—\$3.45.

Strawbridge & Clothier—Third Floor, Filbert Street, West

Men's Straw Hats at \$2.85

Our Regular Stock—Reduced More Than One-fourth

To effect a quick, decisive clearance, we have sharply reduced the prices on several hundred Sennit Hats—even while most stores are having difficulty in replacing stocks at any price. They are in fine, medium and coarse weaves, with smooth or saw-tooth edges. These are fitted with the ventilated, cushioned sweat-band that insures perfect comfort. Several correct new shapes to choose from—\$2.85.

Another Lot of Straw Hats, very unusual value at \$1.95
Genuine Panama Hats at \$3.95
Savings of One-half and More

Strawbridge & Clothier—Second Floor, Market Street, East

Now is the Time to Get Son a New Hat

These prices tell why:
Straw Hats, Special at \$2.25—A good selection of styles, in odd sizes.
Straw Hats, Special at \$1.45—Samples. Good choosing.
Panama Hats, \$3.95—Manish Alpine or telescope crowns.
Wash Hats, Special at \$5—Some worth almost double.

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