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GIRARD TRUST OPENS SERVICE DEPARTMENT

Bureau of Information in Financial and Investment Questions Announced

Edgingham B. Morris, president of the Girard Trust Co., announced a new department in the business policy of that institution today in the establishment of what will be known as a service department. This will be in the nature of a bureau of information in financial and investment questions.

In discussing this innovation, Mr. Morris said that he had the organization of such a department in contemplation for several months. "The unusual conditions, prevailing as a result of the after-war developments, has given birth to many problems in the matter of banking and taxes that are altogether too intricate for the average layman to solve."

The increasing press of business upon the company's officials and the different departments made it impossible to give proper attention to the large number of requests for such information.

There will be no limit to service of the new department, Mr. Morris said. On the contrary, the department will be always available for any help or advice it can give in a personal and confidential manner, not only in banking or other relations with the company itself, but also in other business transactions, such as income-tax returns, investments and other financial problems.

POLICE SHOW CLEAN SLATE

No Prisoners at City Hall Since 10 P. M. Saturday

The war is over and there are still slackers. The old-time reliable, the safe-cracker, the second-story moon, the sneak thief, the pickpocket and even the drunks have slacked. Not a safe has been cracked, not a sneak thief has "snuck," not a pocket picked, not even a member of the "house family" has been netted enough to give the patrolmen of the reserve corps at City Hall any work to do between 10 o'clock Saturday and 8 o'clock this morning.

Maybe it would be truer to say that none of the above has been caught. "It is unusual," said Sergeant Edwin Abbott this morning when questioned regarding the force's week-end. "I can't account for it. Our men were there, and if anything had happened we'd have known about it."

First Service Held at St. Martin's

The first service in St. Martin's Chapel, Italian, the gift to St. Martin's parish from Mr. and Mrs. Theophilus P. Chandler, was held yesterday after three years have been spent in its construction. The chapel, which is of the early Gothic type, was also built by Mr. Chandler, a prominent architect. During the war, work was suspended. The building is located two miles distant from St. Martin's Church in Radnor.

URGES QUICK SALE OF WAR SUPPLIES

Corn Exchange Bank's Magazine Warns Government of Depreciation

CITES PREVIOUS WARS

Asserting that it is time for the government to clean house, the immediate sale of all surplus government materials provided to meet the needs of war is urged in the current issue of the Corn Exchange National Bank's magazine, the Corn Exchange.

The article says that it is time for the government to "stop off the borrow journals and to set down to the legitimate business of the government, and let the people conduct their legitimate business, which is the nation's business, including all industry."

"When armistice day came on November 11, last year," continues the article, "the United States Government had in its possession supplies and materials which had cost several billion dollars."

"Not a single article, from a sock for the soldiers to a 10,000-ton steamship, will grow more valuable for the government by keeping it. On the contrary, depreciation in the last year has knocked a heavy percentage off the value of that mountain of unused war materials."

"After all great wars of the past it inevitably happened that not long after peace came there came a settling down, a depression, a year or two after the war which called for their production had ended."

"When the government conducted as a private business or corporation is conducted it would try to sell its surplus stock while the wave of prices still runs high. It would sell while the goods it was selling were still in marketable shape. It would sell before the rust of deterioration had eaten away tons, yes hundreds of millions of dollars in values."

"A Philadelphia manufacturer who supplied the government with some highly important articles, involving scientific knowledge, informs the writer that there is still in Washington a system of duplication of effort that wastes a business man's time."

"Another business man asserted that there are many thousands of dollars of capital who might be dispersed with the Bureau of spending length are still doing little more than drawing salaries. Economy has not yet reached the nation's official center, which helps largely to account for the continued federal taxes that exceed in size those of any other country on earth."

"Getting out of business, and getting out speedily, should be the government's aim today."



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NEW SAFETY CAMPAIGN ON

"Cross at the Crossing" and "Don't B. A. J." Its Slogans

"Cross at the Crossing," says the Rotary Club.

"Don't B. A. J.," says the P. R. T. Which, when translated, means that you should not be a "batty-cornered" across the street intersection, or to, meaning carelessly across a thoroughfare in the middle of the block.

P. R. T. and Rotary Club officials are especially anxious to carry their message home to the children. They point out that a large proportion of street accidents, whether by trolley cars, automobiles or other vehicles, is as much the fault of the pedestrian as of the driver. Children and grown-ups alike are heedless about crossing the city streets at points other than the guarded crossings.

Legion Post to Give Smoker

Post No. 183, American Legion, will give a smoker tonight in honor of former service men at the Columbia Club, Read and Oxford streets. There will be vaudeville acts, boxing, moving pictures and music.

PUPILS ENLISTED IN SAFETY DRIVE

Philadelphia School Children to Have Daily Talks on "Jayism"

SPECIAL WARNING TO BOYS

School children are being enlisted today in the Rotary Club's campaign to prevent accidents by "crossing the streets at crossings."

Of the 5280 persons who were hurt in 1918 while crossing streets, 1552 were children. For this reason it was decided it was of the utmost importance to educate school pupils to use crossings and use them with caution to cut down the number of accidents.

The John F. Garber, superintendent of schools, issued instructions to all district superintendents and through them to the principals of all 1200 schools, that they must deliver following each class session for the next two weeks.

Warnings for Boys

The teachers will tell the children to what dangers they expose themselves by walking across streets in the middle of blocks or cross-walks at intersections. The boys, particularly, will be impressed with the necessity of staying farwell forever to the time honary but ever dangerous custom of "steading sides."

A similar line of action will be followed in the parochial schools, where the sisters and brothers in charge of classes, who are instructed by Archbishop Dougherty, will admonish the children to be cautious.

But the adults, too, received their share of the very necessary and helpful warnings. In the majority of Protestant churches the pastors discussed the safety first topic from their pulpits. Although the Roman Catholic church has declared itself to be in full sympathy with the movement, it was found, on account of the Roman Catholic ritual,

to be impossible to introduce the issue at the services. The archbishop, therefore, has urged the Catholic press to do its full share, besides taking action in regard to the parochial schools.

Dr. Wilmer Krusen, director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, said yesterday the exercise of the greatest care in crossing streets is a health measure of the utmost importance to the present and future welfare of the city.

Pedestrian Often to Blame

"The ever-increasing number of automobiles and the normal increase in the population naturally increases the liability to accidents," said Doctor Krusen, "but the point of chief concern is that the relative ratio of accidents to the total population is advancing in leaps and bounds. Immediate measures must be adapted to stop this avoidable loss of life and limb by a thorough campaign of education among the public."

Soldier-Author Here

Captain G. Gordon Smith, war correspondent and officer of the Serbian army, is stopping at the Bellevue-Stratford. Captain Smith, who is the author of "The Girl From Rector's," "Lulu's Husband" and other comedies, prize Serbian bravery.

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"Careful driving on the part of chauffeurs goes without comment. Recklessness should not be tolerated. But the thoughtless pedestrian is quite often responsible himself for injuries incurred when crossing the streets."

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 - Long Flannel Petticoats, embroidered or plain, Gertrude or hand styles, \$2.00 to \$6.00.
 - Hand-made Embroidered Cashmere Sacques and Long Wrappers in pink, blue and white; Sacques, \$2.75 to \$6.75; Wrappers, \$4.85 to \$12.75.
 - Long Wrappers of Japanese Habutai Silk Crepe, embroidered and scalloped; pink and blue, \$7.00.
 - Japanese Short Kimonos of habutai silk, embroidered, pink and two shades of light blue, \$2.75.
 - Japanese Botees of pink and blue silk crepe, plain or with delicate embroidered floral spray, \$1.00.
 - Quilted Botees, hand-made, pink-and-white or blue-and-white, 35c to \$1.85.
 - Quilted Robes, plain or flower embroidered; pink or blue, \$5.25 to \$9.50.
 - Carriage Robes of quilted Japanese silk crepe, flower embroidered, \$7.50 and \$8.00.
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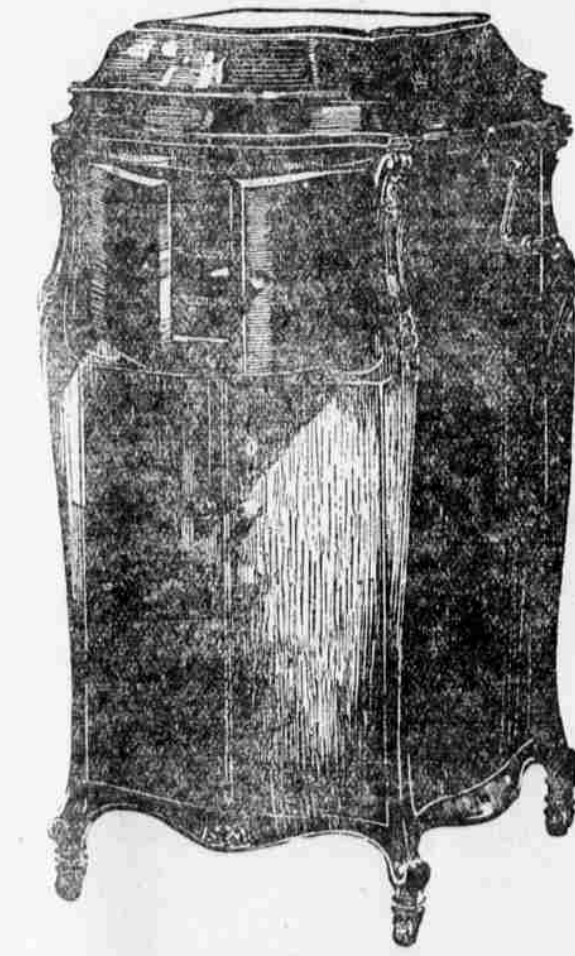
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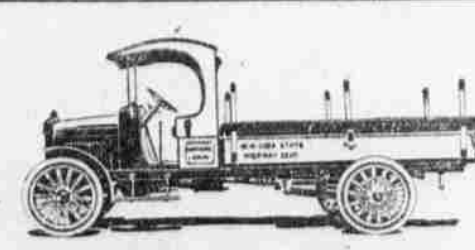


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