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HOG ISLAND SHIPS INCLUDED IN SALE

Fifty Hulls, Now in Wet Basin. Among the 200 to Be Disposed of

PRICE IS FIXED AT \$75,000

Fifty hulls, which have been lying in the wet basin at Hog Island for months, are included in 200 wooden hulls that the government will sell, according to an announcement by C. H. S. Rollason, manager of the supply and sales division of the United States Shipping Board, Emergency Fleet.

Sale of the ships will mark the end of the wooden ship construction program of the government. It will be the largest single sale of ships in history.

The hulls at Hog Island are all of the Ferris type, and of 3500 tons. All most of the 200 hulls are of the same type as those which will be sold here. Sales will begin immediately at eight different yards in the United States.

The statement issued by Mr. Rollason says: "After a thorough study of the conditions, both from the viewpoint of the United States Shipping Board, Emergency Fleet Corporation, and that of the possible buyer of skin tonnage, the sales committee of the corporation has recommended, and Vice President Ackerman has approved, the price of \$75,000 each for Ferris hulls, the type of which we have the most available for sale. This price applies to the hulls now in the mooring basins in their present state of completion, and it is on the bare hull basis. Any equipment now on the hulls will be paid for in accordance with an appraisal under our standard bill of materials for such equipment."

"To purchasers of hulls, who so desire, we will sell equipment at such prices that we estimate Ferris hulls can be finished as steamers for \$230,000, or \$85.71 per deadweight ton, which should be attractive, in view of the present prices for complete vessels."

SKULL FRACTURED BY CAR

Woman Unconscious Ten Hours Before Being Identified in Hospital

Sophie Gabunska, thirty-four years old, Thompson street near Lehigh avenue, in unconscious in the Samaritan Hospital after being struck by a trolley car on Twenty-second street near Indiana avenue last night.

She was taken to the hospital, where she remained for more than ten hours before the form in the factory in which she was employed identified her. Her skull is fractured.

Frederick Gordon, twenty-two years old, 2815 Kircbridge street, notorman of the car, was released by the police on his own recognizance, after witnesses told Magistrate Price that the woman walked directly in front of the car and Gordon had made every effort to stop the vehicle.

JEWS ORGANIZE CAMPAIGN

War Relief Canvass Among Professional Men to Be Planned

The part to be taken in the Jewish war relief campaign among medical and allied professions will be discussed tomorrow night at campaign headquarters, 1419 Spruce street. It has been called by Dr. S. Solis-Cohen.

Under the direction of Mrs. Jerome H. Leuchem, chairman of the committee on women's activities, the various organizations of women workers are being completed. Between 200 and 250 women are expected to meet tomorrow afternoon at campaign headquarters at the request of Mrs. Augustus A. Eschner, "general" for the South Philadelphia district.

Similar progress is being reported by all the other organizations affiliated with the campaign.

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TRAGEDY VICTIMS BORNE TO GRAVES

Funeral Services Held for Four of Mummies' Party Killed by Train

DEATH TOLL NOW SIXTEEN

Hundreds of persons, many of them friends and neighbors of the dead men, crowded the streets today in the neighborhood of churches from which funeral services were held for the victims of the Clark's-boro tragedy.

The death toll in the accident was increased to sixteen early today when Frank Wernuth, twenty-three years old, 218 West Glenwood avenue, succumbed to injuries. Mr. Wernuth, whose skull was fractured, died in the Cooper Hospital, Camden.

In St. Casimir's Catholic Church, Sixth and Fogg streets, at ten o'clock, a solemn requiem mass was celebrated for Louis Hunter, twenty-six years old, 5435 North Phillip street. The church was thronged and in the street nearly 3000 persons assembled.

Club Members in Crowd

In the crowd were members of the Glen Social Club, to which belonged passengers on the motor truck which was struck by a train at Clark's-boro Saturday night. Friends of the dead man, fellow workmen and neighbors, many of them sobbing, gathered to pay him a last tribute as his body was borne out of the church for burial. Last night similar scenes were enacted this afternoon, when three more victims of the accident were buried. Last night more than 1000 persons viewed the body of William H. D'Avitt, 808 East Cornwallis street, who was buried today. Funeral services were conducted at his home by the Rev. George B. Matthews, of St. Louis's Protestant Episcopal Church, Emerald and Stella streets. Interment was in Northwood Cemetery.

Six friends of the dead man, who had known him since boyhood, were pallbearers. Friends and neighbors composed a crowd in front of the home. Hunter is survived by his mother, a brother and two sisters, with one of whom, Mrs. Lester Stradling, he had lived.

A. J. Friend Is Buried

From an undertaking establishment the body of August J. Friend, in a closed casket, was taken to his home, 2409 North Third street, at noon. Later services were conducted by the Rev. J. W. Klingler, pastor of the German Reformed Church, Fourth and Fairmount avenues. Interment was in Greenmount Cemetery. He is survived by his parents and a brother and sister.

MICE BLAMED FOR FIRE

Damage of \$400 Caused When Pests Gnaw Matches in Closet

Mice are blamed for a fire which started this morning in the home of Mrs. Charles Fell, 4546 North Nineteenth street. Clothing valued at \$400 was destroyed.

Schweinitz to Address Teachers

Karl de Schweinitz, secretary of the Organized Charities of Philadelphia, will deliver an address on "Other People," at the November meeting of the Teachers' Club tomorrow evening in the Widener branch of the Free Library, at Broad street and Girard avenue.

SHALL WOMEN BE MINISTERS? QUESTION FOR PRESBYTERIANS

Committee Will Obtain Opinions on All Phases of Issue and Report Findings to Assembly

Shall women have equal rights with men or be classed as mere women? That is the question Presbyterianism of the country will soon be asked to decide.

The questions to be decided are whether women shall be ordained to the ministry of the church, and whether women shall have the same rights as men in the sessions, presbyteries, synods and assemblies of the church.

These questions were propounded to the general assembly of the Presbyterian Church by three presbyteries and were referred to a special committee on official relations of women in the church. This committee consists of the Rev. S. Hall Young, chairman, New York; the Rev. Edgar W. Work, New York; the Rev. William L. Barrett, Bellefontaine; O. J. John T. Manson, New Haven, Conn.; and Rush Taggart, New York.

Named by Moderator. The committee was appointed by Dr. John Willis Baver, moderator of the Presbyterian Church, in accordance with the action of the last general assembly. The Rev. W. H. Roberts, of this city, stated clerk of the general assembly, is ex-officio clerk of the committee. The committee has delegated to Dr.

ACCUSE THREE OF ROBBERY

Captured After Attempt to Loot Downtown Warehouse

Two of four men, said to have been detected on the roof of a warehouse early today, were captured in an alley after police had searched the neighborhood in a heavy rain. A third man was arrested at his home.

An investigation, the police assert, showed that entrance had been forced into the warehouse of the Penn Purchasing and Sales Co., Catharine street above Front. Merchandise valued at \$800 had been handled up and preparations had been made to lower it from the roof.

The same warehouse was robbed last Sunday of goods valued at \$3000. The three prisoners, charged with forcing entry into the Penn place, said they were Edward Dalena, Scanlon street near Catharine; Michael Zarnow, carpenter street above Second; and John Miller, Pemberton street above Third.

They were held in \$1000 bail each by Magistrate Imber. A fourth man escaped.

35 WORKMEN HELD UP

Witness Notifies Sheriff, Who Nabs Four Philadelphians

Four Philadelphians held up thirty-five workmen engaged in building a state road in Cecil county, Maryland, and robbed them of \$463, according to charges. While they were robbing their victims unopposed for the sheriff, who with a number of deputies hurried to the scene and arrested the four.

The robbery took place at Liberty Grove, Md. The bandits arrived there on a train Monday night, walked into a house on the edge of the town where the workmen are quartered and, revolvers in hand, lined the men against a wall and robbed them.

The accused men, who are in the Elkton jail awaiting trial, are John Pell, Parrish street near Second; Nick Kelly, Seventh street near Bainbridge; Sebastian Desca, Thirtieth street near Allegheny avenue; and Saverio Teio, Eleventh street near South. The workmen's money was found concealed in their clothes.

THREE THIEVES LOOT HOME

Husband and Wife Held at Bay, \$235 and Jewels Taken

Answering a ring of the doorbell early today, Mrs. Louis Roberts, 1321 North Morvino street, was confronted by three men, who forced their way into the house. One threatened her with a revolver. The others went to a room on the third floor, where one forced Mrs. Roberts's husband to hold up his hands, threatening him with a revolver.

The third man ransacked the room, took \$235, a ring worth \$450, a scarf-pin valued at \$200 and other jewelry, according to a story told police of the eighth and Jefferson streets station by Roberts. The three then hurried away in an automobile, he said.

COULDN'T GET JAG ON 2.75 BEER HERE

Professors Hare and Marshall File Affidavits in St. Louis Test Case

EXPERIMENTS ON STUDENTS

Affidavits of two college professors of this city contending that 2.75 per cent beer is not intoxicating, were among those filed in the United States District Court in St. Louis today, when five suits brought by brewing interests of that city were called for trial before Judge Pollock. The brewers are seeking to restrain federal agents from enforcing the wartime prohibition act.

Dr. Hobart Amory Hare, professor in the Jefferson Medical College, and Dr. John Marshall, of the University of Pennsylvania, are the Philadelphians whose affidavits were filed.

The most interesting of the tests were performed by Doctor Marshall in the Hare laboratory at the University of Pennsylvania. The professor selected three students from the university medical school and had them drink, for the purpose of the experiment, the maximum quantity of the 2.75 per cent beer their stomachs would hold.

A feeling of fullness of the stomach was experienced after drinking the beer. Doctor Marshall's affidavit nauses or dizziness, and their mental faculties were perfectly clear throughout the experiment. They showed no unsteadiness of gait when they walked.

After the tests the three students

walked a chalk line, went to their classes and acted like normal human beings in every respect.

Tests taken of their blood were analyzed to determine its alcoholic content. None of the blood showed an alcoholic content of more than 7-200ths of 1 per cent. The fact has been established that blood must contain a percentage of slightly less than one-thirtieth of 1 per cent to produce intoxication.

Doctor Hare expressed the opinion in his affidavit that a man cannot drink enough 2.75 per cent beer to have in his system at any one moment any more alcohol than the body can dispose of normally.

CLEAR SKIES AND COOLER

Weatherman Predicts Seasonable Elements After Freak Thunderstorm

Clear skies and low temperature greeted Philadelphia today after the freak midsummer thunderstorm last evening. The prospect for today is fine weather, with seasonable temperatures—just cold enough to make overcoats and a fire in the heater popular.

Thousands of persons who went downtown last evening to get the election returns were drenched by the rain. It came unexpectedly and the salvo of heavy thunderpeals was followed by a cold, drenching rain. The storm broke so suddenly that many persons had not time to reach shelter before the rainfall began.

SHIP LINE GAINS MARKET

Houses in South America Handle Philadelphia Goods

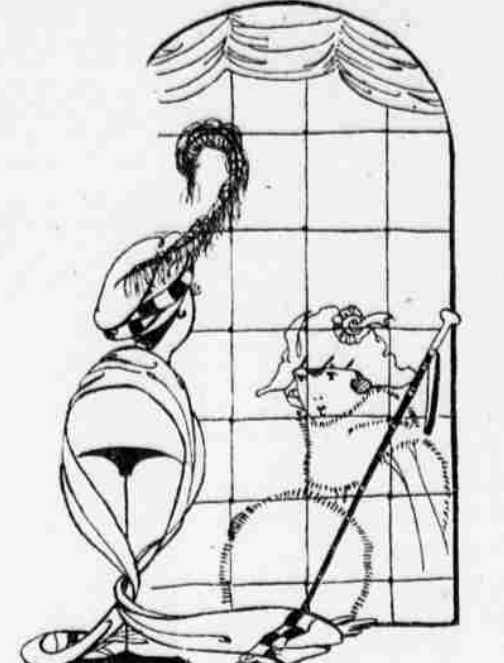
Establishment of direct steamship communication between Philadelphia and Argentina, through the instrumentality of the Chamber of Commerce, has been the direct cause of the opening in Buenos Aires and Montevideo of commission houses to handle Philadelphia-made goods in that country.

One of the largest of these concerns, which heretofore has handled European goods exclusively, has asked the foreign trade bureau of the Chamber of Commerce to put it in touch with Philadelphia manufacturers who want to obtain representation in the Argentine Republic.

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Please bear in mind another point, too—we are a one-price store; no other patron can buy the Hat you are looking at for a lower price than you. There are some shops where the saleswoman is authorized to sell at \$22.50 if she cannot get the marked price of \$25.00, and if the customer is still obdurate an appeal to some one higher in authority oftentimes brings the cost down to \$20.00 or \$18.00. It is the old principle of *casus captor*, "let the buyer beware." Our prices are based on the actual cost of materials and workmanship plus a fair merchandising profit.

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- At \$18.00, many styles—two models we particularly wish to mention; one a Stitched Velvet Hat which is given a final touch by the large pin thrust jauntily through the brim; the other, a Close-fitting Silk Beaver with blonde feather in flame color.
- At \$20.00, wonderful variety; we have space to speak of only one—a Draped Velvet Hat in taupe with glycerine ostrich feather in sand color.
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Other grades of Wool Blankets at \$10.50, \$12.00, \$15.00 and \$18.00 pair.

Cotton-filled Comforts, silklike coverings in Persian designs—\$4.50, \$6.50, \$8.00, \$12.00 and \$15.00 each.

Wool-filled Comforts, silk damask and poplin coverings—\$25.00, \$35.00, \$45.00 and \$48.00 each.

Crinkled Dimity Spreads—\$3.25 for single-bed size; \$3.85 for double-bed size.

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