

### OCEAN CO. GAS RATE BOOSTED TO \$1.70

Utility Commission Refuses to Allow \$2.05 Asked by Company—Fixes New Price

### CHANGES ARE ALLOWED

Trenton, Nov. 14.—In allowing the Ocean County Gas Co. to put into effect rates for gas lower than that petitioned for by the company, the Public Utility Commission in a memorandum handed down here declared it was satisfied that the company requires additional revenue in order that it may continue to function. After dismissing the original petition of the gas company the board gave it permission to put into effect a modified schedule.

Under the decision of the board the Ocean county concern will be permitted to charge at the rate of \$1.70 a thousand cubic feet for metered gas, less a discount of five cents, and \$1.45 a thousand cubic feet for gas furnished the Tuckerton Gas Co., together with fixed service charges heretofore allowed by the commission.

Heretofore the company charged at the rate of \$1.55 a thousand cubic feet, less a discount for prompt payment. In its petition the company asked permission to charge at the rate of \$2.05 a thousand cubic feet to all gas consumers for domestic purposes and \$1.45 for gas furnished the Tuckerton concern.

In support of its petition the company set forth that the territory served is sparsely settled and consequently the cost of distribution is large in comparison with other companies serving more densely populated communities. The character of consumption, it was shown by the company, is that of a seasonal resort, because many customers take gas only during the summer months and this necessitates a larger plant, in proportion, than if the consumption throughout the season was more nearly an average.

Increased cost of labor and material, together with the cost of an additional gas holder and larger generating plant, recommended to be installed by the board, together with the cost of meters for the new customers which would approximate \$45,000, were other reasons assigned in asking for an increase in rates.

After showing that the company has installed a larger boiler and blower set, thereby increasing the capacity of the generators now in place, the board concluded the installation of the new apparatus will be held in abeyance until May 25, 1920, when it will be determined after hearing what further action will be taken with respect to the character of service afforded by the company.

### WOMEN ASK LEAGUE SEAT

Miss Taft Named for Secretary of National Council

St. Louis, Nov. 14.—The National Council of Women, in session here, passed a resolution asking that Mrs. Philip N. Moore, of St. Louis, president of the council, be appointed one of the three representatives of the United States on the league of nations. Miss Margaretta Neale, of the Department of Labor, said national employment agencies under direction of the government, were among the nation's greatest needs.

Mrs. Josephus Daniels, wife of the secretary of the navy, was nominated third vice president, and Miss Helen Taft was nominated recording secretary.

### RESTRAIN POLICE IN STRIKE

Not Permitted to Interfere With Jersey City Workers

Jersey City, Nov. 14.—An order was granted by Vice Chancellor Stevenson restraining the Jersey City police force from interfering with Swift & Co. in the employment of workers to replace strikers at its plant. The police, it was said, have refused to permit strikers to replace 500 striking meat handlers, whose principal demand is recognition of the union.

A similar condition existed, it was said, at the plant of Armour & Co., where about the same number of men are on strike.

### SENTENCE REDS' CHAMPION

Paterson Man is Sent to Jail for One Year

Paterson, N. J., Nov. 14.—Expression of approval at the shooting of ex-servicemen in the Annapolis Bay parade in Central Park, Wash., brought William Bidzeger, a German, a sentence of one year in the Passaic county jail. His plea when arraigned that he did not intend his remarks to be taken seriously availed him nothing.

### HOLDINGS OF MEAT GAIN IN JERSEY

State's Storage Warehouses Had 20,092,217 Pounds at End of Month

### BUTTER SUPPLY DECREASES

Trenton, Nov. 14.—There were 20,092,217 pounds of fresh meats in cold storage warehouses in New Jersey at the close of last month, as shown in a bulletin issued by the state Department of Health. This is an increase of approximately 4,500,000 pounds over the amount of fresh meats in storage for the preceding month. With the exception of cheese, fresh fish and miscellaneous products, which showed slight increase, all other articles in storage indicated a decrease as compared with September.

At the close of last month there were 2,250,928 pounds of fresh fish in storage, as against 1,874,320 for the month of September. At the close of last month there were 2,443,330 pounds of cheese and during September 2,253,325 pounds. In September the amount of butter in storage was 7,103,334 pounds, while at the close of last month the supply of this commodity decreased to 6,157,470 pounds. Other articles in storage at the close of last month were as follows: Eggs, 381,004 cases; eggs, broken, 236,655 pounds; poultry, 2,217,208 pounds; milk and milk products, 597,571 pounds; edible fats and oils, 2,084,449; game, 103,514 pounds; and 178,509 miscellaneous packages.

### NEW OFFICERS CHOSEN

Mrs. T. S. Chambers Elected President of Old Barracks Association

Trenton, Nov. 14.—Election of officers featured the annual meeting of the Old Barracks Association here yesterday. The following were elected: President, Mrs. Thomas Stricker; first vice president, Mrs. Cleveland Wilson; second vice president, Mrs. William S. Stricker; third vice president, Mrs. Hugh H. Hamill; secretary, Mrs. H. M. Voorhees; treasurer, Mrs. Edwin Robert Walker. Members chosen to serve on the board of trustees are as follows: Mrs. James B. Brees, Mrs. S. M. Dickinson, Miss Lillian P. Montgomery, Mrs. Junius Morgan, of Princeton; Mrs. Bayard Stockton, Princeton; Mrs. William E. Green, Miss Bessie Van Sickle, Mrs. John A. Montgomery, Miss Caroline E. Nixon, Mrs. Frank S. Katzenbach, Jr., and Mrs. Charles E. Gummere.

### MOTHERS' CONGRESS MEETS

Cumberland County Council Has Session in Vineland; Officers Elected

Vineland, N. J., Nov. 14.—The Cumberland county council of the New Jersey Congress of Mothers, with sixteen parent-teacher associations of the county in attendance, met here in the high school building. Mrs. A. F. Metzger, the chairman, addressed the meeting on the work and urged all teachers to co-operate with the county society. The officers elected were Mrs. Leonard Mowbray, Bridgeton, president; George Thomas, Millsville, vice president; Mrs. John O. Shaw, Bridgeton, secretary; Mrs. H. S. Newcomb, Vineland, treasurer. The next session is to be held in Fairton in December.

### MAYOR IS BIBLE TEACHER

Haddon Heights Official Re-elected to Church Post for Fourth Year

Haddon Heights, N. J., Nov. 14.—Mayor William J. Dallas was elected teacher of the men's Bible class of the Methodist Episcopal Sunday school for the fourth consecutive year. He has one of the largest Bible classes in this district. Frank Rolley entertained the class in his home and these nominations were made: Dr. Cromwell Ironsides, for president; Frank Adams, vice president; S. L. Harmon, secretary, and G. D. Atkins, treasurer. Dr. John Watchorn, of Philadelphia, will deliver a lecture in the church November 23 on "Some Comparisons of the Great World War."

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