### EVENING PUBLIC LEDGER-PHILADELPHIA, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1919

PHILA. OFFICER AND SURPRISE BRIDE

# SPROUL SUGGESTS **PLANS FOR DRYDOCK**

State and City Might Finance Project, He Says, but Favors **Private Capital** 

### NOT SO SURE OF HOG ISLAND

Philadelphia's efforts to provide dry-docks for the vessels coming to this port will receive all possible support from Governor Sprout. He said today that the question of drydocks on the beiaware river had cugaared his atten-tion for some time. "I have wanted to see a drydock built at Chester," said Governor Sprout, "but the great cost of such undertaking has been a barrier. "The state and city might units in providing finals for the building of drydocks at Philadelphia, but I would much rather see the project carried out

nuch rather see the project carried out by private enterprise. The great ship-building companies in and around Phil-

erolain might unite in building the drydocks.

timonial Dinner A dinner in honor of Dr. Wilmer Krusen, retiring director of the De-artment of Public Health and Chari-ics, at the Bellevue-Startford had night, was attended by 500 of Doctor generative factors.

DIrector of Public Health Given Tes-

night, was attended by 500 of Doctor-Krusen's friends. Dr. Hobart A. Hare was the teast-master. The speakers were Dr. W. W. Keen, Mrs. J. Willis Martin, Judge George B. Orlady, Dr. G. Harlan Wells, Dr. Edward P. Davis, Dr. Russell H. Conwell, Dr. Joseph H. Krauskopf and Doctor Krusen. Doctor Krusen

DOCTOR KRUSEN HONORED

All the speakers emphasized the value of Doctor Krusen's public serv-MANY FANTASTIC COSTUMES

Is Exemplified

**CENSUS TAKERS INCLUDE WOMEN** 

Widows of Soldiers Are Given Preference, as Are Veterans

of the Great War

wenning in the tall grass. The cricketers had a night off from the hearths and were chirping for more lazz. And every hug present joined

<text> into the city treasuries 5 per cent of their receipts. The penalty for the violation of this law is a fine of \$100. Since the zone system was adopted by the Public Service Railway great numbers of jitneys and motorbuses have sprung into use. Workmen using these in going to and from the shipyards are forming clubs and hiring the motorcars, but the Cam-hen and flowcester authorities say that this evasion of the state law will not

AT BRILLIANT BALL Everything From Grasshopper Hop to Bees' Knees Shiver, The art bugs and the "shimmy" bugs The art bugs and the "shimmy" bugs and the chain or greden variety of bugs all crawled out for the big bug ball at the Philadelphia Academy of the Fine Arts hist night and an entomo-logical accening was had by all. The bees' knews trembled, the wise little ants jazzed around and the spider shook an antenna with the fly. And the ladybugs-Oh, Lady' Ladybug! The ballroom of the Academy was mainted and decorated as a sort of im-pressionjstic garden with immense chickens and waving blades of grass the size of trees all along the walls. the size of trees all along the walls, It gave the dancers an idea of how a lock of bugs feel when out for a big

Bluecoats' Unusual Methods Rouse Woodland Avenue Veterinarian to Sense of Danger

POLITE POLICEMEN

**GIVE FIRE ALARM** 

### ROUGHER ATTEMPTS FAIL

"Your house is on fire, sir, and we thought perhaps you would like to know about it."

Two police patrolmen, each with cap in hand, thus informed Dr. D. B. Fitzpatrick, a veterinarian, 3245 Woodland avenue, this morning of impending danger.

But before they could give the information it was necessary for the patrolmen to break several windows and

force open the front door. Doctor Fitzpatrick was indignant, the police say. He looked at the wreekage and declared it all unneces-sary. He contended there was a lot of sary. He contended there was a lot of undue excitement, as the fire was on the exterior of the house. Before breaking the door the patrol-

men first threw stores at the windows, shouled and cut all sorts of capers to nwaken the physician. According to Patrolinau Mulholland, all these antics were of no avail. There was no sound within. Nothing could be heard but the crackling flames, which were encir-cling a front window. Incidentally passersby looked on and gave no end of used to be a source of the nen first threw stones at the windows

Therefore thinking it would be unwise to write the doctor a letter about the fire or inform him through an ordi nance of City Conneils, Mulholland and his partner decided to force the door. It gave way after repeated assaults or MAKES PLEA FOR LOYALTY

t made by the patrolmen, both of whom re of heavy displacement. The fire caused a small loss. It was

believed to have been started by a rette thrown on the window sill by a

Elizabethtown, Pa., Dec. 31. Five rear-old Faul Farhart, residing on the c. M. Grave farm with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Earhart, about one mile north of this borough, was shot and instantly killed late yesterday aft-ernoon by Paul Wickenheisen, seven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Stoner Wickenheisen a mainther

Wickenheisen, a neighbor. The shooting occurred while the boys were playing with a revolver they sup-posed was not loaded. Pointing it at Earthart young Wickenheisen asked, "Shall I pull the trigger?" "It's not loaded." his playmate answered, and Wickenheisen fixed.

brated the occasion by having the mem-bers of his family present. Conse-quently it is considered improbable that he will hold a watch party in his sick-

oom tonight. Mr. and Mrs. Francis B. Sayre, who came to the White House for the Presilent's birthday, are expected to remain over New Year's Day.

40,000 Will Continue Free Employment SUES IN CLARKSBORO CRASH

HITS BALL PLAN Condition of highways this morning as reported by United States Weather Bureau, co-operating with the State Highway De-Doylestown Residents in Quan-Lincoln Highway (Trenton to dary Whether to Attend Cos-

Chambersburg); Fair to good; yes-terday's snow now partly melted and the rest on the rondway will virtually disappear before night. William Penn Highway (Easton WATCH SERVICE COMPETES to Chambersburg): Conditions sim-ilar to these on Loncoln Highway. Only a few drifts, and these will be cleared away today. That is the question confronting

**Condition** of Highways

partment:

**Reported Fair to Good** 

Philadelphia and Reading Pike: Fair to good : somewhat more snow Dovlestown residents in regard to the oward Reading. grand ball scheduled for the armory Lancaster and Harrisburg Pike; tonight. Mostly good surface, considerable

For the social upheaval caused by snow remaining, though not enough to hinder traffic anywhere. the selection of an upper "forty-five" of the town's exclusive society has Forecast for Tomorrow "gummed" the plans. Some of those

The weather will be warmer with selected feel that they should not assoprobably rain, which will cause unciate with the rest of the townsfolks. improved roads to become more muddy. Winds will increase tonight while others not selected are peeved and also are expected to try the absent. and continue brisk on Thursday.



Association Should Watch

Conduct of Instructors

Doylestown More Exclusive "New York has its 400," one native said today, "and we have our 'forty-Dr. Chambers, of Penn, Says five.' That makes Doylestown society about nine times more exclusive than the big city's.''

ELITE '45' ATTACK

tume Event Tonight

"To be or not to be."

the big city's." And on top of all the other criticism heaped upon the unfortunates picked by the eptimistic author, the Rev. C. W. Haines, pastor of the First Baptist Church, threatens to preach another sermon on "Doylestown's Forty-five." The costume ball at the armory to-A commission on professional ethics

will be named to operate under the Pennsylvania State Educational Asso-ciption if the averaging on the common people knew of the existence of the select few, that is as a separate division of town ciation, if the association accepts the life, suggestion of George Gailey Chambers, Hodges Backs From Limelight

BUT KILLS PLAYMATE Pulls Trigger of Pistol, Believing Weapon Not Loaded Filizabathtory Pa

one of the sessions of the state asso-ciation's convention. The commission. explained Doctor Chambers, would arrange for nuy in-vestigations deemed necessary and study the various problems of profes-sional ethics arising from time to time. "It is the duty of every member of the profession in a scheel system to rec-or of excluding any ether persons," he can be added as the based of the board.

of directors, and to be loyal to its policies," Doctor Chambers said in his outline of ethics. He also said the teachers should demand compensation that would enable them to give the most

Earnart young Wickenheisen asked. "Shall I pull the trigger?" "It's not loaded." his playmate answered, and wickenheisen fired.
The ball entered Earnart's head at the temple. He staggered forward after the state of central High School and in the William Penn High School and High School and in the William Penn High School and in the William Penn High School and the schools, were the ball as a New Year's Eve attraction. Today's general session of the construct the schools were the ball as a New Year's Eve attraction. School and in pennet the pennet at the the school and the school and the school and the school and the schol and the school and the school and the school and the schoo

### HAMILTON AGAIN IN COURT GLENSIDE HOUSE LOOTED

Spanish Wife Asks Support Pending Thieves Get \$1000 in Jewels and Legal Separation

Money as Family Dines The matrimonial career of Arthur Money and jewelry amounting to nearly \$1000 were stolen from the home of Ernest Klabe, north of Glenside, ac-George J. Gould, has dragged him into

The wake of the biomeral Council Age of the second and second and the acceleration of the guests of the Thirts during and second and the acceleration of the guests of the Thirts during and second and the acceleration of the resolution to have the the the second and the new second the maximum the second and the new second the maximum the second and the new second the the the there are acceleration of the plane the the the the the second and the new second the new second the the the there are acceleration of the plane the the the there are acceleration of the plane the the the there are acceleration of the plane the the there are acceleration of the second the the there are acceleration of the plane the there are acceleration of the plane the the there are acceleration of the plane the there are acceleration of the plane the there are acceleration of the plane the the acceleration and the there are acceleration and the there are acceleration at the the acceleration at the the acceleration at the acceleration at the the there are acceleration at the the acceleration at the acceleration

Connelly III at Hot Springs
City Solicitor John P. Connelly is the fact springs. Ya., where he is the screen. For "Silent John" to get the monday after Christmas and wns was advised by his physician to go to talk was undered of. He was advised by his physician to go to talk was undered of. He was advised by his physician to go to talk was undered of. He was undered of the measure to have the city pay for this feast." Conference cheers and cries of "Lank to talk was undered of. He was undered of. He was undered of the measure to talk was undered of. He was undered of the measure to talk was undered of. He was undered of the measure to talk was undered of. He was undered of the measure to talk was undered of. He was undered of the measure to talk was undered of. He was undered of the measure to talk was undered of. He was undered of the measure to talk was undered of. He was undered of the measure to talk was undered of. "All right, John," said the anniable Joe, "out with it."
"What I want to say," said John, "be light were put out. But shortly before 2 o'clock, from behind the screen, "and the tal."

The wake of the bicameral Council up and give the speaker. I mean the

Cheers for Land "And I want to say further that I, was against Mayor Smith, when he vetoed the measure to have the city pay for this feast," continued the speaker, (Voelferous cheers and cries of "Lank for userident.") Hughes Wins at Australian Polis Melbourne, Australia, Dec. SI.—(By A. P.)—Returns received to date from the Australian elections indicate that the Australian elections indicate

NEW KIND OF HEADACHE Booze Not the Only Cause of Dark-Brown Taste "O-o-o-o-h, my h-e-a-dl" The peach melha hound turned rest-lessly in his bed this morning. He reached for the pitcher of ice watur, drank some, poured the rest on his head and then sat up. "O-o-o-h," he murmured, "and another big party on tonight. Booze was ensy compared to the things I

the government.

"Oh, and I gotta take her out to-night, New Year's Eve, with melba, at forty per and banana splits bringing

thirty five on the open market. Bring istrate Campbell,

Complain of Telephone Service<br/>Coatesville, Dec. 31. - One hundred<br/>and thirty five subscribers to a com-<br/>plaint against service rendered by the<br/>Southern Telephone and Telegraph Co.<br/>operating in this county and southern<br/>Tancaster county, have asked the Pub-<br/>the Service Commission to permit the<br/>Hell Telephone Co. to take over the<br/>defined the root the colors, hoys," speeches, with<br/>of the subscribers."Come back and hit one, John ; you"in<br/>feel better."Huntingdon Club in New Year season at the Hunt-<br/>indon Valley Country Club at Noble,<br/>and guests-newspanermen were barred<br/>out and began one of his "site<br/>to the colors, hoys," speeches, with<br/>southern Tancaster were placing to the subscribers."Come back and hit one, John ; you"in<br/>feel better."Huntingdon Club in New Year season at the Hunt-<br/>indon Valley Country Club at Noble,<br/>and guests-newspanermen were barred<br/>to the colors, hoys," speeches, with<br/>souther the root were placing to the out the colors, hoys," speeches, with<br/>to the colors, hoys," speeches, with<br/>senator Vare placing the part of the<br/>colors, when John McKinler, soled<br/>to the colors, hoys," speeches, with<br/>senator Vare placing the part of the<br/>colors, hoys," speeches, with<br/>senator Vare placing the part of the<br/>colors, hoys," speeches, with<br/>senator Vare placing the part of the<br/>was against Mayor Smith, when the was the was the say further that I<br/>was against Mayor Smith, when the the speeches, the speeches, when sole the was against Mayor Smith, when the the speeches, the speeches, when sole the was against Mayor Smith, when the the speeches, the speeches, the speeches, when sole the system of the system of the committee.Hughes Wins at Australian Pain<br/>the committee of the speeches, when sole the system of the committee.Connelly III at Hot SpringsConnelly III at Hot SpringsConnelly III at Hot Spring

### H. A. Van Gilder, Banker, Dies

Business Men Offer Prizes Prizes for New Year's Day paraders amounting to \$250 will be awarded to morrow by the South Second Street Rusiness Men S. Association. The pa-rade line on South Second street, will eitend from Christian to Tasker street. <sup>11</sup>What I wanted to say, " said Johu, <sup>14</sup>w that. <sup>15</sup>w that. <sup>15</sup>w that. <sup>15</sup>w that. <sup>15</sup>w that. <sup>15</sup>w that. <sup>15</sup>w tha

Monotype Directors Fete Employes A dinner was given by the president ad board of directors of the Lanston

Hit Wife With Jug, Police Say

Monotype Co. to the executive, sales and manufacturing departments of the company in the Hotel Rittenhouse yes-terday. H. D. Best, assistant to the During a quarrel at his home, Fred Husse, 627 East Thompson street, struck his wife Melda on the head with president, was tonstmaster. Speakers were Robert H. Middleditch, William F. Fell, Wesley E. Conklin and Alestruck his wife Alcona on the head with a stone jug, according to the police, in-flicting serious injuries. Mrs. Hosse was taken to St. Mary's Hospital, Husse was arrested today and held in \$800 bail for a further hearing by Magjandro Garay.

\$1479 Surplus From Army Sales

HOTOGRAPHS

DEATHS

Don't Delay. Arrange for Your Sitting Today

IPP STUDIOS Open 1228 Market St. 1210 Chestnut St

The surplus from the cost price plus 10 µer cent overhead charges for gov-ernment food sold in the Gimbel stores was \$1479.36. A check was hunded by Mayor Smith to Doctor Krusen, of the Department of Health and Charities, where is untroduced to me it to add the TODAY'S MARRIAGE LICENSES

alter F. Riggins, Camden, N. J., and Kathleen Whitehead 2716 Poisson st. unnel R. Dyer, Consten, N. J., and Hilda who is "authorized to use it to aid the suffering wards of the city." The check was sent by Gimbels to Joseph S. Mac-Laughlin, head of the city market com-mission, who gave it to Mayor Smith. 8 Brangan, 3120 N Camao st., and theth L. Vokel. 2220 Christian at. Md S. George. Fort Sheridan, ID., Frances M. Schussler, 214 Bucking-place.

Steinhardt, 2010 Oxford st., and

Men's Hats

(63 South st. 1618 S. 23d st., and 2244 F st. 10711 st., and Dorothy 11 st. Locust st., and Helen in Rasper, in Rasper, on, 2542 Johnson, as. 1016 Lang.

ervine st. 13th st., and Elizabeth Velours, Derbys and softs, Remodeled into latest styles and re-trimmed equal to new . Tanner, 5010 dd Davis, 2141 ay, 2143 N 1 llam J. O'Hare, atharine J. Ka New York city, and 258 E. Willow Grove Jefferson Hat Co., 135 S. 10th St.

al M. Hamm

Camp D. Willow Grove Camp DIx, N. J., and 1512 N. 16th st. U. S. A. Fort Blias, b. 3906 N. Sth st. rr. Tex., and Blanche ston st. 1127 Green st. and 321 Baltimore ave. 5 15th st. and Edith beal st. ar, 277 W. Rittenhouse Zimmerman, 277 W.

Stalb, 2339 5th st., and Isabella

37 E. Buckius st., bell 3428 Lee st. . Sth st., and Anna

SUES IN CLARKSBORO CRASH The third suit for \$50,000 damages was filed today against the Pennsylvania gailescrossing accident of November 1 when sixteen Philadelphiana were killed. The suit today was entered for Cornelius Reagan, Sr., whose son was one of the social club members killed. Ma. and Mrs. Klabe heard a noise.

Cornelius Reagan, Sr., whose son was one of the social club members killed. INJURED MAN ASKS \$10,000 Joseph Gorman, 306 Mickle street, Camden, entered suit today against the Public Service Railways for \$10,000 was hit by a trolley car at the New York shipyard.

J.E. CALDWELL & Q. JEWELERS-SILVERSMITHS-STATIONERS

CHESTNUT AND JUNIPER STREETS

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It may be acquired in complete sets, or from time to time as expediency dictates.

Marmaret am Gotsdiny

returned to power with a strong nujor-ity. Returns indicate that the Nation-alists have secured thirty-eight sents in the House of Representatives, as against twenty-seven won by the Labor party.