

LEGION POST NO. 1 FORMED IN PARIS

Pennsylvania Soldier Brings Word, Calling It Inspiration to Men at Home

CLUBHOUSE DRIVE PLANNED

Post No. 1 of the American Legion has been organized in Paris. Probably from this similar organizations will develop in Trieste, Italy, Spain and Belgium.

Word of the Paris post was brought here yesterday by William Gabriel, of Norristown, a former lieutenant in the headquarters company of the Forty-first Division, later with the American Red Cross in Paris.

There have been inquiries from Trieste, Italy, Spain and Belgium. Reports at Paris post were also that Americans in Constantinople and the Far East were contemplating forming posts. There were rumors that a post was to be formed among the sanitary columns of the American volunteers in the Polish army.

If the men overseas are willing to form posts where there is such a limited scope of obtaining members, every town in the United States should have a post. So let each and every man who answered the call to the colors put his shoulder to the wheel, and at least start something toward forming a new post.

J. J. Barry Post No. 83 of the Forty-sixth ward is preparing for the drive for \$75,000 to erect a memorial building in honor of the slain men of the ward. The following committees have been announced: Ways and means, chairman, T. F. Meehan; building, chair-

man, L. M. Miller; team, fifty-eight divisions, chairman, H. J. McCarty; industrial, chairman, S. Goldtharp; printing and publicity, chairman, W. B. Hall, Jr.; entertainment, W. J. Harty and E. G. Goldberg; band, N. Elbertson; exhibits and parade, E. H. Brown; membership, R. L. Briggs. It is proposed that this clubhouse will be constructed with such facilities that it will be self-sustaining. As planned, the new home will contain an auditorium appropriate for large meetings.

Sergeant Harry Ireland Post No. 218, American Legion, gave a musical smoker Monday evening in their rooms, 1616 Arch street. Members of the Joseph Vassella Post No. 277, known as the musical post of the American Legion, presented a varied entertainment.

HELD ON ASSAULT CHARGE

Defendant Accused of Trying to Choke Patrolman

Magistrate Oswald, at the Twentieth and Berks streets station, this morning held Michael Lerner, Twentieth street above Diamond, in \$500 bail for court, charged with assault and battery.

Patrolman Hugh Boyce attempted to arrest Lerner at the latter's boarding place last night after Lerner had attempted to break into the room of the boarding house proprietress, Mrs. Mamie Elber, police say.

While Boyce was attempting to telephone for a patrol Lerner is alleged to have jumped on the patrolman and tried to choke him. The patrolman finally used his mace on the prisoner, who was treated at the Woman's Homeopathic Hospital, and later taken to the station house.

Car Jumps Switch; One Hurt

Windows were smashed, passengers shaken up and one man received a fracture of both legs last night when a northbound car from League Island jumped the switch at Thirteenth and Porter streets. Frank Pigozala, a sailor on the battleship Connecticut, is the injured man. He was taken to the Methodist Hospital.

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Six Important Events in the Subway Store for Thursday

Japanese Grass Rugs Under Half Price

About a carload of them. They got slightly wet coming from Japan and we had them assorted—those little hurt brought to Philadelphia.

Some are not hurt at all—some have little dingy spots which amount to nothing. Over eight hundred (884) of them in all—

- 9x12 feet \$5.25
- 8x10 feet \$4
- 6x9 feet \$2.75
- 54x90 inches . . . \$1.75
- 36x72 inches . . . \$1
- 27x54 inches65

All are figured in green, brown or blue. Fine for porches and bungalows. Japanese grass "runners" for halls and stairs, 27-in., 45c yd.; 36-in., 50c yd. Water-damaged as the rugs. Not enough for us to accept mail or telephone orders. In addition—

1000 Willow Grass Rugs at Half Price

54x90 in., Plain, \$3.75
54x90 in., Figured, \$4.25

Axminster Rugs, 9x12 ft., \$45

Some are cross-seamed, some have little weaving irregularities—but nothing to hurt the wear. All in all, a feast of floor coverings—
Wool and Fiber Rugs—9x12 ft., at \$9.50 to \$19.75; 8.3x10.6 ft. at \$13.50 to \$18.75; 6x9 ft., at \$6.50 to \$12.75. Worth a third more.
Tapestry Brussels Rugs, 9x12 ft., at \$21.75.
Seamless Velvet Rugs, 9x12 ft., at \$36.50.
Colonial Rag Rugs, 9x12 ft., at \$15; 8x10 ft., at \$13.50.
27x72-inch Axminster Rugs, special at \$4.75.

Linoleums and "New Process" Floor Coverings

Savings run from third to more than half—

- Inlaid Linoleum, \$1.50 sq. yd.
- Heavy Cork Linoleum, remnants, yard wide, 40c sq. yd.
- New Process, felt base, seconds—6x7½ ft. and 6x9 ft., choice at \$2.50.
- New Process, large assortment, at 50c sq. yd.
- New Process, long remnants, at 40c sq. yd.
- New Process, yard wide, very special at 25c sq. yd.

All in all, a feast of floor coverings—
Fiber Carpet, 27 inches wide, at 35c a yard.
Tapestry Brussels Stair Carpet, at 75c a yard. Jute face.
Velvet Stair Carpet, at \$1.35 a yard. Jute face.

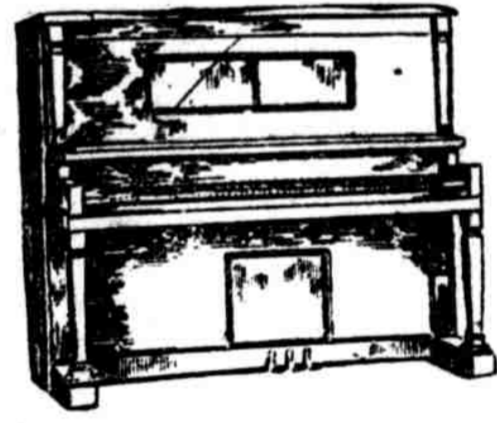
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Wonderful Bargains

Ready with the biggest variety of upholstery items the Subway Store has ever had. Always ready as busy as bees making awnings and slip covers! Save liberally.

- 500 Khaki Window Awnings, Ready to Hang, at \$3.95 each. Made in our own workrooms; of 8-oz. U. S. khaki duck. Three sizes—2-6x3-0x4-6, 3-0x3-0x4-6, 3-6x3-0x4-6. Complete with galvanized frame and fittings.
- 3000 Brise-Brise Lace Half Sash Curtains, 50c each. Yes, they are ready to hang. Complete with brass rod. Filet lace effects. Double net.
- 2000 Yds. of Blue Bird Drapery Scrim, 24c yd. Save a Third. One yard wide; firm quality; favorite blue bird design.
- 800 Window Shades at 74c ea. Half Price and Less. 36 inches wide, 72 inches long; hand-painted opaque and cambric; guaranteed spring rollers. Colors and green. Complete with fixtures. This price is less than manufacturing cost.
- 400 Sets of Ready-to-Hang Window Draperies, at \$2 and \$4.50 Set. Colored madras. Work-room made. Each curtain full length with separate valance. Colors—rose, blue, green and tan.
- 400 Lace Window Panel Curtains, \$1 each. Save 50 Percent. 2½ yards long, dainty filet designs; white and ecru tints.
- 500 Yds. of Cretonne Remnants at 45c yd. Save 25c yd. One yard wide; desirable lengths; of beautiful tapestry patterns. Rich colorings; 5- to 15-yard lengths.
- 500 Wicker Chair Cushions at 70c each. Worth 50% More. Large size, cretonne-covered, tufted and reversible.
- 5000 Yds. of Awning Material at 58c yd. Save 25 Percent. 28 and 31 inches wide; standard U. S. khaki and fancy tan-and-white stripes. Cut from the piece.

Handsome New Player-Pianos at— \$485



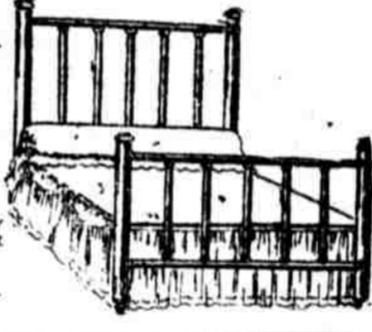
In polished mahogany and oak cases—up to the minute in style, with artistic "lines" and finish. And these Player-Pianos have all the latest improvements. Let us give you a demonstration.

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You Can Buy a Brass Bedstead at \$10.50 and Save \$7.50

The best value we've had for quite awhile. Two-inch posts and heavy fillers at head and foot. All sizes. At \$10.50. Save \$7.50.

- White Enameled Bedsteads at \$10. Heavy fillers at head and foot; 2-inch continuous post. Three-foot size only, at \$10.
- 100 Sample Brass Bedsteads at \$12 to \$30—Save Half. Mostly full size; slightly scuffed from handling, at \$12 to \$30.
- 500 all new feather Pillows covered in fancy ticking at 95c.



Mattresses at \$16

All-felt Mattresses, roll edge, covered in fancy ticking. Packed in sealed package, insuring sanitation. At \$16. Save \$8.

\$50,000 Worth of China and Glass Savings of a Third to Half:

This is part of the annual March Sale. Late arrivals and goods delayed in factory or in transit make the values extraordinary. 50,000 pieces of Dinnerware at Wonderful Savings. 40,000 Pieces of Odd Dinnerware at Extremely Low Prices.

- One of America's leading potteries has closed out to us their odd pieces, short lots and accumulations. Many are close to cost of making. Over 100 decorations to choose from. One of the greatest lots we have ever offered.
- 20c for Tea Cups.
- 5c for Tea Saucers.
- 12c to 20c for Plates, as to size.
- 12c for Dessert Saucers.
- 25c to 50c for Meat Dishes, as to size.
- 75c for Covered Vegetable Dishes.
- 12c for Bread and Butter Plates.
- 20c to 35c for Salad or Fruit Bowls.
- 20c to 50c for Open Vegetable Dishes.
- Scores of other things at sensational prices.
- \$18,000 worth of all one decoration.
- One of America's best makers has closed out to us their discontinued pattern, a neat gold lace border. Pieces show slight defects.
- nothing to hurt looks or service. A chance for housekeepers, boarding houses, for cottages, bungalows, etc. to save close to half.
- 32-piece Dinner Set, \$3.95.
- 26-piece Dinner Set, \$7.95.
- 100-piece Dinner Set, \$15.95. Cheaper than the present prices of white.
- Cups and Saucers, 25c a pair. Plates, 7c to 20c, as to size. Fruit Saucers, 15c each.
- Porcelain Dinner, 20c each.
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- Sugar Bowls, 35c and 50c each.
- Cream Pitchers, 60c each.
- Sauce Boats, fast stand, 75c each.
- Meat Dishes, 20c to 80c each.
- Open Vegetable Dishes, 20c, 40c and 50c each.
- Two open stock patterns—one a full coin-gold band decoration; coin-gold handle.
- 50-piece Dinner Sets, at \$15. Save \$7.50.
- An open stock pattern. Choose pieces to meet your own need. A great lot.
- Cups and Saucers, 45c a pair.
- The other pattern is a tan border with garland of roses and gold line-edges; handles coin gold.
- 50-piece Dinner Set, \$18.75. Save \$7.75.
- Cups and Saucers, 45c pair.
- Dinner Plates, 35c each.
- Open Vegetable Dishes, 50c ea.
- Covered Vegetable Dishes, \$2.25 each.
- Dinner Plates, 35c each.
- Fruit Saucers, 15c each.
- Oat Meal Dishes, 25c each.
- Bread and Butter Plates, 15c each.
- Meat Platters, 50c, 75c and \$1.35 each.
- Sugar Bowls, \$1.50 each.
- Cream Jugs, 75c each.
- Meat Dishes, 50c to \$2.25, as to size.
- Six Japanese china Tea Cups and Saucers, 12 pieces, \$1.25.
- 7-inch size cut floral Jelly Dishes, 50c.
- 95c for cut floral Cheese and Cracker Dish.
- \$2.50 for Cereal Set, 6 cereal jars, 1 hanging salt box.
- Five assorted size Yellow Mixing Bowls, 5-, 6-, 7-, 8-, 9-inch sizes, at 85c set.
- 10-inch brown and white Fireproof Pie Plate, 10c.
- 25c a pair for cut floral Salt and Pepper Shakers.
- 35c for brown and white Hanging Salt Boxes.
- 35c and 40c for one and two pound size, blue and white Butter Jars.
- 1000 Sanitary Glass Mixing Bowl Sets—6 assorted sizes, at \$1. —Gimbels, Subway Store.

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