mor Says Option Will Be Exercised to Make It Orchestra Home

UILDING OWNERS PLEASED

The Academy of Music may remain illable for the Philadelphia Orches-

lease on the historic building has n obtained by Edward Bok, of Meraccording to a persistent report. it is said that Mr. Bok, who is now welling in the South, will sign it urday when he returns:

Realizing that something might han to take the Academy out of the ids of those who desired to use it for sical entertainment, Mr. Bok, it is obtained an option on it two weeks immediately after the sale of the tropolitan Opera House.

The Academy directors are said to ve welcomed this option as a solution n the problem of leasing the building or motion picture purposes, and to ave met Mr. Bok in the same public pirit in which he was acting in the natter, offering the building to him at favorable rental.

Humor in Situation

The humor of the whole situation. ud the theatrical madagers and mom-picture concerns have been under the details of the lease to be given WILL STAGE 'WHOA EUGENE'

controlling interest in the Academy ock, has been in constant conference with Mr. Bok during the last four cokes, it is said, and has been fine two fields, will be given tonight in taken the position that permanent characters to ture aside from the dut.

The other was written and to be ing theatrical offers and accept, even the days are considerable loss. Mr. Bok's businessike and public spirited offers.

The play was written and I to be staged by Morton Eiseman. Among the staged by Morton Eiseman. Among the last are some of the best amateur personness. salike and public spirited offer.

In fact, said a man conversant formers in the city, who have won success the other offers were made to will be the sixth annual play given by a Academy directors, the neghtlations the organization.

Annual David B. Simpson, commander of the Captain Walter M. Gearty Post, No. 315, which will meet in the First Regiment Armory. Broad and Callowhill streets, next Thursday evening, has sug-

rous an offer on their part as they

ith Mr. Bok and a friend, whose iden-Period not be learned Directors of the Philadelphia Or-

estra will meet this afternoon in the ices of the Girard Trust Co. to try arrange a plan that will assure the ty-five consecutive weeks the com-

ron Company Official Dies Suddenly John O. B. Dellet, secretary of the of apoplexy. He was forty seven years
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rade. Mr. Dellet began his curver
tith the Penn concern as an office box. was active in pilities and was a so-the late Alderman Adam Dellet.

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An effort will be made at the meeting colossal." of the Philadelphia county committee. American Legion, at the Chamber of commerce assembly room tomorrow evethe seventy-eight posts in the second General Waller to Give Up His Com-

It has been announced by state head-quarters that the basis of representation will be one delegate and one alternate for each flost and an additional delegate and alternate for each 100 paid-up members as of May 18, which is one month prior to the convening of the ranformment.

Philadelphia ought to take to Allentown the strongest contingent of any city in Pennsylvania This county had the largest representation in the first cantonment at Harrisburg and its mem-It has been announced by state head-

cantonment at Harrisburg and its mem- to Quantico, where Major General John bership has been increased materially as A. Lejeune, commandant of the post, a result of the efforts throughout the will take over the duties, and Brigade year and in the recent membership tieneral Smedley D. Butler will be as-

Figures Not Available

Thomas F. Mechan, chairman of the central campaign committee in charge of the membership drive, is not in possession of figures as to the actual num-ber of new members, but estimates that the posts have received large increases during the last two weeks. Lists of men who were in the war service are available for every ward on application from J. Jarden Guenther, 200 City Hall. Philadelphia. Many posts have availed themselves of this opnortunity. With the approach of the state can-tonment many posts have been stimu-lated to pay dues to John W. Brock, inause officer. Unless dues are paid by May 18 a post will not be permitted

MISS ESTHER MALIS

MISS DORA DAVISON

Two of the principals in the facce

to be staged tonight by members of

Wants Big Showing

whereas the other offers were made to be Academy directors, the negliations will be the sixth annual play given by the Academy directors, the negliations.

The principals in the cast are Miss from Davison, Miss Manual to Bay It.

It is a well-known fact that Mr. Bok desired to buy the Academy three parts ago, and had an offer from Doctor-Baker, but could not mouse chough support to back Jim in his enterprise. The Academy is not now for the purchase price, but as soon as Mr. Bok again appeared with a suggestion that the Academy should be saved to Philatelphia for the Orchestra and miss in the cast are Miss and Miss Anna Filiman, Miss Lillian Colon, Miss Rose Rosenberg. Miss Rose Rosenberg, Miss Anna Filiman, Ray Cacser, Miss Muiam Isaaes, Miss siptual beat of the government from the purchase price, but as soon as Mr. Bok again appeared with a suggestion that the Academy should be saved to Philatelphia for the Orchestra and miss in the cast are Miss and Harold Hiss Anna Filiman, Miss Lillian Baine, Miss Rose Rosenberg, Miss Rose Rosenberg, Miss Rose Wallin, Miss Anna Filiman, Ray Cacser, Miss Muiam Isaaes, Miss siptuan Pontovic Raylum School Ballian Golden and Miss Quennie Politok.

Markoe Slayer in Asylum

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Jericho Raided by Bedouins

It is not known whether Mr. Bok is a group from associated with him. All the use of stations have been carried on directly with Mr. Bok and a friend, whose blue it. Jericho Raided by Bedouins

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signed as a brigade commander.

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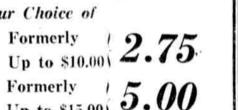
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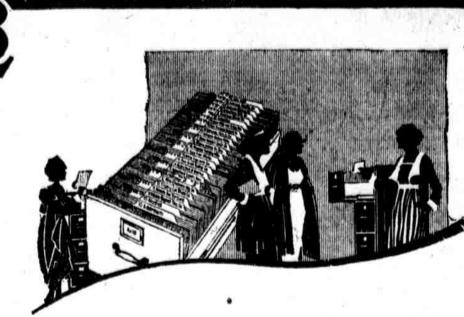
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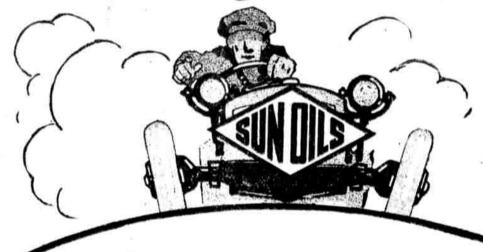
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