

BUSINESS MEN ASK TEACHERS' PAY RISE

Prominent Citizens Say Future Depends on Adequate Salaries for Children's Instructors

DEMANDS ARE CALLED JUST

Support of the movement of public school teachers to obtain higher salaries has been received from many citizens of prominence.

Since the meeting at the Academy of Music on Friday night, officials of the various teachers' organizations say there has been a general awakening to the seriousness of the situation by the public generally.

Among the endorsers was that of Thomas S. Boyle, member of the Board of Education and president of the American Bank, Broad street and Passyunk avenue, who said: "I am heart and soul with the teachers in their effort to secure an increase, and I wish, both as a citizen and as a member of the Board of Education, to do anything and everything possible to bring about the satisfaction of their just request."

F. N. Brewer, general manager of the John Wanamaker store, has written: "Philadelphia and Pennsylvania have the money. The question seems, simply, have we the wisdom to spend it adequately for salaries for the highest grade teachers, and for support of the highest grade school courses and facilities."

Governor Coolidge Quoted

Alba B. Johnson, president of the Chamber of Commerce, wrote: "In his address at the Harvard commencement last June, Governor Coolidge, of Massachusetts, said:

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MAYOR TO WELCOME STAMP ASSOCIATION

Three Hundred Manufacturers of United States and Canada Will Convene Wednesday

Mayor Moore will welcome the more than 300 stamp manufacturers from thirty-one states in the United States and seven provinces in Canada who will attend the ninth annual convention of the International Stamp Manufacturers' Association, which opens in the Hotel Walton at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning.

Business sessions will continue through Thursday and Friday. The delegates will represent capital invested in the stamp industry of more than \$25,000,000 in approximately 500 stamp manufacturing plants in the United States and Canada. Over 5000 men and 1500 women are employed in the industry in these two countries.

The Mayor's welcome at the opening session Wednesday morning will be responded to by William Jenkins, chairman of the board of directors of the association. One of the features of the convention will be the feature address by Morris W. Byers, of New York city, secretary of the National Association of Stationers and Manufacturers.

Each afternoon of the three-day session will be featured by group sessions in the convention hall in the Walton by the following branches of the industry: Rubber stamps, merchandise stamps, sundries, steel stamps, checks, badges, bronze and brass memorial tablets, seals, stenils, metal shipping tags, name plates, brass dies, etc.

An elaborate entertainment program has been arranged for visiting women and others attending the convention who may not be members of the association.

Thursday morning the principal address will be delivered by George H. Schreyer, of Philadelphia, assistant secretary of the Philadelphia Typothetae. The afternoon session will be taken up partially by the reports of district organization officials and the election of new officials for these five districts for the ensuing year. Friday morning a plan for the more complete organization of the stamp industry will be presented to the convention by C. D. Fales, of the Northwestern Stamp Works, St. Paul, Minn.

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BIG CLASS IN LAW WILL GET DIPLOMAS

Temple Will Graduate Largest Number in School's History

EXERCISES FOR JUNE 17

The law school of Temple University will confer bachelor of law degrees upon thirty-two students this year. The men comprise the largest class ever graduated from the school of law.

Thirteen of the men upon whom degrees will be conferred are already members of the bar and are actively practicing law. Francis Chapman, dean of the law school, said today that at no other graduation exercises were degrees bestowed upon so many students who are already lawyers. Mr. Chapman has been dean of the law school since 1902.

The chief speaker at the commencement exercises will be the Hon. Frank E. Spaulding, superintendent of the department of public instruction, Cleveland, O., and dean-elect of the new school of education at Yale University. Mr. Spaulding is reported among the foremost educators of the country.

The exercises will be held on the evening of June 17 at the Academy of Music.

The thirteen members of the bar to receive degrees are: Adrian Bonnelly, Michael J. Matta, Louis N. Hantz, Herman N. Silver, Joseph N. Hantz, Alexander Spick, Edward W. Bramhall, Henry P. Richardson, Russell C. Conroy, Ellis A. Rutman, William H. Berkowitz, Nathaniel Speck, Henry G. Goshare, James F. Swartz, Thomas M. Creamer, Lorraine S. Cahill, Frank P. Lloyd, Frank A. Mathews, Frank P. Lloyd, Frank A. Mathews, Frank P. Lloyd, Frank A. Mathews.

The other students to get degrees are: Malcolm Adam, Charles Salkind, Nathan Antonson, Herman N. Silver, Nathan Antonson, Herman N. Silver, Nathan Antonson, Herman N. Silver.

The school of Temple University is situated at Sixteenth and Sansom streets. It is planned that a separate building will be provided for the law school at Broad and Berks after the new university building is erected out of the \$2,000,000 fund now being subscribed.

WATER INSPECTORS FIND A BIG WASTE

Davis Believes 50,000,000 Gallons Daily Were Lost During Winter

9149 LEAKS ARE FOUND

Announcement was made today by Chief Carleton E. Davis, of the Water Bureau, that the inspection of houses for water-pipe leaks has revealed a total loss of 9,000,000 to 12,000,000 gallons of the daily supply.

The inspectors have visited 57,013 private houses and made particular listings of 9149 serious neglected leaks where 1000 gallons a day or more were being wasted. Small leaks of 200 or 300 gallons a day were not reported by the inspectors, but will be checked by them on reinspection in order to carry assurance that repairs have been made.

"On reinspection 5494 of the major leaks were found repaired," said Chief Davis. "There is increasing evidence of co-operation on the part of the owners and occupants of property to make repairs, and the ratio of repairs made is increasing with time."

"In some localities there is even found evidence of anticipating the visit of the Water Bureau inspector by self-inspection on the part of the owners and occupants. This is exceedingly gratifying, as it minimizes the work of the bureau and results in saving considerable water."

"The Bureau of Water believes that in the past winter not fewer than 50,000,000 gallons of water per day were wasted. Twenty million gallons a day of this waste can be saved with very little effort."

"Each successive additional 10,000,000 gallons a day will require more effort and more work, but without undue expenditure of time and money the entire 50,000,000 gallons can be saved, or rather diverted from waste to useful work of being transferred to the consumer who now has an insufficient water supply or inadequate pressure."

"Philadelphia is growing at a rate which demands an additional supply of at least 50,000,000 gallons a day every ten years."

"Extensive additions to the present

CAPTAIN FINLETTER TO WED

Announcement of Engagement to Damrosch's Daughter Expected

Announcement of Captain Thomas Knight Finletter's engagement to Miss Margaret Blaine Damrosch, daughter of Walter Damrosch, is to be expected early in June, according to a dispatch from Paris. Captain Finletter is the son of Judge Finletter, of this city.

The jurist's son and musician's daughter met during the war, when she was librarian at a Y. M. C. A. hut in Chaumont, and Captain Finletter a frequent caller.

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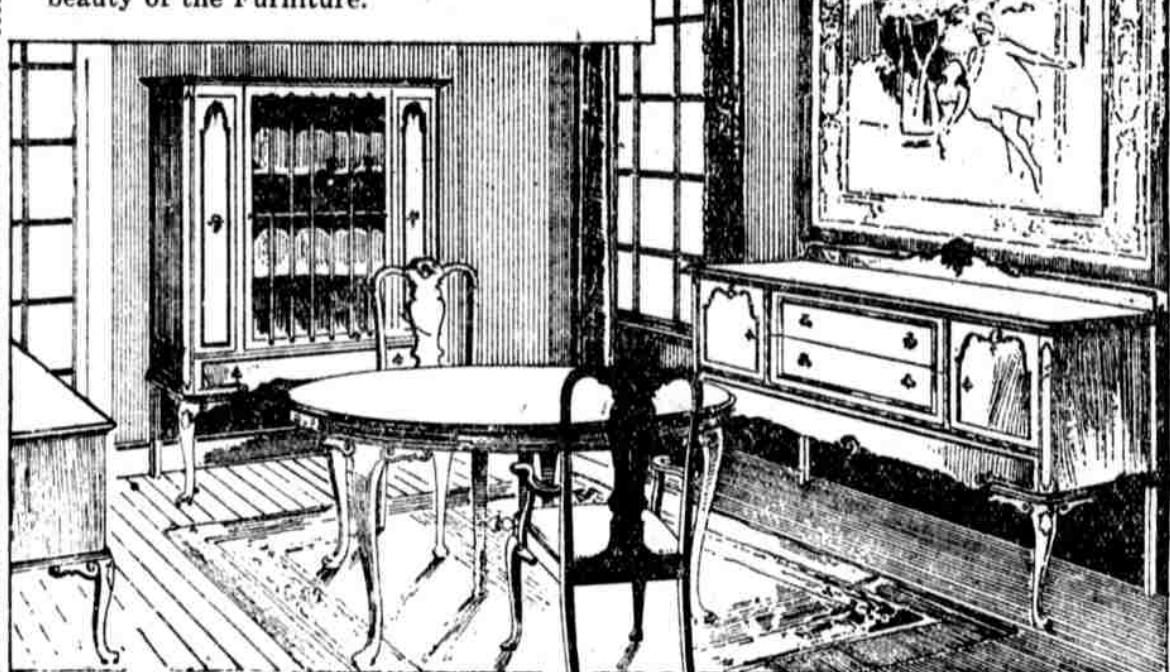
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Overstuffed Suite, Tapestry-covered, Spring seats, loose cushions, 3 pieces, \$435.00.	Dining Room Suite, Mahogany (Chippendale Style), 4 pieces, \$452.00.	Bedroom Suite, Mahogany (Louis XVI Style), 4 pieces, \$545.00.
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Mahogany and Cane Suite, Spring seat, blue Tapestry covering, 3 pieces, \$225.00.	Dining Room Suite, Walnut (Queen Anne Style), 4 pieces, \$309.50.	Bedroom Suite, Walnut (Louis XVI Style), 7 pieces, \$825.00.
Mahogany and Cane Suite, Spring seat, Tapestry covering, 3 pieces, \$155.00.	Dining Room Suite, Walnut (Louis XVI Style), 4 pieces, \$337.50.	Bedroom Suite, Walnut (Queen Anne Style), 4 pieces, \$325.00.
Mahogany and Cane Suite, Spring seat, loose cushions, with two pillows, Damask covered, 4 pieces, \$550.00.	Dining Room Suite, Jacobean Oak (Queen Anne Style), 4 pieces, \$229.00.	Bedroom Suite, Mahogany or Walnut (Sheraton Style), 4 pieces, \$365.00.
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