

CLEANING STATUS UNDECIDED

Asking Bids Does Not Mean City Gives Up Right to Do Work, Experts Say

COST TO BE CONSIDERED Advertising by the city for street cleaning bids does not necessarily indicate that the present contract system will be continued next year...

Mayor Moore has announced he will invite bids for street cleaning and the collection of ashes and rubbish...

Mayor's Move Disappoints Supporters of the new charter who believed they saw in the Mayor's announcement an open door for continuation of contractor influence...

Mayor Explains Plans Mayor Moore explained his plan at a meeting of officials of the administration and representatives of mercantile and banking firms...

BATTLE AT COAL MINE 1000 Shots Fired in Affray on West Virginia-Kentucky Border

According to stories reaching here from Freeborn, the miners handling coal from the mouth of the mine, which is on the Kentucky side of the river...

NEGRO DIES ON SCAFFOLD Legally Hanged After Unsuccessful Attempt at Suicide

Wilmington, Del., July 23.—(By A. P.)—After an unsuccessful effort to commit suicide by swallowing a bottle of cyanide, a negro was hanged early today in the jail at Easton, Md.

BLAZE ON RACE STREET Firemen, Aided by Rain, Extinguish Fire in Four-Story Building

During the height of the storm, at 4:30 o'clock this morning, fire was discovered on the fourth floor of the plant owned by the Electric Power Co., a four-story brick building at 1227-29 Race street.

COURT HOLDS PATROLMAN Witnesses Say Hawthorne Used Blackjack While Drunk

Charged with brutally attacking a man and woman while intoxicated, John Hawthorne, a patrolman, was held in \$1500 bail by Magistrate Carney today, following charges preferred by Joseph Cioce and his wife, Mary, the victim of the alleged attack.

SPELLACY WON'T TAKE JOB Has No Ambition to Succeed F. D. Roosevelt

Washington, July 23.—(By A. P.)—Thomas J. Spellacy, of Hartford, Conn., who is understood to have been selected to succeed Franklin D. Roosevelt as assistant secretary of the navy when the latter retires next month to make the way for the Democratic vice presidential candidate, said today he had not been offered the post and would not accept if offered.

FATHER DEFENDED BY GIRL HE BEAT

Tells Court She Incensed Him Until He Didn't Know His Actions

Anna McGarrity, a pretty brunette of Forty-eighth street, below Girard avenue, took the stand in Central Station today and tried to save her father from punishment for alleged brutality.

IS HELD WITHOUT BAIL The father, Frank McGarrity, was arrested Wednesday on a produce farm operated by the McGarrity family, near West Chester, Pa.

BATHING SITES PICKED Professor Cret Says He Will Not Make Locations Public for Month

Two locations for bathing beaches at Fairmount Park have been designed by Paul Cret, professor of architecture at Pennsylvania University, and a member of the art jury and the Fairmount Park Art Association.

TO TEST YOUTH'S SANITY Attack on Father is Halted by Neighbors and Police

Leonard Winter, twenty-one years old, who was charged with attacking his father, was held in custody today by Magistrate Grellis at the Eleventh and Winter streets station today, pending an examination to see if he is sane.

VICTORY MEDALS FOR ALL Legion to Have Charge of Presentations on Armistice Day

Indianapolis, Ind., July 23.—(By A. P.)—The American Legion's plans to assist in the distribution of Victory medals now being issued by the War Department from an issue of July 5, it was announced at Legion national headquarters here today.

Three-Day Forecast for Week-Enders Friday—Unsettled; occasional thunderstorms tonight; continued warm.

Saturday—Unsettled with probable thunderstorms; gentle to moderate southerly winds; fair to clear.

Sunday—Probably fair; gentle southerly winds.

FIRE HEROES' DEATH USED FOR SWINDLE

Police Say Confidence Man Got Money Alleging It Was for Victim's Widow

An alleged confidence man was arrested last night on a charge of collecting money under the pretense that it would be used to buy flowers for Captain Edward Schwartzkopf, one of the victims of the Fritz & La Rue fire Wednesday.

CASH FOUND ON SUSPECT The man is Louis Smith, alias "Black Louie," well known, police say, as a confidence man.

BREAK OF LADDER MAYOR AND MITTEN BLAMED ON WIRES CONFER ON TRANSIT

Apparatus Had to Be Put Up at Dangerous Angle, Says Davis

REPORTS TO THE MAYOR WORKERS PASS PAY RISE Mayor Moore and Thomas E. Mitten, president of the P. R. T. Co., conferred on transit matters today at the Mayor's office.

Body of Woman Found in Trunk

There were some indications that the woman might have been strangled before the body was thrust into the trunk.

WEST CHESTER'S N. G. P. Company I, Sixth Regiment, Completed in Week's Recruiting

West Chester, Pa., July 23.—The entire personnel for the new Company I, Sixth Regiment, N. G. P., was completed here today.

Fund Pledged for Jewish Home London, July 23.—(By A. P.)—Decision to inaugurate a foundation fund of \$25,000,000 for the establishment of Palestine as the Jewish national home was announced at a conference of men and women here today.

BEAUTY PARLOR EXPERTS SIRENS? NO! SAYS JUDGE

Physical Culture Teacher Thought They "Vamped" His Patients, but Their Smiles Won Legal Tilt

Judge Rogers was disillusioned today. In open court, before his very eyes, which blinked with amazement, several blonde and several dark-haired beauty specialists from the parlor of Anna R. Stratton unfolded the secrets of the profession of pulchritude.

Order Strikers From Homes Marv, Ala., July 23.—(By A. P.)—About 450 striking miners formerly employed by the Corona Coal Co. have been ordered to vacate company houses which they are occupying.

NEGRO ADMITS 7 MURDERS California Prisoner, Under Sentence of Death, Confesses

Reading Man Ends Three Weeks' Spree by Poisonous Draught

Reading, Pa., July 23.—John K. Rahner, who had been on whisky spree for three weeks, ended it last night by drinking three bottles of carbolic acid. He drank the contents of two of them and died almost instantly.

APARTMENT "RAFFLES" IN COURT

Mrs. Glenn, of Norton Apartments, Makes New Charge Against Kingscourt Thieves



On the left is George Little, of Detroit, and on the right, Frank Reed, of Pittsburgh. They are the two men who were chased after robbing the Kingscourt Apartments yesterday and caught after a revolver battle.

Magistrate Harris passed judgment on the men this morning, he said, "I have had nothing to say."

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CLAIMS 2 'RAFFLES' IN COURT

STOLE \$3000 GEMS Mrs. Glenn, of Norton Apartments, Makes New Charge Against Kingscourt Thieves

The two alleged "society" crooks arrested after a thrilling chase and a revolver fight in West Philadelphia yesterday this afternoon charged by Mrs. John M. Glenn with the robbery May 21, of her diamond bracelet valued at \$3000.

TRACE DOZEN ROBBERIES The identification of the two prisoners by Mrs. Glenn, who lives in the Norton apartment, Water street and Johnson streets, as the men who visited her apartment ostensibly to submit it, discredits the story of George Little, one of the men who broke down this morning and alleged that he had been made the dupe of the other.

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SEEK TO CUT RED TAPE

Officials Confer on Methods of Carrying for Dependent Children

A discussion of methods for carrying for dependent children and suggestions for simplifying the procedure took place this afternoon at a meeting of the Council committee on public welfare.

COURT MUST DECIDE WHICH IS WAR HERO "Pemberton Puzzle" to Have Federal Adjudication and Fur May Fly

They tore the false face from another "war hero" here today.

It is said that he never saw a battlefield, in fact, Federal agents have a strong suspicion he is a draft dodger.

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WOMAN IS CRASHED BY RUNAWAY TRUCK

Brakes Fail to Hold and Motor Vehicle Dashes Down Steep Market St. Incline

A woman was hurt seriously when the brakes on a truck broke while the vehicle was ascending the steep Market street incline from Delaware avenue today and the truck plunged back and ran up on the pavement.

VICTIM IS IN HOSPITAL Mrs. Blakely probably owes her life to her presence of mind. When she saw she could not escape the vehicle, she threw herself out of the window and made a stone step which bore part of the truck's weight.

DRY AGENTS "TRAPPED" Willy Constable Smells Boozie and Confiscates "Hooch"

The raid by thirty prohibition enforcement officers upon saloons in Chestnut alley to sell liquor illegally came near ending disastrously for the raiding party last night when the trucks filled with the confiscated "hooch," on the way to the Federal Building in this city were held up by a suspicious constable on the Chester pike near Darby.

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