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South Philadelphia Foreigners Lost Millions, He Tells

Legislature

ASKS STATE INVESTIGATION

By a Staff Currenply dect

Harrisburg, Feb. 15 - What is de eribed as a huge scandal, if not a swindle in effect at least, by which foreigners in South Philadelphia have lost hundreds of thousands of dollars, would be investigated by the Legislature according to the terms of a reso-lution offered in the House by Harry J. Trainer, of Philadelphia, one of the Moore leaders

It is charged that foreignets in Philadelphia have ordered money sent to their friends and relatives in Poland. Russia, Austria and the new countries created since the world war and this money never reaches those to whom it is money never reaches flows to whom it is ordered sent. This has resulted not only in the loss to the Philadelphilars, by often in the death and starvation of the persons for whom the funds ware intended. It is charged further that, when the money is received by the star. when the morey is received by the al-leged rears initiary, they do not give the proner and full rate of foreign exchange and that there funds also are used for sneedhtion in foreign "s change, which in the case of many of the newer countries, and especially Bussia, is a very uncertain and ductu ating quantity

Throughout the country the loss 19 foreigners resident here is said to rult especially great in New York, where legislation is under way to correct the situation and send the guilty to juit Director Tustin, of the Department of Public Welfare in Philadelphia, has

been looking into the conditions in South Phladelphia, and is said to have found them appalling

wided for in the would recommend the prosecution of guilty private bankers and steamship agents, if any, and make recommenda.

agents, if any, and make to March 15 tions for state legislation by March 15 State banks were also included in the as intovicating. Violation of the probe conducted by six lawmakers- maximum penalty of \$5000 fine or three would the Senate

'Hundreds of thousands of dollars, said the conci have been lost since the ward" South Philadelphia, some of whom had failen victim to the alleged nefarious schemes. "This practice," said Trainer, "destroys confidence in our banks and I believe it to be a proper subject for legislative inoury."

egislative inquiry

Chief Postal Inspector Leonard, at against gambling is provided for in the dithe Federal Building, said that while be did not question the possibility that The is foreigners have been mulched of their money. the postoffice money-order system.

omplaint from a foreigner of money being lost during the last two years. are doing the swindling, are using the mails as a means to obtain business. If such condition can be established, they are publishable for using the mails to defraud, and a prompt investiga-tion can be assured by my department If we receive a single complaint to that provision for miditional enforcement of the bill, that the House and Senate phin.

COURT BILL RECALL **Before State Assembly** IS WEGLEIN'S OFFER Representative Sowers recalled hi ill, giving magistrates jurisdiction their home district prisoners. and had it sent to a committee where it is expected to die. Combine Leaders in Council

Glass coal probe bill came up in Senate, but was sent to the judiciary Would Withdraw Ordinance general committee, which is known

to Forestall Veto Bill by Senator Vare, giving rights f eminent domain over state water MOORE'S STRENGTH FEARED

ways to private corporations, sent to Gifford Pinchot, ardent conservationist, at request of Governo By a Staff Coverspondent Sproul, who fears something "vi-

Harrisburg, Feb. 15. - In conferences atween Richard Weglein, president of fity Council, and other Philadelphia The caders today, it developed that the resident of Council has suggested to Sterling bill to rip out Philadel thia Board of Education and have ionsalaried members elected this car gets speedy action when intro-Mayor Moore that the ordinance coduced in House. Public hearings taining the million dollar item for the palace of justice be withdrawn from the Mayor's hands. Acceptance of the suggestion by the Mayor would serve

First attack on Sproul adminisration fails when two bifls of Mr. DUCTIONES Alexander. Delaware, nimed First, the combine would be saved making Governor supply details of deficiency and highway bond meas tres, were defeated.

as the "pickling vat."

being arranged.



Enforcement of Federal Law Mayor wants. Weglein would go fur-

With Partial Search and Seizure Are Provided

### REPEALS THE BROOKS LAW

The Mayor will study the proposal metally with the object of avoiding anything like a trap. Weglein insists Harrisburg, Feb. 15 .- (By A P). that this specific proposal, as well as The bill to enforce provisions of the Vol-stead prohibition law was introduced Friends of the Mayor say that he can for in the Trainer resolution by Representative Martin, Allegheny, in avoid all traps, if there is any, by vetouro stead prohibition law was introduced

will be unable to override the veto next Any drink containing more than one half of I per cent of alcohol is defined Councilman Burch from Philadelphia. Thursday because of the absence of It is understood that Burch would scope of the investigation which, ac-cording to the terms of the resolution, visions is made a misdemeanor with  $\mathbf{n}$  vote with the combine on this subject if he were in Philadelphia.

Parkway.

Mayor on Guard for Trap

minimum fine is left to the discretion of of the board of county commissioners, with regard to the pulace may be a

preliminary to the recall of the ordi-

unchinery is made

was the first measure introduced. Search and seizure by adaptation of the law new in force in this state

the daylight-saving bill. He said administration is not indorsing the pro-bill would not be passed until the posed upper Delaware power project. The issue of any warrant to search was not through the use of a private dwelling without conclusive pupele make their wishes plain to mem. as the administration does not know

broad that such a dwelling is being used bers of the House and Senate department has not received a for the manufacture or sale of liquor Senator Woodward's bill is now in is forbolden. the Senate judiciary general committee Proof of manufacture and sale raises and the way the majority of that comhe said. Of course, I do not know if the presumption that the drink made is mittee now feels the bill will star there these agencies, which, it is declared, for beverage purposes. The law places intil it is dead. Senator Woodward Senator Woodward acceptable to him. the larden of proof to the contrary on will make every effort to get

out of committee and would like to have The bill repeals the Brooks new and assistance. One of those in Philade wipes out the entire license system. this who is beloing the senator is the It is to become effective sixty days Arthur H. Len. free approval by the Governor. No The trouble i after approval by the Governor, The trouble is, according to friends dier in Independence Square, Philadel-

The measure was laid over for are being deluged with propeganda printing.

against the bill. A sample of the let-ters being received in opposition to the daylight saving measure is the follow. Schuck Murder Jun

Hon. George Woodward : /'Dear sir-In the name of 1500 thool children, of whom I am a special Continued from Page One point for the defense in the cross-ex. teacher, and in the name of scores of school teachers whose rest would be amination today of Dr. Frank O. Stem, the coroner's physician. Dr. Stem eriously shortened by the daylight sav

ing. I beg you to vote against that foolure when it comes up as it seems likely to do soon. "Doctors have declared that aged

persons and the young have been seri-ously impaired in health by the loss of the early morning rest, nor do these wish to go to bed while it is yet light. Schuck was sitting at the wheel of the automobile he could not have struck these blows.

Please use your influence against the law, once thrown into the discard and now advanced again by a few inter-ested persons who wish to thrust it down the throats of an unwilling ma-

The letter is signed by "Lydia S. the Flintham.

# COAL PROBE IN "PICKLE"

Senate Sends Glass Measure to Schuck came into the courtroom at Schuck came into the courtroom at 9:30 o'clock, bright and smiling, neat and the countroom at anything. bearing an air of greater as aurance. He took his seat at the countroom at the countroom at the countroom at the sector of the countroom at the sector of th

om facing the Mayor's veto of the unicipal Court item. Second, the Mayor might win Council bis view of the matter without a hangs in the balance. his view of the matter without a was sent to the judiciars special com-Schuck Examines Photographs

mittee of the Senate last mgnt. This is Prosecutor Wolverton opened the proceedings by offering in evidence pho-Weglein's proposal, made officially in puckling committee-the bourne Saturday evening's three-hour's rence with Mayor Moore, in City which bills seldom return tographs of the spots where the body of Paul was found and where it was The hard coal operators had threat-ned to hurry another resolution all, is that the hill be withdrawn by Council, and that the Council start an investigation to determine what the arough investigating bituminous prices. first thrown after the bank messenger But it books as if peace reigns in the rival coal camps. At any rate, there pulace of justice will really cost and that the complete plans for the palace was a long conference between Senator row

Crow, leader of the Senate and Sena- and for Vare Thereafter, it was announced them. The Glass resolution was going to at the Glass resolution was going to a mation of Crow, seconded by Vare. An agreement to "can" the coal probe in a while at least was arrived at, in the state of the second control of th Weglein says he would get all the that the Glass resolution was going to the pickling committee-and it. ther, he says, and make the same kind of an investigation into the free library and art gallery projects, which, like paince of justice, are to grace the

## **Rights to Be Amended**

By a Sind Correspondent Harrisburg, Feb. 15.-Senator Vare Broadway Trust Co., where Paul and Gifford Pinchot, head of the state worked, was the first witness, testifying Forestry Lepartment, will confir today on the Vare bill which would restore the day of his death had seen him start the right of current domain to water out with the package of currency and

Bill to Bury Hero Here

power companies. It is proposed in the conference to in Philadelphia. The witness identified discuss a modification of the bill which a deposit slip wrapped around the checks and Paul's locker key. would allow the state to have full con- checks and Paul's locker key He said he submitted the resolution at homes tor family use or entertainment to the term of the mable Then power companies could acquire testified Paul would now how much

tion of the bill which would preserve the state's control over the power of Succeeding bank witnesses were cross Senator George Woodward, of Phila-delphin, sent out an S O S call today for a cally of public sentiment in favor of the daylight-saving bill. He said administration is not indeesing the state

Charles R. Anderson, of Camden bank deck, testified he had given Paul one package containing \$5000 in ord enough about it to determine a stand. Senator Vare said he had no particubills. This package was another of the exhibits. It now contains only \$4600 lar interest in the bill. He added that the ideas of the Governor and Mr. Pin chot for handling the situation would be however. The clerk testified he has counted the money remaining in the package on the first day of the James trial. He knew the money, he said, be cause it was old and worn and some of Harrisburg, Feb. 15.-Representative the hills which were torn had been in

Golder last night presented a resolution providing for burial of an unknown sollight presented a resolution paired by him in a peculiar way which he casily recognized. I'nder cross-examination the witness said Paul had been in a bad humo when he started out because the witness

had been a little late in having his part In his confession, used at his own Schuck Murder Jury his face that he was made,' said the witness. He added that Paul "somesaid the if "some- Prosecutor Wolverton tried to qualify

times got that way.

Dr. Stem as an expert on the preserva-tive qualities of redar water, to ac-count for the excellent state of the smination today of Dr. France, Dr. Stem the coroner's physician. Dr. Stem described the wounds on Paul's head. By cross-questioning. Mr. Carrow's negative brought out the fact that the blows brought out the fact that the blows could not have been struck except from could not have been struck except from the bank's day book in evidence to prove the correctness of this amount. **Paying Teller Testifles** 

Charles C. Morton, a game warden. identified the \$30,000 James and Mr. Carrow in cross examining the

succeeded only in having the witness Cemetery, Camden, to state that the largest amounts car-

and Tuesdays. Because it was on a Tuesday that Paul was murdered, this bit of testimony was considered espe-cially unfortunate for the defense. John W. Reckefeller, of Palmyra, a The jurger eyes burged when they saw the thick packets of bills of large denominations. They were marked "Exhibit S 17" and "Exhibit S. 18."

John W. Rocketener, of Failingtree, bin with Detective Parker and several Eminenreato communicate to the Holy bookkeeper in the Camden bank, testi-fied that Paul left the bank at 1:30 or in the morning of Sunday, November pressed in the following message:

the Girard National Bank, of this city, testified Paul was in the babit of enter-ing that bank about 2 o'clock in the finding the money in two holes, one afternoon, but that on October 5 he had not appeared and was never seen there of the other packet of \$20,000 buried close by. the Girard National Bank, of this city,

again. Harry Paul, son of the murdered man, identified the wallet which his father had contained. had contained. Harry Paul, son of the murdered the murdered the murdered the second the authorities in recovering the money and otherwise had assisted in the money and otherwise had assisted in the people committed to their case the solving of the mystery.

for a while at least was arrived at, in tures in a whispered constitution. conferences of all the big interests in the coal business. And while they were the groundwork for the case, defendant here to make the agreement effective, here to make the agreement effective, here in a position which indicated that they had been struck from the front or a noint directly over the body. The directly was found. The cross examination Air, Carrow found l'aul's long bank-runner's wal-let lying along the road near Irick's Causeway, in the neighborhood of the spot where the body was found. Fire Arouses Hospital Patients for Contagious Diseases were aroused are this more than the found in the front or they had been struck from the front or they had been str their representatives, who are always plentifully in evidence, turned their at-tention to lining up votes against the proposed tax on cosl -hard and soft. The stand after his cross-examination by the stand after his cross-examination to be a witness again? his the stand after his cross-examination bad been finished. Schuck had thought of another question for his lawyer to

PINCHOT GETS WATER BILL of another question to be the beginning ask, and it proved to be the beginning of a stubborn fight to delay the proving

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Only one other witness was put on Church.

schuck has "fallen out" with his the Old Cathedral Cemetery at Second and Luzerne streets took fire. The hose

**Jurors** Eyes Bulge

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terday for the imposition of sentence.

but Justice Katzenbach withheld sen-

from the courtroom before James was led in, he leafned afterward of his ap-pearance and of the justice's action.

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It read as follows: "The priests of Philadelphia beg

Dougherty to the cardinalate.

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Though Schuck had been

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him.

Mr. Carrow in cross examining the location of the solution of the priests of this city, at a meeting to-times carried even larger sums. He Schuck family burial plot in Evergreen day, sent a cablegram to the Pope in Schuck Helps Lawyer Schuck helped his attorney conduct the examination of witnesses today just as he had helped pick the jury yester-and Tuesdays. Because it was on a as he had helped pick the jury yester-day when the trial began. Schuck's exhibition of steel nerve

astonished all beholdera. It was in marked contract in the collapse of James when the latter was tried. John W. Rockefeller, of Palmyra, a

the morning of Sunday, November how they had scarched with the aid in the morning of Submit, the aid 7: how they had scarched with the aid of flashlights, and recovered the money by digging at points Schuck indicated, by digging Albert Harris, the receiving teller of

Defense Makes Point

Defense Makes Point The defense scored a point in the cross-examination of Dr. Frank O. Stem, county physician, who examined the body of Paul. Dr. Stem described the wounds on the dead man's head as he had described them at the James trial. He said there were five wounds had been shot and beaten to death. "May I see them?" asked Mr. Car-row. They were handed over to him. and Schuck bent eagerly to examine

Measure Giving Away State Stream of the money carried by Paul. Identifies Deposit Slip Edward Norcross, an employe of the

checks for the Girard National Bank

### STATE ASSEMBLY GETS FLOOD OF MEASURES

Harrisburg, Feb. 15 Among bills presented to the state Assembly since the sith week of the present session started last night are the following

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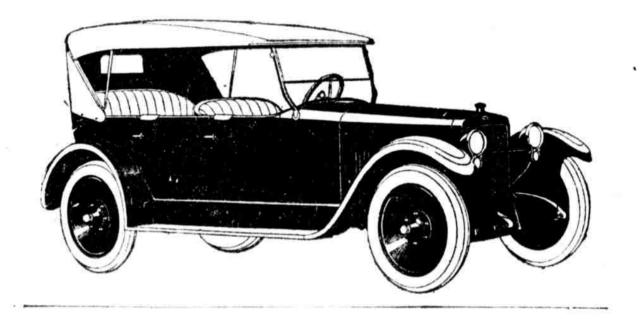
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