Early Celebrations Start for Youngsters and Many of the Unfortunate

Although there are still two more days before Christmas actually is with us, Josephine Hooper and Miss Mary Dercum packed the baskets this which parents everywhere find it necess afternoon at the hospital and on Satsary to impress upon backsliding or urday morning make the distribution. overconfident little boys and girls. Christmas activity is swiftly approaching a climax.

Today is a day of feasting and celebration in many parts of the citydistributing of gifts and many foriorn provided. hearts were gladdened. Not merely a tabloid entertainment and a program charitable organizations, but organiza- of vieltn and pinno music, tions of every imaginable genre were at work from early morning spreading erected in all of the wards. The social moral and physical joy of one sort and service department gave Christinas din-

Candy for Children

poor children everywhere in the city. This year, when so many papas have been thrown out of work and so many mammas must scrimp so hard. manufacturers were more generous than nurses will sing Christmus carels. which is a good many tons if you care, the Memorial Hospital at Recborough to reckon it that way. The distributed played a visu from Santa Claus the tion was made chiefly through the Sal afternoon, although it will be a little vation. Army and the Volunteers of ahead of his usual schedule. Santa They sent out vation Army and the Volunteers of America, which organizations the mannfacturers think are more closely than others in touch with the poor.

Blind to Have Holiday

Those unfortunates who have been and he cream. born blind or rendered blind by acct-dent shared heavily in this general dissemination of what is good at Christ-mas. The Blind Relief Fund of Philadelphia is taking precautions to see that no blind person within the city is forgotten or neglected. Messengers ran hither and you with packages of

warm clothing.
What of the schools? Here, indeed, there was rejoicing and festivity that rivaled the morn of Christmas itself. Peachers did no worse than frown at the most outrageous pranks. There was singing of Christmas songs and speaking of Christmas speeches and christmas wishes all round. And then that magnificent phrase. 'No more school for ten days,' was uttered and re-echoed in shouts of wild joy, and boys and girls said givefully to one anthat verily Christmas is at last

School Sings Carols

bly hall of the school at noon today.

The singing of a Christmas carol opened the exercises, followed by the reading of a Christmas story by Dr. Keller, principal of the school. The school orchestra played a number of

Songs by the Boys' Glee Club, the adding of Dickens' "Gabriel Grubb" by Miss Manship, a member of the fac-lulty, and the singing of "Holy Night" by the girls' choir rounded out the pro-Dr. Keller extended Christmas greet-

ings to the students in behalf of the faculty, and the exercises closed with

Playlets Are Presented

sented by the grade and kindergarten held tonight by all the groups that meet pupils, who also received a visit from at the League, 1222 Locust street, and Santa Claus. He distributed gifts to the gifts donated by the members will each child. The girls received dolls be placed on the "White Christmas" and each how was given at the placed on the "White Christmas" and each how was given at the placed on the "White Christmas" and each how was given at the placed on the "White Christmas" and each how was given at the placed on the "White Christmas" and each how was given at the placed on the "White Christmas" and each how was given at the placed on the "White Christmas" and each how was given at the placed on the "White Christmas" and each how was given to be placed on the "White Christmas" and each how was given to be placed on the "White Christmas" and each how was given to be placed on the "White Christmas" and each child. The girls received dolls be placed on the "White Christmas" and each child. The girls received dolls be placed on the "White Christmas" and each child. The girls received dolls be placed on the "White Christmas" and each child. The defendant told the Judge his

Pupils Get Toys Made in School This morning the children of the on it. ower grades of the Vaugha Public School, Marlborough and Thompson streets, had a Christmas party. Each youngster was given a toy made by the

boys of the manual arts class, made up of pupils of the fifth and sixth grades. Miss Elizabeth Ulrich, in charge of the class, conceived the idea of putting he work to immediate practical use and had the boys busy in the manufacture of the toys. There were about twelve models, the most popular being two clever wooden toys called "the tumbler" and "the waddling duck."

steer the traffic and prevent aceldents. The toys received at the party are the only ones some of the youngsters will HITS CIVIL SERVICE REPORT have this year, but that fact did not

beighten their enjoyment.

of 23 Dewey street, gave a concert at the Berry Public School, Fifty-ninth

Wyoming avenue, there will be a Christmas entertainment. And at the Water Tower Center, at Hartwell lane and Sullivan street, there will be singing of Christmas songs tonight. tonight.
At St. Christopher's Hospital the
Philadelphia Mothers' Club gave a
Christmas party to the little inmates
who are, of course, cripples.

Baskets to Be Distributed

Fruilies of destitute patients in the Jefferson Hospital will receive huge Christmas baskets containing a full supply for a Christmas dinner as well gifts and other things to make BLIND ARE REMEMBERED be provided for by the Social Service Bureau of the Women's Auxiliary.
A committee consisting of Mrs. Alba B. Johnson, chairman: Miss Olive Purdee, Miss Marion Button, Mi Schoolgirls Cheer Patients

Halmemann Hospital gave his third

annual Christmas party this niterno-6 lents. Students of the William Penn bration in many parts of the city. High School for Girls have contributed. There were dinners and dancing and 250 toys, so that each child will be well Twenty-one of the girl students gave

ners for seventeen families in the neigh-

A holiday party was held this after-The Philadelphia Johbing Confections meet for the employes of the Methodist ers' Association distributed candies to Episcopal Hospital. Gifts were distributed and there was a program omisic. Menday a Christmas party for the patients will be held, beginning a 6 o'clock in the morning, when the

> Forty children, who are patients of afternoon, although it will be a little about of his usual schedule. Sant showed up at 2 o'clock and greeted the bests in the delipensary, where a large christings tree has been erectd. Santa t'laus had a large supply of toys, candy

Children to Be Made Happy

Christmas also we celebrated at the Children's Homeopathic Hospital, Franklin and Thompson streets, this afternoon for 200 patients and children with whom the social service department is in touch. There was a Christmas tree and a Santa Claus, who distributed presents. A large quantity of candy was donated by eardy manufacturers.

The Christmas cheer that was spread to spend twenty minutes or so in

own at was largely due to the efforts of a There committee headed by Mrs. August Korndoerfer, Sr. This committee protoys and candy for every child. and Christmas trees erected in every ward and in the nurses' home. The children were entertained with Christmas stories by the Rev. Dr.

liam Barnes Lower, pastor of the Hol-Trinity Presbyterian Church; E. J Lafferty of the Logan Improvemen League, and City Statistician E. J. Cattell. The party was arranged by Dr. Alexander B. Arthur, chief of the The boys and girls of the German-town High School held their annual children's medical dispensary. Central Y. M. C. A. Plans

The Central Branch of the Y. M. C. A., 1421 Arch street, is going to make happy the hearts of fifty children by The giving them a real Christmas.

The names of the most worthy case have been turned in by the nurses of the State Clinic, and each child has received a special invitation. And such a good time they are going to have: The men of the dormitories have supplied a "feed," which will be served at 7:30 o'clock tonight.

singing:

The pupils of the Kensington High that goes with it. And the bulgy, overSchool for Girls celebrated Christmas today by giving an entertainment for complete without that.

of course, be a rally. On those days there will be a good many extra trains

each child. The girls received dolls be placed on the "White Christmas" and each boy was given a toy presented by students of the William Peen High School for Girls.

Pupils Get Toys Made in School near the tree a new light will be put

Branch, 174 West Aliegheny, in which good humor, sixty-three girls are active, will enter-tain 200 needy children tonight A RUBGLA

Raymond Chambers, principal turned preparing Christmas baskets and gift Zolka lind pleaded guilty. the whole school over to the children, boxes for soldiers and filling stocking. The teachers simply noted as police to for shut-ins

the Berry Public School, Fifty-ninth former service men and women preferand Race streets, this morning as part ence in ratings for Coverament employ-

At the Happy Hollow Center there will be a global for Italians.

The Kingsessing Center, at Fifty-first and Chester and Chester and Chester avenue gave a for injured man was treated at St. Luke's Hospital.

There will be a Christmas festival for grown-ups.

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SHOPPING FINISHED—NOW FOR HOME



YULE TRAVELERS JAM R. R. DEPO

Expected to Reach Peak Tomorrow

The Christmas ingress and exedus There was a Christmas this season surpasses anything in recent harge quantity of early by candy manufacturers. Should you feel disposed to controver the season surpasses anything in recent space. Should you feel disposed to controver the season surpasses anything in recent space.

> one of the big railread terminals of the As a matter of fact, this would be a difficult thing, for during most of the time, as you would find yourself getting into the way of almost every one else. Besides, this is a time when the rail-

road watchmen deem station lotters un-But at any rate you would streams of men and women and children at the rate of about five hundred a half minute pushing in and out of the doors You would see, very likely, before the extra ticket windows, lines that are rods in length and remain so in spite of the briskness of the ticket clerks.

Nearly all important trains leave the stations in two or three and sometimes four sections, which is a way of saying that two or three or even four trains leave where ordinarily but one would leave. And each train is half as long again as ordinarily. Trains come in the Vision was a specific ordinarily. Trains come in the Vision was a specific ordinarily.

same way, and there are not many bits of track lying idie.

The heaviest of the Christmas travel seems to be on the New York-Philadelphia-Washington division of the Pennwas going to get a divorce as soon as she could.

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children was given a toy and a package of candy. The toys and candy were contributed by the students of the Kensington High School.

Christmas exercises were held at the George W. Childs Pablic School, Seventeenth and Tasker streets, today, and in addition to the usual Christmas municipal and the didition to the usual Christmas municipal and the size of good things to eat for the sheet of course, be a rally. On those days

Playlets Are Presented

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The party is in charge of R. H. Tutte, of the employment bureau of the clubs of the core a longer period.

A look at the railroad orders shows from Pecember 25 a stendy drop in the number of extra parlor cars requisitions from the usual Christman municipal form the numbers of the clubs of the various branches of the Y. W. C. A. sical program there was muster by the need for some extra cars will probably continue until after the learning two probably continue until after the need for some extra cars will probably continue until after the learning the pro-Thorpes and anti-Thorpes reproduced the current of the masses, he did not intend to the anti-Thorpes but the musistrate committed to sum the cover, will not be so formidable. For commit bigamy.

This was Swartzel's second appearation countries from the rail of the dog, the do

its cars and stations or because of a The Athletic Club of the Kensington passengers maintain an extraordinary

the Judge in passing sentence.

Court will see that you at least will not commit any more burglaries for some time to come. I sentence you Manufacturers Want Tariff Check to not less than fourteen years and on German Imports essen their enthusiasm, but seemed to Legion Official Denies Veterans Seek nine months and not more than fifteen Violinist Entertains Schoolmates

A little girl violinist, Minnie Apple, 23 Dewey street, gave a concert at e Berry Public School, Fifty-shinth d Race streets, this morning as part the calebration them.

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BANK ROBBED OF \$16,800.

Mount Wolf Officials Estimate Loss at That Minimum

York, Pa., Dec. 23.—(By A. P.)— Officials of the Union National Bank, Mount Wolf, which was robbed yes-terday, place the loss at \$1800 incurency and \$15,000 in negotiable securi They admit, however, that this Congestion at Terminals Here may be a low estimate, since they have not made a complete check-up of the ninety-three safety deposit boxes rob-

The burglars, it is believed made a quick flight in an automobile. Mrs. Joseph Arnold, who resides next to the TRAINS IN DROVES ON TIME bank, heard the motor of a car in front AND JIMMIE CAUSES ROW of the bank about 2 o'clock yesterday

BUT SO'DO 2 WIVES

William Jerry Swartzel, a first The waiting rooms are packed with bundles and baggage and humanity.

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William Jerry Swartzel, a the Philbundles and baggage and humanity. pended sentence in Jadge Rogers' court declared his bark was not gritty or on a charge of bigamy today.

Victor Swartzel, almost collapsed. She asked the Judge, was speedily revived, and was well enough after the hearing to declare she Thorpe, "How about the police police?"

the extent of some fifteen extra parlor who was Miss Alice Styers, by granting lodging house.

"The police in Columbus, where it

was back ashore for thirty days after guards cleared the halls.

thought she had got the divorce.

Then a few months ago he met Miss Alice Styers, and wooed and won her. They were married in this city, He said he learned after his second marriage

ASK HIGHER FILM RATE

Washington, Dec. 23.—(By A. P.)— Increased import duties on motion-plc-

Committee today by Charles H. Cole, of

NEEDS DOG TO KEEP POLICE OFF PORCH

Tells Court-But Neighbors Don't Like Howls

The cops parked themselves on my porch and I needed the dog to keep plying to such cases provides that fol-them awake." plying to such cases provides that fol-lowing the first notification to the propset street.

"Lotus Blossom's" Bonds Annulled and "Sweetness"

Declares for Divorce

JUDGE HELPS UNTANGLE IT

William Jerry Swartzel, a first-class

Cechoed her every statement, frowning when she was mad, smiling when she was glad. Off to the left was another delegation from her neighborhood. They were signers of a petition demanding Mrs. Thorpe get rid of her dog. They glared at her as she testified that Jimmie, an eight-months-old collie, and cause of the proceedings, was all that a dog could be expected.

Assertions by the petitioners that "Jimmy' was noisy and generally distorted by Mrs."

Schwartz, H. M. Berg and Frank Scully, respectively president, treasurer and secretary of the Martin Cafe Corporation.

KU KLUX KLAN INVOLVED IN CARROLL MURDER TRIAL

State Attorney Says Order Will Be Brought in Only Incidentally and the proceedings.

orderly were vigorously denied by Mrs. on a charge of bigamy today.

"Sweetums" and "Lotus Blossoms"
—to use the young man's pet names for was somewhat pleasant and rather coloratura in effect "What do you need the dog for." "I need protection," replied Mrs.

School for Girls criedated for the graph of the complete without that.

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PEACE IN CENTRAL AMERICA

States to preserve peace in Central America following the revolution in that his first wife had not obtained a Guatemala was disclosed today at the divorce, and that it would cost \$500 State Department.

Instead of \$200. As he could not prostocking filled with candy and toys will be given to each child, besides picture books and fruit. The members of the Athletic Club raised the money to provide for this entertainment.

The Frankford Girls' Club of the Frankford Girls' Club of the Frankford Branch also will give a party tonight for poor children. Members of the Blue Triangle Boosters, the Wanvansee, Tillicum and Batcheior Girls' Clubs, of the Same branch, are preparing Christnass baskets and gift

BURGLAR GETS 15 YEARS

Instead of \$200. As he could not provide the money and densel to contribute to her support, he was arrested. After the defendant had here resonance that Lingan the Irinangle girls, neconting to the store, broke upon the scene and because the money and densel to contribute to the support, he was arrested. After the defendant had here resonance that Instant William Johnson, owner of the store, broke upon the scene and because the money and densel to contribute to the store, broke upon the scene and because the support, he was arrested. After the defendant had here resonance that Cliy, which resulted in the country is the United States Government addressed a note to Salvador and Hondurus, extent the United States Government addressed a note to Salvador and Hondurus, extent to the store, broke upon the scene and because the support, he was arrested. After the defendant had here resonance with the United States Government addressed a note to Salvador and Hondurus, extent to the store, broke upon the scene and because the support, he was arrested. After the defendant had here resonance with the United States Government addressed a note to Salvador and Hondurus, extent to the Instant William Johnson, owner of the store, broke upon the scene and because the support, he was arrested. After the outbreak in the trust of the store, broke upon the section of the Horris Barand Royal pulling the plane of the store, broke upon the vide the money of the Herrera Government addressed a note to Salvador and Hondurus, extent to the Instant William Joh Government's desire for world pence. Salvador and Honduras were members with Guatemala of the proposed republic of Central America, and it ture films, senitized but not exposed, was forwarded to the two govern- duties after the first of the year. Recognition of the de facto govern-

Boston, speaking for the Bay State ment in Guatemala will depend upon Fllms Company, Boston; the Eastman the report of conditions there to be

SPECIAL ROTOGRAVURE ment, showing New Delaware River will be published on Friday, January be Evening Public Ledger,—Adv.

XMAS CAFE REVELS UNDER AGENTS' EYE

Federal Men Threaten to Raid Places Where Holiday Liquor Flows

MAY CLOSE THEM FOR YEAR

Christmas and New Year's raids on hotels and cafes in this city where rum "kicks" its way into the stomachs of patrons were promised today by Harvey L. Duncan, assistant associate prohibition director. Mr. Duncan announced that he would

taining immediately of "John Doe" search and seizure warrants wherever agents discover liquor being served to or consumed by hotel and cafe patrons. There are violations of the prohibi tion law in hotels and cafes in this

which reads: 'Any owner of an establishment hav-

ing guilty knowledge of the possession or sale of liquor on his premises, and countenancing such a situation after being duly notified, shall be subject to a fine of \$1000, a year's imprisonment, or both." The section of the Federal law an-

them awake."

Mrs. Emma Alice Thorpe, fifty years old and fearless, folded her arms and looked Magistrate Renshaw straight in the eye. She lives at 2510 South Gart street.

The scene was the Central Police be approved by the United States Court. horpe were her followers. They warrants were issued for Arthur horse her every statement, frowning Schwartz, H. M. Berg and Frank

CAT YOWLS IN PIANO

Moorestown, N. J., Dec. 23.-Dropping a nickel into the slot of an auto-

Public Service trolley lines, a passenger drew a tune that would have astonished the manufacturer of the instrument. . "Sweet Adeline" appeared on the in-dicator, but pop-eyed listeners who began edging toward the door failed to BOYS LARGER THAN GIRLS Polite Note Sent to Two Countries recognize any familiar chords in the blood-cerdling serenade that came from Pound Heavier and Half inch Taller Washington, Dec. 23.—(By A. P.)— the inner works.

An effort on the part of the United were howls and whines that might have

Immediately after the outbreak in the store, broke upon the scene and be-

Engaged

ask United tSates Attorney Coles to assign an Assistant District Attorney and United States Commissioner to sit in the Federal Building tomorrow night, Sunday night and Monday. The purpose of the request, he ex-

plained, is to make possible the ob-

tion law in hotels and cafes in this city and agents will be assigned during the holiday period to all such establishments." Mr. Duncan said.

The prohibition campaign against cabarets, cafes and hotels dispensing liquor may bring about the closing for one year of such places in Philadelphia against which evidence has been obtained. The Government is given this right by a section of the Volstead act.

right by a section of the Volstead act.
S. F. Rutter, acting State prohibition Always Park There, Woman Cafe Martin. Twelfth and Walnut streets, early yesterday morning, re-ferred to Section 21 of the Volstead

Ardmore, Okla., Dec. 23,-Ray L. Beede, automobile dealer, was accused of shooting Joe Carroll to death on the night of December 15 at Wilson, by Walter Carroll, brother of the slain man, in testimony yesterday at the preliminary trial of eight defendants charged jointly with the death of Car-roll and two other men. A declaration that the Ku Klux Klan would be involved only in an "inci-dental manner," in the trials, was Postmasters and permitting the Presi-

Mrs. Thorpe was permitted to sign Electric Machine Emits Rare Discord Till Puss Is Freed

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Magistrate Toughill Better republic of Central America, and it was feared in some quarters that the revolution in Guatemala would result in efforts on the part of the other two-member governments to prevent Guatemala's withdrawal from the proposed confederation. For this reason the note confederation. For this reason the note of fewarded to the two governments of the two governments to prevent Guatemala's withdrawal from the proposed confederation. For this reason the note duties after the first of the year.

The condition of Magistrate James in the City Hall yesterday, is reported from his daughter's home, 1332 North Fifty-fourth street, this morning as greatly improved. He is expected to resume his duties after the first of the year. The condition of Magistrate James born, the report said,

MISS ELEONORE AVALLONE Her engagement to Guerino Marchini has just been announced. She lives at 1610 South Thirteenth street and is popular in the Italian colony

MINERS COMPLETE PLANS FOR SHAMOKIN CONVENTION

Shamokin, Pa., Dec. 23.—(By A. P.) Shamokin, Pa., Dec. 23.—(By A. P.)

—John L. Lewis, international president of the United Mine Workers of disappeared, forfeiting his bond. America, has notified District President C. U. Golden that he will preside at the tri-district convention which opens terday until supportine. She then began to search for her. Failing to find any trace of her January 17 to frame demands to be submitted to the anthracite operators prior to the expiration of the present prior to the expiration of the present learned that Tessie had been seen going learned that Tessie had been seen going the Hard Albany with January 17 to frame demands to be daughter, the mother notified the police

President Golden announced today upstairs in the Hotel Albany with that arrangements for the convention virtually had been completed. Difficulty in securing accommodations for the 800 representatives of the union body in the suitcase in the room adexpected to attend the meeting has been joining. local citizens, who volunteered to throw open their homes to those who cannot be accommodated elsewhere. A theatre has been leased fr the business sestimated the backley built. He was tried last May on an indictment charging the backley built.

woods and had attacked him. He wa In discussing the probable demands acquitted. the convention would make President Golden and other district executives in-timated that the miners would ask for a blue dress, a pink sweater and ligh an increase of possibly 20 per cent, with shoes a minimum day rate of not less than \$5 for all classes of workers. Adjust-ment of inequalities in wage rates for men engaged in the actual task of mining coal, an eight-hour workday for stablemen, watchmen and certain classes of engineers who continue on a twelve-hour schedule and the "check off," work on the fourteenth floor of the Fi-State Attorney Says Order Will Be which would require the operators to nance Building. collect union dues, will be some of the other issues to be embodied in the demands, it was said.

ABOLITION OF EXAMINATIONS FOR POSTMASTERS URGED

House Bill Would Give President anthracite trade was given as the rea-Full Appointive Power

Washington, Dec. 23.-A bill abol-

possible who were Democrats and fresh from school were induced to enter the

examinations, and as a result in many

cases the first three on the list are all Democrats.
"This is very embarrassing to Republican Congressmen, who have to ex-plain why competitive examinations are necessary for a good Republican to get was required of them to show their fitness for going out and helping to get votes to put the Republican Party in

While Under Six Years Old Washington, Dec. 23.—(By A. P.) Boys in this country under six years come from lost souls in spook-land. The Boys in this country under six year voice rose to a piercing shrill note that of age average from one-third to one broke all high soprano records, and at half an inch taller and "about one that Instant William Johnson, owner of pound" heavier than girls, according to

> selected group of native-born children showed "very little deviation" from the total average including foreign

Jewels

Finger Rings, Earrings, Bar Pins. Brooches, Bracelets, Lavallieres, Pendants, Sautoirs, Tassels.

Merchandise Purchased Up to Christmas Eve Delivered on Christmas Day By Special Messengers of the House In New York, Atlantic City, Wilmington, Baltimore and Annapolis.

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CHESTNUT AND JUNIPER STREETS

FIND CHILD'S BODY PACKED IN SUITCASE Mutilated Torso of Five-Year-Old Girl Discovered in Hotel Room Closet

MAN SUSPECT A FUGITIVE

New York, Dec. 23 .- The mutilated oody of Tessie Kucharski, five-year-old daughter of a hotel proprietor in New

Brunswick, N. J., was found packet

in a suitcase in a closet of the Hoetl

Albany in New Brunswick early this morning. The child was the daughter of Adelph Kucharski, of the Belmore Hotel, at Richmond and Burnet streets. She was last seen going into the Hotel Albany at Albany and Nelson streets about 6 o clock last evening with George Garris, sixty-four years old, a carpenter who

lived at the Albany.

The closet in which her body was found is in a room adjacent to the room which Garris occupied. He left the hotel an hour after he was seen entering the place with the little Kucharski girl and has not been heard of since. Witnesses say Garris explained when he came into the hotel lobby with the child that she was his granddaugh-

Tessie's mother left her alone in the Increase of 20 Per Cent Likely to barroom of the Belmore Hotel yester-day afternoon. The woman is now in charge of the hotel. Her husband, who The mother did not miss Tessie yes-

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