

**FINANCIAL**  
**To the Holders of Certificates of Deposit of the American Cities Company**  
 5-6% Collateral Trust Bonds

The undersigned Committee for holders of Deposited American Cities Company 5-6% Collateral Trust Bonds under the terms of the Deposit Agreement dated January 1, 1919, has approved and adopted a Plan and Agreement for the Reorganization of the American Cities Company and the holders of the said bonds and has caused a copy of said Plan and Agreement with the necessary explanatory material to be mailed to each holder of the said bonds. The undersigned Committee has also caused a copy of said Plan and Agreement to be deposited with the Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia, New York, New York, Guaranty Trust & Savings Company, Philadelphia, Pa., and the Federal Reserve Bank of New Orleans, La., the depositaries named in the Deposit Agreement, for inspection by the depositors.

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**TO LEAVE SIBERIA, JAPAN REITERATES**

**Cabinet Says Troops Are Kept There Solely for Self-Protection**

**DENIES CHARGES OF CHITA**

Tokyo, Jan. 9.—The Japanese Foreign Office published today a statement which denies charges made by the Chita Government, it reiterates its policy to evacuate Siberia. It says Japanese troops are retained there solely for self-protection. It expressed the hope that political conditions will soon develop to such an extent as to permit military withdrawal.

The statement further announces the withdrawal of Japanese troops from the Chita region. It says that the Japanese Government has decided to evacuate the Chita region and to withdraw its troops from the area. The statement also mentions that the Japanese Government has decided to evacuate the Chita region and to withdraw its troops from the area.

**SEVEN MEN HURT IN N. J. AUTO MISHAPS**

**One From Philadelphia and Several Others Are From Camden**

**NONE IS EXPECTED TO DIE**

Seven men, one a Philadelphian, were injured in automobile accidents in South Jersey yesterday. None is expected to die.

Charles McWay, 307 Fitzwater street, Philadelphia, was badly cut about the head and face when his machine skidded on the wet paving of the Pleasantville boulevard, near Atlantic City.

Midway, and to hold a position in city hall here, was returning from the shore with his wife and a woman friend. A. M. McNeil, of Atlantic City, who stopped his machine to aid him, was himself caught between two other autos, proceeding in opposite directions, and cut about the face and body. Both men were removed to the Atlantic City Hospital.

When an automobile in which they were riding was struck by a Public Service trolley car at Mount Ephraim and Knight avenues, Camden, yesterday, Vanhook Farrow, 152 Burlington street, Gloucester City, was cut about the face and Leonard Forsman, 1215 Deane street, Camden, received cuts on the head. They were taken to the Hospital.

An automobile occupied by Joseph Wallace, Jr., of Palmora, and Edward Metzger, was into a telegraph pole on Hudson road, near Palmora. Wallace sustained a probable fracture of the skull and was taken to the Hospital.

While crossing Fourth and Federal streets, Camden, on a bicycle, William Bortz, 516 North Third street, Camden, was run down by an automobile operated by Harry Ross, of Morton, Pa. He was taken to Cooper Hospital, Philadelphia, where he lies.

**Uncommon Sense**  
 By JOHN BLAKE  
 Holding Your Gains

KEEPING is even harder than getting.

There are plenty of men who, through their lives, have been successful money makers, but who have not a cent when they die.

There are numbers of men who rise to important positions, remain in them for a little while and then gradually begin to drop back.

SUCCESS is always a target.

The more important the place you attain, the more people will try to get you out of it.

They are not moved by any animus against you. It is a mistake to bear malice against them because they want what you have.

All men of ambition want to occupy the best places in the world.

Merely because those places happen to be occupied doesn't deter them from seeking them, just the same.

TO HOLD any position that is worth holding requires just as much effort and just as much thought as it did to get you into it.

If you have made a small success, don't be content with it.

More men are qualified to hold small positions than big ones. Therefore, more men will be after your small place and there will be a better chance of their getting it.

The wiser course is to go after a higher place yourself, and, having attained it, go after it still higher one.

By and by you will shake off a large part of your competitors.

THE really big places are so hard to get and so hard to hold that not many are in the race for them.

If you are fortunate enough to be able to do something that nobody else can do, your position will be absolutely assured. But only as long as you retain that ability.

If you continue to think you are in far less danger of being ousted from what you have gained.

That is going to mean rather more work than you expected to do when you set out. It is going to involve more sacrifice than you may have been prepared to make.

BUT it is the penalty of success. If you are not prepared to pay that

**REMODEL Church by Pastor's Plans**

Haverstown, Md., Jan. 9.—Plans for remodeling the Rev. Mr. Heaphy's church, pastor of the United Brethren Church, Cheswille, Md., who is also an architect, yesterday announced his preliminary estimates, including erection of a Sunday school building, would be made to the church edifice.

Remodeling of the church, which is a Gothic Revival style, will include the addition of a new steeple, the remodeling of the interior, and the erection of a new Sunday school building. The estimated cost of the project is \$10,000.

**Funeral Rites for Dr. Frear Today**

State College, Pa., Jan. 9.—Funeral services for Dr. William Frear, for thirty-seven years a member of the Pennsylvania State College Faculty and vice director of the Pennsylvania Agricultural Experiment Station, will be held at his home here this afternoon.

Dr. Frear, who was 72 years of age, died last night after a long illness. He was a prominent figure in the agricultural community of Pennsylvania.

**DEATHS**

George W. H. ...  
 Mrs. ...  
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**TO THE HOLDERS OF 5% COLLATERAL TRUST SINKING FUND GOLD BONDS OF THE SYRACUSE LIGHT & POWER CO.**

The undersigned Committee for holders of the said bonds has approved and adopted a Plan and Agreement for the Reorganization of the Syracuse Light & Power Company and the holders of the said bonds. The undersigned Committee has also caused a copy of said Plan and Agreement to be mailed to each holder of the said bonds.

**PHILADELPHIA COMPANY**

Dividend

The Philadelphia Company has declared a dividend of \$1.00 per share on its common stock for the year ending December 31, 1921. The dividend will be paid on January 15, 1922.

**HUPP MOTOR CAR CORPORATION**

The Hupp Motor Car Corporation has announced that it has received orders for 10,000 cars for the year 1922. This represents a significant increase in demand for the company's vehicles.

**DIES AT ARC DE TRIOMPHE**

Girl Springs From Top Into Group of Mourners at Grave

Paris, Jan. 9.—A young woman yesterday afternoon jumped to her death from the top of the Arc de Triomphe. Her body fell among a group of mourners who were gathered at the grave of a soldier who had just been buried.

**FALLS DEAD IN NEW HOME**

Atlantic City, Jan. 9.—Peter McCort, a plumber, fell from his home at 1906 Pennsylvania avenue, yesterday, as he was playing with his two children. He was taken to the hospital but died shortly thereafter.

**MUSICAL INSTRUCTION**

PHILA. CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC

The Philadelphia Conservatory of Music is offering a course in musical instruction for the winter term. The course includes lessons in piano, violin, and voice.

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**THE EQUITY TRUST COMPANY OF PHILADELPHIA**

The Equity Trust Company of Philadelphia has announced that it has received orders for 10,000 shares of its common stock for the year 1922.

**THE PENNSYLVANIA CENTRAL BREWING CO.**

The Pennsylvania Central Brewing Company has announced that it has received orders for 10,000 barrels of its beer for the year 1922.

**THE REAL ESTATE TRUST COMPANY OF PHILADELPHIA**

The Real Estate Trust Company of Philadelphia has announced that it has received orders for 10,000 shares of its common stock for the year 1922.

**THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE TRUST COMPANY OF PHILADELPHIA**

The Trust Company of Philadelphia has announced that its annual meeting will be held on January 15, 1922, at 10 A.M.

**THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE NATIONAL BANK OF GERMANIA**

The National Bank of Germania has announced that its annual meeting will be held on January 15, 1922, at 10 A.M.

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