

## DRIVE FOR NEW MEMBERS

To Equal the 1921 Membership in Task of Posts in Pennsylvania

### CREATE FOUR NEW POSTS

To equal the 1921 membership in the present task of the American Legion in Pennsylvania.

To accomplish that task another great membership drive will be set in motion this month according to an announcement from State headquarters here. It is the plan of posts throughout the State not only to procure new names on their rolls, but to induce hundreds of lax ex-members to pay their dues and automatically become reinstated in the organization.

Every post will be assigned a definite quota of men and will strive to reach that mark before the summer months arrive and activities are suspended until fall.

Four new posts recently received charters. They are located at Jefferson, Greene County; Osterburg, Bedford County; Dickson City, Lackawanna County; and McKeesport, Allegheny County.

Many posts in the State which carried out carefully laid programs in regard to their service census questionnaires have reported not only favorable increases in membership resulting therefrom, but also the discovery of many cases needing the attention of and adjustment by the veterans' bureau.

The National Legislative Committee, at Washington, which has been busily engaged with the Senate Finance Committee during the last week in the discussion of the adjusted compensation bill, reports favorable progress.

Legion posts throughout South Jersey will be represented here Thursday when National Commander Hanford MacNider will pay an official visit. Two army fliers will meet his train at

the close of the annual meeting, where they will be met by a big reception committee headed by Louis G. McCorrie, Commander MacNider will address the veterans at the Morris Guards Armory Thursday night.

### GENERAL McANDREW DIES: WAS WAR CHIEF OF STAFF

Pennsylvanian Had Brilliant Record in 1889 and 1918

Washington, May 1.—(By A. P.)—Major General James W. McAndrew, who served as chief of staff of the American Expeditionary Force for more than a year, beginning in May, 1918, as successor to Major General Harbord, died at Walter Reed Hospital last night after an illness of more than two years.

General Pershing, who had spent much time with his former chief of staff and right-hand man during the three major American offensives, was at his bedside almost to the end.

Entering the Military Academy from the State of Pennsylvania in 1884, Major General McAndrew had risen to the rank of captain at the beginning of the Spanish-American War, during which he served with distinction. He was commissioned a major general in the National Army in April, 1918, and the following month became General Pershing's chief of staff.

He was commandant of the General Staff College at the time of his death. Besides the distinguished medal of his own country, Major General McAndrew's foreign decorations for service in the war included the British K. C. M. G. and the Legion of Honor and Croix de Guerre of the French Government.

Two firemen overcome flames do \$4000 damage on Frazier Estate, Near Willow Grove

Two firemen were overcome in a suburban fire yesterday, when seven fire companies fought a blaze in the house of Jere Webster and Frank Miller on the Frazier estate near Willow Grove.

The two men are Walter Jacobs and Hartwell Turner, both of the Abington Fire Company. They were carrying a hose to the second floor of one of the houses when they were temporarily blinded by the smoke and were dragged to safety by other firemen.

The fire lasted two hours and caused a \$4000 loss. It was necessary to run hose lines nearly 2000 feet to obtain water. Fire companies responded from Abington, Bryn Athyn, Hatboro, Huntington Valley, McKinley, Weidon and Willow Grove.

## WILL BURY CROKER ON HIS IRISH FARM

Former Chief of Tammany Expressed Wish to Rest in Erin's Soil

### FUNERAL ON THURSDAY

Dublin, May 1.—The stately mausoleum built at West Palm Beach, Fla., to be the remains of Richard Croker was not to be the last resting place of the Tammany chieftain, who died Saturday night.

Conscious to the end and knowing that he was dying, Mr. Croker expressed his desire to be buried in the grounds of his farm, which he loved and to which he had devoted virtually his entire time since coming to Ireland to live.

The date for the burial has not been fixed, but it will not occur before Thursday. Mrs. Croker insists that the chief shall be buried in a bronze casket, and her brother-in-law, Robert Gerarthy, is crossing to London to purchase one, as none was obtainable in Dublin.

The news of Croker's death only became generally known in Dublin yesterday on account of the family living in comparative retirement at Glencairn, outside of Dublin. They kept but one maid and seldom had visitors. The announcement of his death was a shock to the whole of Ireland.

Notwithstanding his bad cold, Mr. Croker had been talking daily "constitutions" about the farm. He was as active as usual on Friday and was walking with Mrs. Croker when he was seized with a sudden heart attack.

Dr. Lennon, who attended him, said Croker had been a sufferer from valvular heart disease for a number of years and that this was probably the cause of his death.

Following the attack on Friday the old chief sank rapidly, but his end came peacefully. He knew that he was dying and resigned himself cheerfully. Mrs. Croker, who attended him night and day during all his recent illness, held his hand when he passed away. With her were her brother-in-law and their maid.



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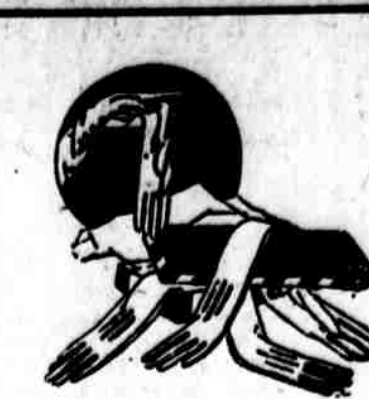
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**The Chorus Will Sing Saturday Night**

The Philadelphia Music League presents as a closing feature of music week, "Music and America"—a festival performance in verse, song and tableaux by the Strawbridge & Clothier Chorus, with orchestra of 80 members. Saturday evening, May 6, at the Philadelphia Ice Palace.

**New White Habutai Silk Blouses, \$3.00**

Tuxedo and convertible-collar models showing classic tucking; Peter-Pan models with collar, cuffs and box-plant trimmed with narrow plating.

**Crepe Georgette Blouses and Over-Blouses, \$5.00**

In flesh and white. Some beautiful, lace-trimmed flit effects among them.

**Smart Tunic Blouses of Mignonne, \$5.00**

In navy blue and black, some in two-tone effects, others embroidered in color.

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Loose and light and easy—the first essentials of Spring Wraps that fashion appoints custodian of delicate springtime frocks. Graceful lines, a little refined stitching for individuality, and a fine silk crepe lining—certainly a model of good taste.

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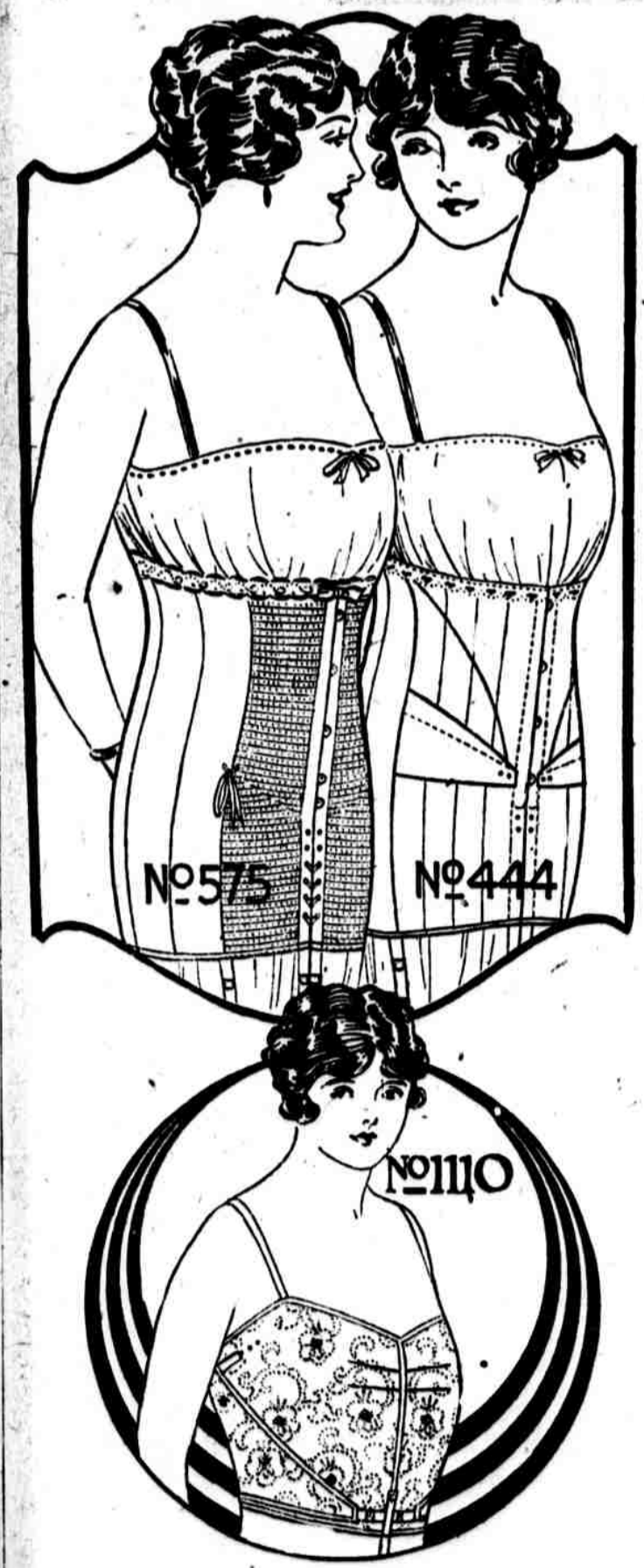
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