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full Power of State to Be Used to Enforce Any Decision of Commission

AINEY AND COLLEAGUES SOLIDLY OPPOSE INCREASE

Will Meet in Harrisburg Mon day to Consider Answer to Operators' Demand

\$1 TO \$1.50 RISE SOUGHT This Would Mean \$15 a Ton

and Would Make Householder Pay for Strike Losses Governor Sproul will back with all

the powers of his office any decision of The commission is unanimous against

Ainer of the Public Service Commission

nity to canvass all the facts in the

tuation, but I do know that we will rive to reach an equitable understandgregarding costs and distribution. will be back of the Fuel Commis- joyed as Mayor. in whatever decision it makes."

The Governor, it is understood, can-

that the Legislature should be called in

ost was learned authoritatively today, as members of the commission planned to meet in Harrisburg Monday. owers of the Public Service Commis-

W. D. B. Ainey, chairman of the fiel commission named by Governor sproul, is also chairman of the Public ervice Commission. He is the chief ink between the two official groups

tood to have questioned the price-fixmission. Chairman Ainer is in Harrisburg today after fortifying the commission's stand with an exchange of views with the Federal fuel distributor.

The soft coal or bituminous producers ited \$1.75 a ton at the mouth of of a pound of coal would be mined. Pressed. It fixed the price of \$1.50 ditions of the operators, but the conons of the market in some instances owered the price even further,

ssion has over cont production is authority over the distribution of The present crisis, brought about by the lately settled coul strike which be-An April 1, may bring into play the lolice powers of the Public Service

sion, which, members believe, be fully adequate to deal with the sit-

Sees No Reason for Increase

The fuel commission is understood to consuming public any more now t did when the mines The fuel commission could not accept demand, which would on \$15 coal, without an investiga-on of all the factors claimed as juscation for the proposed increase. onths, whereas an immediate

ent of the price question is conus parts of the State, beare Public Service oner Benn, Edgar C, Felton M. Furey, William J. Stern,

B. Crowell and Hugh A. Daw-

West Tioga street, committed suicide early today in a garage at 3539 North Eighth street, after receiving a sub-peona to appear at a Coroner's inquest Monday into the death of a fellow

Carrigan, twenty-seven years old, of

FRIENDS PLAN JOB FOR MAYOR MOORE

Next Year While Awaiting Chance at Seat in Congress

Mayor Moore as a candidate for elec-

The political possibilities contained The commission is unascertained. Patrolman Kane, pass-allowing anthracite operators to boost in that question are filtering through ing, saw the dull red glare at the The Governor made this announce- and are the cause of considerable buzzt here today. The operators want | ing back and forth among the leaders. e add \$1 or \$1.50 to the price of coal As matters stand now the Mayor's no sign of life upstairs. The house to consumers, which would mean a candidacy is only an idea originating was dark and the blinds were drawn. be consumers, was dark and the billis and freedom from him, order of at least \$15 a ton for house- in the minds of close friends of the He, knew, however, that Ellis and freedom from him,

and also of the Fuel Commission this however, the plan to have him become answer. wening and learn how far, if at all, the a candidate will be squarely put up to Federal authorities are going to co. him. It appears that the Mayor's intimerate with us in our endeavor to mates in City Hall have been wonderbeen the situation in control," the ing just how he could continue in the public eye, as an official factor in city affairs, until such time as he could count on re-election to Congress. It was in this way that the Council idea

Mayor may look upon it as a "come-down" to enter Council after serving "I do not know what the stand of the for four years as Mayor. It will be seed Commission will be with regard pointed out that he has had occasion to the request for an increase in an appreciate the strength of Council, as constituted under the new city charter and that as a Councilman he might win the authority of the Governor's of- greater actual power than he has en-

> Mayor's Allies Favor Plan The proposition to be made to the Mayor, according to his close allies, is to have him run for Council in the floor," said Ellis.
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> There was no time to lose. The chiefen which includes the lose of the chiefen which includes the lose of the chiefen was no time to lose.

sion. The cost of a special session. State Government in the event of Pin-The fact that the fucl commission fore, that as both Roper and the Mayor unanimously opposed to a price were together in the fight to nominate

of Elliot Manion

South Broad street hotel. District Attorney's office requested Magistrate Renshaw to post-

and telephone messages were received during the morning. Incidentally the

ENDS LIFE AS HE GETS SUMMONS TO INQUEST PAIKULMAN SA Garage Man Was to Testify II

Death of Employe Edward Lund, seventy years old, 824

employe.

His body was found this morning by a customer who went to the garage to get his nutomobile. It was lying in a pool of blood, with a buliet hole through the head. A receiver was found close

Deputy Coroner Sayre at the hospital recognized Lund as the man he had served with a subpoena to appear at the inquest into the death of James

3 MYSTERIOUS BLASTS

tion to City Council next year? the corridors of City IIali these days

When the Mayor returns from the When the Mayor returns from the waterways convention at Portland, however, the plan to have him become answer. He waited but a moment, then

spring into being.

Those interested say they realize the

dractic operators, members of the fuel Cormick descended vesterday from her commission have a reminder of the top-floor studio in East Oak street,

Father Expected to Come to Rescue

this morning when arraigned on charges a self-respecting wife do?"

hearing until Manion's father is SPROUL HAS 52D BIRTHDAY

Waits for Next Year to Have a

during the morning. Incidentally the Governor wore a new pearl-shade soft hat in honor of the occasion.

"Next year, when my term has expired," he said, "I expect to have a whole lot more fun than I have been able to have while Governor."

In from a second-story window.

Caruso is ill in a hospital. His wife did not learn of the robbery and firm in the returned from a visit to her inushand. The robbers took jewelry and second story window.

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IN BURNING HOME

Smashes Down Door, Forces Way to Sleeping Family, and Effects Daring Rescue

CAUSE A \$30,000 BLAZE

Pincus Beading Co. Plant Is Damaged-Ammonia Fumes Imperil 35 Employes

A patrolman who broke down the oor of a burning dwelling and forced his way through fire and smoke to the Propose He Run for Council bedrooms of the occupants, saved a family of six persons from death early

today at 5514 Woodland avenue. The rescuer was Patrolman Kane, of the Sixty-fifth street and Woodland avenue station. The persons he re-POLITICIANS ARE WAKING UP scuel were Thomas Ellis, his wife and

four children. Ellis conducts a store on the first floor of the house, and it was here rear of the store that meant fire.

The patrolman ran to a nearby box and turned in an alarm. There was his family occupied the upper floors.

threw his weight against the door. After several attempts he smashed the door and stumbled in. Hallway Full of Smoke The place was full of smoke. It bil-

lowed about him, through the hallway and down the stairs. He called to the people above as he went into the smoke. Again there was no answer. The smoke was so dense and the house so dark that Kane could searcely see the stairway. Choking, he turned again to the door for a long breath of fresh air. Choking, he turned again to Then he tied his handkerchief about his Groping by the handrail, and holding his breath so as to avoid breathing the suffocating smoke, the patrolman stumbled up the stairs to the second Ellis and his wife were still

bretty blond model flitted through obtained a replevin writ, and, accompanies reception room.

Miss McCormick was greeted with colain.

"I expect to spend a part of every the latest style creations, Mrs. Recycle (and colors) and pointed out the latest style creations, Mrs. Recycle (Cornick) Miss Baker mer him in Paris; they motored together and appeared in many public places. They seemed a devoted pair. They often danced at the Cornick Mass Baker mer him in Paris; they motored together and appeared in devoted pair. They often danced at the Cornick Mass Baker mer him in Paris; they motored together and appeared in devoted pair. They often danced at the Cornick Mass Baker mer him in Paris; they motored together and appeared in devoted pair. They often danced at the Cornick Mass Baker mer him in Paris; they motored together and appeared in devoted pair. day at the shop, she said. "I brought asked for the jewels and pointed out back some models yesterday from New the bailiff. Miss DeWerth attempted. But the wedding was not to be as

ROBBERS COOK MEAL, LOOT AND FIRE HOUSE Now comes the announcement of other postponement for a month.

Thieves Take a Siesta Two robbers leisurely looted the house Crash Follows Motorist's Attempt to of John Caruso, 438 Federal street, prepared a meal and smoked his cigara

ing from a second-story window.

'LOVELIEST BABY VAMP" WINS DIVORCE FROM ACTOR Which Was Kept Secret



New York, Sept. 16 .- Eleanor Griffith, called by stagefolk "the lovellest haby vamp," has secured from Justice Thompkins an interlocutory decree of divorce from Edgar Dudley, for twenty years a familiar character along the Rialto as actor and booking agent, Although the decree was granted on August 29, it remained a secret until news of it was published in Zit's Weekly.

floor of the house, and it was here the fire started, from a cause as yet unascertained. Patrolman Kane, passing, saw the dull red glare at the conds. Two witnesses for Mrs. Dudley narrated the conduct they had seen be-tween the booking agent and the un-

named .co-respondent. Four times Dudley has been pelted by wedding rice and just as many times has he experienced the pangs of lone-liness when his four wives won their

Date of Wedding to Allister McCormick Is Postponed to October 20

LEAVES FOR SWITZERLAND

London, Sept. 16 .- The Mary Lan-His pounding on their door mance, which has already set a record for marriage postpore sents, appeared most strengously opposed to a confinu-

back some models yesterday from New York, and the shop is opened today for to pass and Mrs. Reeves went into action. A diamond and sapphire layal-liere was her first trophy, followed by liere was her first trophy, followed by a ring, bracelet and wrist watch. When a ring, bracelet and wrist watch. When a ring, bracelet and wrist watch. Then it was bearned she had of Elliot Manion

Elliot Manion, a golf professional pad said to be the son of a prominent New York physician, obtained delay and record and I—welf, what could be add, respecting wife do?"

Normandy and latter to no one knew where, The wedding set for May did not take place.

She reappeared some weeks later in London without explanation of her abding would take place in June, but E.

Victim's Cigars Ignite Couch When AUTO HITS CAR, TWO HURT

Cross in Front of Trolley Governor Sproul is fifty-two years old today. He passed part of the day in his business office, at 1512 Chestaut street.

Hundreds of congratulatory telegrams and telephone messages were received.

whole lot more fun than I have been able to have while Governor."

DO YOU WANT A USED AUTOMOBILE?
The classified columns of the Public Ledger
Priced Hotels. Elberon & Iroquols.—460. in Used Cars in page 18.—460.

Indicate that I have been a miscalculated and crassed against it. Sigel and Cresson, both suffering cuts and bruises, were taken to Children's Homeopathic Hospital. After their injuries were attended both were arrested.

FOR DELAY ON EVE OF LARCENY TRIAL

Broker Whose Case Is Set for Monday Faces 100-Year Term on 16 Charges

JUDGE OLCOTT IS ADDED TO HIS COSTLY COUNSEL

Many Witnesses Subpoenaed and Prosecutor Says He Is Confident of Conviction

Dier Creditors to Get 25 to 30 Cents on Dollar

Creditors of E. D. Dier & Co. will receive between 25 and 30 cents on the dollar according to B. F. Reis, the accountant who wound up the affairs of the defunct concern. "Dier's fakure involved about \$3,000,000," said Mr. Reis. "Of that amount about \$500,000 was lost by customers in the Philadelphia

"My report, which is about ready. will show assets of nearly \$1,000 .-000. This includes settlements made by Charles A. Stoncham, Mrs. Dier. Lawrence Starr and Colonel Henry D. Hughes."

Facing a maximum term of more than 100 years in prison if convicted on the sixteen bills of indictment, nine of them charging bucketing of orders and seven grand larceny, Elmore D. 'Doc'' Dier, head of the defunct brokerage firm of E. D. Dier & Co., whose DELAYS NUPTIALS kerage firm of E. D. Dier & Co., whose offices here were located at 1439 Walnut street, is seeking to delay his trial scheduled to begin Monday before Judge Robert Johnstone in New York City.

Dier's plea for a continuance for at least two months was filed with District Attorney Josh Banton by former Judge William M. Olcott, the latest acquisi-tion to the coferie of high-priced lawyers engaged by the sky rocketing

financier.

Judge Olcott based his application on the grounds that he was recently taken into the case and had not sufficient time to properly prepare himdon Baker-Allister McCormick ro- self with the defense, mance, which has already set a record District Attorney Banton, who is

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Mayor accounts to have him run for Council in the Sixth District, which includes the Sixth District, which includes the Sixth District, which includes the Sixth District of the stairway and the smoke was growing stairway and the smoke was growing all her plans after giving orders for the construction of her trousseau. She was designed to sucked in through the open door of the Sixth District of the construction of her trousseau. She was designed to sucked in through the open door of the bas bought passage for Switzerland and plans to leave tomorrow. on Monday prepared to fight the motion HIS WIFE NEAR COLLAPSE RECORD CROWD EXPECTED

MABELLE SCATTERGOOD ON SOLDIER BONUS BILL SUES FOR A DIVORCE But Nothing is Learned Whether He Will Sign It or Not Washington, Sold IG TEV V P. President Harding was already in the first set, but "Big But" Washington, Sold IG TEV V P. President Harding was already in the first set, but "Big But" Continued to East Lifteen to the property of the washington are being put to the distribution of Bala. Continued to East Lifteen to the property of the washington are being put to the distribution are being put to the distribution are being put to the washington. Sold IG TEV V P. President Harding was already to the set of the washington are being put to the set of the washington are being put to the set of the washington are being put to the washington are being put to the washington are being put to the set of the washington are being put to the set of the washington are being put to the set of the washington are being put to the set of the washington are being put to the set of the washington are being put to washington. Sold a set of the washington are being put to washington. Sold a set of the washington are being put to washington. Sold a set of the washington are being put to washington. Sold a set of the washington are being put to washington. Sold a set of the washington are being put to washington. Sold a set of the washington are being put to washington. Sold a set of the washington are being put to washington. Sold a set of the washington are being put to washington. Sold a set of the washington are being put to washington. Sold a set of the washington are being put to washington. Sold a set of the washington are being put to washington. Sold a set of the washington are being put to washington.

are miliors, the wife's father, Thomas E. Johnston, acting as american, filed the suit against Scattergood through again changed her mind, and the date the suit against Scattergood through was postponed until September 20. Charles Roy Scattergood, brother of the

> leges cruel treatment and indistribles, and recites that the couple "lived toether more or less happile" until Octoler 1, 1921.
> Miss Johnston, the present Mrs. Miss Johnston, the present Mrs. Scattergood, was a pupil at the Lower Merion High School, as was Scattergood. They cloped to Elkton and were married by the Rev. C. Moon. They passed the summer of 1920 at Chebral. Scattergood is a pupiloy of Scattergood is a pupiloy of Scattergood.

tual Trust Company. Burton to See Poincare Today Paris, Sept. 16.—Congressman Theodore E. Burton, of Ohio, who arrived here yesterday from Brussels, will call

Scattergood is a nephew of Samuel . Scattergood, president of the Mu-

ARE YOU LOOKING FOR HELP? PER-haps the very person you want is adver-tising under Situations on page 17.—Adv. mittee after an hour's session at which it heard Mr. Keller present a general preliminary statement.

LAST-MINUTE NEWS

BASEBALL SCORES

PITTSBURGH 0

PHILLIES (1st) ... 0 Coopr and Schmidt; Meadows and Henline. Hart and Sentelle.

BRITAIN ASKS AID IN DEFENDING NEUTRAL ZONE

LONDON, Sept. 16 .- The British Government, addressing Rumania, Jugo-Slavia and Greece, is asking their participation in active defense of the Dardanelles neutral zone, it was learned officially today. Great Britain also has invited her dominions to be represented by contingents in the defence of those interests, for which they have already made enormous sacrifices, it was also authoritatively stated.

MRS. MALLORY AND MISS SIGOURNEY WIN

Mrs. Molla Bjurstedt Mallory and Miss Edith Sigourney won the Middle States doubles tennis championship at the Philadelphia Critical Chib this afternoon, defeating Mrs. Marion Zinderstein Jessup and Miss Molly Thayer. Scores, 6-1, 8-10, 7-5.

JERSEY RECTOR AND WOMAN SHOT TO DEATH

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., Sept. 16 .- The bodies of the Rev. Edward W. Hall, rector of the Protestant Episcopal Church of St. John the Divine here, and an unidentified woman were found under an apple tree on a farm near here today. There was a bullet wound in the clergyman's forehead and three wounds in the woman's head.

BROKER NABBED TILDEN IS FAVORED

Walter I. White Accused as American Lawn Tennis Title habitants and refugees pittable. and Challenge Cup Stakes Conspirator of Newlin in

The results of the control of the co

Coatesville Case

hotel attendants separated the combatants separated the combatants Miss DeWerth stood stripped of the Reeves ornaments.

"I begged that girl at least a dozen times to give him up and return my property." said Mrs. Reeves. "She laughed at me and I—well, what could a self-respecting wife do?"

DODDEDS COOK MEAL would sim or veto the measure.

The White House spokesurar also said that the bill, following the same course, would be referred to the 40 mass. ury Department and that the Proafter its return. The Treasure it was stated, had not in any way chang in its opposition to the present bill.

KELLER REFUSES EVIDENCE AT DAUGHERTY HEARING

Listening to Preliminary Statement
Washington, Sept. 16. (B. A. P.)
Declination of Representative Keller, of Minnesota, to present evidence based as in support of his impactionary to present evidence to the victory in the primary Westnesday as the result of the impactionary to present of the impactionary to present evidence to the victory in the primary Westnesday to the victory in the primary Westnesday to the victory in the primary Westnesday at the details of the atrocities had fed details of the result of the atrocities had fed details of the atrocities had fed details of the result of the atrocities and the details of the atrocities had fed details of the result of the details of the atrocities and the details of the atrocities had fed details of the atrocities and aggrestical form of conditions which we have have have here conditions over there is not surprised at the details of the atrocities had fed details of the result of the details of the atrocities and the primary was not result of the maggrestical form of conditions which we have here conditions over there is not surprised at the details of the atrocities had fed details of the atrocities and the result of the atrocities and aggressive conditions over there is not surprised at the details of the atrocities had a result of the interest of the secondary of the result of the re

at Manheim Today

Brings Models From New York for the "Bandbox"

Chicago, Sept. 16.—Miss Muriel McCornick descended perspectives from her who will be all of a block down the street when the boune of her mather, and walked alled a block down the street and entered the short, the Bandbox, at The state and Miss Baker and the welding treet and the welding treet to man because perspective from the walked and far ablock down the street and entered the short, the Bandbox, at The state and Miss Baker and Miss Bakers and Miss Baker

Guerrard on \$10,000 Ball to Answer 7000 ORPHANS IN SMYRNA Embezzlement of Klan Funds Embezzlement of Klan Funds
Raleigh, N. C. Schl. 16 (B) A
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Gity, N. C. of embezzlement of \$17;
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the former Klan efficial are not known
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a complete check of Klan activities in
a file-State was in progress.

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Many legel of form of conditions which House Committee Adjourns After

novel experience of seeing two women among its members. They are Miss Ressle Kempton, of Atlanta, and Mrs. Viola Napier, of Macon.

Word was received from the New York headquarters of the Near Fast Relief today that as far as ascertainable none of the Americans in Sinyrna are Pennsylvanians.

BY PESTILENCE; FIRE KILLS 2000

Heavy Rain Following Flames Makes Plight of Refugees More Pitiable

FRANTIC PEOPLE JUMP INTO SEA AND DROWN

Greek Dispatches Tell of Torture, Mutilation and Whole-

BRITISH FOR FREE STRAITS

sale Executions

25,000 Christian Women Reported Seized by Turks

London, Sept. 16 .- "Twenty-five housand Christian women and girls have been conveyed to the interior and distributed among the Turkish soldiers," says a dispatch to the Times from M. Lascaris, editor of Kosmos, a Smyrna newspaper, who has arrived on the island of Mity-

"New refugees from Smyrna arrived here this morning (September 15), including many Americans and English. They say the Turks are using machine guns at the street corners, killing indiscriminately," the

Constantinople, Sent. 16.-I'mwards fire at Smarna; 2500 buildings were The entastrophe, say direct advices

received here, is of much greater pro-

portions than the conflagration at Saloniki in 1917, which caused \$100,-000,000 damage and left 200,000 homethe are, making the plight of the in-Thousands of the frantic populace thed to the waterfront and pleaded with the small forces of American blue-makets there to give them shelter aboard the destroyers. Many in des-

NEAR EAST WORKERS SAVED