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Stone-Throwing Mystery Veils Strange Case in Bucks County

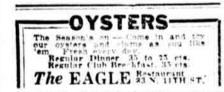
MAY BE VICTIM OF ATTACK

Sellersville, Pa., Sept. 30. - Bucks County has a mystery. Believers in witchcraft are of the opinion that a spell of ill omen has been cast on Ella Ruth, fourteen years old, a daughter

mystery. It is a fact that every time the girl leaves her home-even stepping into the yard or to the porch, stones struck her

The mystery dates have to September 20, when, according to the girl, she was walking along a nodel near her home and she was attacked by a man. He grabbed her and she straggled with him. She broke from his grasp and ran to her home. She says he should. "I will get you yet." Immediately afterward the stone

throwing began and is still going on. About a month age the girl under-went an operation for removal of her She is of a highly nervous temperament.



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"Little Fellows" Will Dig this sentence: "Your substantial support will be Down, but State Employes recognized as a tribute to the ability. Are Saved From Taxing Pepper and Reed.

by G. O. P. Nominee

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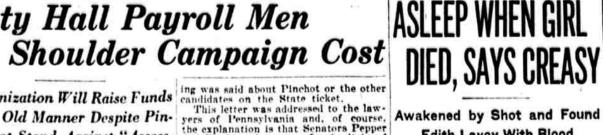
\$12 a year and other political "in-It appears that the City Committee.

ich gets the lion's share of the rake-is not too much of a Simon Legree. a City Committee treasurer does not nd if the office holder requires two rea installments to pay off his "debt. his indicates that there is a recogni

uite a drain. The annual assessment paid by an \$1500 officeholder would buy four or five tons of hard coal even at the present rice level. All of which may throw one light on the tipping evil in City Hall and on the myster) quotation+ which are asked and offered on the sup- the

Appreximately 18,000 officeholders are on the city and county payroll. Under the law about 6000 policements even if they want to And the re-maining 8000 city employes are under no compulsion whatever to pay masses means and set the barker of the next mayor-alty election. Therefore the hereto.

alty election. Therefore the burden of paying as-sessments falls mainly this year on "POLITICS INVADING HOME" employes-numbering close to



Edith Lavoy With Blood on Her Face

DID NOT TOUCH THE BODY

New York, Sept. 30. - William M Creasy, on trial charged with the mur-

Henry G. Wasson, of Pittsburgh, der of his sweetheart, Miss Edith Lawho was State chairman in the exciting voy. Freeport, L. L. school teacher, forces unhorsed Penrose temporarily as yesterday told his story of Miss Lavoy's State leader and captured the entire death in the Nassau County Court at party machinery of the State, was in Mineola.

Others declare the girl is the object of a carefully planned attack. Another theory is that she is directing attacks on herself because of a desire to get publicity. Authorities are at a loss to solve the mystery. It is a fact that assess the solution the supervision of the supe

halders. Mr. Pinchot, as the Republican can-didate for Governor, has revolutionized things in the State Committee, and as

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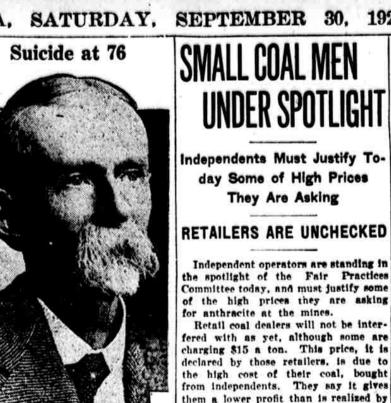
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will be followed Friday night by mass-meetings at Mella and Chester. Snur-day the party will visit Montgomery County, with night meetings at Norris-

of \$500 for the apprehension of the slavers of each of the victims. Like the Middlesex County reward, it is con-



JAMES WILLIS Man jilted fifty years ago by Philadelphia girl became hermit, a lonely Island in Delaware River above Trenton being his abode. Yester-day he shot himself

"We are not after the retailers," said Chairman W. D. S. Ainey, of the State Fuel Commission. "The trouble can best be remedied at the mouth of the mine." Retailers' Charges Denled

blamed public indifference and failure to pay the slightest attention to the operating of the government for much of the trouble at Harrisburg.

vessels coming home.



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nearby physician. The hold-up of Rosner was one of the

most daring ever pulled by bandits in this city and police marvel that not one

of the many people who witnessed to was struck by bullets from the high-

It occurred as the assistant pay-master of the Wilson-Martin Company was about to board an eastbound Gray's

Boy Plays With Matches; Dead

While playing with matches in the street at Gray's Ferry avenue and Pemberton street, Joseph Haynes, five years old; of 2200 Grays Ferry road,

set his clothes on fire. Passersby ex-tinguished the flames and took the boy to the Polyclinic Hospital, where he

Sleepers Aroused in Burning House

pounding on the front door. The dam-

died at 11 o'clock last night.

waymen's weapons.

Ferry avenue trolley.

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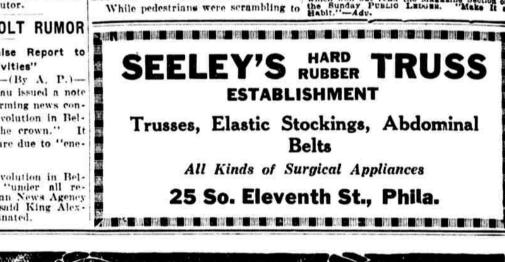
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and detectives. When Cope drew his revolver, he slipped on the curb and fell. As he did so a bullet shot away his hat. The detective feels that the fall saved his too, awakened Ashby and his wife by nounding on the front door. The deep

life. Dougherty Screams as He Flees

Dougherty fied east on Washington Dougherty fied east on Washington A President of the United States one found a quiet "swimming hole" along the part of the Potomac, and had his clothes "pinched" by a lady who maisted upon an which won out read the Magazing Section of the Shuday Public Libbush. "Make it a Habit."—Adv. ivenua when all the cartridges in his vistol had been emptied. As he ran, the detectives heard him scream in agony and later found blood on the sidewalk.

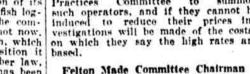


on one side of the couch. Edith was nearly.
 When I heard the report I jumped up and saw blood on her face. I serenmed, and ran to Miss Simser's room and cried that Edith had shot herself.
 "After I went to Miss Simser's room. I think I knelt down beside Edith. The thought of getting a doctor came to me. I ran through the hall.
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come into this country under the new law. Owners of ships would like to know just what cargoes they may ob-tain and where to look for them. Eu-rope will, of course, continue to buy foods and raw materials here, but costs of transportation will go up unless something is found to fill American reacels coming home.



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Executive and Finance Committee here Thur-stay and yesterday there was much quiet discussion of the part Gifferd Finchor would play in the solving of the act House All elements

All elements in the party see nothing but a Pinchet and Republican victory in November, and hence they are beginning to figure out the politics which will develop right after the election-the tries of the relations between the new jovernor and the next Legislature.

Want to Rule Legislature

for rain.

which ended in his being deposed in the desing days of the last session. This idea gets some point from the fact that Spangler, who was renomifact that Spangler, who was renomi-mitted in York County thought for a time of withdrawing from the ticket. But he has stood by the guns. The Spangler gossip has stirred up a plan to elect Samuel A. Whitaker, of Ches-ter County, who, with the backing of the Sproul Administration took Spang-

ler's place when the latter was spectucularly unseated.

the unarie unsented. In view of this situation plans are being made for a conference of all ele-ments with Mr. Pinchot, after his elec-tion, to the end that a harmony candidate may be chosen. There is some suggestion that the harmony mantle might fall on Franklin Spencer Ed-monds, of Philadelphia. While all this gossip was going on, Mrs. Pinchot, while attending the meeting of the Executive Committee spent much time in knitting-reminiscent of the women of the French Revolution, who knitted while heads fell.

Friends of Gifford Pinchot, Repub-lican nonlinee for Governor have com-plained to State headquarters that Colplained to State Meaduraters that Col-onel Robert Glendinning, chairman of the Finance Committee of the State Committee sent out letters appealing for campaign subscriptions, in which only the candidacies of Senators Pepper and Reed were referred to and noth-

Addresses Annual W. C. T. U. ditioned on proof that the murders Convention at Williamsport A. M. Beekman, prosecutor of Sour-

for the bencht of the City Committee to the extent of from \$50,000 to \$60.4 Dolo to on an average of \$20 each. One-half of that is looked for in addition by the ward committees. Those office-holders who pay say that the draft on their finances is all the beavier since the policemen and fremen as a source of simply. They are not enthusiastic over this special privilege. The table of assessment is as fol-lows:

mously adopted by the convention, were steps for pledge-signing among young people to stop the serving of home brew in homes, appointment of women on police forces, efforts to check the use glerted

Mrs. Hall today told the investigators that on the day before the murder, when a and her husband, with some others, tinde a trip to Lake Hopatcong, he fore his transers and she made temporary retains with needle and thread she had

When they returned he sent them to tuilor and had them stitched. He was

Special Services to Be Held in Cape May County Churches Cape May, N. J., Sept. 30.—Farmers in Cape May County fear that unless it if possible of rips in the left shoulder rains within the next few days the of the coat. They might have been made late points crop in the county will be a the prosecutor's office now thinks, by total failure. In all the churches in the the same knife which was used to shak county tomorrow prayers will be offered. Mrs. Mills' throat.

Some of the Old Guard talk of a combination against the Governor which would control the Legislature. Others say that the Governor will have to be consulted because of his insistence on bong a real and not a paper Governor. There is one suggestion that the opening of the session will see a sharp inclus of the session will see a sharp inclus of the session will see a sharp inclus of Speaker Spangler as a sort of tion of Speaker Spangler as a sort of lands of the county, it would mean a and, mistakes and all, it usually hasts vindication—a solving of the wounds loss of hundreds of thousands.

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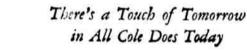
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