

THE WEATHER
Generally cloudy and somewhat warmer tonight; Sunday unsettled with probably light rain; moderate winds.
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SMOKE SCREEN FOR MRS. HALL SEEN BY POLICE

Pfeiffer's Demand for Special Prosecutor Viewed as Move to Save Widow a Grilling
QUIZ TO GO ON AS BEFORE, DAVID AND TOTTEN ASSERT
Letter to Governor Charges 'Bungling Stupidity' and Asks 'Coherent Investigation'

COUNTY HIRES DETECTIVES

Half a Dozen New Men Employed to 'Work Under Cover' on Murder Mystery
By a Staff Correspondent
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MURDER MYSTERY "TAG DAY"



Miss Agnes Kelly "tagging" Mayor Morrison, of New Brunswick, N. J., just after he had contributed to the fund originally planned for the defense of Clifford Hayes, falsely accused in the Hall-Mills mystery, and which now will be used in behalf of any others who may become involved in a similar predicament during the investigation

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EGG HARBOR MAN DIES CHASING ANNOYING DOG

Stricken While Hurling Stone at Animal Bothering Chickens
After throwing a stone at a dog which had been annoying his chickens, George Schneider, seventy-four years old, a farmer of Egg Harbor, dropped a short distance from his horse and Schneider saw a large number of chickens running wild with the dog in pursuit of several. Picking up a rock, he carelessly selected the home of Policeman James Walsh at 213 Swanston street for his slumbers.

KIDNAP, DRUG EX-SOLDIER, THEN REMOVE A GLAND

Police and Doctors Hunt for Skilled Performers of Operation
Chicago, Oct. 14.—(By A. P.)—The police and medical fraternity of Chicago combined today in a hunt for persons who could perform a delicate operation on a man who had been kidnaped and whose gland had been removed for transplantation. Wozniak, a strapping ex-soldier, thirty-four years old, had been several nights ago and falling in with a stranger, who talked about the war, he went to a bar-room where he drank until intoxicated, according to his own story. The events are dim in Wozniak's mind. The weather was cool and rainy, and he recalls being hustled out of the well-lit room and entering a cab against his will. He remembers a struggle with four men, futile for he was chloroformed, he says, and then he awoke in a room, and found himself in his own home, Thursday, in intense pain.

PARK GUARD STOPS POLICE AND BLOCKS BANDIT'S CAPTURE

Motorcycle Patrolman and Sleuth Chasing Thief With Jewelry When Halted
AGED MAN ROUTS FOUR ROBBERS IN GEM HOLD-UP
Daughter Phones for Aid—Girl Slaps Intruder's Face in Tailor Shop

A Park Guard who held up a motorcycle policeman and plain clothes detective because they had no rear light on their machine last night enabled a Negro bandit they were chasing to escape with eight diamond rings and three diamond bar pins he had taken in a jewelry store robbery.

HEISMAN CHANGES LINE-UP OF PENN

Graff to Supplant Kauffman and Langdon Replaces Voegelin Against Maryland
SOUTHERNERS ARE FAST

Real football weather, the kind dear to the heart of the knight of the mole-skin will greet the University of Pennsylvania and the University of Maryland eleven as they trot out on the turf of Franklin Field this afternoon to lock horns in the first game ever played between the two institutions.

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TO PROBE COAL PRICES

State Fuel Body to Quiz Companies Charging Above \$9.25 at Mines
An investigation of coal mining companies charging more than \$9.25 at the mines will be made by the State Fuel Commission on the recommendations of the Fuel Price Committee and the approval of Federal District Judge Spens, Chairman Ainsy announced today.

ENDS LIFE IN KITCHEN

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FIGHTING IN FIUME

Zanella Forces Clash With D'Annunzio's Legionaries
London, Oct. 14.—(By A. P.)—Fighting has broken out between the T'Annunzio legionaries and the Zanella forces in Fiume, says a Rome message to the Central News today. An Ancona message states that Italian destroyers have been dispatched to prevent the departure of Fascist forces from Zara for Fiume.

MATHILDE'S MARRIAGE TO OSER PUT OFF YEAR?

Relative Says Miss McCormick Has Not Secretly Wed Swiss
Geneva, Oct. 14.—(By A. P.)—Mrs. Stanley McCormick plans to leave her husband at Paris Monday for Rome where she will meet Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, with whom she will discuss the European women's suffrage movement. Afterward Mrs. McCormick will return to America by way of Paris and London.

GO SLOW ON FURNACE!

Warmer Weather Probable Tonight, Says Cheerful Prophet
Those who are thinking about starting the family furnace may hesitate a little, the weather man says, for all signs point to warmer weather tonight and tomorrow.

ARMY DIRIGIBLE STARTS AT 6:20 A. M. IN GOOD WEATHER

El Paso, Tex., Oct. 14.—(By A. P.)—The army dirigible C-2 on a return trans-continental trip from Ross Field, Calif., to Langley Field, Va., started from the field at Fort Bliss at 6:20 o'clock this morning. Weather conditions were favorable.

LAST-MINUTE NEWS

PROSECUTORS ASKED TO BE RELIEVED OF PROBE
JERSEY CITY, Oct. 14.—County Prosecutors Beckman, of Somerset, and Stricker, of Middlesex, today joined in an application to Supreme Court Justice Parker to designate Attorney General McCann to take charge of the investigation of the murder of the Rev. Edward Wheeler Hall and Mrs. Eleanor Reinhardt Mills.

TWO FIREMEN HURT IN TWELFTH ST. BLAZE

Lieutenant Charles Brady, Engine Company No. 26, was cut and bruised, and John Hamilton, hoseman of Engine Company No. 17, was overcome by smoke this afternoon during a fire which caused several hundred dollars damage at the plant of the Hub Machine and Welding Co., 448-50 N. Twelfth street.

LATEST RACING RESULTS

LAUREL—First—Carol, \$6.60, \$1.70, \$3.30 won; Valador, \$7.50, \$4.70, second; New Hampshire, \$3.30, third. Time 1:13 4-5. Backwater, Couchet, Transom and Mountaker also ran.

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NO WAR MONGER, LLOYD GEORGE'S ANSWER TO FOES



LLOYD GEORGE
British Prime Minister, facing a political crisis, carried his appeal to the public today in a speech at Manchester, England.

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BRITISH PRIME MINISTER HEAPS RIDICULE ON ABUSIVE CRITICS SAYS HE ISN'T READY TO BE "MASSACRED"

Depicts Himself as Peacemaker in Manchester Speech, Upholding Near-East Policy
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