

### ASSESSORS TOLD TO ENROLL WOMEN

County Commissioners Remind Them That 19th Amendment Is in Force

### FULL CANVASS ORDERED

Charges by the Voters' League of dishonesty in the assessment of Philadelphia voters, influenced George F. Holmes, chairman of the County Commissioners, to send a letter yesterday to the assessors.

That they should pay particular attention to the assessment of women.

That every man and woman in the city entitled to the privilege should be assessed.

That the December assessment must be an actual house-to-house canvass, because on it will be based the representation each senatorial district is entitled to in City Council.

The Commissioner's letter follows: "It is of the utmost importance that the assessment you are now making be accurate and complete.

"This assessment will determine the number of Councilmen to which each councilmanic district will be entitled for the four years beginning January 1, 1924. Each assessor, therefore, will be held individually responsible for the absolute accuracy of the list which he is now preparing.

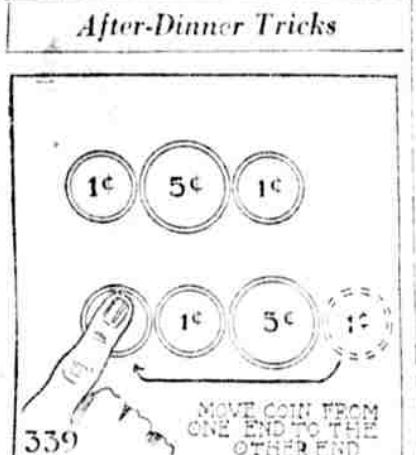
"You will find on the inside of the first cover of your book the law governing the making of assessments. This law applies equally to men and women. On the outside of the last cover are instructions taken from the law.

"Observe both carefully. In particular bear in mind that the Nineteenth Amendment gave women the right to vote and that it is, therefore, your duty to place their names upon your lists. It is as important to you as it is to them.

"You will be well advised, therefore, to make a full, complete and accurate assessment of your district. The Commissioners are confident that you will do so."

When the Commissioners receive the assessors' books they will have until August 1 to make corrections. The decision of the Commissioners to have the names omitted will prevent any representation in City Council. That work must be done before August 1.

**After-Dinner Tricks**  
No. 339—Removing the Center  
Three coins are laid in a row on the table. A nickel, for example, is placed between two pennies. How, you ask, can you remove the nickel from its position in the center without touching it?  
The answer is quite simple, but few persons will discover the secret. Simply move one of the pennies from one end of the row to the other. The nickel is now an end coin. This it has been removed from the center, although it has not been touched.



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**USEFUL GIFTS**  
Boys' & Girls' Raincoats \$3 Tan Black  
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Raincoats Cashmere, Canton and Tweed; all colors; sizes 4 to 18; Regular value \$10  
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Rubber Toys, 25c  
Goodyear Rubbers Children's Rubbers, 90c  
Men's Rubbers, \$1.25  
Ladies' Rubbers, \$1.00  
Rubber Gloves, 50c  
Hig Water Boots, \$1.50  
Girth Straps, \$1.50  
Men's \$8 Raincoats, \$3  
Men's & Imp. Gabar, \$25  
Women's (dines) \$15 val.  
**Goodyear**

### NEW EASTON HIGHWAY TO BE OPENED TOMORROW

State, County and City Officials Will Assist in Celebration  
Governor Sproul, Governor-elect Pinchot, officials of Philadelphia and of suburban communities north of the city are expected to take part tomorrow in the celebration marking the formal opening of the "Philadelphia to Easton" concrete highway.

Weather conditions favorable, it is said 1500 motorists will take part in a motor parade which will terminate at Easton, where, after a luncheon, addresses will be made in the Easton City Square. The celebration has been planned by several automobile clubs in Philadelphia and Bucks County, and in Allentown and Bethlehem.

Completion of this new highway gives Philadelphia automobilists a concrete stretch from the northern sections of the city through to the Pocono Mountains—over the old Germantown and Willow Grove Pike to Willow Grove, thence over the old Doylestown and Willow Grove Pike to Doylestown, thence over a direct route to Easton. Suburbs in the entire section have incorporated the name "Easton Highway."

### ELKS ENROLLED AS FOES OF KLAN

"Shrouded Americanism" Decried by Philadelphia Lodge Ruler at Atlantic City

### BACHARACH HITS K. K. K.

Members of the Elks are solidly lined up against the Ku Klux Klan, Charles A. Grubbs, exalted ruler of Philadelphia Lodge, announced in an address at a breakfast dinner last night in Atlantic City by the Atlantic City Lodge. "The day is fast approaching when Americans will be forced to take a definite stand against the Ku Klux Klan," he said, "and Elks will be lined up solidly against that organization. "That day the day when Americanism has to be darkened and shrouded. Clean and upright men do not stand in the United States that will play an important part as will the Elks in the coming issue."

The Klan also came in for a rapping from Congressman Bacharach, of Atlantic City. "There is no room anywhere in this broad land of ours," he said, "for an inextinguishable, no matter what class of people compose its organization. Acts of violence such as this organization perpetrates must not be countenanced in a free government such as ours."

### Lost Boy in Reading

Carol Harding, twelve years old who disappeared from his home, 2521 Arch street, several days ago has been found by police of Reading. A telegram to the Detective Bureau here said the boy was picked up while wandering around the railroad station.

### MAN AND WOMAN KILLED BY AUTOS

Miss Mary Gallagher Hurlled Across Street by Car at Woodland Avenue

### TRUCK HITS OTHER VICTIM

Two persons—a man and a woman—were killed when struck by automobiles last night. A heavy rain, obscuring the vision of pedestrians and drivers, is believed to have been a factor in both accidents.

Miss Mary Gallagher, twenty-three years old, of 4213 Paschall avenue, was struck by a touring car while she was crossing Woodland avenue at Sixty-third street about 7 o'clock. She was struck in a passing car and hurled to Misericordia Hospital, where she died two hours later. She was hurled several feet when struck by the car.

The automobile was driven by Arthur L. Bowen, of Twenty-sixth street and Atlantic avenue, Longport, N. J. He was arrested.

Mary Bell, eight years old, 600 North Seventh street, was seriously injured when she was struck by an automobile at Eighth street and Fairmount avenue. She was taken to the Hahnemann Hospital with a fractured skull and internal injuries. Howard S. Brugh, Warrington avenue near Forty-seventh street, a chauffeur for the Bureau of Highways, the driver of the machine, was held in \$800 bail to await the result of the child's injuries.

John Gallagher, fifty-six years old, of 3426 Hurley street, died last night in the Northeastern Hospital shortly after he had been struck at D street and Allegheny avenue by a motor-truck, driven by John Weber, of Allegheny avenue near Tulip street. Gallagher had suffered a fractured skull and internal injuries.

M. H. Tash, of 849 East Thayer street, owner and driver of a motor-truck, hit by a Route 44 trolley on Lancaster avenue near Fortieth street, was thrown through the plate glass window of the Singer Sewing Machine Company, 3006 Lancaster avenue, and cut about the head.

Anna Barnes, eighteen years old, of 4924 Brown street, was struck by an automobile driven by H. A. Williams, of Sharon Hill, while crossing the street at Fifty-second and Brown.

Helen Miller, twenty years old, of 3315 Oaken street, was taken to the Presbyterian Hospital after having been run down by a taxicab driven by James Fish streets.

### AUTO SKIDS INTO WALL

Two Men Hurt, One Seriously, in Accident Due to Icy Road  
The first serious accident due to ice on the road occurred last night on the Montgomery Pike at Roberts road, Bryn Mawr. A closed motorcar skidded into a stone wall. The occupants were injured and the automobile was demolished.

The victims of the accident were John Cochran, superintendent of the Barclay farm, Rosemont, and Jerry Homer Decker, of 241 North Fifty-fourth street. They were taken to the Bryn Mawr Hospital. Decker is said to be in a serious condition.

### STATE FORBIDS COAL PRICE JUMP

Fair-Price Arbitrer Says Operators Anticipated Anthracite Tax in Rates

### DEALERS ARE WARNED

Anthracite operators will not increase the cost of coal at the mines because of the State tax, according to the Fair Practices Committee of the State Fuel Commission.

Last month, after the United States Supreme Court ruled that the Pennsylvania anthracite tax law, which compels the anthracite operator to pay to the State a tax of 1 1/2 per cent of the price he charges the retail dealer for a ton of coal at the mines, was valid, reports emanating from many sections in the hard coal regions said the operators were preparing to boost the price from fifteen to fifty cents a ton, to cover the tax and the cost of "extra clerical force needed to compute and handle the tax."

Immediately many retail dealers in Philadelphia and other cities anticipated the operators and boosted their price from 30 cents to \$1 a ton.

It was made plain yesterday by Edgar C. Felton, chairman of the Fair Practices Committee, that any increase in price by any of the anthracite operators, who in the fall appeared before his committee with requests for increases over the prices obtained in 1921, will be regarded as a flagrant disregard of the rulings of the committee. He indicated the guilty operators will be dealt with accordingly.

"When those operators appeared before this committee in the fall with a request for higher prices," said Mr. Felton yesterday, "they brought with them cost figures to substantiate their demands, and to these cost figures was added from twelve to fifteen cents a ton in expectation that the Supreme Court would uphold the anthracite law."

"That tax was provided for in the increases given the operators following their conference with this committee, and any attempt to collect the tax twice by again raising the price of coal at the mines will receive the full attention of the Fair Practices Committee and the Fuel Commission."

### LOST VERONESE WORK NOW BELIEVED HERE

"Marriage of Isaac," in Possession of Dr. La Place, Has History  
"The Marriage of Isaac," one of the greatest paintings by Paul Veronese, famed Venetian artist of the sixteenth century, is believed to have been found in this city.

For years the painting has been in the possession of Dr. Ernest Laplace, medical director of Misericordia Hospital. It is now in the studio of Prof. Paul Veronese, artist and restorer, at 1827 Walnut street, who pronounces it "absolutely genuine."

The canvas came into the possession of Dr. Laplace in a peculiar manner. Many years ago he was called upon to treat a man suffering from cancer in

New Orleans. The patient confided to him that he had a painting which he believed to be the original "Marriage of Isaac." He said it would probably be offered at auction after his death, and could be purchased at a small sum, as he had confided his suspicions to no other.

Dr. Laplace visited the auction and secured the painting. The painting is five feet long and three feet wide. According to Prof. Farina, the work of restoration is exceedingly difficult. He has been at work removing a heavy coat of paint which covers the original canvas.

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French Seal Wraps, full length	48.50	Natural Raccoon Coats, 3/4 length	155.00
Russian Pony Coats, 3/4 length	54.50	Moleskin Wraps, full length	165.00
Caracul Trimmed French Seal Capes	59.50	Scotch Moleskin Coats, 3/4 length	165.00
Natural Muskrat Coats, 40 in. long	77.50	Black Caracul Coats, 40 inches long	175.00
Leopard Cat Coats, Seal Trimmed	79.50	Hudson Seal Capes, full length	185.00
Russian Marmot Coats, 3/4 length	79.50	Hudson Seal Coats, Beaver Trimmed	215.00
French Seal Coats, Skunk Trimmed	79.50	Hudson Seal Coats, Skunk Trimmed	215.00
Black or Taupe Caracul Sport Jaquettes	79.50	Hudson Seal Coats, 40 inches long	225.00
Marmot Coats, Raccoon Trimmed	84.50	Black Caracul Coats, Skunk Trimmed	245.00
Hair Seal Coats, 40 inches long	84.50	Natural Squirrel Coats, 3/4 length	285.00
Taupe Lamb Coats, 3/4 length	89.50	Persian Lamb Coats, Skunk Trimmed	325.00
Civet Cat Coats, 3/4 length	125.00	Black Moire Caracul Model Capes	395.00
American Opossum Coats, 3/4 length	125.00	Natural Squirrel Model Capes, full length	425.00
Platinum or Taupe Caracul Sport Coats	137.50	Ermine Capes, full length	495.00
Taupe Caracul Capes, full length	142.50	Natural Mink Coats, 40 inches long	645.00
French Seal Coats, Squirrel Trimmed	145.00	Broadtail Wraps, Kolinsky Fitch Trimmed	695.00
Black Caracul Capes, full length	145.00	Natural Mink Capes, full length	995.00

Black or Taupe Caracul Sport Coats 79.50  
Moleskin Wraps 165.00  
Hudson Seal Coats 185.00  
Skunk Trimmed Hudson Seal Coats 215.00  
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**Evening Dresses**  
That were \$65.00 to \$195, now \$35 to \$95  
Second Floor

**Sport Coats** Plain and Fur Trimmed  
That were \$25.00 to \$95.00, now \$18 to \$65  
First Floor

**Coats & Wraps** Plain and Fur Trimmed  
That were \$55.00 to \$345, now \$35 to \$195  
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Our Entire Stock of Plain & Fur Trimmed Sport and Tailored Suits.  
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