

ONE MORE CHAPTER.

Work of the Lake Erie Canal Commission to be Completed Within the Next Two Weeks.

IT MEETS WITH WARM APPROVAL. Engineers Sure That the Project is Feasible and That There Will be Oceans of Water.

HOW IT WILL HELP ALL SECTIONS. General George Washington's Opinion of the Value of Waterways.

Within the next two weeks the Ship Canal Commission will have completed reports prepared of the work which has engaged the attention of the members for a year or more. These reports will include the result of the various surveys, facts and figures relative to the volume of trade that can be established, figures on shipping rates, data as to commercial advantages that will be created, and many more features that promise to be of the utmost interest to the business world in general.

An Engineering Feat. In reply to these inquiries the commissioners declare that they do not stand in the way of the undertaking at all. They declare that they will have oceans of water the year around.

The project is regarded by many business men and engineers. James A. Henderson, of the Pittsburgh and Cincinnati Pikes line—the local and general benefits that will be derived from the building of that canal cannot be estimated at the present time, but they would be immense.

Bank Examiner George Sheppard Says It Is Sold as a Rock—Banks in Better Condition Than for Years—Brokers Going Down.

Bank Examiner George Sheppard is one of the many gentlemen who entertain unbounded faith in the stability of Pittsburgh's financial affairs.

NO LACK FOR THINGS TO EAT. A Pleasant Trip to Ohio on a Pennsylvania Company Dining Car.

Yesterday Samuel Moody, District Passenger Agent for the Pennsylvania Company, took a party of newspaper men to Canton to show them the new dining cars on the P. W. Wayne road which were put on the system about a month ago.

LAST WEEK'S MORTUARY REPORT. The mortuary report for the week ending November 29 gives a total number of 81 deaths, compared with 64 during the corresponding week in 1919.

AN ISLAND ESCAPE. From Dixmont, Wis. M. Hart, of Mercer county, escaped from the Dixmont prison asylum on Tuesday.

A Valuable Invention. Mr. Benjamin Lord, of this city, has invented and patented a new and novel steam generator that will evaporate as great a quantity of water with cheap steam as the ordinary boiler now in use will evaporate.

Superintendent Stengel Resigned. Superintendent Stengel, of the Monongahela Water Company, has tendered his resignation to take effect April 1.

Work of Allegheny Health Officer. The Allegheny Health Commission met last night, but transacted only routine business.

CHIEF JONES TESTIFIES IN HIS OWN BEHALF IN THE CASE BROUGHT BY WINN.

Chief Elliott Will Make Another Attempt to Purchase a Poor Farm. HE WILL ADVERTISE IMMEDIATELY. Councils Will Consider Whether a River Frontage is Needed.

THE STATE BOARD MAY INTERFERE. The rain yesterday broke the ice under which the Poor Farm troubles have been sleeping.

Views of Iron Manufacturers. Mr. Harry Oliver, of Oliver & Phillips, the Southwestern iron and steel firm, is a warm supporter of the Lake Erie Ship Canal project.

GEORGE WASHINGTON. Was First in War, First in Peace and First to Open a Ship Canal. He Wanted the Ohio to be a Seaway Connected.

THINKS IT A MISTAKE. "I have not been apprised of any such intended legislation, although I believe the ordinance, as it at present reads, is a mistake."

A WELCOME TO THE ENVOYS. Arrangements Completed for the Reception of Messrs. Dillon and O'Brien.

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BECAUSE OF THE GAS.

George A. Macbeth & Co. May Build a Large Plant at Coraopolis. AFTER A STRAIGHT SUPPLY OF FUEL. Cuban Miners Here to Introduce a New Quality of Manganeses.

TROUBLE AT A LOCAL GLASS FACTORY. A statement in yesterday's DISPATCH to the effect that several iron and glass firms were negotiating with Coraopolis for manufacturing sites, and that G. A. Macbeth & Co., of the Southside, was said to be one of the firms, created a great deal of talk in manufacturing circles.

LOOKING FOR MORE GAS. Mr. George A. Macbeth was seen yesterday and said that his firm had been looking for a new site for some time where a constant supply of gas would be assured.

MAKING ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE RECEPTION OF MESSRS. DILLON AND O'BRIEN. There was but a small attendance last night at the citizens' reception given to welcome the two envoys.

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One of Dakota's Citizens Talks of the Indian Situation. RED MEN STYLED A MEASLY LOT. The Whites Are Ready for a Fuss, but They Cannot Raise One.

CORRESPONDENTS CREATED THE SCARE. A National Convention to be Held of Delegates From Local Unions.

BOTTLE BLOWERS DESERTING. Nearly 200 green bottle blowers have transferred their allegiance to the firms within the last two months, owing to their trade having suffered from competition.

GLASSWORKS FOR VIRGINIA. Michael Ward, the veteran glassworker of the South Side, is now negotiating with a company which wishes him to assume the management of a new glass plant at Horse Vets.

ACHING FOR A FIGHT. "We have just been making for these worthless cases to ache a break, but somehow they don't see it in that light."

MEANNESS OF A HUNGRY INDIAN. "A hungry Indian is considerably meaner than one that is well fed, and the Lord knows they are mean and sneaking enough under the most favorable circumstances."

YOUR ATTENTION! My Stock Complete for the Holidays. Watches, Precious Stones, Sterling Silver, Cut Glass, Cutlery, Genuine Bronzes, Handsome Vases, Leather Goods, Art Furniture.

J. C. GROGAN, 408 MARKET ST., Corner Fifth Avenue.

SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS. Seal Plush Jackets at \$9, \$11 50, \$14, \$16 50, \$20. Seal Plush Coats, 36 and 38-inch lengths, \$16 50, \$22, \$25, \$28, \$30 and up.

Seal Plush Wraps, in newest shapes, with satin linings and first-class trimmings throughout, \$17 50, \$20, \$22, \$25, up to \$85.

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JOS. HORNE & CO.'S PENN. AVE. STORES.

The Store is in Christmas Attire.

VERY IMPORTANT TO Prospective Buyers of Seal-skin Garments.

We are now making a special sale of Alaska Seal-skin Coats, 34, 36, 38 and 40 inches long (all sizes from 32 to 40 bust), all new goods, all made this season, and purchased at a great sacrifice to the manufacturers.

Our entire stock of Woollen and Camel's Hair Shawls have been this day placed on sale on the first floor of the Clock Department, center of the room.

Infants' Department. Infants' Robes in Silk Nain-sooks and French Muslin, in drawn work and lace trimmed.

Infants' Robes embroidered in daintiest patterns. Infants' Dresses and Slips in Nain-sook and Cambric, machine made.

Infants' Shawls in Cashmere and Flannel from a plain silk, bound, to the finest hand embroidered.

Infants' Flannel Skirts, Barri-coats and Night Robes. Infants' Wrappers in Flannel and Cashmere, hand-embroidered in cream and colors.

Infants' Cloaks in Silk, Cashmere and Basket Cloths, silk lined and trimmed with ribbon. Infants' Embroidered Cloaks, warmly lined, in Cream, Gobelin and light shades of Tan.

A lot of Misses' Dresses, 10, 12, 14 and 16 years, at \$7, \$8, \$10 and \$12. Special prices to-day. Very stylish and good cloths.

Holiday displays of Ladies' and Children's Aprons, Skirts and Night Gowns at the Muslin Underwear Department.

Complete new assortment of French Flannel in stripes and figures; entirely new designs, best goods; for Tea Gowns, Wrappers and Dressing Sacs.

NO ADVANCE PRESENT STOCK OF CARPETS CURTAINS.

Although the manufacturers have advanced prices from 15 to 25 per cent, our present stock will be at the old low prices.

Large line of Tapestry Carpets at 50 to 75c. Body Brussels at 50c to \$1.35. Moquette at \$1.10 to \$1.50. Axminster at \$1.20 to \$1.75. Wilton Velvets at \$1 to \$1.50. Ingrains at 50c to 75c. 10,000 Pairs Lace Curtains from 75c to \$50 a pair. A large line of Rugs at special low prices.

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