

TEN DAYS CLEAN-UP SALE

Thursday, Oct. 22, to Saturday, Oct. 31

An Accumulation of Odd Pieces of

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Discontinued Patterns, Etc., at Cost and Less

Some remnants large enough for small rooms. Odd pieces of Furniture that may match those you already have. We also offer a general price reduction on our entire stock of Fall goods. Our location out of the high-rent district makes it possible to guarantee splendid money-saving values.

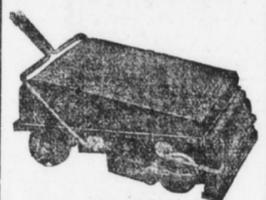
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- 25 pieces of carpet, 1 yard to 17 yards, 25¢ to \$1.00 per yard.
- 50 carpet samples, 1 yard to 1 1/2 yards, 50¢ to \$1.25. Neatly bound.
- 25 pieces linoleum; all sizes; printed and inlaid.
- 15 parlor tables in quartered oak. Your choice, \$2.75
- 10 solid oak beds; full size. Each \$3.00
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Odd Dressers, Chiffoniers, Dressing Tables, Oak, Mahogany, Bird's-Eye Maple

- 8 odd serving tables—oak and mahogany, \$6.00 to \$15.00
- 12 odd china closets at factory cost, \$14 to \$24
- Three 8.3x10.6 Axminster rugs, discontinued patterns, flower patterns. Value \$21.00, each, \$17.00
- One 9x12 French Wilton. Value \$40.00; sale price \$33.00

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With every sale amounting to \$10 or more
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General Price Reduction On All Our New Fall Line of Goods

\$40 Davenport, at \$30.00

\$35 Davenport, at \$27.50

\$30 Davenport, at \$22.50

Silk Floss Mattresses, \$12.50

Pure Felt Mattresses, 55 Pounds \$7.00

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DISCUSS REVISION OF CLARK ACT FOR THIRD CLASS CITIES

Special Committee of City Solicitors and Mayors Meet to Revise Clark Act

All the third class city solicitors and several of the mayors of Pennsylvania met in City Council chamber this afternoon and discussed suggestions for the revision of the Clark commission form of government law.

At the recent convention of the Pennsylvania Third Class City League at Meadville the delegates talked about the beneficiary results that would obtain by revising sections of the act pertaining to the police powers, the dates for collection of taxes, the compilation of assessments, the conduct of affairs by a "city manager" and a dozen or more others.

That certain radical changes are necessary along these lines was generally conceded, and in order to have the suggestions placed before the Legislature at its session this winter, it was decided to have them thrashed out by a special committee. This consists of the law committee, including all the city solicitors and Mayors John K. Royal, Harrisburg; William J. Stern, Erie; William Ward, Jr., Chester, and Ira W. Stratton, Reading.

The special committee held its first meeting this afternoon and it was decided to vest the work of making the necessary revisions in the hands of a subcommittee consisting of three or five members.

One of the principal subjects discussed was the referendum. Under the provisions of the Clark act it is only possible to make the referendum effective by obtaining 20 per cent. of the voters of the previous election for the referring petition. The method whereby the petition is framed is the point upon which there is considerable contention. Not only does the paper require 20 per centum of the voters, but it must be signed and certified to before the city clerk. And the most unsatisfactory feature about it all is the time—only ten days being allowed for the purpose. In Harrisburg this would mean that from 2,500 to 3,000 voters would have to go to the city clerk's office within ten days and sign the paper.

\$132,000 WORTH OF BONDS SIGNED BY COMMISSIONERS

Improvement bonds to the amount of \$132,000 were signed and made convertible into cash by the sinking fund commissioners at a meeting this morning in City Council chamber. The bonds were signed by Mayor John K. Royal, City Treasurer O. M. Copelin and Commissioner W. L. Gargas, finance and accounts. They were signed after being carefully inspected and approved by E. M. Field, of the United States Mortgage and Trust Company, New York.

Y. W. C. A. INSPECTION DAY

To-morrow is inspection day at the new Y. W. C. A. building corner, Fourth and Walnut streets. The building will be open to the public from 10 to 10. In the evening from 8 to 10, Updegrave's orchestra will furnish music. The piano used at this time will be the J. H. Troup Piano, a gift of the J. H. Troup Music House, this piano was placed in the new building to-day.

HORSE RUNS AWAY

The horse of J. W. Garverich, a post office employe, ran away this noon, breaking the left front wheel of the post office cart. No one was injured. The horse was caught by Robert Boyles, 311 Clinton avenue, at Front and Walnut streets.

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PRINCIPAL FIGURES IN TRIAL OF MRS. CARMAN



Judge Charles H. Kelly, who is conducting the trial of Mrs. Florence Carman, shown below, for the murder of Mrs. Louise Bailey, which occurred in the office of her husband, Dr. Edwin Carman, shown above, at Freeport, L. I. The trial has just started in the Nassau county court, Mineola, L. I. Mrs. Carman and her husband are confident of her acquittal.

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- 2208 yards light and dark Outing Flannel in remnants suitable for women's dresses and men's night wear. Regular 8c and 10c qualities. Yard **6 3/4c**
- 10c Fearless Bleached Muslin—one of the best 10c muslins made, yard **6 7/8c**
 - 10c Unbleached Shaker Flannel, very heavy quality; fine for underwear, yard **7 1/2c**
 - 12 1/2c 36-inch Cretonnes—for covering chairs and boxes; floral and oriental designs, yard **9c**
 - 12 1/2c Baby Flannel in pink, light blue, white, cream and black, yard **9c**
 - 12 1/2c 36-inch Bleached Muslin and Unbleached Sheeting; remnant lengths, yard **9c**
 - 18c Pillow Case—a very fine even thread muslin, yard **12 1/2c**

ENDEAVORERS TO GO ON A STRAW RIDE

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Derry Street United Brethren Church will hold an auto truck straw-ride to-morrow evening to Mechanicsburg and return. A party of thirty merry-makers will leave the church, Fifteenth and Derry streets, in a large truck full with straw, at 7.45 o'clock.

Derry St. Church Young Folk Will Go by Auto Truck to Mechanicsburg

Upon arrival at Mechanicsburg an oyster supper will be held at the Givler restaurant. The party will leave Mechanicsburg at 9.30 o'clock for a speedy return home.

COUNTY NOT TO PAY MONTHLY ESTIMATES

Contrary to the plan usually followed by the city in making for construction of public improvements, Dauphin county will not establish the precedent of allowing bridge contractors a certain portion of their contract price monthly on estimates of work that has been done.

Several years ago this question was threshed out and it was decided that the county assumed considerable risk in that the courts might not finally approve of the bridge when it was completed—in which case the county would lose what money it had paid on the estimates. The fact that a bond was required would not, it was figured, hold water.

The question was put to the commissioners again to-day by a representative of one of the contracting companies now constructing a new concrete bridge and the commissioners refused the request.

Returned From Canada.—City Treasurer O. M. Copelin has returned from Hollow Lake, Canada, where he was the guest for the last two weeks of W. Stanley Bay.

Held Water Pipe Appeals.—City Commissioner H. F. Bowman, superintendent of public safety, to-day heard appeals of interested property owners on assessments for water pipe in Emerald, Fourth to Fifth streets; Hilldrop, Nineteenth to Twenty-first; Nineteenth, Paxton and Sycamore; Sycamore, Kolleston to city line; Lennox, Nineteenth to city line.

Got Policeman Commission.—Wilson Levi Shay, recently appointed a special railroad policeman for the Pennsylvania by Governor John K. Tener, to-day appeared at the recorder's office, qualified and was formally sworn in.

At the Register's Office.—Letters on the estates of Leah Light, Swatara township, and Emma Rodston, city, respectively, were granted yesterday to Minerva J. Light and Ralph D. Houston.

Teachers to Hear Two Prominent Educators

Dr. J. G. Carter Troop, of the faculty of the University of Toronto, Canada, and Dr. Charles H. Albert, of the Bloomsburg State Normal School, will be the chief speakers at the city teachers' institute Saturday in the Central High School auditorium.

The music will be in charge of Prof. E. G. Rose, and the devotional exercises will be in charge of the Rev. Thomas Reich. The morning session will begin at 9.30 a. m. and the afternoon session at 2 o'clock.

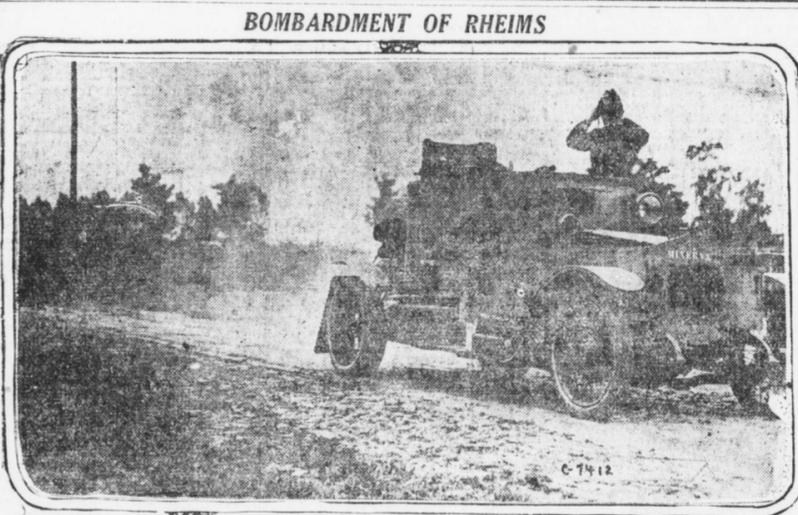
FELL THROUGH LOFT

Antonio Nemis, of Philadelphia, was admitted to the Harrisburg hospital last night suffering with severe bruises. He fell through a hay loft in a barn near Dauphin.

Had Tuberculosis, Now Insured

When you know a man has been afflicted with consumption, and later obtained insurance, in fact, absolutely no ambition whatever, I consulted a physician, who told me my lungs were affected. Not satisfied, I went to another doctor, who said that I was in the first stages of consumption. At this point I started to take Eckman's Alternative. The night sweats stopped almost immediately, my cough became looser and gradually disappeared. My weight is now 142 pounds and my physician has pronounced me perfectly sound—which, together with the fact that I have just been accepted by two different insurance companies for insurance, makes me sure of my entire recovery. (Abbreviated.)

W. E. GEE, Eckman's Alternative is most efficacious in bronchial asthma and severe throat and lung affections and rebuilding the system. Contains no harmful or habit-forming drugs. Accept no substitutes. Sold by leading druggists. Write Eckman Laboratory, Philadelphia, Pa., for booklet of recoveries.—Ad.



(Top)—A shell from one of the mighty German siege guns bursting in distance while Belgian armored motor auto with officers watch the bombardment from distance. (Below)—The crew of armored British motor car salute the burgo-master of Antwerp, who is seen at the head of a troop of cavalry, wearing a Red Cross armband, passing through the streets of Antwerp.—Copyright by International News Service.

LYING ON STRETCHER BOY TESTIFIES THAT HE WAS SET AFIRE

Charges Enterline Pair With Giving Him Liquor; Lad May Never Recover

Paul Sidney Erb, aged 15 years, 236 Charles street, who has been a cripple since July 3, was brought to the office of Alderman C. E. Murray on a stretcher this afternoon, to give testimony against Mrs. Anna and Joseph Abiltz, of Enterline, who are charged with furnishing liquor to minors.

The old police ambulance was used to convey Young Erb from his home. The stretcher was placed across two chairs in front of Alderman Murray's desk so that the boy's testimony could be heard.

On July 3, while on a visit to the Abiltz home on a farm near Enterline, it is alleged that Joseph Abiltz set fire to a sparkler which was sticking from the pocket of Paul Erb. The boy had in his pockets other sparklers, and a box of matches, which were exploded. Young Erb's leg was so badly burned that he has never since been able to walk.

The suit, it is said, is a forerunner of other suits to follow—one for neglect in not caring for the boy properly and another for damages. Young Erb testified to having been furnished liquor by the Abiltz family.

Charges were preferred against the Abiltz pair for furnishing liquor to Young Erb on July 3.

Russian Attempt to Gain River Repulsed

By Associated Press
London, Oct. 21, 5:50 a. m.—An official communication issued in Vienna at noon to-day is given in a dispatch from Amsterdam to the Reuter Telegram Company. It says: "The battle in the center of Galicia has increased in force, especially north of Etrwiaz river, where our attacks are progressing. "The attempts of the Russians to gain the Magiger heights have been repulsed. In the course of this fight many Russians were captured, including one Russian gun. Several machine guns were also taken. "The Austrians occupied Strylj, 42 miles southwest of Lemberg, Koeresmece and Serth after strong Russian resistance."

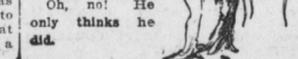
GEORGE J. WISE DIES

George J. Wise, aged 54 years, died at 1032 Herr street this morning, at 5 o'clock.

But let every man be swift to hear, slow to speak, slow to wrath; for the wrath of man worketh not the righteousness of God.—Jas. 1:19, 20.

THOSE ART-FUL GIRLS.

Didn't Jack kiss you by surprise last night? Oh, no! He only thinks he did.



Steel Men Connected With Many Railroads

By Associated Press
Philadelphia, Oct. 21.—Opening the argument in behalf of the defense in the government suit to dissolve the United States Steel Corporation on the ground that it violates the anti-trust laws, Richard V. Lindabury declared to the court that he did not know of any important case brought under the anti-trust laws where the amount of competition said to be suppressed was so little as in the case now before the United States Court. "In reading the record of this proceeding," he said, "you will be astonished to find how slight the competition was that is alleged to have been suppressed."

Mr. Lindabury began his argument after Jacob M. Dickinson, chief counsel for the government in the dissolution suit, had concluded his opening address of six and one-half hours. Mr. Dickinson ended by declaring that the Steel Corporation had used its power more to exact non-competitive, high prices from the public than to destroy competitors. Referring to interlocking directorates, he declared that when the suit was begun against the Steel Corporation its directors were interested in companies that controlled nearly 50 per cent. of the railroad mileage of the country.

Prisoners Taken From Retreating Germans

By Associated Press
London, Oct. 21. — 4:20 A. M.—The Daily Chronicle's Dunkirk correspondent, telegraphing Tuesday, says: "A general advance has been made by the allies who are fighting mainly with artillery. The best work is being done by the British naval guns. Large numbers of French and Belgian prisoners have been taken from the retreating Germans. "The assistance rendered by the British warships in bombarding the German lines advancing upon Nieuport, has been an important factor. "On account of the large number of spies captured in Dunkirk, an order has been issued forbidding any foreigner to remain in the city, and requiring that all leaving the town must go in a westerly direction."

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