### NEW FIRE RECORD IN JANUARY; EIGHTEEN BOX ALARMS SENT IN

Total Estimate on Losses During First Month Incomplete; but Will Likely Run Close to \$130,000, Says Police Chief

Figures in the monthly fire report of Chief John C. Kindler will show new records. The total number of box alarms was 18. Telephone calls numbered 22. Fire Chief Kindler is unable to give an official estimate on the total losses, but believes it will run over \$130,000.

Estimates on the losses at the recent

Had Tonsilitis; Tries to "Bust"

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## 12,000 MEN AT WORK HAD BUT TWO YEARS' IN PITTSBURGH MILLS HAPPINESS SINCE '92

### Homestead Steel Works Resume With 9,000 Men; Other Forces Increased

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The mere fact that the telephone was attached to the wall was really of no account to Charles C. Johnson was manded that the company had large orders on hand which would keep the big plant running steadily for several weeks. One of these orders is for 32, 600 tons of skelp iron for the Arnold Skelp and Iron Company.

At the Schoenberger plant of the American Steel and Wire Company on Penn avenue, the announcement was made to-day that the plant would go on full time February 5. This plant has been working about \$0 per cent. turning out horseshoes, horseshoe nails and other war munitions, as well as immense quantities of wire. The new order will add 2,500 men to the payroll.

Workmen in Braddock and Rankin where rejorcing to-day over the announcement made by the Edgar Thompson Works of the Carnegie Company ordering five furnaces into operation at one and two others within the present week. These furnaces have been idle several months. They will give employment to several hundred men.

The Carrie Furnaces of the Carnegie Steel Company, at Rankin, which have been undergoing a thorough resume operations this week. More than 500 men will be employed.

REV. MUDGE HURT IN FALL

The Rev. Dr. Lewis S. Mudge, pastor of the Pine Street Presbyterian Church, broke his right upper arm last night by falling on the ley pavement in Second street near Pine while on his way to the church. An X-ray, examination was made at the Harris-burg hospital this morning.

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# PRESENTED IN HOUSE

## For Feeble-Minded Women in Union County

A bill carrying an appropriation of \$575,000 for the construction and maintenance of te State Village of maintenance of te State vinage of Feeble-Minded Women was introduced in the House to-day by Mr. Showalter, Union. The establishment was authorized by the last Legislature and a location in Union county has been selected. Other bills presented were:

Mr. Walter, Franklin—Authorizing boroughs operating electric plants for commercial purposes to supply current outside their limits.

Mr. Sinclair, Fayette—Requiring all locomotives to be equipped with automatic bell ringers, 25 per cent. to be so equipped by January 1, 1916.

Mr. Lipshutz, Philadelphia — Providing a method for discharge of persons arrested or held in process issued on a judgment in court actions.

Mr. Whitaker, Chester—Appropriating \$188,150 to the Valley Forge Park Commission, of which \$105,000 is for purchase of land.

Mr. Campbell, Philadelphia—Appropriating \$500,000 for pensions for "emergency men" who volunteered for the defense of the State in 1862 and 1863.

Mr. Davis, Lackawanna—Authoriz-Feeble-Minded Women was introduced

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863,
Mr. Davis, Lackawanna—Authorizing counties to organize, equip and laintain county fire brigades, which re to be subject to call to extinguish rush and forest fires.
Mr. Steedle, Allegheny — Requiring ounty commissioners of Allegheny to

county commissioners of Allegheny to furnish quarters in courthouse for quar-ters for 'recognized official county as-sociation of physicians and surgeons," to be open to all reputable medical men.

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Mr. Alexander, Erie—Establishing a code for collection of taxes in boroughs and townships, the collector to be elected: regulating admission of land to boroughs.

Mr. Berntheizel, Lancaster—Providing for a commission of three, to be named by the Governor, to codify the law of decedents' estates. An appropriation of \$10,000 is carried. He also introduced bills making right to practice in Supreme Court proof that person holding it is qualified to practice in all other courts of the State and providing that no judgment or decree shall be set aside or reversed or new trial granted unless error complained of his injuriously affected rights of parties.

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Mr. Showalter, Union, chairman of the education committee, proposed amendments to the school code, one providing for reimbursement of examining boards and the other providing method of collecting cost of tuition of nonresident puoils.

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Mr. Lynch, Fayette—Making it a misdemeanor for any unnaturalized foreign-born resident to hunt for game or to own or have possession of a dog. Dogs are to be confiscated by any official possession of a dog or to the relation of the property of the prope

Commission.

Mr. Gans, Philadelphia, introduced a workmen's compensation bill based on the Michigan law. The bill would establish an industrial accident board. It provides that every employer is presumed to have accepted the act instead of taking positive action, and if an employer rejects the act the employer retains the common law defense of contributory negligence. The rate is put at 50 per cent, the same as in New Jersey.

The resolution for investigation of claims of Brobst heirs to lands in central counties by the Attorney General was referred to the judiciary general committee after objections by Mr. Maurer, Berks, had been voted down. The deficiency bill, carrying \$638,000, was the first bill to be passed finally. Two members voted against it.

Speaker Ambler requested all committees to get to work at once on bills and announced a short session to-night to receive those to be reported.

The hall of the House was granted for the night of February 9 to Congressman W. D. B. Ainey to make an address on American relations with Japan.

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The House took a recess until noon after Speaker Ambler's admonition to committees to get busy.

Air Brakes For Street Cars

When the House reassembled at noon Mr. Gallagher, Northumberland, introduced a bill requiring all street cars to be equipped with air brake attachments and automatic air couplers. The penalty is made \$10 per day for cach car not equipped after January 1, 1916.

Mr. Roney, Philadelphia, presented a bill requiring all locomotives except those used exclusively for switching and transfer service to be equipped with headlights of sufficient power to distinguish a man 600 feet distant. Twenty-five per cent. of locomotives are to be equipped by January 1, 1916, 50 per cent. by January 1, 1917 and

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Mr. McNichol, Philadelphia. introduced a bill to place optometrists under the supervision of the Bureau of Medical Education and Licensure. This will overcome the difficulty now existing.

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Among the bills reported out were Stein bill, regulating sale of heroin and Geiser bill permitting pay patients to take their own physicians and surgeons and nurses into hospitals receiving State aid.

The final committee assignments were announced as follows: Spencer, education; McVicar, municipal corporations, and Forster, ways and means. No more will be made.

The subcommittee in charge of the Spangler bill to fix salaries of county officers in counties having less than 150,000 population announced a public hearing on February 10.

Thus far 208 bills have been introduced in the House.

The House adjourned at 12.20 until 8 p. m.

### Husband Forced Her to Cook For Drunken Mob

Smiles and more than a suggestion of tears were woven into many of the stories of disillusionment that were related to Judges Kunkel and McCar

stories of disillusionment that were related to Judges Kunkel and McCarrell in the continued session of January divorce court this morning. Only, as a rule, those who told the stories didn't smile.

In Judge Kunkel's court Rosa Kelley appealed for a divorce from her husband, George W. He abused her frightfully, she declared, especially when he became intoxicated. His favorite pastime was to invite a host of negroes around to his house, open several kegs of beer, and compel her to cook for the drunken crew.

George Pasale whose coat was stolen the night of his wedding to pretty 16-year-old Katle Pasale, wants that knot of three months definitely united. They were married April 27, 1914. One evening three months later Katle grew very angry because George tor to bits a picture of her former lover. She decided then that she preferred the old love—and left Pasale to john that old sweetheart of hers. She's still with him, George says.

# ROMANTIC LIFE OF

\$575,000 For Erection of Village Mission Worker Says Church Has With Husband Through Rigorous Several Trespass Suits Included in Opportunity to Be of Real



Service to Humanity

# MRS. HART AT END

Indian Warfare; Bore Son in Sagebrush Camp

the chain of Rescue Missions which he has established in fifty cities in America.

After the afternoon meeting Mr. Trotter is to be tendered a reception by a number of local business men at supper in the Commonwealth Hotel. The Mayor and Chief of Police will be present.

The evening mass meeting, intended principally for men, but from which women will not be excluded, starts at choir, under the leadership of Charles choir, under the leadership of Charles Clippinger. The Stough songbook will again be used. Louis Houseal and his corps of tabernacle ushers will take care of the seating and the comfort of the audlence. A large attendance is looked for at the evening session to hear the story of Mr. Trotter's conversion.

No charge for admission is made for either meeting, but an offering will be taken up to help defray the expenses of Mr. Trotter's visit. Mr. Trotter goes from here to Philiadelphia, where he is one of the principal speakers at an undenominational rally held there from to-day until Thursday, and he will also visit and take part in one of the services at the "Billy" Sunday tabernacle meetings there.

## CIVIL COURT LIST FOR FEB. 22 ISSUED

Calendar of Thirty Cases Out Today



\$2,625 For Moving Garbage. — City Treasurer O. M. Copelin to-day paid to the Pennsylvania Reduction company, \$2,625 to cover the cost of removing the city's ashes and garbage for Janu-

To Sell Walnut Street Dwellings os. 506-08 Walnut street, includ Nos. 506-08 Walnut Street Dwellings.
Nos. 506-08 Walnut street, including dwellings, a shop and other outbuildings, and a 180-foot frontage on Elm street, properties of the Henry F. Young estate, will be sold at trustee's sale on the Courthouse steps by Attorney William M. Hargest, trustee, at 10 o'clock Saturday, February 27,

at 10 o'clock Saturday, February 27.

Auditor in Albert Estate to Sit.—
Attorney H. L. Lark, recently appointed to audit accounts of the Commonwealth Trust Company, trustee for the estate of John A. Albert, formerly of East Hanover, will sit at 11 o'clock February 8 at the offices of C. H. Backenstoe, 14 North Third street, Meat Shop and Tools Under Hammer.—Administrator's sale of the utensils of E. L. Minnig, a butcher, will be held February 3 by Attorney Arthur Huil.

Wants Discharge from Insolvency.— March 15 has been fixed for the hear-ing of George Rissinger's application

## BAD COLD? FEEL HEADACHY, DULL AND STOPPED UP

First dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" relieves all grippe misery

### Will Decide If Trust Companies Are Liable to Taxation as Rent Agents

City Council this afternoon instructed City Solicitor Soitz to submit a written opinion on the question of whether or not trust companies which act as ent agencies may be liable for the city icense tax imposed for renting dwellings. Commissioner W. L. Gorgas had alsed the point as to whether such companies are liable in view of the fact hat they pay a State tax. Mr. Seitz ald he is of the opinion that the rust companies are exempt, but added hat he will investigate the legal status of the case more fully. The license tax ordinance was accordingly postponed of the companies are companies of the case of the companies of the compan

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