

### STATE TO RECOVER MAINTENANCE COST

Albert B. Smith Will Be in Charge of the Collection Under the Attorney General

Plans have been completed to place upon a permanent basis the work of collecting from estates of patients in State institutions the cost of their maintenance, investigations made in the last three years, having shown that there are a number of persons in lunatic hospitals and other State institutions who have in their own right property yielding enough to pay the State for their care or whose immediate kin are abundantly able to contribute to their support.

Attorney General Brown has placed Albert B. Smith, for several years clerk to the House appropriations committee, in charge of the work and it is believed that with the legislation approved at the recent session he will be able to secure for the State many thousands of dollars for years. The State has been paying the whole cost of maintenance, but two years ago John C. Bell, when attorney general, made a number of collections for maintenance from estates of patients.

**Autos Numerous.**—Registration of automobiles at the State Highway department may reach the 160,000 mark within a month or so if the present rate keeps up. There has been only a slight decrease in the number of new applications, but the way they are running is far ahead of last year at this time. Motor cycles, too, have considerably increased in number.

**Death of Ex-Member.**—Representative Ansel Ulman, of Williamsport, a member during the session of 1913, and one of the prominent Democrats, was found dead in bed at his home yesterday.

**Nurses Detailed.**—Commissioner Dixon has detailed two State nurses to go to the Danville State Hospital in an effort to check the outbreak of typhoid.

**Crowd at Capitol.**—Although Labor Day was observed at the Capitol by the closing of all departments, the legislative halls and other "show" rooms were kept open to take care of the crowds of visitors who came to the State House. There was a great holiday crowd as usual and the legislative desks had many occupants, while the school contingents sat in the seat of the speaker in relays.

**To Report on Inspection.**—When the Public Service Commission meets to-morrow Chairman Ainey will lay before it the results of the inspection of the grade crossing at the intersection of the Delaware and the South Philadelphia to Chester made by Commissioner Monaghan and himself with Secretary Miller. The grade crossing subject will be generally discussed during the week, but no program is likely to be adopted for some time because of the tremendous problem involved.

**Rush of Bids.**—Over seventy bids for construction of the new cavalry armory in West Philadelphia were received at the office of the State Armory Board to-day and are being tabulated to-night for submission to the board, which meets to-morrow.

**Academy Opens.**—The State Forestry Academy at Mont Alto opened its winter course to-day and students being admitted. These students passed the State examination some time ago and have spent six weeks in practical work in the State reserves.

**Selling Off Autos.**—The State is getting rid of old automobiles. It has three which are not needed any longer and bids are being asked on them.

**Hearing Friday.**—The Public Service Commission has given notice that it will hear the application for revocation of the order making one way tickets good in either direction on Friday, September 18, at 10 a. m.

**State wants Paint.**—The Highway Department is asking for bids for paint for the bridges it has to keep in order. The bids will be opened on Tuesday.

**Party Starts East.**—The Governor's party started East from San Francisco last night. It is due here September 16.

**Health Decree.**—The Department of Health has issued a decree in regard to the improvement of the Halifax Water Company's system.

**Back to Battery.**—Captain M. Churchill, of the United States artillery, who has been the instructor at Tobyhanna camp for the four State batteries, will rejoin his regiment.

**Investigating Outbreak.**—Dr. B. F. Royer, chief medical inspector, is making an investigation of the cause of typhoid at Hazleton.

**Nearly Cases.**—On the Public Service Commission list of hearings are Newport borough against Newport Water Company and the application of the Reading for its new siding here. The Elizabeth Electric Company charter also comes up.

### SKIN TROUBLE ON CHILD'S FACE

And Ears. Broke Into Sore Eruptions. Itched and Burned. Worst When Sleeping.

HEALED BY CUTICURA SOAP AND OINTMENT

"The trouble began on my child when he was about three weeks old. It was on his face and ears and started with a red rash and broke out into sore eruptions. The skin was sore and inflamed and it itched and burned and he would scratch till the blood would come. It seemed worst when he was sleeping and when he would first wake up. He was cross and irritable and his face was disfigured for a while. Then we used Cuticura Soap and Ointment. In about six weeks the trouble disappeared and he was healed." (Signed) Mrs. Nora McCann, R. F. D. No. 1, Aspen, Pa., April 1, 1915.

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### STEELTON MIDDLETOWN HIGHSPIRE ROYALTON OBERLIN ENHAUT

### MANY CANDIDATES OUT IN LOWER END TO BLOW IN NEW STACK THIS WEEK

No. 5 Blast Furnace Here One of Largest in World; Has Every Modern Equipment

Preparations for blowing in the new No. 5 blast furnace at the local plant of the Pennsylvania Steel Company are rapidly being completed. The big stack will be fired within a few days. This new furnace is the largest hereabouts and one of the largest in existence. It is equipped with all the latest devices in blast furnace construction and has a capacity of 500 tons of pig iron per day. It is equipped with a huge skip hoist for loading and the two largest gas blowing engines in the world furnish it with fuel. Just as soon as this stack is blown in the old No. 3 blast furnace will be blown out and remodeled to bring its capacity up to the equal of No. 5.

A report to-day that the company would dismantle the old rail mill here was not confirmed by local officials. The old rail mill is now equipped with rolls for turning out billets and rounds. It has been turning out these products for some time and no changes are contemplated.

### Steelton Schools Open With 2,000 Pupils

After a vacation of three months Steelton's public schools opened this morning at 9 o'clock. Some 1,900 pupils again took up their books and resumed study for another term. By Christmas it is expected that the enrollment here will reach 2,000 pupils. With the opening of school the new manual training course for pupils of the higher grammar grades goes into effect. A workshop with benches and machinery has been fitted out in the basement of the high school and will be in charge of J. C. Folker.

More than 100 pupils who formerly went to St. Peter's parochial school entered the public schools to-day. Their former teachers are in Europe as nurses. Two extra teachers have been elected to care for these students.

### Oberlin Pastor Resigns After 5 Years' Service

The Rev. C. E. Boughter, pastor of the Rev. Memorial United Brethren Church, Oberlin, yesterday read his resignation. He asked that it become effective in October when the annual conference is held.

The Rev. Mr. Boughter came to Oberlin from the First United Brethren Church at Ephrata, Lancaster county, five years ago. Since taking charge of the church a large debt has been wiped out and a number of improvements carried out. The congregation has greatly increased in size. No action has yet been taken upon his resignation.

### STEELTON PERSONALS

Mrs. L. H. Walter, of Pine street, has returned from a trip through Iowa and Colorado.

Douglas Beidle left yesterday to enter Lebanon Valley college.

Moses Nicholas, of Midland, is visiting friends here.

Samuel Miles, of Hampton Roads, is spending the week with friends in the borough.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Alden and family have returned from a two months' visit at Pocasset, Mass.

John Weisenford is visiting in Reading.

Mrs. Winfield Vosbury, of Haddonfield, N. J., and Miss Helen Vernon, of Wilmington, Del., are guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. Vernon, Sr., in Walnut street.

Miss Irene Mallon, of Media, is visiting relatives here.

James Lewis, of Reading, is visiting

### Royalton Borough

Republican—School director, William J. Ronger; high constable, William E. Rutherford; high constable, Christian L. Hoover and Aaron Peiffer; burgess, Henry S. Granger; Harmon Updegraff and Jacob Hatz; justice of the peace, John M. Rutherford and Samuel H. Ney.

First ward—Councilman, Clarence Shumaker; constable, George Kerr.

Second ward—Councilman, Joseph G. Updegraff and Jacob M. Pink; constable, George W. Keener and Harry Hamilton; judge of election, A. K. Conrad; inspector of election, Irwin Fager.

Democratic—School director, William E. Rutherford; burgess, Jacob M. Hatz; auditor, Jesse E. Schaeffer and John Scheetz.

First ward—Council, John S. Judy; James H. Flowers and Dawson Aderholt; high constable, Christian L. Hoover and Edward T. Hickernell; justice of the peace, John M. Rutherford and Samuel H. Ney; constable, Charles T. Koltrider and John H. Slupe; judge of election, George W. Eeckley and Adam Hickernell, Sr.; inspector of election, Harry F. Landis.

Second ward—Constable, Theophilus Burger and Harry M. Brandt; councilman, John G. Kinsey.

### Pretty English Maid Braves Submarine Dangers to Wed Here

There's a pretty little English lass who has no terrors for Germany's submarine warfare. To wed Joseph Bennett, an employe of the Testing Department at the Pennsylvania Steel Works, she braved the dangers of a trip across the sea. Her name was Miss Hermina Polts, of Oldham, England, but since Friday night it has been Mrs. Joseph Bennett. The wedding was performed in the parsonage of Grace United Evangelical Church, Lincoln street, with only a few friends present. The Rev. J. M. Shoop officiated. Yesterday Mr. and Mrs. Bennett were guests at a reception in their honor given by Mr. and Mrs. S. Roden, 231 North Harrisburg street. After a short honeymoon trip they will reside in Reading street.

### HIGHSPIRE PERSONALS

Miss Lily Leaman, of Rupp street, will spend the week-end at Lancaster. John Miller moved his family from Market street to Harrisburg this week.

Raymond Heberling, Edgar Hastings and Miss Josephine Mathias will leave next Monday for Lebanon Valley college.

Miss Ruth G. Etnoyer has returned from a short visit to Philadelphia.

The Rev. and Mrs. Howard Griffith, of Port Allegany, Pa., are spending a few weeks with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Enos E. Etnoyer. The Rev. Mr. Griffith is pastor of the First Baptist church at Port Allegany.

# GRAND OPENING OF "ROBINSON'S WOMAN SHOP"

20 NORTH 4th ST. NEAR YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION [TO-MORROW] TUESDAY AFTERNOON AT 2 O'CLOCK

"The Woman Shop" Will Open in All Its Splendor We want you to consider this a personal invitation to attend THE BIRTH OF THE WOMAN SHOP, which will be devoted to high class stocks of WOMEN'S and MISSES' SUITS, COATS, DRESSES, SEPARATE SKIRTS, WAISTS, PETTICOATS, FURS, HOUSE DRESSES and KIMONOS, all at SENSIBLE PRICES.

COME AND SEE "THE FASHION SHOW." COME AND SEE THE SURPRISES WE HAVE ARRANGED Living Models Will Promenade Living models will promenade from 2 to 5 in the afternoon, and from 7 to 9:30 in the evening. Come and see the new styles. Compare our prices and SEE HOW YOU CAN GET STYLE AT "THE WOMAN SHOP" without extravagance.

Special Notice Remember we will remain open until 9.30 Tuesday evening for the benefit of those who cannot attend in the afternoon.

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Kind Friends and the Public Thanks for the many kind words of encouragement since my recent announcement. Attend our opening and your presence will gratify me. Mr. Irving E. Robinson.

### A Turkish Bath In Your Home

Get a Knickerbocker Bath, Spray Brush, Turkish Towels, and Sponges at FORNEY'S to make it complete. 426 Market St.

### Dyestuff Problem Holds Attention of Local Plants

Dr. Thomas H. Norton, commercial agent of the Department of Commerce at Washington, is now in New York to investigate the dyestuff problem and to co-operate with manufacturers and others in bringing about our independence of Germany in the matter of future supplies of this sort. He was chosen by the Department for this task because of his training, long experience and knowledge of the subject in all of its phases.

Harrisburg is greatly interested in the dye situation, two or three local concerns requiring the dyes for the manufacture of their products. It is said that one of the concerns was offered a phenomenal profit on its dyes in stock and that many thousands of dollars could have been turned over by closing the plant and selling the dyes instead of continuing operations.

The Harrisburg Polycyclic Dispensary will be open daily, except Sunday, at 2 P. M. at its new location, front and Harris streets, for the free treatment of the worthy poor.

### When a Feller Really Needs a Friend

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