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Local Bell Employee Becomes Chief Toll Clerk of Revenue Accounting Department



GEORGE B. DETZ After twelve years in Harrisburg, ten of which have been spent in the employ of the Bell Telephone Company of Pennsylvania...

Plans For Building Big Wooden Armada Nearly Ready For Ship Builders

Washington, May 2.—To allay uncertainty among shipbuilders who expect to take contracts for vessels of the great wooden ship fleet, the Shipping Board announced late today that specifications for a standard ship would be ready in the very near future...

More Boys Than Girls Are Born in Britain Annual Report Shows

London, May 3.—The theory that more boy babies than girls are born in war time is supported by the annual report of the registrar general for England and Wales...

The marriage rate was the highest on record; the birth rate was the lowest on record; the death rate from typhoid fever was the lowest on record...

Charles T. Mattis, Mill Owner, Dies From Stroke

Elizabethville, Pa., May 2.—Charles T. Mattis died at his home, about two miles west of here, yesterday, from a stroke of paralysis on Monday afternoon while he was driving towards town...

News Items of Interest in Central Pennsylvania

Shenandoah.—A fierce fire in the Hub Building occupied by six stores and twelve offices yesterday threatened the whole central section and took the city's entire department to conquer it...

Langford.—The Lehigh Coal and Navigation Company will present the public schools of this borough with a public playground.

cluded in the forty applicants for land for gardening when the Duplan Silk Company apportioned its first sections prepared at an expense of \$600 for its 1,500 employees.

Reading.—A request that her second husband be excluded from a share in her estate because she states he failed to provide for her is contained in the will of Charlotte J. Sterner Oxenford...

Switzerland Pleas For Exports From America Berne, Switzerland, May 3.—There is growing anxiety in Switzerland that the United States may restrict exports to neutral countries...

Shakespeare Day Observed in England and France London, May 3.—Shakespeare day was observed to-day throughout England and France.

U. S. War Loans to Allies Total \$53,113,000 Washington, May 3.—War loans of the six chief European belligerents, according to the latest figures available to the Federal Reserve Board aggregate approximately \$53,113,000,000.

German Seaplane Sinks a British Steamer London, May 3.—The admiralcy announces that the British steamer Gene was sunk May 1 by a torpedo discharged from a German seaplane off Aldeburg (Suffolk, England)...

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Bowman's

HARRISBURG, THURSDAY, MAY 3, 1917.

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White Goods White Percale - chamois finish-36 inches wide. Friday Sale, yard 14c

Body Brussels Rubbers Treads Made of corrugated rubber; 3/8-inch thick.

Table Oil Cloth Best quality, but slightly imperfect printing in small patterns; 1 1/4 yards wide. Friday Sale, yard 12 1/2c

Towels and Toweling Turkish towels; bleached and unbleached. Friday Sale, 12 1/2c

Men's Furnishings Men's Neckwear - a clean-up lot of open-end four-in-hands; good patterns. 25c

Women's Underwear Bleached vests; lisle thread; sleeveless; seconds. Friday Sale, 19c

Women's Underwear Union suits; bleached cotton; sleeveless; lace and cuff knees; slightly soiled. Friday Sale, 42c

Great Friday Waist Sale Two Lots of Voile Waists at 79c & \$2.05

Black Jap Silk Waists, tailored with tucks—also with sailor collars, hemstitched—sizes 36 and 38 only. Friday Sale \$1.19

Notable Friday Bargains Our presentation of weekly Friday Bargains carries this flag at the head of its marching columns---"small profits and quick service."

Ribbons Lot of mill ends of ribbon; 5 to 7-inch widths; light and dark colorings. Friday Sale, yard 25c

Embroidery Madeira embroidered edges; 2 and 3 inches wide; a clean-up lot. Friday Sale, yard 8c

Girls' Dresses Cleaning up a lot of white dresses, 10 to 16-year sizes. Made of lawn and organdie, trimmed with lace, insertion, beading and medallions...

Girls' Dresses Children's Dresses - 2 to 6-year sizes, in small checks, large plaid gingham and plain chambray...

Jewelry Military hat pins; sword shapes, 19c

Kimonos Japanese and flowered crepe kimonos in pink, lavender, blue and rose; 36 to 44 sizes. Friday Sale, \$1.49

Blankets Plaid blankets in assorted colors - heavy weight—extra large size. Friday Sale, pair \$3.75

Crepe de Chine 40-inch crepe de chine, in twenty-five evening and street shades, as well as black and white. This is truly an astonishing value when present values are considered—don't fail to get your share, at Friday Sale, yard \$1.29

Cedar Tubs Virginia white cedar tubs; painted inside and outside; 3 electric welded hoops. Friday Sale, 73c

Toilet Goods Tokalon Roseated cream, jar, 50c

Bates' Crepes 500 yards of Bates' crepes in light and medium colorings for house dresses, children's dresses and rompers. Friday Sale, yard 6 1/2c

Bust and Dress Forms 12 bust forms—sizes 32 to 42. These are well-made forms of strong, durable papier mache covered with black Jersey cloth—a great help to home seamstresses. Friday Sale 25c

Bed Spreads Crochet bed spreads; heavy weight; size 74x84 inches. Friday Sale, \$2.12 1/2

House Dresses A clean-up of broken sizes in gingham and chambray house dresses. Friday Sale, 49c

Women's Hosiery Fibre silk stockings; double heels; wide garter tops; black and white. Friday Sale, pair 55c

Women's Shoes Women's high shoes, pumps, oxfords and colonials; a clean-up lot of high grade shoes which includes a few dozen pairs of excellent sample pumps from a well-known New York maker. Friday Sale, pair 35c

Gloves Liberal assortment of kid gloves in sizes 5 1/2, 5 3/4, 6 and 6 1/4 and a few 7 and 7 1/4—colors, and black and white. Friday Sale, pair 95c

Cases and Muslins Double bed size bleached sheets, with center seam; made of soft finished muslin—laundered, ready for use. Friday Sale, 69c

Embroidered and scalloped pillow cases, made of best quality tubing, in six different designs—45x36 inches. Friday Sale, pair 73c

Unbleached sheeting, 27 inches wide—smooth, even thread—will wash and bleach easily. Friday Sale, yard 5c

Children's Shoes In sizes up to 8; some slightly imperfect, but in no way are the wearing qualities affected. Friday Sale, pair 98c

Art Goods Cretonne scarfs and pillow tops, finished, ready for use. Friday Sale, 25c

Friday Clean-up in the Drapery Section White curtain scrim with blue, pink and yellow flowered borders. Friday Sale, yard 10c

Notions Sanitary sheeting; can be boiled and washed; guaranteed; yard, .85c

Women's Arch Supports Made of leather with German silver plates; for quick clearance. Friday Sale, pair 50c

Shoe Cleaners Black and tan shoe cleaners. Friday Sale, bottle 7c

Cuspidors White porcelain with brown band decoration. Friday Sale, 21c

Coffee Cups A American porcelain coffee cups and saucers; plain white. Friday Sale, dozen of each, \$1.20

Half Price Sale of Odds and Ends in the Silk and Muslin Underwear Section Gowns of washable silk, trimmed with wide bands of lace and insertion, ribbon and beading—low neck and short sleeve styles. Friday Sale, HALF PRICE.

Steam Cooker Three vessel compartment, each vessel holding two quarts. Friday Sale, 39c

Children's Shoes Stamped combing jackets, made of Turkish toweling. Friday Sale, 39c

Colored embroidery cotton, in assorted colors. Friday Sale, dozen, 10c