

STORK WINS IN RACE WITH DEATH DURING NOVEMBER

There were 18,812 Births, 778 Stillbirths and 8,856 Deaths—A Notable Increase in the Mortality Rate From Diphtheria

The stork won out in the race with death in Pennsylvania last November, according to the reports just tabulated at the State Health Department for that month by two to one and then some. During the month there were 8,856 deaths and 18,812 births, with 778 still births.

LATE WAR NEWS SUMMARY

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WIRELESS PREVENTS BLOWING UP OF FRENCH LINE STEAMER

Paris, Feb. 5, 2 A. M.—A plot to blow up the French line steamer La Champagne, which has arrived at Corunna, Spain from Mexico, was frustrated by a wireless message received aboard the ship on January 19, according to the "Journal's" Madrid correspondent.

Japs Seize Norwegian Steamer

Tokio, Feb. 6.—Japanese warships have seized the Norwegian steamer Christian Bors on the allegation that they found some irregularity in her papers. She has been turned over to the prize court at Sasabo. The Christian Bors sailed from Shanghai January 26 for San Francisco by way of Japanese ports.

GERMANS BRAND REPORT AS FALSE

Berlin, Feb. 6.—Officials here have branded as false the report printed in the Bucharest newspaper "Adevartul" that Germany had requested Bulgaria to attack Rumania if Rumania took the field against Austro-Hungary.

NORMAL WEATHER COMING

Freezing Temperature Holds Back Water Avoiding Flood. Once again the weather has considered to "keep off a pending flood in the Susquehanna valley. There is considerable snow still remaining in the valley and precipitation last night averaged about half an inch, but the temperature remained near freezing point and most of the rainfall was held back.

BIBLE STUDY MEETING

John Farmer Presides at Gathering of Class of Pine Street Church. The weekly Bible study meeting of Mrs. John W. Boyd's Bible class of the Pine Street Presbyterian church was held last night at 8 o'clock at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Eisenberg, Fifteenth and Market streets. John Farmer presided. The attendance was large. The meetings have been held Friday nights since the close of the Stough campaign.

Movements of Steamer Dacia

Norfolk, Va. Feb. 6.—The steamer Dacia, en route from Galveston to Rotterdam with cotton, is due to arrive here to-morrow morning. She was reported to-day as having passed Hatteras and on her way up the coast at a ten knot speed. Great Britain has announced the Dacia would be seized.

Bank Reserve Shows Decrease

New York, Feb. 6.—The statement of the actual condition of clearing house banks and trust companies for the week shows that they held \$143,991,580 reserve in excess of legal requirements. This is a decrease of \$268,350 from last week.

GERMANY NOT TO SEIZE U. S. SHIPS

Continued From First Page. fess to close even the English Channel to neutral commerce, and she does not intend to molest or seize American vessels laden with foodstuffs for the civilian population of enemy countries; it is to be hoped that England will not make necessary a reconsideration of this attitude by seizing American ships like the Wilhelmina.

Will Destroy Ships of Enemy

"Germany does, however, announce to the world that it proposes to continue to destroy ships belonging to the enemy, and it adds the notification to neutral powers that, on account of the facts that British ships are employing neutral flags, according to secret instructions now known to have been issued by the British government, bona fide neutral vessels may actually be endangered."

Waters in Danger Zone

The official text of the German admiralty proclamation, transmitted by Ambassador Gerard to the State Department to-day, reveals that navigation routes to the north of the Shetland Islands and the eastern part of the North Sea, as well as a strip of thirty nautical miles along the Dutch coast, are not in the danger zone but that the waters directly around Great Britain and Ireland comprise the prohibited areas. This differs from the published report.

French Press Indignant

Paris, Feb. 6, 5.15 A. M.—The German Admiralty's proclamation including the British waters has provoked an outburst of indignation in the French press, although it is hailed generally as an indication that Germany is beginning to find her situation desperate.

Swedish May Make Protest

Stockholm, Feb. 6, 9.45 A. M.—Indignation is expressed by the Swedish press because of Germany's proclamation relative to a blockade of the British Isles. The belief is expressed that it will result in the government making a protest to Berlin.

Dignity of Neutrals Ignored

Rome, Feb. 6.—Commenting on German measures against neutral ships, the "Tribuna" declares Germany does not take into account the rights or even the dignity of neutrals, while Great Britain gave satisfaction to protests made by the United States and Italy, granting the latter the right to maintain the distinction between absolute and conditional contraband. Continuing the paper says:

"Germany can be assured that some neutral powers will refuse to accept her ruling under which the established custom of examination at sea of neutral vessels is abandoned and peaceful neutral ships are put in the same category as hostile vessels. This will evoke protest from some neutrals. If Germany finds that she has been damaged by certain British measures she should answer with reprisals damaging to Great Britain, but not striking at neutral powers in the movements of their ships or the lives of their subjects."

JOHN D. SR., GETS HIS FEE

Signs Receipt For Services As Witness In Federal Industrial Probe. New York, Feb. 6.—With Seth Low, former Mayor of New York City, as the final witness at the present session of the Federal District Court upon the Sherman anti-trust law, John D. Rockefeller signed a receipt in Chicago where transportation problems will be subject to inquiry.

Bill to Increase State Police

A bill, it was learned to-day, will shortly be presented in the House of Representatives of Pennsylvania for the increase of the State police by a hundred men, or two more companies. At the last session Speaker Ambler was sponsor for a measure to increase the force, but this failed in the House through the inability to muster the required constitutional majority of 104 members in its favor.

DRIVER DIES IN CRASH OF HERSHEY CAR

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Kohr's Widow Heartbroken

Kohr was married and lived on Caracas avenue, Hershey. Mrs. Kohr to-day was heartbroken over the accident. Before her marriage twelve years ago she was Miss Fannie Emerick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Emerick, her father being a contractor at Swatara Station.

MEXICAN SITUATION ACUTE

Members of Diplomatic Corps at Mexico City Threaten to Quit On Account of Carranza

By Associated Press. Washington, Feb. 6.—Administration officials and the diplomatic representatives of foreign governments were keenly watching for developments to-day in the acute situation at Mexico City where many members of the diplomatic corps threaten to quit because of serious friction with the Carranza government.

LABOR DEPARTMENT REPORTS 36,123 MISDEEDS IN 29 INDUSTRIES IN 1914

More than a million dollars was lost through accidents in the various industries in Pennsylvania during 1914. The figures compiled by the Bureau of Statistics of the Department of Labor and Industry show that during 1914, the first year in which the new bureau gathered the figures, 36,123 accidents occurred in the twenty classes into which the industries enumerated in the State laws have been divided.

WOMAN LOSES BLOOD IN FIGHT

Scrap of Females on Market Square Interrupted by Policemen. When Patrolman Midigan, on duty at Kaufman's store, 9 North Market Square, at 10 o'clock this morning looked out of the door he saw, so he testified in police court before Mayor Royal this afternoon, Elizabeth Christy strike Rosie Szubinsky in the face so hard that blood flowed.

EGGS REMAIN AT 32 CENTS

There is a Possibility, However, of a Decline in the Coming Week. After the remarkable drop of 18 cents a dozen in the price of eggs to 32 cents between the first of the year and last Saturday, the price has remained unchanged, and purchasers in the city markets this morning paid the same price as a week ago.

PROF. STEELE AT SCHOOL

Assumes Charge After Illness Which Lasted Since Thanksgiving Day. Prof. William S. Steele, principal of the Central High school, who has been ill since Thanksgiving Day, spent a few hours at the school on Thursday, it being his first visit to the school, since his illness. He was confined to his bed at his home, 1622 State street, until about three weeks ago.

\$16,000 FOR ANTI-TRUST LAW VIOLATORS

School Patrons' Day February 10. The Harrisburg School Board has set aside February 19 as patrons' day in the local district. Parents of the pupils are invited to the schools on that day. In many instances entertainments are given and in others the schools are dismissed at recess time in the afternoon and the parents and teachers hold a meeting.

Nine Injured in Elevated Crash

New York, Feb. 6.—A local train and an express on the Ninth avenue elevated line collided at Fifth street during the rush hour this morning. Nine persons were injured. The forward car of one train and the rear car of the other were burned to the trucks.

Got Full Description

Dyer-Higbee was one of the best men that ever lived. Dyer—How do you know? Dyer—I married his widow.—Town Topics.

14 FIRMS BID ON AUTO FIRE MACHINES FOR CITY

Continued From First Page. of Philadelphia, put in a blanket bid offering the desired five pieces of fire apparatus for the sum of \$18,000. The Morton Truck & Tractor Company, of this city, put in a similar proposal in addition to its detailed bid.

Bids on Tractor for Truck

These were the proposals on the single tractor for the aerial truck: Ahrens-Fox Fire Engine Company, \$4,350; Harwood-Barley Manufacturing Company, \$3,600; Morton Truck & Tractor Company, \$3,600; American-LaFrance Fire Engine Company, \$4,000; American & British Manufacturing Company, \$4,250; Front-Drive Tractor Company, New York City, \$4,112; James Boyd & Brother, \$3,800 each.

Wilson Senators Agree to Clark's Motion in Order to Get Amended Measure Before Senate

By Associated Press. Washington, Feb. 6.—Administration Senators agreed to-day it would be impossible to recommit the ship purchase bill with instructions for its modification and determined their only course to get an amended bill before the Senate is to yield to Senator Clarke's motion, which threw the Democratic ranks into confusion.

CATTLE DISEASE QUARANTINE

Yards in Many Big Cities Ordered to Be Closed. By Associated Press. Washington, Feb. 6.—As the result of the discovery of foot and mouth infection in Chicago, Indianapolis, Louisville, Buffalo, Cincinnati, Jersey City, Pittsburgh and Columbia, the Department of Agriculture today instructed its inspectors to close yards in those cities to interstate shipment of live stock after that moment in transit has been disposed of.

NO NEW JANITOR AT TECH

School Board Again Postpones Action on Request of Present Employees. Action on appointing another janitor for the Technical High school was again postponed last night by the School Board. The building committee formerly recommended the appointment of a man last month after considering a request from the Tech janitors since August. It was laid over at the time the report was submitted and again postponed last evening.

WILL BE WEDDED TO-MORROW

Pauline Brenner and Joseph Coplinsky to Be Married at Synagogue. Miss Pauline Brenner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Brenner, 617 Boas street, will be married to Joseph Coplinsky to-morrow evening at 6 o'clock at the Kasher Israel synagogue by Rabbi Louis Silver. She will wear white satin, with a silver tunic and a tulle veil and will carry bride's roses and valley lilies.

MEET AT PLEASANT VIEW

Parent-Teachers' Association Decides to Gather Semi-Monthly. A meeting of the Parent-Teachers' Association of the First District of Susquehanna township was held last evening in the Pleasant View High school, Twentieth and Forster streets.

Make Progress on Rating Bureau

Much progress is being made in the installation of the Credit Rating Bureau by the Harrisburg Chamber of Commerce for the benefit of such of its membership as enroll for that branch of its activities.

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Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart

A Special Representative of the Pictorial Review Co. Will Be at Our Pattern Dept. On Monday

Mrs. Bellamy has already won many friends in Harrisburg through the excellent advice that she has given from time to time on the proper selection of paper patterns.

The patent cutting and construction guides furnished only with Pictorial Review Patterns save time, labor and material in all cases.

Mrs. Bellamy will be here only on Monday. Will you meet her?
28 Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart, Street Floor.

Next Week's Events In the Mill and Factory Sale

Beginning Monday many notable values that have not been announced heretofore will go into the Mill and Factory Sale at prices indicating the most unusual savings of the winter. Every fresh item, no matter how low the price, represents a standard of quality that we are proud to stand back of.

Don't miss next week's specials in the Mill and Factory Sale.

The most remarkable sale of books in bookdom's history occurs on Tuesday of next week when we shall sell thousands of books from the late H. B. Claffin Co. stock at almost incredibly low prices.

Imagine a sale which embraces sixteen thousand brand new books—at just about 25 per cent. of publishers' prices.

Details in Monday evening's and Tuesday morning's papers.

"BUNDLE DAY" GIFTS FOR NEW YORK'S POOR AND NOTED SOCIETY WOMEN LEADING CHARITY SCHEME

Some of the Bundles

New York city is making one of the greatest donations to charity in its history. Fifteen hundred wagons are working overtime to collect the hundreds of thousands of bundles of clothing and food contributed by as many individuals and families on the first "bundle day" of the municipal calendar. Some of the drivers reported American flags in front of practically every building in their sections on the first rounds of collection, this being the official signal of the waiting bundle. As fast as they were gathered the bundles were piled up in the headquarters of the Bundle Day Committee, in the various police stations of the five boroughs, school buildings, railroad terminals, theatres and in many privately owned buildings of various kinds set aside for the day as "bundle stations." The response of the public to the call for help for the needy thousands has exceeded the most optimistic hopes of the promoters of the movement. In the accompanying illustration is shown some of the bundles collected for the poor and society women leading in the charity scheme.

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