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Miscellaneous FURNITURE PACKING PACKING-A. H. SHREK, 1906 North Sixth street, first class packer of furniture, china and crockery. Bell phone 1897.

WANTED TO BUY WANTED-To buy ten second-hand cameras for our rental department. Write, phone or call KEYSTONE CYCLE CO., 814 N. Third St. Bell phone 2628, United 19W.

FINANCIAL MONEY TO LOAN upon real estate securities in any amounts and upon any terms to suit the borrower. Address P. O. box 174.

STORAGE FIRE-PROOF STORAGE warehouse, divided into private rooms for storage of household goods. New building, low insurance. Inspection invited. 437-445 South Second street. HARRISBURG STORAGE CO.

ALL KINDS OF HAULING ALL kinds of hauling; large two-ton truck; furniture, pianos, freight, in the city and suburbs. Prices reasonable. Picnic and pleasure trips, day or evening. W. M. H. DARE, 1453 Vernon St. Bell phone 2517J.

PIANO MOVING PIANO MOVING, tuning, packing and storing; work done by experts. WINTER PIANO CO., 23 N. Fourth St. Bell phone 146.

MISCELLANEOUS WANTED-Bicycles, or parts of bicycles, for highest cash prices, at once. Try Keystone quick repair service and save money. KEYSTONE CYCLE CO., 814 North Third St. Both phones.

DETECTIVE PRIVATE DETECTIVE GEORGE W. SHULER, 512 S. Fifteenth St. Bell phone 2398F.

Sale and Exchange FOR SALE A set of mahogany dining room furniture. Call evenings, between six and eight o'clock. C. F. HILL, Kestler Apartments, Fifth and Market streets.

FOR SALE-40 improved Harrisburg Dodge hats for 50 cents. Come and look them over. Open evenings. S. MELTZER, 512 Walnut street.

FOR SALE-Good second hand No. 40 improved Harrisburg furnace; with cellar heat pipes; also good No. 8 range. A. S. MILLER & SON, 18th and State Sts. Bell phone 3896J.

FOR SALE-Two 4x9 pool tables, just been covered; 3 warts of cues and everything complete; want to sell on account of bought four tables alike. Address 3757, care Star-Independent.

LUMBER FOR SALE-Cheap-English Bros., new building, Tenth and Market streets.

DON'T PAY \$2.00 and \$3.00 for hats when you can buy H. C. Dodge hats for 50 cents. Come and look them over. Open evenings. S. MELTZER, 512 Walnut street.

BARGAINS in typewriters. Bar-lock, \$19; Williams, \$19; Remington, \$15; Royal, \$9. L. C. Smith and Underwood, prices reasonable. L. C. SMITH & BROS., 26 S. Fourth St.

ONE PIANO-Was used about one year. I am leaving city and will sell it reasonable on monthly payments. Address 3748, care Star-Independent.

PRIVATE collection Victoria records one-third to one-half of listed price; sold singly or any number; mostly Red Seal records; 200 State St. Bell phone 682L. Some choice bargains.

FOR SALE-AT GABLE'S, 112, 115 and 117 South Second street, 5,000 gallons New Era Ready Mixed Paint. Acme quality. All the full line of the Acme make.

FOR SALE-10-ACRE FARM 1/2 mile north of York Haven on the State Road from Harrisburg to York.

Summerville Cottage A well-built two-story frame cottage surrounded by shade trees—located at the foot of the mountain and overlooking the River and Harrisburg.

EDGEMONT PROPERTY FOR \$1100. Always rented at \$10 a month. Lot 75x120 ft.

LOT BARGAIN Lots Nos. 192 and 193 on 26th, near Katharine St.—Glenwood addition to Penbrook. Each lot 30x150 ft.

WILLER BROTHERS & CO. REAL ESTATE Fire Insurance Surety Bonds Locust and Court Streets

Death and Obituary DIED. COLESTOCK-On April 22nd, 1915, Charles Ross Colestock, aged 35 years. Funeral on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, from his late residence, No. 1136 Market street. Relatives and friends are invited to attend without further notice. Interment in Prospect Hill cemetery.

BEAUMONT-On April 22, 1915, Harvey L. Beaumont, aged 52 years. Private funeral on Monday morning at 10 o'clock, from his late residence, No. 1819 N. Third street. Interment in Newport cemetery. Body can be viewed Sunday evening between 7 and 9 o'clock.

GUTSHALL-On April 22, 1915, at his late home, 1400 N. Sixth street, Wilson Gutshall. Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, from the late residence, 1400 N. Sixth street. Friends are invited to attend without further notice. Interment private in Harrisburg cemetery. Please omit flowers.

Real Estate REAL ESTATE FOR SALE THREE-STORY dwelling house, corner property; good location; not far from city center. Relatively new. Terms if necessary. Address 3756, care Star-Independent.

FOR SALE-Three-story frame house, 9 rooms; on lot 40x90; stable on rear and 19 lots each 20x30. Price \$7500. BELL REALTY CO., Bergner Building.

DESIRABLE Paxtang bungalow for sale; eight rooms; gas; electric light; steam heat; porch; lot 10x12; plot 60x120. BELL REALTY CO., Bergner Building.

FOR SALE-1330 N. Second St., 2 1/2-story brick and stucco; 8 rooms, bath and steam heat; lot 25x100. This is one of the best finished properties in the city. One-half acre on State Road, one-half mile west of Enola trolley line; 100x150 lot; 1 1/2-story frame dwelling; 7 rooms; stable; elegant spring. Price, \$1500. BRINTON-PARK CO., Second and Walnut Sts.

FOR SALE-No. 1944 N. Seventh St., 2-story frame, all conveniences, front porch. Nos. 1107 and 1109 Plum avenue, 2-story frame, water in kitchen. No. 1111 N. Fourteenth St., brick, conveniences, front porch. No. 1340 Derry St., all conveniences, front and side porch. C. H. OLCUTT, 261 Cumberland St.

REAL ESTATE FOR RENT FOR RENT-Good house and barn with 11 acres of ground and fruit. Apply at 112 N. Front street, Steelton, Pa.

FOR RENT-1614 Catherine St., \$16.00 542 S. 17th St., \$18.50 540 S. 17th St., \$18.50 Apply Kuhn & Hershey, 18 South Third Street.

FOR RENT-325 Chestnut St., 6 rooms and bath, all conveniences. Apply MACK'S PAINLESS DENTISTS, 310 Market street, Harrisburg, Pa.

FOR RENT-1317 Derry St., apartment, \$25.00 1515 Market, apartment, \$25.00 Apartments from \$22.50 to \$27.50 1841 Zieker house, water in kitchen, 133 S. 14th, \$20.00 2 houses, each, \$25.00 2 houses, improvements, \$25.00 2 houses, improvements, \$25.00 HARKVEY T. SMITH, 204 S. 10th St., or Bell phone 243M.

FOR RENT-Houses with all improvements, at moderate rentals. J. E. GIPPLE, 1251 Market St.

REAL ESTATE WANTED REAL ESTATE WANTED-To buy a house costing between \$2,000 and \$3,000. Location Allison Hill. Address 3759, care Star-Independent.

APARTMENTS FOR RENT TWO apartments with five rooms and front and back porches, at reduced rent, at 2019 Green St.

FOR RENT-Apartment of five rooms, bath and laundry room, second floor, corner property, plenty of light; must be seen to be appreciated. GEORGE W. MYERS, 225 Hummel St.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE OR RENT HOUSES FOR RENT and 1/2-story dwelling houses for sale. Elder Real Estate Co., 24th and Derry Sts.

UNFURNISHED ROOMS FOR RENT FOR RENT-Two unfurnished rooms, suitable for light housekeeping, use of bath and phone; elegant location. Inquire 227 Boas St., Harrisburg, Pa.

FOR RENT-Several unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping, no children. Also, one furnished room. Apply 814 N. Third street.

FURNISHED ROOMS FOR RENT FOR RENT-Nicely furnished rooms with porch, private family, all conveniences; rent reasonable. 1113 Montgomery street.

FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED ROOMS FOR RENT FOR RENT-One furnished room on second floor, close to large bath; one room on third floor, also back room. Can be used separate or as apartments; furnished or unfurnished. No. 417 room, reasonable terms. Large bath room, reasonable terms. Also good boarding. Apply 1146 Derry St., City.

Business Opportunities BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES. LET us sell your automobile. We have buyers if price is right. Automobile Storage, Repair, Sales at reasonable prices. KEYSTONE CYCLE CO., 814 N. Third St. Bell phone 2628.

Legal IN THE ESTATE OF Alexander Roberts, deceased: Letters testamentary have been granted by the Register of Wills upon the estate of Alexander Roberts, late of Harrisburg, Dauphin county, Pennsylvania, deceased, to the undersigned, residing in Harrisburg, aforesaid, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment and all persons having any legal claim against or demand upon said estate, shall make the same known without delay. ALEXANDER H. ROBERTS, Fifth and Emerald Streets, GEORGE ROBERTS, Fifth and Curtin Streets, Executors. Or their Attorney, B. F. UMBERGER, 108 N. Second St.

Wants HELP WANTED-MALE WANTED-Energetic Carpenter or Handy Man, with some selling ability, who will invest \$100 to \$200 with business firm. Can make \$10 per day and have steady business the year around. Call after 7 p. m. F. L. Baldwin, Metropolitan Hotel.

PAPER HANGER-Experienced paper hanger wanted, at once. Address P. O. Station 18.

BOY WANTED-White boy (foreign preferred), for bootblack stand in a shoe department. Address P. O. Station 18.

SITUATIONS WANTED-MALE COLORED MAN would like position as porter or janitor. Can give best of references. Inquire 245 S. Cameron St., Harrisburg, Pa.

TWO young carpenters want positions: experienced on concrete forms. Apply 701 N. Sixth St., City.

MIDDLE-AGED man of temperate habits, would like position as fireman on stationary boiler, desires position at home. Can and will work at anything; unusual ability; A1 references. For interview address F. S. B., 24 N. Seventh street.

TRAVELING MAN, with 8 years' experience in office work, 4 years' assistant credit man in large manufacturing concern, desires position at home. Can and will work at anything; unusual ability; A1 references. For interview address F. S. B., 24 N. Seventh street.

WANTED-Job work in the carpenter line; all kinds of wood screws and fences a specialty. Call or drop card to A. M. ZELLERS, 2134 N. Seventh St.

AGENTS WANTED WANTED-Life Insurance Agents who will produce business, paying for sickness, accident and natural death; also for child birth. This is something new and very attractive. Agents who mean business will apply to Box 3452, Boston, Mass.

HELP WANTED-FEMALE WANTED-Housekeeper for family of two. Apply or write JACOB SIDES, Royaltown, Penna.

WANTED-Experienced button-hole operators and vamps. Apply Harrisburg Shoe Manufacturing Co.

WANTED-Girls over 16 years of age to learn cigar making. Paid while learning. Apply at Harrisburg Cigar Company, 500 Race street.

SITUATIONS WANTED-FEMALE LADY wants work of any kind except cooking. Address 802 East St., City.

COLORED woman wants lace curtains to wash. 921 Sarah Ave.

WANTED-Position by young widow who wishes good home; prefers small family. Apply 1145 Derry St.

WANTED-Two elderly German ladies want housework; good cooks; not able to speak English. Inquire at MR. ROTH'S, 633 Mohr St., Steelton, Pa.

Lost and Found FOUND-The well-dressed man. He always sends his clothes to Eggert's Steam Dyeing and French Cleaning Works, 243 Market St. Do you? Call and deliver.

FOUND-A decided improvement in my appearance since having my clothing cleaned and pressed at Parisian Dye Works, 1409 N. 7th and Hoffman streets, Keras, 337 Chestnut. Bell phone. Calling and delivering.

ITALY AND AUSTRIA STILL NEGOTIATING, IS OPINION Rome, April 22, 9:24 P. M., Via Paris, April 23, 8:05 A. M.—Baron De Macchio, the Austrian Ambassador, had a long interview this afternoon with Foreign Minister Sonnino which is interpreted as an indication that negotiations between Italy and Austria are being continued.

Rome, April 22, 1:25 A. M., Via Paris, April 23, 5 A. M.—What purported to be the stipulations upon which an agreement between Italy and Austria was originally proposed are printed by the "Avanti," the organ of the Intransigent Socialists favoring neutrality, which asserts it obtained them in an interview with an unnamed former minister, who said he participated in the original negotiations with Prince Von Buelow, the German Ambassador.

The following are said to have been substantially the provisions of the agreement suggested: Recognition of the reciprocal interests of Austria and Italy to preserve the alliance; ratification of the frontier to give Italy more military security and greater confidence in the friendly feelings of Austria; settlement of the Adriatic question including Albania, in such a way as to satisfy Italy and eliminating sources of discord with Austria; greater racial and cultural protection for Italians remaining under Austrian rule as Prince Von Buelow expressed the personal opinion that Austria could be induced to cede Italy the territory inhabited chiefly by Italians.

Station Men May Unbutton Coats An order permitting station employees of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company to unbutton their coats has recently been posted and reads as follows: "Effective May 15 to September 15, station employes and trainmen, except those who wear coats of light blue serge designated especially for warm weather, will not be required to keep their coats buttoned as required by Rule 9, of the regulations governing uniforms."

Sues the State For \$25,000 Peter C. Kuhn, a Scranton man who, by a special act of Assembly, approved March 12, last, obtained permission to sue the State, filed an action here to-day for \$25,000 damages against the Commonwealth. His legal representatives are T. A. Donahoe and F. J. Helriegel, of Scranton. The papers do not show the nature of the alleged damages.

ALLEGED PLOT TO SPIDRIT AWAY

Authorities Believe Plans Were Laid to Take White's Slayer From Guards

NORFOLK MAN BARES SCHEME

Writes Letter to Assistant District Attorney of New York, Telling How Plot Was to Be Consummated—Sheriff on the Alert

New York, April 23.—Sheriff Griffin Haiger said to-day that he had taken every precaution to frustrate an alleged plot to spirit Harry Thaw out of New York State, which came to light last night in Norfolk, Va. Without accusing Thaw or any of his intimates of participation in the plot, the local authorities said they had reason to believe that plans had been laid to take Thaw from his guard on the way to court here, place him in an automobile and hurry him to the first train for Virginia.

According to the Sheriff, the plan was first revealed by the following letter written to Assistant District Attorney Frederick J. Groehl, of New York, by Louis Weinrop, of Norfolk: "A man comes over to me and he said I should go to New York when Harry Thaw's case comes up on the 22d of April and he will give me two more men and they will have an automobile to take Harry Thaw away, when he comes to court room, to another State, and he offered me thousands of dollars and all expenses and a security for any accident happens me in any responsible place, but I refused him the job because he wanted me to go at once with him to New York, but I wanted him to give me \$50 before I go with him."

He did not want to do that, he only wanted to pay me for fare to New York and go there with him to his office in New York. This man is a detective, but he travels from the city to another. I know him, but I can't write you in this letter who he is. But if I could see you personally I will tell who he is; if you want me you could wire me at once on your expense and I will come to New York."

FINANCE REACTIONARY TENDENCIES DOMINANT AT THE OPENING American Tobacco Makes an Abrupt Decline of Eight Points—United States Steel Fractionally Lower—Reading Makes Slight Gains

New York, April 23.—Reactionary tendencies were again dominant at the opening of to-day's market, leading stocks as well as specialties moving contrarily. United States Steel was fractionally lower, while Reading and some shares of less prominence made slight gains. American Tobacco made an abrupt decline of eight points.

Trading during the morning fell somewhat under yesterday's moderate total with further selling of Steel, Reading and other favorites. Such offerings were well taken, however, inasmuch as prices recovered. Speculation extended more generally to the low-priced coppers, with renewed activity in local fractions at higher quotations. There was some confusion of prices in the specialties, but some of the recently active "war" shares, like Westinghouse, American Locomotive, Pressed Steel Car and Bethlehem Steel, were again taken up on substantial advances. Bonds were steady, despite indications of further foreign selling.

Philadelphia Produce Market Philadelphia, April 23.—Wheat higher: No. 2 red, car lots, export, 1.60@1.63; No. 1 northern, Duluth export, 17 1/2@17 3/4; corn firmer: No. 2 yellow local, 82 1/2@84 1/2; oats steady: No. 2 white, 65 1/2@66; Bran firm: well taken, per 100 lbs., \$29.50; spring, per ton, \$27.50@28.00; Refined sugar firm; powdered, 6.00; fine granulated, 5.90; confectioners' A, 5.80; Butter lower; western creamery, extra, 30; nearby, fancy, 23; Eggs firm: well taken, per dozen, free case, 6.45; do., current receipts, free case, 6.30; western extra firsts, free case, 6.45; do., firsts, free case, 6.25; Live poultry firmer; fowls, 17 1/2@18; old roosters, 12@12 1/2; chickens, 14@15; geese, 13@13 1/2; ducks, 15@15 1/2; geese, 10@11.

Dressed poultry steady; fresh killed fowls, 16@17; turkeys, 16@17; unattractive, 14@15; old roosters, 12 1/2; frozen fowls, 16@18; roasting chickens, 17@20; broiling chickens, 22@27; turkeys, 18@25; ducks, 15@18; geese, 12@16.

Potatoes weaker; Pennsylvania, per bushel, 20@25; Maine, 50@55; New York, 40@45; Florida, per barrel, 4.00@5.50; Flour nominal; winter straight, 6.85@7.10; spring straight, 7.10@7.40; Hay firmer: No. 1 large bales, 18.00@18.50; No. 2 do., 16.00@17.00; No. 3 do., 14.00@15.00; sample, 13.00@14.00; light mixtures, 12.50@13.00; No. 1, 16.50@17.00; No. 2, 14.50@15.50.

Chicago Live Stock Market Chicago, April 23.—Hogs—Receipts, 14,000; slow. Bulk, 40@40 1/2; light, 7 1/2@7.80; mixed, 7.25@7.70; heavy, 6.90@7.55; rough, 6.90@7.10; pigs, 6.55@7.00. Cattle—Receipts, 1,000; steady. Native beef steers, 6.50@8.70; western steers, 5.45@7.50; cows and heifers, 3.00@3.50; calves, 6.00@6.50. Sheep—Receipts, 4,000; steady. Sheep, 7.50@8.55; lambs, 8.40@10.80.

Lake Turned Into Farm Memphis, Tenn., April 23.—Golden Lake, Ark., is no more. Four thousand acres of water in Mississippi county, Arkansas, was converted into dry land when the final sluice gate was closed and a project launched two years ago was successfully consummated. Golden Lake, once an estuary of the Mississippi river, will in the future produce cotton, corn, potatoes and fruits. Its soil is too rich for wheat and most of the other grains because the growth would be too rank.



Harrisburg's Most Attractive Home Offerings

Nowhere in Harrisburg will be found better or more substantially built homes than these new houses which are located in one of the city's most desirable sections. Nothing but the best of materials and workmanship were employed in the construction, all of which was done under careful inspection.

Two-and-one-half story brick, built in pairs—8 rooms, pantry and bath—open stairway—oak finish, first floor—white enamel finish on upper floors—tile bath room—steam heat—cement cellar—laundry with tubs—sanitary open plumbing—gas—electricity—10-foot front porch—rear porch and balcony—beautifully papered throughout—slate roof—front and back sodded lawns—granolithic sidewalks—paved streets—size of lots about 21x115 feet—11 feet between pairs—Located at

Fourteenth and Cumberland Sts. REASONABLE PRICES—DELIGHTFUL LOCATION—CONVENIENT TERMS REPRESENTATIVE ON PREMISES

Sample House Open For Inspection Daily

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MAJESTIC THEATRE To-morrow, Matinee and Night JOHN CORT PRESENTS MCINTYRE AND HEATH In a Massive Revival of Their Biggest Musical Comedy Success THE HAM TREE THE WORLD'S GREATEST DANCING CHORUS Staged by Ned Wrayburn PRICES—Matinee, 25c to \$1.50 —400 seats at \$1.00. Night, 25c to \$2.00.

Tax Free in Pennsylvania We own and offer the following railroad bonds all of which are Tax Free in Pennsylvania Pennsylvania Railroad Consolidated Mtge. 4 1/2%, 1960, . . . . . 4.38% Pennsylvania Company, Series D, 3 1/2%, 1944, . . . . . 4.40% Pennsylvania Company, Series E, 4s, 1952, . . . . . 4.40% Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh Consolidated 4 1/2%, 1957, . . . . . 4.45% Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh General 5s, 1937, . . . . . 4.45% Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis Con. 4 1/2%, 1964, 4.46% New York, Chicago & St. Louis First 4s, 1937, . . . . . 4.50% Lake Shore & Mich. Central Debenture 4s, 1928 and 1931, 4.72% New York, Chicago & St. Louis Debenture 4s, 1934, . . . . . 5.85% We shall be pleased to send complete information on the above issues or on Municipal or Public Utility issues, which are also tax free in Pennsylvania. HARRIS, FORBES & CO. Pine Street, Corner William, New York

COLONIAL Mats, 5c and 10c; Eves, 10c and 15c Biggest Act Ever Given in This Theatre Bachelor Dinner A Musical Comedy With 13 People 3 OTHER ACTS AND PICTURES Coming Monday, a New Bill with THE COLONIAL KID with Harrisburg's Boys' Band in a Splendid Program of Music

REGENT PHAGARO-OWNER & MGR 10 A. M. to 11 P. M. TO-DAY "M'LISS" From Bret Hart's Book "SAGE BRUSH TOM" and "A MELLOUS MIXUP" TO-MORROW—A 4-reel story, "C. O. D." PRICES—CHILDREN, 5c; BALCONY, 5c; ORCHESTRA, 10c.

Photo Play To-day "THE LITTLE STRAW WIFE" 3 Act S. & A. Drama, adapted from the story run in the Ladies' World, featuring popular Edna Mayo and Bryant Washburn "THE GIRL ON THE TREBLE" A Helen Holmes Railroad Story

TO-DAY "The Great Diamond Robbery" A 6-part production played by an all-star cast COMING—"THREE WEEKS" Taken from Elinor Glyn's famous book—5 parts. Here Tues. and Wed., April 27th and 28th. Children under 15 not admitted VICTORIA

FRENCH SAY ASPHYXIATING BOMBS MADE THEM RETIRE Paris, April 23, Via London, 3:35 P. M.—The French War Office this afternoon issued the following statement: "Yesterday evening there were fairly lively engagements in Belgium. In the bend of the Yser to the north of Dixmude, Belgian troops repulsed an attack against the Chateau of Vicoque and inflicted heavy losses on the enemy. To the north of Ypres the Germans, by employing large quantities of asphyxiating bombs, the effect of which was felt for a distance of two kilometers behind our lines, forced us to retire in the direction of the Yser canal.

MONEY If you work, keep house, pay your bills and need money for a good purpose, we can supply it in amounts of \$5 to \$200 at low rates, payable weekly or monthly. Organized in 1909 by local people with local capital to save borrowers from extortion, the Co-operative, regardless of what others advertise, still leads in its business rates, terms and service. CO-OPERATIVE Loan & Investment Co. 204 CHESTNUT ST. Open daily from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m., and Wednesday and Saturday evenings until 9 o'clock.

RUSSIA BUYS \$1,000,000 WORTH OF AIR BRAKES Pittsburgh, Pa., April 23.—An order for 17,500 air brakes, to cost \$1,000,000, has been received by the Westinghouse Air Brake Company from the Russian Government. The order is the first of its kind by the Government, which granted permission to manufacture air brakes in Russia, but would not allow importations. Conditions abroad, it is said, with thousands of men in the Russian factories engaged in making war materials, made it impossible for the Russian branch of the Westinghouse Company to manufacture the air brakes. The Government runs the railroads and needs the air brakes at once.

ACADEMY'S NEW DORMITORY Special Committee Decides on Plan Submitted by Architect Zantinger The new dormitory to be erected by the Harrisburg Academy was decided upon yesterday by the special dormitory committee following the sketch by Architect Carl Zantinger, of Philadelphia. The new building will be two stories high and built of red brick, to harmonize with the present structure. It will accommodate forty-two boys in single and double rooms, each with running water. In addition to this there will be showers and baths on each floor. Specifications will be submitted at once for the letting of the contract. Work is expected to commence May 1 and that the building will be ready for use at the beginning of the fall term of school.

GERMANY DENIES BLAME FOR KILLING OF AMERICAN Washington, April 23.—Germany has notified the United States of her position in the case of Leon C. Thrasher, the American citizen who came to his death when the British steamship Falaba was blown up by a German torpedo in St. George's Channel. While the State Department declines to make public Germany's reply, it is understood that she holds that Thrasher took his life in his own hands when he took passage on a British steamer plying in the waters which Germany

G. A. R. Gets Good Audience Upwards of 600 people attended the entertainment given under the auspices of the local Grand Army of the Republic in the Chestnut street auditorium last evening. The program consisted of vocal and instrumental solos. The proceeds of the entertainment will go toward defraying the expenses of music for the national encampment at Washington, D. C., late in August.