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ADMITS HE ROBBED DOZEN HOUSES

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and in fact anything he could find loose in the houses he entered. When arrested the chain he stole was found in his clothes, but the watch was gone.

In his confession to Trooper Davies he said he threw the watch out of the window of the room in which he changed clothes prior to being brought here from the farm near Reading. The officer returned to the farm late yesterday afternoon to get the watch.

Used Skeleton Keys

When placed under arrest Owen had several skeleton keys in his possession which he used effectively in his operations. Local authorities were at a loss to know where to find the robber who has terrorized residents outside of Duncannon for several months past. As a last resort the state police were appealed to and Trooper Davies was dispatched here. Evidence which the officer obtained showed Owen to be the perpetrator, but just when he was about to be placed under arrest he left this section. Again the state officer set to work and learned that the man went to Reading and that last Saturday he had obtained employment on a farm eight miles outside of the Berks county city. The trooper made a hurried trip to the farm and after Squire H. H. Seig had written out a commitment Owen was lodged safely in jail. He is held without bail.

While working on the robberies Trooper Davies arrested Clyde Alexander and Vestel Billow on a charge of dynamiting Sherman's creek and killing many game fish. They were taken before a squire and fined \$100 each.

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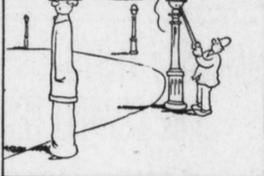
If you purchase a piano or a player piano without first investigating the values at the J. H. Troup Music House, 15 South Market Square.—Advertisement.

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A PUNCH IN THE KISSER!



Elks May Add Vocal Music to the Ritual

By Associated Press

Denver, Colo., July 15.—The officials decks swept clean of contests for offices and the 1915 reunion date and place selected, the golden jubilee session of the grand lodge, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks entered upon the discussion of legislation today. One of the most radical innovations the grand lodge has been asked to consider is that of adding vocal music to the ritual of the order.

The Minneapolis Glee Club, a subordinate lodge organization, is sponsor for the innovation. For an hour yesterday in the heat of the election contests, the grand lodge deviated from its program and listened to a song accompaniment to the ritual, presented by the Minneapolis singer.

For the subordinate lodge members the competition of drill teams of San Francisco, Oakland, Los Angeles, Rochester, Detroit and Boulder, Colo., was the center of attraction in the morning while the Colorado lodges in the afternoon were to lead a pageant showing by floats and costume the industrial resources and occupations of the people of Colorado.

INJURED ON WEDDING DAY

By Associated Press

Washington, D. C., July 15.—Mrs. Oliver Newell was believed to be dying in a hospital here today as the result of injuries received last night when she was thrown from a motorcycle on which she was riding with her husband. Until yesterday Mrs. Newell was Miss Mary Meek and with her husband was riding home from Cumberland, Md., where they had been married.

WHAT THE SAINT HAS DONE!

Will Rain For Forty Days According to Old Weather Superstition

St. Swithin's Day, if thou dost rain, For forty days it will remain; St. Swithin's Day, if thou be fair, For forty days 'twill rain no more.

This doggerel represents the belief of a century ago. To-day's the day, and according to the legends there will be forty more days of rain. Some persons still believe in this old-time weather superstition and ancient theory has it that if it rains on St. Swithin's Day it will rain for forty consecutive days thereafter.

BIGELOW STARTS 1500 MEN TO WORK

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and a truce between the fiscal officials and the Highway Commissioner was arranged about 6 o'clock, it being understood that the Highway Commissioner would not be further harassed in his efforts to obtain money to fix up the State roads, but that his requisitions would be honored by the Auditor General and State Treasurer, who announced that they would, in the event of the Supreme Court overturning the decision of the Dauphin County Court, surcharge the Highway Commissioner with the money drawn and ask the Attorney General to collect it. Mr. Bigelow said he was satisfied with the result of the conference and hurried off to give the order to go to work.

Everything Ready
The heads of districts were ready when the word came last night and gangs were on the roads at an early hour. Rain did not stop some of them, the men being eager to get roads fixed up.

The following telegrams were sent last night to the assistant engineers in charge of the fourteen districts in the State:

"Begin at once dragging all routes, filling chuck-holes, opening culverts, drains and ditches. Important highways to be given precedence. Attempt no road machine work at present. Engineers will issue authorization forms, and specific department authorizations will follow."

These instructions have been wired to all superintendents: "In resuming maintenance work you will give special attention to the repair of dangerous bridges and culverts to insure complete safety." George H. Bigelow, maintenance engineer, is in charge of the work.

It is the intention of the State Highway Department to go over all of the main highways, clearing out the gutters, repairing bridges and culverts, filling chuck-holes and generally smoothing and cleaning the highways as a whole before the more extensive repair work is attempted.

By Monday of next week, it is stated that the maintenance division will have the repair work in full swing all over the State, and from this time on, incidental repairs having been quickly made, the object will be to put every mile of highway in the best condition possible with the limited amount of money at hand.

Will Keep Promises

Highway Commissioner Bigelow was at his department bright and alert personally directed the work of getting started. "The department is satisfied with the decision of the courts and will keep its promises. Reports show that 1,500 men are at work today and there will be 3,000 working Monday. We are going ahead with the repair work. I could say much more but that covers it."

Governor Tener, who returned to the city last night, said that he was glad the department was now in a position to proceed with road repairs. Auditor General Powell has gone to Pittsburgh and will go to the camp of the Second brigade at Indiana tomorrow. State Treasurer Young said this morning that steps to get the forms of requisitions and other details were under way and that the automobile fund would be carried separately in the treasurer's report.

Fiscal Officers' Side

At the conclusion of the conference Messrs. Powell and Young united in a statement that the department will pay the money from the automobile license fund to the Highway Department according to the decision of the Dauphin County Court, a decision which would have stopped pay for the work of the Commonwealth. The court on our appeal from the Dauphin County Court findings having been every way the use of the funds by the Highway Commissioner as he sees fit, but this does not include any possible degree that a variety of any rights which as the fiscal officers propose to purchase the Highway Department with the funds distributed by the same to the Attorney General. The funds for payments will be made upon requisition with the condition that the money drawn to pay for motor or material be kept in a separate fund and in a separate bank and that all payments be made by voucher check. The funds to be paid from the automobile license fund are to be kept separate from the \$200,000 recently allowed the Highway Commissioner for road work out of another appropriation.

After the conference the fiscal officers met to draw up the forms to be used in the use of the fund and arrangements have been made to present the first requisition. Other requisitions will be presented as needed and for every cent drawn to furnish cash for payrolls and other expenses individual vouchers will be required. State aid highways, national road and other objects.

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We have culled just ten items for Thursday's selling. In many instances the prices are of production only.

- 6 1/2c Challies In floral and oriental patterns. Yard, 4c
- 7 1/2c Chambray Plain blue chambray gingham, 28 inches wide. Fast color. Yard 5c
- 30c and 35c Awning Ticking Full pieces and fast colors. Yard, 16c
- 18c Brown Duck 27 inches wide. Extra fine quality. Yard 12 1/2c
- 8c Apron Gingham Cut from full pieces. Yard 6 1/4c
- 7 1/2c Unbleached Sheeting 40 inches wide. 20 yards to a customer. Yard 5c
- 12 1/2c Cretonnes For porch coverings and draperies: 36 inches wide, yard 8 1/2c
- 16c Feather Ticking In neat blue and white stripes. Yard, 12 1/2c
- 6 1/4c Calico In pink and blue. Fine for waists and children's dresses. Yard 3c
- 32c Sheetting 90 inches wide. Best grade. Remnant lengths. Yard 19c

Main Floor—BOWMAN'S.

Canning Necessities

We can supply you with all the necessities for putting away fruit for 1915.

- Mason's Fruit Jars— Pints, dozen 45c Quarts, dozen 55c 1/2 Gallon, dozen 75c Double Safety Fruit Jar with wide opening and glass top— Pints, dozen 80c Quarts, dozen \$1.00 Economy Fruit Jars, quarts, doz., 60c
- Tin Cap Jelly Tumblers, dozen, 18c and 20c
- Stoneware Jelly Crocks, 5c, 6c, 8c, and 10c
- Mason Jar Caps, dozen 18c
- Extra quality Jar Rubbers, dozen, 10c
- Fruit Jar Funnel, 5c and 10c
- Optemus Sealing Wax, bar 5c
- Parowax and Waxoline 10c

Basement—BOWMAN'S.

DREAD ARMY WORM INFESTS HARRISBURG

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field, are not safe when his wormship is abroad."

News dispatches from Delaware today state that a similar devastation of the worm is reported in the vicinity of Washington. It is thought that the moths from which the worms originate, may have been hatched from eggs contained in wheat straw received from Western States last Fall or winter and are now making their appearance here. The worms were first reported in this city at the home of Samuel Harris, 1929 North Sixth street. Mrs. Harris returned from a visit out of town Sunday to find the lawn looking bare and gray.

How to Kill Worms
Mr. Harris used a mixture of milk, coal oil and hot water which appeared to drive the bugs off the grass. At the State Zoologist's office this morning it was said that Professor Surface's bulletin would recommend a mixture of one ounce of arsenate of lead to one gallon of water. This should be sprinkled thoroughly over the lawn. In York they are using Paris Green and lime in an attack on the insects. It is said that the worms are most destructive during a wet summer. The animal gets its name from the fact that it always travels in vast numbers, and the appearance of the insects crawling over the ground is like the advance of an army.

Unfortunately the mixtures devised do not kill all the worms, and to prevent them getting from one field to another it is necessary to plough a deep furrow, throwing the dirt away from the worms or in the direction toward which they are traveling. They fall into the furrow but fail to make their way out in the opposite direction and will travel along the bottom. Another way is to make post holes at intervals of probably about twenty feet, and they will drop into the holes where they can easily be destroyed. If there should be a roadbed running between the two fields and a heavy roller is at hand, it may be that if the ground is even it is possible to destroy them by crushing them, is the advice of a United States government expert.

The Department of Agriculture at Washington also says that the poison bran bait, made by the following formula: One pound Paris Green, fifty pounds wheat bran and the juice of one half dozen oranges, is effective. Bring this to a stiff dough by the use of a diluted molasses and scatter about where the worms are at work when they will feed upon it and be killed in this way.

MAKE HARRISBURGER OFFICER

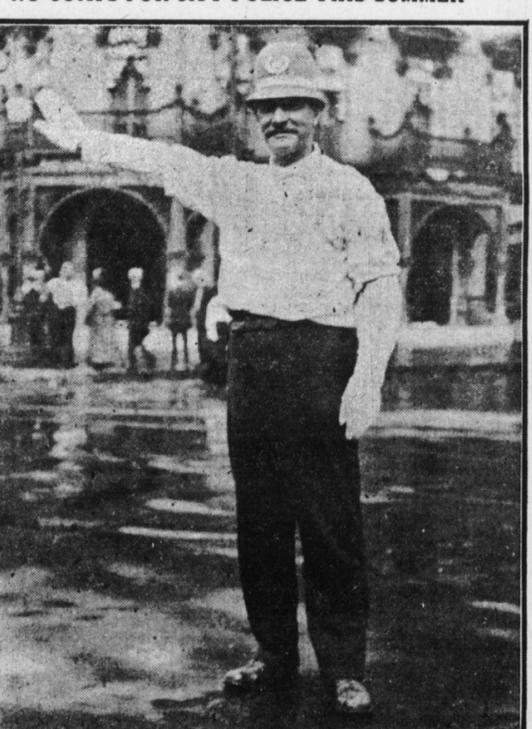
R. D. Beaman, of Harrisburg, was elected one of two vice-presidents of the Central Pennsylvania Odd Fellows Orphans' Home Association, which ended its sixteenth annual convention at Sunbury yesterday.

PAXTANG PARK

With his habitual disregard for popular superstition, King Kelly has chosen Friday as the day on which he will make a daring attempt at using six parachutes in a single drop from his balloon to Mother Earth. During his annual week-end at Paxtang Park, Kelly usually chooses one day for the performance of some particularly hazardous aeronautic feat. These special stunts of Kelly's are always great drawing cards, and large crowds flock out to the park to see just how far it is possible for a man to go in the defiance of the laws of gravitation and get away with it. Kelly always lands safe and sound, but every spectator realizes that the six-parachute jump is too dangerous to be common, and that he has seen a feat that very few aeronauts have the nerve to perform.

The show at the park theater, this week, is perhaps a great drawing card, but few acts have pleased the park audiences as well as the Geary has. Mr. Geary's superb tenor voice puts him in a class by himself, when it comes to park attractions. It is seldom that a singer of his ability is heard outside of a \$2 attraction.

NO COATS FOR CITY POLICE THIS SUMMER



FRED ESSIG

One of the city's traffic officers who belongs to the "shortwaist brigade." Monday orders were given permitting the day force to lay off their coats and wear regulation shirts.

STAUFFER EXPECTED TO DIE

Roy Stauffer, who was pinned beneath an auto which was struck by a car driven by Gilbert Stewart, of this city, on the Anville road near Palmyra early Sunday morning, and who was removed to the Lebanon Hospital, is not expected to live more than twenty-four hours, according to a report from the hospital this morning.

with selling ice cream cones in the street, in violation of the city health laws. Rose Massey, of 622 Boas street, was fined \$10 and costs for selling milk after being refused a license by the health authorities. The charges were made by Dr. J. M. J. Raunick, city health officer.

WOMAN BURNED TO DEATH

Special to The Telegraph

Lancaster, Pa., July 15.—Miss Lydia W. Millhouse, 50 years old, of East Hempfield township, was burned to death yesterday. Her brother found her body in the yard. It is supposed her clothing caught fire at the kitchen stove, and being alone, she was burned to death.

FINED FOR HEALTH VIOLATIONS

Spagnolla Brothers, ice cream dealers, of 1409 North Sixth street, and Joseph Cimino, another dealer, were fined \$3 and costs of prosecution by Alderman Hoverter, last evening, charged

Special Birthday Bargains

To-morrow our great July Clearance Sale will be one week old--we're going to celebrate, the celebration will be in the form of bargains--the best you have ever enjoyed--The store has been crowded all week and no doubt you were among those present, if not ask your neighbor about the bargains--and come to-morrow, Thursday, by all means and let our prices show you how much we really appreciate your attendance.

\$1.00 Waists Birthday Price 29c	\$1.98 Waists Birthday Price 95c	\$3.98 Waists Birthday Price \$1.95	\$1.25 Waists Birthday Price 49c
\$1.49 Tub Skirts Birthday Price 95c	\$2.98 to \$4.98 Tub Skirts Birthday Price \$1.98	\$4.98 Check Skirts Full model tunic, skirt all-wool Shepherd Check and plain colors and white. Birthday Price \$2.98	\$1.49 Linene Coats Children's and Misses'. Birthday Price 69c
\$3.98 Wash Dresses White and Colors. Birthday Price \$1.98	\$4.98 & \$5.98 Wash Dresses White, Colors and Fancies. Birthday Price \$2.98	\$6 to \$7.50 Wash Dresses White and Colors. Birthday Price \$3.98	

Here's the Birthday Cake For Thursday Only
Your absolute choice of any Wash Dress in the house—values up to \$19.75.
Birthday price \$5.98

\$15.00 to \$22.50 Suits Assorted Colors and Sizes. Birthday Price \$4.98	\$20.00 to \$25.00 Suits Assorted Colors and Sizes. Birthday Price \$6.98	\$22.50 to \$29.75 Suits Assorted Colors and Sizes. Birthday Price \$7.98
\$10 White Coats Birthday Price \$4.98	\$18 White Coats Birthday Price \$9.98	\$5 Raincoats Birthday Price \$1.98
		\$10 to \$12 Coats Birthday Price \$4.98

100 other Birthday Specials too numerous to mention—many of the lots are small—so come early. None C. O. D., charged, or sent on approval.

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EVERYTHING, good or bad, gets mo' so with age. That even ain't no fool like an ole fool.

Mellowness is the rare gift bestowed by Time on only the best of man's or nature's handiwork—the fine wine, the fine violin and VELVET. VELVET, The Smoothest Smoking Tobacco, is Kentucky *Burley de Luxe*, with all its natural flavor and body mellowed to an aged-in-the-wood smoothness by more than two years' careful curing. Full weight 2 oz. tins, 10c. Coupons of Value with VELVET.