

Rain probably tonight and Sunday morning followed by fair during Sunday; much colder, cold wave Sunday, increasing southerly winds shifting to northwest Sunday morning.

## NAVY REDUCTION FIRST, U. S. INSISTS; JAPAN CONTENTS FOR MORE BATTLESHIPS

### SEES STEADY TRADE GAIN WITHIN CITY

Demand for Skilled Workers Increasing, Says Employment Bureau

### URGE MORE PAVING TO ASSIST CITY'S IDLE

"The week just ended has been the best we have yet had," this afternoon declared Miss Katherine Smith who is in charge of the Public Employment Bureau, located in the City Hall, Market street above Fifth. "It was not so much the number of men and women we have been able to place in positions," she continued, "but the better type of work for which a demand is beginning to be made."

### FLAG RAISING AT ST. THOMAS'

Catholics Invite Methodists to Attend Exercises on Thanksgiving

### TO DISPLAY EMBLEM ON 70-FOOT STAFF

The congregation of St. Thomas' R. C. Church will hold flag-raising exercises on the campus in front of the St. Thomas' School on Thanksgiving morning, beginning at 9 o'clock.

### FOURTH BOY ACCUSED OF STEALING AUTO

Alleged to have been implicated in the theft of an automobile for which three youths have already been indicted by the Grand Jury, James M. Brown was held in \$500 bail for a hearing on Monday by Judge Hastings in Municipal Court this morning.

### TODAY'S TEMPERATURE

At The Evening Journal Office.  
8.00 A. M. .64 12.01 P. M. .74  
10.00 A. M. .72 1.00 P. M. .75

### SUN AND TIDE

Sun rises . . . . . 6.50 A. M.  
Sun sets . . . . . 4.45 P. M.  
Head of Christiana.  
High water . . . . . 2.35 A. M. 3.05 P. M.  
Low water . . . . . 10.00 A. M. 10.40 P. M.

### LOST

NONE GLASSES—One broken lens. Finder please return to the Evening Journal Office. nov19-31.  
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### HAS HAD NO BATH SINCE LAST EASTER

Daughter of Gypsy Parents 'Found By Officers in Filthy Condition

### FATHER FINED \$75 IN CITY COURT TODAY

On a charge of neglecting his seven-year-old daughter, Peter Thompson, a gypsy, was fined \$75 and costs by Judge Hastings in Municipal Court this morning. His wife, who goes by the name of Catherine Metor, was dismissed on a charge of larceny of \$15 from William H. Jones, Negro, who has a barber shop at 303 West Second street.

### FRESHMEN HOLD COSTUME PARADE

Skit Depicting Burial of P. M. C. Football Corpse Wins Prize

### \$73 DIVIDED IN CASH AWARDS

Special to The Evening Journal. NEWARK, Nov. 19.—It was freshmen's night at the University of Delaware last night. The annual costume parade of the members of the freshmen class was held and that is at least one night in the year that the freshmen shine.

### TAKING MACHINE WAS MISTAKE, WOOD SAYS

Admitting that he took the machine and that he now "knows it was a mistake on my part," Cecil Wood was held in \$300 bail for court on the charge of larceny of a typewriter of the Typewriter Supply Company, Seventh and Market streets, by Judge Hastings in Municipal Court this morning.

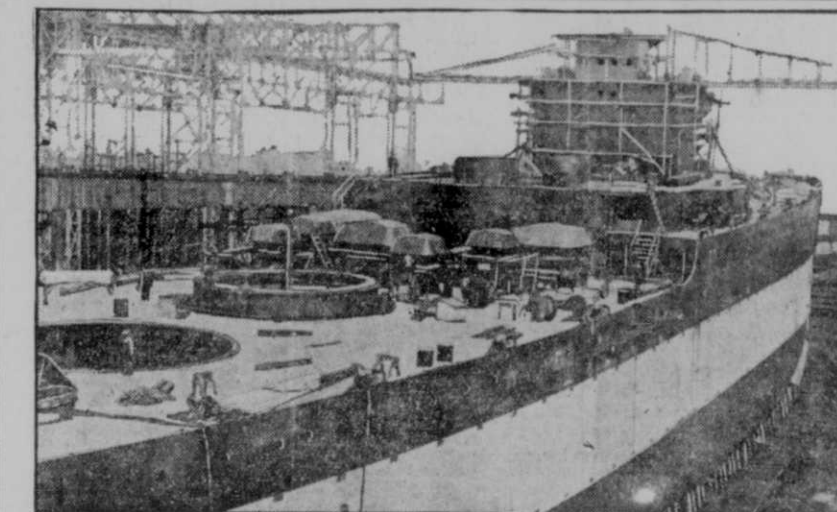
### BUY PHOENIX FIRE BELL

The fire alarm bell of the Phoenix Fire Company which hangs in the tower of the station at Twelfth and King streets has been purchased by the Viscose Fire Company of Marcus Hook. The bell weighs 750 pounds.

### Try This On Him

What two numbers multiplied together will produce one less than a ninth of 72?  
Answer to yesterday's: Fourteen days.

### Battleship West Virginia, Launched Today, May Be Scrapped



NEWPORT NEWS, Va., Nov. 19.—(United Press)—America here today launched a great battleship, the West Virginia. In all the world there will be no mightier man-of-war than this red-headed panther of the deep when it is fitted out. But that may never be. The great ship may go to the international naval junk heap. It would be scrapped under the proposal Secretary of Hughes has made to the disarmament conference. Her equipment consists of eight 16-inch guns, fourteen 5-inch secondary guns, four anti-aircraft guns and two 21-inch torpedo tubes. The crew is composed of 61 officers and 1565 men.

### RIVAL FOOTBALL CLANS PARADE

P. M. C. Cadets March With Band From Station to Field

### DELAWARE ROOTERS IN PROCESSION, TOO

Wilmington is the center of a double invasion this afternoon. The Pennsylvania Military College football team and followers are down from Chester to match brains and brawn and cheer with the University of Delaware gridiron squad and its following at Harlan Field this afternoon.

### 4 MORE OFFICERS FOR FIRE DEPT.

Comment Over Appointment of W. H. Mahan as Inspector

### HINT AT EFFORT TO OUST CHIEF LUTZ

With the appointment of four new officials for the Fire Bureau, Department of Safety, yesterday, it was learned today that while the age limit is being adhered to, the directors have named a crippled man to the rank. William H. Mahan, of 705 West street, was named a fire inspector yesterday. Mr. Mahan, who is a member of the Union Fire Company, has an artificial leg.

### MORTGAGE MONEY AND HOW TO GET IT

The question "why cannot mortgage money be obtained on houses here as in Philadelphia," will be discussed at a meeting of the Real Estate and Building Section of the Chamber of Commerce, in Room 1055, duPont Building, next Tuesday night. A speaker from Philadelphia who is familiar with the money lending system of that city will explain it in detail.

### BRITISH WORKERS LOSE JOBS AS SHIP WORK HALTS

By CHARLES W. McCANN, U. S. Staff Correspondent.

LONDON, Nov. 19.—Action of the Admiralty in suspending construction on four new capital ships was hailed throughout the United Kingdom today as the first contribution to real disarmament. It was regarded as an "adequate answer" to the Hughes proposals.

### DRAG RACE BUT FIND NO BODY

Finding of Tricycle Raised Suspicion That Child Was Drowned

### CROWD GATHERED AT PARK ENTRANCE

Finding of a small new tricycle standing on the cover over the slewing racks at the Eighteenth and Market street end of the Brandywine race, about 9 o'clock this morning, caused the watchman, Joseph Fenton, to believe the young rider of the wheel had fallen into the race and drowned. After shutting down the gates, Fenton and a companion dragged the outlet for several feet without finding any indications of a drowning.

### WATT-KNOTT FOR CHURCH

Under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society of West Presbyterian Church a "Watt-Knott" was presented last evening in the New Century Club and will again be held this evening. In addition to the play, two acts of comedy "A Rustic Romeo," which was presented by the members of the society, there was offered for sale, fancy work, ice cream, cakes, candy and many pretty dolls. Music was furnished by a mandolin club under the direction of R. L. Salter.

### CHRISTMAS SHOP CLOSSES

The Christmas Shop which has been held in the show room of the Wilmington Auto Company, under the auspices of the Women's Club of Trinity Church, closed at noon today after a successful week. The proceeds from the affair will be given to charity.

### U. S. TO HOLD DELEGATES TO ARMS ISSUE

Wants Japan and Britain to State Position on Navy Reduction

### HUGHES MAY DEMAND STATEMENT OF PLANS

By LAWRENCE MARTIN, U. S. Staff Correspondent. WASHINGTON, Nov. 19.—The United States has served notice that it will hold the arms conference to the one great issue involved—limitation of armaments.

### SAYS HUSBAND TURNED ON GAS

Mrs. David Geisel Said He Tried to Choke Her With Towel

### GEISEL SAYS HE TRIED TO END LIFE

In the divorce suit of Sarah Ethel Geisel against David H. Geisel, in which decision was reserved by Judge Rice and Harrington in Superior Court yesterday afternoon, allegations were made by the plaintiff that the husband once locked her and himself in a room and turned on the gas, that on another occasion he tied a towel about her neck and attempted to choke her, that he insulted, cursed and threatened to kill her, and that he was intimate with other women.

### TWO HUNDRED MORE MEN AT PULLMAN'S

Close to 200 additional men will be put on at the local plant of the Pullman Car Company on Monday morning. They are old employees who have been rehired and the working force will be brought up to close to the 500 mark. The months of November and December constitute one of the busiest seasons of the year for the Pullman plant, cars being repaired and overhauled for the winter traffic to southern points.

### DELAWAREANS PROMOTED

According to news dispatches from Washington, Frank Anderson Henry and George S. Messersmith of the United States Consular Service, both Delawareans, have been promoted. Mr. Henry was advanced from the sixth to the fifth class and Mr. Messersmith from the fifth to the fourth class.

### CHINA CALLS FOR SHOWDOWN ON FAR EASTERN ISSUES

Wants Secret Commitments of Japan, Great Britain and France Brought to Light in Conference. Concession by British to "Open Door" Policy Announced

### JAPAN DECLARES FOR OPEN DOOR AND TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY

WASHINGTON, Nov. 19.—(United Press)—The first crisis in the arms limitation conference appeared near today when the major points of America's sweeping program for limitation of naval armaments must be accepted by Japan. The United States is standing firm on its program and vigorously opposing what it regards as unnecessary bargaining and dickerings.

### JAPAN FIRM FOR INCREASE IN WARSHIPS

Content for Ratio Ten Per Cent. Greater Than Hughes Plan

### LOOMS UP AS FIRST CLASH AT CONFERENCE

BY A. L. BRADFORD, (United Press Staff Correspondent). (Copyright, 1921, United Press). WASHINGTON, Nov. 19.—Japan will firmly insist on an increase in capital ship tonnage over that allowed here in the Hughes proposal for limitation of naval armaments, according to authoritative Japanese quarters today.

### MAGISTRATE'S AUTO STOLEN AT NEWARK

Special to The Evening Journal. NEWARK, Nov. 19.—A Ford touring car, Pennsylvania license number 120-342, owned by Magistrate W. B. Caldwell of New London, Pa., was stolen from in front of the Deer Park Hotel shortly after 10 o'clock last night. Magistrate Caldwell had been in the hotel talking with James A. McKelvey, proprietor who was also recently appointed a Magistrate and about 10 o'clock, leaving his machine standing in front of the hotel went to a restaurant to get something to eat.

### Stricken, Dies After 'Bogey' Scare

PITTSBURGH, Nov. 19, (United Press).—Little Agnes Katherine Hughes, six and one-half year old "bogey man" victim, is dead today. Paralyzed, stricken dumb and blinded by mental torture, caused by a thoughtless expression three years ago, when a woman told her "a bogey man will get you if you go into that dark room," she died in a crib in her home here late yesterday.

Dokey Dance, Pythian Castle, Sat. Eve.—Adv.