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**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 1920**

**SEPTEMBER TIDES.**

	HIGH		LOW	
	a.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.
4 Sa.....	11.14	11.44	4.58	5.46
5 Su.....	.....	.17	5.58	6.53
6 Mo.....	.51	1.26	7.07	8.02
7 Tu.....	2.02	2.35	8.19	9.10
8 We.....	3.10	3.40	9.28	10.10
9 Th.....	4.13	4.40	10.29	11.06
10 Fr.....	5.09	5.35	11.26	11.57
11 Sa.....	6.02	6.25	.....	.18
12 Su.....	6.49	7.12	.44	1.07
13 Mo.....	7.36	7.59	1.30	1.54
14 Tu.....	8.19	8.43	2.13	2.40
15 We.....	9.02	9.26	2.56	3.23
16 Th.....	9.45	10.10	3.38	4.10
17 Fr.....	10.29	10.54	4.21	4.55
18 Sa.....	11.15	11.44	5.05	5.44
19 Su.....	.....	.04	5.55	6.38
20 Mo.....	.35	1.00	6.50	7.35
21 Tu.....	1.34	1.56	7.49	8.32
22 We.....	2.31	2.54	8.47	9.25
23 Th.....	3.27	3.47	9.42	10.14
24 Fr.....	4.16	4.36	10.34	11.00
25 Sa.....	5.02	5.21	11.20	11.42
26 Su.....	5.45	6.04	.....	.04
27 Mo.....	6.26	6.46	.22	.47
28 Tu.....	7.07	7.28	1.00	1.29

**COSTS NOT TO RECEDE.**

Construction costs are not going to recede, materially, for many years. The most imprudent policy imaginable, at this time, is to defer useful construction in the expectation of doing the work next year and saving money. Some are saying that we have reached the crest of the high price wave and that we soon shall experience a general recession of the price level. Those who submit this proposition do not offer convincing evidence and their arguments fail to take into consideration some very stubborn economic facts which particularly influence construction conditions.

In its July review of conditions the National City Bank of New York says: "The general world situation is not favorable either to a rapid decline of prices or to prolonged industrial depression. There is too much work needing to be done. The argument from former reactions from high prices and succeeding periods of industrial depression is not good, for the reason that such reactions in the past have followed periods of construction and enlargement of industrial capacity which had run their course. Present high prices are not the result of a period of construction and investment. The \$25,000,000,000 of new government indebtedness which is glutting the banks and investment markets represents in only a very small part new industrial facilities. On the contrary this indebtedness represents capital which should have gone into our railroads, housebuilding and other construction and development work."

The \$25,000,000,000 of government indebtedness represents capital which should have gone into railroads, housebuilding and other construction and development work. That statement is profoundly significant. Before we approximate the pre-war normal we must, in addition to meeting the natural and normal current construction needs, produce \$25,000,000,000 of structural and productive facilities, short because of the war, and until we make up this shortage the price level can not correctly be said to be normal.

In the construction industry we are not producing enough to meet current needs, to say nothing of getting ahead on the deficit caused by the war. Transportation and fuel conditions have cut down production of essential materials until the material shortage confronting us at the signing of the armistice has increased rather than diminished. In the meantime an enormous—greater than ever before in our national history—demand for construction has piled up and this demand will absorb our material output, even when we crowd our productive facilities to capacity, for years to come. In the face of this tremendous demand we need expect no material recessions in prices.—From *The American Contractor*.

**INITIAL TRIP.**

Last Friday afternoon according to schedule the new launch, the "Althea", of Enoch Turner, candidate for City Treasurer, was successfully launched at the Apol Boat Works, where she had been taken to be finished. A forty horse-power Wisconsin engine was installed, and she has proved to be one of the speediest large boats on the island.

The initial trip was made by Captain Turner on Saturday to Great Bay with former president of City Council Dr. J. Coles Brick, and Freeholder C. Claude Scull as his guests. The trip was quite a success, a great catch being made, in spite of the fact that Mr. Scull did not even put a line overboard.

**READY TO HOLD BIG COUNTY FAIR**

Local Residents Will Attend, Being Interested in Child Welfare and Red Cross Work.

From all indications the coming Atlantic County Fair to be held at Egg Harbor City, September 9th, 10th and 11th, will be a great event.

The executive committee through the various sub-committees, with members from throughout the county, are actively engaged. Their aim is to include all phases of farm and home activities in the exhibitions. Premium lists have been completed to take care of all such exhibits as: fruits, vegetables, poultry, live stock, fancy work, canned goods, pastry and floral displays.

Governor Edwards of New Jersey will be on hand Friday, also U. S. Senator Walter E. Edge.

The American Red Cross will again have an exhibit and will show to the public the value of Red Cross work to all mankind.

The Atlantic City Chapter, American Red Cross, assisted by members of its branches at Egg Harbor City, Hammononton, Mays Landing, Pleasantville and Somers Point, will have an interesting exhibit of Red Cross work in general and show examples of work now being done in Atlantic City.

Child Federation of Atlantic City with the State Child Hygiene Department will conduct a Baby Keep Well Clinic and a Baby Show. Four prizes, consisting of \$2.50 gold pieces, will be awarded.

An abundance of literature pertaining to the care of mothers and children will be given to any desiring it.

**REGISTRATION HERE.**

Women voters who desire to exercise their right of franchise at the primary election, on September 28, will be registered at their homes by registration officers, who will call for the purpose.

Registration lists will be publicly displayed after September 14, affording the woman an opportunity to ascertain whether they are properly on the voting lists.

**RELINQUISHES AUTHORITY.**

Patrons of the fishing pier regret that the genial pier master, Jacob Wenderoth, relinquished his authority there this week. Mr. Wenderoth has been compelled to forego his position because of his health. His unflinching courtesy and wholesome advice to anglers has endeared him to the hundreds who sought sport and recreation on the fishing pier. John Stringer, Jr., is now filling the position.

**SHERIFF'S SALE.**

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias, to me directed, issued out of the New Jersey Court of Chancery, will be sold at public vendue, on WEDNESDAY, THE TWENTY-SECOND DAY OF SEPTEMBER NINETEEN HUNDRED AND TWENTY,

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Decree approximately \$1,602, besides interest, costs and fees.  
 Seized as the property of Estate of Mary Sunson Bean et al, and taken in execution at the suit of Mabel E. Schuler and to be sold by ALFRED J. PERKINS, Sheriff.  
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