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1977



95th ANNIVERSARY

NOVEMBER 5, 1977

Ed. Green

What is a Fireman?

He's the guy next door. He's a man's man with the sharp memory of a little boy who never got over the excitement of engines and sirens and smoke and danger. He's a guy like you and me with warts and worries and unfulfilled dreams.

Yet he stands taller than most of us. He's a fireman. He puts it all on the line when the bell rings.

A fireman is at once the most fortunate and the least fortunate of men. He's a man who savors life because he has seen too much death. He's a gentle man because he has seen too much of the awesome power of violent forces out of control. He's a man responsive to a child's laughter because his arms have held too many small bodies that will never laugh again.

He's a man who appreciates the simple pleasures of life...hot coffee held in numbed, unbending fingers...the flush of fresh air pumping through smoke and fire culvulsed lungs...a warm bed for bone and muscle compelled beyond feeling...the camaraderue of brave men...the divine peace of selfless service and a job well done in the name of all men.

He doesn't wear buttons or wave flags or shout obscenities and when he marches, it is to honor a fallen comrade. He doesn't preach the brotherhood of man. He lives it.

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President	Robert Miller
Vice-President	George Cantwell
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Financial Secretary	Joseph Haines, Jr.
Captain	Richard Griffin
Lieutenant	Walter Babicki
Solicitor	Joseph Lastowka
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	Joseph Haines, Jr.	

HONORARY MEMBERS

George Allvord
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Walter Holt
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John Hughes
James Jardine
Michael Johnson
Michael Koterba
Joseph Lastowka
Charles Lavin
Edward Liversidge
Charles P. Lord
Joseph McCarty
Samuel McCloughan
Charles McCormick
Harry McCoy
Robert McCoy
Robert McCoy
Francis McKay
Frank McKay
Joseph McKay
C. McMaster
Francis McMaster
Franklin Middleton
Joseph Middleton
Robert Middleton

Howard Miller
Nicholas Miller
Clifton Minshall
William Minshall
Felix Moletteri
William Morris
James Mullaney
John Mullen
Joseph Nacrelli
James O'Hara
Samuel Pancoast
Joseph Pierce
Herbert Redman
Edward Robinson
H. Nelson Rothfus
E. Rozmarynoski
A. E. Simpson
Gordon Skillman
Adam J. Slezak
Albert C. Smith
Arthur Smith
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Jacob Stahle
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Harry Stewart
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Donald Urban
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Edward Wysocky
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Allan Carrington
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Thomas Dechant
Geo. Detwiler
A. C. DiAngelis
Frank Dziobczynski
James Fisher, Jr.
Richard Forrester
Robert Fry
Michael Galczynski
Joseph Greenberg
Edward Griffin
Raymond Griffin
Richard Griffin
Jos. E. Haines, Jr.
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George Keiser, Jr.
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Peter Kokoszka
Walter Kokoszka
George Manz
George Mays
Vincent McLaughlin
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Robert Miller
Patrick Moletteri
Michael Murtha
Charles O'Brien
Henry E. O'Brien
Jaymie Owens
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Victor Zubrzycki

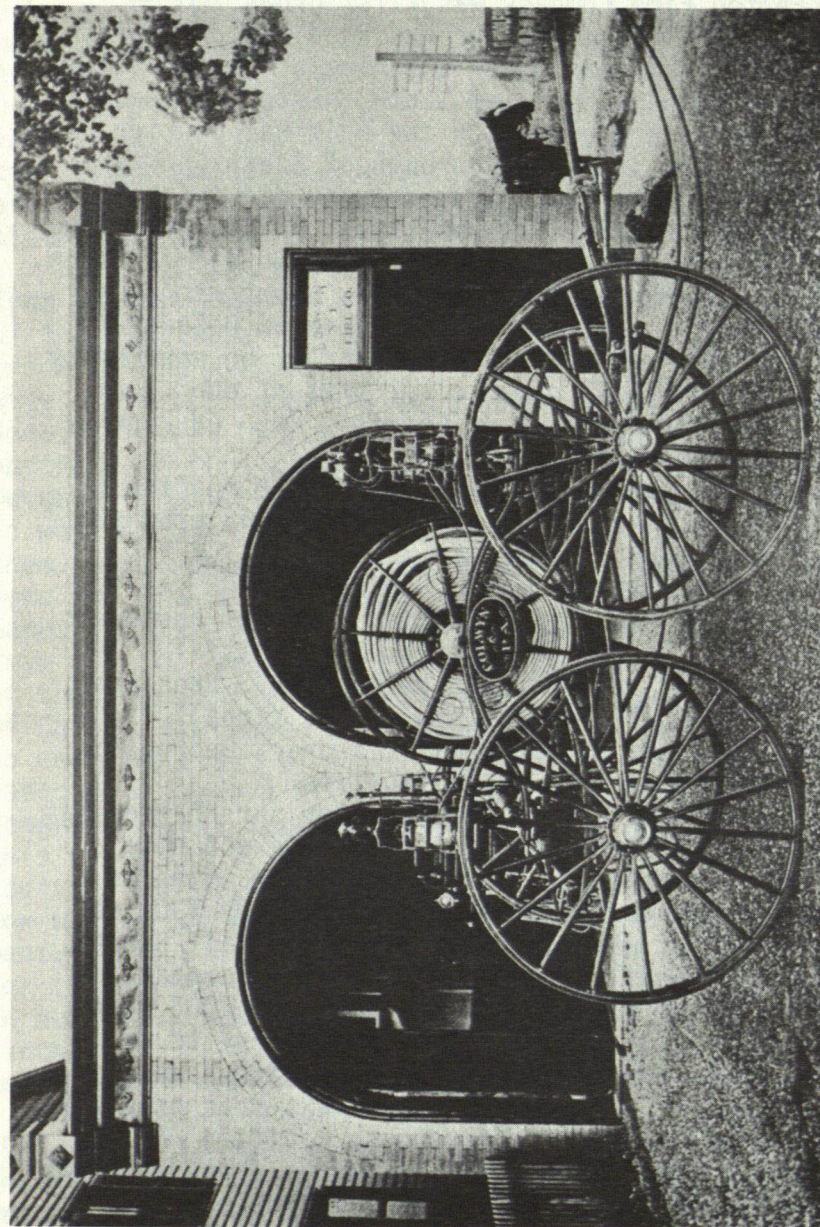
FELTON FIRE CO. NO. 3 LADIES AUXILIARY
ORGANIZED JANUARY 27, 1913

Officers:

President	Mary Grayson
Vice President	Vivian Melnick
Secretary	Emma Hutchinson
Rec. Secretary	Catherine McMaster
Treasurer	Martha Blanton
Conductress	Eleanor Anderson

MEMBERS

Martha Blanton	61 years	Mae Ford	9 years
Grace Nacrelli	46 years	Miriam Reed	8 years
Iva Goodman	44 years	Helen Grayson	3 years
Virginia Glass	30 years	Debra Melnick	1 year
Mary Grayson	30 years		
Sally Haines	30 years		
Catherine Harper	30 years		
Mildred Harper	30 years		
Mary Killian	30 years		
Catherine McMaster	29 years		
E. Anderson	12 years		
Emma Hutchinson	12 years		
Vivian Melnick	12 years		
Mabel Moore	12 years		
Justine Smith	12 years		
G. Standridge	12 years		



Felton Fire Company No. 3's first purchase of fire apparatus, a hand drawn hose carriage, acquired in 1884, and later traded to the Colwyn Fire Co. The horse peering around the side of the building is evidently interested in persuading the company to make a change for the better.

HISTORY OF FELTON FIRE CO. NO. 3

of Chester, Pa.

The Felton Fire Company was first organized on November 2, 1882, and was incorporated two days after Christmas of that year under the name of Felton Steam Fire Engine Company No. 1 of South Chester, Penna. Forty-two names are signed to the original charter of our company. In 1882, the Borough of South Chester was still in existence and our company did not become a part of the Chester Fire Department until the Borough ceded to the City of Chester in 1896. We had occasion, therefore, to make a change in 1928, a petition was presented to the Court of Common Pleas of Delaware County with the request that our charter be amended by changing the original name to our present one: The Felton Fire Company No. 3 of Chester, Pa. On June 1, 1928 this change was approved.

Ninety-five years have passed over the rooftop of our old firehouse and have seen our company grow from a few civic-minded members to a roll call of 140 active and honorary members. During this 95 years, the company has had 20 Presidents, 42 Vice Presidents, 14 Secretaries and 12 Treasurers. The initial officers elected were Richard Peters, Jr., President; Hubert J. Riley, Vice President; G. O. Yarnall, Secretary, William J. McDowell Treasurer; George B. Lindsay, Solicitor; and seven trustees.

On December 28, 1882, the day after our charter was granted, a committee was appointed to select some ground for a firehouse. The committee recommended a piece of ground on Third Street, 25 feet by 130 feet in size, west of what is now known as Yarnall Street. The Company speedily approved this site and started digging a cellar for the new firehouse on 2005 West Third Street. In 1911, it became necessary to enlarge our quarters in order to accommodate a newly acquired 55-foot Aerial Truck; the next door property was purchased and the new firehouse addition was dedicated on the same day the truck was moved in. With the passing years the added weight of the new fire apparatus made it necessary to think of moving to new and more modern quarters.

In January, 1958, a committee was appointed to select a site for a new fire house. After looking at all available sites, in April, 1958 the committee recommended the tract at 5th and Highland Avenue. On July 25, 1958 settlement was made on the purchase of the property at 5th and Highland Avenue. The following years, until the ground breaking in December, 1963, were spent raising the necessary funds to be able to begin construction. In April 1964 actual construction began and on September 19, 1964, the culmination of the efforts of many men made the dedication of our new fire station a reality.

In our 95 years of existence, our equipment has advanced from a hand drawn hose carriage and bucket brigade to one of the most modern fire equipped companies in this area. Pride in the equipment which has enabled us to serve the City of Chester requires that we trace the history of our acquisitions. In June of 1884, the company made its first purchase of fire apparatus, a hand drawn hose carriage. In December of that year, the company appointed a committee to wait on the Council of South Chester Borough and request them to purchase an Amoskeag Steam Fire Engine, which was done the end of 1885. The engine was placed in service in January, 1886, and in February we bought a pair of horses to draw it. In September, 1903, we had been official members of the Chester Fire Department for six years, and the City of Chester purchased us a Seagrave Hose Wagon large enough to carry 750 feet of hose. Again, the City of Chester acceded to a request of April, 1910, to purchase a 55 foot Seagrave Aerial Truck with a tillerman seat. One year later this truck was driven through the door of the new fire house addition constructed especially to receive it. The company now had horses for three pieces of horse drawn fire equipment, one for hose carriage, two for fire engines, and two for the new aerial truck. In July, 1913, due to the needs in our area, the company recommended the City of Chester to purchase a new Amoskeag type steam fire engine, which was delivered in May of 1914.

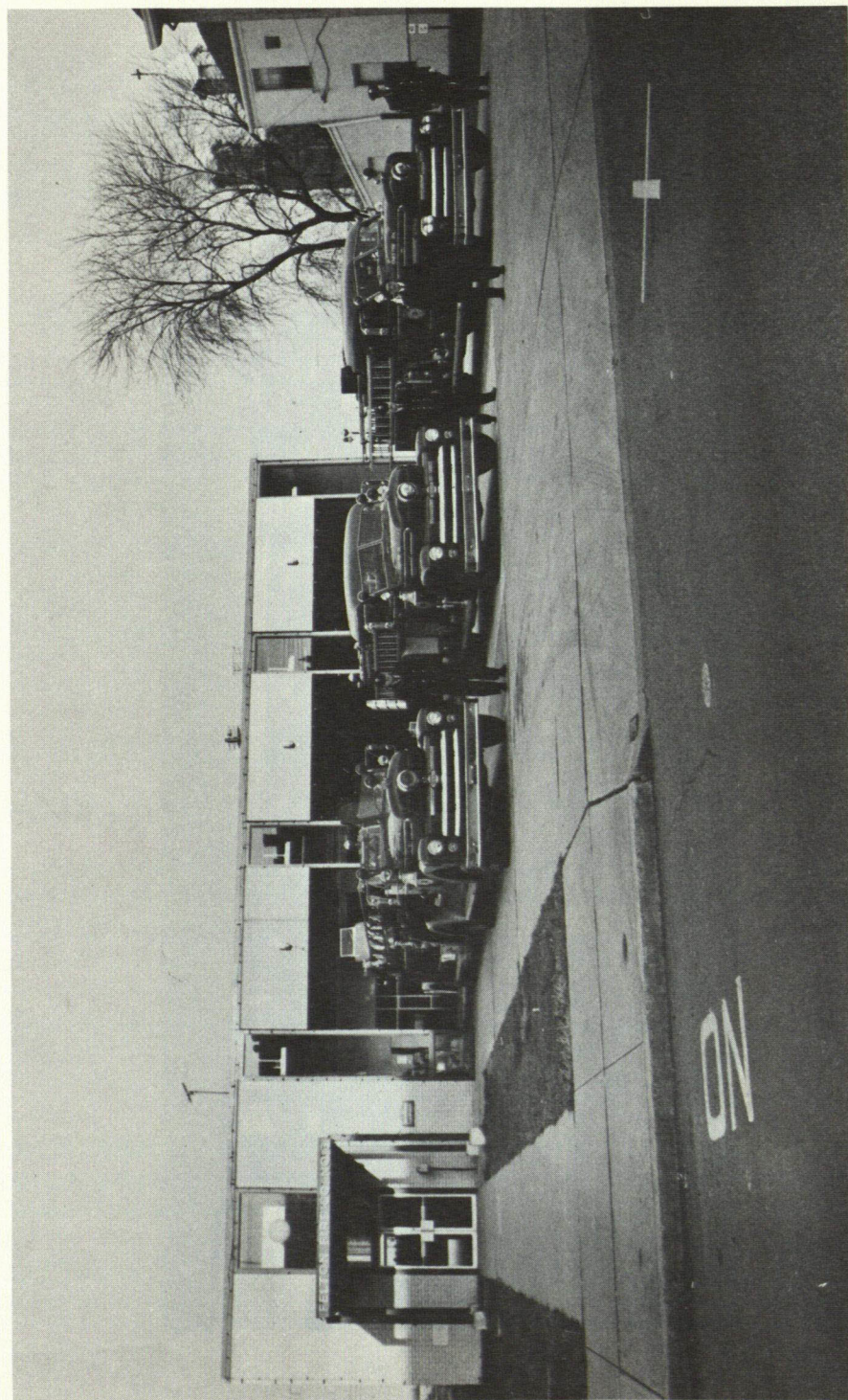
Motorization of our fire equipment was started in March, 1915, with the purchase of an American LaFrance Tractor for the steam fire engine, and a Mack Tractor for the aerial truck. In March, 1917, one month before our country entered World War I, we became fully motorized with the acquisition of a Seagrave combination hose and chemical wagon with a

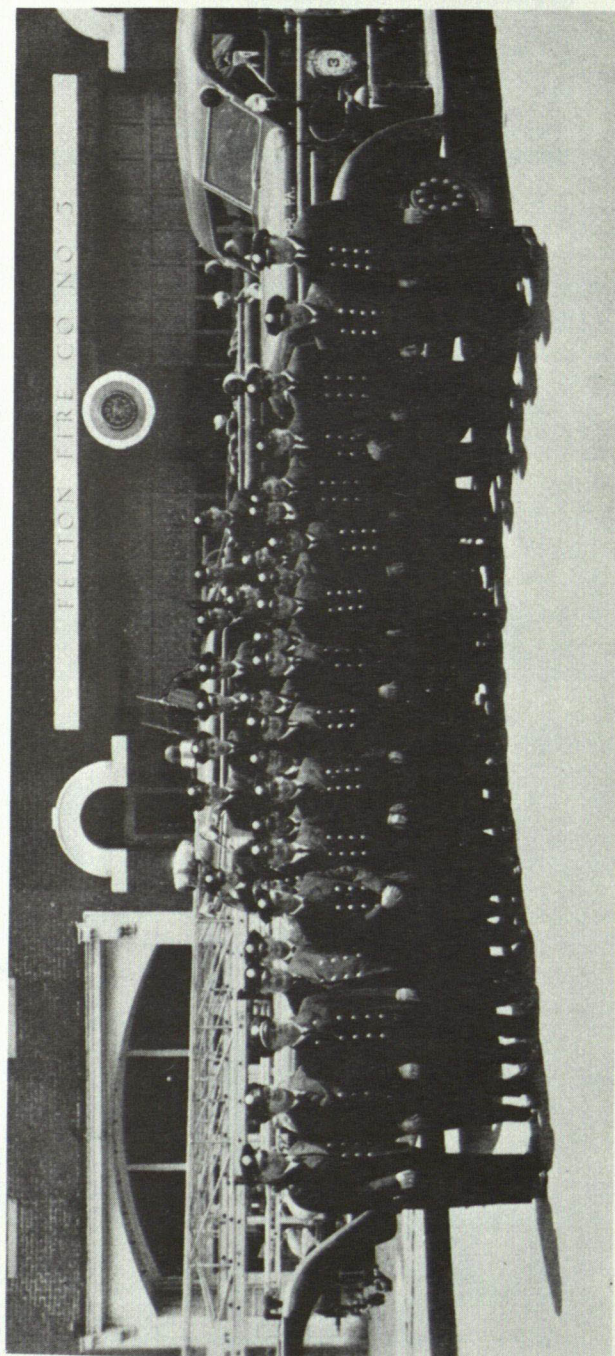
HISTORY OF FELTON FIRE CO. NO. 3 (continued)

1,000 gallon gasoline pumping engine. This was subsequently superseded in 1938 by a 750 gallon Ahren Fox pumping engine with a hose compartment to hold 1,000 feet of hose, which in turn replaced in January of 1957 with a Seagrave 750-gallon gasoline engine with a 300-gallon booster pump and a 1,000 foot hose compartment.

In July 1922, it became necessary to replace the 1,000-gallon steam fire engine originally acquired in 1914 and a request was made for the City to purchase a new 1,000-gallon Seagrave pumping engine. This pump was subsequently delivered one year later, and was replaced by a 750-gallon Buffalo pumping engine with a 100-foot hose compartment in 1951. In November 1962 a new 750-gallon Seagrave pumping engine, with a 1000 foot hose compartment and a 350-gallon booster tank was put into service replacing the Buffalo. In June, 1928, our old horse drawn hook and ladder was replaced by an Ahren-Fox 750 foot aerial truck with standard equipment, and later modernization in 1954 required us to change to a Seagraves 85-foot aerial ladder with standard equipment.

We are proud of the accomplishments of the past ninety-five years and we still agree with the wise man who declared that he found the study of past history fascinating, but felt more interested in the future, since he planned to spend the rest of his life there. In like manner, Felton Fire Company No. 3 looks forward to a future of accomplishment and service to the City of Chester.





OFFICERS
OF THE
FELTON FIRE CO. NO. 3
1882 - 1977

PRESIDENTS

Job Baldwin	Chas. A. Martin	Richard Peters
Thos. Carswell	Harry McCoy	John Stainton
Horace Ewing	W.S. McDowell	Oscar Stevenson
Francis Holt	R. McIlvain	William Stewart
L. Gordon McDonald	Bernald McLaughlin	G. O. Yarnall
	Robert Miller	

VICE-PRESIDENTS

Job Baldwin	F. P. Little	Patrick Moletteri
Geo. Blythe	Gordan McDonald	Charles Moore
Harry Boyle	Chas. Martin	George Moore
George Cantwell	Robert McCaine	J. D. Moore
Thos. Carswell	H. M. McCoy, 1st	Louis Moore
Horace Ewing	R. McIlvain	Samuel Pancoast
Joseph Greenberg	B. McLaughlin	Hubert Reilly
Geo. Griffith	Francis McMaster	Horace Simcox
Joseph Haines, Sr.	Harold McMaster	R. Spicer, Jr.
Francis Holt	John McMaster	Wm. Stewart
Michael Johnson	Robert Middleton	G. O. Yarnall
John Lane	Robert Miller	

RECORDING SECRETARIES

Samuel W. Ashton	Chas. S. McCoy	John Stainton
Richard Bennett	W. J. McDowell	Harry Witsil
E. J. Calvert	W. S. McDowell	Gasaway Yarnall
Michael Johnson	O. T. Pancoast	
Frank Little	Adam Slezak	

TREASURERS

George Allvord	Geo. Hunter	Wm. Road
Frank Clark	Gordon MacDonald	Jas. Shropshire
Philip Downey	Wm. J. McDowell	
John Howarth	W. S. McDowell	

FINANCIAL SECRETARIES

George Allvord	Joseph Farrell	Samuel Pancoast
Samuel Ashton	Joseph Haines, Jr.	Frank Price
Howard Bardsley	Charles Hill	Adam Slezak
Benjamin Bates	George J. Hunter	John Stainton
Wm. Bauldin	Charles Keal	Oscar Stevenson
W. J. Brown	John J. McCarty	John Wheaton
Phillip J. Downey	Harold McMaster	
Edward Draper, Jr.	Olin T. Pancoast	

CAPTAINS

Walter Babicki	Lewis Harper	Fred Owens
Howard Bardsley	H. Harry	John Palmer
Edward Canavan	John Hayes	Samuel Palmer, Jr.
John Crossett	Allen Hilligas	Joseph Pierce
James Deveney	Albert Hilligas	Charles Roberts
Ed Draper, Jr.	Gordan McDonald	Harry Seaman
Ellwood Ehrenzeller	Harry McCoy	John Stainton
George Evans	Howard McCoy	W. Curtis Thompson
Horace Ewing	Joseph McKay	Larry Weigand
T. J. McFadden	C. McMaster	Charles Williams
Robert C. Grayson	Louis Moore	
Richard E. Griffin	Richard News	

LIEUTENANTS

Michael Abbott	Robert C. Grayson	Frank Modzelewski
Elmer Anderson	Joseph Haines, Sr	Wm. Morris
Walter Babicki	Harrison Hilliard	Richard News
Frank Baker	Albert Hillegas	Henry O'Brien
Earl Bates	Francis Holt	John Palmer
Howard Bardsley	Thomas J. Johnson	Samuel Palmer, Jr.
John Campbell	Albert Leach	Joseph Pierce
Edward Canavan	George Malick	E. Rozmarynoski
John Corson	G. MacDonald	Harry Seaman
Ralph Chew	Charles McCormick	Edward Stauffer
John Crossett	Howard McCoy	Benjamin Stripe
James Deveney	C. McMaster	David Straub
Ed Draper, Jr.	F. McMaster	W. C. Thompson
George Evans	Joseph McKay	Lawrence Weigand
Joseph Farrell	Nicholas Miller	Robert Weigand
Albert Glass	Louis Moore	

SOLICITORS

Wm. Boulden	Joseph Lastowka	Olin J. Pancoast
Robert E.J. Curran	George Luidday	J. J. Ryan
John Howarth	C. J. McGovern	John Stainton
C. Frank Keller	J. W. McMaster	

TRUSTEES

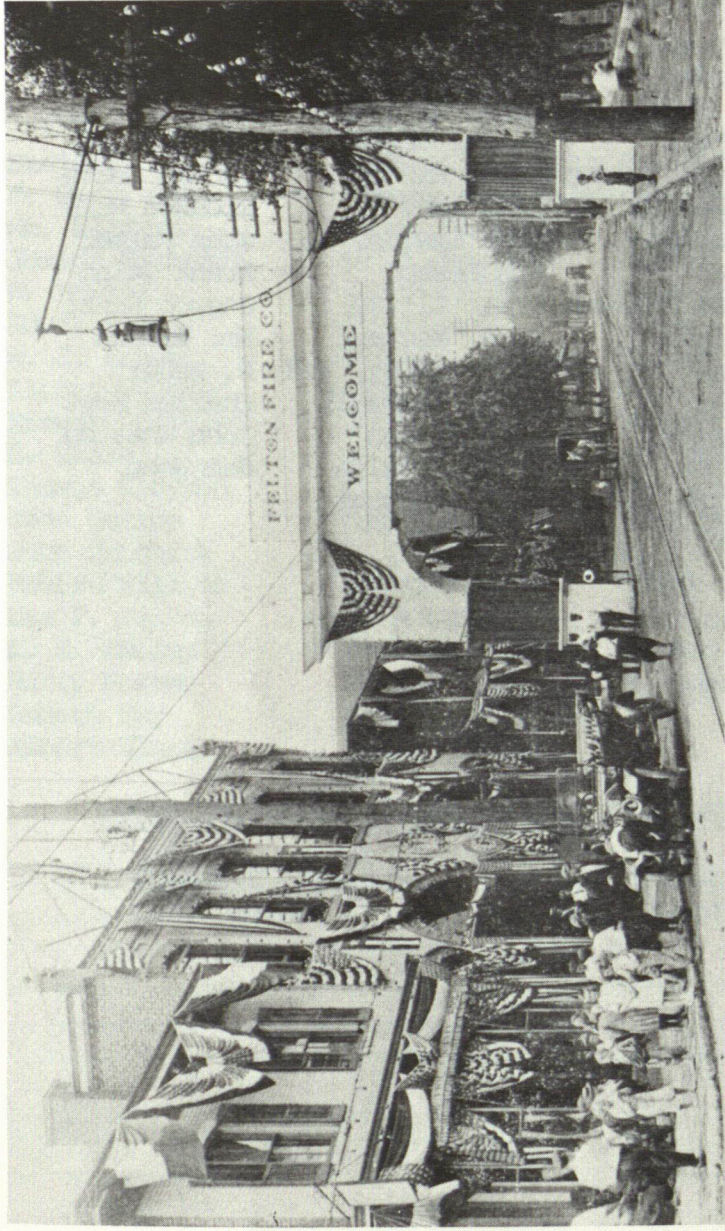
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Wm. Baldwin	Thos. Hareston	John Mullen
Joseph Baumgart	H. J. Hartman	Howard Newsome
R. Bowing	George Hill	John Palmer
Edwin Boyer	J. Howarth	Samuel Palmer, Jr
W. J. Brown	Michael Johnson	Ernest Pierson
Albert Capasso	Caspner Kalp	H. J. Riley
Stewart Cassler	John Leanson	Harvey Ritter
S. Chase	J. H. Mauger	Wm. Roberts
Thomas Clayton	C. McCormick	Wm. Rowan
John Corson	Harry McCoy	Levi Schultz
John Crossett	W. J. McDowell	H. D. Simcox
Robert Elliott	Francis McKay	Frank Taylor
Sam F. Felton	B. McLaughlin	Charles Williams
E. T. Ferrey	John McMaster	S. Wood
Harry Foster	Daniel McVey	R. Zubrzycki
Robert Fry	Ray Miles	
Albert Glass	Robert Miller	

CHIEF ENGINEERS IN THE CHESTER FIRE DEPARTMENT

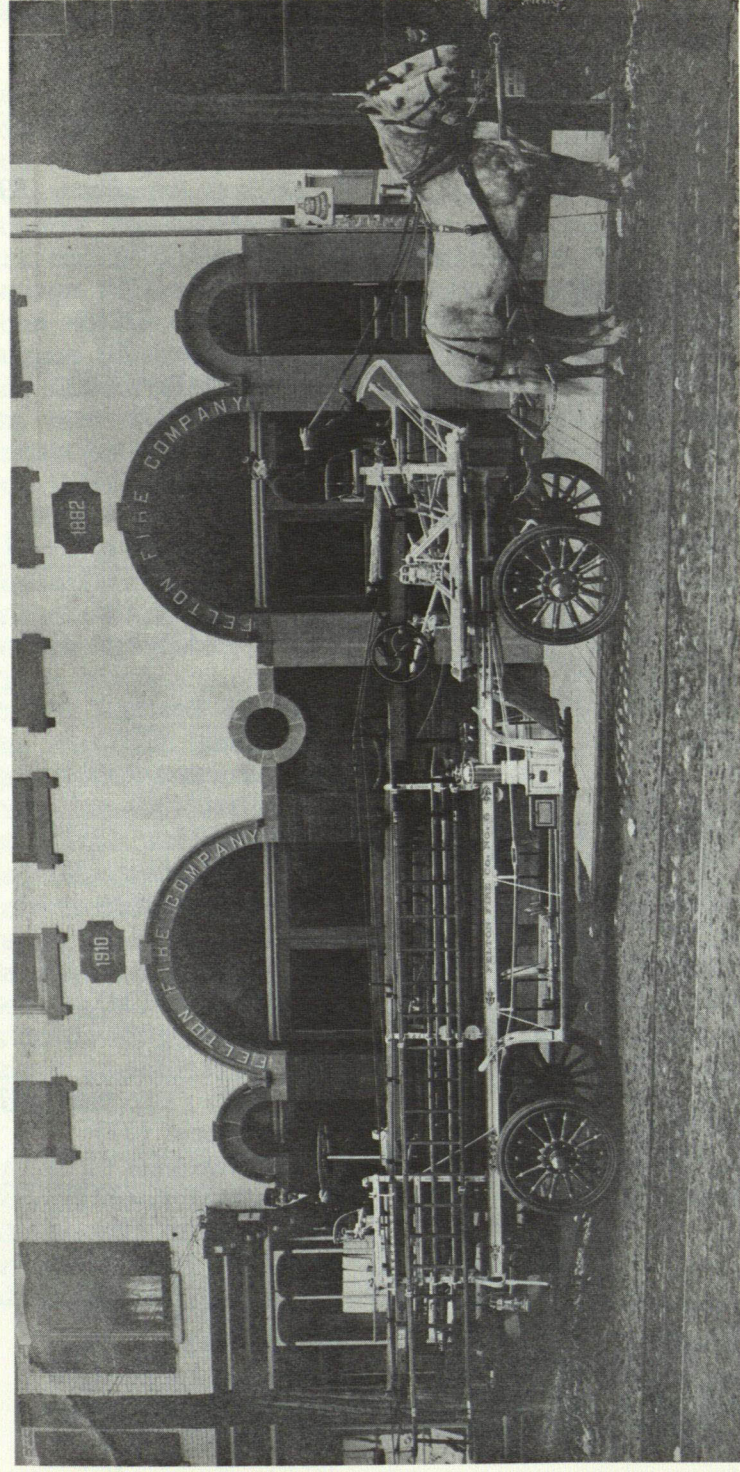
Robert C. Grayson	Allen Hilligas
Lewis Harper	Joseph Pierce

CHIEF ENGINEERS AND ASSISTANT ENGINEERS OF THE FELTON STEAM ENGINE FIRE CO. No. 1

H. Harry Ash	Wm. Hardy	Leonard Miller
Earl Bardsley	John Harley	Charles Moore
Wendell Bates	Frank Hartman	J. Moore, Jr.
Andrew Bell	Daniel Hayes	Lewis Moore
Washington Bolden	Jacob Kinsler	Thomas Moore
Robert Bowing	John Lane	Richard News
Thomas Brown	John Law, Jr.	John Palmer
Wm. Brown	Jim Lesson	Frank Quinn
Sylvester Canavan	Frank Little	Joseph Scott
Frank Clark	R. P. Mackey	Wm. Watson
J. Corson	Harry McCoy, 2nd	G. Weber
Ed Draper	W. S. McDowell	Charles West
T. T. Dwyer	R. McIlvain	John Wheaton
A. Elliott	B. McLaughlin	Sam Wood
Frank Ford	J.W. McMaster	
J. Glatts	D. McVey	



The Felton Fire Company welcomes the annual parade to the City of Chester. This picture is dated from approximately 1916. No one now remembers whether or not the harassed automobile owner to the left ever got his horseless carriage out of the way before the start of the big parade.



YEARS OF SERVICE

61 to 66 Years

Harry McCoy (66)
LeRoy Stewart (64)
Joe Downey (62)

56 to 60 Years

Sam Pancoast (59)
Joe Pierce (59)
James Downey (58)
Charles Lavin (58)
Sam McCloughan (58)

51 to 55 Years

Lloyd Garman (52)
Francis Holt (51)

46 to 50 Years

Charles McMaster (47)
Joe Baumgart (46)
Joe Haines, Sr. (46)

41 to 45 Years

John Downie (44)
James Jardine (44)
Jacob Stahle (43)
Job Baldwin (42)
John Campbell (42)
Geo. Cantwell (42)
Elwood Ehrenzeller (42)
Charles McCormick (42)
Frank McKay (42)
Barclay Fitzsimmons (41)
Robert Goodman (41)
Joe Nacrelli (41)

26 to 30 Years

Blair Harper (30)
Rob. Howlett (30)
Charles McMaster (30)
Nick Miller (30)
Bill Spicer (30)

36 to 40 Years

Wm Zimmers (40)
H. Nelson Rothfuss (39)
Gordon Skillman (39)
Ed Wysocky (39)
Phil Downey (38)
Walter Holt (38)
Ed Robinson (38)
Geo. Bardsley (37)
Ed Downey (37)
Horace Fulton (37)
Charles Lord (37)
Franklin O. Middleton (37)
Joe Middleton (37)
James O'Hara (37)
Robert McCoy (36)
Robert Middleton (36)

31 to 35 Years

John Ashby (35)
John Grayson (35)
Wm. Helms (35)
Howard Miller (35)
Fran. McMaster (35)
Ed Simpson (35)
Al Smith (35)
Clif Minshall (34)
Joe Wasylyk (34)
Joe Downey (33)
Rob. Ford (33)
Robert C. Grayson (33)
Wm. Coppock (32)
Joe McKay (32)
Wm. Baumgart (31)
Rob. Fulton (31)

Rob. Voshell (30)
Herbie Redman (30)
George Allvord (29)
Eugene Basara (29)
John Hughes (29)

YEARS OF SERVICE (continued)

26 to 30 Years (cont.)

Mike Koterba (29)
Joe McCarty (29)
Felix Moletteri (29)
Edward Rozmarynoski (29)
Art Smith (29)
George Taylor (29)
John Mullen (28)
Eugene Bondreski (27)
Ed. Liversidge (27)
Wm. Morris (27)
James Mullaney (26)
Don Urban (26)

21 to 25 Years

Ben Artymowicz (25)
Anthony DiAngelis (25)
George Dougherty (25)
Frank Himsforth (25)
Franny McKay (25)
Wm. Minshall (24)
Mike Galczynski (23)
Fred Basara (22)
Walt Bondreski (22)
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Robert Miller (22)
Pat Moletteri (22)
Martin Slezak (22)
Geo. Mays (21)
Adam J. Slezak (21)
Harry Steward (21)
John Wek (21)

16 to 20 Years

Joseph Greenberg (20)
Al Capasso (18)
Leigh Allvord (16)
Al Zubrzycki (16)

11 to 15 Years

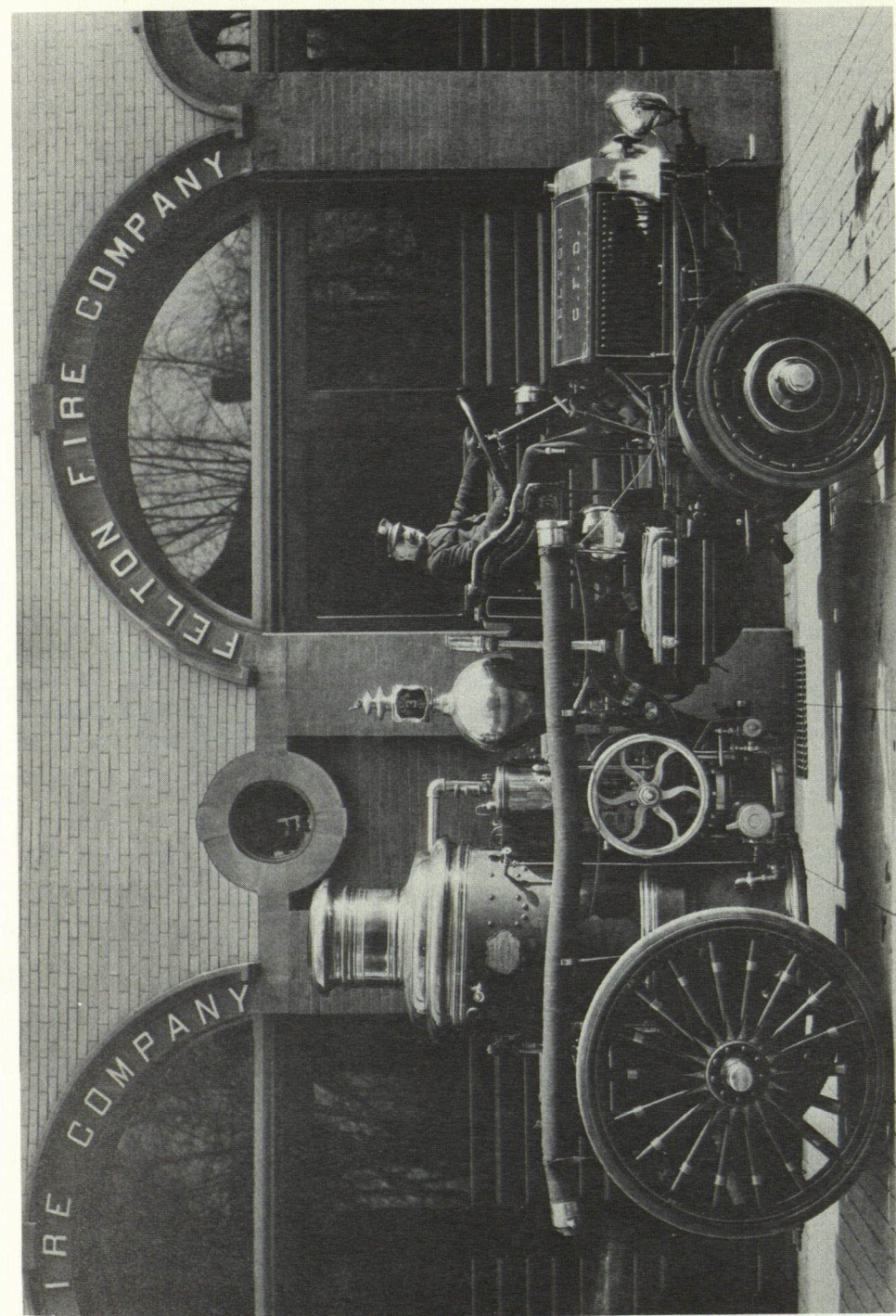
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Wm. Haines (14)
Walt Koko (14)
Robert Smith (14)
Vic Zubrzycki (14)
John Babicki (13)
Tom Dechant (13)
Joe Haines, Jr. (13)
Mike Pondok (13)
Wm. Crielly (11)
George Manz (11)

6 to 10 Years

Walter Babicki (10)
Frank Dziobczynski (10)
Henry O'Brien (10)
Lou Boulden (8)
Pete Koko (8)
Harry Boyle (7)
Howard Coals (7)
Vincent McLaughlin (7)
Wm. Suter (7)
Geo. Detwiler (6)
Michael T. Johnson (6)
Michael Murtha (6)
Wm. Waldron (6)
Dave Wojs (6)

1 to 5 Years

Geo. Keiser, Jr. (5)
Joseph Lastowka (5)
James Fisher (4)
Robert Fry (3)
Ray Griffin (3)
R. Griffin (3)
Ed Griffin (2)
Matthew Hills (1)
Eugene Klecko (1)
Charles O'Brien (1)
Jaymie Owens (1)



HONOR ROLL
World War I

* ALFRED STEVENSON *

Edward Ashmead
Earl Ashmead
Leroy Berlew
Frank Baker
Paul Berry
John Crossett
Edward Draper
Joseph Downey
Stoddard Gray
Gurnsey Gray
Raymond Hood
Albert Leach

Leroy McCoy
Howard McCoy
Stanley McDowell
Leroy Stewart
Richard Stevenson
John Thompson
Robert Taylor
Leo Williams
Charles West
Lawrence West
Charles Wood
William Zimmers

HONOR ROLL
World War II

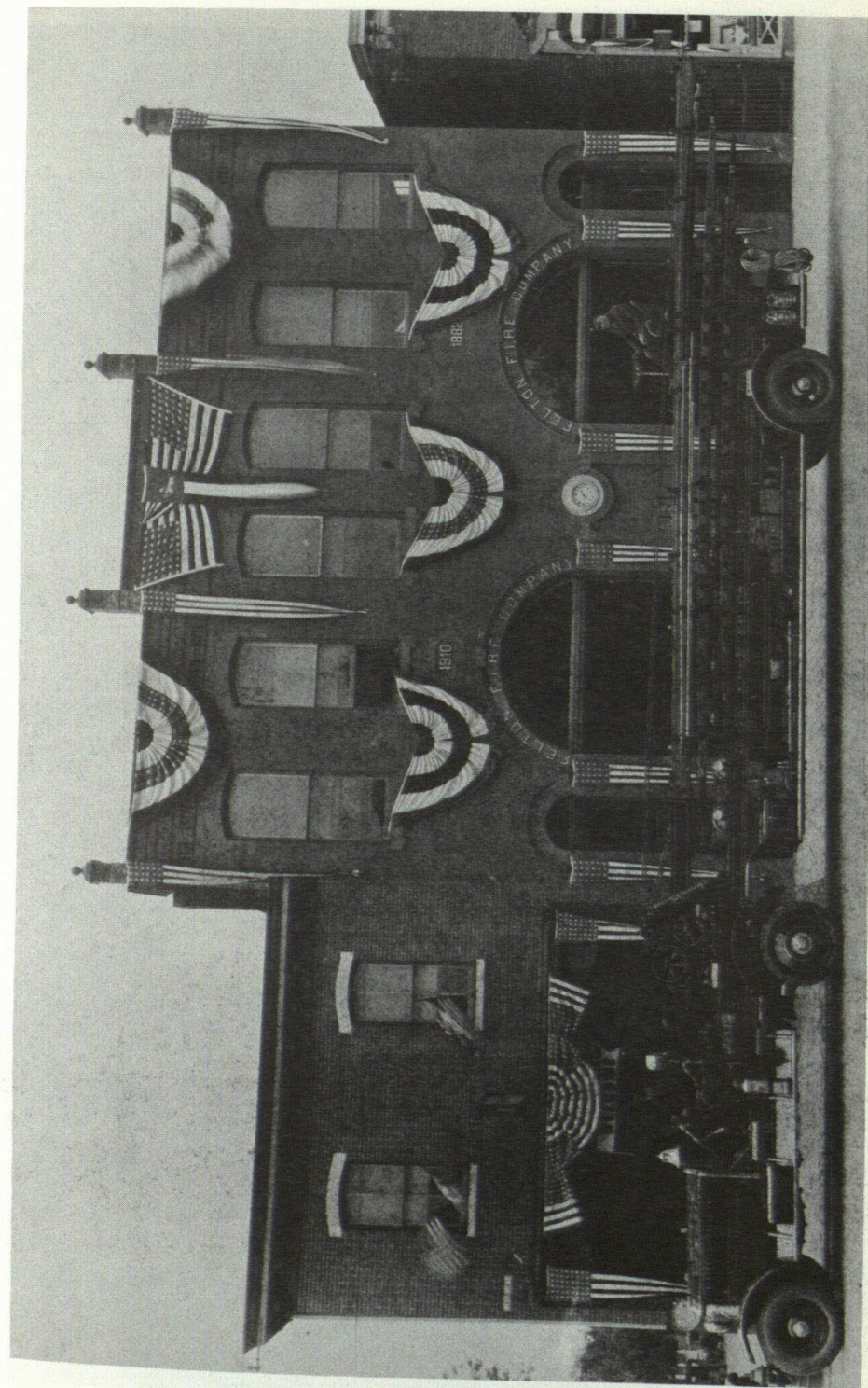
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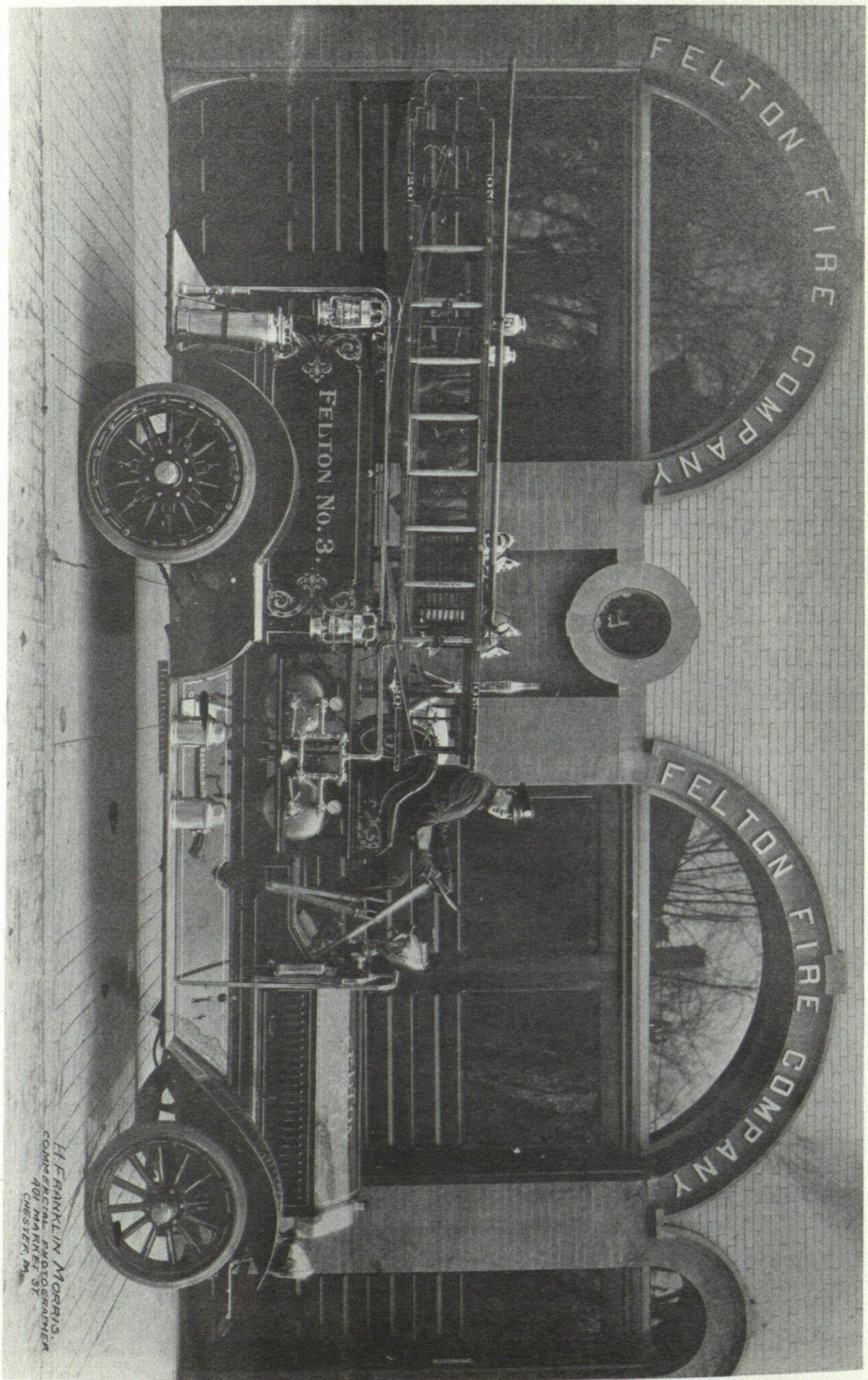
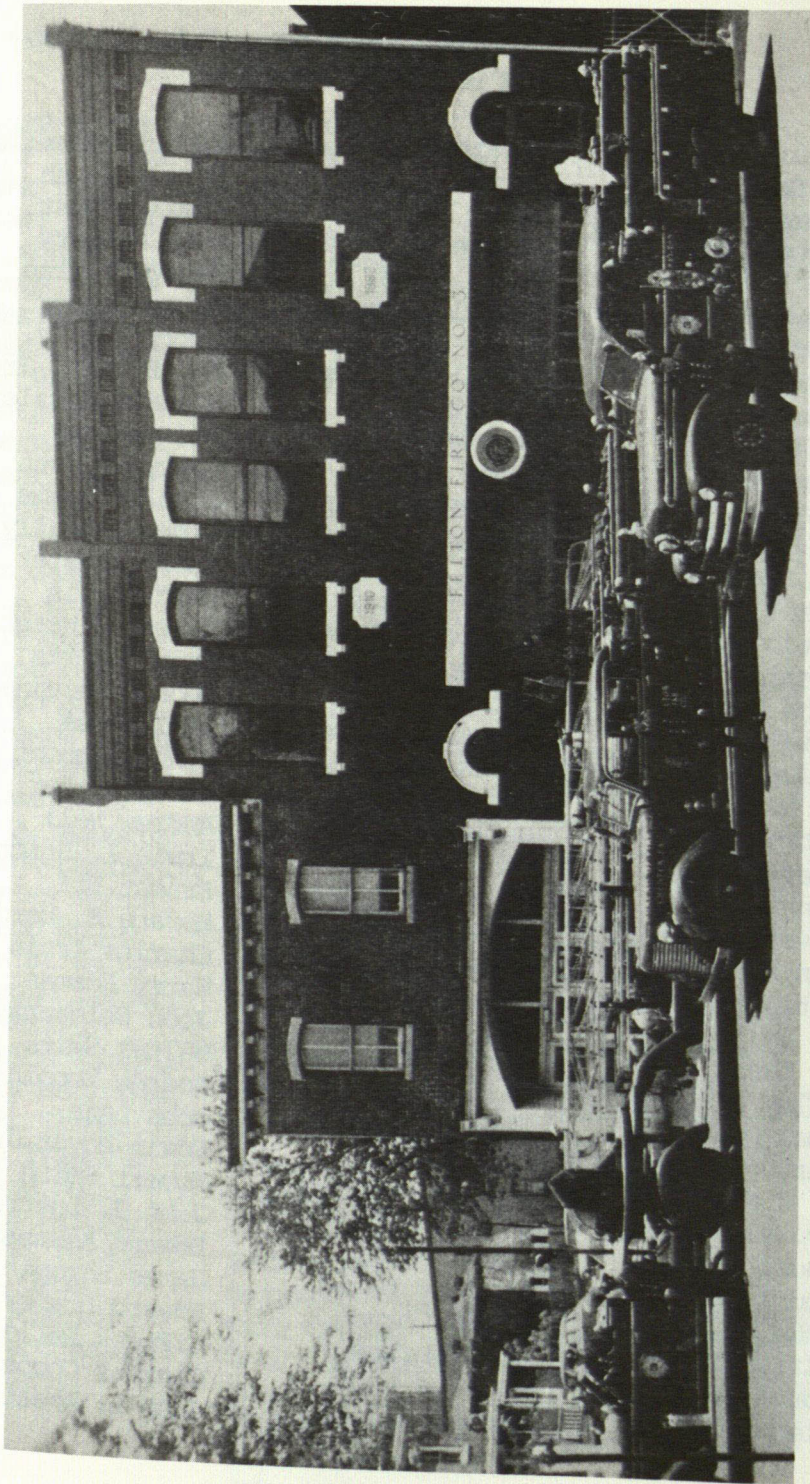
Dr. Martin Sejda
Jacob Stahle
John Spicer
Robert Spicer, Jr.
Allen Thompson
Vernon Thompson
Anthony Del Buono
Joseph Downey
Robert Ford
Robert Grayson
George Garvine
Harry Hill, Jr.
William Luttrell, Jr.
Clifton Minshall
John Taylor
Harry Bomberger
Manley Lawrence
Edward Downey
William Ogden, Jr.

Harry Hoff
Robert McCoy
John McDowell
Thomas Crawford
Robert Miller
Harry Brown
Joseph Middleton
Robert Middleton
Charles McMaster
Charles McCormick
William Coppock
Myron Sawicki
Joseph McKay
Howard Traub
George Whittaker
Robert Smith
Eugene Costello
Thomas Gay, Jr.
Clinton Smith

John Ashby
John Wise
Thomas Conte
Albert Ewald
Lewis Harper
Blair Harper
Carmen Volturno
James Mullaney
Frank Middleton
F. McMaster
Jos. Kisielwicz
Raymond Konyk
Nicholas Miller
Francis McKay, Jr.
George Taylor
C. Wrzesniewski
Alex. Cummings
Edward Robinson
Thom. San Tobianco

IN
HONOR
OF THE
ACTIVE
AND
HONORARY
MEMBERS
OF THE
FELTON FIRE CO. NO. 3
WHO SERVED
THEIR COUNTRY
IN THE
KOREAN
AND
VIETNAM
CONFLICTS





H. F. FRANKLIN MORRIS,
 CO. 1, 1891
 401 N. 1st St.
 CHESTER, PA.

IN MEMORY OF
OUR DECEASED MEMBERS

Wm. J. Grannan	Howard Bardsley	Robert Voshelle
Wm. Roan	Harry McMunigal	Warren Smith
Jeremiah O'Donnell	Issac Williams	Charles West
Gasoway Yarnall	Charles Williams	John McCarty
John Moore, Jr.	Harry Latch	George Blythe
Edward Blizzard	Daniel Canavan	Harry Foster
Eugene Reardon	Oscar Stevenson	Harry Ray, Jr.
Walter Quinlan	Bernald McLaughlin	Wm. R. Gibb, Jr.
John Davis	Albert Pyle	Stewart Cassler
Louis Maguire	Charles Martin	Harry Purdy
Jesse Miles	James Adams	Henry VanNess
Sylvester Canavan	Benjamin Bates	John Williams
Wm. Boulden, Sr.	Olin Pancoast	Richard Reilly
Wm. J. McDowell	Louis Moore	George Hunter
Robert McIlvaine	Daniel Hayes	Hugh Tennis
Raymond Lewis	Patrick McFadden	Elmer A. Wright
Jeremiah Scott	George Griffith	Andrew Burns
Frank Henry	Harry McCoy	George Garvine
Daniel McVey	Bernard Salmons	Earl Bates
Frederick McClyment	Frank Quinn	John Beaumont
Wm. Watson, Jr.	Harrison Hilliard	Leroy Ritter
Franklin Ford	Berl Maguire	Andrew Bell
Hubert Riley	John Palmer	Irwin L. Stichter
Frank Clarke	Wm. N. McConnell	Ernest Uff
Oliver McCormick	John R. Innis	Horace E. Bardsley
John Mahoney	Frederick Smith	Charles Irvin
Curtis Thompson	Wm. J. Stewart	Harry Seaman
Wm. Ewing	Alfred Mullen	John Delehanty
Wm. Clark	Harvey W. Ritter	Walter Smith
Wesley McDowell, Sr.	Herbert D. Boulden	Andrew Toppin
James McMaster	Ernest Pearson	John Lane
Henry Hartman	Jacob Hallman	Edwin Boyer, Jr.
Wm. J. Boone	William Deveney	Robert Smith
Edw. Pierce	Harold McDowell	John J. Luttrell
Samuel Walters	Frank Baker	Edward Ashmead
Samuel Palmer, Sr.	Horace Ewing	James Shropshire
Samuel Wood	Frank Corson	Edward Draper
Patrick McNicholas	John Corson	C. Frank Kelley
George Ewald	Charles Ward	Charles Cooper
Allen Hilligas	Thomas Gillespie	John L. Wheaton

IN MEMORY OF DECEASED MEMBERS (continued)

Edward B. Mest	Walter Fetzer	James Anderson
Elmer Anderson	Thomas Patterson	Clinton Smith
Frank Taylor	Robert Spicer	George Moore
Robert Taylor	Samuel Burke	James Parke
Wm. Odgen	Howard Boyer	Maurice Riggin
George Evans	John Y. Crossett	David Traub
F. Harry Ash	Edward Fry	John Thompson
Wendell Bates	Louis Dewees	Phillip Downey
John Cullis	Edward Draper	Nelson Rothfuss
Wm. Cotter	Robert Elliott	Edward Pack
Robert Stewart	Vincent Griffith	Elwood Foster
Richard News	Ralph Chew	John McGinnis
George Hill	Thomas Doyle	James Draper
Howard Newsome	Charles Wood	Edward Cotter
John Stainton	Clarence McMaster	Daniel Stockley
Anton Ewald	C. J. McGovern	Harold McMaster
Harry Mason	Aaron Palmer	Harry Miles
Horace Carpenter	John Mahon	Walter J. Swanger
Joseph Scott	Hiram Harper	Edward Ronso
Lawrence Connors	Gordon MacDonald	George Mallay
Samuel Ashton	Charles McCoy	C. Blair McCoy
Thomas Dwyer	Geo. Middleton, Jr.	Albert Leach
Wm. A. Roberts	Joseph Prescott	Chester Harden
George Covington	W. H. Worrilow	Joseph Desmond
Charles Moore	Edward Canavan	Charles Innis
Joseph Dugan	Wm. F. Mest	Ray Zubrzycki
John B. Maloy	Joseph Evans	John Bradley
Raymond Yarnall	Lehman Mitchell	Horace McCormick
Roy Miles	Thos. McCormick	Horace Whittaker
Charles Roberts	John Morgan	Albert Glass
Harry McClyment	Charles Sepulveda	Harvey Mauger
Wm. R. Zimmer, Sr.	H. E. Clendenning	Cooper Prescott
John Trapnell	John MacDonald	Harry Cello
Howard McCoy	Leonard Miller	John Spicer
Frank Hartman	Lewis Harper	Wm. B. Hartman
Samuel Parke	Samuel Palmer	Bill Knarr
John Grobb	Bajjamin Stripe	George Middleton, Sr.
Wm. Boulden	Carl Carter	Howard Chandler
Leonard Bowen	W. J. McDowell	Chester Wojciehowski
Wm. Miley	Frank Price	Joseph Eyre
	George Garvine	George Hughes
	E. P. Ehrenzeller	
	John Hayes	

IN THE
Court of Common Pleas of Delaware County,
Pennsylvania.

No. 1812, March Term 1928.

IN RE:

**Felton Steam Fire Engine Company, No. 1,
OF SOUTH CHESTER**

Amendment of Charter by changing name to

The Felton Fire Company, No. 3, of Chester, Pa.

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And now June 1st 1928 the petition of the Felton Steam Fire Engine Company, of South Chester, No. 1, having been presented to the Court on April 27th, 1928 praying that the charter of said corporation be altered and amended by changing the name to The Felton Fire Company, No. 3, of Chester, Pa., and the Court having examined and considered the said petition and being of opinion that the alteration or amendment desired would be lawful and beneficial and did not conflict with the requirements of the statutes in such case made and provided, or of the constitution of this State, ordered that notice should be given as required by law, of said application, and proofs of publication of said notice and also a certificate from the Secretary of Commonwealth setting forth that the name, title or designation "The Felton Fire Company, No. 3, of Chester, Pa., was filed and recorded in his office on May 17, 1928, and that a search of the records of his said office failed to disclose any conflict between the said title and any other name, title or designation heretofore registered under the provisions of the Act of Assembly approved May 16, 1923; and no objections having been filed to the granting of the prayer of said petition, and the Court having examined and considered the same and being of opinion that the amendment or alteration desired will be lawful and beneficial and does not conflict with the requirements of the statutes in such case made and provided, or of the constitution of this state, it is ordered and decreed that the prayer of said petition be granted and that the charter of The Felton Steam Fire Engine Company, No. 1, of South Chester, be altered by changing the name of said corporation to

**"The Felton Fire Company, No. 3,
OF CHESTER, PA."**

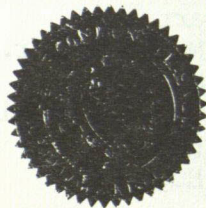
BY THE COURT,

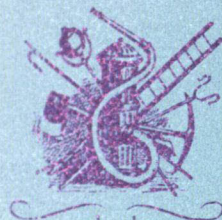
John M. Broomall.
Judge

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Robert Liboon
Deputy Notary.





A FIREMAN'S PRAYER

When I am called to duty, God
Wherever flames may rage,
Give me strength to save some life
Whatever be its age.
Help me embrace a little child
Before it is too late
Or save an older person from
The horror of that fate.
Enable me to be alert and hear the weakest shout
And quickly and efficiently
To put the fire out.
I want to fill my calling and
To give the best in me,
To guard my every neighbor and
Protect his property.
And if according to my fate
I am to lose my life,
Please bless with your protecting hand
My children and my wife.

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