

Committee Begins Active Work on Selection of Cities For Federal Reserve Banks

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APPOINTMENT WILL RAISE EFFICIENCY IN POLICE DEPARTMENT

Many Patrolmen Included in Resolution List Are Tried and True

GRANT FORRER SAYS GOOD-BY

Thanks the Boys and Girls; Firemen's Union Criticizes Naming of Halbert

City Council's action yesterday in considering and laying over for a week the Lynch resolution providing for the dismissal of V. Grant Forrer, as park superintendent; Charles F. Spicer as assistant fire chief to be succeeded by Ed. Halbert, and the two sergeants and a dozen patrolmen, was the chief topic of discussion, of course, in municipal circles to-day.

Further food for discussion was furnished by the action of the Firemen's Union last evening in adopting resolutions on the subject.

Among the new patrolmen who will go into the city's police service March 1, if the Lynch resolution is adopted next Tuesday, are some of the most efficient patrolmen of previous administrations.

The new assistant fire chief appointee is a fireman of years of splendid service and he has filled the position of assistant fire chief under Mayor Meads' administration.

The new development in the park superintendent and city planning situation was the issue of a statement by Mr. Forrer and the report that the

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General Jose Hernandez Expects Revolution in Venezuela in April

New York, Feb. 18.—General Jose Hernandez, known as "El Mocha," who arrived yesterday from the West Indies, where he had been conferring with other Venezuelan revolutionary chiefs, makes no secret of the fact that he expects a revolution in Venezuela in April.

General Hernandez is the leader of the National party and its candidate for the presidency of Venezuela. He is one of the best known of the fighting men in Latin-America.

At his hotel here to-day General Hernandez expressed satisfaction with the condition of his party. Many of the principal military chiefs have come under his banner, he said, and he spoke of the unsatisfactory conditions in Venezuela because of what he termed the usurpation of the presidency by General Juan Vicente Gomez. This action will be assailed, he said, by the National party when it takes arms in April, unless an open election is ordered before.

Wilson Wants an Early Decision in Rate Case

Washington, D. C., Feb. 18.—President Wilson sent for Chairman Clark of the Interstate Commerce Commission to-day and they conferred for half an hour. Mr. Clark declined to say what had been discussed, but it was said at the White House that the President expected an early decision on the application of the Eastern railroads for freight rate increases.

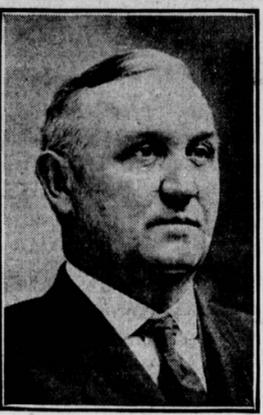
TAILOR RELEASED ON BAIL

St. Petersburg, Feb. 18.—Telegrams from Kiev announce that Pashkoff, the Jewish tailor who was arrested and charged with the "ritual murder" of the boy Yoshe Pashkoff, has been released on bail in consequence of discovery of the Christian boy Tarantovitch, who was first said to have been the victim of the crime.

MEN WHO WILL BE APPOINTED IN FIRE AND POLICE DEPARTMENTS UNDER LYNCH RESOLUTION



EDWARD HALBERT
Assistant Fire Chief



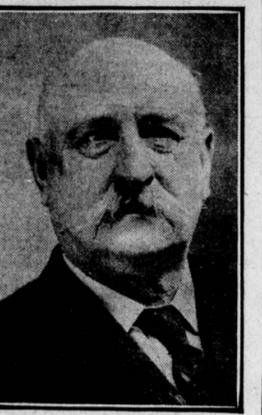
GRANT EISENBERGER
Police Sergeant



EMMANUEL B. SHAFFNER
Patrolman



W. H. SHUMAN
Chauffeur



CLIFFORD A. PALMER
Patrolman



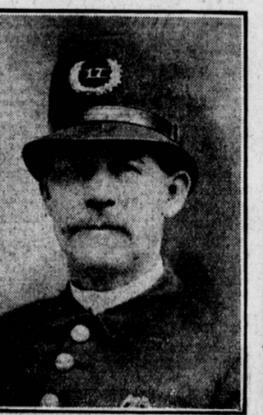
GEORGE W. GREAR
Patrolman



JAMES WILSON
Patrolman



JOHN S. GIBBONS
Patrolman



CHARLES G. McFARLAND
Patrolman



DANIEL H. GRAHAM
Patrolman

OBEEDIENCE ONE OF ESSENTIALS OF TRUE WIFEHOOD-M'CUAIG

But Lecturer Defines It So Not Even Most Militant Suffragette Could Object

Last night at the Fourth Reformed Church, Sixteenth and Market, late comers were obliged to stand in order to hear Dr. J. Aspinall McCuaig when he spoke on "Bad Books, Bad Plays and Bad Pictures." He will preach to-night in the same church, taking for his theme "The Great Question." Tomorrow afternoon he will lecture at 3.30 in Trinity Lutheran Church at Mechanicsburg, on "The Native Instincts in the Child," and to-morrow night at 7.45 he will be at the Baptist Church, corner of East Market and Fifteenth streets.

Long before the time for the lecture to women in Zion Church this afternoon all of the seats were taken and even the choir loft was occupied. The "Are Made," and the doctor said, in part:

"There are four phases of the relationship of woman to man—daughter, sister, wife and mother. The first two are preparatory to the third; the third finds fulfillment and glory and crown in the fourth. God created the first woman with all the qualities of a wife—she was a wife by creation."

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COMMITTEE WORKS ON SELECTION OF CITIES FOR BANKS

Only 300 of 7,500 National Banks in Country Not Under Federal Reserve System

Washington, D. C., Feb. 18.—With the return of the reserve bank organization committee to-day active work began upon the definition of the geographical limits of the reserve districts and the selection of cities for reserve banks.

Under the law, national banks, required to enter the system or eventually give up their charters, have until February 27 to signify their intention to become members.

Although only 300 national banks of the 7,500 remained to-day on the list of those which had not taken such action, it was understood that the committee would withhold announcement of cities and districts until the time limit expires.

While the committee is working out that problem, members will consult with President Wilson about the make-up of the Federal Reserve Board, the organization which is to govern the system.

The personnel of this board is of great interest in banking circles, and it is known that President Wilson has examined all names suggested with the exception of three persons are to be chosen by the President before the board is complete, but it is understood that all the names will be sent to the Senate for confirmation at the same time.

New Pastor of Pine Street Church to Be Installed Tomorrow

The Rev. Dr. Lewis Seymour Mudge will arrive in this city from Lancaster to-morrow afternoon for the ceremonies which will make him pastor of Pine Street Presbyterian church.

A meeting of the Carlisle Presbytery for the purpose of receiving Dr. Mudge into that organization will be held at 7 o'clock in the lecture room of the church. Installation services will take place at 7:30 o'clock in the church auditorium.

The Rev. Edwin H. Kellogg, of Carlisle, moderator of the Carlisle Presbytery, will preside at the installation. The Rev. Dr. Lewis W. Mudge, of Downingtown, father of the new pastor, will make the charge to him. The Rev. Dr. J. Ritchie Smith, of Market Square church, will preach the installation sermon, and the Rev. Harry E. King will make the prayer. The Rev. Dr. Robert Mackenzie, of New York, secretary of the college board of the Presbyterian church, will charge the people. Dr. Mudge will reside at the new manse, 315 North Front street. He will preach his first sermon at Pine street on Sunday morning.

OFFICIALS SEIZE BAY RUM
Boston, Feb. 18.—Customs officials to-day seized a large quantity of bay rum in a raid on the fruit steamer Sixaola. The raiding party was forced to use clubs to overcome the resistance of the crew.

COUNTY OFFICIALS REFUSE TO TALK ON COURTHOUSE PLANS

Bar Association at Banquet Springs Idea That Arouses Widespread Interest

While the plan for a new courthouse as suggested by the Dauphin County Bar Association at last evening's banquet was a subject of general discussion in county and city circles to-day, the County Commissioners declined to talk on the question at this time.

"Well, the idea is a very pretty one," said County Controller H. W. Gough, "but I really haven't given the matter any serious thought as yet."

"Really, I've nothing to say as to

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J. A. Logan's Widow Takes Poison For Cold Remedy

Washington, D. C., Feb. 18.—Mrs. John A. Logan, widow of the Civil War hero, took a poisonous medicine at her home here, last night, thinking she was taking a cold remedy, and for several hours was in a precarious condition. Physicians gave antides in good time, and to-day she was reported out of danger.

REGULATION OF STOCK AND BOND ISSUE HEARING OPENS

Washington, D. C., Feb. 18.—Hearings began to-day before the House Interstate Commerce committee on the proposed legislation for Federal regulation of stock and bond issues by railroads and other corporations doing interstate business. This measure is to be one of the bills administered by the new Federal Reserve Board. Numerous representatives of interests that would be affected by such a law have asked for hearing before the committee, and it is probable that the actual work of drafting the bill will not begin for several weeks.

DR. ROBERT K. DUNCAN DIES

Pittsburgh, Pa., Feb. 18.—Dr. Robert Kennedy Duncan, director of the Mellon Institute of Industrial Research of the University of Pittsburgh died here to-day after an illness of several weeks, aged 45. Dr. Duncan was a member of the American Chemical Society, American Society for the Advancement of Science, and widely known as a writer on scientific questions.

USE DYNAMITE ON RIVER

New York, Feb. 18.—To avoid a shutdown of the big sugar refineries and other industries at Yonkers, a few miles north on the Hudson river, the government to-day ordered the revenue cutter service to open the river from this city to Yonkers with dynamite.

MISS HERMAN GOES TO PARIS

Christiana, Norway, Feb. 18.—Miss Charlotte Herman, of Rutherford, N. J., the companion of Ferdinand Pinney Earle, the American artist who was recently extradited to France in connection with the kidnaping of Earle's 8-year-old son from a school in France, left here to-day for Paris.

DAVID E. TRACY IS NO LONGER ON CITY'S PUBLIC WORKS BOARD

President of Body Today Forwards His Resignation to Commissioner Lynch

Surprise was occasioned to-day by the announcement that David E. Tracy, general superintendent of the Harrisburg Pipe and Pipe Bending Company, had resigned as a member and president of the Board of Public Works. Mr. Tracy's resignation was forwarded to William H. Lynch, superintendent of streets and public works.

For more than eight years the retiring president has given to his duties close personal attention at the expense of his own private interests. He has

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Life Voyage on Board Lampport and Holt Liner

New York, Feb. 18.—The steamer Byron, of the Lampport and Holt Line, now in port, has on board a life voyager. He is Ernest Victor Hugo, a relative of the famous French writer, who, as first officer of the Lampport and Holt liner Veronesi, suffered paralysis from the waist down as the result of exposure and hardship when his ship was wrecked on the Portuguese coast. Later he developed insomnia, and a mental slip unless soothed by the rocking of a ship.

The line which he had served so well undertook his care and since then he has been traveling as its guest on any vessel that he selected. He came in yesterday on the Byron from South American ports and, unless he changes his mind before that vessel sails, he will go back by her. He wears a medal bestowed by the Royal Humane Society for the rescue of thirty-two lives at the time of the Veronesi disaster.

WESTERN FUEL COMPANY MEN ARE FOUND GUILTY

San Francisco, Feb. 18.—Verdicts of guilty were returned here early to-day against J. B. Smith, vice-president and general manager; F. C. Mills, superintendent; E. H. N. chief weigher of the Western Fuel Company, who were charged with defrauding the government by obtaining illegal tariff rebates through false weights. E. J. Smith, a checker and another of the general manager, was acquitted.

FOREIGN TRADE WITH EUROPE EXCEEDS OTHER COUNTRIES

Washington, Feb. 18.—Foreign trade of the United States with Europe in 1913 far exceeded that with any other division of the world, the Department of Commerce announced to-day. Europe led both in selling to and buying from the United States, with North America a close second. Asia, South America, Oceania and Africa followed in order named in selling to the United States; but in buying from this country South America ranked third with Asia next, followed by Oceania and Africa.

STREET CAR STRIKE ENDS

Montpelier, Vt., Feb. 18.—The strike of street railway men which has been in progress here since February 5 was settled to-day. An arbitration board of three will adjust the differences between the men and the company.

MURDER TRAIL LEADS FROM CEMETERY IN AURORA TO CHICAGO

Police Search For Man Whose Name Was on Knife Found Near Scene of Crime

Aurora, Ill., Feb. 18.—A new trail from St. Nicholas Cemetery where Miss Theresa Hollander was clubbed to death Monday night led Chief of Police Michels out of Aurora territory. The police refused to say where the chief had gone but it is understood he went to Chicago.

The girl's former sweetheart, Anthony Petras, a twenty-three year old Austrian, is still held in jail. It is said Chief Michels went to Chicago to question a former Auroran whose pocket knife was found a few feet from the body of the girl. The name of the Auroran was on the knife handle.

The police declare the report that Walter Hickman, the negro who was on the street car with Miss Hollander and Petras about fifteen minutes before the hour of the slaying is being sought as a suspect is unfounded. He was at his home last night and was at work to-day in his usual place of employment.

It was Hickman who told that Petras got off the car a block beyond where Miss Hollander left it and then ran back to the corner where she was slain. Hickman said he got off with Petras. Petras denying Hickman's story said that it was Hickman who jumped off at the corner and ran back to where Miss Hollander had left the car.

Miss Hollander was not assaulted, a postmortem examination disclosed. Neither was she robbed.

Mrs. Westbrook Goes to Reading to Be With Her Injured Daughter

Miss Florence Westbrook, daughter of Dr. Chetrick Westbrook, of Derry and Melrose streets, whose right arm was broken when a sleigh overturned near Reading on Sunday, is reported as improved. Mrs. Westbrook went to Reading yesterday, and will stay with her daughter until she can come home.

Miss Westbrook, who is the guest of her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Christian H. Ruhl, of Reading, was in a party consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Ruhl and Miss Connard, of Reading, spending the week-end at Galen Hall, Wernersville. While returning to Reading in a sleigh, it was overturned in a drift and the young people were thrown out. Both Miss Westbrook and Miss Connard were injured. Miss Westbrook's engagement to Heber H. Thompson, of Pottsville, was recently announced. Miss Westbrook is popular in Harrisburg's younger set.

Californian Reported Dead, Returns Alive

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 18.—Five months after he was supposed to have fallen from the deck of a steamer and drowned, Lucien A. Ganahl, son of a Los Angeles real estate man and lumber dealer, has returned to his home in this city.

A victim of aphasia, he wandered up and down the coast and was found two weeks ago in Arizona, according to his brother, Gaston Ganahl. Members of the family believe that the condition of the wanderer was due to the effects of an operation he underwent.

WHITE STAR LINER CELTIC AND STEAMER MADONNA COLLIDE

Both Ships Badly Damaged; Are Docked For Repairs

HAD STARTED FOR NEW YORK

Madonna Carried Emigrants For America; Other Boat Had Few Aboard

Napies, Feb. 18.—The White Star liner Celtic collided with the Fabre liner Madonna here to-day and both vessels were seriously damaged.

The Madonna's anchor chain was broken and she suffered considerable injury. She was unable to leave for New York for which port she was to have departed to-day with a large number of emigrants. She has been docked for repairs.

The Celtic was seriously damaged on the counter but is believed to have been only slightly injured below water. She also was bound for New York.

CELTIC CARRIED FEW

New York, Feb. 18.—It was said at the White Star offices here that because of the slackness of westbound travel at this season the Celtic probably had few first-class passengers aboard. No passenger list was available here. The Madonna is a comparatively small ship and carried mostly immigrants. The agents here said she had 1,400 aboard on this trip.

Funeral Services Held in Buffalo For State Treasurer of New York

Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 18.—John J. Kennedy, state treasurer, who died by his own hand Sunday, was buried to-day in the family plot at Holy Cross Cemetery. All of official Buffalo, a delegation of 100 from Albany, committees from numerous fraternal organizations and hundreds of personal friends, followed the body from the Markeen Hotel to the Church of the Blessed Sacrament on Delaware avenue where a low mass for the dead was said by the Rev. James F. McGloin.

No such funeral procession was ever seen here before. Every automobile and cab in the city had been engaged and nearby towns were drawn upon to help supply the demand. Long after the body had been carried into the little church the funeral procession was still in the process of formation at the hotel. The church was too small to accommodate even a small fraction of those who wished to attend.

THE WEATHER

For Harrisburg and vicinity: Cloudy to-night and Thursday, probably snow or rain not much change in temperature.
For Eastern Pennsylvania: Cloudy to-night and Thursday, snow; warmer to-night in northern portion; variable winds becoming moderate east.
River
No material changes are likely to occur in river conditions.
Temperature: 8 a. m., 24; 2 p. m., 23. Sun: Rises, 6:52 a. m.; sets, 5:37 p. m.
Moon: Last quarter, February 24, 7:02 a. m.
River Stage: 25 feet above low water mark.
Yesterday's Weather
Highest temperature, 24.
Lowest temperature, 11.
Mean temperature, 18.
Normal temperature, 50.

The Success of The Parcel Post

Every one realizes that the Parcel Post is a big success—so far as is concerned the volume of business it is doing. But have you stopped to think how great a part the newspapers played in advertising the new service? It was advertising that the Government did not have to pay for because it was legitimate news.

But it was none the less newspaper advertising. There is not a nook or corner of this country that has not been made familiar with what Uncle Sam is doing and each day the business of the Parcel Post is increasing.

The express companies realize that they must meet not only the competition of rates but also the competition of advertising. They are facing the situation as practical business men should. They are advertising their own service. They are using daily newspapers in various parts of the country to do this and in the end will regain a great deal of business that they have allowed to slip away from them in the first rush of the new mail service. The Bureau of Advertising, American Newspaper Publishers Association World Building, New York, wants to help general advertisers to use newspaper advertising to better advantage. Correspondence is solicited. Booklet on request.

Late News Bulletins

NEW REGISTRARS APPOINTED

Three new registrars were appointed by the county commissioners this afternoon to fill vacancies. They are Ray L. Hauer, first precinct, Thirteenth ward; Benjamin Campbell, second precinct, Third ward; H. A. Boyd, third precinct, Twelfth ward.

WILL NOT RECONSIDER

In a letter made public to-day at Suffrage headquarters, Mrs. Frank M. Roessing, Pittsburgh, who resigned last week as president of the Pennsylvania Woman's Suffrage Association informs the executive committee that it will be impossible for her to reconsider her resignation on account of her health.

reno, Nev., Feb. 18.—An earthquake occurred here at 10.18 a. m. The shock was violent and lasted about three seconds. The direction was from southeast to northwest.

Washington, Feb. 18.—Publication of an official denial of a report that Miss Margaret Wilson, the President's eldest daughter, was engaged to be married to Boyd Fisher, of Kansas City, Mo., was requested to-day by the White House.

Girard, Kan., Feb. 18.—No solution of the mystery that developed a month ago, when water in the city's wells rose to 120 degrees, was offered in a report by C. A. Haskins, State engineer, made to city officials to-day. Mr. Haskins said he could find no cause for the heat, but pronounced the water pure. The water's temperature still is 90 degrees.

Washington, Feb. 18.—President Wilson told Representative Underwood, the Democratic House leader, to-day that members could be assured of his support for the Alaskan bill. Reports have recently been circulated that the President was opposed to it.

Williamsport, Pa., Feb. 18.—Mrs. Margaret McElroy, Lycoming county's oldest resident, died to-day at her home near Jersey Shore at the age of 96. She was born in Scotland.

New York, Feb. 18.—The ice blockade in the Hudson river between New York and Yonkers remained intact this afternoon and federal authorities confessed themselves helpless to remedy the situation. A coal famine threatened Yonkers and 1,000 men employed at the Federal Sugar Refinery there, faced the prospect of idleness. It was not considered advisable to use dynamite.

New York, Feb. 18.—The market closed heavy. Large selling orders were executed in the final half hour and prices reacted from 1 to 1 1/2 points.

New York Closing: Amal. Copper, 76; Atchison, 98; Baltimore and Ohio, 98 1/2; Brooklyn Rapid Trans., 92 1/2; Canadian Pacific, 214 1/2; Chesapeake and Ohio, 63 1/2; Chicago, Mil.-St. Paul, 103 1/2; Lehigh Valley, 151; New York Central, 89 1/2; Northern Pacific, 116 1/2; Reading, 167 1/2; P. R. R., 111 1/2; Southern Pacific, 96; Union Pacific, 162 1/2; U. S. Steel, 65 1/2.