

RAILROAD NEWS

CLERKS WORK HARD; LABORS ARE INVAIN

Pennsylvania Railroad Computers Are a Sore Lot; Roads Affected by Increase

Pennsylvania Railroad freight clerks are a sore lot. With the assurance of at least a 2 1/2 per cent. increase, freight clerks in Harrisburg and other cities worked night and day for a month fixing up tables, based on the prospective increase, with the assurance of nothing.

Take Off Clothes Before Hitting Hay, Says McCaleb

Reports of uncleanliness in the railroad men's bunkers recently came to the ears of W. B. McCaleb, superintendent of the Philadelphia Division, of the Pennsylvania Railroad.

Harrisburgers to Have a Chance to Contribute to Red Cross in Europe

Harrisburgers who may wish to help along the cause of the Red Cross on battle-torn European fields may have a chance to do so.

Charge Policeman Scott With 1st Degree Murder

Efforts to secure bail for Robert F. Scott, the colored patrolman who shot and killed Nathan Banks, in Sibletown, Saturday night, will be postponed for several days.

Negro Breaks Girl's Nose Hitting Her With Club

On a charge of assault and battery on Rose Fisher, 1822 Susquehanna street, Miss Fisher, colored, an employee of the Great Eastern Cannery Company, to-day was held for court by Mayor John E. Royal.

YEAR FOR RAISING PRICES

Vienna, Aug. 5.—The Austro-Hungarian government to-day took drastic measures to protect the public against dealers charging exorbitant prices for food.

MRS. SHERMAN DIES

Mrs. Benjamin Sherman, aged 43 years, died at her home, 1732 North Seventh street, at 4 o'clock yesterday morning.

TRADE BILL UP FOR PASSAGE

Washington, D. C., Aug. 5.—The interstate trade commission bill first introduced on the administration anti-trust program, was up for final passage to-day in the Senate.

GERMAN STAFF AT SWEDEN

Stockholm, Sweden, Aug. 5.—The German ambassador to Russia, with his staff, arrived here from St. Petersburg on a steamer flying the American flag. They proceeded to Berlin.

Standing of the Crews

HARRISBURG SIDE Philadelphia Division—121 crew first to go after 4 p. m.: 120, 128, 114, 112, 111, 101, 127, 109, 116, 125.

ENOLA SIDE

Philadelphia Division—217 crew first to go after 2:30 o'clock: 216, 234, 213, 241, 220, 243, 201, 215, 202, 235, 228, 232, 26, 206, 218, 204, 225, 253.

THE READING

Harrisburg Division—4 crew first to go after 4 p. m.: 16, 5, 19, 6, 24, 3, 8, 11, 15, 12.

Lusitania, Under Cover of Darkness, Slips Out of New York Harbor

New York, Aug. 5.—In the face of possible capture by German cruisers in the waters just outside the harbor, the Cunard liner Lusitania passed out to sea at 1:55 o'clock this morning on what promised to be a record-breaking trip to Liverpool.

PLAN TO HELP ALL NATIONS

Washington, D. C., Aug. 5.—The question of ways and means for extending aid to all nations involved in the European war was up for consideration at a joint meeting here to-day of the international and war relief board of the American Red Cross.

Augustine Birrell, Secretary For Ireland, Must Explain Attack



The brunt of the explanations of the fight Sunday afternoon in Dublin, when the Second Battalion of the King's Own Scottish Borderers killed several persons, must fall on Augustine Birrell, chief secretary for Ireland in the Liberal cabinet.

ONE MORE SUMMER FLIRTATION RUDELY SHATTERED



SOFT DRINKS CAUSE NUMEROUS ARRESTS

Dairy and Food Agents—Went Through State With Fine Tooth Comb During Last Month

Forty arrests for the sale of adulterated "soft drinks" were made as a result of the crusade of the State Dairy and Food Division against sellers of impure summer beverages during July.

WAR EXPECTED TO HELP BUSINESS HERE

City and Country on Financial Foundation Firm as Gibraltar

It is most gratifying to the community that its banking institutions are as solid as the rock of Gibraltar.

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Leader of Steelton Servians Has Brother in Austrian Army



CAPTAIN PETER POZEGA

"With heart-felt regards, your brother Peter." Translated these are the words inscribed on a photograph of himself sent by Captain Peter Pozega, a member of the staff of the commander of the Thirteenth Corps of the Austrian imperial army, to his brother, Kazimir Pozega, a widely known Steelton interpreter.

Steelton Snapshots

Announce Birth.—Mr. and Mrs. Felton E. Dengler, Port Arthur, Texas announce the birth of a son, Frederick, July 26. Mr. Dengler formerly lived here.

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Foreign Vessels Are in American Waters

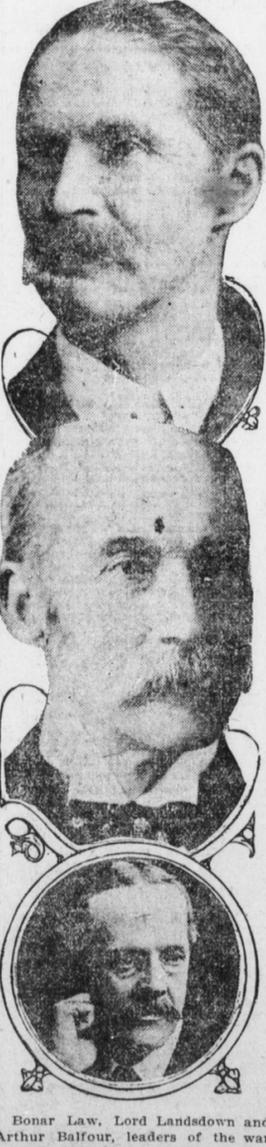
New York, Aug. 5.—Eight cruisers, three German, three British and two French, are hovering somewhere off this coast. For days incoming steamships have reported news of fragmentary wireless, indicating that these vessels were in American waters, but no skipper was able to fix their position.

German Ambassador to Leave Great Britain in British Cruiser

London, Aug. 5.—The German ambassador to Great Britain is not expected to leave London before tomorrow. It was reported to-day that a British cruiser might be placed at his disposal to insure his safe passage across the channel.

STONE RENOMINATED

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 5.—Returns show that Senator William J. Stone was renominated on the Democratic ticket at the direct primary yesterday.



OBERLIN PERSONALS

Postmaster M. G. Tobias spent Sunday at Stoverdale camp.

On account of the absence of the Rev. C. E. Boughter, who is on his vacation, there will be no services in the Memorial United Brethren church next Sunday.

LeRoy Turby has returned to his home in Palmyra after spending several months with Postmaster and Mrs. M. G. Tobias.