Central Pennsylvania News

JOHN W. WAREHIME MADE POSTMASTER

"Bolt From Clear Sky" Was Announcement Received at Waynesboro

Special to The Telegraph

Waynesboro, Pa., Feb. 10.—Telegram received here yesterday from Washington announcing the appointment of John W. Warehime as postmaster of Waynesboro, to succeed H. C. Gordon, the present incumbent, came as a bolt of lightning from a clear sky to many, so great was the surprise. While it was known that Mr. Warehime was a candidate, either of the other two applicants, Harvey S. Morganthall and Dewitt C. Unger, were looked upon as the men more entitled to the honor, judging from their long standing in the Democratic party and the backing and support they had from the leaders of the party not only in Waynesboro but throughout Franklin county.

Mr. Morganthali has been a consistent worker for the Democratic party in season and out of season,

Watts Will Lecture to Alricks Association

Shirley B. Watts will deliver his interesting and instructive address on "The Number-Please Girl" Friday evening before the Alricks Association. The meeting will be held in St. Andrew's parish house at 8 o'clock. He will illustrate his lecture with lantern slides showing scenes in the Harrisburg and other exchanges. The Alricks Association will hold its monthly business meeting prior to the lecture.

"THE TELEPHONE GIRL"

Shirley B. Watts, of Bell Telephone, to Lecture at Newport

Newport, Pa., Feb. 10.—Shirley B. Watts, local manager of the Bell Telephone Company at Harrisburg, will deliver his celebrated lecture, "The Telephone Girl," in the rooms of the Men's Association of Newport to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock. Mr. Watts has given this lecture on a number of occasions in Harrisburg and elsewhere. The lecture will be illustrated, Mr. Watts bringing his own machine with him. There will be no admission charged and everybody is invited and urgently requested to come. Other lectures by well-known people have been booked, which, it is hoped, will be given every other week.

NEW INDUSTRY FOR HALIFAX

Halifax, Pa., Feb. 10.—A new industry is about to be launched in Halifax by the A. H. Prenzel Rubber Company, which will locate in the old shirt factory building in Armstrong street and manufacture seamless rubber goods for physicians. The new firm is composed of A. H. Prenzel, of this place, and James E. Neitz, of Port Trevorton.

WEST SHORE NEWS

BUSY BEES TO MEET

New Cumberland, Feb. 10.—Busy Bees Sewing circle, organized several weeks ago in St. Paul's Lutheran Church, will meet on Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Bream on Market street.

ANKLE BROKEN IN FALL

New Cumberland, Pa., Feb. 10.—Mrs. Brown fell down the stairs at her home on Market square and broke her ankle.

DR. LINEBAUGH INJURED

New Cumberland, Pa., Feb. 10.—While calling on his sister, Mrs. Randolph, on Berryhill street, Harrisburg, yesterday, Dr. H. W. Linebaugh fell and tore the ligaments of his left wrist.

MITE SOCIETY MEETING

New Cumberland, Pa., Feb. 10.—To-morrow evening the Mite society of St. Paul's Lutheran Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Lucinda Rupley in Bridge street.

FORTY-FIFTH ANNIVERSARY

New Cumberland, Pa., Feb. 10.—Independent Americans will hold their forty-fifth anniversary in their hall in Bridge street February 23.

CLASS MEETINGS

New Cumberland, Pa., Feb. 10.—Everfaithful Sunday school class will meet at the home of Mrs. S. N. Straub, in Third street, Thursday evening, and on the same evening the Cheerful Workers' class, taught by M. A. Hoff, will meet at the home of Misses Virgie and Elmira Ruby in Water street.

BEAN SOUP AT ENOLA

Enola, Pa., Feb. 10.—Midway Fire company of South Enola, will hold a bean soup dinner and supper to-morrow.

BIRTHDAY SURPRISE

Halifax, Pa., Feb. 10.—On Tuesday evening an enjoyable surprise party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel P. Carnitz, in Halifax township, in honor of their son Charles' sixteenth birthday anniversary. The evening was spent in parlor games and music and refreshments were served. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ryan Bressler, and Mrs. George Branyan, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bressler, Mr. and Mrs. John Shepley, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Carnitz, Mrs. Abby Jury, Harry Welsh, Joseph Sirujak, Misses Ida Bowman, Edna Zeigler, Florence Grim, Elsie Meredith, Florence Sheesley, Maude Shepley, Mildred Branyan, Carrie Bressler, Mark and Clark Nace, Cletus Sweigard, Raymond Hoffman, Charles and Byron Wolfgang, Martin Shepley, Levin Knighten, Stanley Branyan, Martin Sirujak, Charles Cornitz, Charles Baker, Claude Hoffman, Harry, George and Paul Bressler.

MIDGET ARRESTED

Lewistown, Pa., Feb. 10.—A unique character has been sent up for ten days here for trespassing on the Pennsylvania Railroad Company's property. Frank Spencer, who hails from Mann's Choice, Pa., is of middle age, but is only about 4 feet in height. In company with Railroad Policeman Davis, of Lewistown Junction, who is of giant stature, the little fellow attracted much attention. The midget wears a full beard.

'HOSPITAL WOODS' WILL BE CUT DOWN

Historic Spot on Gettysburg's Famous Battlefield Is Doomed by Woodman's Ax

Gettysburg, Pa., Feb. 10.—Work of cutting away timber in Camp Meeting Woods will be commenced about the middle of March. John Widder, of this place, head sawyer for Holbert A. Myers, of Dickinson, Cumberland county, who purchased the woodland recently made an announcement to this effect.

In the face of the general sentiment existing in this community against the denudation of this historic spot, the battlefield commission, the association in authority to prevent its destruction, has made no overtures to effect a purchase or otherwise save the woods. It will be with profound regret that most people of this town as well as others who are acquainted with the place, will see the dismantling of "Hospital Woods," but it seems inevitable.

Judge Seibert Sustains Riverton Water Company in Camp Hill Equity Suit

Carlisle, Pa., Feb. 10.—In a decision handed down by Judge Seibert, of the Perry-Juniata district, in the case of the Citizens of Camp Hill vs. the Riverton Consolidated Water Company, the court sustained the latter. The action was brought last summer, the residents holding that the company's rates were too high. The decision follows:

"And now, to wit, February 8, 1915: The within exceptions, in part to the findings of fact and law by the chancellor and in part to his refusal to make certain other findings of fact and law, having been submitted by agreement of the solicitors of the respective parties without argument, the same are, after due consideration, dismissed seriatim; and a final decree is now hereby entered dismissing the bill in equity filed by George C. Gochnauer et al. vs. Riverton Consolidated Water Company to No. 5 June term, 1913, Cumberland County Common Pleas Court, at the costs of the plaintiffs."

Zion Lutheran Class to Hold Memorial Services

The men's Bible class of Zion Lutheran Church, one of the city's most active organizations in church work, will hold its annual memorial service next Sunday evening. The class, of more than a hundred members, will attend in a body.

The Rev. S. W. Herman, pastor, will preach a memorial sermon and there will be special music. The flowers to be placed in the church for the occasion will afterward be sent to the sick of the congregation and to the hospitals. The members of the class who died during the past year were C. K. Keeler, C. Pankhill and Milton C. Miller, Sr.

STATE MAY ACCEPT FEDERAL FARM AID

Bills Go in Making Lever Congressional Act Apply to Pennsylvania

Bills providing for the co-operation of the State with the federal government in agricultural instruction work were introduced in the House to-day. One bill presented by Mr. Jones, Susquehanna, accepts the provisions of the Lever act of Congress which will make $104,530 available for two years providing a similar amount is appropriated by the State for agricultural education. Under this act the federal grant will increase annually until in 1922 over $500,000 will be given to Pennsylvania. The accompanying bill introduced by Mr. Hess, Lancaster, makes an appropriation of $105,000 to meet the federal requirements.

STOCKHOLDERS HOLD A STORMY SESSION

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and that Hoverter must have known something of the fraud that Binner was practicing upon his directors and the bank in making payment. There are rumors that some notes also figure in Hoverter's transactions with the Schaefferstown bank, but no mention of them has as yet been made officially if there are any such notes.

Hoverter was unable to furnish $10,000 bail which was asked by United States Commissioner H. J. Schools, before whom the defendant was arraigned, and he was therefore committed to jail for the night. He expected to secure bail to-day. Examiner Logan stated that he made the complaint and caused the arrest after a consultation with the United States district attorney at Scranton.

Hoverter's Wife Faints

Hoverter's wife and daughter appeared at the commissioner's office shortly after the proceedings had concluded and when the former left the place she fainted on the pavement. She was taken home in an automobile.

Hoverter is one of the men named in the letter left by Binner to his wife, in which he said that "I am wrong in my bank accounts. I do not have a cent of the bank's money, but am caught by"—and naming three men.

Although Hoverter's name was connected with the affair ever since Cashier Binner blew out his brains early last Saturday morning, it was rumored quite generally that the negotiations at the bank were regular as to legal form and that the shortage was chargeable to Binner for having accepted the paper offered by Hoverter and in permitting overdrafts. The arrest of the insurance man on Tuesday was not made public until evening, and the news created one of the most profound sensations in the history of this community.

Fail to Get Bail

Hoverter, who visited the bank and conferred with the directors several times since Saturday, was summoned to the institution again on Tuesday afternoon. The other two men named by Binner in his letter to his wife were also present. It is stated that Hoverter was questioned at length as to his transactions with Binner by Bank Examiner Logan and at the end of the conference Logan called in George Leininger, the township constable, and had him place the insurance man under arrest. Jacob F. Reinoehl, counsel for Hoverter, hurried to Lebanon and endeavored to secure bail, but the hour was late and the effort fruitless.

It was after 8 o'clock in the evening before the party started away from Schaefferstown in two automobiles. Besides the constable and his prisoner the party included Examiner Logan, Urich B. Horst, president of the bank; Samuel Bomberger, Jacob Stewart and other directors of the bank. News of the arrest had reached Lebanon in advance of their coming and when the party reached Commissioner Schools' office there was a number of newspaper men present, together with Frank P. Hammar, local representative of the National Surety Company of New York, which carries a bond of $15,000 on Binner, and J. A. Reilly, an adjuster of the same bonding company.

Bury Suicide Cashier

That the people of the town still maintain their confidence in the integrity of young Binner despite the startling disclosures at the bank was evidenced this afternoon, when scores of people of the town went to the Binner home to pay their respects to the memory of the young man whose career only a few weeks ago appeared to hold such brilliant prospects. The body was exposed to view from 9.30 to 12.30 o'clock and few of those who visited the home left dry-eyed. The directors of the bank did not attend the funeral in a body, but most of them went to the house to view the remains.

At 1 o'clock the doors were barred to all but relatives and a few intimate friends of the family. The Rev. E. E. Schantz, pastor of the Lutheran Church, conducted the brief rites. Burial was made in the Schaefferstown Cemetery, which is located only a short distance from the Binner home. Adam Trostle, Samuel Weik, James Weik, Rex Weigley, George Miller and John Beamesderfer, young men of the town and former associates of the deceased, officated as bearers.

Dumping Ground For Bad Paper

It was declared to-night by one close to the bank that from all appearances Binner's ignorance of banking affairs and his overzealousness in seeking to make a good showing in the matter of business done had made him an easy victim of more experienced and unscrupulous men, who converted the Schaefferstown bank into a dumping ground for bad paper.

Binner's friends, and they continue to be many, still point to the fact that it remains to be shown that he profited not one penny by his transactions with customers of the bank.

Hoverter Prosperous Realty Man

Hoverter has been engaged in the life insurance business here for years, and was considered unusually successful. He owned and occupied, with his wife and daughter, a magnificently furnished home in North Eighth street here, and has a summer cottage at Mount Gretna. He owns a big red automobile. He is about 40 years old.

Every depositor was notified to present his passbook at the bank this morning to have his accounts checked up. Already it has been revealed that depositors have not been credited on the books with amounts they have deposited in the bank.

One businessman of Schaefferstown is said to have deposited $1,000 in a lump sum, and while he was duly credited with this amount in his own passbook, he did not receive credit on the books of the bank, according to report.

MME. BECHOFF TO BE TRIED

Paris, Feb. 10.—Mme. Bechoff will be brought before a court martial the end of this month charged with having received army rations which had been appropriated by Army Paymaster Desclaux. She is the wife of a Paris dressmaker and she was taken into custody at her home in this city four days ago. The preliminary investigation of her case is now completed. It is charged she knew these military stores were stolen when she received them.

ASK MAYOR TO OFFER RELIEF PLAN

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Bowman, superintendent of public safety.

Mr. Lynch this afternoon offered his resolution after the Mayor's measure of yesterday had been adopted.

Following is the Lynch measure:

The Resolution

Whereas the resolution just adopted directs the superintendents of parks, strees and public improvements and public safety to proceed at once with "contemplated improvements," etc., so as to relieve the present distress of a large number of worthy and able-bodied citizens now out of employment, therefore,

Resolved, That the superintendents of parks, streets and public perintendent of accounts and finance, the authors of said resolution, be and they are hereby respectfully requested to submit to Council at their earliest convenience a list of "the contemplated improvements, such as park improvement, laying of sewers, grading of streets and the laying of water pipes," that they may be legally proceeded with at once, as said resolution directs; and

Ask for Data

Resolved, That if the authors of said resolution meant by "contemplated improvements" public work that has not already been authorized by ordinance, as the words would naturally imply, they submit to Council as early as practicable what "contemplated improvements" may be so made, whether the work shall be done by the superintendents of parks and public property, streets and public improvements and public safety, respectively, on force account, or by contract as the law directs, and from what appropriations heretofore made the cost of said "contemplated improvements" shall be paid; and

Or Political Buncombe?

Resolved, That a failure on the part of the authors of said resolution to submit a feasible plan whereby the said "contemplated improvements" may be legally made at once, as directed, shall be construed as indicating that they knew that such improvements could not be legally proceeded with at once and that said resolution was offered by the superintendent of public affairs as one of his numerous efforts for political buncombe only.

After due notice of his intentions through the newspapers Mayor Royal yesterday offered a resolution calling upon the superintendents of streets, parks and public safety to begin at once what paving, sewer pipe, water pipe and park improvement work they contemplate for this year in order that the city's hundreds of unemployed may be given an opportunity to work. Commissioner W. L. Gorgas, superintendent of finance, seconded that measure.

The resolution was laid over until to-day.

Eager to Help

While frankly admitting that labor conditions in Harrisburg have been worse this winter than in many years and that the city should do what it can to provide work for the hundreds of idle men, Commissioners Bowman, Lynch and Taylor—heads of the departments in whose hands the city improvement work largely is—yesterday emphasized the impracticability and costliness of carrying on outside operations in the winter time.

Mayor Royal's "work" resolution, aimed solely at Commissioners Bowman, Lynch and Taylor, failed to work following its presentation in yesterday's session of Council because the Mayor offered no practicable solution to the problem.

The superintendents of parks, streets and public safety explained how they had carried on such operations as laying sewer and water pipe, grading, paving, park improvement and so on farther into the real cold weather than ever before and that they had taken on more men than was judicious with the funds at their disposal.

Cold Compels Shutdown

"We kept the water main jobs in Market and Front streets going as late as we dared," said Mr. Bowman. "We just had to shut down then because of the results of excavation in ground that was so thoroughly frosted. The chances are that we would otherwise have to do the work all over again in the Spring. Other jobs, those new sewers on the Hill, for instance, we kept going as long as possible. We are responsible for the judicious expenditure of the people's money and I think we should bear this in mind. No corporation would do otherwise.

"Practical men who know their business," declared Mr. Lynch, "don't care to take a chance on work which they know can't be done right without financial loss to themselves.

"In our department we've taken on all the men we could and have kept the work going as late as we could. Why, in constructing some of the bridges we had to boil the water and heat the sand and the stones. It was so cold at times that our men were forced to quit or take a chance at freezing."

Mayor Sidesteps

The Mayor sidestepped as much as possible all requests for suggestions as to a solution to the question.

"Well, I don't know just what work you've in mind," he said. "What I meant was the future work. Why can't you let these contracts now?"

"The contractors can't work in such weather. Any practical contractor or any other man that knows anything about it will tell you that. That is, unless he is paid more for the extra work that the job under these conditions would require. Now we'll do this—if Council orders us to do so. But personally I don't think we've any right to use the city's money this way," answered the superintendent of streets.

"Why this resolution," began the Mayor as he indicated the measure he had introduced a few minutes before.

"Doesn't cover anything," finished Mr. Lynch.

"Well, it can be amended."

"Well, then, amend it. You made the suggestion to provide this work. Now you suggest a way," returned the superintendent of streets. "We've all been doing all we could and I can't see what else we can do. Even if we did provide the work the only way that I can see that employment for men would be guaranteed would be by the incorporation of a 'force' clause in the specifications. This would permit you to say who and how many too, would cost you from 15 to 25 per cent. more than the regular contract price. Winter weather, unless it be grading similar to what they're doing down on the Second street subway, is positively no weather for out door work.

"But they do this in other cities," said the Mayor.

"Where?"

"Well, in some cities."

"Where?" persisted Mr. Lynch.

"Why, in Philadelphia."

"Indeed. Well, it happens that in Philadelphia they're just preparing to go ahead with the work in the Spring. I tell you that even if we changed the specifications it would require some time. Ten days for advertising even after the specifications are changed."

Taylor Has Turn

"We've put more men at work on the river front than we really should have in view of the money we had for the purpose," said Mr. Taylor. "But I wanted to give all the men work. They came to my door and asked for it, almost begged for jobs.

"But what work can we do at this time of the year? The only improvement that we contemplate is the construction of the dirt roadway around the eastern line of the parkway between Paxtang and the Reservoir. But as you know, most of this land is on slopes or in swamp places—it was donated to the city because it was of little value, as a rule, for agricultural or other practical purposes—and it would be simply folly to do any grading in this sort of ground. We'd have to do it all over again in the Spring."

Your Head and Stomach

Headache caused by a disturbed digestion is nearly always accompanied by pain in the stomach, belching of gas, vomiting and often by constipation. This sort of headache is generally located in the forehead and is not constant but somes and goes.

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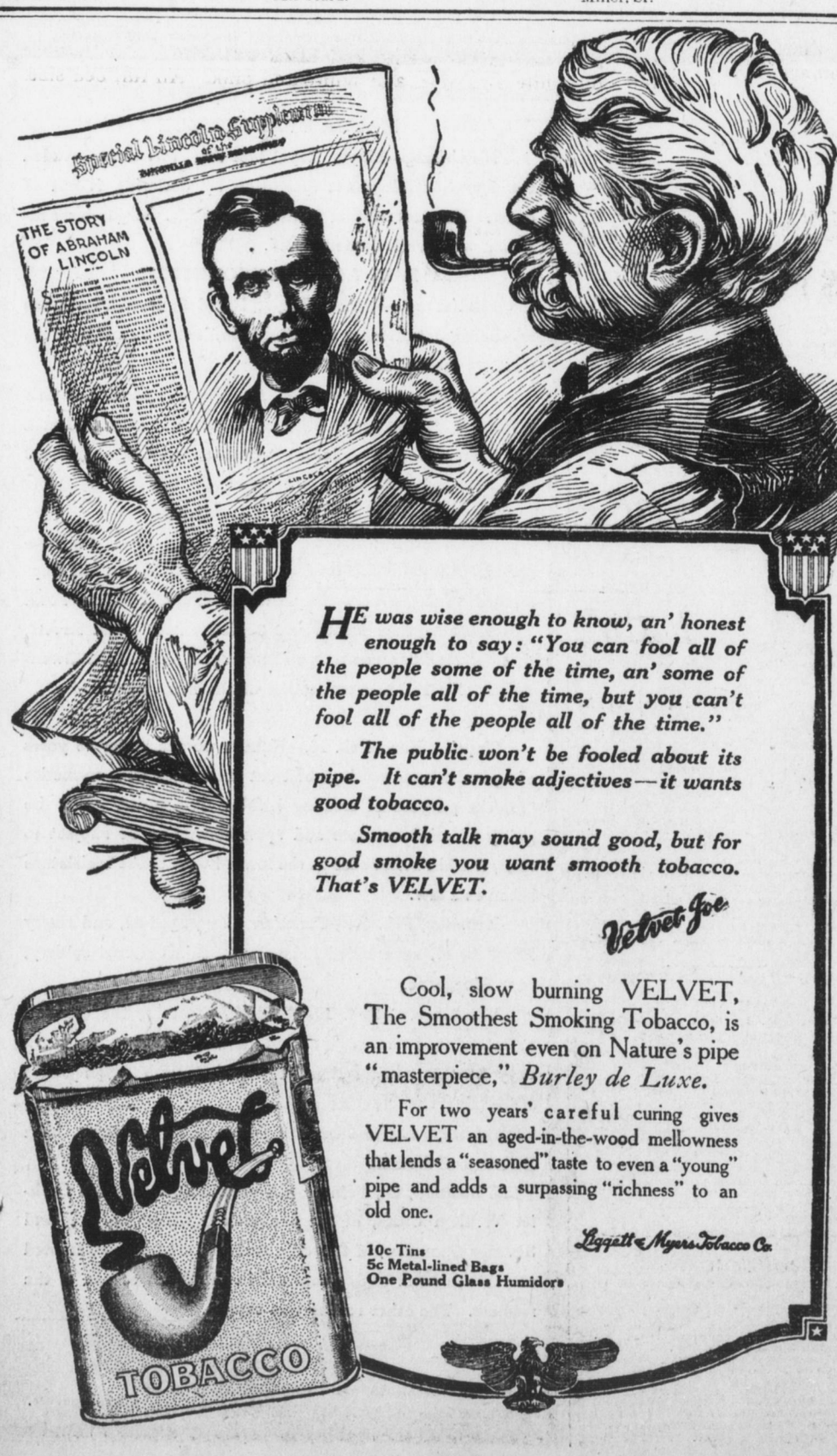

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