

"BREAKING THE NEWS" SELECTED AS TITLE

Hundreds Submit Captions For Group Picture of "Newsies," Published Last Saturday

PAULINE P. RIFE IS WINNER

Has Been Awarded Year's Subscription to Telegraph For Her Clever Reply

"Breaking the News" has been chosen as the best of the hundreds of answers sent in as titles for the picture of the group of boys who carry the Telegraph over the various city routes which was printed in the issue of Saturday, March 20. The time for answers expired last night.

The writer of this best answer is Pauline R. Rife, of 241 Macley street, and a year's subscription will be given her as a reward for her cleverness. Answers were received from towns within a radius of 100 miles of Harrisburg and many of the accompanying letters were interesting although the answers given were not considered winners. One from Miss Margaret M. Clark, of Newport, included the following verse:

"These bright and happy faces are many a mother's pride. For the hand that rocks the cradle rules the world; Just wait with patience, count the years, and see The boys who sell the papers worthy banners will unfurl." The Telegraph's poet, "Happy Cluster of Newsboys," has another inspired answer from Millersburg was addressed to "Wing Dinger," the Telegraph's poet, as follows:

"Say Wing I did you a favor, Now you do one for me, I'd like to win the Telegraph For one whole year—free, You know when your thoughts were lacking For the want of poetry I suggested a little rhyme and you accepted—see: Now to the Circulating Manager, for me speak a good word, And to the editor a few as good as an 'A' word—see: To the content judges that this title should be preferred: The newsboys look like a very spry lot, Some are real 'handsome,' some are not; My name for the picture is 'Johnnies-on-the-spot'."

Answers from City Folks Among the answers given by Harrisburg people are the following: "The Walking, Talking, Daily Harrisburg Telegraph," "The Executive," "The Prospectives," "The Future Builders of the Telegraph and Progressive Harrisburg," "The Tunes Bunch," "The Heart of Harrisburg," "Harrisburg Telegraph's Bunch of Live-Wires," "The Busy Bees," "The Waiting Densers," "A Bunch of Activity," "News Carriers," "Harrisburg Live Wires," "The Heart of the Harrisburg Telegraph," "Telegraph Twigs," "Booster Band of Willing Workers," "Harrisburg Telegraph Bunch of Prosperity," "Harrisburg's Hustlers," "National Live Wires," "Telegraph Boosters," "Telegraph Live Scouts," "Telegraph's Wireless," "Telegraph's Live Circulators," "Reverend Breakers of the Telegraph," "Stackpole's Chiefs," "Harrisburg Boosts of Telegraph Boosters," "Telegraph's Business Boosters," "The Live Wires of the Harrisburg Telegraph," "A Bunch of Live Wires," "Harrisburg Telegraph Carrier Pigeons," "The Heart of Live Wires," "Watch Us Break the Egg!"

Shortage of Palms Will Not Affect Local Churches Although there is a shortage of palms in some localities, due to the partial failure of the crop in Florida, the local Catholic churches ordered their supplies early and have a sufficient quantity on hand for the Palm Sunday services to-morrow.

St. Patrick's Cathedral has more than 100 bunches on hand; St. Mary's and St. Francis churches both have about 75 bunches, and St. Lawrence and Sacred Heart 50 each. Seventy-five bunches are enough to supply about 1,000 people.

60,000 ENGAGE IN ASSAULT Rome, March 26, 11:25 P. M., via Paris, March 27, 5:10 A. M.—Sixty thousand Albanian rebels are said to be engaged in the assault upon Durazzo, designed to force the retirement of Essad Pasha, the Turkish Provisional President. The bombardment of the port continues and several persons are said to have been wounded.

DECISIVE ACTION BY ITALY BELIEVED NEAR

Bulgaria Said to Be Developing Policy Favorable to Allies

TURKISH FORTS DESTROYED

Prince George of Greece Leaves Italy to Support His Brother, King Constantine

Decisive action by Italy is regarded in Rome as imminent. A brief dispatch from that city to-day states that the Italian government has taken every possible measure preparatory to beginning war on the side of the allies.

It is also said in Rome that there is observable a tendency on the part of Bulgaria to adopt a policy favorable to the allies, and that the government hopes to act in conjunction with Italy and Rumania. The attitude of Bulgaria has been in doubt on account of her hostility toward the other Balkan nations, with the exception of Turkey, which grew out of the second Balkan war.

Prince George of Greece is leaving Italy for Athens to support the policy of his brother, King Constantine, for the continued neutrality of his nation, in opposition to the action which favors intervention on the side of the allies.

Turk Forts Destroyed Dispatches reaching Paris from Athens say the Turkish forts at Dardanelles and Kild Babu, on the Dardanelles, have been destroyed and that batteries which attacked mine sweepers have been silenced by two battleships of the allies. British and French warships are said to have taken transports to the aid of Smyrna, on the coast of Asia Minor.

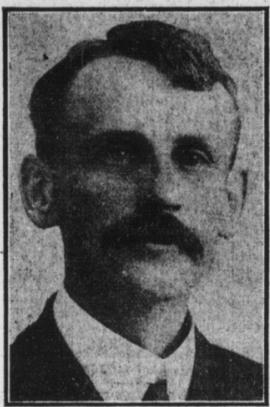
Notwithstanding the reported successes of the British in repelling the Turkish invaders of Egypt, the Turks have not been expelled from the country. An official statement from Cairo says that a skirmish occurred on Tuesday, with small losses on both sides.

Reports continue to come in of important successes in the Carpathians. Swiss newspapers publish dispatches that the Russians have defeated the Austrians in several engagements along the front from Bukovina to Western Galisia.

HARRISBURG MISSIONARIES IN DANGER OF KURDS



MRS. ROBERT M. LABAREE



THE REV. ROBERT M. LABAREE

The Labarees, Presbyterian missionaries at Tabriz, Persia, are said by Associated Press Dispatches to be in the midst of the Kurd massacre of Christians. Fears for their safety are entertained throughout this city. Mrs. Labaree is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel W. Fleming. She was formerly Miss Mary Fleming.

"SAFE AND SANE KISSING DOES MORE GOOD THAN EVIL"—WILEY Purity Stamp Is Placed on Osculation by World's Renowned Health Authority, During Lecture on Mouth Hygiene

Chicago, Ill., March 27.—"There is more good than evil in kissing," Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, pure food authority and mouth hygiene expert, came to the defense of safe and sane osculation in these words when he arrived in Chicago on a national tour to promote the cause of tooth sanitation.

The former chief of the United States Bureau of Chemistry made an address at a luncheon of the City Club of Chicago, his subject being "Mouth Hygiene." These were some of the "kissigrams" uttered by Dr. Wiley in an interview given while he was resting at the Great Northern Hotel.

"Babies should be kissed, but not kissed on the mouth. 'If there is danger in kissing, nobody ever threatened me. 'Girls must have good teeth if they want to be kissable.' 'Women may be safely kissed on the cheek, unless they are beautified with poisonous paint or rouge. 'The appeal to beauty is more effective than that of health and sanitation in our nation-wide campaign for good teeth,' said Dr. Wiley. 'Alas for the pretty girl who, when she opens her mouth in a smile, gives a view of teeth more deplorable than the ruins of the Rheims Cathedral. Instantly she repels instead of attracting, and she has only the consolation that she is in no danger of being kissed.'"

Losers Three Fiances by War in Europe First Is Dead and She'll Wed Neither One-legged Soldier Nor Captive

New York, March 27.—"No more belligerent sweethearts for me," declares Miss Augustus Otter, belle of the Fabre Line fleet, and said to be the prettiest stewardess on the North Atlantic.

Since the war began Miss Otter has been engaged three times to French soldiers. One has left a leg in the Argonne district, another died in the battle of the Marne, and the third, she heard last night, had been captured by the Germans.

"I cannot marry a man who has only one leg," says Miss Otter, "and any Frenchman that lets a German capture him could never be a husband of mine—no, never! 'If ever I am engaged again, it will be to an—er—a neutrally man.'"

"Shut-ins" to Be Cheered by Company of Singers By a plan announced by Charles F. Clippinger, director of the Harrisburg Evangelic chorus, companies of singers from the chorus will sing for "shut-ins" whenever requested.

TURK GRAND VIZIER ORDERS PROTECTION

Tells Subordinates to Look After Safety of Thousands in Persia

AMERICAN IS ASSAULTED

Allen, Missionary, Beaten by Kurds While Defending His Mission

New York, March 27.—The Grand Vizier of Turkey has issued instructions to his subordinates that all inhabitants of the mofraden section of Persia, including the thousands of Christians in the vicinity of Urumiah, must be protected, according to advices received from the State Department by the Presbyterian Board of Foreign Missions.

Reports from Urumiah, made public yesterday, announced that the large village of Gulpashan had been destroyed, its men shot and women outraged and that sixty-five refugees had been taken from the French and American mission compounds and hanged on scaffolds erected in the French mission yard. A massacre impended, according to this message, which had been delayed in transmission and was several days old when made public.

The communication from the State Department was signed by Robert Lansing, counselor of the department, and was written under date of yesterday.

Protection Ordered "Mr. Lansing advises us," said George T. Scott, assistant secretary of the board, that Ambassador Morgenthau at Constantinople had communicated to the Grand Vizier the request of the State Department for protection of Americans in the vicinity of Urumiah. The Grand Vizier, the letter says, expressed the belief that the reports of outrages there were inaccurate and told Mr. Morgenthau he would immediately instruct his subordinates to protect all inhabitants of the section, including, of course, the Christians.

Mr. Scott added that the board was not as apprehensive at present as the safety of American missionaries in the district as it had been.

CREW OF SUBMARINE F-4 MAY STILL BE ALIVE; RESCUE WORK GOES ON

Naval Authorities Say There Is Fighting Chance to Save Lives of Men Imprisoned on Ocean Floor; Chains Placed About Sunken Vessel Preparatory to Drawing It to Surface

Honolulu, March 26.—The lost submarine F-4, which has been located outside the harbor entrance, should be raised late this afternoon if all goes well, according to a statement made by Captain of the yard Duffy last night. Duffy says he believes there is a fighting chance to save the lives of the men imprisoned in the submarine on the ocean floor.

The dredger California, dispatched from the Pearl harbor naval station in response to a radiogram, reached the scene at midnight but did not begin work immediately. The dredge will work with the Alert, mother ship of the submarine flotilla. The pontoon system probably will be used to raise the F-4. Chains will be passed under the bow and stern of the submerged submarine, the dredge sunk into the water and the chains lightened. The water then will be pumped out of the dredge causing her to rise higher in the water, thus providing lifting power to raise the submarine.

The army department hospital is in readiness to receive the men of the F-4 when the submarine is raised. Colonel Ebert has placed his hospital staff and equipment at the service of the navy. The weather is fine. The bright moonlight facilitated the work during the night.

U. S. Rescue Vessels Are Near End of Their Task Harrisburg Contractor Will Sue Altoona For \$10,000

Honolulu, March 27.—After a night of unremitting labor those in charge of the fleet of vessels engaged in raising the United States submarine F-4 from the ocean floor outside the entrance to Honolulu harbor where it was submerged Thursday, believed they were nearing the end of their task. Practically all hope of saving the 21 men trapped has been abandoned.

When late yesterday the attempt to tow the submarine to shallow water was abandoned, the naval tender Alert was dispatched to the scene and it was decided to raise the damaged craft by means of the crane with which the tender is equipped. It was planned to pass heavy chains about the hull and then hoisting operations were to begin.

ARMED GUNS WATCH ETEL Newport News, Va., March 27.—With armed guards on her pier and aboard her ready to challenge any one approaching without a pass, the German auxiliary cruiser Prinz Eitel Friedrich still was tied up at the local shipyard to-day, despite last night's persistent reports that Commander Thierichens had been ordered to leave by midnight or be interned for the war.

RAINBOW REACHES NEW YORK New York, March 27.—A floating rainbow from Holland steamed into New York harbor to-day in the form of the 400-foot freighter Bloberg from Rotterdam. Her skipper said she had been covered with every color of paint available in Rotterdam so that there would be no mistaking her neutrality. He wanted to make her visible 100 miles at sea, he said.

CONSIDER MARKET ST. DOCK PLAN THURSDAY

Etching Ready Showing How Gap in River Wall Can Be Closed and Landing Eliminated Etching of the proposed plan for closing the gap in the river front wall at Market Street and the subsequent elimination of the coal wharf at that point were completed yesterday and will be submitted for the approval of the Board of Public Works on Thursday.

WEST ENDERS FAVOR PLAYGROUND SITE

Sign Petitions Favoring Emerald Street Plot; Prof. Brehm Speaks For Location City Council will be flooded with petitions signed by at least a thousand West End residents urging the passage by the commissioners of the Taylor ordinance, providing for the purchase of the Emerald street playground, which will be on the second reading calendar Tuesday. At least twenty-five petitions have been put into circulation by the executive committee of the West End Improvement League and other citizens of the upper end. Professor J. J. Brehm, one of the city school supervisors, enthusiastically boosted the proposed site to-day.

JOHNSON-WILLARD FIGHT POSTPONED

Championship Bout Will Take Place at Havana on Easter Monday Havana, March 27.—The fight between Jack Johnson and Jesse Willard, which had been scheduled to take place here on April 4, for the heavy-weight championship of the world, has been postponed until Monday, April 5. The postponement was due to a request made by President Menocal, of Cuba. In a letter to the fight promoters he said that great objection had arisen in Cuba and the United States to the fight taking place Easter Sunday, a holy day, and he requested that the event be postponed until the day following. A meeting of the principals and promoters was at once held.

DEAD MEN REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN SPIES

Germany Killed by Train May Have Been En Route to Bethlehem Plant Allentown, Pa., March 27.—Three men, who, judging from diary accounts, codes in letters, numbers and the Morse alphabet system are believed to have been German spies on their way to the Bethlehem Steel Works, were ground to pieces by the Scranton flyer near Coopersburg, this county, last night. Cards from the Marine stewards and Cooks' union No. 12, New York city, bear the following names: William G. Helnze, aged 32, born in Germany; Alfred Gustave Peters, aged 27, German, born in New York city. The card was so badly mutilated that only the last name was readable as Stover or Grein.

THE WEATHER For Harrisburg and vicinity: Fair, continued cold to-night, with lowest temperature about 25 degrees Sunday fair and warmer. For Eastern Pennsylvania: Fair to-night slightly warmer in north northern Sunday, fair, warmer; gentle to moderate west winds becoming variable.

General Conditions The high pressure area from the Northwest now covers the greater part of the country east of the Rocky Mountains, except New England, with its center over the Middle Mississippi valley. It has decreased in strength since last report.

Temperature, 8 A. M., 23. Sun: Rise, 5:58 A. M.; sets, 6:23 P. M. Moon: Full moon, March 31, 12:28 A. M. Water Stage: 4.4 feet above winter mark.

Yesterday's Weather Highest temperature, 32. Lowest temperature, 32. Mean temperature, 37. Normal temperature, 42.

MARRIAGE LICENSES Paul H. Leach and Lucinda V. Snoddy, city. Mrs. Mull and Emma Krall, city. Robert Sticker, Steelton, and Eva Spoutier, city.