



NEW EQUIPMENT AT CENTRAL IRON AND STEEL WORKS

Greatly Increased Output Will Be Result of Receivers' Action

NEW 100-TON FURNACE Remodel and Enlarge Present Battery of Open Hearths; Install Big Crane

The addition of one new 100-ton open-hearth furnace, the remodeling and enlarging of the present battery of four open hearths and the erection of a new 150-ton capacity ladle crane, is planned by the receivers of the Central Iron and Steel Company, at the plant in South Harrisburg.

This new equipment will greatly increase the company's output of steel by the end of next year when the improvements are expected to have been completed.

Remodeling of the four open hearths will be started first. Each furnace when it is taken off for general repairs, will be rebuilt so that each will be 41 feet 6 inches by 15 feet and 5 feet 6 inches from the sill line to the plates of the pit. This will increase each furnace from its present capacity of 60 tons to about 100 tons.

Crane Already Ordered The new 150-ton capacity ladle crane has already been ordered and is expected to be delivered about the middle of next month when it will immediately be put in place. The old 100-ton and 65-ton capacity ladles and equipment will be retained and hearths of 120 to 130 tons will be tapped into the two ladles with a divided spout.

In addition to enlarging the present battery of four furnaces, it is proposed to build a fifth furnace of 100 tons capacity at the south end of the plant and to extend the pit side of the present building.

The reconstruction of the present furnaces will proceed as rapidly as possible and work on the new furnace will be started just as soon as an appropriation is made.

Central Running Full Time At the present time the Central plant is running full time with a large number of orders on hand. About 200 more men are employed this year than at the same time last year and the prospects for continued operation are good, according to plant officials.

One of the things that is helping Central book large orders at the present time is the excellence of its steel products, obtained by superior methods in pouring the molten metal.

The exacting requirements that are now made upon steel plates, particularly in the boiler and firebox grades turned out by the Central plant, have necessitated improved methods of manufacture.

At the Central plant an improved method of "pouring" has been devised and patented. This new method is described in full in the current issue of the Iron Age, a trade journal, by Robert H. Irons, general superintendent at the Central plant.

Chambersburg Boy Declines W. and J. Football Honor

Washington, Pa., Nov. 26.—Maurice M. Witherpoon, of Chambersburg, Pa., yesterday elected captain of the Washington and Jefferson football team of 1916, to-day declined the honor.

He explained that he expected to enter at Chicago next Fall, and would not be available for the team. Witherpoon played with the varsity team three years, his work as tackle during the past season bringing mention of his name as one for possible all-American honors.

BLAST FURNACE SOLD

Sharon, Pa., Nov. 26.—It was announced here to-day that A. W. Thompson, of Chicago, president of the Inland Steel Company, has sold control of the Sharpville Blast Furnace to A. S. Davison & Co., of Pittsburgh. The furnace, which has been idle for three years, will be overhauled and placed in operation early in December. The furnace has its own ore and coke connections.

AIDS NEED MONEY

Another letter has been sent out by the officials of the Associated Aid Society asking for funds to finance the work during the coming season. The budget last year for the Children's Aid and Associated Charities was almost \$5,000, and so far this year, a little less than \$1,000 has been received.

THE WEATHER

For Harrisburg and vicinity: Unsettled and warmer, probably rain to-night; Saturday rain and warmer. For Eastern Pennsylvania: Cloudy and warmer to-night; Saturday increasing cloudiness, probably rain in the afternoon or by night, warmer; moderate south winds.

River The Susquehanna river and all its tributaries will fall slowly to-night and probably Saturday. A stage of about 4.4 feet is indicated for Harrisburg, Saturday morning.

General Conditions Pressure is high along the Atlantic and Pacific coasts. A disturbance of moderate strength covers the Great Central Valley and the Lake Region with its center near Lake Superior. A general rise of 2 to 2.4 degrees in temperature has occurred over the eastern part of the country since last report, except in the Middle Atlantic and New England States, where it is slightly colder.

Temperature: 8 a. m., 34; 10 a. m., 35; 1 p. m., 41; 3 p. m., 42; 5 p. m., 40; 7 p. m., 38; 9 p. m., 36. Wind: Light, variable. Humidity: 75. Clouds: Partly cloudy.

Yesterday's Weather Highest temperature, 47; lowest temperature, 26; mean temperature, 38; normal temperature, 38.

DANCE OF SPRING FOUNTAIN WILL GRACE RESERVOIR

Council Will Accept "Chocolate King's" Offer of Bronze Statue

BOWMAN HAS PLACE City Must Provide Necessary Concrete and Granite Setting For Work of Art

Where will Harrisburg place the fountain of the "Dance of Eternal Spring?"

That the splendid bronze statue of three dancing ladies symbolizing Sculptor Giuseppe Donato's conception of perpetual Springtime will be formally accepted by the city at Tuesday's meeting of Council is certain.

Milton S. Hershey, the "chocolate king," offered the statue to the city Wednesday evening following the decision by a Dauphin County Common Pleas jury that he was indebted to Donato for the price of the fountain.

City Commissioner Harry F. Bowman has a place in mind he says but he will not divulge the location until he presents a resolution to that effect Tuesday. The water department is the only branch of the municipal government which has the \$3,000 or \$4,000 that will have to be provided to set up the fountain and inasmuch as all the other fountains in the city are under Mr. Bowman's jurisdiction, it is generally believed that Council will turn Mr. Hershey's gift over to his care.

Reservoir Slopes Suggested Several points have been suggested but the slopes of Oak Knob Reservoir Park, appears to have right of way of opinion thus far. Half a dozen or more petitions to Council are now being circulated, it is understood requesting that this point be selected. Other places mentioned are Harris Park and the new plaza of the pumping station.

The fact that a handsome fountain will be donated to the city this Spring for the plaza precludes the placing of the Donato statuary at that point. Miss Fannie Eby has informed Mr. Bowman of her intention to present a fountain to the city for the plaza. She is now collecting data incident to the carving of the proposed plaza fountain now.

The city will have to provide the necessary concrete and granite setting for the "Dance of Eternal Spring." This will include a concrete base to support two great granite bowls or basins, one of a seven foot diameter, the other four feet across. Below the lower basin will be a pool of appropriate size and this will be surmounted by a low balustrade. Six heads of people, passing on the balustrade, smaller heads to support the big basin will be included in Hershey's gift. Donato himself will likely supervise the setting up of the statue.

Jury Wednesday evening returned a verdict in Donato's favor of \$23,931.25 less the \$2,066.67 which Hershey had paid on account. Interest dating from September 11, 1912, was included in Donato's favor. He settled for \$20,000 whereupon Hershey turned over the fountain to Mayor Royal.

An Ideal Setting In modeling the "Dance of Eternal Spring" Giuseppe Donato kept always in mind a natural setting of trees and greenery as a background and in order to get the proper effect, he studied the conditions of the Hershey estate for several months. The beauty of the natural surroundings of the slopes of Oak Knob Reservoir, is considered an ideal setting. Thousands of people, passing on the balustrade and into Reservoir via Trolley or the Twenty-first street entrance would get a view of the fountain from a distance if it were placed on the Reservoir slopes.

Child Smothered by Drunken Uncle Who Sleeps Across Cradle Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Nov. 26.—Anthony Koslow, 45, was smothered to death at his parents home in Larkville, near here, early this morning, when his uncle, George Koslow, whom the police allege, came home in an intoxicated condition, threw himself over the child, who was in a cradle and slept on his body until he was aroused this morning by the child's mother.

The man when taken before the authorities, claims he does not remember returning home, and did not know of the tragedy until he was awakened to-day. Koslow is held while Corporal James Marley is conducting an investigation.

Penny Brakeman Knocked From Train and Killed

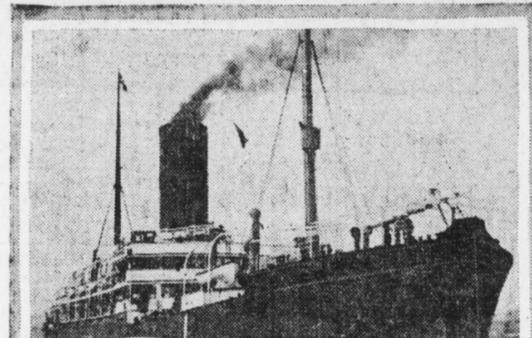
Harry T. Allen, aged 34 years, 1422 Green street, brakeman on the Philadelphia division of the Pennsylvania Railroad was last night knocked from his train near Morrisville, N. J., and instantly killed. It is thought he was hit by a bridge or some other obstruction.

A widow, Ethel Allen and two young daughters survive. The funeral arrangements are in charge of C. H. Mauk, the undertaker to whom the body was sent to-day will be announced later. Brakeman Allen was a member of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen and Pennsylvania Railroad Relief Department, John Harris Council, Junior Order American Mechanics, and Lady Adolphia Council, Daughters of America.

FIND WOMAN DEAD ON FLOOR OF HER HOME

After not being seen for two days, neighbors of Mrs. Belle Collins, Verbeke and Center streets, fearing for her safety broke into her home and found her lying dead on the floor this afternoon. Coroner Eckinger was notified and is investigating the case. It is probable that a post mortem will be held to determine the cause of death. The body was turned over to C. H. Mauk, undertaker, Sixth and Kelker streets.

Ford and Peace Ship to Carry Pacificists to Europe



Henry Ford, from a picture made at the Hotel Biltmore on Wednesday last, and the Steamship Oscar II, which he has chartered to carry a delegation of pacifists to Europe. The ship will sail from New York on December 4. Ford hopes to be able to end the war, so that the men in the trenches will be able to spend Christmas at home. Among the prominent peace propagandists who have been invited to sail on the vessel are Jane Addams, John W. Vanamaker, Ida Tarbell and others. Thomas A. Edison was also invited to accompany the party but will not be able to accept Mr. Ford's invitation. The ship will proceed to some neutral country where a peace conference will be held. The millionaire automobile manufacturer announced that the expedition would in no way be official, although he hoped to be able to secure the sanction of President Wilson and other neutral rulers for the peace move.

FORD IS HAVING TROUBLE FILLING HIS PEACE SHIP

Majority of Leading Americans Seem Reluctant to Stop War by Christmas

Special to The Telegraph New York, Nov. 26.—Henry Ford and his assistant, Louis P. Lochner, who is secretary of the Chicago Peace Society, seemed to have some difficulty last night in telling just who will and who will not sail on the peace ship, Oscar II, which Mr. Ford has chartered to go to Europe in an effort to stop the war by Christmas.

Something went wrong with the telegraphed invitations, which said that "Jane Addams, Thomas Edison and John W. Vanamaker have accepted" the invitations to sail on the Scandinavian-American liner on December 4. Mr. Ford said last night, when this part of the invitation was read to him that it was all wrong.

"I wish you would strike that out of the invitation," said the Detroit reporter. But the mistake had already been made in 115 invitations wired by wire. Nothing was said about correcting these, and there did not seem to be a feeling that it was important to do so. Who made the mistake did not appear. But it was only one of several misunderstandings.

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RUMANIA IS NEW BALKAN PROBLEM

Russia's Concentration of 250,000 Men on Border May Mean Intervention

London, Nov. 26, 12:30 P. M.—Greek affairs have emerged from the uncertainty which for some time has been a potential menace to the allied campaign in the Balkans. Rumania's problem now commands chief attention in Europe. Although Rumania is beset with difficulties somewhat similar to those which caused Greece to hesitate, she is not involved in the

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SUFFRAGE PETITION IN N. Y.

New York, Nov. 26.—The transcontinental trip of the great petition signed by 50,000 women voters asking for a woman suffrage amendment to the federal constitution ended here to-day. Mrs. Sara Bard Field and Miss Frances Joffe, who carried it from San Francisco by automobile will rest a bit before finishing their journey to Washington to present the petition to President Wilson on December 6.

HALF MILLION IN CHRISTMAS FUNDS

Prospects Bright For Close of Old and Opening of New Year

Distribution of close to half a million in Christmas savings together with the thousands that will be paid out by the railroads and the big manufacturing plants in December salaries

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POLICEMAN AND WOMAN FOUND DEAD IN ALLEY

Mystery Surrounds Death of Pair; Both Shot Through the Heart

WIFE OF POLICE CHIEF He Is Believed to Hold Key to Case; Shooting Followed Wine Room Quarrel

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 26.—In William Street, assistant chief of police of Madison, Ill., known as the biggest policeman in Illinois, rests to-day, the police believe, the power to clear up the mystery of the death of his estranged wife, Mrs. Catherine A. Street and Patrolman Charles F. Barmer, of the St. Louis police department whose bodies were found in an alley last night, each shot through the heart.

Street, with a bullet wound in the right leg, was arrested a few hours after the shooting but denied he had fired the shot which had taken the life of either. According to a bartender and others, Street had quarreled with his wife in a wine room near the scene of the shooting and within a block of Mrs. Street's home. From the wine room, according to witnesses, Street took his wife into an alley. Patrolman Barmer followed them and just as the trio were out of sight of witnesses, five shots were heard.

When several men rushed to the alley they found the bodies of Barmer and Mrs. Street within a few feet of each other. By the side of the policeman was his revolver with two shells discharged. On Street was found a revolver with one empty chamber but this he pointed out, was a precautionary measure adopted by many policemen to prevent explosion of the weapon should it fall. His revolver bore no powder marks and, according to the police, seemed not to have been fired recently.

Street said while he was talking to his wife in the alley, some one called out "now I've got you" and fired, one bullet hitting Barmer and another his wife. Street said he ran without returning the fire.

Wilson Will Take His Fiancee to New York

Washington, D. C., Nov. 26.—President Wilson canceled the Cabinet meeting to-day, but will continue work on his address to Congress. The President wrote until late last night, but was unable to finish it. The President plans to leave for New York tomorrow morning to see the Army-Navy football game and will finish the message before his departure. He hoped to get it to the public printer by noon to-day, but was uncertain.

President Wilson will remain in New York over Sunday. At the game he will sit first in a box on the Navy side of the field and during the last half will go to the Army side.

An unusually large party which the President will take with him has necessitated the use of two private cars. Among those in the party will be Mrs. Galt, his fiancee, Miss Bertha Bolling, her sister, Secretary and Mrs. McAdoo, Miss Margaret Wilson, Secretary Tumulty and Dr. Grayson, the White House physician.

The President is expected to spend Saturday night and probably Sunday at the home of C. E. M. House, his personal friend. He will return to Washington Monday morning.

Unrestricted Jitney Competition Drives Trolley Co. to Wail

Trenton, N. J., Nov. 26.—Unrestricted competition of jitney busses was given as the cause for the appointment of a receiver for the Atlantic City and Shore Railroad Company in the United States Court here to-day. The company in its answer to the application for a receiver stated that the jitney competition had caused it a loss of \$100,000. Five years prior to 1915 the company stated, it earned \$200,000 a year. The company operates the trolley lines in Atlantic City.

The complainant, H. F. Bachman and Company, alleges the railway is indebted to the West Jersey and Seashore Railroad Company, a subsidiary of the Pennsylvania Railroad for \$25,000 and also has outstanding bonds of \$50,000. Interest to the amount of \$23,855, due on the bonds on December 1, cannot be paid. The complainant also avers that the road is losing \$300 a day.

Abdul Malik Calls Arab Tribes to Take Up Holy War Against the French

Berlin, Nov. 26.—(By Wireless to Sayville)—The Overseas News Agency says:

It is reported from Constantinople that Ameeb Abdul Malik, grandson of the famous Abdul Kadir, Ameer of Algiers, has called on all Arab tribes to take up the holy war against the French. A large number of chieftains, with their tribes, responded to the call. The general opinion is that Abdul Malik will obtain the participation of the holy war against the French. A large number of chieftains, with their tribes, responded to the call. The general opinion is that Abdul Malik will obtain the participation of the holy war against the French.

To Give Borough Street Car Line Free of Debt as Christmas Present

Pittsburgh, Pa., Nov. 26.—Gilbert P. Myer, president of the Realty Company of McKeesport, has offered to the borough of Port Vue, a street car line with all equipment, franchise and free of all debt of encumbrance as a Christmas gift.

All that is required of the borough is the promise that the line will be operated five years. The question will be decided by the Port Vue council next week.

GERMAN CRUISER WITH 275 MEN IS REPORTED SUNK

Frauenlob Victim of Submarine Near Where Her Sister Ship, the Undine, Went Down, According to Semi-official Statement; Was Patrolling Swedish Coast When Torpedoed

Italians Are Vigorously Pressing Attack on Gorizia; Fall of Fortifications Are Believed to Be Imminent; Snow Falls Along Battle Line in France

London, Nov. 26, 12:46 P. M.—The German protected cruiser Frauenlob has been sunk by a submarine of the entente allies, according to a semi-official announcement made at Petrograd, says a dispatch to the Central News Agency. The Frauenlob is reported to have been sent to the bottom in the same locality where the German protected cruiser Undine, a sister ship of the Frauenlob, was lost.

The Frauenlob was a protected cruiser of 2,672 tons and was built in 1901. A dispatch published in the Politiken of Copenhagen on November 11 said a report had been received that the Frauenlob had been sunk off the south coast of Sweden. Her sister ship, the Undine, was sunk, according to an official announcement made in Berlin, by two torpedoes from a submarine on the afternoon of November 7 while patrolling the South Swedish coast. Nearly the entire crew was saved.

The Frauenlob and Undine both carried crews consisting of 275 men each. The vessels were 328 feet long, 40.3 feet beam and had a depth of 15.8 feet. They were armed with ten 4.4-inch guns and were equipped with two 18-inch torpedo tubes. Both cruisers were capable of traveling at a speed of twenty-one knots.

The Italians are vigorously pressing their attack on Gorizia, the storming of additional trenches on the Calvario heights, northeast of the city, being reported by General Cadorna. Austrian counterattacks are declared to have been repulsed. Progress for the Italian forces on the Carso plateau also is claimed.

President Rea Leaves Hospital For His Home

Philadelphia, Nov. 26.—The Pennsylvania Railroad Company announced to-day that Samuel Rea, president of the company, has convalesced so satisfactorily that he left the Presbyterian Hospital yesterday and is at his home in Bryn Mawr, near here.

BELGIAN LAWYERS AND GERMAN OFFICERS CLASH

London, Nov. 26.—A series of clashes between Belgian lawyers and German officials have culminated in the deportation in captivity to Germany of Leon Theodor, chief of the Order of Advocates of Brussels, and Henri Boisson, former chief of the same order, says the Morning Post.

SHOT IN DISPUTE OVER DOG

Scranton, Pa., Nov. 26.—At Hawley, Wayne county, to-day, James McDonough shot William Riley who dropped dead as he ran out of a store where the shooting occurred. The shooting followed a dispute over the ownership of a hunting dog.

BRITISH LOSE THOUSANDS OF OFFICERS

London, Nov. 26.—Officers' casualty lists for the fortnight ending November 8 show losses in the British army of 356 killed, 609 wounded and 69 missing, a total of 1,034. Since the beginning of the war the number killed amounts to 6,389, wounded 12,561, and missing 1,752, a gross total of 20,702.

KITCHENER IN ROME

Paris, Nov. 26, 4:20 P. M.—The arrival at Rome of Field Marshal Kitchener, British war secretary, is announced in a telegram to the Havas Agency. The Field Marshal reached Rome from Naples and went directly to the British Embassy.

PAYS BIG BONUS

The National Transit Pumping and Machine Co., of Oil City, was to-day chartered with capital of \$2,545,000, the largest amount of capital authorized for a new corporation in a long time. The company paid a bonus of \$8,483.34 to the secretary of the Commonwealth's Department for its incorporation. The National Transit Company owns all but ten of the 101,800 shares.

El Paso, Tex., Nov. 26.—A dispatch to the El Paso Herald, says: "The Villa garrison evacuated Nogales, Sonora, early to-day after looting stores and saloons."

Berlin, Nov. 26, via London, 3 P. M.—Serbian troops offering resistance in rear guard actions to the Teutonic advance near Mitrovitza and Sienica have been driven back by Field Marshal Von Mackensen's forces, German army headquarters announced to-day.

Hot Springs, Ark., Nov. 26.—Thirteen dead and twenty known injured was the casualty list reported to-day as a result of the tornado which yesterday swept the outskirts of this city.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Eldridge Elias Henderson, Hanover, and Ida Drew Helmerling, Walbrook, Md. John William Albright and Margaret Anna Fletcher, city. Paul Adley Maxwell and Henrietta Burns, city. Jesse C. Dudley, Derry township, and Ida Grace Milliken, Black Lick, Pa.