

WORK IS BEGUN ON U. S. DEPOTS

Engineers Lay Out Grounds For Big Munitions Warehouses

Engineers to-day started work on the Keystone fair grounds near Middletown. Surveys were made for ordnance department depot, and other necessary buildings.

Following the grading, work will start first on the barracks for the men and officers. There will be three separate buildings for the workmen, with a total capacity of 1,500. The officers' buildings will number twelve. A commissary department will also be provided.

For the present three large buildings will be constructed of tile and concrete with fire proof walls. All floors will be of concrete. Nothing is known definitely regarding these buildings as the official plans are still in Washington.

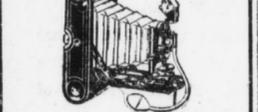
The organization of a police and fire department for the two big depots is now underway and is in charge of a former New York official, Thomas V. Gardner, former chief of police at Steelton, will be in charge of the forces at one of the depots, and Charles A. Garverich, former fire chief of this city, will direct the firemen. Competent men are now being signed up for permanent positions at New Cumberland and near Middletown.

NOT IN FAVOR OF JAPS "I am not in favor of a Japanese invasion of Siberia, unless accompanied by the United States, for conduct after the war, so definite that international opinion would compel the Japs to live up to it," said Dr. H. W. Widdees last evening at a meeting of the United Brethren pastors, in the Y. M. C. A. Dr. Widdees is superintendent of foreign mission work in that church.

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TO REGISTER COUNTY VOTERS

Assessors Will Enroll Men Tomorrow and Wednesday For Primaries

Registry assessors in all the county districts will sit to-morrow and Wednesday to enroll voters for the county elections. May primary elections. The assessors obtained their supplies to-day from the county commissioners, and will make returns on Thursday. In the city district the enrollment will be made May 1. Bids for printing primary election ballots and supplies will be opened next Monday by the county commissioners.

Motion For New Trial.—City Solicitor John E. Fox to-day filed a motion for a new trial in the suit of the property owner on the east side of Front street, in the Hardebarber district. The case will be heard next week.

Confirm Report.—The court to-day confirmed, subject to exceptions, which may be filed later, the report of the assessors on the vacation of a road leading from the east side of Dauphin turnpike to a road between Derry Church and Union Deposit, in Derry township.

Many Pennsylvania Couples Married at Hagerstown Hagerstown, Md., March 18.—Miss Fairy C. Schultz and Daniel Bentz, both of Waynesboro, were married at the parsonage of the Washington Square Methodist Church here by the Rev. W. L. Lynn.

Miss Nellie Adams and Charles L. Rupp, both of Carlisle, Pa., were married here at the parsonage of the Washington Square Methodist Church by the Rev. W. L. Lynn, pastor.

Miss Hattie M. Copper, of Rothville, and Walter W. Ipach, of Ephrata, were married by the Rev. W. L. Lynn at the parsonage of Washington Square, Methodist Church, here.

Miss Elsie Esther Rowe and Harry A. Hoover, both of Halifax, were united in marriage at the parsonage of Washington Square Methodist Church by the Rev. W. L. Lynn.

Marriage licenses have been issued here to the following Pennsylvania couples: Frank W. Miller, of Harrisburg, and Eleanor M. Barnes, of Williamsport; Luen Guy Brown, of Harrisburg, and Florence E. Warner, of Progress; Henry Gross and Alice Ponavn, both of Lewistown; Melvin E. Hartzok and Ethel Jane Garas, of Chambersburg; Samuel McGowan, of Chambersburg, and Blanche Carbaugh, Fayetteville.

REVIVAL AT HALIFAX Halifax, Pa., March 18.—Special evangelistic services will begin Sunday evening in the United Brethren Church, to continue every evening except Saturday for two weeks. Beside the pastor, the Rev. Ira D. Lowery, the following ministers will preach at these services: the Rev. G. W. Rothermel, of Elizabethtown; the Rev. H. H. Fertig, of Enders; the Rev. S. L. Rhoads, of Lykens; the Rev. Clarence Mease, of Williamsport; the Rev. Dr. S. E. Rupp, of Harrisburg, and the Rev. G. W. Hallam, of Millersburg.

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CUMMINGS SITS IN LOCAL CASES

Compensation Claims Submitted to Referee at Masonic Temple Here Today

Chester W. Cummings, Workmen's Compensation referee, is hearing to-day in the Masonic Temple building, claims for workmen's compensation filed by Sara E. Schriver, 1428 Regina street, for the death of her son; Susan E. Mumma, of Mechanicsburg, for the death of her husband, and Anna Vinson, 1425 James street, Harrisburg, for disability alleged to have resulted from an accident.

Mrs. Schriver's claim is against the Adams Express Company. She alleges that her son, Elmer B. Schriver, formerly employed in the main office of the Adams Express Company, Philadelphia, was killed June 9, 1917, by injuries received while delivering mail which he was working dropped from the Gray's Ferry Bridge, Philadelphia, to the railroad tracks below. Mrs. Schriver alleges that her son contributed to support and claim compensation of twenty per cent. of her son's wages for 200 weeks.

Mrs. Susan E. Mumma, of Mechanicsburg, claims compensation from the Central Iron and Steel Company, alleging that her husband, D. N. Mumma, a watchman, died November 29, 1917, as the result of inhaling coal dust while working at the Central Company's plant during the month of August, 1917.

Anna Vinson's claim against Mrs. Nora Winger of the Capitol Hotel, alleges total disability from April 8 to October 1, 1917, and partial disability from the latter date. She alleges that while she was employed at the hotel the railing of a second floor balcony gave way and she fell to the ground.

Referee Cummings will also consider the petition of the State Workmen's Insurance Fund for termination of compensation agreement between William VanBuskirk, employee, and Nelson and Lewis, employers. It is alleged that the injured employe has sufficiently recovered from his injuries to resume work. He was injured July 29, 1917, at the site of the new Penn-Harris Hotel.

Another similar petition has been filed by the insurance carrier of Maurice G. Sollenberger, employee, alleging that John Bickel, a carpenter, injured November 28, 1916, has recovered sufficiently from his injuries to return to some light occupation.

German Troops Take Russian Towns But Are Forced to Retire London, March 18.—German troops have occupied Bakhmach and Konotop (in the province of Tchernigov) about 350 miles southwest of Moscow, but were forced to retire from Briansk (in the province of Orel, 290 miles southwest of Moscow) towards the main base, says Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Moscow, dated Saturday. Austro-German troops are moving on Woroshnia and Kharovk (capital of the province of the same name and about 400 miles south of Moscow). Orders have been given to evacuate Kharovk.

Enemy Aliens Must Report Change of Residence Rulings of the Department of Justice announced to-day by James S. Magee, United States Marshal, provide that when an alien enemy changes his place of residence within his registration district, his card must be obtained by the alien enemy who wishes to move from one district to another. Under certain circumstances an appeal may be made to the United States marshal, when the registration officer denies the application. Penalty for violation of this ruling is arrest and detention for the period of war. Registration officers who acted in recent registration, will continue to act as registration officers for this purpose.

Conditions Again Normal on Main Line of Pennsylvania Station attaches, trainmen, baggage men, mailmen, in fact everybody who has anything to do with the train movement for the Pennsylvania, was happy to-day. There was a reason. Passenger trains were running on time, and freight traffic was going with a rush that indicated a record car movement for March.

For the first time in many weeks, clerks at the Bureau of Information found it easy to say "on time," when inquiries were made about schedules. It was like old times to the ushers and ticket examiners, as handling the big crowds was more satisfactory.

Boy Scouts Collect More Than 5,000 Books Six hundred more books for soldiers came into the Boy Scout Headquarters to-day, representing about twenty hours hustling on the part of Scout Troop No. 21, the last unit to be enlisted. Previous to this the total was 4,581. The results so far have passed all expectations and the field has hardly been touched. The volumes tumbled in so fast that Scoutmaster Stine has not been able to look them over entirely, but the quality appears to be excellent. The Red Cross will sort and ship them.

REFUSED DIVORCE AFTER HE DESERTS HIS WIFE James H. Clark, who brought a divorce suit against his wife, Mary M. Clark, last year, was refused a decree by President Judge George Kunkel to-day. In a short opinion handed down by the court, Judge Kunkel said the evidence showed Clark had left his wife about one year after their marriage, staying away four years, intimating his action gave his wife the right to sue instead.

Clark was married July 25, 1910. In the testimony filed with the case it is shown he said he left his wife one year later and did not return for four years. He then made three efforts to have her take him back, but failed, he testified. He then started the divorce suit, charging his wife with desertion.

PROMOTION FOR HARRISBURGER Announcement came from Camp Hancock to-day of the promoting of ten first lieutenants to captains and two second lieutenants to first lieutenants. A Harrisburg boy, Dr. Byron S. Behney, was promoted in the Dental Corps from first lieutenant to captain.

TWO LEFT IN HOSPITAL Conductor Ellsworth Edwards, of Harrisburg, and P. J. Shane, of New York, whose conditions are not believed to be critical, are the only victims of the Elizabethtown wreck now in the Harrisburg Hospital.

SPROUL SPEAKS ON SATURDAY

Will Make Formal Announcement at Swarthmore Meeting at End of the Week

Senator William C. Sproul will make formal announcement of his candidacy at the meeting of his friends and neighbors at Swarthmore on Saturday. This will be a gathering of Eastern Pennsylvania Swarthmore alumni, and will attract national attention as the Pennsylvania contest is now a matter of more than state-wide interest.

Highway Commissioner J. Deany O'Neil plans to make some speeches and visits throughout the state this week. The commissioner went to Philadelphia to the hard coal region Saturday and yesterday addressed three big meetings in Williamsport, Pottsville, and Pottsville, and at a men's meeting attended by 700 voters. He rapped the liquor interest in politics and called on the men to support and claim compensation of twenty per cent. of her son's wages for 200 weeks.

There is considerable interest in what Governor Brumbaugh proposes to do in the campaign. The Governor intimated last week that he would continue to find texts in his diary and the opposing forces intimated that he did they would ask him questions. Congressman B. K. Pocht, of Lewisburg, in an interview at Washington attacked the Governor for dropping William Hertzler as deputy secretary of the Commonwealth and not appointing William F. Eckbert, of Millin county, as a factory inspector, an assailed the administration's record. The Governor returned here to-day, but gave no intimation of what he intends to do.

Regarding the second place on the ticket it looks like a fight. According to the Philadelphia Ledger "Senator" Vare yesterday said in a conference with the mayor, the county officials, ward leaders and members of the city committee would be held at the headquarters of the Republican city committee within ten days. No indication naturally has been given as to the gubernatorial choice to be effected there, but the prospect of an endorsement of Senator Sproul, the Vare leaders assert, hangs on the manner in which the Sproul element takes the candidacy of Representative John R. E. Scott for lieutenant governor. For Senator Vare and those associated with him throughout the state have determined that the congressman will be named for second place on the state ticket."

Secretary of Internal Affairs Paul W. Houck is furnishing much of the interest in politics at the State Capitol as his friends have secured blank petitions for secretary of internal affairs and state senator. The impression here is that Houck will be a candidate for re-nomination, although he has not made any announcement. He is not here to-day and in his absence friends at the Capitol will not say anything that would commit him.

Lex N. Mitchell, member of the House from Jefferson county, who is out with an announcement of candidacy for Republican nomination for congress-at-large, has announced himself for woman suffrage, the dry amendment, state and national prohibitory laws and humane legislation.

Peter E. Costello, Philadelphia, to-day filed the first congressional nominating petition for the May primary. He will be a candidate for Republican renomination in the Fifth district. Lawrence H. Rupp and George Kuhl, Democrat, filed petitions to be candidates for senatorial nomination in the Lehigh county district, and Representatives W. M. Benninger, Democrat, Northumberland; R. L. Wallace, Republican, Lehigh; and B. Morris Strauss, Democrat, Second Berks, filed for re-nomination. J. F. Wills, Republican, Millin, and S. H. Fox, Republican, First Blair, also filed petitions.

Patriotic Mass Meeting at Mechanicsburg Wednesday Mechanicsburg, Pa., March 18.—Preparations are being made on an extensive scale for the patriotic mass meeting to be held on Wednesday evening at 8:15 o'clock in the First United Church, which accommodates the largest number of people of any building in town. Not only Mechanicsburg citizens, but those of surrounding county districts are expected to attend this meeting, which promises to be one of special interest. The speakers include Trooper Clayton, of this city, in the First from the trenches; Lincoln T. Eyre, of the speakers' bureau of the Public Safety Committee of Pennsylvania, and A. C. Bentz, assistant chairman of the War Savings Committee of Pennsylvania.

The following committees were appointed: Arrangements, A. E. Arnold, J. C. Lambert, George E. Lloyd, John D. Fallor, M. Grant Mohler, M. C. Dietz and Murray L. Dick; program, George E. Lloyd and M. C. Dietz; ushering and police, A. Arnold and M. Grant Mohler; music, John D. Fallor and Murray L. Dick. George C. Dietz has been appointed director for a community chorus.

Nineteen Stars in Service Flag For Liverpool Boys Liverpool, Pa., March 18.—A service flag in honor of the boys from Liverpool who have answered the call to the colors will be floated soon. H. A. Shuler, cashier of the First National bank is chairman of the movement and has full charge of arrangements. The flag will contain nineteen stars representing Liverpool's service roll, which includes the following: Russell E. Hoffman, Norman Wilt, William Shumaker, Elmer Snyder, Lawrence Johnson, Elmer Johnson, Harvey L. Long, James G. House, Dr. G. M. Bogar, John Wesley DeHaven, Chester E. Shuler, E. Ellsmere Brink, John H. Sweeney, E. Emitt Barner, William H. Murray, Russell Lonk, Emory Bucher, Cleve Hoffman and Park Lutz Zellers.

Official Householder's Flour Report

NO HOUSEHOLDER is permitted to purchase over 49 pounds of wheat flour nor to have more than thirty days' supply. Every householder must report immediately (on this form) to their County Food Administrator. Make report of all wheat flour on hand, whether it is excess or not, and urge on your neighbors the importance and necessity of making this report promptly:

Number in household.....adults,.....children under 12. Wheat flour on hand (all flour containing any wheat).....lbs. Thirty days' requirements (when used with substitutes according to 50-50 regulation).....lbs. Excess amount on hand.....lbs. I agree to hold my excess subject to the order of the United States Food Administration. Name..... Postoffice..... Street and No. or R. F. D..... Maximum penalty for hoarding is \$5,000.00 fine and two years' imprisonment. These blanks will not be distributed. You must fill in your own blank and mail or deliver it to your County Food Administrator. An immediate report will avoid possibility of search and prosecution. Send report to: THE FEDERAL FOOD ADMINISTRATOR c/o CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, DAUPHIN BUILDING, HARRISBURG, PA.

Rotarians to Give Big Minstrel Show April 23 to Boost War Stamps The Rotary Club will give a minstrel show in the Orpheum Theater on the evening of April 23, the members taking the principal parts. P. G. Elyner, chairman of the entertainment committee, announced at the luncheon to-day.

CONSTABLES TO SHOOT DOGS Constables reported to the County Commissioners to-day that they will begin shooting all unlicensed dogs in their districts, several of them stating they had started killing the canines and would make a complete report later. According to the constables, the work of tracing owners of dogs and unlicensed ones is harder this year under the new act, as all fees are paid to the County Treasurer and no list is furnished them.

S. M. HERTZLER DIES AT HOSPITAL

Well-Known Mechanicsburg Man, Identified With Many Business Interests

Mechanicsburg, Pa., March 18.—One of the representative citizens of this place, Samuel M. Hertzler, died at the Harrisburg Hospital on Saturday evening after three weeks illness of a complication of diseases, which began with an infected foot. He was aged almost 83 years and was born in Lancaster county, April 5, 1835. Prior to moving to town, sixteen years ago yesterday, Mr. Hertzler was a farmer in Lower Allen township, where he lived the greater part of his life. He was a member of the State Hill Memorial Church.

Mr. Hertzler held many positions of trust. He was a director of the First National Bank for twenty years. Until last year he was treasurer of the Allen and East Pennsylvania Hose Company for twenty-four years; he was one of the promoters and a director of the People's Bridge Company, of Harrisburg, for sixteen years; president of the Mechanicsburg Cemetery Association and formerly held the office of county director of the poor for two terms and school director of Lower Allen township for twenty-one years.

Four children survive as follows: Frank S. Hertzler, of Lower Allen town; Mrs. E. F. Garver, of New Cumberland; Mrs. J. S. Mumma and Mrs. S. J. Zimmerman, of Mechanicsburg.

Also one sister and three brothers, Mrs. John Myers, Christian Hertzler and Jacob Hertzler, of Mechanicsburg; and B. F. Hertzler, of Montana, thirteen grandchildren and five great grandchildren. Funeral services will be held on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at his late home, 28 West Marble street, conducted by the Rev. Benjamin Zimmerman, of Shiremington town, assisted by the Rev. George

Fulton, pastor of the Presbyterian Church. The family request "no flowers."



EDUCATIONAL DEMONSTRATION Shippensburg, Pa., March 18.—An educational demonstration on how to mend, bake war-food and so on, will be held in the Gas and Electric Company office to-morrow and Wednesday.

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