

NEWS OF CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA AND CITY'S SUBURBS

CUMBERLAND VALLEY ITEMS

WOMAN STORES UP SUPPLIES

Cumberland County Resident, Recently Found Dead, Prepared For Emergencies

Carlisle, Pa., Feb. 5.—Evidently believing in preparedness, Mrs. Sophia Mountz, an aged resident of the county, found dead by neighbors some weeks ago, had money, food and fuel in large quantities in her house. In making preparations for a sale of personal property, \$400 in money was found in various nooks and corners, a bushel basket full of spoils of thread, a score of bags of sugar, several hundred pounds of coffee, a stack of domestic drygoods and other articles in large quantities. There were also seven pairs of new shoes, a bushel of boxes of matches and on the garret four coats of wood, placed by the aged woman, who lived alone.

JAIL BREAKER PLEADS GUILTY

One of Five Who Escaped From Franklin County Jail to Be Sentenced Saturday

Chambersburg, Pa., Feb. 5.—One member of the quintet who on September 29, 1918, escaped from the county jail here by sawing through the bars and letting themselves down from the third story with strips of blankets tied together, pleaded guilty in quarter sessions court here to three charges, larceny, aggravated assault and battery and resisting an officer and breaking prison. He was Simon Bailey, a colored fellow of Chambersburg, who was captured while he was acting as assistant janitor in the courthouse at Beaver, Pa., at a salary of \$80 per month. Bailey will be sentenced Saturday. A second member of the five jailbreakers has been apprehended in New London, Ohio, in the person of Abe Mickey, oldest of the five and an ex-convict. Processes have been issued for him and the other three men, although the other three have not yet been apprehended.

TREES OFFERED FOR HIGHWAYS

Waynesboro Civic Club May Accept Offer of Mont Alto Forest Academy

Waynesboro, Pa., Feb. 5.—An interesting meeting was held by the members of the Waynesboro Civic Club, and considerable business for the welfare of Waynesboro was planned. Mrs. D. S. Falmestock, a member of the planting and beautifying committee, presented to the club a plan suggested by the committee. She said that Professor Illick, of the Forest Academy, at Mont Alto, has offered to give trees in lots of not less than five hundred for planting along the state highways. The purpose of planting these trees is to reforest and also to shade and beautify the highways. There would be a variety of trees, one being the mulberry, which will be welcomed by the birds. Mrs. Falmestock suggested that the Civic Club arrange to accept five hundred of these trees and they get busy and plant them along the roads throughout this section.

FATHER AND SON WEEK PROGRAM IS TO BE ELABORATE

Boy Scouts and Y. M. C. A. Both to Have Dinners; Entertainment Also Stated

At a meeting of the boys' work committee of the Y. M. C. A. at the association building today at noon arrangements were made and committees announced for the Father and Son week program in Harrisburg. There will be two dinners—one next Monday evening under the auspices of the Boy Scouts in the Masonic Temple, at which Dr. Charles E. Fager, Jr., vice-president of the Harrisburg council, will preside and another the Monday evening following in Chestnut street hall, under the direction of the Y. M. C. A. at which William Bowman will be toastmaster. The "Y" committee will ask the churches to observe Father and Son week and will hold an entertainment in the association building Saturday night of next week for members and their sons and members and their fathers.

CIVIC CENTER ORGANIZATION BEING PLANNED

Meeting to Be Held February 20 to Arouse Interest in Community Needs

Plans for the organization of active community center work of interest to all residents in the vicinity of the Shimmel school building will be made at a meeting to be held in the school, February 20, at 7.45 o'clock in the evening. During the last few years community programs have been given frequently in the building, but at many of these the larger majority of those attending were children. It is planned with the organization of a new phase of the work to interest the men and women of the vicinity in problems of city government, state, national and international affairs. At the meeting February 20 speakers will give addresses on the purposes of the community center, both for the betterment of conditions in the city and for recreational purposes. Later the latter part of the work will be fully developed, it was explained, but the first plan will be to interest adults. No children will be admitted to the meeting unless accompanied by their parents or other adults. Prof. John H. Bickley, supervisor of special activities, is completing arrangements for the meeting. He commends the work which has been done in the last few years and said that the programs which had been given were splendid. In the future, however, it is planned to increase the interest in community affairs as well as recreational activities and to have the meetings open for discussion on certain topics upon which addresses have been made. While the meeting will be largely for residents in the vicinity of the Shimmel building, it was announced that any other persons who are interested will be invited to be invited to be present. There will be no formal applications for joining the organization, the residence of the persons determining that question, it was said. In addition to the interest which will be aroused in civic affairs, arrangements will be made later to have community singing, games, theatrical or musical entertainments and motion pictures.

ITCHING SCALP CUTICURA HEALS

So Bad Would Sit Up at Night and Scratch.

"My husband's scalp began itching. He rubbed it which irritated it until it had gotten across the front of his head. I made him lose sleep. It used to itch so that he would sit up at night and scratch. I sent for a sample of Cuticura. The itching stopped considerably, so I bought more and after he had used three cakes of Soap and four boxes of Ointment he was healed." (Signed) Mrs. H. J. Trueman, 5234 Master St., Philadelphia, Pa., March 2, 1918. If you have a poor complexion improve it by using Cuticura Soap daily and Cuticura Ointment occasionally. Sample Book Free by Mail. Address post-card: Cuticura Dept. 12, New York, N. Y. Soap 5c. Ointment 25c and 50c. Talcum 5c.

MONTGOMERY HOTEL SOLD

Chambersburg, Pa., Feb. 5.—An announcement has been made by Harry Hamill, proprietor of the Montgomery Hotel at this place, of the sale of the hotel to Charles J. Reeder, of Newport, Perry county. The new proprietor will assume charge of the hotel to-morrow and will have associated with him in the business his son, Landis C. Reeder, who has been on the Dickinson College football team and a catcher in the Dauphin-Perry baseball league. Mr. Reeder contemplates turning the bar room into a billiard room when the country goes dry on July 1.

PHEASANTS RELEASED

Chambersburg, Pa., Feb. 5.—Four ring-necked pheasants have been received by Walter Klipp, of this place, from the State Game Commissioner and have been released.

REAPPOINTED TO BOARD

Chambersburg, Pa., Feb. 5.—President W. H. Fisher, of Borough Council, has reappointed Morris Lloyd as a member of the Chambersburg Board of Health. Mr. Lloyd's term on the health board expired January 1. He has been re-elected president of the health board.

Driver of Automobile Is Charged With Manslaughter

Carlisle, Pa., Feb. 5.—Charged with involuntary manslaughter as the result of an automobile accident, P. A. Myers, who lives in York county, near the county line, has entered bail in the sum of \$1,500 for his appearance at court here. The charge was brought by J. Harvey Smith, of the Public Service Commission. Negligence is charged in the case. C. Rodgers, of Hampden township, was struck by an automobile driven by Myers about six weeks ago on a state road and injuries resulted which caused his death some time later. The accident occurred near Mechanicsburg.

FARM SHOW PRIZE WINNERS

Waynesboro, Pa., Feb. 5.—The following persons received prizes at the Farmers' Institute meeting held at Wayne Heights: On corn, Stevenson brothers, first, \$5; Simon Hess, second, \$3; Harvey Snowberger, third, one-half year's subscription to a farm journal. Potatoes, Miss Nettie Hart, first, \$5; Walter Miller, second, \$3. Cakes, exhibited by the girls of the high school, Miss Alice Martin, first, \$3; Miss Estella McLaughlin, second, \$2; Miss Pauline Hess, third, one-half year's subscription to a farm journal. There were fifty exhibitors.

MODERN HOSPITAL PLANNED

Waynesboro, Pa., Feb. 5.—At a meeting of two hundred citizens in the "Y" Monday evening, representing all the local churches, lodges and other civic associations, plans were discussed for the establishment of a modern hospital in this city. The proposition was unanimously favored. The conclusion reached was that a committee of nine be appointed to prepare the preliminary plans and organize a comprehensive drive for funds at such time in the future as local conditions make advisable. The chairman of the meeting, I. G. Baird, president of the local relief association, will appoint the committee.

MRS. MARY FORTENBAUGH

Mechanicsburg, Pa., Feb. 5.—Mrs. Mary Magdalene Fortenbaugh, wife of J. H. Fortenbaugh, died on Monday night at her home in South Walnut street, after being ill for some time. She was aged 71 years and lived in this locality almost her entire life. Surviving are her husband and three children, as follows: Mrs. Reilly B. Shope, Mrs. L. W. Sheaffer and Miss Claire Fortenbaugh, all of Mechanicsburg. Funeral services will be held to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Shope, South Walnut street. The Rev. J. Russell Bucher, pastor of the Church of God, will be the officiating clergyman. Burial will be made in the Mechanicsburg Cemetery.

FIRE COMPANY BANQUET

Mechanicsburg, Pa., Feb. 5.—Plans are made for the thirty-fourth anniversary banquet of the Rescue Hook and Ladder Company to be held to-morrow evening. The program will begin at 7.45 o'clock with Dr. E. E. Campbell, president of Irving College, as toastmaster. The principal address of the evening will be made by the Rev. Dr. A. R. Steck, pastor of the First Lutheran Church of Carlisle.

INSURANCE CO. OFFICERS

Mechanicsburg, Pa., Feb. 5.—Yesterday afternoon the annual meeting of the Patrons' Mutual Insurance Company was held for the purpose of electing officers and the following were chosen: President, Milton C. Dietz; vice-president, J. J. Milleisen; secretary, John M. Underwood; treasurer, J. M. Myers; assessment collector, Miss S. Edith Swartz. The report on the business session how the most prosperous year, practically, in the history of the company.

NO GENERAL MEMORIAL

Chambersburg, Pa., Feb. 5.—Chambersburg will have no large public memorial service for Theodore Roosevelt. A committee appointed by the Chambersburg Ministerial Association to prepare for such a service has decided that each church should hold its own memorial service and has asked each local church to follow the plan by having such a service next Sunday, February 9, if possible.

SCALES CONDEMNED

Chambersburg, Pa., Feb. 5.—Thirty various kinds of scales and measures were condemned by Inspector of Weights and Measures F. A. Foreman, in Franklin county, during testimony, according to his monthly report to the Pennsylvania Bureau of Standards.

APPEAL DISMISSED

The appeal of the Harrisburg Railway Company from the jury verdict and decision of the Dauphin County Court in refusing to reconsider the action brought by Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Abbott, was dismissed by the Supreme Court, it was learned today. A verdict of \$6,500 was returned in favor of Mr. and Mrs. Abbott, but later the company hired detectives to watch one of the witnesses for the Abbot's. Upon testimony furnished by these detectives an effort was made to get the case retried, but the petition was refused and the appeal followed.

MANY MEMBERS SECURED FOR 'Y'

First Returns From Drive to Be Given at Early Evening Supper

WHAT'S DOING? Team workers and captains report at supper in "Y" building to-night. Big "home-made" vaudeville show Friday night closes campaign. Women admitted. Tickets may be procured without charge at the "Y" building, Second and Locust streets. Join the Y. M. C. A.

The first official returns of the Y. M. C. A. campaign for 1,500 membership will be announced at a supper to be held in the "Y" assembly room at 6 o'clock to-night. Team captains will make public their returns and plans for the remaining two days of the drive will be outlined. It is believed by General Secretary Robert B. Rees that a substantial portion of the required membership will be reported at to-night's supper. He does not believe that the campaign has gone over the top, but is confident that it is on a fair way to reach the goal. Plans for the "home-made" vaudeville show to be held Saturday night as the closing feature, are being kept by the committee in charge which includes Henderson Gilbert, J. F. O'Neil and P. T. Barnes. It is believed there will be a number of surprises sprung when the curtain goes up, among the artists appearing will be a well-known monologist, a clay modeler and in addition, a full orchestra. Tickets may be obtained by members for themselves and friends, including women, by making request at the "Y" building, Second and Locust streets.

HINES AT ODDS WITH POMERENE

some plan of reorganization not yet fully formulated. Administration Helpless, Hines Says Mr. Hines explained that he was not advocating a five-year extension as a means of working out a permanent solution, but only to give time in which Congress might develop a comprehensive reform plan. The railroad administration, he said, had no authority to reorganize the railroads along these lines, and he suggested that the continued Government control would be of an interim nature, in order to stabilize conditions pending a final solution. Senator Pomerene said he did not believe the railroad question could be kept out of the Presidential election under any circumstances. Mr. Hines agreed, but argued that the harmful agitation resulting in hampering physical operations of the roads would be less if the end of Government control did not depend so nearly.

TO PLEAD GUILTY

Pleas of guilty will be heard in court next Monday in the following cases: Clarence Jones, two charges, felonious entry and larceny; Arthur Tamburri, one charge; Arnold Thompson, larceny; William Brown and Sadie Collins, serious charge.

PENNSYLVANIANS HOME

New York, Feb. 5.—With 1,776 troops, the Italian steamship, Duca degli Abruzzi, sailed for home from Marseilles by way of Gibraltar. Included among these on board were a number of Pennsylvania members of the Eighty-eighth Division.

INSTANT POSTUM

yields a delicate aroma and delicious flavor, and it's economical.

and will, according to reports, not open for some time. Much of the material, including the dinky cars is being taken to other places operated by this company. At Billmeyer and Saginaw, the quarries are not closed down, but working hours are less. At Chickies the number of men on employment is nearly one hundred.

Advertisement for The Blake Shop, featuring a fashion reception and clearance sale. Text includes: 'The Fashion Reception to be held in our Store. Friday Afternoon Feb. 7, 2 to 4 O'clock. On Which Occasion There Will Be Presented Our New Spring Models in Suits, Dresses, Wraps, Blouses and Millinery. The Models Will Be Introduced by Members of the "Sweethearts" Company Playing at the Orpheum Theater. Friday Evening, February 7th, and Saturday Afternoon and Evening, February 8th. "Sweethearts," one of Victor Herber's masterpieces, is said by critics to be one of the composer's greatest achievements. Those of the cast to appear at our store on this occasion are Miss Marie King, Miss Helen White, Miss Frances Campbell, Miss Bunny Stuart. The Fashion Reception Will Be Informal The Public Is Cordially Invited.

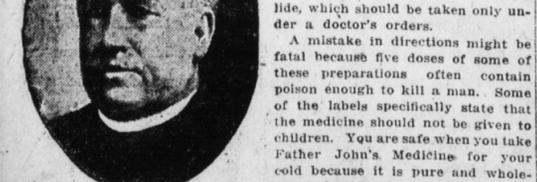
TERRORS OF SKIN DISEASES

Rich Red Blood Nature's safeguard

It is up to your blood to keep you well and a balance in the bank of health. Those whose blood is infested with the germs of skin disease should be delighted to know that in the midst of all their suffering there is permanent relief from the tortures of this most annoying of all diseases. It is necessary for you to purify and cleanse the blood; restore it to a healthy condition and thus help nature to remedy your trouble. S. S. S., backed with sixty (60) years of success, is the great blood purifier and tonic. S. S. S. is made only from roots, herbs and barks which nature has provided as medicinal agents that enable the blood to rid itself of poison and regain its natural properties. Do not continue any longer the make-shift treatment, but go to your druggist today and start taking a course of S. S. S., which goes down into the circulation and forces out all foreign matter, restoring the blood to its normal healthy condition, relieving at the proper source skin affections. If you will write our Medical Director he will gladly give you full instructions about your own case without charge. Address Medical Director, 154 Swift Laboratory, Atlanta, Ga.

ADVISE CARE IN WHAT YOU TAKE FOR GRIP-COLDS

Grip and Pneumonia Go Hand in Hand—How to Avoid Everyday Dangers



Public warning is given to avoid the danger from poisonous drugs and nerve-destroying stimulants contained in so many grip and "cough cures" at this time. Look on the label of these preparations and you will see that they contain either morphine, heroin, cocaine, chloroform or other dangerous narcotics or poisons such as acetan-

Large advertisement for The Blake Shop. Text includes: 'THE BLAKE SHOP 225 N. 2nd St. The First Clearance Sale We Have Ever Held Starts Tomorrow, Thursday. The unusual and distinctive designs and fine quality of the merchandise we carry is well known in Harrisburg and really needs no introduction. For this reason we believe that this opportunity will be especially welcomed by those who require certain materials for decorating the home. We Have Made Extremely Large Reductions of the following lines: Wall Papers, Curtains, Rugs, Cretonnes, Tapestries. 10,000 Rolls of the Very Highest Class Wall Papers At Reductions of 20 Per Cent For This Sale. This includes the wall papers of American, English and French manufacture, for dining room, living room and hall, and den, in foliage, tapestry, stippleton and homespun and grass cloth. As well as wall papers for bed room, guest room, nursery and bath room in jasper, chambray, armure and stripes and chintz patterns. Formerly 18c 25c 30c 35c 40c 50c 75c up to \$2.50 Roll Sale Prices, 14c 20c 24c 29c 32c 40c 60c up to \$2.00 Roll Small Lots of 10 to 16 Pieces of Wall Paper at Half Price. High-Class Rugs to Be Sold at Substantial Reductions--Note the Savings. Wilton Rugs 9x12 ft. \$95.00 \$75.00 \$65.00 Saxony Rugs 9x12 ft. 150.00 75.00 65.00 Chenille Seamless 9x12 ft. 145.00 75.00 65.00 Body Brussels 9x12 ft. 65.00 37.50 32.50. Very Large Reductions on High-Class Curtains In The Sale. White and ecru cluny curtains, for bed room, parlor, living room, library, dining room and den. Were \$ 3.00—Sale price \$2.50 Pr. Were 3.75—Sale price 3.00 Pr. Were 5.75—Sale price 4.50 Pr. Were 6.00—Sale price 4.50 Pr. Were 4.50—Sale price 3.50 Pr. Were 7.75—Sale price 6.00 Pr. Were 6.00—Sale price 4.50 Pr. Were 10.75—Sale price 7.00 Pr. Were 9.50—Sale price 6.50 Pr. Were 11.75—Sale price 8.50 Pr. Were 2.50—Sale price 1.75 Pr. High class curtains of marquisesettes, scrims, etamine, grenaline, madras. These are panels—2 1/2 yards long. Were \$ 2.50—Sale price \$1.75. Were 3.75—Sale price 3.00. Were 2.75—Sale price 2.00. Were 2.25—Sale price 1.75. Were 2.75—Sale price 2.15. Were 4.00—Sale price 3.00. Were 6.25—Sale price 4.00. Were 13.25—Sale price 9.00. Were 10.50—Sale price 8.00. Were 6.75—Sale price 5.50. Were 14.75—Sale price 10.00. Extra Special THE BLAKE SHOP Interior Decorations 225 North Second Street Extra Special! 1 1-3 yd. lengths of velours, plain and striped figured tapestries, verdure, armure and damasks, half price.