

NEWS OF CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA AND CITY'S SUBURBS

GETTYSBURG TO PAY ROAD SHARE

Borough Will Join With State in Rebuilding Streets on Lincoln Highway

Gettysburg, Pa., April 7.—Survey of the Lincoln Highway through the borough has been finished by S. Miley Miller, borough surveyor, and his report will be presented to the town council this evening at a special session.

It is the intention of the borough to take advantage of the plan of the State to make roadways through the towns along the highway to a width of eighty feet, the municipality to complete the street from that line to the curb. By this method Gettysburg will obtain over a mile of improved up-to-date road right through the heart of the town with a comparatively small cost to the borough. The work will start at the western border of the town, at the top of Seminary Hill, in Buford avenue, the eighteen-foot wide road to be built by the State from that point to the place where the built-up portion of the town begins.

The same plan will be followed at the eastern end of the town where the borough work will stop at the built up portion of the town. Work continues to the borough limits. Under the financial plan worked out the borough will secure this road way, costing \$20,000, for only \$10,000 as the borough's share to pay out of the treasury.

LUNCHEON FOR WORKERS Gettysburg, Pa., April 7.—This evening a luncheon will be served at the Eagle Hotel and will be attended by a large number of the workers who will help to put over the Victory Liberty Loan in Adams county during the next few weeks. Mr. Waters, executive secretary of the Third Federal Reserve District, and Mr. Mason, director of the same district, both of Philadelphia, will be present and explain in detail the plans for the campaign. Dr. William A. Granville, president of Gettysburg College, is chairman of the first district of Adams county, which comprises the town of Gettysburg, with the exception of the Littletown banking district, which has its own organization.

NEW PLANTS AT LEWISTOWN Lewistown, Pa., April 7.—Hulger Moller has returned from a trip to eastern cities where he purchased machinery to equip the plant in this place where Moller Brothers will manufacture automobiles. The work of getting the building in shape will begin today and work will soon be in full blast.

D. R. Stratford has a force of men at work erecting a new machine works. The building will be 24x115 feet and will be of concrete blocks.

MRS. JOHN MEISKEY DIES Columbia, Pa., April 7.—Mrs. Elizabeth Meiskey, wife of John Meiskey, died at her home at Klinesville, near here, at 10 o'clock this morning. She was 72 years of age. Her husband, John Meiskey, of Columbia, is a surviving brother. Mrs. Warren Farmer, of Elizabethtown, and Mrs. Isaac Rohrer, of Mountville, Sallie Farmer and Kate Walker, at home, are sisters.

SPRING RALLY DAY Columbia, Pa., April 7.—Spring Rally Day was observed in Grace United Evangelical Church here yesterday with the Rev. A. A. Winter, A. M., superintendent of the Evangelical Home, at Lewistown, Pa., as speaker. Dr. Winter was formerly president of Dallas College, Oregon, and was known as a celebrated orator on the Pacific coast.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT DEBATE Liverpool, Pa., April 7.—Grace Episcopal Church here yesterday evening at the home of John Hebel. An interesting program which includes a debate on "Resolved, That the wife should have equal share and voice in the disbursement of the family fund," has been prepared and a lively meeting is anticipated.

FORMER PASTOR PREACHES Columbia, Pa., April 7.—The Rev. Dr. S. C. Eneck, district superintendent of the East Pennsylvania Conference of the United Brethren Church, and for fourteen years pastor of Salome Church, in Columbia, preached to his former parishioners last night and was greeted by a large congregation.

PLANTING VICTORY GARDENS Columbia, Pa., April 7.—The planting of Victory gardens here will begin next week, the executive committee of the Gardeners' Association having made the necessary arrangements for the season. About twelve or fourteen acres will be cultivated by more than forty families.

CUMBERLAND VALLEY ITEMS

FEVER AND FIRES WORRY BOROUGH

Mechanicsburg People Greatly Concerned Over Increase in Typhoid and Incendiarism

Mechanicsburg, Pa., April 7.—Combating typhoid fever, which threatens to become epidemic, and a series of incendiary fires, Mechanicsburg is doubly afflicted, and making an effort to locate the origin of her troubles.

Indignant citizens are concerned over the delay in locating the source of the typhoid outbreak, and think the people should co-operate with the State Health Department in every way which will be for the good of the town, and give information they may possess, which will lead to its detection.

Dr. E. E. Campbell, president of Irving College, publishes a letter in which he states emphatically that the "truth" of the water situation should be known. Four persons have already been victims of the typhoid fever; two from town and two from the main college. The fire another student is seriously ill at her home, where she was taken in the early stages of the disease.

It is estimated that between thirty and forty cases exist at present, with a number of persons threatened with the fever.

Owing to the serious condition of many within sound of the church bells, janitors yesterday were requested to tap the bells lightly and ring but a short time.

Incendiary fires are also the cause of considerable anxiety, as all of the conflagrations lately have been of incendiary origin. It has recently developed, while investigating the cause of the fire which destroyed several shops, that an attempt was made to set fire to the frame building of the Potts Manufacturing Company, located on the corner of East Allen street, and in close proximity to the main college. The fire had been built and the match applied, but after burning a small hole in the side of the building, the fire died out. A lot of partly burned matches were scattered about.

An effort is being made to discover the fire bugs, and it will go hard with them when brought to justice.

Clio Club Will Beautify Greencastle School Grounds

Greencastle, Pa., April 7.—The Clio Club of Greencastle has appointed a committee, composed of Mrs. P. F. Carl, Mrs. W. R. Davison and Mrs. J. W. Seidel, all of Greencastle, to beautify the public school grounds. The committee has decided to plant memorial trees for the boys of this community who have made the supreme sacrifice, and a landscape gardener from State College has been engaged to lay out the grounds and place the flowers and shrubbery.

Triple Break of Woman's Arm Shown by X-Ray

Mechanicsburg, Pa., April 7.—Following an X-ray examination, in the Harrisburg Hospital, the fact developed that Mrs. W. V. Seidel, of East Main street, sustained a triple break near the elbow of her left arm. Mr. and Mrs. Seidel returned home from Florida several days ago, after what was a most pleasant trip, and shortly after their arrival, Mrs. Seidel had the misfortune to fall over a rug and break her arm.

BROKE INTO BUNGALOW

Waynesboro, Pa., April 7.—About 11 o'clock Friday night the little red police light at Center Square gave several sharp signals and Officers Byers and Oberholzer at once ran to the phone booth. The call came from a resident of Antietam, who stated that some man had made entrance to the bungalow of Dr. A. Marr Shively in that vicinity. The officers at once went to the scene and there located the man, who simply explained that he sought shelter for the night and did not intend any harm. He was, however, brought to the lockup here, where he spent the night. Saturday morning he appeared before Magistrate Potter, but Dr. Shively dropped the case after the unknown man paid the costs.

HUNDRED IN TRUCK TRAIN GET DINNERS

More than a hundred men in truck trains passing through Harrisburg on their way from Detroit to South Amboy, N. J., yesterday were given hot dinners by workers in the Civilian Division of the Harrisburg chapter, American Red Cross.

TO BUILD GARAGES

Permits were issued today for the erection of three garages, as follows: Mrs. Maud P. Williams, F. G. Kauffman, contractor, brick and stone garage, rear 2329 North Second street, \$1,000; Emery F. Trout, frame garage, rear 1350-52 Vernon, \$1,000; Irwin M. Fassell, Frank Baumgardner, contractor, brick garage, 1444 Regina, \$450.

BADLY HURT IN COAL PIT

Alfred Johnson, 668 South Third street, Steelton, is in the Harrisburg Hospital with what may be a fractured hip, and a badly lacerated forehead. A laborer at the Bethlehem Steel Company, he was employed in dumping coal at the time of the accident. The wrench being used to open the coal hopper slipped and threw him into a coal pit.

RURAL SCHOOLS CLOSE

Many of the rural schools in the county are closing now, Assistant Superintendent W. R. Zimmerman announced, and in some of the smaller boroughs and villages the buildings will close late in the

Memorial Services For Soldier at Mechanicsburg

Mechanicsburg, Pa., April 7.—Memorial services were held yesterday afternoon for Philip Lucas, who died of wounds, in France, son of Mr. and Mrs. William T. Lucas, East Locust street, in Grace Evangelical Church. The opening prayer was made by the Rev. J. Ellis Bell, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and the sermon was delivered by the pastor, the Rev. D. L. Kepner. Appropriate music was sung by the choir.

The room was decorated in the National colors and three chairs were draped in black in memory of three soldiers of that church, who made the supreme sacrifice. They were: Raymond Short, who died in camp; Philip Lucas, who died in France and Charles Kutz, son of W. H. Kutz, East Main street, who died from wounds received, as the result of an accident, in France, when the truck he was driving collided with a railroad train.

Private Lucas was the twin brother of William Lucas, as the result of wounds at the United States General Hospital, No. 31, Carlisle.

United States Hospital at Carlisle to Be Permanent

Carlisle, Pa., April 7.—Although men in some hospitals are being demobilized and institutions closed, General Hospital No. 31, located at Carlisle, will not be affected, but will be a permanent post, according to the War Department. The hospital, which is situated on the land and equipment here it will be used long after other leased or loaned hospitals have been closed. Dr. R. Schreiner, senior inspector of the surgeon general's office, will within a short time visit Carlisle on a tour of inspection.

MRS. ANNA DEHIL DIES

Shippensburg, Pa., April 7.—Mrs. Anna Dehil died at her home on West King street after a long illness. She was a graduate of the Cumberland Valley State Normal School and taught music. She was a member of the Lutheran church.

Suburban Notes

HUMMELSTOWN The Rev. Mr. Snyder and the Rev. Mr. Bowers, of Philadelphia, spent the week-end at the home of the Rev. Samuel E. Brehm, of Hummelstown. Albert Stecher and family, of Carlisle, called on relatives here yesterday.

Miss Christian Schradley and daughter, of Philadelphia, are spending several days among friends here.

Miss J. C. Witmer, of Harrisburg, spent yesterday with her mother, Mrs. Joseph Hershey.

Clayton Hershey left on Saturday for a week-end visit at Pittsburgh.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Blessing and Joseph Hoffman spent yesterday at New Bloomfield, the guests of Mrs. Edwin Blessing.

Miss Alta Hawthorne, of Harrisburg, spent the weekend with her aunt, Mrs. B. F. Borgardner.

Miss Mildred Harper, of Pennsylvania, spent yesterday with friends in town.

Walter Weber spent Saturday at Philadelphia.

Corporal John Paul Hummel arrived home from France on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Boker, of Hoerstown, spent yesterday with her son, John Boker, and family.

David H. Jacks and family, of Allentown, spent yesterday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jacks.

New Waynesboro Paper to Start Business June 1

Waynesboro, Pa., April 7.—Among the notable fittings to take place the coming week will be that of Walter T. Todd, who will move into the room in the Warner block, East Main street, for sometime occupied by the local Red Cross Branch. Todd's office will be the new daily newspaper to be started here about June 1, to be styled "The Waynesboro Press."

A new outfit of presses, linotypes and other equipment has been ordered and now being ready for shipment. The main room front will be for the offices and the composing room, a new addition is being erected in the rear for the pressroom. The new paper will take the place of the Evening Herald, merged last October with the other local paper. It is learned, will be an independent, non-partisan paper, and will follow generally the policy of the other papers.

The enterprise is being financed by Mr. Todd, in association with Mr. John J. Zink, an editor of the "Waynesboro Press" for several years general manager of the United States Asphalt Company, Brookline, Baltimore, and still connected with that company in a consulting capacity. He is a native of Marietta, Pa., and a graduate of the Pennsylvania Soldiers' Orphan's School at Scotland.

Mr. Todd is a native of Easton, Talbot county, Maryland, where he came up in the service in 1915 and for eleven years was general manager of The Herald Printing Company, located at Easton.

The editor of the new paper will be N. Bruce Martin, for more than 20 years connected with local newspapers as editor and publisher. He founded the "Blue Ridge Zephyr" in 1914, and for the past five years was editor of "The Evening Star" in a writer and journalist of recognized ability.

Big Surprise For Farmer Returning From Meeting

Mechanicsburg, Pa., April 7.—When Samuel Feber, a farmer of Winding Hill, about two miles south of Mechanicsburg, was called home to a meeting on Thursday evening, he was surprised on entering his home to find a merry party who came to help celebrate his birthday anniversary. Including neighbors, there were about fifty people present, two truck loads of whom came from Carlisle. Games and music were features of entertainment. The party gathered around large tables in the dining room and enjoyed a chicken-corn soup supper with all the accessories.

Dickinson Commencement Exercises About June 20

Carlisle, Pa., April 7.—Dickinson college commencement will be later than usual this year in order to make up for time lost through the establishment of a Student Army Training Corps, demobilization and consequent changes. What the date will be has not been made the time will be about June 20 several events having already been arranged.

The Dickinson College Dramatic Club will present as the annual commencement play Shakespeare's "As You Like It" at the college theatre, which has been begun. The production will be on Saturday evening, June 21. Alexander S. Cornwell, a graduate of the institution, recently mustered out of the navy and with considerable experience in these lines, will be in charge.

NEW PASTOR AT ALLISON

Carlisle, Pa., April 7.—The Rev. J. E. Skillington, new pastor of the Allison Methodist Episcopal Church here, arrived in Carlisle Saturday evening and yesterday took formal charge of the church, occupying the pulpit at 10 o'clock. He is a graduate of Dickinson and well known here. The Rev. J. H. Price, the former pastor, left yesterday for Huntzinger, Pa., his new pastorate.

PINNED UNDER AUTO

Carlisle, Pa., April 7.—David Price, of Carlisle, was injured and a light automobile which he was driving was damaged when he attempted to pass a truck on the state highway near Carlisle. The machine left the road, struck a fence, turned over on the radiator and pinned Price beneath it. The driver of the truck and men with him got Price out.

FARM TRACTOR SHOWN

Waynesboro, Pa., April 7.—Frick company's gas engine tractor made a great show at the W. K. Burver farm, near Scotland, when it out-classed five tractors of other makes in a plowing demonstration. It was witnessed by people from all parts of Franklin county, the great number of whom were farmers greatly interested in this new power for use on the farm.

ADDRESSES BY SOLDIERS

Shippensburg, Pa., April 7.—Addresses were made to the Men's Bible Class of Methodist Church here Sunday by Sergeant Melvin Rosenberg and Private Richard L. France. Both soldiers were in France. Sergeant Rosenberg was severely wounded in action. Private Hinton was of the colored army.

OLDEST RESIDENT IS 92

Halifax, Pa., April 7.—Halifax oldest resident is Mrs. Elizabeth Eby, who recently celebrated her ninety-second birthday. Mrs. Eby recently moved to town from Waynesville and lives with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Matter, at Second and Pine streets.

Living close to the Matter home is Christian Shats, the town's next oldest resident, who is past eighty-eight years.

RED LION SOLDIER WEDS FRENCH GIRL

Daughter of Paris Banker Visits Yankee in Hospital and They Fall in Love

Mount Wolf, Pa., April 7.—"Big Bertha's" raid on Paris was a French bride for a York county soldier. Sergeant Howard S. Herrman, of Red Lion, a member of Company F, Three Hundred and Sixteenth Infantry, whom comrades have returned from France gives the distinction of being the first York county Yankee to wed a French girl. He was married to Mile. Juliet Doste, a daughter of a Paris banker, on January 7. The romance had its inception at Cusey, France, where the local hero's unit had been training prior to being sent to the front last summer.

To escape the air raids made on Paris the Doste family visited the American camp at Cusey. Here the pair met for the first time and, according to reports, it was a case of love at first sight. After Herrman was returned to the front and was again in active service he visited his bride frequently at the hospital.

Sergeant Herrman will take advantage of the government's offer to bring the States under French citizenship and the foreign wives of American soldiers and bring her with him when his division, the Seventy-ninth, arrives here some time in June. A brother of Sergeant Herrman was killed in action last September.

16,000 Welcome Home Posters Distributed by the Boy Scouts

Boy Scouts of the city today began the distribution of 16,000 "Welcome Home" posters to homes throughout the entire city as a part of their war community service plan for greeting the returning service men.

Officials in charge of the local branch of the war camp community service plan called today to the people of the city to display these posters prominently in the windows. Those who have not received any of the placards may secure them from the organization, it was stated.

Miss M. Glenn Gottschall Heads Aids Societies

At the April meeting of the board of directors of the Associated Aid Societies Miss M. Glenn Gottschall was elected general secretary. Miss Gottschall succeeds John H. McCandless, who six months ago took up Red Cross work in Waynesboro.

Miss Gottschall has been connected with the Associated Aid Societies for three years and a half and took up the work here after having spent six years in the State Unit of the southern mountaineers of the Great Smoky Mountains of western North Carolina.

Miss Gottschall will be assisted by Miss Mary Peiffer as Assistant Secretary and by Miss Emma Fulton, Miss Edith Young and Miss Emma Fulton, Visitors, and Miss Esther Shearer, registrar.

Miss Gottschall reports that during the past one hundred ninety-two cases were handled by the Society. This represents Children's, Family and Transient problems. There are four hundred fifty-seven children under care, there were twenty-two cases of interviews and three hundred eighteen visits made to homes during the month.

Special mention was made during the board meeting of the splendid co-operation and helpfulness of the various social service organizations of the city.

Courthouse Notes

Divorces Granted—Divorce decrees have been signed in the following cases: Adm. M. G. R. S. and Mary; Wallace vs. Etta Strauser. In another action permission was granted to amend a divorce action brought by Jacob S. against Theresa M. Hetrick, naming Henry D'Arr as corespondent.

Guardian Named—The Steelton Trust Company was named guardian of Barbara and Theresa Kemp, minor children of John Kemp, late of Swatara township.

To Settle Case—It was announced to the court that the settlement may be affected in the equity suit brought by Mrs. Emma Auar against S. H. Zimmerman, a member of the county jury.

Arrested Return—L. Lark, of Millersburg, member of the Dauphin county bar, who returned recently from Florida, where he spent the winter months, was at the courthouse today.

Cases Settled—Three of the cases listed for trial at the common pleas court sessions next week have been settled, it was announced. They are Troy Collar Company vs. B. H. Isaacman; Clara M. Books vs. Harrisburg Railways Company; Clara M. Books vs. Edward A. Snyder. Continued cases include: Milton Stern vs. Martin B. Peterson et al.; Girard Photograph Company vs. Oliver F. Baker.

SOLDIER RETURNS HOME Marietta, Pa., April 7.—Private Harry L. Lehman has returned home from the United States Army. He was the youngest of three brothers, who served in the war and has the distinction of being the youngest soldier to go from his home town.

JUDGE DEFINES A "JAILBIRD"

"By committing an offense a man becomes a jailbird, regardless of whether he is imprisoned or not," President Judge George Kunkel said today when an attorney pleaded that a prison sentence should not be imposed on a young man who was pleading guilty to a false pretense charge. "We don't believe punishment makes them worse than they were before, and even if it is the first offense, when sentence is suspended it only encourages others to violate the law because they see that the other fellow was not sent to jail."

When a former employer of the defendant testified that he had confidence in the man and would look after him, Judge Kunkel permitted him to enter bail and be under the custody of Probation Officer James T. Walters. The defendant, Paul Elder, pleaded guilty to increasing which he delivered, keeping the balance above the amount due to the company.

Woman Political Leader in China at Peace Board; Thrice Condemned to Die

Paris, April 7.—Miss S. Cheng, a Chinese woman, only twenty-three years of age, but already with a record of several years' activity as a republican leader in China, arrived here last night to attend the peace conference.

She was three times condemned to death in 1916 and 1917 in connection with her activities. She was formerly a law student here, leaving France with the intent of endeavoring to increase the friendship of the relations between France and her own country.

The Sheaffer-Campbell Wedding Is Announced

Mr. Lawrence H. Campbell announces the marriage of his daughter, Miss Anna Elizabeth Campbell, to Robert L. Sheaffer on March 5. The ceremony was performed at the parsonage of the State Street United Brethren Church by the Rev. Mr. Thoad, Mr. Sheaffer has recently returned from overseas where he served in 167 Aero Squadron. He is now with the Bethlehem Steel Company at Steelton, Pa. Mrs. Sheaffer is employed as a clerk in the Auto Division of the State Highway department. The young couple are at home to their friends at 333 South Fourteenth street.

GUY S. VOGT BUYS RIVERSIDE DWELLING

Guy S. Vogt, 1319 State street, has purchased from John J. Hargest, Jr., the house and lot located at Second and Lewis streets. The consideration was \$6,000.

Wages of Railmen Are to Be Raised; Order to Issue in Few Days

By Associated Press. Washington, April 7.—Wage advances to be given members of the four leading trainmen's and engine-men's brotherhoods were discussed finally today between Director General Hines and the chiefs of the brotherhoods, and the order probably will be issued within a few days.

The order will readjust wages so as to restore most of the differentials between various classes of employes existing before January 1, 1915. These wage relationships were disrupted by the general wage increase granted last year.

A few rates will be lowered, it was said, but the general level will be raised. It was reported after the conference today that the order probably will be issued within a few days. Neither the brotherhood chiefs nor Director General Hines would comment on this point.

THREAT OF WAR WAS KAISER'S FEAR

[Continued from First Page.] was the rejoinder of General Groener. At this moment, Admiral Von Hintze, who had previously entered with a menacing message from Berlin, and tendered his resignation, William then consented to abdicate as emperor, but insisted on retaining his office as king of Prussia and head of the army. The imperial chancellor had in the meantime however, announced the abdication of the emperor.

BETTER THAN CALOMEL

Thousands Have Discovered Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a Harmless Substitute

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—the substitute for calomel—are a mild but sure laxative, and their effect on the liver is almost instantaneous. They are the result of Dr. Edwards' determination not to treat liver and bowel complaints with calomel. His efforts to banish it brought out these little olive-colored tablets.

The pleasant little tablets do the good that calomel does, but have no bad after effects. They don't injure the teeth like other liquids or calomel. They take hold of the trouble and quickly correct it. Why cure the liver at the expense of the teeth? Calomel sometimes plays havoc with the gums. So do strong liquids. It is best not to take calomel, but to let Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets take its place.

Most headaches, "dullness" and that lazy feeling come from constipation and a disordered liver. Take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets when you feel "lumpy" and "heavy." Note how they "clear" clouded brain and how they "perk up" the spirits. 10c and 25c a box. All drug stores.

U-Z-A-T FOR CORN BUNIONS CALLUSES

GORGAS DRUG STORES

Advertisement for Shell's Best Tailor Made Suits. Includes text: 'THERE is such a short time until Easter it is wise to make your selection at once so as to be ready in plenty of time.' 'Those who have not made up their minds as to what is best suited to their individual requirements will find our service to be immeasurably helpful. There is no uncertainty quite so provoking to milady as that of not knowing "what to choose."' 'The vogue of the hour is the tailor made suit. It may be the Eton coat, it may be the coat reaching to a trifle below the knee, but it IS the tailor made.' 'These particularly new models interpret the last-minute note in suits and provide very unusual choice for those who are "undecided."' 'Spring's fashionable fabrics developed into Schleisner modes with Schleisner tailoring reach perfection in ready-to-wear apparel—' 'for the woman and miss \$35 to \$125. Our individual tailoring service assures perfection of fit.'

Advertisement for Instant Postum. Includes text: 'When Coffee Gives You a Jab in some tender part of your anatomy, don't blame coffee-blame yourself!' 'You can have all the pleasure of coffee-drinking with none of its harm, if you drink INSTANT POSTUM "There's a Reason"'