

PLAN TO SEND COAL TO N. Y. IN PIPE LINE

Water Pressure Proposed to Propel Fuel From Penna. Anthracite Region

By the Associated Press
New York, Dec. 10.—A project to bring coal from the anthracite regions in Pennsylvania into this city through two fourteen-inch pipes, by water pressure, was given consideration today by the city docks and health commission.

The plan was submitted to Mayor Ryan by Reginald D. Bolton, a member of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers, which held the closing sessions today of its forty-first annual convention. The mayor was interested in the idea and referred it to the two commissions, with a request to make recommendations as soon as possible.

Mr. Bolton explained that between this city and Scranton, Pa., there is a fall in elevation of about 2000 feet and that it would be as easy to transport coal in this fashion as water. He claimed 7,000,000 tons of coal could be brought through the pipe every year, which would amply supply the city's needs.

The engineers on the closing day of their convention held three simultaneous sessions of the power, design and textile sections.

SHRINE TO BUILD HOSPITAL

\$1,000,000 Institution Here Will Heal Crippled Children

A Shriners' hospital for crippled children soon will be an actuality. Every Shriner throughout North America has been assessed \$2, and the money will be used to establish such an institution as soon as it is possible to secure land and erect buildings.

There are about 450,000 members of the organization, and nearly \$1,000,000 will be available. Philadelphia has 14,000 members. The assessment has been made payable with the yearly dues.

W. Freeland Kendrick, head of the Philadelphia Shrine, is enthusiastic over the success of the movement. "We plan to carry it on each year," he said yesterday. "That will give us enough money to erect a new hospital every year. Each will be in a different section of the country, and it is quite probable the first will be in Chicago, Ill., or in Rochester, Minn., for at the latter city we can have the services of the famous Dr. Mayo."



Dr. OCTAVIO BEECHE
Newly appointed minister from Costa Rica. Dr. Beeche is the first diplomatic representative to the United States from Costa Rica since the Tinoco revolution and the refusal of the United States to recognize the new government.

Guardsmen in Reunion Tonight
The Infantry Corps, National Guard, during the world war the 103rd Field Artillery and now the Second Pennsylvania Field Artillery, will observe its annual reunion tonight in the armory on Broad street near Diamond.

The old guard, in command of Major John T. Hughes, will parade and be reviewed by Colonel William A. March, Battery C, Captain Edward Hobbs, will be mustered into service.

EX-JUSTICE HUGHES CALLED TO MARION

President-Elect and Possible Premier Confer on Policies of Next Administration

HOOVER COMING TOMORROW

By the Associated Press
Marion, O., Dec. 10.—Beginning his promised consultation with leading figures of the nation, President-elect Harding had an appointment today with Charles Evans Hughes, Republican presidential nominee in 1916, to talk over policies and proposals of the coming administration. Although it was understood that the plan for an association of nations had prominent place in the conference, the coming of Mr. Hughes was generally regarded as having to do also with various other problems before the President-elect. Many times recently his name had been suggested for a cabinet position, and the fact that he was the first to be invited to the consultations here was taken to mean that Mr. Harding might desire his advice in the framing of more than one feature of his administration program.

Mr. Hughes' visit was unannounced, the President-elect having adopted a practice of keeping the names of his conferees confidential until the day of their arrival here. It was said that his headquarters probably would make

public no list of future callers. Several of these names already have been learned from other sources, however, and it is understood that his next conference will be with Herbert Hoover. Monday previously had been fixed for Mr. Hoover's call, but he is now expected here tomorrow.

By making Mr. Hughes the first to be consulted here about the association of nations plan, Mr. Harding has begun his "meeting of minds" by summoning a leader from the reservationist wing of his party. During the league fight, Mr. Hughes proposed several reservations to the peace treaty dealing with Article X, withdrawal and other subjects.

In the midst of the campaign just closed, Mr. Hughes was one of those with whom Mr. Harding talked, and in a day they spent together here in September the league is understood to have been one of the principal subjects of consultation.

PLAN TO EXEMPT CLEANING JOBS

Civil Service Commission to Hold Public Hearings on Requests December 20

CITY BEGINS WORK JAN. 1

The Civil Service Commission on December 20 will hold a public hearing

on requests to exempt from civil service many positions in the municipal street cleaning and garbage reduction forces.

On January 1 the city will begin direct street cleaning and the collection of ashes and rubbish in the area bounded by Columbia avenue, Washington avenue and the Delaware and Schuylkill rivers.

The move to exempt the municipal street cleaners from civil service regulations is the first step in building up a force to replace the workers formerly employed by contractors.

At the public hearing, to begin at 11 a. m., consideration will be given to requests covering the following positions in the street-cleaning force:

Three district superintendents at \$250 a month, three stable boxes at \$107.50 a month, seven foremen at \$107.50 a month, twenty-eight subforemen at \$125 a month, 200 drivers at \$4 a day,

100 block men at \$3.30 a day, 350 laborers at \$4 a day, three timekeepers at \$125 a month, five clerks at \$120 a month, two stenographers at \$100 a month, five machinists at \$6 a day, five blacksmiths at \$6 a day, three wheelwrights at \$6 a day, three harness-makers at \$6 a day, two painters at \$5 a day.

Positions at the garbage reduction works desired in the exempt class follow:

One superintendent at \$400 a month, one assistant superintendent at \$220 a month, one foreman at \$107.50 a month, two subforemen at \$125 a month, three steam engineers at \$150 a month, seven firemen at \$125 a month, one foreman-machinist at \$7 a day, five mechanics at \$4 a day, one timekeeper at \$125 a month, one stenographer at \$100 a month, nine operators at \$5 a day, eight laborers at fifty-five cents an

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