



CITY PLANNERS TO BE OF ASSISTANCE IN LIGHTING PLANS

George B. Tripp Mentions New Civic Body in Paper on Interurban Illumination

COMMITTEE REPORT FEATURE

Harrisburg Electric Head Makes Valuable Suggestions at National Convention

Philadelphia, June 4.—Suggestions for the installation of a nation-wide system of interurban highway electric lighting were incorporated in an interesting report submitted this morning at the thirty-seventh convention of the National Electric Light Association by George B. Tripp, vice-president and general manager of the Harrisburg Light and Power Company and chairman of the special committee on interurban lighting.

In recommending 100-candlepower high-efficiency Mazda lamps with reflectors for the purpose, Mr. Tripp explained that the committee's investigations by personal observation and correspondence indicated two things: first, a great lack of information in hand about interurban lighting; second, a unanimous desire on the part of central station men to obtain information in detail regarding the latest developments in lighting units suitable for highway lighting.

Mr. Tripp's report suggested that a new committee be appointed early enough to permit the body to make a thorough and widespread investigation so as to present a definite report at the 1915 convention. In part Mr. Tripp's report was as follows:

Suburban and Interurban Lighting

Every suburban and interurban highway that is not adequately lighted offers an opportunity for the installation of such of the lighting systems suggested in this report as are best suited to the local conditions. The greatest opportunities are offered by the highways frequented in the main by automobiles and horse-drawn vehicles. The Lincoln Highway is one of the great projected highways that should be properly lighted.

People generally have not been accustomed to adequate illumination at night on suburban and interurban roads, and only those who have occasion to travel these roads at night realize the disadvantages of the inadequate illumination now in effect.

Even though the need of adequate lighting is recognized, comparatively few people have any idea of the best methods of lighting different kinds of roads. Therefore, in order to accomplish the correct kind of highway lighting, it will be necessary to do a large amount of educational work with the public generally and with the various lighting committees of civic and municipal bodies. Such educational work should emphasize the danger of accidents and robberies that might occur as

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Bones of Soldier Killed in Battle of Gettysburg Found Buried in Garden

Gettysburg, Pa., June 4.—While Charles Haner, who owns and lives at the Rogers House on the Gettysburg battlefield, was putting a tile drain through his garden he came upon evidences of a grave. He secured several other men and upon investigation found the skeleton of a man about two feet below the surface. The bones were very much decayed, but the larger ones were easily recognizable, the skull being intact until exposed to the air. There is no doubt but what the body was that of a soldier killed in the battle here. Found among the bones was a battered bullet, a remnant of a belt and bayonet scabbard, a brass button, a cap box with a half dozen percussion musket caps.

DEMOCRATIC GANG RIDES ROUGH SHOD OVER COMMITTEE

Nothing Not Dictated by Palmer and McCormick Allowed to Be Considered

"CHEAT AND A FRAUD"

So Says Flynn of White House Twins and Little Fellows They Control

Democratic State committee and county leaders who remained in the city to-day were still dizzy over the unheard-of procedure of the bosses yesterday in taking the framing of a party declaration of principles out of the hands of the State committee and placing the drafting and promulgation of the document in the power of a hand-picked committee. This action, taken late yesterday afternoon, was the most amazing piece of political machine bossism ever known in the State and the charge of Representative John M. Flynn, of Elk, in the State committee session yesterday afternoon that the action "was a cheat and a fraud" and "a piece of political shenanigan" found many an echo in the city last night and to-day.

Democratic leaders and observers of yesterday's proceeding said that it showed the hollowness of the Democratic protestations to question the sincerity of the declaration for local option. There is no doubt that the machine headed by Palmer, McCormick and Morris controlled yesterday's meeting to one end and that it could have forced through a resolution declaring the moon was made of green cheese if the bosses desired, and why the men who run the party organization refused to allow the State committee to have a voice in framing the platform passed comprehension of many men. Some thought that the leaders wanted to avoid a showdown on the issue because some of the fellows who stand with Palmer and McCormick are not as ardent in their declarations for local option as the two nominees. In fact, there are some county bosses who may not be for local option. At any rate, whether it was to shield these followers of Palmer and McCormick or to aid a row, it was the most ardent piece of machine politics ever played in Harrisburg, and that is saying a great deal, even when the Palmer-McCormick leadership is mentioned.

How It Was Done

The row started when the harmony songs of Palmer and McCormick and Dan Hart were still in the air. The last of the candidates had been displayed in a manner that was highly insulting to the New Castle, named C. H. Aiken, put in a resolution for a committee of nine to meet with the candidates and draft a platform. At the bottom of this resolution was written in a handwriting said by some to have been that of A. Mitchell Palmer these words: "and be authorized and empowered to prepare and publish a declaration of principles." When this was slipped through Chairman Morris told the committee to elect their division chairman. The committee was named and a list of specially

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MCCORMICK SETS NEW PACE FOR PRIMARY CAMPAIGN EXPENSES

Admits He Personally Spent Enormous Sum of \$33,274.73 For Nomination

BULK IS NOT REPORTED

More Extravagances Will Be Made Public When Palmer-McCormick League Reports

Vance C. McCormick, who established a record for expenditures in the campaign which resulted in his election as Mayor of Harrisburg in 1902, has set a new high mark for cost of primary election campaigns in Pennsylvania in 1914. According to his sworn statement filed at the Capitol late yesterday afternoon, he spent \$33,274.73. The statement of the Palmer-McCormick campaign committee, which paid most of the expenses of his campaign tour and contributed to the cause of the White House twins in the counties of the State, has yet to be filed, and when it does come along there can be gained some idea of what it cost to put McCormick over as the Democratic nominee for Governor with all the forces of the national administration and the whole State machine behind him. Suffice it to say that his account of \$33,274.73 is as memorable a mark in a State primary campaign as was his historic campaign for Mayor. Verily, running for office is no longer any sport for a boot man.

Fifteen Times More Than Ryan The McCormick expenditures, which are more than twice those of Boles Penrose, who was a target of all party opposers to the Republicans, are about fifteen times greater than those shown on the statement of Michael J. Ryan, his rival for the nomination. Ryan says he spent \$2,723.49.

Mr. McCormick received one contribution of \$5,000 from his sister. The McCormick newspaper gives this account of his statement: "His expense account contains 282 items, showing a total of \$33,274.73 every cent. The summarized account

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BULL MOOSERS HERE TO FRAME PLATFORM AND ELECT OFFICERS

Boss Flinn Again National Committeeman; Detrich Chairman; Lindemuth Secretary

Bull Moosers are holding forth at the Board of Trade this afternoon, but, unlike the Democratic State committee, the Washingtonians have no quarrels in their household. The meeting is the first to be held by the State committee under the state-wide law, and the attendance was, as one man put it, "hopeful."

The committee will adopt a platform right in open meeting where all men can discuss it. It will declare for local option on a county unit, woman suffrage, protective tariff and nationwide prohibition. The national and state administrations will be rapped and Wilson's canal tolls stoutly criticized. Judging from advance hints, the Bull Moosers have no time for Democrats in or out of power.

William Flinn is in the bossing the job. He sat in on the framing of the platform with State Treasurer Young, Governor Gifford Pinchot, who would be senator, and other leading lights. Flinn will be re-elected national committeeman; A. Nevin Detrich, hopeful and happy, will be re-elected chairman, with H. D. Lindemuth, secretary, and State Treasurer R. K. Young as treasurer. All of the war horses of 1912 are here and the talk is all about what "the Colonel" is going to start in Harrisburg on June 30, and if reports bumping about the hall are correct he is booked to speak in every county, although no one has any doubt that George F. Holmes of Philadelphia, is on hand with choice phrases for

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1,678 Coke Ovens Shut Down Over Past Week

Connellsville, Pa., June 4.—Further curtailment in the coke industry was shown in the weekly review of the Connellsville Courier here to-day by the statement that 1,678 coke ovens were shut down during the week, bringing the total since May 1 to almost 5,000. Production fell off 13,502 tons.

Ambassador Entertains King and Queen of Spain

Madrid, June 4.—Colonel Joseph E. Willard, United States ambassador, and Mrs. Willard had King Alfonso and Queen Victoria of Spain as their guests at luncheon at the American embassy to-day. Kermit Roosevelt and the British and German ambassadors also were guests. A Russian ballet troupe performed for the entertainment of the guests.

PREPARE FOR ARRIVAL OF MEMBERS OF I. W. W.

Tarrytown, N. Y., June 4.—In anticipation of the arrival here some time before Saturday of an army of several hundred members of the Industrial Workers of the World to follow an announced plan to hold a public demonstration against the arrest of thirteen of their number last week, Sheriff Doyle to-day assigned special deputies to entry duty on all principal roads leading into Tarrytown.

NEW DOCK STREET BRIDGE IN THE MAKING



Big Black Bear Swims Across River at Dauphin

Two in Boat Find Out It's Sure Enough Bruin as It Walks Cross Bar

Dauphin is very much excited to-day, because early this morning a big black bear swam across the river. Old timers, who remember when bar wuz plenty on the mountains hereabouts, are talking about getting down their muzzle-loaders—the one grand-pap used in the Mexican war—and going in pursuit. Bruin must have walked down the hill in the wee small hours, because the first that Dauphin knew about it was when John Hocker and his wife told the story. He said: "My wife and I were coming across the river in a boat this morning to Dauphin. I noticed a large black animal swimming towards us.

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FIVE HURT AS AUTO SKIDS INTO TRUCK THAT DOESN'T STOP

Party From Hanover on Way to Orphans' Home Celebration at Loysville

Five persons were thrown from an auto going from Hanover to Loysville this morning just as their machine got at the western stretch of the Harrisburg bridge. Cornelius R. McCosh, proprietor of the Hanover Ice Company, 21 West Chester street, Hanover, was hurled through the windshield of his own machine. He struck the floor of the bridge and his forehead was fractured. Robert McCosh, his son, who was the only one to cling

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Control of Stock and Bond Issues Taken Up

Washington, D. C., June 4.—The Rayburn bill for Federal control of railroad stock and bond issues is the fixed business of the House to-day. Representative Adamson, of Georgia, chairman of the interstate commerce committee, who is in charge of the measure, expected to complete general debate on it late to-day. The consideration of the bill, section by section for amendment, probably will begin Friday, with the expectation of House leaders that it will be concluded and that all three anti-trust measures will be disposed of probably late Saturday.

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T. R.'S SON WILL BE MARRIED IN ROOM IN MAGISTRATE'S HOME

To Comply With Laws Civil Ceremony Cannot Be Performed in Embassy

Madrid, June 4.—Because Ambassador Willard desires to observe all the requirements of the Spanish laws in respect to foreign marriages, the magistrate of the Buenavista district will perform the civil marriage ceremony for Miss Belle Willard and Kermit Roosevelt on June 10. The American embassy is situated in the Buena

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Great Cavity Found on California Mountain

Red Bluff, Cal., June 4.—Forest Supervisor W. J. Rushing, after an inspection made on Mount Lassen, which last week was in eruption, reported to-day that he found a cavity 100 feet in diameter covered with ashes about a foot thick. He says the hole is 100 feet from a frozen lake in which the ice is melting and the water running into one of the heated fissures forced up ashes and mud. It is thought another geyser is being formed similar to those at Bumpass Hill, nearly four miles distant, where steam and water are being thrown out nearly all the time. The phenomenon, is a geyser action and not volcanic.

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HOPE TO OPEN NEW DOCK ST. BRIDGE TO TRAVEL IN 2 WEEKS

Steel on Big Viaduct Is All in Place; Concrete Work Under Way

Within two weeks, barring inclement weather or other unforeseen interruptions, the new Dock street bridge over the Pennsylvania railroad tracks should be completed and open for traffic.

Work on the great steel and concrete viaduct has been progressing rapidly and the structure now is far enough toward completion to present an adequate idea of the character of the bridge that will form the connecting link between the extreme lower section and the south end of Harrisburg west of the Pennys.

Practically all of the steel is in place and work has been started on the concrete for the bridge base. The job is being hurried as consistently as possible and the middle of June, it is expected, will see the viaduct in such shape as should permit the laying of the trolley tracks.

Its Massive Lines The massiveness of the bridge is the feature that appeals to the average eye. Great steel girders more than

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Bill For Erection of Home For Lepers Is Introduced in House

Washington, D. C., June 4.—The presence here of John Early, the alleged leper, resulted in the introduction to-day of two bills to provide for a national home for lepers.

Representative Johnson, of Washington, introduces a bill to authorize the surgeon general, in the Public Health Service, to select an island in any insular or territorial possession for use as a national leper home, appropriating \$150,000. Representative Britton, Illinois, introduced a bill to appropriate, at a site to be selected appropriate \$500,000 for a national by a board comprising the surgeon general of the army, navy and Public Health Service.

MONUMENT IS UNVEILED

Washington, D. C., June 4.—Representatives of every State in the Confederacy, officers of the armies of the North and the South, members of the Cabinet and many distinguished guests gathered here to-day for the unveiling of the Confederate monument in Arlington National Cemetery. President Wilson was the principal speaker on the program.

Shamrock IV on First Sail Stretching Spin

Portsmouth, Eng., June 4.—Shamrock IV, Sir Thomas Lipton's new challenger for America's cup, went out to-day for her first sail-stretching spin in the vicinity of Spithead. She was accompanied by Shamrock III. The wind was light and fluky and inadequate to test the capabilities of the challenger. Under her huge mastsail and her steep foresail she maneuvered handsly, however, and picked up quickly after tacking. The lowering mast of the new yacht dwarfed that of the old Shamrock.

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SCORES ABANDON FERRY MIDDLE OF RIVER; HUNDREDS RETURN ON FLATS

Picnic of Hebrew Ladies' Aid Society Almost Turns Into a Wetting

TRY TO SHOVEL OUT WATER AS NEAR PANIC PREVAILS

But Brave Crew of Ensminger Craft Have to Abandon the Attempt at Last

Nearly 150 persons or more had a narrow escape from being drowned in the Susquehanna river yesterday when water was discovered filling the ferry owned by E. C. Ensminger, 1122 Green street, while carrying passengers from this city to Independence Island where a picnic was being held.

Twice within the same day and but several hours apart it was discovered that water was filling the ferry as it reached the middle of the river while loaded with passengers. By the prompt action of those who were in charge of the craft, the passengers were all taken from the boat and placed in rowing boats and sand flats that were quickly summoned.

The picnic was being held on Independence Island by the Hebrew Ladies' Aid Society. All day yesterday people were being taken to and from the island by the ferry. Yesterday afternoon shortly after 2 o'clock a party of more than one hundred people including men, women and children were placed on the ferry. Shortly after the boat started for Independence Island water was just opposite the short on the other side of the river. As the craft loaded with the passengers reached the middle of the

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THE WEATHER

For Harrisburg and vicinity: Unsettled weather to-night and Friday, probably occasional showers; not much change in temperature. For Eastern Pennsylvania: Showers to-night and probably Friday; moderate to fresh winds, mostly south.

The North and West branches will probably rise somewhat to-night and Friday, except the upper portions, which likely begin to fall Friday. The Junco will probably not change materially. The main river will remain nearly stationary to-night and probably slightly Friday. A stage of 2.2 feet is indicated for Harrisburg Friday morning.

General Conditions Showers have fallen over a belt of country extending from Montana and Wyoming eastward to the Atlantic coast, being mostly light to moderate except in Wisconsin, where 4.22 inches of rain fell. Temperature, 80 to 82. Sun: Rises, 4:37 a. m.; sets, 7:28 p. m. Moon: Full moon, Jun. 8, 12:18 p. m. River Stage: 2.2 feet above low water mark.

Yesterday's Weather Highest temperature, 80. Lowest temperature, 67. Mean temperature, 67. Normal temperature, 67.

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Late News Bulletins

Vera Cruz, June 4.—The price Provisional President Huerta demands for his retirement is the legalization of his office, acts since his appointment to the provisional presidency, according to advices from the capital to-day.

London, June 4.—An attempt to forcibly "hold up" King George at to-night's court at Buckingham Palace is the latest conspiracy charged to the suffragettes. The Evening Standard, which is responsible for the story, says the police discovered elaborate plans for obtaining access to the court, including forged cards of admission. The alleged plot is credited to Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst.

Associated Press Boat (By Wireless)—Later this afternoon it was learned that the withdrawal of the Vanitie was caused by the loss of two men overboard and difficulty in recovering them and not by the parting of the forestry sail sheet.

Washington, June 4.—Prospects of an attempted blockade of Tampico by Huerta gunboats took the position of chief interest in Mexican affairs here to-day and administration officials, informed of the latest development only in news dispatches, declined to indicate their policy although they informed Admirals Badger and Mayo of the situation.

Quebec, June 4.—Twelve of the crew of the steamship Empress of Ireland, who perished in the St. Lawrence disaster, were buried here to-day with fitting ceremony. The funeral procession, moving to the music of military bands, passed between double rows of sorrowing spectators. Everywhere flags were at half mast.

Pittsburgh, June 4.—With two persons dead and a dozen injured as a result of last night's motorcycle racing accident here, Coroner Jamison to-day began investigation of motorcycle racing in Pittsburgh. Archer Armstrong, of New York, whose machine left the track and dashed among the spectators, was said to be injured beyond hope of recovery, and William H. Vanderhulst, of Philadelphia, another racer, was so seriously hurt that hospital doctors would not venture the opinion that he would get well.

Washington, June 4.—One of the foreign ministers in Mexico City advised the embassy here to-day that Huerta regarded the receipt of the recently landed cargoes of arms as strengthening his position with the constitutionalists, but that it had not changed the dictator's attitude toward mediation.

Wall Street Closing.—Chesapeake & Ohio, 52 1/4; Lehigh Valley, 135; Northern Pacific, 110 1/2; Southern Pacific, 93; Union Pacific, 133 1/2; C. M. & St. P., 99 1/2; P. R. R., 111 1/2; Reading, 164 1/2; New York Central, 91 1/2; Canadian Pacific, 194 1/2; U. S. Steel, 61 1/2.

CRUSHED CAR ON THE BRIDGE

