

RUSSIAN VICTORY IN GALICIA'S ADVANCE

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the pursuit of the Russian army in the Caucasus is progressing. It also reports that the British renewed their attempt to land troops at Akabah, Arabia, but failed.

INDIA RESTRICTS EXPORTS

Delhi, India, via London, Dec. 30, 9:25 A. M.—In view of the abnormal prices of wheat the Indian government decided to restrict export to 100,000 tons of wheat, including flour from December to March 31, 1915. The exports will be confined to British possessions in which a strong demand for cereal exists.

Vienna Admits Retreat of Austrians in East

Vienna, via Wireless to London, Dec. 30, 7 A. M.—An official communication given out by the staff headquarters admits a retreat by the Austrians in Galicia. The statement follows: "The Russian army, which about a week ago commenced an offensive against those of our forces which had crossed the Carpathians, has been reinforced with supplementary troops and fresh divisions in such a manner that it is necessary for us to withdraw our troops along the entire eastern front and in the plain of Gorlice (just north of the Carpathians and to the east of Nowy Sanced). The situation in the north has not been influenced thereby.

State Quarantine Modified in This Part of Pennsylvania

The State livestock quarantine for foot and mouth disease was modified in several counties to-day. The following townships in this vicinity remain under quarantine: East Pennsboro, Hampden, Lower Allen, Middlesex, Middleton, Monroe, Silver Spring, Southampton and Upper Allen townships, Cumberland county; Conewago, Derry, East Hanover, South Hanover, West Hanover, Londonderry, Lower Madison, Swatara and Lower Swatara townships, in Dauphin county.

Center, Wheatland, Oliver and Miller townships, in Perry county; Grantville, West Perry, North Derry and South Derry townships, in Milford county; Jackson, Washington, Jordan and Lower Madison townships, in Northumberland county; Juniata county is relieved entirely.

Big Porch Around Golfers' Clubhouse at Reservoir Park

While the contract for the proposed new golf clubhouse at Reservoir Park, as awarded by Commissioner M. Harvey Taylor, and approved yesterday by Council, provides for a frame structure without a porch, the park superintendent intimated that sufficient money for such another building could be found to provide an attractive porch. The contract for the house alone was awarded to J. A. McKelvey of York. The contract for the construction of the new concrete bridge over Spring Creek in Cameron park was awarded to W. H. Murphy & Son, Chambersburg, for \$1,687.

CHURCH NEWS

New Year Feast Day.—The feast of the circumcison and the day of obligation will be observed in the St. Francis, St. Mary's, Sacred Heart and St. Lawrence Roman Catholic churches of this city on New Year's Day. Masses will be said at 5:30 and 9 o'clock in the morning. At St. Patrick's Cathedral masses will be at 5:30, 7 and 9 o'clock. By request the St. Cecilia's choir will give a special program as the one on Christmas morning. Vespers will be observed at 7 o'clock in the evening.

WILSON SAYS UNDERWOOD TARIFF BILL WILL STAND

Washington, D. C., Dec. 30.—President Wilson seemed annoyed when asked to-day what reply he would make to the letter of the Montgomery County Manufacturers' Association. This letter, which was received Saturday, cited the situation in Pennsylvania and called upon the President to use his influence to have the Underwood tariff law amended and thereby benefit business.

The letter pictured business conditions as growing worse and more serious than before the November election. His reply was a flat denial that the situation was as detailed by the letter.

\$50,000 FIRE AT ARDEN

Washington, Pa., Dec. 30.—The Meadow Lands Coal Company's tipple at Arden was destroyed by fire last night, entailing \$50,000 loss and throwing 500 men out of work. The flames originated in the mine from an undetermined cause. Fourteen miners were rescued with difficulty. The sudden shifting of a high wind is believed to have saved several blocks of miners' houses from destruction.

GOVERNOR BLEASE PARDONS 41

Columbia, S. C., Dec. 30.—Forty-four State prisoners, including two serving life sentences for murder, were granted clemency to-day by Governor Cole Blease, making a total of 1,488 that Governor Blease has liberated in the last four years. One of the life-term prisoners was pardoned and the other paroled.

OFFENSIVE WAR BY U. S. IS LEFT WITH VOTERS IN BILL

Washington, D. C., Dec. 30.—Aggressive warfare by the United States would be possible only on approval of a majority of the voters of the country under a constitutional amendment proposed yesterday by Senator Owen. The power of the President to call out troops to resist an invasion would not be altered, but declaration of an offensive war would have to be submitted to a referendum.

DAVIS OR DOVINES FOR REIGNING IN THE MARKET?

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speeches. The following officers were elected: Department of county superintendence, president, C. S. Knapp, Wayne county; vice-president, Frank Kochler, Monroe county; secretary, L. R. Crumrine, Washington county; treasurer, J. H. Hare, Altoona, was referred the job of redrafting an amendment relative to fixing the tenure of councilmen and mayor at four instead of two years.

OFFICE TENURE REFERRED

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HARRISBURG HEARD FROM

Harrisburg officialdom was represented by Mayor John K. Royal, City Commissioners W. H. Lynch, M. Harvey Taylor and Harry P. Bowman, City Solicitor D. S. Seitz, City Clerk Charles A. Miller and Assistant City Clerk R. R. Seaman. Furthermore, the Capital City delegation was heard from. One of the more important amendments, the portion of a section making it optional instead of mandatory for a council to advertise for bids for municipal work or materials, was retained upon motion of City Clerk Miller.

Mayor Stratton, of Reading, who led the fight to have the amendment retained, said he believed the majority of his job was entirely different from that of the other commissioners in that he had peculiar responsibilities relative to the safety of the city. For that reason, he said, he thinks the mayor should have the right to designate his own chief, captain, lieutenants, etc., of police.

High School Discussion

Among the sectional meetings of most interest was the round table conference and discussion on the "Standard High School." The question, "What Shall the Standard High School Be, a Six-year School, an Academic School, a Manual Training or a Composite High School?" brought forth a lively discussion by members for and against each item in question. In considering the standard of preparation that should be set up for high school teachers, the majority of respondents indicated that a short course in direct preparation for teaching should be required, no matter what amount of general academic training the applicant had.

In the department of manual arts meeting, J. F. Rees, instructor of mechanical drawing in Harrisburg High School, read a paper on the shortcomings of the country school, emphasizing the need of trained school directors as well as efficient teachers. The closing address was made by Deputy State Superintendent Teitrick, on "The Ideal Rural School and Its Equipment." He said the ideal country school should have good location, full equipment, a suitable library, a section of apparatus for work in elementary domestic science and appliances for teaching elementary physics and chemistry.

Tells of Arkansas Schools

The last speaker on the program yesterday afternoon was Dr. W. E. Catbrook, of Choctaw, Ark., who spoke on the subject, "Training Rural Boys and Girls in Systematic Activities." The Choctaw educator gripped the crowd with his novel and forceful talk about conditions in his backwoods school districts in the out of the Ozark mountains in Arkansas. He told of many of the rude things he must contend with and the rough life he leads in his efforts to rouse the people from their lethargy and opposition to many points of education.

THE ORPHEUM NEW YEAR'S

They who see the New Year in at the Orpheum to-morrow night are bound to see and enjoy some original vaudeville surprises that they haven't seen before. An informal atmosphere will prevail and some clever surprises may be expected all during the performance, especially at the mystic stroke of 12.

Deaths and Funerals

MRS. MARY C. HUGHES DIES
Washington, Dec. 30.—Mrs. Mary C. Hughes, wife of the Associate Justice Charles E. Hughes, of the United States Supreme Court, died early to-day at her residence here. Her life was devoted to religious and charitable work.

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GERMAN PRISONERS OF WAR CHEERY WHILE UNDER GUARD

Saint-Pol, France, via Paris, Dec. 30, 10:55 a. m.—German prisoners of war work cheerily at the side of their armed French guardians in repairing the much damaged national highways in this region, just to the rear of the colossal battlefront. The prisoners are on the best terms with their captors, who good-naturedly share cigarettes, whiffs from their pipes and other luxuries with their erst-

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There's a new serial story in the Woman's Home Companion by Kathleen Norris, the author of "Mother." It is called "Uneducating Mary." Four such serial novels will be published during the year. Each one of them will be brought out by some book publisher afterwards at \$1.50—in other words, \$6 worth of new novels in the Woman's Home Companion.

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