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UMBRELLAS



ON MAIL CLERK CUT

Local Attaches at Pennsylvania Railroad Station Claim It Works Hardship

Passenger trainmen and station attaches who frequently handle mail, will join with railway mail clerks in a protest against cutting the numbe of mail crews. At the Pennsylvania railroad station to-day, platform men were protesting loudly because of the

extra work.

Mail clerks claim they are unable to have the pouches ready for transfer at terminal stations. This makes it at terminal stations. This makes it necessary for platform men to unload and load without any help. It is said that trains are delayed from five to ten minutes in order to transfer the mail at this point.

Standing of the Crews

HARRISBURG SIDE

Philadelphia Division — 109 crew to first after 4 p. m.: 107, 103, 131, 115, 5, 106, 117, 118, 129, 104, 101, 121, 108, 4, 128, 119, 116. Engineers for 101, 125. Firemen for 106, 108, 109, 114, 123. Conductors for 106, 118, 129. Flagmen for 103, 107, 115, 131. Brakemen for 102, 103, 108, 115, 121, 5.

Clouser, Simonton, Garman, ster, Simonton, Garman, Smith.
Firemen up: Liebau, Karstetter, Fletcher, Zeiders, Stouffer, Mohler, Cox, Fritz, Gross, Ross, Wright.
Conductors up: Keys, Patrick, Eberle

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Engineers up: Pelton, Shaver, Landis, Hoyler, Beck, Harter, Biever, Rlosser, Rudy, Houser, Stahl, Swab, Crist, Harvey, Saltsman, Kuhn.
Firemen up: Snell, Bartolet, Getty, Barkey, Sheets, Bair, Eyde, Ulsh, Boatdorf, Schiefer, Rauch, Weigle, Lackey, Cookerley, Maeyer, Sholter
Engineer for 32.
Fireman for 16.

Engineers for 202, 203, 208, 227, 233, 242.

Firemen for 202, 233, 237.
Conductors for r13, 19, 25, 33.
Flagman for 25.
Brakemen for 01, 07, 08, 19, 25, 36.
Conductors up: Dewees, Keller, Steinouer, Shirk.
Flagmen up: Corrigan, Kroh, Reitzel,
Ford, Camp,
Brakemen up: Waltman, Taylor,
Lutz, Musser, Goudy, Lng, Campbell,
Shuler, Shaffner, Baker, Rice, Vand-

ling, Jacobs.
Middle Division — 107 crew to go after 2 p. m.: 101, 109, 115, 103, 102, 452, 110, 116.
Conductor for 107.
Flagman for 103.
Brakemen for 107, 103-2.

Middaugh. Wireman, Sweeley. Firemen up: Robbins, Fulton, Grumbine, Lex. Bywers, Sullivan, Carl, Stephens, Anspach, Nye, King. Conductors up: Gerdman, Orris, Conductors up: Gerdman, Orris, Grimes, Ely. Grimes, Esminger, Keefer, Wynn, Ware. Slentz, Palnter, Bingaman, Yoder, Taylor.

Bill to Increase State

The bill to increase the State Police force, defeated last week, was reconsidered in the House to-day and dropped from the calendar. The motion to reconsider was made by Mr. Wildman, Dauphin, and went through 59 to 54. Mr. Maurer, Berks, protested that the vote was not correct and when Mr. McCaigs, alleghey, moved that the bill be postponed, made a speech demanding that the fate of the bill be settled at once. The House refused to postpone the bill and on motion of Mr. Gibson, Lycoming, dropped it from the calendar.

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A photographic plate exposed to the heavens in a large telescope for any considerable length of time shows nothing but a continuous blur of light, indicating that the photographic eye see beyond the reach of human vision such a multitude of suns that every part of space is filled. One may gain some supposing the photography of space by supposing the photography of the property of the property without the permittent of the supposing the photography of the property without the permittent of find the heavens still crowded with millions and millions of suns, each possibly having its own planets.

EVERYTHING READ FOR CHORAL FESTIVAL

Big Musical Event of the Year to Be Held at the Majestic Tomorrow



E. J. DECEVEE

Accompanist of Choral Society

Practically all arrangements have Festival of the Harrisburg Choral So-This afternoon C. E. W. Yoder.

superintendent of concert arrangements, with a large force of carpenters, began erecting the extension stage and the singers' platform at the

stage and the singers' platform at the Majestic Theater. This work will be completed late to-night. The orchestra and soloists will arrive to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock; the rehearsal is at 10 in the theater; the afternoon concert; at 3 o'clock and the evening concert at 8.15.

The final regular rehearsal will be held this evening in Fahnestock Hall, when "Samson" will be rehearsed from cover to cover.

E. J. Decevee, of the Harrisburg Conservatory of Music, is the assistant director and the accompanist of the Choral Society. Some of the recitatives in the oratorio "Samson," which the Choral Society will sing to-morrow evening, are accompanied by an organ in addition' to the orchestra. The accompanient will be played by Mr. Decevee. Mr. Decevee has been the accompanist of the society for many years, having taken the place of D. E. Crozier, the former accompanist.

Story of "Samson"

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"LIARS!" CRIES BILLY SUNDAY TO NEWSPAPERS



Police Force Is Dropped

as pulled down the Philistines' temple and buried his enemies and himself in its ruins."

In Perfect Condition

Dr. J. Fred Wolle, of Bethlehem, who arrived in the dity this afternoon, said of the Choral Society:

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TO CLARK CITY BILI

League of Third Class Municipalities' Representatives Meet With Senate Committee

Proposed changes to the Clark com nission form of government law relative to the elimination of the nonpartisan feature of the personnel of the council, extension of appointive powers of the mayor, method of electing city treasurers, sking salaries of councilmen and regulating the terms for which they shall be elected were threshed out by the committee of mayors and city solicitors of the League of Third Class Cities of Pennsylvania, to-day prior to the hearing before the Senate committee on municipal corporations at 3 o'clock this afternoon. Harrisburg was represented by Mayor John K. Royal, City Clommissioners Harry F. Bowman, William L. Gorgas, William H. Lynch and M. Harvey Taylor, City Solicitor D. S. Seitz, City Clerk Charles A. Miller, City Engineer M. B. Cowden and Assistant City Clerk R. R. Seaman. The local delegation was against the proposed change in the provision for the tenure of councilmen.

The councilmens salary amendment, providing that the cities of less than 70,000 pay a maximum salary of \$3,500 annually was not recommended.

Many Delegates Here
The committee decided against the proposed amendment to eliminate the non-partisan feature of the act, contending that the personnel of Council should remain nonpartisan. Following were among those in attendance:

Mayors, George Kramers, Lock Haven; John Patterson Corry; John K. Royal, Harrisburg; J. E. Reynolds, Meadville; Ira W. Stratton, Reading, John Kosek, Wilkes-Barre; city solicitors, James A. Garder, New Castle; Thomas Harte, Altoonas, M. W. Gross, Granglation, began to map out a prior of the kingshipman; intermezzo, "The Bartish Hartey Police Try, Mrs. A. S. Koser Dies in Mrs. A. S. Koser the council, extension of appointive powers of the mayor, method of elect

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Strong and Allentown; F. P. Schoonmaker, Braddord; G. T. Kineard, Corry; C. H. English, Erie; Donald Glenn, Franklin; D. S. Seitz, Harrisburg; R. B. McCormick, Lock Haven; F. W. Hayes, Old City; W. M. Bartelot, Reading; C. McHugh, Wilkes-Barre F. P. Cummings, Sioners Bowman, Gorgas, Lynch and Taylor, Harrisburg; C. E. Arner and Charles Spangler, Allentown; Williamsport; councilmen, Commissioners Bowman, Gorgas, Lynch and Charles Spangler, Allentown; William Larger, C. E. Arner and Charles Spangler, Allentown; William Mrs. Koser had been life for the Australian Stenner, Lock Haven; R. Nelson hay the most spital. Mrs. Koser had been life for the Australian Stenner, Lock Haven; R. Nelson hay the most spital. Mrs. Koser had been life for the Australian Stenner, Lock Haven; R. Nelson hay the most spital. Mrs. Koser had been life for the Australian Stenner, Lock Haven; R. Nelson hay the most spital will be made at 11th Mrs. Koser was a member of the Marry S. Meyer.

WAR'S END APPROACHING

Register of the Authors' Club, and for a number of years was secretary of the civic Club.

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By Associated Press
London, April 28, 12.10 P. M.—England is breathing freely again to-day in the general belief that the German offensive near Ypres has been stopped, and the country is finding time to turn its attention to the Dardanelles, where the transition of the Dardanelles, where an allied army has landed on both shores of the straits.

**HILA TROOPS RETREAT

By Associated Press

Montreal, April 28.—General Horace Smith-Dorrien, commander of the British econdary army in France, does not think there will be another winter campaign. He made this statement in a speech he delivered to officers of the Canadian contingent just before that niego saying that Eastern Sonora, as force was moved from Neuve Chapelle far as Sahuaripa, 170 miles south of here, has been cleared of Villa troops.

DISCUSS AMENDMENTS VERDI BAND TO PLAY AT SOCIAL OF KNIGHTS OF SAINT GEORGE





Photo by Roshon.
C. GAETA
President of Verdi Band.

At various times during the year ranch 168, Knights of St. George, olds social functions for its members of the crack musical organizations of Central Pennsylvania.

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During the course of the evening refreshments will be served to all those in attendance and there will be plenty of cigars for the smoker. Arrangements were also completed today for the presence of a supremofficer of the knights, who will deliver a short address.

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M. Calderazzi, director of the Verdiband, and a crack Steelton musician, to-day announced the following program, which will be interspersed with special numbers: "Fairest of the Fair," Sousa; intermezzo, "The Red Devil," march, "Under the Double Eagle;" selection from "Norma," Belinni; march, "The Midshipman;" intermezzo, "Un-

By Associated Press

Seattle, Wash., April 28.—More than 45,000 applications for work on the government project in Alaska are on file in the office of the government's engineer commission here, it became known to-day.

coming unconscious she said she had seen attacked by a negro who demanded money. Later developments lead the police to believe that a white man or a white woman may have been her assailant. Why a woman should figure in the case was not explained.

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