# AGRICULTURE TO

Governor Signs the Whitaker Bill in the Presence of Its Chester



Governor Brumbaugh said to-day that he would not make the appointments for some time as he desired to get the best men to carry out his plans for making the department of agriculture a great force in the State's affairs. The Governor is much interested in the new scheme for the department and arrangements were made to-day to make the appropriation for the conduct of the department conform to the terms of the bill.

Using Fishway. — Reports to the epartment of Fisheries from the Mc-all's Ferry dam to-day are to the ffect that salmon and other fish are

ascending. Observations are being made every few hours and it is believed that good results will be shown.

To Print Report. — The legislature has taken steps to have printed several thousand copies of the report of the Economy and Efficiency commission which is to be given certification. sion which is to be given considerable attention on the Hill in the next few

#### NO PUBLIC SERVICE NOMINATIONS TODAY

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chich will include Edward J. Stack ole, Harrisburg, to fill a vacancy ow existing. Louis Wolf, Philadel hia, is also being mentioned for the

missioner Charles Johnson and Bank-ng Commissioner William H. Smith will go in late to-day. Nominations sent in to-day in-

Cluded:
Commission State Institution For Inebriates—Lewis Sadler, Carlisle; David Hunter, Pittsburgh; Francis J. Hall, Hagrisburg; James C. Work, Uniontown; A. L. Reichenbach, Allentown; C. D. Wehrle, Topton.
Game Commissioners—George D. Gideon, Philadelphia; W. B. McCaleb, Harrisburg; John M. Phillips, Pittsburgh; J. S. Speen, St. Mary's.
Board of Undertakers—J. Lewis Good, C. C. A. Baldi and Samuel Foster, all of Philadelphia.

#### Polyclinic Hospital Gets \$100 From Sportsmen

ng by the superintendent of the Poly-linic Hospital that the institution has received more than a hundred dollars from the Harrisburg Sportsmen's As-sociation as a result of the benefit thoot held by the sportsmen some

### **DEFEAT OF RUSSIANS** HAS BECOME SERIOUS

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under military control. It is said the final decision will be known quickly after parliament meets to-morrow.

Reconstruction of the British ministry apparently has been decided, although it is believed the Unionist leaders will seek the formal sanctions of their followers at a party meeting before definite action is taken. It is assumed in London that sweeping changes will be made in forming the coalition government.

The Whitaker bill providing for the State Commission of Agriculture became a law last night when it was signed by Governor Brumbaugh in the presence of R e press en tattve would not be would not be would not be said he would not said the said he sai

London, May 19.—'Never since the war began has any one day brought so grave a bulletin as that received last night," says the Petrograd correspondent of the Post.

"On this occasion, for the first time since hostilities opened, I failed to find any indications that suggest a promising set-off to what on its face seems something like a collapse of the Russian forces. Over a front extending some 200 miles the Germans have caused the Russians to retreat.

"After the experiences of the past few months this seems almost incredible and almost compels the belief that the best part of the truth about the entire situation remains hidden. The official organ conveys the impression that what the Russians have done is only to succeed in escaping annihilation by a series of more colless masterly movements to the rear. It is admitted that the German plan of compelling the abandonment of an invasion of Hungry by a fierce onslaught from Cracow has been successful."

"U. S. TO PROTECT AUSTRIA

By Associated Press

Rome, May 19.—It is said here that Austria already has decided to entrust to the United States the protection of her subjects in Italy in the event of the commission form of government and would like to see Harrisburg once more under the old bleameral system.

William Jennings urged greater activity in the city boosting movement.

Among the Speakers.

By Associated Press

Rome, May 19.—It is said here that Austria already has decided to entrust to the United States the protection of her subjects in Italy in the event of war, which is considered inevitable. Owing to the feeling caused in the United States by the sinking of the Lusitania, Germany is reported to have decided to ask Switzerland to undertake the same task for German subjects and property in this country.

#### TURKS OBTAIN SUPPLIES

on the Asiatic coast of the Dardanelles. It also has been learned there that the Turks on the Gallipoli peninsula who for weeks have lacked artillery ammunition have obtained an abundant supply of shells in the past few

### **COMPENSATION LAWS** ARE NOW ASSURED

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ing by the superintendent of the Polycinic Hospital that the institution has received more than a hundred dollars from the Harrisburg Sportsmen's Association as a result of the benefit shoot held by the sportsmen sometime ago.

The Polyclinic Hospital states that it wishes to publicly thank the sportsmen and all who helped to make the shoot a success by the contribution of prizes and money.

MAYFLOWER PASSES IN CA. ES

By Associated Press

Cape Henry, Va., May 19.—The yacht Mayflower with President Wilson and his party returning from the naval review at New York passed in the capes this morning and proceeded up. Chesapeake bay for Washington where she may arrive late to-night or early to-morrow.

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Indicated the bills, was elated with their passage. "The Senate has certainly done a handsome thing," he said. "I will do my utmost to make the law a success and give the State of Pornsylvania an ideal system of Pornsylvan



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### **OLD COUNCILMEN** FOR "GREATER55 CITY

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Among the Speakers

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A. Carson Stamm, a former president of Common Council, recalled hard battles in the interest of improvements. Charles E. Pass, a former Common Councilman, told of the start of the work for a bigger city William L. Loeser was song leader. The banquet arrangements were in charge of a committee including. Au charge of a committee including gustus H. Kreidler, chairman; R. gustus H. Kreidler, chairman; R. Ross Seaman, secretary; Thomas B. Mar-shall; A. Coleman Sheetz, Francis H. Hoy, Jr., M. Harvey Taylor. The ca-terer was Francis H. Hoy, Jr., former Select Councilman. Previous to the banquet a business session was held in the grand jury room at the court-house. These officers were elected: Charles A. Miller, president; Cameron D. Peace, first vice-president; Cameron L. Baer, second vice-president: Chas. Emmit Murray, treasurer, and R. Ross Seaman, secretary.

The Property of the Speakers o

#### DR. HIBBEN URGES WISE PREPAREDNESS

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tion are looking into a future that is dark and mysterious. In the high ten-sion of international hate and international suspicion the nost insignificant accident may chance to precipitate for us a national catastrophe. And in the emergency if it should come, what would we say? Peace? Peace at an price?

"By all means let us pay any price which can buy peace—restraint of passion, long sufferance, sacrifice of material wealth or of every personal convenience and comfort. Let us sacrifice it all, everything which can buy peace. But let us not forget that there are some things which cannot buy peace. If we sacrifice them in order to secure peace, the peace thus sought becomes for us the veriest torment of a living hell. We dare not trade honor for peace, we dare not betray duty in order that we may bargain for peace. We dare not indulge ourselves in the enjoyment of the blessings of peace while we turn deaf ears to the cry of distress or to the summons of a righteous cause."

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Never in the 21 years of its existence has the Lake Mohonok Conference heard such a call to arms. The Princeton president's appeal aroused intense interest and discussion among more than 200 delegates here from all parts of the country.

The conference was opened by Daniel Smiley, who, as usual, was host to all the members of the conference and their wives. The president's address was delivered by John Bassett Moore, professor of international law and diplomacy at Columbia University and formerly counsellor of the State Department. His subject was "The Attainment of Objects of Common Interest Through International Action."

Other speakers at the opening session were Theodore Marburg of Baltimore, former minister to Belgium, and John Barrett, director general of the Pan-American Union.

#### **URGE GOVERNOR TO VETO CREW REPEALER**

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ompers, president of the America ederation:

"Shall 'he great State of Pennsylvania be the first to repeal legislation of a practical reformatory character and thus pave the way for the reactionary forces of selfish, sordid greed? Not only in the interest of railway employes, but for the safety of life and property may I not appeal to you to exercise your perogative to save the just and wise Full Crew Law from repeal?"

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Arguments for the vetoing of the fill crew repealer were presented by see following: John C. Bell, attorney at law; James

## STEELTON MIDDLETOWN Chienspire

## obligations of nation to nation in a state of war will be swept away. "This is not a question of mere addenic interest which we are discussing." he concluded WILL BE CORRECTED

Commission Will Distribute Series of Free Educational Circulars on Good and Bad Points

Steelton people are invited to bring their "tree troubles" to the Shade Tree Commission. Following a meet-

Tree Commission. Following a meeting last evening the commissioners decided to issue a series of educational circulars instructing people in the care of trees and pointing out their good and bad points.

After these circulars are distributed, the people are invited to communicate with the commission about any defects in the trees of the borough. If it is necessary to do any trimming, the work will be done under the direction of the commission.

Harry J. Mueller, city forester of Harrisburg, was present at last evening's meeting and explained what Harrisburg has been doing for the improvement of its shade trees. The commission includes C. S. Davis, chairman; John E. Malehorn, secretary, and H. Russell Rupp.

#### STEELTON SNAPSHOTS

License Tags Here.—New dog and huckster license tags for 1915 were received by Borough Secretary Charles P. Feidt to-day and will be distributed at once. The old licenses expire at midnight, May 31, and new tags must be obtained before that date.

Before Squire Gardner.—Charles Collins, of Enola, was arrested by Constable Gibb last evening on charges of nonsupport. He is in jail pending a hearing. John Shank brought here by Detective Durnbaugh; was held for court after a hearing on nonsupport charges. Ralph Miller and Richard Johnson were held for court on charges of furnishing liquor to minors. Miller furnished bail and Johnson went to jail.

Honor Litch.—M. B. Litch, chemist in charge of Steelton's filter plant, was elected president of the chemical and bacteriological section of the American Water Works.

was elected president of the chemical and bacteriological section of the American Water Works Association in Cincinnati last week.

Play Twilight Game.—The Steelton A. C. will play its first twilight game to-morrow evening when the Oberlin nine will be the attraction on Cottage Hill.

Swallows Nail.—Martin Proh. Swallows Nail.—Martin Proh, 3 years old, 255 Orchard avenue, was admitted to the Harrisburg hospital yesterday after swallowing a wire nail. An X-ray examination located the nail in the child's throat. It was

## Wife of Evangelist

7.30

### Pretty Girls Will Help With Street Carnival



Pretty Steelton girls will help the Civic Club raise money for the visiting nurse fund. Saturday when a street

street.

One of the features of the affair will be the booth where Mrs. Wiggs will preside over her cabbage patch. In charge of this feature will be Miss Kathryn Darby, Miss Margaret Middleton and Miss Azalea Wigfield.

## -MIDDLETOWN- - -

ORDER NEW UNIFORMS

The Royalton baseball team ordered uniforms and will play the Harris Park A. C. on Saturday on the Royalton diamond.

#### BANQUET TO VICTORS

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The Sunday school class of St. Peter's Lutheran Church taught by E. C. Lever held an entertainment and social in the chapel last evening. During the past eight weeks the class held a membership contest. The class held a membership contest. The class was divided into two sections, each section electing its captain and adopting its own colors. The social was the reward for the Red section and was given by the defeated Blues. Talks were given by S. C. Peters, president of the class; the Rev. Dr. M. P. Hocker, E. C. Lever and Arthur King, the Rev. Fuller Bergstresser, E. A. Gerberloh and I. O. Nissley, superintendent of the school. During the foncest the membership of the class increased from seventy members to one hundred. Refreshments were served.

#### MIDDLETOWN PERSONALS

H. W. Smith, of Klinefeltersville, Lebanon county, spent yesterday with his son, J. C. Smith.
David Myers is recovering from an attack of typhoid fever.
Miss Annie M. Shaner, of Linglestown, is visiting Mrs. John R. Geyer.
Ralph Shaeffer left to-day for Hershey, where he will work.
Walter Fuernisn and wife motored from Mount Gretna this morning. They were accompanied by Miss Sarah Yeung, who was spending a week at

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