

# CENTRAL PA. NEWS

## WIRELESS STATION TO REACH MEXICO

Carlisle Mining Engineer Prepares For Emergencies After Going Back to Business

Carlisle, Pa., Oct. 3.—With a view to keeping in touch with friends in the United States should he again be marooned in the midst of a hostile people in Mexico, Harold T. Mapes, of Carlisle, a mining engineer, but lately safely out of the southern country, has established a wireless station at his home here, where he is spending a short vacation.

Mr. Mapes is a mining engineer and for the past five years has been located at Guanaguana, Mexico, with a large mining company. Several years ago when the Carranza revolution was at its height the camp was cut off from all communication for weeks. He is now here on a short visit, this being the third time he was ordered out of Mexico.

The town in which he lived has been captured time and time again. Each faction publishes new money at each turn of the wheel, so that the company finally adopted its own issue of paper money, printed on a small hand press, and issued about \$100,000 of it, which the natives hold in preference to their own currency.

## Lemoyne Borough Has Many Cases of Typhoid

Lemoyne, Pa., Oct. 3.—Typhoid fever tightened its grip in this little borough in the last few days. The local board of health met at the office of L. S. Beam and appointed the following members to test the water supply: Dr. Edgar S. Everhart, just appointed a member of the board; Samuel Sweiwert and L. S. Beam. The committee will report at a meeting Friday evening.

The report made by the board yesterday shows the following persons ill with the disease: Lewis P. Markley, Miss Edna Palmer, Mr. McShurey, Mrs. Edward Brehm, Grace Strayer, Mumma, Miss Hazel Keeler, Miss Mahel Musselman, Miss Grace Bitner, Miss Mary McAtee, Miss Nellie Shearer, David Vogeison, Evelyn Wright, J. S. Miller, Mrs. Charles Martindale and Miss Catherine Eby.

## EVANGELISTIC SERVICES

Camp Hill, Pa., Oct. 3.—Preparations for evangelistic services to start in the Methodist Church October 22, will be made at a meeting of officials of the church and church organizations in the Fellowship building on Saturday night.

## 1917 CLASS ENTERTAINED

Lemoyne, Pa., Oct. 3.—Miss Gladys Fisher entertained the 1917 class of the Lemoyne High school at her home in Bosler avenue. In attendance were Miss Elmira Bricker, Miss Mildred Witman, Miss Anna Baker, Miss Miriam Weiser, Miss Beatrice Barnhart, Miss Maybays Fisher, De Witt Waters, Paul Baum, Kenneth Sweeney, Lloyd Crow and John Moser.

## SUNDAY SCHOOLS CELEBRATE

Waynesboro, Pa., Oct. 3.—Sunday school of Mont Alto had a big celebration Sunday to mark the lifting of the State-wide quarantine on children under 16 years of age on account of infantile paralysis.

## FOUR NEW CASES

Mt. Union, Pa., Oct. 3.—Four new cases of typhoid were reported at Mapleton, making the total to date twelve.

## 127TH MEETING OF U. B. CONFERENCE

Ministers and Delegates Gathering at Hagerstown, Md., For Annual Sessions

Hagerstown, Md., Oct. 3.—Preparations have been completed for the one hundred and twenty-seventh annual Pennsylvania Conference of the United Brethren in Christ, which convenes in St. Paul's United Brethren Church, in this city, to-morrow morning. About 112 ministers and 73 lay delegates will attend the sessions, which will be presided over by Bishop W. M. Weekly, of Parkersburg, W. Va., and the superintendent, the Rev. Dr. W. H. Washington, of Chambersburg, who has occupied the position of superintendent for thirteen years, will be a very busy man.

The Pennsylvania Conference is one of the largest in the country, embracing 152 churches with a total membership of about 23,000.

## Marysville Civic Club Presents Flag to Schools

Marysville, Pa., Oct. 3.—Yesterday afternoon ladies of the Civic Club presented a large and beautiful American flag to the Marysville borough public schools. Jennie Wox, president of the Civic Club, presented the flag and Prof. A. E. Deckard, in a brief speech, thanked the donors in behalf of the schools. Nearly 500 children saluted the flag and sang patriotic songs as the rag was raised on the pole on the cupola of the High school building.

## COMMUNION SERVICES HELD

Shiremanstown, Pa., Oct. 1.—Holy Communion services in charge of the Rev. F. B. Ebenbeish were held in the United Brethren Church here on Sunday.

## MECHANICS LODGE DISBANDED

Lemoyne, Pa., Oct. 3.—Last night the local lodge of J. O. U. A. M. disbanded after being in existence in this little town for 23 years. The lodge was organized when the town was but a hamlet and was for many years the town's only organization.

## UNION MEETING POSTPONED

Lemoyne, Pa., Oct. 3.—A regular meeting of the West Shore Firemen's Union scheduled for this place next Monday evening has been postponed until the following week on account of the fair being held at Enola by the Midway Fire Company.

## AID SOCIETY TO MEET

Camp Hill, Pa., Oct. 3.—A meeting of the Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist Church will be held at the home of Mrs. Ralph Seidel in Long street Thursday evening.

## IN HONOR OF NEWLY WEDS

New Cumberland, Pa., Oct. 3.—Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Hutton entertained a number of friends in honor of the wedding of their daughter, Minerva, to W. Marshall Mowers. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hutton of Lewisberry; Mr. and Mrs. Frank V. Hutton and son, Frank, Jr.; Jennie Hutton, Rhena Hutton, John Hutton, Maurice Hutton; Mr. and Mrs. Israel Zinn, daughter, Fannie and son, Walter, and Frederick Zinn, of Lewisberry.

## CITY PLAYGROUND RECORDS BROKEN

Paralysis Didn't Affect Attendance; How Park Department Spent Its Money

Infantile paralysis during the summer season just closed, had little or no effect on the attendance of the city's playgrounds, according to forecasts of the reports which Supervisor J. K. Staples is now preparing for presentation to Park Commissioner E. Z. Gross.

All previous attendance records were shattered. The final assembling on Komper Day was barred because of the infantile paralysis epidemic by State Health Commissioner Dixon but the various playgrounds were crowded throughout the season.

In addition to the thirteen regular playgrounds, four evening recreational places were set apart during the past year. This according to park officials was one of the items which helped increase the cost of the playground work. Repairs and renovations at most of the play places they contended, ate into the maintenance funds at a terrific rate. Among the most costly items were:

Removal of the Fourth street playgrounds to Kelly street and consequent repairing and renovating of the latter place; reconstruction of tennis courts at Emerald street, where at least three feet of "fill" was necessary to support backstops; on the Twelfth street playgrounds a pipe line to carry water to the upper end of the playgrounds was laid; paths which had been sunk by the washouts were raised; about 3,000 yards of "fill" were dumped along the Herr street embankment to the north of the playgrounds to provide a narrow strip of parkway and walk by which promenaders can overlook the recreation spot. This does away with the old "dump" that caused such frequent fires. Sycamore street playgrounds had to be graded and fitted up in good shape. On practically every playground new equipment of some kind had to be installed. On the Island, perhaps, the greater expense was required.

Spring floods had caused serious washouts on the island and the tennis courts—used, by the way, more in proportion than those at Reservoir—had to be resurfaced and refilled, new backstops erected, new nets placed and the whole surfaces cleaned and rolled. The grandstand had to be repaired, too, although the greatest expense was entailed on the running track.

The quarter-mile cinder track was cut down to a "sixth." Much of the sodding that had been taken up at the lower end of the track was used on the dry spaces on the river front parks. Hundreds of dollars incidentally were spent along the river front during the past season although the most important improvement was never even started by Mr. Gross. This is the rapping work on the slopes above Hardscrabble. New stairways to the lower walk were built and some filling and planting was done, however. The biggest improvement perhaps was the filling with some 2,700 yards of free earth of the lowlands along the wall south of Walnut street. This was planted with grass seed and grain.

## Today Is the Birthday Anniversary of—



IRA B. BIXLER  
He is a well-known passenger conductor on the Middle Division of the Pennsylvania Railroad, and prominent in Knights of Golden Eagle circles throughout Pennsylvania and the United States. He is a resident of Camp Hill where he is active in the welfare of the community. His friends are legion.

## Maltese Cat Eats Frogs When Mice Are Scarce

Woodbury, N. J., Oct. 3.—Andes E. Budd, a thrifty farmer near this city, has a Maltese cat that seldom eats a meal at the house.

## LOSES HUSBAND AND FATHER IN DAY

Reading, Pa., Oct. 3.—Mrs. Harry L. Fisher, this city, was bereft of husband and father, Frank G. Reed, at the same hour yesterday. Her husband, 46, died suddenly of apoplexy, and soon after came a message from Stouchsburg announcing her father's death at 73 years of age.

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## 18 NEW CASES OF TYPHOID TODAY

Ten Deaths Since August 16; Think Epidemic Near Crest

With 18 new cases of typhoid fever reported in the city to-day health officials co-operating with county authorities, are making every effort to completely shut off the source of the contagion.

Twenty-five cases have been recorded for the first two days of October, making a total of 165 since August 16, when the epidemic started. Ten deaths have resulted from the disease, three of the victims residing outside of the city, but dying while under treatment in local hospitals.

According to Dr. J. M. J. Raunick, city health officer, the crest of the epidemic will probably be reached by the end of this week, and the number of cases reported will probably break all records.

Dr. C. R. Phillips, county medical inspector, spent the day touring the upper end of the county where a large number of cases have been reported. Yesterday six farms were ordered closed because typhoid victims were found at the places.

To-morrow afternoon city health officials will meet milk dealers to continue the discussion of proposed ordinances to provide for farm and dairy inspection. City hospitals have opened additional wards for new cases and are receiving patients daily.

I C S 25 YEARS OLD  
Scranton, Pa., Oct. 3.—Twenty-five years ago this week the International Correspondence Schools came into existence and the anniversary is being observed with a two-day celebration, which has attracted to the city all the district superintendents, a number of the salesmen and a large number of students.

## Pennsylvania Guardsmen Will Go Direct to Armories

Camp Stewart, El Paso, Texas, Oct. 3.—General Charles M. Clement, commander of the Pennsylvania troops, personally and definitely announced last night that the Philadelphia troops who are returning home will go direct to their armories, instead of to Mount Gretna. The announcement followed the receipt of a telegraphic order from the Southern Department after ten days of strenuous effort by General Clement and powerful influences brought to bear on Washington.

The First and the Third Regiments, with Field Hospital Corps No. 2 and Field Ambulance Corps No. 2, have been routed through Dallas and St. Louis, but this is subject to change. Plans late last night are to have the First Regiment and the hospital corps leave here this afternoon and the Third Regiment Wednesday.

The Tenth Regiment, of Western Pennsylvania, which leaves for home Thursday, if the schedule is not disrupted, will go through Kansas City, Chicago, Cleveland and Youngstown.

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## Miss Anastasia Mulgren Bride of Howard Keefer

Carlisle, Pa., Oct. 3.—Howard Keefer, of Carlisle, a baseball star, formerly with the New Cumberland team, and Miss Anastasia Mulgren, a trained nurse, were quietly married at St. Patrick's rectory here in the presence of only immediate friends and relatives by the Rev. Father Francis Welsh. They will live in Carlisle. The groom is connected with the Lindner Shoe Company here, while the bride studied trained nursing, being for a time at the Harrisburg Hospital.

## ASTHMA SUFFERER

Write to-day, I will tell you, free of charge, of a simple home treatment for asthma which cured me after physicians and change of climate failed. I am so grateful for my present good health, after years of suffering, that I want everyone to know of this wonderful treatment. Mrs. Nellie Evans, 555, P-11, Des Moines, Iowa.

## Resorts

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Reports that several men connected with the State departments, among them Fred Beach, of the controller's office, had resigned were current at the Capitol to-day, but were without foundation.

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