

TO INVESTIGATE MARKER ORDERS

Will Look Up Charges For War Veterans' Tombstones Before Paying Them



All orders for markers or tombstones for the graves of Civil War veterans will not be approved by county commissioners until thirty days after death.

Notice of this decision was given to-day by Clerk Ed. H. Fisher after the county commissioners went on record on the question.

We have had trouble continually because of orders for markers or tombstones, and hereafter will not act on orders until a month has passed, and we have had time to investigate whether these orders are genuine.

Recorder Turns In State Tax. — County Recorder James E. Lentz to-day sent \$195 to the State Treasurer's Department—State taxes on 402 documents which were filed at the recorder's office last month.

Wants Jury Trial. — Mrs. Annie Berkhimer to-day petitioned the Dauphin county court, through counsel, F. S. Simpson, to a jury trial to determine the sanity of Mary Ellen Renner, adjudged to be insane by a commission.

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Grants Charter. — The Dauphin county court to-day granted the charter of Capital City Nest, No. 1729, Order of Owls.

Order Child Sent to Hospital. — An order was given by the Dauphin county court to-day, to have Esther Mae Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry G. Millers, of near Hummelstown, sent to the Eastern Pennsylvania Institution for Feeble Minded and Epileptic Children.

Hear Neglect Case on 26th. — March 26 was fixed for hearing complain of George W. Hense, representing the directors of the poor, who alleges in a petition to the court that Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Rickert, of Condale, are neglecting to care for and maintain their five children.

Adopted Child. — Johns S. Werner, constable in South Hanover township for several years, was given authority to adopt Mildred Romaine Wilson, aged 7 months.

Jury May Hear Divorce Case. — Harry H. Cleland to-day was granted a rule against his wife, Mary J. Cleland, plaintiff, to show cause why the case should not be heard before a jury.

File Suit For Debt. — The Bogar Lumber Company to-day filed a suit against Albert B. Smith, to recover payment totaling more than \$1,000, for lumber sold to him.

Union Leaders to Plan Their Part in Nation's Policies of Defense

Washington, D. C., March 5.—Spokesmen of more than 5,000,000 American wage-earners have gathered in a conference here March 12 to determine and announce the part labor shall take in the formulation of policies of preparedness and defense in the crisis confronting the nation.

The call, made public yesterday, was issued by Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, under authority of the federation's executive council. It went to presidents of 110 national and international unions affiliated with the federation, department presidents and the four great railroad employes' brotherhoods.

There will be a preliminary meeting of the executive council next Friday to arrange for the conference, which promises to be the most notable gathering of American labor representatives ever held.

WEDDING AT SHIREMANSTOWN. — Shiremanstown, Pa., March 5.—Miss Myrtle Gribble, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Gribble, of this place, and Charles Grassinger, of Measanicburg, were married yesterday by the Rev. C. R. Walker, of Pottsville.

"BONE DRY" DELAYED. — Washington, D. C., March 5.—Early yesterday morning the Senate passed to a House resolution postponing the effective date of the "bone dry" amendment until July 1.

U. S. GOVERNMENT IS BEST, SAYS MARSHALL

Washington, March 5.—Vice-President Marshall made his second inaugural address before the Senate to-day—a statement of his creed of citizenship under the government for which he said, "I ought to be willing to live or die, as God decrees, that it may not perish off the earth through treachery within or through assault from without."

"Everywhere in America are clamant and strident voices proclaiming the essential elements of patriotism. He who seeks out of them all to select one clear note of love for country may fail. I conceive it to be far more important to examine myself than to cross-examine another. May I make bold to insert in the record some elements of the creed which I have adopted in this period of retrospection? It does not embrace what I know but holds part of what I believe.

"I have faith that this government of ours was divinely ordained to disclose whether men are by nature fitted or can by education be made fit for self-government; to teach Jew and Greek, bondman and free, alike, the lesson of freedom; to establish the law and to be tender and true to humanity everywhere and under all circumstances; to reveal that service is the highest reward of life. I cannot believe otherwise when I read the words and recall the sacrifice of the fathers. If ours is not the Golden Rule of Government, then Washington

wrought, and Lincoln died, in vain. "I believe that the world, now advancing and now retreating, is nevertheless moving forward to a far-off divine event wherein the tongues of Babel will again be blended in the language of a common brotherhood; and I believe that I can reach the highest ideal of my tradition and my lineage as an American—as a man, as a citizen and as a public official—when I judge my fellow men without malice and with charity, when I worry more about my own motives and conduct and less about the motives and conduct of others. The time I am liable to be wholly wrong is when I know that I am absolutely right. In an individualistic republic like ours, the unit is the individual and if I keep myself keyed in unison with the music of the union, my I judge my fellowmen without malice and with charity, when I worry more about my own motives and conduct and less about the motives and conduct of others.

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City Commissioners Can't Agree on Contract to Insure Employees

After weeks of deliberation, conferences and discussions pro and con, City Commissioners are still undecided about awarding the contract for workmen's compensation insurance for city employees.

It is understood in city official circles, that three plans are considered, but the commissioners can not agree on any one. By giving the State fund the contract, the city will be saved the several hundred dollars, it has been pointed out.

By insuring with a stock company, other advantages will be gained, representatives claim. The third plan is to have the city adopt the same policy as last year—to insure its own risk. In case of a catastrophe, however, this would result in a loss of thousands of dollars to meet compensation claims.

GERMAN PRESS DIVIDES ON PLOT

Berlin, March 4, via London, March 5.—While some of the German papers have received the news of the German-Mexican intrigue with comparative indifference, others have vigorously denounced the policy of Foreign Secretary Zimmermann and among these latter is the Tages Zeitung, Count Von Reventlow, formerly one of the most ardent advocates of unrestricted submarine warfare and a general supporter of extreme measures, writes in the Tages Zeitung:

"As a result of the publication of the German offer to Mexico sentiment, which has heretofore been divided in America, is now solidly behind the President. This circumstance, and its possible results, are hardly calculated to fill us with pessimism, however, those circles who have been basing hopes for the preservation of peace on divided public opinion in the United States are now forced to deplore the turn things have taken and to doubt the wisdom of the German policy which, so far as Mexico is concerned, may be stigmatized as bringing a lighted match in contact with a powder cask."

VETERANS PLAN RECEPTION. — Members of Howard L. Calder Post 31, Veterans of Foreign Wars, will meet at the hall, 26 North Third street, Wednesday evening, to arrange for the reception of Commander-in-Chief Albert J. Rabing and staff, who are now on a tour of inspection of the various posts of the organization throughout the country, and are expected in Harrisburg the latter part of this month.

The ladies' auxiliary of the post will meet the same evening to arrange for the reception of the ladies of the visiting party.

LABOR PUBLICITY BUREAU PLANNED

Union Representatives Will Meet Here to Form News Distributing Agency

The action of the Labor Forum in calling a general conference of labor unions here on March 25 to decide on the establishment of a central publicity bureau for the systematic and accurate dissemination of labor news, has met with a hearty response.

The following resolution, adopted by the first meeting of the Forum, is typical of the replies coming from the various unions:

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A Bargain Basement Sale That Will Mean DOWN WITH HIGH PRICES. Our Annual Ten-Day Bargain Basement Sale Begins Wednesday Morning, March 7, at 8:30 O'clock. It Will Be a Typical Bargain Basement Sale in Every Way. All This Spring's Newest & Most Wanted Merchandise Will Be on Sale at the Biggest Kind of Savings.

Anticipating the upward trend of the market cost of all spring goods, Mr. Zug, buyer and manager of our Bargain Basement, searched all the best markets for standard, staple merchandise some months ago, and planned and prepared for this EXTRAORDINARY BARGAIN EVENT.

Regardless of the hue and cry of high prices and scarcity of merchandise, there are always some manufacturers and jobbers who are willing to make price concessions for the ready cash. Then again our buyer had the good fortune to run across a number of manufacturers with quite an amount of merchandise on hand for which they held orders to be shipped to distant points; but owing to the embargoes in handling freight, the manufacturers were unable to make shipments and rather than hold the merchandise longer they sold it to us at reductions for spot cash.

Our storeroom is packed to the ceiling with merchandise purchased for this special event. That our buyer has been entirely successful in securing large quantities of merchandise and that we will offer it at prices far below what you could begin to buy it for anywhere else will be thoroughly demonstrated during the sale.

REMEMBER, a Dollar Today Does Less For You Than Ever and Present Market Conditions Make It Necessary.

For You to Make Your Dollar Work Just as Hard For You as You Do For It. This Big Ten-Day Bargain Basement Sale Will Help You Make Your Dollar Do Double Duty.

The Following Lines Will All Be On Sale In Our Bargain Basement Beginning Wednesday Morning, 8.30 O'clock, and Continuing for 10 Days

- Bamboo and Oak Furniture Specials. Housewares and Cut Glass Bargains. Table Damask and Napkins Below Price. Rugs and Linoleums Below Market Prices. Cotton and Wool Bed Blankets For Less Than Usual. Bed Sheets and Pillow Cases at Big Reductions. Wash Goods at Less Than Market Rates. Baskets and Hampers at Big Savings. Feather Pillows Below Wholesale Cost. Aluminum Ware Far Below the Regular Price. Bed Spreads at Tremendous Reductions. Good Towels at Unheard of Low Prices. Muslins and Sheetings at Startling Big Savings. Window Shades at Ridiculous Small Prices. Curtain Materials, Way Down in Price. New Washing Machines Far Below Their Worth. Vacuum Cleaners at Very Small Prices. Window and Door Curtains at Extremely Low Prices.

Be Sure to See Our Big Announcement in This Paper To-morrow Every Item Will Be a Money-Saver and Well Worth Securing

Recent Deaths in Central Pennsylvania

JACOB GUYER. — Mechanicsburg, Pa., March 5.—Jacob GUYER died early yesterday morning at the home of his son, William J. GUYER, after two weeks' illness of pneumonia. He was aged 84 and was a member of the First United Brethren Church. He was a member of Logan Lodge, No. 79, Knights of Pythias, of Altoona.

His wife and two sons survive as follows: W. J. GUYER, of Mechanicsburg, and Frank GUYER, of Altoona. Funeral services will be held to-morrow morning at 10:30 o'clock conducted by the Rev. E. C. Castle and interment will be made in Mechanicburg Cemetery.

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Parent-Teachers' Winter Session at Rockville

Rockville, Pa., March 5.—On Thursday evening the second winter session of the Parent-Teachers' League of Rockville, Coxeystown and Rockville was held in the grammar school room at Rockville. Miss Mary Rudy, vice-president, called the meeting to order. "How Betsy Made the Flag," led by Miss Walter, was sung by the school. A feature was an impromptu exercise by the pupils of the grammar school.

Mrs. John Reilly spoke on "Cheerfulness"; Mrs. Minsker gave a talk on "Conservation of Song and Insectivorous Birds." Through the efforts of Mrs. J. W. Miller and Miss Mary Rudy, a library with 96 volumes and others to follow has been added to the school. One of the late acquisitions to the school room is a "reading table."

ELI ROBERTS DIES. — Columbia, Pa., March 5.—Eli Roberts, one of the most widely known farmers and one of the oldest residents of Manor township, died at his home in Washingtonboro, aged 78 years. Mr. Roberts was the oldest member of the Church of God in that place, and had served nearly all his life as a school director in the borough. His wife, one daughter and two sons survive.

FOR RUN-DOWN PEOPLE. — The condition of being "run-down" is one that doctors do not recognize as a disease; the physician of today who gets his training in a hospital where severe disorders only are encountered knows little about it. But those who are run-down in health know that it is not a fancied affliction.

The expression "run-down" comes from the feeble action of an un wound clock and the comparison is a good one. Applied to health it means a condition in which all the bodily functions are impaired. Appetite fails, the digestion is impaired, the nerves are impoverished, the complexion becomes pale, there is no animation but rather worry and mental depression. Fatigue is a constant symptom.

No particular organ being affected you must look for relief to the blood that circulates everywhere. Improvement in the blood is quickly felt throughout the entire system and Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are the best and most convenient blood builders. As the blood becomes rich and red, the various organs regain their tone and the body recovers its vigor. If you have any or all of the above symptoms try the tonic treatment with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Fifty cents a box at your druggist.

Samuel J. Tritt, Former Cumberland Surveyor, Dies

Carlisle, Pa., March 5.—Samuel J. Tritt, a well-known farmer and fruit-grower of Cumberland county, died at his home at Cummingstown, on Saturday. He was county surveyor for 30 years. He was 68 years old and is survived by his wife and three children: Mrs. Thomas B. Peffer, Leomoyne; William P. Tritt, Cummingstown; Mrs. George H. Eckert, Mechanicsburg; John C. Tritt and Mrs. Tobias Hertzler, Cummingstown; also a brother, John A. Tritt, of Carlisle. Funeral services will be held from the home to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

MRS. H. A. KIPPLE. — Mrs. H. A. Kipple, aged 58, died Saturday evening at her home, 1222 Walnut street. She is survived by her husband and three children, Margaret, Harry and William, all of Harrisburg. Funeral services will be held at the home Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock. Burial will be made in the Hecktown cemetery.

BOOSTING UNION SHOES. — H. S. Baxter, a representative of the Boot and Shoe Workers Union is in town as a representative of the Federation of Labor endeavoring to interest dealers in shoes that bear a union label. Members of the Federation are instructed to wear no shoes except those that bear the label.

TO HELP LOCATE LOST ARTICLES

Cards are being prepared by the police department that will help them to locate articles lost by passengers of the jitneys. The cards will call attention of the passenger to the number of the jitney. Repeated complaints from passengers in jitneys who lost articles caused the police department to take this step.

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"Feeling Tough, Jim---" I had spells like that, too—lazy, blue, no 'pep'—until wife gave me Instant Postum instead of coffee. Now I sleep better, smile oftener, and nerves behave. Never knew how harmful coffee was 'till I quit it. Why don't you try Postum? "There's a Reason"

You are looking for real down-right pleasure and I am the fellow who can give it to you. My name is KING OSCAR 5c CIGAR. Meet me any time anywhere, or better yet keep me always with you. JOHN C. HERMAN & CO. Makers.