

OVER \$2,500,000 FROM AUTOS SEEN

State Revenues From That Source Growing With Coming of Good Weather



Estimates made at the State Highway Department are that the revenue from the automobile licenses for the year 1917 will run over \$2,500,000, the highest figure ever known.

A considerable increase in the number of motorcycles is also reported at the Capitol and a gain in the number owned in small communities is noticeable.

Eighty-Nine Decisions—Eighty-nine decisions were handed down by the State Superior Court during the session which closed here yesterday, making the largest number given at any session of the court held in Harrisburg.

Many Cases Listed—The Public Service Commission has scheduled hearings, arguments or conferences for every day of the coming week beginning on Monday, when sittings will be held in this city for arguments.

May Settle Big Case—Settlement of the rate cases involving the Bell Telephone Company in Pittsburgh, which was effected by the Public Service Commission this week, will pave the way for action to be taken before long on the proposed State-wide telephone rate schedule on which the first physical valuation was forced before the commission.

Standing of the Crews

HARRISBURG SIDE Philadelphia Division—The 124 crew first after 3.30 p. m.: 114, 120, 113. Engineer for 113: Fireman for 113: Brakemen for 120, 113.

Capitol Visitors—Visitors to the State Capitol since the first of March have come from twenty different states according to the register at the State Capitol and it is noted by the guides that in the number of visitors have been people from capitals of other states.

State Has Money Now—Between automobile licenses and State taxes payments at the State Treasury have been running heavy this month. On some days the receipts have gone above the \$100,000 mark.

Charities Issued—The West Shore Building and Loan Association, of Wormleysburg, with a capital of \$500,000, and the Keystone Reamer and Cool Company, of Millersburg, capital \$25,000, were chartered to-day.

Western Site Bought—The State yesterday took title to the site for the new Western Pennsylvania insane hospital in Westmoreland county.

Rural Schools Will Remain Open Longer

Practically all rural schools in Dauphin county, with the exception of 14, will remain open at least until April 14, County Superintendent F. E. Shambaugh announced to-day.

CLEAR SUNDAY; ICE GONE

According to Weather Forecaster Deamin, weather conditions here will remain virtually the same, with light showers and cloudy conditions to-night. To-morrow will be clear and slightly cooler.

Getting Too Fat? Try This--Reduce

People who don't grow too fat are the fortunate exception. But if you find the fat accumulating or already cumbersome, you will be wise to follow this suggestion, which is endorsed by thousands of people who know.

SAXON "SAX"

A Big Touring Car For 5 People This motor car is the only motor car selling for less than \$1,000.00 that has a six-cylinder motor of Continental Manufacture Saxon Distributing Agency 1137 Mulberry St. L. H. Hagerling

RAILROAD RUMBLIES REPORT CHANGES AT P. R. R. Y. M. C. A.

New Pocket Billiard Table Is Added to Big Room; Larger Social Quarters

Elaborate changes and improvements have been made at the P. R. R. Y. M. C. A. A new pocket billiard table arrived yesterday and with the one in service has been placed in the large room with the shuffleboards.

Meet at Tyrone

General Secretary Frank H. Gregory left at noon to-day for Tyrone, where the indoor sports and final contests in the P. R. R. Y. M. C. A. contests will take place this afternoon and evening.

To-day's indoor meet is separate and distinct from the Pennsylvania Railroad System meet to be held at Baltimore April 14. Results of the contests at Tyrone will decide the P. R. R. Y. M. C. A. championships for the year.

NEW RECORD FOR LUMBER ROAD

The P. R. Williams Cypress Company, of Patterson, La., a station on Morgan's Louisiana and Texas Railroad, about 90 miles from New Orleans, loaded recently 60,747 feet of lumber on a single car, and it is claimed that this beats all records for lumber loading.

RAILROAD NOTES

E. H. Malehorn, freight conductor on the Pennsylvania Railroad, is ill at his home, in York Haven.

The Pennys will run sixteen-day excursions to Atlantic City July 14 and 28; August 11 and 25, and September 1.

Passenger Engineer William Satzler is sojourning at his bungalow, at Grantville.

New cross ties are being delivered along the Middle Division of the Pennsylvania Railroad, to be placed during the spring cleanup.

Announcement is made by the Lehigh Valley Coal Company of a reduction in the price of fuel for employees, effective from March 1. The cut is from \$2.75 to \$2.50 a ton for the prepared sizes and from \$2.50 to \$2.25 for pea coal.

Trackmen on the Reading have received an increase of wages equal to twenty cents a day.

George J. Gildroy has resigned as superintendent of the Mahanoy and Hazleton Division of the Lehigh Valley Railroad. He is succeeded by M. A. Mulligan, of the New York Division.

TO RUN POTATO SPECIAL

To encourage the growing of potatoes on its line, and to increase the country's output of potatoes, the Lehigh Valley Railroad is going to have a "Potato Special."

SCHOOL NOTES

The Senior class will meet Wednesday to elect officers for the remainder of the school year.

Central high students are planning to attend the production of "Hamlet," in which Robert Mantell will appear, at the Orpheum theater, March 25.

Centralians Plan Banquet

The Centralian Society held an Irish meeting Thursday evening at the home of Richard Mount, 11 North Fifteenth street.

ACADEMY

The first section of the third form and the second section of the fourth form each held a debate yesterday.

Resolved, That Examinations Are a True Test of Scholarship and a Necessary Means of Promoting Education.

In the second division of the fourth form, Conrado Bonilla and Lester won, upholding the affirmative side, over Dwight Ludington and James Eby.

The last basketball game of the season was played on the Cathedral Hall floor this afternoon. The Academy team played the Millersville Normal School.

FIREMEN BANQUET THEIR GUARDSMEN

Men of Organization Enjoy Chicken and Waffle Supper Last Evening

Members of the Harrisburg Veteran Volunteer Firemen's Association banqueted their member who have just returned from border duty, last evening, in their rooms at 923 North Third street.

Brief address were made by William E. Goudy, of the Washington Hope Company and member of Company D, Eighth Regiment, Pennsylvania Infantry, who responded for the guards;

The invited guests were: R. G. Baughman and Harry C. Funston, of God Will Fire Company; James J. Conner, of the Rely Hope Company; W. L. Goudy, of Washington Hope Company; H. M. Keller, Mt. Vernon Hook and Ladder Company;

Governor of Finland Put Under Arrest

London, March 17.—Major General Zein, governor general of Finland, has been arrested by the commander of the Baltic fleet on the order of the provisional government, according to a Reuter's Petrograd dispatch.

Western Railways Prepare For Strike

Chicago, March 17.—Officials of eastern railroads while awaiting the outcome of the conferences in New York between the mediation com-

mittee named by the Council of National Defense, and the chiefs of the four brotherhoods and the national conference committee of railroad managers, continued preparations to-day to keep their lines in operation should the strike occur as scheduled at 6 o'clock to-night (Central time).

An embargo has been placed on freight by practically every western railroad, though officials announce that special efforts will be made to move foodstuffs with as little delay as possible in the event of a strike.

In the switching yards of this city, which are the connecting links between the East and West, and in St. Louis, where the strike has been called for to-night, preparations have been made to handle business with limited crowds. Reports of dissension among the switchmen have come from several points.

Have You a Little GEYSER in Your Home?

If not, you should have, for it saves many steps for the tired mother.

The Baby's washing is one of those tasks which confront the Mother practically 30 times each month.

The "Baby" size GEYSER can be pushed into a closet when the washing is done.

It is large enough for the small family's weekly wash.

There are no moving parts exposed. It is as safe, simple and convenient as the baby's high chair.

Come in and see it working.

Harrisburg Light and Power Company

Two Power Ranges

To Maximize Your Enjoyment Yet Minimize Your Expense

THE PEERLESS Eighty Horsepower Eight is a car of "dual personality." It has two distinct power ranges—each highly desirable for its particular purpose.

You can have tremendous power and abundant speed when and where you want it, without the excessive cost in operating the superpowerful car in ordinary driving.

In ordinary driving you get the velvet smoothness, the keen flexibility and the graceful, effortless performance you would naturally expect from a Peerless.

But open the throttle a little wider to release the double poppets. Now you have a brute of a car of utterly changed character.

With the "sporting" range in action she has the superpower and thundering speed to cope with any emergency, to contend with any of the other master cars of the day.

A ride at the wheel of a Peerless Eight will show you a wider range of performance than you have ever before found in any one car. Let us explain the double power range to you. We will gladly demonstrate.

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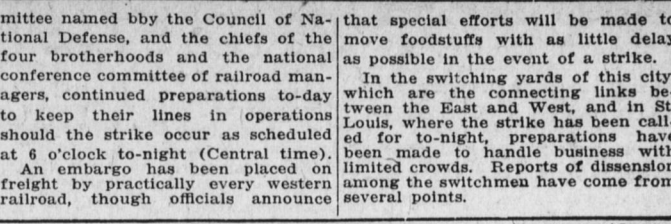
Peerless Eight

All that the name implies

New Price List Effective April 9, 1917

Table with 2 columns: Car Type and Price. Touring \$2090, Roadster \$2090, Sporting Roadster \$2250, Coupe \$2750, Sedan \$2890, Limousine \$3590.

Prices f. o. b. Cleveland Subject to Change Without Notice



Advertisement for Harrisburg Light and Power Company featuring the 'Two Power Ranges' and 'Peerless Eight' car.

Large advertisement for the Peerless Eight car, including a detailed illustration of the vehicle and a list of prices for various models.