

### GOVERNOR URGES MORE PLANTING

Letter Sent to the Trustees and Managers of All State Institutions

Governor Brumbaugh last night sent a letter to the head of every State institution having a farm or arable land about it urging that every effort be made to increase the supply of food-stuffs. The Governor's letter also tendered the expert assistance of the State's farm advisers.

The Governor wrote: "Whatever land you have surrounding the State institutions over which you are the legal guardians, I wish you to plant at once with such foods as will be most likely to contribute in a large way to the sustenance of the wards of the Commonwealth in your care, and if possible, to produce a surplus which may be added to the general stores so immediately necessary in this crisis of our Commonwealth and nation."

"You are at liberty to call upon the Department of Agriculture or any other arm of the State government for any service or assistance which you may desire, in order to carry out these provisions."

"Let us show that the State itself is awake to the seriousness of the situation, and by the example set by you may the inspiration take possession of all the farmers and people of the Commonwealth to proceed at once in the important and patriotic service of increasing the food supply of our people."

### Itching Burning Eczema Or Back

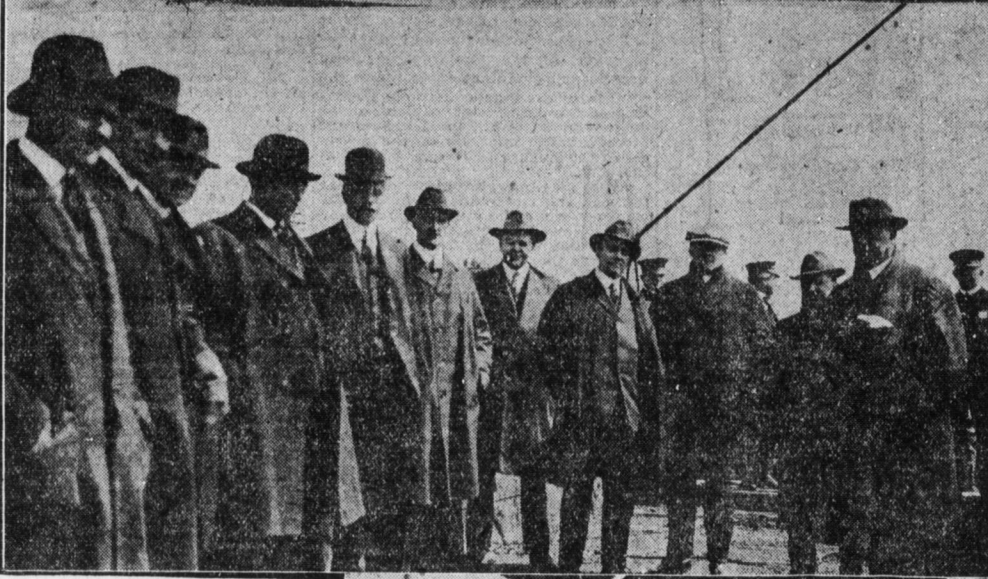
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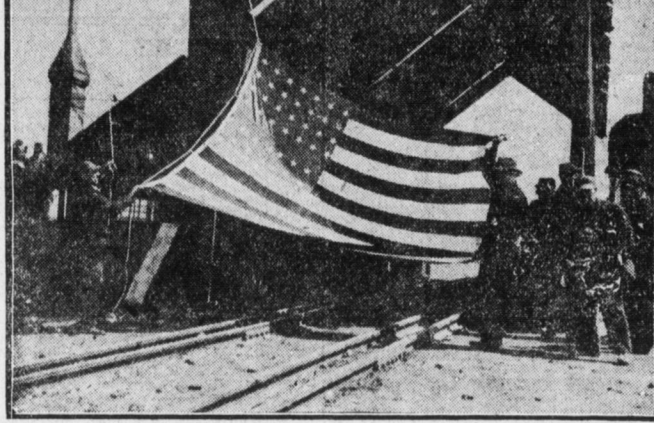
### C. I. AND S. WORKERS RAISE FLAG AFTER PATRIOTIC EXERCISES



### STEEL WORKERS RAISE BIG FLAG

Central Iron and Steel Men Contribute For Huge Emblem

With ceremonies befitting the occasion a large American flag was raised at the Central Iron and Steel Company's plant late Saturday afternoon. Commissioner E. Z. Gross made a patriotic address. The money for the flag was raised by voluntary contributions from the men. Among whom were: John Bryant, William St. Clair, Charles Sebelist, Robert Hart, Ralph Williams, Annie Finney, Charles Fry, William Tobin, Harry Hart, Harry Johnson, Joseph Hogenotler, Willie Fiches, Harvey Dykeman, Harry Stanley, John Shoots, H. J. Mumma, Charles Zerby, Philip Zerby, Ross Hart, Ross Brown, Chas. Falk, Samuel First, Samuel Nagle, David Mumma.



Fervent patriotic exercises marked the raising of a huge American flag at the plant of the Central Iron and Steel Company Saturday. Above is shown a group of the workmen, city officials and steel plant executives and the flag just before it was raised.

### WICKERSHAM SAYS ARCANUM SOLVENT

Past Supreme Regent Believes Receivership Will Soon Be Vacated

Past Supreme Regent Frank B. Wickersham was interviewed to-day on the appointment of a receiver for the Royal Arcanum by the United States district court for the Eastern District of Massachusetts.

Mr. Wickersham stated that the only personal knowledge he had of the appointment of a receiver for the Royal Arcanum he had obtained through the columns of the daily newspapers; that no notice of the intention to apply for the appointment of a receiver had been given by the complainant; that everything was done in secret which at once created a suspicion that the man who made the application was not acting in good faith. "The brother states that he has a benefit certificate for only five hundred dollars which indicates that he belongs to the older members of the society," Mr. Wickersham says, "yet he complains that the Royal Arcanum has been paying too much money to the beneficiaries of its deceased, aged members. He complains further that large sums were drawn from the emergency fund the past year to pay death losses; an analysis of the figure shows that the greater proportion of the sums drawn from the emergency fund to pay death losses of the society were used to pay the death losses occasioned by the large number of deaths among the members who were sixty-five years of age and older. Furthermore, the complainant asks to have the business of the society wound up and the money of the emergency fund divided among the members."

"If such practice were adopted almost two hundred thousand members would lose their insurance, and the complainant himself would not receive enough as his share to pay the cost of printing his bill of complaint. "The Royal Arcanum is commercially and actuarially solvent. The report of March 31, 1917, shows that there is now in the emergency fund \$3,107,759.39, and that the society has in the treasury over and above all known liabilities \$3,653,660.33, and in addition has loaned to its aged members, under what is known as the half cash payment plan, \$2,897,201.43, so that the society has over six and one-half million dollars assets over and above all known liabilities. An examination of these figures convinces all thoughtful members that the society is perfectly solvent; that it is able to meet all of its demands and will continue to do so for all time to come; that the application for the appointment of a receiver without notice to the officers of the society was without justification, and it is confidently believed that the appointment will be vacated in a very short time."

### Reserved Seat Board For Benefit Lecture of English Poet Is Open

Those who are anxious to hear the great war lecture of Alfred Noyes, England's famous poet and patriot, will note that the board for reserved seats is now open at C. M. Sigler, Inc., North Second street. Mr. Noyes made such a profound impression on his last recent appearance in Harrisburg that the demand to hear him is very great. He will appear Thursday evening, April 19, at the Technical High school, for the benefit of the Harrisburg S. P. C. A. Mr. Noyes is not a soldier, because he has been twice refused on account of defective eyesight. But he has had opportunities far beyond the average soldier to see the war in all its phases.

WANTS GRAVE WELL KEPT AS LONG AS SUN SHINES Allentown, Pa., April 17.—Making a provision that his grave in Old West Swamp Cemetery in Montgomery county shall be maintained in good condition "as long as the sun shines," Aaron Weinberger, a horsedealer of this city, who died suddenly a week ago in Ohio, left a will in which he bequeaths \$300 each to English Baptist Foreign Missionary Society and German Baptist Orphans' Home at Louisville, Ky. He leaves \$3,500 to Miss Stella Crawford, of Cochocton, O., "for special kindness." The remainder of the \$50,000 estate is divided among relatives.

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