

AGRICULTURAL ARMY BOOSTED

People in Many Parts of the State in Favor of Enrolling Farm Labor



Pennsylvania's agricultural army bids fair to be a pretty big thing judging from the manner in which people all over the State have been sending in applications for blanks and for information and in expressing their willingness and desire to become enrolled.

Dozens of letters were received at the department yesterday requesting information regarding the general plan and offering support while the suggestion was made that a man should be named for each county in the State for the purpose of organization of the units.

Registrars Here—Registration commissioners from Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Scranton were among visitors to the State Capitol. They are interested in legislation.

In Pittsburgh—Dairy and Food Commissioner James Foust is in Pittsburgh discussing inspection work with State agents in that section. He is also getting after some violations reported in Pittsburgh.

Hearing Monday—The joint appropriations committee will sit Monday to hear the members of the State Agricultural Commission, the Auditor General and other State officials. The hearings are to be completed next week, if possible.

Capital Visitors—Among visitors to the Capitol were William Hertzler, former deputy Secretary of the Commonwealth; Maurice Speiser, former member from Philadelphia; Provost E. F. Smith, of the University of Pittsburgh; Walter McNichols, former State Senator; Judge Charles Brown, Philadelphia; James Scarlet, of Danville;

Henry G. Wasson, former State chairman. Mine Cave Hearing—For three hours mine cave bills were debated yesterday in the Senate chamber, several bills being on the table for discussion. Prominent Lackawanna county residents were present and the remedies and suggestions were varied and numerous. No agreement was reached.

Compensation Cases—The State Compensation Board has refused a rehearing in the case of Kunkle vs. Tide Coal Mining Co., an Indiana county case; affirmed Referee Dunn in the Morgan-Arner case from Rimerburg, and the Bakle-Jefferson and Clearfield Coal and Iron Co., case from Jefferson county and modified agreement in the Dinneen-Union Switch and Signal Co. case, Pittsburgh.

Nab Revenue Collector on Embezzlement Charge

San Francisco, Cal., April 18. — Robbery of a vault in the internal revenue office here of important documents, \$2,000 in cash and wine tax stamps with a face value of \$5,300, was said last night by J. J. Scott, collector of internal revenue for the First District of California, to be the basis for an order received from Washington for the temporary suspension from office of himself and chief deputy, his brother, Andrew G. Scott.

Great German Aviator Falls to His Death

Copenhagen, April 18. — Lieutenant Baldamus, one of the most successful of the German aviators, is reported to have been killed in a collision with an allied airplane on the western front. Lieut. Baldamus had a record of eighteen enemy airplanes destroyed.

TO STUDY IMMIGRATION

Boston, April 18. — In a communication sent to Secretary of Labor Wilson, Governor McCall, has asked authorization of the conference between the secretary, the commissioner of immigration and representatives of several of the larger States, to discuss problems arising out of the application of the new immigration law. He suggested that the conference be held in New York next week.

EXTEND FARE LIMIT

The Harrisburg Railways Company yesterday satisfied the complaints of the Bogar Lumber Company before the Public Service Commission by extending the Sixth street fare limit to the Bogar Lumber Company's plant. The complaint has been withdrawn.

STEELTON AND NEARBY TOWNS

SCHOOL BOARD TO PLANT TREES

To Beautify Grounds at Borough Building With More Foliage

The borough school board in session last night decided to place shade trees at each school building in the borough and to plant hedge and shrubbery on the high school campus. About sixty trees will be necessary to do this work. The board plans to plant young trees to take the place of those which will be removed in a few years.

Meeting of Councils to Discuss Annexation of Highspire to Steelton

A joint meeting of the Steelton and Highspire borough councils will be held in the local council chamber tonight to consider the annexation of Highspire to Steelton. The main discussion tonight will be directed to the taxes and valuations of two boroughs. The meeting is only preliminary and to discuss the problem so some action can be taken at the next meeting of the Steelton council.

MEN'S BIBLE CLASS TO HOLD SECOND ANNIVERSARY

The Men's Bible Class of St. John's Lutheran Sunday school will observe the second anniversary in the church Monday evening. The Rev. A. R. Steck, of Carlisle, will be the principal speaker. His subject will be "Why I Am a Lutheran." Officers will be elected at a short business session of the class before the celebration.

Secure Several Hundred New Red Cross Members

Several hundred new members have been secured by the Steelton Branch of the Red Cross Society since Monday, when the campaign was launched, according to Mrs. W. H. Nell, chairman of the committee. At noon today the members were obtained by canvassing Highspire, Cumber Heights and sections of the borough. The work is expected to be completed by Saturday when officers of the society believe they will reach their mark of 5,000 new members.

TUSCARORA ROAD IMPROVEMENTS UP

Delegations Ask State Highway Commissioner For Action on Road Plans

Governor Brumbaugh and Highway Commissioner Black were yesterday urged to lend their efforts to have early improvements started on the Tuscarora and Path Valley State highway route by a delegation of over 150 citizens of Franklin and Juniata counties.

The road is an important one as it would connect Fort Loudon with the Juniata valley and afford a splendid link between the Lincoln highway and the William Penn. The State authorities promised to give the matter consideration. The claims of the road improvement were urged by J. Howard Neely, William Alexander and William Hertzler.

A committee from the Geigertown Good Roads Association, headed by Doctor George Hetrick, Burgess of Birdsboro, called on State Highway Commissioner Black in the interest of a relocation of State Highway Route 244, through the Borough of Birdsboro.

William Jacobs, speaking for the delegation, said that the proposed change of route would eliminate four bridges and two crossings over the Philadelphia & Reading Railway.

Commissioner Black promised them that as soon as a route was available, a survey of the route would be made along the route, as suggested by the committee.

A delegation from the Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce, headed by Highway Commissioner F. E. Black and W. D. Uhler for the purpose of urging the improvement of certain State Highway routes leading out of Philadelphia, so that they may be available as emergency roads for the speedy transportation of supplies and munitions. Lee J. Eastman, chairman of the Good Roads Commission, stated that the Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce had no selfish end in view but that in the interest of preparedness, they considered it their patriotic duty to urge the movement for better roads in and around Philadelphia. W. R. D. Hall emphasized the fact that, as all of the railroads would be congested with the transportation of men and munitions, the highways would be used vastly more for the conveyance of supplies from the rural districts to the thickly populated centers. Commissioner Black informed the delegation that with the funds available it is not feasible for the department to promise the expenditure of extraordinary amounts in any particular section of the State.

SERVICES FOR MR. SWEIGERT. Funeral services for Walter Sweigert, who died yesterday in the Harrisburg Hospital will be held Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock from the home, 1316 1/2 James street, the Rev. George Edward Hayes officiating. Burial will be made in the East Harrisburg cemetery. Mr. Sweigert is survived by his wife, his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Sweigert, one sister and two brothers.

RECOMMEND TOP FOR RESERVOIR

Civic Club Will Suggest to Council to Place Stationary Cover Over Supply

A resolution recommending Council to place a concrete or stationary cover over the reservoir near the Kelker estate which supplies Steelton with water, was passed by the Civic Club in monthly session yesterday. A copy of the resolution will be sent to Council at the next meeting.

"Come Again"

The club decided to purchase two galvanized signs to be placed at either end of Front street. On one side will be inscribed "Steelton Welcome," and on the other side "Come Again."

West Side Hose Company to Assist Red Cross

According to officers of the West Side Hose Company to-day a special meeting will be held to-morrow night for the purpose of taking some action relative to assisting the Steelton branch of the Red Cross Society in the work.

Guardsmen Volunteer to Instruct in Training

Sergeants Harry Bretz, Frank Harter and Alexander Bell have offered their services for training the boys of the high school and borough interested in the military training method adopted by the boys sometime ago. The time for holding the classes and other details will be worked out in several days.

Steelton Snapshots

To Initiate Candidates—A class of candidates will be given the third degree at a meeting of Steelton Lodge, No. 411, Knights of Pythias, to-morrow night.

Bible Class Meeting—A meeting of the Men's Bible Class of the First Reformed church will be held in the church this evening at 8 o'clock.

On Fishing Trip—Frederick Smith, John E. Shupp, Justice of the Peace Stees, and S. Sellers returned to-day from a two days' fishing trip near New Germantown.

STABBED IN ARGUMENT

John Kukofe, 225 Francis street, is in the Harrisburg Hospital in a serious condition as a result of a stabbing bout in Main street early this morning. Steve Savage is held pending a hearing before Squire Stees, charged with being the assailant. Kukofe was stabbed in the back and the long knife penetrated one of his lungs.

SPROUL'S BILL TO PROTECT PLANTS

Corresponds to New Jersey Law and Is of Stringent Provisions

To provide greater safeguards around plants engaged in the manufacture of munitions Senator Sproul, of Delaware, to-day introduced a bill fashioned after the New Jersey law. The bill, among other things, requires that buildings shall be at proper distances from residence sections, the prohibitive distances being set forth in table. No person under 18 years of age shall handle explosives and it shall be unlawful for any person to deliver explosives to such persons. The bill prohibits the entrance of persons into munitions plants with matches or flame. Senator Sproul said the measure had been in course of preparation for some time. The Eddyville disaster made its introduction desirable at this time.

Beer Bill Up

When the bill prohibiting brewers from having offices or agents soliciting business in counties outside of their own was reached this morning Senator Snyder, its sponsor, explained that its purpose was to prevent Allentown and Reading brewers from selling beer in counties outside of their own localities at cheaper rates than they charge at home. Mr. Snyder told the Senate that business is solicited all over the State not only by agents but by telephone and that it was unfair to other brewers to allow them to go into the districts of the State with lower prices. The bill went over until Monday night. The Solicitor General meanwhile advising friends of the brewers aimed at to warn them of the intention to pass the bill.

The Salus bill validating divorces granted on the ground of the hopeless insanity of the respondent passed finally in the Senate.

Local Bill Passes

Among the bills passed finally in the House to-day was the authorizing James L. Baker of this city to sue the State. The York county fox hunting bill was postponed.

Elizabethville Hold Woodmen Old Banquet

MERCHANTS PLAN BIG CELEBRATION

Businessmen's Association to Hold Patriotic Fourth of July Ceremonies

Plans for a patriotic Fourth of July celebration along different lines than those of former years were made at a meeting of Steelton's Businessmen's Association last night. The committee appointed to work out plans is composed of W. F. Maginnis, chairman; W. H. Whitehead, David P. Baker, M. J. Horvath, M. J. Kane.

The association also decided to ask Council by letter to devise some plans for quelling the dust in Front street and keeping the thoroughfare clean.

To Unfurl American Flag at West Side Fire House

An American flag measuring eight by twelve feet will be unfurled with special ceremonies at the West Side Hose Company house to-morrow evening at 6:15 o'clock. Several hundred school children will take part.

Numbers on the program are as follows: Address, Edward Lewis, chairman of the committee; prayer, E. F. McNear, Jr.; singing, "Star Spangled Banner," West Side school children under the direction of Prof. Detweiler, principal of the school; unfurling of American flag, in charge of William James and James Thompson; address, "Patriotism," the Rev. G. W. Getz, pastor of the Main Street Church of God; singing, "America," school children.

Plans have been completed by the West Side men to take part in the patriotic parade at Harrisburg Saturday as guests of the Shamrock Fire Company. About sixty men from this company will participate in the celebration.

MIDDLETOWN

Mrs. Harry Kline, of Lancaster, is visiting here.

Miss Kathryn Eitelte, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Eitelte, and John A. Keifer, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Keifer, both residing in Main street, were married yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the M. E. parsonage by the Rev. James Cunningham.

John Brown, colored, was given a hearing before Squire C. E. Bowers yesterday morning, charged with non-payment. He was held under bail for court.

At a meeting of the St. Ypeter's Lutheran Sunday school, Sunday afternoon it was decided to change the hour of meeting from 1:30 p. m. to 9:30 a. m., beginning the first Sunday in May.

A meeting of the citizens of Royalton was held in the council chamber last evening for the purpose of organizing a fire company and thirty-nine members were enrolled. Thirty-nine dollars in cash was received. A fee of \$1.00 was made for membership. E. H. King was made temporary chairman and Harry Bonholtzer temporary secretary and treasurer. The membership committee is composed of John Gingrich, Clarence Shumaker, George Wolf, J. W. Doup and J. S. Mathias; by-laws committee, E. H. King, Alvin Hammon and H. D. Shumaker. Their new fire truck will arrive about May 15 and will be stored in the store room of S. H. Ney until a place is built.

Funeral services for George Brady were held from his home in South Union street this morning. The Rev. J. H. Albright, pastor of the United Brethren Church, officiated. Burial was made in the Geyer Cemetery at Hillside.

William and Charles Myers were in York yesterday.

Lieutenant Herbert L. Quickel, of town.

Mrs. LaDomas, of Philadelphia, will talk on emergency aid of Pennsylvania in the high school room to-morrow afternoon.

QUEEN RECEIVES DOCTOR

Rome, April 18. — Queen Elena of Italy has received in private audience Dr. Barthe de Sandfort taking a great interest in his invention of a method of treating burns which he is now using for Italian soldiers.

PARK ASSOCIATION ELECTS OFFICERS

Bellevue Body Holds Big Community Meeting After Business Session

The annual meeting of the Bellevue Park Association was held last evening at the residence of I. P. Bowman, at which time reports were read and a new board of directors elected for the ensuing year. N. E. Hause, the Rev. J. F. Bullitt, M. I. Kast, J. Horace McFarland, W. W. Watts, L. H. Haehlein and W. E. Dietrich comprise the new board.

Following the business meeting a community gathering was held, which had been arranged by the committee on social activities, under the direction of M. I. Kast.

The principal feature of the evening's entertainment was the rendition of several selections by the newly organized Bellevue Chorus, under the direction of W. E. Dietrich. Special numbers were rendered by Miss Corbett and Stanley Backenstoss. The entire gathering joined the chorus in singing some old-time songs; the musical program closed by the singing of "America."

To Adopt Song

It was decided to adopt a Bellevue Park song, and a prize of five dollars is offered to the Bellevue Park resident submitting the best composition, all

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matter to be submitted to a committee of judges not later than May 15. This was followed by a social hour, during which time refreshments were served. The following persons were present: Mr. and Mrs. I. P. Bowman, Elizabeth Bowman, Philip Bowman, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hemperly, Miriam Hemperly, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Hause, Frances Haise, Miss Anna Taft, Mrs. F. B. Aldinger, Bernard Aldinger, Katharine Aldinger, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Corbett, Mary Corbett, Mr. and Mrs. M. I. Kast, Pauline V. Kast, Robert Notestine, J. Horace McFarland, Mrs. Ivan M. Glace, Mrs. L. G. Krause, Elizabeth Krause, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Fahnestock, Jr., Stanley Backenstoss, the Rev. J. F. Bullitt, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dietrich, Mary Elizabeth Dietrich, Walter Dietrich, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Terry, John Terry, Miss Edith F. D. Young, Herman F. Miller, Harold McCord, Adam Houtz, Mrs. Stehman, of Mt. Joy; Mrs. J. T. Shirley, Allen Shirley, Mrs. George W. Jacobs, F. W. Watts, Mr. and Mrs. A. Russell Calder, John Heathcote and William Boyer.

ARRANGE ROYAL MARRIAGE

Tokio, April 18. — The marriage arranged between Prince Yi Yong, son of the former Emperor of Korea, and Princess Masako, a daughter of Prince Nashimoto, is to take place some time this spring. Prince Yi, Sr., grandfather of Prince Yi Yong, intends to come from Seoul personally to express thanks to the Japanese Emperor and Empress for the alliance between the imperial Japanese house and the former imperial house of Korea. He will be accompanied by a suite of thirteen Japanese and Korean officials.

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That was one of Tom Sawyer's dreams, and he turned his dreams into play. Remember the days when you dream of being a Pirate?—When you thought you would be a black avenger of the Spanish Main? Get back the glamour of that splendid juyousness of youth. Read once more of Tom Sawyer, the best loved boy in the world; of Huck, that precious little rascal; of all the small folks and the grown folks that made Mark Twain so dear to the hearts of men and women and boys and girls in every civilized country on the face of the globe.

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Out of the generous West came Mark Twain, giving widely and freely to the world such laughter as man had never seen. There seems to be no end to the things that Mark Twain could do well. When he wrote history, it was a kind of history unlike any other except in its accuracy. When he wrote books of travel, it was an essay. He did many things—stories, novels, travels, history, essays, humor—without behind each was the force of the great, earnest, powerful personality that dominated his time, so that even then he was known all over the face of the globe. Simple, unassuming, democratic, he was welcomed by kings, he was loved by plain people. If foreign nations love him, we in this country give him first place in our hearts. The home without Mark Twain is not an American home.

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