



THOUSANDS OF PATRIOTS



WILL DISPLAY LOYALTY

STREETS WILL RESOUND UNDER MARTIAL TREAD ALL AFTERNOON

Sixty Bands in Nine Divisions of Patriots Who Will Show Commander-in-Chief They Are Ready "To Do Their Bit"; Lowering Skies Fail to Dampen Enthusiastic Preparations For History-Making Pageant

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THEN conquer we must, for our cause it is just, And this be our motto: 'In God is our trust.' And the Star-spangled Banner in triumph shall wave O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave."

Harrisburg to-day flashes the signal to the Commander-in-Chief that it stands ready to do its bit. It is "Everybody's Patriotic Day," and the city is roused as it never has been before.

Thousands are assembling to march in a mighty pageant of patriotism while other thousands are lining up along the route of the procession.

Flags Draped Everywhere

A profusion of flags draped over the fronts of stores and houses of the city and flung from windows everywhere bespeak the loyalty of the people. In the business district the buildings are practically hidden behind waving rows of red, white and blue. So thick are the decorations that in many of the narrower streets through which the parade will pass the marchers will be under a veritable roof of flags and banners.

How thoroughly the city had entered into the spirit of patriotism for which the day was set aside was shown this morning when wagons and automobiles appeared in gala attire. The trolley cars are carrying the national colors twined around the windows and trolley poles.

Railroads Bring Thousands

The railroads are pouring thousands into the city with many trains arriving in two sections.

Lowering clouds early this morning threatened to interfere with the day's program but toward noon the weather became more settled.

All Traffic Stopped

The parade starts from Front and Market streets at 2 o'clock sharp. All traffic in Market street will be stopped at 1:45 o'clock. This includes trolley cars, Reservoir, Oberlin and Hill cars coming into the city will run as far as Fourth and Market streets. Steel-trolley cars will enter and leave Market Square by way of Race and Vine streets.

After the parade strikes Second street, Second street trolley service as well as Rockville, will be suspended. Third street cars will stay in Third street to Market and will not enter Market Square after the parade moves.

Several organizations made applications for places in the procession up to the last minute yesterday. Marshal H. M. Brooks, of the sixth division, yesterday issued an invitation to members of trades unions who are not members of other organizations to march in his division.

Ministers in Line Ministers will assemble at North and Front streets at 1:30 o'clock and will report to Division Marshal Henderson Gilbert. The ministers will likely lead the eighth division, which will consist mainly of civic organizations.

Spanish War Veterans will meet in their camp rooms, 304 North Second street, at 1 o'clock and proceed from there to their place of formation.

Officials in charge of the Serbian delegation reported yesterday to Secretary Laubenstein that there will be at least 200 Sons of Serbia in line. A band will accompany them.

Elks who intend to participate in the parade will meet at the Elks' home, North Second street, at 1 o'clock for instructions as to formation.

The Anville band will accompany the P. O. S. of A. lodges in the pa-

rade to-day, as will the drum corps of Camp No. 639. The Pennsylvania Reserves, the military branch of the order, will lead the delegation. Members of the Harrisburg Rifle Association will assemble in Front street, near the Cumberland Valley bridge, at 1 o'clock and will march from there to their formation place.

A concert was given in the Capitol

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\$57 in 40 Minutes Record Speed at Police Station in Fining 19 Traffic Breakers

Fifty-seven dollars in 40 minutes was the record haul of the police court for many years. Yesterday afternoon 19 traffic violators were heard in that short space of time. To each answer guilty came the reply, "three dollars or five days." All took the three dollars.

Roulette Wheels "Blinds" For Gang of Pickpockèts

Permission to operate roulette wheels was refused to several out-of-town men this morning by the police department.

It is charged by Reading police that several roulette operators in that city during the patriotic parade were merely drawing cards for the crowds while their pickpockèts were at work.

SEEK HEIR TO FORTUNE The local police department has been asked to aid in locating George Miller believed to be living in this city. The letter asking the information comes from Reese Tatam, Dalhart, Texas. Miller is said to have fallen heir to a small fortune. Tatam believes that he has one daughter and two sons.

Patriotic Canine Series "YANKEE DOODLE"

"Yankee Doodle" is his name, he is a coach dog and hails from the little town of Lemoyne across the river. His sense of patriotism is very keen and since the soldiers have camped in the cross river town to guard the Cumberland Valley bridge he spends most of his time with them. His greatest achievement is dancing the fox trot to "Yankee Doodle," he derived his name.

"LORD, WE COME"



A REPRESENTATION OF THIS FAMOUS PAINTING, THE SPIRIT OF '76, BY MEN IN COSTUME WILL CONSTITUTE A PART OF THE HARRISBURG TELEGRAPH MARCHING DISPLAY IN TODAY'S PARADE.

Hark! I hear the tramp of thousands, And of armed men the hum; Lo! a nation's hosts have gathered Round the quick alarming drum— Saying, "Come, Freemen, come! Ere your heritage be wasted," said the quick alarming drum. "Let me of my heart take counsel: War is not of life the sum; Who shall stay and reap the harvest When the autumn days shall come?" But the drum Echoed, "Come! Death shall reap the braver harvest" said the solemn-sounding drum. "But when won the coming battle, What of profit springs therefrom? What if conquest, subjugation, Even greater ills become?" But the drum Answered, "Come! You must do the sum to prove it," said the Yankee answering drum. "What if 'mid the cannons' thunder, Whistling shot and bursting bomb When my brothers fall around me, Should my heart grow cold and numb?" But the drum Answered, "Come! Better there in death united, than in life a recreant,—Come!" Thus they answered,—hoping, fearing, Some in faith, and doubting some, Till a trumpet-voice proclaiming, Said "My chosen people come!" Then the drum, Lo! was dumb, For the great heart of the nation, throbbing, answered, "Lord, we come!"

NEITHER ITTNER NOR LLOYD CHOICE OF SCHOOL BOARD

Long Wrangle Ends in High School Architect Selection Going Back to Conference

EXECUTIVE SESSIONS

What Went on Behind Closed Doors Not Made Public; Another Meeting Next Week

Refusing to elect either William B. Ittner, of St. Louis, or C. Howard Lloyd, of Harrisburg, as architect for the new high schools and remodeling work by a 5 to 4 vote, city school directors last night referred the entire question to a joint session of the board and the citizens' advisory committee to be held next week. This action was taken at the closing of a meeting which lasted just 5 hours and 33 minutes.

During that time there were two executive sessions—the first, one-half hour in length with only the school board members present, and the second lasting almost one hour, the school board meeting behind closed doors with Mr. Ittner, Mr. Lloyd, George W. McIlhenny and President

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ARGENTINA READY FOR BREAK WITH KAISER'S FORCES

South American Republic Demands Restitution For Sinking of Merchantman

By Associated Press Buenos Aires, April 21.—The government has sent to Germany an energetic note demanding complete satisfaction for the sinking of the Argentinian sailing ship Monte Protegido. The Argentinian minister is instructed to immediately break off relations if

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SENATE LEADERS TO PUSH DRAFT BILL TO LIMIT

Conscription to Have Right of Way on the Legislative Calendar

Washington, D. C., April 21.—Prospects for the early passage of the Selective Conscription Bill have been measurably increased when the Senate reached an agreement to give precedence to that bill over other pending army legislation. The Senate has now taken the lead in the movement for selective conscription. What was done was in line

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SOLDIERS TAKE KEEN DELIGHT IN NEW WARFARE

Australians Glad For Chance to Get Out of Trenches Into Open

From a Staff Correspondent of the Associated Press Australian Headquarters in France, April 21.—After these many months of trench warfare there is keen delight for the Australian soldier in this new land of warfare which the German retirement has opened up. The fighting is in open country now, over gently rolling downs of what looks like grass

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KAISER FACES CRISIS THAT ROCKS EMPIRE

Ten Thousand Striking Munition Workers Prevented From Burning City Hall of Great Fortress Town of Magdeburg After Sharp Clash With Military; Bloody Riot Marks Labor Disturbance

BERLIN LABOR MAKES DEMANDS THAT MAY MEAN END TO WILHELM'S MILITARIST REGIME

Von Hindenburg Forced to Make Personal Appeal to Men in Effort to Check Widespread Dissent; Socialists Demand Release of Political Prisoners; French Maintain Unrelenting Pressure

Interest in the great French offensive on the Aisne gives way to-day to the startling news from the interior of Germany. Veiled though the situation is in the mists of a rigid censorship and obscured by the shackled condition of the German press sufficient has leaked through to indicate that the German empire is facing a great economic and political crisis.

The latest information received is that 10,000 striking munition workers have engaged in a bloody riot in the great Prussian fortress town of Magdeburg and were only prevented from burning the City Hall after a sharp clash with the military. This story comes from the Dutch frontier with sufficient detail to make its claims to authenticity im-

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THREE OF CROWD ARRESTED
Harrisburg. — Three suspicious characters were arrested at noon by Detective Hyjo Spreck and George Shuler. One of them had a roll of "phony" money on his person such as is used in the "change game." It is believed by the police that they are part of the crowd that made the clean-up in the Lebanon and Reading patriotic parades.
EARTHQUAKES IN CALIFORNIA
Los Angeles, April 21. — Two earthquake shocks in rapid succession were felt in various parts of Southern California late last night. No damage was reported.
BRITISH TAKE VILLAGE AND PRISONERS
London, April 21.—British troops last night captured the village of Gonnelleu on the front between St. Quentin Cambri, it was officially announced to-day. A number of prisoners were taken in the sharp fighting here.
AIR AND SEA BATTLE
Rome, April 21.—A sea and air battle near Venice on April 17 is reported in an official announcement by the war office.
GERMAN ATTACK REPULSED
Paris, April 21.—French troops made further gains last night in grenade fighting south of Juvincourt and east of Coucy. A German attack against Mont Haut failed, the war office announces. The battle of guns raged with particular violence east of Craonne and north of Rheims.
DROP ESPIONAGE BILL
Washington, April 21.—The administration espionage bill, after three days of sharp debate in the Senate was displaced to-day by the war army bill. Decision to postpone consideration of the espionage bill indefinitely was reached late yesterday.
PLAN TO FINANCE RED CROSS
Washington, April 21.—About a score of prominent financiers and businessmen met here to-day on invitation of President Wilson to consider means of financing war activities of the American Red Cross.
MARRIAGE LICENSES
James Henry Albright, Yocumtown, and Agnes McHugh, Williams-town.
George Henry Long and Hattie Viola Henderson, Harrisburg.
Howard Andrew Hardy and Margaret Anna Wilson, Harrisburg.
John Romani, Jr. and Anna Bosica, Steelton.
Peter Kovacs and Mary Caspo, Steelton.

THE WEATHER

For Harrisburg and vicinity: Partly cloudy this afternoon; fair tonight and Sunday; cooler to-night.
For Eastern Pennsylvania: Fair tonight and Sunday; cooler to-night.
Yesterday's Weather
Highest temperature, 71.
Lowest temperature, 51.
Mean temperature, 61.
Normal temperature, 53.