

STAMM MAKES REPLY TO LLOYD

Issues Lengthy Statement in School Architect Controversy

In the matter of the statements and counter-statements in the school architect matter A. C. Stamm, president of the School Board, when asked whether he had any reply to make to Mr. Lloyd's statement, said that the case had been made up, and that he thought it was before the people in such a way that those who cared to could form a correct judgment as to the issue, and that there was hardly any use in continuing the discussion.

CULTIVATING CITY "FARM"



The two gardeners in the above picture, employees of W. L. Forry's Haberdashery, North Third street, are cultivating a small "farm" at the intersection of the picture and Joseph R. Motter on the right.

Governor Is Arousing People to Importance of Planting Food Gardens

Governor Brumbaugh is arousing the people to the importance of planting everything and anything which will increase the food supply. His latest proclamation asking hotel and restaurant managers to save the eyes of potatoes for distribution to the people who wish to plant their backyards and vacant lots is a practical appeal. Seed potatoes are scarce and the governor's experience as a farmer gives him the right to point out how the situation can be improved through co-operation of the hotel and restaurant people.

Mifflintown Man Badly Cut With Razor in Fray at 135 South Third

Hayes Pettitt, of Mifflintown, is in the Harrisburg Hospital in a serious condition from a slash of a razor on the face late last night. William Baymiller, who has a long police record is accused by the police of doing the cutting. The cutting occurred in a resort at 135 South Third street, conducted by Molly Crum. Patrolman Pat Hylan was passing at the time of the fight and saw Baymiller run from the house and attempt to conceal a razor in his sleeve. Hylan arrested him and investigated. Pettitt was lying in a pool of blood, his face slashed and his right ear almost severed. He is owner of the Juniata Auto Company at Mifflintown.

Gun Crew's Commander Died From Exposure; Body Buried at Sea

London, May 2.—Captain S. S. Harris and eight other survivors of the American tank steamship Vaca, sunk by a German submarine, arrived today at a British port, suffering severely from exhaustion and exposure. Lieut. Thomas, U. S. N., who was in command of the gun crew on the Vaca, died of exposure on Sunday morning in the captain's boat. His body was buried at sea. The captain's boat was overturned three times and the men had a terrible battle for life. The survivors were unable to travel before Saturday.

Mrs. William J. Evert Dies in Phila. Hospital

Mrs. Fannetta M. Eavenson, wife of William J. Evert, purchasing agent of the Elliott-Fisher Company, died Tuesday evening, May 1, in the Kensington Hospital, Philadelphia, of complications following an operation for appendicitis. She is survived by her father, Robert E. Eavenson, of Dayton, Ohio, and two brothers living in Sunbury. The body was brought to her home, 1508 South Twelfth street, this noon and funeral services will be held from Trinity Episcopal Church of Steelton, Saturday morning. Burial will be made in Sunbury by the side of her mother. Mrs. Everts was a native of Boston, and came to Harrisburg about ten years ago. She was a gifted musician and played the pipe organ in Messiah Lutheran Church for a time. She was also a member of the Wednesday Club. Mr. and Mrs. Everts were married in 1912 and have resided in Cameron Extension since then.

Chief Mate of American Ship Rockingham Is Safe

Baltimore, May 2.—Chief Mate Edgar W. Carver, of the American steamship Rockingham, reported yesterday as having been sunk by a German submarine, survivors who reached land to-day report. No word has been received of this boat containing the thirteen missing men. There were twelve naval gunners on board.

No Word of Thirteen Men Missing From U. S. Steamer

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U-Boat Sets Fire to American Sailing Ship

Washington, May 2.—The American sailing vessel Margaret was destroyed by the Irish coast on April 27 by a submarine, being set on fire. No mention of loss of life is made. There are several sailing vessels of that name.

RUSS TO FIGHT ON

Petrograd, May 2, via London.—The Russian provisional government has sent to the Russian representatives in the entente allied countries a telegram assuring the allies that change in government in Russia cannot afford a pretext for any slackening on the part of Russia in the common struggle of all the entente allies.

INSURANCE MEN GONE

Pittsburgh, May 2.—Magistrate J. J. Kirby, before whom the information was made for the arrest of seven New York men charged with conspiracy to defraud the Pittsburgh Life and Trust Company out of \$1,900,000 to-day said that his constables and agents of the attorney general had been unable to locate any of the men in Pittsburgh.

WAR VETERANS HOLD REUNION

Survivors of 127th Penna. Volunteers Recall Old Times at Annual Meeting

Members of the 127th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry this morning celebrated their twenty-ninth annual reunion in the Grand Army hall of Post 58. Only a few of the famous 127th remain, but those few spent a busy morning in speech-making and recalling times that the present almost parallel. After the regular business meeting the "Boys of '61" banqueted at the Harrisburg Club, enjoyed an automobile ride and visited the Capitol.

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PROBING DEATH OF MISS FOULK

Coroner Investigating Auto Accident; Driver Is Held by Police

Coroner Jacob Eekinger is investigating the death of Miss Mary L. Foulk, who was struck and killed last night at Second and State streets. Thomas H. Bogart, 2218 North Sixth street, drove the car that struck her. He was placed under arrest by Luther Karns, driver of the Hope Fire Company engine, and Constable William L. Windsor, 3rd.

YOUR EYES

Are you giving them the proper attention. Most anyone by a few simple tests could tell that your eyesight was defective and that you need glasses of some kind but to tell the exact trouble and fit the proper lenses requires more than ordinary skill. I have made this one thing a study and correct eye defects by looking into the eyes with modern appliances, taking the exact form and shape. Commencing Saturday, May 5, and ending at 8 p. m., I will examine the eyes and fit you with guaranteed gold filled mountings and spherical lenses, all complete, for \$2.00

Made in either spectacles or nose glasses. If you are having trouble with your eyes or your glasses do not suit you, take advantage of this special offer, which will end Saturday, May 5, at 8 p. m.

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Important Announcement!

We have just purchased from one of the Leading Ladies' Specialty Houses of Harrisburg

A LARGE LOT OF LADIES' COATS, SKIRTS and DRESSES

Half the Original Wholesale Cost

These goods are of the highest class. You will be surprised at style and superior quality of these fine garments. Ladies' Silk and Gabardine Skirts from \$1.98 to \$3.98 Ladies' Coats, \$2.98 up Ladies' Dresses, \$1.98 up

Special lot of 200 Boys' Wash Suits, values up to \$2.50 48¢

Special Sale of Men's Clothing Suits \$5.98 to \$9.98

THE LEADER BARGAIN STORE 443 MARKET ST. Don't Forget the Name and Number

France Has Big Problem in Finding Means to Get Coal Across Atlantic

Washington, May 2.—Means for transporting American coal to France and thus releasing for other service ships used to carry it from England, is one of the most pressing problems laid before American government officials by members of the French and British commissions here. The question has caused the Council of National Defense to consider control over the coal industry and the subject is being investigated by F. S. Peabody, of Chicago, for the Council.

Empty Boats of Steamer Belfast Found on Coast

Rio Janeiro, May 2.—The newspaper A Noite reports that empty boats bearing the name Belfast have been found stranded near Cabo Frio, off the east coast of Brazil. It is supposed, says the newspaper, that the British steamer Belfast has met with disaster.

Front-Drive Tractor For Fire Engine Expected Sat.

The front-drive tractor for the Susquehanna Fire Company engine will reach here Saturday, Commissioner Grass stated today. Workmen will begin at once installing the parts and repainting the wood-work. Two other front-drive tractors for the Citizen and Paxton engines will arrive next Saturday. The three steamers will be motorized and in service within three weeks. Fire Department officials state that the six chemical and hose cars, equipped and ready for service will be shipped before the end of the month.

NOTHING in the way of better health can ever come from drinking coffee. There are millions of former coffee users who now drink Postum. "There's a Reason"

North Market Square GOLDSMITH'S 10 Special Furniture Days Special Reductions in Force Until May 12th Unusual conditions in these most unusual times have brought us many opportunities from leading manufacturers which we quickly snapped up and these money-saving advantages we now gladly pass on to you in these Special Furniture Days. Bright, clean seasonable merchandise is placed on sale at much less than regular prices to add impetus to the movement started by President Wilson for "small profits and quick service." Attention! those of you who will become June brides, and heed this economy call now. Any article purchased now can be held for later delivery.