

# PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NEWS

## WICKENHISES-WILLIAMS

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Williams of 22 Balm street announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Jessie Raybelle Williams, to Robert Stoner Wickenhise of Elizabeth-town, Pa. The wedding took place in Pittsburgh and the ceremony was performed by Magistrate ex-Judge J. J. Kirby of that city. Mr. and Mrs. Wickenhise will reside in Pittsburgh, where the bridegroom is connected with the American Sheet and Tin Plate Company.

## CHORAL UNION NOTES

The music committee of the Harrisburg Christian Endeavor Choral Union will meet at headquarters, on Thursday evening, May 17, to transact important business. All are urged to attend.

The Harrisburg Christian Endeavor Choral Union will have charge of the singing at the Y. M. C. A. meeting on Sunday afternoon under the leadership of Charles F. Clippinger. The singing will have charge of this meeting.

## LUNCH WITH MRS. LAMBERTON

The following ladies took lunch yesterday with Mrs. Robert A. Lambert, at her residence, Front and Locust streets: Mrs. A. J. Herr, Mrs. Charles H. Arlington, Mrs. Henry McCormick, Mrs. Spencer C. Gilbert, Mrs. George Douglas Ramsay, Mrs. William B. McCaleb, Miss Wilhelm, Mrs. William O. Hickok, Mrs. William Pearson.

## MOTOR TO GETTYSBURG

C. Earl Whitmoyer, Edward Frickman, Jared Lenker, Jacob Wolf, R. L. Dare and W. K. Wolf motored to Gettysburg yesterday to attend the alumni exercises of the graduating class of the Gettysburg Seminary.

## SPEND WEEK-END IN COUNTRY

Miss Clara Anna Adams, 2056 Swarthmore street; Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Swartz and Joseph Shenk, of Penbrook, motored to Duncannon for a week-end visit with friends.

Mrs. G. Fred Holtzman, of Elizabethville, is visiting her parents in Philadelphia.

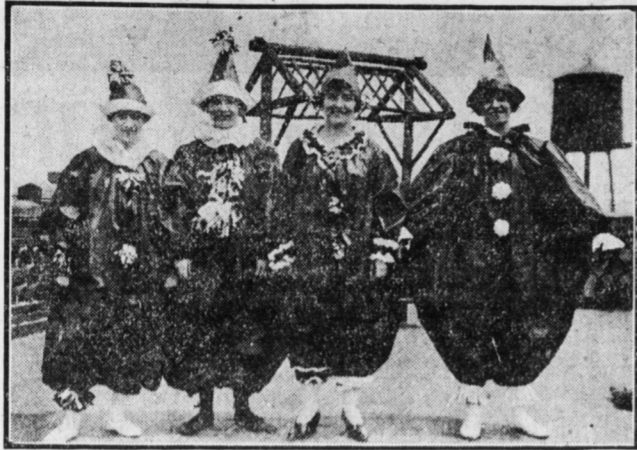
Dr. and Mrs. James W. Kellogg have removed from Old Orchard to their new residence, Sixteenth and Forster streets.

Miss Lona R. Shaw, 1521 Park street, has returned home after spending several days as the guest of Miss Weaverling, in Lancaster.

Mrs. James I. Chamberlin has gone to Poughkeepsie, N. Y., to visit her daughter, Miss Jean Chamberlin, a Vassar College student.

Mrs. Walter Harvey Allen, of Toledo, Ohio, formerly Miss Josie Belle Weible, of this city, is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. M. Weible, 316 North Second street.

## GYMNASIUM GIRLS IN ENTERTAINMENT



One of the cleverest acts of the entertainment to-morrow evening given by the Business Girls' Gymnasium classes in Chestnut street auditorium will be done by the "Tumbler" in the picture above, including Miss Elizabeth Coel, Miss Anna Luft, Miss Martha Bailey and Miss Clara Wolfe. These young women in their funny clown's costumes will do a game of Leap Frog, turn somersaults, forpyramids and lightning-like tumbling, ending with a Yama Yama dance. Miss Marjorie Boles, the physical instructor of the association has the entertainment in charge and there will be vaudeville, various drills and dances and stunts to please everybody.

## New Russian Cabinet Agrees on War Points

Petrograd, May 17. — The government and the radicals who have been hampering its activities have reached an agreement on three important points and cabinet reconstruction has been inaugurated.

Following the publication of important cabinet changes including the retirement of Professor Paul N. Milukoff, foreign minister from the cabinet, the official news agency issued this statement:

"The three cardinal points upon which the government, the executive committee of the Duma and the council of workmen and soldiers' delegates have agreed are:

"The unity of the allied fronts; "The fullest confidence of the revolutionary democracy in the reconstructed cabinet; "A plentitude of powers for the government."

## This Is the Birthday Anniversary of—



**CHARLES J. WOOD, JR.**  
This is the birth anniversary of Charles J. Wood, Jr., a native of Baltimore, but a resident of Harrisburg for the past ten years where he has been interested in the wholesale plumbing and heating trade. He recently joined the sales force of the American Radiator Company, showroom at 110 North Second street. He is one of the original roster of the Harrisburg Rotary Club, a member of Perseverance Lodge of Pennsylvania Masons and the local lodge of the United Commercial Travelers and he counts a host of friends among the people of his adopted city.

## COMMENCEMENT TO BE HELD MAY 28 AT MERCERSBURG

According to the wishes of many patrons, the Mercersburg Academy, for war reasons will omit the regular commencement functions with the exception of the graduation exercises. By omitting these functions and condensing the examination schedule, the graduation exercises will be held on the morning of Monday, May 28, instead of Wednesday, June 6.

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## ROOKIES HAPPY DESPITE RAIN

### March Through Downpour as Part of Officers' Daily Training

Fort Niagara, N. Y., May 17.—The men in training for officers' commissions here got their first taste yesterday of soldiering in wet weather. For the greater part of the afternoon the rain poured in torrents upon the rookies and their officers. Most of the men were out on their first hike, which took in the surrounding country for a distance of several miles from camp. Some of the companies were marched out the brick paved boulevard toward Niagara Falls, while others went down the lake road several miles. Others contented themselves with a march through the streets of the village of Youngstown.

Despite the rain, however, it was a happy crowd of khaki-clad men that stepped out upon the parade grounds and then followed at the command of the officers. They soon got into the steady, easy swing of the trained soldier, and had gone only a short distance when they began to whistle and sing catchy airs. They found that this made marching easier. There had no other exercises, and were ordered out without equipment. "Dixie," "Tipperary," and "Marching Through Georgia" were the most popular of the songs whistled and sung.

From Reveille at 5.20 o'clock in the morning until "lights out" at 10 o'clock the recruits were busy with the routine of their daily life. During the study period from 7 to 9 o'clock the men are carefully watched. The study is optional, and the textbooks are there and their contents must be learned during the piney days the recruit is in training camp. The study is optional, and the textbooks are there and their contents must be learned during the piney days the recruit is in training camp.

General Bell was up before the bugle sounded this morning and when the soldiers had cleared the racks to mess they found him and Colonel W. Miller with several of the post staff officers nearby in conference. The general already had breakfasted.

The general visited every part of the camp. It was his first trip to Fort Niagara. After leaving the post he said that Fort Niagara would not be used as a training camp for an increment of the proposed selective service army. Madras, Ontario, and Plattsburg also have been eliminated, he said.

"Weather conditions at Niagara Falls and in this latitude are the worst in the winter time," the general said.

"You know the recruits must be drilled every day in the month, and every month in the year—every day in the year—if they are to become good soldiers in the short time allowed for their training, and the snow at Niagara is too deep in the winter for men to use the camp. The soldiers would not drill in the deep snow. We could not use Niagara for the winter months in the year and the government cannot erect temporary quarters for the soldiers to be of service only six months in the year when they are busy in places where the camp can be used the entire year. I could not recommend Niagara as a training camp site, and Madras, Ontario, and Plattsburg are also out of consideration."

## Three Night Controls Are Established on Highways

During the last few days the representative of one of the largest truck manufacturers in Michigan arranged three night controls in cities on the William Penn highway at which will be put up brand-new trucks not only being delivered overland to New York and Philadelphia, but carrying overland supplies of munitions and other material from Western Pennsylvania, Ohio and Michigan cities. The idea of transporting goods to the seaboard in new trucks being delivered to dealers was originated by the Detroit company which has arranged the night controls in Pennsylvania.

Although the last year or so western manufacturers have been sending new trucks overland through Pennsylvania, these trucks have been "runners" with the result that valuable transportation facilities have been overlooked. But the Detroit factory is utilizing this lost motion and with the full consent of the dealers, who declare the addition of a load will mean an end to "racing" of new trucks.

From Philadelphia the route will be over the Lincoln highway to Greensburg; thence to New Alexandria, Blairsville, and eastern points. Because of certain conditions the manufacturer will not permit the names of night-control cities to become known, and has taken this stand at the insistence of garage companies.

## CASKET HE ORDERED 15 YEARS AGO IS SHIPPED

York, Pa., May 16.—P. A. Lauer, undertaker at Dover, has shipped a "juni" casket to Jeremiah Jacobs, Camden, Ind., a former resident of Dover. While living in Dover, Jacobs had the casket prepared by Undertaker Berkheimer, of Harmony Grove. After the death of Berkheimer it was placed in the care of Lauer. Jacobs also had a tombstone cut and placed in readiness by N. H. Baugman, of Dover. This was done fifteen years ago, when Jacobs was 65 years old. He is now 80 and recently decided that it would be best to have the stone and the casket handy, and they were shipped to him a few days ago to his Indiana residence.

## LEBANON CIVILIAN SENT TO JAIL FOR WEARING UNIFORM

Pittsburgh, May 16.—Pleading guilty of wearing the uniform of a soldier of the United States when he had no right to it, Benjamin Ober, 16 years old of Lebanon, Pa., was sentenced to serve one day in jail by Judge Charles P. Orr in the United States district court here.

The case is the first of its kind that has been called to the attention of the local Federal authorities in the present war with Germany.

## GIRL BOOTBLACK IN HOTEL LIKES HER JOB

New York, May 16.—The "boot blackness" has arrived. She is Miss Kitty DeAngella, and she started yesterday shining shoes in the Hotel McAlpin. The young woman does not burnish the pedal coverings of mere men, however, for her stand is established in the ladies' parlor of the hotel. Another girl will be added shortly.

Miss DeAngella spent a busy day with cloth, brush and polish yesterday.

"I'd rather do this than manicure, and there's more money in it," she beamed.

## PETAINE CALLS ON AMERICA TO SEND MEN AT ONCE TO HELP FRANCE IN FIGHTING

### Commander-in-Chief of French Army Would Train U. S. Soldiers and Recruits at the Front

Paris, May 17.—The following statement was obtained by Whitney Warren from General Petain, commander-in-chief of the French army. It reads:

"It seems to be the intention of the United States government to create a powerful army. To do this conscription must become a reality. There must be raised and equipped, armed and instructed, a vast number of recruits sufficient to form a great number of divisions. Superior and subaltern officers must be chosen, and trained, and staffs and other innumerable services organized.

"It is well known that America is capable of this herculean effort, but it must also be remembered that once these great armies are transported to France they must again go through a period of training before they can be sent into battle or even hold quiet portions of the front. Witness the experience of the English, when the divisions of Kitchener arrived. The British staff sent them to the front, battalions by battalion, then by brigades. In only one or two instances were officers allowed to move, and then the result was very poor and the losses tremendous.

"The amount of the immense amount of organization necessary before your men can even embark—the service of alimentation and food distribution, articles and its services, munitions of all kinds, workshops to repair and pieces to replenish the engineers with their materials for roads, bridges, railways, telegraph wires and light installation; the aviation service, with its machinery, its balloons, its workshops; the sanitary service, not to speak of transport service by horse and motor.

"All these difficulties are present themselves not only to one, but to every division. Imagine the delay necessary before such difficulties can be overcome and, above all, before they can function under the conditions necessary.

"True, all this will be realized later. It must be. But what is imperative now is men—infantry. We fully believe that of all nations America can do most and in the least time, but in order to move quickly the staff must be ready with its men.

"What we look to from America is quick action in order to relieve the nations which already suffer so much. Also to see big—that is, to create organizations capable of developing and utilizing the immense resources of our country—and, above all, immediately to send volunteers. These volunteers would at first be trained between French units, but always respecting the autonomy of America. It is understood that it is a moral necessity that they fight under their own flag; but there is also the necessity for a period of transition or instruction when quicker and better results can be obtained by the above methods.

**Could Train Later Units**  
"Therefore, in order as soon as possible to get them in line, it is imperative to charge the French with their training by incorporating them immediately into the French army itself, so that in turn they can train younger soldiers later and be ready to take the place of officers and petty officers. Your volunteer units, which for the moment would be trained between French units, also could be used later as frames for arriving American armies.

"Therefore, as soon as the volunteers arrive they should be incorporated, according to their arm of service, in the French army, under the Stars and Stripes, naturally. This will insure intensive training and shortly furnish monitors for the regular army raised by conscription. The foundation of the American volunteer units will comprise two periods: First, constitution of officers and equipment in America; second, a period of intensive instruction in France. Intensive instruction and formation of officers is all-important and especially what was lacked in the case of the English.

"Officers should be very numerous enough for at least a hundred divisions. They should be taken from your actual army or militia, from among regular soldiers, and capable of furnishing the lower grades and from young men who have a certain amount of education."

## Rev. Harold H. Baldwin Is Ordained at Pine Street

The Rev. Harold H. Baldwin was ordained as assistant pastor of Pine Street Presbyterian Church last evening.

The sermon was preached by the Rev. Dr. Alfred H. Barr. Constitutional questions were asked by the Rev. Thomas J. Ferguson, moderator of the Carlisle Presbytery. The Rev. Dr. L. S. Mudge, offered the prayer of ordination and the charge to the assistant pastor was delivered by the moderator.

## JAMES WILL SPEAK AT BLACK DIAMOND TRIAL MEET

M. H. James, secretary of the William Penn Highway Association will fill this morning at the Black Diamond trial meeting. He will talk at a meeting of the promoters of the proposed "Black Diamond Trail," which will connect Clearfield, Pa., and Cumberland, Md., through McKean, Elk, Jefferson, Clearfield, Blair and Bedford counties. The "Black Diamond Trail" is the subject of a resolution of the Chamber of Commerce, of which a former Harrisburg newspaper man, C. Laurence Shepley, is managing secretary.

## LEBANON VALLEY SENDS FORTY TO ARMY AND NAVY

Annulla, Pa., May 17.—Although hard hit as the result of the patriotic response on part of the student body to President Wilson's call for volunteers, the preparations for war with Germany, the authorities of Lebanon Valley College advised that the new trucks being delivered to dealers was originated by the Detroit company which has arranged the night controls in Pennsylvania.

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## CORRESPONDENTS ARE MADE HONORARY MEMBERS

The thirty members of the Pennsylvania Legislative Correspondents' Association have been chosen honorary members of the William Penn Highway Association, as have Lieut. Governor Frank B. McClain and Speaker Richard Baldwin of the House of Representatives. This portion of the William Penn honorary membership will have a dinner at Reading, Thursday, May 17, after covering a hundred or so miles of the William Penn in automobiles.

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