

MINIBUS ROAD BILL CERTIFIED

Highway Department Will Now Get Started on the Surveys of Changes

The House bill making changes in number of State highway routes, approved by Governor Brumbaugh Saturday, was to-day certified to the State Highway Department, which will take steps to make the necessary changes. Surveys will be made immediately.

In detail the changes made in highway routes, with mention of the mileage saved or added, and the amount of the Governor on the line, follow:

Route 100, from Emporium to Northampton—Increase of 4.6 miles; not recommended.

Route 63, from Indiana to Brookville, through Marion Center and Putnam—Decrease of 4.4 miles; good change, combining two routes.

Route 288, from Greensburg to Newburg, through Charlestown and Brownsville—Decrease of three miles; good change; better than present route.

Route 275, from New Bloomfield to Middleburg, by way of Amity Hill—Increase in this route 1.1 miles, but decrease on through route 1.1 miles; desired by William in Highway Association; along route 175; one of reasons why not approved.

Route 175, from Easton to Mauch Chunk, through Nazareth, Bath, Inokup, Slatinton—Increase of 1.5 miles; good change, eliminating dangerous railroad crossing on this route.

Route 177, from Wilkes-Barre to Scranton, through Dallas and Red Bank—Decrease of 2.6 miles; good change.

Route 84, from Ebensburg to Indiana, through Nanticoke and Twin Forks—Increase of 1.6 miles; good change on account of population and conditions.

Route 28, from Middleburg to Wistonia, through McClure and Ararat—Decrease of eight-tenths mile; good change, eliminating grade crossings.

Route 251, from Bellefonte to Pottsville, through Milroy and Lehigh, and McAleavy's Fort—Decrease of 3.7 miles; good change.

Route 266, from Coudersport to Williamsport, through Cherry Springs and Jersey Shore—Decrease of 11.5 miles; good change, eliminating dangerous road hard to construct.

Route 236, from Coudersport to York state line, through Mill-

port and Shinglehouse—Decrease of eight-tenths mile; good change. Route 10, from Montrose to New York state line, through New Milford and Oakland—Decrease of five-tenths mile; change recommended because of better construction facilities.

Routes 20 and 212, the former from Williamsport to New York line and the latter from Wellsboro to Towanda—Former decreases distance 3 miles; latter increases 18 miles; not recommended; were made in order to lay down Susquehanna trail from Troy to New York state line.

Routes 47 and 232, from Bedford to Hollidaysburg and Bedford to Ebensburg—Decrease on two roads of 1 mile and recommended to better local conditions.

Route 50, from Somerset to Uniontown, through Rockwood and Confluence—Increase of 2.3 miles; not recommended; purely increase.

Route 105, from Emporium to Lock Haven, through Driftwood and Sinnemahoning—Decrease of 15.8 miles; very important; eliminates 9 grade crossings, will permit opening of new road from Lock Haven to Renovo, and will cost \$600,000 less to construct than present route.

Route 109, from Washington to Waynesburg—Decrease of 4 miles. Route 224, from McConnellsburg to Marysland line, through Greenwater—Former decreases distance 2 miles; latter increases 1 mile; put spur to Buchanan birthplace.

Route 14, from Towanda to Montrose, through Wyalusing—Decrease of 4 miles; good change. Route 241, from Tunkhannock to Towanda—Decrease of 1 mile; good change.

**Fly-Swattling Campaign Closes on Saturday When Prizes Will Be Awarded**

The fly-swattling contest which the boys and girls of the city have been waging during the early months of the summer will close on Saturday morning, when the flies that have been caught and killed, and those that have been swatted, will be brought to the Patriot building, 11 North Market Square, to be measured.

Each boy and girl will be paid five cents a pint for all dead flies brought there. Prizes will be awarded to the youngsters bringing the largest quantity of flies. This work which has been done annually for several years, is conducted under the direction of the municipal department of the Civic Club. Miss Rachel Pollock is chairman and Mrs. Solomon Hiney, Jr., of Steelton, vice-chairman.

The measuring on Saturday, and awarding of prizes, will be in charge of Mrs. Mabel Cronise Jones, Mrs. James Barr Marsereau and Miss Josephine Hanlon of the Civic Club. While the members believe the multitude of flies is being reduced as a result of the contests, it is expected that many pints of the dead pests will be brought in on Saturday.

**WAGNER FAMILY REUNION** Halifax, Pa., July 23.—A family reunion was held on Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Wagner in Fourth street, when all of the children greeted each other for the first time in many years. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wagner, of Rochester, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Wagner and daughter Rhoda, of Bellefonte, and the Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Shoop and children, of Hopeland.

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AMUSEMENTS

Lula Parr, Cowgirl With Willard-Buffero Bill Show



A Wild West show, offering as one of its star riding features a famous bareback equestrienne, would seem to be violating tradition, but this is what is promised for the Jess Willard-Buffero Bill Wild West and circus, which exhibits in Harrisburg, Thursday, July 26. Emily Stokney, the principal bareback equestrienne with the big show, comes from a family famous as riders and all-around circus performers for many generations. There has not been a time during the past seventy-five years when some clever representative of the Stokney family and name has not been before the American public in the role of arena star. The name Stokney belongs to the best traditions of the American circus. Lula Parr, another chic and attractive young woman, is the antithesis of Miss Stokney as a rider. There is nothing of the dainty posing of the circus in her horsemanship. Her riding is of the wild, reckless kind that thrills the blood and makes one involuntarily wonder how so frail an appearing young woman could put so much abandon in her fearless handling of wild horses. It is said that there is no rider in the entire Jess Willard-Buffero Bill stable that Miss Parr cannot ride.

Then, by way of a still greater contrast, there is Mme. Marantette. Mme. Marantette is not only a famous trainer of high-school horses but is herself a most skilled and intrepid rider. Mounted on one of her famous jumping horses, she thinks nothing of a seven-foot fence. These three riders illustrate three entirely different styles of equestrianism, and each is equally great in her way.

**PAXTANG PARK—Vaudeville, COLONIAL—"Love or Justice," REGENT—"Her Better Self."** The attraction at the Paxtang Park theater for this week will consist of the **The Week's Bill** vaudeville bill of five acts.

The headliner will be the **Georgolas Trio**, who are known as America's greatest pistol and rifle snots. This is said to be the most sensational shooting act in vaudeville and a novelty that is really worthy of hearing home. Espe and Dutton, vaudeville's most versatile athletes, will also be a feature of the show, while Alexander and Wilds, two American hoboes, with a brilliant line of comedy, conversation and parodies; Mabel MacDonald, known as the fashion plate songbird, and Bicknell, a clay modeler, who presents a most interesting entertainment will all do their bit toward making the show at Paxtang a pleasing entertainment. Another big fireworks display will be given at the park on Friday evening.

**"Love or Justice,"** with the well-known Louise Glaum in the title role is the attraction at the **Colonial** today only. It tells the story of a woman of the underworld, who wears a brilliant young lawyer from the drug habit by her love and devotion. As in "Sweetheart of the Doomed" and "The Wolf Woman," Miss Glaum will make her gowns a

distinctive feature. "Love or Justice" is a strong drama of love and sacrifice. To-morrow Metro presents the dainty little star Viola Dana in "Aladdin's Other Lamp," the story of the little girl who wanted to be somebody and the dream which she has about an old lamp which she rescued from a junk shop, being Aladdin's Lamp. The scenes are laid in a small fishing village, Wednesday the **Triangle Film Company** present **Enid Bennett** in "A Day of Glory," a delightful home town comedy. It starts off with fairy tales and ends in romance. It is a story of a joyous, romping girl, who decides to put a saloon out of business. She does it in a way that makes you smile, chuckle, then laugh outright.

To-day and to-morrow **Pauline Frederick** will be seen in a drama of life in which she plays the role of a woman who is engaged to an Italian count. Vivian in the **Triangle Film** (Eric), indulges her fancy for Robert Keith, a doctor, and to win his admiration she asks permission to work in his sanatorium, where the poor of the city receive treatment free of charge. Together they pay a visit to the night-court and there hear the case of Aggie May, arrested as a woman of the streets. The woman is taken to the sanatorium. She has a change of heart and decides to marry the doctor. The doctor is supposed that the doctor is the man who caused her downfall. Aggie May kills herself and Vivian witnesses the picture of him is found. He is about to be declared insane when Vivian comes into the court room and gives the evidence which clears him.

**Siam Joins Allies by Declaring War on Germany** London, July 23.—Siam has declared that a state of war exists with Germany and Austria, according to a mutual dispatch from Bangkok. Nine steamships, aggregating 19,000 tons have been seized.

**AMUSEMENTS** **WILMER & VINCENT'S COLONIAL** TO-DAY ONLY A NEW TRIANGLE PLAY

**Louise Glaum** IN **Love of Justice** TWO AMERICAN HOBOES

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**Ladies Admitted Free Tonight** Fireworks Friday Eve.

**HARRISBURG, THURS. JULY 26 AT 21ST ST., & GREENWOOD AVE.** The Cowboy Heavyweight World's Champion.

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**TO-DAY AND TO-MORROW PAULINE FREDERICK** The screen's greatest emotional actress. IN **"HER BETTER SELF"** A drama of life in which woman proposes. In this production Miss Frederick appears as a society girl.

**WEDNESDAY ONLY** The charming star **MARIE DORO** IN **"HEART'S DESIRE"**

**Governor Brumbaugh Will Fill Vacancies** Governor Brumbaugh is expected to act late to-day in the matter of the district appeal exemption boards, whose members he suggested to Washington some time ago. The Governor returned to Harrisburg today after a week-end spent in the vicinity of Philadelphia, where he also filled vacancies in local boards.

Colonel Frank G. Sweeney, in charge of the draft headquarters, said to-day that the supplies were being rushed to local boards and that as fast as information came from Washington it would be forwarded to them. It is probable that the Governor will name an officer to succeed Colonel Howard S. Williams as disbursing officer very shortly, as Colonel Williams is assigned to command the ammunition supply train.

Colonel Sweeney, who has been getting numerous letters from people asking for numbers, to-day said that persons could obtain the information much more rapidly by addressing their local boards.

WHY GUARD WILL TRAIN IN SOUTH

Sec. Baker Explains Double Expense Avoided by This Plan

Washington, July 23.—In a letter to Senator Weeks, of Massachusetts, Secretary Baker gave the War Department's reasons for choosing the South as the training ground for the National Guard. The letter was in response to an inquiry from Senator Weeks.

Secretary Baker pointed out that the inability to get sufficient tonnage for the transport of troops abroad before winter sets in made it necessary to send the National Guard to a climate where the men might have out-of-door training in the early winter months. Before the winter sets in, he expected that all the National Guard will be on the way to France. The letter follows:

It is intended to send the National Guard, or such units thereof as are properly equipped and trained, to join the American expeditionary force in France before the additional forces authorized by the selective draft act, under the national army, can be sent. When the plans for mobilizing those two forces were drawn, it was not known how soon the national army might be assembled under the draft. The National Guard having already in its possession some equipment and having, after several months' service on the border, received a certain measure of training, it was believed that the force could be more promptly dispatched to France than the national army, which, at the time the plans were approved, had not been authorized by Congress.

**Plans Dependent on Transportation** "Plans for the dispatch of our forces to France depend not only upon their training and equipment, but also upon the availability of sufficient tonnage for transportation. Had it been possible to procure, before winter, transportation to France for the National Guard of the States in the North, it is quite possible that my advisers would have recommended that the National Guard be placed in cantonments in the North. Had such a plan been proposed and given effect and tonnage been sufficient, the approach of winter would have found the National Guard in the climate where out-of-door training would have been impracticable. It would then have been necessary to incur considerable expenditure for the construction of cantonments, to transport them to the South, build new cantonments and to return them to a northern harbor for embarkation; hence it was decided to construct cantonment shelter for the National Guard in the South.

"After sites had been selected for many of the divisions of the National Guard and the national army, it was reported by the office in charge of cantonment construction that due to the price of material the sum of money appropriated for cantonment construction would be sufficient for only about half the number (thirty-two) cantonments planned. It was also reported that the construction of half the number of cantonments could be completed by September 1, 1917, but not by July, the month in which it had been planned to call the National Guard into military service. This month was selected because, due to the lack of clothing and other equipment, it was believed impracticable to complete the equipment of the regular army with all its increment before July, and it was not desirable to call the National Guard before it was possible to supply the necessary equipment.

**Guard to Go Under Canvas** "Because of the impracticability of constructing thirty-two cantonments with the funds appropriated, it was decided as the National Guard had then in its possession a certain amount of tentage, and the War Department could reasonably hope to supply the necessary complement by the end of July, to place the National Guard under canvas, in order that their training might not be longer delayed and to confine the cantonment construction to the sites selected in various divisional areas of the national army.

"You correctly assume that it had been hoped to send the National Guard to France within a reasonable time, but it is manifestly impracticable, with the limited tonnage available, to transport all the National Guard of the Northern States to France before cold weather, even if the dispatch of a division of the regular army be postponed for that purpose. If the National Guard of the New England division should be camped in New England considerable expenditure would be necessary at the site selected. On the approach of winter, it is hoped that it would be necessary to transport them to the South and to spend an equal amount on the construction of a camp there. In the event which has been selected, training of the National Guard may be continued throughout the winter. During the winter, the National Guard will be dispatched to France; namely, those divisions which are equipped and trained for service in war.

"I can assure you that every step taken by the War Department for the organization of the National Guard is prompted solely by the desire to further the prosecution of the war in such a manner as to exact the best results. It is impossible to foresee what difficulties may arise in the future, but the present plans of the War Department are so framed as to provide for the training of each portion of the army, as soon as the equipment can be furnished and to dispatch each portion of the army to France as soon as it is trained and equipped and tonnage becomes available."

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When completed this store will be able to facilitate the handling of a larger volume of business by showing more goods—and by improved service.

May we again ask your indulgence in this matter—assuring you that the work will be pushed along to completion at an early date; and when finished you will enjoy shopping here with added comfort and convenience.

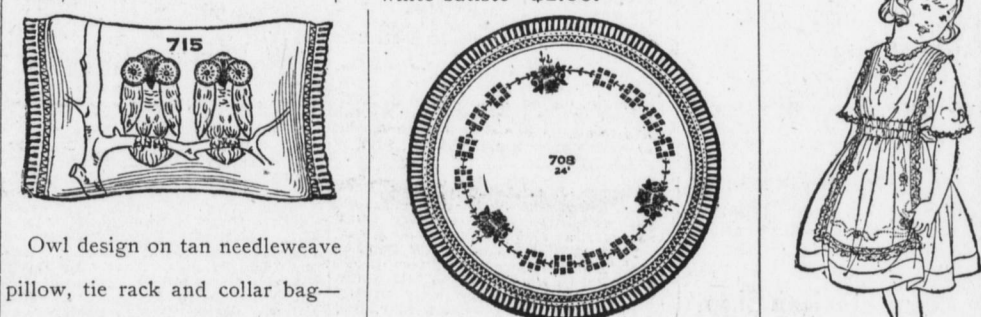
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Made up lawn apron—slip-over model—to be embroidered in pastel shades—65c. Dressing sacques—stamped on fine quality blue, pink and white batiste—\$1.00.



Owl design on tan needleweave pillow, tie rack and collar bag—each, 65c. Owl design on whiskbroom holder, 40c. Owl design on telephone mask, 25c. Mosaic design on tan needleweave tie rack, collar bag, pillow and 24-inch center—each, 65c. Mosaic design on shirt holder and 18x50-inch scarf, each, 85c.

BOWMAN'S—Second Floor.

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Commences on Wednesday, July 25th and will continue through the balance of the week—ending Saturday night, July 28th.

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Gathered from every section of the store will come the enlistments. Clearance is in the air and what a good thing it is for a store and what an opportunity it represents for our patrons.

All odd lots, short ends, broken lots, remnants, surplus stocks—all go marching out to make room for new fall merchandise.

Be Here the Opening Day of the Sale—Wednesday, July 25th