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Prominent Men From Here to Participate in Electric Convention

The tenth annual meeting of the Pennsylvania Electric Association, state branch N. E. L. A., will be held September 7 and 8 at the Bedford Springs Hotel, in Bedford Springs. This meeting is of considerable importance to Harrisburgers and many from this city will attend. Elaborate preparations have been made for the occasion. George B. Tripp, of this city, president of the association, will preside at the meeting and Henry M. Stine, of Harrisburg, will act as secretary. Another Harrisburger prominently identified with the association is C. M. Kaltwasser. He is chairman of the south-central section as well as a member of the special committee.

William D. B. Alney, chairman of the Pennsylvania Public Service Commission, will be one of the principal speakers. The badge colors for the meeting will be red, white and blue, and all the members who are in the service of the United States government have been asked to wear their uniforms.

SCENE FROM "THE CRISIS," AT THE ORPHEUM



"The Crisis," the amazing motion picture adaptation of Winston Churchill's famous story, will be presented at the Orpheum for three days beginning Monday with daily matinees. The photo dramatization was made by Colin Campbell, a director of distinctive achievements who produced "The Spoilers" and "The Ne'er-Do-Well." The production comes here intact and direct from the Garrick Theater, Philadelphia, where packed houses have greeted this wonderful film drama for several weeks. To those not acquainted with the life of Lincoln and his high idealism, "The Crisis" should be of the greatest use. The seat sale opens to-morrow.

GIRLS RUN ELEVATORS AT STORE OF BOWMAN & CO.

Bowman & Company has found it very hard to secure men to run their elevators and to-day they installed Miss Grace Arnold and Miss Elsie Hockenberry, of Juniata county, in these positions. Miss Cyrille Frank, who has recently been made manager of the Welfare Club, in the store, stated this morning that the girls are doing good work and are as satisfactory in every way as the men have been.

The Welfare Club is not only welcoming girls into the family circle in jobs that were formerly occupied

Treasonable Utterances of Riverside Woman Are Reported to Authorities

Attention of United States Commissioner Wolfe was drawn to-day to the fact that a woman of Riverside had insulted a soldier in United States uniform and displayed hostility to the United States Government.

The man was Sergeant C. A. Harman, one of the Eighth Regiment men now encamped on the island. He and others were soliciting contributions for the soldiers' fund festival held Tuesday night. He approached the woman in question and began to explain his errand, when, among other things, she said:

"If it is for the Army I will have nothing to do with it. You ought to be ashamed to wear that uniform and to go over to Germany to kill your brothers."

This woman is said to have on previous occasions displayed marked pro-German sympathies. She is said also to have a close relative in a trusted position in the Federal government. For the present her name is being withheld.

Dr. Yates Undecided Whether to Respond to Call From Pittsburgh

A large congregational meeting was held by the members of the Fourth Street Church of God, last evening and a unanimous call was given to the Rev. Dr. William N. Yates to remain at the local church of God, which is near Pittsburgh.

Among those who addressed the meeting were C. M. Sigler, J. E. Garner, H. B. Blair, R. Laverty, C. S. Meek, Professor Fishel and W. A. Laverty.

Dr. Yates stated this morning that he has not yet decided as to whether he will go to Mount Pleasant or remain in Harrisburg.

Delegates were elected to attend the East Pennsylvania Eldership, which meets in Altoona the first Thursday in October. They were: C. S. Meek, J. E. Garner, Samuel Gardner, M. A. Sigler.

Resolutions were adopted regarding the speedy recovery of the Rev. C. H. Forney, D. D., LL. D., who was former editor of the Church Advocate and who fell unconscious while walking home from church last Sunday.

AMERICAN ARMY WILL OUTDO EVEN GERMAN MACHINE

Plan to Train 150,000 Officers Indicates Ultimate Force of 6,000,000 Men

Washington, Aug. 28.—The War Department is preparing plans for the training of 150,000 officers at reserve camps during the next year. The General Staff estimates that one officer is required for every thirty men in the service. The War Department preparations calculated on the General Staff's estimate indicate that this Government is laying the foundation for an army of 4,500,000 in addition to the 1,250,000 who have been called through the regular army, the militia and the draft.

It is probable to get from Secretary Baker or the Chief of Staff any statement concerning the size of the army which the United States expects to place in the field ultimately. It is known, however, that what appears to be delays in getting the first troops into the field have been merely parts of a thoroughly worked-out scheme of mobilization whereby armies were to be organized as rapidly as they could be supplied and transported.

From the beginning of the war preparations, the mobilization has been actuated by a determination to avoid the general confusion which was brought about during the Spanish War day when the War Department tried to organize an army without consideration for its necessities.

The present shortage of guns and supplies of all sorts will not appear before the militia is in France, and the first draft is organized into divisions. Thereafter the available supplies will increase and the numbers of troops may be mobilized and thoroughly equipped with machine-like schedule and precision.

Will Outdo German Machine

While the administration hopes that Germany may decide to quit, the War Department is working upon the theory that the Kaiser plans a war of attrition, and to offset his program the greatest military organization ever prepared outside of Germany will be gradually evolved in the United States.

The War Department's theory is that the first 500,000 men from the United States will merely help to give the allies a slight advantage, but that the millions who may be sent after them will end the war, no matter to what extent the Kaiser desires to see it through. To attempt to rush such a program through in a few months would result merely in confusion and failure, ranking officials of the War Department believe.

The foundation for the present war plans will be kept slightly in advance of the plans of the shipping board, and the War Department does not expect to have great armies on its hands in this country. Whenever the shipping is available, the troops will be ready to march aboard.

Millions Carried by Certificates

Certificates of notification evidencing increases of stock or bonds to amount to millions of dollars have been announced by the Public Service Commission, having been filed in the last seven days.

The West Penn Power Company, of Pittsburgh, filed three certificates showing a total of \$6,223,000, all for extension of the company. Of the issues \$2,000,000 is of preferred stock, \$10,000,000 authorized. The total authorized issue is \$50,000,000 of bonds.

Other certificates filed were:

- New York Central railroad, bonds, \$1,000,000.
- Greenville Water Company, Pittsburgh, bonds, \$23,000.
- Kensington Water Company, Philadelphia, bonds, \$12,000.
- Tri-Cities Water Company, Pittsburgh, bonds, \$24,000.
- Lehigh Valley Transit Company, Allentown, bonds, \$60,000.
- Cherry Tree and Dixonville railroad, Philadelphia, bonds, \$121,000.
- Citizens Light and Power Company, Oil City, common stock, \$40,000; bonds, \$22,000.
- Penn Central Light and Power Company, Altoona, bonds, \$78,000.
- Bloomsburg Heating Company, Bloomsburg, bonds, \$15,000.

Power to Confer Degrees Is Defined

Two decisions of importance in educational matters were given to-day by First Deputy Attorney General Keller to Dr. Nathan C. Scheaffer, state superintendent of public instruction. It is held that an incorporated college with power to confer degrees transfers its property and facilities to a private individual or some other corporation. "It loses such power until its affairs are rehabilitated and placed upon a firm and stable foundation," said he. The matter is one for the College and University Courts to handle. In another opinion it is held that a synd, conference or sisterhood cannot be vested with power to confer degrees as the limitation to colleges, universities and theological seminaries.

Six-Cent Fare Hit by Scranton City

The city of Scranton to-day filed complaint with the Public Service Commission against the proposal of the Scranton Railway Company to increase its fares from five to six cents, alleging that such action would be contrary to the ordinances whereby the company's lines were granted privileges. Complaints have been filed by various organizations in that city.

The first hearing on a similar complaint in southern Pennsylvania will be held here on September 26 when the complaint of Sarah Penrose against the increase of fare on the Carlisle and Mt. Holly railroad from ten to twelve cents will be heard.

Complaint was filed to-day by Philip Amsterdam and the Essington Land Company against the Pennsylvania and Reading railroads, who are accused of blocking highways.

Signal Reserves to Meet Here For Study

A meeting of the men who have enlisted in the Signal Reserve Corps in this city will be held at the recruiting rooms at 321 Market street next Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock, to discuss plans for preliminary training in signaling, radio work and telegraphy. Over one hundred fifty men have enlisted in this branch of the service in this place, and all are urged to be present.

Otto D. Plank, 2530 Lexington street, was enlisted in the Signal Reserve Corps yesterday.

Amusements

ORPHEUM
To-night—"The Broadway Belles" (Burlesque).
Three days, beginning Monday, September 10, with daily matinees—"The Crisis."

COLONIAL
To-day and Friday—Alice Joyce in "Within the Law."

REGENT
To-day, Friday and Saturday—Marguerite Clark in "The Amazons."
Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday—Billie Burke in "The Mysterious Miss Terry."

By arrangement with William A. Brady, Ltd., the international success, "The White Feather," the adventures of the man who stayed at home, comes to the Orpheum next week on Friday for an engagement of two days, with matinee Saturday. The play is described as a melodramatic comedy with a background of German spy intrigue.

The headliner for the last half of the week at the Majestic is Doree's "Beaux and Belles," eight people in a singing, dancing and instrumental offering. A special stage setting is carried which forms an attractive background for these artists to present their act. The program of musical numbers include both high-class and popular airs, all of which are rendered in a highly satisfactory manner. "The Ocean Wooming" are an added attraction on the bill. Their skit is of the burlesque variety, and is entitled "The Ocean Wooming." Other acts included on the vaudeville list are: Bert and Lottie Walton, comedy singers, dancers and comedians; Goldsmith and Lewis, in a comedy and instrumental offering; and the Four Lukens, sensational acrobats.

The screen version of "Within the Law," that opens a three-day engagement at the Colonial Theater, is even more compelling than the speaking version. Other limitations of the legitimate stage are made extremely noticeable in the film version. On no legitimate stage in

the United States would it be possible to stage a complete department store, with its hundreds of patrons, as is shown in the first part of the picture. The same applies to many other scenes.

It would be hard to find a more charming "Mary Turner" than Alice Joyce, and her portrayal of "The Girl" is a triumph of dramatic art. Harry Morey is splendid as "Joe Garrison"—later her husband—Morey, as Carson, shows his wonderful power as an actor. He portrays even human suffering on the screen; he lays bare his innermost thoughts through facial expression and muscular action that is truly wonderful.

The film version of "Within the Law" is wonderful and worthy of the same amount of money already paid into box offices when it was hailed as the greatest melodrama that ever appeared on Broadway.

Marguerite Clark comes to the Regent Theater to-day for a three-day engagement in "The Amazons," the famous play in which "Billie Burke" starred in Broadway. The story is full of Miss Clark's inimitable charms and humor—something you and your friends will enjoy. "To describe all that 'Lady Tommy' (Miss Clark) does in this picture would be like taking you through a mine of exploits of Douglas Fairbanks, in one of his inimitable flights of daring. In the opening scene, where her mother, the Marchioness, is having her trained in the so-called "manly" arts, Miss

Clark is seen in a gymnasium doing all sorts of gymnastic "stunts"—from revolving like a top in a trapeze to boxing several "rounds" with her sister.

She goes through all sorts of experiences before she finally is won by the man who loves her; she jumps from a window swings along the ground; knocks out a thug; climbs the vine-clad wall of her own mansion to the third or fourth-story window; swings from the skylight of the gymnasium and lets herself down the rope like a regular athlete. Again her lover rescues her from the back of a runaway horse, drawing her into his arms in the automobile in which he is pursuing the runaway. Altogether, the film is not only exciting full of comedy, but possessed with the inimitable charm which characterizes everyone of Miss Clark's films.

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