## GREAT WAR BOND ALL NEWS OF THE RAILROADS STAGESETFOR **BILL SCHEDULED** TO PASS TODAY

Senate Votes Down Proposals to Levy Enormous Tax on Profits

By Associated Press

Washington, Sept. 6.—The war bond and certificate bill was again Washington, Sept. 6.—The war bond and certificate bill was again under debate to-day in the House with a continuance of Republican attacks on certain features of the measure. Their opposition to the provision delegating wide authority to the Secretary of the Treasury in making loans to the allies prevented final action on the bill yesterday. Its passage without material amendment before to-night seemed assured however.

The Republicans planned to-day a final effort for the adoption of an amendment for a congressional war expenditures committee. Prospects were, however, that the House would defeat all such proposals as it did yesterday.

The Senate's bitter fight over war profits raxation virtually ended late to-day with adoption of the finance committee's compromise provisions for a total levy of \$1,286,000,000, or about one-third of this year's war and normal excess profits.

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As now written into the bill, the war profits section strikes out the douse provision for an additional ax of \$200,000,000 and is a substitute for the present excess profits law low yielding \$226,000,000. The total evy of the new provision is estimated at \$1,286,000,000.

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It also extends the tax to ordinnormal peace profits in excess
10 per cent., in addition to excese war profits, reached by graduatd rates, amounting to surtaxes, anging from 12 to 60 per cent. The kneess is based upon the net income those \$5,000 of corporations, parterships and individuals in trade or usiness over the average of 1911.

912 and 1913—the prewar standing—with a minimum exemption of per cent. of actual invested capial and a maximum exemption of 10 per cent.

### **ONLY THIRTY OF 200** PLEAS ARE GRANTED

operated even if all the men drafted Were recepted. However it is pos-sible that some of these men will be exempted, but the majority will have to serve their country in the

Contrary to the actions of nearly all other big concerns the Steelton plant of the Bethlehem Steel corporation made a statement to the District Appeal Board signed by Quincy Bent, general superintendent. In the statement which was made public this morning the Steel company claims exemption for eleven men of the 2435 subject to draft and 423 examined. The Bethlehem Company is reported as stating that it would gladly allow the men to go and even if they were to lose money they would only claim exemption for the eleven men. Contrary to the actions of nearly

Most of these men were from Georgia and are colored. The board is still examining the men who failed to show up when first called and will continue to do this until nearly all the so-called slackers have put in appearance. The board will not do any more examining unless it is absolutely necessary, and beginning to-morrow will commence to straighten things out to make a final report to the district board. Reach Camp Without Records Colonel Sweeney, in charge of state registration headquarters here, today gave out the following statement:

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"Commanding officer, Camp Leehas advised the Adjutant General that men have been shipped to that camp from Pennsylvania without any accompanying records as required by mobilization regulations. The Adjutant General of the state is advised that local boards will not be given credit for any men sent to camp without record papers. It is important, therefore, that boards read their regulations and comply therewith. Papers that should go with the men to camp are one copy of physical examination for each man and one copy of form No. 1644 showing lists of names of men actually forwarded to the mobilization camp."

Officials at the Adjutant General's office to-day declared that the charge made by the commanding officer at Camp Lee that men had gone from Pennsylvanian without accompanying records as required by mobilization regulations did not apply to Pennsylvanians. According to information here, no Pennsylvanians reached Camp Lee yesterday.

Adjutant General Stewart said that all Pennsylvanians had been routed direct to Camp Lee and not to Petersburg. Commanding officer, Camp Lee

## **CAR INSPECTORS** GET INCREASE

Report Comes From Altoona; Nothing Known Here Officially; Shopmen Ask More

THURSDAY EVENING,

"Shopmen are also striving for a raise and it is understood that conferences have been held between representatives of the men and R. L. O'Donnell, assistant general manager of the road, although as far as ascertained local shopmen have not been represented at conferences held thus far.

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"The Altoona shopmen in the ma-chine shop department of the Pennsy are taking the lead in asking for in-creased wages in the erecting shop departments for repairs on engines of the bigger types. The grievances of the men were filed after the recent strike in which the checker was transferred to another department."

## Increase Over Records

Washington Sept. 6.—Preliminary returns for 106 of the 186 large railroads of the country made public to-day by the Interstate Commerce Commission indicates that the July revenues will exceed those of June which established a new high record.

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The 106 roads reported net revenues of \$63,308,195, compared with \$61,299,980 in July, 1916.

The increase is divided wholly among railroads of the western and southern districts. Eastern roads report net revenues slightly under those of July, 1916, but it is believed that final reports from eastern roads will show an increase.

#### Standing of the Crews

HARRISBURG SIDE

Philadelphia Division—The 103 crew first to go after 4 o'clock; 112, 109, 114, 102, 124, 107, 101.

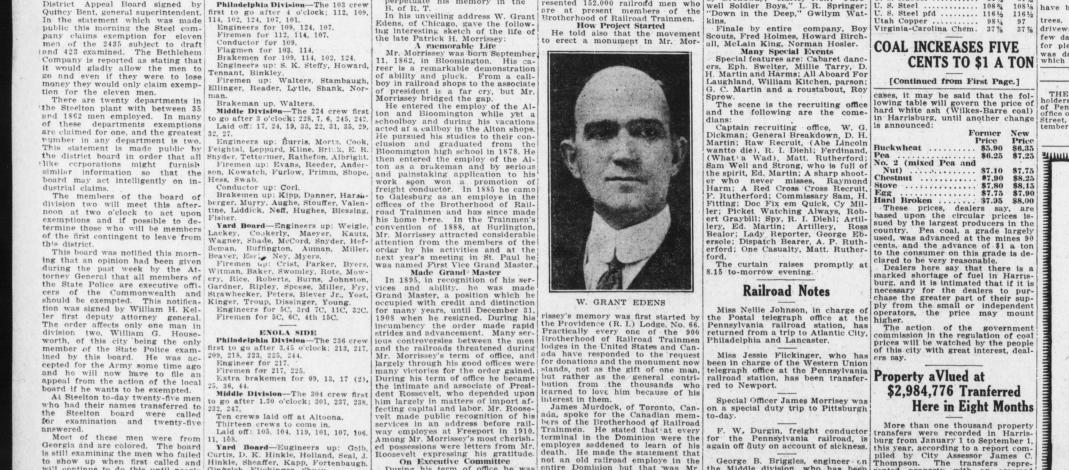
Engineers for 109, 124, 107.
Firemen for 112, 114, 107.
Conductor for 109, 114, 102, 124.
Brakemen for 109, 114, 102, 124.
Engineers up: S. K. Steffy, Howard, Tennant, Binkley.
Firemen up: Walters, Stambaugh, Ellinger, Reader, Lytle, Shank, Norman.

PASSENGER DEPARTMENT
Middle Division — Engineers up:
Crimmel, Miller, Graham, Buck, Sparver, Alexander, R. M. Crane, Robley,
Firemen up: Bealor, Gates, Lyter,
Thompson, Schrauder, Dysinger, Corn-

## MONUMENT ERECTED TO FORMER LEADER OF RAILROAD TRAINMEN Paxtang Keyed Up For Open-



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## Railroads Show Profits;

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all railroads of the country having an annual income of more than \$1,000,000 show earnings greater than had been forecast and place June far ahead as the railroads banner month.

Revenues totaled \$349,739,636, as compared with \$300,019,080 a year ago, and expenses aggregated \$235,-

# MINSTREL SHOW

ing Performance Tomorrow; Red Cross Benefit

staff.

Two more ten-day notices have been filed in the Marysville yards which will further depicte the clerical force. Russel J. Ruff, of New Oxford, who has been an extra man on the local force this summer, will leave on September 10 to resume his studies as a senior at Franklin and Marshal College, Lancaster. The other notice was just filed by Elmer E. Wolf.

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New Records During June
Washington Sept. 6.—Complete returns for June of the operations of all railroads of the country having an annual income of more than

FILE REGISTRY RETURNS Complete reports of all registry as sessors in the county districts wer filed to-day with the County Commis sloners, giving the registrations o voters taken in May and on Tuesda; used by the county officials in determining the number of specimen an official primary election ballets.

## MARKET IMPROVES IN EARLY HOURS

Defeat of High Tax on War Profits Believed to Have Had Good Effect on Business

PHILADELPHIA PRODUCE
By Associated Press

Clover mixed: Light mixed, \$17.00 @18.00; No. 1, do., \$16.00@17.00; No. 2, do., \$14.00@15.00. CHICAGO CATTLE

Dy Associated Press
Chicago, Sept. 6. — Cattle — Recipts, 6,000; slow. Native beef cattle, 87.50@11.100; western steers, \$6.50@.
13.25; stockers and feeders, \$6.00@.
2.5; cows and heifers, \$4.65@12.85;
calves, \$11.75@15.75.
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17.25. — Receipts, 10,000; to-morrow, 6,000; slow; 10c to 15c under yester-day's average. Bulk of sales, \$16,85@, 17.90; light, \$16,40@18.09; mixed, \$16,40@18.10; rough, \$16.30@16.60; pigs, \$11.25@15.75.

Debris Cleared Tomorrow

Four teams and large forces of men

NOTICE
THE annual meeting of the Stock holders of the Union Trust Compan, of Pennsylvania will be held at the office of the company, 20 North Second Street, Harrisburg, Pa., Tuesday, September 18, 1917, at 12 o'clock M.

**Expect to Have Storm** 

By Associated Press

The executive staff of the Paxtang Home Minstrels is well pleased with the way that the rehearsals are progressing. All indications point to successful shows to-morrow night and Saturday. The house is aiready pretty well sold out.

Between acts Red Cross nurses will sell homemade candles to the terminate over to the Paxtang Red Cross Auxiliary. All of the talent is donated and their 'First Ald to the lingured' is expressed in this manifered corner for the lingured' is expressed in this manifered corner for the lingured' is expressed in the mental of the lingured' is expressed in the manifered corner for the lingured' is expressed in the linguistic corner for the lingured' is expressed in the linguistic corner for the linguistic corner fo Local trainmen who represented world, and always with great credit in the continuent of the continuent 

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F. W. Durgin, freight conductor for the Pennsylvania railroad, is again off duty on account of sickness.

George B. Briggles, engineer on the Middle division, who has been off duty on account of illness, is improving.

Freight Engineer W. D. Bowers, of Middle division, Pennsylvania railroad, is in Pittsburgh.

More than one thousand property transfers were recorded in Harrisburg from January 1 to September 1, this year, according to a report compiled by City Assessor James C. Thompson. The transfers represented property with an assessed value of \$2,984,776. The Third ward is in the led with 51 transfers of property, valued at \$885,605. The complete list as compared by Mr. Thompson follows:

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Light, of Newport, has resumed his duties as station agent clerk at Port Royal. During his illness his position was filled by John W. Baker, of Newport, a member of the Newport

Two more tenders. 211,115 152,555 481,330 312,755 146,290 92,990 82,185

Totals .......1043 \$2,984,776

## NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS The Merchants Ice Co.

OF HARRISBURG The directors have declared a 7 per cent, dividend on the preferred stock of record. September 1st, payable September 15, 1917.

MERCHANTS ICE CO. Cameron and Berryhill Streets

RUBBER STAMPS
SEALS & STENCILS
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## PARISH SCHOOL IS FORCED TO CLOSE

Lack of Funds Compels St. Andrew's Private Institution to Quit Its Work

The St. Andrew's parish house private school; which for a number of years has accommodated many children from various parts of the city, is no longer in operation and the former pupils are for the most part attending city schools. This school was conducted in the parish house at Nineteenth and Market streets, largely through the efforts of the Rev. Dr. James F. Bullitt, until recently rector of St. Andrew's, but now in Massachusetts.

The attendance at this private school last year was such that the principal, Mrs. Ecroyd, had three or four assistants. The number of pupils was not so great, however, that the income was sufficient to pay the maintenance charges. The difference years has accommodated many chil-

income was sufficient to pay the maintenance charges. The difference was paid by Dr. Bullitt, as in previous years. Instruction at the school was largely of an individua nature, so that the progress of the young pupils was marvelously rapid Parents of the youngsters who benefited regret the passing of the institution.

#### LEGAL NOTICES

PROPOSALS

Office of the Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings, Harrisburg, Pa.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received by the Superintendent of Public Grounds and Buildings, Harrisburg, Pa., until twelve o'clock noon, Tuesday, September 11, 1917, for furtuesday, Septem

Buildings. LLOYD W. MITCHELL, Secretary.

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