

TIMELY NEWS OF CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA AND CITY'S SUBURBS

PARTRIDGES DIE OF STARVATION

Former Superintendent Pen Mar Park Reports Distressing Conditions Due to Cold

Waynesboro, Pa., Jan. 21.—Snow and sleet that has covered this section since December 5, is causing untold suffering and the annihilation of hundreds of birds, especially partridges, in the mountains. Whole coveys are being reduced to three or four, while other coveys are being wiped out entirely.

\$30,000 FIRE AT LYKENS STORE

Building and Stock of Mercantile Company Destroyed Early This Morning

Lykens, Pa., Jan. 21.—Fire about 2 o'clock this morning completely destroyed the main store building of the Lykens Mercantile Company, together with the entire stock of groceries, foodstuffs and supplies of all kinds. The origin of the fire is unknown. The loss is estimated at \$30,000.

Immense Potato Crop Will Mean Low Price, U. S. Warns Farmers

Washington, Jan. 21.—Uncle Sam has just found that he has more potatoes and less wheat than earlier inventories had indicated. He has also found that the potatoes are being consumed very slowly, that much of the supply remains in storage and that there is a prospect of considerable surplus.

Gov't Buys Cordwood For Army Cantonments

Waynesboro, Pa., Jan. 21.—The United States government is purchasing large quantities of cordwood throughout the Blue Ridge mountain section in order to help reduce the demand for coal.

Milton Firemen Protest Removal of Chief Blair

Milton, Pa., Jan. 21.—Shimer Hose Company, one of the largest and most influential volunteer fire-fighting organizations here, in a resolution, declares it will not recognize E. S. Dawson, recently appointed as the head of the borough fire department, to succeed A. J. Blair, long fire chief.

WEST SHORE NEWS

WEST SHORE IN NEED OF COAL

Fuel Administrator Myers Hopes to Get Enough Soon to Prevent Suffering

"Unless coal arrives the early part of this week the situation on the West Shore will be bad," declared Robert L. Myers, West Shore fuel administrator, in a statement this morning. Efforts are being made to get coal from several operators to relieve the situation.

Travel on Valley Railways Greatly Reduced Today

Lemoyne, Jan. 21.—President C. H. Bishop, of the Valley Railways Company, operating cars on the West Shore, in a statement to-day, said that practically about the same schedule that was in force on Sunday was being used to-day. A few more cars are being used in the morning and evening to take care of the working travel, but aside from this no changes have been made.

P. O. S. of A. INSTALLATION

Enola, Pa., Jan. 21.—J. J. Hemmer, district president of the Patriotic Order Sons of America, will have charge of the installation of the recently elected officers of the local camp, No. 680, in the lodge hall, this evening.

Blain Red Cross Gains Fifty-one New Members

Blain, Pa., Jan. 21.—By the recent drive fifty-one new members were added to the Blain Red Cross Auxiliary, namely: Mary E. Gutshall, H. W. Woods, Mrs. Margaret P. Pryor, Arlene Woods, Lenora Woods, Frank Neidigh, Mrs. W. H. Book, A. J. Shumaker, Elsie Baker, Mrs. N. F. Flickinger, Mrs. W. W. Shumaker, Minnie Fisher, Laura Johnston, Mrs. W. L. Smith, Mrs. Sara Loy, Mrs. W. N. Zimmerman, Mrs. Elizabeth Kline, R. M. Smith, C. H. Wentzel, Mrs. C. H. Wentzel, F. K. Hench, Israel Lupper, Mrs. Israel Lupper, Mrs. F. A. Kern, Mrs. Lydia A. Gray, James Shuman, S. M. Woods, H. C. Henry, Leo Smith, Ruth Hench, W. M. Hench, Mrs. H. O. Hench, N. K. Bistling, Mrs. M. D. Garber, Mrs. D. E. Stokes, Grace Zimmerman, Mrs. E. M. Rice, Mrs. D. H. Snyder, H. B. Kline, Frank Lupper, A. D. Neidigh, E. M. Rice, Zella Book, Leo Rice, Jacob Snyder, Mrs. Jacob Snyder, Mrs. Fannie Kistler and Mrs. Caroline Kistler.

Fruitgrower and Merchant Feeding Birds in Winter

Waynesboro, Pa., Jan. 21.—C. O. Bonner, a large fruit grower, living near Tomstown, north of Waynesboro, is following his annual custom of providing for birds during the long winter season. For several weeks the ground has been covered with snow and ice, making it impossible for the birds to secure food of any description from the ground.

PUBLIC SAFETY MEETING

Middleburg, Pa., Jan. 21.—The two hundred and sixty members of the Snyder County Public Safety Committee attended a meeting at the court house at Middleburg. Lieutenant Mac Quarrie, an officer of the British Army, Senator Tustin and Ex-Congressman Logan were addresses. The Public Safety Committee of Middleburg organized Friday night and elected Dr. H. D. Hayes, chairman, and Mrs. A. D. Gougler, secretary. The safety committee will endeavor to organize a home defense company for Middleburg.

BELL-ANS Absolutely Removes Indigestion. Druggists refund money if it fails. 25c

900 DOG LICENSES

Middleburg, Pa., Jan. 21.—County Commissioners Clerk B. J. Moyer has granted over 900 dog licenses to date. Snyder county has 2,000 dogs and the county has not yet had any dogs ordered to kill all not tagged.

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Advertisement for MONEY FOR Next Christmas. SATURDAY, JAN. 19th. LAST DAY TO JOIN OUR CHRISTMAS SAVINGS FUND. Union Trust Company of Penna.

Better Electric Service For New Bloomfield

New Bloomfield, Pa., Jan. 21.—Better electric service than ever before is promised to New Bloomfield by the Electric Service Company, and as a result more local industries are planning to use electrical power.

Northumberland Sheriff Big Enough to Enforce Orders

Sunbury, Pa., Jan. 21.—Sheriff Jeremiah, of Northumberland county, who stands six feet two in his stockings, entered the store of Walter Chapalski, a Mt. Carmel merchant tailor, to make a levy, and demanded the key. The tailor refused, and it is alleged that Jeremiah with the ferocity of German night attack, the sheriff picked up the fighting merchant and tossed him over a table.

LEWISTOWN MAN IN FRANCE

Lewistown, Pa., Jan. 21.—Leeds Clarkson, son of Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Clarkson, of Lewistown, was holding a lucrative position in a Philadelphia Y. M. C. A. when the war broke out. He has a wife and two children in Philadelphia, and he went to France to follow Y. M. C. A. work. Now the young man is a member of the American Expeditionary Forces as a lieutenant and is in active duty. A letter states that he is in good health and spirits.

Suburban Notes

HUMMELSTOWN. State High School Inspector C. D. Koch visited the schools here on Friday. Jerome K. Lauch has resigned his position with the E. Z. Etter store in the West End to become a mail carrier.

RED CROSS ROOMS CLOSED

Complying with the order the fuel administration, the local Red Cross workrooms and offices will be closed to-day and each succeeding Monday prescribed by the fuel administrator. Team workers and captains in the Y. M. C. A. membership drive will meet for a supper at the Y. M. C. A. to-morrow night to discuss their plans and to hear the advance reports of the drive.

WHERE GRAMMAR CAME FROM

Barbarous Macedonian, Who Made Himself Responsible For Invention. The world reached its highest known stage of intelligence before grammar was even invented, much less studied, Ernest C. Moore writes in the Yale Review. I have had some curiosity to find out where and how so great a blight upon young life first came into being, and why it ever became a school study, and I find that the Greeks knew it not; that their triumphant literature and their matchless oratory came to flower before grammar was dreamed of; that it was not in any sense one of the great arts which they wrought out and with which they armed the human race; that after Greece had declined, a barbarous Macedonian made himself owner of all Egypt, and in order to surround himself with the most spectacular form of ostentation of which his vain mind could conceive, he set to collecting not only all the rare and precious objects and books and manuscripts there were in the world, but he capped it all by making a collection of the living men of the world who had any reputation anywhere for knowing and thinking.

Millionaire's Wife Goes Back to Socialism

William Nissley, of Philadelphia, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Nissley, over Sunday. Miss Pearl Blackburn has accepted a position with the Deaf and Dumb Institute at New York City. Mr. and Mrs. Theodorus Kautz and grandson, Carl Hughes, will leave shortly to visit their daughter and mother, Mrs. Ralph House at Uly, Mich., where Mr. House has charge of a creamery.

HAVE COLOR IN CHEEKS

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Large advertisement for Victor Records featuring Jascha Heifetz. Includes illustration of Heifetz playing the violin and a list of records.