STREET REPAIR WORK STEADILY GROWING TASK

Commissioner Lynch in Council Report Asks For More Equipment

Calling attention to the rapidly increasing sections of streets in need of repair because of guarantees expiring, Commissioner Lynch in his annual report of the city highway department recommends the purchase of an additional mixing machine for the municipal asphalt plant.

While the amount of repair and resurfacing work done last year was slightly less than before the cost increased because of advances in costs of material and labor. Commissioner Lynch estimated the maintenance cost of the city's paved streets at $1.27 a square yard for 1917.

Much general construction work was done as follows: Eleven sewers, .95 of a mile, cost $16,189; four highways graded, two-fifths of a mile, $4,23; five highways paved, .78 of a mile or 10,526 square yards, $24,-690. Total paving in city, 76.97 miles of streets.

Resurfacing, 8,835 square yards, $10,000; repaired $1,951.91 square yards, $39,204; completely resurfaced streets as follows: Market, east side of Second to west side Aberdeen; Church, north side State to south side North; Susquehanna, north side South to south side State; State, west side Susquehanna to west side Third, and west side Eighteenth to eastern city line. Five-year guaranty expired on forty-two sections of highway last year, making total of 113 sections under highway department supervision for repairs; construction work includes six new inlets, ten rebuilt, four new manholes, three new crossings.

Improvements included purchase of new auto truck, frame addition to asphalt plant, resurfacing Herr street subway; sixty-one concrete posts for Mulberry street bridge; starting concrete bridge over asylum run, North Cameron street, and opening hole in Market street over Paxton creek for dumping snow, saving hauling cost..

Attention is called to the fact that of the money provided in the fourth public improvement loan all has been expended except the fund for the public comfort station and isle of safety. Plans for these improvements are in the hands of the City Planning Commission. During the year 678 permits were issued for opening in streets, 215 for electric light, telephone and telegraph poles; streets graded included: Twenty-seventh, Derry to Greenwood; Susquehanna, Emerald to Second; Summit, Mt. Pleasant alley to Chestnut; Orange, Emerald to Seneca; paving work: Swatara, Eighteenth to Twenty-first; Green, Woodbine to Seneca; Honey, Chestnut to Mt. Pleasant alley; River, Delaware to Peffer, and Susquehanna, Woodbine to Emerald.

CHURCH ABANDONS EVENING SERVICE TO SAVE FUEL

Announcement has been made by the officers of the First Church, Christian Scientist, Front and Woodbine streets, that Sunday evening services will be discontinued during this month and February. The object is to aid in the conservation of fuel, officers say.

Masons are aiding in the conservation of fuel. Masonic organizations with meetings scheduled for Monday nights, have canceled or postponed their meetings.

DROPS DEAD AT WORK

Uriah Seltzer, a resident of Hummelstown, fell over while at work in Hummelstown yesterday, and was rushed to the Harrisburg Hospital. He was dead when he was brought to the hospital and was not admitted. He is employed at the Philadelphia and Reading roundhouse. He was 26 years old.

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FIFTY-FIVE TIRE OF WEDDED LIFE

Many Ask Dauphin County Court to Set Them Free of Inconveniences

Fifty-five cases have been listed for hearing at the session of divorce court beginning Monday, February 4. The list follows: John J. vs. Sadie Green, Geo. A. vs. Grace M. Nagle, Lillie vs. Fritz Schildkrout, Mary Elizabeth vs. William Wesley Lynch, Emma L. vs. Charles E. Layman, Samuel S. vs. Emma May Crist, Daisy I. vs. Bernard P. Fry, Joseph H. vs. Maggie Winks, Lillian vs. Harry Perdue, John vs. Louisa Lytle, Thomton vs. Susan Carter, Stella A. vs. James J. Reigle, Ida C. vs. Harry M. Rogers, Ethel E. vs. Michael F. Day, Emeline E. vs. Elmer Dettling, Isaac vs Nellie Hummer, Bertha M. vs. Norman G. Nissley, John T. vs. Katherine McAllister, John A. vs. Emma Fox, Christ S. vs. Rebecca Sharp Nusser, Lydia vs. Edward W. Carbaugh, Crissie M. vs. James L. Attig, Richard T. vs. Loretta J. Coover, James vs. Edith Stutzman, Kathryn vs. Edward V. Orsinger, Linnie Mary vs. Robert E. Stoner, Lillie C. vs. Isaac A. Kerstetter, Minnie E. vs. Alonzo B. Stevenson, Flora E. vs. Harry W. Hammersla, Samuel A. vs. Ida M. Miller, Elizabeth West vs. Charles F. Campbell, Miranda vs. Michael Blymire, Edna J. vs. Harrison S. Trafford, Mary vs. Stanko Zugay, Sofia vs. Noja Putin, Elsie M. vs. Edward B. Looker, Charles A. vs. Ellie Dively, Rose E. vs. Charles W. Smith, Anna C. vs. Frederick M. Thompson, Elizabeth K. vs. Clarence L. Fry, William C. vs. Alice K. Hartman, Woodson vs. Annie Davenport, Warren Elwood vs. Mabel Sarah Johnson, Andrew S. vs. Sarah A. Jacobs, Elizabeth A. vs. William C. Fox, Maud Irene vs. George Walters, Walter M. vs. Hazel Wieand, Sylvia vs. G. Roy Moyer, Della B. vs. Edward D. Ruth, Mary M. vs. James H. Clark, Mary E. vs. John D Shannessy.

Married on Train.—According to a return of the Rev. Arthur S. Lehman to the marriage license bureau, Charles Calvin Holsberg and Emma Edna Erb were married on the train while enroute from this city to Philadelphia. The license was issued in this city.

Reserves Get Charter.—The Steelton Reserves organization was granted a charter yesterday by Judge S. J. M. McCarrell.

Civil Court Cases.—Two verdicts were returned to-day by civil court juries as follows: W. K. Bumbaugh, for use of Appleby Brothers and Whittaker Company vs. Charles H. Miller, $275; Olive Lutz and E. D. Lutz vs. Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, damages for auto accident, $192.20 expenses, $130 for Mr. Lutz and $75 for Mr. Lutz. Cases on trial to-day before Judge McCarrell were D. H. Good vs. W. H. Filling, Jr., two judgment actions; before Judge Kunkel, Anna Keener vs. Harrisburg Railways Company, damages because of injuries alleged to have been suffered when a trolley car was stopped suddenly.

Predicts Kaiser's Death; Retired Captain Kills Self

Paterson, N. J., Jan. 22.—Having prophesied that the "kaiser would die January 18," and despondent because the kaiser failed to make the prophecy good, Lombardus Muller, a retired sea captain, killed himself by shooting here to-day.

NINTH SNOW OF YEAR HITS CITY

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yesterday was over the Gulf of Mexico. Instead of continuing east it swerved to the northeast, thus enveloping the Atlantic coast states. In the southern states the storm is in the form of rain. Mr. Demain said that if the storm continues north it will continue late into the night. If it shifts east, as he expects, the storm will be over by early afternoon.

Cold Weather Coming

Near zero weather is reported to be in the wake of the storm. Mr. Demain's maps show that Harrisburg will be experiencing a renewal of zero weather to-morrow evening, to continue for a few days. Strong north to northeast winds for the eastern states are expected to follow the storm. Mr. Demain does not expect winds in this vicinity strong enough to cause much drifting. However, the snow that fell was light, and will be easily drifted.

Street car officials worked hard to prevent a traffic tie-up. The plow and sweepers were at work early this morning. In the city there was much pairing, and Third street cars at times ran in bunches of four and five.

At noon all the traffic on the street railway lines in the city was crippled, with all cars running late, and off schedule. Capital street cars were not running, and Oberlin cars were not running between Nineteenth street and Berryhill to Front and Chambers street, Steelton. Oberlin people could reach Steelton over the Oberlin line, to Front and Chambers, and then take a Steelton car for Harrisburg. Berryhill and Oberlin cars ran to Nineteenth this morning. Steelton cars were running late. Hummelstown, Middletown and Linglestown cars were reported as running a half hour late at noon. Riverside and Rockville cars were late and the Harrisburg Academy day students were dismissed this morning in order to get home before the line closed.

GERMAN RAID WITHOUT RESULT

Paris, Jan. 22.—"A German raid west of Navarin farm, in Champagne was without result," says to-day's official statement. "In the region of Auberive French patrols brought back prisoners. There is nothing to report from the remainder of the front."

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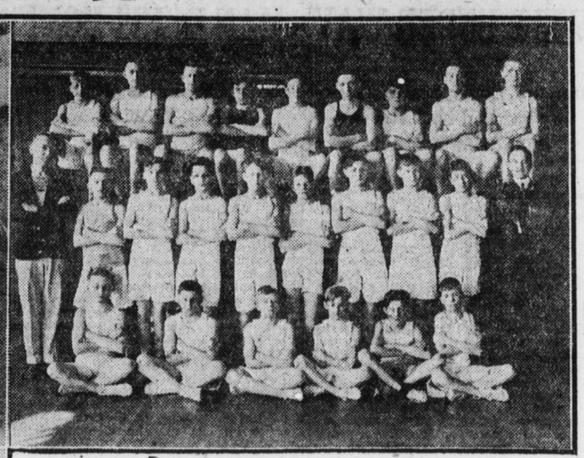

The Y. M. C. quarters offer many unusual opportunities to boys to improve their bodies and have just plain "fun." In one of the pictures the younger boys are seen in their "gym" suits. Another shows them intent upon an evening entertainment, motion pictures regularly shown the lads. The third photograph gives an idea of the rooms devoted to games and reading matter suitable for youths.

The "Boys' Division" of the Young Men's Christian Association, a departure at the Harrisburg Central Y. M. C. A., has already proved its worth. More than a hundred boys are already enjoying membership in this division. The boys, who in recent years have had no privileges aside from attending an occasional gymnasium class, now have their own social rooms with game tables and reading matter—just the same as the men have those features.

Two rooms on the second floor of the building have been fitted up with a cue-roque table, a baby size pocket billiard table, checkers, other small games, magazines and books. These quarters make most pleasant rooms for the boys. The younger boys are assigned certain periods for the use of the rooms, while at other times they are for the use of boys above the sixteen-year ago. Hours are so scheduled as to give all boys an opportunity. Adjoining the boys social rooms is the office of the secretary in charge of work for boys.

Activities will be provided for all ages of boys and younger men. A class for boys as young as ten years will be organized as soon as sufficient number of youngsters have been enrolled. Parents of boys of this age are already making application for admission of their small boys into this group. Members of this class, while too young to belong to the Y. M. C. A. boys' division, will be members of the premembership or "prep" club and as such will be given recreational gymnasium training on each Saturday morning throughout the school year.

Emphasis in the boys' work program of the association is laid on activities for boys of twelve to eighteen years. The whole aim of the program provided is that of providing all sorts of events and contests calculated to keep the fellows busy and to develop character. Outdoor hikes and camping trips in season, constructive gymnasium classes and groups for Bible study, together with properly directed social hours form part of the means of attaining this end.

While the boys' work of the Harrisburg Central Association has only been opened within the past four months, a great deal has already been done toward organizing the work and laying a solid foundation for future events. Seven boys' socials have been held, a reception to all boy scouts and one for all continuation school boys have been on the program, three boys' gymnasium classes are meeting regularly, seventeen delegates attended the state conference for older boys at Berwick and under the leadership of the association Harrisburg boys have subscribed $2,000 toward the war work fund of the Y. M. C. A. J. William Bowman is chairman of the committee in charge of work for boys. The work of organization and of launching the work has been entrusted to A. H. Dinsmore, boys' work secretary, who came to Harrisburg in September especially to open up the new department of association work.

WEBER NAMED TO SUCCEED OVES

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Mr. Weber has been in the city treasurer's office since May, 1909, when he was given a position there by ex-City Treasurer Owen M. Copelin. When Mr. Oves was elected city treasurer by Council in 1916 he made Mr. Weber his chief clerk.

Mr. Weber said to-day he will make no changes in the office and when the big rush of water tax and city tax payments begins will employ additional clerks.

It was reported in councilmanic circles to-day that Joshua W. Swartz was to be given the post. On one of the ballots Mr. Swartz received two votes, Mr. Lynch joining Mr. Burtnett in balloting for him. On the next ballot Mr. Lynch changed to Mr. Weber and voted for him three times in succession.

Three ballots were taken last Tuesday, Mr. Weber receiving two votes on the last two. The six ballots as taken to-day follow:

Fourth ballot:
Burtnett—Mr. Swartz.
Gross—Mr. Weber.
Hassler—William S. Tunis.
Lynch—Mr. Oves.
Keister—Mr. First.

Fifth ballot:
Burtnett—Mr. Swartz.
Gross—Mr. Weber.
Hassler—Mr. First.
Lynch—Mr. Oves.
Keister—Mr. First.

Sixth ballot:
Burtnett—Mr. Swartz.
Gross—Mr. Weber.
Hassler—Thomas B. Rockafellar.
Lynch—Mr. Swartz.
Keister—Mr. First.

Seventh ballot:
Burtnett—Mr. Swartz.
Gross—Mr. Weber.
Hassler—Mr. Rockafellar.
Lynch—Mr. Weber.
Keister—Mr. First.

The eighth ballot was the same as the seventh. On the ninth ballot all four commissioners voted for Mr. Weber, Mr. Keister again naming First. The certificate of election was given to Mr. Weber by City Clerk R. Ross Seaman this morning.

New Water Charges

Commissioner Lynch introduced an ordinance authorizing him to purchase two additional combination street sweepers and sprinklers at a cost of $830. Mr. Lynch said the sweepers are a necessity because of the labor shortage.

Commissioner Hassler introduced the ordinance increasing the city water rates. The rates to domestic consumers are advanced from $4 to $6, minimum charge, and ten cents for each additional 100 cubic feet over the minimum amount allowed. Manufacturing water rates are increased two cents on each thousand gallons, according to a sliding scale. There are no changes made in the classification of the various industries, nor the hotels, restaurants and other similar ushers. The manufacturing rate in the new ordinance ranges from ten cents a thousand gallons when less than 10,000 gallons is used daily, to four and one-half cents, a thousand for 200,000 gallons or more daily. The old rates ranged from eight to three and one-fourth cents. Last January Commissioner Lynch introduced an ordinance eliminating low rates to consumers using more than 200,000 gallons daily. This provision was passed. Charges for hydrants, special rates for persons using water from neighbor's supply, and other similar items are unchanged. Rates for building construction work remain the same.

To Help Coal Sufferers

Mayor Keister had a motion passed which will permit him to use $200 from the police contingent fund to pay for hiring wagons to deliver coal to families who must have a supply of fuel because of illness or other emergency.

Ordinances passed finally authorize purchasing seven fire alarm and two police alarm boxes to be used for Fourteenth ward extensions.

Another ordinance authorizes the purchase of a chemical combination truck for the Paxton Fire Company, a small runabout for the park department and another for the city health bureau. Commissioner Gross said he will order the fire apparatus at once.

The ordinance directing Commissioner Hassler to purchase an electric pump and motor was deferred pending the passage of another ordinance introduced to-day which provides for thansferring of money to be used in paying for the pump. The new pump arrived in the city and will be connected up at the pumping station in about two or three weeks.

Fire Destroys Household Goods of Two Families

Fire which destroyed household furnishings of two houses, broke out yesterday in the kitchen of a two-story double frame dwelling at 400 Verbeke street, and spread to 404½ Verbeke street. The building was owned by the Steckley estate. The loss is estimated at $1,500.

Mrs. Rachael Hillmar, a widow with two small children, lost all she possessed in the fire. Her sister, Miss May Dunmore, who had been living with her, also lost all her clothing, which was in the house at the time. Security bonds to the value of $5,000 belonging to J. H. Lynch, were burned in the fire.

The home of W. P. Snavely at 404½ was completely destroyed, and all the furniture and personal belongings. The mother of Mr. Snavely who resided with him, was also a heavy loser.

In the house adjoining the burned building, the body of George Yousling, who died Sunday, lay in its coffin on an upper floor. His widow, seriously ill from the shock of his death, lay in an adjoining room.

Coal More Plentiful; Bad Weather Conditions Hamper Freight Traffic

Washington, Jan. 22. — Large supplies of coal were moving freely to eastern householders and trans-Atlantic shipping interests today as the result of the fuel administration closing order but clearing of the railroad congestion still was hampered by unfavorable weather conditions.

With manufacturing plants east of the Mississippi facing the fifth day of the shut-down and reports here indicating that the first heatless Monday had been strictly observed, Fuel Administrator Garfield declined to say whether an extension of the closing period would be necessary.

"We will not cross that bridge until we come to it," Dr. Garfield said, "there will still be the nine remaining Monday holidays. Results of the operations of the closing order have been fully up to our expectations insofar as the weather permitted."

Officials who recently sought a railroad embargo on general freight as a means of relieving congestion, declared again that this step would have to be taken or non-essentials denied transportation if the freight tangle is to be straightened out. Director General McAdoo declined to order the embargo it was learned, despite its recommendation by the war conference board.

Y. M. C. A. DRIVE FOR NEW MEMBERS

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the leadership of the Y. M. C. A. membership committee of which Charles W. Burtnett is the chairman. The other members of the committee are Al. K. Thomas, A. Ramsey S. Black, W. Grant Rauch, Arthur H. Bailey and George C. Carl. There is also a boys' division team of which J. William Bowman, chairman of the boys' work committee, will be the captain.

The eight teams follow:

Team No. 1—Al. K. Thomas, captain; Frank Davenport, P. G. Diener, H. G. Pedlow, W. E. Wilson, Walter S. Schell, A. T. Baker, John W. Appleby, W. E. Dietrich, J. Harris Bell.

Team No. 2—A. Ramsey S. Black, captain; R. Ross Seaman, Jacob S. Baum, George N. Barnes, Paul Chadwick, Oscar W. Kines, Samuel P. Eby, W. F. Entriken, George W. Bogar, Jesse D. Wells.

Team No. 3—Louis A. Irwin, captain; Raymond C. Baker, Harry F. Neiswenter, Paul M. Tebbs, W. A. Riddle, E. C. First, R. E. Boswell, John H. Hall, Charles E. Beck, G. R. Hurd.

Team No. 4.—J. Harry Messer-Smith, captain; John C. Johnson, S. S. Rutherford, H. F. Kiehl, George E. Whitney, Dr. M. V. Whitman, Samuel E. Franklin, Frank J. Consylman, Shirley B. Watts.

Team No. 5—Harry C. Hoffman, captain; Frank G. Foose, D. D. Hammelbaugh, Eli Hershey, Carl C. Heefner, Eugene P. Strite, Paul Rexroth, P. T. Barnes, W. S. Young, Mr. Griswold.

Team No. 6.—H. R. Leonard, captain; Joseph Wallozz, E. L. McColgin, Howard Brown, Jerome H. Whitmoyer, Harry Smeltzer, Ira Kindler, Dress Pannel, Alfred W. Wiles.

Team No. 7.—Charles W. Boll, captain; Elmer E. Lawton, Bruce E. Taylor, E. Fred Rowe, Marion F. Sourbeer, Jr., Robert A. Boll, Wallace G. Starry, Frank G. Fahnestock, Jr., Robert E. Cohill, John E. Olmsted.

Team No. 8—J. William Bowman, captain; Kenneth Fisher, William Fortna, John Roth, Daniel Bacon, Arthur Hibler, Seymour Nissley, Kenneth Williams and A. H. Dinsmore, Boys' Work secretary.

Every Vacant Lot Will Be Cultivated For War Gardens Here in Spring

The big boom for war gardens next spring started yesterday at a meeting of the agricultural committee of the Chamber of Commerce, which announces that tractors will be provided for plowing this year and that every unused lot in the territory is to be put under cultivation if possible. The chairman, Donald McCormick, heads this committee, and he appointed the six following men to take hold of this important work: E. D. Hilleary George Spangler, Walter Schell, Flavel L. Wright, W. P. Stacey and H. K. Crull. Shirley Watts, who achieved fine results last season, was again appointed superintendent.

Through the kindness of several tractor companies it is expected that there will be enough machines to do all the plowing. The price set for putting a lot 25x45 into shape is to be $1.50, and even if the gardens are doubled these receipts will not cover expenses by $1,000. Big results are anticipated for on account of the valuable experience which many had last year.

Inmates of Asylum Knit Much For U. S. Soldiers

A contribution for forty-one sweaters, a knitted helmet and a pair of wristlets was received at Red Cross headquarters, in the Fager School Building, this morning, from an auxiliary recently formed by inmates of the State Hospital for the Insane. The work is well done, and is among the finest received at headquarters.

A beautifully knitted afghan was received from the pupils of Miss Kennedy's room in the Cameron School Building. The robe was knitted by the boys and girls of the room.

German Possession of Alsace-Lorraine Error, Says Maximilian Harden

By Associated Press

Amsterdam, Jan. 22. — Germany should not take any territory from the Russian empire and might give back Alsace-Lorraine to France, Maximilian Harden declared in Die Sunkft. He said: "He who wishes to take away Poland, Courland, Lithuania, Esthonia and Livonia from the Russian empire makes of this empire a mortal enemy, for Russia will not always have Leninistic feeling. These countries would bring us no advantage. A Slavic strain through Germany would endanger the life of the country, not merely the life of East Prussia."

With regard to Alsace-Lorraine Herr Harden writes:

"Neither Premier Lloyd George nor President Wilson believes Germany is willing to surrender Alsace-Lorraine to France at the present moment, but what about Germany's attitude two or three years after peace is signed, where there can be consultation with the people? It was a mistake to take possession of Alsace Lorraine. Must we always carry this burdensome inheritance of our forefathers?"

PEACE FIGHT LOOMS BIG IN AUSTRIA

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influencing the Brest-Litovsk negotiations. The fact that the Austrian government permitted full reports of the meeting between the labor leaders and the ministry to leave the country is considered significant.

Dr. Von Seydler indicated no lessening of the demands on Russia and a German newspaper reports that unless the Russians accept the offer of the Central Powers the peace negotiations will be broken off. The conferences at Brest-Litovsk have been suspended until January 29, as Foreign Minister Trotzky, head of the Russian delegation, has gone to Petrograd for consultation with his government.

Almost complete military inactivity persists on the fronts in France and Italy. On the Macedonian front, Bulgarian troops have attacked the French positions west of the Vardar heavily. The efforts came after violent preparation and the Bulgarians were able to enter French trenches at only one point, from which they were thrown out immediately by Greek troops. A serious break in the entente line west of the Vardar might have important results. Berlin reports Bulgarian successes in patrol engagements.

British political circles are discussing the resignation from the war cabinet of Sir Edward Carson, leader of the Ulster Unionists, on account of the Irish situation. It has been expected that the Irish convention, which has been discussing plans for home rule in Ireland, would make its report shortly. Sir Edward has been the leader of the opposition to any home rule plan which would include Ulster.

WRECK VICTIMS ARE IMPROVING AT HOSPITAL

Samuel Rensel, engineman on the engine struck in the wreck Sunday morning at Iroquois, is reported to be in a slightly improved condition. He has regained consciousness, but while his condition is slightly improved, hospital authorities reported this morning that his condition is still very serious.

Henry Daveler, of Altoona, who received back injuries, is improving. His condition is not considered so serious as that of Daveler, and his recovery is expected. Both men are in the Harrisburg Hospital, where they were removed following the accident Sunday morning.

BURNED IN FACE

Rada Karopandza, aged 27, is in the Harrisburg Hospital suffering from serious burns about the hands and face, which he sustained last night. Karopandza lives at Enhaut, and is employed as a laborer by the Bethlehem Steel Company, at Steelton. His house caught fire last night, and he was badly burned in his attempt to extinguish the blaze.

MEN IN FIRST CLASS TO BE TAUGHT FIRST AID

Registration of men in Class A of the draft, will be opened at the Y. M. C. A. in the near future, for enrollmen in a first aid class. A practicing physician of the town will teach the class the fundamental principals of first aid, a course which is invaluable to the men.

The idea was proposed by Mrs. James I. Chamberlain, a local Red Cross worker and executive. It was enthusiastically endorsed by Y. M. C. A. officials, and may be adopted by Y. M. C. A.s of the nation. Letters have been received from Washington, endorsing the plan. The men are invited to register at the local "Y, Second and Locust streets.

DR. CLAYPOOL TALKS

Dr. Ernest V. Claypoole, superintendent for the Harrisburg district, the Anti-Saloon League, addressed the bimonthly meeting of Methodist ministers held in the Y. M. C. A. yesterday morning.

CORPORAL ARTER HOME

Corporal Frank W. Arter, of 1317 Marion street, returned to-day to Camp Meade. He had been home on a thirty-six hour furlough.

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Federal Reserve Board Emphasizes Need of War Time Economies in U. S.

By Associated Press

Washington, Jan. 22.—Effect of credit expansion on the general rise of prices, and the part the American people can play in counteracting inflation by wartime economies, were emphasized to-day by the Federal Reserve Board in its annual report to Congress.

Explaining that even though credit expansion is not entirely responsible for increase in prices, the board says, "it regards it as one of its most important duties to prevent, as far as practicable, expansion of banking credit from running an uncontrolled course.

"Goods and credit," says the report, "must be saved the utterest of our ability in order to check the upward movement of prices and in order to free for the use of the government the goods and savings required for the winning of the war."

The present condition of a greatly expanded currency will be improved, the board believes, "as the public performs its duty of absorbing the government loans out of savings." Before the third Liberty Loan, the report adds, Federal Reserve Banks must reduce their investments to strengthen reserves and avoid further expansion that has accompanied the last two Liberty Loans. The board does not say specifically how it proposes to do this.

Direct Concerns to Cease Advertising For Men

By Associated Press

Washington, Jan. 22.—Peremptory directions to many large industrial concerns to cease widespread advertising for help, which was thought to be unsettling the labor supply and working hardship on individuals who answered the advertisements, have been sent out by the Department of Labor.

AVIATION CONGRESS AT PETROGRAD

By Associated Press

London, Jan. 22.—A Russian government wireless report gives an urgent proclamation sent to aviators on all Russian fronts concerning an aviation congress to be held in Petrograd on February 10. The program covers unification of work on all fronts, reorganization of the administration of aircraft and aircraft industries, organization and provisioning of the national army and the progress of aviation lessons of the war.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA'S WHEAT CROP BELOW NORMAL

By Associated Press

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 22. — A dispatch received by Reuters Agency from Adelaide, says South Australia's wheat crop this year is officially estimated at 26,500,000 bushels or 18,500,000 bushels below that of last year. This decrease is attributed to the smaller area sown and the excess of rainy, unfavorable weather just after the sowing season.

KERENSKY'S OLD MINISTERS SHOT DEAD IN SICKBED

Russian Band Enters Hospital and Murders Shingaroff and Kokoshkine

Petrograd (Monday), Jan. 21.—**Premier Lenine and Secretary of State Bonch-Burevitch have ordered the Red Guard and soldiers to comb the city for "the motorcar with Red Guards and sailors who killed Shingaroff and Kokoshkine."** The murder of the former ministers has created a feeling of protest and revulsion among the Bolshevik officials, who are anxious to prevent the situation from getting beyond their control.

The Petrograd Council of Workmen's and Soldiers' Delegates has adopted a resolution of the most strict censure of the murderers, declaring it never could approve of summary justice and that no crimes had been committed by those killed. The resolution urged all soldiers to search for the murderers.

A. I. Shingaroff, minister of finance in the Kerensky cabinet, and Professor F. F. Kohoshkine, state controller under Kerensky, were murdered in their beds last night in the Marine Hospital.

M. Shingaroff and Professor Kohoshkine were removed recently to the hospital from the Fortress of St. Peter and St. Paul because of illness. A dozen armed men entered the hospital and demanded that they be shown the beds of the former ministers.

Professor Kohoshkine was killed as he slept, two bullets being fired. M. Shingaroff wakened and protested. Six bullets were fired into his body. The assassins then left the hospital.

M. Shingaroff and M. Kokoshkine were arrested by the Bolsheviki last month, notwithstanding the fact that they had been elected delegates to the Constitutent Assembly and nominally were immune from arrest. They were prominent members of the Constitutional Democratic (cadet) party, which is opposed bitterly by the Bolsheviki as representative of the bourgeoisie.

M. Shingaroff, an expert on Russian land, financial and military questions, was considered by many the ablest members of Kerensky's cabinet. He served as minister of agriculture in the Lvoff cabinet, which preceded that of Kerensky, and in 1916 was a member of the Duma delegation that visited England, France and Italy. He practiced medicine before entering politics.

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By All Means Attend

Everybody knows that Kohner carried very high-grade stocks, carrying only quality Silverware, Jewelry, Clocks, etc.

It was but a new store, hence the stocks were brand new and every article handled was of the latest and most upto-date design. The temptation was too great to pass up this truly wonderful purchase of beauiful Silverware, Jewelry, Clocks, etc., at Half and Less Than Half, and we are going to place this big purchase on sale and give you the benefit of this unusual purchase.

Kohner's price tickets are still on every article and we will place these rich stocks on sale at half and less than half of Kohner's prices.

Silverware

Genuine English Sheffield, American made Sheffield and a lot of Sterling Silverware.

BREAD TRAYS
Kohner's Price $3.50. Our Sale Price $1.75
Kohner's Price $4.00. Our Sale Price $2.00
Kohner's Price $6.50. Our Sale Price $3.25
Kohner's Price $8.50. Our Sale Price $4.25
Sterling Silver Bread Trays
Kohner's Price $20. Our Sale Price $10.00
Kohner's Price $18. Our Sale Price $9.00

SANDWICH TRAYS
Kohner's Price $5.00. Our Sale Price $2.50
Kohner's Price $5.50. Our Sale Price $2.75
Kohner's Price $6.50. Our Sale Price $3.25
One Lot of Fine Shaving Sets
Kohner's Price $9.00 to $14.00. Our Sale Price.. $3.50
One Lot of Bon Bon Dishes
Kohner's Price $5.00 to $6.00. Our Sale Price.. $2.25

SILVER VASES
Kohner's Price $8.00 to $9.50. Our Sale Price.. $4.00
Tea Sets, 4 and 5 Pieces
Kohner's Price $26 to $52. Sale Price, $13.00 to $26.00
COFFEE SETS
Kohner's Price $8.00 to $9.50. Our Sale Price.. $4.00
EXTRA SPECIAL — One lot of FINE LOCKETS—Kohner's Price $2.50 to $5.00. Our Sale Price 75c

Clocks

68 Clocks of All Descriptions—Fine Brush Brass Clocks. Kohner's Price, $2 to $5. Our Sale Price $1.00
Fine Small Mahogany Clocks—Kohner's Price $3.50 to $8.00—Our Sale Price, $1.50 to $4.00
Very Fine Mahogany Clocks 8-Day Striking Clock. Kohner's Price, $7.50 to $25.00. Our Sale Price, $3.75 to $12.50
One Lot of Mahogany Candlesticks — Kohner's Price, $1.00 to $3.50 Pair. Our Sale Price, for any pair, ... 75c
One Big Lot of Roger's and Community Flatware consisting of Knives, Forks, Ladles, Orange Spoons, etc., all at tremendous savings.
EXTRA SPECIAL—50c "Hold-On" Clutch — The best protection for your scarf pin, ... 10c
EXTRA SPECIAL—One lot of Children's Bracelets — Kohner's Price $1.25 to $2.50. Our Sale Price 50c
EXTRA SPECIAL — Krementz 25c Collar Buttons, Our Sale Price 5c
EXTRA SPECIAL — One Lot of Jewelry—Consisting of Beauty Pins, Lingerie Clasps, Earrings, Brooches, Etc. Kohner's Price, 50c to $1.50. Our Sale Price, Choice at 15c
EXTRA SPECIAL — One Lot of Fine Brooches, Gold Front Bar Pins, Fobs, Lavallieres — Kohner's Prices $1.00 to $3.00. Our Sale Price — Choice at 50c

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