

HUGE GAINS FOR STATE'S BANKS

Building and Loan Associations Have Also Increased Their Assets Enormously

State Banking Commission Daniel F. Lefane in a summary of reports of the banks, trust companies, savings institutions and building and loan associations under supervision of the State Banking Department made for 1917 shows that the combined assets and trust funds amounted to \$3,398,709,392 against a total in the same concerns at the close of 1916 of \$3,052,331,912, a gain in a year of almost \$350,000,000. At the close of 1897 the same classes showed \$813,624,983.

sociations against \$35 and 1,989 a year ago and 187 and 1,131 in 1895. Assets of banks, savings institutions and trust companies went from \$339,863,282 in 1895 to \$1,548,123,496 in 1916 and \$1,707,168,940 last year, trust funds from \$374,241,784 in 1895 to \$1,206,381,849 in 1916 and \$1,371,540,362 in 1917; building and loan assets from \$99,519,917 in 1895 to \$298,827,067 in 1916 and \$320,000,000 in 1917.

FARMERS URGED AGAIN TO SELL

Secretary Patton Calls Attention to Necessity of Prompt Sales of Wheat

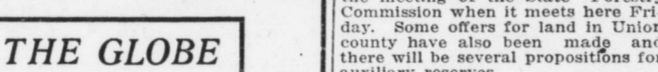
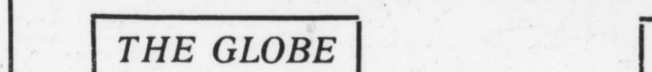


"Farmers of the state are responding to the request made that they sell their wheat now," said Secretary Charles E. Patton to-day.

superintendents of Volunteer State Police: Lycoming, Edward L. Taylor, Williamsport; Snyder, Frank A. Eyer, Gettysburg; Westmoreland, John P. Kilgore, Greensburg; and McKean, E. A. Studholme, Smithport. Volunteer policemen were named for Potter county: Justices Named—Governor Brumbaugh has appointed the following justices of the peace: Montgomery county, L. Albert Gray, Montgomery township; W. M. Hobart, third ward, Pottsville; Lancaster county, Earl M. Weidman, Elizabeth township; James M. G. Cramer, Pottsville and William H. Klein, Adams township; York county, Charles E. Artzberger, Dover; H. E. Rebert, Jefferson township; William S. Sinsinger, Washington township; George F. Kling, West Manheim township; Carbon county, Robert J. Erost, East Penn township; Center county, George J. Kell, Bellefonte; Fayette county, John Bauman, Conneville township; Jefferson county, A. B. Howard, Ringgold township; Monroe county, George T. Cobb, stroud township; Montour county, H. E. Cotner, Washington township; Northumberland county, Ira T. Kenn, Rockefeller township; Peter W. Schlegel, East Cameron township; D. S. Paul, Upper Mahanoy township; Northampton county, John C. Cunningham, Ursina.

WAKE UP FEELING FRESH AS A DAISY

Get a 10 Cent Box of "Cascarets" for Your Liver and Bowels. Let Cascarets liven your liver and clean your thirty feet of bowels without griping. You will wake up feeling grand. Your head will be clear, breath right, tongue clean, stomach sweet, eyes bright, step elastic and complexion rosy—they're wonderful. Get a 10-cent box now at any drug store. Mothers can safely give a whole Cascaret to children at any time when they become cross, feverish, bilious, tongue coated or constipated—Cascarets are harmless.



A Personal Message to Men

In these days of conservation, thrift and economy, this message is intended to serve a double purpose.

Firstly, Men, I advise you to buy all your clothing needs now, and don't limit yourselves to present needs alone, but provide as much for your future needs as possible. This refers not only to your outer apparel but your furnishings as well.

Clothing will be very high next Fall, (War or no War) and a clothing investment at this time means a saving to you of at least 35 per cent. This may sound like an exaggeration, but it is absolutely true. For instance—

- A Suit or Overcoat we are now selling at \$14.75, will cost you next Fall \$25.00.
A Suit or Overcoat we are now selling at \$19.75, will cost you next Fall \$35.00.
A Suit or Overcoat we are now selling at \$24.75, will cost you next Fall \$40.00.
A Suit or Overcoat we are now selling at \$28.50, will cost you next Fall \$50.00.

Now let me ask you, could you invest your money to any better advantage—Certainly not.

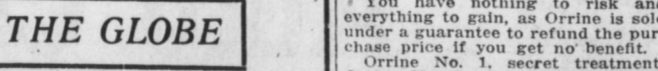
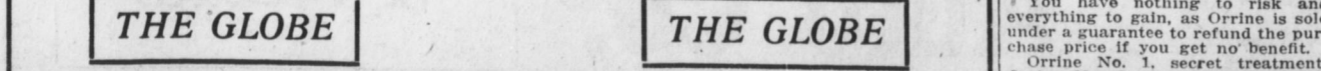
Now do the wise thing. Come to THE GLOBE.

Secondly—You know our One Thousand Suit and Overcoat Campaign is now running in full blast. The savings are big—the reductions are real—the values are greater, and in addition to the great reductions, and the great savings to you, if we succeed in reaching our goal of one thousand Suits and Overcoats by February 23d, you will receive an additional bonus of 5 per cent.

Now, men, you cannot afford to pass up this great money-saving opportunity.

We hope to have the pleasure of serving you soon. Afterward you'll thank me for this message.

Very cordially yours, J. H. Hagerling



STEELTON INSURANCE FOR MEN IN SERVICE

Red Cross Chapter Urges Families to Take Care of Men While on Duty

Officers of the local Red Cross Chapter have been working hard to encourage families of enlisted men to take out insurance. A campaign is being waged by a special committee and much progress is being made. The bulletin issued to-day by the committee is as follows: "The Federal government, through its War Risk Insurance Bureau, makes monthly allowances to the families of men in service who have enlisted a portion of their pay. The government also issues life insurance at small premiums to enlisted and drafted men and to commissioned officers."

MIDDLETOWN GRAVES FOR DEAD CANNOT BE DUG

Frozen Ground Prohibits Use of Pick and Shovel; Other Middletown News Items

D. L. Smith, sexton of the Middletown Cemetery, is having difficulty to dig graves for the dead in Middletown. He has tried every way to do so. Several large logs have been burnt to loosen up the ground that has frozen fully two-and-a-half feet. The funeral of Mrs. Annie Croll, which was to be held on Tuesday, was postponed until to-day and Mrs. Harry Prescott, of Royaltown, to-morrow and Jerome Reed, Saturday. It was thought at one time that they would have to put the bodies in the Heistand vault.

Steel Plants Hard Hit by Folundering Snow

The local steel plant is only one of the many concerns that has been hard hit by the snow blockade. Commenting on the conditions in the steel trade, the Iron Age of to-day, in Pennsylvania, says: "The West are floundering in a snow blockade worse than any in the past two months of the year. The steel industry has been so demoralized by these repeated blows that there is to-day little trace of a normal aspect in markets or in plant operation."

Funerals Held at Middletown Cemetery

The funeral of Mrs. Susan Kauffman was held from the home of her sister, Mrs. James Leggore, Wilson street, yesterday afternoon. The pallbearers were Melvin Leonard, Irwin Pickle, Fred Welsh, Roy Bishop, William Flury and William Hickernell. The Rev. James Cunningham, pastor of the M. E. Church, officiated. Burial was made in the Middletown Cemetery.

Funerals Held at Middletown Cemetery

Mr. and Mrs. Philip May, of Hagerstown, Md., are spending several days in town, having been called here on account of the death of their daughter, Mrs. Harry Prescott, of Royaltown.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Baumbach received a letter from their son Roy, stating that all the boys from Middletown who sailed with the Thirty-fifth Regiment of Engineers are safe and in good health.

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Miss Leah Elsdore left to-day for Shippensburg, where she will spend several days. Miss Sarah Starr is ill. Harry Leggore, of Royaltown, is ill at his home.

Railways Company Helps to Clear Snow From Street

A large force of men and two small cars were placed in service this morning by the Harrisburg Railway Company in assisting the borough to clear Front street of the snow.

Shelley Boys Tell of Celebrating Christmas

Carl and Roy Shelley with the Ambulance Corps, "Somewhere in France" in letters received several days ago tell of spending the Christmas holidays and their supply of clothing.

Coal Situation Here Is in Worst Stage

The coal situation in Steelton is in the worst stage it has been in this winter. No coal has arrived this week and dealers, according to dealers, are suffering and becoming desperate in their efforts to keep their furnaces burning.

NOT TOO DEAD TO FIGHT

Altoona, Pa.—Mourning as dead for nine years, during which time he was captured by Mexican bandits, Wendell P. Harrison, of this city, has at last come to life as a member of the United States Army at San Diego, Cal., according to a letter received here by his brother, Chester Harrison.

DARBY CRITICALLY ILL

W. F. Darby, a well-known attorney who has been ill for weeks, was in a critical condition to-day, according to members of the family.

PERFECT WOMANHOOD

Perfect womanhood depends on perfect health. Beauty and a good disposition both vanish before pain and suffering. A great menace to woman's happiness in life is the suffering that comes from some functional derangement which soon develops headaches, backache, nervousness and "the blues."

Sore Throat Wisdom

To relieve Sore Throat you must get at the seat of the disease, removing the cause. TONSILINE is prepared and sold for that purpose. A dose of TONSILINE taken upon the first appearance of Sore Throat may save long days of sickness. Use a little Sore Throat wisdom and buy a bottle of TONSILINE today. You may need it tomorrow.

HIGHSPIRE

Highspire Boy Is Now "Somewhere in France"

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Book, of Highspire, have received a letter from their son, Thomas Book, who has recently arrived in France. The letter follows: France, Jan. 1, 1918.

ARMY DOCTORS SAY: RADWAY'S READY RELIEF Better Than ALL OTHER PAIN REMEDIES

A LETTER from Dr. Simpson of the Anderson Zouaves, N. Y. (62d Regt.), says: "During the time our regiment was stationed on Riker's Island we were out of medical stores. I obtained some of RADWAY'S READY RELIEF and used it with greater success in the treatment of Bowel Complaint, Colds, Rheumatism, Chills, Pains, Lumbago and Soreness of the limbs than all other remedial agents."

DANCE IN FREY'S HALL

The Del Phi Society will hold a formal dance in Frey's Hall, this evening. Music will be furnished by the Mannix Orchestra, of Steelton. The committee in charge of arrangements is composed of Dr. M. C. Gumbler, Philip Waldey, Benjamin Yoffee and Frank Francis.

CHOIR REHEARSAL THIS EVENING

The choir of St. John's Lutheran Church will hold its regular rehearsal this evening at 7:45 o'clock at the home of H. R. Rupp.

STEELTON DEATHS

Joseph Grac, aged 24, 414 Highland street, died yesterday. Funeral services will be held at the St. Peter's Catholic Church to-morrow morning. Burial will be made in the Mt. Calvary Cemetery.

THE BODY OF EDWARD MCKEE, CALVED

The body of Edward McKee, aged 30, of Locust Grove, who died at the Harrisburg Hospital yesterday, will be shipped to Charleston, North Carolina, by H. Wilt's Sons, undertakers.

PETER BAILEY, AGED 25, DIED AT 26

Peter Bailey, aged 25, died at 26 Christiana street on Tuesday. The body will be shipped to Virginia, for burial.

part of February, 1918. I will be home if I can get off, you know time is very precious in the navy, especially in war times for us fellows. "It is very cold now and we hit very large storms while at sea, we almost think we are going to capsize. "Well I do not have very much to say just to let you know that I am well and in good health. Goodbye to all."

Our Special 15 DAY SHOE SALE

is an unusual opportunity to provide the family with distinctive footwear at prices that mean a decided saving.

Shoes For Ladies Men Children

It will prove to your advantage to supply your present needs and to buy our



Spring Shoes

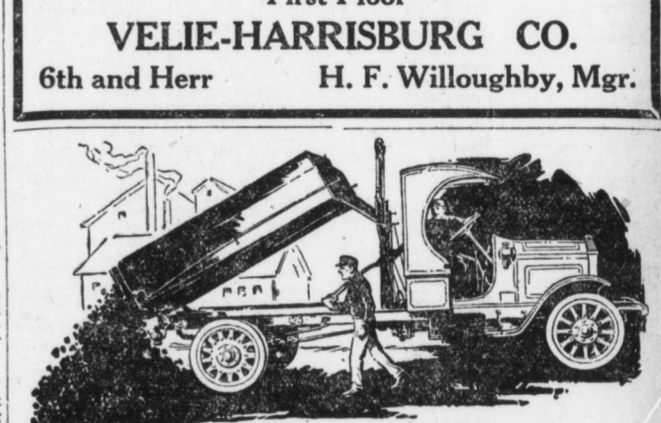
at the attractive price, concessions which prevail during this sale—ALL OUR OWN STOCK included in these special offerings.

STECKLEY'S 1220 N. THIRD ST. OPEN DURING THIS SALE UNTIL 8 P. M.

Velie Trucks and Passenger Cars

See Them at the Show

First Floor VELIE-HARRISBURG CO. 6th and Herr H. F. Willoughby, Mgr.



Stewart MOTOR TRUCKS

The merit that has made the Stewart wanted throughout the world will justify investigation by any Harrisburg businessman. Don't judge Stewart trucks by their price; investigate them, even though they cost so much less than the average (as per the following comparison by commercial vehicles):

Table comparing Stewart trucks with other models. Columns include Year (1918, 1917), Price, and Savings. Rows include Stewart 1/2 ton, Stewart 1 ton, Stewart 1 1/2 ton, and Stewart 2 ton.

Official Motor Publication. We handle STEWART trucks, but WE SELL and RENDER SERVICE Hudson Sales Agency



See Us at the Auto Show

Stratford House

A new fireproof hotel, most conveniently located. Two avenue blocks from Pennsylvania R. R. Terminal. Single Rooms and Suites Permanent-Transient also the new Goldfish Restaurant Smart and refined William S. O'Brien, Prop.