AIRPLANE MAIL ROUTE MAY SOON BE ESTABLISHED

Service Between Washington, Philadelphia and New York Possible This Year

Washington, Feb. 12.—Establishment of an airplane mail service between Washington, Philadelphia and New York during the coming summer was indicated to-day when the Post Office Department called for bids on five airplanes for that service.

The service will begin with one round trip a day and later may be expanded. First class mail only will be carried at the outset of the service.

The specifications of the Post office Department call for machines which have stood satisfactory test in the War and Navy Departments' service. The bids will be opened February 21, and the airplanes are to be delivered not later than April 25 this year. Arrangements have been made with the War Department to release a sufficient number of motors to equip the machines.

"It is not the purpose of the Post Office Department to make this an experimental service," Postmaster General Burleson announced. "Its practicability is to be assured before the establishment of the route. Once established it is to remain a permanent service."

TO OBSERVE ASH WEDNESDAY

Ash Wednesday will be observed tomorrow at St. Stephens Episcopal Church, Front street, near Pine streets, with Holy Communion at 8 o'clock. At 11 o'clock there will be litany and Holy Communion, and at 8 o'clock in the evening, there will be a sermon by the Rt. Rev. James Henry Darlington, bishop of the Harrisburg diocese.

AVOID ALL MEAT IF KIDNEYS AND BLADDER BOTHER

Uric Acid in meat excites Kidneys and irritates the Bladder.

Take Salts at first sign of Bladder weakness or Kidney-Backache.

Kidney and Bladder weakness result from uric acid, says a noted authority. The kidneys filter this acid from the blood and pass it on to the bladder, where it often remains to irritate and inflame, causing a burning, scalding sensation, or setting up an irritation at the neck of the bladder, obliging you to seek relief two or three times during the night. The sufferer is in constant dread, the water passes sometimes with a scalding sensation and is very profuse; again there is difficulty in avoiding it.

Bladder weakness, most folks call it, because they can't control urination. While it is extremely annoying and sometimes very painful, this is really one of the most simple ailments to overcome. Get about four ounces of Jad Salts from your pharmacist and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast, continue this for two or three days. This will neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer is a source of irritation to the bladder and urinary organs which then act normally again.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, harmless, and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and is used by thousands of folks who are subject to urinary disorders caused by uric acid irritation. Jad Salts is splendid for kidneys and causes no bad effects whatever.

Here you have a pleasant, effervescent lithia-water drink which quickly relieves bladder trouble.—Adv.

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SPECIAL COURT TO TRY BENEFIT SUITS BY CITY

City Solicitor Fox Losing No Time in Ending Hardscrabble Litigation

Determined to complete as soon as possible the legal proceedings in connection with the Hardscrabble improvement work City Solicitor John E. Fox yesterday filed eleven suits against property owners on the east side of Front street, for benefits which it is claimed they will derive from the taking over of the houses on the west side. These cases will be heard at a special session of court to be held March 11, when the jury from the common pleas court of February 25 will probably be retained to hear the suits.

In addition to his step, counsel for several of the property owners filed motions for judgment on the verdicts which have been recorded. This, according to City Solicitor Fox, will mean an early argument of the reserved points of law, the most important of which is the Act of 1871, which attorneys for the property owners claim is unconstitutional. The argument will be listed soon, and after it is ruled on by the local court may be appealed to the state supreme court with the result that all litigation may be closed by early fall.

The eleven property owners involved in the suits by the city for benefits are Katie G. Raymond, John A. McAlister, John T. Ensminger, Catharine Chandler, George G. Schlegel, Mary A. Melville, Thomas B. Rockafeller, Elmira A. Attick, Mary E. McKelvey, Charles Fisher, Benjamin F. Miller.

The three verdicts for which judgment is asked by counsel are in suits brought by E. G. Slabach, John Yingst and Lewis Finfrock, Jr. The Yingst case was scheduled to be heard yesterday and a jury was called. Four of the other five cases which were listed were settled by agreement when it was learned that a similar verdict would be taken in the only remaining suit. As a result Mr. Yingst was awarded $7383.40 for his property as it stood prior to 1871 and $3200 for improvements since that date.

RAIN SCHEDULED; MAY BREAK ICE

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the night, the ice here will not break up, Mr. Demain said, and the ice in the West Branch will probably gorge before it reaches Renovo. If the rainfall all over the Susquehanna watershed is heavy, amounting to one and a half or two inches, the ice in the branches and main stream will break up, and it will be over, Mr. Demain said, "in forty-eight hours." The approaching rain, Mr. Demain said, may be heavy or, on the other hand, very light.

Only Local Trouble

Mr. Demain does not apprehend any serious trouble. Where the ice gorges, he said, there may be local trouble by the dammed waters. If the ice goes out, he thinks that there will be no widespread inundation, but only local overflows of lowlands.

A four-foot rise of the water is expected here to-morrow, following to-night's rain. If the rain is heavy, the rise might attain seven feet. Temperatures will be high, and melting snows will continue to add to the volume of the water. In places the water has gone over the ice, but there has been no sign of a general breakup as yet.

Ice on some of the small creeks in the vicinity has opened up and is slowly moving toward the river. The Juniata river is showing signs of opening up and the river has risen four inches. It is going over the ice in places.

Use McNeil's Cold Tablets.—Adv.

GAS IN THE STOMACH IS DANGEROUS

Recommends Daily Use of Magnesia To Overcome Trouble, Caused by Fermenting Food and Acid Indigestion

Gas and wind in the stomach accompanied by that full bloated feeling after eating are almost certain evidence of the presence of excessive hydrochloric acid in the stomach, creating so called "acid indigestion."

Acid stomachs are dangerous because too much acid irritates the delicate lining of the stomach often leading to gastritis accompanied by serious stomach ulcers. Food ferments and sours creating the distressing gas which distends the stomach and hampers the normal functions of the vital internal organs, often affecting the heart.

It is the worst of folly to neglect such a serious condition or to treat with ordinary dig stive aids which have no neutralizing effect on the stomach acids. Instead get from any druggist a few ounces of Bisurated Magnesia and take a teaspoonful in a quarter glass of water right after eating. This will drive the gas, wind and bloat right out of the body, sweeten the stomach, neutralize the excess acid and prevent its formation and there is no sourness or pain. Bisurated Magnesia (in powder or tablet form—never liquid or milk) is harmless to the stomach, inexpensive to take and the best form of magnesia for stomach purposes. It is used by thousands of people who enjoy their meals with no more fear of indigestion. Geo. A. Gorgas.—Advertisement.

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U. S. CONFIDENT ALLIES CAN HOLD WESTERN FRONT

Russia's Withdrawal Is Not Viewed With Alarm at Washington

By Associated Press

Washington, Feb. 12.—How Russia's complete withdrawal from the war will affect the Allies and the United States in a military way cannot be accurately estimated at this time, officials here believe, despite the fact that on paper the Russian collapse would seem to give the Germans a great superiority on the western front.

Military men, confident that the Allied line on the western front will hold against any German force that can be thrown against it, profess not to regard the Russian separate peace as the menace it would appear.

The fact that 1,500,000 German prisoners will be freed to return to Germany is regarded with no alarm. Military men say they could not quickly be re-organized into efficient military units. The general opinion here is that Germany will be more interested in keeping the prisoners in Russia rather than risk having them carry Bolshevik doctrine back to Germany.

The 147 Austro-German and Bulgarian divisions on the Russian front, which will entirely be released by a separate peace, are regarded as already having been stripped of their effectives, who have been transferred to the western front. Military experts say, in addition, that Germany would be obliged to keep some of these 147 divisions in the vast conquered territory for garrison purposes.

The one outstanding fact is that the military experts are sure the reinforcements the Germans can draw from the Russian front cannot overwhelm the western line.

Russia at this time owes the United States $187,799,000 advanced for supplies, which already have gone to Russia. For that sum the Government holds Russian bonds. Whether this vast sum will be a total loss to the United States depends on whether the ultimate government in Russia decides to repudiate the debt. A credit of $325,000,000 was established at the Treasury for Russia, but only $187,799,000 was used when payments were stopped.

WANT NEW BIDS FOR ASH COLLECTION

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Then Commissioner Gross took the floor and in a short talk protested against paying the reduction company for any work during January. Commissioner Hassler stated the voucher for $2,625 had been held up and would not be paid. Other members of Council joined in the discussion and finally a motion was made to reject the bid which has been under consideration for two weeks.

Commissioner Hassler was directed to ask for new proposals, Mayor Keister suggesting the change in the specifications. It is probable bids will be opened February 23. Bids maye be submitted for district collections or for the entire city.

Commissioner Gross when he protested against paying the reduction company, scored the firm for failure to make any regular collections for several months before the contract ended. The discussion, which followed, ended when Commissioner Hassler was authorized by resolution to notify the company to make a clean-up of all ashes as soon as weather conditions permit. The bonding company also will be notified it will be held under the $15,000 bond until this is done. It was intimated that if the reduction company fails to make a clean-up the city will do so and charge it to the bonding company.

With large forces of men at work daily removing snow from the city streets and intersections Commissioner Lynch was given permission to transfer $7,000 more from the street cleaning fund to pay for this work. This makes a total of $16,000, which has been provided for snow-cleaning, $4,000 of which was in the annual budget and $5,000 transferred a few weeks ago from the street cleaning fund. With fair weather during the next few weeks much of the snow will be removed, Commissioner Lynch said. The street cleaning gangs will then be put to work.

Only one new ordinance was introduced, Commissioner Lynch presenting a measure to authorize the purchase of a $3,000 auto truck. Ordinances passed finally provide for the purchase of a small auto truck for the highway department, and for the registration of all city properties. Plans for carrying out the provisions of the latter measure have already been made by City Assessor James C. Thompson and City Engineer M. B. Cowden. On three previous occasions a similar ordinance was introduced in Council but never was called for final passage. The law required cities to pass this legislation and enforce it.

REGISTER SHIPBUILDERS

The office of W. H. Gaither, in the Bergner building, will be open daily this week, and evenings, from 7 until 8 o'clock, for the registration of skilled mechanics for shipbuilding work. After the registration of the workmen, they will be subject to call for duty at government shipyards. The registration will continue all week.

When Women Are Nervous--

Every woman has days when her nerves are at the breaking point, when irritability and restlessness indicate that the enervated nerve cells of the delicately organized body need replenishing. Shattered nerves mar the disposition, the appearance and retard mental progress. Sleeplessness, exhaustion, indecision, faulty memory, lack of continuity of thought, languidness are the natural results of depleted nerves, and depleted nerves are the natural result of excessive drains upon the vitality. Then it is a serious and dangerous mistake to resort to the use of so-called tonics or drug stimulants. Weak and exhausted nerves need food and nourishment—not stimulants that lash them into temporary activity. The food and nourishment advised by present day physicians is just one 5-grain tablet of pure bitro-phosphate taken during or immediately after each meal. Simple advice, but its soundness has been proven over and over again. Moreover the remedy is within the reach of every sufferer from weak nerves, as a large package of bitro-phosphate tablets, (sufficient for two weeks' treatment) can be obtained from Forney, Kennedy, Gorgas, Clark, or any first-class druggist at reasonable cost and every package is accompanied by a binding guarantee of satisfaction or money back.

Democratic National Committee Endorses Woman's Suffrage

Washington, Feb. 12.—Indorsement of the federal amendment for woman suffrage was voted by the executive committee of the National Democratic committee here yesterday, after a referendum to the committeemen representing the forty-eight states.

In the executive committee the vote was 5 to 2.

Of the forty-eight state members of the national committee, 28 had voted for the amendment, 14 had voted against it and 6 had not been recorded.

Engineers Break Gorge in Monongahela to Remove Flood Danger

Pittsburgh, Pa., Feb. 12.—To remove the danger of a flood and to permit the resumption of river traffic, United States engineers to-day began the breaking up of the nine-mile ice gorge in the Monongahela river near Brownsville, Pa., by the use of dynamite. The dislodging of the large gorge, said to be thirty feet high in places, which started to move out early Sunday and later jammed at a bend in the river, will enable many steel plants in the Pittsburgh district, having coal mines above Brownsville to receive badly needed coal.

Schedules Are Being Made For Drafted

Schedules for the movement of the drafted men to go to Camps Lee, Meade and Sherman this month are now being prepared at the State draft headquarters and will be sent to local draft boards within forty-eight hours. The movement will start February 23, but comparatively few men will be shipped before February 25. The final movement will be February 27.

To Camp Meade will go the balance of the men on the first call; Camp Lee, thirteen per cent, leaving seven per cent of the first call yet to go, and Camp Sherman, the deferred shortages.

Special trains will be run to care for the men.

Plan to Bring German Prisoners to America

New York, Feb. 12.—Prisoners taken by United States forces in Europe are to be brought to this side of the Atlantic ocean and landed at Ellis island.

This was learned yesterday, coincident with announcement from Secretary of War Baker in Washington that the immigration station at that place can be made available for the Army and Navy. Wounded soldiers returning from the front will be landed there, pending distribution to hospitals. Discharged soldiers will be taken there for transports and held until allowed to go to their homes.

ENGLAND PLEDGES EVERY RESOURCE

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British to prosecute the war with all the vigor they possess.

The King's Speech

Following is the King's speech:

"My Lords and Gentlemen, the necessities of war render it imperative for me, after but a brief interval, to summon you again to your deliberations. The aims for which I and my allies are contending recently were set forth by my government in a statement which received the emphatic approval of my peoples throughout the empire, and provided a fair basis for settlement of the present struggle and re-establishment of national rights and international peace in the future.

"The German government has, however, ignored our just demands that it should make restitution for the wrong it has committed and furnish guarantees against their unprovoked repetition. Its spokesmen refuse any obligations for themselves, while denying rightful liberties of others. Until a recognition is offered only on principles on which an honorable peace can be concluded it is our duty to prosecute the war with all the vigor we possess."

Confidence in Forces

"I have full confidence that my forces in the field, in close co-operation with those of my faithful allies, will continue to display the same heroic courage, and my people at home the same unselfish devotion, that have already frustrated so many of the enemy's designs and will ensure the ultimate triumph of the righteous cause.

"I have summoned representatives of my dominions and my Indian empire to a further session of the imperial war cabinet in order that I may again receive their advice on questions of moment affecting the common interests of the empire.

"Gentlemen of the House of Commons, you will be asked to make suitable provisions for the requirements of the combatant services and for the stability of our national finance.

"My Lords and Gentlemen, the struggle in which we are engaged has reached a critical stage, which demands more than ever our united energies and resources. I confidently commend to your patriotism the measures which will be submitted to you and I pray that the Almighty may bestow His blessing on your labors."

Members of both houses of Parliament assembled early to-day for the opening of the eighth session of the longest Parliament in modern times—a session which is virtually certain to be the last and which will be followed by a general election upon largely extended franchise with women voting for the first time in the country's history.

King George, accompanied by the Queen and Prince of Wales, who is on leave from the Italian front, performs the opening ceremony at noon in the absence of some of the customary spectacular features. It was decided that in view of the war the peers and peeresses will not wear their gorgeous titular robes and coronets, while the naval and military members of both houses will wear the service dress instead of the flashy gold laced full dress uniform.

After the king reads his speech and their majesties have left the House of Lords an address replying to the speech will be moved in both houses. Political circles have been buzzing with various rumors, indicating severe criticism of the government which is to be expected in the debate.

Stock Exchange Closed

By Associated Press

New York, Feb. 12. — The New York stock exchange was closed today in observance of Lincoln's birthday.

Hog Island, Sold at $2,000 an Acre, Formerly Assessed For $100

Washington, Feb. 12.—Conditions at Hog Island, Philadelphia, shipyard, were denounced on the floor of both houses of Congress yesterday as a national scandal.

Officials of the American International Shipbuilding Corporation, which is doing the work, were called on to repay to the government great sums alleged to have been wasted "perhaps criminally." The directorate of this concern reads like a roster of American leading financiers.

Before the Senate commerce committee, conducting an investigation, a part owner of the tract which sold for government purposes at $2,000 an acre, admitted it had been assessed for many years at $100 an acre and that the highest price which had been paid for nearby land was $500 an acre—by the city of Philadelphia.

COLONEL ZIEGLER DIES IN CAMP

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ban dat the time of his death.

Word of the death was received here by telephone and telegraph shortly afternoon to-day. It was a shock to his many friends. He was widely known throughout the city, being a member of the Dauphin county bar and official court reporter.

Colonel Ziegler served long in the Pennsylvania National Guard. For years he was captain of Company I of the old Eighth regiment. He served at the Mexican border and was promoted to be major. He left for Camp Hancock as lieutenant Colonel of the regiment and was kept on the active list when the unit was disbanded. He was transferred to the Texas training camp for special duty shortly before the accident occurred.

Injured January 28

The fall from his horse which caused the death of Lieutenant-Colonel Ziegler occurred Monday, January 28. The fall inflicted a fracture of the skull over the lieutenant-colonel's left eye. His condition was such that his wife and daughter were summoned to his bedside. The forepart of last week his condition had improved so much that his daughter left Wednesday night, arriving in Harrisburg with the news that her father was on the road to recovery. Saturday Lieutenant-Colonel Ziegler suffered a relapse, from which he passed into death.

The accident at the training camp occurred only a few days after his departure from this city, to which he had returned to attend the funeral of his mother. He left Harrisburg for Fort Sam Houston on Wednesday, January 23, and the accident which caused his death took place the following Monday.

Born in 1873

Lieutenant-Colonel Ziegler was born August 8, 1873. His parents were Richard B. Ziegler and Sallie J. Ziegler. His mother was a Miss McReynolds. He was married October 18, 1897, to Lillian Nice Killinger. Their only child is Miss Elizabeth Shaffer, who was born July 27, 1901. Besides his wife and child, the lieutenant-colonel is survived by two sisters.

Mrs. Ziegler will leave Texas tonight for this city, bringing with her the details of the funeral arrangements. The body will be brought here for burial at once. Mrs. Ziegler has been at her husband's bedside since his condition became acute, and was present until the moment of death.

Lieutenant-Colonel Ziegler was one of the best-known lawyers in Dauphin county. He was a lifelong native of this city, and received his education here from the time he started to school until he graduated from High school in 1890. He received his practical law training in the offices of Meade D. Detweiler, and was admitted to the Dauphin county bar March 7, 1895. He remained with Mr. Detweiler until the latter's death in 1904. He has also been admitted to practice before the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania and the United States Court. After the death of Mr. Detweiler, Lieutenant-Colonel Ziegler became affiliated with John T. Brady, and they had maintained law offices together ever since.

Long Military Career

Lieutenant-Colonel Ziegler has had a long and honorable military career, embracing a period of almost twenty-two years. He is well known by all the veterans of the Spanish-American War in this city and vicinity as having been one of the best soldiers that served during that war. Although he did not leave the country, his service in training camp won recognition for him, and he was appointed to a sergeantcy and then to a first sergeantcy.

Lieutenant-Colonel Ziegler's rise in Army life has been entirely on his own merits. Enlisting as a private in 1896, his constant devotion to his duty had won him promotion from the ranks to the position of lieutenant-colonel, which he won since the outbreak of hostilities with Germany. At the Mexican border he won the commission of major, having gone to the border as a captain.

In Last War

Lieutenant-Colonel Ziegler enlisted as a private in Company D, Eighth Regiment, April 30, 1896, serving in that company until May 12, 1898. During the Spanish-American War he served in Company H, Provisional Guard Regiment, afterward made Company I, Eighth Regiment, as private until August, 1898, when he was appointed sergeant of that company. On July 21, 1899, he was promoted to first sergeant of Company I, in which capacity he served until March 9, 1900. He received his commission as second lieutenant, Company I, Eighth Regiment, January 13, 1905. Two years later, November 29, 1907, he received his commission as first lieutenant of the same company. He was first lieutenant until September 21, 1908, when he was elected captain of Company I. He was reelected September 22, 1913. While at the Mexican border, November 9, 1916, he was appointed major of the Eighth Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel Ziegler, besides being widely known in military and law circles, was also intimately connected with fraternal organizations in the city. He was a member of the Robert Burns Lodge of Masons, the Harrisburg Club, the Elks and the Phoenix Lodge of the Knights of Pythias. His name was also among those on the Honor Roll of the Hope Fire Company, with which he had been connected for some time.

AMATEURS IN VAUDEVILLE

The members of the Art Club gave an amateur vaudeville performance last evening at the home of John McCullough, 2041 North Second street. Those taking part were James Moffett, Charles Seligman and John McCullough.

THE QUININE THAT DOES NOT AFFECT HEAD

Because of its tonic and laxative effect, Laxative Bromo Quinine can be taken by anyone without causing nervousness or ringing in the head. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature is on box.

"DRY" FORCES TO MEET HERE

Prominent Men to Talk at State-Wide Rally on Thursday

On Thursday, the state convention of the Dry Federation of Pennsylvania will convene at Chestnut Street hall in anniversary of its organization. A program that takes up every minute from 9:30 until late at night promises to be the most interesting and instructive ever heard at these conferences.

One of the big features which will attract the general public is the array of speeches at night which are to be preceded by a band concert. The general topic "Patriot Politics" will be discussed by Governor Brumbaugh; Major E. Lowry Humes; J. Denny O'Neil, and W. E. Porter.

After opening prayer by Dev. Dr. Lewis S. Mudge, the morning session will start with a discussion on "Prohibition Progress," led by Rev. Harvey Klaer. With an interim for business reports the morning will conclude with an address by Clinton N. Howard, Rochester.

By way of estimating just what is to be expected from the dry forces there will be expressions from workers on "what my organization will do," participated in by Mrs. Ella M. George, Beaver Falls; Mrs. J. O. Miller, Pittsburg; Rev. B. E. P. Prugh; Rev. E. V. Claypool, Harrisburg; S. E. Gill, Pittsburg and Rev. Charles Scanlon.

Other men who will contribute to the various discussions are Lex N. Mitchell, Punxsutawney; Rev. W. Scott Nevin, Philadelphia; John H. Cole, Coatesville and Rev. John Royal Harris, Pittsburgh.

To Hold Funeral For Judge William N. Seibert, Who Dropped Dead on Thursday

Funeral services for Judge William N. Seibert, who died yesterday of heart disease in the Duncannon station, will be held Thursday morning at 11 o'clock at his late residence, in New Bloomfield, the Rev. R. Cotter Hayes, officiating. The Masonic order will be in charge of the services.

Judge Seibert was stricken while running to catch a train. He had been a sufferer from heart trouble for several years. He left his home yesterday, apparently in good health. At Duncannon, it was necessary for him to run a short distance to catch the train for Mifflintown, where he was about to hold court. The exertion brought on an attack of heart disease, which caused instant death. The body was immediately sent to New Bloomfield, where he is survived by his wife, Elizabeth Heiges Seibert, and two sons, William Sponsler Seibert, a well known barrister, and John Heiges Seibert.

The judge was 69 years old. He was a member of the bar for about fifty years, and was a Democrat, representing the dry element. He was active in politics in his district, and, in 1911, was elected as president judge, after a warm contest. He was a son of the Rev. Samuel Seibert and Eleanor Neilson Seibert. He was an active church worker, and was warmly opposed to the liquor interests. For thirty-five years he was an elder in the Presbyterian church. He was well known in Harrisburg, having spoken here a number of times, and having sat on the bench, presiding over sessions of court here. He was a forceful and eloquent speaker.

TOOK PREACHER'S HORSE

Blain, Pa., Feb. 12.—While calling at the home of M. H. Sheibley, at Alpada, the Rev. A. N. Brubaker, Reformed minister, on Sunday evening about 8 o'clock was minus his horse and sleigh when he came out to start home.

He had hitched his rig in front of the home of Mr. Sheibley and somebody took a sleighride and left the horse loose along the highway.

The horse and sleigh were discovered by a Mr. Morrison in Kennedy's Valley on Sunday night, who placed the horse in his stable. The Rev. Mr. Brubaker was notified on Monday morning by Mr. Sheibley where his horse was.

HEAVY WOMAN INJURED

Blain, Pa., Feb. 12.—Mrs. William M. Hench, of Blain, fell on the ice several days ago while walking out the back door. She is a woman of heavy build and in falling struck the pumpbed with her right shoulder, crushing the bones of the shoulder-blade.

Another Harrisburg Boy Is Pleased With Training Work in U. S. Army Camp

John W. Swartz, a former Harrisburg boy, who is now in the aviation service, tells, in an interesting letter to the Telegraph, many interesting stories of life in the aviation camps. Swartz is with Company 6, 161st Brigade. He is filled with unquenchable optimism, and his letter breathes the spirit of confidence in ultimate victory. "I have been here five weeks," writes Swartz. "The weather is rather cold, being around 10 below zero and much snow. The snow in our company streets is as high as my head. We hike through snow knee deep, so you can see we get loads of fun out of it.

"Last week we enjoyed a trip to the trenches in the eastern part of our camp," he continues. "There we saw drafted infantry-men going through trench warfare, throwing hand grenades and bayonet charging. It certainly was a treat for all of us, believe me. There are quite a few Allied officers here to instruct them.

"Our work here consists of drilling. Two hours in the morning and two in the afternoon. Guard duty comes about every fifteen days.

"Upon arriving in camp, the men are put into a fourteen days quarantine. If any illness develops in that time, by being in quarantine keeps it from spreading through the camp. If nothing develops, you are released from quarantine.

"At present everyone in our company is in the best of health. Our platoon has had the least of sickness in the whole brigade, which is excellent."

Sawmill Roof Crushed by Heavy Snow Near Blain

Blain, Pa., Feb. 12.—The roof on E. L. Ernest's steam sawmill at Sandy Hill has been crushed in by the snow and the engine and machinery considerably damaged.

J. Y. Dillman, of Sandy Hill, made three dozen of brooms on his hand machine last week.

Thirtw tons of ice have been stored by several families which was taken from G. E. Beck's mill dam at Bixler. The ice was eighteen inches thick.

Harry Trego, of North Dakota, who has been away for fifteen years, is visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. William Rhea, of Iowa, are guests of Perry county friends.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Foster Seager, of Seagertown, a boy, on Thursday night.

S. Mitchell Dromgold, of Blain, was seized with a slight stroke several days ago, but is improving and able to be about again.

Boys have been born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ricedorf, of Madison township, and Mr. and Mrs. George L. Mumper, of Jackson township.

Mrs. Elizabeth Kline, is visiting the family of John D. Grubb, in New Bloomfield.

TROLLEY CAR PUSHES AUTO UP SUBWAY GRADE

A little auto truck, of the chain drive variety, this morning did its best to hold up traffic in the Market street subway, but a Harrisburg Railways Company car refused to let it have its way. Just as the machine was going up the grade the chain jumped off and the truck stopped. It was too heavy for the driver to push up the hill, so he procured a piece of timber, and placing it between the rear end of the truck and the front end of a street car, allowed the car to push it up grade. When it reached the street again, car men pushed it from the tracks and traffic was resumed. The few minutes' holdup however, was sufficient to fill the subway with cars, wagons and automobiles.

BOYS CHARGED WITH THEFT

Harry Parker, William Parker and Joseph Walker, 15-year-old boys, were give a hearing in police court this afternoon on a charge of breaking into the Capital City Junk Shop, in South Tenth street, stealing copper and wire, which they sold to another junk dealer. The value of the junk stole was $30. Officer Dickey arrested the boys.

MRS. SUSAN THOMAS.

Funeral services for Mrs. Susan Thomas, who died Saturday evening was held at her residence, 225 North River street, this afternoon at two o'clock. The Rev. Mr. Albert J. Greene, pastor of Second Baptist Church, will officiate. Burial will be made in Lincoln cemetery.

ELLINGER IMPROVES

David H. Ellinger, of the City Board of Health, who has been seriously ill at his residence, 413 Boas street, is now greatly improved. Friends of Mr. Ellinger are pleaesed to learn of his improvement.

Dorsett Will Go on "Lecture Tour"

E. B. Dorsett, who resigned as state chief of markets a short hour after his long delayed confirmation by the State Commission of Agriculture has been secured, will remain in state service until the end of the month. Mr. Dorsett has not been paid, but is in line for payment when the troubles over right of the Governor to make appointments after rejection by the Senate is passed upon by the Supreme Court.

Mr. Dorsett is due here late to-day and will leave to-morrow for what is termed "a lecture tour." He is to speak at farmers' institutes on the co-operative work of the Bureau of Markets and other activities, including the assembling of a supply of seed of various kinds for use of farmers. There is more or less trepidation about the Capitol as to what Dorsett may do in the future as he had a wide influence among the farmers and an effort may be made to keep him in state service, if he will consent.

SEC. BAKER SUBMITS SHIPPING STATISTICS

By Associated Press

Washington, Feb. 12.—Secretary Baker to-day transmitted to the Senate Military Committee the shipping statistics upon which he based his estimates of transporting a million American soldiers to Europe this year.

The information was labeled "Highly Confidential" and will be considered in executive session of the committee as the basis for final cross-examination of Mr. Baker, probably this week and behind closed doors.

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