

### SNYDER ASKING ABOUT PRICES

Auditor General Making Some Inquiries Regarding Cost of Running Hospitals



Auditor General Snyder has been having inquiries made as to the cost of supplies for the various state institutions in order to determine how they are meeting the advanced prices for the things necessary to take care of the state's wards. The figures are being compared to see differences in prices for the same commodities.

### DRINK HOT TEA FOR A BAD COLD

Get a small package of Mamburg Breast Tea at any pharmacy. Take a tablespoonful of the Mamburg tea, put a cup of boiling water upon it, pour through a sieve and drink a teacup full at any time. It is the most effective way to break a cold and cure grip, as it opens the pores, relieving congestion. Also loosens the bowels, thus breaking a cold at once.

## The Wool Situation

is not improving. The shortage of real woolens grows constantly more acute as the demand increases.

Even those of us who know the market find it difficult to predict next season's conditions.

In our 20 years in business in Harrisburg, we have never faced like problems. However our orders were in before the shortage became serious—

We can give you real woolens at moderate prices.

Custom-Made Shirts

## A.J. Simms

22 North Fourth St.

### THE NEW 25c SIZE RADWAY'S READY RELIEF

Will give all a chance to buy the genuine rather than some inferior article. USED AS A LINIMENT

"STOPS PAIN" INSTANTLY Rub It On It Does Not Blister

For Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Sciatica, Lumbago, Sore Throat, Sore Muscles. RADWAY & CO., 206 Centre St., NEW YORK.

### DR. BULL'S COUGH SYRUP

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A plate without a roof, which does not interfere with taste or speech. \$5 ROOFLESS PLATE

Crown and Bridge Work. \$3, \$4, \$5. Come in the morning, we have your teeth made the same day. DENTAL OFFICES MACK'S 210 MARKET STREET

mands for fuel to heat and light the State Capitol, which has its own plant, the Commonwealth will soon be on the market for a couple of thousands of tons. The Capitol uses coal dredged from the Susquehanna River. It is estimated that this winter's requirements have made big inroads on it and it may not last until spring.

**Board to Meet.**—To-morrow's meeting of the State Industrial Board in Philadelphia will consider a number of requests for rulings in regard to employment of women in the State. The board will also consider some of the codes recently prepared for safety and sanitation in various lines which will be discussed. There will probably be two or three orders made during this meeting.

**Complaints Laid Aside.**—A number of minor complaints, which would involve expenditure for changes or improvements by railroads and waterways will not be considered vital are being dismissed by the Public Service Commission without prejudice, because of the war although it is stated that plans should be made and in others the direction is given to renew the complaint when times approach normal.

**Second Question Up.**—The question was raised yesterday before the Public Service Commission by Henry F. Michels Co., Philadelphia, in a complaint against the American Express Co., whether rates of freight on foodstuffs and other commodities are not considered an essential part of foodstuffs and given preference along with such materials. The complaint is being handled for ten days refused to accept such shipments and that as seeds were now important to next summer's crops should be handled promptly. The matter will be laid before the Commission Wednesday.

**Complaints Filed.**—Seven complaints were filed before the Public Service Commission, the city of Philadelphia and the city of Pottsville, attacking the Pittsburgh Railways Co., on a franchise ordinance which will be considered on February 19; John Zeigler, Lansdowne, charging that the Philadelphia Electric Suburban Gas and Electric Co. were higher than in Philadelphia and inequitable; borough of Mt. Airy, charging that the Philadelphia Electric Illuminating Co. were not properly posted; William H. Robinson, Philadelphia, declaring Philadelphia Rapid Transit service on 6th and Market street lines inadequate and Lock Haven brick companies attacking rates of New York Central railroad, the latter cases being listed for February 27.

**To Muster In.**—Henry W. Shoemaker, of Altoona, member of the Governor's staff, will muster the infantry company at Lock Haven into the Reserve Militia Thursday. It will be the first infantry company to be mustered. The first cavalry troop will be mustered at Tyrone on night.

**Opinion On Lease.**—George F. Lumb, acting superintendent of the State Police, was informed by the Attorney General's department that the act of 1917 providing for leave with pay part for dependents of state employees who enter military service, is applicable to men who have entered state service since approval of the law. Care must be exercised to see that they entered state service in good faith.

**New Rates Hit Many.**—New schedules of rates affecting thousands of consumers and in many places making material advances in water and gas charges have been filed with the Public Service Commission. The companies filing increases include Pennsylvania Lighting Co., Shamokin and vicinity; Palmyra Gas and West Easton and South Easton Water companies, Northampton county; Allegheny Valley Light Co., Allegheny and Westmoreland counties; West Penn Power Co., Fayette, Greene, Washington, Allegheny, Armstrong, Butler, Westmoreland and Indiana counties; Edison Electric Illuminating Co., Mt. Carmel and vicinity; and Butler Light, Heat and Motor Co., Butler county.

**New Notary.**—Miss Della D. Costello, Harrisburg, has been appointed a notary public.

**Must Be at Site.**—The State Commission in charge of construction of the State Institution for Inebriates has been informed by Deputy Attorney General Hargest that it must locate the institution where the site selected and can not use a building already standing at Dauphin Gap, which is available for use. The opinion was expressed because there is a chance that no buildings may be built this year. In an opinion to Norristown state hospital trustees they are informed that if an appropriation for a water plant will not build what was hoped they should construct what is possible.

**Two Seek Clemency.**—Two applications for commutation of death sentences have been filed with the State Board of Pardons. They are from Ila Obvie, Lebanon, and W. M. Dennery, alias Big Swede, Clearfield, both sentenced to electrocution. The Board will meet February 20.

**No Action Today.**—Officials of the Public Service Commission said today that as it was a holiday no mail matter was being opened and it was impossible to say whether the complaint of the city of Philadelphia had been received or not. The course of the case will be followed by the company to file an answer within ten days. There are now dozens of complaints against street railways on file at the capitol, half the big systems of the state being defendants, a situation never known before. The bulk of the complaints are over increases of fare, however.

**Due To-morrow.**—Seward E. Button, of Luzerne county, is expected here to-morrow to take the oath of office. He will give bond for \$10,000.

**Beary at Capitol.**—Adjutant General Beary went to Washington today for consultation with Army officers regarding the Reserve Militia. It is expected that the list of lieutenants needed to complete the officers will be named this week.

**Trouble All Around.**—When the smallpox patient now quarantined in Tomstown, Franklin county, is out of quarantine he will be arrested. It is charged by state health officers that he broke quarantine in the vicinity of Pittsburgh and traveled across the state.

**Holiday on the Hill.**—To-day was generally observed as a holiday on the Hill except in a few departments.

**MEETING FOR FARMERS**  
Harrisburg, Pa., Feb. 12.—A special meeting for farmers will be held at the Halifax Grange Hall in Third street this evening at 7.30 o'clock. The meeting will be addressed by H. H. Haven, of State College, and County Farm Agent H. G. Niesley.

**BIBLE CLASS TO MEET**  
New Cumberland, Pa., Feb. 12.—On Tuesday evening the ever-faithful Bible class of the Church of God Sunday school, will meet at the home of Mrs. Bruce Souder, in Fifth street.

Use McNeil's Pain Exterminator.—Ad.

## NEWS OF STEELTON

### DRIVE FOR RED CROSS MEMBERS

Steelton School Children Will Be Asked to Join Junior Organization

Every child attending school in Steelton will be asked to join the Red Cross in the drive for junior members of the local organization. There are 3,000 schoolchildren in this borough and efforts will be made by the committee of the senior organization to enlist every one. The membership fee for the new unit will be twenty-five cents. The money obtained through this source will be used to buy materials for garments which will be worked up by schoolchildren.

Mrs. W. F. Darby is chairman of the committee and will be assisted in the work by Mrs. Darby and Mrs. Lee Sutton is secretary of the committee. Members of the committee have been appointed by Mrs. Darby and are making arrangements for the campaign.

Mrs. C. A. Alden will give a demonstration on the proper use of food at the Red Cross headquarters on Friday evening. Miss Barrett, instructor of household arts in the borough schools, has been giving the demonstrations. The teacher will not give any more demonstrations until spring, officials of the Red Cross are hopeful that the drive will give the demonstrations on wheatless muffins.

### Grace U. E. Church to Unfurl Service Flag

A service flag containing fourteen stars will be unfurled with special services on Sunday morning. F. B. Wickersham will be the principal speaker. A special program with patriotic musical selections is being arranged and will be presented. Father and Son Day will also be observed at the same time. The weekly prayer meetings will be held to-morrow evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hummel, 329 Poplar street. The choir will practice at the parsonage Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Class No. 4 of the Sunday school will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Watson, 343 Lincoln street.

### MR. AND MRS. EARNEST GIVEN FAREWELL PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Earnest were entertained at their residence in Pine street Saturday evening prior to leaving for Philadelphia, where Mr. Earnest has accepted a position as chief of police of the Edgelyton city and his office in Philadelphia. The guests included Miss Edith Maurer, Miss Gertrude Bogner, Miss Caroline Barrett, Miss Estella Shoop, Mr. and Mrs. George Wally, Mrs. W. H. Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Shellenberger, Mrs. Fulmer Chapman, Mrs. A. Wright, Mrs. C. Miller, Mrs. Bordner, Mrs. Hutchinson, Mr. and Mrs. Butte, Miss Miriam Earnest, Miss Florence Shaw and William Shaw.

### DRAFT BOARD PHYSICIANS START EXAMINING MEN

Examination of seventy registrants in Class A was started by the local exemption board physicians this afternoon. This is the first call made by the board for the first-class men. Another call will be made later, members of the board say.

### W. C. T. U. MEETING

The Steelton Woman's Christian Temperance Union will be entertained by Mrs. J. O. O'Brien, 247 Hummel street, Harrisburg, to-morrow afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. A debate, the subject of which will be "Resolved, That the Primary Elections Are More Important Than the General Elections," will feature the program. The debaters will be: affirmative side—Mrs. Spahr and Mrs. Miller; negative—Mrs. M. M. Stees and Mrs. J. Conrad.

### HOLIDAY QUIETLY OBSERVED

The observation of Lincoln's birthday was nothing much out of the ordinary. The town's business houses were open and with the exception of the closing of the banks, post office and council chamber the borough activities were that of a week day.

### GIRLS! WOMEN! TAKE CASCARETS IF CONSTIPATED

They live your liver and bowels and clear your complexion.

Don't stay headachy, bilious with breath bad and stomach sour.

Get a 10-cent box now. To-night sure! Take Cascarets and enjoy the nicest, gentlest liver and bowel cleansing you ever experienced. Cascarets will live 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 any time when crows, feverish, bilious, tongue coated or constipated—they are harmless.

### For Itching Torture

There is one remedy that seldom fails to stop itching torture and relieve skin irritation and that makes the skin soft, clear and healthy. Any druggist can supply you with zemo, which generally overcomes all skin diseases. Acne, eczema, itch, pimples, rashes, blackheads in most cases give way to zemo. Frequently, minor blemishes disappear overnight. Itching usually stops instantly. Zemo is a safe, antiseptic liquid, clean, easy to use and dependable. It costs only 35c; an extra large bottle, \$1.00. It will not stain, is not greasy or sticky and is positively safe for tender, sensitive skins. (The N. W. Rose Co., Cleveland, O.)

### Mrs. Henry F. Hershey Dies in Bethlehem

Mrs. Clara Frantz Hershey, wife of the late Henry Friel Hershey, a former postmaster of Steelton, died yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Charles R. Holton, 734 West Broad street, Bethlehem, in her sixty-seventh year. She is survived by two children, Mrs. Holton and Justus V. Hershey, of Washington, D. C. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

Mrs. Hershey was one of the best-known and loved women of Steelton, where she made her home for many years and was actively interested in civic and charitable work, removing to Bethlehem last August owing to ill health. An exceptionally fine musician, Mrs. Hershey had been an organist ever since her fourteenth year and she played for fifteen years in the First Presbyterian Church of Steelton, of which she was long a member. She was also pianist and chairman of the music committee of Harrisburg Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution.

### MINISTERIAL MEETING

A meeting of the Ministerial Association of Steelton and vicinity was held in St. John's Lutheran Church yesterday. Eleven ministers were present at the session. The Rev. Warner Brown, pastor of the Mt. Zion Baptist Church, read a paper on "Pulpit Preparation." At the next session the Rev. C. B. Segelken, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, will present a paper on "The Influence of Education."

### TRANSFERRED TO BETHLEHEM

J. P. Bennett, connected with a steel concern at Peoria, Illinois, formerly assistant to the superintendent of the rolling mills of the Lehigh plant at South Bethlehem.

### MIDDLETOWN SCHOOL OBSERVES LEGAL HOLIDAY

Program Presented by the Students; Other Middletown News

Lincoln's birthday was fittingly observed by the local high school this afternoon. The following program in honor of the occasion was presented: Music, "America," "Lincoln's Birthday," Miss Grace Brestle, '18; "Lincoln's Boyhood Days," Miss Macon Myers, '18; "Lincoln as a Postmaster," Robert Lindemuth, '18; "Tribute to Lincoln," Esther McClure, '19; music octette, Misses Swartz, H. Croll, George and Baker, Messrs. Kupp, Rodfong, Witman and Zell; "Address in Independence Hall," Philadelphia, February 22, 1861," Nissley Ulrich, '19; "Lincoln's Opinion on Woman's Suffrage," Miss Louise Moore, '20; music, solo, Harriet Swartz, '19; "Lincoln's Temperance Address," John Erb, '19; "How Lincoln Applied Common Sense in Solving an International Problem," Betty Croll, '19; music, violin solo, John Witman, '18; biographical data, by thirty-five members of the freshman class; music, "Star Spangled Banner"; address at the Dedication of National Cemetery, Truman Rodfong, '18; "Assassination of the President," Edward Yost, '19; "Lincoln's Wise and Homely Sayings, Concerning Human Life," by eighteen members of sophomore class, music, "National Glory," Henrietta Wickley, '18; piano duet, Miss Weaver, and Miss Wickley, '18; "Their Fellow Travelers," John Houser, '18; cycle editress, Sarah Croll.

The school board met in regular session last evening, with Vice-President N. C. Fuhrman presiding. The Board granted permission to start a Junior Red Cross Chapter and the subject will be brought up at the teachers' meeting to-morrow afternoon. Prof. J. L. Brehm, assistant superintendent of the Harrisburg schools, will make an address on the work. Miss Edna Schaeffer and Miss Alice Baer, two of the teachers, are off duty on account of illness and are being substituted for by Miss William Jarrett and Mrs. William Hill. Mrs. Viola D. Butcher, who is at present teaching at Fisherville, was elected as teacher in place of Miss Grace Keefer, who was given leave of absence for the balance of the term. Charles Houser was elected a trustee officer for a month.

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police; F. E. Bowman and W. F. Keever were appointed auditors; 1249 House for John Stover and J. S. Brandt, of the Rescue Hose Company were sworn in as fire patrolmen. H. E. Deimler, one of the new councilmen was sworn in. George Thomas, the new fire chief and Clarence Weirich, first assistant, and J. W. Peters, second assistant were confirmed by the council.

The opening of an alley between Spring and Water streets, and Water and Main streets, was placed in the hands of the highway committee. The assignment of coal for the Rescue Hose Company was placed in the hands of the supply committee. The tax rate was fixed at 8 mills. The highway committee was authorized to fix and change rate of pay from time to time on labor, teams and costs.

The finance committee gave council a prepared budget for 1918, as follows: \$1,960 for year's salaries, \$1,000 for protection, \$350 for highway, \$400 board of health, \$1,500 sinking fund, \$100 printing and advertising, \$300 for supplies, \$200 for maintenance of special police. The council adopted the budget.

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dred Parthenore, Parnelia Rose, Hazel Houser, Romaine Klingner, Pearl Shaeffer, Edith Sohn, Marlin Brinsler and Francis Douglas. The Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the U. B. Church will meet at the home of Mrs. David Gingrich, Pine street, this evening.

Mrs. Robert Holstein, who has been a patient at the Polyclinic Hospital for the past three weeks, was brought home yesterday. The Rev. I. H. Albright, pastor of the U. B. Church, united in marriage at the parsonage, Sunday morning, J. L. Shively and Miss Muriel Forn-bush, both of town. They were united. They will reside at the home of the bridegroom's parents.

**ST. JOHN'S LENTEN SERVICES**  
Shrewstown, Pa., Feb. 12.—The Lenten season will be opened Wednesday evening at 7.30 o'clock with services in Keller Memorial Church. The pastor will preach upon the significance of Lent and the Holy Communion will be administered. The services will be held in the main auditorium of the church building.

### LIKE ELECTRIC BUTTON ON TOES

Tells why a corn is so painful and says cutting makes them grow.

Press an electric button and you form a contact with a live wire which rings the bell. When your shoes press against your corn it pushes its sharp roots down upon a sensitive nerve and you get a shock of pain.

Instead of trimming your corns, which merely make them grow, just step into any drug store and ask for a quarter of an ounce of freezone. This will cost very little but is sufficient to remove every hard or soft corn or callus from one's feet. A few drops applied directly upon a tender, aching corn stops the soreness instantly, and soon the corn shrivels up so it lifts right out root and all, without pain. This drug never inflames or even irritates the surrounding tissue or skin.

### "I FEEL AS STRONG AS A HORSE" SAYS UPJOHN

P. R. R. Brakeman Tells How He Got His Health and Strength Back

### INDIGESTION HIS TROUBLE

"I had indigestion so bad that it had put my whole system on the bum," says William Upjohn, of Steelton, Pa., a P. R. R. brakeman. "I couldn't seem to eat anything that would agree with me for no matter what it was my food would just lie like a red hot lump in my stomach and the gas would form faster than I could belch it up. "Tanlac fixed me up in a great way; my stomach got stronger and now I can eat anything without suffering afterwards and I feel strong as a horse. "Tanlac is sure great stuff for stomach trouble." Tanlac is now being introduced here at Gorgas' Drug Store. Tanlac is also sold at the Gorgas Drug Store in the P. R. R. Station; in Carlisle at W. G. Stephens' Pharmacy; Elizabethtown, Albert W. Cain; Greencastle, Charles B. Carl; Middletown, Collin S. Few's Pharmacy; Waynesboro, Clarence Croft's Pharmacy; Mechanicsburg, H. P. Brunhouse.—Adv.

### SUFFERED WITH LIVER TROUBLE

Had Heartburn --- Had Headaches

says Mrs. R. Palmer, 114 Chestnut street, Harrisburg, for a long time I was bothered with liver, stomach and intestinal trouble, was very nervous, suffered with heartburn and had severe headaches. I simply had no strength and in the morning felt as tired out. I never had any faith in patent medicines, but Sanpan has shown me there are some good patent medicines, as it completely restored me to life again. Sanpan is being introduced at Keller's Drug Store, 405 Market street, Harrisburg.—adv.

### "The Live Store"



## Lincoln's Birthday

IN TIMES like these, when Patriotism issues its highest call; when the great lives of the nation's patriots are commemorated; when the spirits of men leap within them, and flame with the fire of patriotic sacrifice as they read the heroic story of brave deeds on land, in the air, on the sea; in times like these we who stay at home cannot help wishing that we could do "something like that;" render to the common cause some great service.

# Confidence===

The reason this Live Store has been successful is because "the people" believe in us and have unshaken confidence in us---our continued growth is concrete evidence that square-dealing and honest representation are factors in building a business.

Our business has become enormous because YOU and YOUR friends have favored Doutrichs with your loyal patronage. We are endeavoring constantly to please you and now in the midst of high prices we are rendering a further service to you by following our usual custom in holding our Semi-annual

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Where Everything in Our Entire Stock Is Reduced (Except Collars, Overalls and Interwoven Hose)

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