

LANCASTER'S CENTENNIAL

City Will Celebrate Anniversary With Patriotic Meeting on Wednesday

Lancaster, Pa., March 18.—Residents of Lancaster, young and old, are making preparations for a worthy celebration of the one hundredth anniversary of the incorporation of the borough into a city, which will take place on Wednesday evening, March 20.

City officials and those directing the arrangements decided to alter the original plans because of the prohibition of the war, and to compress into the short space of a single evening exercises that were at first intended to spread throughout a week or more during midsummer and to include elaborate parades and pageants. The affair will be held in Fulton Opera House and will be open to the public.

Governor Brumbaugh has accepted an invitation to speak. Judge Charles I. Landis, president of the Lancaster Historical Society, will preside, and the historical address will be delivered by Richard M. Reilly, president of the Chamber of Commerce. Through the efforts of T. Robert Appel a selected chorus of several hundred voices has been assembled, and they will be led by Professor H. S. Kirkland in the singing of patriotic songs.

Lancaster city came into existence a few years ago after the borough had served for thirteen years as the capital of the state. John Cassmore, a Quaker, attorney distinguished among other things, for his weight of nearly 300 pounds, was appointed by Governor Snyder as the first mayor, and many notables have occupied the chair in the century that has since elapsed, down to the present incumbent, Harry L. Trout.

OFFICER WYNN MAKES ARREST—Patrolman Wynn of the borough police force on Saturday evening arrested Herbert Dennis and William Payne, charged with being drunk and disorderly. They were given a hearing by the burgess to-day.

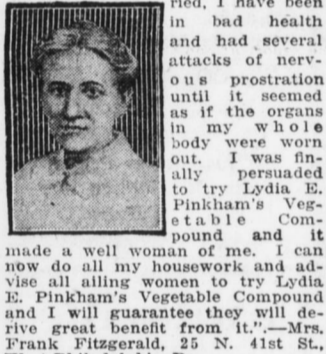
SHOOT MORE DOGS—Special Officer George Allen on Saturday shot thirteen unlicensed dogs, making a total of thirty-six since February 1.

GOES TO BALTIMORE—Lewis T. Jacob, 555 North Second street, left for Baltimore to-day where he will spend several days.

NERVOUS PROSTRATION

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West Philadelphia, Pa.—"During the thirty years I have been married, I have been in bad health and had several attacks of nervous prostration until it seemed as if the organs in my whole body were worn out. I was finally persuaded to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it made a well woman of me. I can now do all my housework and advise all ailing women to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I will guarantee they will receive great benefit from it."—Mrs. Frank Fitzgerald, 25 N. 41st St., West Philadelphia, Pa.



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STEELTON BOYS ARRESTED FOR GAMBLING

Police Raid Woods and Find Negroes Engaged in "Crap" Game

Chief of Police Grove, Sergeant Hand and Patrolman Bowermaster yesterday afternoon arrested five colored boys whose ages range from twelve to seventeen years while they were engaged in a "crap" game in a woods within the borough limits in the vicinity of Harrisburg and Pine streets.

The department has had knowledge of this weekly game and on several occasions men have been detailed to raid the woods, but when they arrived no gamblers were to be found. Several weeks ago the department reported the arrest of two men out of six who were gambling in this section.

One of the boys engaged in gambling was reported to the police yesterday. The chief at once summoned two men and went to the woods. Chief Grove believed the gamblers to be men but found they were boys. They did not resist the officers and were taken to the lock-up.

The boys and their ages are: Foster Murray, 17; Ethaniel Williams, 17; Fred Fisher, 12; Nevan Fisher, 14 and John Brooks, 12. They will be given a hearing by Burgess McEntee this evening.

Police, according to Chief Grove, are making efforts to break up gambling on the streets in the West Side. Department officials are aware of the fact that gambling is a common occurrence at the corner of Myers and Franklin streets, but are unable to get the goods on the negroes. Several arrests have been made in this vicinity, but this does not seem to affect those engaged in the game. The gamblers station themselves on the corner and are able to see for several squares, the chief says. When a stranger man or an officer makes his appearance in this territory, the gambling ceases at once, and the officers are unable to locate the "gull" parties.

Council Will Make Usual Playground Appropriation

Reports that council would not make the usual appropriation for conducting the borough playgrounds this summer that has gained wide circulation through the borough is false according to T. J. Neilly, president of council and chairman of the finance committee. Mr. Neilly said this morning that \$1,000 will be given to the commission this year as has been the custom heretofore. The official said that council would ask commission members to refrain in expense wherever they saw fit. Businessmen and residents were free with their accusations this morning on such a move of council to refuse the commission the allowance. How the report got its circulation Mr. Neilly said he did not know. He said it was not true and the residents should not be alarmed.

Bethlehem Steel Officials Meet at Local Plant Today

Representatives of the plant of the Bethlehem Steel Company members of the Metallurgical Treating and Testing Committee, met at the local steel plant offices to-day for the purpose of discussing the work of the various plants and talking over the suggestions of the committee-men. All the plants of the company are represented by ten officials at the session, which was called at 9 o'clock. R. F. Bird, of Bethlehem, is chairman of the body. H. B. Bern, of the local plant is a member of the committee.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH

There will be services every evening of this week in St. John's Lutheran Church, the Rev. George N. Lauffer, pastor. At 7:45, Monday evening the pastor will preach on "God's Plan in the Life." Tuesday evening the Rev. M. E. Shafer, pastor of the Church of the Redeemer, Harrisburg, will preach; Wednesday the pastor will have charge of the services; Thursday the sermon will be preached by the Rev. E. E. Snyder, pastor of St. Matthew's Church, Harrisburg; Friday the theme of the pastor will be "Following the Way." Saturday at 2:30 the sixth Lenten service for women will be conducted by Mrs. George N. Lauffer. Her subject will be "At the Foot of the Cross." Wednesday evening at 7:30 the choir of St. John's will render the cantata, "Resurrexit," on Palm Sunday evening at 7:30.

LOYSVILLE BAND CONCERT

Announcement was made to-day that the annual concert of the Loysville Orphans' Home Band in the borough will be given on May 9 in the high school auditorium. The orchestra is composed of thirty pieces.

CHILD DIES

Helen Krasovic, eleven-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Steven Krasovic, 519 South Front street, died this morning.

RETURNS FROM VISIT

Mrs. Clara Thompson, South Second street, returned from Butler where she visited her sister.

ASSOCIATED CHARITIES

The monthly meeting of the executive committee of the Associated Charities will be held in the home school in Walnut street this evening at 8 o'clock.

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You can clear your head and relieve a dull, splitting or violent throbbing headache in a moment with a Dr. James' Headache Powder. This old-time headache relief acts almost magically. Send one to the drug store now for a dime package and a few moments after you take a powder you will wonder what became of the headache, neuralgia and pain. Stop suffering—it's needless. Be sure you get what you need for.—Advertisement

FINE ENTRANCE. A PARK FEATURE

Plans Will Be Submitted to the State Board Within a Short Time by Brunner



Plans for a great formal entrance to the State Capitol park, immediately in front of the building and replacing the present flight of steps and utilizing ground now occupied by foundations and flower beds, are to be submitted to the Board of Public Grounds and Buildings, within a short time, as part of the plans for the improvement of the park and the extension. The idea is to make the entrance of the same granite construction as the Capitol and to make it specially adapted for inaugurations and ceremonies. The present steps are of brownstone and ill adapted for formal occasions.

The plans will be made by Arnold W. Brunner, who laid out civic centers in Cleveland and Denver, and will be part of the general improvement. The next Legislature will be asked to make the appropriation. In addition to the entrance, the plaza in front of the Capitol, will be increased one half, while the drive-ways will be entirely changed. The city of Harrisburg will co-operate through ordinances making building and highway regulations for streets fronting the park.

Depends on Ground—If ground dries out in lower Lancaster, Chester and York counties, it is expected that the first of the tractors bought by the State Defense Commission, to assist in spring plowing will be put to work this week. Ground conditions prevented a start last week, and the time is being utilized to perfect training of operatives. The bulk of the applications received have been from the southeastern farming counties.

Dog Law Rules—State Agricultural authorities are getting together rulings and decisions by the Attorney General's Department on the dog license code, which up-to-date has caused more inquiries than any similar piece of legislation in the last three years. Ground conditions prevented a start last week, and the time is being utilized to perfect training of operatives. The bulk of the applications received have been from the southeastern farming counties.

Thousands in Bonds—A series of certificates of notification covering issues of many thousands of dollars worth of securities by traction companies of the state, is announced by the Public Service Commission. The issues are: Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co., bonds, \$238,000; Trenton, Bristol and Philadelphia Street Railway Co., bonds, \$5,000; Citizens Traction Co., Oil City, \$74,000; York Railways Co., bonds, \$57,000; Germantown Steam Co., Philadelphia, bonds, \$10,000; Philadelphia Co., Pittsburgh, bonds, \$207,000; Metropolitan Edison Co., Reading, bonds, \$525,000.

To Finish Code—Pennsylvania's new state code to govern the operation of locomotives and cars within industrial works, is to be put into effect this spring, a committee being now at work drafting a series of rules which experience has shown can be adopted with little trouble. Practically all of the big iron and steel establishments are represented on the committee in charge of the code. The new code governing cranes is now in effect.

One Dismissed—Harry W. Honan, of Chester, a personal friend of Senator William C. Sprull, has been dismissed as a deputy factory inspector on charges of "disloyalty." At the Department of Labor and Industry it was stated to-day that he had been dismissed "at the request of the administration after charges of disloyalty had been made." Honan was raised a grade in December, but got into trouble, it is said, because he refused to pass an O'Neil petition.

To Investigate—State fire marshals will make an inquiry into the fire at Johnstown. The state lost the office of the State Insurance Fund in one of the burned buildings.

Big Increase—The largest notice of increase of stock to be filed in the long time came to-day from the McKeesport Tin Plate Co., of McKeesport, which raised its stock from \$3,000,000 to \$10,000,000.

Muster Dates—Adjutant General Beary to-day announced these dates for muster in of First regiment units: Company I, Norristown, March 20; Company K, Pottstown, March 21; Company F, Philadelphia, March 22, and Company E, Philadelphia, March 23. The latter will be located in the armory at Forty-first and Mantua.

Harry Assumes Place—Herbert D. Harry, formerly commission clerk in the Governor's department, to-day assumed his duties as a clerk in the State Treasury.

Ryan Retires.—Commissioner M. J. Ryan has retired as the president of the famous society of the Friendly Sons of St. Patrick. He ended his official duties on Saturday at the annual dinner and was felicitated upon his administration of its affairs.

Mr. Reynolds Here.—Ex-Lieutenant Governor John M. Reynolds, of Bedford, was here on his way home to Bedford from Lancaster, where he attended the funeral of his sisters.

Governor to Speak.—Governor Brumbaugh will speak at the dedication of the Snyder tablet at Selinsgrove next month.

Thomas Appointed.—Ira T. Thomas of Phillipsburg, has been appointed a state mine inspector. He is a son of the first man appointed inspector in that district.

Berks Ready.—Berks county authorities have given notice that they will unite with the State Highway Department in the reconstruction of parts of the William Penn Highway, formerly the Berks and Dauphin turnpike.

No Decision To-day.—It is improbable that any action will be taken on the complaints heard by Public Service Commissioners in Philadelphia last week against Philadelphia Rapid Transit service when the commission holds its executive session to-night. The commission is hearing arguments to-day and to-night will clear up executive business. The commission will await transcribing of testimony and then assign a commission to make a study and report.

DIES OF DRUG OVERDOSE—A drug user, who took a few grains too much of morphine, W. I. Thomas, colored, died yesterday at the hospital without regaining consciousness, from the effects of the overdose. He lived at 219 River street.

MIDDLETOWN REPORTS OF WAR SAVING WORK

Committees Meet in Council Chamber and Reorganize

The captains of the war savings stamps met in the council chamber. The purpose of the meeting was to perfect a new organization. John W. Few was elected vice-president, and Miss Annie Eby, secretary. The executive committee was named and are: Charles Hickernell, G. K. Rife, Charles Rarich, H. M. Hess, LeRoy Beck and George Myers. Miss Agnes Markley, Miss Margaret Smith, Miss Ruth Concklin, Miss Ivy Hoffman, Miss Edna Kurtz and Mrs. J. C. Covan.

The captains present named the following as their lieutenants: First ward, First precinct, captain, Mrs. J. O. Covan; lieutenants, Miss Mary Wise, Mrs. George Mansberger, Mrs. Boyd Bishop, Mrs. Ernest Rowe and Mrs. Amos Hutzberger.

First ward, Second precinct, captain, Clarence Hickernell, resigned as captain. Captain, Miss Edna Kurtz, Lieutenants, Miss Sarah Davis, Miss Irene Churchman, Miss Blanche Churchman, Mrs. A. C. Kehr Mrs. Abram Hoffman and Mrs. Geo. Cain. First ward, Second precinct, captain, G. K. Rife. No report.

Second ward, First precinct, captain, Charles Rarich. Lieutenants, John Godd, John Berckstesser, Edgar Detweiler, H. E. Derrick, W. J. Kinard and Edgar Nuskey. Second ward, First precinct, captain, Miss Ruth Concklin. Lieutenants, Miss Maude Schaeffer, Miss Kathryn Ray-

mond, Miss Romaine Kinnard, Miss Erma Breneman, Miss Harvey Dillman and Mrs. C. W. Boose. Second ward, Second precinct, captain, Miss Ruth Concklin. Second ward, Second precinct, captain, H. M. Hess.

Third ward, First precinct, captain, Miss Margaret Smith. Lieutenants, Miss Clara Beck, Miss Carrie Hoffman, Mrs. Maude Bowman, Mrs. Harry Smith, Mrs. O. M. Swartz and Mrs. Fred Haester. Third ward, First precinct, captain, LeRoy Beck. Lieutenants, Neal Bowman, Samuel Michener, John Zell, William Arnold, Dr. Olive Swartz and Dr. E. P. Witman.

Third ward, Second precinct, captain, Miss Agnes Markley. Lieutenants, Miss Mary Smith, Miss Fannie Hatz, Mrs. Harriet Keever, and William Hill, Mrs. A. B. Belt and Mrs. George Daily, Jr. Third ward, Second precinct, captain, George Myers. Lieutenants, Earl Fishburn, W. J. Roop, Charles Ackerman, Walter Detweiler, Harry Smith and Grover Hoffman. H. E. Moore who is captain of the secret societies reported the sale of 123 Baby Bonds.

A birthday surprise party was held at the home of Dr. and Mrs. H. W. George on Saturday afternoon in honor of their daughter, Helen's, twelfth birthday. The rooms were decorated in green and was a St. Patrick's Day party. The members of the Sunshine Club, of which Miss George is a member presented their hostess with a beautiful bouquet of flowers. Miss Anna Barker, of Newville, Pa., was the guest of honor. Those present were Mary Shireman, Helen R. King, Elizabeth Rehner, Pearl Rehner, Helen Coble, Kathryn McKinley, Kathryn Weidner, Kathryn Bossler, Hester Cunningham, Mary George, Josephine Farhemore, Edith Baxtresser. Games of various kinds were played, after which refreshments were served.

Mrs. John Condran, of State and Catherine streets, was given a birthday surprise party in honor of her thirty-sixth birthday. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. John Condran, Anville; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moore and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Condran and children, Mr. Charles Flury, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Flury, Mrs. John Houser and children, Mrs. Levi Heary

and son William, Mrs. Margaret McManus and daughter Margaret, Clyde Brandt, Ira Shott and Mr. and Mrs. John Condran and family.

The Junior League of the Methodist Episcopal Church will give an entertainment in the Sunday school room next Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Porter Campbell, foreman in the trunk and axle department of the local car plant, was severely burned about the body when he fell asleep while smoking a cigaret. He became frightened and ran out of the office, with his clothing in a seeing Mr. Campbell, grabbed him and threw him to the ground, and in this way extinguished the flames. He was removed to his home in Nissley street.

Paul Smith, aged 17, died at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Smith, West Water street, Saturday morning at 7:30. Funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home.

The funeral of George A. Davis was held Sunday afternoon from the home of his sister, Mrs. Anna Kinsey, West High street. The Rev. T. McCarrill, pastor of the Presbyterian church, officiated. The pallbearers were William Hill, John Reese, Charles Geiswhite and Jacob Myers. Burial was made in the Middletown Cemetery.

A special meeting of the borough council will be held in the council chamber in North Catherine street this evening. The matter of closing the streets and opening up Union alley between Spring and Catherine streets will be taken up.

Mrs. Joseph Mason, of Paulsboro, N. J. is visiting relatives in town. Miss Verona Keiper, East Main street, is spending the week at Philadelphia where she will be the guest of Miss Goldie Keifer, who is a student at the Beechwood Seminary.

Sergeant Harry Jacoby, of Princeton, N. J., who spent several days in town with his wife at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Scholl, East Emans street, returned to his camp to-day.

Millard Houser, of Camp Meade, Md., spent Sunday in town with his sister, Mrs. John Inley, Ann street. Mrs. Myers has returned home from Philadelphia.

Earl Evans, of Camp Meade, Md., spent Sunday in town with friends. Miss Ray Post, a nurse in the Carlisle Hospital, spent Sunday in town as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Post, South Union street.

Mrs. A. A. Markley and daughter, Miss Sara Markley, have returned home from a several days' visit to relatives at Philadelphia.

Earnest Rowe, machinist on the battleship Arkansas, visited his wife over Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Souders, South Wood street.

Howard Myers has returned home from a two weeks' trip to Sparrows Point, Md., where he had been working in the interest of the Semet-Solvay Company.

Miss Mildred Etter entertained at her home, 219 Pine street, Saturday evening, at a St. Patrick's party. As the guests entered the hall they were greeted with the strains of the "River Shannon," played by Miss Etter, who was dressed in the costume of an Irish maid. After the greeting each guest was presented with a shamrock and pipe by two little cousins of the hostess, Edith Creep and King O. Gish, who were dressed as an Irish boy and girl. The house was decorated with shamrocks and plants in an artistic and unique manner. The evening was spent in playing games and contests, prizes being given to Miss Edna Schaeffer and Floyd Harvey, the name of conundrums. Miss Pearl King and Russell Workman were awarded prizes for "putting pigs in the pen."

Another feature of the evening was blowing soap bubbles. At the close of the evening's enjoyment the guests were taken to another room. The light was turned off, a screen was drawn aside and the Blarney stone was presented to view. As each guest kissed the stone by candlelight and made a wish they were presented with a souvenir. Those present were: Misses Marian Hatz, Marty Loltz, Maude Schaeffer, Pearl

King, Ella Carmany, Edna Schaeffer, Mrs. Charles Ackerman, Edythe Creep, Sarah Stars, Mrs. Ella Starr, Mrs. David King, Mrs. H. B. Etter, Charles Ackerman, Edigar Eby, Owen Groenawalt, Charles Ackerman, Jr., King O. Gish, H. B. Etter, town; Harvey Erhart, Elizabeth-town; Lloyd Harvey, Russell Workman and John Harvel, Highspire.

ARM BROKEN IN FALL—Mrs. Samuel Sheaffer, 918 Dunkel street, is in the Harrisburg Hospital with a broken arm. She fell last evening in Brookwood street.

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