

ALL NEWS OF THE RAILROADS

ELECTRIC TRAIN HAS TRIAL TRIP Pennsylv Officials See Successful Test on Chestnut Hill Branch

ONE BIG NIGHT NEXT THURSDAY Amos Shultz Will be on Program; Also John D. Long

CAPTAIN DICK A MILITARY MAN Veteran Dies at His Home in This City; Long in Railroad Service

Philadelphia, March 23.—Electric train service from Chestnut Hill passed out of the realm of theory yesterday, when the Pennsylvania Railroad sent a test train over the new line...

The test went off without a hitch. The train was composed of three coaches. Promptly at 2.30 o'clock yesterday afternoon the train left the Broad Street Station and bowed up and down the twelve-mile stretch between the city and Chestnut Hill terminus...

Funeral services for Captain John L. Dick, aged 95, will be held from his residence, 116 Mulberry street, Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the Rev. S. Winfield Herman, pastor of the Zion Lutheran Church, officiating. Burial will be made in the Harrisburg Cemetery.

Work Started Three Years Ago The Chestnut Hill electrification has been under way since the fall of 1915. The total cost was approximately \$1,500,000, compared with \$1,200,000, the original estimate...

One big night is promised members of the Friendship and Co-operative Club for Railroad Men. The date is Thursday, March 28, the place is Eagle's hall, Sixth and Cumberland streets.

Amos Shultz, who started his career as a railroad employe, but left the service to become a vaudeville entertainer, is also on the program. Now Amos, who first appeared as a blackface comedian with a local minstrel aggregation, made up of railroaders, has never lost his identity with his friends here.

Plans Complete For Big Patriotic Meeting Sunday Announcement was made today that many railroad men from out of the city would be here to-morrow for the patriotic rally...

Recruiting Jewish Units to Fight For England in Palestine Campaign London, March 23.—Announcement by the government that the Jewish Regiment being recruited by the British Army will fight in Palestine is considered as a visible evidence of the determination of the government to restore the Jews to Palestine.

Reception For New Pastor of Lutheran Church Lemoyne, Pa., March 23.—A reception in honor of the Rev. L. A. Bush, who was last Sunday installed as pastor of the local Trinity Lutheran church, was held in the church on Thursday evening.

German Officers in Finland Order All Red Guards to Be Hanged London, Thursday, March 21.—German officers operating in Finland and the Ukraine have ordered the soldiers to take no prisoners, but to hang all Red Guards who are not only bandits, German newspapers report.

Miss Bertha E. Stambaugh Bride of N. W. Danner New Cumberland, Pa., March 23.—Newlyweds of New Cumberland, Pa., and Miss Bertha Elizabeth Stambaugh, of Harrisburg, were married on Wednesday at Trinity United Brethren church...

Lewistown Soldier Who Married Lewistown Girl Theodore C. Hirakes Lewistown, Pa., March 23.—Theodore C. Hirakes, in the United States Army service at Camp Wadsworth, Spartan, N. C., recently spent a furlough with his bride of a few months here.

Contractor and Former School Director Dies Funeral services for Millard F. Saul, well-known contractor, will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from his home, 1518 1/2 North Fourth street...

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Miss Myrtle M. Hart Miss Myrtle M. Hart, who died last evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Job D. Hart, 1263 Perry street, Harrisburg, will be buried at her late residence, the Rev. Homer S. Rupp, pastor of the Fourth Reformed Church, officiating.

Dickinson Professor to Speak at the Y. M. C. A. Prof. Leon C. Prince, professor of history and international law at Dickinson College, will address the men's mass meeting in Fahnstock Hall to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

FALL BACK TO STRONG POSITIONS

[Continued from First Page.] vital factor in any general engagement which the western front fighting should develop. Battle Progresses The battle is still in progress along the British front, with the Germans continuing to throw fresh forces into the struggle. It is estimated fifty German divisions already are involved, with probably 25 or more additional divisions in close reserve.

ARCHBISHOP OF YORK WELCOMED [Continued from First Page.] should have been selected as one of the twelve big cities of America in which the Prime of England would appear.

WEST SHORE NEWS Personal and Social Items of Towns Along West Shore Mrs. Beaverson, of Middletown, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Marion Sweeney, at New Cumberland.

Plags of Two Nations About 100 guests had been invited by Bishop Arlington to meet the English dignitaries at a banquet following in the chapel took place before starting for the Capitol. Just as the party was about to start, the delegations came from Front street from West Chester and York, lavishly decked out with the white of York and the red of Lancaster, vividly recalling the ancient days and traditions of the Wars of the Roses.

British Army Headquarters in France (Friday), March 22.—British troops have fallen back to positions in the west. The intense artillery bombardment in the Verdun and Meuse regions has continued. Along the Chemin Des Dames and in the Champagne the German guns have been firing violently, but three German tanks in the Champagne region were repulsed by the French.

Use Much Gas Before they attacked to-day on the Canal du Nord and Croisilles on the northern battlefield, the Germans for four hours smothered the British with every conceivable form of hate which a gun could throw. The gas depended chiefly upon large numbers of trench mortars to cut the wire entanglements. The British had been warned that the Germans would use large numbers of gas shells. This proved to be true, although there was nothing new in the use of gas and the British masks appear to have been most effective.

Upper School Teachers Assist Local Draft Boards Elizabethville, Pa., March 23.—Several automobile loads of Millersburg public school teachers spent Tuesday evening here assisting the local draft board to compile records.

250 WORKMEN ARE VACCINATED

Case of Smallpox at York Haven Causes Precaution at Mount Wolf

EASTER IN CHURCHES Special Services and Musical Programs Arranged For Coming Week

Mount Wolf, March 23.—As a result of the proximity of this borough to that of York Haven, where a case of smallpox has been discovered, the 250 employes of the American Wire Fabrics company have been vaccinated. A number of residents from here are employed at the York Haven Paper Mill, and a number of persons from the vicinity are employed in Mount Wolf industrial plants.

PRAISE GIVEN TO GETTYSBURG

Lincoln Highway Association Sends Letter to Congressman Beales

Men of Army Truck Trains Given Lunch by Gettysburg Red Cross Women

Gettysburg, Pa., March 23.—State Senator Beales received a letter from the Lincoln Highway Association complimenting the town on the fine showing it made when an appeal was made for forty sustaining members from this town. The letter states that no town or city along the route secured its quota in so short a time as did this place, the forty names, with some extra being secured in about two hours time.

HOMEPOLICE IN NEW UNIFORMS

Mechanicsburg Defense Unit Attends Big Patriotic Mass Meeting in Body

WOMAN'S CLUB PROGRAM Officials of United American Mechanics to Attend Important Council Meeting

Mechanicsburg, Pa., March 23.—Members of the Home Defense Police Mechanics Unit, turned out in a body at the patriotic mass meeting in the First United Brethren church on Wednesday evening. They looked neat in their new uniforms. Of special interest was the meeting of the Women's Club last evening at the home of Mrs. R. Byron Schlegel in East Main street.

Thompstown Talent in "Tom Thumb Wedding"

Thompstown, Pa., March 23.—A home talent entertainment will be given by the two scholars of the borough in the high school auditorium this evening. Included in the program will be a "Tom Thumb Wedding," by the primary school.

Mount Joy Musician Buys Violin 100 Years Old

Mount Joy, Pa., March 23.—Ralph Eschleman, an expert violinist, of Mount Joy, recently purchased one of the oldest violins in the section of the past century, 100 years old, and was owned until recently by the late J. E. Hoffer. It is a Strad make, manufactured in Germany, and possesses great tonal qualities.

Twenty-fifth Anniversary of Pastor of Carlisle Church

THE REV. DR. A. N. HAGERTY Carlisle, Pa., March 23.—A feature of recent observance in Carlisle was the celebration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the pastorate of Rev. Dr. A. N. Hagerty, head of the historic First Presbyterian church. A number of former members of the congregation and others were here for the occasion.

Reception to Oldest Member of Tower City U. E. Church

Tower City, Pa., March 23.—The evening Aid Society of the United Brethren Church will tender Mrs. Sarah Krebs a surprise party in honor of her eightieth birthday. She is the oldest member of the United Evangelical Church and is still an active member.

Daughters of Liberty Will Celebrate Anniversary

Duncannon, Pa., March 23.—Duncannon Council, Daughters of Liberty, will celebrate its fourteenth anniversary by giving a banquet to the members in the Knights of Pythias hall. Mrs. William Wills and daughter, Miss Annie Wills were week-end visitors at Philadelphia.

Expert Motor Truck Driver Enlists in Aviation Corps

JOHN BURKHOLDER Hummelstown, Pa., March 23.—John Burkholder, son of Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Burkholder, recently left for San Antonio, Texas, where he will enter the special service of the United States Army as a motor driver for the Aviation Corps.