

CANDIDATES ON THE FINAL LAPS

Sproul, O'Neil, Guffey and Bonniwell Will Speak During the Present Week

The primary election for the nomination of state, Congressional and Legislative tickets will be held one week from to-morrow and the aspirants for state nominations will all be making speeches this week...

Senator Sproul, who has been gaining rapidly and for whom most of the Philadelphia city leaders have declared, is spending to-day in the Philadelphia district and will be in Lebanon to-morrow, coming to this city on his way to Adams county on Tuesday.

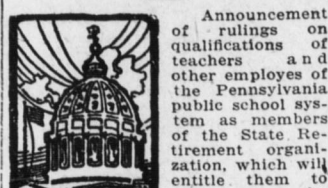
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STATE SYSTEMS NOW DEFINED

Teachers' Retirement Law Has Been Construed by the Attorney General's Office



Announcement of rulings on qualifications of teachers and other employees of the Pennsylvania public school system as members of the State Retirement organization, which will be made by the Attorney General's Office.

Under the terms of the rulings, application blanks have been sent to the thousands of teachers and other employees who were employed for the first time since July 18, 1917, are termed "new entrants" becoming members of the retirement association without making formal application, but those employed prior to July 18, 1917, are termed "present members" and must make application for membership before July 1, 1919, in order to be eligible to receive a retirement allowance.

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STEELTON NEWS ITEMS

PLAN SERIES OF 'DRY' MEETINGS

Church Federation to Complete Arrangements For House-to-House Drive

A series of meetings for the purpose of enlisting the support of voters of this district to elect "dry" candidates at the primaries has been arranged by the Church Federation of Steelton. Plans for a house-to-house canvass to be made by local church members will be completed at a meeting to be held in the First Reformed Church on Wednesday evening. H. B. Saussaman, of Harrisburg, will speak on "Are Church Members 'Fourflushers'?"

Thirteen Men Will Go to Columbus Barracks

Thirteen men will be sent to Columbus Barracks to-morrow evening as part of the quota of this district.

The men reported this morning for preliminary instructions and have been ordered to report at the office of the local board to-morrow evening at 6.30 o'clock prior to leaving for camp. Among the men to go to-morrow are Paul D. Miller, a member of the local high school faculty, and Clarence E. Gibb, son of Constable John Gibb.

Jiras-Haag Wedding in First Reformed Church

A pretty wedding was solemnized in the First Reformed Church, the Rev. H. H. Rupp, pastor, yesterday morning when Edgar W. Jiras and Elizabeth Haag, both of Steelton, were married. Promptly at 11.45 o'clock the organist, Miss Adessa Kistler, struck up the strains of Loehring's "Wedding March" and the bridal party proceeded up the aisle to the chancel, where the ceremony was performed.

ATTENDING MEETING

W. E. Chick, head of the safety department of the local steel plant, will attend the Safety First meeting of superintendents, foremen and officials of the Lebanon plant to be held at Lebanon this evening. Mr. Chick has charge of arrangements for a similar meeting to be held here on Thursday evening.

QUINCY BENT HERE

Quincy Bent, vice-president of the Bethlehem Steel Corporation and former general manager of the local steel plant, was in town Saturday to witness the opening game of the Bethlehem Steel League. Mr. Bent returned to Bethlehem on Saturday night.

RESERVE DANCE DATES

Announcement was made this morning that the steel plant in Steelton Reserves will be held in Frey's hall Friday, May 31, and Friday, June 7. Arrangements for the affair are in charge of a committee composed of members of the reserves.

BILLED AT COATESVILLE

While at work at a steel plant in Coatesville on Saturday Ivan Albanese, of 151 Christian street, was killed by being struck on the head by a falling brick. The brick which caused Albanese's death is said to have fallen about sixty feet. The body of the local man will be brought to the borough and funeral services will be held in St. Mary's Croatian Catholic Church to-morrow morning.

DAYHOFF JOINS RESERVES

Harry Dayhoff, well-known high school athlete, has joined the United States Naval Reserve and will report for duty at League Island Naval Yard, Philadelphia on June 2. Dayhoff is widely known in the sporting world, having been a star on football and basketball at the local high school for four years.

BRIDGE EXPERT HERE

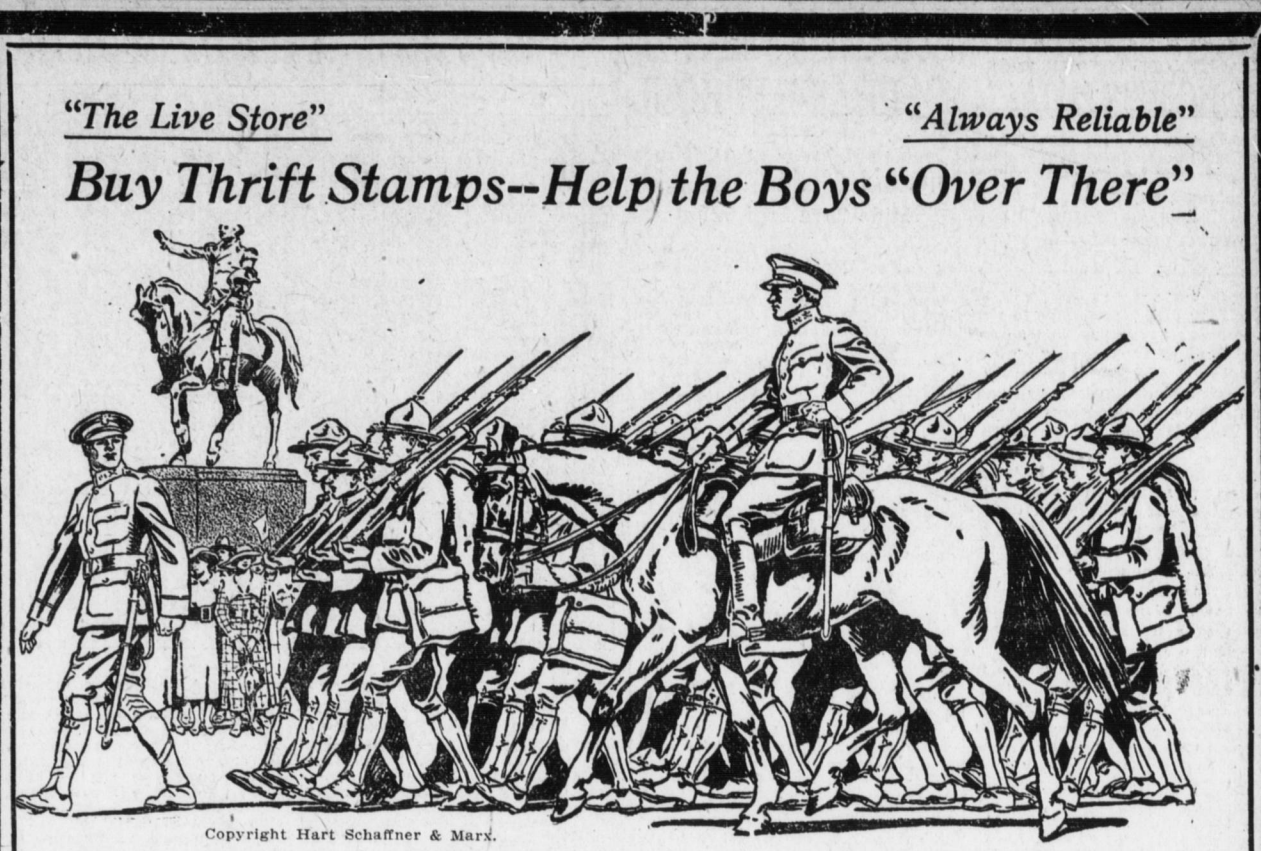
J. E. Greiner, of Baltimore, engineering expert who will make a complete study of conditions at the Mulberry street bridge, arrived in the city to-day and conferred with Commissioner W. H. Lynch.

U. S. ARMY TO BE HELD FOR MIGHTY BLOW

[Continued from First Page.] U. S. Army will be held for a mighty blow in conjunction with the British and French, which would smash the German lines and bring a decision. There were no official expressions as to the subject to-day. The knowledge that such a plan was being considered has been very closely held by the few who have known it. It is certain that it has been the subject of exchanges between the American, British and French governments and undoubtedly has been discussed at Versailles. Those who are most familiar with the subject are of the opinion that the decision arrived at probably agrees more with the views of the British strategists than it does with the French, although the views of Generalissimo Foch have not been fully disclosed here by the officials who are cognizant of them.

Forty-Eight More For War Stamp Committee

The General War Savings Stamps committee has been enlarged by the addition of forty-eight men and women of the city, it was announced to-day. The new members, with those already constituting the committee, will have charge of the War Savings Stamps pledge campaign being waged this week in the city. The new members are: Charles E. Arent, A. Beheas, Fred Bender, James W. Barker, J. H. Butterworth, M. S. Butterworth, W. J. Cozzani, J. E. Cunningham, W. W. Caldwell, Joseph C. Clark, Sara R. Crossler, C. C. Conklin, T. J. Devine, John F. Dapp, Frank F. Davenport, I. H. Doutrich, W. M. Donaldson, Maud C. Exley, E. H. Eckenrode, Spencer C. Gilbert, E. S. Herman, T. Hildrup, Francis J. Hall, E. N. Hertzog, W. O. Hickok, J. D. Ross, A. R. Haddock, C. H. Hunter, L. G. Julian, Robert C. Irons, William Jennings, V. W. Kenney, David Kaufman, John J. Moffitt, Walter L. Montgomery, Andrew S. McCreech, Henry McCormick, Jr., W. H. Metzger, H. O. Miller, S. B. Nisley, Ross Oenslager, Mrs. M. E. Olmsted, S. B. Romberger, Mrs. William B. Schleisner, Edward W. Schlemmer, Benjamin Strouse, Michael E. Stroup, William Strouse, J. J. Stackpole, Charles C. Stroh, A. C. Stamm, Al. K. Thomas, J. H. Troup, William S. Tunis, A. L. Taylor, John L. Wohlfarth and J. P. Tunge.



Insist Upon Quality

If quality was worth insisting on before the war, it is doubly worth insisting on now - If we "let down the bars" on the character of merchandise we have been selling or the kind of service we have been rendering, we would be admitting that these things could stand a change - But they can't stand a change because they were RIGHT; our merchandise and our services were right because they were the best possible, and they're going to remain so.

Hart, Schaffner & Marx Kuppenheimer Clothes

Doutrichs is a standardized store--keyed to the highest known standards - merchandise that everybody agrees upon as leaders - there are no arguments, there can be none - As proof of our high standard of service we refer you to our principle of doing business, "Always Reliable." It means exactly what it says without error or defect, we make good because we WANT to - and that makes this "Live Store" the kind of a store you prefer because you are SURE of what you buy.

Try This Dependable Doutrich Service

Advertisement for Doutrichs clothing store, featuring a portrait of a man in a hat and various slogans like "The Home of 'Straw Hats' and 'Panamas'", "Sailor Panamas", "Manhattan Shirts", "Munsing Underwear".

TO ATTEND CHURCH GATHERING

The Rev. and Mrs. Harvey A. Klaier have gone to Columbus, O., where Mr. Klaier, who is pastor of Covenant Presbyterian Church, will serve as a delegate to the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church. The trip is being made by automobile and the pastor and his wife left their home in Peffer street this morning. They will be absent two weeks.

MRS. SUSAN E. WISE

Mrs. Susan E. Wise, aged 76, died yesterday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. James Smith, 308 Boyd street. Funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the Rev. E. Rupp, pastor of the Otterbein United Brethren Church, officiating. Burial will be in the East Harrisburg Cemetery. Mrs. Wise leaves two sons and two daughters.

Advertisement for Cuticura soap and ointment, with an illustration of a woman's face and text describing its benefits for skin conditions.

Railway Men Asked to Work Hard During War

George H. Sines, of New York City, vice-president of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, was the principal speaker at a big meeting of railroad men at Fackler's Hall last evening. Mr. Sines' entire speech was tinged with a patriotic patriotism. He urged all railroad employees to lend every effort to the Government in the present war with its marked labor shortage. Longer hours and even overtime, he affirmed, should be borne without the least bit of whimpering as nothing more than a worker's patriotic duty.

HURT NEAR READING

Riding on the runboard of an engine, Ella H. Messinger, 22 North Third street, a brakeman on the Philadelphia and Reading railroad, was seriously injured when the engine struck an automobile near Reading on Saturday. He was brought to his home on the same day from the Reading Homeopathic Hospital, where he had been taken after the accident.

INITIATE BIG CLASS

Harrisburg Lodge, No. 157, American Federation of Railroad Workers, initiated a class of candidates at its regular meeting in its Royal Hall headquarters on Sunday evening. The next regular meeting will be held on Thursday evening.

FARM HELP PROVIDED

W. R. Zimmermann, county farm labor manager, to-day sent out to all farmers in Dauphin county a labor bulletin asking them in case they need men to notify him at once so that he can complete arrangements to provide help.