# PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NEWS OF INTENSE INTEREST

## RED CROSS GETS \$100 IN BENEFIT

Mt. Gretna Unit Clears That Sum at Card Party Arranged by Miss M. Emilie Patterson

The proceeds of the Red Cross card party held at Hotel Conewago, Mt. Gretna, Pa., July 13, were officially announced and turned over to the Red Cross authorities of the local unit to-day. At the regular weekly meeting in their rooms came the pleasing announcement that \$100 had been raised. Miss M. Emilie Patterson, through whose efforts the party was such a success made the presentation. It is hoped that in the near future a similar party can be arranged for the good of the cause and a similarly large amount can be raised.

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The community singing of the previous Sunday night was such a success that another service was held as popular York tensor messors from the support of the second of the soldiers of the soldiers of the soldiers. The twilight services meet with such hearty appreciation that it has been decided to make them an established Sunday evening feature. The management was most fortunate in securing the famous Arbogast Band, of Pittsburgh, to play for dancing Thursday night. This was the third of a series of dances held last week and the auditorium on this occasion was packed to capacity.

A dinner dance following a chicken and waffle supper has been planed for Thursday of this week. The annowing of a unique novelty is soon to be made.

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A more the following: Mrs. Carson Stamm and Miss Stamm, Secretary of the Commonwealth and Mrs. Cyrus E. Woods, John Rose and party of seven, Miss Margaret Grove, Miss Florence Lawson of the Executive Department, and Dr. H. M. Vander, J. T. Brennemah, D. and Mrs. S. J. T. Ward. Chile, South America; F. M. Vandling, Scranton; Captain and Mrs. Stahle, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. T. Ward. Chile, South America; F. M. Vandling, Scranton; Captain and Mrs. Stahle, Mr. and Mrs. Stahle, Mr. and Mrs. Stahle, Mr. and Mrs. Haus was a popular teacher in the management has promised to extend its season to late fall, something which has never been done ince the opening of the hotel.

Mrs. I W. Geesey, of 16 North Fifteenth street, has returned home afte

Mr. and Mrs. Lester McCoy, of Detroit, Mich., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Geesey, of North Fifteenth street. William Shetter, of 15 North Fif-

william Shetter, of 15 North Firbenth street, will leave next week to
spend several weeks on the Kelley
arm, near Shepherdstown.
Miss Bertha G. Adams, of 2056
swatara street, leaves Friday for
Stoverdale to join the Susquehannock Camp Fire Girls, who are
samping at the Idlwyld cottage
here.

reading, are spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Leedy, 417 the content of the content of



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# Dinner to George Spotts, Leaving For Camp Dix

AS A FINE ART Morning Story Hour at St. Paul's: Assists the Red Cross at Paxtang

The Story Tellers League of the city will give another of their popular story hours to the children in the gymnasium at St. Paul's Episcopal Parish House, Second and Emerald streets, to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock Miss Rhedna Mayer and Mrs. Harry G. Keffer, the president, will be the narrators. The stories will be followed with gam-s and music, as usual.

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Any one doubting the wonderful constructive work of the Story Tellers League, would have been thoroughly converted to believe in its wonderful influence could they have attended the story hour last Thursday morning. Nearly one hundred children followed their leaders up Second street with the story hour last Thursday morning. Nearly one hundred children followed their leaders up Second street with the story hour and the story hour. And nearly one hundred eager faces listened to the stories given by Aunt Este, and joined in the community singing in such style that the older community singers would have stood abashed, and the games—well, there was "some fun" Mrs. Keffer, the president of the league in addition to the many things she has done for the city of Harrisburg along the story telling line, had seemed to get some of her wonderful spirit of life and joy into every child who attends the story hours.

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Work at Paxtang

Beside this Thursday morning hour uptown the league has started a new work under the direction of Mrs. Leihi in Taxtans. That of enterties the startes work while their bables are being the assisted from time to time by members of the Story Tellers Club. No mothers may bring their children to the story Tellers League hopes that they may enlarge on this plan and make it before the same time seen their constructive work with the children.

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Mrs. Harry Handshaw, of Boas in Street, and Mrs. Frank Neely, of so North Second street, are enjoying a stay at Blue Ridge Summit.

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And Mrs. Harvey F. Smith and Schild Second Street Sturday for Eaglesmere wheave Saturday for Eaglesmere Saturday for Philadelphia, Mrs. Chamberlin's sister, accompanied them.

Mrs. Mabel Cowden Moore, of Charlestown, W. Va., has returned home after attending the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Samuel B. Fortenbaugh, of Schenectady, in this city.

CHARLES SHIELDS ABROAD Charles L. Shields, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Shields, of Penbrook, has arrived safely overseas with the Engineering Corps of the American Expeditionary Forces. Shields was connected with the job department of The Telegraph Printing Company for elevan years printing activities. for eleven years prior to entering the

AT KLEIN FUNERAL

Mrs. Joseph A. Thompson, of Stonleigh, Paxtang, and Mrs. Keats Peay, both members of the Historical Society of Dauphin county, attended the funeral services of President Theodore B. Klein, of the society, last evening in Lebanon.

Connecticut, August 7, where he will Pa.

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Mrs. Albert Koons and son, Robenter the Yale Army School for a course of special instruction. Dr. Dapp volunteered his services as a physician and will be commissioned a first lieutenant in the Reserve

## Ednor Souders Is Abroad With the 304th Engineers



EDNOR G. SOUDERS

here during the past nine years as a special state representative of the Mergenthaler Linotype Company, of and New York City, has been called to that city to accept a responsible position as manager of the service sont irris.

J., th. appartment of the company. This position has been made necessary by the recent wide expansion of the and berbeile and berbeile and berbeile and die, lin's l Mergenthaler Linotype Company, of

### Church Military Wedding For Miss Montgomery

Quite a number of Harrisburgers Quite a number of Harrisburgers are going to Carlisle to-morrow afternoon by automobile and train to attend the military wedding of Miss Helen Kline Montgomery, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry B. Montgomery, 902 North Second street, to Dr. Gilbert C. V. McMeen, first lieutenant, Medical Reserve Corps, United States Army.

The ceremony will be performed by the Rev. Dr. Alexander McMillan retired rector of the church at 4.30 o'clock. Both Lieutenant McMeen and his bride-to-be are graduates of Dickinson College, Carlisle.

Mrs. John Thrush and children, Faye and Cloyd, of 2044 Swatara street, are spending some time in Carlisle.

DR. G. A. DAPP CALLED
FOR ARMY SERVICE spending the summer on a farm spending the summer on a farm camp near Waynesboro, has been recamp near waynesboro, has been recamp dwith the other boys in the street, will leave for New Haven, farm unit to a camp in Nazareth,

WORK FOR RED CROSS Dr. Dapp has practiced four years in Harrisburg, where he has lived all his life. He will continue his practice until August 1. He is widely known here. Hewas graduated from the Jefferson Medical School in the class of 1913.

WORK FOR RED CROSS
Renewed interest is being taken in Red Cross work by many auxiliar-lies and organizations. A beautiful infant's layette was given to the local chapter for the use of refugee children, by the bowling team of the Mount Pleasant Press.

LATE PHOTOGRAPH OF GENERAL PERSHING

# **FAREWELL NIGHT** FOR JEWISH BOYS

HARRISBURG TELEGRAPH

Jewish Welfare Board Entertains For Lads Summoned by the Draft

A meeting of the Jewish Welfare Board was held last evening at the Y. M. H. A. building, Sixth and Forster streets. With Henry C. Claster as chairman, arrangements were made for a farewell entertainment in honor of the fifteen Jewish boys of the recent draft who leave soon for training. The affair will be held at the Y. M. H. A. Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. An attractive program has been

arranged with Henry C. Claster presiding. Patriotic songs and selections will be features of the evening. Addresses will be made by Rabbi M. Romanoff, of congregation Chisuk Emuna; Rabbi Eewis J. Haas, Attorney Eugene Cohen. Refreshments will be served and souvenirs presented.

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Following is the list of the honor
guests: Walter Stern, Samuel A.
Williams, Samuel Lipman, Irwin B.
Rubin, David B. Rubin, David J.
Sherman, Carl Reiter, Arthur Stine,
Maurice Finkelstein, Herman Rosenberg, Daniel E. Capin, Harry Cohen,
all of Harrisburg; Ike Morris, Sam
Lugar, Frank Budnik, of Steelton.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Kapp, of Camp Hill, have received notification of the safe arrival on foreign shores of their nephew, Ednor G. Souders, who made his home with them. Young Souders is a member of the medical corps of the 304th Engineers and had six weeks' training at Camp Meade before sailing. He was employed by the Pennsylvania railroad at Enola, before entering the service.

Well-Known Resident

Leaving For New York

Charles P. Gurnett, 2002 North
Third'street, who has been located here during the past nine years as a special state representative of the safe arrival on the 1st to 1st to 1st to 1st to 2st to

### Many Organizations to Take Part in Presenting of Flag to Company I

Presentation of handsome standard Regiment, Pennsylvania Reserve Mili-tia, at Island Park on the evening of Tuesday, July 30, will be marked by a military parade and speech-mak-

downtown streets and thence to Island Fark.

The exercises at the Island will be open to the public.

The company has no money with which to procure the services of bands, but those in charge of the celebration hope that one or more Harrisburg bands will contribute their services free for an hour or two on the exening of the parade. The on the evening of the parade. The militiamen are serving free and as the occasion is purely patriotic, it is hoped that the bands will volunteer

hoped that the bands will volunteer their services.

The presentation will be made by F. H. Hantzman, father of Sergeant Charles F. Hantzman, and the company will give an exhibition drill. The commander urges members of the Chamber of Commerce, the Rotary Club, the Kiwanis Club and other organizations to join in the celebration

### Park Commissioner a Real Rainmaker

Manifestly Park Commissioner Gross was moved by the same impulse which dictated an editorial paragraph in this evening's Telegraph suggesting the use of the city water for the parched grass in the city's parks. Commissioner Gross and the force were already on the job last evening and it is understood further applications of water will be utilized in the effort to save the grass and planting during an unusually dry season.

During the day workmen using fire hose and a large spray nozzle covered the section of River Park from the city pumping station south. At Reservoir Park the hot weather is affecting the grass also.

Assistant Superintendent V. Grant Forrer is planning to start road repair work in Wildwood Park on the stretch from the Linglestown road to the southern end of the dam. Showers in the park last evening settled the dust but did not damage the parkway.

### Austrians' Plans For Offensive in Albania Shattered by Allies

Paris, July 24.—Austrian preparations for an offensive in Albania have been shattered by the drive of the French and Italian troops during the past fortnight, according to the correspondent of the Petit Parisien on the Albanian front.

Enemy munition depots, stores of food and war materials have been destroyed or captured. The Franco-Italian lines have been straightened out at certain points over a front of twenty miles and their light colmns continue to advance along the banks of the Devoli river, the correspondent adds.

### Soviet Troops Give Up Orenburg; Dotoff New Leader; Hunger Stirs

GENERAL PERSHING.

General John J. Pershing, commanding the American forces overseas. His men proved their mettle in the Allied lines on the western front.

Amsterdam, July 24. — Soviet troops have definitely abandoned the city of Orenburg, capital of the Russian province of the same name, carrying off all the valuable they could seize. A new government has been formed under the leadership of General Dotoff. As hunger revolution has broken out in the cities of Jarrange and the Allied lines on the western front.

## CONTRACTS SHOW **GOVERNMENT BIG** WAVE OF FRAUD

Confessions Aid Agents Justice to Tighten Net **Around Profiteers** 

By Associated Press
Washington, July 24.—Fraud and gross profiteering has been uncovered in many contracts for Army shoes, shirts, leggins, overcoats and other soldiers' supplies and equipment as a result of investigation by Army intelligence and Department of Justice agents, it yas learned to-day.

mission fee agents, is the discovery that a number of officers in the Quartermasters' l'orps wesponsible for placing contracts continue to hold positions illegally.

A large number of officers particularly in the Quartermasters' Corps, are said to have been given omissions through the influence of their former emplopes. These of ficers subsequently used their influence to obtain commissions for others sublain commissions for others similarly situated and it is charged that certain companies or groups, of concerns have been able through this personal contact to dictate specificiations and other details of contracts favorable to their method of manufacture.

Another reform being yorked out in Washington as a result of discovery of contract frauds is the gradual elimination of men assisting the Government from the nominal pay or "dollar a pear" basis and the papment of adequate salaries on which thep can live without resorting to compensation from special interests.

Carial Hill Netson

Army intelligence and Department of Justice agents, it yas learned today.

Information shedding light on methods by which manufacturers were able to evade rigid inspection tests and pass inferior articles to fill Government contracts in understood to have been gathered from ney confessions of some of the eighten rest in New York, charged with bribery, fraud or conspiracy. Action will be taken against other manufacturers as rapidly as specific proof of fraud is developed.

Plotters Still in Service

An outgrowth of the campaign the proposed new schedules of the philadelphia Suburban Gas Company, which become effective charged, through the illegal system of negotiating orders through com-



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59c value Ladies' Union Suits, Thursday, 50c value Ladies' Union Suits, Thursday, 35c value Ladies' Vests, Thursday, ... 25c value Children's Gauze Drawers, Thurs-

50c value Vanity Boxes, Thursday, .. 37¢ 50c value Pocket books, all colors, Thurs-

19c value Oval Nickel Picture Frames, 

leather palms, Thursday, ........35¢ 19c value Ladies' Fancy Linene Handker-35c value Ladies' Initial Handkerchiefs. 

Lot of sheet Music, Thursday, ......3¢ 5c value Pearl Buttons. Thursday, card, 3¢ 10c value Shoe Trees, Thursday, pair, 7¢ value Children's Hose Supporters, 

3c value Hooks and Eyes, Thursday, card, 10c value Cabinets of wire Hair Pins, as-5c value Tomato Pin Cushions, Thursday,

29c value, 36-inch Longcloth, Thursday, 21¢ 36-inch 25c value Unbleached Muslin, 15c value Cotton Twill Toweling, Thursday,

17c and 19c value Curtain Scrims in Remnants, 1 to 4 yds., Thursday, 3 yards for 35c value Dress Ginghams, fancy plaids, Thursday, ......29¢ \$1.00 value Silk Stripe Skirting, 33-inch

59c value Table Damask, 54-inch width, 10c value Colored Braids, slightly soiled, Thursday, ..... 5c value Asbestos Iron Holders, Thursday,

39c value Lace Trimmed Scarfs, Thursday, 25¢

15c value Hollow Handle Forks, Thursday,

15c value Porch Seats, Thursday, . .. 7c value Spice Boxes, Thursday, ..... 4¢ 25c value Soiled Collars, Thursday, ... 15¢ 50c value Soiled Collars, Thursday, .. 25¢ 50c value Jabots, Thursday, ... 25c value Organdie Collar and Cuff Sets,

Lot of 50c value Fancy China, Thursday, 25c value Cut Floral design Water Glasses,

10c and 12c value Venise Insertion, Thurs-10c and 121/2c value Oriental Laces, slightly

Thursday. 39c value Children's Sandals, Thursday, 15¢ 25c value Children's Muslin Skirts, Thurs-

59c value Ladies' Fancy Stripe Hose, Thurs-

50c value Soiled White Aprons, Thursday, 15c value Soiled Bootees, Thursday, . . 3¢

# Half Day Millinery Specials of Unusual Interest

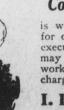
\$3.00 to \$5.00 value Ladies' Trimmed Hats, lisere, leghorn and hemp, Thursday ...... \$1.59 \$1.00 Children's Trimmed Hats, Thurs\$2.00 to \$2.50 value Ladies' Trimmed Hats, lisere, leghorn and hemp, Thursday, ......88¢

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# SOUTTER'S

1c to 25c Department Store Where Every Day Is Bargain Day 215 Market St. Opposite Courthouse



Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Harris, 1916 Park street, are spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. James A. Clark, at Yonkers, N. Y.
Mr. and Mrs. George H. Wirt, and children, Elizabeth and George, Jr., are visiting in Chambersburg.
Mr. and Mrs. George Deiseroth, of Reading, are spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Leedy, 417 Kelker street.

Miss Anna Wibell and her niece, diss Edith Wibell, of Emmitsburg, Id., are guests of Mrs. J. S. Shields, a Penbrook. Miss Esther Wray and Miss Sybilla Vray, of Baltimore, are spending part the summer with the

Miss Esther Wray and Miss Sybilla Wray, of Baltimore, are spending part of the summer with their aunt, Mrs. Herman D. Wray, of Market street. Kenneth Young and Samuel F. Young left this morning for a visit with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter T. Dull, of Wilkes-Barre. Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Haller, of Akron, Ohio, are visiting C. M. Rauch, 1847 Herr street, and other friends and relatives in this city.

Miss Kathryn Shillinger and Miss Marguerite Reynolds are doing government work at Carey's Point, N. J.

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Miss Alverta Hertzler, a sophomore, at Wilson College, is doing inspecting work in a munition plant at East Mills, N. J.

Miss Helen, Runkle and Miss Mil-dred Runkle, Fifteenth and Regina streets, leave Saturday for Camp Nepahwin, Canton, Pa.

Robert P. Bliss, assistant secretary of Free Library Commission has returned to Camp Hancock, where he is camp librarian, after a brief furlough here.

turned to Camp Hancock, where neis camp librarian, after a brief furlough here.
Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Duey and Miss Margaret Duey, of Scranton, Pa, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jaul J. Dorwart, 1300 North Sixth street,
Miss Ida Row, Thirteenth and Derry streets, left to-day to visit Mrs. Edward S. Row, of Philadelphia.
Miss Amy C. Black, 131 West State street, has returned after visiting Miss Margaret Bowman at Millersburg.

burg.
Miss Ella Stitt, general secretary
of Y. W. C. A., leaves to-morrow for
Youngstown, Ohlo, to visit her sister
for a month.

Wright's Orchestra

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