

CITY INTERESTED IN PLAN TO MAKE RIVER NAVIGABLE

Rotary Club Promised Big Audience When Experts Talk

Because of the great commercial advantages that would accrue to this city, a growing interest is being manifested by Harrisburg business men and traders in the meeting Tuesday night in the Technical High School Auditorium, when the feasibility of making the Susquehanna navigable will be discussed.

The interest taken in this movement by the Atlantic Deeper Waterways Commission, and the State Water Supply Commission of Pennsylvania, and its endorsement by prominent engineers, among them Major William B. Gray, brings the whole matter out of the realm of speculation, and makes the plan to deepen the Susquehanna carry dignity and importance.

Besides the speeches to be made by Major Gray and R. A. Zentmyer, chairman of the Water Supply Commission, increasing interest is being taken in the address to be made by John H. Ostertag, of Columbia, who is chairman of the executive committee of the Merchants and Manufacturers Association of that place, and who was a member and delegate to the convention of the Atlantic Deeper Waterways Commission in Boston several months ago.

Mrs. Ostertag will report on the interest in the present plan shown by the Deeper Waterways Commission, and his address will outline the commercial possibilities through the project for cities and towns along the Susquehanna below and above Harrisburg. It is even proposed to carry navigation of the Susquehanna as far north as Wilkes-Barre and Williamsport, and the position of this city as a center for this trade is significant.

The Rotary Club, under whose auspices the meeting Tuesday night will be held, has extended an invitation to all businessmen in the city to attend, and to all persons interested in the project. The meeting, which will begin promptly at 7.45 o'clock, will be presided over by Eli N. Hershey, president of the Harrisburg Rotary Club. A letter was received by William M. Robinson, secretary of the Rotarians, that the Kiwanis Club will come to the meeting as a whole, and it is understood that all members of the Harrisburg Chamber of Commerce will avail themselves of the opportunity to hear this important matter discussed.

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C. V. NEWS BODY HELD 30 DAYS AT MORGUE

George Leonhardt, Once Believed Dead, Provided in Will For Late Burial

Carlisle, Pa., Nov. 16.—Believed dead one, only to revive some hours later, George H. Leonhardt, of Carlisle, widely known in Southern Pennsylvania as a venereal medical expert, has been buried, thirty-one days after his death occurred from influenza. By a peculiar provision in his will he requested that his body be kept in morgue for thirty days before funeral services were held, and this request was complied with, with the result that funeral services took place yesterday, thirty-one days after death.

Corporal H. I. Zinn Post, G. A. R., Resumes Meetings

Mechanicsburg, Pa., Nov. 16.—On Thursday evening the regular meeting of Col. H. I. Zinn Post No. 415, Grand Army of the Republic, were resumed with an unusually large attendance and interest on the part of the officers and members. In addition to the regular business of the meeting, four candidates for membership were elected as members and mustered into the Post.

MRS. ELIZABETH WEAKLEY, Mechanicsburg, Pa., Nov. 16.—Mrs. Elizabeth Weakley, widow of William K. Weakley, died at the home of her son, J. King Weakley, near Bolling Springs, on Thursday night, at the age of 88 years. She was a daughter of George and Nancy McCormick and was a life-long resident of Cumberland county.

ENTERTAINING SOLDIERS. Carlisle, Pa., Nov. 16.—With a cantonment holding entertainments every few days and club quarters for soldiers of the Catholic and Jewish faiths, an additional point of entertainment for the soldiers will be established at this evening with the formal opening of a reading and clubrooms for soldiers in connection with the local Y. M. C. A., half of the lower floor of the big building being fitted up for the entertainment of men in uniform. This evening there will be a reception for men from the general hospital and next Saturday for those of the S. T. C. A. at Dickinson, while throughout the remainder of the week the rooms will be opened informally.

FARMER MOVES TO TOWN. Waynesboro, Pa., Nov. 16.—Alexander D. Morganthall, a veteran of the Civil War, and a large apple grower in this section, whose Blue Mountain orchards are located near Rouseville, has disposed of his farming implements and has moved to his town residence, which he purchased in 1871 and occupied thirty-three years, or until he moved to his farm six years ago.

BROTHER DIES IN FRANCE. Waynesboro, Pa., Nov. 16.—Mrs. T. H. Davis has received word that her brother, Sergt. Charles G. Rossman, of the Medical Detachment of the United States Ambulance Servatory Forces in France, had died there of pneumonia.

SAMUEL SUGAR DIES. Waynesboro, Pa., Nov. 16.—Samuel Sugar, died Thursday morning of pneumonia after an illness of influenza. He was 28 years old, and is survived by his wife and one child.

GREECE LOYAL TO SERBIA IN GERMAN PLOT

Minister Reveals Plot of Huns to Draw in Allies by Means of Barter

London, Nov. 16.—Eliphertios Venizelos, prime minister of Greece, speaking in London yesterday, referred to a conversation he had at the beginning of the war with the German minister in Athens. The German minister had come to him because he was aware of the declaration of M. Venizelos that if Bulgaria attacked Serbia, Greece would go to the assistance of her ally.

"The minister showed me the great dangers Greece would run if she carried out her plan, because she would have opposed to her not only Bulgaria but Germany," said M. Venizelos. "I replied that I was exceedingly sorry to hear that, but it was our duty to go to the assistance of our ally and we should carry out that duty."

"The German minister then asked me if in going to Serbia's assistance I was looking forward to any benefits that might accrue to Greece. I replied 'No.' He then said: 'But if Greece will remain neutral we are in a position to give her very great and substantial benefits.'"

"I asked what were the benefits Germany would offer us. I put that question knowing what the answer would be, but I wished it to come from him. He replied: 'Germany will give you Monastir and as much more of Serbia as you want.'"

ARMY TO SEND BACK 30,000 MEN DAILY

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In France, General March said the order in which the divisions will be withdrawn is being left to General Pershing. It is the intention of the War Department, however, so far as is practicable, to return each division to the locality from which the majority of its men came and to parade the division in adjacent cities so that the people may have efficiency. Mr. Bowman suggested that the New England soldiers might be brought to Camp Devens and parade in Boston and other cities.

War Victims to Come First. Orders have been cabled to General Pershing to begin the return at once of all casuals, sick and wounded, who can be moved, and convalescents. A steady stream of these men should begin immediately to cross the Atlantic. Camps at home will be cleared out to prepare for the return of the expeditionary forces and the General indicated that the process would be expedited. A unit of regular troops will be left at each camp to guard and police in preparation for the arrival of the overseas units.

Rainbow Division to Be Honored. Because of its unusual composition, General March said, and its brilliant record at the front, the 42nd (Rainbow Division), will be given special consideration in the demobilization plans. The purpose of the demobilization was not outlined specifically, but the impression was gained that the division will be paraded in Washington before it is mustered out.

To Get Bonus on Salary. It was announced that Congress will be asked to give each man discharged from the army regardless of whether he re-enlists, a bonus of one month's salary. General March pointed out also that all soldiers are entitled under law to wear their uniforms for three months after discharge. This will make less difficult the immediate task of supplying civilian clothing to the demobilized army.

General Pershing has been directed to expedite complete casualty lists of his forces, showing the names of every man killed or wounded or missing up to 11 a. m. November 11. General March said he did not hazard an estimate as to what the final total would be.

PAINTING THE CITY RED IN GOOD CAUSE

Unique Method of Checking Up on What Harrisburg Is Doing to Support the Soldiers Who Remain in France

An uncommon sight was witnessed in the history of Harrisburg to-day, when thousands of inquisitive citizens flocked to the pavement in front of the Courthouse, where stands the huge map of the city, designating in red paint precisely what localities of the municipality did in responding to the drive for United War Work Funds. Human interest was the keynote of the demonstration. Every person, man, woman and child, wanted to see that his particular block did, whether it went over the top or slacked.

"The fact that Harrisburg has already passed its quota in nowise lessened the tremendous interest, and wise observers concluded that this stunt, which was originally suggested by ex-Mayor J. William Bowman, was the cleverest ever. No city ever tried it before; the notion was born of inspiration on a trip to New York, made for the purpose of finding out the best way to completely canvass a big city."

"Check them up by wards," was Mr. Bowman's suggestion to David E. Tracy, city chairman, and E. J. Stackpole, district chairman. "There was doubt whether this intricate project could be handled, but four expert draughtsmen and ten swift stenographers got on the job, and in two weeks the entire city was mapped out in individual wards, with every house number, and thus the Planning Commission, chairman of which is E. S. Herman, had something substantial to work on."

Fixing the Quotas. The huge tables which gathered to-day in front of the board wondered how the trick was done, while an artist was completing his job of painting the over-top districts red. And to this is a story of genuine genius and efficiency. Mr. Bowman suggested that the quota for each ward should be determined by the total population, the value of taxable property, the mercantile tax, the vot-

Two Million Chocolate Bars Ordered in Hershey For U. S. Army in France

Hershey, Nov. 16.—The huge task of manufacturing, wrapping and packing two million chocolate almond bars before December 5, faces workers at the plant of the Hershey, Chocolate Company here, as the result of a government order for that amount of chocolate to be sent to the boys overseas for Christmas. The chocolate bars will weigh a half-pound each. The total weight of the shipment will be 1,000,000 pounds and 35 cars, it is estimated, will be required.

Merger of Lutheran Synods Is Ratified

New York, Nov. 16.—The United Lutheran Church in America, an amalgamation of three Lutheran bodies, was incorporated here yesterday. More than 1,000 delegates from this country and Canada ratified the merger. The Rev. Dr. Frederick H. Knubel, of New York, was elected president on the third ballot. The Rev. Dr. M. G. G. Scherer, of Charleston, S. C., was chosen secretary, and Clarence D. Miller, of Philadelphia, treasurer.

Time Is Extended For Mailing of Christmas Parcels to Yanks Abroad

The time for mailing Christmas parcels to the boys overseas has been extended to November 20 by an official order. This announcement was received in Harrisburg to-day. Workers at the local Christmas parcel headquarters urged that although this order has been made, senders of Christmas parcels should expedite the sending of their gifts. "Purchase your gifts as soon as you receive the label; have them inspected and send them at once if you want the parcel to reach the boy by Christmas day," is the slogan.

Germans Begin March Out of France to Homeland

Headquarters of the American First Army in France, Nov. 16.—The Germans in force were to begin to-day to leave the points they now occupy northeast of the American lines, according to German wireless messages. Opposite the American front there was much wagon and automobile traffic yesterday, the Germans apparently hauling out the supplies of war material which are not to be left behind. A few German rear guards are to remain as patrols and to pick up any stragglers should some Germans attempt to desert. American observation balloons went up yesterday afternoon, the observers endeavoring to get an idea of the extent of the German withdrawal, but most of the traffic was so far back that little of the activity could be seen.

Fonck, Ace of Aces, Ends the War With 75 Aerial Victories

Paris, Nov. 16.—Lieut. Rene Fonck, a French flier, and greatest of the Allied aces, ended the war with a total of seventy-five official aerial victories. He has an additional forty Hunns to his credit but not officially confirmed. Lieut. Fonck's greatest day was when he brought down six planes. His quickest work was the shooting down of three Germans in twenty seconds.

Lieutenant Fonck fought three distinct battles in the air when, on May 8, he brought down six German airplanes in one day. His record never has been equaled in aviation. All three engagements were fought within two hours. In all, Fonck shot only fifty-six shots, an average of little more than nine bullets for each enemy brought down—an extraordinary record, in view of the fact that aviators often fire hundreds of rounds without crippling their opponent.

WHY HAIR FALLS OUT

Dandruff causes a feverish irritation of the scalp, the hair roots shrink, loosen and then the hair comes out fast. To stop falling hair at once and rid the scalp of every particle of dandruff, get a small bottle of Danderine at any drug store, for a few cents, pour a little in your hand and rub well into the scalp. After several applications all dandruff disappears and the hair stops coming out.—Adv.

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