

NEWS OF THE RAILROADS

RAIL PROBLEM IS WITH NEW BODY

Democratic Leaders Virtually Give Up Hope of Holding Necessary Hearings

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There is a possibility that the Senate interstate commerce committee will begin probing into the railroad situation. If it does the railroad question will go no further this session. So far as the House is concerned it is the intention there to let the railroad matter rest until the next Congress is called.

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The Director General declares that comprehensive plans made last winter for freeing congested areas of additional freight have resulted in exceptional freedom from congestion during the heavy business this fall and that there are not now outstanding any general embargoes against the free movement of traffic.

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1,161 FALL OR DIE IN BATTLE WITH THE HUNS

34 Pennsylvanians Reported as War Victims in Overseas Conflicts

Washington, Dec. 5.—Thirty-four Pennsylvanians were killed in action as reported in to-day's lists of casualties given out by the war department. A total of 3,030 names appear in the lists, with 421 killed in action and 741 died of wounds and disease. The complete summary follows:

Killed in action, 421. Died of wounds, 310. Died of disease, 741. Total, 1,872.

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ROYER WARNS OF GROWING DANGER

Crowds at Christmas Time Are Liable to Spread Influenza Abroad in Land

Shop early, avoid crowds and thus avert the danger of contracting influenza, is the warning sounded to the Christmas shoppers of the state by Dr. B. Franklin Royer, Acting Commissioner of Health.

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FIRST WIRE TICKS OF WORLD'S NEWS

Peking.—Lu Cheng-Hsiang, Foreign Minister, who with head China's delegation at the peace conference at Versailles, left last night.

London.—Fourteen women were included among the candidates for Parliament nominated yesterday.

Paris.—Representatives of the Polish, Jugoslav, Rumanian and Czech-Slovak National Councils are in session here to study the reorganization of Central Europe.

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WOUNDED SEVERELY. Walter H. Frisk, Indiana. Isaac I. Noxe, 609 Peffer street, Harrisburg.

WOUNDED (DEGREE UNDETERMINED). Joseph Gintorf, Dysart. Louis Montana, Homer City.

WOUNDED SEVERELY. Edward F. Webb, Philadelphia. James P. Dobbins, Philadelphia.

HOW SOOTHING POSLAM FEELS ON FIERY SKIN. Nothing that you can apply to itching, burning, skin can be more welcome than Poslam.

WOUNDED SLIGHTLY. Wesley W. Harting, Germantown. Battalion Sergeant Major Bushnell Dimock, Philadelphia.

DIED OF ACCIDENT AND OTHER CAUSES. Joseph T. Smith, Scranton. Daniel Frederick McCarthy, Bradford.

Bright Green Vest Was Undoing of Man Wanted to Face Murder Charge. How a bright green vest brought Philip Goslin, colored, of Skyesville, to the bar of justice to answer the charge of murder which he is said to have committed two years ago, was revealed this morning by John C. Metzheiser, chief of police of the Bethlehem Steel Company plant at Steelton, who hired the negro to watch the sweetheart of Willie Palmer, who was wanted for the murder of Joseph Gordon, in Steelton, several days ago.

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Show Little Desire For Old Home Towns. Camp Meade, Admiral Md., Dec. 5.—Having failed to see France many times are acting upon an impulse to visit Baltimore, Philadelphia and Washington first as a place for employment rather than to go directly back to their home towns.

Penny Rewards Girl Who Fought Train Wreckers. Uniontown, Pa., Dec. 5.—As a reward for her bravery in dispersing train wreckers who had piled railroad ties on the tracks near a signal tower at Mount Braddock, Miss Stella Vensel, a Pennsylvania railroad telegrapher, has been awarded \$50 by the railroad company.

Value Giving in Jewelry. Our many years' experience in the jewelry and diamond business has enabled us to learn who are the most reliable makers—and who give the best values—therefore we in turn hand these values down to you.

We Are Now Ready With Large Stocks Come and Look Around. Max Reiter & Co. Jewelers 18 N. 4th St.

Max Reiter & Co. Jewelers. 18 N. 4th St. You can't do better in Gift Hosiery than to give him Monito Silk-face Lisle Hose, at 50c PAIR.

The Quick Way to Stop a Cough. This home-made syrup does the work in a hurry. Easily prepared and saves a doctor's visit.

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A dangerous rasping cough and sore throat can be quickly relieved by Kemp's Balsam. A few cents invested in a bottle will amply repay you when you have occasion to use. Used by thousands. Satisfaction guaranteed. Sold by druggists everywhere.

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CHANGES AT TRAINING SCHOOL. Carlisle, Pa., Dec. 5.—A change took place in the personnel of the staff at the Dickinson College Student Army Training Corps just as the period of formal demobilization began.

Wm. Strouse Christmas News. Don't disappoint him. He's got his heart set for the day, December 25th.

Wm. Strouse Christmas News. Every young man has his own ideas as to gifts he'll like best. Wm. Strouse Store gifts please to a certainty.

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