

Mayor of Metz Gets City Keys Saved Since 1870

Metz, Dec. 10.—During the ceremony in the city hall Sunday in connection with the official entry of President Poincare, Premier Clemenceau handed to the mayor of Metz the keys to the city, which the Germans failed to get when they captured Metz in 1870.

The keys had been preserved by a descendant of General F. A. Lapasot, one of the defenders of Metz.

SAFE GAS FOR BALLOONS

Washington, Dec. 10.—Discovery of an inert, nonflammable gas designated for use in balloons, dirigibles and other lighter-than-air craft, was revealed by the Navy Department yesterday.

Famous Old Recipe for Cough Syrup

Easily and cheaply made at home, but it beats them all for quick results.

Thousands of housewives have found that they can save two-thirds of the money usually spent for cough preparations, by using this well-known recipe for making cough syrup at home.

Get 2 1/2 ounces of Pinex from any drug store, put it into a pint bottle, and add plain granulated sugar syrup to make a full pint. If you prefer, use clarified molasses, honey, or corn syrup, instead of sugar syrup. Either way, it tastes good, keeps perfectly, and lasts a family a long time.

LOOK AT CHILD'S TONGUE IF SICK CROSS, FEVERISH

Hurry, Mother! Remove poisons from little stomach, liver, bowels.

Give "California Syrup of Figs" at once if bilious or constipated.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, it is a sure sign that your little one's stomach, liver and bowels need a gentle, thorough cleansing at once.

When peevish, cross, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, doesn't eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach sour, breath bad; has stomach-ache, sore throat, diarrhoea, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs" and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of its little bowels without griping, and you have a well and playful child again.

You needn't coax sick children to take this harmless "fruit laxative"; they love its delicious taste, and it always makes them feel splendid.

Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeiters sold here. To be sure you get the genuine, ask to see that it is made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.

ENTENTE ALLIES ASKED TO SEIZE AFRICAN STATES

Hun Atrocities Lead to Adoption of Positive Resolutions

New York, Dec. 10.—Following publication in the Union of South Africa of the report of Edmund H. L. Gorges, acting secretary of the Union, giving details of the atrocities committed by the Germans in their African colonies, resolutions urging re-tention of these territories by the Entente Allies have been adopted at mass meetings held in the Union's principal cities. The information was made public here last night by the British Bureau of Information.

WEST SHORE NEWS

LITTLE ONES GRADUATE

New Cumberland, Pa., Dec. 10.—An interesting service was held at the close of the Sunday school lesson in the Methodist Church on Sunday morning when the following little persons graduated from the cradle role: Eloise Randolph, Louise Minter, Richard Wire, William Embick, and Helen Gray. Mildred Embick, a member of the primary department, sang a solo, entitled "I Think When I Read That Sweet Story of Old." Each little member received a diploma and were given pink roses.

MUSTERED OUT OF SERVICE

Marysville, Pa., Dec. 10.—Alton W. Lick, a second lieutenant, formerly with Battery D, Thirty-first Field Artillery at Camp Meade, Md., has returned to his home here after being mustered out of the service last Saturday. He is a graduate of Franklin and Marshall College and is a member of the Lambda Chi Alpha Fraternity. He was his commission at Camp Hancock, Ga. in June.

WORKMAN'S FOOT CRUSHED

New Cumberland, Pa., Dec. 10.—Bert Fisher, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Fisher, of Bellavista, had his foot crushed at the Bethlehem Steel Works yesterday. He was taken to the Harrisburg Hospital. A brother has been in a plaster Paris cast for about a year, having had his back badly injured on the railroad where he was employed.

LUTHER LEAGUE MEETING

Shiremanstown, Pa., Dec. 10.—The weekly meeting of the Luther League of St. John's Lutheran Church of Shiremanstown will be held to-morrow evening. The topic is, "Your Congregation's Mission to Its Neighbor."

LECTURE AT SLATE HILL

Shiremanstown, Pa., Dec. 10.—Mr. Harvey, a member of the Society of Friends, will give a lecture on Thursday evening at the Slate Hill Mennonite Church on "The Friends' Reconstruction Work in France."

LITTLE FINGER BROKEN

New Cumberland, Pa., Dec. 10.—William A. Cookerly, Geary street, an engineer on the Pennsylvania railroad, had the little finger of his right hand broken by being struck by a lever.

ANNOUNCE BIRTH OF SON

Marysville, Pa., Dec. 10.—Dr. and Mrs. George W. Gault, Valley street, announce the birth of a son on Saturday, December 7.

FRATERNAL VISIT

New Cumberland, Pa., Dec. 10.—The district association of Harrisburg will visit the Sons and Daughters of Liberty on Thursday night.

LIPSNER WANTS PROPOSED MAIL IN AIR PROBED

Tells Illinois Senator Tens of Thousands of Dollars Are to Be Wasted

Chicago, Dec. 10.—Captain B. B. Lipsner, who recently resigned as superintendent of the aerial mail service, last night appealed to Senator Lawrence Y. Sherman, of Illinois, for Congressional investigation of proposed expenditures for the aerial mail and of several recent appointments to the service.

WEST SHORE NEWS

Personal and Social Items of Towns on West Shore

Mrs. Mary McEwan, of Harrisburg, spent the weekend with her sister, Mrs. H. D. Eilenberger, Maple avenue, Marysville.

No preaching services were held in the United Brethren Church at Shiremanstown on Sunday on account of the pastor being ill.

Reuben Zimmerman, of Shiremanstown, is home from a trip to Detroit, Mich.

Howard Miller, of Shiremanstown, spent the week with Mr. and Mrs. Percy Zearing, at Harrisburg.

Miss Goldie Simmons, of Churchtown, spent Sunday with Miss Mae Eshleman, at Shiremanstown.

Stanley L. Bates, of Shiremanstown, was a business visitor at Lisburn on Saturday.

Mrs. Wavil Miller and daughter, Miss Mary Miller, of Shiremanstown, are home after spending a week with the former's sister, Mrs. J. S. Hurst, at Lingsletown.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah B. Helges and daughter, Evelyn, of Shiremanstown, were called to Beavertown by the sudden death of the former's mother, Mrs. Charles R. Coxen.

Mrs. Bertha Stock, of Harrisburg, spent several days with her mother, Mrs. H. M. Zearing, at Shiremanstown.

Mrs. Harry Straining, of Eichelberger's Curve, visited her mother, Mrs. Sara Beamer, at Shiremanstown, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George K. Eshleman and son, Kenneth, of Shiremanstown, spent Sunday with Mrs. Vernie Crow and other relatives at Marysville.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gingerich, of Harrisburg, spent Sunday with the latter's parents, at Shiremanstown.

Mr. and Mrs. David Eshleman, of Washington Heights, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Eshleman, at Shiremanstown.

Mrs. Bertha Strine, of Harrisburg, spent several days with her mother, Mrs. H. M. Zearing, at Shiremanstown.

Misses Marguerite and Sophie Wilmyer, of Third street, New Cumberland, spent several days at Philadelphia.

Mrs. Roy Lechthaler, of New Cumberland, is at Lancaster taking care of her mother's family who are ill with influenza.

Mrs. N. F. Reed, son Earl, and Charlie Cook, of New Cumberland, attended the funeral of Mrs. Reed's mother, Miss Mary Strine, at Zions View, York county, yesterday. Miss Strine died of pneumonia after an illness of a few days. She was 18 years old.

Claire Snell, of Birdsboro, returned from a hunting trip to Centre county and he and his wife and daughter spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Snell, in Second street, New Cumberland.

Miss Lennie Hess, of Steelton, spent Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. C. L. Hale, at New Cumberland.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Swartz, of Emigsville, visited Mr. and Mrs. D. Y. Lenthart at New Cumberland yesterday.

Mrs. Rose Austin, of Dauphin, is visiting John Rosenberger's family at New Cumberland.

ADDRESS TO BOOSTER CLUB New Cumberland, Pa., Dec. 10.—George Reed, Jr., of Harrisburg, will give an address at the meeting of the Booster Club in the Methodist Church this evening.

SERVICES TO CONTINUE New Cumberland, Pa., Dec. 10.—Evangelistic services will continue in Trinity United Brethren Church during this week.

Pershing Announces Units to Be Sent Home Soon

Washington, Dec. 10.—General Pershing, chief-of-staff, announced yesterday that these additional organizations have been assigned by General Pershing for early convoy home: One hundred and forty-first anti-aircraft, machine gun battalion, Tenth anti-aircraft section, headquarters and the Sixth, Seventh, Eighth and Ninth anti-aircraft batteries. The total personnel is 37 officers and 909 men.

Women Organize to Help Their Party

Washington, Dec. 10.—Organization of a Republican Women's National Executive Committee, to co-operate with Republican state chairmen, was announced yesterday by Mrs. Medill McCormick, wife of the Senator-elect of Illinois. The headquarters of the women, which Mrs. McCormick said was formed at the suggestion of Chairman Hays of the Republican National Committee, will be established soon in Washington.

Kiwanis Club to Lunch at New Penn-Harris Hotel

The Kiwanis Club will lunch at the New Penn-Harris hotel, January 2, it was announced this morning. An interesting program is being prepared for the event.

The weekly luncheon of the club will be held to-morrow noon in the assembly room of the Cental Y. M. C. A. "Charlie" Burns will distribute the silent boosts. The attendance given by Frank R. Downey of the Gately and Fitzgerald Supply Company. A feature of the meeting will be the election of officers.

Mechanicsburg Man Files Phone Complaint

The first complaint to be filed with the Public Service Commission against the installation fee of \$5 for telephone service from M. G. Mohler, of Mechanicsburg, who filed a complaint against the Cumberland Valley Telephone Company of Pennsylvania. The complaint denies the right of the company to make the charge, claiming there was no installation because he took the telephone that was installed in the office.

MISSIONARY MEETING

This evening at 8 o'clock a missionary meeting will be held in St. Stephen's Church. The service will be under the direction of Bishop Darlington. The four archdeacons will speak of the missionary work of the diocese. The service is open to the public and a large attendance is desired.

MAY PROLONG ARMISTICE

Berlin, Dec. 10.—Gethas Erzhberger, head of the German armistice delegation, announced yesterday that the French government has refused to designate plenipotentiaries to negotiate the prolongation of the armistice. The delegates will meet at Treves, in Rhineland Prussia, December 12 and 13.

Red Cross Supervises Packing of 1,695 Parcels For Soldiers Over There

A grand total of 1,695 Christmas boxes were packed and shipped to soldiers, sailors and marines and other war workers in France by Harrisburg friends, parents and relatives, according to a report of the Harrisburg committee of the Harrisburg Chapter, American Red Cross. The report was made public this morning by Mrs. Walter Spofford, newly-elected secretary of the local chapter. It is signed by Miss Mary Cameron, chairman of the Christmas committee.

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FIND KAISER'S WAR NOTES

Washington, Dec. 10.—Some of the documents relating to the origin of the war found in the archives in Berlin contain marginal notes in the former Kaiser's handwriting, according to advices received yesterday through official channels. These documents, the advices said, are to be published, as was announced by the Bavarian Premier.

SMOKE MAGNATE IN TROUBLE

New York, Dec. 10.—Raymond L. Ramsdell, vice-president of the United Cigar Stores Company, was arraigned in a Magistrate's Court here yesterday accused of having exclaimed regarding President Wilson: "Wilson! I hope he drowns!" A complaint charging

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