

SENATE SPEEDS UP ON THE BIG BUDGET OF '19

Smoot and Penrose to Attack the Democratic Plan to Raise Billions

Washington, Dec. 14.—The Senate has speeded up consideration of the war revenue bill.

Provisions approved constitute practically all of those which are not disputed.

Senator Smoot, of Utah, Republican, plans an address on the bill's general policies.

In view of the rapid progress made, Chairman Simmons, in charge of the bill, expressed increased confidence.

MUSTERED OUT OF SERVICE

Marysville, Pa., Dec. 14.—J. Frank Leonard, of Lincoln street, who had been in training for several months.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

New Cumberland, Pa., Dec. 14.—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schenck, of Belavasta, announce the birth of a son.

Middletown Services For Ten-Year-Old Boy Who Was Killed

The funeral of Forester William Stutz, the ten-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. William Stutz, who was killed by an automobile near his home on Tuesday evening, was held from the parents' home in East Main street this afternoon with services at 2 o'clock.

The Big Five bowling team, of town, will play the Elizabethtown team at the latter place this evening.

The Methodist Episcopal Sunday services will be held in the Riverside chapel at 10.30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m.

MIDDLETOWN CHURCHES

First United Brethren—The Rev. E. A. G. Bosler, 11, "The Curse of Moses," 7.30, "The Story of the Cross."

Methodist Episcopal—The Rev. James Cunningham, Services at 10.30 and 7.30 will be held in the Riverside Chapel.

Personal and Social Items

of Towns on West Shore

Lieutenant Walter D. Myers, having been mustered out of the service, is spending some time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Myers, near Marysville, before he returns to Indianapolis, where he is engaged in the practice of law.

Samuel Spidel, of Marysville, is visiting friends at Tyrone and Altoona.

The Rev. and Mrs. Earl Nauss, of Ohio, are visiting the former's parents, in Second street, New Cumberland.

Miss Emma Wentz and Mrs. Bertha Shupp, of Wellsville, are visiting friends at New Cumberland.

Miss Gladys Blitner was hostess for the Shiremanstown Needle Club at her home in East Main street, on Monday evening.

Mrs. Benjamin Erb, of Shiremanstown, visited friends at Mechanicsburg, on Thursday.

Mrs. J. Howard Deamer, of Shiremanstown, spent a day recently with her mother and sisters, at Mechanicsburg.

Mrs. J. George Flickinger, Mrs. Guy Flickinger and Mrs. Harry Westinghouse, of Marysville, spent Thursday at Philadelphia.

MINER SUFFOCATED BY GAS

Blain, Pa., Dec. 14.—Overcome by gas at the Henry Clay Colliery here, Anthony Evanose, aged 10, a contract miner was suffocated.

LLOYD GEORGE STANDS FOR THE ABOLITION OF CONSCRIPT ARMIES THE WORLD OVER

London, Dec. 14.—Premier Lloyd George, in a statement last night on the subject of conscription, said: "On the eve of this important election, which means so much to the country, I wish to make it clear beyond all doubt that I stand for the abolition of conscript armies in all lands."

Rutherford Men Seek Straight 8-Hour Day

Desiring a day of eight consecutive hours, employees of the car shops and roundhouses of the Reading railroad at Rutherford met last evening in the Labor Hall at 221 Market street, when they drew up resolutions and sent them to R. B. Raabridge, superintendent of the car department of the Reading.

Officials had offered the men days on which they would work eight hours with a half-hour off for lunch, then men to be paid for this half-hour.

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