

NO INFORMATION ON PAY CHANGE

Railroads Not Expected to Be Paid by Check This Month

Harrisburg Pennsylvania Railroad employees may expect to be paid in the same manner as formerly on their next payday...

Equal Rights Advocates Name Their Envoys For Paris Peace Conference

Washington, Dec. 15.—Delegates were chosen by the National Colored Equal Rights Assembly for Delegation in session here yesterday...

Toronto Police Vote to Strike For Fellow Members Who Lose Out

Toronto, Dec. 15.—The police of this city, at a meeting early to-day, voted unanimously to strike at 6:30 a. m. unless twelve members of the force, dismissed yesterday...

RAILROAD NEWS

F. W. HANKINS TO GO TO MARIETTA

Will Be Master Mechanic at New Five-Million Dollar Shops Being Erected

The announcement of the resignation of F. W. Hankins, of Chambersburg, master mechanic of the Cumberland Valley Railroad...

The resignation of Mr. Hankins will become effective on Friday of this week and he will go within a few days to Marietta to take up his new duties...

Mr. Hankins went to Chambersburg from Altoona on April 21, 1907 and was made machine foreman on December 1, 1910. He was appointed master mechanic on May 1, 1916 and has served in that capacity up to the present time.

Railroad Notes

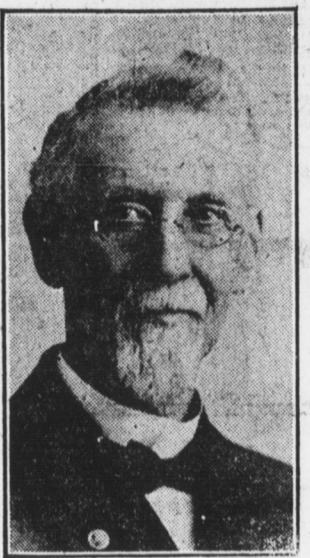
The Pennsylvania Division of the Pennsylvania Railroad, which extends from Creson to Reading, needs almost 2,300 men, officials advertise.

Traffic on the Tyrone division of the Logan Valley Railroad was delayed for five hours on Monday when a state auto truck, heavily loaded with stone for road repair work near Tyrone, broke through the bridge at Grazierville.

TO ADD INTEREST

Lewis Neilson, superintendent of the Pennsylvania Railroad Employees' Saving Fund, has issued announcements to depositors that they take their savings deposit books to the nearest agent that they may be transmitted to proper officials for the entrance of interest for 1918.

Retired Yardmaster 76 Years Old Today



W. W. DAVIDSON

W. W. Davidson, 1512 North Sixth street, who was an assistant yardmaster in the Harrisburg freight yards of the Pennsylvania Railroad when he was retired seven years ago, is to-day quietly spending his 76th birthday anniversary at his home.

A veteran of the Civil War, Mr. Davidson has been a resident of this city for 52 years and is widely known. Still enjoying good health, he is actively connected with various business enterprises in and near Harrisburg.

Influenza Epidemic Draws Big Benefits From Relief

The influenza epidemic caused the Cumberland Valley Railroad Relief Association to pay out for November one of its biggest months since the association was formed. It has just been announced. There were six death benefits of \$300 each, while the accident benefits totaled only \$187. Four hundred and seventy-two members were given sick benefits during the month, the total paid out for this purpose being \$6,049, making total disbursements of \$8,036 for the month.

EXTRA EXPRESS TRAINS

Several extra express trains have been added on the several divisions of the Pennsylvania Railroad to care for the increasing amount of express and parcel post packages being carried this Christmas season.

SOLDIERS GO THROUGH

Three trainloads of mustered out soldiers, some of them returned from overseas, passed through Harrisburg to-day, moving westward over the Middle division. Several of the men were wearing the Croix de Guerre.

BIG REVENUE BILL ON WAY

Washington, Dec. 15.—Although important sections of the war revenue bill remain to be disposed of, Senate leaders were confident to-day that the measure can be passed before the Christmas recess. Some predict that the bill levying taxes for both 1919 and 1920, will reach a final vote before the end of the week.

Personal--Social

Garman-Griest Wedding Takes Place in Williamsport

A pretty wedding took place Monday at the New Berry Methodist Church, Williamsport, when Miss May Garman, 1802 North Sixth street, was married to Dr. Andrew Griest, of Steelton. The Rev. Dr. J. E. A. Bucke officiated, using the ring ceremony. The bride wore a traveling suit of blue velvet with hat to harmonize. Her corsage bouquet was of rosebuds and violets. The wedding was the culmination of a romance started several years ago, when Miss Garman was doing private work at the Harrisburg Hospital, where Dr. Griest was an intern. The bride is a graduate of the Margee Hospital, of Pittsburgh. After January 10, Dr. and Mrs. Griest will be at home to their friends in Steelton, where Dr. Griest is connected with the Bethlehem Steel Company, as assistant surgeon.

PENN-HARRIS CLUB DANCE

The social committee of the Penn-Harris Club held their semi-monthly meeting Tuesday afternoon at their secretary's residence, Miss Marie Peifer, 1408 North Sixth street. The object of the meeting was to formulate plans for the New Year's prom, an annual event at Hanshaw's hall. A committee has been selected including Marie Peifer, decorating; Loretta Ernst, invitations; Jack Wingert, financial; H. L. Ensminger, music.

INFORMAL LUNCHEON

Mrs. Lesley McCreath, Front and North streets, entertained at a small luncheon on Tuesday in honor of Mrs. William Godfrey, of Philadelphia, the guest of Mrs. Henry B. Bent. The guests included Mrs. Godfrey, Mrs. Bent, Mrs. Robert McCreath, Mrs. Robert G. Goldsborough and Mrs. Berne H. Evans.

INVITATIONS TO DANCE

Mrs. Marlin E. Olmsted and Mrs. Ross Anderson Hickok have sent out cards for a holiday dance at the Civic Club, Thursday evening, December 26 in honor of Miss Gertrude Olmsted and Miss Jane Hastings Hickok.

LOCAL BOY BASKETBALL STAR

Word has been received from William K. Meyers, 213 North Front street, an R. O. T. C. student of Cornell University, of his appointment as guard in Company A basketball team.

ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Michlovitz, 18 North Thirteenth street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Bessie Michlovitz, to Lewis W. Cohan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Myer Cohan, 530 North street. The date for the wedding has not been announced.

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OLD FUND HELPS TO PAY MILEAGE

State Soldier Vote Cost Commonwealth Almost \$30,000; 1864 Cash Comes Handy

Funds appropriated by the Legislature of 1864 for the taking of the votes of Civil War soldiers, but never used and which have been in the State Treasury balances ever since

were drawn upon to-day by the auditor general to help pay the cost of sending the state's 226 commissioners to camps and stations to take the votes of Pennsylvania soldiers and sailors in this country. The total bill was \$29,536.19 and it was stated at the auditor general's department that with the funds of 1864 and the balance of \$12,900 of the 1917 appropriation the bill could be met. The question of whether plans submitted for a passenger subway on the Pennsylvania railroad at Marcus Hook should be adopted or the whole crossing eventually be abolished were raised at a hearing held at the Public Service Commission to-day. Another interesting hearing was in the ob-

jections of the borough of New Brighton to the charges which the commission authorized the Beaver Valley Water Company to make. The borough contended that it had not been a party to the complaint and raised other questions. Ex-speaker George E. Alter was counsel for the company. Review of the papers in the Gaither action in equity against the establishment of the War Service Bureau by the Commission of Defense has been made upon but two members of the commission. The Governor has not yet been served although four efforts have been made and State Treasurer Kephart is ill in Philadelphia.

J. Odell Hauser, of the Philadelphia Press, was among visitors to the Capitol to-day. He will be here during the legislative session. Among Capitol visitors were Hale Hill, ex-corporation clerk of the auditor general, and C. A. Fisher, of Jones and Laughlin Steel Company. News of the death of the father of Ex-Representative H. P. Habgood, of McKean county, was received here to-day. He formerly lived in Lewis-town. Harry S. DeWitt, who will be the private secretary to Governor-elect William C. Sprout, was at the Capitol to-day in connection with work at the auditor general's department and was warmly greeted by many friends.

It is probable that state health authorities will take some steps this evening to bring about local restrictions in places where influenza has broken out. Ex-Congressman John H. Rothermel, of Reading, was at the State Board of Pardons session. Governor Brumbaugh returned to-day from Annapolis. He goes to Greensburg to-night. RED CROSS ROOMS OPEN New Cumberland, Pa., Dec. 16.—Red Cross rooms will be open Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings. All who wish to join the society are invited.

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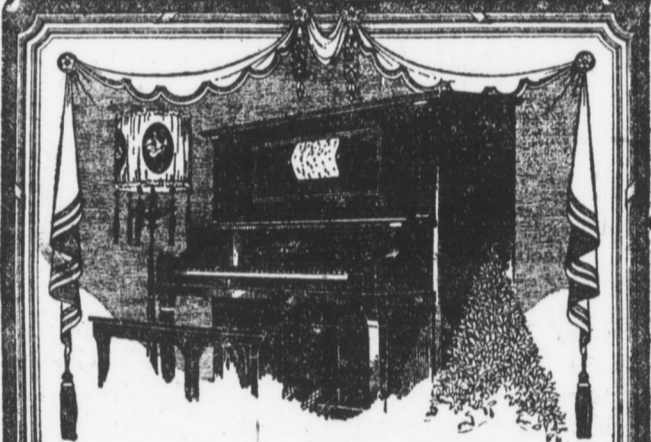
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