

# NEWS OF THE RAILROADS

## 400 ENGINES SENT ABROAD

Were Assembled in France and Moved Under Own Power in Few Hours

The shipment of American built steam locomotives, weighing seven-by-three tons and assembled, all but the smokestack and the tender, so that they could move away under their own steam within a few hours after their arrival in France, was among the accomplishment of the United States Army Transport Force under stress of war, and has since been continued.

More than four hundred of these locomotives were so shipped from New York in a few months, and these were in addition to 1,200 which were shipped in sections—nine to a locomotive packed in cases. The ships used to transport the locomotives, complete, were of a special type with three holds, each measuring 60x102 feet, entered by hatches 39 feet wide and 42 feet long.

Into each of the three holds was placed twelve locomotives—thirty-six to a ship. For a bed or flooring on which they rested for the voyage, was used more than 3,000 tons of steel rails. The locomotives when in position were braced with heavy wooden beams and the space between the boilers to the level of the top of the steam dome packed solid with highly compressed baled hay.

## Wilmington Made Terminal of B. & O. Freight Traffic

Philadelphia is no longer the terminal point for the Baltimore and Ohio railroad's freight business from the South, West and Baltimore, routed through to New York and Staten Island. All through freight of this class is now handled at Wilmington.

The change was made by order of the Federal Railroad Administration, through Charles H. Markham, director of the Allegheny region. It deprives Philadelphia of a daily business that aggregates on the average 150 cars per day. Crowded local conditions, leaving no room for expansion to take care of both the through business and shipments emanating from the Philadelphia district on the Baltimore & Ohio, made the move necessary. It does not affect the passenger business in any way, nor make any change in the freight business coming over the Baltimore & Ohio destined for points on the Philadelphia & Reading.

## Cumberland Valley People Want Chair Car Service

Cumberland Valley citizens are voicing cries for the restoration of chair car service on the Cumberland Valley Railroad and the agitation is gaining considerable volume. The people of the district claim that it was a decided convenience to them, which they gladly did without during the continuance of the war, but that now with so many other restrictions being withdrawn, they believe travel over the railroad warrant the re-establishment of the service.

**SERVED C. V. R. R. 39 YEARS.** John McClelland, popular and well-known conductor of the South Penn division of the Cumberland Valley railroad, observed the thirty-ninth anniversary of his service to the railroad company on Saturday. Born in the Mercersburg district, he early had a desire to become a railroader and when he became old enough, he sought his first railroad job. He was assigned to the Mont Alto branch by Colonel Lull, then in charge of the railroad. He was later promoted to the main line, where he has been serving faithfully and efficiently ever since.

## Y. M. C. A. to Entertain For Pipe Mill Employees

Workmen of the Harrisburg Pipe and Pipe Bending Company plant will be entertained at an open house entertainment in the Y. M. C. A. building, Second and Locust streets, Friday night. The Central Y. M. C. A. will be the host.

An interesting program has been planned to include a gymnastic exhibition and an entertainment in which the Pipe Bending Company talent will play a prominent part. There will probably be bowling, pool and wrestling tournaments and gymnastic exhibition. Frank G. Roth is chairman of the committee in charge. The entertainment will be opened at 7:30 o'clock.

## Monkey's Antics Call Out Fire Department

San Francisco.—Down on the waterfront the other day Oscar Lipman, a jewel broker, traded a watch to a sailor for a cunning little monkey. Lipman took the pet home to his apartment on Powell street. Then the trouble began.

The monkey escaped. The agile creature appeared, leering, in the room of a guest at the Fairmont Hotel. The man was trying to shave after a strenuous night before. Calls for help brought out the fire department. As the firemen clambered up their ladders the monkey was rapidly climbed down from the window sill and was next discovered swinging into an artist's studio near the hotel, where it joined a group of surprised Bohemians around a hearth fire. Lipman regained his pet through an advertisement.

**OBJECT TO SALE**  
Objections were raised in court to the private sale of 1020 Market street to Max Smeltz for \$9,100 by Annie L. Pasmacht and Edna May Anderson, administratrices of the estate of John F. Pasmacht. The attorney for the estate and counsel for Smeltz bid the price up to \$9,550, when President Judge George Kunkel stopped them and said that the court was not sitting as auctioneers. He ordered the objections to be entered of record and it is likely now a public sale will be held to dispose of the property. It was stated Mrs. Edith A. Herman offered \$9,400 for the property; counsel for Smeltz then bid \$9,450; for Mrs. Herman, \$9,500, and the last offer was \$9,550 when the court stopped the lawyers.

*"The Live Store"*

All Signal Shirts \$1.75

*"Always Reliable"*

# January Clothing Reductions

It's conceded by everybody, who wants to be fair about it, that DOUTRICH'S have "the drop" on the Clothing business, but they EARNED this reputation—it wasn't handed to them—you know how it was years ago before Doutrichs came to town, a great many Harrisburg people went out of town for their clothing, but it only took a short time for this "Live Store" to become established because we started RIGHT, gave the people square dealing, honest representation and greater values.

These things were just the things people were looking for and they were glad to come Here and send their friends to this Always Reliable "Live Store" — some of the merchants thought that it was a good joke that a country merchant was going to take hold of a clothing store in Harrisburg, and at that time there was a great deal of speculation as to the future of this store.

Little did anyone dream that this "Live Store" was destined to become the largest clothing store in Central Pennsylvania as it has and within a very short time at its present rate of progress it will be the largest clothing store in the entire state. No "inferior," "undesirable" or "shop worn" clothing is sold at Doutrichs and you can buy Dependable Merchandise at our Genuine Reductions.

## Every Suit and Overcoat Reduced

The reason for all this prestige we are enjoying is because we never "fool the people"—we sell good merchandise that will give satisfaction. Our customers know that we NEVER are "FORCED" to sell on the "excitement plan," but do business "on the level" at all times and the enormous increase and phenomenal growth of this "Live Store" is one of the "Big Wonders" in the clothing world.

*The Ever Busy Store, Watch the Eager Crowds Who Come Here For Genuine Reductions*

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| All \$20.00 Suits and Overcoats | \$16.50 |
| All \$25.00 Suits and Overcoats | \$21.50 |
| All \$30.00 Suits and Overcoats | \$24.50 |
| All \$35.00 Suits and Overcoats | \$28.50 |
| All \$38.00 Suits and Overcoats | \$31.50 |

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| All \$40.00 Suits and Overcoats | \$32.50 |
| All \$45.00 Suits and Overcoats | \$37.50 |
| All \$50.00 Suits and Overcoats | \$41.50 |
| All \$55.00 Suits and Overcoats | \$46.50 |
| All \$60.00 Suits and Overcoats | \$49.50 |

## All "Shirts" Reduced

The greatest assemblage of High-Grade Shirts that have been gathered together for you in this "Big Sale" and you can choose from America's best made Shirts at our Reduced Prices. Our Shirt business has grown to such wonderful proportions that it requires almost half the space of the Men's Furnishing Department to take care of our trade. The known quality shirts you get Here are fast colors. Our selection is by far the largest and most complete showing that you will find anywhere. Madras, Percale, Silks, Blue Chambray, Black Sateen and Signal Shirts included in this Shirt Sale.

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| All \$1.50 Shirts            | \$1.19 |
| All \$2.00 Shirts            | \$1.59 |
| All \$3.00 Shirts            | \$2.39 |
| All \$3.50 Shirts            | \$2.89 |
| All \$5.00 Shirts            | \$3.89 |
| All Boys' K. & E. 95c Shirts | 79c    |

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| All \$5.85 "Silk Shirts"  | \$4.89 |
| All \$6.85 "Silk Shirts"  | \$5.89 |
| All \$7.85 "Silk Shirts"  | \$6.89 |
| All \$8.85 "Silk Shirts"  | \$7.89 |
| All \$10.00 "Silk Shirts" | \$8.89 |
| All Boys' \$1.25 Shirts   | 99c    |



Best Black "Sateen Shirts" . . . . . 99c  
Best Blue "Chambray Shirts" . . . . . 99c  
Wool Shirts Reduced. Khaki, Blue, light and dark shades of Gray. Thousands of warm flannel shirts at January Prices. See Our Big Window of Wool Shirts.

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