

RUNS THREE-DAY HURRICANE ON THE HIGH SEAS

Galesburg Docks With Twenty-one Casuals of Twenty-Ninth Division

Philadelphia, April 1.—After encountering a hurricane that lasted three days, the steamer Galesburg, an army cargo carrier, bringing 21 casuals of the 29th sanitary squad, 29th division in charge of Major Ralph E. Balchm, Kalamazoo, Mich., of the medical corps, docked here yesterday.

The vessel bore evidence of a severe struggle with heavy seas. One lifeboat was washed overboard, a masthead light was gone and the decks were covered with water the greater part of the time. During the height of the storm, the soldiers, under orders of Captain Herman Doyle, commander of the vessel, donned life jackets and wore them continuously.

The squad was made up of units from National Guard companies mobilized at Camp McClellan in the early part of the war. They arrived in France, July 15, 1918, and were sent to the front lines three days later in time to take part in the Chateau Thierry drive. The unit also saw service in the Alsace and Artois sectors.

The ship left Bordeaux March 12.

Two Bills to Blot Out German in the Schools

The Senate committee on education, this morning reported out two bills concerning the teaching of German in the public and normal schools of the State.

Both the measures would eliminate the German language as a feature of the school curriculum. One of the measures sponsored by Representative Malory, Venango, would compel all schools to give instruction in the English language. The other, fathered by Representative Davis, Indiana, would prohibit the teaching of German.

The committee upon education had scheduled a hearing on the measures for this morning, upon the request of Senator Shantz, Lehigh, but no person appeared to oppose the measures. Senator Shantz let it be understood that he would have something to say on the floor of the Senate in regard to the bills.

HELD FOR AUTO THEFT

Charged with driving the automobile of Rudolph K. Spicer 511 North Second street without permission to Lebanon and there abandoning it, John Beck, chauffeur, was yesterday held by Alderman DeShong in police court under \$200 bail for his appearance at the next term of Dauphin County Court.

DEBS THREATENS TO CALL STRIKE OF HIS PARTY

Says Action Will Be Taken to Enforce Demands For Rehearing

Akron, Ohio, April 1.—Eugene V. Debs, Socialist leader, threatens to call a general strike of his party throughout the country unless he is granted a rehearing in the courts on charges upon which he was convicted under the espionage act.

When shown the report of the decision of the Supreme Court Debs said: "That means that by May 1, the day on which I begin my sentence, a general strike will have culminated. It must not be forgotten that that day is the Labor Day of the world. On that day I had been assured that if the Supreme Court had not ruled that by time more than 5,000 labor meetings would have been held asking for my release.

"The miners of my own State, Indiana, will start the strike. These men came to me at my home in Terra Haute before I started on my last speaking tour and told me that from the day I went to the penitentiary there would be no more coal mined in Indiana until the day I was released.

"The movement will undoubtedly begin at once."

Debs was confined to bed with a bad attack of lumbago at the home of Mrs. Margaret Prevey, here, when notified the United States Supreme Court had refused him a rehearing. Illinois is third with 21,727,000 acres, or about three-sevenths of her land area.

Iowa in fourth place is very close to Illinois with 21,613,000 acres, which is about three-sevenths of her land area.

The aggregate crop acreage include those of corn, wheat, barley, oats, rye, buckwheat, potatoes, sweet potatoes, tobacco, flax, rice, hay, cotton, peanuts, kafirs beans, broom corn, hops and cranberries.

Ask Salary Raise Equal to Advances Given Union Men

Washington, April 1.—Increases in salaries proportional to the wage advances granted members of the four railroad brotherhoods and other organized railroad employees was asked of the railroad administration board of wages and working conditions by representatives of the nearly 40,000 professional engineers employed by the railroads of the United States.

A schedule of salaries adopted at a recent national conference held in Chicago was presented to the board by C. E. Drayer, secretary of the American Association of Engineers.

MACKAY EXPLAINS COMPENSATION LAW CHANGES PROPOSED

Explaining to the legislative committee having in charge proposed amendments to the workmen's compensation law, Harry A. Mackay, chairman of the bureau, went at length into the changes contemplated, saying that while the amendments submitted had been carefully considered, they were not to be considered the ideas of the administration.

He said the Governor desired the fullest discussion of the amendments and suggested that the hearing be confined to the acquiring of information and that debate be delayed until a later date.

It is the desire of the bureau to be made a department of the State government, free from regulation by the State Department of Labor and Industry, of which it is now a part.

He said that while farm and domestic labor have been excepted in the amendments proposed, they may be included by special agreement. Benefits have been advanced under the new act to about sixty per cent. The insurance rates thirty per cent, which amounts to an advance of about one cent for each ten dollars produce.

Minimum weekly benefits are increased from \$5 to \$6.50, and maximum from \$10 to \$13.50, while widows are to have benefits for 400 instead of 300 weeks and upon remarriage are to be given in lump sum an amount not exceeding one-third of the benefits due her that she remained unmarried. Grandparents and grandchildren are to be included in the act. Totally disabled workmen who live beyond the 500-week period are to be continued as beneficiaries for the remainder of their lives at twenty-five per cent. the amount due them under the act up to the 500-week limit.

Overtime is to be reckoned in the fixing of the weekly wage and other changes of a more or less important character are also included.

"It is perfectly apparent that the workmen of Pennsylvania are today urging three definite changes in the act of 1915," said Mr. Mackay.

"First. An increase in the rate of compensation.

"Second. A longer period of medical service, and to be given in lump sum.

"Third. A shorter waiting period, this being the time after an accident during which medical service is alone supplied and no compensation paid.

"Obeying the instructions of the Governor, the attorney and the chairman of the board have prepared a tentative draft along these lines and summoned to our assistance actuarial experts in order to place before you, all the information at our command. I want it distinctly understood that we have adopted certain proposed rates and the purpose of presenting the problem and in order to furnish the necessary data in support of the same that the subject may be intelligently presented and widely discussed.

"We desire further to make it perfectly clear that this proposed bill, as far as schedules are concerned while it may represent the individual thought of the drafters as to an adequate and just bill, based upon a study of Pennsylvania's conditions and the precedents established in neighboring states, nevertheless they are not our official acts nor must they be considered as suggestions of the administration. At the moment that this conference is open, the board will not participate in its deliberation, as an advocate of any schedule, but will stand ready to furnish any further information which we may have.

Procedure Act

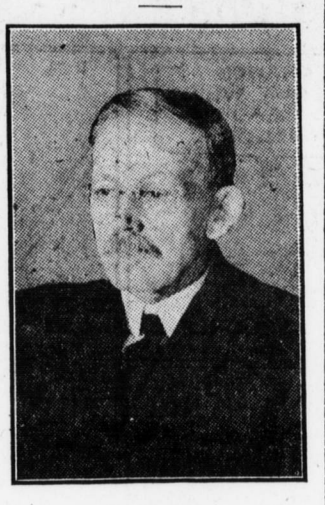
"As to Article 1 we have drawn what we consider an admirable procedure act, based upon our experience in the administration of the act of 1915 and in accordance with the suggestions contained in many opinions of the courts of Pennsylvania. Our effort has been to produce an elastic, nontechnical and understandable method of administering a compensation law. We feel that there is little room for argument over the wisdom of the various provisions of this bill. It is the same, the board will assume the responsibility of being their sponsor. We suggest that copies of this act be distributed to all the interests present and that a further explanation of each section be made now and that opportunity be afforded to make any suggestions for improvement and effect of any provision in the bill, and when this information has been acquired, that this meeting be adjourned for two weeks, that representatives of the employers may have an opportunity to confer and to become advised as to how far they can go in meeting the demands of the representatives of the employees.

"Society's neglect of the industrial crisis is no degree commensurate with the pretensions of our civilization," said Mr. Mackay. "Notwithstanding that the wheels of industry have for years been turning out their annual quota of goods, the people are tired of the patriotic impulse incident to the great war to focus public attention upon the subject of rehabilitation and to visualize the possibilities of the restoration of functional ability. The Board for some time had been in a small way endeavoring to teach the lesson that victory over handicap is man's greatest conquest. The time has now come when the people are more actively necessary that the State should render assistance to those who in their intensive occupations have suffered such injury that they are no longer able to place before you, all the information at our command. I want it distinctly understood that we have adopted certain proposed rates and the purpose of presenting the problem and in order to furnish the necessary data in support of the same that the subject may be intelligently presented and widely discussed.

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A. H. BALDWIN QUILTS RAILROAD AFTER 51 YEARS

Retired Passenger Conductor Served Many Years on the Pennsylvania Lines



Alpheus H. Baldwin, passenger conductor on the Philadelphia division of the Pennsylvania railroad, was today retired from active service and placed on the company's pension roll.

Mr. Baldwin was born, March 6, 1849, in West Lampeter township, Lancaster county. He was educated in the public schools and remained on the farm until 19 years of age. He entered the service of the Pennsylvania railroad as freight brakeman, September 8, 1861, and was promoted to freight conductor, December 1, 1873, and appointed passenger conductor, February 1, 1878, in which capacity he continued until retirement.

His period of service permitted him to see the Philadelphia division changed from the old State survey to the present straightened and improved roadbed, also marked improvement in the equipment, especially that of the electrically lighted standard steel coach as compared to the old candle lighted wooden coach in which it was necessary to carry a lamp on the arm in order to get the transportation on night trains.

He has seen many changes in the forms of transportation and in the accounting and was one of the four conductors of the Philadelphia division who ran the Pennsylvania Limited trains Nos. 2 and 5 when first put on the road. The others having passed into the great beyond.

Mr. Baldwin is very active yet and contemplates engaging in some other work.

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Members of the committee are reporting some strange excuses from persons who they think should be members of the chamber, but who thus far have failed to join.

"What good will it do me to join?" is one of the most frequent excuses. To these prospects it is pointed out by the canvassers that the chamber is not a selfish business proposition, and that the man who joins the Chamber of Commerce should do so with the sole intention of thus contributing to the welfare of Harrisburg.

"Perhaps the chamber will be of some assistance to him, but ordinarily he should not expect direct financial results from his membership," said Flavel L. Wright, chairman of the committee. "The work of the chamber can not help but benefit him indirectly. It may be through the bringing of conventions or new industries, or the consorship of promiscuous soliciting propositions. It may be through the construction of the new Penn-Harris Hotel which will mean much to the future of Harrisburg. But if in none of these ways, the member benefits through the knowledge that he is a man among men—he is carrying his share of the common burden.

McCaig Salary Bill Due to Pass Senate Today

The McCaig bill, raising the salaries of the assistant librarian of the Senate, and the resident clerk of the House to approximately \$2,000 a year, and that of the superintendent of the store rooms of the House at Senate, to \$2,400, was scheduled to pass the Senate finally this afternoon.

The measure passed the House some time ago. Three of the four positions are occupied by Harrisburgers, including Al. S. Cooper, Dale Meals, and Edgar Hoffman, all of whom are recognized as among the most efficient men on the Hill.

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In explaining why he prescribes iron as absolutely essential to the greatest development of physical and mental power, and discussing the probability of building up a stronger race of people by increasing the supply of iron in their blood, Dr. George H. Baker, formerly Physician and Surgeon, Montmouth Memorial Hospital of New Jersey, says:

"Iron is absolutely necessary to change food into living tissue, muscle and brain. Refined foods and modern methods of cooking have robbed us of much of the iron which Nature intended we should receive and for supplying this deficiency and increasing the red blood corpuscles. I know of nothing more effective than organic iron—Nuxated Iron. From a careful examination of the formula and my own test of Nuxated Iron, I feel convinced that it is a preparation which a physician can take himself or prescribe for his patients with the utmost confidence of obtaining highly beneficial and satisfactory results. The fact that Nuxated Iron is today being used by over three million people annually as a tonic, strength and blood-builder, is in itself evidence of tremendous public confidence and I am convinced, that if others would take Nuxated Iron when they feel weak and run-down it would help make a nation of stronger, healthier men and women."

Commenting on the use of Nuxated Iron as a tonic, strength and blood-builder, Dr. James Francis Sullivan, formerly physician of Bellevue Hospital, Westchester County, New York, and the Westchester County Hospital, says:

"Thousands are held back in life for want of sufficient iron in the blood. A weak body means a weakened will power, and like the race horse beaten by a nose, many a capable man or woman falls just short of winning because they don't back up their mentality with the physical strength and energy which come from having plenty of iron in the blood. That irritable twitch, that fit of dizziness, that dizzy, faint feeling—these are the sort of signals nature gives to tired, listless folks when the blood is clamouring for strength-giving iron—more iron to restore the health by enriching the blood and creating thousands of new red blood cells.

Manufacturers' Note: Nuxated Iron recommends above is not a secret remedy but one which is well known to druggists everywhere. Unlike the older inorganic iron products, it is easily assimilated, does not injure the teeth, make them black, nor upset the stomach. The manufacturers guarantee successful and entirely satisfactory results to every purchaser or they will refund your money. It is dispensed in this city by Groll Kellor, J. Nelson Clark, G. A. Gorgas, Clark's Medicine Store, and all other druggists.

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Croix de Guerre For Sergeant Welz From Marshal Foch

Camp Meade, Md., April 1.—Characterizing him as a man always "at hand at times when men's souls were tried," General Beaumont Bonaparte Buck, commander of this cantonment, yesterday presented the Croix De Guerre to Sergeant Joseph A. Welz, of Company L, Twenty-third infantry, for bravery in action at Chateau Thierry. The order for the decoration came from General Foch, marshal of France, the citation by the French commander in chief reading: "Near Chateau Thierry, July 1, 1918, he (Sergeant Welz) ably and bravely reorganizing the sections, after having reached the objective, and led the groups of troops and engineers to dug-outs and machine gun nests."

In connection with the presentation there was a battalion parade and all the officers congratulated the sergeant, who yesterday afternoon left for the Pennsylvania State College, where he will serve as military instructor.

Merchants to Organize Commerce Chamber Bureau

The plans to be followed in the organization of the Merchants Council of the Harrisburg Chamber of Commerce were outlined by officials of the Chamber today.

The bureau is to be organized at a meeting of the merchant members of the chamber in the Penn-Harris Hotel, next week from 7 to 8 o'clock.

Every effort is being made to induce every merchant to attend the meeting, as it will be of particular interest to them. A feature will be the address of William Smedley, of Philadelphia, secretary of the Retail Merchants' Association of Pennsylvania, who, besides being a retail organizer, is a speaker of considerable note, traveling more than 75,000 miles annually, organizing and addressing merchants' organizations.

The plans for organization as outlined today include the formation of an executive committee of the council, to be composed of a representative of each line of mercantile trade, selected by the merchants in each line. The entire body of merchants will elect the officers. The council will be a self-governing body, giving particular attention to matters of interest to the merchants. It will be responsible to the board of directors of the chamber in matters affecting the entire organization.

Missionary and Aid Society to Hold Meeting

The Missionary and Aid Society of the Noble Street Church of God will convene to-morrow evening at 7.30. The Rev. J. Nissley Gable, of Allen, Pa., will be the principal speaker of the evening. He will give an address on the subject of missions. The program will be interspersed with special music. This music as well as the address by the Rev. Mr. Gable will be worthy of an appreciative audience. Miss Candessa Fry is the efficient president of the society.

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