WILSON PICKS SWANSON AS HIS SENATE LEADER

Deposes Hitchcock as Spokesman in Fight For League; Democrats Astounded

Washington, July 12.—The first move of President Wilson for the fight for the ratification of the Peace Treaty and the League of Nations has been the virtual deposition of Senator Hitchcock, of Nebraska, as his spokesman in the Senate, and the selection of Senator Swanson, of Virginia, to lead the League forces.

Nortwithstanding the denial by Senator Swanson that there had been a shift of leadership in the Democratic ranks, it was learned that the Senator is preparing a speech that will probably be delivered in the Senate on Monday, which will be the keynote in support of the Covenant and Treaty brought back by President Wilson, while Senator Hitchcock, who has headed the League forces during the six months the President was abroad, is at his summer home in Massachusetts.

Moreover, Senator Hitchcock has not been in conference with the President since his return to the United States nor has he met the President except as a member of the Senate Committee appointed to escort the Chief Executive into the Senate chamber. On the other hand, Senator Swanson was in conference with the President for some time, and it is understood that a program was mapped out upon which the Democrats will support the Treaty and Covenant in the Senate.

Dissatisfied With Fight

It appeared that the President has not been satisfied with the manner in which the League fight has been carried on during his absence, and ascribes to this the growing sentiment against the League. This he finds even stronger now at the Capitol than he had been led to believe while in Paris. There are fears now being expressed that it will be difficult to hold all the Democratic forces in line when the final test comes, several of the minority Senators showing a keen disappointment that the President in his address failed to answer questions that were in their minds, and which they fully expected would be explained when the Chief Executive returned with the Treaty.

DENIES RUPTURE

Washington, July 12.—Published reports intimating that there had been a disagreement between President Wilson and Senator Hitchcock, Nebraska, who has been one of the leading spokesmen for the administration in the long Senate fight over the League of Nations, were said by Secretary Tumulty to-day to be without the slightest foundation.

Dauphin County Cows Make Good Records

That 15 of 335 cows tested during the month, produced more than forty pounds of butterfats, was announced to-day by Wilmer E. Grubb, official tester of the Dauphin County Cow Testing Association. Fourteen cows produced more than 1,000 pounds of milk during the month.

A cow belonging to Edward Swope, of Hummelstown, made the best record this month. This cow produced 1,409 pounds of milk, testing three and nine-tenths per cent., giving her a total butterfat record of 54 9-10 pounds. The fourteen-cow herd of Robert H. Bell, of Paxtang, made the highest average fat production.

Records of cow owners which produced more than forty pounds of butterfat during the month, follow:

Howard Speece, 1,188 pounds; E. B. Mitchell, 1,189 pounds; Dr. Kirkpatrick, 1,257 pounds; Dr. Jesse Lenker, 1,357 pounds; Edward Swope, 1,409 pounds; Edward Swope, 1,238 pounds; S. T. Witmer, 1,351 pounds; Irwin Curry, 1,290 pounds; Irwin Curry, 1,159 pounds; Irwin Curry, 1,208 pounds; W. Hower, 1,189 pounds; John O'Neal, 1,043 pounds; A. B. Shenk, 900 pounds; William H. Peters, 1,220 pounds; Edward Shutt, 1,025 pounds.

BATHING GIRLS TO "SWIM" IN RIVER

The Mack Sennett bathing girls will appear at the Riest bathing house in person some afternoon next week, it was announced to-day. Whether these girls, who will appear at the Victoria theater in connection with the presentation of the Mack Sennett comedy, "Yankee Doodle in Berlin," go into the water, it was not announced to-day. Promises were held out, however, that they may go in if they are able to swim.

SOLDIER TAKEN ILL

James Lewis, private of Company D, 342 Labor Battalion, was taken to the Harrisburg Hospital last evening from a troop train passing through this city. Suffering with a chest ailment, believed to have resulted from an attack of influenza, an operation may be necessary. Lewis' home is in Baxter, Ark.

FOR MISSION SOCIETIES

On Friday next, July 18, the Home and Foreign Missionary society of the Market Square Presbyterian Church will be entertained at supper by Mrs. Herman P. Miller, 2117 North Third street. The programs of both societies will be carried out in the afternoon.

ON WAY TO TEXAS

Corporal F. M. Putnam, who recently returned to this country, after overseas service at General Headquarters, Chaumont, France, was a guest during the week at the home of Miss Helen G. Comp, Emerald street. He will resume his duties August 1, after a leave spent with his parents in Texas.

UNITED IN MARRIAGE

Miss Helen May Manuel, 414 Cumberland street and Orion Almont Siler, of this city, were united in marriage last evening at the parsonage of the Green Street Church of God by the Rev. H. S. Hershey. Mr. and Mrs. Siler will reside at 214 Harris street.

CARDS AND LUNCHEON

The following young girls had the pleasure of attending a luncheon and card party with Miss Esther Wengert at her home, 1827 Market street, during the week: Miss Eliz-

MOTORING TO NEW YORK

Mr. and Mrs. Jack C. Court, who spent part of their honeymoon at the Commings home, North Fourth street, are motoring home to New York City. They were much entertained during their stay here and also had a little visit with Mrs. Court's grandmother, Mrs. John L. Butler, in Carlisle. In Philadelphia they met her brother, Lieutenant Charles Francis Commings, of the United States Navy.

THREE SHIPS ARE READY TO SAIL FOR GERMANY

One Is Loaded With Cotton and Two With General Merchandise

By Associated Press.

Washington, July 12.—Three ships for Germany already have been loaded in American ports, one with cotton and two with general merchandise. They will start overseas as soon as licenses for their cargoes have been issued.

It also was announced that direct steamship lines to Hamburg and Bremen would be established by the board. These lines will operate out of New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Baltimore and South Atlantic and Gulf ports just as soon as the necessary cargoes are at the docks.

Trading in all communities, except dyestuffs, chemicals and potash control over which will be exercised by the Reparations Commission set up by the Peace Treaty, will be unrestricted, it was said. American firms doing business with Germany must send their agents into that country without passports, however, as these can not be issued until the proclamation of peace. It also was said at the State Department that there was no certainty when American consuls would be sent to Germany.

Payment for the goods which this country sends to Germany must be made under a system of credits to be arranged later through private capital, officials said. While Germany has large quantities of goods ready to be exported, officials doubted that there would be any great demand for them in this country and consequently the trade balance in favor of the United States is expected to be large.

Germany was said to be in immediate and pressing need of raw materials of almost all kinds, particularly cotton and copper and it is believed that the demand for grain and clothing will be great.

CHRISTIANS ARE TOTURED IN KOREA

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added, "have the same feelings of delicacy as Europeans a modesty not shared by Japanese of either sex." He accuses the Japanese of taking advantage of this situation to increase the distress of women prisoners forced to undergo examination by the police and says cultured and refined Korean women were subjected to the grossest indignities. They were humiliated and exhibited to the public gaze, he declares.

Respectable women in one part of Korea were not safe in their homes during the day, the report continues, and so were forced to spend most of their time as refugees in the hills, returning to their homes at night. The Japanese police designated all women who favored the independence of their land as social outcasts and denounced them in revolting terms. When arrested, some of them, it is charged, were tortured. One such case, which was cited, referred to a Christian woman whose arm is said to have been wrenched from the socket by her persecutors.

Jap Governor Admitted Offenses

Towns where Japanese soldiers are declared to have committed excesses and burned churches and dwellings are Suchone and Tyungju, in north Pyengan province, and thirteen other missionary centers. Protests against such acts were lodged with the Japanese governor general by an American vice consul and a British acting consul, one of whom had visited a ruined village. The governor general admitted the offense, it is stated.

Hundreds Destitute

Testimony regarding one of these fires was quoted from a Tokio newspaper. It purported to describe scenes of ruin and devastation. Hundreds of families were said to be destitute. The investigators, according to the report, were told by an aged Korean survivor how all the Christians of the vilage had been forced to enter the church, the women being excluded, whereupon the soldiers started a massacre, sparing only women and children. After the fifteen villages had been reduced to ashes, the report goes on, a number of Korean and Japanese newspapers attributed the incendiarism to some of the missionaries and their converts. Others accused the Shuntokyo a semipolitical, semireligious organization.

Violently AntiAmerican

The Chosen Shimbun of March 13, 1919, is quoted as saying:

"The stirring up of the minds of the Koreans is the work of American missionaries. This uprising is their work. * * * There are a good many shallow-minded people among the missionaries. They make the minds of the Koreans bad and plant the seeds of democracy."

In conclusion, after publishing what are alleged to be violently antiAmerican articles from certain Japanese newspapers, the report of the Presbyterian investigators says:

"It is unnecessary to say more. These articles speak for themselves. The reader can judge of the attitude of the press when the government permits such stuff to be printed. As the press always is under the censor here, when such stuff is printed, the government becomes morally responsible. The truth is prohibited. Falsehoods and libels are allowed. Such a course of action only endangers the relations of the governments concerned."

Italians Ask For Big Concession in China

Paris, July 12. — The Italian delegation has sent a note to the Peace Conference asking that Italy be given a concession at Tien Tsin, China, it became known to-day.

The Italian request was placed on the program for the afternoon meeting of the Council of Five.

Other matters which the council will consider include certain reports in connection with the question of trade with Bolsheviki Russia.

PLANN FOR OUTING

Final arrangements for the big Penn-State outing and picnic at Hershey Park on Saturday, August 9, were completed at a meeting of the publicity committee of the Harrisburg Alumni Club of State College.

Announcement was made following the meeting that Dr. J. George Becht, executive secretary of the State Board of Education, would be the principal speaker on that day at a mass meeting of the 1,000 graduates and students who are expected to attend the affair.

BUILDING CODE NEEDED TO KEEP PROPER LINES

Residential Sections in Danger of Impairment by Lack of Laws

With the increasing development of the building trades more and more attention is being given to the lack of a proper building code. Attention is particularly directed by real estate men to the failure in some cases of proper building restrictions along Front street especially, and in other residential sections. Occasionally an owner of property will build upon a sidewalk line generally adopted by other buildings in the same locality.

"The principal asset of the River Front boulevard," said a progressive citizen to-day, "is the maintenance of the Front street line a proper distance east of the sidewalk or building line. The future attractiveness of the River Drive depends almost entirely upon the establishing of a definite building line so that the open spaces back of the sidewalk are preserved as a necessary setting to the driveway along the river."

Unless some definite steps are taken to provide building restrictions of this character through the adoption of a building code it is feared that serious impairment of the river frontage and its picturesque character may follow.

STEEL MILLS TO BOOM WITH COMING OF FALL

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to receive a large share of the Bethlehem apportionment. The rail mills here have been kept in operation partly through the transferring of orders from the Bethlehem plant.

Prices Hold Strong

The rolling mills and the foundry and forge department of the Steelton plant probably are less active than are the others. Some of the rolling mills are not in operation at this time, while some of the other mills together with the foundry and forge department are operating only several days weekly. Comparatively few less employes are on the company's payroll than before the war, however, it is reported.

The fact that prices continue strong, is advanced by the city iron and steel men as the reason for their belief that the business is rapidly coming again into its own in this territory. They say that heavy melting steel scrap is up again, with Pittsburgh district mills bidding from $13.50 to $19 or higher, but obtaining hardly any offerings, as scrap is scarce and the limited tonnages available are being held for higher prices.

In finished steel products the buying increases. The improvement in the market dates from about the second week in May and has been continuous since that time. Even the advent of the July-August midsummer period, proverbially a dull one in the steel market, does not seem to have affected the activity at all, and this is regarded as conclusive proof that a major movement in the steel market is already well under way.

On Good Basis

Mills of the Pittsburgh district are operating on a basis somewhat better than an 80 per cent. For the whole of the country it is a fair estimate that the industry turns the half year on an operating basis of between 70 and 75 per cent. Pittsburgh mills state orders received in June and sent to the mills for rolling and specifications against contracts were at least 50 per cent. heavier than in May, while in wire products and tubular goods they were nearly double.

June proved to be the largest month in pig iron sales in the last twelve months July so far shows considerable activity in all grades except steel-making irons.

The low ebb in furnace operations has now, apparently passed, as more merchant as well as steel works furnaces are now going back in blast than are closing. Production of pig iron in the United States in June was at the rate of 26,000,000 tons a year, against a rate of 25,000,000 tons in May, the May rate having been the lowest since April, 1915.

Light operations of car plants have curtailed demands for plates, but the general outlook is for heavier operations. Inspection of building projects is increasing steel demands, while the automobile trade is demanding more sheets. Pipe mills are operating actively to supply materials for the oil country. It is reported that more orders are being place for tin plate. Altogether, the trade is comparatively active and holds a generally bright outlook.

Hundred New Looms to Be Installed in the Plant of Harrisburg Silk Co.

During the war the Pelgram and Meyer Company, manufacturers of silks, ribbons, etc., went full blast, and since the cessation of hostilities there has been no falling off in their work. In fact, G. F. Koster, local manager, announced yesterday that pans were being completed for enlarging the capacity.

One hundred new looms have been ordered to replace the older type of machinery, costing $40,000, and will soon be set up. All these looms will be driven by motors, as no belts at all are allowed in the very up-to-date factory conducted by the company in this city, as well as in Paterson and Boonton, N. J.

Another firm which is increasing its capacity is the Moorhead Knitting Mills, which will begin the first of September to construct additional buildings to give double the present space.

Brewers Enter Demurrers at Near Beer Hearing

By Associated Press.

Pittsburgh, July 12.—Eleven officers and directors of the Pittsburgh Brewing Company entered demurrers before Judge W. H. H. Thompson in United States Court this morning at a preliminary hearing in the Government's suits against the company, charged with having sold beer containing 2¾ per cent alcohol in violation of the war time prohibition law. Next Tuesday morning was set by the court as the time for the hearing argument in the case, which is a test proceeding by the Government to determine if beer of light alcoholic percentage may be sold under the dry act.

"Y" MAN SAFE

By Associated Press.

London, July 12.—American Y. M. C. A. headquarters received a telegram to-day from Kirkwall saying that John E. Stinson, Y. M. C. A. secretary at the mine sweepers' station there, who was reported lost on a fishing trip, is safe.

WEDDING DINNER AT UNION DEPOSIT

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Wineholt, Wilmington, Dela., Honored at Walmer Home

Union Deposit, Pa., July 25.—On Sunday a wedding dinner was given by Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Walmer to Mr. and Mrs. Ross Wineholt of Wilmington, Del. and to the following visitors. Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Haas and Mrs. Frank Wentzel of Reading. Mrs. Nancy Walmer, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Nye of near Swatara, Mrs. Edward Eshenauer of Hoernerstown, Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Nye of Paxtang, Mr. and Mrs. Enos Boyer and daughter, Mary, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Walmer, Miss Mary Walmer, Miss Blanche Walmer and William Walmer of town. — Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stover of Stoverdale visited Mrs. Stover's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Landis on Sunday.—Mr. and Mrs. Simon Nye spent Saturday at Penbrook attending the funeral of the former's brother William Nye. — Joseph Sweigard of Neffsville, spent several days among his friends and relatives. — Mrs. Samuel Gipe and Mrs. Fred Gipe, spent Sunday at the Sand Hill visiting the former's daughter, Mrs. William Nye. — Mr. and Mrs. Ira D. Shoop of West Pittston, are spending some time with the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. John L. Shoop. —Mrs. Annie Stoner and Miss Florence Doutrich spent a day at Harrisburg. — Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Maxwell and Gordon Doutrich of Duncannon, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Gipe on Sunday. — Preaching services will be held in the United Brethren church to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock by Dr. S. C. Enck of Philadelphia, superintendent of East Pennsylvania Conference. — Samuuel K. Gipe, Jr., of Rutherford Heights, visited his mother Mrs. Samuel Gipe, Sr., on Monday. — Mr. and Mrs. Henry P. Peiffer, spent several days at Bedington, W. Va. — Mr. and Mrs. Michael Dingle of Columbia were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Walmer. — Walter Doutrich of Duncannon after spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gipe, has returned home. — Mr. and Mrs. Simon Nye and daughter, Orpha, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Hughes and daughter Eva, spent Sunday at Manada Gap visiting the ladies parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Neidich. — Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Borman of Harrisburg, were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. J. Buffington on Sunday. — Mrs. Amelia Horst and daughter, Mrs. George Seibert, spent Tuesday at Harrisburg.

DAYLIGHT LAW IS SUSTAINED BY WILSON

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miliar with the business operations of the country, but also from observation of the happy and beneficial consequences of similar legislation in other countries where legislation of this character has been for some time in operation and where it has resulted, as the act of March 19, 1918, has resulted in the United States, in substantial economies. That act was intended to place the chief business activities of the country as nearly as might be within the limits of daylight throughout the year. It resulted in very great economies of fuel and substantial economy of energy because of the very different effects of the work done in the daylight and work done by artificial light.

Wide Satisfaction

"It, moreover, served the daily convenience of many communities of the country in a way which gave all but universal satisfaction and the overwhelming testimony of its value which has come to me convinces me that I should not be justified in acquiescing in its repeal."

In regard to the sundry civil bill, the President, in another communication to the House said:

"Under the vocation rehabilitation bill, which became law June 27, 1918, the Congress has sought to fulfill the expectations of the country that their soldier, sailor and marine disabled in the recent war should be given an opportunity to secure at the expense and under the fostering care of the Federal government such training as he needs to overcome the handicap of his disability and to resume his place as a civilian able to earn a living upon something like equal footing with those with whom he was associated before he made his great sacrifice for the honor and defense of the country.

Work at Height

"The work of rehabilitation under this admirable law is now at its height and was to have been given greater speed and certainty by the amendment to section two of the vocational rehabilitation bill which I have to-day signed and which places the whole responsibility for vocational training in a single agency, virtually transferring from the War Risk Insurance Bureau to the Federal Board for Vocational Education six million dollars with which to support disabled men in training at the generous figures of $80 a month for a single man and $100 a month for a man and his wife.

"It is a matter of very grave concern, therefore, that at the very moment when these disabled men are coming in constantly increasing numbers to the government to avail themselves of this general plan, there should appear in the sundry civil appropriation bill, which I now return, limiting clauses which will do much more than seriously cripple and retard the beneficial work of restoring these men to useful and contented lives. Those clauses would probably, in fact, if put into effect, nullify the whole purpose of the act and render its administration practically impossible.

Would Spoil Whole Plan

"The section of the bill which I new return which governs the appropriation for this work provides the sum of six million dollars for all the expenses of rehabilitation, including the support of the disabed men in training, and this sum is stated to be 'in lieu of the appropriation contained in the act approved July (—), 1919, amending section two of the act approved June 7, 1918.' Inasmuch as there are already over 4,000 disabled soldiers, sailors and marines in training and inasmuch as another 4,000 would be put into training now that the amendment to section two has become law, it is clear that even at the rate of only $80 a month a sum approximating eight millions will be required for the mere support of these men, and that under the present appropriation nothing will be available for their tuition and travel or for placing them where they can earn a living and it will be impossible to meet the needs of the new thousands who are every week seeking the benefits of the rehabilitation act."

FIGHT OVER CURB MARKET RENEWED AT GETTYSBURG

Price Fixing Daylight-Saving Law, Greed and Other Things Enter Into Lively Argument Between Truckers, Citizens and Borough Council

Gettysburg, Pa., July 12.—Gettysburg's curb market, which has been a storm center ever since its establishment some years ago, is again in the midst of a controversy, in which truckers, citizens and the town council have become involved. Pricefixing, the daylight saving law, greed and many other things have entered into the arguments until the situation is uppermost in the minds of all concerned. Every year the council acts to fix the time of opening the market and every year the rule fails of enforcement. This year six o'clock was fixed, but the market opened when the truckers arrived and frequently at six o'clock most of them were sold out and on their way home. Then the town council acted and compelled all to observe the law and await the appointed hour. A regular free-for-all grab for the produce has resulted. Crowds of twelve and fifteen eager purchasers now surround wagons having on display the choice fruit and vegetables wanted and on the first stroke of the hour will dash in for their intended purchases. Fruits and vegetables have been spilled over the pavements and curbs and the truckers have a big time getting their money while the purchasing crowd fights on. More than that, the truckers object to the late opening hour, alleging that it delays them in getting home and doing their day's work, while council replies that it is "really" only five o'clock and that farmers are supposed to go by the sun anyhow. The newspapers and citizens generally claim that the truckers ask more for their fruit and vegetables than is demanded at the stores and heated arguments have resulted, people asking the market men to take back purchases completed. Raspberries, none too choice, have maintained a price of twenty cents a box which the growers justify by saying they can get that by shipping them to the cities. Generally, however, the market is regarded as an institution which has increased the cost of living here and agitation is again on its way to abandon the institution. — Among the speakers announced for the Lutheran reunion at Pen-Mar on Thursday, July 24, is Dr. Abdell Ross Wentz, one of the professors at the Theological Seminary here. — John Highland has purchased the candy kitchen next door to the Eagle Hotel from Gust Varelas. Highland, who was recently discharged from the army, was a corporal in Company A, 316th Infantry of the 79th Division, and after training at Camp Meade was sent to France where he participated in the Verdun, St. Mihiel and Argonne Forest offensives. Previous to his joining the army he conducted a business here. — Fifty-four battlefield guides, only about half the number operating here in other seasons, have paid their license fees to Burgess Eicholtz. The licenses are issued only after a satisfactory examination has been passed before the National Park Commission. — Dr. Charles F. Sanders, a professor at Gettysburg College, has returned to his home after spending two weeks delivering his lecture "The New Map of the World" to soldiers and sailors at Norfolk, Newport News, Camp Eustis at Williamsburg, and Camp Lee at Petersburg, Va.—Permission has been granted for the Canteen Department of the Red Cross to place three cots in the fire engine house for the use of discharged soldiers and sailors passing through here.

Six Killed, 12 Injured When Big Army Truck Plunges From Bridge

By Associated Press.

Alexander, Va., July 12. — Two officers and four enlisted men were killed and twelve enlisted men were injured, none seriously, in an accident near here early to-day in which an Army motor truck plunged over the side of a bridge while turning to avoid a passing military police patrol wagon. The dead:

Captain C. A. Heilman, Engineers, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Captain Charles L. Jazurat, Infantry, New York City.

Corporal Albert P. Ehni, McKeesport, Pa.

Private Vorhies Batiste, Baton Rouge, La.

Two unidentified enlisted men.

Eighteen men were returning in the truck to Camp Humphries, Va., from Washington. It was believed the patrol wagon, the driver lost that in turning the machine to avoid control. The truck fell on the rocks below the bridge and the dead men were crushed under it.

Demand For Labor Is Bigger Than the Supply

In spite of the great number of discharged soldiers who are looking for employment, the director of the State Empoyment Bureau, Jacob Lightner, looks for a serious labor shortage very shortly. New roads being built by the State draw many of the men who like an outdoor life; industrial plants running to capacity take many of them; the summer harvests are calling workers to the farms. Most of the requests for labor are of the unskilled type, although many men in skilled mechanical lines are being demanded also.

Boys' Band Goes Home After Several Concerts

The Lowe's Boys' Brigade, of DuBois, started home this morning after spending two days here. They played several concerts at Paxtang and yesterday afternoon played in front of Bowman's store, this latter concert being given by way of thanks for some cakes which Bowman picnickers handed out to the brigade when they were coming into town on Thursday. The hit of the band is the 8-year-old cymbal player who is a grandson of the director.

PORTER HELD UNDER $1,500 BAIL FOR TRIAL

United States Commissioner John A. F. Hall this afternoon held Garland A. Patton, Pullman porter, charged with the theft of valuables from a woman passenger in New York State, under $1,500 bail for the Federal court session in Scranton, October 20. Captain Barclay, of the Pennsylvania Railroad police, was the principal witness at the hearing. Commissioner Hall explained that because the package supposed to contain the valuables which Patton's wife sent from New York to the Pullman company, had not been received, the bail was fixed at such a high amount. He intimated that, if proof of delivery of the package containing the stolen property was shown, he would reduce the bail.

CHICAGO CATTLE MARKET

Chicago, July 12.—Hogs—Receipts, 7,000; market very uneven, mostly, 10c; higher than yesterday's best time; top 22.90, a new record. Bulk, $21.50 @22.90; heavy weight, $22.10@22.95; medium weight, $21.90@23; light weight, $21.85@23; light lights, $20.40 @22.65; heavy packing sows, smooth, 21.35@21.90; packing sows, rough, $20.50@21.25; pigs, $19@20.25.

Cattle—Receipts, 1,000; compared with week ago, beef steers and fat she stock 75 cents to $1.50 higher; best grades advancing most; canners low grade cows and calves 50 to 75c higher; bul's, 75c to $1.25 higher; stockers and feeders steady.

Sheep—Receipts, 5,000; compared with week ago, fat lambs mostly 25 to 40c lower. Wethers yearlings and ewes 25 to 50c higher; feeder lambs, 25 to 50c lower; other feeding and breeding stocks steady.

SODA FOUNTAIN INVENTOR DIES AT LANCASTER HOME

Lancaster, Pa., July 12. — Joseph R. Royer, the inventor of the soda water fountain, died at his home in this city yesterday, aged 84. He was one of the best known wholesale and retail candy manufacturers in the State. He turned his patents on the soda water business over to John Wanamaker, who developed it. Mr. Royer also was first in the trade to introduce the popular ribbon confectionery.

FILES PETITION

Robert W. Ingram and William H. Harris, of Lewistown, to-day filed petitions to be candidates for Associate Judge in Mifflin county. There are now four candidates in the field.

Weather Causes Change in Church of God Services

Linglestown, Pa., July 12.—Owing to the inclement weather the ordinance service in the Church of God was postponed from last Sunday evening to some future date.—Fleck Mixell is spending several days at Baltimore, Md.—Services will be held in the Church of God on Sunday morning by the Rev. E. Sheetz, and in the United Brethren Church on Sunday evening by the Rev. L. D. Gottschall.—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Walter, of Harrisburg, spent Sunday with Miss Marian Smith.—Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Buck and children and Mr. and Mrs. John Buck and daughter, Ruth, of Harrisburg, were recent visitors at the home of Mrs. Annie Buck.—Stewart Oyler, of Fayetteville, visited friends here on Saturday.—William McIlhenny, of Harrisburg, visited his sister, Mrs. Annie Smith, on Tuesday.—Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Landwesser, of Port Jefferson, N. Y., were guests of Mrs. Landwesser's mother, Mrs. W. G. Ball.—Mr. and Mrs. John Crum have returned from Tiffin, Ohio, after spending several weeks with relatives.—Mrs. Fannie Care and daughter, Miss Vera Care, were guests at a house party at Mount Gretna over the week-end.—Miss Malinda Seibert left for Evanston, Illinois, at which place she will spend some time with her sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Zartman. —Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Heller, and sons, Homer and Rollin, of Allentown, were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Zimmerman.—Paul Blaugh and Miss Esther Blaugh, of Steeltonmotored to the home of Mrs. Emma Longenecker, on Sunday.—J. H. Strock and daughter, Miss Kathryn Strock, of Harrisburg, were recent visitors at the home of Mrs. Mary Noecker.—Mrs. Martin Feeser and Mrs. Guy Frenena, of Penbrook, visited friends here on Tuesday.—Mr and Mrs. Frank Balsbaugh, of Harrisburg, were the guests of Mrs. Carrie Feeser on Sunday.—Mrs. William Koons and Miss Mary Shirk were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Keller, at Harrisburg.—Mrs. Adam Smith and son, Lawrence, Miss Anna Schaner and Miss Ruth Felty were recent visitors at the home of Miss Smith's mother, Mrs. Kline, at Harrisburg.—Miss Annie Feiser is spending several days with her sister, Mrs. F. M. Balsbaugh, at Harrisburg. —Mrs. Libby Bolton spent Wednesday at Harrisburg.—Miss Christine and Marguerita Lazzarine and their aunt, Miss Lillie Shamburg, spent Wednesday at Charlton, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Houck.

Two Women Ask For $2,000 Damages Each For Alleged Slanderous Talk

Two damage suits for $20,000 each were filed to-day against George Arbaugh, 2004 Kensington street, by James G. Hatz, attorney for Mrs. Bessie P. Henry, 2006 Kensington, and Mrs. Minnie A. Altland, 2007 Kensington street, the two women alleging that they have been slandered by statements which they allege Arbaugh made about them. The cases will be listed for trial in Common Pleas Court.

LAUNCH TWENTY-SECOND SHIP

Toledo, July 12.—The Lake Fielding, the twenty-second ship to be built here for the United States Government, was launched to-day. The vessel will proceed down the St. Lawrence River to the Atlantic coast, where it will be added to the United States Emergency Fleet. The Lake Fielding is 261 feet long, has a 43.6 foot beam and displacement of 4,000 tons.

BETHLEHEM MUSIC PROGRAM

The musical program at Bethlehem Lutheran Church for Sunday is announced as follows: Morning, prelude, Jour de Printemps, Kinder; anthem, The Lord is King, Marston; contralto solo, Gently Lord, O Gently Lead Us, Speaks, Mrs. Hugh L. Hertzler; offertory, Schuman; postlude, March Nuptiale, Granne. Evening—Prelude, Legende, Friml; quartet, "Let Not Your Heart Be Troubled," Foster; offertory, Adagioetta, Bizet; postlude, March, Hill. Mrs. William B. Bumbaugh is director and J. Stewart Black, organist.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

James J. Grouth and Currance E. Eichel, Enola.

Charles L. Wynn and Lillie C. Bricker, Dauphin.

Harvey E. Hassler and Mary G. Redmond, Hagerstown, Md.

Orion A. Siler and Helen M. Manuel, Harrisburg.

Edward P. Harman, Wisconisco, and Alberta E. Danherman, Lykens.

Clifton C. Good and Sara R. McEwen, Williamsport.

CONTRACT LET

The contract for 17,412 feet of State Highway in Sullivan county, leading out of Laporte has been awarded to R. D. Richardson Construction Co., Scranton, at $153,314.69.

Delightful Reception For New Pastor and Wife at Mechanicsburg Church

THE REV. C. D. ROCKEL

Mechanicsburg, Pa., July 12.—Under the auspices of the Mite Society of St. Paul's Reformed Church, a delightful reception was given in the lecture room in honor of the recently ordained and installed pastor, the Rev. C. D. Rockel, and Mrs. Rockel, last evening. The affair also served as a welcome by the congregation to the pastor's wife, as the Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Rockel were married on Friday, June 27, at the home of the bride, who was formerly Miss Anna Barbara Bear, of Lancaster. She was a teacher in the Lancaster High School.

The Rev. Mr. Rockel came here following his graduation from Franklin and Marshall Theological Seminary, and has already won many friends.

The room was attractively decorated with summer flowers and in the receiving line were the elders of the church and wives, as follows: Dr. and Mrs. S. E. Mowery, the Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Rockel, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Milleisen, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brindle, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wister, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Brenner and Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Morrett.. An enjoyable program, with S. S. Brenner in charge, included: Singing, "America;" prayer, the Rev. Dr. H. N. Fegley; address, the Rev. J. K. Robb; vocal solo, Miss Helen Bentz, with Miss Elizabeth Elyder at the piano; address, the Rev. J. Ellis Bell; piano solo, Miss Martha Morrett. address, the Rev. E. L. Coblentz, of Carlisle; reading "A New Commandment," by Bruce Wister; reading, Mrs. James Runkle, of Jeannette. Mrs. Sara Firestine, in behalf of the Mite Society, welcomed the pastor and bride, and presented a gift of money, which was responded to by the Rev. Mr. Rockel.

Following the program, refreshments were served, after which Dr. S. E. Mowery presided and a number of extemporaneous speeches were made. All sparkled with wit, and welcomed the new comers. Special guests of the evening were all the ministers and their wives of the town and vicinity.

Many Guests Entertained at at Home of Henry Hoffman

Manchester, Pa., July 12.—Guests entertained at the home of Henry Hoffman over the week-end were: Mr. and Mrs. Kurvin Sipe, Miss Pauline Quickle, York; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Frank and daughters, Helen and Marion, Mrs. H. E. Broske and children, George and Zelma, Harrisburg; and Ralph Updegraph, Newberry. — A dinner was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. March, in honor of their son, Swiler, and son in law, Nathan Sugarman, both of whom recently returned from France. The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Sugarman, New York N. Y., Mrs. Fay Witmer and children Russell and Dorothy, of York; Mr. and Mrs. Swiler March, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. March, Almena March, Russell Weigle and Dorcie Dowel of this place. — Mid summer communion will be held in Christ's Lutheran church to-morrow morning at 10.30. —Employes of C. H. Bear's department store, of York, held their annual picnic at Cold Springs park, Thursday. — Misses Malinda Kohler and Ada Huett, of York, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Kohler. — Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Good and family, Jacob Good and Charles Naylor motored to Hershey, on Thursday. — Arthur Dubbs, of Harrisburg, is spending several weeks with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Dubbs. — Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Sugarman, of New York city, Mr. and Mrs. Swiler March and Mrs. R. D. March, of this place motored to Pittsburg, on Sunday. — Christian Musser and Irving Klinedinst, spent a day at Harrisburg. — A. C. Cole, of Johnstown, who recently returned from France, is spending some time at the home of Mrs. Sara Kohler. — Mr. and Mrs. Leon Altland, spent Sunday at Halifax. — Mr. and Mrs. William Gross and Mr. and Mrs. James Rodes, of Detroit, Michigan, are spending some time with relatives here. — Allen Kohler, of Dallastown, and Mrs. Edith Saltzgiver, of York are spending several weeks with their mother, Mrs. Sara Kohler. —Misses Mamie Kann and Annie Dill spent the week-end with friends at Windsor. — Mrs. Lucinda Fink and daughter, Jennie, of York, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hyde. — Mrs. Norah Kann, of Harrisburg, was a week-end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Kann. — Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Kunkel, of St. Louis, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Kunkel and John King, of this place motored to Gettysburg Thursday. — Edwin Cockley, of Philadelphia, is spending some time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Cockley. — Miss Henrietta Carl, of Steelton, is spending some time at the home of Miss Emma Metzgar.—Dr. and Mrs. J. C. May and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Kauffman, returned home after a weeks' motor trip in the Ponoco mountains and Delaware Water Gap. — Robert Valentine, of York, is spending several weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Bell. — Mrs. Zach Gross, returned home after spending several weeks at Philadelphia, where she was the guest of her son and daughter in law, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gross. —Mrs. J. J. Hanna and sons James and Gress, of Colora, Md., returned home after spending a week at the home of Mrs. Hanna's father, Dr. H. V. Gress. — Mrs. Henry Rodes is confined to her home by illness.

TO ATTEND FUNERAL

Postmaster Frank C. Sites, who is treasurer of the National Association of Postmasters, left yesterday to attend, as a representative of that organization, the funeral of Mrs. John C. Koons, wife of the first assistant postmaster general. The services are to be held at Winchester, Va.

Questions For the President to Answer

Washington, D. C., July 12.—Questions which those favoring the League of Nations are asked to answer were given out to-day by George Whaton Pepper of Philadelphia, vice-president of the League for the Preservation of American Independence. The questions are:

"Why should Great Britain have six votes in the Assembly of Nations as against one apiece for Liberia and the United States?

"Is our guarantee of aid to France the same or a different thing from the guarantee which we give to other nations under Article X of the league covenant?

"If the same why make a separate treaty? If different, what is the difference?

"What good reason is there why the United States should surrender her moral leadership of the world by agreeing to act as directed by the international voting trust?

"These are the questions," says Mr. Pepper, "which millions of Americans hve lately begun to ask themselves. They look to the Prsidnt for an answr and hav got non. Mr. Wilson nver answers. He never explains. He never argues. He merely asserts in a confident and attractive way that all will be well if he is permitted to do exactly as he pleases."

Second Street Building Is Being Remodeled

The Penn Motor Company and the Goodyear Tire Service Company are about to remodel the building at 211-213 Second street at prsent occupied by G. C. Fager and Son. The Fager Company will move its store to Myrtle street, between Herr and Cumberland.

According to G. W. Hill, who with E. S. Wolf, is in control of the two companies mentioned above, plans will be announced very shortly as to the construction of the building. The architect, Frank Fahnestock, is working on them now, and the building at 213 will have its two upper floors made over into offices, while the 211 site will be a one-stock building which will be a part of the offices of the Penn Motor loc