MANY CHRISTIAN ENDEAVORERS HUSTLING FOR BIG PICNIC

Games and Contests Under Direction of Nelson B. Cassell and "Doc" Miller Promise to Be Big Feature of Occasion; Transportation Committee Makes Ready

Christian Endeavorers of Cumberland, Lebanon, Berks, Perry, and Dauphin counties, Carlisle and this city are hustling in the preparations of the big "Something Doing" picnic to be held at Hershey Park, Friday, August 29th. Many enthusiastic and full of "pep" workers are determined to win some prizes in the games and contests which will be given by the committee under the direction of Nelson B. Cassell, Penbrook, and C. W. Miller, of the Central Young Men's Christian Association. Many societies are planning to contest with each other. If you want a good, jolly days' outing, attend this picnic which promises to be one of the biggest outdoor gatherings ever held in the history of the local Endeavor movement.

One of the important features of the day will be the entertainment of about two hundred wounded overseas soldiers from the Carlisle United States Hospital.

A special train via the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad is being arranged for. Tickets will be on sale at the following places after July 25th at the rate of 85 cents each for adults, and 40 cents for children between the ages of 5 and 12 years:

Walter S. Cass, 1505 Berryhill street; Montgomery's Coal Office, Third and Chestnut streets; Harrisburg Taxicab and Baggage Company, 16 Aberdeen street; Diener's Jewerly Store, 408 Market street; A. Elwyn Strode, Camp Hill; Miss Wilhelmina Dress, 163 S. 4th street, Steelton; Paul A. Strickler, Hummelstown; E. L. Stiles, West Fairview; E. S. Schilling, 1110 Montgomery street; Miss Beulah Laverty, Middletown; Nelson B. Cassell, Penbrook.

A number of the delegations are urged to leave the city and surrounding towns about 8 or 8.30 o'clock in the morning.

A Flying Squadron of Boosters will visit every society on Sunday evening, August 3rd, when full particulars concerning the great picnic will be explained. All societies are urged to register in advance. Particulars can be had by addressing the Booster Committee, Harold E. Eckert, chairman, 125 Sylvan Terrace, City.

The transportation of delegations and the arrangements of picnic baskets are in the hands of a reliable committee, with Walter S. Cass, chairman, 1505 Berryhill street, city, and Edward L. Stiles, assistant chairman, of West Fairview.

C. E. NOTES

Picnic chocolate cake! Huckleberry pie!
V-I-C-T-O-R-Y,
Are WE IN IT? Well, I guess!
Uncle Sam's soldier boys!
Yes! Yes! Yes!
Hoo-Ray! Hershey Park, August
TWENTY-NINE!

At the St. John's Lutheran society, Steelton, Misses Lillian M. Kell and Marie Alleman will have charge of the Endeavor meeting on Sunday evening.

Miss Francis Staub, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Sue Nickle, a member of the missionary committee, and Mrs. Truman Harper, will have charge of the program at the Senior society of the Fourth Street Church of God to-morrow evening.

At the Zion Evangelical Lutheran society, Enola, Miss Irene Sharp, a member of the social committee, will conduct the service on Sunday evening.

Westminster Presbyterian Endeavorers will have a good program arranged for Sunday evening's service. Miss Kathrine Germer will be the leader and speaker during the meeting.

Mr. Emig, a member of the Sunday School and missionary committee, of the Harris Street Keystone League of Christian Endeavor, will have charge of an interesting service beginning at 7 o'clock on Sunday evening.

Christ Lutheran Endeavorers will have a worth-while service tomorrow evening when the regular topic of the evening will be discussed. Miss Nettie Wilson will be the leader at the service.

William F. Gramm, and C. E. Bucher will have charge of the Endeavor program on Sunday evening, at the Park Street United Evangelical Church.

At the Centenary United Brethran society, Steelton, the program will be in charge of Miss Mary L. Daugherty, a prominent member of the prayer meeting committee.

Release Man From Wife Murder Charge

By Associated Press.

Glassboro, N. J., July 26.—Charles Sabor, who was arrested on Wednesday after his wife had been shot and killed and his mother-in-law wounded, was released on bail yesterday, the authorities being of the opinion that the shooting was done by masked robbers, as claimed by the mother-in-law.

Deaths and Funerals

New Cumberland, Pa., July 26.—In the absence of the Rev. A. R. Ayres, of Trinity United Brethren Church, the Rev. H. W. Zuse, of Mount Wolf, York county, will preach in that church to-morrow morning at 10.30 and in the evening at 7.30.

ELMER E. BEERS

Funeral services for Elmer E. Beers, 46 years old, railroader killed at Lucknow on Thursday, will be held from his late home, 541 Woodbine street, on Monday morning at 10.30 o'clock. The body will be taken by Hoover & Son to Newport, where further services will be held in the Newport Evangelical Church at 1 o'clock and burial will take place in the Newport Cemetery. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Catherine Beers; seven children, Chester, Clarence, Raymond, Charles, Ralph, Annie and Elsie; five brothers, George, William, Frank, Jerome and Reuben, and two sisters, Sarah and Elizabeth.

MARGUERITE L. SWEENEY

Miss Marguerite L. Sweeney died on Thursday morning at the home of her mother, Mrs. William Hyndman, Dauphin street, Enola, aged 19 years. Death followed a lingering illness. She is survived by her mother and one brother, William McCreary, of Detroit, Mich. She was a member of Belle of Blue Mountain Lodge, Ladies' Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, of Marysville. Funeral services will be held from her late home on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, conducted by the Rev. Mr. Sharp, of the Enola Lutheran Church. Burial will be in the East Harrisburg Cemetery.

HAROLD C. HESS

Harold C. Hess, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hess, 910 South Ninth street, died yesterday morning. Funeral services will be held on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of the parents, conducted by the Rev. Mr. Meisenheldr. Burial will b in Prospect Hill Cemetery.

WAGON OVERTURNS

Bushels of soft coal were scattered over Market street this morning at the eastern entrance to the subway when an axle of one of the John Gates coal wagons broke and the wagon overturned. The driver was thrown to the street, but escaped with slight bruises and scratches.

TO PREACH HERE

The Rev. Harry C. McKay, of Chicago, a former resident of this city, will deliver the sermon of the evening at Nagle Street Church of God to-morrow at 7.30 o'clock.

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Particulars mailed free to any address. Hall Chem. Co. Dept. B-50 St. Louis, Mo.

A plate without a roof which does not interfere with taste or speech.
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Standing of the Crews

HARRISBURG SIDE

Philadelphia Division. — The 101 crew to go first after 2 o'clock: 125, 112, 105, 107.

Engineers for 101, 105.

Conductors for 125.

Brakemen for 105.

Engineers up: Binkley, Wiker, Ream, Fridy, Shaitley, Shoaff, Blankenhorn, Schlegelmilch, Karr, A. K. Steffy.

Firemen up: Stricker, Abel, Sheets, Good, Craley, Mace, Harnish, Wood, Bralley, Cushing, Utley, Netzley.

Brakemen up: Cross, Wilson, Horne, Boughter, Minnichan, Kassemer, Hoffman.

Middle Division. —The 27 crew to go first after 1.15 o'clock: 31, 29, 32, 15, 21, 33, 16, 23, 24, 17, 28.

Engineers wanted for 31, 29, 21.

Firemen wanted for 23, 24, 17.

Conductors for 31, 15, 21, 33, 23.

Brakemen for 31, 27, 32, 28.

Flagmen for 31, 27, 29 (2).

Engineers up: Fisher, Sweger, Rowe, Fitler, Moretz, Leiter, Corder, Kreps, Cook, Nissley, Moretz.

Firemen up: Shaffer, Kurtz, Clinger, Naylor, Banks, Elicker, R. E. Myers, Keiter, Gilbert, Bickert, Delancey, Evens, Acker, Buss, Peters, Arnold, Grabill.

Conductors up: Derrick, Rhine.

Brakemen up: Clemm, Sharer, Fisher, Page, Rumberger, Forbes, Dennis, Bell, Linn, Dare, Steininger, Depugh, Manning, Leithouser, Furlow, McNaight, Foltz, Arter.

Yard Board. —Engineers wanted for 1, 7C, 10C, 3, 7C, 12C, 4, 15C, 16C, 23C.

Firemen wanted for 1C, 6C, 1, 7C, 3, 7C, 10C, 2, 15C, 4, 15C, 16C, 28C.

Engineers up: Miller Biever, Essig, Clelland, Sayford, Beckwith, Machamer, Cless.

Firemen up: Rice, Roberts, Burns, Houdeshel, Gardner, Rupley, Speese, Miller, Biever, Yost, Eckinger, Troup, Dissinger, Plank, Young, Cain, Smith, Rothe, Whichello, Dearoff, Stine, Paul, Ross.

ENOLA SIDE

Philadelphia Division. — The 105 crew to go first after 2.15 o'clock: 245, 108.

Conductors for 105, 108.

Brakemen for 105.

Middle Division.—The 244 crew to go first after 1.15 o'clock: 202, 235, 228, 248, 252, 213, 250.

Engineers for 202, 244, 250, 252.

Firemen for 244.

Conductors for 252, 213, 250.

Flagmen for 213, (2) 250.

Conductors up: Gemperling, Miller.

Brakemen up: Singer, Morgan, Eshleman, Freedman, Beer, Reisinger, Skiles, Lee, Shank, Brunner.

Yard Board.—Engineers up: Geib, Flickenger, Curtis, Hinkle, Holland.

Firemen up: Meck, Hutchison, Saylor, Holmes, Wilt, Shindler, Albright, Sanders, Sweigart, Quinsler, O. J. Wagner, Hawbecker, Sheely, Kennedy, McConnell, Boyer.

Engineers for 1st 129, 2nd 129.

Firemen for 137, 145, 1st 102, 2nd 102, 3rd 126, 2nd 104.

PASSENGER SERVICE

Middle Division. —Engineers up: H. E. Groninger, L. H. Ricedorf, W. E. Turbett, J. H. Ditmer, W. C. Black, J. W. Smith, F. F. Schreck, J Crimmel, S H. Alexander.

Engineers wanted for 23, 6293.

Firemen up: G. B. Huss, H. W. Fletcher, C. L. Sheets, S. H. Wright, C. F. Foust, J. N. Ramsey, G. W. Musser, J. R. Weibley, J. C. Kerber, R. F. Mohler, P. E. Gross, W. W. Beacham, H. B. Thomas, R. A. Arnold.

Firemen wanted for 29, 47, 31.

Philadelphia Division.—Engineers up: I. W. Geesey, C. H. Seitz, M. Pleam, J. G. Davis, F. X. Wolf.

Engineers wanted for none.

Firemen up: M. G. Shaffner, J. S. Lenig, J. N. Schindler, H. Meyers, A. L. Floyd.

Firemen wanted for 98.

STOP STAMP SALES

The revenue stamp office in the Post Office building closed to-day to reopen on August 1. This is made necessary through the consolidation of the Philadelphia and Lancaster districts.

LABOR UNION TO MEET

The regular meeting of the Central Labor Union will be held to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock at 310 Market street.

Use McNeil's Cold Tablets. — Adv.

The Wonderful Stories of OZ

By L. Frank Baum

The Heads of Langwidere

Thy walked slowly down the path between the rocks, Tiktok going first, Dorothy following him, and the yellow hen trotting along last of all.

At the foot of the path the copper man leaned down and tossed aside with ease the rocks that cumbered the way. Then he turned to Dorothy and said:

"Let me car-ry your din-ner- pail."

She placed it in his right hand at once, and the copper fingers closed firmly over the stout handle.

Then the little procession marched out upon the level sands.

As soon as the three Wheelers who were guarding the mound saw them, they began to shout their wild cries and rolled swiftly toward the little gorup, as if to capture them or bar their way. But when the foremost had approached near enough, Tiktok swung the tin dinner pail and struck the Wheeler a sharp blow over its head with the queer weapon. Perhaps it did not hurt very much, but it made a great noise, and the Wheeler uttered a howl and tumbled over upon its side. The next minute it scrambled to its wheels and rolled away as fast as it could go, screeching with fear at the same time.

"I told you they were harmless," began Tiktok; but before he could say more another Wheeler was upon them. Crack! went the dinnerpail against its head, knocking its straw hat a dozen feet away; and that was enough for this Wheeler, also. It rolled away after the first one, and the third did not wait to be pounded with the pail, but joined its fellows as quickly as its wheels would whirl.

The yellow hen gave a cackle of delight, and flying to a perch upon Tiktok's shoulder, she said.

"Bravely done, my copper friend! and wisely thought of, too. Now we are free from those ugly creatures."

But just then a large band of Wheelers rolled from the forest, and relying upon their numbers to conquer, they advanced fiercely upon Tiktok. Dorothy grabbed Billina in her arms and held her tight, and the machine embraced the form of the little girl with his left arm, the better to protect her. Then the Wheelers were upon them.

Rattlety, bang! bang! went the dinner pail in every direction, and it made so much clatter bumping against the heads of the Wheelers that they were much more frightened than hurt and fled in a great panic. All, that is, except their leader. This Wheeler had stumbled against another and fallen flat upon his back and before he could get his wheels under him to rise again, Tiktok had fastened his copper fingers into the neck of the gorgeous jacket of his foe and held him fast.

"Tell your peo-ple to go a-way," commanded the machine.

The leader of the Wheelers hesitated to give this order, so Tiktok shook him as a terrier dog does a rat until the Wheeler's teeth rattled together with a noise like hailstones on a window pane. Then, as soon as the creature could get its breath, it shouted to the others to roll away, which they immediately did.

"Now," said Tiktok, "you shall come with us and tell me what I want to know."

"You'll be sorry for treating me in this way," whined the Wheeler. "I'm a terribly fierce person."

"As for that," answered Tiktok, "I am only a ma-chine, and can-not feel ser-row or joy, no mat-ter what happens. But you are wrong to think your-self ter-ri-ble or fierce."

"Why so?" asked the Wheeler.

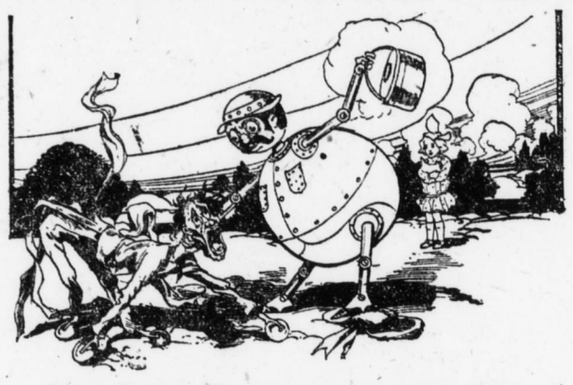
"Be-cause no one else thinks as you do. Your wheels make you help-less to in-jure an-y one. For you have no fists and can not scratch or e-ven pull hair. Nor have you any feet to kick with. All you can do is to yell and shout, and that does not hurt an-y one at all."

The Wheeler burst into a flood of tears, to Dorothy's great surprise.

"Now I and my people are ruined forever!" he sobbed; "for you have discovered our secret. Being so helpless, our only hope is to make people afraid of us, by pretending we are very fierce and terrible, and writing in the sand warnngs to Beware of Wheelers. Until now we have frightened everyone, but since you have discovered our weakness our enemies will fall upon us and make us very miserable and unhappy.

"Oh, no," exclaimed Dorothy, who was sorry to see this beautifully dressed Wheeler so miserable; "Tiktok will keep your secret, and so will Billina and I. Only, you must promise not to try to frighten children any more, if they come near to you."

"I won't—indeed I won't!" promised the Wheeler, ceasing to cry and becoming more cheerful. "I'm not really bad, you know; but we have to pretend to be terrible in order to prevent others from attacking us."



Tiktok Fastened His Copper Fingers Into Its Neck

"That is not ex-act-ly true," said Tiktok, starting to walk toward the path through the forest, and still holding fast to his prisoner, who rolled along beside him. "You and your people are full of mis-chief, and like to both-er those who fear you. And you are of-ten im-pu-dent and dis-a-gree-a-ble, too. But if you will try to cure those faults I will not tell any-one how help-less you are."

"I' try, of course," replied the Wheeler, eagerly. "And thank you, Mr. Tiktok, for your kndness."

"I am on-ly a ma-chine," said Tiktok. "I can not be kind an-y more than I can be sor-ry or glad. I can on-ly do what I am wound up to do."

"Are you wound up to keep my secret?" asked the Wheeler, anxiously.

"Yes; if you be-have yourself. But tell me; who rules the Land of Ev now?" asked the machine.

"There is no ruler," was the answer, "because every member of the royal family is imprisoned by the Nome King. But the Princess Langwidere, who is a niece of our late King Evoldo, lives in a part of the royal palace and takes as much money out of the royal treasury as she can spend. The Princess Langwidere is not exactly a ruler you see, because she doesn't rule; but she is the nearest approach to a ruler we have at present."

"I do not re-mem-ber her," said Tiktok. "What does she look like?"

"That I cannot say," replied the Wheeler, "although I have seen her twenty times. For the Princess Langwidere is a different person every time I see her, and the only way her subjects can recognize her at all is by means of a beautiful ruby key which she always wears on a chain attached to her left wrist. When we see the key we know we are beholding the Princess."

"That is strange," said Dorothy, in astonishment. "Do you mean to say that so many different princesses are one and the same person?"

"Not exactly," answered the Wheeler. "There is, of course, but one princess; but she appears to us in many forms, which are all more or less beautiful."

"She must be a witch," exclaimed the girl.

"I do not think so," declared the Wheeler. "But there is some mystery connected with her, nevetheless. She is a very vain creature, and lives mostly in a room surrounded by mirrors, so that she can admire herself whichever way she looks."

No one answered this speech, because they had just passed out of the forest and their attention was fixed upon the scene before them—a beautiful vale in which were many fruit trees and green fields, with pretty farmhouses scattered here and there and broad, smooth roads that led in every direction.

In the center of this lovely vale, about a mile from where our friends were standing, rose the tall spires of the royal palace, which glittered trightly against their background of blue sky. The palace was surrounded by charming grounds, full of flowers and shrubbery. Several tinkling fountains could be seen, and there were pleasant walks bordered by rows of white marble statuary.

All of these details Dorothy was, of course, unable to notice or admire until they had advanced along the road to a position quite near to the palace, and she was still looking at the pretty sights when her little party entered the grounds and approached the big front door of the king's own apartments. To their dsappointment they found the door tightly closed. A sign was tacked to the panel which read as follows:

OWNER ABSENT.
Please Knock at the Third Door in the Left Wing.

"Now," said Tiktok to the captive Wheeler, "you must show us the way to the Left Wing."

"Very well," agreed the prisoner, "it is around here at the right."

"How can the left wing be at the right" demanded Dorothy, who feared the Wheeler was fooling them.

"Because there used to be three wings, and two were torn down, so the one on the right is the only one left. It is a trick of the Princess Langwidere to prevent visitors from annoying here."

Then the captive led them around to the wing, after which the machine man, having no further use for the Wheeler, permitted him to depart and rejoin his fellows He immediately rolled away at a great pace and was soon lost to sight.

Tiktok now counted the doors in the wing and knocked loudly upon the third one.

It was opened by a little maid in a cap trimmed with gay ribbons, who bowed respectfully and asked:

"What do you wish, good people?"

"Are you the Princess Langwidere?" asked Dorothy.

"No, miss; I am her servant," replied the maid.

"May I see the Princess, please?"

"I will tell her you are here, Miss, and ask her to grant you an audience," said the maid. "Step in, please, and take a seat in the drawingroom."

So Dorothy walked in, followed closely by the machine. But as the yellow hen tried to enter after them, the little maid cried "Shoo!" and flapped her apron in Billina's face.

"Shoo, yourself!" retorted the hen, drawing back in anger and ruffling up her feathers. "Haven't you any bettr manners than that?"

"Oh, do you talk?" inquired the maid, evidently surprised.

"Can't you hear me?" snapped Billina. "Drop that apron and get out of the doorway, that I may enter with my friends!"

"The Princess won't like it," said the maid, hesitating.

"I don't care whether she likes it or not," replied Billina, and fluttering her wings with a loud noise she flew straight at the maid's face. The little servant at once ducked her head, and the hen reached Dorothy's side in safety.

"Very well," sighed the maid; "if you are all ruined because of this obstinate hen, don't blame me for it. It isn't safe to annoy the Princess Langwidere."

"Tell her we are waiting, if you please," Dorothy requested with dignity. "Billina is my friend, and must go wherever I go."

Without more word sthe maid led them to a richly furnished drawingroom, lighted with subdued rainbow tints that came in through beautiful stained glass windows.

"Remain here," she said. "What names shall I give the Princess?"

"I am Dorothy Gale, of Kansas," replied the child; "and this gentleman is a machine named Tiktok, and the yellow hen is my friend Billina."

The little servant bowed and withdrew, going through several passages and mounting two marble stairways before she came to the apartments occupied by her mistress.

Editor's Note—Our next story will be "Dorothy's Imprisonment by Langwidere." Dorothy and Tiktok and Bellina meet the vain princess with thirty heads. Why did she imprison Dorothy? Just wait and see—next week!

High School Alumni Plans to Broaden Field; Will Hold Big Picnic

Plans for broadening the usefulness of the Harrisburg High School Alumni Association, including graduates of Harrisburg High School and of the later Central High School, were considered at a well attended meeting of representatives of the class last evening in Fahnestock Hall, Y. M. C. A. Building.

Representatives were in attendance at last evening's meeting from no less than 20 classes represented in the Alumni Association, some of them of classes extending back as far as 1884. Al. K. Thomas, president, presided at the meeting.

School problems and matters of civic interest will be considered by this organization. The best interests of the city, especially as concerns its school matters, will receive the attention of the body, but strictly as a non-partisan organization.

A lyceum course is being planned for the winter and there is a possibility that public debates will be held between representatives of the various classes. In order to further the plan and make the organization a factor of vital interest, plans are being made for a get-together picnic.

The picnic will be held in August. The committe includes: Benjamin Wolf, '18, chairman; Miss Mary C. Orth, '92; W. S. Middleton, '19; Clarence Cooper, '15; Robert Michael, '16, and Edgar Hoffman, '90.

A committee on by-laws and constitution was appointed. This committee, which will report at the September meeting of the body includes: John B. Corl, '92; W. S. Fishel; Mrs. W. G. Schooley, '88; Miss Helen McFarland, '03; Robert Crist, '19.

Officers, members of the Executive Committee and representatives who had been invited to attend last evening's meeting included:

Al. K. Thomas, president; E. E. Beidleman, vice-president; John A. F. Hall, treasurer; Harold E. Eckert, secretary. Executive Committee — Walter S. Fishel, John B. Corl, Miss Mary C. Orth, Mrs. John M. Ensminger, William Cleckner, R. W. Crist, Thomas D. Caldwell. Representatives of classes: Mrs. W. C. Armor, '67; J. Henry Spicer, '74; M. B. Cowden, '70; Prof. C. A. Ellenberger, '77; H. J. Kurzenknabe, '78; Miss Minnie L. Hursh, '81; D. D. Hammelbaugh, '82; Dr. C. R. Phillips, '83; Mrs. Harris McCormick, '84; Harvey Lyter, '87; Mrs. William Schooley, '88; Miss Lillian Fitzimmons, '89; Edgar Hoffman, '90; V. W. Stanford, '91; Mrs. Frank Foose, "99; Mrs. W. I. Elmer, '00; Mrs. Paul Gochenaur, '01; Miss Glen Gotschall, '02; Miss Helen McFarland, '03; Samuel Fackler, '04; Miss Cordelia Brenneman, '05; Karl E. Richards, '06; R. E. Bratton, '07; R. C. Hertzler, '08; R. R. Free, '09; William S. Middleton, '10; Dr. Edward Richards, '11; Lieut. Wilbur Towsen, '12; T. V. Devine, '13; Carson McAllister, '14; C. C. Cooper, '15; Robert Michael, '16; Harold Eckert, '17; Ben Wolfe, '18; R. W. Crist, '19, and William Cleckner, '20.

ARMY SELLS 13,000 OUNCES OF PLATINUM, $105 AN OUNCE

New York, July 26. — Thirteen thousand ounces of platinum have been sold by the Ordnance Department of the Army, it was announced here.

The mineral was withdrawn from the assay office and sold at $105 an ounce.

With Choir and Organist

Miss Helen Runkle, a pupil of Frank A. McCarrell, organist and choirmaster of Pine Street Presbyterian Church, has been chosen organist of Fourth Reformed Church. Miss Runkle will play the Pine Street organ during the absence of Mr. McCarrell on his vacation in August.

Mrs. Lee S. Izer will lead the congregational singing at Pine Street Presbyterian Church during the month of August, the quartet choir of the church taking its vacation during that month.

Mrs. Emma Hoffman, organist of Messiah Lutheran Church, is taking her vacation. Mrs. Kathryn Raymond will play the three-manual organ while she is away.

At Second Reformed Church tomorrow the offertory solo will be Bartlett's "The Day Is Ended." In the morning Miss Jennie Shartzer, contralto, will sing.

Mrs. Ralph C. Bird, organist at Westminster Presbyterian Church, has tendered her resignation to take effect with the last Sunday in August. Mrs. Bird has served the congregation faithfully for more than a year and many of the worshipers will be sorry to know that she is to give up the position.

The splendid work of the choir of Grace Methodist Church during the last four years frequently has been highly commended by members of the congregation. The music at Grace Church always has been of high order and many people remember the brilliant work of Mrs. S. D. Sansom at the organ and the well-trained choir that led the singing in those days. Friends of John W. Phillips delight to speak of his faithful service in the direction of music at Grace Church as well as the excellent playing of William R. Stonesifer, the organist.

Jacob Schnader, bass soloist of Fourth Reformed choir, is to sing Wooler's setting of "Hear My Cry, O God," at the morning service tomorrow. Mr. Schnader has been identified with this choir for a number of years and is well known in music circles.

At Bethlehem Lutheran Church to-morrow morning the quartet choir will sing one of Harry Rowe Shelley's most beautiful compositions, "Christian, the Morn Breaks Sweetly O'er Thee."

Mrs. E. J. Decevee will sing Tinney's "Peace I Leave With You," at Zion Lutheran Church to-morrow morning.

75 Wounded Soldiers Are Entertained by Knights of Columbus

Seventy-five convalescent soldiers from the Carlisle Army Hospital, all of them wounded in some of the terrific battles against the Hun on foreign soil, are being entertained this afternoon by the local War Activities branch, Knights of Columbus, at Vaughn Villa, about four miles from this city along the Susquehanna river.

Extensive arrangements have been made for the entertainment of the men during the afternoon. Each one wears at least one wound stripe and all are wearing one, two or three gold service stripes in recognition of their service overseas with the American forces. Secretary A. G. McLaughlin, who is in charge of the branch in this city, has been in charge of the plans, assisted by Secretaries Allen and McDonald.

Arriving in the city by automobile truck at noon, in charge of several commissioned officers attached to the hospital, and accompanied by a number of nurses, the men were taken immediately to Vaughn Villa, overlooking the broad Susquehanna river.

A sumptuous dinner, with old Virginia ham as the outstanding feature of the menu, was the first number on the afternoon's program. From twenty-five to thirty prominent Harrisburg women are in attendance and served in ministering to the needs of the wounded veterans at the dinner table.

An entertaining program of musical and other numbers has been arranged for the later afternoon. The Penn-Harris orchestra was scheduled to present a number of selections, and a high-class musical act was scheduled by Joe Sullivan and Rex Crandall. Solos were scheduled by Miss Marian Strouse and Miss Edith O'Rourke, with Miss Lillian Kamsky at the piano.

Returned Veterans Are Planning to "Get" Smith

Philadelphia, July 26. — Vendetta clubs, whose members have sworn to "get" Lieutenant Frank H. Smith, known to World War Army veterans as "Hard-Boiled" Smith, have been formed by soldiers from every part of the United States. From Maine to California and from Canada to the Mexican Gulf storm clouds of revenge are gathering ready to burst at the first opportunity over the head of the man whom soldiers call "the one and only Hun in the American expeditionary forces."

TO REDUCE FARES

Carlisle, Pa., July 26.—The Cumberland Railway Company is one of the first traction concerns in southern Pennsylvania to announce reduction in fares. General Manager Plough to-day announced that on July 28 a reduction equivalent to one-half of the regular fares will be given on twenty-three round trip tickets on the lines running from Mt. Holly Springs to Carlisle and from West Hill and Newville to Carlisle.

HIT BY AUTO

Charles Weaver, of 20 North Cameron street, whose leg was broken when he was thrown from his bicycle, was not hit by a trolley car as first reported. The accident occurred in a collision with an automobile.

CIVIC CLUB OFFERS TO AID NEW MATRON

Harrisburg Civic Club has made the offer to send Mrs. Edith B. Bergstressar, newly-appointed police matron, to Philadelphia for a week's instruction.

Personal--Social

T. N. S. Club Entertains Girls From Bowman's

The T. N. S. Club entertained the girls of Bowman's office force at the club cottage at Goldsboro Thursday. Singing, dancing, swimming, boating, and last, but not least, a big "feed" all combined to make the day a most enjoyable one. The club members are Miss Helen Snodgrass, Miss Mae Groce, Miss Sara Aldinger, Miss Katherine Shaffner, Miss Ione Baumgardner and Miss Gertrude Henry.

These guests were Miss Edna Becker, Miss Mary Jenkins, Miss Helen Etter, Miss Anna LaRue, Miss Margaret Nangle, Miss Ruth Sutton, Miss Pearl Forrer, Miss Bessie Montgomery, Miss Bernice Mathias, Miss Nellie Spangler, Miss Mabel Books, Miss Miriam Taylor, Miss Frances Forney, Miss Rose Shampon and Mrs. Leona Nesbit.

Miss Herman Gives Porch Party at the Aqueduct

Miss Almeda Herman gave a most enjoyable porch party last evening at the Aqueduct. The veranda was adorned with Japanese lanterns and masses of ferns, giving the effect of an Oriental garden.

Members of the Dogwood Troop, Girl Scouts, of which Miss Herman is acting captain, gave a clever vaudeville entertainment. Additional attractions were the farmerettes, Miss Julia Stamm, Miss Katherine Stamm, Miss Maude Stamm, Miss Doris Rothert, Miss Mary Louise Hubley and Miss Almeda Herman, who sang and danced, and a Pantomine Dance by Miss Harrison and Jack Kuhn, which came as a surprise. Both Miss Harrison and Mr. Kuhn are dancers of more than usual ability and their number met with great approval. In addition to the Dogwood Girl Scouts there were seventy-four guests present.

Relatives Celebrating Soldier's Return Home

Mr. and Mrs. Rawn V. Davies and daughter, Elizabeth, of Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. William Hart Patterson, Jr., and daughter, Beatrice, of Pittsburgh; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence E. White and daughter, Beatrice, of Baltimore, are guests of Mrs. John W. White at her summer home, "Valley Breeze," Rockville, to celebrate the return of their brother, Robert B. White, after twenty months' service overseas with the Twenty-ninth Engineers.

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Threaten Strike on Scranton Railway

Scranton, Pa., July 25. — Unless the Scranton Electric Company accedes to the demands of its firemen, wiremen and chauffeurs for an increase in wages by noon today the entire Lackawanna Valley from Pittston to Forest City will be without power. A strike has been ordered for that hour.

The outside men have been out for a week and the company has now refused the demands of the firemen and teamsters. Without the firemen electricity cannot be manufactured. A strike would close hundreds of industries and shut down street car service to a quarter million people.

PALMER UNABLE TO SAVE OFFICE

Tells Lancaster He Kept Revenue Business There For Years

Lancaster, Pa., July 26.—Attorney General A. Mitchell Palmer has, after a three years' fight, given up hopes of having the Ninth Internal Revenue office retained in Lancaster. In replying to the Chamber of Commerce protest Mr. Palmer says that he saved the office for this county for two or three years, but finally the Roper plan on reorganizing the department has prevailed and gotten the sanction of the Treasury Department and the President, and he can do nothing.

A telegram was received by Internal Revenue Collector Benjamin F. Davis from Commissioner Roper, announcing that a representative from the department would arrive at Lancaster on Monday to make arrangements for the removal of the Ninth District office from Lancaster. The telegram also stated that the Lancaster office would not sell any revenue stamps on Wednesday or Thursday of next week (two days preceding the opening of a local branch office of the Twelfth District, with headquarters in Philadelphia), and that the York and Harrisburg offices will discontinue the sale of stamps beginning at closing time to-night until the branch offices under the new regime are opened next Thursday.

But despite the unchanged purpose in the plans of Commissioner Roper to remove the Ninth District to Delaware and combine the territory now covered by this district with the Twelfth District that these instructions seem to imply, the wave of protest that is bombarding Washington from every corner of the district continues to swell and each day brings in an addition to the list of committees, representatives and delegates from the district who are going to Washington to be present at the hearing before Commissioner Roper next Wednesday against the removal of the Ninth District from Pennsylvania.

DAUPHIN PROUD OF HER SOLDIERS

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this afternoon a bugler sounded first call and soon after "fall in," the ranks of the veterans stiffened and "at ease" marched down Erie street the celebration was on.

First came Chief Marshal Robert Stricker and his aids, and after an interval George Sellers, clad in the same uniform in which he fought for the Union. The Berrysburg band followed the flag and was in turn followed by the few remaining veterans in blue of the Civil War. After them came the olive drab ranks of the World War veterans, marching in the step that carried most of them over the long trails of France, and to victory. Camp Fire Girls and Boy Scouts composed the rear of the first division.

Girls Who Helped

The Red Cross float, occupied by the girls who during the war devoted most of their time to making surgical equipment for wounded men, was given the post of honor in the second division. With them marched Miss Helen Miller, a nurse who spent many months ministering to sick and wounded men at hospitals in the advance section. The ovation given the boys by the crowds as they went marching by was equaled if not a bit shaded by the honor showered on Dauphin's Red Cross nurse.

Elias Fertig had charge of the second division. He also had entered an old Conestoga wagon used in prerailroad days. On the side was a banner: "Philadelphia to Pittsburgh, 20 days."

Many other floats depicting victories of the American Army overseas were in line. Large representations from lodges and societies, churches and Sunday schools, other organizations and prettily decorated automobiles composed the remainder of the division.

Dinner is Served

Late in the afternoon a banquet, of which chicken was the main feature, was served to the veteransin the P. O. S. of A. Hall. While the boys ate, a program of vocal and instrumental music was presented.

Afterwards the Dauphin veterans met a team of Harrisburg veterans in a snappy baseball game.

Community singing, band concerts and addresses will be features of the celebration to-night. To-morrow religious services on the public square will be held. During the afternoon pretty Red Cross girls established a booth and sold dainty refreshments to the hosts of visitors in town. "Salvation Nells" distributed doughnuts. Streets of the town started to fill with relatives, friends and former residents of the borough all hurrying here to partake in the celebration.

SEEKS TRAIL OF MISSING FUNDS

Deposited in Bank or Converted For Own Purposes, Question in Crash

Philadelphia, July 26.—Colonel Fred Taylor Pusey, special Deputy Attorney General, who is probing the North Penn Bank crash, started yesterday on the trail of the thousands of dollars which were borrowed from other banks on the strength of notes given as collateral. Colonel Pusey said that he had been unable to learn whether this money had been deposited in the ruined institution, or whether Ralph T. Moyer, the cashier, who is accused of wrecking the institution, had converted the funds to his own purposes.

"This is the line of inquiry that we want to pursue now," said Colonel Pusey last night, "and with this knowledge gained we can get an adequate idea of the assets of the bank, and how much of those supposed overdrafts are real or are protected by notes which are collectable."

While the State investigator was busy in this manner District Attorney Rotan's office started its own probe to determine if further arrests are warranted. James H. Cortelyou, chief of the county detectives, and his first assistant, Samuel Wynne, were placed on the case, while the banking end of this investigation was turned over to Philip N. Goldsmith.

Rotan's Experts on Books

District Attorney Rotan said that he had received the letter from Leo Weinrott, counsel for some of the North Penn depositors, asking for proceedings against Charles A. Ambler, former Insurance Commissioner, and Daniel F. Lafean, former Banking Commissioner. His reply to the communication was virtually given in the following public statement, which Mr. Rotan issued:

"The Banking Commissioner and myself and my assistants are working together in a complete and thorough investigation of the smash-up. I have appointed special experts on books to investigate with the Banking Department, with the intention of finding out where every dollar of the $900,000 shortage has gone.

"My chief detective, Mr. Cortelyou, and Mr. Wynne, his assistant, will investigate with the book experts to trace every dollar and find out the names of everyone who benefited by the wrongdoing.

"I shall see that all those criminally liable, regardless of who they are, will be punished."

SELL BREAD FROM OVENS

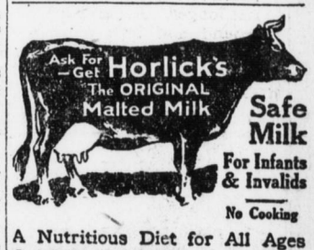
With the opening of a bakery adjoining the American Stores Company grocery store, at Second and Chestnut streets, that firm started in this city the selling of bread from the ovens to the customers within an hour after it is baked. Three ovens each, with a capacity of 200 loaves an hour, together with modern bread-making machinery, have been installed. At present bread is furnished only for the store at Second and Chestnut streets, but in the near future it will be baked hourly and furnished by auto truck to the other fourteen stores in the city. From the time the dough is mixed until it is taken from the pans and placed on sale, it is not touched by hands. In addition to baking bread hourly pans of buns, each containing nineteen, are baked and sold.

BILL TO ADD 8,500 OFFICERS TO ARMY OFFERED IN SENATE

Washington, July 26. — A bill authorizing an increase of 8,500 in the officer personnel of the Army was introduced to-day by Chairman Wadsworth, of the Senate Military Committee, at the request of Secretary Baker. Mr. Baker said at least 18,000 officers would be needed to maintain the organization of the construction, air and other services of the Army built up during the war.

COAL DEALERS HONORED

Walter L. Montgomery, of this city, was elected vice-president at the convention of the retail coal dealers at Reading yesterday. Frank J. Wallis was named one of the directors.



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