CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA NEWS

Shaffer Goes to New York to Take Up Work

Dauphin, Pa., Aug. 2.—Mr. and Mrs. Owen Burt and daughter, of California, have gone to Harrisburg, where they will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Frantz after spending several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Nimrod Smith.—Walter J. Shaffer, the flier, left on Monday for New York City, where he will be employed.—Mrs. Sarah Blessing and daughter, Mary, and John Gohl, all of Harrisburg, were weekend guests of Mrs. J. W. Hawthorne.—Mr. and Mrs. William Bell Clark, and son, William, Jr., of Philadelphia, arrived on Friday for a month's visit with Dr. and Mrs. William P. Clark.—Mrs. Alice Heidler returned on Thursday to her home in Shenandoah, Va., after spending several weeks with Mrs. W. F. Reed.—Thomas R. Kinter and Edward Whitely, of Trenton, New Jersey, spent the weekend in town.—Miss Kathryn Zeiders and Miss Margaret Zeiders, of Harrisburg, returned home on Tuesday after spending a week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Putt.—Mr. and Mrs. Max E. Williams and J. E. Williams, all of Harrisburg, were the weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Williams.—Miss Ruth Shaffer returned to the Pennsylvania Hospital, Philadelphia, where she is studying to be a nurse on Wednesday, after spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shaffer.—Miss Ruth Griffith, of Bloomsburg, has returned home after spending several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Fite.—Mrs. J. W. Hummel and daughters, Kathryn and Annabell, who were recent guests of Mrs. Sabra M. Bell, have returned to their home in Philadelphia.—Miss Evelyn Shoemaker and Miss Eleanor Jones, both of Harrisburg, spent the weekend with Miss Ethel R. Forney. — Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Long, of Erie, have returned home after a visit with Mrs. Long's mother, Mrs. Clara Garman.—George W. Feaser, of Williamsport, spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Feaser.—Miss Ruth Smith, of Harrisburg, was the guest of Miss Ruth Shaffer on Saturday.—Calder Downey, of Boston, spent the weekend at the "Waldheim" cottage along the river.—Charles Rhoads is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Rhoads, Fruitland Park, Mississippi.—Miss Esther Shaffer has returned home from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Herbert Foster at Cambridge, Mass.—Mrs. Clara Campbell, of Harrisburg, was a recent guest of her daughter, Mrs. William Lyter.—Miss Cora Coffrode has returned home from a visit to Philadelphia and New York.—Miss Rebecca Lyter spent several days with Miss May Yoder at Harrisburg.—Mr. and Mrs. William McElwee, of Richmond, Va., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. McElwee.—Miss Kathryn Brackenridge, of Harrisburg, spent several days in town.—Mr. and Mrs. Paul Harm, and children, of Harrisburg, have returned home after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Maurey.

Duncannon Republicans Meet to Name Ticket

Duncannon, Pa., Aug. 2. — The Republicans of Duncannon borough met at Hotel Johnston, last evening to name candidates for borough offices.—The Farmer's Picnic, bigger and better than ever, will be held in Louder's Grove on Saturday, August 16.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Bothwell and little son, Charles W. Bothwell, of Phoenix, are spending several days here at their homes.—The borough school board has elected the following teachers for the term, commencing Monday, September 1: Principal, Charles A. Kissel, of Lock Haven; first assistant, G. P. Jones, of Freeland; second assistant, Zelda B. Louder; eighth grade, Alma Pennell; seventh grade, Margarette Passmore; fifth and sixth grades, Stella Hench; Church street building, primary, Cordella B. Gray; third and fourth grades, Nellie Haas; North Duncannon, primary, Catharine Hamilton; second school, Ruth Harling.—Carpenters are at work building an addition to the Duncannon Flouring Mill.—The union Sunday School held their annual picnic in Sug's Wood's to-day.

French Writer a Suicide in His Boarding House

Lancaster, Aug. 2.—Worried over ill health, Asahel Phelps Pichereau, a French author, aged sixty-five years, who boarded at No. 32 South Duke street, committed suicide yesterday morning in his room. His dead body was found shortly after 11 o'clock on his bed when his door was broken open. His throat had been slashed with a razor from ear to ear and two jagged cuts had been made in the jugular vein. He died between 9 and 11 o'clock.

Horse Frightens and Driver's Head Is Crushed

Marietta, Aug. 2.—Charles Mayer, 45 years old, employed at Billmeyer Quarries, was killed to-day when thrown from a cart which he was driving. He came from Baltimore where relatives are supposed to be living. Coroner Steffy decided death was accidental. His head was crushed. The horse was frightened by a passing automobile.

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Two Seven Valley Soldiers to Address Meeting

Manchester, Pa., Aug. 2.—A welcome home service will be held in Christ's Lutheran Church on Sunday evening. Special music will be rendered by the choir and addresses given by two soldiers from Seven Valley who recently returned from overseas. The parents of the boys are to attend.—The following young women of the town have returned home after a ten-day vacation at Williams Grove: The Misses Romaine Gross, Ada Gross, Mary May, Mary Gross, Anna Kauffman, Margaret Wogan, Mabel Gross, Flora Hartman, Theda Jacob, Sarah Deitz and Mrs. Alice Aughenbaugh, of York, who chaperoned the party. They had as week-end guests, the Misses Fairy Fink, Pearl Fulton, George Leitz, Lawrence Deitz and William Schaffer, of Manchester; Warren Hildebrand, Mt. Wolf, and Miss Irene Myers, of York.—Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Spagman and daughter, Owen, of Baltimore, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Reynolds.—Dr. D. S. Quickel and sons, David and Harry, of Anderson, Indiana; Dr. and Mrs. David Quickel, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Varney and Mrs. Elizabeth Ginter, Harrisburg, spent Sunday with friends here.—Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Sugarman, New York, returned to their home after visiting Mrs. Sugarman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert March.—Mrs. Jacob Schroll is confined to her home by sickness.—Roy Jacobs has gone to Akron, O., where he will take a position with the Goodyear Rubber Company.—Oran Reachard, Dallastown, spent Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jacobs.—Mrs. Jerry King, Red Lion, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Schroll.—Mrs. Jerome Schriver and daughter, Margie, spent the week-end at Stewartstown, where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Geht.—Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bose, Mt. Wolf, and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. White, of Manchester, spent Sunday at Gettysburg.—Miss Margaret March is visiting friends at Wellsville.—S. S. Bare will succeed Postmaster Edward Jacobs, who resigned some time ago. Mr. Bare intends to make additions to his store, which will serve as post office.—Samuel Schroll, who was a clerk in S. R. Flury's store for the last sixteen years, was appointed R. F. D. carrier to serve route No. 1. John Cockley, substitute carrier, served since the resignation of Daniel Fink.—Mr. and Mrs. John Kochenour, Zisns' View, and Mrs. Harry Sitzer and family, York, spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Sara Hoffman.—William Ginter, of Hickorytown, Cumberland county, spent Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Good.—Mrs. G. M. Bell, Mrs. J. C. May and Miss Anna Kauffman spent Wednesday at York.—Mrs. Edward Jacobs spent Wednesday at Delta.—Miss Dorothy Gress, of Chambersburg, is spending some time at the home of Dr. H. V. Gress.—Mrs. Grace Rodes, of New York, and Miss Lucinda Loy, of York, spent Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Bare.—Miss Mary Gladfelter, a government employe at Washington, returned to that place after spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Gladfelter.—Mr. and Mrs. Leon Altland, Miss Gertie Altland and Morris Hartman motored to Accomac on Sunday.

New Bloomfield Folks and Their Week's Guests

New Bloomfield, Pa., Aug. 2.—Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Spong and Miss Alice Spong, of Harrisburg, were visitors here.—John W. Kennedy, of Harrisburg, visited the family of Edgar T. Bower.—Mr. and Mrs. Arden Neilson and children returned to their home in Allentown.—F. W. LePorin, of Brooklyn, a former student of Carson Long Institute, is spending some time in this place.—Mrs. Jay C. Smith and daughter, Marjorie, of Pittsburgh, are guests of Sheriff and Mrs. J. L. Kistler.—Miss Myra Sheaffer, of Centre township, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. W. Newlin, in Lewistown.—Mr. and Mrs. William Fetter, of Carlisle, spent Sunday with Mrs. James M. Barnett.—Mrs. William Harper, Jr., is visiting in Carlisle.—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wright and children, of Homestead, Pa., are visiting Mr. Wright's sister, Mrs. George Harris, here.—Mrs. Margaret Fritz and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fritz and daughter, of Harrisburg, were visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Elmer H. Tressler.—J. Ranklin Martin, of Beaver Falls, Pa., is a visitor in town.—Mrs. Ella Lutman, who had been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Ellen R. Stephens, left for her home in Joplin, Mo.—Miss Caroline Hahn, of Harrisburg, has been the guest of Mrs. James M. Barnett.—Miss Ella Mortimer and Robert and Janet McMullan, of Philadelphia, are guests of Mrs. James S. Magee.—Professor George G. Schneider, principal of the Carson Long Institute, is on a trip to New York and Boston.—Mrs. Kate Wright, who has been visiting friends at Carlisle and New Cumberland, returned home.

Ox Roast Is Planned For Lancaster Men

Lancaster, Aug. 2. — An old fashioned oxroast, such as Lancaster county has not witnessed for years, will be the central feature of a jubilee and reception to returned service men to be given by residents of Quarryville and six townships of the southern section on August 28. The celebration will be held in Quarryville borough and the townships to be represented are Little Britain, Colerain, Drumore, Bart, Eden and Providence.

The entire district furnished about 375 men to the World War, Quarryville alone contributing forty-three. The plans call for a morning of athletic activities, in which the ex-soldiers will participate, and the ox roast will follow. G. J. P. Raub is chairman of the Executive Committee having the arrangements in charge. The demonstration is designed to eclipse anything hitherto seen in the lower end borough.

New Addition Is to Be Built to Tool Plant

Millersburg, Pa., Aug. 2.—Jacob Dreibelbis is home from Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, after taking treatment for nine weeks. He is steadily improving.—The Keystone Reamer & Tool Co. will begin Monday to build an addition to its plant.—The new machine shop of F. K. Trenker & Co., opposite the P. R. R., is nearly completed and the machinery will be placed in a few weeks.—The Camp Fire Girls' carnival and festival on the lawn of the M. E. parsonage Tuesday night was a great success, $2 above expenses being realized.

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Many Lykens Citizens Are Enjoying Camp Life

Lykens, Aug. 2.—Superintendent Frank Shambaugh, wife and family, are spending several weeks with the former's parents at Beavertown, Pa.—The Rev. and Mrs. C. Earle B. Robinson announce the birth of a son.—Miss Helen Haugher, of Philadelphia, returned home after spending the week with Miss Margaret Keen.—Mrs. Laura Bueck left to visit her brother, John Kissinger, of Lock Haven.—Mrs. Thomas Bullock and daughter, Miss Bertha, of Oxford, Chester county, will spend this and next week with her sister, Mrs. Benjamin Snyder. She formerly was of town, having been Miss Laura Schlegel.—Mrs. Ray Williams and son left for Corning, N. Y., after spending an enjoyable three weeks' visit here with her brother, J. Harter. — Private William Gray reached Lykens today and is stopping at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ura Moon with his wife, who was Isabella Moon.—Miss Gladys Fetterhoff, of Pottsville, daughter of the Rev. L. M. Fetterhoff, formerly of Lykens, returned home after being pleasantly entertained at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. C. S. Jones, at the Lutheran parsonage. — Miss Blanche Martz, of Vineland, N. J., is spending several weeks amongst relatives.—Michael Hoffman and wife entertained Harry Hoffman and wife and Mrs. Augustus Repard and daughter, Elizabeth, all of Harrisburg.—Mrs. Emily L. L. Reading and sister, Mrs. Nellie A. Durfor, of Haudon Heights, returned after a visit to their brothers, William G. and Fred Zerby.—Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Weiser, of Penbrook, returned home after a visit with the latter's mother, Mrs. Dressler.—Mrs. William Humphreys and children, of Harrisburg, are spending the week with her brothers, Charles and Isaac Witmer.—Miss Emma Weaver, of Enola, visited Miss Mary Matter.—Miss Viola Feindt returned to Shamokin after a visit with relatives and friends.—Some of our arches were take nto Tower City where a jubilee is being held to-day.—Many of our citizens are enjoying camp this week at Elizabethville.

Firemen Clear $275 at Their Recent Festival

Mechanicsburg, Pa., Aug. 2.—At the recent festival of the Citizens' Fire Company the sum of $405 was realized and the net proceeds will amount to about $25.—After having been discontinued for the past six months, the postoffice at Williams' Grove has been reopened.—William Haines, of West Simpson, an expert spoketurner at the J. K. Hinkel Manufacturing Company plant, on Monday evening had his left hand caught in the knives, with the result that he lost the first and second fingers, the thumb was severed at the first joint and part of the third finger was gone.—To-day the employes of the Potts Manufacturing Company are holding a picnic at the Bowman Grove on the Conodoguinet creek, near Good Hope.—A successful picnic was held by the First United Brethren Sunday school on Tuesday at Boiling Springs Park.—Work has begun on the square for the cutaway planned by the borough authorities to relieve congestion in street traffic at that point. — Mrs. David Brindle and sons and Miss Eleanor Brindle have taken a cottage at Stone Harbor, N. J., where they will spend the month of August.—The Rev. B. L. C. Baer, former pastor of the Church of God, now chaplain at Camp Dix, was calling on friends here this week.

William Hood Sells His Residence to Iowan

Thompsontown, Pa., Aug. 2.—Mrs. Mary Norcross and son, of Mount Union, spent a day among friends in town.—Mr. and Mrs. J. Edward Haldeman and children, of Harrisburg, are guests of Mrs. J. G. Haldeman.—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Neal, of the Aqueduct, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Neal.—William Hood sold his residence on Mill street to Bert Fry, of Iowa, and will move to Richfield next week.—Miss Margueretha Benner, of Cocalamus, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. C. R. Nelson.—Milnor Hostetler sold his farm west of town to Chas. Forney for $4,500. Mr. Forney will take possession in the spring.—Mrs. George Branthoffer and daughter, Margaret, returned after spending three weeks with friends at Enola.—Mrs. Edna Carpenter and son, of Trenton, was a recent guest of Mrs. Theo. Reynolds.—Miss Myra Graham, of the Polyclinic Hospital, Harrisburg, is visiting Miss Almyra Logan.—John Lauver, of Milroy, was in town Wednesday.—Misses Marguerite and Elgarda Tennis, of Philadelphia, are spending the month of August with their mother, Mrs. E. A. Tennis.

Pastors Will Preach in New Cumberland Pulpits

New Cumberland, Pa., Aug. 2.—Services at Trinity United Brethren Church to-morrow will be: Sunday School at 9.15; preaching by the pastor, the Rev. A. R. Ayres at 10.30 and 7.30 P. M.

At Baughman Memorial Methodist Church, New Cumberland, the Rev. V. T. Rue, pastor, will preach on "Afflictions Sanctified" at 10.30 A. M., and "The Gentle Life," at 7.30 P. M.

MISS SKINNER TO WED

Chambersburg, Pa., Aug. 2. — Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Katharine Skinner, daughter of Mrs. W. F. Skinner, Lincoln Way East, and Hastie Derbyshire, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Derbyshire, Fifth avenue.

Halifax Filled With Guests for Celebration

Halifax, Pa., Aug. 2.—William Etzweiler and wife, of Penbrook, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Etzweiler.—Mrs. Jacob Aldinger and children, of West Shore, are visiting at the home of the Rev. E. F. Sipe.—A. S. Lyter attended the funeral of his cousin, Thomas Lyter, at Harrisburg, on Friday.—Mrs. Robert Whitaker visited her father, the Rev. George Whitaker, at Linglestown, on Sunday.—Mrs. S. J. Bowman spent Monday with friends at Millersburg.—Ruth Lupold, of Selinsgrove, is visiting her brother, J. D. Lupold.—M. O. Fisher and wife, of Philadelphia; Mrs. Amos Mumma, of Harrisburg, and Mrs. Mary Klinger, of Tower City, are spending a few days at the home of Mrs. Lydia Bowman.—Pierce S. Holtzman is visiting friends at Lykens.—The United Brethren picnic of Fisherville, will be held August 9 in Warfel's Grove, near Endus.—Mrs. G. W. D. Endus, of Lykens, was the guest of Mrs. Isaac F. Endus for several days. Although eighty-three years of age she is enjoying good health.—Thomas J. Hoffman was home from Lancaster over Sunday.—Charles W. Romberger and wife and Miss Carrie Romberger, of Harrisburg, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Uriah Romberger.—Frank Lebo and family spent Sunday with friends at Lancaster.—C. C. Baker spent several days camping with other Shriners on the Isle of Que, near Selinsgrove. — Joseph Chubb, of Waynesville, spent Tuesday with friends in town.—District President H. S. Potter installed the officers of the P. O. S. of A. at Berrysburg.—Joseph D. Sponsler, of Waynesville, spent Monday in town.—The festival to have been held Saturday evening in the Athletic Park by the Halifax Boy Scouts had to be called off on account of the inclement weather.—J. Irvin Hoffman has returned to Washington, D. C., after a two weeks' vacation spent with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hoffman.—Mrs. Joseph M. Smith has returned from New York city and will again take up her residence in the C. E. Caslow property on South Front street, this place.—Oliver Hawk, of Millersburg, visited Sunday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. James F. Schwoyer.—A party of Millersburg young people spent a few days camping at the Harry Fairchilds bungalow, The Sunny Side Camp.—L. W. Ryan, of Harrisburg, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Gilbert.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Hoffman, of Washington, D. C., spent a few day visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin O. Scholl, near town.—Mrs. Emma Noblet is having a cement pavement laid in front of her property on South Second street.—Mrs. D. A. Shultz and children, of Harrisburg, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Howard Chubb.—Mrs. William Millard and two sons, Abner and Daniel Millard, of Plymouth, are spending the summer at the home of Miss Ellen Pike, on North Second street.—Miss Sarah Rutter, of Reading, is paying a visit to her sister, Mrs. Albert Utz.—Mrs. Howard Miller and children, of Williamstown, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Liddick and family.—William Kennedy, of Palmyra, visited friends in town over Sunday and Monday.—Miss Elizabeth Bethyman, of Atlantic City, N. J., is the guest of Miss Esther Brubaker for several days.—Miss Anna Richter is home from Washington, D. C., and is spending a vacation with her mother, Mrs. Anna Richter.—Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Poffenberger and children, Daniel and Lois Poffenberger, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Luther Poffenberger at Sunbury. — Mrs. Claude Hamilton, of New York, was the guest of Misses Jane and Belle Hamilton a few days this week.—Mrs. William Kleopfer and Mrs. Louisa Kline, of Harrisburg, are guests of the former's daughter, Mrs. Mary Bierie. Mrs. Kloepfler is past ninety years of age.—W. B. Gray remains seriously ill of cancer at his home on North Market street.—M. W. Etter went to Philadelphia Saturday to see his wife, who last week underwent an operation.—A. W. Leo spent Wednesday with friends at Steelton.—Mable Enders is on a visit to friends at Harrisburg and Progress.—Luther C. Lehr has returned to his home in town from the Harrisburg Hospital on Monday evening, where he underwent an operation for the removal of a small bone in his left arm.—Mrs. N. A. Steffer has returned home on Wednesday from a week's sojourn at Atlantic and Cape May.—Professor J. Wesley Potter, head of the academic department of the United States General Hospital No. 3, at Rahway, N. J., and brother of H. S. Potter, of town, has been elected principal of the Carlisle schools.—Charity Lodge, No. 82, I. O. O. F., went to New Buffalo, Perry county, on Saturday to confer the initiatory degree on a class of candidates.—Miss Elizabeth Lytre, of Dauphin, was a guest at the home of Mrs. Emma Dunkel.—A meeting of the Otterbein Guild of the Halifax United Brethren Church was held Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Caroline Richter. An interesting feature was an address by Mrs. George M. Richter, of Schuylkill Haven, a returned missionary from Africa.

Sees No Disfavor in U. S. Acquisition of German Firms

London, Aug. 2. — Politically the British government does not view with disfavor the reported acquisition of German firms by Americans. Asked in the House of Commons if he had any official information that such transactions had taken place, Sir Auckland Geddes, president of the Board of Trade, said that the government had not but that he was "inclined to regard the action suggested by no means improbable not only with regard to Americans but also British firms and firms of all allied nations."

WEST SHORE

Master Ralph Page has returned to his home in Carlisle after spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. J. Henderson Stock and Mr. and Mrs. William Braught at Shiremanstown.

Howard Stare, of Plainfield, spent several days with his mother, Mrs. Angeline Stare, at Shiremanstown.

Mrs. J. C. Nicholls and daughters, Grace and Certrude Nicholls, of Newport News, Va., and Miss Loretta Craig, of Butler, Pa., were entertained by Mrs. Sarah Strong at her residence at Shiremanstown.

Frank Kauffman, of Lisburn, was a business visitor in Shiremanstown on Thursday.

Mrs. Oscar Rupp and son, Paul, of Harrisburg, visited the former's sister, Mrs. Gilbert Starr, at Shiremanstown on Thursday.

Mrs. Mary B. Eppley, of Shiremanstown, spent the week with her son, Weir Eppley, and family, at their country home near Lewisberry.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Wolfe and daughter, Janet Louise Wolfe, of East Main street, Shiremanstown, motored to Wellsville and Carlisle on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin G. Baker, of Shiremanstown, spent Thursday at Pen-Mar.

Harry Gher and Charles Gher have returned to their home at Shiremanstown after spending some time at Akron, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Adams, of Twelfth and Bridge streets, New Cumberland, announce the birth of a son, Harry Edward Adams, on July 29.

The New Cumberland School Board will hold a meeting next Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Andrews entertained at cards at her home in New Cumberland last evening.

The official board of Baughman Memorial Methodist Church, New Cumberland, has granted the pastor the Rev. V. T. Rue, a vacation of two weeks.

Mrs. George Watkins, of New Cumberland, was summoned to Middletown yesterday on account of the serious illness of her grandmother, Mrs. Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Straub and family, who are spending the summer at their cottage at Bellavista, Cumberland county, visited friends at New Cumberland yesterday.

On Tuesday evening Quarterly Conference will be held in Trinity United Brethren Church at 8 o'clock. At this meeting the treasurers of all the societies and organizations are expected to report. A delegate to the annual conference, which will be held at Hanover, October 8, will be elected.

Rev. J. H. Young, of New Cumberland, was the guest of his daughter, Mrs. W. O. Rishel.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Bowers and son, Harry, and Mrs. J. H. Bowers, Sr., of Harrisburg, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bowers, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Tritt and family motored to Longsdorf, where they are spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bishop.

Edward Smith, of Harrisburg, and John Smith, lately returned from the Mexican border, visited their sister, Mrs. I. W. Rishel.

Miss Mildred Rishel spent several days with Miss Mildred Smith, of Harrisburg.

Asks Relief From Command After Being Defeated

Mexico City, Aug. 2. — General Fortunato Zuazua, the youthful chief of military operations in the state of Tamaulipashas, according to Excelsior, asked to be relieved from his military command as a result of the attack made some weeks ago on the state capital, Ciudad Victor by a small rebel band under Eugenio Lopoz. Evading the garrison, the rebels penetrated into the center of the city, committed various depredations and fled, after emptying the penitentiary of all prisoners. In his defense, General Zuazua declared he had given too few men to defend the city.

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SAYS MEXICO HOLDS OPEN DOOR TO ALL NATIONALS OF WHOLESOME IDEAS

Mexico City, Aug. 2.—Mexico will hold open the door to nationals of all countries who can show that they possess wholesome ideas of citizenship and will not prove a disturbing element in the nation, President Venustiano Carranza told the correspondent of the Associated Press in an interview during which the chief executive commented at length on various phases of Mexico's problems.

The President's statement of the government's attitude toward immigration was in response to an inquiry concerning declarations in the press of Mexico City that large numbers of colonists were leaving their European or Asiatic homes of disrupted conditions due to the world war.

Would Aid Colonists

President Carranza gave assurances that Mexico would place no barriers against proper immigration and, in fact, would extend all possible aid to such prospective colonists. That such material aid is in contemplation is evidenced by the fact that the President recently appointed a commission to investigate all phases of the colonization problem. Senor Luis Ludert y Rul, president of the commission, has announced that communications have been received from England, France, Canada, Germany and Russia in regard to the feasibility of colonies in the republic and in each instance the answer has been that Mexico welcomes all dependable colonists.

Senor Carranza was asked whether the Mexican government had any policy concerning Latin-America which might be construed as indicating that the solidarity of such countries was more to be desired by Mexico than alliances with any foreign nation. He replied that to date the Mexican government was considering no such project of union, and until such a proposition presented itself he refused to define a posible governmental policy.

Touching on the petroleum question, President Carranza asserted that the initiative he presented to congress last November, which was in effect an amendment to Article 27 of the constitution, probably will be considered by that body soon. He was emphatic in the declaration that the public press of theUnited States is being grossly influenced by the petroleum interests, who, he said, are distorting the facts. The president continued:

Kicking Up Trouble

"The petroleum companies have set out to engender feeling between Mexico and the United States. They are doing this through the medium of some sections of the American press, which are distorting facts to suit their own ends."

"Mexico is not opposed to the petroleum companies or to any other foreign investors. We merely require that if such companies are to operate in the republic they abide by our laws. What the new oil law will be I cannot say, for I have expressed my beliefs and ideas in my initiative of last November. The passing of a new oil law is now in the hands of Congress."

President Carranza refused to venture a prediction as to probable action on his initiative by the Mexican Congress. The attitude of the petroleum commission which will be a determining factor in the settlement of present difficulties, he also declared problematical. The special commission appointed by the Mexican Senate to investigate conditions in the Tampico region has completed its work, he said, and will give its information to congress. This report is private and is for informative purposes for congress only.

In conclusion, President Carranza gave renewed assurances of his personal wishes and those of the government that cordial relations between Mexico and the United States be maintained.

PILLOW

Pillow, Aug. 2. — Mr. and Mrs. John Raker and sons, of Philadelphia, are spending their vacation here with his mother, Mrs. Emma Raker.—James E. Snyder, of Harrisburg, spent a few days here with his parents.—Mrs. Isaac Hepner spent a few days at Northumberland. She was accompanied home by her grand-daughter.—Miss Kathryn Fasold is spending a week at Sunbury.—Mrs. Frank Snyder and daughter, Margaret, spent Tuesday at Berrysburg. — Wm. Bohner is making extensive additions to his mill at the East End.—The annual Union Celebration of town will be held on Aug. 16, in the park.

RAILROAD EMPLOYE DIES

Chambersburg, Pa., Aug. 2. — Abraham Senseny Houser, a lifelong resident of this place, died yesterday morning at his residence on West King street, aged 58 years. He was a cabinetmaker by trade and for many years had been employed by the Cumberland Valley Railroad. He was a member of the United Brethren church. He is survived by his wife and these children: Walter, of town; John, of Harrisburg; Bert and Mrs. Charles Pogue, of Chambersburg; Abraham S., of Waynesboro, and Mrs. W. Dykeman, of town.

Union Deposit Sunday Schools to Hold Picnic

Union Deposit, Pa., Aug. 2.—The Sunday Schools of town will hold their annual picnic at Hershey Park on Saturday, August 9.—Mr. and Mrs. William Stoner and children, of Penbrook, were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. John M. Baker.—Mrs. Lucetta Snavely is spending the week at Lebanon with her daughter, Mrs. Amos Sollida.—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Plank, of Penbrook, and Mr. and Mrs. Sterling H. Peiffer, of Lemoyne, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Gingrich on Sunday.—Charles Yantz and Felix Marshal spent Wednesday at Linglestown.—Valentine Espenshade and daughter, Ellen, and granddaughter, of Oberlin, visited Jacob Espenshade on Sunday.—Miss Annie Stoner, Miss Harriet Curry, Miss Ruth Peiffer, Miss Beatrice Gingrich, Miss Esther Schaffner, Roy Schaffner and Joseph Bender spent Sunday at Atlantic City.—Mr. and Mrs. Adam Shope, of Paxtonia, visited Mrs. Andrew Miller on Sunday.—A. L. Landis spent a day at Harrisburg.—Mrs. Amos Sollida and daughter, Emma, were recent guests of Mrs. John M. Baker.—The Union Deposit Citizens Band will furnish music for the Mount Laurel picnic at Mount Laurel on August 9.—Mr. and Mrs. Amos Wenrich, of Lebanon, visited their daughter, Mrs. Harry Wise.—Mrs. George Hocker, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. John L. Shoop, and Mrs. Ira D. Shoop, spent Tuesday at Hainlyn with Mr. and Mrs. David Hanshue.

Housing Plan of British Government Is Complicated One

London, Aug. 2. — Government projects for building houses for workingmen and for providing land for soldiers are moving slowly.

The houseing plan is a complicated system under which the local authorities are to do the building and the national treasury to share the expense.

The value of land and the cost of building and of building materials are more than double those which prevailed before the war.

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A Nutritious Diet for All Ages
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Advance Announcement

Our First Semi-Annual Clearance Sale

Will Begin on Tuesday Aug. 5, at 9 A. M.

It is the policy in all our stores to clear all lines (regardless of original cost or selling price) so that we may readjust our stocks and make room for new incoming merchandise.

Tremendous reductions of every garment in our stock from

33⅓ to 60% discount from the original price

This is a sale that every woman in Harrisburg and vicinity is waiting for.

CONDITIONS OF SALE

None sent C. O. D., charged or exchanged. All sales final.

Complete Details in the Morning and Evening Papers

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They say Doutrichs are selling Boys' Black Cat Hose at

33c

at their Big Mark-Down Sale and they are as busy as nailers at that store.

And They're Beautiful

Some are made of fine percales and others of woven madras. The colors are guaranteed too—Who would ever think of making them when they can buy the best $1.00 "Kaynee" Boys' Shirts and Blouses for

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