

# WORK ON BRIDGE WILL BE STARTED IN EARLY SPRING

### First Task Will Be to Lay Two 36-inch Water Mains

Construction of the proposed Soldiers' and Sailors' Memorial Bridge in State street will not be started before next spring, and the first work which will likely be undertaken will be the laying of the thirty-six-inch water mains in State street. H. G. Perring, of J. E. Greiner and Company, consulting engineer, made this statement at an informal meeting of City Council yesterday.

The Commissioners, City Solicitor John E. Fox, Assistant E. Bruce Taylor and City Engineer M. E. Cowden met with Mr. Perring this morning to discuss what the city is to pay as its share of the cost of laying the new water pipe. William M. Hargest, Deputy Attorney General, was engaged in court all morning and could not attend the conference, so the meeting was adjourned until next Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock.

### Pipe Laying Costly

The high cost of laying the water pipe, according to the bid of the Central Construction Corporation, is \$132,265.91. Because the city wants the State to use thirty-six-inch pipe instead of thirty-inch pipe, J. W. Ledoux, consulting engineer of Philadelphia, who has been retained by the city from time to time, and who devised the city's present system of changing the water, thinks Harrisburg ought to pay about twenty-seven per cent. of the cost of laying the new mains.

Mr. Ledoux once told the city that it would cost \$145,000 to lay water pipe, but his estimate contained an item of \$13,000 for engineering fees. If that amount were added to the contractor's bid it would make just a little more than \$145,000. Members of Council said this morning that they probably will retain Mr. Ledoux to supervise the laying of the new water mains in so far as looking after the city's interests are concerned.

Mr. Perring told Solicitor Fox that the State will look after the payments to the contractor, that the city can reimburse the State later, and that it will be early enough for the city to pay its share in 1921. Therefore, Council will not have to bother with this project while framing the 1920 budget.

The State's engineer also said that the work on the water pipe won't be started before early spring, according to the present outlook, and that the whole job cannot be completed in less time than four months.

### Mayor Hears City Is Not Likely to Get More Food From Government

According to information furnished Mayor Daniel L. Keister to-day there will not be any more government food offered for sale in Harrisburg. A committee from this city visited Philadelphia Saturday to inspect supplies reported in storage at warehouses there. Inquiries were made at other government distributing depots.

### High Cost of Liquor Closes Bunkhouse

Morrisstown, N. J., Dec. 12.—Largely on account of the high cost of liquor followed by prohibition of the bunkhouse for prisoners at the county farm will be closed January 1. Announcement to that effect was made this morning by Sheriff Edwin W. Orr. At present there are four men there with a day and night keeper to look after them, costing for salaries about \$150 a month. The prisoners do their own cooking and care for the house, but there are so few on hand that little can be done on the farm.

### Miner Crushed to Death in Deepest Lykens Mine

Lykens, Pa., Dec. 12.—John M. Williams of Wiconisco, was killed in the mines yesterday in No. 8 slope, the deepest place in the coal mines of Lykens. He was crushed by a fall of rock. Williams was 40 years old, a son of Matthew Williams. He leaves a wife and two daughters, Millie and Beatrice Williams.

### WILSON VOICES APPRECIATION OF PATRIOTIC ACTION

Washington, Dec. 12.—President Wilson yesterday telegraphed Acting President Lewis of the coal miners union his appreciation of the "patriotic action" taken by the miners' representatives yesterday at Indianapolis. The telegram follows: "May I not express to you, and through you to the other officers of your organization my appreciation of the patriotic action which you took at Indianapolis to-day. Now we must all work together to see to it that a settlement just and fair to every one is reached without delay. (Signed) Woodrow Wilson."

### Lady Grateful For Help Received

"For 15 years I suffered increasingly with stomach and liver trouble. Bloating with gas distressed me very much and caused serious heart fluttering. All medicine only relieved temporarily. I gave up hope of ever being cured. My druggist advised me one day to try May's Wonderful Remedy. I am feeling like a new woman since and can now eat anything with no ill results." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. H. C. Kennedy, Clark's 2 drug stores and druggists everywhere.

### TOYS FOR THE TOYLESS

Unless Christmas is to be a "feast of aching hearts" for numerous boys and girls of Harrisburg donations for the Toy Mission must materially increase during the next week. There are stacks of toys, it is true—but there are a great many more children than the Toy Mission workers imagined, who may be forgotten by Santa Claus unless the Toy Mission comes to the rescue. Toy Mission headquarters are at 119 South Front. The workers ask for toys and candies now—and fruits during the last week before Christmas. "Toys For the Toyless."

### 3 SAVED FROM GOING OFF BRIDGE BY SMALL LEDGE

### Automobile Hangs Over Viaduct When Caught by Flywheel

Crashing against the railing on the Mulberry street bridge and snapping off the post and guard rails, a touring automobile was prevented from dashing over the edge with three passengers, only when the fly wheel caught on a slight elevation on the edge of the bridge. When brought to a standstill, the fore part of the automobile was hanging perilously over the edge, more than fifty feet from the ground below. The automobile is owned and was driven by W. E. Dougherty, of New Kingston. Riding with him were two other men from New Kingston.

### Strikes Second Machine

Moving toward the Allison Hill district of the city, the automobile struck the rear end of an automobile owned by the Scandialis and Federick Motor Car Co., which had

### CAPITULATE ON SHIP SINKINGS IN SCAPA FLOW

German Reply to Note Demanding Signing of Protocol Is Received

Paris, Dec. 12.—The Germans reply to the Supreme Council's note demanding the signing of the peace protocol has been received in Paris and this afternoon was undergoing translation by the German delegation, according to the Intransigent. The newspaper declares that the reply is substantially a capitulation on the Scapa Flow question and a proposal to discuss other points.

### City Gets \$11.50 For Stall Rent in Old Market Square Market

More than thirty years after the market houses in Market Square were razed \$11.50 for stall rent, paid in 1888 by John Casey, was collected by the city. Casey paid the rent to the Commonwealth Trust Company for the city. Recently the banking institution published a list of funds which, if not claimed, would be paid over to the State. The item of \$11.50 was included, and when Commissioner C. W. Burnett saw it, he made inquiries and to-day collected the money from the bank and deposited it in the city treasury.

### RESUME IN INDIANA

Indianapolis, Dec. 12.—Mining in the bituminous coal fields of Indiana was started to-day after a five-weeks' strike, reports from all the delegates indicating that the resumption was pretty general. At Newburg, Fort Branch and Blackburn, in the southern part of the state, were operating, about 1,000 men having resumed their labors. Other mining property near Evansville was still inactive, but it was expected nearly all the men would be back by to-morrow.

### PLAN SCHOOL HOLIDAY

City schools will close December 23 for the Christmas vacation season, re-opening January 5.

### KIWANIS CLUB TO AID TOY MISSION

### Special Features Arranged For Holiday Meetings in Christmas Week

Decision to co-operate in the Toy Mission campaign, was made at yesterday's meeting in the ballroom of the Kiwanis Club in the ballroom of the Penn-Harris Hotel. It was decided that each member should bring a toy with him at next week's meeting. At this meeting, Elwood Turner, Chester, district governor of the Kiwanis Club and prominent in Kiwanis activities, will be in attendance, it was announced to-day. He will make an address on a subject to be announced later.

### ORESTORE SLEEPERS

Philadelphia, Dec. 12.—Announcement was made here to-day by the Pennsylvania railroad that, beginning to-night at midnight, the through sleeping cars which were withdrawn during the daylight hours will be restored on account of the settlement of the coal strike. In addition three through trains from New York to Washington and two from Washington to New York will resume their previous schedules.

### DENTAL EXAMINERS ARE APPOINTED

The Governor's office to-day announced the appointment of W. A. McCready, of Pittsburgh, as a member of the State Board of Dental Examiners to succeed Dr. H. W. Arthur, of Pittsburgh, and the reappointment of Dr. T. A. Hogan, of Pittsburgh.

### HAND BROKEN

John Post, 2449 Jefferson street, was treated at the Harrisburg Hospital yesterday for what may be a broken hand. The injury was suffered while he was working at the baggage office of the Pennsylvania Railroad.

### D'Annunzio Ready to Co-Operate With Italians

London, Dec. 12.—Gabriele D'Annunzio is ready to co-operate with the Italian government to bring about a return of normal conditions in the Adriatic if satisfactory guarantees are given that Italy will neither renounce Fiume nor evacuate territories occupied since the signing of the armistice. It was officially stated to-day.

The position of the poet-commander was given by D'Annunzio in a reply to the terms offered by General Badoglio, chief of staff of the Italian army, who, it is stated, proposed retention of Fiume by Italy and the surrender of all claims to Dalmatia.

At to-day's meeting, the principal speaker was the Rev. Dr. S. Winfield Herman, pastor of Zion Lutheran church. He spoke on "Campaign of Goodwill," his address was well received.

The attendance prize, a stick pin offered by Charles Rupp, was won by Dr. Park A. Beckard. Silent boosts, including combs and cises, were presented by Charles Williams.

Announcement was made to-day that the meetings of Christmas week will be held on December 26, and during the following week on January 2, because of the fact that Thursday in each of the weeks is a holiday. Special features have been arranged.

### NAMED SECRETARY

Fritz Payne Cansler, of Knoxville, Tenn., was to-day chosen by the directors of the Central Y. M. C. A. as the secretary of the new colored branch of the Y. M. C. A. at Briggs and Cowden streets. He is expected here about the first of the year.

### GEORGE REICHENBACH

George Reichenbach, 923 Susquehanna street, died yesterday at his home. He is survived by his wife, one son and two daughters. Funeral services will be held on Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Burial will be in the East Harrisburg Cemetery.

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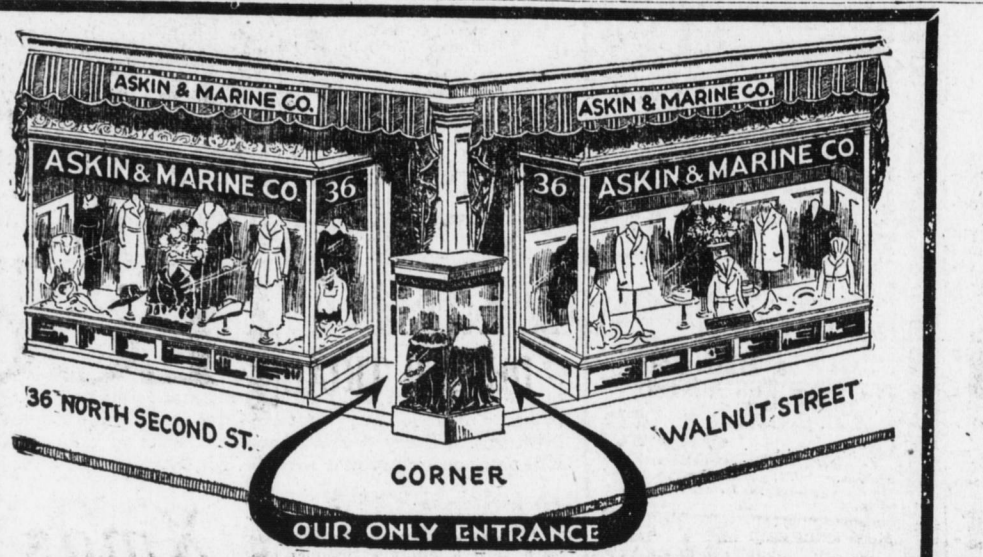
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