

I. W. DOUTRICH GIVEN SURPRISE PARTY AT HOME

Employes Present Magnificent Grandfather's Clock to Popular Employer

I. W. Doutrich, head of the Doutrich store, was given the surprise of his life last evening when about eighty of his employes...

Among those present were Mrs. Edgar Hess, Mrs. A. T. Baker, Mrs. C. T. Lebo, Mrs. H. H. Frickman, Mrs. Charles Sullenger, Mrs. J. Wells, Mrs. William Hellman, Mrs. John Holsberg, Mrs. E. O. Schaffner, Mrs. H. H. Kinnard, Mrs. Frank J. Conylinan, Cora Limbaugh, Ella Stetler, Wilda Wal-

NAVAL AWARDS ARE TO BE ACCEPTED

Admiral Wilson commands the Atlantic fleet and was in charge of American naval operations in French waters during the war. Admiral Mayo commanded the Atlantic fleet during the war and is now a member of the Navy General Board.

24 Cars and Engine Smashed Near Reading; P. R. R. Train Hits Debris

Reading, Pa., Dec. 27.—Twenty-four loaded cars and an engine were smashed early today in a wreck on the Reading Railway belt line at Gibraltar. It was the most disastrous rail smashup in this vicinity for some time.

"LAND OF SORROW" TO BE SHOWN

"The Land of Sorrow," the motion picture showing conditions in the Caucasus, will be shown before the United States Senate in an effort to make the United States the mandatory power in the Caucasus.

FORM BRANCH OF GREETERS' BODY

George D. Worthington Made President of the New Organization

With the business session this morning at 10 o'clock the Greetingers' Association No. 41, of Central Pennsylvania, was organized at the Penn-Harris Hotel.

Officers for the coming year were elected as follows: President, George D. Worthington, Harrisburg; first vice-president, Dr. G. C. Lee, Carlisle; second vice-president, J. B. Plick, Lancaster; secretary-treasurer, Albert A. Everetts and Raymond I. Young, Lewisburg.

NEW YORK CURB STOCKS

Table listing various stocks and their prices, including Industrials, Independent Oils, and Mining.

PHILADELPHIA STOCKS

Table listing Philadelphia stocks and their prices, including General Asphalt, Lehigh Valley, and others.

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE

Table listing Chicago board of trade items, including Corn, Oats, Pork, and Ribs.

Couple Who Have Lad Answering to Description of Billy Dansey Held

Hammon, N. J., Dec. 27.—Edward H. White, father of Charles S. White at liberty under bail charged with the murder of "Billy" Dansey, today announced receipt of a communication from the chief of police of Collinsville, Okla., stating a man and woman having a child who answered the description of the Dansey lad, but who repudiated them as his parents.

News of Interest to All Military Men

NEW ADJUTANT LONG IN SERVICE

Captain Wallace E. Hackett Attended First Civilian Plattsburg Camp

Captain Wallace E. Hackett, recently appointed adjutant of the Eight Infantry, Pennsylvania National Guard, has been interested in military matters for several years.

Negro Is Held on Suspicion of Having Killed Young Maid

Newark, N. J., Dec. 27.—Held on suspicion of having been implicated in the murder last week of Catherine Dunn, a maid employed in the home of Clarence S. Clark, in the Flatbush section of Brooklyn, Frank Kelley, a negro, was arrested here today and questioned by detectives at police headquarters.

Disappointed Girl Is on Way to Demand an Explanation of Fiance

Monson, Mass., Dec. 27.—Miss Ruth M. Keeney, accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George L. Keeney, left for New York, today, to see her fiance, Dr. William Grey Vermilye, and learn from him the cause of his failure to appear here Christmas day for his wedding.

DISCUSS NOTE

Berlin, Friday, Dec. 26.—The latest note of the Entente, demanding the signing of the protocol to the Peace Treaty, was informally discussed at a brief session of the cabinet today.

PROTEST OCCUPATION

Park, Thursday, Dec. 25.—Further protests relative to Serbian operations in Montenegro have been sent to the Peace Conference by the royal Montenegrin government, which has its headquarters at Neuilly. It is asserted that armed bandits have recently been sent into the interior of Montenegro to co-operate with regular Serbian troops in pillaging and burning houses owned by Montenegrins who are still faithful to King Nicholas.

CONCLUDE PROGRAM

Enola, Dec. 27.—The Christmas program of Zion Lutheran Church was concluded last night when the choir rendered the beautiful cantata, "Holy Night." The congregation presented the pastor, the Rev. M. S. Sharp, with a purse of \$75.

MANY TO ATTEND AD CLUB'S DINNER

By dinner of the Harrisburg Ad Club brought the pupils of his room to Harrisburg today to visit the city. The boys and girls called at the office of the county school superintendent in the courthouse, then went to visit the State Capitol and other places of interest.

WANTS NITTI TO DELAY

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CANDIDATE FOR DELEGATE

Oscar Bogen, 24, New fifth street, today announced his candidacy for delegate to the Democratic national convention which will name a candidate for President next spring.

DEMOCRATIC CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS

Fred. L. Morgenthaler Again Made President of Political Organization

The Central Democratic Club at its annual meeting last night re-elected former City Commissioner Fred L. Morgenthaler president. Mr. Morgenthaler's successful administration of club matters during the past year was warmly commended and his election was unanimous.

With Bolshevik Forces Bearing Down on Him Kolchak Faces Crisis

London, Dec. 27.—Admiral Kolchak, head of the All-Russian government, in Siberia, apparently faces a critical situation, according to Moscow advices.

PUPILS VISIT CITY

Adam Smith, teacher in Brown's school, Lower Paxton township, brought the pupils of his room to Harrisburg today to visit the city. The boys and girls called at the office of the county school superintendent in the courthouse, then went to visit the State Capitol and other places of interest.

THIRTEEN DEAD IN HARTFORD

Hartford, Conn., Dec. 27.—Thirteen persons have died here from wood alcohol poisoning in the last 24 hours. The last night being added by three deaths reported to him by the police this forenoon.

PIRE BURNS BANK

Brockton, Mass., Dec. 27.—The building occupied by the State Bank of Brockton, and three adjoining stores were destroyed by fire today causing a loss of about \$100,000. The bank's currency and securities were in a fire proof vault.

EVERY OIL RATE GO UP

An increase of five cents a barrel on all shipments over the National Petroleum Company's lines within Pennsylvania has been filed with the Public Service Commission. It covers crude petroleum and becomes effective January 22.

RAILROAD NEWS

PENNSY HEAD WANTS INCREASE

Favors Continuation of Standard Wage Scale When Railroads Come Back

OPEN HOUSE AT PENNSY Y. M. C. A.

Elaborate Program For New Year Day Visitors; Warm Welcome

Standing of the Crews

HARRISBURG SIDE Philadelphia Division.—The 134 crew first to go after 4 o'clock: 129, 113, 124, 115.

ENOLA SIDE

Philadelphia Division.—The 296 crew to go after 4:15 o'clock: 232, 207, 230, 253, 227, 211, 254, 255.

VIEWERS HEAR TESTIMONY

Viewers appointed to determine benefits or damages resulting from the change in the lines of Second street, Highgate, met in the City Council chamber today to hear testimony. The Municipal property, fronting about 300 feet on the street, is the only one affected in the proceedings.

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PASSENGER SERVICE

Middle Division.—Engineers and conductors for the Pennsylvania Railroad Y. M. C. A. are as follows: J. H. Dittmer, L. H. Riceford, A. J. Wagner, W. C. Black, H. B. Flood, J. W. Burd, H. E. Cook, G. W. Lenig, J. Schimmel, H. M. Kuhn, J. W. Smith, W. G. Jamison, H. P. Groninger, P. F. Schreck, C. A. Allen, C. D. Hollenbaugh, J. J. Kelly, H. F. Stuart.

THE READING

The 68 crew first to go after 4 o'clock: 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kline Robinson, of Philadelphia, are spending the holidays with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Linford Scott, 803 North Seventeenth street.

TEACHER SURRENDERS WHEN PUPIL DIES

Connellsville, Pa., Dec. 27.—Braden Hurst Hayes, of Scottdale, principal of the Herbert B. Redstone school, township, today surrendered to Coroner S. H. Baum, and was held in \$2,000 bail to answer to a charge of involuntary manslaughter in connection with the death of Thomas Domet, one of his pupils.

LILLY PEARL LING

Lilly Pearl Ling, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Ling, died yesterday at the home of her parents, 622 Emerald street. Funeral services will be held on Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock, conducted by the Rev. Mr. Wenger, of the Church of Christ. Burial will be in Prospect Hill Cemetery.

Advertisement for KONDON'S CATARRHAL JELLY, featuring a bottle of the product and text: 'Look out for the "Flu"! Fight off that Cold! TAKE no chances with a cold during the raw weather. Prevent colds if you can. Break up colds quickly when they do come. Be prepared. Buy a tube of Kondon's Catarrhal Jelly. [When wet or chilled use it as a preventative. Attack colds in their very beginning. Kondon's is antiseptic and healing. It destroys germs in the nasal passages. It prevents colds. It helps break up colds. Daily use of this fine, clean remedy is a good safeguard, and a habit of cleanliness that compares with scrubbing the teeth.'