

GOVERNOR SIGNS BILLS; GOES TO PHILADELPHIA

One of the Measures He Approves Gives Harrisburg and Dauphin County Right to Build a Joint Court House and City Hall

Governor Brumbaugh left for Philadelphia last night to pass the week-end, and to-day planned to have a conference in the Bellevue-Stratford hotel with manufacturers of Philadelphia on the child labor bill.

Approval also was given to the Kline bill which provides that a city and county may jointly construct a public building to be used by both, which means that should Harrisburg and Dauphin county get together on a new court house project, to be used by both, the law now sanctions such an agreement.

Other bills approved were as follows: Backman bill, appropriating to the State Highway Department for road construction and maintenance \$187,774.22, being the unappropriated balance of the automobile license funds in the State treasury.

Jones bill, requiring a public record to be kept at the County Treasurer's office of the names, addresses and office hours of borough and township tax collectors.

Governor Brumbaugh vetoed House bill No. 213, validating certain city and borough ordinances and contracts that were not recorded in the manner required by law. The Governor says this bill proposes by legislative enactment to correct mistakes of certain officials. He adds:

"It seems to me that the proper remedy in all such cases lies with the city and borough authorities employing such officials. The courts are the capable instruments of correcting rather than the General Assembly."

MUSIC AT MARKET SQUARE

Special Numbers Will Be Given at Services During Week of Prayer

The music at to-morrow's services at Market Square Presbyterian church will be in charge of Mrs. W. F. Harris, leader, and Mrs. Henry, organist. The morning service at 11 will open with the prelude, "Intermezzo," by Hollins, and "Paques Fleures," by Mally. The anthem will be "Gounod's 'Bye Babylon' (CXXVII); the offertory, "Berceuse," by Shelley, and the postlude, "Russian March," by Clark.

In the evening at 7:30 the prelude will be "Elevation," by Guilmant, and "Pastoral," by Salome. Mr. Andrews will sing the tenor solo, "King Ever Glorious," from Satiner's "Crucifixion." The offertory will be "Melodion" by Jonas and the postlude "Grand Chorus," by Chaurat.

Next week will be observed as the Week of Prayer and Preparation, with services each evening, except Monday, at 7:30. On Tuesday the congregation of the Pine Street church will unite with Market Square in the latter church and Dr. Mudge will preach. On Wednesday and Thursday evenings the Rev. Mr. Cooke will be in charge of the services and on Friday the Rev. Frank T. Wheeler, of Newville, while on Saturday evening the union service will be held in the Pine Street church, with sermon by the Rev. Mr. Cooke.

There will be special music at each service. The sermons will be on subjects appropriate to the events of the days of "His Last Week" and will be preparatory to the celebration of the sacrament of the Lord's Supper, which will be administered on Easter morning, April 4. The session will meet at the close of the services on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. The sacrament of baptism will be administered to the infants of believing parents at the morning service on April 11.

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KAISER WITH HIS STAFF OF GENERALS NEAR EAST PRUSSIAN FRONTIER



THE KAISER (X) AND HIS STAFF REVIEWING TROOPS

The remarkable picture given above shows the Kaiser with his generals of the Eastern command. What position does he actually occupy toward them? Does he just carry out an inspection and say, "Very good, very good; couldn't be better," or does he actually traverse the policy and tactics of his generals? It must be remembered that the German Empire is under the overshadowing hegemony of Prussia, which comprises three-fifths of the area of the federation and two-thirds of its population. The ideas which rule the military organization are Prussian. One tradition of the Prussian royal house has been that it is the duty of the monarch to lead his armies into battle. The power of the German Emperor, who is regarded as "War Lord," is very great, and the present Emperor has undoubtedly been disposed to exercise it to the full. He has always assisted at and meddled with general manoeuvres. His general conduct also has often been



THE KAISER WEARING A BALACLAVA WOOLEN HELMET

a kind of caricature of that of his grandfather. In short, there is every reason to believe that the Kaiser's control of the German armies is a real one. His record as commander-in-chief shows that it is no easy thing to shine in war. More independent subordinates might perhaps have done better, but overbearing despotism is apt to breed mediocrity among subjects, and certainly the German generals are mediocrities. Even von Hindenburg, the best of them, has achieved nothing that places him above the level of a moderately skillful strategist and tactician. In the lower picture the Kaiser is seen on the left while reviewing his troops, behind the eastern fighting line. He is wearing a woolen Balacava helmet under the spiked helmet in order to protect himself from the cold winds of "our beloved East Prussia." The Emperor's motor car stands in readiness on the left.

CAPITOL HILL

TRAINMEN'S SIDE OF FULL CREW TO BE HEARD APRIL 6

Representatives of All Organized Railroad Bodies Will Be Present and Give Opposition to the Repeal of the Bill

Tuesday afternoon next it will be the trainmen's turn to tell their opposition to the repeal of the full crew law, the railroads having had their say last Tuesday before the joint committee on Railroads of the Senate and House. It is expected that representatives of all the organized bodies of railroad men will be present, and that the trainmen and Brotherhood of Railway Conductors will send an especially large delegation.

The trainmen and conductors will be represented by former Attorney General Bell, of Philadelphia, and James Scarlet, of Danville, who was chief counsel for the State in the prosecution of the Capitol graters, and is expected to make the principal address on Tuesday. In the meantime the deluge of letters and petitions to legislators to vote for or against the repealer still flows through the mails, and the Senate and House postoffices are jammed with great bundles of mail on the subject that the attaches are using every endeavor to distribute before the hearing.

Governor in Philadelphia Governor Brumbaugh left last night for Philadelphia and was to meet a committee of manufacturers there to-day to have a talk on the child labor bill. This evening the Governor will attend a dinner of the Five O'clock Club, given in honor of Attorney General Brown. He will return to Harrisburg on Monday.

Some Legislation Up to date Governor Brumbaugh has approved fifteen bills, vetoed six and now has in hand twenty-six, which he will dispose of by Friday of next week. Vetoes of forty per cent. of the bills on which action has been taken is now precluded.

New Corporations The Kaufman Furniture Company, of Reading, with a capital of \$35,000, was chartered to-day. A charter was issued to the Henry M. Willit Inc., of Birdsboro, to make blacking and leather varnish, capital \$5,000, and the Gingrich Bros. Inc., of Reading, drugs, with \$60,000 capital.

Protest the Rates Residents of Wampum, Lawrence county, to-day filed a protest with the Public Service Commission against the increase of rates for the transportation of milk on the Pittsburgh and Lake Erie railroad. The complainants complain that the proposed increase will almost double the rates all along the lines.

TALK ON SKIN DISEASES Philadelphia Physician Will Speak to Academy of Medicine Dr. Frank C. Knowles, of Philadelphia, will deliver an illustrated lecture on "The Differential Diagnosis of the Common Skin Disorders," at the monthly meeting of the Harrisburg Academy of Medicine Friday evening, April 30.

The Dauphin County Medical Society will hear Dr. Thomas McCrea, of Philadelphia, lecture on some medical subject at its meeting on Tuesday, April 6. The Council of the Harrisburg Academy will meet April 2 and the milk commission will meet April 16.

Recovering From Effects of Drug Lillian Budd, 21 years old, 1310 Current street, who is believed to have been drugged by a stranger she met on Chestnut street last night, is recovering at the Harrisburg hospital to-day. She first hurried home and told her mother of meeting the man and then became so serious that she was hurried to the Harrisburg hospital. She was hysterical when taken to the hospital.

Bondholders Have New Plan A new plan has been formulated by the bondholders of the Cumberland Valley Telephone Company and an underwriting syndicate formed to purchase all bonds up to the sum of \$150,000 not taken by the bondholders. The holder of each \$1,000 Commonwealth Trust Company receipt will receive a \$500 new general mortgage bond and \$250 in common stock or 75 per cent. in new securities.

GIRL HELPS SAVE 4 TOTS FROM FIRE

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passed through an opening in the ceiling and entered the chimney on the second floor. A carpet, covering the floor of the sleeping room, came in contact with the hot stove pipe, caught fire and set fire to the building.

Both Mrs. Hall and Mrs. Wolf and their husbands were absent from home when the blaze was discovered. Mrs. Hall having started for a store on another street to buy bread for the children's breakfast.

Hall is employed by the Pennsylvania railroad and was on his run to Philadelphia. Wolf is employed by the Pennsylvania Steel Company in Steelton, and was absent at work. He was summoned by telephone but did not arrive at home until the dwelling was destroyed.

"RASTUS" IS ARRESTED

Charged With Tampering With Safe in Real Estate Office

"Rastus" Johnson, a local bone rattler, who is charged with attempting to rob a safe in the office of Charles Adler, insurance and real estate dealer, 1002 North Third street, was arrested last evening by City Detective Harry White.

The police received the information that last Saturday, while the clerk in the office was at a telephone in the rear of the store, "Rastus" vaulted a rail at the front of the store and was at the safe with the money drawer open when the clerk returned. He fled, the police say, and was not seen until last night. "Rastus" was charged with larceny once before this winter, but the man who suffered the loss of \$25 and nine boxes of cigars in that instance would not prosecute the case, the police declare.

SURPRISE FOR DIRECTORS

President Boyer and Secretary Hammelbaugh Can Keep a Secret

The members of the Harrisburg Board of School Directors will be given a surprise party on Monday and it is a dead secret between President Henry A. Boyer and Secretary D. D. Hammelbaugh. The annual inspection of the board will take place Monday, the directors going to each school house in the city in automobiles, the luncheon being the surprise party.

Nobody will talk and it was kept so close that when Director Werner, who will not get into Harrisburg from his run until 1 o'clock that day, wanted to know where to meet the party he was directed to phone the local school board office for directions. There is nothing going to leak out about this party.

RAILROAD MEN TO CONVENE

Relief and Compensation Fund Opens Sessions Monday

Discussion of matters pertaining to their national organization will be the order at the two-day convention Monday at the Harrisburg hotel. The Relief and Compensation Fund delegates meeting Monday morning at Eagles' Home, Sixth and Cumberland streets.

Twenty-three delegates are due to attend. Monday morning will be devoted to affairs of local members, who will also be admitted to all sessions that day and Tuesday. Tuesday night in Chestnut street auditorium, a concert by the Trainmen's Band will be given, with the feature of an automobile given away during the performance.

CONFER MARKED DEGREE

Select Castle, Knights of Mystic Chain, Admit Past Commanders

A special convocation of the Select Castle of Pennsylvania, Ancient Order Knights of the Mystic Chain, was held in the hall of Crusade Castle, No. 73, Steelton, last night for the purpose of conferring the marked degree on past commanders of this district.

Select Commander Eli Teeter, of Johnstown, presided and J. P. Snyder, of St. John's Castle, acted as chaplain. S. Pison acted as select marshal and J. G. Parthenore as select scribe. The degree was conferred on Past Commanders of Crusade Castle, No. 73, and St. John's Castle, No. 17.

LATE WAR NEWS SUMMARY

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the Gulf of Smyrna, on the coast of Asia Minor.

Notwithstanding the reported successes of the British in repelling the Turkish invaders of Egypt, the Turks have not been expelled from the country. An official statement from Cairo says that a skirmish occurred on Tuesday, with small losses on both sides.

Reports continue to come in of important Russian successes in the Carpathians. Swiss newspapers publish dispatches that the Russians have defeated the Austrians in several engagements along the front from Bukovina to Western Galicia.

Aviators of Germany and the allies threw bombs yesterday on towns at widely separated points. So far as is disclosed, no serious damage was done. A French aviator was brought down by the Germans near Arras.

FOX KILLER GETS BOUNTIES

Edward Knapp Is \$4 Richer Than He Calculated He Would Be

When Edward Knapp, hunter, nailed the pelts of two grey foxes, two red foxes and two weasels against the smoke house at his home in Dauphin last winter, his intention was, he said to-day, "just to see how many I would get by spring time." Then he intended disposing of them to a fur dealer. Later it developed that his collection was worth \$8 more than he had originally estimated.

Knapp, having learned of the plan to pay bounties for killing noxious beasts, took the pelts before Squire Richard M. Steckley, in Dauphin, this morning and made affidavit that he killed the animals that ones were them. The squire, after cutting the ears from the pelts, made out a certificate.

Then Knapp took the next train and came to Harrisburg. His claim for \$8 will be paid by the County Commissioners next Wednesday. Nothing is allowed for killing red foxes. A bounty of \$2 is allowed for each grey fox and each weasel kill-d.

CHORUS TO CHEER INVALIDS

Evangelistic Singers Plan to Visit Shut-ins of City

"Shut-ins" throughout the city will be cheered by companies of singers within a short time by a plan of the Harrisburg Evangelistic Chorus, according to Charles F. Clippinger, director of the chorus.

At a meeting Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock in Ridge Avenue Methodist church, Sixth and Herr streets, details of the plan will be announced. Mr. Clippinger requests the names of any shut-ins to be turned in at the Monday evening rehearsal.

New music will be rehearsed at the Monday meeting.

Mrs. Mary E. Sample

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Sample, widow of the late Silas S. Sample, died this morning at her home, 431 Market street. She leaves three sons, Walter H. and Channing L. of this city, and Gilbert, of West Chester, and three daughters, Mrs. Mary Cornell and Mrs. Lillian Geisel, of this city, and Miss Katherine, of Philadelphia.

Funeral services will be held on Monday afternoon at Spicer's chapel, 313 Walnut street, the Rev. Dr. Ellis N. Kremer, pastor of Reformed Salem church, officiating. Burial will be made in the Harrisburg cemetery. Services and burial will be strictly private.

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE CLOSING

Chicago, March 29.—Close: Wheat—May 148; July 118 5-8. Corn—May, 71 1-8; July, 73 7-8. Oats—May, 56 1-4; July, 52 7-8. Pork—May, 17.42; July, 17.87. Lard—May, 10.27; July, 10.55. Ribs—May, 10.00; July, 10.32.

PERSIA OUTRAGES ORDERED TO STOP

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"Mr. Lansing advises us," said George T. Scott, assistant secretary of the board, that Ambassador Morgenthau at Constantinople had communicated to the Grand Vizier the request of the State Department for protection of Americans in the vicinity of Urumiah. The Grand Vizier, the letter says, expressed the belief that the reports of outrages there were inaccurate and told Mr. Morgenthau he would immediately instruct his subordinates to protect all inhabitants of the section, including, of course, the Christians.

FAIR AND COOL TO-MORROW

Light Overcoats Will Be Comfortable on Palm Sunday

Palm Sunday weather will be fair and warmer—that is warmer than to-day—but it is expected to be slightly below normal. A maximum temperature of slightly over forty will make spring overcoats very comfortable. Nothing is expected to interfere with the sun, however, and as a whole it will be a pretty fine day.

SENATE WILL MEET EARLY

To Hold Afternoon Session Monday Because of Masonic Banquet

The Senate will depart from its usual custom on Monday and hold a session during the afternoon, beginning at 4 o'clock, and dispensing with an evening session. This will be done to permit the thirty-two Senators who are Masons to participate in the annual anniversary banquet of Robert Burns Lodge of Masons as the guests of Senator Beidleman and Secretary W. Harry Baker.

GREEK TEAM WINS DEBATE

Mercer B. Tate, Jr., Awarded Medal For Best Individual Speech

The third annual Greek-Roman debate at the Harrisburg Academy was won by the Greeks last night, it being the largest attended and most interesting ever held at the academy.

The gold medal for the best individual speaker was awarded Mercer B. Tate, Jr., of the Romans. The cup was presented the Greeks by Frank B. Wickersham and was accepted by Robert W. Seitz, the captain of the Greek team.

The question debated was on the federal income tax, the Greeks taking the affirmative and the Romans the negative. The judges were unanimous in their decision, and after the presentation of the prizes, Mr. Wickersham made a brief address on the benefits of school life.

INCREASE IN BANK RESERVE

New York, March 27.—The statement of the actual condition of Clearing House banks and trust companies show that they hold \$149,875,760 reserve in excess of legal requirements. This is an increase of \$10,276,240 over last week.

J. C. Holmes to Speak

J. C. Holmes, an evangelist of Reading, will preach in the Gospel Hall at 1216 North Third street to-morrow evening at 7.45 o'clock.

NEW ARGENTINE WARSHIP IN COLLISION WITH BARGE

Big Battleship Runs Ashore After Sinking the Smaller Craft—Floated This Morning and Then Proceeds on Journey Apparently Uninjured

Philadelphia, March 27.—The new Argentine battleship Moreno, which sailed from here yesterday for Hampton Roads, collided last night with a barge off New Castle, Del., thirty miles down the Delaware river, from this city. The barge was sunk and the Moreno went ashore where she remained flat until 7.30 a. m. to-day when she floated. The Moreno proceeded down Delaware bay, apparently uninjured, and is expected to pass out to sea during the day.

The Moreno, which draws more water than any other battleship built on the Delaware, anchored at Deep Water Point yesterday waiting for high tide. She got under way about sundown and met the tug Mars towing a string of three coal barges in ballast from Boston for Philadelphia. Bargemen declared to-day that the steering gear of the Moreno was working badly with the result that the battleship and the barge Enterprise collided. The Argentine ship slowly swung around and despite the efforts of her pilot, the big vessel went ashore on Goose Island. The Enterprise had a hole stove in her side and slowly settled in the river until her deck was submerged. The crew of the barge escaped and went aboard one of the other barges.

Aid was summoned from Philadelphia during the night and several tugs went to work on the Moreno on the rising tide early to-day. As the battleship was not hard aground on the mud flats the tugs had no trouble in pulling her off.

The battleship Moreno is one of the most powerful fighting ships afloat. She was recently turned over to the Argentine Republic and with a crew of 900 officers and men is on her way to Hampton Roads where a reception in honor of the new ship will be held on board the vessel. Later the Moreno will return to Delaware bay where she will take on additional coal and then steam for South America.

NO FUNDS FOR SEWAGE PLANT

That Reason Given By City Engineer For City's Failure To Build It

Harrisburg has not complied with the State Health Commissioner Dr. Samuel G. Dixon, to provide a sewage disposal plant as a means of abolishing the present system of "dumping" sewage into the Susquehanna river, because the city officials have not yet finances at their command with which to make the improvement—so City Engineer Cowden said to-day.

Plans for a disposal plant that would entail a cost of \$1,000,000 or more, for years have been on file in the office of the State health commissioner, Mr. Cowden said. He added that the plans have been approved by the State officials, upon the condition that certain amendments be made. Those changes could be made in five minutes, according to Cowden.

The original plan was to put the disposal plant on an island, opposite the city. The engineer suggested that the city do not get a renewal of the State permit, under which it can continue to deposit sewage in the river "until the disposal plant is completed." He added that in his opinion the city officials acted wisely in not going to a big expense years ago to build this disposal plant, saying it is his belief that in view of many improvements made to sewage systems within the last few years it will be a matter of only a few years when a cheaper substitute may be obtained for the costly disposal plant.

TO OBSERVE HOLY WEEK

Special Services To Be Held At Cathedral Starting To-morrow

Special Holy Week services will be held at St. Patrick's Cathedral all next week, starting to-morrow with the blessing of palm and procession at 10.30 o'clock 1 1/2 the morning and ending Easter Sunday with a pontifical high mass at 10.30 a. m.

The Rev. Benignus Brennan will give the course of three sermons, Holy Thursday, Good Friday and Easter Sunday, all of which will take place at 7.30 o'clock in the evening.

Special music will feature most of the services with singing of "Miserere," next Wednesday evening by the Cathedral choir, and on Thursday and Friday evenings by the junior choir.

A special collection will be taken up Easter Sunday at all masses, which will go toward paying off the church debt.

BLUECOAT A FRIEND IN NEED

10-Year-Old With 25-Pound Market Basket in Serious Trouble

Edward Harvey, 10 years old, 1930 Kensington street, was a very much worried boy when he could not locate the owner of a 25-pound market basket at 121 Market street, where he had been directed to take it by a woman who entrusted it to his care at the Chestnut street market house.

It was very heavy for the youngster and when he could not find the owner he just naturally broke into tears and then a policeman found him and relieved him of the burden. He was very much elated and ran to his home. The owner of the basket claimed it at police headquarters just before noon.

Music at Christ Church

To-morrow evening the choir of Christ Lutheran church