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LUTHER LEAGUE TO CONVENE IN READING JULY 2

National Convention Sessions Will Continue Four Days—Railroad Tour to be a Post-Convention Feature

The nineteenth biennial convention of the Luther League of North America will be held in Reading next week beginning on Thursday, July 2, in Trinity Lutheran Church there and will continue in session until July 6.

Special trains will arrive from the west as far as Chicago and from Chicago a "Luther League Special" will leave carrying the youth with their colors and flowers at 5 o'clock in the afternoon of July 1, arriving at Harrisburg, Pennsylvania Railroad station, at 9:20 A. M., E. S. T. This train will have a Luther League banquet on the train at 6 o'clock enroute to Harrisburg. This check train will have Pullmans from Gary, Ft. Wayne, Lima, Ohio, Detroit, Toledo, Mansfield, St. Louis, Dayton, Columbus, Louisville, Ky., Cincinnati and Pittsburgh. Another special will arrive from the south and Washington, D. C., for the convention.

The newest and most modern hotel in Reading, The Abraham Lincoln, will be the convention hotel for its headquarters. Many of the homes in the city will be opened for the guests under the Harvard Plan of entertainment. A special post office booth will be opened for the convenience of the delegates and visitors who come to the convention. Souvenirs and entertainment booklets will be distributed. The city has 16 Lutheran Churches and 19,208 members. The first Lutheran Church in Berks county was organized in 1751. The first Luther League was organized in 1894. The first Luther League badge was made by G. A. Schlichter, in Reading, for the first president of the State Luther League, Rev. E. L. Miller, in 1895.

Twenty Luther Leaguers are charged with the program for the convention. The slogan is "The Christ Who Fulfills". The budget for the year is placed at $22,215. Grace Luther League of this city belongs to the League of America. The pastor will attend the convention.

Immediately upon the close of this great convention a post convention tour via Pennsylvania Railroad will be participated in by about 200 delegates and visitors. The tour will consume five days. The route will be the following: Reading to Bethwood, by bus to Valley Forge, to Philadelphia, visiting Independence Hall, Betsy Ross House, the Mint, and other places of interest, terminating at the Hotel Adelphia, where a special luncheon will be awaiting them arranged by the Philadelphia Luther Leaguers. In the afternoon the delegation will go to the Muhlenberg Publishing House, City Hall, and large stores. The "Special" will leave Philadelphia at 7:00 E. S. T. for Atlantic City. While there the Hotel Madison will be the headquarters. Here an opportunity will be given for swimming, boardwalk walking, sunning on the hotel deck, visiting the shops and listening to "what the wild waves are saying". From Atlantic City the group will go to New York City and put up at the Hotel The New Yorker, containing 1200 rooms.

While here the party will visit Central Park, Riverside Drive, Grant's Tomb, Dr. Fosdick's Church, Columbia University, all of Broadway down to Union Square, the East Side, Bowery, Chinatown, Park Row, Woolworth Building, Stock Exchange, Wall Street, over the Brooklyn Bridge, Brooklyn Heights, Henry Ward Beecher's Church. Twenty-three buses will transport the delegates to the trans-Atlantic pier where big ocean liners will be inspected under competent guides. A trip to Coney Island will not be omitted. The next day trips will be made to the Statue of Liberty, Ellis Island, Museum of Natural History, the new Chrysler Building, Wagner Lutheran College on Staten Island, etc. Then the "Special" will speed all the way to Washington, D. C., without a stop. Here the White House will be visited, the capitol, library, Mount Vernon, and other public buildings, then return to Reading.

Soldier-Sailors' Monument Damaged By Lightning Bolt

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on which the figure of the soldier stands, badly shattering the west side of the stone. Shrinking along the west side of the shaft and thence down its special mortar, the lightning shot into the west side panel, leaving black and brown photographic evidence of its progress.

A wreath, placed at the monument by the Boy Scouts during the Memorial Day ceremonial, served to cause the lightning to strike into a metallic part of the wreath and thence into a mortar joint to shatter the second step on the graceful memorial.

From present evidences the effects of the lightning will serve to mar the attractiveness of the monument. Although plans are already afoot on the part of patriotic citizens to make an effort to cause the black and brown marks caused by the lightning eliminated thru the use of sandblasting devices.

SPIRELLIS AT ROCKVIEW

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finally to Pottsville. There he met and sought the love of Mary Dashion, an attractive Austrian girl. The latter subsequently spurned his attentions when he sought to borrow money he knew the girl had saved from her earnings and when refused the latter attacked Miss Dashion with a long bread knife and inflicted numerous wounds of the abdomen and from which the girl died.

Chutes to Safety

Major James R. (Jimmy) Doolittle, former ace stunt flyer of the Army Air Corps, leaped to safety via his parachute when the fabric tore loose from the wings of his plane while traveling at a speed of 235 miles an hour over East St. Louis, Ill. Jimmy had a narrow escape from death, as the plane was only 100 feet off the ground when it began to tear apart. By reading it up, Doolittle managed to get an altitude of 400 feet before leaping.

ROMANCE OF OLD WORLD AND NEW REVEALED

Greek Merchant of Milton and Prominent Watsontown Girl Take Out License to Wed

A romance of the old world and the new was revealed at the court house yesterday, when Gus N. Korovas, Milton merchant, was licensed to wed Jennie E. Freeman, of Watsontown. The former's family are natives of Crete, an island of Greece. The latter is the daughter of Elwood Freeman, Watsontown stationary engineer.

John H. Drusy, of Roanoke was licensed to wed Ellen E. Neumann, of Sunbury. She is the daughter of Hugh Neumann, superintendent of the designing department of the Susquehanna silk mills.

Lawrence C. Snyder, chemical engineer, of Chester, was licensed to wed Barbara L. Boyer, of Northumberland. He is a native of Leck Kill, in the lower part of the county and son of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Snyder, his father now being retired at the family home at Selinsgrove. She is the daughter of Albert Boyer, well known Northumberland contractor.

PATRIOTISM IS KEYNOTE OF JR. MECHANICS' ANNIVERSARY

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Ohio and the other at Lexington, Kentucky.

Guests were present from Sunbury, Bradlock and other cities and following the business and anniversary session, a social hour prevailed and during which appetizing refreshments were served.

3 Homes Struck by Lightning During Storm At Sunbury

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where lightning had struck into the home of Herbert Orner and Carl Jaegers. A detachment of firemen hastened there to assist Northumberland firemen and other volunteers and the fire was extinguished within a few minutes.

In the meantime lightning had struck into the Charles E. Steele school at Northumberland and an other alarm was sounded in Sunbury. Again the firemen sent emergency crews to the school where the bolt had torn off the chimney, ripped a gaping hole into the roof and side of the building and fire broke out. This too was quickly conquered.

While the fire companies were flying to and fro through the lightning and rain, the Mary Packer hospital ambulance was summoned to several localities where persons had been injured by contacts from electrical bolts crashing near their dwellings or places in which they had sought safety.

Mrs. Clyde Von Horne and Mrs. Sadie Sankey were both injured unconscious by effects of lightning related but were quickly revived by physicians.

SIDELIGHTS ON STORM

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was standing near a pole from which ran a ground wire and that when the effects of the lightning were received along the ground, the canine suffered the full force of the powerful natural current and fell dead.

Still another story concerning the canine population also comes from the western sector of the borough.

A dog running full tilt in search of shelter, ran into the tail end of a shoe of lightning turned several flippers and then limped from the scene dragging a rear leg as if partially paralyzed as the result of the effects of the lightning of the electrical bugs.

I See By The Shamokin Dispatch . . . . . .

The Fourth

Is just a week away.

Independence Day—a day off.

Frank Sheary, Jr., of Marshall street, has returned from a several days' sojourn with friends in Philadelphia.

"Jimmie" Shepard, popular night manager of the "Red Top" taxi stand, will leave this city some time today for Atlantic City where for the next week or ten days he will enjoy the cool breezes along the seashore. He will be accompanied on the trip by Walter Burley, another popular youth of this city.

J. A. Weaver and sister Mrs. Clara Daniel, Mrs. Floyd Hewitt and John C. Brown left by motor this morning for Tamaqua, where this afternoon they will attend the funeral of Charles H. Weidy, former widely known powder mill operator who succumbed very suddenly on Wednesday.

A farewell party was tendered Josephine Ann Floyd Williams at the Malick home on Arch Street last evening at which a number of young people were in attendance. Games were played as well as music and dancing being indulged in and at a late hour, delicious refreshments were served. Following are the names of those in attendance at the function: Martha Spotts, Martan and Helen Hendershot, Ruth Malick, Bill Stank, Pat Shugars, Bill Lubnow, Bob Herr, Charles Deversun, Daniel Hovenstine and Josephine and Floyd Williams.

John Helt, well known resident of North Rock Street, yesterday afternoon was removed to the Geisinger Memorial Hospital at Danville where he will undergo treatments.

Funeral services over remains of William Schroyer, of Hickory Corners will be held Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Burial will be made at the Hickory Corners Lutheran Church. The Rev. Mr. Wagner, the pastor, will officiate. The death of Mr. Schroyer occurred yesterday morning.

Mrs. Henrietta Schroyer, the oldest resident of the Hegins Valley, died at her home at Hegins following a long illness. She was 81 and spent all her life in the Hegins Valley. She was the mother of J. P. Schroyer, assistant county superintendent of schools of Schuylkill county, and was the widow of Simon Schroyer.

After a patient watch for hours which failed to reveal anyone near the place, state and Juniata county police finally succeeded in seizing a 100 gallon still, 500 gallons of mash and all of the equipment for a first class moonshining outfit in Blaking Valley, Juniata county. In addition to the still, and condenser, there were found a large number of barrels. All of the equipment was destroyed.

In a letter to the Lackawanna Bar Association, A. A. Winter, Lewisburg, federal jury commissioner, admits jurors' names have not been placed in the wheel from a standpoint of population and he believes the practice is wrong. He said jurors have been picked from counties close to federal court sessions, to save the government expense, and admitted the Lackawanna lawyers are justified in their complaint. There are 32 counties in the middle district, but most of the jurors have been coming from Union and Snyder counties.

A group of officials of the Madeira-Hill Coal company from Connecticut arrived in Mount Carmel this week to make an inspection of the collieries of the company in this region. The party is registered at Marble Hall. Those who comprise the group are: Frederick Hewitt, Jr., Hewitt, Jr., Mercer, John Steady and James Nelson, New London; R. R. Hamner, C. L. Cohen and O. J. Richards, Hartford; Charles Riley, John Tayler and Frank Sincerbs, Bridgeport; Frank Foley, Stratford.

Found guilty on the charge of reckless driving, Norman Gutellius of 11 South Second street, Lewisburg, was sentenced to serve ten days in the Union county jail when given a hearing before Justice of the Peace M. E. Shaughnessy. Gutellius was prosecuted by Office Simmons of the Lewisburg borough police force as the result of striking the machine of Howard Pearson when it was parked in front of his home on South Seventh street, Lewisburg, several weeks ago.

On July 1 the Lehigh Valley railroad will institute gas-electric train schedules on its Match Chunk-Mt. Carmel division. It was said today. This means that a passenger train recently discontinued on the run between Delano and Mahanoy City will be placed in service again. It also means the resumption of numerous other trains throughout the section served by the division and residents of the communities affected are rejoicing at the fact that they are to get train service again.

Comrade John J. Tobias, youngest and oldest surviving members of Burnside Post, Grand Army of the Republic, Mt. Carmel, yesterday celebrated the eighty-third anniversary of his birth. The prominent Civil war veteran spent the quiet day at home, receiving cards of felicitations and flowers. Other members of the post are Tom Wardrop, Jacob Umlauf and C. B. Zimmerman.

Mexico Starts Campaign To Popularize National Sports

MEXICO CITY, June 27 — An intensive campaign "to put the stamp on nationalism" on indoor and outdoor activities has been inaugurated under the sponsorship of the Culture and Social Committee of the capital. Fired by the prominence foreign influence apparent in practically all public affairs of social and educational value, the nationalization enthusiasts adopted a resolution urging the government to co-operate in a countrywide campaign based on the following fundamentals:

1—Popularize distinctly national sports such as fronton; a combination of handball and basketball. In conjunction with that minimize foreign diversions such as golf baseball and American football.

2—Prohibit motion pictures in the foreign tongue, allowing only those presented in correct Spanish. (At present the films of American origin are offered in the English language for the most part, with printed translations of Spanish appearing jointly on the screen).

3—Encourage native fairs characterized by native customs.

Strictly enforce the existing law requiring all advertising signs to be printed in Spanish.

Request civil departments to see to it that henceforth all civic activities bear "the stamp of true Mexican nationalism, eliminating such activities tending to alienate patriotism.

FIREMAN DIES SUDDENLY AT COUNTYSEAT

Robert Dunham, Driver for Washington Hose Company, Sunbury, Fatally Stricken in Restaurant at That Place

Robert Dunham, driver for the Washington Hose Company, of Sunbury, died suddenly in the local firemen, died very suddenly in the Lely Restaurant at the county seat at 9:30 last evening from a severe attack of the heart. He was 35 years of age and unmarried.

During yesterday afternoon Dunham had been very active in his official capacity in attending the fire in Sunbury, Island Park and Northumberland. He had partaken of a sumptuous repast at the restaurant last evening and was conversing with friends when he suddenly grew pale, tumbled from a chair and lapsed into unconsciousness.

A physician hastily summoned by attaches of the restaurant arrived within a few minutes and pronounced the young fireman dead, diagnosing the cause of death as acute dilatation of the heart, presumably due to the excitement of the day and the subsequent participation in a heavy meal.

Counterfeiters are busy in Scotland.

SUNBURY FIRE TRUCK FIGURES IN COLLISION

Dozen Members of East End Company at Countyseat Escape Injury When Machine Crashes Into Pole

A dozen members of the East End Hose company, No. 1, of Sunbury, had narrow escapes from injury when the fire apparatus on which they were riding in response to a summons to a fire at Island Park, went out of control of the driver and crashed into a telegraph pole near the converting works at the eastern end of Sunbury.

The truck was traveling at high speed when the driver made a quick turn to avoid striking a large limb broken from a tree. The quick turn threw the monster truck out of control and it skidded against the telegraph pole, ripping off the right running board and fenders.

Altho badly shaken up and excited over their experience, the occupants of the truck providentially escaped injuries.

Johnny Matzer At Maysville Park Tonight

Tonight dance at Maysville Park will feature the return of Johnny Matzer and his eleven Californians. This is their first appearance here. The spacious ballroom thrilled so many dancers. By request of the local management the same band that was here was chosen to furnish the music for the dancers.

Johnny Matzer's orchestra presents a versatile group of musicians, who specialize in the art of music. They also present many comic skits and stunts and offer a very pleasant one. The dance will begin at 8:30 and continue until midnight with car service after the dance.

Merchants of Turkey are complaining that the government has taken control of all foreign exchange dealings is affecting their business.

New match boxes in London are being made of tin instead of cardboard. Titles "From Foreign Climes," or "Willie Stroke."

The gross valuation of the administrative County of London is $4,990,000, an increase of $1 per cent over last year.

Tractor dealers in Australia are organizing the farmers to fight any attempt to place additional taxes on tractors.

FINE PROGRAM ARRANGED FOR PARK CONCERTS

Patrons of Popular Amusement Resort Promised Another Treat in Program to be Offered by Serenaders

"Doc" Francis and his Serenaders still give another of their delightful concerts at Edgewood Park tomorrow afternoon and evening, at which time they will present a program on which they have been working hard for the past week.

The concerts at the park are being received by large and appreciative audiences and all visiting the pavilion tomorrow afternoon and evening are guaranteed a musical treat.

The feature of the program for tomorrow will be the popular number, "I Surrender Dear," which has been especially arranged by Professor "Doc" Francis, director of the orchestra. Another number which will no doubt make a hit, is "Glad," a composition written by Edward Martin, a local boy, who at present is playing in one of the best Philadelphia orchestras in the country.

The rest of the program is as follows:

Trombone Solo, "At Dawning," Kohler.

Violin Solo, Selections, Professor Francis.

Trumpet Solo, "Can't You Hear Me Calling, Caroline," by Walter Culp.

Singing trio, "For You," Kohler, Culp and Hoffman.

Orchestral arrangement, "I Surrender, Dear," Orchestra.

Fox Trot, "Glad," Orchestra.

Novelty Effects, Orchestra.

Orchestra under the capable direction of "Doc" Francis.

Adult Rally At Salem Church Sunday Evening

Singing by Choir and Men's Glee Club and Special Sermon by Pastor Will Feature Service

An adult rally will be held in the Salem Reformed church tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock. This service will be of keen interest to the parents whose children attend the church and church school in the morning as well as to any others who may come.

The church will be decorated with the Reformed emblem. Special music by choir and the Men's Glee club will furnish special singing and the pastor will preach a special sermon on "The Adult at Worship and Study in the Church."

Someone has asked, "What are the Reformed church colors? I did not know that the church had special colors." In answer to this question, Rev. Hartman has prepared the following:

Not only will there be a rally for the adults in the evening but there will be a real treat in store in the morning at 9:45. Come and fellowship with the men in their department and William J. Wiest will present a real message to you that will help you. Let the women also fellowship with each other in their department and discuss with Mrs. Dietz the great issues of life that pertain to womanhood. Then let all worship together in the sanctuary and we shall be amply repaid for the time we spend in worship and study and in fellowshipping with God and each other.

U. S. And France Widely Divided On Debt Plan

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to draw on this sum, but is even willing to cite it back in the form of credit, does not, according to the administration viewpoint, alter the situation. The hard-pressed German government must still raise the money under such a plan, and it is generally this that President Hoover hoped to avoid.

Secretary Stimson carefully phrased the administration's objection before leaving, when he said:

"There are suggestions in the method proposed by the French government which do not accomplish the full measure of relief to debtor nations contemplated in the president's plan and must, therefore, be the subject of further discussion with a view to modification."

It is to that modification that the whole diplomatic effort of the United States was being directed today in Paris.

Notwithstanding the diplomatic bouquets bestowed upon the French plan, it is no secret in Washington that the French attitude is deeply disappointing. The note itself was disappointing, but the debate yesterday in the French chamber concerning it has been worse so.

ADMISSIONS TO STATE HOSPITAL

Admitted:

Florence Wernitz, Shamokin, abdominal.

Harry Mann, Mt. Carmel, hand.

Nathaniel Johns, Kulpmont, tonsils and adenoids.

Kenneth Johns, Kulpmont, tonsils and adenoids.

Anthony Sucko, Marion Heights, tonsils and adenoids.

Elizabeth Reese, Mahanoy City, abdominal.

Discharged:

Magdalene Sukey, Mt. Carmel.

Betty Sukey, Mt. Carmel.

Martha Sukey, Mt. Carmel.

Mrs. Millie Kurtz, Shamokin.

Mrs. Lea Payne, Shamokin.

B. Robelskin, Shamokin.

Alfred Sunbury, Shamokin.

Ben Long, Trevorton.

Kenneth Landon, Shamokin.

ELECTRICAL STORM SWEEPS OVER REGION

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tially stripped of their ripening products, according to farmers in attendance upon the curbstone market this morning.

All along the Sunbury-Shamokin highway fallen trees and broken limbs littered the berm and in several instances motorists who braved the storm during its peak narrowly escaped mishap as trees or limbs swept across the highway in the terrifically high wind.

The damage locally was not extensive in any one particular sector of borough or township, altho in some sections water rushing down the high places caused blockading of sewers.

TWO FLEE FROM STATE PRISON AT ROCKVIEW

Two Trusties Employed in Prison Kitchen Made Way Through Stockade — Both Serving Long Terms for Robbery

Special INS Leased Wire

ROCKVIEW PENITENTIARY, Bellefonte, Pa., June 27—Two trusties escaped from this branch of the Western State Penitentiary early today.

Fred Williams, 27, and Kenneth Reed, 28, trusties in the prison kitchen, were the escaped convicts.

Instead of reporting for work early this morning as was their custom, the pair left the kitchen and made their way thru the prison stockade.

Fifteen minutes after they had fled, their absence was discovered and an alarm was sounded.

Penitentiary guards, aided by state police and nearby residents, began an immediate search in the vicinity of the prison.

Williams, sentenced from Erie county to from eight to sixteen years, was convicted of breaking and entering and larceny. Reed, sentenced from Allegheny county, was convicted of entering a building and auto larceny. His sentence was from four to eight years.

The prisoners had been sleeping in the new block of the institution. They had been regularly assigned to kitchen duty. This morning, instead of going about their tasks as they were removed from their cells, they entered the kitchen and stole their way out unseen. They passed through the stockade after leaving the kitchen.

The resolution for the purchase was adopted at the annual District of the society in January. The interest of Pottsville Council Apple was enlisted, and he made a personal canvass of the senate for support of the measure.

It was passed by the senate and the house, and sent to the governor, who signed it within the last day left under the law.

It is the second important public acquisition in the week. The first was the Philip Broncious collection of Indian relics by the society, there being about 3,300 pieces.

Rev. Hartman To Bid Farewell To Kulpmont Flock

Retiring Pastor of Methodist Church There Will Preach Final Sermons Tomorrow

Rev. W. A. Leyley, newly appointed pastor of the Methodist church at Kulpmont, will arrive at that place next week to assume his new duties on July 5, writes Rev. F. E. Hartman, who was transferred to the Duncannon charge and will preach his farewell sermons at the services tomorrow.

In the morning Rev. Hartman's subject will be "Helping Out to Save the World," while the evening theme will be "What Is Your Life Worth." This latter discourse is intended especially to encourage young people who have attended high school or college since the World war, including all boys and girls who are about to enter high school next fall, but the service will have a message for other people as well.

C. C. MALICK IN RACE FOR TREASURER

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It was brought the casual mention of Mr. Malick's name as a possible candidate for treasurer in the press of the county in recent weeks that a "Malick boom" became launched. Friends in all sections of the county seized upon the suggestion—for it was no more than that—and as a result considerable pressure has been brought to bear upon Mr. Malick to enter the contest. In him, his friends as well as party leaders in the county vision a candidate with excellent qualifications, combined with a winning personality, a name and a record above reproach and a personal popularity that is enjoyed by few men in Northumberland county.

Mr. Malick was born at Seven Points and was reared in that rural community and in Sunbury. As a young man he located at Shamokin and since the age of sixteen has been identified with the business life of the community. For a score of years past he has been engaged in the overall manufacturing business, in which he has established a reputation for honest dealing and for conscientious devotion to his civic duties.

He is actively identified with a number of fraternal organizations. He is a past exalted ruler of the Shamokin Lodge of Elks and has held every elective office in that lodge.

Mr. Malick is the first Republican candidate for county treasurer to definitely announce himself and in his action, party leaders see a considerable strengthening of the county ticket.

M. E. PASTORS PREPARE FOR DEPARTURE

Rev. Gordon Arch Williams to Leave for Altoona Wednesday--Rev. Edward Jackson Going to Montgomery Thursday

Bringing to a close a successful pastorate of four years, the Rev. Gordon Arch Williams, pastor of the Lincoln Street Methodist Episcopal church, will preach his farewell sermon in the local house of worship tomorrow evening. On Wednesday of the coming week the well known clergyman and his family will remove to Altoona, where Rev. Williams was appointed as pastor of the Juniata church of that city.

During the four years that Rev. Williams has presided over the Lincoln street church he has made many friends who will regret to see him depart from this community, and who wish for him the same measure of success in his new charge as he enjoyed here.

The new pastor at the Lincoln Street Methodist Episcopal, the Rev. W. W. Banks, who is now located at the charge to be taken over by Rev. Williams, will succeed the local pastor here. Rev. Banks will preach his first sermon in the Lincoln street church on Sunday morning, July 5.

This week will also see the termination here of the pastorate of the Rev. Edward Jackson, pastor of the Chestnut Street M. E. church. Rev. Jackson will leave here on Thursday with his family to take up his work in Montgomery, Pa. Rev. Jackson succeeds the Rev. E. J. Simmonds, who in turn will come to the Chestnut street charge here. Rev. Jackson will preach his farewell sermon tomorrow evening and Rev. Simmonds will appear in the local pulpit next Sunday morning.

BILL TO BUY FORT AUGUSTA IS APPROVED

State to Take Over Historic Spot at Sunbury as Result of Signing of Legislative Measure by Governor

Six months of effort on the part of the Northumberland County Historical Society culminated yesterday when Governor Gifford Pinchot signed the bill which provides for the purchase by the state of the site of Fort Augusta at Sunbury.

The resolution for the purchase was adopted at the annual District of the society in January. The interest of Pottsville Council Apple was enlisted, and he made a personal canvass of the senate for support of the measure.

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NEW SIGNAL SUPERVISOR ON PENNSY

Arthur E. Brown of Chambersburg Placed in Charge of Telegraph and Signals on Sunbury Division Effective Today

Arthur E. Brown, of Chambersburg, is named supervisor of telegraph and signals, Pennsylvania railroad, with headquarters at Sunbury, in an announcement made by E. C. Gegenheimer, superintendent of Sunbury division headquarters.

Mr. Brown succeeds D. B. Bartholomew, who is appointed telegraph and signal foreman, with headquarters at Sunbury.

At Chambersburg Mr. Brown was supervisor of telegraph and signals, Cumberland Valley division. This work has been taken over by the Philadelphia division. At the same time, telegraph and signal work on the Sunbury division east of Reading, has been assigned to the Philadelphia Terminal division, while the jurisdiction of Supervisor T. & S. at Sunbury has been extended to take in Schuylkill division territory, west of Reading as well as the Sunbury division. Mr. Brown will fill the latter position.

Mr. Brown is a native of Wilmington, and has been in the service of the Pennsylvania railroad since 1910. He began his career as a signal apprentice at Manhattan, served in that capacity on the Maryland and Pittsburgh divisions as Asst. Supervisor T. & S. on the Trenton and Philadelphia divisions and as supervisor T. & S. on the Tyrone, Philadelphia and Cumberland Valley divisions.

NO CURBSTONE MARKET JULY 4

Because of the fact that Independence Day this year falls on Saturday of the coming week, there will be no curbstone market on that day. Mayor Constable and Market Clerk Wheary announced today. Thursday and Friday, however, the market place will be open.

TREASURY BALANCE

Special INS Leased Wire

WASHINGTON, June 27—Treasury balance as of June 25: $600,561,572.60; expenditures, $5,776,771.20; customs receipts $33,552,871.50.

POST AND GATTY OFF ON ANOTHER 1000 MILE HOP

World Fliers Leave Irkutsk for Kharbarovsk—Expect to Make Dash in 9 Hours—Plane Averages 150 Miles an Hour

Special INS Leased Wire.

IRKUTSK, June 27. — Wiley Post and Harold Gatty, the whirlwind American globe-girdler left this city today for Kharbarovsk at 7:10 A. M. (G. M. T.) they left the local airport after a rest of 2 hours 15 minutes and hoped to make Kharbarovsk 1,100 miles away in nine hours.

The aviators covered the 1,037 miles from Novo-Bibirsk in six hours and ten minutes and should easily make their far eastern destination before nightfall. The white-winged monoplane was still functioning perfectly upon its arrival here and Post said that he expected to continue his flight at the average speed of 150 miles per hour.

Log of Flight

Following is the log of the Post-Gatty round the world flight. All times given are Eastern Daylight Saving:

Tuesday:

4:30 A. M.—Left Roosevelt Field.

11:47 A. M.—Arrived at Harbor Grace, N. F.

3:27 P. M.—Left Harbor Grace for Berlin.

Wednesday:

8:00 A. M.—Landed at Sealand Aerodrome, Chester, Eng.

9:15 A. M.—Left Sealand for Berlin.

1:45 P. M.—Landed at Hanover, Germany.

2:13 P. M.—Hopped for Berlin.

3:30 P. M.—Landed Tempelhoff Field, Berlin.

Thursday:

2:30 A. M.—Hopped for Moscow.

10:40 A. M.—Arrived at Moscow.

11:00 P. M.—Hopped for Novosibrisk.

Friday:

10:30 A. M.—Arrived at Novosibrisk.

6:40 P. M.—Left Novosibrisk.

Saturday:

12:05 A. M.—Arrived at Irkutsk.

3:10 A. M.—Left Irkutsk.

Threatened Suit Against Overseers Held in Abeyance

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be brought against governmental bodies at any time that mismanagement is suspected or evident, it has been the custom of this county to file petitions in suits of this kind almost immediately following the commission of acts against which public protests are made.

The poor board increased the mileage from six to eight and one half mile at a special meeting of the board on the evening of May 27. The board, consisting of President Charles Fry, Secretary Fred Frenk and Treasurer Samuel MacElwee was in unanimous agreement that the financial status of the district called for drastic action. Actually the mileage now eight and one half mile, never, and a half for the general fund and the rest for reduction of the district indebtedness. Whether all or just a portion of the increase was included in the planned legal fight could not be learned.

A suit similar to the one which was rumored here during the past week is now pending in the county courts. It is not known when a decision will be rendered. The court last Christmas allowed the board an extra half mill over the 6 mill rate to care for the poor during the holiday season. The total budget this year is $166,438.50.

Actually $148,880 is needed to carry on the business of the district while the sum of $16,578.50, which represents the difference, will be expended in cost of collections and commissions.

The one mill levied to pay the interest on floating loans made previous to December 31st, 1930, will be put into the district coffers approximately $22,000. Shrinkage will leave a net sum of approximately $21,000 which will just about cover the interest. The indebtedness of the district as at the end of 1930 is approximately $334,000. The levy makes no provision for reduction in the principal of this last sum.

A cut in the assessed valuation of the district of more than a half million dollars has made a reduction impossible, the directors said last evening. The valuation on which the previous budget and tax rate was established totalled $22,639,330, while the recent assessment returns placed the valuation at $22,058,496, a difference of $581,864. The actual gross reduction in funds available to the district amounts to $4,852.34.

The net Budget executive of the amount set aside for commissions and collection expenses is divided into two main items. A general item of $111,415 has been allocated to expenses in general, while $37,445 has been set aside for the carrying on of the work at the almshouse. Salaries and items included in the general fund include $60,000 for groceries and $18,000 for the Danville state institution account.

The adoption of the budget and establishment of the millage climax of a long period of study and discussion on the part of the board. All expressed regret that the reduced valuation made it impossible to lower the tax rate. It was pointed out that if appeals are successfully taken against the recent assessment the district may be crowded for funds to carry on for the year. Hundreds of families have been placed entirely on the district because of the widespread unemployment, and these unfortunates, the directors said, must be cared for.

Two parties of 700 Australians early recently started on a 24,000-mile tour to Europe and return.

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