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## CATHEDRAL DEDICATED.

A Delightful Reception Marks the Event.

The dedication of Caldwell Consistory Cathedral has passed, and the last three days have proven the most eventful ones in the history of Masonry in this section.

At 10.30 Tuesday morning the opening service was held. In the Lodge of Perfection, H. A. McKillip presiding, the report of Architect Reitnayer was read, followed by the report of the building committee by R. E. Hartman, its secretary. The key of the building was then handed over to Frederick W. Ulrich, Commander in Chief, by the builder E. E. Ritter, and passed by him to John R. Townsend, chairman of the Board of Trustees.

In the afternoon, the ceremony of dedication was conducted by Hon. Henry L. Palmer, Most Potent Sovereign Grand Commander of the Supreme Council of thirty third degree masons.

The reception on Tuesday evening was attended by about fifteen hundred people, including members of the Consistory and of other Masonic bodies, and their wives. Each member was allowed to invite an additional lady. The guests were received by the officers of the Supreme Council in the reception room. Each lady was presented with a souvenir in the shape of a hatpin, the head being a triangle with the figures 32 in the center.

A concert was given by Charles P. Elwell's orchestra of twelve pieces in the Auditorium, a delightful program being rendered. The music was very much enjoyed and highly complimented. Following this Caldwell Choir rendered an excellent vocal program for a half hour. The choir is composed of the following: Stewart U. Mitman, director and first tenor; R. Frank Colley, first tenor; Edwin H. Ent, second tenor; DeForrest J. Hummer, second tenor; A. Nevin Yost, first bass; Samuel R. Bidleman, second bass; Orval H. Yetter, second bass, and Griffith J. Jones, organist.

During the early part of the evening refreshments were served in the banquet hall, a large number of young ladies acting as waitresses in a pleasing manner.

At 9.30 the banquet hall was utilized as a ball room, and lovers of the dance enjoyed themselves until after midnight. Here again the music of the orchestra was highly appreciated and its popularity was shown by the frequent encores.

During the day the automobiles of several of the members were in use conveying visitors from the stations to the hotels, and in the evening many of the guests were carried to the temple in the same manner.

One of the features of the reception was the presence of a number of widows and orphans of deceased members.

Wednesday and today were occupied in Masonic work, a large number of candidates being advanced to the 32nd degree. Tonight the celebration ends with a banquet in the banquet hall, and provision has been made for 550 guests, at which H. A. McKillip 33° will preside as toast-master. Most of the set speeches will be made by visiting brethren.

Thus will close an event that is unique in this section, one that has been most admirably planned and

## THREE BARNs BURNED.

Two Near Jerseytown, One in Centre Township.

The severe electrical storm that swept this section Saturday afternoon, destroyed three barns in Columbia county, entailing big losses on the owners and tenants.

The large barn on the farm owned by Anna Johnson and tenanted by Isaiah Mausteller, about a half mile from Jerseytown, was struck and burned to the ground, and with it the season's crops. The farming implements were saved. The loss is estimated at about \$2000. There was a small insurance on the building, but none on the personal property.

At nearly the same time and about 500 yards from the Johnson barn, the barn of Peter Rudy was struck. This also was burned to the ground along with 100 bushels of wheat, 100 bushels of oats and a large hay stack.

The largest barn to burn was on the Frank Hagenbuch farm in Centre township. The barn was 40 by 50. Also a straw shed 40 by 80, a hog pen and a wagon shed were destroyed at this place. A calf, the hogs, harness, some of the implements and all of the season's crops were burned. There was a small insurance, the actual loss being about \$5000.

## BERWICK'S CHIEF DEAD.

Adam Clayberger, for the past fourteen years Chief of Police of Berwick, died at his home on Tuesday morning, from typhoid fever and diabetes. He was an excellent official, and though his position was a difficult one owing to the large number of foreign lawless element that has come to Berwick within a few years past, he has performed his duties faithfully, bravely, and efficiently.

On August 30th he brought a prisoner to the county jail, and on his return home he was taken sick, and never arose from his bed. He had much to do with the running down of the Black Hand cases. Ten men brought to justice by him are now in the penitentiary, and several in the county jail.

He was born December 13, 1859, near Bear Gap, in this county, and was the son of Adam Clayberger Sr., who was born in Germany, coming to this country in 1830. He was raised on a farm, and moved to Berwick in 1892. He was a conscientious christian, and had served as a Sunday school superintendent, and as a local preacher, and class leader in the M. E. Church.

He is survived by his wife, five brothers and two sisters.

The funeral was held today at 2 o'clock, and was largely attended.

## ROW OVER PAVEMENT.

At a special meeting of town council on Tuesday evening to consider the acceptance of the paving job on Market Square the highway committee, consisting of C. W. Runyon, H. C. Rulon and James Magee, made an exhaustive report showing that they had given the matter careful investigation. They pointed out wherein the paving is defective in their judgment, and laid down the conditions under which the contract would be accepted and paid for. The report was adopted.

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## MURDERERS CAUGHT.

Slayers of the State Trooper in the Reading Jail.

Salvatore Garritto and Stefano Lesnicchi, the slayers of State Trooper Timothy Kelleher, are now safely in the Berks county jail. They were brought to Reading from Allentown and placed in separate cells Monday morning.

The three hour's journey was made in a special trolley car under heavy guard. On the city outskirts the party was transferred to a patrol wagon and hustled to prison. This precaution was taken to prevent the gathering of a big crowd and to avoid a possible demonstration.

Through an Italian interpreter the prisoners reiterated their previous story and confession. In addition to admitting that he administered the knife thrust that killed Private Kelleher, Garritto confessed that, seven years ago, he murdered his rival in love at San Stefano, province of Messina, Italy, for which his brother is now serving a 21-year sentence. For this crime Garritto fled the country and came to America.

Garritto told Matteo Alberta, one of the firm of Italian bankers, to draw what money he had coming to him from the Reading Railway company and, after taking out a small bill he owed, send the balance to his father in Italy, as he would surely have to die.

It was learned that the alleged murderers, after committing the crime, spent Sunday in Reading. That night, after hearing of the death of the trooper from their countrymen, and knowing that they were wanted, they left the city and slept in a field near the outskirts. On Monday morning they started to walk, going first to Allentown, then to Nazareth, next to Easton and finally to Warwick, N. Y., where they were captured.

The two men were assaulting a woman on the outskirts of Reading when the woman's screams were heard by Kelleher, who was in citizen's clothes. He went to her rescue, and was stabbed by Garritto. His dead body was found next morning. The men have confessed.

## CRUSADE COMMANDARY.

Crusade Commandery of which at one time there were more than 500 members and which is the mother of at least 15 commanderies, was instituted March 5, 1856. At one time more than 50 ministers of the Gospel belonged to the Commandery.

It was instituted March 5, 1856, with Christian F. Knapp, J. B. McKelvey, Dr. F. C. Harrison and Rev. John A. Demoyer as the officers.

## STUDENTS' LECTURE COURSE.

The Normal Lecture Course for the coming winter is a very strong one. It includes Judge Lindsey, the Juvenile Court Judge, whose reputation is world-wide; Laurant, the Magician, who comes most highly recommended; the Kalterborn Quartette, well known and most highly spoken of in musical circles, and George K. Wendling, the famous lecturer, who will lecture on "The Man of Gallilee."

## A PASTOR IN SIGHT.

Information has been received that Bishop McDowell will probably appoint Rev. Mr. Heckman, of Duaneburg, as pastor of the M. E. church of Bloomsburg. He is the choice of the official board of this church.

## DEEDS RECORDED.

The following deeds have recently been entered of record by Recorder Frank W. Miller:

Abram Miller Estate to T. S. Harter for tract of land in Millin township.

T. S. Harter to Levi H. Miller for tract of land in Millin township.

Henry Pfahler to J. E. Robert for a portion of a lot of ground in Catawissa.

Clarence L. Stout to Daniel M. Stout for his right title and interest in one acre of land situate in Sugarloaf township.

C. B. Ent, sheriff, to C. J. Fisher for 18 acres of land in Main township.

C. B. Ent, sheriff, to Mary J. Deen for 55 acres of land in Pine township.

C. B. Ent, sheriff, to Dora Martin for 60 acres of land in Catawissa township.

John C. Cryder and wife to Levi H. Cryder for 52 acres and 88 perches of land in Center township. Rosemont Cemetery Company to Camille E. Rabb for a lot in said cemetery.

Adam Morey to J. B. McHenry for 235 acres of land in Benton township.

H. J. Hess to A. M. Hess for a tract of land in Sugarloaf township.

Daisy Mullin et al. to Susie May Everett for a tract of land in Greenwood township.

N. Grant Bitler to S. C. Creasy for a tract of land in Jackson township.

John M. Fairchilds to D. J. Steward Day for a lot of ground in the borough of West Berwick.

H. W. Nesbitt et al. to C. W. Miller for ten lots in East End Park, Bloomsburg.

C. A. Raseley and wife to Clara Kishbach for lot of ground in West Berwick.

David Walburn and wife to Fannie Bidleman for lot of ground situate on Mulberry street in Berwick.

Bruce F. Evans and wife to S. Robert Pealer for a portion of lot No. 96 on south side of Second street in the borough of Berwick.

Emma J. Sponenberg et al. to the Trustees of Berwick Lodge 246 I. O. O. F. for a lot of ground at the intersection of Front and Mulberry streets in Berwick.

Ezra Smith and wife to Harrisburg Savings and Loan Association for lot of ground in Michael's addition to the borough of West Berwick.

Duval Dickson and wife to Edward Smethers for a lot of ground in Dickson's addition to the borough of Berwick. John Oliver Estate to Isaiah W. Helwig for 23 acres and 109 perches of land in Locust township.

W. C. Oliver et al. to Abram Shoup and Samuel Shoup for 12 acres of land in Roaring Creek township.

W. C. Oliver et al. to A. W. Leiby for 44 acres and 4 perches of land in Locust township.

Heirs of Samuel Kostenbauder to Lloyd W. Wertman for a lot of ground in the borough of Catawissa.

## WILL ENFORCE ORDINANCE.

The ordinance forbidding spitting on the pavements has been a dead letter for some time, but Chief of Police Baum proposes to revive it, and he has been notifying the loungers that they must abandon the practice. All lovers of decency will commend the Chief in this action.

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