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STEELTON
BIG BANQUET OF ROYAL ARCANIAN'S

Cold Weather Couldn't Interfere With Steelton Council's Big Spread

Weather, of the biting type that made muffs and fur-topped arctics and the heaviest ulsters not only comfortable, but essential, couldn't interfere with the attendance last evening of the biggest banquet Steelton council No. 923, Royal Arcanum, ever held.

More than 150 of the members, their wives and daughters, gathered round the banquet board in Fryer's hall, Front and Pine street. The decorations were more than ordinarily elaborate, flowers predominating with evergreens; music by a selected orchestra added to the attractiveness of the evening's program.

I. N. Leeds, Jr., the regent, was toastmaster, and among the speakers were L. R. Gershenberger, Lancaster, grand regent; Benjamin M. Leeds, Harrisburg, a member of the law committee of the grand council; Frank B. Wickersham, past supreme regent, and others.

Steelton Snapshots

Pays Annual Dividend.—The Transportation Department Relief Association paid the annual dividend of six dollars to each member last evening.

Celebrates Eightieth Birthday.—Joseph A. Fletcher, one of the oldest residents of the borough, celebrated his eightieth birthday yesterday at his home, 119 South Front street. He came to the borough in 1867, and is a pioneer in the steel industry there.

HYGIENIC HOSE OFFICERS.—Members of the Hygienic Hose company met last night and elected the following officers: President, O. E. B. Malchorn; vice-president, E. W. Hershey; secretary, John B. Malchorn; treasurer, H. T. Hershey; financial secretary, Max Reider; assistant, Jess Rhoads; trustees, H. C. Watson, W. E. Critchley, James Switzer; directors, Amos Capp, John Manherz, John Detweiler, George Hoffman, John Capella and William Lewis; foreman, Joseph Whittington; assistant, S. Redon; second assistant, Jess Rhoads; auditors, John Reed, J. K. Echelein and J. P. Croll; representatives to the Firemen's Relief Association, O. E. B. Malchorn and Jess Rhoads; delegate to State convention, E. W. Hershey; alternate, John B. Malchorn.

CLASTER'S
Is Headquarters For Christmas Jewelry

AT CLASTER'S your choice is not limited to a few articles in any particular line. The stock is so large, the assortments so complete, the variety so great that you have unlimited scope in making selections. If you desire some pretty article at a small cost or an elaborate one, you will find it here, of standard quality and at the lowest price.

Never before have we shown so much that is new and desirable. We have thought of everybody—provided for every need and every purse.

We invite you to call and see what we have to offer. We will be pleased to have you visit our store and will take pleasure in showing you our beautiful new goods. We do not expect you to buy unless you see just what pleases you and the price is thoroughly satisfactory.

BEAUTIFUL NEW STYLE ENAMEL AND ONYX RINGS
 Enamel and Onyx Rings are in the height of style. We are showing all the newest patterns. All are Diamond mounted.
 Prices, \$10, \$15, \$25 and up

SPECIAL WATCH VALUE
 Solid Gold Watch
 Elgin or Waltham Movement
 Beautifully Cased with Solid Gold
WALDEMAR CHAIN
 \$25.00

Special Lot of WRIST WATCHES
 Cannot be matched in beauty, style and quality for the price.
Solid Gold
 fully guaranteed movement
 \$13.50
 Other Wrist Watches from \$6.00 up to \$50.00

Special Bargain Lot DIAMOND CUFF BUTTONS
 A few weeks ago we purchased the remaining lot of beautiful Diamond Cuff Buttons from a manufacturer, who is changing his line, for the value of the gems and precious metal in the rough. We offer these first goods—about 100 pairs, at about the cost of manufacture.
 Prices, \$5.00 up

This Beautiful CUT GLASS PITCHER
 Heavy, deeply cut clear sparkling glass
 \$2.00
 Six Tumblers to match
 \$2.00

THIMBLES
 Special Sterling Silver Thimbles
 10¢ each

Solid Gold and Gold Filled Pocket Knives
 Solid gold Pocket Knives, \$8.50 up
 Gold filled Pocket Knives, \$1.25 up
 With Waldemar Chains, . . . \$2.50 up

Fountain Pens
 A complete line of Waterman and Moore Fountain Pens—a large line of other makes, \$1.00 up

Automobile and Railroad Goggles
 75¢ up

EMBLEM RINGS
 We are headquarters for Emblem Rings—for all of the different Fraternal Societies.
 Solid Gold, \$6.50 up

Gold and Gold Filled Lockets
 With Diamond and other settings
 \$1.00 up

Boys' Watches
 Nickel and gun metal.
 \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00 and up

DIAMONDS—The very name sounds expensive—but Diamonds are not expensive when it comes down to actual facts. You can buy a nice diamond for less money than you would pay for many other things that would cost more and not prove half as satisfactory or valuable later on. Diamonds—never go out of style—seldom depreciate—often advance in value—and last for generations.

When you think of anything else that lasts so long and gives so much pleasure and satisfaction for the money!

Claster's is the Diamond Store—here is the largest stock—the greatest assortments—the lowest prices.

When you come here we will tell you frankly and truthfully about the different qualities and the points that govern the prices. Buy here and you can't go wrong.

We are showing specially a lot of unusual values in Quarter Carat Diamonds at \$15, \$20, \$25, \$35 and \$50

mounted in beautiful and stylish rings, for ladies and gentlemen.

Also a magnificent new line of Diamond Studded Platinum Bracelet Watches Ranging in Price from \$350.00 to \$525.00 ea.

Diamond Rings
 Diamond Studs
 Diamond Pins
 Diamond Brooches
 Diamond Necklaces
 Diamond Cuff Links
 Diamond Tie Clasps
 Diamond Ear Rings
 Diamond Studded Watches

Diamond La Vallieres
 Diamond Studded Lockets
 Diamond Studded Charms
 Diamond Studded Pocket Knives
 Diamond Studded Secret Society Emblems

and other diamond mounted goods, in wonderful variety.

Tea and Chocolate Sets
 Our line of tea and chocolate sets are without a doubt
 First—The finest quality obtainable;
 Second—Of the highest artistic designs;
 Third—Our prices are the lowest consistent with the quality we offer.

Our stock is new and complete. Not one, two or three sets, but dozens of sets to select from. Large sets, small sets, medium sets, fancy sets, plain sets—in fact, anything you want. Come in and look over our line over if you want to buy or not. You are always welcome at our store.

Prices range from \$7.50 to \$150.00

Sterling Silver and Silver Plated Ware
 The largest showing of the newest patterns is here, including the productions of the foremost manufacturers.

Sets and Single Pieces
 Beautifully cased in mahogany cabinets and elegant boxes,
 \$1.25 up to \$386

PARISIAN IVORY
 The lines we offer are notable for weight, whiteness, delicacy of color, workmanship and usefulness of design. Any of the following articles will make useful and lasting presents:

COMB AND BRUSH SETS
 TRAVELING SETS
 MIRRORS
 HAIR BRUSHES
 CLOTH BRUSHES
 COMBS, CLOCKS
 WHISKY
 PIN CUSHIONS
 JEWEL BOXES
 TALCUM BOXES

SOAP BOXES, TRAYS
 MANICURE SETS
 MANICURE PIECES
 NAPKIN RINGS
 PICTURE FRAMES
 HAIR RECEIVERS
 GLOVE STRETCHERS
 SHOE HORNS
 CALENDARS

Initials engraved or inlaid in beautiful colors—without extra charge.

SPECIAL LOT SOLID MAHOGANY CLOCKS
 10 Attractive Designs
 \$1.50 each

We consider them the greatest clock values we have ever offered. They are excellent timekeepers—are guaranteed and correspond in size and appearance with clocks that sell for two or three times as much money.

These Clocks will make fine Christmas Gifts.

Our Clock Department is complete in every respect. Clocks in beautiful solid mahogany cases, fine Chime Clocks, Office Clocks, Wall Clocks,

"CLASTER"
 On a Package is the Stamp of Quality

H. C. CLASTER
 Gems—Jewels—Silverware
 302 Market St. Harrisburg, Pa.

Beautiful Sparkling Cut Glass
 Claster's Crystal Room is known far and wide on account of the magnitude of the stock and the beauty and variety of the display. Our new Holiday stock is so complete you will have no trouble making selections.

Our cut glass is Heavy—Deeply Cut and Brilliant. A visit to this Department will prove a treat.

Nappies—Celery Dishes—Olive Dishes—Tumblers—Pitchers—Sugars and Creams—Vinegar Cruets—Comports—Vases—Bowls—Fernerries—Lamps—Whiskey and Wine Sets—Punch Bowls—Candle Sticks—Lamps—Toilet Jars—Almond Sets—Trays—Clocks—Etc.

A comparison will prove our prices to be the lowest.

NOTE REACHES FRENCH TODAY
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assumption that the commander of the Descartes was acting in accordance with instructions.

Contend President Has No Justification For Sending Ancona Note
 By Associated Press
 Zurich, via London, Dec. 15.—Discussing the American note on the Ancona, the Vienna Neue Freie Presse contends that everything in connection with the sinking of the steamer was done in strict accordance with international law. The ship was warned to stop and given ample time for passengers and crew to take to the boats. In the confusion and panic which ensued many persons, including some presumably American citizens, lost their lives, but the paper adds, "even the stories of hostile passengers show that the captain of the submarine kept strictly within the rules of international law."

"All these were observed," continues the Neue Freie Presse, "leaving no occasion for special diplomatic action in this case. President Wilson has no justification for such a repetition of the Lusitania note exchange with Germany. Probably this demonstrative proceeding is not unconnected with American internal political considerations. Mr. Wilson, as a candidate again for the presidency, desires to secure supporters for his campaign."

Vienna Believes Austria Will Give Satisfaction
 By Associated Press
 Geneva, via Paris, Dec. 14.—A dispatch from Vienna, received by a dispatch agent from Buchs, Switzerland, states that President Wilson's note to Austria regarding the Ancona incident has produced a profound impression in government and political circles. The note is said to be received by a minority.

It is generally believed in Vienna, says the dispatch, that Austria will give satisfaction and will pay an indemnity, especially as she has large interests in America. Baron von Burian, the Austrian foreign minister, has called a special council to discuss the matter.

Question Whether People Will Stand Behind Note
 By Associated Press
 Zurich, Switzerland, via London, Dec. 15.—The Budapest newspaper, Pester Lloyd, one of the leading Hungarian journals, raises the question as to whether the American people really will stand behind the United States government in the matter of the Ancona note. The paper remarks regarding the question of indemnity that the Washington State Department always has refused to recognize the claims of foreign countries whose subjects have been killed or injured during strike proceedings, as in Pennsylvania or Colorado recently.

SCIENTIST DISCOVERS STAR 290 TRILLION MILES AWAY
 Determinations of the distance of a preliminary list of stars have just been announced from the Leander McCormick Observatory by Prof. S. A. Mitchell, its director-in-chief. The distance of the star Beta in the Eagle he finds to be 290 trillion miles. The results due to the elimination of various errors are of a high degree of accuracy. By the same methods, at a distance of 150 miles, the height of a man 5 feet 8 inches tall, could be told to the nearest half inch. Dr. Mitchell is the astronomer who lectured on "Our Giant Neighbor in the Heavens" under the Natural History Society's auspices in this city a few weeks ago.

Traveling Men Invited to Chamber Luncheon
 The hotel men of Harrisburg are lending their co-operation to advertise the traveling men's luncheon of the Harrisburg Chamber of Commerce; which will be held in honor of the knights of the grip on Tuesday, December 21.

Announcements of the luncheon are being sent out to the traveling men today. Theo. P. Carey, secretary of the United Commercial Travelers, is also sending notices to the members of that body urging them to be present at the Chamber's luncheon. In answer to inquiries, the Chamber wishes to say that members of the Chamber will also be requested to attend as usual. The luncheon will be held in the banquet room of the Harrisburg Club.

HIS DINNER SPOILED
 Harry White, the detective, missed his regular noonday lunch to-day. Just as he was about to start for home he learned by phone that the plaster had fallen from the ceiling onto the dinner table.

ASSERTS HE STUDIED MAIN RAILROAD LINES

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Pacific officials working in conjunction with Koolbergen, who caused stories to be inserted in the Canadian papers telling of the destruction of important tunnels by mysterious accidents.

The affidavit also declared that George Wilhelm Von Brincken, Bopp's assistant in the San Francisco consulate, worked out all the details of the plot and that he and Bopp went over maps of the Canadian Pacific railway with Koolbergen in the consulate and directed the latter where to blow up the tunnels where they would interfere most with the transportation of munitions of war. The affidavit states also that Koolbergen was instructed to steal the dynamite for these plans from certain construction camps on the Canadian Pacific, the location of which was outlined to him by Bopp and Brincken.

PLANNED TO BLOW UP BRIDGE IN CANADA

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who are charged by Van Koolbergen with having paid him money when the latter deceived them into believing that he had blown up a tunnel in Canada, issued a statement to-day in which he vigorously denied the truth of Van Koolbergen's story.

He termed the indictment of "Von Brincken as 'nothing short of an outrage upon legislation. Von Brincken, nothing but a speedy and complete vindication can result from a test of this charge," he added.

McGowan in his statement referred to Van Koolbergen as "an adventurer and a British spy."

Von Brincken, Crowley and Mrs. Cornell are at liberty on \$10,000 bonds each.

COMB SAGE TEA INTO GRAY HAIR

Darkens Beautifully and Restores Its Thickness and Lustre at Once.

Common garden sage brewed into a heavy tea, with sulphur and alcohol added, will turn gray, streaked and faded-hair beautifully dark and luxuriant; remove every bit of dandruff, stop scalp itching and falling hair. Mixing the Sage Tea and Sulphur recipe at home, though, is troublesome. An easier way is to get the ready-to-use tonic, costing about 50 cents a large bottle, at drug stores, known as "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," thus avoiding a lot of fuss.

While wispy, gray, faded hair is not sinful, we all desire to retain our youthful appearance and attractiveness. By darkening your hair with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur, no one can tell, because it does it so naturally, so evenly. You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning all gray hairs have disappeared. After another application or two your hair becomes beautifully dark, glossy, soft and luxuriant and you appear years younger.—Advertisement.

Turkeys FOR Xmas

24 Hundred Head At Private Sale

12 Hundred at the Harrisburg Stock Yards and 7 Hundred at No. 26 South Fourth street, Harrisburg, at the west end of Mulberry street bridge; this will be a handy place for everybody to get a Turkey. We will also have Five Hundred in Penbrook at H. E. Hocker's, 2708 Cambry street. This will be the best and fattest lot of turkeys ever sold in Harrisburg. The Turkeys will be at each place on Monday, Dec. 20, 1915. We will sell each day from 8 o'clock a. m. till 10 o'clock p. m.—till sold. Come in time as they will sell fast this year. Do not let any one fool you we will positively have the above turkeys and cheap.

H. D. Koons & Sons

MRS. LYNCH DIES

Mrs. Catherine Lynch, aged 69, died yesterday shortly before noon at her home, 214 North Front street, from pneumonia. She was one of the most widely-known residents of the borough. She is survived by two sons, Thomas and Charles, and one daughter, Miss Mary Lynch, organist at St. James Catholic Church. Mrs. Lynch has been a resident here since 1874. Funeral services will be held at St. James Catholic Church, Mrs. Lynch conducted by the Rev. J. Thompson. Burial will be made at Mt. Calvary cemetery.

MIDDLETOWN

MIDDLETOWN NOTES

The Rescue Hose company members are planning for the New Year's Eve supper.

The Sunday school class of the Lutheran Church, taught by A. S. Quicker yesterday shipped a large Christmas box to the "Tressler Orphans' home at Loyalty, Members" of the Lutheran Church will meet this evening after prayer services to pack several barrels of Christmas presents for the orphans.

The Rev. O. M. Kraybill, of the Church of God, will speak to-night on "The Conversion of Zachaeus," at the prayer meeting service.

Miss Jesse Sharosky, of Steelton, gave a reading last night at the Oriental social held in the Methodist Church.

The social circle will meet to-morrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. Webster Weaver, in North Union street.

Mrs. George Ulrich, of Wood street, is recovering from an operation which she underwent in the Good Samaritan hospital, Lebanon.

Mrs. H. E. Force, of High street, fractured her left wrist, the other day when she fell down the stairs at her home.

The Missionary Society of the First United Brethren Church met last night at the home of Mrs. C. E. Sheffer, in Pine street. The December meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the church will be held to-morrow evening at the home of Mrs. Charles Orth.

The Women's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Church will meet to-morrow evening at the home of Mrs. Charles Orth.

Almost \$70 have been raised in contributions to the Municipal Christmas Tree Fund.

CHANGE "REST NIGHT"

The executive committee of the Evangelistic campaign announced that the "rest night" of each week has been changed from Monday to Friday. Hereafter no meetings will be held on Friday night. Plans are being started for the formation of the ushers' association. Four will be chosen from each church. The next meeting of the executive committee will be held Monday evening, December 27.

ELECT OFFICERS

The following officers of the Church of God Sunday school were elected at a recent meeting: Superintendent, J. E. Martin; assistant superintendent, E. O. Gish; secretary, Walter Cass; assistant secretary, H. E. Derrick; treasurer, James Myers; librarians, William Weidner, Jacob Myers, Melvin Leonard and Charles Ackerman; pianists, Misses Charlene Fisher, Lola Winters and Mildred Etter; orchestra, Robert Flury, Paul Flury, Hayes Pisle and Harry Weidner.

Evangelistic School

Superintendent, W. F. Keever; assistants, Mrs. W. F. Keever, Miss Minnie Monaghan and Miss Pearl Condran; pianist, Miss Condran.

WOMAN'S CLUB TO MEET

The Christmas meeting of the Woman's Club will be held to-morrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. H. Hutchison, in Spring street. The following program will be given: Responses, the Nativity Retferred Question, "How Many Times Does the Word Jesus occur in the New Testament," Mrs. J. H. Douthett; paper, "The Early Manhood of Jesus," Mrs. Arthur King; vocal solo, "Open the Gates of the Temple (Knapp), Miss Rachel McCarrell; referred question, "What Were the Offices of Christ," Mrs. John Fuller; "A Comparison of the Gospel," Mrs. Fuller Bergstresser; reading, "Nazareth" from "The Divine Tragedy," Mrs. B. Longenecker; music by club, "O, Little Town of Bethlehem."