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**LANCASTER MAN HEADS CLASSIS**

Reformed Body in 64th Annual Session; Name Committees

With an address of welcome by Dr. H. C. Myers the sixty-fourth annual meeting of the Lancaster Classis of the Reformed Church opened a four-day session in the First Reformed Church, Steelton, yesterday afternoon. The Rev. Homer Skyles May, pastor of the Fourth Reformed Church, Harrisburg, president of the classis, responded. Altar services were in charge of the Rev. Harry N. Bassler and the Rev. Hiram J. Hillegas. Forty-eight ministers and thirty-four elders representing all the Reformed Churches in Lancaster and Dauphin counties, are in attendance.

**Officers Chosen**  
 The most important action taken by the classis to-day was the election of officers, as follows: The Rev. Robert L. Baer, Trinity-St. Peter's Church, Lancaster, president; the Rev. Walter E. Krebs, retired minister, Lancaster, vice-president; the Rev. J. R. Rothermel, East Petersburg, Lancaster county, assistant clerk; the Rev. D. G. Glass, Lancaster, was re-elected stated clerk.

At yesterday afternoon's session the retiring president, the Rev. Homer S. May delivered a sermon on "The Mission of the Church." Preparatory services were in charge of the Rev. H. J. Hillegas, of Leacock, Pa.

Sessions were resumed this morning at 9 o'clock with holy communion. The remainder of the time until the noon adjournment was taken up with the reading and discussion of the various reports. Eighteen pastors read their parochial reports covering all the activities of the church in their respective districts.

Classis granted permission to the Rev. Daniel H. Leader, Camp Hill, to engage in secular work.

**Committees Named**  
 The list of committees to serve during the coming year was announced this morning as follows:

**Religious services**—The Revs. C. A. Huyette and G. B. Raezer and Elder E. H. Mengle.

**Minutes of Eastern Synod**—The Revs. Harry N. Bassler and Lewis Reiter and Elder Abram Shelby, Jr.

**Minutes of classis**—The Revs. D. G. Glass, J. R. Rothermel and E. M. Wagner.

**Overtures**—The Revs. Allen S. Meck and W. J. Lowe and Elder William N. Rupp.

**Examination and licensure**—The Revs. W. F. Lichter, W. E. Krebs and J. W. Meninger and Elders J. Albert Zicher and C. Nevin Heller.

**Missions**—The Revs. J. Hunter Watts and M. W. Schweitzer and Elder F. J. Schaffner.

**Benevolent institutions**—The Revs. R. A. Bausch and E. H. Zechman and Elder Samuel S. Hess.

**Nominations**—The Revs. H. J. Hillegas and John G. Noss and Elder G. W. Hartman.

**State of the church**—The Revs. H. S. May and W. R. Hartzell and Elder O. H. Sebnick.

**Finance**—The Revs. H. S. Shelly, G. W. Hartman and W. D. Marburger and Elders Edwin C. Thompson and J. B. Eshleman.

**Press**—The Revs. D. G. Glass, J. H. Watts and H. S. May.

**Leave of absence**—The Revs. W. R. Hartzell and W. W. Moyer and Elder N. S. Schaffner.

**Obituary**—The Revs. W. E. Krebs and Lewis Reiter and Elder John Hertzler.

**Sustentation**—The Revs. George A. Whitmore and H. H. Apple and Elder G. J. P. Raub.

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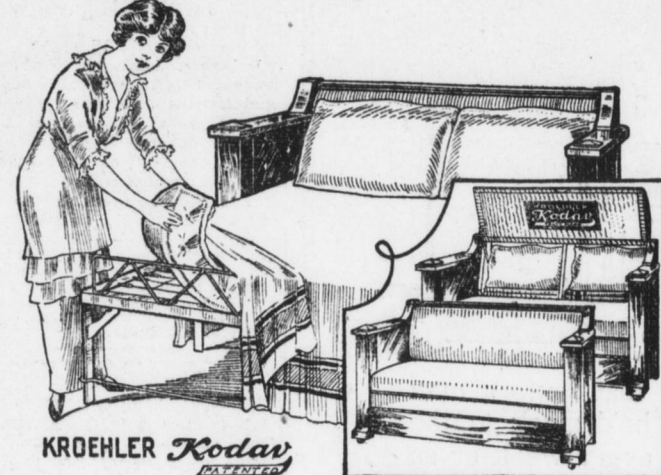
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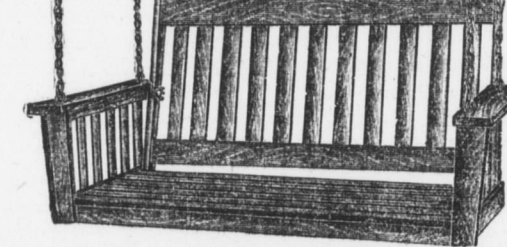
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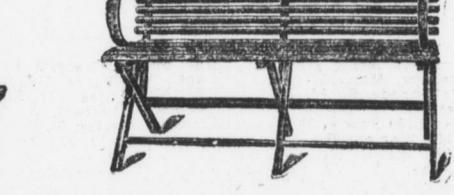
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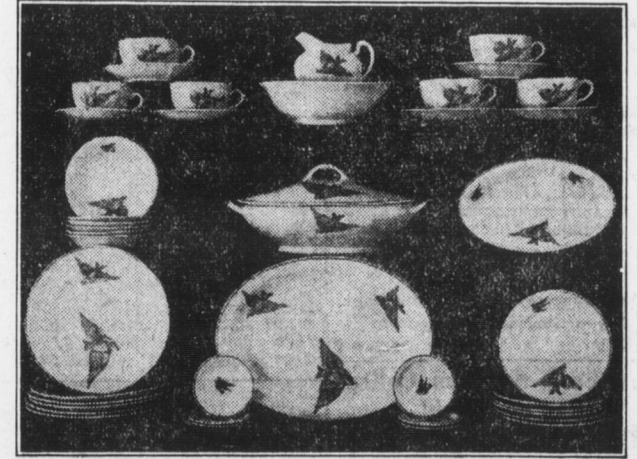


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 Gold trimmed with the lucky "Blue Bird" decoration. Each set securely packed in separate cartoons.  
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A special 14-inch Jewel Lawn Mower for \$2.50—\$4.00 value.

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**Harrisburg Will Probably Be on Ocean to Ocean Aerial Highway; Flight Sept. 2**

Special to the Telegraph  
 New York, May 16.—The transcontinental aeroplane competition, for which prizes have been offered by the Aero Club of America and individuals interested in aeronautical development, will start from New York on September 2. No definite decision has been reached as to the route, but it was said the aerial highway probably will be laid out through Philadelphia and Pittsburgh, by way either of Baltimore and Washington, or Harrisburg.

From Pittsburgh the route may follow the Lincoln highway through Canton, Mansfield, Lima, Ohio, and Fort Wayne, Ind., or swing northward through Cleveland, Toledo and South Bend to Chicago. From Chicago the route probably will run through St. Louis; thence through Kansas City and several Oklahoma towns, or through Arkansas to Dallas, Fort Worth, Waco, Austin and San Antonio, Texas, and from San Antonio to El Paso the fliers will proceed within sight of the Rio Grande, and thence westward along the Mexican border, through Texas, Yuma, Ariz., and by way of San Diego, Cal., to Los Angeles, and possibly, San Francisco.

**UNIFICATION OF CHURCH ENDORSED**

By Associated Press  
 Saratoga Springs, N. Y., May 16.—The unification of the Methodist Episcopal Church and the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, was endorsed almost unanimously by the Methodist General Conference to-day.

The conference adopted the report of the committee on unification, which provides for further negotiations with the southern church, paving the way for final action by the general conference of the southern church in 1918 and by the northern church's general conference in 1920.

**Ban on Dancing**  
 The committee on episcopacy, to which was recommended yesterday a report recommending the election of seven new bishops, reported to-day that it was unable to comply with the desire of some of the delegates for a reduction in the number. In addition to seven bishops the committee also suggested the election of a missionary bishop, to be located at Singapore, Malaya, Asia.

An attempt by Chancellor James R. Day, of Syracuse University, and other members of the general conference to eliminate the clause which prohibits Methodist Church members from playing cards, dancing and theater going failed yesterday afternoon, when the committee on the state of the church decided by a vote of 113 to 43 to recommend to the conference the retention of the rule.

Notice was immediately given that the leaders for a freer interpretation of the rule would fight to the conference and will submit a minority report. It is probable the delegates will be requested to decide the question before the end of the week.

**Sheldon W. Funk Plans to Give Talk on Flowers at Paxtang Thursday Night**

Paxtang, Pa., May 16. — Sheldon W. Funk, of Boyertown, one of the farm advisors of the State Department of Agriculture will talk in the Paxton Presbyterian church here on Thursday night at 7:45 o'clock on plants and flowers and their care.

**CHICKERING**

Upright Piano in good condition; will be sold cheap for cash or on easy terms. Yohn Bros., 8 North Market Square.—Adv.

**FIRE THREATENS FAMOUS CHATEAU AT QUEBEC**

Quebec, May 16.—The famous hotel known the world over as Chateau Frontenac, situated among the cliffs of the Dufferin Mountains, was threatened with destruction by fire during the night. Flames were discovered under the copper roof of the kitchen section and firemen fought the blaze until 7 o'clock this morning and prevented it from spreading to the guest apartments. The property loss is estimated at \$25,000.

**PIMPLES AND BLOTCHES ON BACK**

Later Whole Body Broke Out Clothing Aggravated Eruptions, Itching All the Time.

**HEALED BY CUTICURA SOAP AND OINTMENT**

"I was very much interested in boxing at the time my trouble started, but was not allowed to box on account of my back being broken out in pimples and blotches which were caused by my body being overheated. Later my whole body broke out with festering pimples. They were very sore, red and inflamed and my clothing aggravated the eruptions. My trouble kept me itching all the time.

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**This Is the Birthday Anniversary of—**



**WILLIAM A. GERNERT**  
 One of Harrisburg's successful business men, Mr. Gernert has been a resident of Harrisburg for several years and is proprietor of large grocery stores at 120 Mulberry and 1741 market streets. He is a native of Myerstown, and for a number of years was identified with the wholesale grocery business in Lebanon.

**HAROLD KENNETH GARDNER**  
 Harold Kenneth Gardner, 11-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Gardner, 1310 North Front street, died yesterday morning after a lingering illness. He is survived by the following sisters and brothers: Mrs. W. E. Fortenbaugh, New York city; Mrs. Frank Petrow, Mary Leroy, Celia, James, Esther, Marion, Elinor, Anona, all of Harrisburg. Funeral services will be private on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Burial will be made in Paxtang cemetery.

**RURAL CREDITS BILL PASSES HOUSE BY VOTE OF 295 TO 10**

Washington, May 16. — The Glass rural credits bill, provided for a Federal Farm Loan Board and a system of 12 land banks, passed the House late yesterday by a vote of 295 to 10. A similar measure already was passed the Senate, and the differences probably will be worked out soon in conference.

**"CLEAN-UP" WORKERS TAKE TIME TO VOTE**

After taking enough time to vote, the men employed by the Pennsylvania Reduction Company, started the second day's round of the two-weeks "Spring clean-up" campaign in the city, tackling the district between Market and Maclay streets in Allison Hill.

**Tiniest Witness in Court Offers a Kiss Between Steel Bars**

The tiniest witness caused the only tears in yesterday's session of sentence court.

She was a very small person in a frilly white gown and big pink hair ribbons and she accompanied her mother, plaintiff in a nonsupport case. Where the father was, didn't develop until just before the judges appeared. It remained for the small witness to find him and her discovery caused many a hardy heart to flutter into action among some of the women spectators. The little girl spied her father behind the steel fence of the prisoners' cage, toddled over to him, then stretched tiny arms between the bars:

"Tiss me, faver!" invited the smallest witness.

Nearly a dozen defendants who pleaded guilty to various charges were sentenced. These included: William Newman, larceny of lead, \$5 fine and four months in jail; Charles Geesey, assault and battery on mother-in-law, \$15 fine and costs; James E. Blair, an Indian, robbing Port Hunter post-office and Charles Sands, larceny of two bicycles, committed to Huntingdon Reformatory; John Radovic, assault and battery on Thomas J. Muldoon, \$15 fine; James Colbert, charged with stealing chickens, and Trocer Polston, charged with stealing lead pipe, were released on their own recognizance.

**D. P. & S. Store Installs New Fresh Air System**

Recently, the Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart department store installed a fresh air or ventilating system for the comfort of their employes and patrons, which overcomes foul air, humidity, and overheated room conditions.

The equipment consists of a full housed Conoidal fan of multiblade construction, connected to ducts which distribute the air equally throughout the basement of the building; the ducts are controlled by quadrant dampers, so that the supply of air may be used as desired.

The equipment has a capacity of supplying 32,000 cubic feet of air per minute, which will make a complete change of air throughout the basement every twelve and one-half minutes, or five changes of air per hour. Fresh air is drawn through a brick stack, extending from the basement to twelve feet above the roof of the building, passing through a set of heater coils, which in winter time is tempered so as to carry a normal temperature through the building. In summer time the temperature below the outside temperature.

The patrons of the Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart department store will find that the installation of this system will add greatly to their comfort while shopping.

**CHICAGO, MAY 16.** — Officials of the Republican National Convention which meets here June 7, declared that the demand for tickets to the gathering is unprecedented. Seats have been provided for 12,400 persons in the convention hall, and although the convention is three weeks away, 40,000 applications have been received for tickets.

**Senate Rejects Wilson Nominee as Obnoxious**

Washington, May 16. — The nomination of George Rublee, of New Hampshire, as a member of the Federal Trade Commission was rejected

yesterday by the Senate. Senator Gallinger, the Republican leader, had opposed the nominee for 15 months on the ground that he was "personally obnoxious," and the power of the senatorial courtesy tradition was so great that he won his point by a vote of 42 to 36 in spite of a vigorous and insis-

tent fight by the Administration for confirmation. Mr. Rublee, who has been serving on the commission since soon after it was created, will lose his post and draw no salary for his work unless the Senate's action is reconsidered. Five Republicans voted for his confirmation, and 14 Democrats voted against it.

**SENIORS ON LAST LAP**  
 Members of the Senior class of the Technical High School will finish their periods of recitation at that institution this week. Beginning next Monday and continuing throughout the week, the 56 grads-to-be will take the final examinations.