

STEELTON

EXPECT 40 BANDS IN BIG PARADE

Committeemen Make Brief Reports at Session With Chairman Bent

Unofficial reports of the various subcommittees arranging for the big patriotic demonstration May 19, given at a meeting of the general committees in the office of Quincy Bent, chairman, this afternoon indicated that there would be about forty bands and more than 10,000 persons in line.

Many of the details of the parade were worked out this afternoon, but much work is yet to be done. Effort are being made to have a member of the committee made to-day, to have as large and if not a larger parade than the neighbor city, Harrisburg.

It is expected that more than 1,000 musicians will be in line. Every available band in a radius of fifty miles around Harrisburg has been engaged, committee members assert. The Spring-garden Band and the York City Band, two of the largest musical organizations in York have been obtained.

At a meeting of the fire companies of the downtown last night it was decided not to use the apparatus in parading. The Paxtang Hook and Ladder Company last night decided to assure the York City Band to furnish music in the parade.

Members of the local Post Office force are planning to participate in the parade in uniforms and expect to be accompanied by many Harrisburg office employees.

Surpass All Records For Recruiting New Members

W. W. Leck, superintendent of the Rolling Mill department of the local steel plant, with the assistance of his following lieutenants, John C. Wolf, J. P. Bennett, F. H. Kelley, R. C. Parsons, T. J. Bittner, C. D. Wright, R. N. Church, H. Devore, A. T. Gilmore, J. G. Metzler, I. E. Wolf, F. W. Long, H. K. Shook, C. Burke, H. H. McConnell, C. E. Nesbit and John Clepper, broke all records for obtaining Red Cross members, when he handed Mrs. W. H. Nell, chairman of the membership committee, a list of ten hundred and twenty names. This is considered a most remarkable achievement and brings the total membership close to 3,000.

Arranging For Annual Commencement Exercises

On the evening of June 8th the largest class in the history of the schools will be promoted from the eighth grade to the high school. It will number more than one hundred twenty-nine.

The graduating class at present numbers forty-eight members. The commencement will be held on Tuesday evening, June 12th. Dr. C. C. Ellis, of Huntingdon College, will deliver the address.

The executive committee of the High School Alumni Association is preparing for the annual meeting of that Association June 13th. Superintendent L. E. McGinness has been appointed by the State Authorities to assist in the examination of the Clarion State Normal School the last week in June.

A second meeting of all the Principals of the schools will be held in the office of the Superintendent on Thursday evening at 4.30 o'clock. This meeting is for the purpose of making further arrangements for the participation of the schools in the patriotic parade.

WAR VETERAN DIES

Funeral services for John L. Riggs, aged 70, a veteran of the Civil war who died yesterday morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Mary Grimes, 43 South Third street, will be held this evening at 7.30 o'clock. The Rev. A. K. Wier, of the Centenary United Brethren Church, assisted by the Rev. W. H. Shaw, of the First Methodist Church, will officiate. Burial will be made at Mt. Holly Springs to-morrow. He is survived by his wife and four daughters, Mrs. Grimes, Mrs. Nora Arnold, Mrs. Ella Kennedy, Mrs. Elizabeth McCauslin and one son, Charles Riggs. John Riggs was a member of the Mt. Holly Post, G. A. R., and of the Knights of Pythias.

MIDDLETON

The Royalton High School Commencement exercises held in the Royalton U. B. church were largely attended. Six graduates who took part were as follows: Irene S. Conrad, Clara M. Palmer, Harold S. Berkstesser, William C. Lerch, Lester B. Mathias and William L. Neeter.

Miss May Fuhrman entertained the D. F. Club at her home on Monday evening.

Mrs. C. E. Bowers will entertain the social circle at her home this evening.

Poketo Tribe No. 215, I. O. R. M., will attend the Tri-State Convention of Red Men from York, Dauphin and Cumberland counties at Duncannon on Saturday.

The Women's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church, met at the home of Mr. E. C. Longenecker yesterday. Topics for the afternoon were "Porto Rico," "Cuba," "Siam and Laos." Mrs. George S. Mish and Mrs. C. B. Carlson had charge of the meeting.

Mrs. I. O. Nissley has returned home from Campbeltown.

The Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church, will meet at the home of Mr. John Core, State street this evening.

The Women's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the St. Peter's Lutheran Church, met in the church last evening.

Paul W. Houck Is Mentioned For Secretary

A movement is on foot to have Governor Brumbaugh appoint Paul W. Houck, a referee of the State Compensation Board, to the position of Secretary of Internal Affairs made vacant by the death of his father, the late Henry Houck. It is urged by the friends of Mr. Houck that his appointment would be a grateful recognition of the services of his father and one that would be acceptable to Republicans generally. Mr. Houck is a resident of Pottsville and is well known throughout the State.

ENTERTAINS AT CARDS

Miss Anna Breneman, of Peffer street, entertained the following guests at an informal card party and supper last evening: Mr. and Mrs. George Neater, Mr. and Mrs. John Vaughn, Mrs. Thomas Vaughn, Mrs.

House of Commons Opens Long Secret Session

London, May 10.—Parliamentary circles were greatly interested in today's secret session of the House of Commons, at which many questions uppermost in the public mind were discussed. Colonel Winston Spencer Churchill, formerly first lord of the admiralty—was the first speaker, as he was the most distinguished member of the liberal war committee

which first demanded the secret session. It is assumed that Colonel Churchill raised all the principal subjects under discussion asking many questions and giving Premier Lloyd George opportunity to reply immediately. The secret session probably will continue over Friday.

U. S. Rushes West Point Men Through Courses

Washington, May 10.—The first class at West Point will be graduated August 28th the War Department announced to-day and immediately commissioned to supply 154 highly-trained officers to aid in the instruction of the first 500,000 selective draft army to be called to the colors some time in September. Under normal conditions the cadets would have completed their course at the academy in June, 1915. The class ahead of them would have finished in June of this year in already graduated and commissioned in the regular service. Practically all men of the two classes will become first lieutenants on their first commission, passing over the grade of second lieutenant entirely. Some of them will be troop commanders with rank of captain for the duration of the war as their first actual employment after graduation.

SMALL CHILD DIES

Marion, the two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Brubaker, Front street, died this morning at 5.30 o'clock. Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon.

STEELETON SNAPSHOTS

Class Meeting.—Class No. 17, of St. John's Lutheran Sunday school, taught by Mrs. John F. Moore, will hold a business meeting to-night. League Social.—The monthly meeting and social of the Epworth League of the First Methodist Church, will be held in the social rooms, to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock.



HARRISBURG, THURSDAY, MAY 10, 1917.

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Sheeting Unbleached sheeting, 27 inches wide—smooth, even thread. Friday Sale, yard, 6c BOWMAN'S—Second Floor

Comports Low foot comports—blown glass—assorted cuttings. Friday Sale, 49c BOWMAN'S—Basement

Boudoir Electric Lamp 14 inches tall—mahogany finish pedestal with 7-inch silk shade in assorted colors; fitted with cord and electric light bulb. Friday Sale, \$1.98 BOWMAN'S—Basement

Cemetery Vases Pottery cemetery vases—green glaze finish; the kind to be inserted in the ground. Friday Sale, 25c

Hayden's Dust Brush Complete with 4 1/2 ft. handle—the most practical dustless mop made. A labor saver. Friday Sale, 98c BOWMAN'S—Basement

Garbage Cans Black painted tin, garbage cans, lock cover—height of can, 12 1/2 inches; capacity, 6 1/2 gallons. Friday Sale, 43c BOWMAN'S—Basement

Muslin Bleached muslin, 36 inches wide—in useful remnant lengths. Friday Sale, 7 1/2c BOWMAN'S—Second Floor

Apron Gingham Guaranteed fast color—blue checks; cut from the full piece. Friday Sale, yard, 8 1/2c BOWMAN'S—Second Floor

Cretones Remnants of cretonnes, in good patterns, and suitable for cushions—27 inches wide. Friday Sale, yard, 10c BOWMAN'S—Second Floor

Sheets and Pillow Cases Bleached sheets, double bed size, and-made of soft finished muslin. Friday Sale, 69c

Challis Persian and Oriental patterns—cut from the full piece. Friday Sale, yard, 6 1/4c BOWMAN'S—Second Floor

Stamped Goods Stamped pillow tops and backs—on oyster white linen. Friday Sale, 25c

Manhattan Rugs In conventional patterns of green, brown and red. 6x9 feet \$4.98 9x12 feet \$9.50 BOWMAN'S—Fourth Floor

Matting Rugs In woven and stenciled patterns of green, red and brown. 27x54 inches .25c 36x63 inches .39c BOWMAN'S—Fourth Floor

Axminster Rugs Hit and miss patterns, with colored borders—size 27x54 inches. Friday Sale, \$1.79 BOWMAN'S—Fourth Floor

Strap Purses A popular number of strap purses in black leather—lined with fancy poplin. Friday Sale, 50c BOWMAN'S—Main Floor

Colonial Rugs Made of heavy cotton chain filled with clean rags—size 25x50 inches. Friday Sale, 59c BOWMAN'S—Fourth Floor

Women's Union Suits "Athena" brand union suits, low neck, sleeveless, lace or cuff knees. Friday Sale, 50c BOWMAN'S—Main Floor

Women's Coats Clearing out two assorted groups of women's coats in plaids, serges, poplins—colors gold, green, navy and black. Friday Sale, \$3.98---\$4.98 BOWMAN'S—Third Floor

Friday---the Clear-away Day For Laggards ---Remnants---Odds & Ends Together With The selling of special underprice merchandise gathered by our organization through the various trade channels A glance at the offerings for to-morrow will convince you how alert our buyers are in being able to offer you needed goods for much less than regular---in drawing a comparison with the market to-day. Every Price Quoted Is a "Specially" Low One

Men's Shirts Men's shirts of fine quality percale, neat stripes—attached collars—sizes 14 to 17. Friday Sale, 45c

Men's Dress Shirts Men's dress shirts of percale and madras—soft and stiff cuffs—a clean-up lot in which some are a little soiled from table display. Friday Sale, 85c BOWMAN'S—Main Floor

Silk Petticoats Silk petticoats in changeable taffeta and paisley patterns—choice range of colors. Friday Sale, \$4.75 BOWMAN'S—Third Floor

Dress Goods 36-inch wool batiste—largely used in making one-piece dresses, kimonos, and children's dresses—light blue, lavender, Copenhagen blue, pink, salmon, silver gray, reseda, cardinal and navy. Friday Sale, yard, 59c BOWMAN'S—Main Floor

White Cotton Fabrics Fancy striped voile, 36 inches wide. Friday Sale, yard, 15c Shadow voile, 36 inches wide. Friday Sale, yard, 25c English longcloth, 36 inches wide—10 yard pieces. Friday Sale, piece, \$1.69 BOWMAN'S—Second Floor

Table Damask Another lot of mercerized table damask with pink and lavender colored borders—64 inches wide. Friday Sale, yard, 39c BOWMAN'S—Main Floor

Corsets Front lace corsets in broken sizes of stylish models in the R. & G. and W. B. brands. Friday Sale, 75c BOWMAN'S—Third Floor

Kid Gloves Two-clasp kid gloves in white, black, gray, tan and brown. Sizes 5 1/4 to 7 1/4. Friday Sale, pair, \$1.59 BOWMAN'S—Main Floor

Women's Stockings Women's thread silk stockings in plain colors and fancy styles—double soles, wide garter tops. Friday Sale, pair, 79c Women's fibre silk stockings in plain black and plain white, double soles, wide garter tops. Friday Sale, pair, 50c BOWMAN'S—Main Floor

Women's Brassieres Closing out an odd lot of brassieres in a variety of models. Friday Sale, 35c BOWMAN'S—Third Floor

Printed Voiles 80 different patterns and colors to select from—some in cluster stripes, others checks or stripes; many figured in Dolly Varden, Dresden and Pompadour effects in an almost endless variety. Ground is white or light tints. Friday Sale, yard, 15c BOWMAN'S—Main Floor

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Toilet Goods Creme Tokalon "Roseated," jar ... 45c Tokalon face powder, box ... 39c Lazell toilet waters in Japanese Honeysuckle, Violette de Parme, Field Violets, bottle ... 37c Peroxide soap, 7c cake, 3 cakes ... 20c 10-oz. can talcum powder ... 20c Palmers' Almond Meal, 21c Colorite, bottle .. 17c DeLuxe powder puffs, 10c Large size hair brush, 37c Tooth brushes ... 19c Ebony finished mirrors, 29c BOWMAN'S—Main Floor

Jewelry Flag pins and buttons—hard enamel and set with stones, extra good values, 19c, 21c, 29c, 39c, 69c and 89c. Sterling silver shield rings ... 39c Military sword pins, 15c Military hat pins ... 15c Fancy bead necklaces, 49c Oriental beads ... 25c Oriental metal girdles, 99c Cameo brooches ... 40c Cameo rings ... 49c Red Cross pins ... 19c Flag pins in combination of American and French, American and British, American and Italian, at each ... 10c BOWMAN'S—Main Floor

Dressing Sacques Lawn and fleece lined dressing sacques—assorted sizes. Friday Sale, 29c BOWMAN'S—Third Floor

Boudoir Caps Boudoir caps made of silk and lace with ribbon bows. Friday Sale, 25c BOWMAN'S—Third Floor

Friday Waist Sale Black Jap Silk Waists—large collar—trimmed with small frills—also a few plain tailored. Friday Sale ... \$1.05 Crepe de chine waists in gold, flesh, maize, Nile green and white—plain model with large collar. Friday Sale ... \$1.29 White voile waists with trimmings of embroidery, Val, and imitation Irish lace and tucks. Friday Sale ... \$1.69 BOWMAN'S—Main Floor

Bed Spreads Lot of crochet bed spreads, firmly woven; light summer weight—size 72x80 inches. Friday Sale, \$1.19 BOWMAN'S—Second Floor

Laces Shadow and Point de Paris laces, 3 to 6 inches wide. Friday Sale, yard, 8c BOWMAN'S—Main Floor

Embroidery Embroidered voile galloons—2 and 3 inches wide—all blind embroidery. Friday Sale, yard, 15c BOWMAN'S—Main Floor

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