

POLICE MATRON AGAIN URGED BY CIVIC CLUB

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High Spots Reached By the Civic Club

HIGH SPOTS in the annual report of the Harrisburg Civic Club on its twelfth birthday: The Civic Club furnished milk and crackers to the three schools of deficient children, numbering 100, an increase of two schools over the previous year. A summer school for deficient children was held, children coming from the State Dispensary as well as from the outdoor schools. In the Shimmell school a room was furnished for the manual training of boys of deficient mentality. Two fly-killing contests, 12,000 anti-fly leaflets distributed, and eighteen bushels of dead flies, is the Civic Club contribution toward a "flyless" town. The clubhouses have been used constantly by the Red Cross, the Pennsylvania War Relief and the Naval Auxiliary of the Red Cross. It was also used for the canning and preserving classes. Twenty-five hundred packets were prepared for the boys in France. Five thousand four hundred dollars was raised for the Y. M. C. A. and four hundred two dollars was raised for the soldiers' war library. Four barrels and six boxes of clothing were sent to the tubercular patients at Mount Alto Sanatorium. Investigations were made to improve living conditions at Sibletown. The membership has increased to 551. Recommendations for a police matron, municipal collection of ashes and garbage and endorsement of community singing are also contained in the annual report.

community during the year that has passed. The report as read by Mrs. Henderson this afternoon shows the work done during the year for the children of the city. Working on the principle that the care and development of children must not be neglected during the war, the club has devoted itself to the care of the city's young. The Civic Club furnishes milk and crackers for the three schools of deficient children, numbering about 100, in the Downey, Shimmell and Hamilton buildings. Formerly they cared for the children of but one building. The report shows that the summer school for tubercular children was the largest ever held. In constructive work in mind, the club has furnished a room and equipment for deficient boys in the Shimmell school where they are taught useful occupations. A Victrola and records have been furnished the children in the Hamilton school, for the use of teaching folk dancing. This was in charge of the educational department. In regard to the campaign to make Harrisburg "flyless," the report shows that the members of the club distributed 12,000 anti-fly leaflets, and inaugurated two fly-killing contests, in which two bushels of flies were exterminated. This work came under the municipal department. The report shows also the community uses to which the clubhouse has been put. It has been used constantly by the Red Cross, and has been the meeting point for the conferences of the Central district on the Red Cross drive, and in the interests of Belgian relief. The Penn-

sylvania Railroad War Relief Society and the Naval Auxiliary of the Red Cross used it as a meeting place. Under the auspices of the Red Cross committee of the club, canning and preserving demonstrations were carried on there, and the proceeds of the products, \$3.26, were donated to the Junior Red Cross. This is contained in the report of the house committee.

Co-operating with the Red Cross, 2,500 packets were prepared for the soldiers of Penury in the service. The value of the services of the club members to the Red Cross during April, in the schools, was \$272. They were active in the Red Cross tag day preparations. The proceeds of the John Kendrick Bangs lecture, devoted to the Red Cross, amounted to \$76. Ten dollars was sent to Miss Dock for continuation work in the Forestry Reserve abroad, and \$10 to the Junior Red Cross. The club will also finance the Junior Red Cross tag day this year.

The club raised \$5,400 for the Y. M. C. A. fund, and their share in the Soldiers' Library fund amounted to \$402.80. Four barrels and six large boxes of warm clothing were sent to the tubercular patients at Mount Alto Sanatorium.

Investigations were made to improve living conditions in Sibletown. Mrs. Henderson herself interviewed the health officer and the city commissioner, an attention to the health officer and testified as to conditions. Many improved places were reported.

The poor condition of the house committee, of which Mrs. Robert Irons is chairman, acknowledges receipt of a silver tea set and tray from College Club, a large flag from Mrs. Darlington, carved teakwood furniture from Mrs. Olmsted, and a beautiful set of Anthony Throllope, twenty-two volumes, from Mrs. Robert and Harold Neal in memory of their mother and the loan of a colonial clock for the hall from Mrs. Chamberlain.

Miss Rachel Pollock, chairman, and Mrs. Solomon Hiney, vice-chairman, of the municipal department, made their report which was embodied in Mrs. Henderson's annual report.

The report of Mrs. Harry G. Kefler, chairman of the educational department, outlines the work of the department among the children of the schools. This, too, is contained in Mrs. Henderson's annual report.

The outdoor department report, Miss Buehler, chairman, and Mrs. Edwin S. Herman, vice-chairman, outlines the work of the gardens at Fifth and Seneca streets. The report shows the work of the department, which has been in charge of the individual effort, in spite of the fact that the individual is likely to be lost sight of in the efforts of the masses during the waging of a war, is still paramount in importance.

The report gives the minutes of the eight regular meetings of the club. Thirteen meetings of the board of directors were held. Numerous interesting reports on the individual tasks accomplished by the club, and the outlines of the speeches of many interesting and prominent speakers from every part of the country who engaged in the meetings of the club, are contained in the report.

During the year the report shows, the club lost four members by death. These members were: Mrs. A. J. Herr, Mrs. S. J. Ziegler, Miss Emily Lett, and Thomas M. Jones. The present membership is 551 members.

STEELTON NEWS ITEMS

GOVERNMENT TO BUILD NEW ROAD

Front Street to Be Rebuilt From Blocks to Borough Limits

In order to increase the efficiency of transportation facilities to and from Middletown through Steelton and Highspire, government officials in charge of the Middletown job will build a permanent street similar to the highway built by the state through Steelton and Highspire, it was learned today.

This action was taken by government officials following a conference of Major William B. Gray and assistants with members of the highway committee on Saturday. A joint meeting of borough and government officials will be held today to-morrow which time local authorities will be told just what the government intends to do.

The poor condition of front street between the wooden blocks and the borough limits retards the speed of the trucks operating between the government buildings and the city. This has forced government officials to take some action, it was said today.

Just what part of the expense the borough will pay, Mr. Henderson said he would be unable to say until to-morrow. He announced definitely, however, that the borough will furnish part of the equipment which will be used in building the new road. The borough official stated that the Harrisburg Railways Company will be ordered to raise its grade to the level of the street. This has been the cause of the road going bad before, Mr. Henderson said.

After the repairs are made government officials expect to make a trip with a truck to and from the operations in Middletown in fifty minutes.

Will Hold Meeting of Loan Workers on Friday

Liberty Loan committeemen will be given the instructions at a mass meeting to be held on Friday evening. Arrangements for the big meeting are under way in charge of a committee of which H. H. Nell is chairman. Up to this time no arrangements have been completed for getting a speaker, but it was announced this morning that a man from out-of-town very prominent in war work will speak.

A campaign committee and the allotment of prospects to the members of the large committee will be in charge of a committee composed of H. W. Stubbs, chairman; A. W. Ellenberger, T. L. Gruber, O. C. Bishop and Burgess T. McEntee. The committee in charge of arrangements for the mass meeting is composed of W. H. Nell, chairman; M. A. Cumler, T. J. Nelley, and Frank A. Robbins, Jr.

Many Coal Orders Filed at Distribution Office

More than 1,500 coal orders are now filed at the Central distribution office in North Second street, with no coal on hand to fill them. All borough dealers this morning reported that they had little coal on hand and that orders have been filled with the shipments which arrived in the borough last week. Charles Detweiler, secretary of the local distributing committee, said this morning that the new system of operating the retail business was working out splendidly and that no violations have been reported to him.

THREE PATROLMEN TO JAIL INTOXICATED NEGRO

It was necessary to summon three patrolmen to take an intoxicated negro to the borough lockup on Saturday evening. The negro who the police called a giant, probably because he was six feet four inches tall, was making much disturbance in the vicinity of Front and Adams street. Night Sergeant Hand and two patrolmen were summoned. It took these three men all they could do to get the man four squares to the lockup. After struggling for a considerable length of time the patrolmen finally placed the law offender behind the bars. He will be given a hearing by Burgess McEntee tonight.

MEN'S BIBLE CLASS TO MAKE DRIVE FOR MEMBERS

Plans for making a drive for new members were outlined at a meeting of the Men's Bible class of the Main Street Church of God on Saturday evening. Officers elected for the year are: President, Ira B. Reider; vice-president, Charles Moser; secretary, Dewey McNaughton; assistant secretary, Chester Funk; treasurer, H. K. Lehman; teacher, B. E. McNaughton, Jr.; assistant teachers, H. K. Lehman, Charles Moser. The following committees were appointed: Social, membership, temperance, flower, finance and publicity.

ANOTHER BOY IN FRANCE

Word was received here this morning that Earl Bush, 293 Swatara street, has arrived "Somewhere in France." Young Bush is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bush and is very well known in the borough.

NEW WATCHBOX

A watchbox and waiting room for the bridge shop department workmen and office building employees under course of construction for something is nearing completion. The building protecting employees waiting for cars is about thirty-five feet long.

REAL ESTATE SALES

Real estate sales announced today were: Dr. D. B. Traver, sale of three-story frame dwelling, Front and Elm streets, to Frank Marsico; sale of two-and-one-half-story frame dwelling, 45 South Front street, to L. A. Kennedy by J. W. Barracks.

Bishop of Cork Proclaims Against Uprising of Irish

Cork, April 15.—In the city to avoid playing into the hands of churches yesterday a letter from the Catholic Bishop of Cork was read, advising the young men of Ireland to avoid playing into the hands of their enemies by joining a formal military rising, which the Bishop said would be quickly crushed. The letter said the Bishop thought that at the coming conference between the Nationalist and Sinn Fein leaders a program would be evolved. The Bishop, therefore, advised the people to defer action pending the decision of the conference.

Steelton Personals

William Bowers, Main street, is spending several months in Millsburg.

Walter Boyles, Camp Meade, spent yesterday at his home in the borough.

Frank Morrett, of the battleship Minnesota, is on a furlough at his home here.

Charles A. Baer, Camp Meade, is spending several days at his home here.

Sergeant Elias Dodosh, of the Serbian Army, visited his brother and friends in the borough yesterday. He is in this country for the purpose of enlisting men in the Serbian Army.

B. Franklin Ligan, of the One Hundred and Third Motor Supply Company, stationed at Detroit, spent the weekend with his parents at Highspire.

MISS FRANK IS HOSTESS Members of Miss Bertha Frank's Sunday school class were entertained by Miss Frank at her home, 554 North Second street. The guests included: Mrs. H. J. Sanders, Irene Sanders, Mary Pugh, Gertrude Miller, Kathryn Miller, Mrs. S. Shaeffer, Mrs. Charles Folk, Mrs. Robert Miller, Jr., Miss Nellie Hiller, of Harrisburg; Mr. and Mrs. R. Reifsnider, Bertha Frank, Miss Gertrude Lacob, Mrs. Laura Wolf, Mrs. D. Heidel, Mr. and Mrs. William Geizer, Emmet Geizer, Miss Isabelle Johnson and Pearl Warner.

GET MORE GAMBLERS In a drive on Sunday gambling, Chief of Police Grove and Patrolman Bowermaster yesterday afternoon arrested four negroes in an open air crap game in Myers street. They were placed in the borough lockup pending a hearing before Burgess McEntee.

MIDDLETOWN

Middletown Boy Makes Several Trips to France

Edward Clifford, grandson of George Gray, of Susquehanna street, who was only 17 years old when he enlisted in the Navy, at Harrisburg, April, 1917. He was sent to Norfolk, Va., under training for eight days, then transferred to the battleship Utah as a fireman and being on there for a few months was transferred to the battleship Florida and later to the battleship Kentucky, making good on all three.

For six months he has been on a transport where for five months he made his regular rounds as a fireman.



EDWARD CLIFFORD

not missing one turn. He has been over to France twice, and is at present on his third trip there. He was also with several of the convoys transporting our boys "over there." He is one of Middletown's youngest boys to enlist.

The Third Liberty Loan drive in Middletown is under way, at a meeting Friday evening in the Council Chamber, in North Catherine street. Fifty persons were present and a "house-to-house" canvass will be made by the following persons, who were appointed by the captains, Captain George W. Core named the following lieutenants: Grant Sanders, Martin Crull, Maurice Cain and Lewis Miller; Captain A. G. Banks, lieutenants, R. L. Shade, D. P. Deatrich, A. R. Kern, H. J. Wickey, W. J. Kennard, John Wagner and H. S. Roth; Captain J. A. Kramer, lieutenants, J. B. Martin, J. W. Metzgar, Henry Bamback, George I. King, Dr. H. H. Rhodes, Dr. H. W. George, F. E. Irwin, Benjamin Ulmer, Webster Weaver, A. L. Etter, C. S. Few, D. W. Huntebeger, Charles Myers, H. M. Hess, J. A. Ulrich and J. J. Landis; Captain A. H. Luckenbill, lieutenants, Dr. Eugene Laverty, the Rev. T. C. McCarrill, Charles Parthenore, J. W. Few, H. W. Stauffer, E. L. Beck; Captain M. H. Ginrich, lieutenants, T. C. Laverty, J. S. McCauley, H. E. Smith, B. E. Longenecker, L. B. Brinser and H. B. Garver; Captain Harry Kauffman, of Royalton, lieutenants, J. K. Henry and S. H. Ney. There will be a public demonstration in the market house, Emaus street, on Thursday evening.

The committee on arrangements for the meeting is composed of President, E. S. Gerberich, he appointed the following, A. H. Luckenbill, A. G. Banks, Prof. H. J. Wickey, George I. King and A. B. Cressler. The following will look after the bond sales in the various industrial plants: Shoe factory, E. S. Gerberich; Winocroft stove works, E. M. Col-

quibon; hosiery mill, A. C. Kohr; car plant, J. B. Armour; T. B. Boyd, and James Ulrich. A. B. Cressler has consented to have a large clock constructed which will show the progress of the loan sale and will be located in the central part of town.

The Emergency Aid met at the home of Mrs. Ira Springer, Main and Spring streets, this afternoon. The Teachers Training class of St. Peter's Lutheran Sunday school, will meet on Wednesday evening after the prayer meeting services.

At a meeting of the church officers of St. Peter's Lutheran Church, the following were elected: President, S. C. Peters; treasurer, M. H. Ginrich; recording secretary, J. H. Reiger; financial secretary, H. T. Kauffman. At a meeting of the Methodist Episcopal Sunday school board yesterday afternoon, it was decided to change the Sunday school session from 1:30 p. m. to 8:45, Sunday, April 28.

The Wednesday evening prayer meeting service of the Presbyterian Church, will be held at the manse, West Main street, on Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Subject, "Justification by Faith."

Corporal Earl Rogers, a member of the 25th Aero Squadron, Garden City, L. I., spent the past few days in town as the guest of his wife and mother, Mrs. Cecelia Rogers, Ann street.

ASSOCIATED CHARITIES

A meeting of the Associated Charities will be held in the Home school in Walnut street this evening. Miss Marie Weismann, visiting nurse, will make her monthly report. The charities at the present time are taking care of several pneumonia cases among the poorer class in the borough.

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P.S. Clam fritters are made the same way, using one cup of canned minced clams instead of corn, or one cup of fresh clams put through the meat chopper. When using fresh clams less milk is used.



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