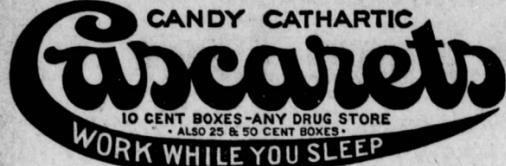


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NEWS OF STEELTON

MRS. ROHRER ENTERTAINED LOCAL EMBROIDERY CLUB

Odd Masks and Costumes Worn at a St. Patrick's Masquerade Social Furnished Great Merriment—Fun Ended With Serving of Refreshments

CHICKEN THIEVES MADE ANOTHER GOOD HAUL

Albert Lamke Lost Twenty-four and Godfrey Bricker Ten Birds—Police Investigated, but Could Find No Clues

After remaining quiet nearly one week, chicken thieves again became active last night, when two pens were raided and 34 chickens were stolen.

STEELTON NOTES

The W. F. Darby cash prizes for efficiency in political geography were awarded by the donor, who is also the president of the local School Board, this afternoon.

VAUDEVILLE FOR CHARITY

Knights of Pythias Will Give Annual Affair, April 6 The annual vaudeville and entertainment by Steelton Lodge, 411, Knights of Pythias, will be held in the High school auditorium on the evening of April 6.

MISS HENRIETTA POOR HOSTESS

Entertained Young Folks With a St. Patrick's Party Miss Henrietta Poor entertained a number of young folks with a St. Patrick's party at her home at Front street and Angle alley last evening.

PHILADELPHIA PASTOR HERE

The Rev. Bertram Shay Will Be at Methodist Church Sunday The Rev. Bertram Shay, of Philadelphia, a former resident of the borough, will occupy the pulpit of the First Methodist Episcopal church Sunday morning evening.

PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Keister, North Front street, are attending the conference of the Methodist church at Philadelphia this week.

Died of Complications Maggie Vokanic, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Vokanic, died this morning at 6 o'clock of a complication of diseases.

REAL ESTATE FOR RENT. FOP RENT—Houses with all improvements on S. Fourth St., Steelton.

Funeral of Annie Haidi

Funeral services for Annie Haidi, who died yesterday morning at the Slope hospital, Harrisburg, will be held at St. John's German Catholic church to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Funeral of Young Daugher

Funeral services for the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Cassel were held at home, 272 Myers street, yesterday afternoon. Burial was made in the Baldwin cemetery.

Wrenches Back When Ladder Slips

L. C. Seigler, 2257 Jefferson street, wrenched his back this morning while taking down a pipe in the basement of the new building of the Emerson Brantingham Implement Co., at Tenth and Market streets.

Chemist Suffers Crushed Thumb

Raymond Steitler, 533 South Thirteenth street, a chemist for the Harrisburg Brass and Bronze Foundry, suffered a crushed right thumb when he was struck by a heavy chain while at work this morning.

Chased German Squadron 48,000 Miles

London, March 19, 2:58 A. M.—Stokers from the cruiser Australia, says Reuter's Fremantle correspondent, declare that the Australia chased the German Pacific squadron 48,000 miles, using 6,000 tons of coal and 5,000 tons of oil.

Lebanon Man Charged With Forgery

Lebanon, March 19.—Charged with forgery with securing money under false pretense Elmer Boeshore, of this city, has been arrested. The charge is made by a former companion of the defendant.

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AUSTRIANS RESIST CONCESSIONS TO ITALY

Pressure by Germany to Induce Her to Give Up Territory Vigorously Opposed

A CONFERENCE TO BE HELD IN BERLIN

Reported at Geneva That If Other Negotiations Fail, German Chancellor Will Try to Induce Emperor Francis Joseph to Make Sacrifices

Paris, March 19, 5:20 A. M.—The Austrian government is resisting energetically pressure exerted by Germany to induce her to make territorial concessions to Italy, according to a Geneva dispatch to the "Petit Parisien."

It is reported at Geneva that if other negotiations fail the German Chancellor contemplates a trip to Vienna in the hope that he may convince Emperor Francis Joseph that it is necessary for Austria to consent to the sacrifices Austria.

Austria's Attitude Defined

Rome, via Paris, March 19, 8:10 A. M.—What purports to be an outline of Austria's attitude with relation to the question of territory to Italy is contained in a dispatch to the "Tribuna," dated Vienna, but telegraphed from the frontier. The statement is made that Austria, without reflecting upon Italian good faith, contends it is only natural that the dual monarchy, if she is ready to grant territorial compensation, should wish to insure Italian neutrality.

For this reason the dispatch says, Austria feels she should carry out her part of the proposed agreement only when an Italian pledge of neutrality is fulfilled, especially in view of the fact that the cession of the province of Trent would imply a weakening of Austrian military resources with regard to Italy.

Commenting upon this report the "Tribuna" says the condition which Austria demands is absolutely incompatible and if maintained would make impossible any friendly agreement. No ministry would accept a satisfaction of national aspirations a simple promise to be carried out at the end of a war, the results of which no one can foresee, the newspaper argues.

Should Shun Mess of Pottage

Rome, via Paris, March 19, 1:25 A. M.—In another editorial article discussing the position of Italy with relation to the European war the "Giornale d'Italia" says:

"Italy either can obtain peacefully the satisfaction of her aspirations, together with the protection of her great and complex interests or she can recourse to the supreme test of arms. It is absurd to think that Italy, after seven months of preparation, when she is in an especially advantageous diplomatic position, will be satisfied with the Biblical mess of pottage or less—mere promises."

Must Protect National Interests

"However negotiations go, the great national interests must be protected at any cost. This is the firm will of the country and the duty of the government. For fifty years Italy made great sacrifices to be an element of peace in Europe. The equilibrium and peace of the continent were broken through the fault of others against Italy's desire and without consulting her. Others have the responsibility for the present terrible crisis, but Italy would be unworthy if she did not issue with honor and advantage from the conflict."

Funeral of Danville District

Following prayer by the Rev. Thomas S. Wilcox, M. U. Union, this morning, the annual report of the Danville district was read by Superintendent J. B. Folsom.

Report of Danville District

The report showed 3,709 conversions, the local First Church leading by 333. Church repairs amounted to \$35,000; church and parsonage debt was reduced \$14,800; foreign missions contributions totaled \$6,542, and home mission, \$5,762.

In the Junata district, the church debt was reduced \$7,714; foreign contributions amounted to \$6,750 and home missions, \$6,567.

The reports from the Junata district showed that the Italian mission, Altoona, had 300 children.

The Rev. A. S. Williams, Curtin Heights, a member of the conference home mission society, had a resolution adopted that "the basis of the distribution of mission funds for married men, members of the conference should be \$900."

President B. A. Conner, of Dickinson Seminary, reported a successful year at that institution.

Philadelphia M. E. Conference

Norristown, Pa., March 19.—The 1915 sessions of the Philadelphia Conference of the Methodist Episcopal church will be held in St. James church, Olney, in the northern part of Philadelphia.

Take AMBITION PILLS

H. C. Kennedy is having a lively sale of Wendell's Ambition Pills these days because the people of Harrisburg who have tried them know that they tone up the entire system and impart vigor and energy into run down people in a few days and because they are guaranteed to do exactly as advertised, and H. C. Kennedy is authorized by the maker to refund the purchase price if anyone is dissatisfied with the first box purchased.

YOUR FRECKLES

Need Attention in February and March or Face May Stay Covered

Now is the time to take special care of the complexion if you wish it to look well the rest of the year. The February and March winds have a strong tendency to bring out freckles that may stay all Summer unless removed.

This prescription for the removal of freckles was written by a prominent physician and is usually so successful that it is sold by druggists under guarantee to refund the money if it fails.

METHODIST CHURCHES OF CITY ARE FLOURISHING

Report of Harrisburg District At Conference Shows Total of Three Thousand Conversions, More Than Ever Before

(Special to the Star-Independent.) Shamokin, March 19.—At yesterday's session of the Central Pennsylvania Conference of the Methodist church, the report of the Harrisburg district showed the churches in this city to be in a flourishing condition. In the election of trustees on the deacons board of the church, the vote resulted in the selection of the Rev. B. H. Hart, Harrisburg, and the Rev. E. E. Seaman, Bloomsburg.

The conference yesterday morning was addressed by Bishop Bart on the theme of "The Recruiting Department of the Church." He was followed by the Rev. Dr. William S. Boyard, secretary of the Methodist Brotherhood of the Methodist Episcopal church, who gave an address on the progress of the Sunday school work, and the great evangelistic field it offers.

The number of conversions is 3,000, which is 800 more than have ever been reported from this district. There are now 17,305 members and 1,500 probationers in this district. The churches of the district gave \$10,036 for foreign missionary work and \$7,972 for home missions and church extension. The total amount contributed for all benevolent purposes was \$29,822. An improvement of \$21,824 have been paid \$8,242 on old indebtedness.

The whole district has been added with evangelism. Not a large percentage of the 3,000 converts came from professional evangelism, the work being done chiefly by pastors.

Curtin Heights is reported as ready for a new church. Fifth street has the largest Sunday school enrollment in the district, with Stevens Memorial as a close second. Special mention was made of the 800 manse recently completed and furnished by the Grace Methodist Episcopal church, representing a cost of \$35,600. Dickinson College has had marked success under the leadership of Dr. J. H. Morgan, acting president.

One of the high points in the conference was reached in the morning session when Dr. Chalfant, formerly of Harrisburg, addressed the conference in the interest of the Anti-Saloon League, followed by Dr. Clarence T. Wilson, who came from the "line of temperance activity and said nineteen States have gone dry. To the temperance society of the M. E. church is given credit for five of the seven States which have recently gone dry.

Great applause followed the announcement that Governor Brumbaugh is expected at the seat of conference on Saturday. The appreciation of the conference for Governor Brumbaugh is running at high tide.

Dr. Silas C. Swallow, of Camp Hill, delivered a lecture in the First Baptist church Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ritter Gave a Pleasant Affair in Honor of Their Guest

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Ritter entertained at their home, 526 Camp street, last evening, in compliment to Miss Mildred Cook, of Duncannon.

ENTERTAINED FOR MISS COOK

Those present were Misses Mildred Cook, Blanche Donnelly, Kathryn Foulk, Jennie Donnelly, Helen Schreckengost, Marie Richter, Daisy Fink, Edna Owen, Ethel Hamilton, Helen Bush, Hazel Snyder, Rebecca Whitchella, Mabel Hamber, Lura Will, Elsie Strickler, Sadie Smith and George Spotts, Orbia Mummia, Henry Shumaker, William Foulk, Goodell Stroup, Bruce Williams, Ray Smith, Clarence Richter, Arthur Higgins, William Both, Earl Martin, Paul Rewer, J. C. Halbleib, Paul Spotts, Jess McCann.

MITCHELL-JOHNS WEDDING

Ceremony Was Performed by the Rev. Homer S. May Miss Bessie Johns, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin B. Johns, 1812 North street, and Charles W. Mitchell, of Davenport, Iowa, were married last evening at 8 o'clock at the home of

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dent of the anthracite mission in the Schuylkill coal regions, read an encouraging report. According to Dr. Bennett the foreigners in the Schuylkill Valley are anxious to join churches, providing they can have pastors who understand their dialects.

The following pastors were continued as supernumeraries: The Rev. William J. Bowden, the Rev. Frank Mack, the Rev. T. S. Minker, the Rev. J. S. McKinley and the Rev. A. D. Shields.

The conference passed a resolution commending Dr. George H. Bickley, of Philadelphia, and J. Baker Tuttle, retiring president of the Laymen's Association, for their labors in the "Bible" Sunday campaign.

Laymen's Association Elects Officers The Laymen's Association to-day elected these officers: President, W. H. Maxwell, Pottstown; vice president, North District, John L. Carson, Philadelphia; South District, E. M. Richmond, Eddystone; Northwest District, E. W. Lockwood, Roxborough; West District, Albert E. Turner, Philadelphia; Central District, C. C. Cline, Pottstown; secretary, John McFarland, Glenside; assistant secretary, H. B. Antrim, Frankford; treasurer, Samuel Shaw, Philadelphia.

J. Baker Tuttle, the retiring president of the Association, gave "Bible" Sunday full credit for the work he has done in Philadelphia and nearby towns.

Additional Personal and Social News

CLASS GUEST OF TEACHER Members of Memorial Lutheran Sunday School Spent Evening With L. K. Bringer

Class No. 1 of the Memorial Lutheran Sunday school was entertained by the teacher, L. K. Bringer, at his home, 146 Sylvan Terrace, last evening. The rooms were prettily decorated in green and white and the guests spent a pleasant evening with music and games. Dainty refreshments were served by the following: Misses Mrs. J. W. MacMullen, Mrs. Harry Whitmoyer, Mrs. Fred Veager, Mrs. Harry Martin, Mrs. Harry Zug, Mrs. T. Shall Patterson, Miss Bushey, Mrs. J. L. Rodgers, Mrs. F. W. Steckley, Harold Steckley, Miss Sara E. Davis, Mrs. A. W. Yoder, Miss Bessie Lenox, Miss Lydia Gilchrist, Mrs. W. G. Hoover, Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Bringer and sons, Gilchrist and Ellsworth.

Tea For Members of Aid Society

Mrs. S. K. Boyd, Mrs. F. A. Elliott and Mrs. Boyson entertained the Ladies' Aid Society of Immanuel Presbyterian church at tea, yesterday afternoon.

Meade W. C. T. U Meeting

The members of the Meade W. C. T. U. will meet this evening at the home of Mrs. John Feaman, 1315 State street. Mrs. Harriet Kennedy will speak on "Evangelism."

Will Celebrate 85th Anniversary

Mrs. Elizabeth Cradick, of 921 Rose street, will celebrate her eighty-fifth birthday anniversary, to-morrow, and friends of the aged woman, who has been a resident of the city for sixty years, will give her a postcard shower, in celebration of the event.

Reception to Pastor

Members and friends of the Park Street Evangelical church gave a reception last evening in compliment to the new pastor, the Rev. A. E. Hangan, and his family. The Rev. Mr. Hangan was appointed pastor of this congregation by the East Pennsylvania Conference.

Yard Crews—Engineers up: Dalton, Shaver, Landis, Hoyler, Beck, Biever, Meals, Stahl, Swab, Crist, Harvey, Saltsman, Kuhn, Snyder.

Engineers up: Barkey, Sheets, Bair, Eyde, Shipley, Revie, Ush, Bostdorf, Schiefer, Rauch, Weigle, Lackey, Cooker, Maeyer, Sholter, Snell, Bartolot, Getty. Engineer for 130. Firemen for 1816, 130, 1820, 1368, 1556.

the bride's parents. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Homer S. May, pastor of the Fourth Reformed church, in the presence of the immediate members of the family and a few friends. The bride wore a gown of soft white tulle over pink silk and carried a shower of bride roses. There were no attendants. Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell will reside in Davenport, Iowa.

'The Old Maids' Club

An entertainment entitled "The Old Maids' Club" will be given in Technical High school next Tuesday evening for the benefit of the Noble Street Church of God. The cast includes: Mrs. John Brady and the Misses Mary Deisroth, Ethel Hoover, Katherine Wolf, Harriet Bashore, Irene Etter, Elizabeth Holohan, Margaret Glass, Helen Fry, Margaret Banford, Lillie Melain, Virginia McLain and Miriam Fry.

Middle Division—109 crew to go first after 1:15 p. m.: 115, 117, 112, 107, 120, 114, 242, 223, 246.

Laid off at Altoona: 247, 216, 237, 219, 238, 235, 225. Laid off: 101. Engineer for 120. Fireman for 120. Conductor for 114. Flagman for 114. Brakeman for 112.

THE READING

P., H. & P.—After 1:30 p. m.: 19, 1, 12, 18, 20, 23, 21, 16, 10. Eastbound—After 1:30 p. m.: 58, 71, 57, 63, 64, 53, 59. Conductors up: Kline, Sipes, Philadelphia, Hilton.

RAILROADS

CREW BOARD

HARRISBURG SIDE

Philadelphia Division—122 crew to go first after 11 a. m.: 108, 115, 106, 128, 118, 101, 107, 116, 216, 119, 129, 132, 127. Engineers for 106, 116, 126. Firemen for 107, 108, 127. Conductor for 128. Flagmen for 106, 126, 129. Brakemen for 101, 107, 115, 126, 129, Edg. No. 1. Engineers up: Madenford, Powell, Tennant, Earhart, Kennedy, Hubler, Sellers, Beck, Welsh, Newcomer, Reisinger, Jong, Wolfe, Grass, Smith, Manring, Sober, Bissinger, Davis, Kautz, Pindman, Crisswell, Speas, First, Brunner, Stattler.

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Engineers up: Rhoads, Copeland, Bushey, Miller, Bleich, Horstiek, Mulholm, Penwell, Lantz, Shaffer, Libhart, Packer, Myers, Balsbaugh, Yentzer, Cover, Grove, Shive, Weaver, Watson, Farmer, Arnsberger, Behman, Huston, Kreider, L. E. Wagner, Duvall, L. L. Wagner, Herman, Gelsing. Flagman up: Bruehl. Brakemen up: Bogner, Sweikert, Collins, Moore, Albright, Jackson, Malseed, Arment, File, Gouse, Denzler, Bryson, Shultzberger, Allen, Brown, Cox, Desch, Koehenour, Metznis, Felker.

Middle Division—18 crew to go first after 1:30 p. m.

Twenty eight Altoona crews to come in. Preference: 5, 2. Laid off: 15. Engineer wanted for 2. Conductor for 5. Engineers up: Garman, Kugler, Knisley, Clouser, Bennett, Free. Firemen up: Liebau, Kutz, Wright, Potteliger, Cox, Fletcher, Fritz, Gross, Arnold. Conductors up: Frailek, Keys, Baskins, Gant. Flagman up: Mummia.

Death of Ralph M. Grass

Ralph M. Grass, a former resident of Harrisburg, died yesterday at his home in Lewistown after a lingering illness. Mr. Grass was well known here. He was a plasterer by trade, and a son of the late John F. and Margaret E. Grass. Besides his widow, he left five sisters and one brother, as follows: Mrs. Andy McLaughlin, Mrs. James Winters and Mrs. Samuel Olsen, of Harrisburg; Mrs. Harry Morrison, of Penbrook; Miss Dora Grass, of New Haven, Conn.; and William Grass, of Harrisburg.

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