



STREET CABARET IS CLIMAX TO BIG FASHION EXHIBIT

All Harrisburg Invited to Dance on Roped Off Section of Market Square

FANTASTIC PARADE

Spectacular Ending to Greatest Merchandising Event in City's History

With the exception of a few minor details, plans have been completed for the grand finale of Harrisburg's first merchants' uniform Fall opening celebration.

That's to be the street cabaret, fantastic parade and great open-air dance to-night in Market Square.

The curtain fell 'way late last night on the second act of the Fall show, and when all Harrisburg and its friends from out of town go to bed to-night, they'll be a mighty happy, if a trifle weary, lot.

If yesterday was an anxious day for the merchants who had entered the window-dressing contest, it was surely a busy one for the board of judges who had toured the city inspecting the decorations.

Prize-winners: Class A—Dime, Fomeroy and Stewart, first; Kaufman, Underdelling Stores, second; Bowman and Company, honorable mention.

Class B—William Strouse, New

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Denounces Practice of "Liveried Chauffeurs Taking Wristwatch Boys Home"

Chicago, Sept. 22.—Criticism by the Board of Education of the practice of children driving to and from school in automobiles was widely discussed to-day.

Jacob M. Loeb, president of the board, was especially severe in his criticism of conditions at Hyde Park High, one of the most popular high schools in South Side.

"You should see it on a rainy day," said Mr. Loeb, "at closing time the automobiles are lined up there as if it were a fashionable reception, with liveried chauffeurs to take the wristwatch boys home."

"The pupils of that school think of society life only. They live for their automobiles, their silk stockings, their parties and balls, for dancing and pleasure."

"What would be your remedy for those conditions?" asked Edward J. Piggott, member of the board.

"I would like to educate the parents," replied Mr. Loeb.

PITTSBURGH BREAD ADVANCES

Pittsburgh, Pa., Sept. 22.—The price of bread is being advanced in Pittsburgh. According to F. P. Wilhelm, secretary of the Western Pennsylvania Association of Master Bakers, the recommendations of the National association have been seconded by the local organization and individual bakers are already raising the price to ten cents a loaf.

"The Sherman antitrust law prevents the association from regulating the price of bread, but does not prevent it from recommending the increase."

THE WEATHER

For Harrisburg and vicinity: Generally cloudy to-night and Saturday; possibly occasional showers; somewhat lower temperature Saturday.

For Eastern Pennsylvania: Overcast; possibly showers; somewhat lower temperature Saturday; gentle to moderate winds.

River: The Susquehanna River and its branches will probably fall slowly or remain nearly stationary. A stage of about 3.4 feet is indicated for Harrisburg Saturday morning.

General Conditions: Pressure has diminished over nearly all the territory represented on the map during the last twenty-four hours.

Temperatures have risen 2 to 12 degrees in the Upper Ohio Valley and East Tennessee and in the Middle South Atlantic.

Temperature: 8 a. m., 55. Sun: Rises, 5:52 a. m.; sets, 6:04 p. m.

Moon: New moon, September 27, 2:54 a. m.

River Stage: 3.4 feet above low-water mark.

Yesterday's Weather: Highest temperature, 75. Lowest temperature, 47. Mean temperature, 68. Normal temperature, 64.

IMPRESSIVE SCENE FROM CONSECRATION OF BISHOP McDEVITT



The center figure in the above picture is that of Archbishop Prendergast who with his guard of honor is leading the procession. At the right, with hands huddled clasped, is Bishop Philip R. McDevitt, whose consecration took place yesterday. The procession is enroute to the Cathedral of St. Peter and St. Paul where the ceremonies were held.

G. O. P. LEADS DEMOCRATS IN COUNTY BY 7,000

Assessors' Totals Computed For 70 Districts Show 10,126 to 3,279

Dauphin county, outside of the city, can muster little more than 30 per cent. as many Democrats as Republicans.

Assessors' returns from the seventy districts of the county just totaled by the County Commissioners' clerks show the following:

Table with 2 columns: Party and Number of Voters. Includes Republicans (10,126), Democrats (3,279), Washington (603), Socialist (310), Nonpartisan (4,569), Prohibition (62), Independent (3), and Keystone (3).

No comparison with the assessors' returns of four years ago—the last presidential campaign—is available, as the enrollment act was not in force at the time and the commissioners' clerical staff had no way of figuring on the party affiliations at the time.

Just what Dauphin county's whole Republican enrollment will total can not be figured out, either, with any degree of accuracy, as there is another registration day—October 7—yet to be considered in the city's count.

Significant among the figures, in the opinion of political leaders, is the remarkably small showing of Washington party men, although it is figured that this will be offset to some extent by the unusually large number of non-partisan enrollments.

Judge Advises Man to Buy Booze From Wife; She'll Earn Enough to Bury Him

Wilmington, Del., Sept. 22.—When John P. Reardon, a contractor, was arraigned in city court and fined \$10 for violating the traffic law and an additional \$20 for contempt of court, Judge Churchman reminded the contractor that he is a bankrupt, with a wife and six children to support, and had attributed his troubles to drink.

"Before it is too late, you should change your habits. Don't drink at all. Leave it alone. But if you must drink, the following advice, which I quote, will be of benefit to you: 'Give your wife \$2 to buy a gallon of whiskey. Buy your drinks from no one but your wife, and by the time the first gallon is gone she will have \$8 to put in the bank and \$2 to start business again. Should you continue to buy drinks from her ten years, and she will have enough to bury you decently, educate your children, buy a house and lot, marry a decent man and quit thinking about you.'"

R. R. REVENUES REACH BILLION Chicago, Sept. 22.—Railroad financial results for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1916, made public to-day through the Railway Age Gazette, show that net revenues for the year crossed the billion mark for the first time.

The net operating revenues for the year were \$1,176,804,001, or \$5,184 per mile, as compared with \$988,560,638, or \$4,231 per mile for 1915. The average mileage represented in 1916 was 229,229, and in 1915, 221,829.

HOTEL MOVEMENT SWINGS ALONG BY LEAPS AND BOUNDS

John S. Musser, Rotary Chairman, Says His Committee Is Meeting With Success

"The Rotary Club has entered whole heartedly into the campaign for the new hotel," said John S. Musser, chairman of the Rotary Club hotel committee, to-day.

Plans were at once taken up for installation ceremonies to be held Thursday, September 28, at noon at St. Patrick's Cathedral.

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Body of Missing Boy Is Found at Foot of High Cliff

Sunbury, Pa., Sept. 22.—Ralph Mickey, 15, was found with his neck broken, at the foot of Blue hill here late yesterday after being missing eight hours.

With a young companion he had climbed to the top of the hill, and although the other boy did not see the accident, it is believed he fell off the top of the hill down a perpendicular incline of more than 325 feet.

HUGHES IN MIDST OF BUSIEST DAY

Making 13 Speeches; Charges Wilson With Intrigue; T. R. and Taft Bury Hatchet

Richmond, Ind., Sept. 22.—Charles E. Hughes, Republican nominee for the presidency, left here at 7.30 o'clock this morning for the busiest day of his second presidential campaign trip.

The program of to-day's addresses in order follows: New Castle, Anderson, Muncie, Elwood, Tipton, Frankfort, Kokomo, Marion, North Manchester, Warsaw, [Continued on Page 21]

CATHOLICS HERE GET READY TO GREET BISHOP

Arrange For Services at St. Patrick's Cathedral Next Thursday

Monsignor M. M. Hassett returned from Philadelphia this afternoon where he with the priests of the Harrisburg diocese attended the consecration of Bishop Philip R. McDevitt.

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DIET REJECTS DEMAND

London, Sept. 22.—The Hungarian Diet has rejected the motion of Counts Andrássy and Apponyi, the leaders of the opposition, for the convocation of the delegations, according to a Bureau dispatch to Reuters by way of Amsterdam.

RAID OF VILLA COMPLETE SUCCESS

Captured 16 Auto Loads of Arms; Made Speech From Governor's Palace

Washington, D. C., Sept. 22.—An official account of Villa's raid on Chihuahua City last Saturday, received at the War Department from Brigadier-General Bell at El Paso, says the bandit chief captured some of Carranza's artillery and sixteen automobile loads of arms and ammunition, liberated 200 prisoners from the penitentiary and made off after being joined by from 1,000 to 1,500 soldiers of the Carranza garrison.

According to General Bell's information [Continued on Page 11]

TWO ENGLISHMEN, 36 CARRANZISTAS SHOT BY BANDITS

Raiding Villistas Almost Wipe Out De Facto Force; Britishers Shelter Them

Galveston, Tex., Sept. 22.—Two British subjects were taken from their homes and shot and thirty-six of a party of thirty-eight Carranza soldiers were killed in a raid on September 16 in an Aquilla oil camp near Tuxpam by bandits calling themselves Villistas, according to a report brought here today by the steamer Topila from Tampico.

The Carranzistas put up a hard fight, it was said, but were outnumbered and overpowered. Two of their officers took refuge in the house of the Englishmen. They were discovered and put to death and the Englishmen killed for having given them their shelter, the report adds.

90 Prominent Authors Protest Affiliation With Federation of Labor

New York, Sept. 22.—Ninety members of the Authors' League of America have signed and issued a protest against the proposal to affiliate with the American Federation of Labor, included in that number are many well known writers, such as Jack London, George Ade, Cyrus Townsend Brundy, John Burroughs, Winston Churchill, Hamlin Garland, Emerson Hough, Joseph C. Lincoln, Brander Matthews, Ray Stannard Baker, Samuel G. Blythe, Irvin S. Cobb, James M. Flagg, Will Payne, Ida M. Tarbell, Kato Douglas Wiggin, Owen Wister and Edward Mott Woolley.

They denounce the proposed affiliation as "inappropriate, disadvantageous and dangerous" and assert that those favoring it dwell on the advantages of standardized contracts in the publishing, magazine and theatrical business but fail to show that it would attain any of these advantages.

A promise that the Authors' League would receive the support of the Federation of Labor without any reciprocal obligation or support is criticised as one-sided, unfair and wholly unworthy of the Authors' League.

The question of affiliation was referred to members of the league last night. To be effective the proposal must be approved at a regular meeting.

DROPS HIS 28TH AEROPLANE Kassel, Sept. 22.—Captain Boelke, Germany's most famous aviator, on Wednesday brought down two entente aeroplanes, making his record 28 machines disposed of during the war.

ONE HURT WHEN GUN EXPLODES Washington, D. C., Sept. 22.—Yeoman Robert W. Cooper, who had his right forearm fractured, was the only man injured by the recent explosion of a 12-inch gun muzzle aboard the battleship Michigan during target practice off the Virginia Capes. The ship reported to-day that she was on her way to the Philadelphia navy yard for repairs.

RESUME ARMOR HEARINGS Washington, Sept. 22.—Hearings on the location of a site for the \$11,000,000 government armor plate factory were reopened to-day by Secretary Daniels to give delegations from Knoxville, Jersey City and Perth Amboy, N. J., and several other cities an opportunity to be heard.

DEFEAT TURNED INTO VICTORY BY VON MACKENSEN

Executes Encircling Movement Which Compels Entente to Retreat in Disorder

HAD BEEN ON RUN HIMSELF

British in New Thrust Capture Two Lines of Trenches Along Somme

The tide of the great battle in the Rumanian province of Dobruja has again turned, this time in favor of the central powers, according to Berlin to-day. Field Marshal Von Mackensen has succeeded in breaking the Rumanian and Russian resistance, the German War Office reports, executing an encircling movement which compelled the entente forces to retreat in disorder.

It was only last night that an official announcement from Bucharest declared that the battle which had been in progress for six days had ended Wednesday with the defeat of the Germans, Bulgarians and Turks who [Continued on Page 22]

Eskimo Guide Asks Million For Real Story on Discovery of North Pole

New York, Sept. 22.—Mene Wallace, Eskimo guide, arrived in New York yesterday on the Red Cross steamship Stephano with a little "get-rich-quick" scheme which he believes will net him \$1,000,000.

He was not averse to telling about his scheme. It rests entirely upon his own modest assertion that he can settle beyond doubt the dispute between Doctor Cook and Admiral Peary as to who discovered the North Pole.

Wallace accompanied Captain Samuel Bartlett on the Peary relief expedition. Recently he was a member of the McMillan-Crocker Land party. On his arrival he proclaimed that he is the only living man who really knows who discovered the pole, and he is willing to part with this information for \$1,000,000.

"My information will startle the world. I have absolute proof of who discovered the pole."

CRIMINAL SUITS FOR COAL REBATE WILL BE SOUGHT

Reading Barons Likely to Be Placed on Trial After Civil Action

CONCESSIONS CONTINUE

Illegal Preferences Amounting to \$100,000,000 Being Granted Even Now

Washington, Sept. 22.—The Reading coal "barons" have laid themselves open to serious charges by alleged illegal preferences and rebates amounting to more than \$100,000,000, granted to the Reading Coal Company by the Reading Holding Company.

In the event the Government is victorious in its civil suit in the Supreme Court of the United States, these alleged violations of the act to regulate commerce are to be taken up and the advisability of instituting criminal proceedings in the Federal courts of Pennsylvania is to be considered by the Attorney General.

Concessions Unparalleled Although Department of Justice officers are reticent about outlining their plans for the future, the fact that criminal prosecutions under the law [Continued on Page 11]

"Famous" Statue Thrown in Rubbish; "Butch" Peeved

Atlantic City, N. J., Sept. 22.—"Butch" McDevitt, Pennsylvania one-time "millionaire for a day," is evidently peeved over the disrespect which the new city government has treated the bronze statue of himself which he presented former Mayor William Riddle, who has since retired. Mayor Riddle, an admirer and friend of "Butch," had the statue placed in the corridor of the City Hall.

When the new commissioners came into power they had the bronze "Butch" removed and stored in the rubbish bins in the basement of the Municipal Building. Thereupon "Butch" demanded its return, freight and boxing costs collect, and the commissioners have authorized the city clerk to comply with his request.

SEAPLANE BOMBS DOVER

London, Sept. 22.—A German seaplane to-day flew over Dover and dropped three bombs. The missiles caused no casualties, according to an official announcement. The hostile seaplane was chased away by anti-air craft guns.

CONFERENCES PRECEDE REICHSTAG

Berlin, Sept. 22, via London.—The Reichstag, which is to be reopened Thursday, September 28, will be preceded in the course of the next few days by confidential conference between Gottlieb Von Jagow, the minister of foreign affairs, and the various party leaders. Dr. Von Bethmann-Hollweg, the imperial chancellor, is expected to address the Reichstag on the first day of the session. Afterwards Dr. Karl Helfferich, the secretary of the interior, will speak on the economic situation in Germany.

FUNSTON CREDITS REPORT

San Antonio, Tex., Sept. 22.—General Funston to-day said he placed full credence in the report of Villa's attack on Chihuahua City sent to the War Department by Brigadier General Bell. He said he had been informed that General Bell's information was gained from reliable persons who had come to El Paso directly from Chihuahua City immediately after the battle.

BELL'S REPORT A "TISSUE OF LIES"

Chihuahua City, Mex. Sept. 22.—Commenting on the reports in American newspapers attributed to General Bell at El Paso of the Villa raid upon this city, last Saturday, General Jacinto Trevino, commanding the Carranza army of the north, to-day issued a statement to the Associated Press in which he described it as "a tissue of lies and falsehoods."

BELL REITERATES AUTHENTICITY OF REPORT

El Paso, Sept. 22.—Brigadier General Bell, Jr., commanding the El Paso military district, said to-day that his information concerning Villa's Hidalgo day attack upon Chihuahua City was obtained from "several most reliable sources." While he did not divulge his sources of intelligence, he said that he had every reason to believe that his report to the War Department was founded on facts and not based on border rumors. General Bell refused to comment on General Trevino's statement.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Jeremiah James Wilson and Marie Plack, city. Edward Louise Parker and Frances Amelia Corcoran, city. Howard George Hildner and Amy G. Shands, Gettysburg. Edwin Harley Bear and Esther Elizabeth Schneider, city. William Marshall Mowery and Minerva May Hutton, New Cumberland.