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HOLIDAY DINNER FOR EMPLOYEES

Moorhead Knitting Company Entertain With Dinner at the Harrisburg Club

Good-will and good fellowship were manifested last evening at the dinner given by the Moorhead Knitting Company, at the Harrisburg Club, to the stockholders, salesmen, guests and office officials.

Southern smilax and large American Beauty roses made effective decorations. After dinner speeches were given by R. W. Moorhead, on the emphasis which the company laid upon the congeniality of the employees and the fine results which their work evinces; J. W. Bowman, on the optimistic future of the company, and Edwin S. Herman spoke interestingly on the object of the firm being "not to manufacture a standard," others making speeches were E. C. Bowman, Grant Rouch, A. B. Hill, of Dallas, Texas; George P. Sheetz, of Detroit, Mich.; Edmund Bartlett, of New York City and P. H. Bailey.

The guests included the salesmen: C. E. Bowman, of the Pennsylvania and Virginia districts; L. A. Michaels, of New York and Mass.; C. H. Cottrider, of Philadelphia, Reading, York, Lancaster and Camden, N. J.; O. F. Allen, of Ohio; P. E. Baisbaugh, of Pennsylvania, Virginia and Maryland; Isaac Combs, of the New England States; D. C. Bradbury, of Iowa and Illinois; L. W. Brady, of Florida and Georgia; J. R. Craighead, of New Mexico, Wyoming, Utah and Colorado; William Matteson, of Cleveland, Ohio; A. B. Hill, of Texas; Mr. Tannenbaum and Mr. Emmanuel, of Birmingham, Alabama; George F. Sheetz, of Detroit, Mich.; J. F. Steinar, of Atlanta, Ga.; L. W. Marks, of Washington, D. C. and Baltimore, and Mr. Fritman, of Indiana and Kentucky.

The stockholders present were: E. J. Stackpole, Jr., Edwin S. Herman, Jr., J. W. Bowman, H. H. Bowman, E. W. Moorhead, Harry Neale, Edwin S. Herman, Sr., W. Grant Rouch and Z. M. McNaughton.

The office officials in attendance were J. P. Jackson, L. A. Laach, Merl Sanders, H. Liddich, George W. Deikler, R. Zeigler, C. Zeigler, E. Jones, E. C. Opperman, C. E. Frey, C. Sanders, C. Devin, H. Green, B. Laucks, H. Fry, A. B. Flowers, C. H. Shultz, H. B. Lau, P. H. Bailey and the oldest office attaché of all, one affectionately known by the office force as "Dad"—William Croll.

Outside guests included Mr. Hemperly and Mr. Golster, former salesmen, Edmund Bartlett and George Wallazz.

Reorganized Triangle Club in Holiday Ball

Possibly the largest of the holiday dances was that of the reorganized Triangle Club held last evening in Winterdale with the Hall Banjo Orchestra of Wilkes-Barre furnishing the music.

Garlands of holly and pine, Christmas bells and wreaths and little electric shades brightened the ballroom, where some of the prettiest girls and young men danced with the handsome young gallants. Charles H. Barnes, J. Motter and J. Paul J. Towler comprised the committee. There were a sprinkling of the younger married folks to chaperone the party.

ANNOUNCE MARRIAGE

Mr. and Mrs. Frank G. Serrett announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Jane E. Serrett, to Howard E. Bertsfield, on Christmas morning at 10 o'clock at their home, 1956 Swatara street, with the Rev. D. W. Deavor, pastor of the Epworth M. E. Church, performing the ceremony. The bride's gown was of blue tulle, with corsage bouquet of Killarney roses and lilies of the valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Bertsfield will be "at home" to their friends at 1956 Swatara street.

BILLOW-REISCH WEDDING

Immediately following the Crowell-Stevens wedding this noon in the Christ Lutheran church, the pastor, the Rev. Thomas Reich, held the pleasure of performing the same ceremony for his niece, Miss Mary Reisch, of Millersburg, and Jacob Newman Bilow, of the same town. The bride wore a dark blue street suit with hat to harmonize. The young couple will live in Palmyra where Mr. Bilow is an attaché of a shoe factory.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Johnson, Miss Louise Johnson and Leland Johnson, of Bethlehem, are visiting old friends here for the holiday festivities.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wright and family have returned after spending the Christmas holidays at Elvira, O. Mrs. William Elder Bailey, Russell Alger Bailey and Miss Annette Bailey are home from Detroit, Mich., where they spent Christmas with Mrs. Bailey's mother, Mrs. Russell A. Alger.

Miss Lucia Barbour, of Washington, D. C., is visiting Miss Jean Bonner Chamberlin at 323 North Front street. The Misses Frances and Elizabeth Ross, of Philadelphia, are guests of their grandmother, Mrs. W. W. Jennings, 611 North Front street.

Miss Mary K. Bent, of Philadelphia, is visiting Mrs. George Douglas Ramsay, of Locust street.

Mr. and Mrs. George M. Nauss and George M. Nauss, Jr., of Altoona, are holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Christian Nauss, 419 North Second street.

MRS. BRATTON HOSTESS

Mrs. George Bratton, of 113 Locust street, was hostess at cards yesterday afternoon in honor of Miss Edith Garrett, of Overbrook, for whom many little social events have been given.

Invited to meet Miss Garrett were Mrs. Edward McColein, Mrs. Coates, Mrs. Harry G. Keffer, Mrs. Gould, Mrs. Charles H. Hunter, Mrs. Miller, of Chicago; Mrs. William P. Hampton, Mrs. Charles J. Wood, Jr., Mrs. Wallace, Mrs. Arthur Keown, Mrs. Welles, Mrs. Mary Belle Cromie, Mrs. Arthur Nelson and Miss Mary Hanlen.

NEW ENCLOSED CARS FOR HIRE

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Miller-Hassel Bridal Takes Place in Sharon

Harrisburgers are interested in a holiday wedding taking place in Sharon on Wednesday, because the young couple will be residents of this city.

Miss Besse Hassel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob C. Hassel, of Oakland avenue, Sharon, and Charles Warren Miller, of this city, were united in marriage in the study of the First Presbyterian Church with the pastor, the Rev. R. G. Ramsay performing the ceremony.

The bride who was unattended wore a handsome traveling costume of navy blue chiffon broadcloth with trimmings of gray fur, gray shoes and black picture hat crowned with Paradise plumes.

The immediate families attended a wedding breakfast at the bride's home, the young people leaving later for a brief wedding journey. They will be "at home" after January 1 at 1121 North Front street, this city. Mr. Miller is the new physical director for the Y. M. C. A., coming here from the Buhl Club of Sharon four months ago.

MOORE-WALLIS ENGAGEMENT

Mrs. John Mather Wallis, of 1007 North Front street, has announced her engagement to Thomas Paxton Moore, of Carlisle. Mrs. Wallis who was formerly Miss Alice Meredith, of Gloucester county, Virginia, is a sister of Philip T. Meredith, of this city. Mr. Moore is a member of one of the most prominent families of the Cumberland Valley and well known in Harrisburg.

PIKE-LEITER BRIDAL

The marriage of Miss Cora Louise Leiter, of Lucknow, and Charles Vernon Pike, of Cleveland, a former Harrisburg resident, took place this morning at the home of the bride's cousin, Mrs. Charles Mumma, Lucknow, with the Rev. J. G. Davis officiating. The bride wore a costly frock of white crepe meteor and a corsage bouquet of bride roses. They will make their home in Cleveland where Mr. Pike went four years ago and where he is making good as manager of a pretzel company.

Bond Dealings During Year \$1,158,209,000

New York, Dec. 30. — Dealings in bonds on the New York Stock Exchange during the year which closed yesterday totaled a par value of \$1,158,292,000, and set a new record. The total in 1915 was \$921,798,000. Total stock transactions for 1916 were 234,678,000 shares, compared with 173,589,000 in 1915. The year's dealings in stocks have been limited only on three previous occasions, in 1901, 1905 and 1906. The record was set in 1906 with 28,063,450 shares. There were seventy-six days during the year in which Stock Exchange trading exceeded 3,000,000 shares, and on December 21 transactions reached the high-water mark of over 3,000,000 shares.

CITY TO COLLECT ASHES; REDUCTION CO. TO PAY

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ection of garbage, ashes, miscellaneous refuse, etc., has frequently failed in the past and is at the present time failing to fully perform its contractual duties, particularly with respect to the collection of ashes, as required by contract, resulting in intolerable conditions throughout a large portion of the city. The contractor, in violation of stipulated notices, it has neglected and is still neglecting to alleviate.

On the Hill First In speaking on the ash collection problem Dr. Raunick pointed out that the city in the past has failed to fulfill its contract requirements and that the Board of Health has penalized the contractor for violations of his agreement.

Dr. Raunick said that while he doubted whether a suitable plan for making the collections could be worked out over Sunday, he said he would have some scheme ready within a few days at the latest. The Hill district will likely receive the first consideration, he added. The health officer also intimated that he may try to arrange with the contractor for the employment of some of the experienced men.

The present contract between the city and the Pennsylvania Reduction Company expires February 1, 1918.

Budget Finally Passed

Council finally passed the 1917 budget ordinance which provides for a total municipal expenditure of \$755,922.25. As had been expected the \$5,000 item for a municipal bathhouse and bathing beach was cut out and an item for a similar sum was placed in the water department estimates to pay for a new machine slip for the city machinery. The departmental appropriations were apportioned as follows: Executive, including police department, \$85,775; law, \$9,726.56; city clerk \$5,028.50; weights and measures, \$2,896; printing, \$5,600; accounts and finance, \$4,420; city controller, \$500; treasury, \$7,157; license taxes, \$3,510; miscellaneous, \$177,049.88; streets and public improvements, \$140,510.80; engineer's office, \$11,676; water and light, \$83,305; fire department, \$146,978; food inspection, \$2,740; building inspection, \$1,750; plumbing inspection \$1,820; city mechanic, \$1,200; street light telegraph, \$1,850; fire department, \$45,159.22; parks, \$42,476; city planning, \$2,616.

The Last Ordinances

Following the passage of the budget measure the tax levy ordinance authorizing a nine mill rate during the ensuing year was passed finally. Other measures cleared from the calendar on final passage were the Meats measures authorizing the appointment of five additional policemen, reducing the city solicitor's salary from \$3,500 to \$2,500; and crediting receipts from all sources, except sewage, garbage, street repair, etc., to the general fund. In connection with the city solicitor's salary measure Park Commissioner Cross said that he thought the salary as provided by the ordinance, \$2,500, would be acceptable to a well-known attorney who has been spoken of as the possible candidate to succeed D. S. Seitz. This, it is understood, is ex-Senator John E. Fox, of the law firm of Fox and Geyer.

Not To Insure With State

Council decided just before adjournment to insure city employees in the workmen's compensation liability in the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company instead of the State fund. Franklin Snydam, resident agent talked to Council on the subject in which he called attention to the fact that his firm, while charging a little higher rate offered more advantages.

City Commissioner Lynch offered a resolution authorizing the appropriation of about \$3,000 in balances of his bureau to the street repair fund but because the measure at Mr. Gorgas' suggestion lay over for a week, it becomes ineffective. All legislation on the councilmatic calendar for 1916 died to-day—the final measure of the year. In the new year an ordinance will be introduced to cover the same matter.

COMMUNITY CLUB FOR FOREIGN SECTION

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story of some of the conditions and needs was simply told and the plea made that something might be done to show by example to these boys and girls what real living, real interest and real love means. They know what the street and saloon produce, for they have daily examples of that.

The Melting Pot

"In this vicinity are found the Pole, the Russian, the Italian, Hungarian, Rumanian and others. They have come to this country as to the Land of Promise. They have brought with them many of the habits and customs of the mother country. What would you think, mothers of Harrisburg, if your daughters, when they reached the fourth grade, quit school to get married and assume the responsibilities of a home of their own. This is not mere supposition but actual fact. Two young foreign girls, Italians, were married within the last year or so from these grades. A young Rumanian girl who was in the third grade told her teacher that she was going to stop school. Her teacher told her she was too young to get a labor certificate to work in the home. The girl said she wasn't going to work she was going to get married. When the teacher asked her if her mother told her to do it, the child said, 'Oh, yes, my mother knew a ladies once that was thirty-five and had no man and she don't want me like that.'

How About Child Marriage Here

"Child marriage in Indiana and you hold up your hands in horror. How about child marriage in Harrisburg? We can show these children in our midst what it means to prepare for life in its truest sense. 'Fathers, what would you think if your boy in the third grade attended a christening and drank so much beer that he lost count at the twelfth glass and didn't know who helped him home, and that his little companion of the first grade was almost in as pitiable condition? Another custom brought from the mother country.

Many Families Under One Roof

"Several families live in one house and these girls and boys have no place to spend their evenings except in the family sleeps. 'The speaker spoke of visiting a home where a father and his four motherless children, the oldest 14, the youngest 3, lived in the front room downstairs, and the two other families who lived in the same house had to pass through this room to get to their rooms.

A German Cobbler Lived with his two children in one room. A curtain divided the room into two parts. The front part was used by the man for mending shoes, the back part contained the beds where they slept. The cooking was done on the stove that heated the room. Could any boy make a high type of citizen raised in such an environment as this?

No Place But the Street

"As the children grow older, where are they to look for amusement? Where are they to entertain their companions? There is no place for them now but the street. 'These girls and boys are bright and attractive. They are the future citizens of this, our city, the future associates of your sons and daughters. What are we going to do to make them the kind of citizens, the kind of men and women of whom we shall be justly proud?

"Our ancestors, only a few generations back were foreigners, unless we be direct descendants of the only true

American, the American Indian. The Work Started

An interest has been awakened in this matter and a committee of ladies with Mrs. Herman P. Miller as chairman held several meetings to discuss plans of work that these people might be shown the true spirit of brotherly love and of real living. 'Finally it was decided to make an opening for definite work by opening a room, or rooms for reading and recreation, where these boys and girls can spend their evenings and where they feel what the true companionship and the personal touch mean.

Committee Back of Move

A committee of representative men have been asked to serve as an advisory board and they stand ready to take up this great work, for the good of the future citizenship of a Greater Harrisburg. They are Prof. J. J. Brehm, chairman; Henry W. Gough, treasurer; S. P. Eby, David E. Tracy, Horace McFarland, John Mullowney, John Yates and Henry W. Claster. They are now ready to act with the ladies in establishing and carrying on this important work. 'The use of the house 121 Seventh street has been kindly given by Frank Sites for the present.

A Subcommittee with Miss Mary Robinson as chairlady are getting the house in order.

To Open Rooms

The organization is to be known as the Penn Community Club, and early in the new year it is hoped to have the Penn Community Club rooms for reading and games ready for the girls and boys of that community. It is hoped that young women and men of our city will stand ready to help carry on this work by giving of their talents and time to these, their small brothers and sisters.

Money, furniture, books and games will be much needed. Individual gifts to a small amount have been pledged for the opening of the work and any member of the committee will be glad to turn over to the treasurer any gift whatsoever for this great work which will surely tell for time and eternity. Any bread cast upon the waters in this work will be sure to return again, as the little boy said, with jam on it.

1,700 ENTRIES FOR MUMMER PARADE

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and his staff will review the parade from the west side of Market Square. For the first time since the mummies have had their annual parade the participants will have a chance to review the parade. The counter-march will be in State street.

Chief Marshal Walter L. Montgomery to-day issued the following orders: 'No drilling across street at any time. Must keep on the forward march and at intervals of sixty feet between organizations.

'Marching in less than column of fours prohibited and not more than six feet between each set of fours. 'Individual marchers will form themselves in column of fours under same rule.

'Any person intoxicated, unruly, boisterous or acting in a manner unbecoming a gentleman will be removed from the parade.

'All individuals, teams, clubs, organizations or floats must keep in their proper position and formation over the entire route or forfeit claim to any prize.

'No animals will be allowed in line of parade who are incapacitated for work.

The following orders must be obeyed by the marshals of the various divisions and their aids: Assistant marshals, division marshals and aids will report to the chief marshal at mummies' headquarters, 34 South Third street, promptly at 12 o'clock noon for instructions and will then go to the place of formation of their respective divisions and assist in forming the same. Each division marshal shall have his division formed by 12.50 sharp and report to chief of staff ready to move at 1 o'clock sharp. He will ride at an interval of fifty feet from the left of the division preceding him and will form his aids and entire division in column of fours. Marshals will see that there is no smoking in the ranks of aids.'

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Begins Next Wednesday Morning, January 3rd

Conditions of Choice

Alterations--

Owing to the great reductions made we shall be obliged to make a charge for any alterations — we prefer that you take your purchase and attend to your own alterations — as we shall be deluged with the demand for this clothing.

Sales Are to Be Final--

We cannot allow any suit or overcoat taken out on approval — neither will we charge any purchase or send same C. O. D. to any one.

We shall be busy making arrangements for this sale right up to Wednesday morning, January 3d, when the sale begins —

Meanwhile in order to equalize the crowds we will allow you to come in and make a selection — same will be held for you till Wednesday.

Store Will Be Closed All Day Monday--New Year's Day

A Clothing Sale without a parallel! A mammoth event — nearly \$30,000.00 stock of MEN'S SUITS MEN'S OVERCOATS MEN'S TROUSERS MEN'S FANCY VESTS MEN'S HOUSE COATS BOYS' SUITS BOYS' OVERCOATS MEN'S HATS ETC. to be sold — all to go at some price or other.

A Sale that will reach the limit of price-reduction — that must command your careful consideration — because it means real dollars to you.

The distribution of the extraordinarily large savings represented by the total of the reductions in this sale goes well into thousands of dollars.

Involved is high grade clothing for men and boys, including Kirschbaum and other well-known brands, presenting a remarkably effective combination of quality and faultless tailoring.

The range for selection is so broad you cannot go away dissatisfied — remember our entire stock goes without any restrictions or reservations.

It is a sale that will arouse intense enthusiasm because it is a real event — has the merchandise to offer: In other words it "delivers the goods."

All regular sizes with plenty of clothing for short men, tall men, slim men and stout men.

The opportunity of a lifetime is here for you men—and parents of boys.

Remember the Opening Date of the Sale---Wednesday, January 3rd Extra Experienced Salesmen and Tailors Wanted

FIGHT TO RETAIN FEES Former Treasurer of Snyder County, Pa., Will Contest Law Selmsgrove, Pa., Dec. 30. — Former Treasurer of Snyder county since 1891 will appeal to the Superior Court against the decision of Judge Johnson, wherein he awarded judgment in favor of Selmsgrove borough for more than \$500, representing the total of 5 per cent. commission deducted by the treasurer for handling the borough liquor license money.

The Legislature in 1891 enacted a law which Borough Solicitor Ulrich holds makes it illegal for county treasurers to retain fees for handling liquor license money.

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