

ANARCHISTS IN DIABOLIC PLOT TO MURDER AND LOOT IN NEW YORK

and had discussed with him, and others, the police assert, the details of the widespread plot. From Baldo the police learned that the anarchists planned to be developed in separate phases by groups of two and three men working together. Detectives were assigned to watch these groups and two men from central office were shadowing Carbone when he was arrested.

Execution of Plot Delayed According to Baldo, Abarno had planned to wreck the cathedral a week ago late in the afternoon, but had postponed execution of the idea, partly at Baldo's suggestion. To-day, when he left his room with Baldo, half a dozen detectives, some of them disguised as laborers and carrying dinner pails, trailed him to the church.

Where the Plot Was Hatched According to the police, the plot was centralized in the group of anarchists known as the Bresci group, so named because of the admiration which its members expressed for Gaetano Bresci, the man who killed King Humbert in Italy in 1900. At the time of this assassination it was reported that a group of anarchists in New York and Paterson, N. J., shared the plot.

An unusual development of the case upon which Police Commissioner Woods said he did not care to comment for the present was the detention at police headquarters of Frank Baldo, the detective through whom headquarters had learned of the gang's alleged activities. Baldo was placed under arrest—technical arrest, it was assumed. Baldo is the assumed name for the detective. His real name, Mr. Woods says, is Emilio Polignani.

It was announced at police headquarters this afternoon that Abarno had made a confession in which he admitted the existence of a plan to begin a reign of terror in this city which would include the assassination of Andrew Carnegie, John D. Rockefeller, Cornelius Vanderbilt and other wealthy men.

15 GIRLS LED FROM BLAZE BY BLUECOAT

ograph studio, operated by W. W. Weeks, in the same building. An alarm was sent in from box 112, Second and Market streets, and the fire engines rattled through the crowds in the shopping district. A chemical stream from the Washington engine, however, stopped the blaze before it could grow to large proportions. The loss did not exceed \$25.

The building is owned by J. L. Shearer, who operates a men's furnishings store in the ground floor and basement at 204 Market street and a shirt factory on the fourth floor of the building. Adjoining at 206 Market street is the jewelry store of George N. Springer.

Fearing that the fire might become serious and that the crowds would press too close to the valuables, detectives were stationed in the jewelry store. The alarm from the heart of the business district attracted hundreds of persons and the police reserves were summoned to keep the crowds from hampering the firemen.

Not enough chemical stream was used to do any damage to the goods in the stores beneath the blaze. Electric wires run near the place where the fire originated and it is thought a short circuit was responsible for the blaze.

MISS BOYD IN A RECITAL

Program Will Be Given at Immanuel Church on Thursday Night The following program will be given at 8 o'clock on Thursday evening at Immanuel Presbyterian church by Lucretia Irvine Boyd assisted by friends for the benefit of the Sunday school class taught by Mrs. A. M. Boyson:

Piano solo, (a) "Pastorale Varie," Mozart; (b) "Impromptu," Schubert; Lucretia Irvine Boyd; violin solo, "Souvenir," E. Drla, William Theobald Meyer; piano solo, "Gems of Scotland," Rive King, Lucretia Irvine Boyd; reading, "Village Dreaming," Miss Schilling; piano solo, "Natura," Chopin, Lucretia Irvine Boyd; vocal solo, "My Heart Ever Faithful," Bach, Mrs. William Bumbaugh; piano solo, "Chic-Pi-Pi-Ni-Ni" (Cuban Dance), R. Hoffman, Lucretia Irvine Boyd; violin solo, "Leibstrend," Fritz Kreisler, William Theodore Meyers; monolog, "My Little Sweetheart," Miss Schilling; piano solo, recited, Professor E. J. Deceve; vocal solo, "Bid Me Discourse," Bishop, Mrs. William Bumbaugh; piano duet, "William Tell," Rossini, Lucretia Irvine Boyd and Professor E. J. Deceve.

W. U. HENSEL FUNERAL TO-DAY

Governor Brumbaugh, Ex-Governors and Other Notables Attend Obsequies By Associated Press, Lancaster, Pa., March 2.—The funeral of Ex-Attorney General William Uler Hensel took place this afternoon from the First Presbyterian church here, the service being conducted by the Rev. Mr. MacGowan. Prior to that services were held for the family only at Mr. Hensel's late residence.

At the request of the deceased, there were no flowers or honorary pallbearers, the carriers being associates of Mr. Hensel in his office. Many prominent men from all over the State were in attendance, including Governor Brumbaugh and his Cabinet, Ex-Justice Bell, Justice Stewart and Ex-Governors Stuart and Tener. The local bar association attended in a body. Interment was private.

T PAYS TO USE STAR-INDEPENDENT WANT ADS.

RELIEF COMMITTEE WILL HAVE OPEN HOUSE FRIDAY

Supplies Made at Headquarters Will Be Exhibited There, Together With Paintings Contributed by Irving Girls

Division chiefs and volunteer workers are busy to-day making ready for the "open house" to be held at 7 South Front street, on Friday, by the Home and War Relief Committee. Unique decorations composed of the supplies made there are planned and a big force of women will be on hand to see that visitors are properly taken care of. Tea will be served to all visitors. Everyone is welcome.

Women students from Irving College have contributed some fine water color paintings and drawings, which will be used for decorative purposes. Various finished materials produced by the paid and volunteer workers will also be served throughout the day.

Men and Women alike are welcome not only on Friday but any other day. The public is urged to visit and inspect the house, which is open from 10 to 12 and from 2 until 5. Guides will be on hand to conduct visitors over the place. A big box of clothing was received from the Globe clothing house and many neatly families were made glad with its contents. Sweaters, caps, boys' suits, underwear, reefers and overcoats, not to forget mittens, were included in the box. Shoes from the Harrisburg Boot and Shoe factory were received and given out by the ladies of the Home Relief division.

Letters containing two tickets to the recital of Mrs. Roy Cox and Miss Sara Lerner were sent out yesterday. Some contained notice that three tickets were sent, which was an error, since only two were enclosed in each.

LATE WAR NEWS SUMMARY

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several points near the Prussian border have failed. Washington is considering to-day what step shall be taken by this country following the announcement by the British and French governments that they would attempt to cut off trade and from Germany. Great Britain's reply to the American proposals respecting this general situation, however, is yet to be received. Germany has accepted the proposals in the main, in a reply which probably will be made public in Berlin in a day or two.

The attack of the Anglo-French fleet on the Dardanelles has been interrupted by unfavorable weather but a dispatch from Athens states that before the operations were suspended the two Turkish forts at the narrowest part of the straits had been silenced. It is stated that the Turkish army massed on the peninsula for defense of Constantinople consists of 100,000 men.

In Poland the Russians are on the offensive along the entire front. In the most important operations around Przasnysz the Germans are said to have been defeated decisively and forced back across the border.

Of the land operations the most important at present under way are along the East Prussian frontier, in Northern Poland, and in Champagne, on the western front. Concerning the latter engagement French and German reports disagree sharply. Berlin states that the allies have been driven back while Paris claims that the French have repulsed strong German counter attacks and gained more ground.

Grey Keeps Note a Secret London, March 2, 2.30 P. M.—Sir Edward Grey, the British Foreign Secretary, declined to-day to make public the full correspondence which passed recently between Great Britain and the United States including the text of the American note concerning the German naval war zone.

A "Magnificent Response" London, March 2, 5.53 P. M.—Earl Kitchener's call on Oxford and Cambridge Universities for recruits has met with Premier Asquith in the House of Commons to-day, termed a "magnificent response."

28 CASES FOR SUPERIOR COURT They Will Be Argued at Session Opening Here Next Monday Eighteen of the twenty-seven cases listed for argument in the April term of Superior Court to be held in this city beginning next Monday afternoon at 1 o'clock, are appeals taken from county court decisions since last October. Eight cases were held over from the October term.

Of the half dozen appeals from the decisions of the Dauphin county judges, one involves an action for divorce and three are for taxes. The case of Athens George, proprietor of the Victoria Theatre, Market street, this city, who was fined for refusing to accommodate colored patrons in all parts of his motion picture theatre, is slated to be argued.

Other cases appealed from the Dauphin courts include these: Adams Express Company vs. City of Harrisburg; Corman vs. Central Pennsylvania Traction Company; State vs. Tradesmen's Trust Company; two cases; Jacob vs. Louise Snyder, divorce.

MORE MONEY HANDLED Bank Clearances in City Increase Over Same Time Last Year An increase of \$759,165.66 is shown in Harrisburg bank clearances during last month over the same month last year, according to a report issued yesterday by Al. K. Thomas, secretary of the Harrisburg Clearance House Association. The sum of \$5,948,325.23 was handled by city banks last month compared with \$5,199,159.57 in February, 1914.

Auto Accident Fatal to Woman By Associated Press, Norristown, Pa., March 2.—Mrs. Elizabeth Urner, who was injured in an automobile accident on the night of February 18, died to-day. The car in which she was riding was struck by a passenger train at a grade crossing in North Wales.

Wilson Abandons Extra Session Plans By Associated Press, Washington, March 2.—President Wilson stated definitely to-day that he has abandoned plans for an extra session of the Senate immediately after Brumbaugh and his Cabinet, Ex-Justice Bell, Justice Stewart and Ex-Governors Stuart and Tener. The local bar association attended in a body. Interment was private.

Motor Club Governors to Meet A meeting of the Board of Governors of the Harrisburg Motor Club will be held at the headquarters of the club in the "Patriot" building this evening at 8 o'clock.

Men of Redeemer to Meet The men of the Redeemer Lutheran church will meet at the church at 8 o'clock this evening to perfect plans for the every member canvass of the congregation which has been proposed by the pastor, the Rev. E. Victor Roland. The object of the every member visitations is to increase church efficiency.

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COURT HOUSE WANT JUDGMENT REVERSED

Court Will Hear Arguments on Appeals in Civil Cases Arguments on the defendants' motions for an arrest of judgment, filed to-day in the cases of Mabel and Harvey Lerch against the Hershey Transit Company and that of Paul Snyder against the Hershey Chocolate Company, will be heard by the Dauphin county court on March 23.

Lerch and his wife jointly were awarded \$2,850 or \$300 more than was allowed by a jury at the first trial, while the verdict in the Snyder case was \$144.25.

To Repair Fire Engine At the meeting of the City Commissioners this afternoon M. Harvey Taylor introduced an ordinance carrying an appropriation to repair the damaged Friendship fire engine. Harry F. Bowman proposed in a bill to lay a water main in Agate street, from Mahantongo to Schuylkill.

Rudy to Be Engineer Charles L. Boyer, one of the Directors of the Poor, this morning announced that a successor to the late John W. Duttonhoffer, who formerly was engineer at the almshouse stone crusher, will not be appointed for the present. Joseph Rudy, who had been Duttonhoffer's assistant, it is understood, will be in charge of the crusher.

Election Officer Named Judge McCarrell this morning appointed Richard Rutherford minority election inspector of the South precinct, Susquehanna township, to succeed Arthur H. Capp, who removed from the district.

Wills Probated To-day The will of Mary A. Stroek, late of this city, was probated this morning and letters testamentary were issued to Jacob B. Martin, of Steelton. On the estate of W. F. Entekren, late of Harrisburg, letters were granted to Mary A. Entekren, letters of administration on the estate of Daniel G. Gottschall, late of Swatara township, were granted to Harvey C. Gottschall.

Charter Is Recorded The charter granted by Governor Brumbaugh to the Ryan Shoe Company, of Millersburg, this morning was filed at the office of the Recorder.

Appeal for Members Letters announcing the formation of the Harrisburg Councilmanic Association and soliciting candidates for membership in the new organization to-day were sent out by Ross R. Seaman, the secretary, to well on to 200 former Harrisburg Councilmen. The letters are printed on a letterhead, the type of which had been in use in the '50s. It contains a wood-cut print of the city as it appeared before the war.

Judge at Hensel Funeral Judge Kunkel and several members of the bar this afternoon went to Lancaster to attend the funeral services over the remains of the late W. U. Hensel, lawyer and former Attorney General.

Insurance Suit Heard Additional testimony in the suit of John H. Palm against the National Ben Franklin Fire Insurance Company, an action to recover an insurance claim, was heard by a jury in Judge McCarrell's court to-day. It was expected that a decision would be rendered late this afternoon.

City Auto Repainted The city highway auto again was put in service to-day after having been renovated and repainted.

Marriage Licenses William O. Sheetz and Ruth R. Stokes, Steelton. George Kunt and Flora Dnoka, Harrisburg.

ORDERS PASSPORT PROBE President Says Grand Jury Must Indict Before U. S. Acts By Associated Press, Washington, March 2.—President Wilson revealed to-day that he had directed the present New York Grand Jury investigation into the alleged passport frauds. It was indicated, however, that unless indictments were returned the United States could not take notice officially of charges made against diplomatic officers or embassy attaches.

The name of Captain Boy-Ed, naval attaché of the German embassy, has been brought prominently into one case. Technical High school auditorium the evening of March 10 and the proceeds will be turned over to the fund that provides financial help for the members, and the widows and orphans of members, who need quick aid.

To Consider Finishing New Building The Harrisburg School Board, at a special meeting yesterday afternoon, received a proposal that the sub-contractors on the new school building at Seventeenth and Catherine streets complete the building, the contract for which has been thrown up by John W. Emory, a Philadelphia contractor. The board will consider it at the next regular meeting.

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CAPITOL HILL INVITE TO SHIP LAUNCHING

Legislators Will Be Asked to Attend Ceremonies When Warship Pennsylvania Leaves Ways

The Legislature will receive an invitation to attend the launching of the battleship Pennsylvania at the Norfolk, Va., yards on March 16, and, it is understood, will appoint a committee of ten Senators and ten members of the House to accompany Governor Brumbaugh and his Cabinet to the ceremonies.

It is also possible that both Senate and House will attend in a body if arrangements can be made. The last time the entire body attended a launching was that of the St. Paul at Cramp's shipyard in Philadelphia in 1899.

Checking the Disease A State Live Stock Sanitary bulletin just issued announces that Lancaster, Lebanon and York counties are still under quarantine for the foot and mouth disease as are also Lower Allen, Monroe, Silver Spring and Upper Allen in Cumberland county; Conewago, Derry, East Hanover, South Hanover, West Hanover, Londonderry, Milford, Lower Paxton, Upper Paxton, Swatara, Lower Swatara and Washington in Dauphin county.

A quarantine has been declared against New Jersey, which state seems to be lax in enforcing the law as to prevent the spread of the disease, and it is announced that no live stock originating in any Federal "closed," "excised" or "modified" quarantined area of any state will be permitted to enter Pennsylvania for any purpose.

Delay Report on Local Option The Law and Order Committee of the House will not report the local option bill until the middle of March in deference to Governor Brumbaugh's wishes. It was intended to take action on the bill this afternoon but it was deferred and nothing was done.

Senator McConnell Ill Senator McConnell, of Northumberland, has been seriously ill at Atlantic City, where he is prostrated last week with tonsillitis. It is expected that he will be able to be removed to his home to-morrow.

Requestion for Pardon Governor Brumbaugh to-day issued a requestion on the Governor of New York for the return to Philadelphia of Carmine Torio, who is charged with murder. Torio is under arrest in New York City.

Applications for Pardons Applications have been received by the Board of Pardons for the pardon of Carl Wagner and C. E. Schultz, who were convicted in York of arson. Wagner was sent to the Huntingdon reformatory and Schultz was sent to the Eastern penitentiary for ten years. William Feldman, serving five years from Philadelphia for aggravated assault and battery, has also applied for a pardon.

FOUND DEAD ON TRACKS Unidentified Man Picked Up Early This Morning

An unidentified man was picked up early this morning by a shifting crew on the Philadelphia & Reading tracks at Nineteenth street. The man had suffered from a fractured skull at the base of the brain, and although the accident was not reported by any crew, officials believe the man was struck by a train without the engineer knowing it.

In the clothing of the man was found a small testament with the name of R. B. Harwick, Zion Hill, Bucks county. Coroner Eckinger was in hopes this would identify the man, but so far no word was received from that place.

KNIGHTS PLAN A CONCERT Pythians Will Give an Entertainment for "Quick Relief" Fund

Plans for the proposed benefit concert for the "quick relief" fund of John Harris Lodge, Knights of Pythias, were discussed last night at a meeting of the committee of arrangements, following the regular session of the lodge in Union Square. The sale of the tickets has been rapid.

The committee, consisting of Harry A. Beyer, chairman; Harry D. Reel, Charles F. Erb, Joseph H. Benfer, Charles B. Langletz and C. B. Corman, has arranged to bring a woman's orchestra and musical specialty to the Technical High school auditorium the evening of March 10 and the proceeds will be turned over to the fund that provides financial help for the members, and the widows and orphans of members, who need quick aid.

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FINANCE NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS.

Furnished by H. W. Shavely, Broker, Arcade Building, Walnut and Court Streets New York, March 2.

Table with columns: Name, Open, Close. Includes Alaska Gold Mines, Amer Copper, Amer Beet Sugar, etc.

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Table with columns: Name, Open, Close. Includes Chicago Board of Trade Closing, Wheat—May, 132 1/2, July, 116 1/2, etc.

TROLLEY RECEIPTS UP; PROFITS DOWN

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surplus remaining of \$21,615, so that the company went beyond 1914's net income to meet dividend requirements. Net Earnings \$221,329 The net earnings were \$221,329.89, a decrease of \$49,449.89, or 18.2 per cent.

Extensive improvements made during the year, including the purchase of new cars, remodeling of others and the building of new lines in this city, Steelton and Middletown.

The structures, power plant and equipment of both the companies and the leased lines are being maintained at a high standard of efficiency, the report says. There was expended for maintenance during the year the sum of \$100,499.39, an increase of \$19,626.53.

Ten new "pay-as-you-enter" cars were bought during the year and thirteen old cars were equipped with the "pay-within" feature, so that of the company's 131 cars now in the service 67 are of the modern type.

Some of the Expenditures The cost of operating during 1914 was \$456,623.73 or an increase of \$42,668.37. Other expenditures include these: depreciation, \$93,425; increase, \$14,004.84; taxes, \$65,000; increase, \$832.14; rentals on leased lines, \$157,550; decrease, \$6,000; interest on bonds, \$159,665; increase, \$5,016. Income from investments was \$33,628, an increase of \$13,438.

During the year six dilapidated cars were destroyed and two cars were sold. An official of the company this morning declared that the stockholders, who at the meeting to-day represented 81,000 of the 102,000 shares of capital stock, made no reference whatever to the announced plan of the Jitney Transportation company to operate in competition. He added that if that matter is considered by the company it may be taken up at the meeting of the directors which will be held on Thursday morning at 11 o'clock. They also will deal with such questions as new equipment, line extension and other improvements, he said.

Vote on Ship Bill at 4.30 Washington, March 2.—When the administration ship bill was brought into the House again to-day Republican leader Mann at once blocked all proceedings except a filibuster, and the prospect of it was the Republicans and Democrats agreed to vote on it at 4.30 o'clock this afternoon and take up other business in the meantime.

Conferees Agree on Navy Bill Washington, March 2.—Conferees on the navy bill agreed on two battleships, two submarines of ocean-going type, sixteen coast defense submarines, six more torpedo boat destroyers and one oil fuel ship. The Senate amendment appropriation of \$1,000,000 toward construction of an armor plate factory was stricken out.

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OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

FASCINATING SPRING MODES Boleros and Short Skirts Combine in Jaunty Costumes—Turkish Trousers or Skirts

New York, March 2. With the first breath of Spring weather, costumes begin to take on spring-like colorings. Hats in gray colors or trimmed with bright flowers and feathers announce to the world that Spring has returned, even when the suit or dress remains of the somber colors of winter.

Covert cloth has been the novelty in winter suits and is very popular in the spring, for it is light in color and combines with many things. A new cloth called buck-skin covert is the newest of this type.

A few days ago I received announcements from a Fifth Avenue dress-making establishment, of a private view of their newest models. From the general salesroom I was guided into a gray and gold elevator and from there to an artistic room also in gray and white and gold. The simplest of small stages occupied one side of the room. A few chairs were placed carelessly around the room, and we made ourselves comfortable for the review.

Another little dress which sported a short bolero jacket and chiffon blouse having deep bell sleeves of the chiffon, had a skirt which showed a new evolution of the tunic skirt. The skirt was of blue chiffon taffeta with two box-pleatings around the bottom. The skirt was the full length in the back, but the front was the depth of the two box-pleated ruffles shorter, and beneath were two box-pleated frills of white chiffon. The effect was stunning.

Contrast is a strong note in the color combinations of the season. Many dark jackets were shown with white or light colored skirts. Wide leather belts were used on some of the dresses. One white serge dress had a red patent leather belt which was very effective indeed.

A white chiffon afternoon dress showed the raglan sleeves with surplice fronts of flat lace and a loose panel of the flat lace in the back. The unusual skirt was made of chiffon with three graduated bands of shirred silk applied. Each band was shirred upon a cord top and bottom which gave the band a very pretty finish.

A mode which is having quite a vogue and is both graceful and effective has been inspired by the Turkish trousers. This dress, however, is not a trouser skirt, far be it! There is a foundation skirt made shorter than the outside skirt and the lower edge of the outside skirt is gathered and caught to the lower edge of the underskirt and the skirt itself is bloused, if that term can be used, all around the bottom. The dress which I saw having a skirt like this had a very wide belt with large round disks on moons embroidered on it in red and silver and gold.



A Smart New Coat on Empire Lines Boleros were the most striking features shown. Short little bolero, sleeveless jackets, some cut square and straight around, others scalloped or slashed. These were worn over full blouses which bloused a trifle over the belt or girde instead of being pulled straight down. Most of these were long-sleeved, while others had the bell sleeves, three-quarter or half-length, wide and unbound to the lower edge.

The skirts were full and short, most of them being built on peasant lines, with full apron-like overskirts front and back, divided on the sides and showing a plain or ruffled underskirt beneath.

Another noticeable feature in these dresses was the fact that they were all made with a normal waistline, an interesting fact when one thinks of all the long-waisted and Empire lines which are shown as forerunners of Spring and Summer fashions. It is a fact that the frocks made on Empire lines are decidedly for the girlish figure while the round-waisted frocks suit all styles of figure more or less.

Another type of costume shown here was taken from the 15th Century French costumes. The waist was in doublet effect, slashed several times front and back through which the creamy white chiffon blouse peeped. A short pleated peplum finished the lower edge of the waist. This was worn over a full skirt with a pleated ruffle on the bottom. An interesting thing to remember is that these pleated ruffles which are used on the bottom of so many skirts are pressed flat and put on the lower edge without a heading of any kind.

In these dresses the long tunic was shown in many different styles. Sometimes with a pleated lower skirt showing just below, and again with an underskirt of filmy lace.

One of these frocks I will describe in detail. The skirt had a long blue tunic striped with a thread of yellow and crossed with a satin stripe. This was slashed up about eight inches and faced upon the upper side with plain

THE NEW BASQUE EFFECT THE FEATURE OF THIS COSTUME A coat and a dress showing the long and the short-waisted effects are shown in the illustrations. The coat in diagonal blue serge, with full skirt and belt with pockets upon each side is a late and practical model for the Spring coat. In the illustration the coat is worn with a sand-colored skirt.

In plain and moire taffeta is the dress illustrated made in the latest basque effect. The bodice is given the long-waisted appearance by a panel front which is cut in one with a wide crushed girde. This fits around the waist and hips rather closely combining very well with the full flaring skirt.

On many of these dresses where a little color is needed to give the proper note for contrast a corsage bouquet was used. There are many different kinds of these flowers, those made from velvet or silk or chiffon and those made of ribbon. The newest ones show a picot edging and are often made of picot-edged ribbon. The trimming on some of the early spring hats is very simple, often being but a strip of narrow ribbon, usually grosgrain, with a strand of beads, in dull white, blue or other dull color which will form a pleasing contrast placed just above it.

New handkerchiefs are showing narrow-colored frills around their edge of pink or blue or violet. The very sheerest of linen is used for those handkerchiefs and the result is fluffy and dainty.

MEN ENTERTAIN YOUNGSTERS Three Hundred Boys Attend Feed at Stevens Memorial Church The Men's Club of the Stevens Memorial Methodist church gave a reception last night to three hundred boys of the Sunday school. It was without doubt the largest social affair of its kind ever held in the church.

As early as 6 o'clock the boys began to arrive and from then until 7.30 they came in large numbers. A hot baked bean dinner with ice cream and cake was served to the boys. A program of good music and entertainment made the evening a very pleasant one for the crowd. On leaving the church at the close of all the doings each boy was given a big red apple as a souvenir.

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