

Eleventh Annual Victory Banquet  
of the  
**Men's Club**



OUR FLAG

of the

**Bergen Reformed Church**

Jersey City, N. J.

Thursday Evening, January 30th, 1919

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## Our Guests

Hon. WILLIS FLETCHER JOHNSON, L.H.D.  
"America Among the Nations"  
New York Tribune, N. Y.

Lieutenant-General NELSON A. MILES  
U. S. A. (Retired)

Rev. WILLARD P. SOPER  
Pastor Bergen Reformed Church, Jersey City, N. J.

Alfred

F. J. Stewart  
Herbert Scott  
Nelson H. Miles  
V. Russell Coombs  
Willard P. Soper  
Jm. Geo. Nelson  
Wm. J. Sabell, P.E.?  
Willis F. Johnson  
Wm. A. Alberts  
Lt. Casser  
Marshall Van Winkle

## Invocation

Rev. ABRAM DURYEE

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## Letter from Dr. Brett

The committee takes great pleasure in publishing the following from our beloved Pastor Emeritus Rev. Cornelius Brett:

"To the members of the Men's Club of Bergen Reformed Church and their guests: GREETINGS.

"I heartily thank the chairman of your dinner committee for giving me the opportunity of sending you a message. Among the events that I looked forward to from year to year, this Men's Club Dinner has always held a prominent place. I welcome you to your places at the feast. The verse which comes into my mind as appropriate for the occasion is the welcome which our dear Lord offers to his children in all their joys: 'He brought me to his banqueting house and his banner over me was love.'

"I am glad to know that the keynote of this gathering will be Victory. During the stormy days of war, when so many of our dearly beloved boys left us to take their places in the trenches it was my privilege to work and pray for the coming of peace. Now that peace with victory has already dawned, our hearts are full of gratitude to the God of Battles: 'not unto us, but unto Thy name, Oh Lord, be the glory of national achievement.'

"My message is: Have the glad hand ready to welcome our noble boys as they return to their homes. Listen with enthusiasm to their stories of battles which they helped to win; lead them in the new service which reconstruction involves. May the old church be stronger than ever by the alignment of its soldiers and sailors in the campaign for righteousness. Let your motto be 'Ye that are men, now serve Him.'

"I shall always be glad to hear of the continued prosperity of our club and trust that you will enjoy the banquet of 1919 as you have enjoyed all preceding gatherings. Although absent I will be with you in spirit. I conclude with little Tim's prayer,

'God bless us, every one.'

## Dur Genu

Oysters au Scott

Bouillon Brett

Olives

Celery

Pickles

Nelson Rolls

Roast Vermont Turkey a la Stewart

Cranberry Sauce

Petit Pois

Pomme de terre

Tarte Glacé Soper

Café

Cigars and Cigarettes

Mineral Water

Jersey City, N. J.,.....193....

I hereby apply for membership in

**The Men's Club of the Bergen Reformed Church of Jersey City**

Enclosed find Two (2) Dollars for dues for the ensuing year.

Name.....

Proposed by.....Address.....

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## Men's Club of the Bergen Reformed Church

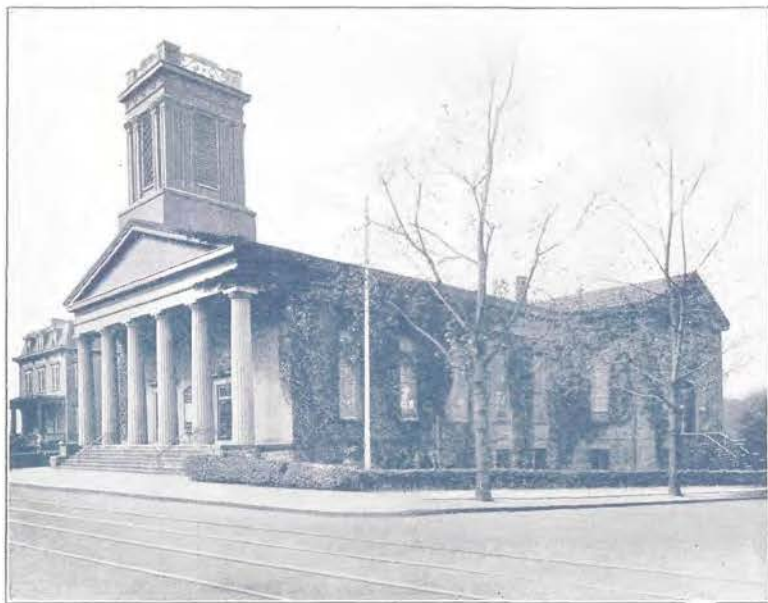


AN organization of men, irrespective of church affiliations, to promote fellowship, to offer a free platform for discussion of timely topics and to serve the community in any way found practicable.

Meetings are held the third Monday Evening of October, December, January, March and May.

Dues are two dollars a year, and all men are welcome. If you desire to join the Club, sign this card and hand it to any member.

## Our Church and Pastors



Rev. WILLARD P. SOPER, Pastor  
Rev. CORNELIUS BRETT, Pastor Emeritus

Dinner prepared and served by the Ladies  
of the Bergen Reformed Church

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Music by Hough's Orchestra

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Mr. Frank G. Smith, Soloist

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Cigars, Cigarettes and Table Water donated by  
Mr. Thos. J. Stewart

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Souvenirs donated by Mr. Jere. Vanderbeck

