

HOLIDAY MARRIAGES.

Miss Addie Haven Davis Becomes Mrs. George A. Simpson.

CHRISTMAS CUPID'S HARVEST TIME

A Long List of Licenses Granted by the Court Yesterday.

DOINGS OF THE CITY'S SOCIETY PEOPLE

Assistant City Controller John J. Davis last evening at 5 o'clock delivered his second daughter, Miss Addie Haven Davis, into the keeping of Mr. George Alexander Simpson, late of Yedburg, England.

The beauty of the spacious parlors was greatly enhanced by the fine decorations of plants and choice flowers, with an abundance of holly, that gave a Christmas effect in common with the season.

Among the visitors from other cities were Mr. George Hawks, wife and daughter, of Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. Norton, of New York; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Stanley, of Philadelphia.

SOMMERSVILLE-RAMSEY.

An Interesting Home Wedding at Osborn

Miss Nina Ramsey, of Osborn station, at 6 o'clock last evening was made the bride of Mr. Bond V. Sommersville, of Sewickley, the assistant engineer of the Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne and Chicago Railway.

An additional bit of interest, beside the usual amount that always imbues the marriage of a pretty girl to a popular young man, was based upon the fact that the bride's sister, Miss Edie, who for the occasion, looked scarcely less lovely than the bride, will herself on New Year's Day be led to the altar by Mr. Will Arrott, of Osborn, who apparently was mentally present at the whole proceedings for future reference.

WEDDED AT WASHINGTON.

A Pittsburg Gentleman Weds That Little Town of an Oranston.

Many Pittsburgers were present at the Spear-Wilson wedding, in Washington, Pa., last evening, as well as all of the ultra of that little city, and numerous distinguished guests from abroad.

CUPID'S HARVEST TIME

Thirty-Eight New Homes to be Started—Yesterday's License Record.

Cupid's harvest time is his harvest time, and that the crop is the number of the parsoning this season is evidenced by the fact that 38 love lorn swains took permits yesterday to serve themselves from the parent tree and start a little tree of their own.

A QUIET HOME WEDDING.

Culmination of the Engagement of Mr. C. Reisinger and Miss Beringer.

A home wedding last evening united Miss Clara Beringer, daughter of Mr. C. Beringer, the real estate dealer of Fourth avenue, and Mr. Charles Reisinger, of Sewickley.

CURRY INSTITUTE RECEPTION.

The Annual Christmas Entertainment a Modest Little Affair.

A reception, somewhat more modest in its pretensions than previous ones given at holiday times at Curry University, was enjoyed last evening by the pupils of the various departments of the institute.

Talented Young Musicians.

Misses Carrie and Daisy Cooney, of Moundsville, W. Va., are spending the holidays in a visit to A. C. Herron and Robert Caruthers, of Herron Hill, this city.

MANY DEATHS FROM DIPHTHERIA.

A Virulent Epidemic Still Prevailing at St. Johns.

SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. HALIFAX, N. S., Dec. 23.—The grand jury, in a presentment, says that notwithstanding the powers given to the Board of Health for its suppression, diphtheria still prevails at St. Johns in its most virulent form.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S PLEASURES.

The Misses Ella and Mary Clarke Entertain Their Friends.

Misses Ella and Mary Clarke entertained their young friends with a very merry hop and were ideal hostesses. A large number of young people were present in response to invitations issued, and the affair was one of great enjoyment.

A WILKINSBURG ENTERTAINMENT.

Given by the Catholic Mutual Beneficial Association of St. James' Church.

A large number of tickets have been sold for the entertainment to be given in Wilkinsburg Academy Hall next Tuesday evening by the members of the Catholic Mutual Beneficial Association of St. James' Church.

The Princeton Concert.

The Princeton Glee and Banjo and Mandolin Clubs will give a concert in Carnegie Hall Tuesday 8 to 9 o'clock. This is always one of the most enjoyable of the year's musical events, and the clubs are said to be in better shape this year as far as their performance is concerned than ever before.

Social Chatter.

The big subscription dances this evening. Mrs. D. A. Nelson, of Beaver, gave a large reception last evening.

THE DONATIONS TO ALLEGHENY HOSPITAL

have reached the sum of \$255 cash and \$500 worth of groceries.

ENOCH M. E. SUNDAY SCHOOL

had their annual candy treat in the church audience rooms tonight.

THE TUESDAY NIGHT CLUB

gave "Our Boys" last evening in the Pittsburg Club Theater, before an audience of culture and refinement.

THE AMERICAN SOCIETY OF COMPOSERS

of General Marion Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., will hold their annual reception in the Falace Bank Christmas afternoon next evening.

THE SECOND ANNUAL RECEPTION OF THE FIRST REGIMENT, U. S. A. M.

will be held in the Grand Central Bank on Thursday evening, February 25. They will have their own orchestra of 15 pieces.

Holding Many Offices.

The point has been raised in Allegheny as to what a single Bachelor can hold so many positions. He is now Health Inspector, School Director in the Seventh ward and Poor Director of the same ward. The matter is to be investigated.

J. C. DEIBRICK, of the East Liverpool Crisis, was in the city last evening.

This paper has been making some wonderful strides of late in Ohio journalism.

Ladies' Fine Coats and Wraps.

Seal plush mantles, \$16, \$18, \$20. Seal plush coats, \$16, \$20, \$25. Braided cloak mantles, \$12 to \$25. Embroidered plush mantles, \$20 to \$70. High grade Alaska capes. High grade Alaska seal coats. All the above are revised prices to force a rapid reduction of stock.

DIAMOND & EASTON.

MILDERNESS, purity and strength are the qualities of our "Mountain Dew" rye. For family or medicinal use it stands unequalled. Full quart bottles \$1.00. Cases containing one dozen bottles \$10. Order by mail or telephone promptly attended to.

Tens of Thousands of Ladies

will patronize Kaufmann's spacious basement today, where no end of pretty novelties in china, crockery, lamp and glassware are displayed at matchless low prices.

Store Closed To-Morrow.

Make your final Xmas purchases today. Plenty of goods. Open this evening until 9:30. JOS. HORNE & CO.'S Penn Avenue Stores.

Diamonds, 20 Per Cent Less

That regular, to close out holiday goods. Watches, clocks, jewelry, silverware, tableware, etc., reduced in price. You can save money at J. McKee's, Jeweler, 418 Smithfield street, "The Big Clock," below Diamond street. Open every evening, and until 2 P. M. Christmas.

WHAT shall it be? For a substantial Christmas gift see Arthur Schindler & Co.'s stock of plush slacks, jackets, umbrellas, fancy sets, etc., 68 and 70 Ohio street, Allegheny.

\$500 Reward

For any trace of antipyrine, morphine, chloral or any other injurious compound in Krause's Headache Capsules. EOD

KAUFMANN'S will be open till 11 o'clock to-night, and closed to-morrow, all day.

EDWARDSON com'rts, pillows, chair rests, etc., covered with fine satines and wash silks in beautiful colorings at very reasonable prices. What more suitable for holiday presents? BIRN & EASTON.

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GENTS' Mackintoshes for presents. SMILEY & CO., 28 Fifth Avenue.

From Father to Son

Through generation after generation, the taint of scrofula descends through the blood, brightening life and hastening death. The great majority of cases of scrofula and other blood diseases are hereditary, and therefore difficult to cure. But we wish to state in the most positive, emphatic way that Hood's Sarsaparilla does

Cure Scrofula

in every form. The most severe cases, too terrible for description, have yielded to this medicine when all others failed. The greater it includes the least—and if you suffer from scrofula, salt rheum or impure blood in any form, you should take Hood's Sarsaparilla.

"Scrofula" hunches in my neck disappeared when I took Hood's Sarsaparilla." A. R. KELLEY, Parkersburg, W. Va.

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Turkish Chairs, Howard Chairs, Platform Rockers, Floor Rockers, Colonial Rockers, Antique Rockers, Revolving Chairs, Brass Kessels, Bamboo Kessels, Oak Kessels, Clothes Poles, Eric-Brac Table, Eric-Brac Bedstead, Brocade Table, Brocade Chair, Shaving Stands, Toilet Stands.

Cheval Mirrors.

For further particulars call at warehouses. Respectfully, JOHN R. A. MURDOCH, 908 Smithfield street, REPRESENTED IN PITTSBURG IN 1841

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