

## LIVE NEWS OF TWO PITTSBOS

Events of the Upper End of Luzerne County Briefly Narrated.

### MEETING OF CITIZENS' COMMITTEE

Names of Nominees for Ward Officers Are Presented and Ratified—Tallie Evans Resigns the Nomination for Borough Auditor and the Vacancy Is Filled by the Nomination of John P. Green—Impressive Funeral Services Over the Remains of Thomas Lynsky—Other Pittston Topics.

[THE SCRANTON TRIBUNE'S Pittston department is in charge of J. M. Faby, to whom news items and complaints may be referred.]

The citizens' nominating committee met in the town hall last evening. The meeting was called to order soon after 8 o'clock by Chairman Elcholtz, who in a brief speech alluded to the importance of the meeting. William Drury made a motion, which was seconded, that the meeting, beginning with the first ward and continuing down, ratify the nomination of the several candidates made at the ward caucuses. Thomas Cady submitted the following list from the first ward: School director, Thomas McKean; constable, John B. Drake; judge of election, Thomas Cady; inspector of election, Thomas McGarry; justice of the peace, John J. Jordan; Scott Wagner of the second ward, presented the following list of persons: Councilman, Thomas Ryan; school director, Thomas J. O'Brien; inspectors, W. C. Walburn, John Connell of the third ward, presented the following list of names: Councilman, M. J. Lynott; school director, M. J. Langan; Joseph H. Morris of the fourth ward; Councilman, Joseph Sweeney; ward assessor, William Thomas; judge of election, Matthias Kemas; inspector of election, John A. Tonhill; John McDonald presented the following names: School director, John Gordon; councilman, Francis Tracey; judge of election, Daniel O'Donnell; constable, John Prendergast; William Abbott presented the following names from the second district of the sixth ward: Robert Suiles, Joseph Loftus, of the seventh ward, presented the following names: Councilman, George B. Ross; school director, Alexander Bryden; assessor, George Hagadorn; judge of election, A. B. Brown; inspector of election, George Bass.

The committeemen from the eighth ward stated that there was nothing but a board of election to be elected. It was therefore decided to endorse the Democratic ward caucus nominees. William Drury presented the following list of names from the ninth ward: Councilman, M. N. Donnelly; school director, John McNamara; judge of election, William Foster; inspector of election, Thomas Craig; constable, John Glynn; justice of the peace, Michael Lyons. There being no committeeman present from the Tenth Ward, it was decided to allow the list to remain unfiled. George B. Dendle, of the Eleventh Ward, presented the following names: Councilman, George Lovell; School Director, Anthony Erley; Judge of Election, Edward McDonnell; Inspector, Thomas Jordan; Register Assessor, George B. Dendle.

Mr. Gill, of the second ward, objected to the ratification of the names presented from the First and Second wards on the ground that the caucuses were held without the knowledge of the voters thereof, and therefore were not Citizens' nominees as the meeting might be led to believe. No attention, however, was paid to Mr. Gill's remarks, the chairman claiming the meeting was not the place to settle any dispute, but the ward wherein the alleged trouble existed.

### FUNERAL OF THOMAS LYNKY.

It Taken Place at St. John's Church and Is Well Attended.

The remains of the late Thomas Lynsky were borne to their last resting place yesterday morning. The body, followed by a large concourse of people, was conveyed at 9 o'clock to St. John's church, where a requiem mass was celebrated. At the close of the mass Very Rev. Father Finnan preached an eloquent sermon in which he feelingly alluded to the Christian impulses of the deceased.

### PITTHY PITTSBOS LOCALS.

News of the Day Put Into Bright Little Paragraphs.

There was no meeting of the school board last evening.

There are 73 applicants for license in the borough this year.

John Burns, of Avoca, has, through his attorney, J. M. Harris, of Scranton, entered suit against the Scranton Traction company.

On Dec. 30 his daughter, Sadie, was run down by a car on Lockwood avenue, and was permanently injured. He claims damages to the amount of \$230.

The Christ Endeavor society of the First Baptist church held a very enjoyable social at the residence of Robert Smith, on William street, Thursday evening, at which there was a large attendance.

The Fitzpatrick family moved into their new home on William street, the residence formerly owned by ex-Sheriff William O'May.

The Young Men's Christian association basket ball team vanquished the Scranton team by a score of 22 to 6 at the former's rooms Thursday evening.

The Luzerne Knitting mills resumed operations yesterday after about six weeks' illness.

Rosie Bess, who built the breaker for the Grand Rapids Coal company, bought the personal property and the lease for the coal land for \$1,510 Thursday.

The one hundred and thirty-fifth anniversary of the birth of the Scottish ballad maker, Robert Burns, was most appropriately celebrated by the members of the Caledonian club, at their rooms on South Main street, Thursday evening.

George H. Mitchell, James A. Bryden, A. J. Colborn, of Scranton, and several others delighted those present with entertaining speeches and witty remarks. One of the grievances that caused

the recent Lehigh Valley strike was remedied Thursday, when an order went into effect all over the system requiring the car inspectors and car cleaners to couple and uncouple all steam and air brake hose between passenger cars. Brakemen formerly did this at the risk of soiling their uniforms which they were paying for themselves, and which had to be kept bright and new.

### JOYCE STILL HANGS ON.

The Energetic Principal of the Continental Is a Stayer.

TAYLOR, Pa., Jan. 26.—Will Martin Joyce please step down from the principalship of the Continental school, or will he insist upon holding the ground he has held for weeks against the wishes of the people? The school board met on Thursday night to take action. It was a special session. Major Everett Warren, the directors' counsel, was present and gave legal advice. Mr. Joyce's attorneys were not present.

The following directors voted for his removal: Morgan, Tindlin, Gibbons, Evans, Davis and Smith. The board means fight, and Constable Morris Davis will assist the board in demanding the keys. If Mr. Joyce will not accede to this request, it is probable that other steps will be taken. The secretary will make out the pay roll and leave Joyce minus of his pay. If he wishes to take steps for legal action the board will be in readiness to fight it.

He was yet at the school this morning. Residents of Archbald are becoming disgusted with the shape of affairs, and, with other taxpayers, hope the board will attend to their business and give Joyce the bounce.

### VARIOUS MOOSIC ITEMS.

Facts and Fancies Treated in a Pleasant and Lively Manner.

Special to the Scranton Tribune.

MOOSIC, Pa., Jan. 26.—Miss Carrie Vandenberg, of Main street, gave a dance to some of her friends on Wednesday evening. Those present were: Miss Mabel Elwell, Grace Elwell, Elsie Wescott, William Kelly, William Muir, John Burns, Annie Young. An elegant lunch was served at a late hour by the hostess.

Rev. L. A. Lindemuth, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, on Main street, expects to leave Monday to visit his parents in Wheeling, Ohio.

Arthur Wilson spent Thursday evening with friends in town.

Mrs. Thomas Halstane, of South Main street, called on friends in Pittston Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. J. H. Davey, of South Main street, is ill at her home.

Miss Minnie Green, of Main street, gave a soiree party at her home to a large number of her friends Wednesday evening.

A meeting of the Moosic Co-operative association was held on Friday night at their store.

Mrs. Vandenberg, of Main street, has returned after visiting friends in Green Ridge the past few days.

One New Form of Prosperity. Philadelphia Record.

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