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# ON OTHER SIDE OF CHANNEL

Passing Events of the Day on the West Side of the City Noted.

## THE IVORITES' BOOK SOCIAL

**Committee Planning for an Event for MembersOnly—Fire Prevented by Alvin Beers' Presence of Mind—Death of David L. James.**

A committee consisting of Dr. B. G. Beddoe, William R. Lewis, Edward Jones, Gwilym A. Williams, Professor W. George Powell, John J. Davies, John H. Phillips and David J. Davis, of Robert Morris lodge of Ivorites, met in the social rooms on Saturday evening and prepared an excellent programme for the book social which will be held for members only next Thursday evening. The plan is to procure a library for the society.

Selections will be rendered by the newly organized Ivorite Glee club; Emerson Owen and D. Jeremy Davis will recite, and several members will sing. At the close of the entertainment refreshments will be served.

**Almost a Serious Fire.**

What might have been a disastrous fire started about 6 o'clock Saturday afternoon in the store of C. L. Beers, on North Main avenue. In the window had been placed a matting of cotton on which it had been intended to display the store stock. Alvin Beers, the proprietor's son, stepped in the show window for the purpose of lighting the gas. As he was doing so the lighted end of the match fell from the stem among this cotton. It blazed up instantly, and there was great danger of the store taking fire.

Mr. Beers, jr., with remarkable presence of mind, began tramping upon the burning mass until it was all extinguished. His hands were painfully burned and his clothes singed. Attractive goods which had just been placed in the window were destroyed.

**Death of David L. James.**

About 9.30 o'clock on Saturday morning David L. James, an aged and much esteemed resident of this side, died at his home at the corner of Lafayette street and Evrett avenue, after a prolonged illness of eight years. He was 56 years of age and a native of South Wales.

During the years that he has lived in this city he has acquired innumerable friends. A wife and five children survive him. The latter are Mrs. Babcock, of Providence, R. I.; Mrs. David Holvey, Mrs. John Jones, Mrs. John Williams and Police Officer Hezekiah Peters. The funeral will occur this afternoon. Interment will be made in the Washburn Street cemetery.

**Mrs. Annie Williams Buried.**

The many friends of the late Mrs. Annie Williams assembled at the family home, on Chestnut street, yesterday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock, where funeral services were held. Rev. L. C. Floyd, pastor of the Simpson Methodist Episcopal church, preached the funeral sermon.

The flowers were of elegant design. After the services the funeral cortege moved out to the Washburn Street cemetery, where interment was made. The pall bearers were Frank Mansfield, Robert Walker, Edward Jones and Daniel Smith.

**Brief Notes of Interest.**

Miss May Evans, of the North End, visited West Side friends yesterday.

Mrs. Charles Davis, of Nanticoke, spent the Sabbath among friends here.

A number of young people from this side will present a comedy, entitled, "False Pretentions," on Jan. 15. The affair is under the direction of Miss Vipond.

John Vandermore, of Carbondale, has returned home from a visit among friends here.

Thomas Johns, of Plymouth, has returned home from a visit with relatives on this side.

The general discussion of the formation of coal at the Welsh Philosophical society on Saturday evening was an interesting one.

The Sir Knights of Pleasure dancing class will hold a meeting this evening in Mears' hall. Professor George Taylor will instruct.

Rev. M. H. Mill, rector of St. David's Episcopal church, and Rev. A. L. Urban, assistant at St. Luke's, exchanged pulpits yesterday morning.

Professor Haydn Evans, of North Bromley avenue, will adjudicate at a large eisteddfod to be held at Youngstown, O., on New Year's Day.

Mrs. William Burnett, and daughters, Miss Jennie and Mrs. Andrew Conlin, have returned from Hoboken, where they attended the funeral of a relative.

Rev. Hugh Davies, pastor of the Welsh Calvanistic Methodist church, preached his usual monthly English sermon yesterday morning to a large audience.

Colonel Homer B. Sprague will deliver a lecture on "Goldsmith," the sixth and last lecture of the Hyde Park University Extension course, this evening in the Welsh Calvinistic Methodist church.

The annual fair of the Ladies' Aid society connected with the Washburn Street Presbyterian church closed on Saturday evening, after three days of success. The few articles left over will soon be disposed of.

Miss Jennie Murray, of North Lincoln avenue, and William Burns were married at Wilkes-Barre on Saturday afternoon. The young couple are well known; they will reside in Wilkes-Barre, where Mr. Burns is employed.

Steward Sansenbach, a well known young man, aged 21 years, died at the home of his parents, corner of Jackson street and Bromley avenue, on Saturday morning, from lung trouble. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon.

The following officers were nominated at a meeting of the Republican league of the West Side on Friday evening: President, Dr. W. A. Paine and Joseph D. Lewis; vice presidents, Charles E. Olver, Thomas Leyshon and William A. Phillips; secretary, Charles E. Daniels; financial secretary, W. L. Campion; treasurer, William H. Coons. Election on first meeting night in January.

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## IN LOCAL THEATERS.

Thomas E. Shea and company will be seen at the Academy of Music this week in a series of well known plays. This evening "Escaped from Sin Sing" is the attraction; tomorrow evening, "Monte Christo;" Wednesday evening, "Dr Jekyll and Mr. Hyde," Friday evening, "Richelieu;" Saturday afternoon, "Rip Van Winkle" or "Little Emily;" Saturday evening, "The Snares of New York." Mr. Shea is equally at home in character, heroic and romantic parts, and is a great dialect actor. He promises this season a better company than ever of actors, singers, dancers and comedians. The whole company is composed of artists engaged to produce plays which will satisfy all.

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Mr. Willard Spenser's comic opera, "The Princess Bonnie," which had such a long and successful run in Philadelphia, will be heard at the Academy of Music Thursday night for the third time here. The production will also serve to re-introduce the much-talked-of young American prima donna, Miss Eleanor Mayo, and the celebrated comedian, Frank Daniels, will make his reappearance in comic opera before a Scranton audience. The opera is in two acts, the scene of the first being in the vicinity of Bar harbor on the Maine coast. In the second act the action changes to a military castle in Spain, thus affording a striking contrast in scene and color. Some of the numbers of Mr. Spenser's work are "Dreaming of Love," "My Bark Canoe," "Once Upon a Time," "Whisper Words of Love," "The Summer Girl" and "America, I Love Thee." Well known members of the organization are: Frank Daniels, Miss Eleanor Mayo, Miss Lillian Swain Marion, Mabella Baker, Robert Broderick, William Armstrong, Joseph Greensfelder, N. S. Burnham, Mountjoy Walker and Frances Rousseau. This is a return engagement of the great comic opera success, it having been presented here last month.

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Davis' theater offers a great bill to the public for the first three days of this week. It consists of a splendid vaudeville company headed by the peerless dancer, Cyrene, who made such a favorable appearance when here last season with the "Niobe" company. She is the personification of grace and presents a number of terpsichorean novelties never before seen in Scranton. Accompanying Cyrene is an aggregation of first-class variety stars who give a most entertaining performance. Davis' theater should be crowded to the doors during this engagement.

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# NEWS OF THE SOUTH SIDE

## Little Boy Bitten by a Vicious Dog and the Wound is Very Painful.

## DR. A. KOLB ATTENDED THE BOY

**His Opinion Is That Nothing Serious Will Result—A Mine Accident—Death of Andrew Giblin, of South Washington Avenue—Funeral D. G. Meyers.**

Eddie Faust, the 6-year-old son of Henry C. Faust, of Birch street, was bitten by a dog yesterday afternoon while on his way home from Sunday school. The child became frightened at a pack of dogs that were debating loudly at the corner of Birch street and Cedar avenue, and as he was passing he placed his hand on the head of one of them to stroke its fur and pacify it. The brute snapped at the boy's hand and inflicted a very ugly wound on the fingers, lacerating the flesh and drawing the blood.

But for the intervention of a man who was close at hand the dogs might have set upon the child and done dire damage. Dr. A. J. Kolb was summoned and he cauterized the wounds. He gave it as his opinion that the child would not suffer from any attack of illness as the result of the bite.

**Killed in the Mines.**

Michael Dunn, of Minooka, was instantly killed in the Sibley shaft Saturday while at work. It is a very sad case, a widow and a large family of small children being left destitute. Mr. Dunn was a respected and upright citizen of quiet disposition and very much devoted to his family. He was a miner in the Sibley shaft in Old Forge and there was no work on Saturday, but he went in the mines to get a start for next week.

A bell from the roof fell on his head and fractured his skull. His body was rigid and cold in death before the fact had been discovered, as there were only a few men working in the mines that day. The foreman was on his usual daily rounds and he came upon the lifeless remains. Word was sent to his family and a few hours later the body was brought home in the mine ambulance. The funeral will take place this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Interment will be made in Minooka Catholic cemetary.

**Andrew Giblin's Death.**

Two weeks ago Hotelkeeper Andrew Giblin, of South Washington avenue, became affected with an attack of pneumonia, and his illness daily became more serious until Saturday afternoon his death occurred. Mr. Giblin was a well known business man and was moderately successful in his life pursuits. He was a member of Division No. 7, Ancient Order of Hibernians, Board of Erin, and was a moving spirit in that order. A widow and two children are left to mourn his loss. The funeral will take place tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock. A high mass of requiem will be sung at St. John's church on Fig street and interment will be made in Hyde Park Catholic cemetery.

**Funeral of David G. Myers.**

The funeral of David G. Meyers took place yesterday afternoon at 1.30. Services were held at the Cedar Avenue Methodist Episcopal church, which was crowded. Rev. E. L. Santee preached the sermon. The James Connell lodge, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, attended the funeral in a body, and the pall bearers were selected from the lodge, as follows: Thomas Miller, Willie Musket, Albert Ells, Albert Heyer, David Lewis, Samuel Kemler. The flowers were very pretty and consisted of a pillow, given by the brothers and sisters of the deceased, and a design, three links, given by the James Connell lodge. The services were conducted by the lodge at the grave.

The following relatives from a distance attended the funeral: William Myers, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Jonas Myers, Nazareth, Pa.; Mrs. Mary Schnable, Allegheny City; Mrs. Mary Richmann, Wilmington, Del. The deceased lived with his brother, John F. Myers, on Maple street, and was an exemplary young man.

**Shorter Paragraphs.**

Peter Hamm has accepted a position with Dr. J. A. Manley, instead of Michael Webber.

Tonight at Phillip's hall the concert of the South Side Choral union will take place and the attendance should be large, as a fine programme will be sung.

The Olympic foot ball eleven of this side and the Mayflowers of Minooka played a game on the latter's grounds yesterday, which resulted in a tie, neither side being able to score.

Pugilist James Judge, who emerged from the fight with Charles Wood, at Camden, N. J., last Monday night with victory perched upon his banner, is home to spend the holidays with his parents.

## MR. LAINE EXPLAINS.

**Says That He Will Bring Action Against Republican.**

J. H Laine, who on Friday resigned his position as manager of the Frothingham theater, intends to remain in the city, having accepted the offer of the Scranton Traction company to manage Laurel Hill park next summer. Extensive improvements are to be made at the park during the winter under the supervision of Mr. Laine. A theater is to be erected and another portion of the park will be fitted up for the production of firework spectacles. In speaking about his retirement from the Frothingham Mr. Laine said last night:

"There is no ill feeling between Mr. Frothingham and myself and has not been. He never interfered with my plans or opposed my policy in managing the house. My resignation was caused by a difference of opinion about one of the stage hands.

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## EIGHT BELLS AT ACADEMY.

**Byrne Brothers Gave a Very Entertaining Performance.**

"Eight Bells" was enjoyed by a crowded house at the Academy of Music Saturday night. The play underwent a few changes since its previous appearance here, but in the main it was almost the same. It is one of the most delightful entertainments of the kind on the stage and the novelties introduced are charming.

The work of the Byrne brothers, John F., James, Matthew and Andrew, was very good. Miss Helen Byrne as Madame Blotter, a scholmarm, acted admirably and sang tunefully. Byrne brothers in their feats of statuary posing and acrobatic acting were amazing.

## JUSTICE METED OUT.

**Penalties Imposed Saturday by the Judges of Our Courts on Offenders Against the Law.**

Judge Edwards was on the bench Saturday morning and imposed sentences on those who were convicted during the week. Francis Morrow, the 20-year-old Archbald young man, who plead guilty rather than go to trial, was called first for sentence. The Tribune announced that the court assigned Attorney George W. Beale to defend Morrow when his case was called for trial. That was incorrect, as Attorney E. C. Newcomb represented Morrow, and on Saturday, when the defendant was called for sentence, he made a strong plea for mercy. Judge Edwards gave him a scathing lecture and said he took into consideration the condition of the prisoner's mother, who is a feeble old woman. On that account the penalty would be a most lenient one for the crime of which the young man was guilty. The sentence for burglary was a fine of $50 and imprisonment in the Eastern penitentiary at hard labor for one year and six months; and for larceny the same fine and one year imprisonment, the second sentence to begin at the expiration of the first.

John Meglin, found guilty of selling liquor on Sunday, was sentenced to a fine of $50, costs of prosecution and twenty-one days in the county jail.

Henry Parker, who plead guilty to the crime of grand larceny in stealing a horse and carriage from Liveryman Pierce, of Carbondale, was sentenced to a fine of $50, costs of prosecution and one one year and six months in the Eastern penitentiary at hard labor in separate and solitary confinement.

Abraham Jones, of Austin Heights, who brutally assaulted Mrs. Michael Lyman, and was convicted, got a severe dose of justice from Judge Gunster. It was a fine of $50, the costs of prosecution, and five months in the county jail.

Samuel Ambrosia, found guilty of stealing cabbages from the garden of Niccola Willardo in Carbondale, was sentenced to pay a fine of $25 and the costs of prosecution.

Joseph Gruemenski, who was found not guilty of false pretenses in passing a Confederate $50 bill, was sentenced to pay the costs. Constable Jonathan Venison was found guilty of aggravated assault and battery and the eight Huns whom he prosecuted for resisting an officer were also found guilty. Sentences in these cases were not imposed.

## THE FEAR OF DEATH.

**A False Notion That the Dying Usually Fear Death.**

From Scribner's Magazine.

Familiarity with death is not apt to alter one's earlier conception of it. Two ideas are very generally accepted which experience shows to be false. One is that the dying usually fear death, and the other that the act of dying is accompanied by pain. It is well known to all physicians that when death is near its terrors do not seem to be felt by the patient. Unless the imagination is stimulated by the frightful portrayal of the supposed "pangs of death," or of the sufferings which some believe the soul must endure after dissolution, it is rare indeed that the last days or hours of life are passed in dread. Oliver Wendell Holmes has recorded his protest against the custom of telling a person, who does not actually ask to know, that he cannot recover. As that loving observer of mankind asserts, so must everyone, who knows whereof he speaks, assert that people must always come to understand that recovery is impossible; it is rarely needful to tell anyone that this is the case.

When nature gives the warning, death appears to be as little feared as sleep. Most sick persons are very, very tired; sleep—long, quiet sleep—is what they want. I have seen many people die. I have never seen one who seemed to fear death, except when it was, or seemed to be, rather far away. Even those who are constantly haunted, while strong and well, with a dread of the end of life, forget their fear when that end is at hand. As for the act of dying—the final passage from life to death—it is absolutely without evidence that the oft-repeated assertions of its painfulness are made. Most people are unconscious for some hours before they die; and in the rare cases where consciousness is retained unimpaired until a few minutes before the end, the last sensation must be of perfect calm and rest. It is worse than cruel to add to the natural dread of death which oppresses the majority of us while in good health, the dread of dying. There is surely fear enough in this suffering world; let us not increase it by adding imaginary to real causes.

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# PARADE OR NOT TO PARADE

## Trying to Decide How St. Patrick's Day Will Be Celebrated.

## AN ENTERTAINMENT FAVORED

**The Matter Was Discussed at Length at Last Night's Meeting of Delegates of the Irish-American Societies of the City.**

Eight societies were represented by their delegates at last night's meeting in Sheridan Rifles' armory of the Lackawanna County Council of Irish-American societies. The societies were: Father Mathew's, Hyde Park; Division No. 6, Ancient Order of Hibernians, Providence; Division No. 17, Ancient Order of Hibernians, Scranton; St. Thomas Branch, Irish Catholic Benevolent union; Sheridan Rifles; Henry Grattan club, and John Mitchell club.

Chairman J. C. Vaughan was absent and P. J. Honan was elected to preside. Short preliminary business was transacted and under the subject of the good of the order the delegates indulged in an expression of their views on the means of creating an enthusiasm among the members that will insure an earnest co-operation and which will unite in securing an attendance which will take up the purposes of the societies with a will.

One of the members thought that if every delegate would represent to his society when he reported the proceedings of the meeting that a very deep interest was not being taken, such would arouse them to renewed effort, and if delegates were remiss in attending meetings of the council others would be chosen who would be more active. This was approved.

The subject that attracted the most discussion was that bearing on how the Irish and Irish-American societies intend to celebrate St. Patrick's Day in this city. Some of the delegates favored a parade and others thought it would be wiser to hold an entertainment and invite good speakers to address it. Those who favored a parade said that the Irish element in Lackawanna county is 47 per cent. of the population and for that reason they ought to observe the anniversary of their patron saint in a befitting manner. Other nationalities not half as strong celebrate such occasions, and they think and show by their actions that nothing too good toward the veneration of the one they honor can be done.

An entertainment, the opposite side believed, would be more practically beneficial if good speakers were engaged and a fine musical and literary programme presented. The matter was not decided, however, at last night's meeting, and it was settled that a special meeting be held on the third Sunday of January to complete all arrangements and agree upon a proper method of honoring St. Patrick.

The committee on constitution and by-laws reported progress. It was the intention if there had been a larger meeting to take up the question of purchasing a library, but the matter was not touched upon.

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