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ON OTHER SIDE OF CHANNEL

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

DRIVER KICKED BY A HORSE

David Lewis Severely Injured - Camp 178, P. O. S. of A. and Robert Morris Ivorites Elect Officers-Many Sleighing Parties.

David Lewis, a young man residing on Eynon street, was painfully injured yesterday morning by receiving a kick in the thigh from a horse. Lewis is employed as a driver for Williams & Co., on South Main Avenue, and while feeding the horses the animal became vicious and Lewis was kicked while

leaving the stall. The boy's calls for help brought assistance and he was removed to his home, Dr. J. J. Roberts was summoned and the young man's injuries were dressed. His injuries are not alarm-

P. O. S. of A. Officers.

Camp 178. Patriotic Order Sons of America, elected the following officers on Thursday evening: President, Alfred Twining; vice president, Ira D. Newton; master of forms, Henry T. Bradshaw; recording secretary, Stewart Blesecker; financial secretary, Linden V. Decker; treasurer, D. W. Moser; conductor, Fred Decker; inspector, D. J. Hill; guard, John Stienecke; trustee, Frank Bryant. It is expected that District President Van Buskerg, of Bald Mount, will install the officers next Thursday evening.

Ivorite Officers.

Robert Morris lodge, No. 58, Order of American True Ivorites, has elected the | Michael White Struck by an Engine and following officers for the ensuing term: President, Edward D. Jones; vice president, William R. Lewis; recording sec-John J. Davis; steward, Joseph Evans; ian, John J. Jones; outside guardian. grand lodge, John H. Phillips.

Sleigh Bells.

The sleigh bells jingled last evening strong hit.

as many sleighing parties left the West He was tenderly lifted and put on a Side for various points up and down the Park. Many cutters were also to be

E. C. Post drove a party of young people in his bobsleigh to Jermyn last Alice Griffiths, Margaret Evans, Laura Cunkel, Margaret Van Camp. Lena Foster, Maggie Foster, and Will Burrell, James Hartman, Will Griffiths Benjamin Evans, Archie McCracken and Albert Hartman.

Brief Notes of Interest. John G. Thomas, of North Bromley ave-

Miss Anna Bean, of Sixth street, is recovering from a broken ankle, The street car lines on the West Side were all opened by last evening. Hon, John B. Farr and family, of Chest-

nut street, have returned from New York. Rev. D. L. Davies, of Edwardsville, has returned home from a visit with friends Mrs. Charles Banning, of North Lincoln

avenue, is visiting her daughter at Yates-

The clerks at Clarke Bros, store held a cial last evening in the shoe depart-Druggist John J. Davies, of South Main avenue, was in Kingston yesterday on

An elsteddfod will be conducted in the Bellevue Welsh Calvinistic Methodist church on New Year's day.

A 10 o'clock service will be conducted on New Year's day in St. David's Episcopal church by Rev. M. H. Mill.

A meeting of the Welsh Philosophical society will be held this evening. An interesting programme will be rendered.

The Republican league, of the West

Side, held an important business last evening in their rooms on South Main The Hyde Park Literary and Debating

society will hold a meeting on Monday evening in their rooms. The newly elect-ed officers will be installed. The Young People's Literary society of the First Weish Baptist church held a session last evening. A programme of

a literary nature was creditably ren-The funeral of the late Mrs. Mary Park,

of Seventeenth street, occurred from the family home yesterday afternoon. Interment was made in the Washburn Street cemetery.
The Ladies' Aid society of the Wash

burn Street Presbyterian church are making extensive preparations for their nual New Year's dinner, which will be held on Tuesday next.

Waco council, No. 45, Daughters of Pocahontas, held an entertainment and social in Mears' hall last evening. The room was prettily decorated and an en-joyable time was had by the large num-

ber that attended. The funeral of Mrs. Ann Richards, wife of Thomas E. Richards, proprietor of the Lafayette House, on North Main ave-nue, will take place tomorrow afternoon

at 2.30 o'clock from the home of her mother on Twelfth street. The many friends of the late Ephraim The many friends of the late Ephraim Davies, who died at the home of Officer Kiah Peters on Wednesday morning, assembled yesterday afternoon at the funeral services. Rev. W. S. Jones, pastor of the First Welsh Baptist church, officiated. The Capouse Mine Accidental fund, of which the deceased was a member attended. Interpret, was made in

ber, attended. Interment was made in the Washburn Street cemetery,

BARGAINS.

Men's rubber boots at cost.
Boys' rubber boots at cost.
Ladles' rubber boots at cost.
Children's rubber boots at cost.
All kinda of rubber shoes at cost.
JOSEPH A. MEARS.

SOLOMON VERSUS ISRAEL. The Former Acted the Good Samaritan

and the Latter on Ingrate. Attorney R. H. Holgate filed papers in an assumpsit suit yesterday in court and it deals with a very strange cause of action. On April 27, 1888, Israel Vosburg fell by the wayside spiritually disconsolate and corporeally weak. Solobecame sick and required nursing.

mon Van Sickle, of Glenburn, helped Vosburg from the ditch and boarded him until Christmas eve, when Israel Van Sickle is now suing to recover board at \$15 per month from April 27, 1888, to Dec. 24, 1888, and salary as a nurse at \$10 per week from Dec. 25, 1888, to March 27, 1889. There were other items for medicine.

NEWS OF THE SOUTH SIDE.

Funeral of Stephen Judge Will Be Held This Morning-Complaint Against the Traction Company For Piling Snow on the Streets After Cleaning the Tracks. The funeral of the late Stephen

Judge will be held this morning at 9 o'clock. A high mass of requiem will be celebrated at St. John's Catholic church, and interment will be made in St. Joseph's cemetery, Minooka. The Meadow Brook and Minooka gen-

eral stores of William Connell & Co., vill open Monday for business. They have been closed during the week, as the clerks were taking inventory.

Will F. Clifford does not want to be held up as intending to be a deliberate practical joker in his connection with the rumor that Selectman Charles W. Westpfahl had been seriosly stabbed. He says that he was imposed upon. Patrick Roche, of New Mexico, is visiting his parents on Cherry street.

Common Councilman P. J. Hickey of the Nineteenth ward is sick, but not seriously.

Miss Bridget Judge, of Cherry street, has returned after a visit with friends in Archbald. Columbus council, Young Men's In-stitute, will attend the funeral of

Stephen Judge this morning. Upon the complaint of residents of ertain streets on the South Side that the Traction company in clearing its tracks of snow had blockaded vehicle traffic, the street commissioner yesterday reminded the company of a passage in a recent ordinance which reads

as follows: "Whenever the snow fall is so heavy as to interfere with the movement of the cars the company shall remove the been taken from the tracks and remaining on the streets shall be removed forthwith by said company or by the street commissioner at their expense."

The ordinance refers only to the lines of the company recently extended. A New Year's reception will be held at the rooms of the South Side Young programme will be presented.

The Mayflower Base Ball club of Minooka held a ball and social last night at Callery's arcade.

NARROWLY ESCAPED DEATH.

Is Made a Prisoner. Michael White, a well known man in N. Y., the city, was struck by an engine on the Miss Durland, of Philadelphia, is visretary, David J. Davies; financial secre- Delaware, Lackawanna and Western iting Mrs. A. E. Hunt, of Delaware tary, Gwilym A. Williams; treasurer, track last evening. White was walk-street. the Mount Pleas-After being picked up by the trainmen John M. Jones; trustee for three years. White asked what he had done to be Daniel J. Phillips; representative to struck in such a manner by any man. He was informed that the blow was dealt by a locomotive and he laconically replied that he thought it was a

car and taken to the depot and Dr. valley. Loads of young people from Rudisall, of the hospital, was sent for, towns passed through Hyde who examined his injuries and pronounced them to be merely superficial. Rescued from the jaws of death White sauntered out into Lackawanna avenue with traces, however, of his conevening. They left Lincoln avenue flict with the locomotive when a citizen about 7 o'clock, returning early this espled him and handed him over to

morning. Among them were: Misses Patrolman Meinzer, who in turn showed him to Chief Simpson, who finally suggested that he should be taken to the station house for the night to avoid any possibility of waging war with more ocomotives.

Upon arrival at the station house White was searched and two pair of spectacles were found on him, which, e explained he used 'one for day and one for night." A razor was also found and a broken bottle, the relics of his escapade. White throughout dealt very lightly with the matter and did not appreciate that he had been in any dan-

MEANS MUCH FOR BEZEK.

Today Will Be the Most Eventful Day to

Him Since His Arrest. Murderer Franz Bezek will be brought from the county jail at 9 o'clock this morning and his case will be argued before the court on the application for

a new trial. His attorneys, George W. Watson and A. J. Colborn, are working hard to get a new trial for him, and they have brought from Philadelphia an Austrian named George Davic, who works in the ship yards as a government clerk and is thoroughly conversant in the English language and the Kraenish tongue, which Bezek speaks. The purpose of bringing this man here is to prove by him that the testimony of Bezek and his witnesses was not properly interpreted. If they can do this it will mean

a new trial for Bezek. This will be the most fateful day of the murderer's life and the disposal of the case by the court will be awaited with interest. Bezek's appetite is very keen, and he is taking things easy at the jail and not worrying.

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for anything you have to sell. Furniture, Stoves, Tools, etc. Call and see
the stock of J. C. King, 1024 and 1025
Lackson street.

WALL PAPER—Go to Fred Reynolds, 205 North Main avenue, and see his complete line of Wail Paper, Paints and Window Shades. Just opened with new stock.

PLUMBING-William D. Griffiths, 113 North Main avenue, does first-class Plumbing, Steam Heat and Gas Fitting. Satisfaction is strictly guaranteed. OYSTERS-R. E. Davis' market house. Dealer in Foreign and Domestic Fruits. Oysters served in every style. 310 North Main avenue, next to Clarke's.

Frank Ruccio, who was injured in a dynamite explosion, was resting comfortably at the Lackawanna hospital last night and hopes of his recovery are enter-

FOR GILT-EDGED BASE BALL

Plans for Making Next Season's Team a Winner.

WANT A HIGH-GRADE MANAGER

Buckenberger, Last Year's Pittsburg Manager, Applies for the Position-Hanlon Tied to State League-Tribute to Cahill's memory.

If last night's meeting of the Scranton Base Ball association is any criterion next year will witness the very best manager obtainable in charge of the club, which will be organized with the paramount idea of making it gilt- and the packages handed to the reedged in every particular. The sense of the meeting was that a winning team and a well managed team, though

financial returns for the outlay. From present indications either A. C. Buckenberger, last season's manager of the Pittsburgs, or John Hanlon, late manager of the Hazletons and now president of the State league, will manage the Scranton club next year. Buckenberger yesterday wired W. L. Betts, making application for the managership and asking for terms. Hanlon, in answer to a letter from Mr. Betts, wired yesterday that he could not honorably withdraw from his present connection with the State league, but Hanlon's reply is thought to have been for the purpose of making the Scranton people more anxious to secure him and such may possibly be the outcome.

No Use for Tim Burst. The members last night did not consider very favorably the application of Timothy Hurst, last season an umpire in the National league. From Danny Richardson, the noted National lengue Lady Lexboro, a rich wislow, second baseman, was received a letter containing the phrase, "no more base ball for me," and an inference that he would in future devote himself to his mercantile business in Elmbra. Nicholson, of Erie, and Charlle Morton had been communicated with in reference to managing the team, but the former has of the West Side. During the second signed with Baltimore and Morton will manage the Buffalo club.

Among the players whom Tommy Cahill was negotiating with before his death and who may yet sign with Scranton are Ollie Smith, late left fielder of the Louisvilles; George New Year's day, matinee and evening. same when the fall ceases, and after Nichols, late pitcher of the Louisvilles, the tracks are cleared all snow that has and Second Baseman Pickett, of the Troys, who is said to be the crackajack formance will commence at 1, p. m., player in that position in the Eastern and the evening at 7.50 p. m. sharp.

league of Tommy Cahill a letter recently re- been found necessary to do this on acof the league, in which Mr. Powers pays New York Sun says: "'Shore Acres," a weighty tribute to the memory of the a four-act play by James A. Herne Women's Christian association from 3 late manager. The letter cites Cahill was produced at the Fifth Avenue last to 9 p. m. Between these hours the as one of the most honorable, capable night and scored an unquestionable rooms will be open and a cordial invita- and brainy base ballists of his day, and success. Of its artistic worth there tion is extended to all friends of the mentioned feelingly the warm person- can be no two opinions. It was a night association to be present. A very fine ality which had endeared him to a host of triumph for Mr. Herne." of friends.

NORTH END NOTES.

Miss Annie Nyles, of Kingston, is visiting friends on Summit avenue. M. M. Franklin, of Sanderson avenue, has returned home from Schenectady

J. E. Francis, of Main avenue,

conductor. David Owens; inside guard- ant mine when the accident occurred, recovering from a severe attack of pneumonia. The Misses Stebbins, of Ithaca, are

visiting Miss Effie Davidson, of Sander-Frank Niles, of Kansas City, visited W. L. Carr, of Capouse avenue, during

the past week

Mrs. Llewelyn Llewelyn, of Spring street, is confined to her home by a severe sickness. J. E. Carnoll, of Green Ridge street, is spending the holidays with his fami-

ly in Clinton, N. Y. The Christmas music will be repeated tomorrow morning in the Green Ridge Presbyterian church. A watch night service will be held

in the Asbury Methodist Episcopal church next Monday night. Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Carr, of Delaware street, returned yesterday from a

visit with friends at Prompton Assistant Superintendent Jordon, of the glass factory, is spending the holl-days with his family in Brooklyn. The ladies of the Green Ridge Pres byterian church will serve a turkey

dinner in the church parlors on New Year's Day. Rev. A. F. Ferris, of the Puritan church, returned home yesterday from

Mount Carmel, where he spent Christmas with friends. The arrangements for the annual ball

of the Liberty Hose company to be held Monday night in Company H armory are now completed. Miss Edna Thompson, of Sanderson

avenue, librarian of the Green Ridge library, spent most of the past week with friends in Winton. Mrs. J. B. Van Bergen, of Carbondale,

who has been the guest of Mrs. J. R. Fordham, of Sanderson avenue, returned home yesterday. A reception of members of the Asbury

Methodist Episcopal church will be held New Year's night. Light refreshments will be served by the ladies. Rev. A. F. Ferris will occupy the pulpit of the Puritan Congregational church tomorrow. The choir has arranged special music for the evening. Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Chappell, of Hagerstown, Md., formerly of this place, are spending the holidays with Mrs. Chappell's mother, on Market

street. Class 16 of the Methodist Episcopal Sunday school was entertained by its teacher, Miss Amy Mulley, at her home on Main avenue last night. The evening was pleasantly spent in playing

John Comnichal, James Maloney, James Campbell and Michael Faust, returned home yesterday from Rochester, where they went during the summer to look for work. They expect to work at the glass factory when the next furnace starts.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Barnes were tried before Alderman Bailey Wednesday night on the charge of attempting to defraud P. P. Lowry out of \$4. On Dec. 5 Lowry sold the defendants a 60-gallon oil tank, representing it to be nearly new and in first-class condition. At the trial evidence was furnished to show that not only was the tank unfit for use, but Lowry had refused to remove it when asked to. The costs were placed on Lowry and the defendants released.

The funeral services of John Powell. of Brick avenue, were held at his residence yesterday afternoon. They were conducted by Rev. M. D. Fuller, who was assisted by Rev. W. G. Watkins. Mr. Powell was well known here, having lived here since 1860. He belonged to Company B, of the One Hundred and Thirty-sixth Regiment of Pennsylvania, commonly known as the Provi dence Tigers, with Colonel Monies as captain, and Fred B. Amsden as first lieutenant.

as recumatism, neuragia, billousness, dyspepsia, kidney and liver complaints. In Bright's disease, diabetes, urinary troubles and the sickness peculiar to wo-men, it cures where all else fails. nia, commonly known as the Provi

NEW CHRISTMAS IDEA.

Brownies Included in First Presbyterian

Church Exercises. Christmas exercises were held at the First Presbyterian church yesterday afternoon, when a large number of the scholars and their friends assembled to receive the Christmas gifts, Superintendent A. W. Dickson delivered an appropriate address, after which an en-

tertaining musical programme was ren-In the distribution of gifts an inno vation was created. When the donations were about to be given Mr. Dickson rapped at a little house erected of boxes of candy when twelve little "brownles," who were presumed to have been aroused out of their slumbers, came out, each drawing a wagon of groceries and provisions. The little vehicles were drawn along the aisles fancy, and that June and September

cipients. A large quantity of packages containing various articles were also disexpensive, will bring the stockholders tributed to the scholars. The arrangements were excellently carried out by a committee presided over by Mrs. Charles Weston.

Conrad's orchestra discoursed splendid music during the exercises.

IN LOCAL THEATERS.

This evening the Standard Dramatic company, composed of well known amateurs of this city, will produce "Hand and Glove" at the Academy of Music. The cast of charcters will be as

Golonel Raven, Lady Lexboro's cousin, James Flynn Dr. Pullman. .P. S. Barrett Timothy Hand and Titus Glove, of the firm of Hand & Glove.

Pobert W. Rankin, M. J. Coyne Barry Hunting Miss Jemima Jones Lucy, her daughter....Little Helen Long

Judith Maxwell, a poor widow, Miss Agnes Kelly Fanny Edgerton. Miss Gertie McEachen Guests, Servants, etc. The drama will be presented as a benefit for the St. Paul's Pioneer Corps,

act Comedians Rankin and Coyne will

sing M. J. Coyne's typical song, "That's the Idea Exactly. James A. Herne and company will appear at the Academy of Music on The management desires to call attention to the fact that the matinee per-This is very important and should be Mr. Betts has forwarded to the father | borne in mind by theater-goers. It has ceived from Patrick Powers, president count of the length of the play. The

> Manager Frothingham takes pleasure in announcing the return engagement of "Hoss and Hoss" New Year's afternoon and evening. It has been greatly improved since it was here in August show, which surely was a funny farcethis week at the Lyceum is a good one. Carrie Sweeney as the Bowery girl is, of course, as good as could be. Jacques Kruger in the principal role is as good provoking part of Judge Willie Hoss. Harry Crandall is a very good German comedian, and the rest of the company are first-class. 'Hoss and Hoss,' as pre-

Florida Kingsley are a few of the promframe for this ideal picture.

WASHINGTON VS. NAPOLEON Why Not Revive Interest in the Father of

His Country? The violent revival of interest in Nacareer and character are the subject

But in that part of the country which were honored by his presence. In these older localities his effigies abound and his dignified figure is familiar, but west of the Hudson Washington monuments are scarce, and the Father of his Country is by no means as familiar to the eye as Lincoln, Grant and other heroes of the civil war. A Washington revival will be welcome and salutary whenever it comes, and if it brings a new crop of monuments with it, so much the bet-

A Remedy of Great Value.

In an article on Proprietery remedies, which appeared in a recent issue of the "St. Louis, Mo., Medical Brief," Prof. Willard H. Morse, M. D. F. B. S. Sc., of Westfield, N. J., says: "One notable in-stance in point of efficacy is offered by Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy which has earned reputation as curative of Bright's disease and other affections of the kidneys." In concluding the article, Dr. Morse says: Manifestly, therefore, treatment of the kidneys and bladder, both preventive and curative calls pri-marily for the exclusion of all factors causative of functional derangements. Diseases of the kidneys demands re-es-tablishments of normal functions, destruction of the micro organism causing the disease, and repair of the ravages These three demands are fulfilled by Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy-it re-institutes and regulates the renal func-

tions, it destroys the causal germ, and repairs the broken down tissues." Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy is an unfailing specific for such diseases as rheumatism, neuralgia, biliousness,

Winter Doings Among Prominent Leaders of the Season's Gaiety.

PARTIES, WEDDINGS AND TEAS

The Gamut of the Week's Events Sounded in Short Paragraphs-Guests and Entertainers-Personal Mention Reduced to a Compact Compass.

At least one prominent wedding on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of the past week shows that cold weather will turn a young man's haven't a complete monopoly of hymeneal affairs.

On Monday night Miss Viola Taylor, of Church street, became the wife of George W. Chase, chemist at the Andover Iron works, Phillipsburg, N. J. Rev. Dr. S. C. Logan performed the ceremony at the home of the bride's mother. Miss Taylor was an instructor in oral schools for deaf mutes in the west, and was well and popularly known in the North End. The wedding was attended only by immediate rela-

Miss Laura Swartz, daughter of Crawford Swartz, of Hallstead court, Crawford Swartz, of Hallstead court, was wedded Christmas night to Edward Anderson. The ceremony was attended a social in Wilkes-Barre last performed at the home of the bride by | night. Rev. Warren G. Partridge. Miss Elsie Lockard, maid of honor; William Butz, best man, and little Laura Swartz and Buelah Bogart flower girls, completed the bridal party. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson will reside in their new dwelling n Wyoming avenue

In the Green Ridge Presbyterian F. R. Drake, of Easton, who is expected to arrive in Scranton today, will be the church, at noon Wednesday, Miss Cora H. Phillips, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Phillips, of Adams avenue, North Park, was married to Professor Charles H. Ashton, professor of mathematics at Harvard. The ceremony was performed by Rev. N. F. Stahl. Miss of Jefferson avenue. Grace Smith, of Honesdale, was the maid of honor; Daniel J. Phillips, where he will spend a few days with an brother of the bride, best man; Charles old school friend. Carr, Charles Kinke, Charles E. Danels, and Charles Genter ushers. The bride is a well-known public school Luke's rectory, teacher. Mr. and Mrs. Ashton will reside in Cambridge, Mass.

At noon on Thursday Miss Florence Edgar, daughter of S. W. Edgar, of Capouse avenue, was wedded to Sylvester Tillson, of the Voght Cloak and Lace company, of Rochester. Rev. Dr. W. H. Pearce performed the ceremony, which was quite informal, there being no bridesmaids, and the bridal couple approaching the altar preceded only by Mark K. Edgar and Ezra H. Connell, the ushers. After receiving the congratulations of friends in the church parlors, Mr. and Mrs. Tillson left for a tour via the Lackawanna road. They Too Much to Ask Him to Open His Barn will reside in Rochester.

By far the most elaborate society ball ever attempted in Scranton is that of the Bachelors' arranged for Monday is possible that a financial loss will be incurred and that the attendance will fall far below what was anticipated. If and the company strengthened by the either of these circumstances happen it addition of Rose Sutherland, America's is likely that the Bachelors will never the Black River railroad was a trunk champion buck and wing dancer. The satempt another ball, at least not upon line and the city of Utica a Buffalo Express of Nov. 6 said: "The the scale of the present one. The fact liveliness. Anyone who has seen this ed does not argue that the arrange- hardest men to handle was old Elder ments for the ball will be in any way Beriah Jones. comedy, should know that it is as funny modified. To make the dance the most mittee of arrangements and this object will not be deviated from. Such a state of affairs may be com-

preciative or lucrative city for visitasented by this company, will revive old tion. In years gone by the Bachelors that barn door every time a train recollections, and the production will have almost had more guests than whistles to go through?" Of course not suffer in comparison with the first could be accommodated and the leaders they had to pay him twice the value great company that took this show on of the organization are at a loss to of his barn before he would let them know why this year the prospect is not take it away. brighter. Several of the prime movers "My Partner" will be presented at the in the affair have unwillingly admitted Academy of Music on Wednesday even- that many persons are lukewarm be ing by Louis Aldrich and company. Mr. cause tickets to the ball will cost \$5. Aldrich will appear in his original role There seems to be no disputing that of Joe Saunders, a part he has made such an amount is quite a sum of famous, and which is accepted by crit- money, but when associated with the ics as the leading character creation of virile Americanism on the stage. They virile Americanism on the stage. Theo. of the proposed dance the sum is a very ren & Knapp are attorneys for the pow-Hamilton, Wright Huntington, Frank slight consideration. Scranton is re-Kendrick and the Misses May Hosmer, puted abroad for never doing things by halves, in business or otherwise, but if inent names in the suporting cast. The its social leaders demure against a fair scenery and effects showing the pic- price for enjoying a society ball on a turesque mountain scenery in the far par with the charity dances of larger west) is elaborate and makes a worthy cities there can be only one inference-

and that is, we are not quite up to it. A project recently started by some of the prominent young business men of the city to establish a country club house on the Elmhurst boulevard has been abandoned. The promoters of the poleon, says Harper's Weekly, suggests idea went so far as to secure an option that the day will come presently when on a piece of land and also negotiated it will occur to some magazine editor with Colonel U. G. Schoonmaker for or other observing person to organize the purchase of the Elmhurst hotel. a literary resurrection of General Thirty thousand dollars was asked for from Rheumatism take Dr. Potter's Rheu-George Washington. Washington has the building and the plot of ground surby no means been forgotten in this rounding it and for a time the most country. Indeed, he is called to mind ardent supporters of the country club every year on his birthday, when his believed it possible to secure the property. All who were asked to become of editorial articles in numbers of news- interested in the scheme were willing to incur the necessary pro rata expense, but the hitch came in securing a sufhas developed in the last ninety years ficient number of members. Although he is by no means so conspicuously be- the idea has been abandoned for the fore the public as in the older cities and present, it is probable that an effort states that knew him personally and will be made in the same direction next year.

One of the most extensive and enjoyable social events of the winter was the reception and hop tendered the Cornell Glee and Banjo clubs at the Hotel Terrace Monday night following the concert at the Frothingham. The concert attracted the most fashionable theater audience of this winter.

The Scranton Liederkranz have already begun preparations for their annual masquerade which will be held in Music hall on the evening of Feb. 7. It will be on a more elaborate scale than any of its predecessors.

An informal dancing party was given Wednesday night by Worth Scranton at the residence of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Scranton, on Monroe avenue. Rev. and Mrs. James McLeod will

this evening, at their residence, en-

tertain the young men of the First Presbytrian church. The engagement of Miss Annie Grant to Louis B. Gernon is announced.

The Scranton Bicycle club will give a hop next week in its Washington ave-

aue club house. A sleighing party which will ride over the boulevard to Elmhurst tonight will be composed of the following: Misses Gould, of Seneca Falls, N. Y.; Simpson, Winton, Augusta Archbald, Belin, Hunt, Anderson and Jessie Coursen,

don, of Greenwich, Conn.; T. F. Archbald, Moffatt, A. E. Hunt. jr., and F. A Relic of the Martyr Spy Owned in Con-P. and E. S. Fuller.

Mr. and Mrs. James Moir on Thursday afternoon entertained a number of pair of queer, wrinkled, old-time sadchildren in honor of their little daughter, Elsie. Those present were: Misses Eva Miller, Bertha Kelly, Mabel Moir, Kittie Fish, Myrtle and Margery Winchester, of Whitney's Point; Masters Stuart Weston, Leon Fish, Fred Nelson, Leo Kelly and Harry Fish.

Yesterday afternoon the Misses Mer-Farrar, of Pittston. A number remained until evening and enjoyed an informal dance.

Invitations have been issued by the social committee of the Green Ridge wheelmen for the smoker to be held at the club house, 1529 Wyoming avenue, Monday evening.

PERSONAL MENTION:

Mr. and Mrs. M. N. B. Killam, of Paupack, Pike county, are visiting relatives here. They came to attend the wedding on Thursday of their granddaughter, Miss Florence Edgar.

Right Worthy Grand Master R. W. Henderson has appointed Thomas F. Wells, of this city, district deputy grand master of the Thirteenth Pennsylvania Masonic district.

Miss Richardson, of Hornellsville, is expected in this city today and will be en-

tertained for a few days by Miss Archbald. The Misses Stanton, of Honesdale, will be here Monday to attend the Bachelors' ball and will be entertained by Miss Hunt.

guest of James Archbald.

Miss Blanche Payne and Miss Porter, of Kingston, have been the guests of Miss Simpson, of Olive street.

Will Hand today leaves for Bellefonte,

iting his son, Rev. Rogers Israel, at St. The Misses Updegraff, of Elmira, are the guests of Miss Frances Pratt, of

Thomas B. Israel, of Baltimore, is vis

Olive street. Miss Carrie Bishop, of Green Ridge, is spending a few days in New York.

Miss Mabel Dickerson, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is the guest of Mrs. N. Y. Leet. C. G. Boland was in Wilkes-Barre yesterday adjusting insurance losses. Miss Gould, of Seneca Falls, N. Y., is visiting Miss Blair, Mrs. C. J. Markwick is reported to be

COULDN'T TAKE TIME.

Doors. Dr. Seward Webb knows a good story when he hears it, and he had a chance to pick up many of that kind while was building his railroad through night, but from present indications it the Adirondacks. One of his collection, according to the New York Press, relates to an old Welshman in a remote hamlet in the woods, a hundred years behind the time-a community to which metropolis. The surveyors had laid out hosses of 'Hoss and Hoss' are still run- that up to last night the sale of tickets the line and the appraisers went hosses of 'Hoss and Hoss' are still run-ning. The play has all its old-time did not approach the number anticipat-through securing property. One of the

Nothing suited him. He objected to as ever, and the company that gives it exquisite function ever given in the city the railroad, he protested against the has all along been the object of the com- award and he made as much trouble as he possibly could. Finally he was told that there was no help for it, that they would have to run the railroad as any man that ever tried the laugh- pared to the apathy of the best social through his barn. "Ye'll do nothing of element toward high grade theater at- the sort!" shouted the old man, vehe tractions. Scranton is considered by mently. "Run that railroad through leading players anything but an ap- my barn? I'd like to see you do it! Do you think I'm goin to get up and open

COURT HOUSE NOTES. The AcmePowder company, of Pittsburg, yesterday began an action in as sit against Contractor J. W. Ward of Taylor, for a debt of several items for

der company.

The second application for a liquor license made to date was that of Fred Godfrey for a hotel license for the Lackawanna Valley House. Register of Wills Koehler will hand down his decision Monday in the case of Mrs. Aseneth Davis petitioning for the revokal of the letters of administration on

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necticut. A New Britain (Conn.) man, says the

New York Sun, has in his possession a dlebags, and there is abundant reason to believe that they belonged to Captain Nathan Hale, the martyr spy. Their present owner does not wish his name published in connection with them until he is able to recover certain papers proving the genuineness of the relics, which have been mislaid. The saddlebags are heirlooms and came to riman, of Dunmore, gave a tea for him directly through an ex-governor of their guests, Miss Troxwell and Miss Massachusetts. The owner of the bags

Bays: "I have read the papers that go with the bags, and am satisfied there is no doubt that they belonged to and were carried by Nathan Hale.'

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