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ON OTHER SIDE OF CHANNEL.

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

SKETCH OF BENJAMIN HUGHES

Appeared in the Current Number of Y Drych, of Utica--Resignation of Professor Keane, of No. 31 School. Anniversary of a Church.

This month's issue of "Y Drych," the Welsh Journal published at Utica, N. Y., contains on the fourth page, a portrait of Benjamin Hughes, of Washburn street, mine superintendent of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad company. Accompanying the portrait is a sketch of Mr. Hughes' life, giving the place of his birth, ancestry and all noted events in his public life, down to the present day.

It contains extended mention of the work Mr. Hughes has done in Welsh musical and literary circles as chairman, speaker and adjudicator. Many anecdotes of his life are told, proving his loyalty, integrity and honesty.

Professor Keane Resigns.

Professor M. H. Keane, who has for many years been a principal at No. 31 school, at Van Buren avenue and Jackson street, has resigned. Mr. Keane had secured a leave of absence for one week and went to New York where he secured a position as a teacher. He returned to this city and wrote his resignation, which he placed in the hands of Controller George B. Carson. Mr. Pritchard, of the Oral school has been engaged for the balance of the term. When Mr. Keane was granted a leave of absence it was not known that he contemplated resigning. It was through his reason was owing to some unpleasantness over night schools at No. 21. Mr. Keane has expressed a good teacher, and many have expressed their sorrow at his departure.

A Church Anniversary.

The thirtieth anniversary of the organization of the Plymouth Congregational church, will be celebrated on Sunday, March 31. The morning will be devoted to children's exercises, and will include a program of a most interesting nature. The pastor, Rev. Thomas A. Bell, will preach the anniversary sermon in the evening. On the following evening, April 1, the annual roll call of members, and a reception will be held. The exercises throughout will be interesting.

Married Last Evening.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized last evening by Rev. B. I. Evans, at his home on South Main avenue. The contracting parties were Isaac J. Evans, of North Hyde Park avenue, and Miss Barbara Williams, of North Rebecca avenue. They were unattended. The young couple are well known on the West Side, where they have many friends. Mr. Evans will go into the hotel business on April 1, in the stand occupied by John T. Jones.

Brief Notes of Interest.

- Police Officer Hetheroth is ill at his home on North Hyde Park avenue. Mr. Lauman, of Lowell, Mass., is visiting his son, on North Rebecca avenue. Misses Gladys Joseph, Anna Jenkins and Mary Davies are in New York city. Mrs. F. A. Cramer, of Swatland street, is recovering from a severe illness. Miss Clara Conger, of Mill City, is the guest of Mrs. A. E. Vorhis, of Jackson street. A social will be held this evening in the Washburn Street Presbyterian church. Thomas Phillips, of Plymouth, is making a short stay with friends on this side. Robert Morris lodge, Order of American True Iovites, will hold a meeting this evening in Masonic hall. The Ladies Aid society of the Scranton Street Baptist church will hold a supper and social this evening from 6 to 8 o'clock. Rev. D. C. Hughes will preach on the "Evils of Intemperance" next Sunday evening at 8 o'clock in the Jackson Street Baptist church. The infant child of Mr. and Mrs.

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Hausler, of North Garfield avenue, was buried in the Washburn Street Presbyterian church on Tuesday.

Rev. F. A. Pauppe, pastor of German Presbyterian church, will conduct services every Friday evening during the Lenten season in the church.

The Hyde Park Literary and Debating society will hold their annual banquet next month. A committee has been appointed to prepare for the event.

The members of St. David's lodge of Iovites will be addressed next Monday evening by Henry F. Davis, of Kynon street. Mr. Davis will speak on "Yellowstone Park."

A considerable number of new members have recently been added to the Bald Eagle tribe of the Red Men, which meets at the Red Men's hall, corner of Jackson and Main avenues.

A movement is being made on the West Side to organize a board of charities to relieve the many cases of distress which are continually being heard from. The mover is Mrs. William H. Coons, of Price street, an earnest worker in the Ladies Home Missionary society at the Simpson Methodist Episcopal church.

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NORTH END JOTTINGS.

Death of George Homer, of Main avenue, of Congestion of the Lungs--Bromages Have Another Domestic War--Personals and News Notes.

George Homer, of Main avenue, died very suddenly last evening at his home of congestion of the lungs, with which he has been suffering since Thursday night. He was one of the oldest residents of this place, having lived here for the last half of a century, and is survived by two sons, Lawrence and George, both of whom are married and residents of this place.

Mr. Homer was born in Germany in 1818 and came to this country when 17 years of age and settled in New York state, where he lived for ten years, after which he came to Providence with his family. He was a gardener by trade and worked for many of the prominent men of the city. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

Bromages in Trouble Again.

There is trouble once more in the domicile of Thomas Bromage, on Lloyd street. Last night Mrs. Bromage and her daughters placed in the House of the Good Shepherd, claiming she could not control them, but about a month ago she secured their release. Yesterday Bromage began to quarrel with his family and swore out warrants for the arrest of his wife and stepchildren, Patrick and Mamie Barrett, charging them with confiscating his watch and chain and also threatening to kill him. The warrant was served by Constable Davis. They were brought before Alderman Roberts, who discharged the prisoners owing to lack of evidence, and placed the costs on Bromage.

Told in a Few Lines.

Ambrose Mulley has returned from his recent trip to Tillman, N. C., and New York.

Lawrence Homer, of Main avenue, is confined to his bed with an attack of the grip.

Michael Sheridan, of Pittston, is visiting his sister, Mrs. May O'Boyle, of Market street.

Rev. George E. Guild, pastor of the Presbyterian church, is confined to his home by an attack of the grip.

William A. Mulley, of Edna avenue, is recovering from his late serious illness.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Denier, of Cherry Ridge, Wayne county, have returned from a short visit with Mrs. Denier's sister, Mrs. D. L. Jones, of Main avenue.

James Sullivan was arrested by Patrolmen Saltry and Reese G. Jones early yesterday morning, being found helplessly drunk on the steps of Clark & White's hotel.

The funeral of Claude L. Leary, the son of Sheldon Temple, of 7-year-old street, who died last Tuesday of pneumonia, will be held today. The service will take place at the home at 230 o'clock, interment being made in Forest Hill cemetery.

The funeral of Mrs. Thomas J. Williams will be held Friday. The service will be conducted at her home at Wayne avenue and Spring street, at 2 o'clock by Rev. R. S. Jones, D. D., interment in Forest Hill cemetery.

Patrick Barrett, of Bloom avenue, was discharged by Alderman Roberts yesterday morning at his wife's request, all costs incurred on Barrett's promising to leave her. He was placed under arrest by Constable Davis on Tuesday night, his wife having sworn out a warrant charging him with beating her and throwing her out of the house.

Some time ago Gustave Grano rented the upper story of the house occupied by Mrs. Mary Kelly, on Putnam street, where he lived for some time, but on moving from there last Monday attempted to take a stove belonging to Mrs. Kelly, and on her objection assaulted her. She swore out a warrant before Alderman Roberts yesterday and Grano was arrested by Constable Davis. After the case had been heard last night it was settled, Mrs. Kelly paying the costs.

Plans have been under discussion for some time for carrying on small entertainments in this place of a social nature. A series of them have been arranged, the first of which will be held in Archbald's hall tomorrow night. No admission fee will be charged, but during the entertainment a committee will be selected for the further carrying on of the work. It is the intention of those who have the matter in charge to offer small prizes for the best rendition of certain selections, which will be announced previous to the entertainment. The contest tomorrow night will be on a tenor solo.

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When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.

When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.

When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

SPORTS OF ALL KINDS

What is Being Done by Notables in the Various Lines.

BOXERS ARE TO MEET HERE

Will Appear on the Stage of Music Hall, Preparing for Opening of Base Ball Season in This City and Carbondale--Notes of Interest.

Considerable interest is shown in sporting circles in the tournament of the National Athletic club, which will be held in Music hall on Monday evening. A large number of local men are reported to be handy with their dukes and entered, and will be paired off to give exhibitions of their prowess and cleverness.

Following this, on April 17, the Excelsior Athletic club will hold its annual tournament in Music hall. This will be a strictly amateur event and be conducted under the rules of the American Amateur Athletic union. Beside a number of local boys, there will be many entries from abroad. It is expected that there will be a number of very interesting events.

The warm weather of the last week has caused the base ball cranks to blossom forth, and the presence of Buffalo and Barney in the city to get affairs in shape for the opening of the season has caused much discussion as to the Scranton club's ability to cope with the other Eastern league teams this season.

Mr. Barrie knows the men he has signed and also the men in the other teams, and it is his opinion that Scranton ought to take a place up near the head of the first division. Other base ball managers do not think so highly of the Scranton aggregation. They say it will be found weak with the stick at compared to Buffalo and Providence, and will be lucky to finish in fifth place.

We Will Not Lose Hope.

That croak is not going to shatter our confidence in our club thus early in the season. We will hope for a better position in the league race than that, but there is some time before we will be an interesting struggle in the Eastern league this season. The clubs will be quite evenly matched, and there is little probability that any one of them will have a walkover for the pennant.

Up in Carbondale manager Swift is hustling, getting his club together, and supervising the laying out of diamonds at Anthracite park, at Simpson, where the club will play. A handsome grandstand is to be erected that will be convenient and ornamental. It is not likely that the grounds will be in good shape before the latter part of May.

Mr. Swift is getting a strong club together, and it will unquestionably cut a very large figure in the State league during the approaching season.

Among Knights of the Gloves.

George Williams, of the featherweight division, challenges George Dixon to a fight in private or public for \$5,000 a side.

Jim Corbett intends to take his prize on another trip to Europe before beginning training for his contest with Bob Fitzsimmons.

Peter Jackson, in replying to Slavina's recent challenge, states that he will box Slavina at no place in England except the National club.

Sam Holen, the colored boxer, whom George Dixon recently failed to stop in six rounds, has been matched to fight Joe Hopkins six rounds. The bout is scheduled to take place before the New York Athletic club on April 17.

Young Madden, the Brooklyn bantam weight boxer, will be matched shortly to fight "Jimmy" Barry, of Chicago. Madden says that Barry is willing to meet him. The only thing necessary now to ring about a mill is the signing of articles and the offer of a purse.

Dick O'Brien and Bobby Dohs, the welter-weight pugilists, have been matched to fight on a finish on April 1, at 15 pounds. The contest is to take place in Boston before a private club, and the winner is to be matched against Joe Walcott, to fight one month later.

Steve O'Donnell, the Australian pugilist, lost reputation at Boston by his failure to defeat the veteran Jake Kilrain. O'Donnell was in good condition, weighing 175 pounds, while Kilrain was fat and heavy, weighing 220 pounds.

They fought eight rounds, and at the close, Referee Pat Shephard, amid cries of "Kilrain's Brain," declared the contest a draw. Shephard five minutes to make up his mind what decision to make. Kilrain had the best of the last round, and at that time it looked as though he was going to put O'Donnell out.

Whirls of the Wheel.

In Chicago, where the Napoleonic make is now at its height, a new make of cycle has been manufactured the Napoleon.

The Black Manufacturing company, of Erie, has completed a bicycle which only weighs eight pounds and fourteen ounces.

Ex-President Charles Luscombe, of the League of American Wheelmen, has been appointed grand marshal of the cyclists' parade, to take place on the Coney Island cycle path on June 15.

Dierberger, the record-breaking Buffalo cyclist, is at Hot Springs preparing himself for the racket season. Dierberger expects to give Savage and Johnson a hard run for championship honors.

W. J. Corcoran, superintendent of the Waltham track, will have at his command this season two triple and six tandem teams to pace the crack racing men in their attempts at the records.

It is possible in England to send your last year's mount to the factory of the concern that made it, and at the expense of less than \$3 have it returned to you re-manufactured so as to look exactly as it did when first purchased.

The board of officers of the Massachusetts division has decided to give \$200 for the purchase of prizes for persons securing the largest number of league members during the present season. This indicates a desire on the part of the day state men to stand near the head of the line regarding membership.

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Curved from the Diamond.

Captain Tebeau has signed his brother, George, for Cleveland.

"Joe" Quest, who inherited a fortune

two years ago, has accepted an umpire'ship in the Texas league.

Tom Parrott has been ordered to put his slow ball on ice and depend solely on his speed this season.

McMahon is doing no pitching in practice at Macon, the chances are now 1 to 1 that his arm is permanently injured.

Stivets has reported to the Boston in excellent physical condition. He is many pounds lighter than he was at this period last year.

Jennings and McGraw have joined the Baltimore team at Macon. They confirm the rumor that the New Yorks will not get better than fifth place.

Catcher Jackson, of the Louisvilles, swings at 90-ounce bat, for which Peter Browning offered almost any price. The average bat weighs about forty ounces.

Reports from Galveston announce that Anson's new second baseman, Stewart, is showing up in practice as second Pfeffer. Anson has been trying to secure this youngster for a year.

Western dispatches say that Harry Staley reported in St. Louis weighing 60 pounds, against 220 last spring. If the figures are correct Staley has either lost a leg or is in the clutch of consumption.

The Pittsburg players left yesterday for Savannah, Ga., where they will train. On their arrival in that city the Brooklyn will leave for the interior. The Pittsburg will remain in the south until they open the season in Louisville.

The Washington team have elected Cartwright captain. Ex-Captain Joyce is "holding out" on account of the club's refusal to meet his demand for money, and Manager Schmelz declares he will play Crooks on third base if Joyce elects to remain in retirement.

An accident befell Gleason, of the Baltimore, which may keep him from the field for some time. Gleason was rubbing himself down with witch hazel when the bottle slipped out of his hand and the neck broke off. In trying to catch the bottle the pitcher stepped upon the broken glass, cutting a gash in the sole of his foot two inches long and three-quarters of an inch deep.

Cross and Hamilton, the two players of the Philadelphia team, were refused to sign contracts unless allowed an advance of \$300 over last season's salary, came to terms Tuesday, and signed contracts for the coming season. This makes the team complete, and the players, with Secretary Shelton and Manager Arthur Irwin, left yesterday for Hampton, Va., where they will begin springing.

DUNMORE DOINGS.

Fred Fritz has accepted a position in Providence, with Charles Henwood, Druggist.

A. B. Oliver has moved into the Potter homestead, corner of Green Ridge and Porter streets.

E. L. Washer, of Scranton, will remove to this place April 1, and occupy the house on Shoemaker street lately occupied by F. F. Swartz.

Large crowds gather nightly at Odd Fellows hall to attend the Indian village fair. Fancy articles are changed off every night; also many valuable articles are for sale; entertainment every evening. Last night was Red Man's night. Do not miss the fair. Only 10 cents admission. Contests will come off Saturday night.

J. P. Woodward and family have returned from Southern Pines, N. C., where they have resided since last winter. They will remain north until next winter. They will spend the summer among the hills of Wayne county. Mr. Woodward will extend the circulation of a paper devoted to boosting the resources and advantages of Southern Pines.

Willie Fay, of this town, better known in Pittston and Bethlehem as Frank Brewster, has returned home to his family on Dudley street. Willie's father, W. C. Fay, was sent for and became his bondsman at Pittston, bringing Willie home with him. The case at Pittston has been settled and Miss Mamie Nicolas, with whom he is charged with having eloped, is at her home in West Pittston.

Francis Dillon and Louise Lutz will hold an interesting entertainment in the lecture room of the Methodist Episcopal church Friday evening. The following excellent programme will be rendered by local talent: Recitation, Miss Jennie Eden; piano solo, Miss May Simpson; select reading, Miss Lucretia Miller; recitation, Miss Lizale Wetherall; solo, Henry Dreyer; recitation, Miss May Hughes; address by L. W. Dillon; select reading, Arthur Johnson; duet, Misses Grace and Elsie Powell; recitation, Miss Anna Young; select reading, recitation, Miss L. G. Keller; recitation, Miss Frances Dillon; selection, female quartet, Misses Marion Kinney, Mamie Townsend, Grace Powell, Louise Lutz.

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Overdrafts.....280.74

United States Bonds.....80,000.00

Other Bonds.....290,555.20

Real Estate.....28,073.46

Premiums on U. S. Bonds.....943.75

Due from U. S. Treasurer.....7,600.00

Due from Banks.....263,791.18

Cash.....159,876.86

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LIABILITIES.

Capital.....\$200,000.00

Surplus.....200,000.00

Undivided Profits.....72,350.00

Provision.....71,800.00

Dividends Unpaid.....520.50

Deposits.....1,637,214.98

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