Rather Than Mid-Winter.

CITY STREETS WERE CROWDED

Day Was Observed in a Oulet and Ra-

tional Manner and There Were Few

Disturbances Reported-Large Con-

gregations in the Churches.

"It doesn't seem like Christmas, at all," was heard on all sides yesterday as the speaker would contemplate the

spring weather, but it was Christmas and a right merry Christmas despite the decidedly un-Christmas like

worldly side of the day to overshadow

the true spirit of the occasion was evi-denced by the crowded church audi-

toriums throughout the city. Every-where the special Christmas services attracted large congregations and at

the central city churches, where excep-tionally fine musical programmes were rendered, there were instances of

crowding to the doors.

The children had their inning at day-break and in any house where there were children there was no sleep from that time on. The streets did not begin

to show much activity until after dinner except along the streets in the vicinity of the churches, which were

thronged at the opening and closing time of the services. After dinner,

promenaders were out in force and all afternoon a merry throng jostled along the avenues enjoying a "sunning," strange as the word may seem in con-

nection with Christmas.

There were few disturbances, and while daylight lasted not a single man was arrested in the central city and only a few in the outer precinets.

There were many visitors in the city spending the day with parents and friends and many small dinner parties

were held by reunited families in honor

of those who came home to spend the

Amos Hollister, of Schultzville, was in the city yesterday and stated that

yesterday morning he planted two acres of meadow land without difficulty. This is a remarkable record for this

SAM HOUSTON'S BUSY DAY.

Had to Wait His Turn.

the pleasant conversation for which he

was noted. After a time the man be-gan to grow impatient, and reminding

the general of the chalenge, asked him

if he was going to reply.

'Oh, yes," said Houston, "I'm going

Well, are you going to accept the

"Will you fix the date for tomorrow?"
"No, not tomorrow."

"No. I am not able now to fix a date. You saw me murder your friend's note; it is No. 49. There are forty-eight

ther blanked scoundrels ahead of your

to wait until his turn comes."

The bearer of the challenge bowed himself out; but of course his friend's

turn never came and it is not probabl that he was anxious for it to come.

In a Deadlier Field.

Cynical, but True.

Truth: Old Goodfello-"My boy, there's always a silver lining to the cloud." Young Grouty-"Maybe, but it's nothing but moonshine!"

RESCUED

On Lake Erie's Shores-The Captain's

Wife Tells the Story-It Will Interest Many People-

(From the Buffalo Evening News.)

If you were to call at 27 Front avenue

you would find a pleasant elderly lady, Mrs. Captin Henesy by name. Her kindly smile and joyous manner are to no small extent due to the escape she has had. Her own words can better describe her rescue and one can easily understand her present her better described.

scribe her rescue and one can easily understand her present happy condition when they realize what she has gone 'brough. She says: 'About five months ago I had an attack of sickness which lasted for a week and since that time I have been subject at intervals to similar attacks, some of which were longer in duration. It is hard for me to describe how I suffered. The pain would commence in my head, after which it would seem to pass down my body and settle in my back, my sides ached, my back ached, and I had a feeling of great distress in the bowels. The

ROOF THRING ARD SOLDERING

"No, not the next day either."
"Well, will you fix a date?"

hallenge of my friend?"
"Certainly I will acept it."

to reply.

'Next day?'

duelling was much more com

weather

News of the Suburbs.

day school last evening an excellent programme was rendered.

Mrs. Fidler, of Wayne avenue, is slightly indisposed at her home.

Harry Skeleton, of Wilkes-Barre, was a guest at the Bristol house yesterday.

W. H. Williams, of Plymouth, spent Chirtsmas visiting D. F. Davis, of Summit avenue. Cleaned Sultana Rai-.10

Extra Lemon Peel, per lb., - .10 Extra Leghorn Citron, per lb., .12 4 lbs. Mixed Candy. - - .25

3 lbs. Clear Toys, - - - .25

SCRANTON and TAYLOR.

WEST SIDE EVENTS.

Exercises Commemorative of Christma Day Hold in This Part of the City. Other News of the Day.

The choir of the Simpson Methodist Episcopal church delighted a large audience last evening by rendering special Christmas music. The choris-ter, William Jones, had arranged a fine programme of solos, duets, chorus singing, etc. At St. David's church special music was given by the choir at 7, 10.30 a.m., and at 7,30 p.m. Rev. M. H. Mill, rector of the church, preached at the

morning service.

An entertainment was given last even-An entertainment was given last even-ing at the Weish Calvinistic Methodist church. A large crowd was present. The members of the Sunday school re-ceived confectionery in small packages in honor of the celebration. Mrs. George Howell and Professor Evan Miles conducted the affair.

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The Sunday school of the Belley—Welsh Calvinistic Methodist church held appropriate exercises last evening. Rev. J. T. Morris presided, Recitations, solos and chorus singing afforded excellent entertainment for the large crowd present

crowd present. A sunrise meeting was held yesterday morning at the Jackson Street Baptist church. The meeting was begun at 7 o'clock under the leadership of B. T. Stone. The audience was composed chiefly of young people.

Christmas tree exercises were held last evening at the Jackson Street Bap-tist church. There was a large attend-

A Welsh costume tea party was held yesterday afternoon and evening in the Tabernacle church. The basement of the church was used as the tea room. Several tables, neatly arranged, took up the entire floor. The waitresses were dressed in the regulation native Welsh costume, sugarloaf hats, etc. A concert was given in the evening, at which Rev. D. P. Jones presided.

Bungarians and Poles Fight. Last evening at 6 o'clock about forty men fought with fists, sticks and stone on Jackson street, near Filmore ave nue. It was a race scrimmage. About half of the fighters were Polanders; the rest were Hungarians. The crowd entered the saloon of Patrick Gannon, on Jackson street and while inside a fight was started, the two nationalities taking sides with two of their countrymen. Afterward the battle was begun anew on the street. One Hungarian was badly beaten. The coming of police officers was noised about in the crowd and they dispersed,

carrying with them the injured Hun. His name or whereabouts could not be ascertained. Hungarians celebrated the day at Feltzville in their own novel manner. Seven of them, dressed in curious costumes, paraded the streets and visited the numerous hotel keepers during the morning. Five were dressed in white linen suits and wore high paper hats. Two of the paraders wore suits made of wolves' skins with the hair side out. ascertained. Hungarians celebrated

Has Improved His Property. That enterprising business man. Druggist John J. Davies, has improved the exterior appearance of his Main avenue pharmacy by a new coat of paint. The brick work has received a bath of red paint with white trim-mings. The contrast is artistic and bath of red painters is artistic and mings. The contrast is artistic and the general effect pleasing. Painter Frederick Becker personally superin-

News Notes and Personnis. An infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Campbell will be buried this afternoon in the Hyde Park Catholic cemetery. Misses Jessie Owen and Winnie Stevens spent yesterday with Miss Grace Evans, of Wilkes-Barre.

of Wilkes-Barre.

A handsomely decorated Christmas tree, with a natural environment of miniature lakes, etc., was admired by many yesterday at the North Hyde Park avenue home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Labar. The tree is placed upon an earthen embankment in the front parlor. On the end opposite to where the tree stands is a small lake with several live fish in it. A miniature gunboat is stationed by a small tier. The whole creation is lighted by numerous candles. Mr. Labar spent three weeks in its construction.

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Tomorrow evening the social circle of the Simpson Methodist Episcopal church will entertain its friends in the church parlors. A short programme will be rendred and refreshments will be served.

The children's festival will be conducted next Saturday evening at St. David's church. The day is known to Episcopalians as "Holy Innocents' Day."

West Side Business Directory. UMBING-William D. Griffiths, 113 North Main avenue, does first-class Numbing, Steam Heat and Gas Fitting. Satisfaction is strictly guaranteed. SKATES-Club, Strap and Lever, all

KATES—Club, Strap and Lever, all sizes; lowest price; nice present. Grand double heaters, \$18 and up. Dock Ash range and shelf, \$18 and up. R. J. Hughes, 12t South Main avenue.

ARBER—Hair cutting and shaving done in a first-class manner at John H. Reyneld's Barber Shop, at Fairchild's Hotel. PLOWERS FOR THE HOLIDAYS—At 10 South Main avenue, near Jackson street. Funeral designs a specialty. Harriet J. Davis, manager.

ICYCLES repaired, scissors ground, tools sharpened, saws filed, keys fitted, machines repaired by W. L. Steenback, dealer in Guns, Fishing Tackie, under West Side bank.

HOTOGRAPHER—Cabinet Photos, \$1.40 per dozen. They are just lovely. Convince yourself by calling at Starner's Photo Parlors, 10t and 102 South Main avenue.

venue.
COND HAND FURNITURE—Cash for nything you have to sell. Furniture, toves. Tools, etc. Call and see the tock of J. C. King, 1024 and 1036 Jackon street.

Special sale of Holiday Wines for fam-use, 25 cents per quart, at James F.

NORTH END. Grier is seriously III at her ayes avenue. Aristmas tree exercises of the Avenue Baptist church sun-

Arrivanus.

Mrs. Howell Powell of Spring street, is suffering from erysipelas of the face.

At the North Main Avenue Baptist church next Sunday morning and evening, services appropriate to Christmas will be given. given.

Mulley's Triple store and Clarke Store company will play indoor base ball tomortow evening at Company H armory.

DUNMORE

Mr. and Mrs. E. U. Wert, of North Blakely street were the guests of relatives at Wilkes-Barre yesterday. Prayer meeting will be held in the Pres-byterian church tonight at 7.30. Miss Bessie Shepherd, of Grove street, is the guest of Miss Mame Cranston, of Avoca.

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Christmas exercises will be held in the Episcopal church on Potter street this evening. An interesting programme has been prepared and all are most cordially invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Bingham, of Cherry street, were the guests of the latter's parents at West Pittston yesterday.

W. D. becker and family, of Cherry street, spent Christmas with friends and relatives in Hawley.

Mr. and Mrs. William Beckendorf, of Pittston, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Shrank, of Collins street.

A very interesting Christmas programme was rendered at the Dudley Street Baptist church last night, which was enjoyed by a good sized audience. The pastor. Rev. O'Neill, was presented with a beautiful necktie case, and the superintendent, Mr. Bogart, was the recipient of a handsome glove case.

At the Methodist church last night-a

glove case.

At the Methodist church last night a large crowd was well pleased with the excellent programme of Christmas exercises given by the Sunday school. The parts were all well taken and the participants

were all well taken and the participants deserve great credit.

The fair of the Indepedent and A. D. Spencer Hose companies had a very auspicious opening last night. An enormous crowd was present, and enjoyed the evening's programme. The hall is very tastefully decorated, and many useful articles are for sale. A good deal of friendly rivalry exists between the contestants for the many valuable articles which are being worked for very zealonsly.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Swartz and daughter. Edna. of Carbondale, are visiting relatives in town.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fox, of Carbondale, were Christmas visitors in town.

Annie Black died at the residence of her mother on Walnut street at 2 p. m. yesterday. Funeral Friday at 10 o'clock. A solemn high mass of requiem will be celebrated at St. Mary's church. Interment in Dunmore Catholic cemetery.

Resolutions on Death of Allen D. Shiffer At a regular meeting of Railroad Lodge, No. 422, Knights of Pythias, the following resolutions were unanimous ly adopted

ly adopted:

It is with heartfelt sorrow that we are called upon to announce that death has invaded our ranks and taken from our midst Brother Allen D. Shiffer.

Whereas, God in His infinite wisdom has seen fit to remove from our midst by death our esteemed brother, thereby reminding us of the uncertainty of life; be it therefore

fore
Resolved, That while we bow in obedience to the decree of Divine Providence, we deeply deplore the loss and shall fondly cherish the memory of our departed brother. In the death of Brother Shiffer our order has lost one of its ablest supporters, a faithful friend and society an honored member.

norters, a faithful friend and society an honored member.

Resolved, That we tender the members of the bereaved family, especially the mother, our sympathy, knowing how inadequate are words to lessen the desolation of the heart, but earnestly wishing it were in our power to allay the grief and anguish of the ones deeply bereaved. Resolved, That as a token of respect for our deceased brother, our charter be draped in mourning for the space of thirty days; that a page of our record be dedicated to the memory of our departed brother; that a copy of these resolutions be presented to his mother, and that they be published in the Scranton daily papers.

A. J. Brutzman. A. J. Brutzman, E. M. Tewksbury, H. J. Ferrell.

BALL OF EXCELSIOR CLUB.

t Was Held in Music Hall Yesterday Afternoon and Evening. The thirteenth annual ball of the Excelsior Athletic club was held yesterday in Music Hall. Dancing began at 1 p. m. and was enjoyed until 6 o'clock; then an intermission was taken until 9:30, when the festivity was recommenced. The order of dancing comprised thirty

two numbers and was thoroughly en-joyed by a large attendance. Miss Katie Reardon was the planist; T. A. McGouldrick was general man-ager; Mathew Murphy master of ceremonies, assisted by James Quinnan The committees consisted of the follow ing: A. J. Gordon, James Caveny Charles Wiggins, John Boland, T. J Quinnan, P. J. Langan, Edward Burkhouse, P. J. Durkin, John J. Collins, Patrick McGowan, J. J. Murphy, Pat-rick Murphy, Hugh Serfass, Martin Quinn, Thomas Langan, James Honan, John Tighe, Patrick Coleman, Thomas Ryan, Patrick Clark, Michael O'Brien, John McGowan, John Keefe, William Kane, Edward Dempsey, John J. Ho-nan and John Guy. John J. Mullarkey was prompter.

DIDN'T KNOW IT WAS LOADED

Brothers Were Shooting Yesterday and One of Them Had the Above Thought. Joseph Potter, the 16-year-old son of Bernard Potter, a gardener of Dix court, was shot through the wrist yes-terday morning by his brother, Willie a few years younger than him. The wound is not serious, only superficial. The boy was taken to the Lackawanna hospital and Drs. Fulton and Logan extracted the missile.

The boys were target shooting and

Willie picked up the gun, not thinking that it was loaded. While he was handling it the shot was fired accidentally and the builet went whizzing into Jo-seph's wrist, who was standing close by.

DEATH OF REV. DANIELS.

The Well-Known Weish Minister Will Be Buried Today.

The venerable old Congregational minister, Rev. Daniel Daniels, late of Clifford, Susquehanna county, Pa. passed away last Sunday evening at his daughter's home, at Hazleton. He was the oldest Welsh Congregational pastor in the state and one of the most respected ones. He will be buried to day at Clifford.

The train will leave Hazleton at 9 a. m. and reaches Carbondale at 11 a. m., where conveyances will meet that train to take the remains to be interred in the cemetery of the Welsh settle-ment, where he has been a faithful minister for over forty years.

GOT A BAD FALL.

Dr. Haggerty's Jockey Thrown from His Horse and Rendered Unconscious. West Bide bank.

HOTOGRAPHER—Cabinet Photos, \$1.40
per dozen. They are just lovely. Conyourself by calling at Starner's
Photo Parlors, 10 and 102 South Main
avenue.

ROCERIES—Revere Standard Java Cofles is unexcelled. The ladding coffe of
the day. For sale only at F. W. Mason
to Co. Pine Groceries, 118 South Main
twenue.

Walter Miller, a jockey in the employ
of Dr. Haggerty, was thrown while riding on Franklin avenue, near Spruce
street, yesterday aftersoon and rendered unconscious by his head coming
in contact with the sidewalk. He also
sustained a cut in the head, but after
a little attention from the bystanders
was able to walk to his quariers.

He was riding without a saddle and Walter Miller, a jockey in the employ

He was riding without a saddle and when the horse, which was young and scarcely broken, gave a sudden leap to the side at the approach of an ejectric car, the jockey was pitched headforemost to the sidewalk. The horse was caught at Mulberry street.

For Dyspepsia Use Borsford's Acid Phosphate. Dr. J. R. Schwarts, Harrisburg, Pa., says: "I have used it in dyspepsia, with charming effect, and am well pleased with it." SOUTH SIDE NEWS.

Young Men's Political Club Organized in the Twentieth : Ward-Officers That Havo Been Chosen-Other News.

The Young Men's Political club is the name of an organization just banded together, comprising a number of the aspiring citizens of the Twentieth ward. James J. Brady is president; Patrick Flaherty, vice-president; James J. Tou-hil, treasurer, and James Herty, secre-tary. The aim and object of the club is to wield an influence in the coming spring election and to have a say about who is to be alderman, councilman and school controller.

The young men are energetic and ac-tive; they represent probably forty other young men equally as aggressive and can be relied upon to make their mark in the politics of the ward. They will meet after the holidays to formulate a plan of campaign.

Foot Ball at Moosic. The Juvenile foot ball club of the Twentieth ward journeyed to Moosic yesterday afternoon and contested on the gridiron with an eleven from that place. The Juveniles are a sturdy lot of young fellows under eighteen years of age and they had no trouble in defeating that compatitions from the lowfeating their competitors from the low-er end of the county. The victory was shut-out, the score resulting 12 to 0 in the South Side young men's favor. About five hundred persons from here went down to cheer their favorites on to victory. The street cars were so crowded with enthusiasts that as many as two dozen were perched on the roof of every car coming from Moosic be-tween 5 and 6 o'clock in the evening.

Marriage at Greenwood. This evening a prominent young ouple of Greenwood will be united in matrimony. George B. W. Doud will be the groom and his bride-elect is Miss Ann Eliza Rawson. Mr. Doud is book-keeper in the office of the Greenwood Coal company. The ceremony will be performed at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rawson, by Rev. Mr. Lindamuth, pastor of the Moosic Presbyterian church. It will take place at 8 o'clock.

Shorter Paragraphs of News.

The social of the Big Five at Germa-

nia hall yesterday afternoon and even-ing was a successful affair. Tonight will witness the contest for the nomination of officers of the Scran-ton Athletic club. A year ago the same rivalry existed and about a half dozen cashs were out beinging. cabs were out bringing members from their homes on account of the severity of the weather. It is rumored that the South steel

mill will resume operations the second week of January.

IS POSTPONED ONE WEEK. uperior Court Will Not Organize in This

City Until Jan. 13. It was the original intention to hav the superior court organize in this city in the Federal court building on January 6, but it has been decided by the judges to postpone the event one week until January 13. As the list for the coming term is not very large the length of the term has also been cut down from

three to two weeks. Judge Rice will continue to be the president judge of the new court. The act of assembly creating the court provided that the judges after election should draw lots and in that way de-cide who would be the president judge. This has been done and the honor has fallen to Judge Rice, of Wilkes-Barre. who was named as president judge by Governor Hastings when he made his appointments immediately after the creation of the court.

At the coming term a number of cases which were not reached at the recent sitting in Philadelphia will come up for a hearing, having been certified to for a hearing this district.

this district.

The new court will relieve the supreme court of a great deal of the business that has in the past encumbered that calendar. One of the members of the Lackawanna bar recently went through a volume of supreme court reports and found that about one-half of the cases there reported came under the jurisdiction of the new court. If that ratio holds good with reference to all the cases that are carried up to the that ratio holds good with reference to all the cases that are carried up to the higher court the new branch of the state judiciary will have plenty of work

WAYLAID AND BEATEN.

Russians Set Upon One of Their Own John Kadletis, a Russian, whose residence is at the High Works, was received at the Lackawanna hospital about midnight. He had five deep gashes in his head and was otherwise

badly battered. He claimed to have been waylaid and beaten by enemies among his com-patriots as he was walking home on the railroad track near Tripp's crossing. No attempt was made to rob him, he says, and he attributes the assault to grudge which some of his countrymen

RHYME, QUIP AND JEST.

His Cross. He crossed the ocean many times Without a thought of fear; He crossed the rugged Alpine range. He crossed the Brooklyn trolley tracks, Nor trembled for his life; And yet he doesn't dare to cross His little brown-eyed wife,
—Atlanta Constitution.

"Have you though about doing any Christmas shopping yet?" asked Mr. Hun-"No, dear;" was the reply, "It is a little early for such preparations, isn't it?"
"M'yes. But it's as well to take time by

the forelock, you know. Have you a memorandum book handy?" "Well, you might jot down these little points. Here's the brand of cigars that I prefer. They cannot by any possibility be purchased at a bargain. Here is the number of slipper that I wear, and you might make a note of the fact that my preference in neckties is dark red, with a small black figure, also that I do not need any suspenders."

And she thanked him, and wrote it all

Where Extremes Meet. Now gentle woman, at the play man's wistful nature shocks By wearing, in her inconsistent way, So little on her shoulders in the far-off private box.
So much upon her hat in the parquet.

Washington Star. "I wonder," said Boothby Forrest, to a member of the same cast with himself. "why it is that so many professional actors assume to look down on us amateurs?"

teurs?"
"They're jealous," replied Salvinny Irvington, confidently. "They're jealous because we don't have to walk as far as they do to get home in case a performance fails." Washington Star.

Our Beautiful Pronunciation.
A servant girl living in Gloucester When told what to do simply toucester Head. "Twas her way.

None, we must say,
As far as we knew, ever houcester.

As far as we knew; ever boucester. Detroit Tribune.

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Quick pulse, especially noticeable in the evening and after a full meal. Chilliness in the evening, followed by 1 Slight fever. Perspiration toward morning and

Pale face and languid in the morning. 1 Loss of vitality.

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THE DOCTOR'S ADVICE.

W. L. K., Chicago,—Am troubled with functoinal weakness. What shall I take? Testine, twice daily. Use cold-water And the Man Who Wanted to Fight Him From the Knoxville Journal. In the days of General Sam Houston

daily. Hot bathing locally, with a tea-spoonful of borax in each basin of After removing to Texas, General P. R. S., Detroit.-Testine for the local Houston happened to give offense to a political opponent, who felt his honor disfigured to such an extent that he trouble, and Cerebrine for the melan-cholia and nervousness. Natrouthic

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