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CITY NOTES.

After tomorrow, days of grace will cease to have legal existence in Pennsylvania. The Turners held their annual Christmas exercises at their hall, on Seventh street, Sunday night. At 2:30 a. m. dinner will be served in the parlors of the Grand Ridge Presbyterian church New Year's Day. Supper at 6 p. m.

DAY OF SOCIETY EVENTS

Several Receptions, Dancing Parties and Other Events.

THE PARKE DANCING PARTY

Was Attended by an Unusually Large Number from Abroad—Receptions by Mrs. Sturges and Mrs. Leet—The Wheel Club.

No less than five important social events and others of a lesser and more informal nature took place yesterday. Receptions for guests from out of town were given by Mrs. J. Sturges and Mrs. N. Y. Leet; a dancing party was given by Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Parke for their daughter, Miss Bessie, and visiting guests; Mr. and Mrs. E. Leonard gave a dancing party for Miss Maloney, of Philadelphia, daughter of Martin Maloney, and the Monday afternoon club met at the home of Mrs. Frank D. McElroy.

THE YOUNG MEN'S RECEPTIONS.

Will Be Given by the Young Men's and Young Women's Christian Associations.

Both the Young Men's and Young Women's Christian associations have arranged for New Year's day receptions tomorrow. The Young Men's Christian association reception is an annual affair. The room will be decorated with Christmas greens and scores of incandescent lights and will be open from 2:30 o'clock until almost any hour at night. Concerts will be rendered in the afternoon and evening and the entire affair will be managed by Secretary Mahy. Physical Director Hoff and a large committee which has been at work several days will render the afternoon's chief event will be a gymnastic exhibition, including dumb bell drill, obstacle race, club passing, running high jump contest, bag race and wheelbarrow race, and concluding with a basket ball game. In the evening the concert by the New York Male quartette will be free to members; 10 cents will be charged for a reserved seat and 75 cents admission for non-members. The quartette consists of Vernon Hughes and William T. Harris, tenors; Donald Lane, bass, and Harry B. Matthews, baritone. They will be assisted by Miss Nellie Nichols, accompanist and reader. In the Young Women's Christian association rooms on Washington avenue an "open house" will be kept from 4 to 9 o'clock. The reception and entertainment will be given by the invitation and entertainment committee, of which Mrs. Frank Watts and Miss Minnie Munson, respectively, are chairmen. Attractive refreshments will be displayed. A gymnastic exhibition under the direction of the instructor, Miss Jeanette Adams, will be given, beginning at 4:30 o'clock. Light refreshments will be served during the reception. In the absence from the city of Miss Tolles, the secretary, who has been called away by the illness of a relative, the arrangements are now being prepared by Miss VanNort, the assistant secretary, and the two committees.

BURLESQUE ON TRILBY.

It Was Seen at the Frothingham Theater Last Night.

The majority of those who witnessed the production of "Trilby" at the Frothingham last evening are still asking themselves whether their evening was thoroughly enjoyed or not. The reason for this condition may be found in the construction of the burlesque. The skit was written for New Yorkers and those having it in charge have not seen fit to season it to suit the general palate. It is not much more than a wide success upon the assumption that the audience has read Du Maurier's book and witnessed Potter's dramatization thereof. Last night's cast was eminently competent to interpret a piece of much greater pretensions than "Trilby." Amelia Stone has a charming voice, but she is not in the best of voice, in which she wraps her singing makes it impossible for us to catch more than the merest glimpse of the song itself. Miss Perkins was a luxuriant "Trilby." Elizabeth Darius Day was quite beyond expression in the too-small part of the Zulu. Louis Wesley as "Joeko" evidenced an appreciation of his workshop of a knockabout art. That is high art-at times. Its accepted name is ground and lofty tumbling. Sol Aiken did all that the party of Spaghetti demanded. Mark Murphy was a successful comedian. Both Scranton favorites, can not complain of lack of opportunities for the display of their peculiar brands of histrionic talent. Both are capital entertainers. Their monologues were good and were well received by the audience. Master Roy Sinclair sang two selections, revealing a voice of much sweetness and power.

CHILDREN MADE HAPPY.

Christmas Exercises at Second Presbyterian Church Yesterday Mission. The volunteer mission connected with the Second Presbyterian church, was the scene last evening of merry Christmas exercises. About two hundred children were made happy by gifts of books, toys, candies and apples. Preceding the distribution of presents an attractive programme was given. Among the numbers were pleasing recitations by Gertrude Hale and Gretchen Haslam and a short address by Dr. C. E. Robinson. The Sunday School orchestra led by William Allen, rendered several brilliant selections and the Christmas carols, which the children had rehearsed under the direction of E. G. Cousins were rendered with a dash which always accompanies light hearts and eager faces. The decorations were tastefully arranged and the tree was beautifully illuminated with colored electric lights.

Will Start the Year Right.

Buck, Whitmore & Co., proprietors of the Scranton Business College, announce that their school will reopen after its holiday vacation, on Monday, January 6, and that a very large number of new students will enter at that time. The success of this college is something phenomenal. Perhaps the fact that it employs none but experienced teachers, and that the demand for graduates is greater than the supply has something to do with it. Their new illustrated journal is out and a postal request will bring one to you. Taylor's New Index Map of Scranton and Dunmore For sale at Taylor's Directory office, Tribune building, or given with an order for the Scranton Directory 1896.

POLITICAL JOTTINGS.

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