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COMING ATTRACTIONS.

cess of last season at almer's theater, being afterward transferred to the Academy of Music by Mr. Frohman, where it ran the season out. It is a forceful dramatic work, much superior in composition to the average drama, and the management have provided a strong company of players especially adapted to their parts. The company carry a car load of special scenery for the production, and the play will be given here in a superior manner. The given here in a superior manner.

"One of the Bravest" will be produced at the Academy of Music this evening. This well known and population lar play illustrates forcibly the deep tional chairs had to be brought in to interest the majorily of play-goer: take in the simple and ordinary things of who came in late. The front tiers of seats were occupied by the representatives of the ladies' societies. Their character, Larry Howard, is a member presence in such gratifying numbers of the New York Fire department, and prompted Delegate Frank McLain, of as such he rescue the immates of a the St. Paul's, to launch a movement burning house in a heroic manner. This for the formation of a National Cathoscene is excellent, in fact one of the ile Total Abstinence union of ladies most realistic ever presented upon the along the lines of the Women's Chrisstage. Other scenes of special men tion are the explosion of the steam-ship in the first act and the Chinese opium joint scene in the last act.

times is the revival of wholesome fun are not a sufficient number of ladies' making comic operas. Our reader: will societies as yet organized, so the matter be pleased to hear that there will be was allowed to rest. inaugurated an engagement of popula: magarated an engagement of popular priced comic opera at the Academy of Music commencing on Thursday even-ing next by the Mackay Opera com-pany. This organization is claimed to be one of the best that has ever presented popular priced opera in this city and numbers turrty artists, many of whom are familiar to our opera-going public. Prices during this engagement are 10, 20 30 and 50 cents.

A strong melodrama, "The Smug-A strong melodrama, "The Smug-piers," will be presented at Davis thea-ter commencing this afternoon. The plot deals with the heroism of Jack Bardy, a young revenue officer, who coes through a veriety of adventures in his attempt to cope with a band of smugglers. Hardy cherishes a seem-ingly hopeless regulation for the are united, or that happiness is meted out to the virtuous, while less pleasant things are alloted to the unprincipled among the characters. Arthur E. Sprague plays the part of Jack Hardy, the young revenue officer; Miss Maymie Sheridan, the beroine, Edith Lyndon. The balance of the care leading. The balance of the cast includes the following competent people: Lawrence Helmes, Willie Marble, Charles Barrington, Frank J. Garman, James O'Leary, T. F. Williams, Harry Bronson and Miss Mary Marble.

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THEIR MILITARY CORPS IN LINE

Yesterday's Quarterly Convention of the C. T. A. U. Takes Action on the Venezuelan Matter - Other Important Questions Considered.

One hundred and twenty delegates representing the societies of the second district of the Catholic Total Abstinence union in quarterly convention in St. John's hall, Pine Brook, yesterday adopted resolutions endorsing the action of the president of the United States in the Venezuelan affair and assuring him of the sunport of the military companies

of the support of the military companies of the union if it is necessary to enforce the Monroe doctrine by war. The second district of the Scranton The second district of the Scranton Diocesan union comprises all the Father Mathew societies in and about Scranton, numbering about 3,000 men and baving drilled corps in which are encolled nearly one-third of the membership. They would be capable of puttinga well disciplined, thoroughly drilled and efficiently officered regiment in the field almost as expeditiously as the regular state militia and as is evident their resolution of yesterday is of no mean consequence.

mean consequence.

The committee on resolutions has made its report and the routine husiness of the convention was being proceeded with when Captain James Duggan, of with when Captain James Duggan, of the Father Whitty society, of Providence, who was among the spectators, asked for the privilege of the floor, and this being granted called the attention of the meeting to what he deemed an accidental oversight in the committee on resolutions falling to give some expression on the all prevailing question of the day. Business was immediately suspended and the committee was sent back to draft a resolution expressing the convention's approbation of President Cleveland's patriotic stand. After a short recess the committee, through its chairman, J. C. Gallagher, returned and read the following, which was adopted with ringing applause:

President's Action Endorsed. President's Action Endorsed.

"Resolved that we heartily endorse the president of the United States for his manly declaration in upholding the Monroe doctrine, and that we can safely pledge to him the support of the military corps of this district in defense

of that doctrine if necessary."

When the cheering which followed the unanimous adoption of the resolution had subsided Thomas McLain, of the St. Paul's moved a vote of thanks to 'aptain Duggan for reminding the convention of the omission. Captain Duggan in turn thanked the gathering for the courtesy extended him and in concluding a neat little speech, said: "A good Catholic must needs be a good citizen. Catholic Total Abstinence men are among the best of Catholics, there-fore they must be among the best of Leckawanna avenue hill from Ninth citizens for good old mother church teaches us to be true to the flag even to death."

company is under the direction of Juli-us Cain. was the largest since the inception of these quarterly gatherings. When Chairman Timothy J. McCoy called the meeting to order at 2.30 p. m. every seat in the hall was taken and additian Temperance union, which he held up as highly worthy of emulation by the Catholic women of America. The con-vention, however, felt that the time was not ripe for the formation of such a society owing to the fact that there

Enforcement of License Law.

The question which brought out the Delawar most animated discussion was that of railroad. vigilance committees to secure an en forcement of the license laws, which was introduced at the last convention by James F. Judge, of the Diocesan Index, and which was referred to the different societies for discussion. The resolution in full was that a committee of one from each society be appointed to hear reports of violation of the liquor laws and report them to the spiritual director to be made the subject of legal

action. P. J. Mulhern, of the St. Joseph's, of Minooka, strenuously objected to the measure because he believed it was far from proper to send Father Mathew men spying about speak-easies and sa-loons, which their organization bids them avoid; and further, he did not ap-prove of asking the spiritual directors of societies to meddle in a matter which the law is supposed to attend to, Mr. Judge, the father of the motion, claimed that Mr. Mulhern had a wrong conception of the intent of the motion. It was far from his mind, he said, to make spies out of the Father Mathew men or to send them to visit saloons. His purpose was to have a committee of one from each society to devise a plan for securing a proper enforcement of the the shoe firm of Goldsmith Bros., now

The president of the Diocesan union, J. J. O'Hara, of Wilkes-Barre, who oc-cupled a seat on the platform, aroused Mr. Judge's ire by remarking that there was intelligence enough in the convention to properly appreciate the intent of the motion, and predicted that it would be snowed under beyond resur-

"It is poor grace for the president of this union," said Mr. Judge, "to inter-fere here to influence this convention. I think he has overstepped his bounds. Mr. O'Hara made no retort, but ha he satisfaction of seeing his prediction

The Anti-Treating Measure. The anti-treating measure, which was another of Mr. Judge's ideas, was not considered. One thing, however, which originated with the aggressive editor thickness of boiler metal. originated with the aggressive editor of the Index and which met with favor Catholic women who cared to affiliate themselves with the total abstinence movement by taking the pledge and promising to discourage drinking as much as they can, not being expected however to take any cognizance of the obnoxious clause in the much discussed 'Appeal to Women" which advises them

"Appeal to Women" which advises them to sacrifice a tippling lover rather than risk becoming a drunkard's wife.

The project to establish a paper to be the organ of the union was killed by a vigorous onslaught by J. C. Gallagher who advict the members to pay up their subscriptions to the temperance papers and freely patronize the daily papers which are ever ready to liberally give their space to the cause of temperance. John H. Devine, ex-president of the union, did not look kindly upon a union organ and let his opinions be known in no uncertain language. The motion that passed was that it is the sense of the convention that it is inexpedient to attempt to establish a Diocesan union paper.

M. J. O'Toole, chairman of the committee appointed to consider the scheme for building a Father Mathew hall in Scranton, was unable to be present, but sent a letter reporting that the matter was under way and by the next convention plans would be ready for presentation.

In response to a request for informa-

Edward McGoff Succumbed to an Attack of Heart Pailure.

ttis Prayers in His Pew-Carried to the Rear of the Church

Edward McGoff, an aged resident of aisle, close to the sanctuary rail.

After kneeling down to pray an at-tack of weakness overcame him and he sat up in the pew. Those around no-ticed that something was wrong with him; he made several ineffectual attempts to arise and go out. Just as the priest was ascending the altar, the de-ceased got very weak and fell over on his side

Lev. J. A. O'Rellly, the rector.

Died While the Choir Sang the Gloria no effect. The man died in a few min-utes, he lived about a quarter of an hour after being carried down the aisle. The choir was singing the Gloria when the life left his body.

used to convey the body to Mr. McGoff's Contractor May accompanied the re-

and he visited the residence in the afternoon. Therebeing no presumption other than that death was due to either heart failure or apoplexy, Dr. Long-street, therefore, considered an inquest unnecessary and he gave a permit for

attentive and devoted to the welfare of

He was employed at the Bellevue breaker of the Delaware, Lackawanna breaker of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western as an outside workman, and had been in the employ of the com-pany for the past thirty years. He ac-cumulated valuable property in Belle-

in Its Recommendations.

Additional Room Needed. 1. That new walls be constructed from the top of the second story. 2. That a new and more substantial roof be placed on the court house. 3. That the third story be furnished for

3. That the third story be furnished for occupancy.

4. That an additional court room and jury rooms be completed and furnished.

5. That the roadway under the court house be paved.

6. That an electric plant for lighting the court house be established.

7. That a passenger elevator communicating with the several floors be placed in the court house.

8. That suitable changes he made to comply with the law in regard to the separation of the males and females in ceils of the county jail.

We desire to testify to the courtesy and

WAS A RESIDENT OF BELLEVUE

Attacked by Weakness While Saying Where He Expired.

Believue, died suddenly of apoplexy at the 10.30 mass in St. Peter's cathedral yesterday morning. He arrived at the church a few minutes before Rev. M. J. Millane, the celebrant of the mass, left the sacristy, and took a seat in the right

Contractor P. F. May, of Bellevue, who knew him well, was in the pew ahead and he immediately came to the stricken man's assistance. Mr. Ma. actous form down to the entrance of the cathedral; John J. O'Boyle, of Vine street, one of the ushers, hastened to the episcopal residence and summoned

Rev. Father O'Reilly administered the last rites of the church, and then Dr. R. Burns, of Wyoming avenue, arrived. Mr. McGoff was in the last stage of animation when the doctor arrived and the application of restoratives had

A double carriage owned by Mrs. Garvey, of Bellevue, was hitched in front of the cathedral and this was home, 427 Railroad avenue, Rev. Father O'Reilley, Senator J. C. Vaughan and

roner S. P. Longstreet was notified

interment.

Mr. McGoff leaves a grown up family of four children. He was father of Edward J. McGoff, clerk in the grocery store of James J. O'Malley, of Railroad avenue His long life was one of rectitude, and he was respected by all who were acquainted with him. In his way he was a quiet, unostentatious citizen, attentive and devoted to the weigers of

Congregation Not Aware of His Death.

The majority of the congregation was not aware of the happening until mass was over. Very few knew that the man who was carried out was Edward Mc-Goff, for the repose of whose soul the priest and the people offered up their prayers just before the sermon was preached.

CHANGES AT COURT HOUSE.

Their Necessity Urged by the Grand Jury On Saturday the grand jury made its

final report to court and was dis-charged. Among the recommendations made were several with regard to im-provements at the court house in line

Court of Quarter Sessions of Lackawanna County.

Gentlemen:—The grand Inquest inquiring in and for the county of Lackawanna respectfully report as follows:

We have completed the work as set before us by the district attorney in as expeditious a manner as possible, doing full justice as far as we know how, to the several prosecutors.

We find the different departments of the county jail to be in a condition, indicating care and attention on the part of those in charge of the same. The buildings is in no present need of repair. We find the third story walls and roof of the court house to be in an unsafe condition, the basement of the same sadily in need of a thorough renovation, and the work of the county materially retarded for want of sufficient room. We, therefore, make the following recommendations to be acted upon as speedily as circumstances will permit:

Additional Room Needed.

efficiency of the district attorney. John R. Jones, and to the valuable assistance rendered by him to the grand jury, all of which is respectfully submitted, Clarence D. Flon, Foreman.

Clarence D. Flon, Foreman.
Twenty-seven true bills and seventyeight ignored bills were reported by the
jury Saturday. The total number of
cases considered during the week was 138, of which 124 were ignored and 74 true bills found. After making its report the jury was discharged with the thanks of the court. The true bills reported Saturday were:

True Bills Returned.

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Felonious wounding—Simon Arushus Thomas Leyshon, pros.; Joseph Mullinskey, Thomas Leyshon, pros.; Joseph Leshuskey, Thomas Leyshon, pros.; Patseph Leshuskey, Thomas Leyshon, pros.

False pretences—Louis Schenck, Henry Goodman, pros.

Assult and battery—Michael Kivritski, Samuel M. Miller, pros.; Patrick Langan, John Heffron, pros.; Edwin Lloyd, Calib Jones, pros.; William I., Bates, Annie Hassak, prox.; T. H. C., Maloney, Patrick Maloney, pros.; M. O'Horo, Thomas May, pros.

Malichous mischlef—William Thornton, David J. Thomas, pros.

Pointing pistol—Patrick Langan, Annie Heffron, prox.

Aggravated assault and battery—Martin Syron, James McGinty, Nelson Anderson, pros. erson, pros. Larceny by ballee-C. H. Moon; J. S. Miller, pros.
Bmbezzlement-P, H. Gale, A. J.
Mitchell, pros.
Breaking fence-A, S. Taylor, Justo Rodriquez, pros. Forgery—J. W. Gardner, alias H. A. Luce, ten cases.

THOMAS COAR BURIED.

uneral Was Attended by Many Fellow

School Controllers. The funeral of School Controller Thomas Coar, of the Eighteenth ward, was held Saturday morning at St. Peter's cathedral. Rev. J. A. O'Reilly was celebrant, Rev. J. J. B. Feeley deacon and Rev. Thomas F. Carmody sub-deacon. The funeral sermon was preached by Father O'Reilly.

Interment was made in Hyde Park Catholic cemetery. The pall-bearers were School Controllers George Carson. C. J. Conrad, T. J. Jennings, John H. Williams, John P. Mahon and Herman Notz The other controllers present were: W. G. O'Malley, W. J. Welsh and James O'Boyle.

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One of the gratifying signs of the

ingly hopeless passion for the fair heroine, Edith Lynden, who is engaged to a man she does not love, but is too honorable to break her troth to the latter. Experienced play-goers need not be told that in the end, hero and heroine are united, or that happiness is meted

There's nothing prettier than a pretty foot in one of these fashionable at the hands of the convention was the XXth Century Seal-Calf Shoes. In plan to make honorary members of the style very similar to a man's shoe-



public, reads—
"No officer or comrade of the Grand Army of the Republic shall in any man-

tion concerning the operations of the Keeley institute into which the board of directors was instructed to inquire, there was present at the convention Dr. J. J. McLaughlin, physician of the local league; C. P. Ball, manager, and Frank Canavan, secretary. Dr. McLaughlin was given the privilege of the iloor and upon announcing that he was at one time corresponding secretary of the Brooklyn Diocesan union, was warmly received. He took about half an hour to explain the work and results of the Keeley institute and as a result of his address the committee on resolutions

address the committee on resolutions reported a resolution endorsing the Thanks to St. John's Society. Among other things which were fa-vored by the committee on resolutions was the formation of ladies' and cadet scieties. They also expressed the thanks of the convention to St. John's

society for its entertainment and to the press and to the union officers who were present. The committee was composed of J. C. Gallagher, P. J. Mulkern, J. H. Devine, P. F. McCoy, Tim Burke.

The proposition to sing temperance songs at future conventions was carried. The invitation of the Father Whittys to hold the next convention in Providence was accented. At this society for its entertainment and to the Providence was accepted. At this meeting a debate was arranged for on the question, "Resolved, That moral suasion is more effective than legal suasion." The debaters named by Chairman McCoy are James F. Judge.

Chairman McCoy are James F, Judge John McTiernan, of the Father Mathews., of Hyde Park; Thomas McLain, of the St. Paul's, and John H. Devine, of the St. Leo's.

President O'Hara and Vice-President Peter McCoy, of the Diocesan union, made short advisory addresses at the opening of the convention.

P. J. Murherin, of the Father Whitty's, read a paper on "The Moderate Drinker."

read a paperon "The Moderate Drinker." He characterized moderate drinking as one of the greatest foes of the work and one of the greatest foes of the work and the moderate drinker of today is the drunkard of tomorrow. If all the drunkards, he said, should suddenly reform their places would be filled in a short time, but if all the moderate drinkers should become total abstainers in time there would be no drunkards as the source of supply would be cut off.

The increasing interest which the societies take in these quarterly conven-The increasing interest which the so-cleties take in these quarterly conven-tions was evidenced yesterday by the presence of a stenographer, Miss Sarah L. McHale, who was engaged by the Father Mathews of the West side to furnish them with a report of the proceedings.

At 5 o'clock a recess of half an hour was taken, during which a lunch was served by the St. Johns'. At the conclusion of the meeting an impromptu

MICHAEL TYRRELL INJURED.

roceedings.

arriage in Which He Was Riding with His Sister Collided with an Electric Car on West Luckawanna Avenue. A serious accident happened to Michael Tyrrell and his sister, Miss Fanny Tyrrell, of Second street, Bellevue, as they were returning Saturday morning from the funeral of the late School Con-troller Thomas Coar, They were rid-ing in a buggy hired at Cusick's livery street, the horse became unmanage

able and plunged ahead at the top of

its speed.

The Luzerne street car, No. 70, in charge of Motorman Alex McTaggart and Conductor Thomas, was outward

bound and was crossing the bridge. The motorman saw the runaway horse coming and he stopped the car on the curve opposite the Jersey Central staon. When the horse reached the car it attempted to sweep by, but the buggy slid on the ley street and smashed up against the front platform of the car The occupants were thrown out and Mr. Tyrrell struck with such force that a deep gash was cut in his right fore head, and several bruises were sus-tained on other parts of his body; but the wound on his head was so serious

jured, but there was nothing serious. Dr. John Burnett was summoned to at-Dr. John Burnett was summoned to attend them. Mr. Tyrrell was removed to the Lackawanna hospital, and the report from there yesterday was that he is resting comfortably. His sister the is resting comfortably. His sister wanna County. was taken home.

Rev. J. J. B. Feeley, of the cathedral, was called to administer the sacraments to the injured man, because it was thought he would die from the effect of

that it was feared the skull had been

Miss Tyrrell was quite painfully in-

fractured.

the collision. He is a brakeman on the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western SHERIFF'S SALES SATURDAY. Four Properties Disposed of in Arbitra tion Room of the Court House. Four pieces of real estate were sold Saturday morning by Sheriff Clemons in the arbitration room of the court

house.

The properly of John Laybourne in the First ward, was sold to the First National bank for \$125.

The property of John Gannon in Jermyn was sold to Mary Gannon for \$225.

The property of Dr. J. J. Bilheimer in Priceburg was sold to the Scranton Building and Loan association, No. 6, for \$2.200.

The property of Thomas B. John in West Scranton was sold to George B. Carson for \$43.36.

The property of Thomas B. John in West Scranton was sold to George B. Carson for \$43.36. STORE BUILDING SOLD. Goldsmith Bros. Buy the Callahan Saloon Property on Lackawanna Avenue. The saloon property occupied by P. F. Callahan at 302 Lackawanna avenue and owned by W. C. Brainard, of Buf-

occupying No. 304. Morris Goldsmith, the senior member of the firm, came to Scranton from Honesdale thirty-one years ago Saturday and for one year occupied the building purchased Saturday. The fol-

falo, was purchased Saturday by Mor-

Coroner's Jury Thinks the Boiler That Killed Three Men Was Weak. Killed Three Men was weak.

In the case of the three men who were killed in the boller explosion at the Law shaft of the Pennsylvania Coal company, at Avoca, two weeks ago, the coroner's jury on Saturday rendered a verdict censuring the company.

It was claimed that some parts of the beller that exploded were an eighth of

REFUTING A SLANDER. Scranton, Pa., Jan. 10. Lieutenant Ezra S. Griffin post, No. 139, of this city, desires in refutation of the statement in the editorial columns of the Scranton Republican of Jan. 3, 1896, to call the attention of the public to the following: Chapter 5, Article XI, rules and regu-lations of the Grand Army of the Re-

Army of the Republic shall in any manner use this organization for partisan purposes, and do discussion of partisan questions shall be permitted at any of its meetings. Nor shall any nomination for political office be made."

The records of the adjutant general's office at Harrisburg and Bate's History of Pennsylvania Volunteers, 1861-65, give the record of vomrade Ezra H. Rippie, of this post, as a private of Company K, Fifty-second regiment, Pennsylvania Volunteer infantry.

We feel that this statement should We feel that this statement should be accorded as prominent a place in the papers of this city as the article it re-futes, occupied.

Samuel H. Stevens, E. W. Albro, W. F. Albro, F. J. Amsden, Committee Buy the Weber

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