The Armenian Episode in the Pirst Presbyterian Church.

WHAT THE HOME PIRE DID

a Hope of the Y. W. C. A.-Ex-Gov ernor Beaver Will Speak in the Y. M. C. A. Tomorrow.

The episode of last Sunday night in the First Presbyterian church when the audience frequently gave way to its enthusiasm and loudly applauded each of four speakers, was one of the chief topics of conversation among ministers and church people during the early part of the week. The occasion was a meeting in the interest of the Scranton meeting in the interest of the Scranton fund for Armenia. The utterances of Colonel H. M. Boles, ex-Judge Aifred Hand, A. W. Dickson and Rev. Dr. James McLeod, were so vehement in their condemnation of Turkish rapine and butchery; and the pleas for action by the United States government in distributing succor to starving Christians and in forcing payment of indemnity for razed missionary stations were so patriotic and the spirit of enthusiasm was so general that the applause was not surprising. It was inevitable, and, to use Dr. McLeod's words, the audience was justified in its applause by "truthful and patriotic utterances." The meeting lasted two hours.

Speaking of the Armenian fund, it has probably been checked in this city by a circumstance which has greatly benefited a local institution. Reference is made to the fire in the Home for the Friendless. The managers of the Home were quick to realize that the fire might be readily turned into a means to aid their long cherished project of erecting in the Green Ridge section a large structure to cost \$65,000. The foundation is already laid and nearly paid for and the object was to erect a pointerior is already laid and nearly paid for and the object was to erect a main part and one wing, or two-thirds of the whole building, for which about \$50,000 would be required. The fire served to bring the Home to the public's attention as no amount of sublicitation served to bring the Home to the publics attention as no amount of solicitation and dratery could have done, and the consequence is \$8,000 raised in a few minutes at a meeting in the board of trade rooms Tuesday night.

Working for the llome.

'Aside from the Armenian fund, a Scanton institution's hope for money to moure larger quarters and extend its work has received a setback by the Home fire. The Young Women's Christian association officers had cherished a hope that in the near future they might receive from the public a substantial answer to an appeal for money to erect and maintain larger and better quarters than the present location on Washington avenue. In this case the Home fire has upset the Young Women's Christian association plans for at least a year. Still, no sensible person regrets the present condition of affairs. "One thing at a time and that Working for the liome. affairs. "One thing at a time and that thing well done" applies to charity as well as to business. One charitable institution might better be firmly and properly established than to have a half-dozen hovering between gasping

Judge James A. Beaver, of the su-perior court, now in session in the fedperior court, now in session in the federal building, and ex-Governor of the state, will address a meeting of men and boy's tomorrow afternoon at 3.45 o'clock in the Young Men's Christian association building. Professor J. Alfred Pennington and choir of Elm Park church will give a special music pro-

Minor Church News Notes.

Annual meetings of the Tabernacle Congregational and the Plymouth Con-gregational churches were held this week. The pastor, Rev. Thomas Bell, presided at the meeting of Plymouth Congregational church, which was held Monday evening. A little over \$3,000 was collected during the year. Collections for missions amounted to \$102. To the building fund \$1,098 was paid and a small additional sum on the old mortgage. The balance was used for the current expenses of the church. The reports of the different branches of the church were given by the following: A. R. Eynon, Sunday school: John R. reports of the different branches of the church were given by the following: A. B. Eynon, Sunday school; John R. Thomas, Sherman Avenue mission; Mrs. D. R. Williams, Ladles' Ald society; Miss Jennie Daniels, Christian Endeavor society; Miss Jennie Lewis, ways and means committee; Miss Lizzle A. Evans, clerk of church; Walter Wilkins, financial secretary; T. E. Reysolds, treesurer, D. E. Hughes, trus-Wikins, financial secretary; T. E. Rey-nolds, treasurer: D. E. Hughes, trus-tees. The church is in a flourishing condition. Seven hundred and one dol-lars and thirty-three cents were collect-ed during the year at the Tabernacle ational church. Every branch of the church is stronger than it was a

year ago.

Rev. A. C. Gabelein, who recently returned from a sojourn of some weeks among the Jews of Russia, gave an address of deep interest in the hall of the Young Men's Christian association on Monday evening. Mr. Gabelein proposes making a missionary trip among the Jews of Russian Poland.

Mrs. J. W. Barnes, of Newark, superintendent of primary work of the

perintendent of primary work of the Pennsylvania Sabbath School associa-tion, addressed this city's primary teachers Tuesday afternoon in the lec-ture room of the First Presbyterian church.
The choir of the Sumner Avenue Pres

byterian church will sing the "Ora torio" during the church fair in April. The week of prayer was continued at the Tabernacle church during the past ek. Services were held every even-

Rev. E. R. Lewis has taken charge of the Rendham Congregational church.

Memorial services over deceased
members of the Ivorites, W. George
Powell and Elmer L. Williams, will be ld on Sunday evening at the First Weish Congregational church. Tabernacle Congregational church— Preaching services by the pastor, Rev.

D. P. Jones, both morning and even-ing, at 10 and 6. All are welcome. Jackson Street Baptist church—Ser-Jackson Street Baptist church—Services at 10.30 a. m. and 6.30 p. m. Rev. James Fielding Will preach in the evening. Prayer service in the morning. St. David's church, corner of Jackson street and Bromley avenue—Third Sunday after Epiphany. Preaching by Pecter M. H. Will

Rector M. H. Mill. An interesting service for railroad men and their families will be held Sun-

day at 2.45 p. m. in the Railroad Depart-ment Young Men's Christian associa-tion, 55 Lackawanna avenue. Rev. S. F. Matthews, pastor of the Scranton Street Baptist church, will speak. Spe-cial music by the Railroad Male chorus under the direction of Professor W. W.

ones. The splendid choir of Eim Park Meth-The splendid choir of Elm Park Methodist Episcopal church, under the leadership of Professor J. A. Pennington, will render a special musical programme at the Young Men's Christian association tomorrow afternoon at 3.45 Governor Beaver, who was announced as the speaker for this service, has been called home unexpectedly, but his place will be filled by the eloquent pasto of the First Presbyterian church. to of the First Presbyterian church, Rev. James McLeod. On the Sunday following the speaker will be Chief Todd B. Hall, of the Baltimore Detec-

Rev. H. W. Buck, P. E., of Lewisburg will preach in the Green Ridge United Evangelical church this evening. The fourth quarterly conference will con-vene immediately after. Rev. Buck will also preach at the morning service tomorrow and conduct the last com-munion service of the conference year which ends March 1.

TOMORROW'S SERVICES.

Salvation Army—Hannah Mosland, cap-tain. Young People's painting and sew-ing classes meet every Saturday at 3 p. m. All young people walcome. Knee-drill,

Sunday 7 a. m.; holiness meeting, Sunday 11 a. m., subject, "Not What, But How," Christian's praise service, 3 p. m.; Salvation rally, 8 p. m. All welcome.

St. Paul's Lutheran Criarch—Short avenue, Sunday school, 25; preaching, 4 p. m. by the Rev. A. L. Ramer, of St. Mark's, Hyde Park.

Howard Place African Methodist Episcopal Church—Rev. C. A. McGee, pastor. Preaching at 10.39 a. m. and 8 p. m. by the pastor. Sabbath school at 2.30 p. m.

Penn. Avenue, Bantist, Church—Rev. Penn Avenue Baptist Church—Rev. George G. Johnson, of Baliston Spa, N. Y., will preach at 10.30 and 7.30 o'clock. Bible school at 2: Young People's meeting at 6.30. All welcome.

St. Mark's—Dunmore. Rev. A. L. Urban in charge. Holy communion, 8 a. m. morning prayer and sermon, 10.39 a. m. Sunday school, 3 p. m.; evening prayer and sermon, 7.39 p. m.

and sermon, 7.39 p. m. Green Ridge Baptist Church—Rev. W. J. Ford, pastor. Services at 10.39 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Subject in the morning, "Some Characteristics of Hebrew Prophecy;" in the evening, "The Broken Altars." Simpson Methodist Episcopal Church— Preaching morning and evening by the pastor, Rev. L. C. Floyd. At the evening service a portion of the Christmas music will be repeated. Seats free. All wel-

Elm Park Methodist Episcopal Church

The pastor, W. H. Pearce, will speak in
the morning on "A Satisfying Sight;" evening. "The Impartation of Strength."
Sunday school at 2 p. m.; Epworth league,
at 630 p. m.

St. Luke's Church—Rev. Rogers Israel, rector. Second Sunday after Epiphany. Hoyl communion, 7.39 a. m.; Sunday school, 9.39 a. m.; morning prayer and sermon, 10.39 a. m.; evening prayer and sermon, 7.30 p. m.

Green Ridge United Experience.

Green Ridge United Evangelical Church

Rev. H. W. Buck. P. E., of Lewisburg,
Pa., will preach at 10.45 a. m. and administer the holy communion, assisted by the
pastor. Preaching in the evening by the
pastor. Strangers always welcome. First Presbyterian Church—Services, 10.30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Dr. McLeod will preach both morning and evening. "The Eighth of the Ten Words—Thieves and Thievery" will be the subject of the evening discourse. This is one of the series of lectures on the Decalogue.

Providence Methodist Episcopal Church

—Rev. William Edgar, pastor. The usual
services will be held. The pastor will
preach at 10,30 a. m. and 7,30 p. m. Morning subject, "A Church Criticised;" evening subject, "Moral Transformation."
Sunday school at 2 p. m. Epworth league
at 6.46.

Grace Lutheran Church-Rev. Foster U Gift, pastor. Services at the Young Men's Christian association at 10.39 a. m. and at 7.30 p. m.; Sunday school at 9.30 a. m.; Young People's Society of Christian En-deavor at 6.30 p. m. Evening sermon on "The Golden Rule." Everybody wel-

Second Presbyterian Church—Rev. Charles E. Robinson, D. D., pastor, Services, 10.30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. The pastor will preach in the morning on "What Kept the Inquirer from Christ!" and in the evenig on "How to Treat the Devil." All seats free at night, All welcome at all sarvices.

srvices. court Street Methodist Episcopal Church—George T. Price, pastor. Rev. A. Griffin, D. D., of Binghamton, will preach at 10.20 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. The doctor is an ex-presiding elder of this district and has many warm friends here in the city. Come out to hear him both morning and evening. vening. Washburn Street Presbyterian Church-

washburn Street Presbyterian Church— Rev. John P. Moffat, pastor. Services at 10.30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m.; Sabbath school at 12 b.; Christian Endeavor services at 6.30 p. m. The pastor will preach in the morning on "Superficial Religiousness," and in the evening on "On the Border of, Yet Without the Kingdom." Foreign mis-sion collection morning and evening. Grace Reformed Episcopal Church—Wyoming avenue, below Mulberry street, Divine worship morning and evening. Preaching by the pastor: Sabbath school, 12 m.; Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor, 6.30 p. m.; morning theme, "Reward." Dauiel, xii, 3; evening theme, "God's Long Suffering," II Peter, iii, 3. Strangers cordially welcome, All seats free.

St. Mark's Lutheran Church-Four-teenth and Washburn streets. Rev. A. L. Ramer, Pr. D., pastor. Divine service at 10.30 a. m. and 7 p. m; Luther league at 6 p. m.; morning subject, "Christ a. Guest at a Marriage in Cana;" evenig subject, "Christ, the Prophet of Whom Moses Wrote;" at 4 p. m. the pastor will preach at St. Paul's Luhteran church, North Scranton.

First Baptist Church—Scranton street.
Rev. S. F. Mathews, pastor. Preaching services Sabbath morning and evening.
Morning, 10:30 o'clock, subject, "The Armor of Truth;" evening, 7 o'clock, subject, "Arise Ye, and Depart; For This is Not Your Rest," Sabbath school, Dr. B. G. Beddoe, superintendent, 2 p. m.; Young People's prayer meeting, Miss Rose Philips, president, 6 p. m. All are cordially invited to these services.

ips, president, 6 p. m. A nylted to these services. Y. W. C. A. NOTES.

The subject of the Gospel meeting to be held at the Young Women's Christian association at 3.65 tomorrow afternoon will be "Consecration." Miss S. C. Krigbaum

will lead.

The fine concert to be given under the auspices of the Young Women's Christian association has been postponed until next month on account of numerous entertainments for the Home for the Friendless. As many of the best singers in the city are to take part in this councert and the association needs assistance in its good work, there is not doubt it will be well patronized whenever it occurs. But the management deferred it for the present jut of courtesy to the Home in their special eqort. Announcements of date and programme will be given later to the many friends who are watching for it.

STRONG TESTIMONY

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y cure. Price, 25c, each. Munyon's Kidney Cure speedily cures pains in the back, loins and groins, and li forms of kidney disease. Price, 25c. Munyon's Female Remedies are a oon to all women. Price, 25c.
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disease.

Gamut of the Social Affairs of the Week.

MUSICALE AT HOTEL TERRACE

and Miss Plumley-Ten Given by Mrs. C. W. Kirkpatrick-Short Paragraphs and Personal Items.

Wednesday evening at her home on Seventh street, Miss Amanda Nichols entertained the members and their friends of her classes of the Washburn street Presbyterian and Penn avenue Baptist Sabbath schools. Those present were; The Misses Nellie Simpson, Maud Sanders, Lottle Ace, Mary Jones, Laura Van Fleet, Gertie Weisenflue, Lillie Weisenflue, Hannah Skerritt, Ethel Porter, Belle Warren, Grace Rose, Annie Rose, Mae Wilkins, Lelia Porter, Susie Black, Jessie Seaman, Margaret Powell, Clara Delong, Anna Van Nort, Percy Fruthey, Horatio Price, Charles McCracken, Charles Bone, William Hall, Howard Sripp, Charles Doersam, Phil Doersam, Edward Shaffer, David Sayers Lewis Vamvalim, C. White, C. Keller, D. Hall, S. M. Withers, J. A. Dexter, C. Whittemore, Archie Benjangin Board Smith, Siller Williams Dexter, C. Whittemore, Archie Benja-min, Boyd Smith, Silas Williams. A delightful time was had by all. Music was furnished by the Imperial quartette. the Misses Grace and Anna Rose and Miss Black. Refreshments were served at a late hour, after which the guests

Mrs. Walter Buell gave an afternoon musicale yesterday in the parlors of the Hotel Terrace. She was assisted in receiving by her niece, Miss Helen Louise Cann, of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Miss Plumley, of Greenbrook, Conn.; Mrs. Seldon Blair and Miss Emma Vall.

A delightful programme was rendered

Blair and Miss Emma Vail.

A delightful programme was rendered by Miss Cann, a pupil of Camillo Urso, the famous ylolinist, with whom Miss Cann will soon make a foreign tour, and by Miss Plumley, whose plano performances were rare treats. The charm of her olaying lay in her method and individuality. She showed in every detail of her execution the inherent feeling of the true artist. Refreshments ing of the true artist. Refreshments were served by the hotel management. The decorations were by Clarke.

Mrs. John Jermyn, assisted by her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Frank H. Jer-myn, received from 4 to 6 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, and from 8 to 11 gave a young people's reception for the Miss-es Jermyn. At the afternoon affair Mrs. George L. Dickson, Mrs. N. Y. Leet. Mrs. Aaron Griffin, Miss Clare Reynolds, Miss Stella Adams, Miss Sue Jermyn assisted in entertaining. Mrs. George Jermyn presided in the dining room and was assisted by Mrs. W. W. Lathrope, Miss Mabel Hutchins, Miss Allis Dale, Miss Nettle Coleman and Miss Emma Jermyn.

Mrs. C. W. Kirkpatrick gave a tea, a pink affair, yesterday at her home, 337 Monroe avenue. Mrs. Jacob Kirkpat-rick, Mrs. E. N.Willard and Mrs, George B. Foster, of West Pittston, assisted in entertaining. Mrs. H. M. Boles and Mrs. E. L. Fuller presided at the table in the dining room and were assisted by Mrs. Charles Kirkpatrick, Jr., Miss Gearhart and Miss Hanley.

The Caledonian club of this city will The Caledonian club of this city will celebrate the 137th anniversary of the birthday of Scotia's immortal bard. Robert Burns, by holding a banquet at the Wyoming house on Friday evening, Jan. 24. A special feature of the banquet will be the rendition of an excellent selection of the songs of Scotland by talented artists, and a varied programme of instrumental music by skilled musicians. The toast list has not yet been completed. not yet been completed.

guest of Scranton relatives.
William Evans, of School street, is home
from a visit among friends.
Miss Annie Gallagher, of Pittston, is from a visit among friends.

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Haroid Holmes, of Hollister avenue, has recovered from a recent illness.

Miss Lizzie Thomas, of Eynon street, is indisposed with a severe illness.

Mrs. C. B. Green, of Bellevue, is visiting friends in Providence, R. I.

William McClave, ir., left for Buffalo on a business trip Monday afternoon.

Miss Blanche Horn, of Wyoming avenue, is visiting her aunt, in New York city.

Mrs. G. B. Bentley is visiting her daughter, Mrs. N. H. Shafer, at Montrose.

Mrs. Alfred Humphrey, of William street, is dangerously ill at her home.

Attorney E. H. House left Tuesday for Pittsburg and will be absent one week.

Mrs. George Mirtz, of Cedar ayenue, is well again after a severe siege of sickness.

Miss Elsbeth Winton left Thursday morning to attend school in New York city.

William Raeder, of Cedar ayenue, has

city.
William Raeder, of Cedar avenue, has left for New Orleans to spend the winter there.
Miss Kate Mackay, of New York, and formerly of this city, is visiting friends

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Warman left Mon-iay afternoon for a trip through Call-Miss Anna Durkin, of Brook street, has returned from a visit among friends in New York. F. T. Okell returned Wednesday from a week's business trip to Cape May and Philadelphia.

Benno Cohen, of New York, is visiting his mother and sisters at their home, on Linden street.

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Mrs. H. H. Franklin will spend the winter in Schneetady with her daughter, Mrs. W. A. Pierson.

Miss Anna Haggerty has returned home after a week's visit with friends in Pittston and Wilkes-Barre.

R. O'Brien and wife and N. B. Rockwell were registered at the St. Denis, in New York, during the week.

Contractor Frank Carlucci and Joseph Cassesse will embark on a voyage for Italy on Friday, Feb. 21.

Miss Josephine Scott, of Wayne, Pa., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. C. Reynolds, 509 Quincy avenue.

Dr. J. A. Kelly removed his office furniture to Carbondale Monday and is now settled down in that city.

Miss Davidson has returned to her home in Williamsport after a visit with Mrs. M. W. Lowry, of Clay avenue.

D. J. Clearwater, of Pear street, went to Pike county Wednesday, where one of his sisters has been critically ill.

Miss Genevieve Lewis, of West Pittston, was the guest of Mrs. A. D. Blackington, of Dunmore, during the week.

T. C. Snover and family left Thursday for Lake Helen, Fla., where they will spend the remainder of the winter.

Mrs. J. W. Barnes, the state Sunday school primary teacher, is being entertained by Mrs. J. D. Clark, of Madison avenue.

John Grabam, of Rush, Susquehanna

John Graham, of Rush, Susquehanna county, was the guest of Barber H. F. Klauminzer, of Pittston avenue, during Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Smith, of Dunmore, entertained friends Monday evening on the occasion of their fifteenth wedding an-niversary.

Miss Genevieve McCann has resumed

her studies at Kenwood Institute, Albany, after a holiday vacation spent at her home here. The engagement of Miss Flora B. Driesen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Driesen, to Jack Alexander, of London, England,

terday for Waterloo, N. Y., to attend the funeral of Mrs. Warde's sister, Mrs. Ed-gar Toombs.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade M. Finn left yes-

Michael's college, Toronto, Canada, to resume their studies after the holiday va-cation.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ebenezer James, of Washburn street, on Monday, evening celebrated the golden anniversary of their wedding, and their friends were delightfully entertained by them.

Rev. W. G. Watkins, pastor of the North Main Avenue Baptist church, will deliver an address at a banquet of the Christian Endeavor society of the Berean Baptist church, Carbondale, on Jan. 20. G. A. Powers, of Cleveland, one of the oldest attaches of the Lake Shore, Michigan and Southern Railroad company, and Mrs. Powers are visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Paine. Mrs. Paine and Mr. Powers are sister and brother.

W. Mooney, of the West Side; M. H. Mahon, of the North End; P. J. Walsh and Will A. Jennings, of Avoca, were among the guests at a party given Thursday evening at the home of Miss Naucy Mahon, of Vine street.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Owen Charles, of the West Side, celebrated the first anniversary of their son and heir Tuesday evening with a party, at which there were present a number of friends who came from Mr. Charles' native place in Wales.

Miss Lizzle Joyce, one of the primary teachers in No. Il school, has been granted a two-weeks' leave of absence, which time will be spent in the New England states. Miss Jenny Durkin, of Brook street, will fill the position until Miss Joyce returns.

Miss Kate M. McManama, of 1120 Mulberry street, and J. D. Slattery, of Brooklyn, N. Y., were married at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning by Rev. J. J. B. Feeley in St. Peter's cathedral. A reception followed at the bride's home, on Mulberry street, and J. D. Slattery, of Brooklyn, N. Y., sere married at 9 o'clock Wednesday Rev. Father Green's many friends in Scranton will be pleased to learn that he is enjoying good health and that he has endeared himself to the people of his new appointment.

George Carr, Scranton's popular banjo soloist and teacher, was one of the five adjudicators at Stewart's banjo concet and club contest, which was held at the Academy of Music, Phi

MAY HE BE ABSOLVED.

Doctor Steals Coal and Wood to Build a Fire for a Poor Sick Woman.

Fire for a Poor Sick Woman.

At yesterday's poor board meeting a charitable lady living on Washburn street reported the case of J. A. Brash's family which she found in a sad plight. One night recently Mrs. Brash was taken suddenly ill and a doctor was summoned. Upon arriving at the house the doctor found the place bare of food and furniture with the exception of a bottomless chair, a bed and a stove without any fire in it. The first thing the man of medicine did was to break the man of medicine did was to break a rall off a fence and steal a pall of oal from a neighbor's shed with which to build a fire. Then he administered to the sick woman and woke up som neighbors to secure nourishment for

In this way the case was brought to the attention of the neighbors who have been caring for her since. Now Mrs. Brash wants to be sent back with her two children to her parents in New Orleans. Her husband, who is a book agent, was described by Director Will-iams as a dude. He dresses in the latest style and goes out every day ostensibly to work but he never seems to earn anything. The board decided to admit Mrs. Brash and her children to the Hillside Home until such time as her relatives in New Orleans can be comnunicated with.

Mrs. Pffefer's Case.

Mrs. Ferdinand Pffefer, mother-in-law of Rev. Mr. Wisswasser, was found to be in destitute circumstances and was granted 36 a month.

trict to take care of Charles Castura.

Miss Mary Jordan, of Parsons, is the
guest of Scranton relatives.

William Evans, of School street is home. hospital. Mr. Dickson stated that it would be a great accommodation to the hospital if such matters could receive immediate attention as there is always man Langstaff informed Mr. Dickson that it is not necessary to wait until the board meets to bring these cases up; any director can take charge of these cases and make disposition of them without consulting the board.

A bill of \$36 for a nurse for Mrs. Wilsey, of the West Side, submitted by the Board of Associated Charities was or-dered paid. This is the bill that Mrs. Swan objected to at a previous meeting because Mrs. Duggan, of the Associated charities had engaged the nurse without securing an order from one of

the directors. Artificial Leg for Mullen. A very gracious act on the part of the board was the giving of an artificial leg to Peter Mullen, one of the inmates of the poor farm, who assists in the bak-

ery.

The bonds of the newly elected officers were submitted by Solicitor John F. Scragg and ordered filed. Superintendent George W. Beemer's bond was for \$2,900 and had O. W. Mason and B. F. Ackerly as sureties. Treasurer C. J. Gillespie furnished a \$40,000 judgment bond, with M. P. Osterhout, F. B. Ward, C. H. von Storch and Armit Thomas as sureties. Collector Wade M. Finn fur nished a similar bond, with T. F. Penman, R. G. Brooks and Marshal Pres-ton as sureties. Both these latter bonds were approved by Judge Archbald. Secretary E. J. Lynett's bond was for \$2,000, and has as sureties F. P. Ryan and T. H. Jones.

FARMERS FELICITATE.

oultrymen Celebrate the Success of Their Show with a Banquet. To celebrate the grand success of its

the Scranton Pet Stock and Poultry association banquetted last night at Curt's dairy kitchen on Wyoming ave-

There was a plentitude of all that goes to make a banquet a success-good eating, good fellowship, good speeches and good stories, and as the success of the show put everybody, particularly the prize winners, in the mood to enjoy these good things, the af-fair was like the event which it celebrated, a pronounced success. E. Taylor Lacey acted as toastmaster.

E. Taylor Lacey acted as toastmaster. The address of welcome was delivered by the president of the association. George E. Stevenson. J. Y. Bicknell, of Buffalo, chief judge of the show, and one of the leading poultry fanciers of the United States, responded to the first toast of the evening, "The Poultry Fraternity," and later in the evening told a number of capital stories appropriate to the occasion. He said he was agreeably surprised at the extent of Scranton's first show, and took occasion to say a kind word for the treatment which the out-of-town exhibitors had

to say a kind word for the treatment which the out-of-town exhibitors had received at the hands of the members of the local association.

Other toasts responded to were "Profits in Poultry," A. G. Oliver, Newark, Del.; "Friendship in the Fraternity," Mr. McClethin, Wilkes-Barre; "Fowls in the Pit." C. H. von Storch; "Poultry Literature," T. P. Casper, Pittston; "Hamburgs," W. B. Christmas; "Show in 1897," George W. Owens.

funeral of Mrs. Warde's sister, Mrs. Edgar Toombs.

Baniel J. Vaughan, of Binghamton, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Vaughan, of Pittston avenue, the forepart of the week.

Miss May Burgunder, of Wikes-Barre, and her guest, Miss Meyer, of Rochester, are being entertained by Miss Kramer, of Wyoming avenue.

T. J. Conway, of Lackawanna avenue, is spending a few days in New York city.

John A. Mears went to Philadelphia yesterday afternoon.

Robert J. Colborn, formerly of Christian's gents' furnishing store, has taken charge of the gents' furnishing department of the Leader.

Edward O'Brien, of Stone avenue, and Miss Bessie McTighe, of Cherry street, will be married at St. John's church, Wednesday morning, Jan. 22, at 19.29.

Stephen O'Boyle and John Neary, of the North End, left Monday night for St.

THE LEADER

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85 dozen ladies' black cashmere, fleece-lined gloves, also ladies' and misses' cashmere mittens,

tan and brown, every pair war-ranted, worth \$1.25, CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 69c.

Hosiery.

Dress Goods and Silks.

5 pieces of fine all-wool 40-inch dress

60 pieces of silk and wool dress goods, also a few colors that we have left of our fine broadcloths.

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75 pieces of 37-inch wool spring dress goods, real value 45c, CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 23c.

One lot of all-wool plaids, real value

We have divided our fancy silks into five lots. The Clearance Sale

prices are as follows: 49c, 69c, 79c, 89c, and 98c. This is about one-half of what the former prices

pieces of evening shades in benga-line silks, real value 75c, CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 49c

Bed Comforts, Blankets and

White Quilts.

25 dozen black cashmere hose, worth

CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 14c We carry at all times a full line of 12, 16 and 20-button lengths of evening and reception gloves at Leader's prices.

CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 14c.

ds, real value 50c. CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 25c

CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 39c.

CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 19c.

Muslin Underwear.

50 dozen ladies' corset covers, in five

different styles and all sizes. CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 7c 5 dozen ladies' corset covers, trimmed with embroidery, CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 124s. 26 dozen ladies' corset covers, hand-somely trimmed with embroidery. CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 21c.

25 dozen ladies' drawers, CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 19c. dozen chemise, nice quality, CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 19c.

20 dozen dadies' gowns, trimmed with nice ruffle, cut full, CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 39c. 12 dozen ladies' skirts, trimmed with fine embroidery, CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 69c. 9 dozen ladies' skirts, lace trimn

cut full. CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 49c Also the newest designs and styles in ladies' gowns and skirts, chemise, drawers and corset covers, at Leader's

Merino Underwear.

100 dozen ladies' spring and summer ribbed vests, CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 4c.

Men's Furnishings.

10 dozen men's silk shot web suspenders, worth 25c, CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 121/20 9 dozen men's fine quality Tecks, Four-in-hands and Band bows, all

new designs, regular 50c quality. CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 25c men's mixed half hose, CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 50 29 dozen men's laundried neglige colored shirts, all new choice goods, worth 75c,

CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 43c 33 dozen men's colored unlaundried neglige shirts, all good washable patterns, worth 39c, CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 25c.

46 dozen men's domet flannel shirts, made yoke back, full length, regu-

CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 39c.

25 pairs of double blankets, were

CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 79c.

9c.
CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 46,
5 pieces of table damask, worth 25c.
CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 15c,
10 pieces of real oil red table damask,
worth 50c.
CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 28c.
10 pieces of good quality Canton
flannel,
CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 46.
500 yards remnants, best quality
striped outing flanel,
CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 50, worth \$1.50, CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 98c. ALL OTHER GOODS AT THE SAME LIBERAL REDUCTION.

LEBECK & CORIN

PERSONAL MENTION:

Mrs. John L. Wentz is visiting in Hazleton.

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show closes tonight. Those present were: S. Hill, Lester-shire, N. Y.; J. Y. Bicknell, Buffalo, N. Y.; W. H. Hagen, M. H. Kimble, Hoad-leys; E. J. Jones, jr., H. S. Brandon, Pittston; E. E. Lord; Walter B. Christ-Pittston; E. E. Lord; Walter B. Christmas, Walter D. Christmas, Olney Pratt, Throop; W. F. Pratt, Throop; D. W. Edwards, Forty Fort; S. W. Heuess, Plymouth; Samuel Van Bergen, Cortland, N. Y.; Henry O. Silkman, George W. Owens, George H. Haverly, Throop; H. C. Van Bergen, Oliver Herron, Pittston; Thomas F. Major, jr., Pittston; John J. Duggan, William Wachter, Edward S. Tate, Charles Hurt, Lafiln; Fred Lewis, C. W. Brockway M. D. Huntsman, William Scrimway, M. D. Huntsman, William Scrimgeour, Pittston; C. B. Haslam, W. S. Haslam, W. W. Haslam, S. L. Geddir, Pittston, T. P. Casper, Pittston; J. E. Harris, C. L. Teeter, C. C. Townsend, Cheyney, Pa.; W. J. Hill, Binghamton; Allen G. Oliver, Newark, Del.; R. F. Al-den, Montrose; George E. Stevenson Waverly: B. Taylor Lacey, R. E. West-lake, C. H. von Storch, W. H. Cooper, E. F. Tiffany, Brooklyn, Pa.: J. T. Wallace, Delaware Water Gap; G. N. Wal-lace, William A. Wels, Wilkes-Barre John J. Mackin, Wilkes-Barre.

TALLIE MORGAN HONORED. Presented with a Handsome Baton by

Members of the Choir. Last evening the retiring chorus of the First Presbyterian church was tendered a farewell reception at the resi-dence of A. W. Dickson, esq., on Quincy avenue. Mr. Dickson has been chair-man of the music committee of the church for the past two years, and he takes especial pride in the work of Tal-lie Morgan's and his choir during that time. Mr. Morgan has accepted the leadership of a large church chorus in New York, and his choir here has re-signed with him. The first part of the evening was spent in song and social talk. After refreshments were served Mr. Arthur Foote called for order and addressing Mr. Morgan said that on behalf of the choir he desired to return behalf of the choir he desired to return their thanks to their conductor for the pleasure and profit they had derived in singing under his instruction for the past two years, and as a slight token of their esteem they presented him with a most beautiful baton—solid black ebony, with ivory handle and gold tips.

Mr. Morgan said that he certainly had been taken by surprise and then in a concise speech returned his thanks and said how much pleasure he had derived in drilling such a fine body of singers, and that while he was going to a larger field of labor, he would never forget the fruitfulness, the uniform kindness and unwavering fidelity of the choir of the First Presbyterian church.

A. W. Dickson also made a pleasant speech in which he thanked both Mr. Morgan and the choir for the excellent work they had done. He read a resolution adopted by the session of the church to the same effect, and presented each member with a type-written copy to keep as a memento. heir thanks to their conductor for th

copy to keep as a memento.

Today the choir will sit for a photograph, and it is understood that the

organization will be kept together, re-hearsals being held under the direction of Mr. Morgan every Friday evening. THE COMING CONCERT.

symphony Orchestra to Be Heard at the Academy of Music. The Symphony concert to be given for the benefit of the Home for the Tuesday, Jan. 28, already promises to be the grand success the cause deserves. The gentlemen composing the orchestra have been devoting months to the work of preparing for their performance. They are under the leadership of Theodere Hemberger whose talent as a musician has been so repeatedly demonstrated. Mr. Hemberger has exert-

The magnetic power of their leader has brought the orchestra to a degree of proficiency that is unconceivable to

any who did not hear last year's con

of the orchestra. The orchestra improved remarkably since last year's concert and is far in advance of last year's effort.

The tickets for the concert can be had at Koempel's Drug store, Mr. O'Hara's Tobacco store and Powell's Music store. The diagram will be opened Friday morning next at the Academy of Music and it is hoped by the managers that

ing them a full house. ST. JOSEPH'S SOCIETY.

the public will show their appreciation

of the orchestra's generosity by accord-

The Annual Meeting Was Held During the Week. The annual meeting of the St. Joseph's society was held this week. Rev. P. J. McManus presided. The society has in charge St. Joseph's Foundling Home and the Home of the Good Shep-

Mrs. P. J. Horan's report as secretary offered no little encouragement to the friends and those immediately interested in the society's good work. The re-port of the treasurer, Mrs. F. W. Gun-

ster, was as follows:
Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1896......\$1,301 03
Received from all sources, members donations and care of pa-....\$3,218 75

Cases seat to the Founding Home diling the year 1855.

Taken by friends.
Sent to the hospital.
Young women received at Home.
Number of inmates now in Home.
Sent to House of Good Shepherd. The society desires to express earn-est thanks to Mayor Conneil, the Scranton police force and Attorney John Scragg for many services rendered the

A FIVE MINUTE SESSION.

Was Held by the Superior Court Yester day Morning. All the cases on the list for the week having been disposed of, the superior court was in session only five minutes vesterday, long enough to hand down an

order and admit Attorney H. M. Streeter, of Scranton, to practice. The order was in the matter of the alleged lunacy of Oscar Misselwitz, of Philadelphia. A certain fund in the hands of the sheriff of Philadelphia is the amount involved in the appeal. The appellant claims it is \$996.06 and the apsellee says it is \$1,025. If the latter con tention is corect the case has no diction in the superior court. where amounts over \$1,000 are involved must be brought before the supreme

Judge Rice directed the appellant to procure an order from the judge of the court of common pleas of Philadelphia setting forth the exact amount at issue and to file the certificate with the pro-thonotary of the superior court at Philadelphia within fifteen days.

Nincteen cases were argued this week.

There are seven on the list for next

The court will convene on Monday af-ternoon at 1.30 o'clock.

FRA DIAVOLO.

Sung by the Mackay Opera Company at the Academy of Music.

Last night the Mackay Opera company sang "Fra Diavolo" at the Acad-emy of Music before a fair sized audience. The opera was given with great vim and spirit and called forth warm

vim and spirit and caned forth warm applause.

Frank D. Nelson made an excellent "Fra Diavolo." He possesses great dramatic powers and a voice of much power and sweetness. Miss Louise Moore did full justice to the role of Zerlina and Will Daniels and Frank Mon- setice, at The Tribune Office.

This afternoon the company will sing

18 pairs of double white blankets,

o pairs of fine all-wool blankets, in gray, scarlet and white, former

Price \$4. CLEARANCE SALE PRICE \$2.48.

45 large bed comforts, were \$1.50, CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 88c.

20 pairs of fine comforts, were \$2.25.

CLEARANCE SALE PRICE \$1.25.

15 fine elder down comforts, were
\$4.50,

\$4.50. CLEARANCE SALE PRICE \$3.95. fine figured silk and satin down comforts were \$12. CLEARANCE SALE PRICE \$6.98.

75 white quilts, were 750, CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 490

50 crochet quilts, were 98c, CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 69c, 25 extra quality 11-4 white quilts, were \$1.25, CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 89c.

Special.

10 pieces of fine jet trimming, goods that were 75c per yard, CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 29c,

CLEARANCE SALE PRICE \$1.19.

-4 unbleached sheeting, Clearence Sale price 10 CENTS PER YARD, -4 best unbleached muslin, Clear-

ance Sale price

5 CENTS PER YARD,
ust received, 50 pieces more of
white shaker flannel,

CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 5c.
100 dozen 36-inch towels,
CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 5c.
500 remnants of fine white India
lawn, worth 10c,
CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 4c.
20 pieces of checked nainsook, worth

CLEARANCE SALE PRICE 30.

25 feather pillows, covers made of best ticking, each pillow contain-ing 3½ lbs. of feathers, former price \$2.25.

CLEARANCE SALE PRICE \$1.25.

'Pirates of Panzance," and tonight FOURTH WARD REPUBLICANS.

Adopt Resolutions Endorsing the Republican City Candidates. At a meeting of the Fourth ward Re-publican club held last night the follow-At a meeting of the Fourth ward Republican club held last night the following resolution proposed by R. S. Roberts was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That we, the members of the Fourth Ward Republican club, endorse the nominees of the Republican city convention held at Music Hall on the seventh day of January, eighteen hundred and ninety-six; also the ward Republican nominees placed in nomination on the fourteenth day of December, eighteen hundred and ninety-five, and that we pledge our hearty support to use all honorable means to elect said nominees.

The club's campaign committee is composed of the following: John Marsh,

composed of the following: John Marsh, president: M. R. Williams, secretary; Richard Edwards, Evan Morris and William Carpenter.

FIREMAN EVANS DEAD. Injured by the Bursting of a Locomotive

Boiler in the Hallstend Yard. At 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon a wild cat freight train entered the yards of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western, at Hallstead, and a minute later the boiler of the locomotive exploded, fatally injuring the fireman, Willis Evans, of Elmira. The engineer,

s. 33,218 75 without injury.

The fireman was taken to the Moses Taylor hospital, but his condition was so serious that hope of his recovery was abandoned. He died at midnight. The remains will be brought to his late home on the 1 p. m. train today, where a wife and two children await to mourn him. The deceased was 30 years old.

Novel Use of an Election Booth. County Commissioners S. W. Roberts, John Demuth and Glies Roberts went to Carbondale yesterday to look after an election booth that got lost in the shuffle up there. They went from one district to another without success and finally when they were about to give up, the information came to them that an Italian was using it for a shoe-maker shop over in the Italian quarter of the town. They served notice of him to vacate, which he began to do

immediately. Vinduct Ordinance Signed. Mayor Connell signed the viaduct ordinance yesterday morning and imme-diately sent to the newspapers the proclamation which he had prepared. A copy of the proclamation appears in this issue of The Tribune. All the requirements of the law have been fulfilled and the question of bonding the city will go before the people at the spring elec-

Scott Watrous Is Very III. The relatives of Scott Watrous, school ontroller of the Tenth ward, are in recelpt of word from Colorado, where he went in the hope of recuperating his health, that he is declining and is at present confined to his bed.

"How to Cure All Skin Diseases." Simply apply "Swayne's Gintment," No internal medicine required. Cures tetter, eczema, itch, all eruptions on the face, hands, nose, etc., leaving the skin clear, white and healthy. Its great healing and curative powers are possessed by no other remedy. Ask druggist for Swayne's Ointment.

Of all kinds, manufactured at short