News of the Suburbs.

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WEST SIDE EVENTS.

Interesting Meeting of the Republican Club-An Abundance of Speech-Making and Enthusiasm.

The West Side Republican club held at The West Side Republican citto head an interesting meeting last night in their rooms, on the corner of Jackson street and Main avenue. Although the Weather was damp, yet enthusiam was present in great quantities. Speeches were made at quantities. Speeches were made alning to the campaign, the gist of being for Republicanism undiluted and

Straight.

The club has before taken action endorsing the Republican ticket, and last night's meeting was in harmony with the former feeling. President W. S. Mears, presided. Every Republican club on the West Side is for the ticket and everything points.

Miss Williams' Class.

Class No. 12 of the Scranton Street Baptist Sunday school held an entertainment last evening in the church basement. Miss Maria Williams, teacher of the class, had prepared an interesting programme, which was well carried out. Miss Grace Goodrich recited, and a piano duet was given by the Misses Clara Reid and Goodrich. Edna Ainey recited, followed by a vocal solo by Miss Viah Jones. Then came a piano solo by Edna Evans, and a recitation by Dora Jenkins, followed by a vocal solo by Ruth Beddoe. A recitation was given by Jennie Hughes, succeeded by a guitar selection by Master Harley Zintle. Etta Andrews recited and Thomas Phillips sans. Mattle Hughes gave a recitation followed by a piano due t by Misses Tominson and Evans. A second recitation by Misse Goodrich, and a piano duet by Misses Transue and Effe Fellows closed the entertainment. After this a social was held for the benefit of the Sunday, school. The affair was successful in every way.

Miss Sterling Surprised.

A surprise party was given Miss Vida
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Sterling last evening at her home, on
Chestnut street. Games and other social
diversions were indulged in during the
evening and refreshments were served.
Those present were: Misses Lucy Faust,
Anna Ross, Daisy Case, Katle and Laura
Edwards, Grace and edirtrude Ainey, Ella
Shaw, Margaret Madigan, Bertha Metzgar, Louise Simon, Flora Cole, Bessie
Neely, Stella Shaw, Sadie Ferber, Edna
Ainey, Lena Ginader, Anna Hetts, Vida
Sterling and Edith Beavers; Fred Bears,
Charles Ginader, Charles Stewart, John
Slavin, Richard Louergon, Richard Kadgan, Albert Gleason, Willie Leitner, Willie

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CONDITION OF THE SOUTH.

It Will Be Shown by Dr. Frissell Next gan, Albert Gleason, Willie Leitner, Willie Diehl, Robert Carson, Walter Davis, Ar-thur Davis, Ernest Mansfield, Eddie Morse, Lester Morse, Willie Wallace, Dan Kelly, Calvin Coons, Glen Johnson, Willie and Harry Sterling, Robert Renshaw, Frank Major, of Wilkes-Barre.

Another Leap Year Social

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The ball room floor of Mears' hall was comfortably crowded last evening, the occasion being a leap year social. A pleasant time was enjoyed. The young ladies in charge were: Margaret Davis. Jeanette Harris, May Thomas, Mary Gray, Annie Gaffney, Maggle Horn, Alice Gallagher, Nellie Horn. Richard Phillips was prompter, and Mrs. Maillott, planist.

News Notes and Personals. The funeral of the late Mrs. Catherine Reap will occur today at 9 o'clock. Inter-ment will be made in Hyde Park Catholic

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George Kern, of Scranton street, has organized a dancing class that meets every Friday, evenig at Fuller's hall.
Airsn. Joseph A. Phillips, of Swetland street, was in Wilkes-Barre yesterday.
The West Side Republican league meets tonight, important business pertaining to the campaign will come up. Every member should attend.
Mrs. Hutson, of Montrose, who came here to attend her son, Will, who has been ill with typhoid fever, has herself

been stricken with the disease and was taken home. Mrs. Arja Davis, of Port Oram, has re-turned home after a visit to West Side Frank Ames, of Salam, is the guest of Frank Slote, of Lincoln avenue. The Pennsylvania Glee club will meet Sunday evening in the Weish Baptist

church.

A number of West Side young men attended the leap year social at Excelsion hall last evening.

Born, Wednesday, a daughter, to Attorney and Mrs. Will R. Lewis, of North Main avenue.

At Tuesday night's meeting of the citi-At Tuesday night's meeting of the citi-zens of Believue Heights it was resolved as the series of the citizens of that place that they favor the viaduct. So far there has been no chanifest antagonism to the

visituet.

Róbert Morris lodge met last evening.
Robert E. Williams was initiated into the order. Tickets for admission to the coming eluteddfod were distributed among the members.
Lewis A. Howell, the trustworthy bank clerk, has resigned his position at the Merchant's and Mechanic's bank and has begun duties in a more lucrative position at the Lackawanna Trust and Safe Descriptions.

posit company.

Miss Flora May Leeds, of Pettebone street, entertained a number of her classmates from No. 18 school Wednesday evening at her home. Miss Agnes Murray, teacher of the little folks, attended the Thomas Escott, of South Main avenue, is ill.

The Wilkes-Barre male-voice party will enter the Robert Morris lodge elsteddfod.

Mrs. Robert Davis, of Washburn street, is recovering from a severe cold.

West Side Business Directory.

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tobls sharpened, saws filed, keys fitted,
machines repaired by W. L. Steenback,
dealer in Guns, Fishing Tackle, under
West Side bank. West Side Business Directory.

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GROCERIES—Revere Standard Java Coffee is unexcelled. The leading coffe of the day. For sale only at F. W. Mason & Co. Fine Groceries, 116 South Main avenue.

BECOND HAND FURNITURE—Cash for anything you have to sell. Furniture, Stoven. Tools, etc. Call and see the stock of J. C. King, 1024 and 1026 Jackson stored.

DUNMORE.

Only one session was held in the bor-ough schools yesterday on account of the extreme inclemency of the weather. Friend Simmons, of Madisonville, was calling on friends in town yesterday. The youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Schweitzer is quite ill at their home, on Bloom street. Floyd Young, of Easton, was calling on numerous friends in this place yes-terday.

John Simpson and Eugene Seigel are spending a few days in New York city.
A number of the friends of Walter Neimeyer tendered him a party at his home, in North Park, on Wednesday night. Various games made the hours pass pleasantly and a good time was had by all

miss Ida Bone entertained a number of friends at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Mofiatt, on West Drinker street, last evening, and a most enjoyable evenig was spent in various anusements.

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Tuesday Night. The entire benevolent and philanthropic community will be interested to know that Dr. Frissell, successor to the late General Armstrong, will bring his Hampton African quartette to this city next week. They will be seen at the Second Presbyterian church

seen at the Second Presbyterian church on Tuesday evening.

The members of the quartette will sing their pathetic plantation melodies and a number of Indians and Africans will speak. Dr. Frissell will also deliver a lecture on the institute, illustrated with stereopticon views. He will present a correct picture of the social, religious, economic and agricultural condition of the South.

Fine silver tem sets, butter dishes, berry dishes, bread plates. Japanese goods and a great many other useful articles will be sold to the highest bid-der at the great auction sale now in progress at Davidow Bros,

Eight-day clocks were slaughtered yesterday at Davidow Bros.' great auction sale. Special sale of Holiday Wines for fam

ily use, 35 cents per quart, at James P. Bests, 308 Cedar avenue.

SOUTH SIDE NEWS.

Electric Car Left the Rails and Ran Over Against the Sidewalk-Marriage at Minooka Yesterday.

The South Side street car which left the central city at 10 o'clock last night jumped the track on Cedar avenue, where the Stone avenue line diverges, and ran over against the curbstone on the easterly side of the street. It halted in front of Ziewier & Shoumacher's hardware store. When the car was coming along the motorman did not throw off the power at the point where the Stone avenue line begins and the car went through the latch and sped over the Beigian block pavement until the sidewalk stopped it. It did not delay the other cars because it went clear away from the track. The wreck car came along soon and replaced it without any difficulty.

Married at Minooka Yesterday.

At 11 o'clock yesterday morning the marriage of Miss Bridget Disken, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Disken, of Main street, Minooka, to John Joyce, also of that place, was solemnized at St. Joseph's church by Rev. D. A. McCarthy. The bridesmaid was Miss Ellen Coyne and Patrick Joyce, brother of the groom was groomsman. The bride was attired in a blue traveling sult with pearl trimmings and the bridesmaid wore a costume of blue silk with lace trimmings. At noon a wedding dinner was served at the home of the bride's parents; only the immediate friends of the bridal party were present. At 3.50 in the afterneon Mr. and Mrs. Joyce left on their wedding trip for New York. Married at Minooka Yesterday.

Next Tuesday evening the Scranton Saengerrunde will hold their annual masquerade ball at Natter's hall.
On Friday evening, Feb. 14, the ball of the William Connell Hose company will be held at Excelsior hall. Wyoming avenue.
This evening will be the date for the regular monthly meeting of the South Side board of trade.

BOY FELL INTO A CREEK.

Por.

The stream is ordinarily a harmless one, but the thaw and rain of the past few days had made the water turbulent and dangerous. Young Harris lives near the creek. He was playing the bank when he slipped into ing on the bank, when he slipped into the water. Several women saw the

and the boy was rescued. Several accidents have occurred at this stream. It was into this that Andrew Gusthoffson, the Swede, fell last Sunday night. The lad Harris is resting quietly and

Given Last Evening in the Excelsior Hall, Wyoming Avenue.

chestra.

Among those from out of town were the Misses Moore, of Glenburn; Miss Toohill and Harry Hitchner, of West Pittston; Mr. McCann and Mr. Heckey, of Wilkes-Barre; Miss Van Buskirk, Miss Lewis and Mrs. Lewis, of Taylor, and Raiph Williams, of Nicholson.

MISS BREAKSTONE DEAD.

monia. She was 24 years of age and a young

POLITICAL CHIT-CHAT.

Professor Martin Joyce is the Republi-can candidate for select council in the Twenty-first ward. He is opposed by John J. McAndrew, Democrat.

There will be a meeting of the Fourth ward Republican club held at their roome on Monday evening. Feb. 10, at 1.50 o'clock at which, time all members are requested to be present. By order of President Hugh James.

President Hugh James.

A meeting of the Republican voters of the Second district of the Sixteenth ward was held last night at Alderman Fuller's office. Attorney M. I. Corbett was elected chairman and William Dawson secretary. J. W. St. John, in eloquent words.

Sas, all present to earnestly work for the Micket nominated in Music Hall and places in the Sixteenth ward where it properly belongs supporting the ticket with its old-time majority. C. W. Bushnell was selected by motion to act as judge of election and Mr. St. John was instructed in the event of Mr. Bushnell's refusal to serve that he (Mr. St. John) be empowered to select a good man. On motion a committee of one from each district was appointed to get volunteers to get out the vote; said committee to report at an adjourned meeting. The committee consists of: First district. F. N. Haltsad; Second district J. E., Davis. Another meeting will be held next Tuesday Feb., 11, at 5 p. m.

U. OF P. ATHLETIC TEAM.

ham on Feb. 20.

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HEARING IS AT AN END

Prima Pacie Case Made Out by the Prosecution.

SCHLENTZ IS HELD FOR COURT

Arguments Which Could Not Be Refuted Convinces the Alderman That Schlentz Should Be Made to Face a Jury.

The Schlentz perjury hearing was concluded before Alderman Millar last evening and the defendant was held in evening and the detendant was held in 3300 ball to answer at court. John Westpfahl became his bondsman. The case was re-opened by Major Warren calling Hon. Alex Connell to the stand to impeach the trutworthiness of the witness, Charles Asperschlager, the only man besides Schlentz who testiwitness, Charles Asperschager, the only man besides Schlentz who testified to having seen any irregularities. Mr. Conneil told how at a recent election Asperschlager came to him and wanted money. Mr. Conneil agreed to recommend him as a watcher, but when he drew the admission from Asperschlager that he had secured \$5 from the Democrats, he refused to engage him and sent him to Mr. Simrell. Mr. Watson objected to the admission of this testimony, but the alderman overruled the objection. During the arguments for and against the admission of this evidence Mr. watson charged Mr. Warren with having imitated Asperschlager in refusing to support the whole ticket. "You are a first-class liar," said the major in cool and measured tones. "I made speeches and worked hard in the interests of the whole ticket, and you know it." Mr. Watson swallowed the lie without a murmur.

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In his argument Major Warren laid particular stress upon that part of the affidavit in which Schlentz swears that Mr. Simrell "willfully and knowingly violated the rules of the Republican party," showing /that there are no rules of the Republican party governing primaries and that the customs adopted for conducting them differ in ing primaries and that the customs adopted for conducting them differ in almost every election district. He held that Schlentz mas guilty of willful perjury for not having at least taken the trouble to find out whether or not there were such rules, before branding two honest citizens as criminals, and that he swore to something that was not true and which he knew nothing about, as he voluntarily admitted.

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The fact that twenty witnesses testified, said Major Warren, that the election was conducted openly and orderly, rebuts any intention to defraud, and the fact that there was no necessity for any crooked work to elect Colonel Rippie's delegates in his stronghold, the First district of the Twentieth ward, rebuts any motive for fraud.

Then he attacked Schientz's statement in his affidavit that the ballot box was out of the rooms "for a long space of time" and drew the deadly parallel by quoting Schientz's admission at the hearing that Mr. Simrell was not gone with the box over three or four minuaes." Mr. Schientz knows and any sane man knows, said Major Warren, that he was swearing to what he knew was untrue when he swore that he thought any irregularities might have occurred while the box was taken out of the room, for it stands to reason that it would take the quickest man that was ever let live to change those ballors contained as they were in a nailed was ever let live to change those bal-lots, contained as they were in a nalled box, during the three minutes which elapsed from the time Mr. Simrell left the room for the cellar and came back

again."

In concluding, Major Warren took occasion to show the true motive which prompted Schlentz's instigators in bringing the prosecution and reviewing briefly the points which he had particularly dwelt upon asked that the defendant be held for court.

What Mr. Wasson Said.

What Mr. Watson Said. celsior Club hall by the young ladies of the A Picked Few set. Misses Mame the comprised drawn, how the suit was instituted and how he was connected with the case. Then he went on to say in refutation of a point made by Major Warren that it was not, to his mind, as singular that only two saw the irregularities as that anybody at all saw them, for they must

have done these things stealthily.

Speaking of the "long space of time,"

Mr. Watson said that three minutes Mr. would be a long space of time for some things but a sort space of time for others. He himself would want only about one minute to stuff a ballot box if he had made up his mind to do it, and he wasn't very well posted on the

stuffing of ballot boxes at that.

While Schlentz admitted that he was not conversant with the rules he was told by Charley Westpfhal that the rules had been violated, and Charley was an authority in Schlentz's eyes. was an authority in Schlentz's eyes. Henry Schlentz swore to what he believed was true, was Mr. Watson's closing statement. He asked that his client be discharged.

Alderman Millar, after a moment's meditation, said, "The court feels that this man should be held in ball." Schlentz and his bondsman. John Westpfahl, thereupon stood up and were bounden severally and individ-

were bounden severally and individ-ually in the sum of \$300.

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PROCLAMATION.

Mayor's Office, City of Scranton, Pa.

In compliance with Law and the Ordinace of the City of Scranton, I. W. L. Connell, Mayor of said City, do hereby give notice that an election will be held at the places of helding the Municipal Elections in said City, on Tuesday, the Eighteenth Day of February, being the Third Tuesday of February, being the Third Tuesday of February, 189, for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors of said City to an increase of Bonds in the ameunt of 315,080.00, for the purpose of precuring land for and constructing a Viaduct parallel with West Lackswanna avenue from Seventh street to Ninth street, as provided in Ordinance of said City. File of Select Council, No. 47, 1835, entitled: "An Ordinance Providing for Increasing the City Debt for the Purpose of Procuring Land for and Constructing a Viaduct Parallel with West Lackswanna Avenue from Seventh Street to Ninth Street and Submitting the Question of Such Increase to a Vote of the Electors Thereof," approved January 17th, 185.

As required by iaw, the following information is given to electors:

First—The amount of the last assessed valuation of taxable property in said City is \$18,57,540.

Second—The amount of the existing Debt of said City is \$25,578.57.

Third—The amount of the proposed increase of debt is \$150,000.00.

Fourth—The proposed increase of debt is \$160,000.00.

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Fifth—The purpose for which the indebtedness is to be incurred are hereinbefore stated.

Annexed hereto is the City Controller's official statement of Indebtedness and Re-

Annexed hereto is the City Controller's official statement of Indebtedness and Resources of the City, also copy of City Ordinance.

Witness by hand and the Seal of the City of Scranton this 17th Day of January, A. D. 1888.

[Beal of City] W. L. Connell, Mayor.

FILE OF SELECT COUNCIL, NO. 47, AN ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE

Providing for Increasing the City Debt for the Purpose of Procuring Land for, and Constructing a Viaduet Parallel with West Lackawanna Avenue from Seventh Street to Ninth Street, and Submitting the Question of Such Increase to a Vote of the Electors Thereof.

Section 1.—Be it ordained by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Scranton, and it is hereby ordained by the authority of the same. That for the purpose of constructing a viaduct upon the southerly side of and contiguous to West Lackawanna Avenue, from Seventh Street to Ninth Street, in the Fourteenth Ward, and for the payment of compensation for property to be taken, injured or destroyed thereby, an increase of the City Debt, by issue of City Bonds in the amount of One Hundred and Fifty Thousand Deliars, is horeby authorized, subject, nevertheless to the consent of the electors of the City of Scranton as herein provided.

Section 2.—The question of assenting to the above proposed increase of the City Debt shall be submitted to a vote of the electors of the City of Scranton at the next ensuing general election occurring not less than thirty days after the passage of this ordinance.

Bection 3.—After the passage of this ordinance, and at least thirty days before said election, the Mayor shall publish a notice of the election hereby authorized in three daily newapapers of the City, and the statement required to be published in such notice shall be furnished by the City Controller.

W. L. Connell, Mayor.

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OFFICE OF CITY CONTROLLER. Stranton, Pa., January 2, 1894. Statement of the Indebtedmens and Resources of the City of Scranton, at the close of business, December 31st, 1885:

BONDED DEBT. cent.— Due February 1st, 1960, Nos. 16 to 35 inclusive

Due February lat, 1995, Nos. 36 to 50 inclusive 25 000 00
Due February 1st, 1810, Nos. 61 to
90 inclusive 20 000 00
Municipal Improvement Loan, 1891, 4% Due June 1st, 1903, Nos. 1 to 34 Due June 1st, 1908, Nos. 35 to 68

Due June 1st, 1913, Nos. 69 to 106 clusive 50 600 00 Due June 1st, 1909, Nos. 91 to 140 inclusive 50 600 00 Due June 1st, 1919, Nos. 191 to 250

inclusive ... Total SUNDRY CLAIMS.

Total indebtedness of Total indebtedness of 3300 277 69

RESOURCES OF THE CITY.

Cash in General City Fund 507 107 30

Cash in Interest and Sinking Fund 92 296 72

Delinquent Taxes and other items Collected. 35 000 00 —224 398 02

Net indebtedness of the

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Net indebtedness of the SES 978 67

In addition to the above stated assets, the City of Scranten purchased bonds of the issue of 121,00,00 and one \$500.00 Bond of the issue of 1278, 4 per cent., to the amount of 121,000.00 and one \$500.00 Bond of the issue of 1278, 5 per cent., No. 28, for the benefit of its Sinking Fund an exchange was effected by which \$17,000.00 was transferred from the 183 issue to that of 1832 leaves and giving the 1896 issue a credit of \$17,600.00.

Statement of the amount of last preceding assessed valuation of the Taxable property of the City of Scranton, Pennsylvania, being the assessment for year 1835. Occupation \$1 021 540

Real Estate and Personal \$1 021 540

...\$19 801 304

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, County of Lackawanna, ss.: of Lackawanna, sa.:

On the sixteenth day of January, A. D. 1895, personally appeared before me, the subscriber, a Notary Public, duly commissioned and residing in the City of Scranton, F. J. Widmayer, who being duly sworn, doth depose and say that he is the Controller of the City of Scranton and to the best of his knowledge and belief the foregoing statement of the finances of the City of Scranton is just, correct and true and that other foregoing statement is also correct.

FRED. J. WIDMAYER, Sworn and subscribed to before me on the date above mentioned. Witness my hand and seal of office. [Seal] EUGENE D. FELLOWS.

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Sale Price \$2.98

Sale Price 980

Sale Price \$7.48

Sale Price \$8.98

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Shorter Paragraphs of News.

Would have browned but for the Heroic Action of Will Marsh.

Thomas Harris, a little boy living with his parents at Feltzville, near Taylor, fell into the Hampton creek yesterday and was carried one hundred yards by the swiftly flowing stream. Will Marsh, an employe at the Holden colliery, was crossing a little bridge over the creek at the time and he saw the boy's head bobbing up in the stream. Jumping in, Mr. Marsh grasped the little fellow and carried him to the bank. The boy was then half dead. A physician was summoned and by persistent work young Harris regained consciousness after a half hour's stupor. Would Have Drowned but for the Herole

the water. Several women saw the boy fall and they ran along the bank screaming for help.

Marsh was passing on the Oak street bridge, under which the water is deep-er than at other places. He jumped in,

LEAP YEAR DANCING PARTY.

A very largely attended and correspondingly pleasant leap year dancing social was given last night in the Excelsior Club hall by the young ladies of the A Picked Few set. Misses Mame the committee in charge of the affair. The music was by the Lawrence or-

Succumbed to an Attack of Paeumonia at lier Home in Wilkes-Barro.

Miss Adela Breakstone, a teacher of elocution well-known in this city, died at her home in Wilkes-Barre at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon from pneu-

woman of great talent.

The members of the Ninth ward Republican club are urged to attend a meeting to be held this Friday evening at the rooms of the Central Republican club. It is hoped all members will try and arrange to be present. Everett warren, president.

Will Give an Exhibition in the Frothingham on Feb. 20.

The officers of thescranton Bicycle club last night closed a contract with J. Myles Gibbons, representative of the athletic team of the University of Pennsylvania, for an exhibition by the team in the Frothingham theater February 20. The proceeds of the exhibition, after deducting the athletic team's share, will be devoted to the fund for building the proposed addition to the Bicycle club house.

There are eighteen members of the athletic team. Their exhibition will include swinging clubs, flying rings, horisontal bar, wire walking, wrestling, parallel bars, bar bells, high jumping, fencing, vaulting, fancy bicycle riding, pyramids and Roman ladders.

