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PERSONAL.

Miss Mamie Call, of 507 North Ninth street, is visiting her sister, Lulu, at New York.

Miss Minnie Connolly, of Homestead, is the guest of Miss Lucy Carroll, of Madison avenue.

Miss Mary Hemigan, of Homestead, is the guest of the Misses Hoban, of Washington avenue.

Mayor and Mrs. Thomas Maloney and daughter, Miss Alice; Miss Margaret Mangan and Miss Donnelly, of Pittston, were among those who witnessed the consecration.

T. P. Ryder, of the Wilkes-Barre Record; J. J. Mangin, of the Wilkes-Barre News-Dealer; P. S. Ramsey, of the Wilkes-Barre Times, and J. Morris, of the Pittston Item were in the city yesterday, regarding the consecration for their respective papers.

BROSINS RE-NOMINATED. Only Leads McKinley by 367 Votes in Lancaster.

Lancaster, Pa. March 22.—At the Republican primaries in this county yesterday, Congressman Marriot Brosins was re-nominated without opposition.

The entire Quay combination was elected with the probable exception of one legislative candidate in the Northern district. J. Sook and H. B. Kassel, the Quay delegates to the national convention, were also elected by a large majority.

The vote for presidential preference is very close between Quay and McKinley. With twenty-three districts set out, Quay leads by 367, and it is probable Quay will win by a small majority.

Rheumatism Cured in 24 Hours. T. J. Blackmore, of Haller & Blackmore, Pittsburg, Pa., says: "A short time since I procured a bottle of 'Mystic Cure.' It got me out of the house in twenty-four hours. I took my bed with rheumatism nine months ago and the 'Mystic Cure' is the only medicine that did me any good. I had five of the best physicians in the city, but I received very little relief from them. I know the 'Mystic Cure' to be what it is represented and take pleasure in recommending it to other poor sufferers." Sold by Carl Lorenz, druggist, 418 Lackawanna avenue, Scranton.

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Men's 2-Buckle Arctics, finest quality, black lined, to close out \$1.50

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News of the Suburbs.

WEST SIDE EVENTS.

Editor Farr Has Something to Say About the Hospital Site—Plymouth church anniversary.

Not a little ill-feeling has been stirred up among West Siders who are interested in the hospital situation.

The news of the opposition, as published in Saturday's Tribune, was the first that many of the members of the hospital association had of the opposition.

Editor Farr, of the Courier-Progress, who is temporary president of the association, has this to say of the situation:

"It is greatly to be regretted and very surprising that there should be any opposition to the location of the hospital in the Freeman residence on South Main avenue. There is no good reason for it. Hospitals today are so carefully constructed that no serious objection can be made to them, or else many in the state and country would not be located in the populous portions of cities.

Hospitals are doing a grand service for the community, and are more needed than in Hyde Park, the home of so many engaged in dangerous occupations, and no man or woman, without the most positive reasons, should put himself in the way of getting what the state, after much persuasion and hard work, has been induced to give us.

"If we had a site of those opposed to the intended location have been deceived by false views concerning the hospital by the statements made about the building in a newspaper in the rear of the hospital, near the Presbyterian parsonage. There is no truth in the statement and it was started by some one in a spirit of fun to add to the excitement of those who were already unnecessarily disturbed. It is consoling to know and creditable to the people at large on this side that only a very few are willing to do anything to injure the projected hospital. Those who are now in arms against it will in due time regret their actions, because they will see, from the hospital in working order, how weak were their reasons for prejudice against it.

"We should be striving to help a movement that will do good, and not to do anything that might be a serious injury to it."

REV. J. GRIFFITHS, LECTURER.

Four lectures on Applied Christianity. According to Christ will be delivered by Rev. John Griffiths, of the Summer Avenue Presbyterian church.

The first of the series was given yesterday afternoon at St. David's hall before a large audience. The topic was "The Welsh Pilgrim Fathers of 1682."

The lecture dealt with William Penn's Welsh allies in the "Holy Experiment." The next of the series will be as follows: March 29, "The Welsh Barony of Pennsylvania, an American Civic Church of Two Hundred Years Ago;" April 5, "The Civic Church—A New Fought Nation of the World;" April 12, "Christian Union on Civic Lines: The Most Practical and the Most Needed." The lectures are free of charge.

IN EXISTENCE FOURTEEN YEARS.

The members of the Plymouth Congregational church will celebrate their fourteenth anniversary of the church next Sunday. On the following Monday a meeting will be held at which speeches will be made by the deacons and the pastor, Rev. T. Bell. A thank offering will be made on Sunday evening and Pastor Bell will preach an appropriate sermon. A social and roll call will also signalize the anniversary.

SPRING OPENING.

Joseph, Bayles & Jenkins' grand opening of millinery will occur on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, March 26, 27 and 28, at 427 Spruce street.

NEWS NOTES AND PERSONALS.

Miss Frances Jordan, of Twelfth street, is entertaining the Misses Kate and Mary Quinn, of Carbondale.

The Hyde Park Literary and Debating society will banquet on the evening of March 29 at the St. Charles hotel. The banquet will be given in honor of Saturday. The society will meet tonight to complete organization.

Miss Gertrude Freeman is spending a vacation from studies at Bloomsburg State Normal school.

Edward Hughes, of Bloomsburg State Normal school, is visiting his parents on Division street.

The funeral of Mrs. Catherine Phillips, wife of Richard Phillips, of Thirteenth street, will occur this afternoon. Interment will be made in Washburn Street cemetery.

T. J. Reynolds, of Hampton street, has returned from a trip to Vermont.

Harry W. Reinhart, of North Broadway avenue, who has been secretary and treasurer of the Marquette since its organization in 1882, has tendered his resignation of the office, and has requested that he be permitted to withdraw from membership.

Henry P. Davies will lecture this evening before David Sand Lodge of Twelve on the subject of "The North Pole." The Robert Morris lodge has accepted an invitation to attend.

The victorious Philharmonic Choral society will meet tonight for the purpose of dividing the spoils of conquest at the Robert Morris club.

West Side Business Directory.

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DUNMORE.

Miss J. Marion Benedict, of West Pittston, was the guest of Miss Helen Sanders, of Cherry street, yesterday.

An abandoned dwelling house on Lovell's Lane owned by Burke & Gilligan, caught fire about 1 o'clock Saturday morning in some unaccountable way. The straw batted from box 27 was quickly responded to and the flames were subdued before much damage was done.

The members of the Sunday school in the Presbyterian church yesterday M. L. Speck was elected superintendent in place of H. A. Mace, deceased, and Arthur Close, assistant, in place of Speck, who formerly held that position.

A number of the friends and neighbors of Mrs. Frank Van Horn gathered at her home on Trip Avenue and had a quilting bee, after which a 5 o'clock tea was given by Mrs. Van Horn.

The Christian Endeavor society of the Dudley Street Baptist church will give an entertainment in their church on Wednesday evening.

Rev. P. H. Brooks, of Wilkes-Barre, occupied the pulpit in the Presbyterian church yesterday. He was accompanied by his wife and they were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Blackinton, of Elm street.

About 11:30 Saturday night an alarm of fire was sounded from box 21, the blaze being in a barn occupied by Pflafer, who conducts a bottling establishment in Parke's court. An alarm was also sent in from Scranton; which was responded to by the Reliefs. The barn

was quickly destroyed, without much damage to the surrounding property. In responding to the alarm the horses of the Independent Hose company got uneasy and in swinging around the pole caught and snapped it in two, and in consequence they were unable to get out.

Ruthven, who has been speaking in the vicinity for some time, lectured in the Christian church yesterday afternoon. After the meeting was over he was escorted as far as Washington avenue by a number of his officers.

Aside from a few small boys throwing snow balls and making taunting remarks, no demonstration was made.

The home of Policeman Michael Giese came very near being destroyed by fire yesterday afternoon. Children playing with matches in the parlor was supposed to have been the origin of the blaze. The lace curtains caught and in a moment were a mass of flames. The window casings and woodwork were badly scorched, and but for the prompt and energetic action of the neighbors much more serious damage might have resulted.

An Italian laborer employed by the Pennsylvania Coal company, around his breaker at Blunk Hill, was quite badly squeezed while at his work Saturday. He was bathing water and in some manner got caught between the car and the press.

GREEN RIDGE.

Mrs. George Perigo, of Delaware street, who has been ill for some time with the grippe, has recovered sufficiently to be about the house.

M. C. Collins, of Penn avenue, will move into his new house at Woodlawn Park, April 1.

About twenty members of the Green Ridge Local Temperance legion visited the Lumore legion in a body Saturday night.

A. T. Winters, of South Dakota, visited relatives in the Ridge Saturday.

D. S. and W. S. Cobb, of Capouse avenue, spent the last part of last week in Dalton.

James Dougherty, of Wyoming avenue, is visiting in Delaware county, N. Y.

Dr. Berlinghoff, of Capouse avenue, will move into the house now occupied by Attorney Edgar, and the latter will move to the central city.

"Between the Acts," which will be repeated tonight at the Academy of Music, begins tonight will form a delightful feast of dramatic successes. The opening play, "Moths," is already well known to readers of fiction who have read the novel on which it is so intensely interesting story of Russian intrigue intelligently woven by that past mistress of the art, Ouida.

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PROVIDENCE.

Mrs. Henry Williams, of Wilkes-Barre, who has been ascending a few days with friends in the North End, returned home.

Henry Hitchins is slightly indisposed at his home, on West Market street.

The Rev. F. F. Davis, pastor of the Welsh Baptist church, preached an eloquent sermon on the missionaries of Asia last evening.

William Bore, a Poleander, of Spring alley, was arrested on Saturday evening by Patrolman Perry for being drunk and disorderly. He was locked up and given a hearing yesterday morning before Alderman L. N. Roberts, who fined him \$7, which was paid by friends.

Michael Sizer has accepted a position as clerk in the cash store of Jerome Clark in the Walsh building.

The members of the North End Gleec club are requested to meet in the rooms this evening for practice.

The musical comedy, "The Stone Room" and Dramatic club will present a drama, "Forced to the Ward," in Company H armory on Easter Monday night.

Mrs. Parry, mother of Alfred Parry, of Summit avenue, surprised her friends on Saturday evening by returning from Wales unexpected, where she had been sojourning for several months. The old lady was passed her seventieth year and returned without a companion.

COMING ATTRACTIONS.

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