### THE ECRANTON TRIBUNE-TUESDAY MOBNING, MAY 26, 1896.



## WEST SIDE EVENTS,

Death of Captain David Bird and John R. James-Both Were Well-Known and Had Many Friends.

Captain David Bird died at 7.25 ok last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel I. Phillips, with whom he has lived for several years. A year England. Tribune printed an extended ago The I saac Davis was in Wilkes-Barre yesterday. Michael Colleran, the six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Colleran, of 514 Meridian street, died at 2 p. m. yes-terday. The funeral will take place Wednesday morning a 9 o'clock. In-terment will be made at Hyde Park Catholic cemetery. Rev. and Mrs. Rainer left on Monday for Dividual bar. sketch of Captain Bird's useful life. He it was, as captain of a tug, who piloted the Monitor down to Hampton Roads, where the great naval battle was fought with the confederate ram Merrimac. Captain Bird was a great and true seaman. He was 75 years of age and was born at Rye, a little town about thirty miles distant from New York city. He is survived by a sister, Mrs. John Armitage, of Brooklyn.

John R. James, who has lived on the West Side for over forty years, died yesterday morning at his home on North Hyde Park avenue. The de-ceased has suffered from paralysis for over two years. He was born in South

over two years. He was born in South Wales sixty-nine years ago. Coming to this country at the age of 19 he has resided here since. He was a member of the Simpson Methodist Episcopal church. The surviving chiloren are: T. E. James, J. A. James and W. S. James. The funeral arrangements have not yet been completed. In the Cambrian of November, 1895, a Welsh-American fournat, edited at

Welsh-American journal, edited at Remsen, New York, Mr. James was given prominent mention. The article is the leading one of the number. On the first page is a splendid steel engrav-ing of the subject of the sketch whileh in part as follows: "John R. James is a highly esteemed citizen of Scianton. Fa., and a few years ago was one of the most active and prominent Ameri-cana in the city and in the Wyoming vall v. During the last few years, however, owing to illness and advanc-ing years, he has not been so actively and prominently associated with Welsh social, political and religious move-ments as formerly, yet his deepest sym-pathics are with his own nationality. For the time being, others may appear to occupy a more prominent place, but that is no reason why the names of former noteworthy Welshmen, should

disappear from view and their services be forgotten, but rather that they should be all the more esteemed and honored for their work.

The their work." The article then gives a long blog-raphy of Mr. James. He was born on a farm called Penywern in the parish of Lianelly, South Wales. Coming with his newly wedded wife to Scranton in 1849, Mr. James experienced the same bardehing as the other seals certifier ugly gash and numerous bruises about the body showed the free use of a club. Streaming with blood he made his way to Alderman Roberts' office and swore out a warrant for the arrest of William Balvenus. Constable Davis, in whose 1849. Mr. James experienced the same hardships as the other early settlers. The journey was by stage from Rond-out to Honesdale and to Scranton. He went to California during the gold craze and was richer by several thous-ands of dollars upon return. He was afterward assistant outside foreman at hands the warrant was placed, succeed afterward assistant outside foreman at Mount Pleasant colliery and was ily made foreman. He was elected col controller for two years and tinally afterward assessor for several terms, He was also a member of the Welsh Philosophical society.

### MUST HAVE ASPHALT.

The property owners on Jackson treet between Main avenue and Chestnut street, are determined that that portion of the street shall be paved with asphalt and not with Belgian block as the present ordinance in counclis specify. A meeting was called for last night and several of the owners responded, but nothing definite was done. The general opinion seems to be in favor of asphait. Dr. Williams con-vinced the board of trade at the recent banquet that the cobble stone was in-ferior to the smooth asphalt.

# DEATH OF "PEN WIN."

where they visited Mr. Williams' son, Palmer. Charles E. Daniels returned yesterday Charles E. Daniels returaed yesterday from a business trip to Harrisburg. The following barbers will close to-day: George Ginader, J. H. Reynolds, C. L. Mazer, E. G. Jones, William Davis, Samuel Davies, J. H. Coyne, J. H. Bush, H. T. Price, Fred Ginader, T. E. Price, J. D. James, H. Hower, J. A. Hughes, Thomas Williams, J. F. Powers, Miss Anna Rumbold, of South Summer avenue, left yesterday for New York, from whence she will sail today for England.

# Isaac Davis was in Wilkes-Barre

for Philadelphia. Rev. Rainer will at-tend the meeting of the synod of the Lutheran church, which convenes at Allentown May 25 and continues one week. The funeral of Mrs. Honorah Kelly, wife of Thomas Kelley, of 803 Hampton street, will take place Thursday, May 28, at 9 a. m. from he residence. Inter-ment in Hyde Park Catholic conciery.

West Side Business Directory.

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# A large tenement house situated in Spring court, was the scene of much ex-citement Sunday night. Revelvier atand enjoyable trip. tendant upon a Polish christening were tendant upon a Polish christening were in full sway the greater part of the day. Among the guests was Fellx John-son, a musician, whose playing caused some doubt as to his ability. One of the men, bolder than the rest, told him that

he could not play and ordered him out of the house. His refusal was a signal for a fight. During the fight he was mercilessly beaten. A sugar bowl com-ing in contact with his head cut an

hands the warrant was placed, succeed-ed in capturing the accused man not far from his boarding house. At the hearing they agreed to zettle on Bal-venus paying \$20. The funeral of James Clark took place at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Ser-vices were held at Holy Rosary church. The dreumstances of his death were The circumstances of his death were

# made known in yesterday morning's Tribune. In his death this locality loses one of its best citizens and a man highly esteemed by all who came in contact with him. All of the business houses of this part

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son street.

of the city will be closed tomorrow be-tween the hours of 9 a. m. and 1 p. m. Thomas Flood, of Mohawk street, is improving. Thomas Gilligan was painfully in

Thomas Gingan was plantany in Gaptain W. H. Burke, was appoint-ed by Lackawanna countil of Irish Americans, as ald to grand marshal in Memorial Day parade. Mrs. M. E. Sanders and daughter, of Church agapta are visiting fuends in

John L. Lewis, whose critical condition was noted in yesterday's Tribune, died at 3 o'clock yesterday norning at his home on Academy sreet. He was the father of John H. Thomas and Mrs. Samuel Bevan, of this city, and Mrs. Eynon, of Australia. Deceased was born in Wales sixty-two years ago. He same to this country in 1852. He was well known by the name "Pen Win." The funeral will be on Wednes-day at 230 o'clock. day at 2.30 o'clock.

PERSONAL AND NEWS NOTES. The following West Side druggists have agreed to close their places of have agreed to close their places of business today between the hours of 9.30 a. m. and 12.30 p. m.: C. R. Snry-er, John J. Davies, Decker, Jenkins & Musgrave, Dr. S. E. Feinberg, D. M.

W. R. Williams, of South Main avenue, has returned from a day's trip to Wilkes-Barre. Dr. and Mrs. Pratt Smith, of Towan-

evening by Constable Davis on a war-rant issued by Alderman Roberts at the da, are visiting here. G. Bert Eynon, a student at the Uni-versity of Pennsylvania Dental departinstance of Powell Showell and Joseph ment. is spending the vacation period at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Eynon, of North Hyde Park ave-

Hon, John T. Williams and daughter

have returned from Bucknell university | placed them under arrest, having no

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his arm fracturing it. John Duggan, of Charles street, who was hurt last Saturday at the Marvine,

had his les amoutated Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Davis, of Put-nam street, are rejoicing over the ar-

rival of a young boarder. William Maynard, of North Main avenue, has resigned his position in

Osterhout's. Rev. William Edgar and wife, Ed-ward Benjamin, Warren Reese and Miss Margaret Williams will represent the Epworth league of Providence Methodist Episcopal church at the seventh annual convention at Plymouth

today. The Young Men's Temperance club of this part of the city will conduct an entertainment and social in St. Mary's hall Friday evening, June 5, The famous Lally children will appear for the last time in this city. Joseph Gudishkis was arrested last

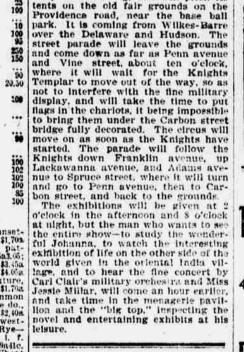
Butkus. The charge was impersonat-ing an officer and false arrest. At the hearing he was held under \$200 ball, in default of which he was committed to jail to appear at court. The prosecu-tors claimed that last Sunday Butkus

cycle Suits and the Well-Made, as between any other ill and well

Caps to Match. Stockings, Belts and Sweaters.

When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria, When she because Miss, she clung to Castoria. When she had Childron, she gave them Castoria.

Buffalo Live Stock. Buffalo, N. Y., May 25.-Cattle-Strong; good handy steers, 84.2004.25; good buton-ers', \$3.9004.10; mixed butchers', \$3.3502.50; stockers, dull and lower; good to extra. \$3.2503.25; feeders steady, at \$3.1502.35; fresh cows; springers active and strong; good to choice, \$25 to \$38. Veals-Stronger; fair to good, \$3.5004; extra, \$4.2504.50. Hogs -Active and higher; Yorkers good weights, \$3.60; mixed packers, \$3.4633.475; mediums, \$3.4003.46; pigs, \$3.508.56; roughs. \$2.7633; stags, \$323.25. Sheep and lambs-



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