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WOMAN'S LITERARY CLUB.

Well Known Ladies Organize for Mutual Benefit.

A woman's club composed of a number of well known ladies will meet one afternoon each week for the discussion of literary subjects. The first meeting will be at the home of Mrs. J. B. Hoyt, on River street, Monday, December 14, at 2.30 p. m., and the subject selected will be Ian Maclaren. The programme will be as follows:

Introductory Remarks, Mrs. E. J. Balsley
Election of Officers.
Information in Relation to Woman's Clubs in General, Mrs. R. D. Stuart
Suggestios as to Programmes, Mrs. N. H. Hiller
"Our Name, Our Motto and Our Aims" .....Mrs. L. A. Bessett
Special Subject .....Ian Maclaren
As a Lecturer ....Mrs. W. M. Lathrope
As an Author .....Mrs. J. E. Burr
"His Mother's Sermon," Mrs. C. T. Meaker
"Beside the Bonnie Brier Bush," "A Doctor of the Old School," Mrs. W. A. Manville
"Auld Lang Syne"....Mrs. J. B. Hoyt
"Kate Carnegie" .....Mrs. J. B. Hoyt
Watson as a Minister. Mrs. Charles Lee

OFFICERS ELECTED.

Important Meeting of the C. M. B. A.

The regular meeting of Branch 39, Catholic Mutual Benevolent Association, held a regular meeting on Thursday evening. The following officers were elected for the coming year:

Chancellor, R. H. Kerwin; president, B. A. Kelly; first vice-president, John Boylan; second vice-president, M. L. McCann; recording secretary, T. A. Kirkwood; assitant secretary, O. J. Coleman; financial secretary, J. W. Kilpatrick; treasurer, James O'Boyle; marshall, William McNulty; guard, Richard Connaughton; trustees, Alexander McDonald, Patrick Harte, John Burke, Michael Kelly, Martin Gerrity. Representatives to the grand council at Erie, Pa., September, 1897, R. H. Kerwin; alternate, James O'Boyle.

VOCOPHONE BAND

Are Preparing to Attend the Inauguration at Washington.

The vocophone band of this city is said to be the only one of the kind in the country. They are making preparations to attend the inauguration of the president-elect on the 4th of March. They have their uniforms, and will provide some new instruments and propose having a ball before long, to raise the necessary funds.

The music will prove an attractive feature in the procession on that occasion.

SEMI-ANNUAL RECEPTION

Of the Blessed Virgin's Sodality at St. Rose Church Sunday Evening.

The Sodality of the Blessed Virgin will hold their semi-annual reception at St. Rose church next Sunday evening. Rev. Pius Meyer, one of the Carmelite priests, who are conducting a mission in St. Patrick's church, Olyphant, will deliver the sermon. He is the superior of the Carmelite order in this country and a very eloquent preacher.

A vast number will doubtless crowd the church on this interesting occasion.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL NOTES.

Miss Helen Hathaway entertained a few of her young friends at her home on Salem avenue, Thursday evening. Among those present were: Clara Watt, Mabel Davis, Gertrude Dennis, Ruth Bailey, Belle Male, Florence Von Gorder, Mina Frank, Hazel Wheeler, Nellie Crocker and Adelaide Place.

Frank Couch was a guest at the home of Philo Burrill in Uniondale this week.

Delaware and Hudson Dispatcher Harry Briggs and his wife left yesterday for a visit in New York.

Claud Smith, Delaware and Hudson ticket agent, is in New York city.

Rev. D. A. Rocca was a visitor in Scranton this week.

Edward Kenworthy, who is suffering from blood poisoning, was better yesterday. His temperature had been reduced to the normal point.

Mrs. Martin Rogan, of Peckville, is visiting Mrs. John Clark on Cottage street.

Simon Spangenburg, of Eight avenue, is critically ill with typhoid fever.

Miss Clara Gerisch, who has made her home for the past year with her uncle, Louis Brunner, left Wednesday for Detroit, Mich., where she will live with her brother.

Miss Mame Charlesworth will spend Sunday in Scranton.

D. C. Benscoler was elected chaplain of William H. Davis Post, G. A. R., Wednesday evening.

Miss Maggie Kelly, of South Church street, who has been visiting in New York city, has returned home.

Michael Surdival, of Pike street, is ill with typhoid fever.

Mrs. Charlesworth, of Scranton, was the guest of Mrs. H. W. Harrison, Thursday.

M. J. O'Toole, city editor of the Scranton Times, was a visitor in this city Thursday.

Rev. William Ogenwyde Evans, of Wilkes-Barre, will preach in the Welsh Baptist church Sunday.

Frank Rabollo, who was bitten by a mad dog at Simpson a short time ago, and was admitted to the Pasteur institute in New York, at the expense of Simpson & Watkins, returned home Thursday fully recovered.

Harry Krantz, who was operated on for appendicitis a short time ago, was out for the first time Thursday.

Miss Kate Brennan, of Sand street, was quite seriously injured at her home yesterday by tripping over a board.

Professor Sage, the hypnotist,, will entertain the pupils of Wood's business college this afternoon at four o'clock.

John Scott, of the West Side, was hurt in the Wilson Creek mine by a premature blast yesterday morning.

Fred Reals, of Cottage street, fell and sustained an injury to his right knee cap while walking up Belmont street one evening this week.

Mrs. John Gardner and Mrs. E. Greenslade, of Jermyn, spent Thursday with friends in this city.

TAYLOR.

The concert to be given at Weber's rink on next Wednesday evening, December 16, under the auspices of the Young People's society of the German Lutheran church promises to be one of the greatest musical events of the season. The programme contains the following well known names: Misses Carolyne V. Dorsey, elocutionist, of Scranton; Mr. John E. Evans, Miss Lizzie Reinhardt, Professor Albion Korn, Rev. Edward Lang, James E. Watkins, esq., Master Harley Zintel, the Cosgrove children, Professor Haberstrohs and the celebrated Zither club. The programme above mentioned will consist of piano, violin, guitar and vocal music of a brilliant and sketchy character with recitations, both humorous and pathetic. It is expected a large number of visitors from Hyde Park, Scranton and their vicinities will be present and a most enjoyable time is anticipated. Refreshments will be served at the close of the concert. An admission fee of 15 cents will be charged.

Councilman Gomer E. Jones is a candidate for re-election to council in the Second ward.

The social at Weber's rink Wednesday evening was a most enjoyable affair. Music was furnished by the Taylor orchestra for dancing. Refreshments were served at an early hour, after which the band presented the defeated contestants with a handsome wreath in behalf of the good work done by them at their fair.

John Conley is an aspirant for the nomination of school director in the Fifth ward on the Republican ticket.

Mr. and Mrs. Weber, of this town, visited friends in Truckville on Thursday.

On Thursday evening the Patriotic Order of True Americans, No. 56, of this place, held a mock trial at their hall and several candidates were initiated.

Services at the Calvary Baptist church tomorrow by the pastor, Dr. H. H. Harris, at the usual hours. Mornin cermon, subject, "Paul's Exhortation to Timothy." Sunday school at 2 p. m. Evening sermon, subject, "The Personal Advantage Derived from Christian Service." Tomorrow evening at 7.30 the annual business meeting of the church will be held when the officers of the church and Sunday school will be elected for the coming year. All are cordially invited to be present

This evening the Orpheus quartette, of this place, will take part in the concert at the Smith Music hall, Priceburg, for the benefit of Mrs. Oakley.

PECKVILLE.

The families of William Smith and David Hoag moved to Plymouth last Thursday.

Misses Lily and May Pizer, of Jermyn, were in attendance at the social held in the Ladyard hall last Wednesday evening.

The sad intelligence was received here yesterday of the serious illness of Oscar Traviss, who moved his family from Peckville to a mining village below Wilkes-Barre the past summer.

The Delaware and Hudson paid their Gravity railroad employes here yesterday.

The Union Cemetery association elected their new officers last Wednesday evening as follows: President, S. D. Kingsly vice president, Niles Johnson; secretary, William Priest.

Services at the Baptist church Sunday, December 13, at 10.30 a. m. Subject, "Faith in God." Sunday school at 2.30 p. m. Baptist Young People's union at 6 p. m., and sermon at 7 p. m. Subject, "Mark the Perfect Man." H. T. Allen, pastor.

Services tomorrow as usual in the Methodist Episcopal church. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. S. C. Simpkins, at 10.30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Theme for morning, "The City That Hath Foundations." Evening, sermon to young men, theme, "Wandering Sheep." Sunday school at 2.30. Epworth league at 6 p. m. Everybody cordially welcome.

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JERMYN AND MAYFIELD

Hon. M. T. Burke was a caller in town yesterday.

Mrs. Stone, of Olyphant, spent yesterday as the guest of Mrs. Daniel Meehan.

Gilroy's orchestra of Archbald have been engaged to furnish music for the firemen's ball on New Year's eve.

Mrs. G. H. Yost has rented the house of Mr. Stanton's, corner South Main and Cemetery streets.

George E. Walters made a business trip to Carbondale on Friday.

Mrs. George Askew and family have moved to New York. Mr. Askew was formerly manager of the Jermyn Steam laundry; he is now manager of a laundry in the city.

Deputy Sheriff Ferber was a caller in town yesterday.

Mrs. Battenberg contemplates remodeling her business block on Main street. It will be made a three-story building with the roof after the Queen Anne style of architecture. When finished it will be a credit to the town and to Mr. John P. McLaughlin, who made the plans.

Dr. Davis yesterday morning found a bank note of a small denomination, and anyone who proves ownership to same can call at Pioneer Drug store.

Miss Mattie Spettigue left yesterday for a month's visit with relatives at Dunmore.

Mr. Robert T. Maxwell, of Carbondale, spent part of yesterday at the home of James Allen.

Rev. Mr. Simpkins, of Peckville, and Rev. Mr. Hathaway, of Carbondale, called on the Rev. F. Gendall yesterday day.

Miss May Broat spent part of the week in Scranton.

Levi Brown's four children are very sick.

The Hillside collieries will resume work on Monday.

Frank Westgate, of Forest City, is now engaged with his father in his meat market on Main street.

Messrs. Henry McLoskey and John Farrell spent last evening in Carbondale.

Mr. Lon Carey, of Scranton, was in town last night.

The funeral of the late Patrick J. McDermott will take place this morning. A requiem mass will be celebrated in Sacred Heart church at 9 a. m., after which interment will be made in the Archbald cemetery.

Yesterday afternoon while several boys were playing near the fan house, James Donohue came up near them shooting birds with a flobert rifle He did not have the best of luck, and missing his mark, Patty Reddy, volunteered to show him where the bullet struck. While doing so the gun was discharged, the bullet entering into Reddy's side. Dr. Manley was called, and probed for the bullet, but without success. He is resting easy at present.

The Methodist Episcopal church decided to have a tree on Christmas night with the regular services. A committee has been appointed to purchase books for the scholars.

A warrant was sworn out last evening by Harry Jackson before T. O. Robinson, justice of the peace, for the arrest of John Merrick, whom he accuses of assaulting him in the mines. Thomas Marsh entered bail for Mr. Merrick in the sum of $500.

Mr. Gilbert Knapp, of Aldenville, Wayne county, is visiting his sister, Mattie Knapp.

The Rushbrook lodge, No. 850, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, Thursday evening conferred the initiation degree.

Rev. William Surdival will preach tomorrow at Wilkes-Barre to his former congregation

William Gunn, of Peckville, was in town last night.

By a fall of coal in the Delaware and Hudson mines yesterday William Dawe was hurt, mainly about the head. Dr. Shields was called and pronounced the case not dangerous.

A birthday party was given to Mrs. John Rosemory, of Mayfield, on Monday evening in honor of her sixty-fouth birthday. A very pleasant time was spent up to a very late hour. The following were present: Mrs. Thomas Seymour, Mrs. John Seymour, Mr. and Mrs. John Wolsey, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Chesterfield, Mr. and Mrs. Greenslade, Mr. and Mrs. William Harvey, Mr. James Seymour, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Harvey, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Cooper, Mrs. Thomas Wosley, Mrs. Samuel Wosley, Mrs. Thomas Simpson, Mrs. John Bowlden, Miss Cooper, Mr. John Owens.

The special feature of the meeting in the First Presbyterian church of Carbondale last Wednesday evening was an address by Professor W. M. Taggart, of Mayfield. The subject of mission was considered. Mr. Taggart spoke of the misery and degradation among the people in Mexico. Mr. Taggart was formerly a resident of the City of Mexico, and his talk about the condition of the poorer class in the republic south of us was very interesting.

Mrs. Henry N. Dolph, of Carbondale, was visiting relatives in Mayfield yesterday.

Mrs. John Williams, of Mayfield, is very ill at her home.

Mr. Samuel Griffiths, of Mayfield, made a business trip to Carbondale yesterday.

FACTORYVILLE.

Next week teachers institute will be held at Tunkhannock.

Organizers have been in town the past week for the purpose of organizing a lodge of "Knights of Maccabees."

Last Saturday morning Jeremiah Storm died at his home in the suburbs of the borough, and was buried on Monday by the Grand Army of the Republic.

Tom Reynolds is in Scranton visiting relatives.

Ira B. Gardner will go on the road as advertising agent for some soap firm in the near future.

Our townsman, Wesley Dunn, claims to have had a call to go out and preach the gospel and, therefore, has for the past week or ten days been holding a series of meetings up at South Gibson, Susquehanna county.

Mrs. Kittie Gardner has been home on a week's visit and returned yesterday to Jermyn where she resumes her travels with Mrs. Bonbright selling "Novita," and other well known remedies.

The bottles, consisting of quarts, half gallons and five gallons in size, arrived last Thursday for the bottling of the "Winola Mineral water" which will be placed upon the market at once.

Adjutant J. Wesley Reynolds this week placed a new organ in his newly erected Grand Army Republic hall.

Jeweler Watkins has one of the neatest windows in town.

James Boyd, of Scranton, was up Thursday and spent the afternoon with his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Brown were calling at the home of Register and Recorder-elect W. V. Shaw, Thursday.

The school children of the graded school obtained access some way to the basement of C. Matthewson's barn, where he has his winter apples stored, and for some time have been carrying them away, and investigation shows that Christopher is several barrels short of the luscious fruit that he expected to masticate this winter.

If any of our neighbors dispute our right to the piscatorial championship for the season, let them come forward and establish their claims. This is what we claim it on. Recently two of our townsmen, Samuel Oakley and John Hartman, caught two fish from the waters of "Lake Nokomis," that weighed 8¼ and 10¼ pounds respectively.

The special meetings at the Baptist church still continues under the leadership of Rev. Luther, and a great many people have thus far expressed their desire to live better Christians.

Rev. H. H. Wilbur spoke on "Odd Fellowship" at the banquet of the Nicholson lodge of Odd Fellows last Friday evening.

UNIONDALE.

Young Westcott, of Forest City, who is reported to have suffered from the effects of hypnotism, came to Uniondale about a week ago. An attack of delirium came on while he was at the hotel and he was obliged to remain until his parents came after him.

Professor F. G. Spencer, of Sidney, N. Y., has been holding a musical institute here with success, which closed with a grand concert. Professor Spencer understands the art very well and is also successful in imparting his knowledge to others. There were about seventy-five members in his class and all was so interested in the lessons before them and kept so busy that the school simply governed itself and everything went smoothly.

Wallace Tingley is at work in Susquehanna.

John Clark has moved from Lyon street to the rear of Elijah Carpenter's house.

Mr. Baechus, of Scranton, has moved his family into Israel Round's house on Church street.

Mr. and Mrs. Price, of Ithica, N. Y., are visiting friends here.

Mrs. Reynolds, of Forest City, was in town this week, soliciting funds for the Enterprise Hose company.

Eight new members were received in full membership into the Methodist church Sunday.

Andrew Miller, of Clifford, is canvassing for a steam cooker. He is meeting with good success.

Mrs. Brookin, of York state, has been visiting relatives here.

Revival meetings are in progress at the Methodist church. The Rev. Mr. McKeller, of Clifford, has been assisting the Rev. D. Evans this week.

This week's issue of "The Drych" has a prize poem on "Gold" from the pen of the Rev. D. D. Jenkins.

John Jones, of Kansas, has come East to spend the winter with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jones. He has been absent twenty-four years.

John Thomas is building two new houses in town, and both are rented before completion.

HALLSTEAD.

Mrs. George Wolcott is ill.

Mrs. Henry Talmage, who has been visiting friends and relatives in Friendsville, has returned home.

Miss Anna Kelleher, of New Milford, was the guest of friends in this place on Friday.

William De Laverge, of Deroit, Mich., is visiting at the residence of Charles Capwell, on William street.

N. O. Major is having a new ice house erected.

A Prohibition club is to be organized in this place in the near future.

Mrs. B. F. Bernstein was in the Parlor City on Thursday.

Miss Maggie Madigan, of Susquehanna, visited friends in this place the first of the week.

Mrs. Michael Hays and son, Joseph, have returned home after a visit with friends in Scranton.

Horace Arney, esq., of Brooklyn, N. Y., will deliver a temperance lecture in the Railroad Young Men's Christian association hall this (Saturday) evening.

Matthey Gannon has returned from a visit at Buffalo, N. Y.

John A. Mears, of Scranton, was in town on Friday.

Rev. John Davis conducted a meeting at Lawsville Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Leese, of Elmira, N. Y., are visiting friends in this place.

Mrs. A. Hard, of New Milford, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Hayward, on Friday.

N. Pickering, of Scranton, is visiting at the residence of James Snover on Chase avenue.

Thomas Canan has been promoted to the position of section foreman.

Secretary W. W. Adair, of this place, attended the conference of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western secretaries held at Scranton on Thursday. The next conference will be held in this place early in March.

Miss Carrie Taylor, of Rockland, N. Y., is the guest of her brother, G. F. Taylor, on Chase avenue.

The Gospel meeting in the Railroad Young Men's Christian association hall will be addressed by Morris Tredwell, of Conklin, N. Y.

Mrs. John Pike was in Binghamton on Tuesday.

The Methodist church at Alford will be dedicated December 17.

NICHOLSON.

At the Odd Fellows banquet last evening there was a large attendance of the fraternity and friends, and a delightful social time was experienced by all.

There will be a "box social" at the home of James Masters next Tuesday evening for the benefit of Rev. G. E. Van Woert.

Rev. Marion Yeager, of Binghamton, will exchange pulpits with Rev. F. E. Adams, the 20th inst.

Ralph Bingham will appear in the Opera House next Monday night.

Charles Remmel left us yesterday morning for Scranton, where he has accepted a position with Rexford.

Mrs. H. P. Wilcox, of Clark's Summit, is visiting friends in this place.

Mrs. Clara Steinback, of Scranton, was calling on relatives Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hall, of Wilkes-Barre, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Williams.

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