News of the Suburbs.

WEST SIDE EVENTS.

Washington Camp, No. 178, P. O. S. cf A., Celebrates Its Twenty-fourth Anniversary in Mears' Hall.

Washington Camp, No. 178, Patriotic Oreder Sons of America, was organized on December 12, 1872, and the celebra-tion of the twenty-fourth anniversary tion of the twenty-fourth anniversary took place last evening in Mears hall. The celebration was in the form of an entertainment given by Charles E.



Charter Member of the Camp and Its Treasurer for Over Twenty-Three Years.

Douglass, necromancer, and general wonder. Present at he celebration was State Secretary William Weand, who is making a tour of the state. Mr. Weand did not address the assemblage

last evening.

The meat of the night's feast was furnished by State President A. J. Colburn, jr., who delivered a speech of extraordinary merit, in fact, many who heard Mr. Colburn last night place his efforts as the best he has ever given in the recollection of West Siders. Mr. Colbura was introduced by J. Arch. last evening. Colburn was introduced by J. Archie Jones, chairman of the evening. The large audience which taxed the standing room of the hall at once recognized the eloquent orator and a nice complimentary salute was given. The speaker did not dwell particuarly upon the pe-cuniary benefits of the order, he rather advanced the spirit part, the love of country and the fostering of that love. His words were pertinent and bore up-on current topics of interest. He referred to the flag tearing down incident on Jackson street last election day morning and denounced the action. Cuba also received attention. Mr. Col-burn's reference to the death of Antonio Maceo, the Cuban leader, was a spon-taneous effort and sent a magnetic thrill through the audience. He spoke



poor, down trodden, oppressed and persecuted Cuba—to a people who, like our forefathers, have grown restless under the brutal, tyrannical, despotic rule of Spain, The oppression has become unbearable, and they are now fighting, suffering, struggling, dying for their homes and their liberty. A small colony arrayed against a mighty and a powerful nation! What an heroic, wonderful, self-sacrificing exhibition of bravery and true courage! It is a burning shame that our government, the Mother of Republies, has not extended it is helping hand. Today certain centers of civilization are rejoicing over the death of a brave and heroic patriot. Maceo, the Washington of Cuba, is dead! O noble son of freedom, may thy spirit live in thy devoted followers until liberty and

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independence be won for thy native island. Thousands of Cuban patriots have died for their country, glad while dying to see thee victorious. Thousands have blessed thee and hundreds of thousands will continue to bless thee. When Cuba shall be free thy name shall be encircled with stars, and the brow and soul of every Cuban will beam as he mentions the name of Macco! Cuba will yet be free. "For he, who buildeth broad and wise, Nor pauseth in his plan, will take the stars from out the skies E'er Freedom out of man."

Mr. Douglass, the entertainer, gave a varied exhibition of his powers. He showed all sorts of sleight of hand tricks, palmistry, and rope tying and untying. He changed water to wine and did other miracles. Mr. Douglass is also a ventriloquist and his double whistling—alto and soprano—was a very clever piece of lip work.

After the entertainment a dance so-cial was enjoyed by several hundred young people. Professor Johnson furyoung people. Professor Johnson furnished the music. The committee in charge was J. J. Green, W. H. Coons, R. T. Eldred, L. V. Decker and J. Archie Jones, Camp 178 is one of the strongest in the state. It has over 300 members in good standing and the officers are: J. Archie Jones, past president: Professor Daniel W. Phillips, president: James Hudson, vice-president: president; James Hudson, vice-president; Frank Phillips, master of forms; Bert Kime, conductor; Milton Decker, outer guard; Thomas Sweet, inner guard. The election of new officers will take place next Thursday evening. D. W. Moser, whose portrait is given in this column, is one of the charter mem-bers of the camp. When it was or-ganized in Warnke's hall in 1872 Mr. Moser was elected sentinel and at the end of six months he was elected treasurer, which office he has filled since that time. He has declined the proffer of a re-election this year and it is like ly that, in compliment to his long and faithful service, a reception will be given him in the near future. He is, also, the oldest member in the camp.

CHILD BURNED TO DEATH. It is not generally known that the death of Ethel, the 5-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lawrence, of Priceburg, who formerly resided on the West Side, was the result of burns re-ceived while playing near the sitting room stove. Such was the case. Wed-nesday afternoon the mother was ab-sent from the house and upon return-ing she found the child terribly burned and dying. The funeral will take place temorrow afternoon from the home of the parents on Lincoln street, Price-burg. Interment will be made in Washburn street cemetery.

REV. MR. DOTY SPOKE. Rev. F. P. Doty spoke at last even-ing's indoor camp meeting of the Salvation Army. There was a large at-tendance. The affair will be given for two weeks with a different programme Maceo, the Cuban leader, was a spontaneous effort and sent a magnetic thrill through the audience. He spoke in part as fololws:

O. Freedom, how many have died for thee, and in thy name how many wrongs have been committed! Are we a nation of patriots? Have we proved ourselves worthy sons of noble sires? As lovers of liberty, as children of freedom, it is only right and proper that our government should make some practical manifestation of it by extending a helping hand to PRIMARIES ON DEC. 26

PRIMARIES ON DEC. 26 At a meeting of the Republican can-At a meeting of the Republican candidates for alderman and common council in the Fifth ward held Thursday night in Fairchild's hotel it was decided to hold the primaries on Saturday, Dec. 26, between the hours of 4 and 7 at the regular polling places.

NOTES AND PERSONALS. English and Culkins' dancing class will not meet tonight owing to the fair at St. David's hall. At the Columbia Hose company's fair

last night Mrs. S. B. Price, of South Garfield avenue, won a handsome carving knife and Miss Rose Yoos, of Washburn street, won a beautiful par-lor lamp. Several bags of flour were chanced off. The Excelsior Hose company paid a visit in a body. The fair will be continued this evening when a large crowd is expected.
Dr. E. Y. Harrison, Dentist, Mears
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A. J. COLBORN,

State President of the Order, Who Paid
An Eloquent Tribute to the Cuban
Patriots.

A. J. COLBORN,

The funeral of Thomas Corcoran took
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SOUTH SIDE NEWS.

The funeral of Mrs. Ann Gallagher, of Minooka, was held yesterday after-noon at 3 o'clock. It was a large one and testified to the esteem in which she was held. Services were conducted at St. Joseph's church by Rev. D. W.
McCarthy, and interment was made in
Minooka cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam A. Yearing, of
South Wyoming avenue, are receiving
congratulations over the arrival of a

A statue of the Blessed Virgin will be unveiled at the Sodality reception in St. John's church tomorrow even-

ing.
The funeral of August Haas will be held from his late residence on South Washington avenue at 9 o'clock this Mr. and Mrs. Shep. Carpenter, of Uniondale, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Roche, of Cherry street. Arthur Williams, of Stone avenue, is

visiting friends in Binghamton. The Scranton Saengerrunde is re-hearsing for the annual saengerfest of the German singing societies of the state which will take place in Philadel-phia in June. They hope to bring home first prize.

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Bible class Saturday night at 7.30

o'clock.

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night at 7.30 o'clock. All are welcome.

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PROVIDENCE.

Miss Carolyne V. Dorsey, teacher of elocution, and her pupils gave an entertainment in the Court Street Methodist Episcopal church last evening. The following programme was rendered: Quartette, George Thayer, Fred Terwilliger, Sidney Paris and Charles Posner; recitation, "Naughty Little Girl," Evangeline Dorsey; pantomime, "Splendor Falls on Castle Walls," Lizzie Brant and Hazel Hopewell; recitation, "The Revenge of Tamish," Miss Dorsey; recitation, "Boat at Sea," Susie Gross; recitation, "Boat at Sea," Susie Gross; recitation, "The Charlot Race," Miss Dorsey; recitation, "The Charlot Race," Miss Dorsey; recitation, "The Charlot Race," Miss Dorsey; recitation, "The Last Hymn," Mabel Mallery; minuet, "As Grandma Did," Leone

recitation, "The Last Hymn," Mabel Mailery; minuet, "As Grandma Did," Leone Farnham.

The North End basket ball team defeated the Company H team last evening in one of the most hotly contested games of the season by a score of 4 to 2. The game was played in Company H armory and was largely attended. The feature of the game was the playing of Cambell, Sykes and Rhule, the North End's forwards.

Thomas George and Miss Ruth Meredith were married Thursday evening at the home of the bride's parents, on Leggett's street, by the Rev. W. F. Davis, of the Welsh Baptist church. A large number of friends and relatives witnessed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. George will commence housekeeping at once on William street.

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The pulpit of the Welsh Baptist church next Sunday will be occupied by the pastor, Rev. W. F. Davis, who will preach in Welsh at both sessions.

At the Puritan Congregational church tomorrow the Rev. Newman Matthews will preach in the evening on "The Inward Convict." In the morning Rev. William Edgar, of the Methodist Episcopal church, will preach.

Rev. W. G. Watkins, of the North Main Avenue Baptist church, will preach tomorrow morning on the theme "Thoughs on the Passing Year;" evening subject, "Religious Cupidity; or Christ Does Not Satisfy." A brief song service will precede the evening service.

Mrs. Thomas Loftus, of Leggett street, is seriously ill.

Frank Devers, of West street, has recovered from his recent illness, Marty, the son of John J. Loftus, assistant inside foreman at the Leggett's Creek shaft; is ill.

Hele Scharar, of Parker street, is ill. John Jervis, of Wayne avenue, has resigned his position with Otto Meyer's, the North Main avenue grocer.

John Henry, of Warren street, who has been ill for the past month, is convalescent.

Miss Lizzle Gabriel, of Church avenue, Miss Lizzle Gabriel, of Church avenue, all whom who who we had the findly disposition who won the friendship of all with whom she came in contact.

cent.
Miss Lizzle Gabriel, of Church avenue,

has returned from Youngstown, O.
The Economy Athletic club will conduct
a grand ball Thursday evening, Dec. 24,
in Company H. armory. in Company H armory.

The Citizen band has reorganized and will meet for their first rehearsal Wednesday evening in Harry Richardson's hotel

tel.

Miss Anna Thomas, of Youngstown, O., is the guest of Miss Lizzle Gabriel, of Church avenue.

Tomorrow morning the Rev. D. M. Kinter will preach in the Christian church on "Lessons of Gethsemane," and in the evening on "Christian Progress."

Rev. William Edgar spent the past week with friends in New York city.

GREEN RIDGE.

A message received by Green Ridge friends yesterday reported Guard Beane's safe arrival at Grand Forth, N. D. Candidates for common council are al-

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MR. H. P. VAN LIEW, MY DEAR SIR:
While I was not privileged, on account of absence, to hear your two illustrated lectures at our Assembly this season, allow me to say that I have heard nothing but words of highest and enthusiastic praise from a people who for weeks had been surfeited with the best talent this country affords. The best of all is the influence you left for good.

Very truly yours,

REV. WARD PLATT,

Supt. of Instruction.

(From Watertown Daily Blandard, Aug. 24th.)
"Prof. H. P. Van Liew's lecture was given to a crowded house last night. 'Great! 'First-class!' 'Excellent' etc., were heard at the closs. His stercoption is a powerful machine, and the views were fine. He speaks distinctly, and one can easily follow and enjoy his lecture from beginning to end."

That was the best lecture (Siums) I ever and at Round Lake. We will have it repeated

JOHN D. ROGER 1. Supt. Roun, Lake Ass'n. At the Simpson M. E. Church on Monday ready appearing. The following have been mentioned for the office: T. B. Jackson, J. H. Seward, Arthur Monles, Fred Emory, J. E. Carmalt, G. W. Hornbaker, Attorney B. F. Killiam, A. J. Fowler and Martin P. Mulligan.

DUNMORE.

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The Ancient Order of Foresters, Court Ethan Alian, held a smoker in the Masonic hall, last Wednesday evening, when a most enjoyable evening was spent. The hall was comfortably filled, each Forester having the privilege of inviting a friend. Several speeches were given upon Forgstry by Brothers W. Johnson, A. Dore, T. Parsons and M. J. Smyth, the presiding officer. Songs were rendered in an excellent manner by Messrs, Keist, Parsons, Webber, Deirks and Lucker, all of which were received with great applause. The election of officers will take place at their next court night, Dec. 23.

On account of the attainment of her sixteenth birthday, Miss Ida Powell was tendered an enjoyable surprise party at her home, on Riggs street by a large number of her young friends last night.

Colonel Ezra H. Ripple will deliver a lecture in St. Mark's church tonight under the auspices of the Men's Guild. The Dunmore male quartette, assisted by the mixed quartette of St. Mark's, will render several spirited war songs.

The contract for building the new plant of the Dunmore Electric Light, Heat and Power company has been awarded to Sykes & Sons, contractors. The machinery is to be furnished by the Scranton Supply and Machinery company.

Miss Kate Young, of Elm street, is the guest of relatives in Pittston.

John Walker, of Walnut street, had his hand badly smashed while engaged in coupling cars at Gouldsboro.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Thomas, of Wilkes-Barre, have returned home after a short visit with friends in town.

DID NOT GET A JUST SHARE.

Israel Bittenbender Begins an Equity Suit Against His Former Partners. Emily Bittenbender and Israel Bit-tenbender yesterday through their At-torneys Samuel B. Price and Patterson and Wilcox, brought a suit in equity against Israel Bittenbender's former

partners, Abram Bittenbender, his brother, and John M. Kemerer, his brother-in-law, to have their dissolution of partnership agreement nullified, the plaintiff contending that he did not receive his just and proportionate share upon his retirement from the firm. De-

cember 9, 1895.

The plaintiffs allege that the inven-The plaintiffs allege that the inventory, upon which the value of the stock was estimated was an inventory taken a long time prior to the date of the agreement of dissolution and that the stock had largely increased between the time the inventory was made and the dissolution agreed upon. It is also alleged that the real estate of the firm was estimated much below its actual value; that the Franklin avenue property was valued in the estimate at \$18,000, while it is carried on the inventory at \$40,000, and the Washington avenue property was estimated at \$8,000, which its true worth, the plaintiffs hold, is \$20,000. Altogether, the plaintiffs claim, they were defrauded out of \$30,000.

SWARTZ DIVORCE CASE.

Depositions Taken Before Judge Archbald in Chamber's Yesterday. Depositions in the divorce case of A. B. Swartz against Eva Swartz were taken yesterday before Judge Archbald. Attorney M. J. McAndrew took sten-

ographic notes.

Mr. Swartz testified that they were married about thirteen years ago at Salem, Wayne county, by Rev. J. Un-derwood, and that he left his wife and took his child with him about three years ago from the house where they lived on Washington avenue becaus she neglected to care for their chill-

dren. He also alleged that she would stay out late nights and would not come home until morning and that upon one of these occasions he left her; that since that time she has led the same kind of a life and that he saw her several times with other men. He was corroborated by Mrs. Polly Hawk and Mrs. Katherine Balley,

THE WIZARD OF THE NILE.

Frank Daniels and Company Produced It at the Frothingham. "The Wigard of the Nile." Smith & Herberts opera, was produced at the Frothingham last night before a well-

pleased audience, by Frank Daniels and his company. As Kibarsh, the Perian magician, making a profes-Perian magician, making a professional tour of Egypt, Mr. Danlels was really furny. There are a number of good voices in the company and one of them is possessed by Miss Edna Thornton, who essayed the role of Cleopatra in which Dorothy Morton was seen last year.

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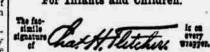
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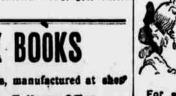
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