

SCRANTON SOCIAL NEWS AND GOSSIP

Brief Mention of What is Doing in the Pleasure Way.

SURFET OF WEDDINGS AND TEAS

Rush of Social Events in Anticipation of the Approach of the Lenten Season-Not a Few Affairs Are in Progress-Weddings and Teas Had the Call During the Week-Personal Mention.

Miss Archbald will give a luncheon today for Mrs. Charles R. Erdman, of Overbrook, Pa. Formerly Miss Pardee, of Germantown.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Smith have issued cards for a reception next Friday evening. There will be dancing after 11 o'clock.

The Country club has been made a member of the United States Golf association, which will give the Scranton golf experts the privilege of participating in the open and other national tournaments.

Mrs. H. C. Sanderson gave a tea yesterday at her home, 405 Clay avenue, for Miss Sanderson, Mrs. L. F. Megargel, Mrs. Charles Seligman, Mrs. C. B. Penman and Mrs. C. W. Kirkpatrick.

The monthly meeting of the directors, house and grounds committee and entertainment committee of the Country club will take place at the club lodge next Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

About twenty-five Scrantonians went to Dickson City Thursday evening for a pleasant surprise party.

Mrs. W. H. Taylor, of 555 Monroe avenue, gave a luncheon yesterday afternoon to the following ladies: Mrs. James McLeod, Mrs. C. S. Webster, Mrs. Isaac Post, Mrs. A. H. Storrer, Mrs. George E. Smith, Miss Hampton, Mrs. M. H. Kingsbury, Miss Richmond, Miss Clara Richmond, Miss Platt, Miss Alice Barker.

A surprise party was held at the home of Mrs. W. P. Haul on Webster street, last evening.

Mrs. J. L. Connell gave a tea Thursday at her home, 115 Vine street, for Miss Stuart, of Philadelphia, and Miss Terwilliger, of Waterloo, N. Y.

Mrs. Clarence H. Van Buskirk, of 720 Adams avenue, gave a card party at her home last evening in honor of her friend, Miss Margaret Wars, of Danville, Va. Refreshments were served.

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At a tea given Thursday by Mrs. J. F. Everhart for her cousin, Miss Buckle, of Reading, the following assisted: Mrs. George du B. Dimmick, Mrs. E. H. Jermyn, Mrs. Katharyn Wilcox, Miss Jean McKenna, Mrs. William Marple, Miss Dalton, of Reading, and Misses Hesse and Edith Phelps.

Mrs. W. H. Jessup, jr., on Tuesday gave an euchre matinee, at which the guests were: Mrs. W. S. West, Mrs. R. W. Archbald, Mrs. C. S. Weston, Mrs. E. L. Fuller, Mrs. T. G. Wolf, Mrs. J. F. Hosie, Mrs. E. G. Goursen, Mrs. George M. B. Foster, P. E. Fenner, Mrs. Frank McGowan, Mrs. W. H. Storrer, Mrs. H. W. Woodin, of Berwick; Mrs. F. H. Kingsbury, Mrs. William H. Post, Mrs. Charles Seligman, Miss Reynolds, Miss Jessup.

A party was danced at the lodge of the Country club, Tuesday night. The affair was chaperoned by Mrs. N. G. Robertson and Mrs. George B. Jermyn.

The Lafayette college alumni of Northeastern Pennsylvania will banquet next Tuesday night at the Westminister hotel.

Rev. Father Pagan, of Great Bend, who is in the city on Monday, is the guest of friends on the West Side.

Miss Lizzi Tighe, of Green Ridge, has returned home after visiting Blossburg friends.

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On Wednesday evening Miss Jennie Bevan, of Hampton street, and Rev. M. H. Jones, of Parsons, were married at the First Welsh Baptist church.



MISS ALICE CASTLEMAN, Belle of the Bradley Martin Ball.

Miss Alice Castleman, of Kentucky, whom John Jacob Astor declared to be the most beautiful woman at the great Bradley Martin ball, is a daughter of the old Kentucky and Missouri family of that name.

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Miss Mary A. Powell entertained a party of friends Tuesday evening at her home on Edna avenue.

Mrs. Joshua Voigt, of Delaware street, was tendered a surprise party Monday evening.

Miss Hannah Thornton, of Oak street, and her husband, Mr. J. H. Thornton, were married Wednesday morning in Holy Rosary Catholic church by Rev. J. J. O'Toole.

Miss Margaret McLawrence, of Market street, and Anthony McCall, of Hollow street, were married Wednesday afternoon in Holy Rosary Catholic church by Rev. N. J. McManus.

The wedding of Miss Anne Carroll, of Jefferson avenue, and James Ratchford, of Fells street, took place Wednesday in St. John's Catholic church on the South Side.

Invitations have been issued for the wedding of Miss Mary K. McAndrew, formerly of this city, to Henry C. Brownlee, Feb. 25, at the Church of the Ascension, One Hundred and Sixth street, New York city.

An at home was given Tuesday by the Misses Gallen, of Monroe avenue, for their guest, Miss Black, of Rochester.

The marriage of Will S. King to Miss Mary E. White took place recently at the Central Methodist Episcopal parsonage, on Ross street, by Rev. Curtis E. Mogg.

A surprise party was given for Miss Katie Brown, of Lafayette street, Tuesday evening.

Attorney and Mrs. H. S. Atworth have returned from their wedding tour and are now occupying a prettily furnished home on Church avenue.

William Baker, of East Market street, was tendered a surprise party Tuesday evening in honor of his twenty-first birthday.

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generally. Her voice is peculiarly sweet and sympathetic. It is not unusual that she should have secured many such admirers to go upon the operatic stage, but such inducements have been courteously rejected, except in oratorio and concert work, for which she is well equipped.

Mrs. Ballentine, the well known vocal instructor, has completed arrangements for the subscription concert at which Sievekink, the great Dutch pianist, and Biemann, the baritone, will appear.

The New York Sun says that the management of the Metropolitan Opera house is seriously considering the advisability of giving three performances of "Faust" in one week, with James Melman as Calvo, the hero of the operetta. This would probably have to be done in an extra week, as otherwise the box-holders would object.

Mme. Calve has received an offer of \$1800 per night to sing in concert for twenty nights at the Metropolitan Opera house. It is also stated that she has been offered \$2000 a performance for forty performances of "Carmen" in New York.

Pol Plancon, of the Metropolitan Opera house, says, "As for me, I am certainly a Wagner fanatic. His music is no longer the music of the future, nor of the past, but the music of the present."

A revival of "The Little Ticoon" will be given at the Grand Opera house, Philadelphia, next week.

The Mandolin and Guitar Journal says: "The Philharmonic string quartette of Scranton has reorganized for the season." It lists the members: J. J. Keady, first violin; A. E. Morse, second violin; R. W. Newbauer, second mandolin; R. W. Newbauer, piano.

Madame Teresa Carreno, the great pianist, who is making a concert tour of this country, made her debut at the third concert of the New York Philharmonic society, She played the Rubinstein D minor concerto, Op. 70.

The seats of the church are free and all will be welcome.

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CHURCH DOINGS AND RELIGIOUS TALK

Happenings of Particular Interest to Church-Going People.

RESIGNATION OF REV. W. S. JONES

He Will Become Pastor of a Church in Wales-V. M. C. A. Officers at the Association's State Convention.

At last Sunday evening's meeting of the First Welsh Baptist church, Rev. W. S. Jones, the pastor who resigned several months ago, announced that he would sever his connection with the pastorate of the church on March 30.

Rev. Jones preached at the church during his tour to Wales last summer. His sermons won him the favor of the Carmarthen people and an immediate call to the pastorate was the result.

A business meeting of the directors of the Young Men's Christian association was held in the association building on Monday evening.

The Episcopal clergy of Scranton met last Monday at the rectory of St. Luke's church and made arrangements for the conduct of church work during Lent.

The concluding sessions of the mid-year convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance union of Luzerne and Lackawanna counties was held here last evening at Wilkes-Barre.

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RELIGIOUS NEWS NOTES.

The Young Ladies' Missionary society of the First Presbyterian church will serve dinner and refreshments at the home of the church on Monday.

Brother Francis, of the Brotherhood of the Good Shepherd, has returned from a visit to New York city.

A Sunday school will commence Sunday, Feb. 21, at 10 o'clock, at the Cross Street Union Episcopalian mission.

The Boys and Girls Mission Band of Calvary Reformed church will hold a Colored social at the church, Monday, Feb. 22, 8 p. m.

Rev. Thomas De Gruchy, pastor of the Jackson Street Baptist church, will at tomorrow evening's service preach a special service to the members of Camp 175, Patriotic Order Sons of America.

At the Railroad Department Young Men's Christian association, 35 Lackawanna avenue, Captain William A. May will speak at the Gospel meeting tomorrow.

The weekly revival at the Simpson Methodist Episcopal church was quite as successful as any like former period.

The Gospel meeting tomorrow at the Young Women's Christian association, Washington avenue, will be led by Mrs. Browning.

The Salvation Army is having interesting meetings at its barracks on Price street.

Grace Lutheran church, corner Madison and Mulberry, Rev. Foster U. Giff, pastor, preaching by the pastor at 10:30 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m.

Green Ridge United Evangelical church, G. L. Malloy, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

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THE CLEARER 124-126 Wyoming Ave. Our stores are these days assuming a new dress. Bright colorings are to be seen on every hand, in our Silk Department, in our Dress Goods department, in our Department for Laces and Embroideries-in fact, everywhere. Delicate shades and textures indicate the arrival of a season that has had no precedent for beautiful creations and artistic designs.

Embroideries, Laces, Etc. Thousands of yards of swiss, nainsook and cutwork, all at prices that will make your wardrobe complete. In plain and Irish point effects at Leader's prices.

Ladies' Underwear-Special. One lot ladies' ribbed vests in white and ecru, low neck, no sleeves, full length, worth 25c. Our price, 12c. One lot ladies' fine thread vests, low neck, worth 25c. Our price, 19c.

Ladies' Separate Skirts. One lot figured brilliantine skirts, lined, crepe de chine, bound, worth \$1.25. Our price, 98c. One lot ladies' figured brilliantine skirts, lined, crepe de chine, bound, worth \$2.50. Our price, \$1.79.

LEBECK & CORIN. "manious" the third in the series of Sunday evening sermons on "Joseph; Jewish Shepherd-Egyptian Ruler." An inspiring sermon precedes the evening sermon. His text, "Joseph, a Shepherd of People's meeting at 6.30. You will receive a cordial welcome at all the services."