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BUCKWHEAT FLOUR The Finest BUCKWHEAT FLOUR We Ever Had in the Mill. Wholesale It.

The Weston Mill Co DR. W. B. HENWOOD, DENTIST 36 LACKAWANNA AVE.

PERSONAL J. L. Connell leaves today for Florida. Miss Sara McLean is in New York city. Jacob Katz, of Honesdale, was here yesterday.

THE WESTERNER LAST NIGHT. Given a Fine Interpretation By the McAuliffe and Greene Company.

To Cure a Cold in One Day. Take laxative Bremo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25 cents.

SHOE SAVING We're a little short of room for the spring and summer shoes which are beginning to arrive. Right in the place where we want to put them is a lot of ladies' shoes of the better grade.

Volunteer Firemen's Association. To Start a Movement for New Members and Greater Interest.

\$2.27 SCHANK & SPENCER, 410 Spruce Street.

OBSERVANCE OF ASH WEDNESDAY Services in the Various Catholic and Episcopal Churches of City.

THE BLESSING OF THE ASHES

It was a Feature of the Services in All of the Catholic Churches--Sermon for Women in the Cathedral Last Night Was Delivered by Rev. J. A. O'Reilly--In St. Luke's Church.

Services commemorative of Ash Wednesday, the beginning of Lent, were held in all the Catholic and Episcopal churches yesterday. At the cathedral there were ten services at the observance of the ceremony of placing ashes upon the foreheads of the people.

Every Wednesday evening during Lent there will be a sermon at the cathedral, on Friday evenings there will be stations of the cross and on Sunday evenings sermons for men. Last evening's sermon was preached by Rev. J. A. O'Reilly and was for women.

AT ST. LUKE'S CHURCH. Ash Wednesday was observed at St. Luke's church yesterday by services, held at 10:30 in the morning and 7:15 o'clock in the evening.

AT ST. DAVID'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH. Ash Wednesday was observed at St. David's Episcopal church yesterday by services, held at 10:30 in the morning and 7:15 o'clock in the evening.

FURNISHINGS OF NAY AUG HOUSE. There is Not Enough of Money to Do Work Properly.

Only partial success crowned the effort of the joint fire department committee of councils last night to provide for the final furnishing and equipment of the new Nay Aug Engine company quarters at the old building.

The proposal of W. P. Connell & Sons to furnish and erect for \$1,159 all light fixtures, harness hangers, trip wires, etc., has been accepted.

At the completion of the building proper \$1,000 was appropriated by ordinance for furnishings. About \$500 was consumed in making a contract for the heating plant.

SOME POSTOFFICE FIGURES. Business Increases Wonderfully Despite the Hard Times.

Even with the hard times the Scranton postoffice continues to make wonderful strides in its business, month by month. For February, the month just closed, the sales amounted to \$16,957.51, an increase of \$1,350.22 over February of last year.

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A GREAT REMEDY. For Sufferers from Piles. Dr. Redmond, a specialist in the study and treatment of Piles and rectal diseases, recently stated that the Pyramid Pile Cure, the new discovery for the cure of piles, was the most remarkable remedy he had ever seen or tried in one respect; and that was, the instant relief experienced in all cases, no matter how severe, from the moment the remedy was applied; this was the more surprising to him, because he had carefully analyzed the preparation and no trace of opium, cocaine or similar poison could be detected.

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