

# West Side and City Socials

## LADIES' VETERAN RELIEF UNION.

### Conducted an Entertainment and Social in Mearns' Hall.

The Ladies' Veteran Relief union held a well attended entertainment and social in Mearns' hall last evening. The Ladies' union is a branch of the Union Veterans' union. This organization is similar to the Grand Army Republic with the exception that six months' service and at least three battles must have been gone through to insure membership. The following committee provided the entertainment: Chairman, Miss Carrie Adams; Mrs. A. Kress and Miss McFarland. Miss Norma Williams was accompanist for the exercises and Mrs. Malott played for the dances. The following is the programme presented:

Selection, "Annie Laurie," Giebel Lyric quartette  
Messrs. Bowen, Stevens, Warren and Jones.  
Solo, "Archie's Serenade," Bailey  
Miss Clara Saunders, with violin obligato.  
Solo, "The Mighty Deep," J. E. Jones  
Mrs. M. W. Warren, with piano  
Recitation, "Miss Annie Steins Solo," Miss Annie Steins  
Solo, "My Old Good-Bye," Pinsitt  
Solo, "Good-Bye," David Stevens  
Piano solo (a) "Memories of Brandywine," (b) "Wassercourse Revere," Miss LeVina B. Tomlinson  
Duet, "Albion," Giebel Lyric quartette  
John Jones and Edwin Bowen  
Selections from the graphophone.  
Solo, "Nona," Edwin Bowen  
Tambourine drill, "The Girl's Duet," "Will We Meet Again," Bailey  
Misses Saunders and Greener.  
Club singing exercise, "Five Girls Solo," "The Skipper," J. E. Jones  
John W. Jones.  
Song and dance.  
Misses Ada Bastedo and Cora Bastedo  
Quartette, "Good-Night," Giebel Lyric quartette—Bowen, Stevens, Jones and Warren.

The entertainment was followed by dancing.

**YOUNG MEN'S LEAGUE.**  
The social and entertainment to be given in the Plymouth church parlors tonight will be of an exceptional character. The Young Men's Culture class will assist in the evening's pleasure by singing a few of their fine selections. A charge of ten cents is made and the public is invited. The following programme will be given: Piano solo, Miss Anna B. Williams; glee party, recitation, solo, Miss L. Williams; graphophone selection, recitation, solo, Mrs. M. W. Warren; recitation, Charles Cuddeback; graphophone selection, glee party, Miss Ann B. Williams will act as accompanist and John T. Jones will be the chairman.

## NOTES AND PERSONALS.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Buckingham, of Elmwood, visited among friends on the West Side yesterday.  
Choice cut flowers and flower designs at Palmer & McDonald's, 54 Spruce.  
The funeral services of the late Benjamin Lewis, which were to have been held at the home, 329 North Hyde Park avenue, will be held at the First Congregational church on South Main avenue, at 5 o'clock this afternoon. The Rev. David Jones, pastor, will officiate, assisted by the Rev. Davis, of the Providence church.  
William Lynn and James Jones, of Kingston, have returned home after a visit among West Side friends.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Mason, of Dalton, are visiting friends on the West Side.  
Dr. E. Y. Harrison, Dentist, Meads Hall, 115 S. Main avenue.  
Mr. and Mrs. Charles LaBar, of Stroudsburg, are here to attend the funeral of Mrs. LaBar's father.  
Samuel Landau, drug clerk at Dr. S. E. Feinberg's, called upon his fellow-clerks on this side last evening.  
The Young Americans Athletic club held a very enjoyable dance in St. David's hall last evening. Miss M. J. Sharans played for the dancing and Michael Campbell was master of ceremonies. Otto English was prompter.  
We laundry staff collars with soft button holes, Crystal Laundry.  
Mrs. H. F. McDermott, of Lafayette street, is entertaining her brother, J. J. O'Hara, of Newport News, Va.  
The Easter offerings in the Lenten pyramids were returned in St. Mark's Lutheran Sunday school Easter Sunday. Miss Onelia Tietze had collected the highest amount, \$5.27 and received as a first prize an Oxford teachers' bible. Miss Lillian Gray received the second prize, a church history. The third prize was a plain bible given to Harry Stoeckel. The special Easter offerings in the church and Sunday school amounted to over \$60.  
The latest and best styles, Roberts, 126 North Main.

## PROF. HOUCK TALKS TO THE TEACHERS

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suppassed the expectations of the many. There were many present from surrounding parishes. The event will be repeated this evening. Tickets are 25 cents each. Mrs. Patrick Wren, of Monroe street, will sing at Hyde Park Catholic cemetery this morning. The funeral will take place from her late home. High mass of requiem will be sung in St. Peter's cathedral.  
The Union orchestra held a largely attended ball in Calley's hall last night. Cusick's orchestra will furnish music at the Union supper and dance hall on Fig street, this evening.  
John Kruz and Miss Kate Devers were married in St. John's Catholic church, on Fig street, Rev. J. A. Monti, yesterday afternoon.  
We laundry staff collars with soft button holes, Crystal Laundry.  
Michael Porter, of Spruce street, and Miss Sarah McNally, of Avoca, were wedded at St. Mary's church, Avoca, yesterday afternoon. Rev. Father Cranon performed the ceremony. The couple will reside on Cherry street.  
Choice cut flowers and flower designs at Palmer & McDonald's, 54 Spruce.  
The James Connell lodge, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, held a meeting in Plymouth hall last evening. The Forest band attended the fate of the Liberty band in Avoca last night.

## A REMARKABLE CURE

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There are plenty of pile cures which give relief and sometimes cure a mild case of piles, but there is only one which can be depended upon with certainty to cure obstinate long standing cases, and that is the Pyramid Pile Cure.  
Endorsements and testimonials are received daily from men and women whose integrity and reliability are above question and in this connection a letter received from the Rev. James H. Westbrook, of Howell, Mich., may be of interest to pile sufferers who have sought in vain for a cure. He says:  
"I have used the Pyramid Pile Cure and I know that it is all that is claimed for it. I had been troubled with piles more or less for about eighteen years and I had tried other remedies, but the piles grew worse until about ten months ago I used the Pyramid Pile Cure. It gave almost instant relief and I have been free from piles ever since. Rev. James H. Westbrook, Howell, Mich."  
The remedy seems to act equally well in every form of piles, blood, bleeding, protruding or itching. It stops all pain almost immediately, always irritates and removes constipation, and anyone who has suffered from the annoyance and pain of a rectal trouble will appreciate the excellent results which invariably follow the first application of the Pyramid.  
The Pyramid Pile Cure is prepared by the Pyramid Drug Co., of Albion, Mich., and for sale by druggists everywhere at 50 cents per package.

## NO MUTUAL AID.

Dr. Bigsby doesn't believe in the "mutual aid society" in school classes where, when a question is asked and unanswered, it is passed on to the next. In the English school, Dr. Bigsby says that boy stay in school, miss his lessons, vacation period, because of the mutual aid society. In his lecture Dr. Bigsby said that in England there are scores of old, ivy-clad schools, but there are six of them that enjoy the precious privilege of being called the public schools of England. The public about them, being the most conservative and inaccessible of all the schools in the land. To two of these, Winchester and Rugby, the lecturer introduced his audience, the former because it was a boarding school, the latter because the latter was the great master taught. To get his audience into sympathy with the antiquity of the surroundings, the speaker gave a graphic description of the ancient city of Winchester, old who entered the city in England. His curious streets, quaint buildings, superb cathedral, and medieval customs; the church bells, with their strange uses and suggestions, and then through a maze of mullioned doorways, he led us into the playground of a school founded in 1356.  
**EACH TOLD A STORY.**  
Every yard one went here seemed to have a story to tell. It was indeed treasuring on the annals of history. The life of the school, its legends and peculiar customs, its abuses, were depicted in a graphic manner, making scenes of the past seem as if they were in England. His curious streets, quaint buildings, superb cathedral, and medieval customs; the church bells, with their strange uses and suggestions, and then through a maze of mullioned doorways, he led us into the playground of a school founded in 1356.  
**CASTORIA**  
For Infants and Children.  
The lecturer did not describe Rugby, but after leaving Winchester devoted the rest of his discourse to a brief biography of Thomas Arnold, and an analysis of his methods. It was a great consolation to many a teacher present to learn that even Arnold, "the man loved by the boys," nearly gave up teaching in despair, crying to his school one day, "Oh, boys, boys, I always be your father!" The school to his study and writing his resignation. The secret of his success was that he understood boys and was thoroughly in sympathy with them. In dealing with them he was himself always truthful. He put them on their honor.  
Arnold's last meeting with his boys and farewell speech, moistened the eyes of many in the audience. Dr. Bigsby's home is in Detroit, Mich. He is attending the institute as a lecturer on "Words."

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## AMUSEMENTS

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## A PECULIAR INCIDENT.

John Evans, of 1222 Hampton street, left his home for a stroll yesterday afternoon across the open field in the rear of No. 22 school. He was approaching an excavation where some of his friends were engaged in digging a cellar. What probably was a sudden stagnation of his blood, seized him and he threw his arms wildly about and fell to the ground. His friends ran to help him and bore him to his home near by, where he was made comfortable until a physician could be called. He was apparently none the worse from the strange attack at last reports.

## IT LOOKS SUSPICIOUS.

David Jones, distinguished from the other David Joneses around here by the title "the boss," owns a house on Railroad avenue, Bellevue, which had a narrow escape from being burned down Tuesday night. One of his tenants with whom he has had some trouble moved out that day and when Mr. Jones went to the house yesterday morning he found the woodwork in one of the rooms on the first floor scorched and on the floor was the crisp remnant of burnt paper. An effort had evidently been made to burn the house and a warrant will probably be issued for the late tenant to find out what he knows about it.

## SOUTH SIDE.

"How to Shop" will be the subject of a lecture given by Mrs. E. D. Pelroy at the South Side Young Women's Christian association this evening. There will be vocal and instrumental music by Miss Irene Kahn and Miss Louise Sylvester. On Sunday afternoon at 3.45 Miss Mary Hastie, of Avoca, will address the gospel meeting. All women are invited. The annual supper will be served at the rooms on Tuesday, April 27, from 4 to 9. Tickets, 25 cents. Ice cream and home made candy will be sold.  
A feeling of hope was aroused in the minds of the little mill hands of the South Side yesterday, when reports were circulated that the South mills were to remain open Monday next. The validity of the rumors advancing such encouragement awaits the approval of time.  
A large number of guests assembled in the basement of St. John's church last evening to partake of the supper that was served under the supervision of the blessed Virgin's Sodality. The hall was artistically decorated with palms and draperies presenting a very inviting appearance. The repast met with hearty approval and

## LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

Under this heading short letters of interest will be published when accompanied, for publication, by the writer's name. The Tribune will not be responsible for opinions here expressed.  
**Painters' Union Mass Meeting.**  
Editor of the Tribune.  
Sir—The painters of this city have been making great preparation for a mass meeting of their craft, to be held at Finley's hall, Lackawanna avenue, on Friday evening, the 22nd inst. and they hope to recall their friends, both unionists and non-unionists, present. General President Sullivan, of the Painters and Decorators of America, will be the speaker of the evening. Mr. Sullivan is one of the brightest and most effective speakers on the labor question of the present day. It will be well for all who desire to work for a living, especially painters, to be there to listen to his address.  
Painters unions, Nos. 118 and 218, have been joining some pretty tall building these last couple of months, having doubled their membership with every prospect of a yet greater increase. This is as it should be, the day of individualism has passed away, and today the working man having seen the need of a thorough organization of their several trades, and realizing the common cause and the universal sympathy with all who work at their trades, demands of us to urge the immediate unity and consolidation of all the local organizations of workers throughout the country, in order that we may form a common bond of brotherhood, having for our object the elevation of our social and moral condition, and the bettering of ourselves, but with the workers in other industries and with the entire community at large. They further recognize that under the present social system the workers are the slaves of capital, and that they can only become economically free by organizing politically and economically and thus the means of production must be in the hands of the laboring classes, and the present unjust system of production be eventually supplanted by a system of general co-operation.  
By the organization of our several crafts we are able to participate in the discussion of the practical problems upon the solution of which depends our welfare and prosperity; to encourage the principle and practice of conciliation and arbitration; to secure the settlement of all differences between labor and capital, establish order, insure harmony, promote the general cause of humanity and brotherly love, and secure the blessing of friendship, equality and truth.  
Philip J. Thomas.

## MINOOKA.

Stanley Michalowski was arraigned before Justice of the Peace P. O'Hara last evening on a charge of assault and battery on Miss Lizette Stewart, a fellow country girl. The charge was that Michalowski made pieces of his hat, and when he tried to defend himself he assaulted, summoned him. Over a baker's dozen of witnesses testified, which was very conflicting. The prosecutor was satisfied to settle the matter amicably, but the defense thought different, and he furnished \$200 bail for appearance at court. Bryan O'Hara qualified as bondsman.  
Mrs. Charles Plich is visiting her mother at South Canaan, Wayne county.  
The Union orchestra, an aggregation of Shanty Hill musicians, conducted a social at Calley's academy of music, where Mike Kane has received a tempting offer from "Tom" O'Rourke, the Buffalo agent, who so successfully managed George Dixon O'Rourke's campaign for Kane to New York. The latter is considering the offer.

## SOEWING THE WIND.

Was Presented in an Admirable Manner at the Frothingham.  
One of Frohman's companies gave a very fine production of "Sowing the Wind" at the Frothingham theater last night. It belongs to the school of problem plays, but rightly takes high rank among the dramas of its class because it strongly enforces a moral lesson.  
Miss Maud Edna Hall made a very favorable impression as Rose and in the "sex against sex" scene proved that she is an emotional actress of no mean ability. Herbert E. Sears and Thomas Whipple did some excellent character work.  
**OBITUARY.**  
The funeral of the late Edward D. Richardson, aged 74 years, who died at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon at his home, in Hawley, took place at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning at the Catholic church, and was attended by a large concourse of friends. High mass was read, Rev. J. H. Judge officiating, after which the remains were conveyed to the Catholic cemetery, where interment was made. Mr. Richardson was highly esteemed. He had been a resident of Hawley for forty years. During that time he carried on an extensive mercantile business for a number of years, and of late he had conducted a successful bottling establishment of beers and mince. He was married to Mrs. Mary Richardson, nee Henry, of Port Jervis, N. Y.; Edward and Luke, of Hawley.  
Samuel Hutchings, of Third street, Jersey, died on Tuesday evening at about 11 o'clock. He deceased was born in Providence, R. I., and lived for many years in Greenfield. About five years ago he moved to Jersey, where he has been a resident since. The widow and three children, Mrs. Mary Hutchings, George and Charles. Funeral will be held on Friday morning. Services will be held in Methodist Episcopal church at 11 o'clock. Interment will be made in Tompkinsville cemetery.  
Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock Rease B. Edwards, one of the most popular young men of Plymouth, died after a short illness. Pneumonia was the disease that cut short his life after a brief illness of less than a week's duration. Deceased was 23 years of age, and was one of the most popular members of the Washington Social club, one of the foremost social organizations of Plymouth. He is survived by a mother, sister and two brothers.  
The death of Joseph, the 8-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. James Slattery, of Avoca, occurred yesterday afternoon. A few

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