

West Side and City

FENCE CAUSES TROUBLE.

Street Commissioner and Dominick Healey Are Engaged in a Dispute.
Dominick Healey was not perturbed by the removal of a fence which he had erected on part of the sidewalk on the West Linden street side of his property. The fence which is but fifteen feet long was removed by Foreman J. S. Hill, by order of Street Commissioner Dunning.

The removal took place on Wednesday afternoon and early yesterday morning it was back in place again. Mr. Healey claims that the sewer basin erected at the corner of West Linden and North Ninth streets is built on his property and where his fence line should be.

A suit may follow as the removal of the fence, which is an annoyance to pedestrians, was ordered by council, during Mr. Kinsey's term of office. Nothing, however, was done until the present action.

DEMOCRATIC PRIMARIES.

Nealis and Replote Want to Go to Harrisburg.
The Democratic primaries of the several districts of the First legislative district were held yesterday.

At the First district of the Fourteenth ward Thomas Cosgrove and Richard Jennings were elected delegates. The convention which will select the state delegates will be held on Saturday afternoon at Thomas Cosgrove's hotel, North Main avenue.

P. J. Nealis, president of the common council, and Attorney D. D. Replote are the two most prominent candidates.

MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT.

All lovers of good music will have an excellent opportunity to enjoy it by attending the exercises at the Simpson Methodist Episcopal church this evening. The entertainment was gotten up by the young men of the church for the benefit of the church choir. The following programme of exercises will indicate what the visitor can expect:

- PART I.**
Selection.....Male Quartette
Piano Duet.....Misses Webber and Rinker
Vocal Selection.....Prof. Vernon Hughes, of Brooklyn
Recitation.....Master Walter Smith
Cornet Solo.....Prof. Robert Sturmer
Solo.....Llew Herbert
Vocal Solo.....T. R. Williams, of Boston
- PART II.**
Vocal Solo.....Moses Morgan
Vocal Solo.....Miss Maggie Davis
Piano Solo.....Miss Anna Williams
Soprano Solo.....Miss Ella Godshall
Solo.....Llew Herbert
Recitation.....Miss Hughes
Solo.....T. R. Williams
Mandolin and Banjo.....Prof. Morse and Miss Fraunfelder
Solo.....Vernon Hughes

PERSONAL MENTION.

John Louis, of Hampton street, left last evening for Port Wayne, Ind. He will join his brother, Stephen, who has a "string" of horses on the racing circuit there.

Rev. Benjamin Morgan, of Tenth street, has returned from Baltimore.

Mrs. William Kimble, of Robinson street, and Mrs. William Gable, of South Garfield avenue, are the guests of friends at Thornhurst, Pa.

Miss Nettle Elias, of Washburn street, is visiting relatives at Wilkes-Barre.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Evans, of Jackson street, are visiting at Clifford, Pa.

D. J. Evans and daughter, Miss Della P. Evans, of South Hyde Park avenue, have returned from a visit at Gibson, Pa.

Tallie Phillips, of Academy street, is in New York city.

James Phibbin and son, of Hampton street, are visiting in New York city.

Miss May Davies, of Eynon street, is at Lake Idewille.

D. R. Williams is confined to his home on South Hyde Park avenue, seriously ill.

Miss Anna B. Williams, of South Hyde Park avenue, has returned from a visit among friends in Pottsville and other places. Miss Williams was summoned home by her father's sudden illness.

Mrs. David Evans, of Sweetland street, is entertaining Mrs. Annie Edwards, of Albany, N. Y.

Mrs. William C. Price, Jr., and son, of South Hyde Park avenue, are the guests of friends at Conkling, N. Y.

Attorney M. J. McAndrews leaves tonight for a two weeks' trip to Nova Scotia.

Miss Mary Pryor, of Mauch Chunk, has returned home from a visit with her brother, W. L. Pryor, of North Sumner avenue.

Thomas Boynton, tenor soloist, is at Factoryville.

John R. Williams, son of Select Councilman Richard H. Williams, of Academy street, has graduated from an engineering school at Columbus, O., with honors. He returned home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ayers, of Parsons, and Mr. George, of Philadelphia, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Sprouts of North Bromley avenue.

Mrs. Cassie Bowen, of Spring Brook, has returned to her home after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davis, of Washburn street.

MINOR NEWS NOTES.

Miss Rosina Davis, the Welsh evangelist, will preach at the Tabernacle church on Hyde Park avenue, West Side, Sunday, at 10 in the morning and at 2:30 in the afternoon in English, and at 4 in the evening. A choir of fifty voices will assist her during the day. All are welcome.

The West Scranton Republican league will hold a regular session at their rooms over Davies' drug store this evening. It is expected that several important committees will report. A full attendance is requested by President W. G. Phillips.

A good sized crowd enjoyed the excursion conducted by Branch 44, Catholic Mutual Benevolent association to Shawanese (Harvey's) lake yesterday.

The funeral of Elizabeth, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard White, of 724 Eynon street, occurred yesterday afternoon at 2:30 from the parental home. Interment was made in the Hyde Park Catholic cemetery.

The many friends of Miss Agnes Davies, of North Pineore avenue, were pleasantly entertained on Wednesday evening by Miss Davies. The guests were:

WEST SIDE BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

NOTARY PUBLIC.
B. G. MORGAN & SON, NOTARIES Public, Real Estate, Exchange and Ocean Ticket Agents. Notaries collected. Prompt monthly settlements. Office 104 Jackson street, over Musgrave's drug store.

HARRIET J. DAVIS, FLORIST.—Cut Flowers and Plants. 791 and 793 West Lackawanna avenue.

SECOND HAND FURNITURE.—Cash for second hand furniture. 791 and 793 West Lackawanna avenue.

NORTH SCRANTON.

Mrs. R. J. Thomas and daughter, Mame, of Spring street, have returned from Atlantic City.

The police in this precinct are determined to enforce the tram law. Wednesday evening a raid was made near the Delaware and Hudson depot and four weary willies captured. Alderman James J. Williams, who was on duty morning and allowed them to go upon their promising to make themselves scarce within one hour.

Miss J. J. Jones, the noted Welsh Evangelist, will preach this evening in the Welsh Presbyterian church, on Wayne street. Miss Davies' presence this evening was purely coincidental. In the face of many difficulties as her services are in demand throughout the country, she is an interesting and interesting speaker and will in all probability attract an enormous crowd.

Mrs. D. Thomas, of Church avenue, left yesterday for Long Branch, N. J., Coriandlawn and Thomas Jefferson lodges, American True Iovites, will parade the principal streets of this end this evening to advertise their excursion which leaves tomorrow morning to Lake Pointelle. The committee who have charge of the excursion are: Mrs. D. Thomas, of Church avenue, who will make the day a pleasant one for all who intend going.

Joseph Cannon, of Hudson street, is entertaining relatives from Pa. yesterday.

The excursion tomorrow under the auspices of Marquette council promises to take along with it a large throng of people. The committee who have charge of the excursion are: Mrs. D. Thomas, of Church avenue, who will make the day a pleasant one for all who intend going.

James Sheridan, arrested for alleged wife beating, was arraigned before Alderman Fidler last evening. Accompanying the complainant was Walter Sargent, registered against him by his brother-in-law, James Morrison, who alleged that Sheridan threatened to kill him. The case was adjourned to today.

Rev. W. F. Davis left yesterday for an extended visit to Luzerne county.

Miss Annie Jenkins, of Putnam street, entertained Pittston relatives yesterday.

Miss Mary Harding, of New York city, is the guest of her father, Michael Harding, of West Main street.

The North Main Avenue Baptist church will picnic at Laurel Hill park today.

Police Lieutenant Michael Spelman has returned from Pittston, where he spent his vacation as the guest of his cousin, Edward Richardson.

SOUTH SCRANTON.

Miss Ella Jordan, of Pittston avenue, is home after a visit to friends at Buffalo.

J. Ruddy is a candidate for delegate to the Republican county convention from the First district of the Twentieth ward.

Mrs. Louis Schauts and children, of Irving avenue, are visiting in Mauch Chunk.

Miss Mamie Greeley, of Philadelphia, is the guest of Miss Mamie Coyne, of Cedar avenue.

Divisions No. 11 and 22, Ancient Order Hibernians, last night gave a social in Battie's hall to the young ladies who assisted at their table at St. John's excursion. A most enjoyable time was had.

The Scranton Athletic club will have its annual outing and field day at Central park August 30.

Mrs. John Duggan and family, of Cedar avenue, will leave today to spend a week at Atlantic City.

Miss Lulu Sadler, of Hamilton Pa., is the guest of John H. Burgess, of Cedar avenue.

A. J. Mulderig, of Pittston avenue, is in New York city on a business trip.

Michael Reap, of Pittston avenue, came home in an intoxicated condition Tuesday afternoon, and after tearing the furniture, and beating his aged father, Martin Reap, he was arrested by policeman Boland. On the way to the station house Reap resisted the policeman so that it was necessary to call in the assistance of a citizen, John Finney. Reap was fined \$10 by Alderman Robling yesterday.

John S. Richard has announced himself as a candidate for delegate to the Republican county convention from the Fourth district of the Twentieth ward.

Mrs. Charles Zang gave a party in honor of her mother's birthday. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. W. Zang, Mr. and Mrs. C. Skull, Mr. and Mrs. P. Struening and son, Harry, Mr. and Mrs. W. Shaw, Mrs. C. Robinson, Mrs. J. Welch, Mrs. W. Hamm, Mrs. C. Weirich, Mrs. P. Zang, Mrs. F. Weirich, and the Misses Mennie and Minnie Zang.

GREEN RIDGE.

Rev. J. M. Howell, of Green Ridge, is attending the Local Preachers' Camp meeting at Delaware Water Gap.

The Epworth league of Asbury church this evening will take a trolley ride this evening at 7:30. The cars will start from Delaware street and Sanderson avenue. Fare, 25 cents.

About 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon a team of horses hitched to a lumber wagon became frightened at a locomotive crossing on the tracks near the railroad crossing on Green Ridge street, below Dickson avenue, and ran a short distance, when they were stopped near the Green Ridge Lumber company's shed. The driver, who is unknown, was thrown from his seat, but received only slight injuries.

D. Brown, of Sanderson avenue, is the possessor of a fine new buggy.

"Jack" Hitchcock, of Washington avenue, has returned from Philadelphia, where he attended the race meet.

Tom Hughes, of the Green Ridge market, is spending a week's vacation at Herk.

The house on Money avenue below Sunset avenue, being built by George Gibson, Jr., is nearly completed. He intends occupying it this fall.

Mrs. Frank C. Hazard and son are spending a short time at Buttermill Falls.

Dr. Lansing, of Boston, has accepted a call as pastor of the Presbyterian church, Miss Dora Borrer, of Dickson avenue,

DUNMORE.

Rev. Mr. Gibbons, of the Dunmore Presbyterian church, will officiate morning prayer on Sunday. Mr. Gibbons and family have been absent for the past month and his congregation will be glad to learn that his pastor has greatly benefited by his outing in the country. During the pastor's vacation the services have been conducted by the Rev. Horace Luce and McDonald, whose presence has been much appreciated. Owing to many taking their summer outing during their pastor's absence the attendance has been somewhat small.

Several thousand people from Scranton and Dunmore were at the picnic of St. Mary's church at Laurel Hill park yesterday. The picnic was a beautiful one and was enjoyed immensely by the happy social party in the shady retreat under the wide spreading trees and the bright sun. The picnic was in progress all day and in the evening. There were perhaps more Scranton people there than Dunmore folk, but both were enthusiastic in the success of the picnic affair.

The funeral of Clarence, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Walsh, took place at 9 o'clock yesterday. Interment was made in Mt. Carmel cemetery.

Miss Dianna Capwell will leave today for a few weeks' vacation at Lake Winola.

The Traction company has placed one of the new two-truck cars on the Laurel Hill line.

Mrs. Taylor, of Cherry street, is spending a few days with Hawley friends.

The many friends of Miss Chesie Inglett, of Butler street, will be pleased to learn of her improved condition.

A large number of people of this place attended the picnic of the Daughters of Rebecca, of Pittston, at Nay Aug park, yesterday.

Mr. Marvin Tutthill, of Cherry street, is visiting friends at Hawley.

The Christian Endeavor society will hold a social at the home of John Moffatt, of Cherry street, this evening. Every body is invited. A good programme has been prepared.

Miss Laymond, of Jernyn, has returned home after spending a few days with Miss Mamie Yanness, of Williams street.

Mrs. Tessie McHale was a visitor at Jernyn yesterday.

Miss Kate Malone, of this place, returned home yesterday after a visit at the home of Mrs. J. J. Jones.

The members of St. Mary's church, N. E. L. will run their annual excursion to Lake Ariel Thursday next. Lawrence's orchestra will furnish music.

The social of the Pledge Dunmore Temple, Ladies of the Golden Eagle, at York Green, will be given, Wednesday. The programme was received with great applause.

Mrs. Thomas R. Young, of Drinker street, was visiting friends at Avoca yesterday.

Mrs. S. E. Gregory and daughter, from Lake Winola, are visiting Mrs. James M. Mattison.

MINOOKA.

Miss Lizzie Rawlin, of Clark's green, is entertaining relatives from Pa. yesterday.

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OBITUARY.

Edmund F. Boyle, of 1734 North Washington avenue, died early yesterday morning after a long illness. He was survived by a wife and three children, Edmund, Adrian and Eugenia, the oldest 7 years of age. The funeral will be held tomorrow at 9 o'clock. Interment will be made in the Dunmore Catholic cemetery. Mr. Boyle was a native of Ireland and the oldest son of John D. Boyle, deceased, of Dunmore. He was in the infantry during his father's time when the Dunmore store firm of John D. Boyle's Sons was organized. Five years ago he became interested in the gas and electric business on Lackawanna avenue. He was married fourteen years ago to Miss McCarthy, of Toronto, Ont.

The surviving family are: John D. Boyle, of Boyle & Mucklow, James Boyle, who is engaged with Burke Brothers, contractors; W. F. Boyle and Frank E. Boyle, attorneys; and Mrs. John M. Burke, all of this city, and Mrs. Joseph Lamorelle, of Philadelphia.

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