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CHAS McMULLEN & CO. Have opened a General Insurance Office in The Traders' National Bank Bldg.

UNION LABEL BEFORE BREAKFAST.

The sweet voice that sings "Ave Maria" in the Ward of France and holds its hearers spellbound is that of Ursula Gurnett, of Springfield, Mass.

Frank Robling, father of Chief of Police Robling, returned home yesterday afternoon from Germany where he has been since January.

The following is from the New York Tribune: "The Rev. D. M. Stearns has returned from his trip around the world, and will resume his numerous Bible classes. The New York class will open October 18, at 2 o'clock in the Madison Avenue Presbyterian church, corner of Fifty-third street."

Miss Luella Pearce, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Pearce, formerly of Park Park, but now of Wilkes-Barre, attended the meeting of the Young Women's Christian association rooms yesterday.

Dr. C. L. Hill and John A. Fritz are on a hunting expedition in the Main woods. They have already shot several deer.

PERSONAL.

Colonel and Mrs. H. M. Boies were in Philadelphia Wednesday.

Dr. and Mrs. Kay have returned from a two weeks' stay in Virginia.

Miss Annie Bial, of Xantopke, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Welner, of Lackawanna avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Search, of Rochester, N. Y., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Fenner, on Clay avenue.

Miss Stella Seymour will lead the meeting at the Young Women's Christian association Sunday afternoon.

Lincoln L. Tillman, one of the permanent men of the Phoenix Chemical company, left yesterday for New York city and points along the Hudson, where he will spend his annual vacation.

DAY OF PRAYER OBSERVED.

Miss Doersan in Charge of the Y. M. C. A. Service in This City.

At noon yesterday throughout the Christian world its women were prayed for at a special service in this week of universal devotion at the rooms of the Young Women's Christian association.

Save Half.

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tion in this city. The meeting was in charge of Miss Elizabeth Doersan.

A DELIGHTFUL RECEPTION.

Given by Scranton Conservatory of Music Faculty.

It is not often that one is privileged to attend a reception more artistically arranged and carried out than that given last night at the Conservatory of Music and Art by Director J. Alfred Pennington and his corps of instructors.

The faculty was assisted as follows: Miss S. Louise Hardenbergh, pianoforte and Virgil Clavier, instructor, by Mrs. I. G. Courson, Mrs. F. P. Price, Miss Burroughs and Mrs. Charles Burr; Miss Hester A. Worthington, teacher of drawing and painting by Rev. and Mrs. Rogers Israel and W. H. Buel; Miss Katharine Timberman, teacher of voice culture and singing, by Miss Florence Richmond, Miss Grace Spencer, and Miss E. Orta Eburnum; Wilkes-Barre; Rev. J. W. Randolph, Edward Lamaze, and Giuseppe Alberti, teachers of German, French and Italian, respectively, by Miss Heath; Miss Ella McNutt, teacher of Chinese painting, by Mrs. Maxwell Chapman; Theodore Homberger, teacher of violin and stringed instruments, harmony, counterpoint and composition, by Mrs. Homberger and Mrs. Alfred E. Connell. The other instructors at the school were: Mrs. K. Brown, sight singing and musical dictation; R. J. Bauer, band instruments; Theodore Bauschman, Jr., flute.

PARTY AT BLAKELY.

Mr. and Mrs. William Mason Were Tendered a Visit.

At a party given last evening to Mr. and Mrs. William Mason, at their home on First street, Blakely, the guests included a large proportion of Scranton people. During the evening an entertainment was given, in which the following participated: West Scranton Glee club, Miss Winchell, elocutionist; Miss Nettie Mason, Miss Williams, Mr. Brooks and C. C. Lloyd, vocalists, and others.

HOSE COMPANY'S BENEFIT.

Gen. Phinney Fire Laddies Held Forth in Music Hall.

The General Phinney Hose company last evening held their twenty-first annual ball at Music Hall.

THE PENN MUTUAL LIFE

Insurance Company and the Late Hon. Lemuel Amerman.

A Characteristically Prompt Settlement.

The Penn Mutual Life Insurance company, of Philadelphia, Pa., paid yesterday through their executive, Special Representative Mr. Jerome Lynch, the first installment of the yearly income of \$2,000, guaranteed to Mrs. Amerman under the two policies upon her husband's life, amounting to \$35,000.

A WORD OF ADVICE.

Republicans who are faithful in so-called off years are the ones whose fealty to party counts. Let all such bestir themselves now.

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DIED.

SAMUEL—In Chinichilla, Oct. 14, 1897, Roy, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Samuel. Burial Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Burial in Chinichilla cemetery.

EVANS—In Scranton, Oct. 13, 1897, Albert Evans, 51 years of age, at his residence, near of South Main avenue. The funeral will be held on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the residence. Interment will be made at the Washburn street cemetery.

NEW IMPROVEMENTS IN CONTEMPLATION

South Side and Bellevue Sewers Are Among Them.

PROVIDENCE PAVING IS ANOTHER

In Common Council Last Night Action Is Taken to Prevent the Killing of the Twelfth District Sewer Assessment, Which Indicates a Re-opening of the Sewer Campaign.

The South Side sewer campaign was again indirectly opened in common council last night with a motion by Mr. Sweeney, directing the city solicitor to withdraw the appeal that had been made to the assessment and ask court to confirm it.

The ordinance providing for the curbing of W-later avenue between Mulberry and Linden streets passed at first and second reading. The ordinance providing for repairing Relief Engine house passed third and final reading.

SLIVAS' BODY REMOVED.

No Inquest Held on the Scranton Street Railroad Fatality.

The mangled remains of Miceil Silva, the man who met such a tragic death on the railroad tracks near the Scranton street crossing, Wednesday night were removed yesterday from the Lackawanna hospital to the home of the dead man's brother in Nealis court, West Scranton.

Broom Handle in His Eye.

Michael Blunard, a 15-year-old Hungarian, while playing with a companion

WEDDING AT AVOCA.

Miss Elizabeth Dixon Becomes the Bride of Hugh Jennings, of Baltimore Club—Brilliant Social Event.

The most notable and brilliant social event in the history of Avoca was the marriage there at 8 o'clock last night in St. Mary's Catholic church of Miss Elizabeth Dixon to Hugh Jennings, of the Baltimore base ball club.

The bride wore a charming creation of white duchess satin, cut en train and trimmed with pearls and chiffon.

In the sanctuary the bridal party was met by the groom and his best man, Mr. J. A. Jennings, his brother, and the ceremony was performed at the second step of the altar, a privilege seldom accorded to those not married with a nuptial mass.

After the marriage a reception was held at the Dixon residence, which was attended by about sixty of the close personal friends or relatives of the bride and groom.

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LECTURE ON SPAIN.

Colonel Sanderson Delights an Audience at Elm Park.

Colonel George Sanderson last evening entertained a good-sized audience at the Elm Park church with his lecture on "Granada and the Alhambra."

WAITRESSES STRIKE FOR A MAN'S SAKE

Nine Girls at Beemer's Restaurant Left in a Body Yesterday.

BECAUSE CHEF LISK WAS FIRED His Only Offense Was That He Appeared Before the Eating Public in Woman's Attire Believing That in Union as Well as Oubons There is Strength—His Lady Friends Left in Intense Indignation at His Dismissal.

William Lisk, who was chief chef at Beemer's North Washington avenue dining establishment, was discharged yesterday and out of spite nine of the sixteen waitresses and kitchen girls in the place turned up their pretty noses and indignantly filed out "on strike."

WILLIAM GETS THE CONGE.

She made a greater hit. Mr. Beemer had reached the scene and in unmistakable terms Chef William was told to walk to the office and get the wages due him.

The chef was amazed at this treatment. He expected everybody to laugh themselves to death at his lightning work. Then it was that the nine girls held a "chapel" as the printers would call their meetings, and it was decided that all would quit the place if Willie did. Willie did, so the nine went to the upstairs apartments where they roomed and secured whatever spare clothes they had. Then each filed out with many a jest and quip, at the expense of their erstwhile employers.

One young lady who didn't really want to leave told Mr. Beemer that she wouldn't have anybody point at her a finger of scorn and say: "Scab, Scab!"

W. A. Beemer and his son, O. E. Beemer, the proprietors of the dining room, immediately set about to secure a new assortment of waitresses. In place of Chef Willie the man who fills that position at the Cliff house is Delaware Water Gap was secured and reported at midnight last night.

BLACKLISTED.

The Beemer strike brought to light a hitherto unknown fact and that is that the several hotels and dining rooms in this city have formed a union for protection against striking waitresses.

The nine girls and Chef Willie have practically blacklisted themselves in the city; and that to the face of the chef's assurance.

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It may pay you to look through the "want" columns of the Tribune. Some sure opportunities are continually presenting themselves in those columns.

FOUND DEAD IN BED.

Henry Gwyther, of the North End, Expire Suddenly.

Henry Gwyther, a well-known resident of the North End, was found dead in bed yesterday morning about 1:30 o'clock. His wife made the distressing discovery and immediately telegraphed the news to other members of the family.

Mr. Gwyther had been a sufferer from a chronic illness for a number of years. He retired early Wednesday and did not complain of being ill. His wife observed nothing that would excite her suspicion when she retired shortly afterward.

The deceased was 56 years of age and a native of Wales, but had been a resident of the North End for the past 12 years. He is survived by a wife and the following children: John, Mrs. George Decker and Mrs. Reuben Boston, all of this end.

The funeral will be held at the residence, on Brick avenue, tomorrow at 2:30 p.m. Rev. R. S. Jones, of the Welsh Congregational church, will officiate. Interment will be made in Washburn street cemetery.

A POLITICAL POINTER.

If you endorse the free trade and freer silver Chicago platform as the Lackawanna Democracy does, "fully and without reserve," then work and vote for Schadt, Horn, et al. If you believe in McKinley, protection and prosperity, turn these agents of Bryan down.

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