CARBONDALE.

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DEATHS OF A DAY.

The Grim Messenger Brings Grief to Three Carbondale Homes. William J. Williams, of No. 17 Drum

mond avenue, passed away at noon yesterday. He had been ailing for about a month with a complication of stomach and heart trouble.

Mr. Williams was one of the city's oldest and most respected citizens. He was born in Wales on the eighth of May, 1831, being sixty-seven years of He was brought to this city by his parents when two years old. Since then he has been a continuous resident here, and for more than thirty years was a faithful employe of the Delaware and Hudson. He was a man exceptionally clean moral habits. He was quiet and industrious, a good citizen but cared little for public affairs and his mind was occupied principally with his duties at home.

On New Year's day, 1861, Mr. Williams was married to Miss Catherine Hudson, of Clifford, by Elder Stearns. of that place. She, with three daughters and one son, survive him. They Mrs. Robert Copeland, Mrs. William Skeels, Harry Williams and Mrs. Orville Skeels. Four brothers, John. James and George, of the Falls, and Ephraim, of Uniondale, also survive

The funeral will take place Monday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Rev. Charles Lee will conduct the services at the house and interment will be made in

WILLIAM STRADER.

Willie C. Strader, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Strader, of Brooklyn street, died yesterday morning. He was taken ill with pneumonia on Jan. 10. and had passed the crisis, having been, scemingly, on the way to recovery for the past week. His heart was in a very weak condition, however, and other complications made their appearance. Blood poison set in and yester-day Dr. J. S. Niles called Dr. A. Niles and J. A. Kelly in consultation with him over the case. It was decided that the boy was too weak to undergo an

Deceased was born in Fort Wayne, Indiana, fourteen years and six months ago. His parents moved to this city from Frankford, N. Y., a year and a half ago. Willie was learning the printer's trade in the establishment of W. D. Frank, on North Main street. He was an unusually bright boy, of a lively disposition but good hearted and trustworthy. His carly demise will be regretted by many young companions and older persons. He was a member of the Methodist Sunday school.

He is survived by his parents and three brothers, Frank, Joseph and Earl, Rev. G. A. Place, Ph. D., will today conduct the funeral services at the house, and the remains will be taken to Schenectady for interment.

GILBERT COLWELL

Relatives in this city yesterday re ceived a despatch from Jersey City announcing the death of Gilbert Colwell, who has been ill for some time. Deceased was born in Cherry Ridge, Wayne county, Aug. 18, 1864. He came to this city with his parents when sixeen years old. He soon after ac cepted a position on the Delaware and Hudson road and rose to be flagman. Ten years ago this month he went to Jersey City and became assistant yardmaster for the Central Railroad of New Jersey. He was promoted to the conductorship of one of the fast freights between that city and Philadelphia. He retained that position until three years ago last March when lost a leg in an accident. Since then he has been engaged about the yard in Jersey City.

Mr. Colwell was married in Novem ber, 1888, to Miss Ella Isgar, daughter of Joseph Isgar, of Salem avenue, She with two little daughters. Cora and Helen survive him. He is also survived by his mother, Mrs. Sarah A. Colwell, four brothers, Frank, Sidney, Arthur Frederick, two sisters, Mrs. Charles Dolph and Elizabeth Colwell, of this

Deceased possessed an exceptionally genial nature and was one of the most popular men on the road during his residence in this city. He was a memher of the Red Men and also one of th officers of the Brotherhood of Railroad

The remains will be brought here today, and the funeral will be held to-

THE SPOONERS.

Edna and Cecil Spooner, supported by an excellent company of well known

brave man shudders at the thought of being torn and rended in the jaws of a ferocions tiger. In every walk of life, from that of the laborer to

that of the pro-fessional man, there are thou-sands at the mercy of a tiger more releutless than any found in all India. That tiger is the dread disease known as

consumption. It slays more men and wosummer shower. It steals upon its victim with noiseless tread. men yearly than there are rain drops in

There is a sure and certain protection against this deadly disease, and a sure and speedy cure for it. if it is resorted to in time. It is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical This wonderful medicine act Discovery. This wonderful medicine acts directly on the lungs through the blood, tearing down old, half-dead tissues, building up new and healthy ones, driving out all impurities and disease germs and expanding the lungs and introducing life giving oxygen into the circulation. It has wonderful curative powers and aliays all inflammation of the mucous membranes of the lungs and bronchial tubes. It makes the appetite keen and hearty, the digestion and assimilation perfect, the liver active, the blood pure and rich with the life giving elements of the food, and the nerves strong and steady. It is the great blood-maker and flesh-builder. It has the most marvel-ous sustaining powers of any known medous sustaining powers of any known med icine. Thousands who were upon the verge of a premature grave have testified to their recovery through its wonderful virtues. Medicines dealers sell it, and have nothing

else "just as good."

When a dealer urges some substitute he's thinking of the larger profit he'll make—

not of your welfare

Dr. Pierce's book, "The Common Sense Dr. Pierce's book. "The Common Sense Medical Adviser," is a treasure in any family. It contains 1008 pages and 300 illustrations. A copy FREE to every person who will send to the World's Dispensary Medical Association. Buffalo, N. Y., 21 one-cent stamps, to pay the cost of mailing only. For cloth binding, send 31 stamps.

artists, will open a week's engagement at the Grand on next Monday evening. The opening bill will be the beautiful four-act comedy, "The Judge's Wife." During their engagement here they will give eleven performances with a omplete change of programme at each performance. On Tuesday evening Miss Edna Spooner will introduce for the first time in Carbondale the novel-ty of the nineteenth century, "The animated song sheet," with a chorus of fifty voices This is beyond question the greatest novelty of the age. Don't

RAN OVER A BOY.

Man Fractures Two Ribs While Londing Ice .- Finger Amputated.

A boy named Judge met with a erious accident on Pike street last evening, shortly before 6 o'clock. He was sitting beside the roadway, fastening his skate, when a reckless driver whipped up his team and ran over him. The boy was taken to Dr. Thompson's office, where he was found to have sustained several ugly scalp wounds, an indentation of the skull and a long laceration over the left ear, which required six stitches. The lad also suffered some from slight oncussion of the brain.

While loading ice yesterday after-oon, Sidney Pierce, of Canaan street, dipped and fell on the sleigh, fracturng two ribs of the left side.

The aged father-in-law of Carmine Perri, of Hospital street, has been suffering from a diseased bone of the little finger of the left hand. Yesterday Dr. Thompson, assisted by Dr. Jenkins, amputated the digit.

26 MILES NECK AND NECK

Engines 63 and 70 of the Delaware nd Hudson and Oatario and Western roads, respectively, made a brilliant run down the valley Thursday. The former was attached to the Saratoga express and was on time. The through train on the Ontario and Western was twenty-five minutes late and this brought the two trains opposite at Iniondale with a twenty-five minute un ahead of them on parallel tracks. No efforts were made to race by the engineers but the passengers became very much interested in the movements of the two trains. First one would e slightly ahead; then the other. The Saratoga express was the heavier as it had three cars to two on the other train. This lifference was somewhat made up by the fact that the Ontario and Western train stopped at three more stations between this city and Scranton than did its competitor. As t was the mahegany cab of the 62 and the black cab of the 70 went into Scranton together like a team of well matched horses.

THREATENED HIS WIFE.

Mrs. Sarah Houseton, of Drummond avenue, appeared before Alderman Bunnell yesterday and had a warrant ssued for the arrest of her husband, charging him with assault and battery and threatening. She claims that on the eighteenth of January he beat her and turned her out of doors, she the lamp and threatened to set fire to the bed on which she and two small chorus, children were reclining. He was prevented from carrying out his design by his son, who is her step-son. The offender was committed to jail to await trial.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Ernest Downton this week sold his house and lot on the corner of Spencer street and Lathrop avenue to William F. Ward. Consideration \$1.350. The lot s 50x150 feet.

The Rev. Charles T. Coerr, of Renevo. Pa., who officiated in Trinity hurch several weeks ago, will conduct ervices in that church tomorrow. Mrs. Reese Price and two children, of Ninth avenue, have returned from a digit in Scranton.

Mrs. Thomas Dickson has returned to Scranton after a visit with Mrs. J. B.

Van Bergen. The Young Ladies' Cooking club, of this city, went to Scranton last even-ing, where its members were pleasantly entertained by Mrs. Haydn Evans.

ARCHBALD.

The funeral of George Walsh, who died Tuesday night, occurred yesterday morning from his late home on Hill street. It was largely attended. Services were conducted in St. Thomas' church, after which interment was made in St. Thomas' cemetery. The pall-bearers were: Patrick Wells, John Conway, William Younle, John Wron-

ger, George Otto and Patrick Roache. Prof. George P. Bible, principal of Stroudsburg State Normal school, and County Superintendent J. C. Taylor, of Scranton, visited the central school Thursday afternoon.

A large party of young people from here attended a party at Carbondale, Thursday evening. James Loftus, of Hill street, is in-

Hsposed. District Deputy Hendricks, of Scran on, installed the officers of Archbald Conclave. No. 280, Improved Order of Heptasophs, Thursday evening.

Miss Maggie Lally, of Laurel street, eturned home Thursday, after a week's visit with friends in Pittston. The council and school board will

neet Monday evening. A young daughter has come to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kelly,

Thomas Walsh, of Laurel street while at work the forepart of the week at No. 3 mines, received a severe gash over the left eye, caused by the falling of a piece of coal.

A large crowd of young people last evening enjoyed a sleighride to the residence of William Jones, of Tomp-

kinsville. The congregation of the German Lutheran church will hold the annual donation to their pastor on Monday evening, the 14th inst. A cordial invitation is extended to every one. The committee having charge of the matter has provided an elaborate menu and there will be many choice edibles to tempt the palates. The annual donations have always been enjoyable in

MOSCOW.

Miss Ruth Gardiner, of Wyoming eminary, spent Sunday with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Gardiner. Mr. and Mrs. George Swarts, of Dunmore, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Hornbacker Sunday.
 Horace Hitchcock, of Jersey City.

spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Z. S. Latouche. Mrs. George Gilliland, of Gouldsboro, pent Sunday with her mother, Mrs.

Dr. and Mrs. S. W. Lamoreaux, of Scranton, visited friends here Sunday. Superintendent Taylor, of Scranton. and Professor George Bible, of Strouds-

and recognized dramatic and specialty | burg State Normal school, visited the graded school here Monday J. W. Clouse is slowly recovering

from a severe attack of lumbago. Frank Hagen and Miss Deppin, Scranton, called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Pelton Wednesday.

Mrs. Samuel Snowden is visiting her laughter in Budgeport, Conn. Miss Bertha Van Brunt spent Sunday with Grace and Kate Beck.

JERMYN AND MAYFIELD.

The funeral of Vernard, the four months-old child of Mr. and Mrs. John Bennett, took place from their home on Second street, yesterday afternoon. The funeral was very largely attended. The pall-bearers were: Mary El-len Jenkins, Clio Carter, Mary Sharkey, Liettice Jenkins, The Rev. Francis Gendall, of the Methodist Episcopal church, officiated. Interment was made Shady Side cemetery. M. J. Hurk, of Honesdale, was in

own Thursday. Several sleigh loads of the Odd Fellows' lodge left town last evening to visit the Lackawanna lodge of Scran-

There was a large sleighing party at the St. George hotel yesterday from Carbondale.

A large number of carpenters are working at the old Jermyn store fitting it up for the new silk factory, which will be in operation in the near future.

A large number from this vicinity will leave for the Alaskan gold fields on Saturday, Feb. 19. It is stated that already ten persons have purchased tickets to that far-away land from H. A. Willman. Among those who will leave are: Editor Thomas Baundy and son, William Thomas, Andy Thomas Harvey, John Wasley, John Eastlake, John Rosemorgy, Albert Baund and

The funeral of the year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Holmes, of Mayfield, took place from their home yesterday afternoon. It was very largely attended. Interment was made

in Archbald Catholic cemetery. The council met in regular session last evening. The fire alarm committee reported that the work is progressing, and in a short time it will be ready for use. The bill for writing contracts and retiners by the borough attorney, Mr. Patrick Timlin, was laid over until next meeting night of coun-A number of other bills was ordered paid. Thomas M. Griffiths, an officer of the board of health, whose time has expired, was re-elected after considerable talk of some miscellaneous work that should be done, the council adjourned until their next regular meeting night There will be an institute meeting at

the school house on next Saturday morning, when the following teachers programme: Opening chorus, pupils (Miss Jones' room); "Teaching His- ence continues. Miss Sweeney: discussion, Mr. J. H. White, Mr. Nealon, Mr. Kelley, Mr. Rogers: "Influence of Will Upon lin solo, Miss Hannah Murphy; "Vocal liam Kelley; discussion, general; song, claims. boys; "Arithmetic," Superintendent J. C. Taylor; "Literature," Mr. Thorp; being compelled to seek shelter in a neighbor's house at 11 o'clock at night. Last night he moved the chimney from Miss Osborn: "Writing." Mr. Lloyd; vocal ductt. Miss Robert M. Green:

PECKVILLE.

A regular meeting of the Blakely

ming seminary to spend Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Chap-The employes of the Grassy Island.

naid this afternoon. Last Wednesday evening two large way to Jermyn and were royally entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Maines. Refreshments were served during their stay. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Peck, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph G. Bel, Mr. and Mrs. Mason Pickering, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Maines, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Barber, Rev. and Mrs. S. C. Simpkins, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Tiffany, Mr. and Mrs. Windsor Foster, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. DeGraw, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Purdy, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Swingle, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Purdy, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. E. A.

and Mrs. H. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. William Page Witfield Kizer, of Varton, Wayne ounty, is visiting his sister, Mrs. F.

Barber, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bell, Mr.

A. Peck. Our live and energetic druggist, W. S. Bloes, is improving the looks of the interior of his large and commodious store by taking out his wooden counters and replacing them with glass ones, When completed it will exceed any store from Scranton to Carbondale in

Charity in Germany.

From the Chicago Record. It is true that in Germany private char-

ity does not show itself on the magnifi-cent scale it does in the United States; nothing like it, in fact. This is partly wing to there being much less need of charity, since state and municipal chartty, being of older date, are thoroughly organized. Still, the sums annually given privately for charitable purposes in Germany are large in the aggregate. For Prussia alone for 1896 the legacies left by citizens to all sorts of public institutions in trust of the Ministry of Culture, amounted to 9,484,500 marks, their number being 360. For the benefit of Protestant church alone 2.611,807 marks was left, and for Catholic churches 2.375,525 marks. To all the Prussian universities together but 156,748 marks was left; but then those universities are pretty well endowed and wealthy. The consent of the above-men tioned Ministry is needed before any such legacy may be accepted, and now and then the need of such a rule is shown and the legacy is rejected. That has been, for instance, the case with the millions left by an eccentric and libidatous usares named Simon Blad. That man, on his demise, left a number of millions to the cities of Frankfort-on-Main and Berdecided it would be contra bono; mores to accept his legacies with the proviso. and the executors were so notified The latter pleaded the "non'olar" argument

LE BRUN'S This remedy being in-jected directly to the sent of those diseases of the Genito-Urinary CURE sold only by Wm. G. Clark, 201 Washington Ave. and 326 Penn. Ave., Scranton, Pa.

ANOTHER RUINED "CITY." instance, brings wealth in these fa-Gold Hunters Discover the Remains

of a Prehistoric Settlement in New Mexico .- Great Quantities of Pottery, Many Grinding Stones, but No Water Within Twenty-five Miles. Railroad and Rich Mines.

El Paso, Tex., Jan. 7, 1898.-The uickness with which rumor of a rich trike works through a community, through a whole country, for that matter, almost passes belief. Everybody in the Southwest knows very well that there is no richer mineral section in the country than that in the western and southern half of New Mexico, Prospectors are all the time wandering through the mountains of that region -the San Andrea, the Sierra Caballo, the Organs, the White Mountains, the Capitars, the Sacramentos, the Guada-loupes, and dozens of others, and no week passes without word of promising discoveries. In fact it is well known to all who take any special interest in these matters that the mineral wealth hidden in these mountains

s simply beyond computation. The difficulty is that they are inaccessible, In most of them the timber is scarce, the water is scarce, and consequently they cannot be worked except at great cost and with many hordships. Whenever these regions are opened up by railroads, as they soon will be, mining clairs will be staked out by the hundred in every one of them.

A curious Plustration is just trans-piring. Work on the El Paso and Northeastern railroad, which is being constructed by the New Mexico Railway and Coal company, has now reached a point about 60 miles from El Paso, close by the famous Jarillas-pronounce ed High-re-as, with the accent on the second syllable. These mountains are geological freak. They are largely composed of granite, porphyry and trachyre, and have been up-thrust by some volcanic action. They are "play mountains," as it were. They have all the style and strut, all the rugged features of the Rockies, but on a miniature scalp. They are about 12 miles long-northwest to southeast-and per-

haps a mile and a half wide. Ripples of rumor have come from them time and time again of fabulous gold deposits, of torquoise mines, of iron ore almost pure, that covers the ground as thickly as the stones in a terminal moraine, of silver, of copper, and of almost everything in a mineral way that tempts men to risk life and brave dangers for wealth. But there is not a drop of water within 25 miles of the Javillas; there isn't a spring nor semblance of a spring. The mountains themselves are practically barren. The mesa and the sands about will take part in the exercises of the them are almost a desert, save during the rainy season, and while its influ-

During Christmas week two El Paso gentlemen interested in the new railroad drove and prospected in the Jaril-Character," Mr. William Taggart; vio- la region and beyond. When they went in, eleven men were in those mountains Music in Public Schools." Mr. Wil- hunting for mineral and locating When the came out 12 days later more than forty men were there. and now, less than a week afterward, more than three hundred sturdy prospectors are in those mountains hoping to share in the fabulous wealth they

As the railroad proceeds and touches the Sacramento and the White mountains and the Black and the San Andres and the Capitans and all the other Charles Cooper, of Scranton, visited ranges of that rich region this rush yesterday with Mr. and Mrs. John will be repeated and emphasized. It is chool board will be held this evening. Han reservation, the mineral deposits Albert Chapman is home from Wyo- are monstrously great even for this wonderful country. This railroad will

go directly to that land of gold. It has just been discovered that at one time the neighborhood of the Jar-Delaware and Hudson, breaker will be illas, now so utterly wateriess and so nearly barren, was thickly inhabited. Ruins of a great Aztec city, or persleigh loads left here and wended their haps a city built by some people prior to the Aztecs have just been discovered. The mesa for a great distance is covered with fragments of pottery and great numbers of the matatas-grinding stones consisting of a mortar and pestle-that this people used, are also found scattered about, and they are in a wonderfully perfect state of preservation. It is quite unusual to find ancient matatas that are not chipped or broken, but although hundreds and hundred of years have elapsed since the women painfully ground corn in these stone mills they are as perfect today as when their owners left them. It seems certain that there must have been a water supply in that region when this great city existed. Two hundred miles to the north, the ruins of the Gran Quevera amazes every person who penetrates to them. But very few have yet done so since then, as at the Jarillas, there is no water or evidence of water. Tradition has it that at one time the Rio Grande ran far to the eastward of its present bed that a volcanic upheaval turned the waters of the river to the west, at the same time that the noxious gases of the cruption killed the inhabitants of all that region. It is probable that some hundreds or thousands of years age this whole section from the head waters of the Pecos south to the Texas line was inhabited by tribes who had attained a considerable degree of civilization. Traces of such settlements are found in a great many places and almost every year some new evidence comes to light tending to prove the truth of this supposition.

The ruins of this great city of the Jarillas has never before been reported. How extensive the remains will prove and whether anything will be demonstrated to throw light on the precisera in which those people lived, cannot new be said, but surely scientific men will not let pass an opportunity this to thoroughly investigate such an interesting subject, now that they can reach by railroad a site of so much

Thirty miles beyond the Jarillas are the Sacramentos The El Paso and Northeastern railroad will, within a few weeks, have reached those mountains and the line will be continued immediately and directly to La Luz and Tularosa and so on to the great coal deposits at Salado. Between Tularoca lin. coupled with the proviso, however, that a monument was to be erected to his honor. As Blad during his lifetime have been found in large quantities and La Luz free copper is reported to the highest degree, and this will be no exception.

underwent several disgraceful trials and and a great deal of excitement has been sentences for his crimes, once serving a stirred up by it. Immense deposits of lengthy jail term, the Ministry of Culture copper ore are known to be close by. copper ore are known to be close by. If it should prove to be true that free copper does exist still another reason has been found for calling this counin various phases, but thus far the above try the richest and most promising in a mineral way that is now open to in-

vestors with small means. This is one of the most wonderful fruit producing countries on the continent and with railroad communication will undoubtedly come a great influx of settlers. People familiar only with the fruit and eron yields of the middle and eastern states have no notion of the quantity or the quality of all the harvests here.

The same effort that ekes out a bare living for a family in Pennsylvania, for

vored New Mexico valleys. At present the cost of land is everywhere very reasonable, but there is bound to be a good rise in many places soon after good rise in many places, the railroad gets in operation.

M. M. G.

MUSICAL NOTES.

The Wilkes-Barre Record publisher the following regarding Miss Sadic Kaiser, the young vocalist, who is well known in Scranton: "Miss Raiser has accepted a church position in New York and will therefore make her home there for some time. She was rehears. ing in Carnegie Hall for a concert last week when the accompanist asked her if she would not sing the following Sunday at the church where he was organist, as the regular soprage would absent. She did so and the congregation was so pleased with her voice and style of singing that she was asked to stay permanently. The organist also urged her to stay, as he was more than pleased with the brilliant way she could read and sing. The church is the one up town where the famous Rev. Madison Peters proaches. It is a wealthy and representative congregation and Miss Kaiser will certainly be reated by it very handsomely. It is always the unexpected that happens with our coloratura. She has a way of getting there every time that is quite durprising.

Organist George B. Carter, at one time engaged in Scranton, but who is ow musical director at Rev. Thomas K. Beecher's church in Elmira, has recently been winning new laurels in oncert work at Buffalo. Of Mr. Carter's efforts the Buffalo Commercial speaks as follows: "Mr. Carter is organist at Rev. Dr. Thomas K. Beecher's church in Elmira and director of music at the Elmira Reformatory. In last evening's recital he proved himself to be a musician of ability. Mr. Carter assisted by Miss Evelyn Bosworth, Ella Harris and Edwin Grady, also delightfully entertained at the Elmira Women's Musical club, No. 14 Baldwin street, last Thursday afternoon, justice to Mr. Carter special mention should be made of his rendering of the B flat minor Scherzo by Chopin, which pinnists know requires great strength. self control and wide range of dynamic, all of which requirements were so ably met by him.

A contract has just been made by the l'nion Traction company, of Philadelphia, with Conductor T. P. Brooke through his manager. Howard Pew, for the appearance of the famous Chicago Marine band at Philadelphia's beautiful Willow Grove Park for 254 concerts during the coming summer, and for the same during the following two sum mers. This is the longest band engage ment in America, and is looked upo by everybody as the most desirable was filled last season by Walter Damrosch with his New York Sym phony orchestra of fifty men, and he was a candidate or re-engagement, but Brooke was selected above all others as he can creditably play as much classic music as is advisable to pro vide for summer audiences, and also play more popular, inspiring and sensational music than any other organ ization known.

The cantata "David, the Shepherd Boy," under the direction of William John Davis, choister of the First Welsh Congregational church South Mair avenue, will be rendered by the choir on March 17.

A musical festival will be held in the believed that in the neighborhood of believed that in the neighborhood of Three Rivers, near the Mescarlero Instruction of Street, Providence, on March 17. The to perfect arrangements: Chairman, Samuel Lewis; vice-chairman, Lewis H. Jones; second vice-chairman, Thomas J. Snook: corresponding secretary David F. Davis; recording secretary, E. W. Lewis; treasurer, Isaac R. Ed wards.

> The members of Plymouth Congre gational Sunday school are rehearsing for an Old Folks Concert, which will be given for the benefit of the church on Feb. 22.

> Mr. Haydn Evans' choir began work on the oratorio "Creation" on Tuesday evening. The chorus will be composed of from fifty to seventy-five selected voices. The oratorio will be presented in the near future.

John L. Lewis will organize a male party on the West Side to compete in 'The Destruction of Gaza," at the Wilkes-Barre eisteddfod on May 30, for paper of your free treatment for chronic a prize of \$150. The eisteddfod is under catarrh. I tried it and I think I am well auspices of the Young Cambrian Aid I recommend Pe-ru-na to all my friends

The Musical Culture class of the West Side, which is in charge of Mr Daniel Matthias, will give a concert or March 17. The class has been in existence one year and the members intend to make their initial concert success. Mr. Matthias is one of the oldest musicians in the city, and his reputation is a sufficient guarantee that the present enterprise will be a

new musical organization of which Professor T. J. Davies is direc tor, met Thursday evening in Finley's on Lackawanna avenue, and adopted the name which the society will be known by. It was unanimously decided that it shall be called Apollo club. The attendance was large, and the rehearsal was good. In a short time this will probably be one of the grandest musical organizations of Scranton, and will be known through out Pennsylvania.

The Taylor Choral union reorganized last Sunday evening, They will com-pete on the grand chorus "Worthy is the Lamb," prize, \$400, at the Wilkes-Barre eisteddfod in May 30. The members of the choir are requested to meet at the Calvary Baptist church on Sun day evening. Mr. David E. Jones is the conductor and William Reese plan-

The Schubert quartette. Thomas Bynon, David Stephens, John T. Watkins, John Jones, were engaged at the Stroudsburg academy on Thursday evening of last week. Mr. Llewellyn Miss Florence Richmond directed :

noon recital at the Young Women's Christian association Thursday at 12.15 clock. The following programme was Polish Danced'Hardelot Piano Solo, Polish Dance oprano Sele, Invocationd'Hard (Violin Obligato, Mr. Widmayer.)

Cello Solo, Cavalleria Rusticana Mascagn Mr. Harvey Blackwood. iolo, Serenata Mrs. Max Chapman. Soprano Solo, "One Spring Morning.

Mrs. Max Chapman.

Miss Rose Gallen. Violin Solo, Ungarisch Mr. Fred Widmayer.

CLERK OF OHIO SENATE

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HON. CHARLES N. VALLANDIGHAM, CLERK OF OHIO SENATE.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

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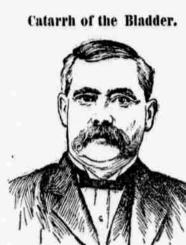
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MR. SAMUEL SANDERS,

Blythedale, Mo. ease was catarrh of the nrethra and bladder. My symptoms were the same as these given in "The Family Physician No. 2." I got a bottle of Pe-ru-ha and began taking it, and in a few days I was relieved and could sleep and rest all night. I think that Pe-ru-na is a valuable remedy. I had tried other very highly recommended medicines, but they did me no good. My physician told I am in the change of life and it does me good. Margaretha Bauben. of my trouble, as I was getting to be an old man (57 years.) I feel thankful for what Pe-ru-na has done for me

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