

HAPPENINGS OF SOUTH SCRANTON

Jacob Demuth is the Owner of an interesting Collection of Relics.

THEY ARE FROM THE MAINE, DOLPHIN AND MISSISSIPPI—HAS ALSO A SHELL THE CONTENTS OF WHICH WAS DISCHARGED DURING THE DEWEY ENGAGEMENT AT MANILA—ENTERTAINMENT GIVEN BY THE MEMBERS OF ST. ALOYSIUS SOCIETY.

Jacob Demuth, the well-known hotel man, has received a most interesting collection of relics from the battleship Maine, from Manila, and from the cruiser Mississippi, a rebel boat, captured in the late civil war, and now lying in the Brooklyn navy yard.

From the ill-fated Maine is a brass door-knob taken from a door that led to Captain Stueben's deck, at which he made many observations. There is also a thumb-screw taken from the hydraulic apparatus used to elevate the ten-inch guns.

Among the relics are two large brass hinges taken from the dismasted boat Dolphin, when in the navy yard at Brooklyn for repairs some months ago. The hinges were used on the captain's pilot house door, and from the captain's room is a unique-looking wooden cupboard with brass bands, and in good shape. Another relic of the Dolphin is a bag of sawdust used in the magazine tanks.

Taken from the cruiser Mississippi, captured during the late "unpleasantness," is a piece of turned oak seven inches long that was used as a ramrod.

Other features of the exhibit are a target sheet of paper six feet, six inches square, used for cannon practice. The dimensions of the bull's-eye are 24x18 inches, and can be easily recognized at a three-mile range at sea.

When asked by a Tribune reporter who was the donor of the relics, Mr. Demuth said he could not give the name of his friend, as he requested him not to, for the reason that he would be besieged by his local friends to send on more, which he is unable to do.

Mr. Demuth, however, stated that the man left Scranton twenty years ago, and for the past fifteen years has been in the navy, as the foreman of a gang of riggers who are now with Dewey.

which will be a large outlet for our commerce. We will then build the Nicaragua canal to the Pacific ocean, secure the Hawaiian islands and the Philippines, and then control the sugar and tobacco trade of the world and find new and larger markets for our coal, iron and wheat.

In closing his address, Mr. Murphy said that this war may be a design of God to carry civilization and Christianity into the East.

PHILIP SCHNEIDER, Jr., of Allen street, was arrested at 7 o'clock last evening by Patrolman Boland upon the request of Ignatz Pradsky, of Hickory street, who stated Schneider threatened to kill him because he would not pay wages due him. Schneider in his cell said that Pradsky owes him \$100 for four months work, and when he refused to pay him last evening he proposed to take it out on his side.

Hon. Martin Jordan, of Stone avenue, had a warrant issued yesterday for the arrest of his neighbor, Thomas Ryan, on the charge of assault and battery. Jordan has been employed by Councilman Frable to work on the streets of the Nineteenth ward, and yesterday he was digging a narrow gutter in the court in rear of Ryan's residence. Ryan objected, and a heated discussion followed, concluding with a fight. Ryan appeared before Alderman Lentes for a hearing last night and asked for a further hearing. Tonight was held for the hearing. Ryan went before Alderman Jordan and gave information for Jordan's arrest, charging him with having committed assault and battery and later in the night Jordan was taken before the alderman and asked for a postponement, as he wished to have his witnesses to testify as to the true facts of the case. This afternoon at 1 o'clock was set for the hearing.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Haupler and Mrs. Elizabeth Silbeyausen, of Newark, N. J., are guests at the residence of Rev. W. A. Nordt.

OBITUARY. Word was received in this city yesterday from Pittsburg announcing the death of Mrs. Emma Kelly, formerly Miss Harris, which occurred at the above place yesterday morning after a brief illness. Mrs. Kelly was the widow of Richard Harris, for many years a resident of North Scranton. Mrs. Kelly was about 70 years of age and removed from this city about two years ago. The remains will be brought to Ashley, where they will be interred beside those of other members of her family.

The death of O. P. Hadsell, of Green Ridge, occurred yesterday afternoon at his home, 525 Green Ridge street. The deceased was 70 years of age and for five years on account of falling limbs he had not led a very active life. A wife and five children survive him. The funeral will be held Sunday morning at 9 o'clock at the family residence. Services will be conducted by the Rev. Mr. Ulrich, of the Grace Reformed church. The remains will be taken to Factoryville for interment.

Mrs. W. Gibson Jones died last evening in her apartments in the Temple Court building. She has been ill for a long period and her death has not been unexpected for several weeks. She was formerly Miss Emma Wilson. Her age was about 60 years. The funeral has not been completed.

ADDRESS ON SPAIN. Pharmacy hall last evening was filled with the representative people of this city to listen to a programme of music and oratory, given by the St. Aloysius society to their friends. The opening number was a piano solo by Miss Reardon, followed by Miss Elizabeth Durkin, who sang "Elizabeth Thorne." Chairman Donohoe then introduced Attorney John J. Murphy, of this city, who gave an interesting and scholarly review of the history of Spain.

Mr. Murphy, touching on the present war, stated, presupposing that success in this struggle crowns our efforts, we will possess Cuba, the key to the gulf.

LIVE NEWS OF WEST SCRANTON

Improvements That Are Being Made on Fire Department House.

SEVERAL VERY NECESSARY CHANGES HAVE BEEN MADE AT THE HOUSE OF THE COLUMBIA CHEMICAL COMPANY, FRANKLIN ENGINE COMPANY AND EAGLE HOSE COMPANY—LARGE NUMBER OF SOCIAL EVENTS CONDUCTED LAST NIGHT—WERE OF A VARIED CHARACTER.

Strange as it may seem, there was apparently no delay in having the repairs made about the fire department's quarters carried out this year immediately after the annual inspection of and consequent report by the joint fire committee of councils. At least, this was the case as regards the West Scranton companies.

At the Columbia chemical company's quarters on Division street, which are owned by the city, extensive repairs were made. An entire new floor was laid. The stalls altered and necessary repairs made. Repairs were also made about the plumbing service. On the second floor, a partition was torn out and a new and large bunk room thus made. Several more cots will be added. The plumbing in the lavatory on this floor was also repaired.

The new water-tightened in several places and painted. The main doors which formerly opened inwardly and against the outgoing apparatus were changed and now swing outwardly, thus doing away with a source of damage and facilitating the "getting out" on an alarm.

Though already provided with a chemical apparatus, changes will also be made here. The present apparatus which is a combination one, will be replaced by a more modern one, situated at the Nag Ave. quarters on Franklin avenue. It is now there temporarily, pending the making of repairs to the Phoenix chemical apparatus. The purpose of this transfer is because the old apparatus is not so serviceable where the street is so busy. It is too noisy for the West Scranton district and too much time is lost in making a response.

For the Columbia another and lighter chemical apparatus is to be purchased, \$1,200 having already been appropriated in the special city appropriation list recently passed. In addition, a hose wagon will be placed here, which means the appointment of another man and the stationing of another horse. The company may also have to select another engineer to replace Engineer George Meyers, as the Nag Ave. company are trying to have him retained at their quarters.

At the Franklin Engine company's quarters on North Park avenue, also owned by the city, repairs are also under way. The roof is being retinned, the walls altered and sanitary apparatus re-laid. Another outside light on the alley side will be placed. The company are trying to have an electric light placed on the opposite side of the street at the corner of the alleyway. It is an actual necessity as the street is very dark along there. This would do away with the necessity of outside lights and would mean a great saving of gas on consequent gas bills. They have also suggested an extension of the building in the rear. The necessary land can be purchased at a very low price, and the room is needed on both sides of the street. It is especially should have more space to hold them as the men have to work close in to the horses. One man met his death already by being kicked by a horse standing with this company.

At the Eagle Hose company's quarters on Fifth street, the repairs are being made, more particularly in reference to the sleeping quarters of the men.

SEVERAL SOCIAL AFFAIRS. A very pleasant social was held last evening on the large double lawn of the residence of Mr. Danzig and R. F. Post, on Chestnut street. The affair was in charge of the class of the Simpson Sabbath school, taught by Mrs. M. L. Blair. There was a large attendance. The decorations used were flags and lanterns and Chinese lanterns. Large headlight, kindly loaned by the Scranton Railway company, were used to light up the lawn. Tables were placed at convenient points for the serving of refreshments, consisting of cream, cake and lemonade.

A short programme was also carried out. Piano solos were given by the Misses Lillian Shively and Eva Roberts, Charles Shively played a banjo solo and the Misses Bessie Frountfeller and Emma Darling gave a guitar and mandolin solo respectively.

The class comprises the Misses Edith Blair, Harriet Wade, Emma Darling, Jessie Beavers, Eva Roberts, Gwen Jones, Daisy Wade, Grace Snow and Bessie Phillips.

An outdoor concert was given by the children of Holy Cross parish last evening on the church lawn. The pastor, Rev. W. P. O'Donnell, presided. The children, about 200 in number, sang several songs, among them being "Liberty to Cuba," "The Star Spangled Banner" and "The Doctor's Law." The pastor's band assisted. The refreshments consisting of ice cream and cake were served to them in the church lecture room.

The members of the Ladies' Aid of the Hampton Street Methodist church, conducted a well attended social affair in the church lecture room last evening. Ice cream, cake and lemonade were served. It will be repeated again this evening.

The ladies of the Ladies' Aid of St. Mark's Lutheran church entertained a large gathering last evening at the residence of Mrs. P. G. Whetstone, on Fourteenth street. Light refreshments were also served.

BROKEN SHOULDER. Thomas Ruddy, of Meridian street, was taken to the Moses Taylor hospital yesterday afternoon to be treated for a broken shoulder and probable internal injuries. He claims his injuries were the result of being waylaid and beaten, a few days ago, by two men while on his way home on high. His face was also badly bruised, but he did not consider his injuries serious until his shoulder became so sore as to prevent him from working at his employment as a miner in the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western mines.

MARRIED AT THE PARSONAGE. Miss Elizabeth Evans was quietly married to Henry Burgess last evening at the parsonage of the Jackson Street Baptist church, on Jackson street. Both are residents of Grand

avenue, and were unattended. The Rev. Thom D. Grant, performed the ceremony. They are both well and favorably known, and will begin housekeeping in a newly-furnished home on Grant avenue.

LECTURE ON U. S. NAVY. At the Summer Avenue Presbyterian church, last evening, June 8, Mr. Allen Osborn will repeat his lecture on the United States navy and its recent victories. Although this lecture has been delivered in the city before, it has the merit of always being new, as Mr. Osborn keeps up with the times and his lecture includes the very latest developments in our present war with Spain.

About one hundred stereopticon views are used to illustrate the lecture, which include the warships in our own three fleets and their commanding officers; the big guns and the men who work them; the volunteers who have gone to the front, together with descriptive scenes in the harbor of Hong Kong, where Admiral Dewey was stationed.

The detailed description which Mr. Osborn gives of everything is very interesting, as he understands them and can connect them with the success of the United States navy. He holds his audience in close attention from start to finish. It will be remembered that Mr. Osborn was for a long time a member of the United States signal corps that attended to the naval reserve.

PERSONAL MENTION. Mr. and Mrs. Horace Conlar, of North Bromley avenue, are being congratulated over the arrival of a son.

Mrs. W. T. Sprouts, of North Bromley avenue, is visiting friends at Binghamton.

John Moses, of Roland avenue, has gone to Bosman, Montana, to reside.

Mrs. R. Reilly, of Meridian street, has as her guests Mrs. Mary Delaney and Mrs. M. Smith, of Honesdale.

Mrs. J. Wilkes, of Twelfth street, is entertaining her daughter, Mrs. James Jenkins, of North Scranton.

Mrs. David Wedel, of Jackson street, is visiting friends at Moscow.

MINOR NEWS NOTES. P. M. Eagen, of Chestnut street, left yesterday to assume his new duties as a superintendent at the steel works at Lehigh, Pa. He was sent there by the Lackawanna Iron and Steel company, having served them here as a master mechanic for several years. Mr. Eagen is very well known on this side, being prominently connected with several of our best and the West Side board of trade.

A sale of fancy and useful articles will be held in the lecture room of the Simpson Methodist church this evening. The affair will be in charge of members of the Simpson Social circle. Refreshments will also be served and the public is cordially invited.

Simpson Chapter, Epworth league, of the Simpson Methodist church met last evening in the church lecture room in regular session. Officers for the ensuing term were elected. Several reports were received, including that of Miss Anna Hughes, league delegate to the convention held recently at Wilkes-Barre.

The officers elected were: President, John J. York (re-elected); first vice-president, George Crane; second vice-president, Miss Lulu Hayward; third vice-president, Miss Rachel Jones; fourth vice-president, R. J. Williams; secretary, Will Sutton; treasurer, Edward York; chorister, W. Logg; librarians, Miss Bertha Crawford and Edward Higbee; chief usher, Frank Sutton.

The funeral of the late Thomas Fahy will be held this morning. The remains will be taken to St. Patrick's church at 9:30 o'clock, where a high mass will be celebrated. Interment will be made at the Cathedral cemetery.

Ladies' Suits, \$15.00 and \$20.00; reduced to \$10.00. F. L. Crane.

NORTH SCRANTON. A large crowd congregated all day yesterday and last evening at Company H headquarters, where several names for the volunteer service was in process. Sergeant C. Rogers had charge of the work, and was assisted by former lieutenant Eugene Smith, of Company H. The number of men required is fifty and yesterday twenty-one were procured. In reference to the recruiting, a sufficient number will have been obtained. The recruiting will be continued this evening by Sergeant Rogers, at Company H.

Those who enrolled last evening are: Frank Melermott, John T. Thomas, David Alexander, George Short, Fred J. Smith, William J. Evans, Michael John W. Thomas, Charles W. Jones, Thomas L. Davis, Thomas Thomas, Mortimer Powell, William J. George, William J. Morris, Thomas J. Evans, Michael Nalla, John Battle, John J. Baskardar and David Alexander.

Andrew Johnston occurred yesterday afternoon from his late home, corner East Market street and Dickson avenue. Services of a very impressive nature were conducted at the house, and attended by a large number of friends of the afflicted family. The funeral will be held at the residence of the late Mr. Johnston, on the corner of East Market street and Dickson avenue, at 10 o'clock this morning. The interment will be in the cemetery, where the remains were interred.

THE LEADER 124 and 126 Wyoming Avenue.

Continuation on Friday of Our Great Sale of Muslin Underwear

The bargain event of this entire month. The values we are offering during this sale are the talk of the town. The price that is marked on the goods is not in one single instance indicative of the high value of the garment. No comparison with any underwear sale in this or any other store in the past.

- 39c up. For Ladies' Muslin and Cambric Gowns, worth double.
25c up. For Ladies' Muslin and Cambric Drawers, worth double.
39c up. For Ladies' Muslin and Cambric Skirts, worth double.
12 1/2c up. For Ladies' Cambric Corset Covers, worth double.
25c up. For Ladies' Fine Muslin Skirts, worth double.

Great Event Friday in Domestic Goods, Etc.

A bargain counter event of the first order, one that no thrifty shopper can afford to miss. Prices are all special for the day and most of them are below actual cost.

- 3c for regular five-cent quality of white Outing Flannel.
3 1/2c for regular 5-cent checked Apron Gingham.
83c for regular \$1.25 White Quilts, 1-4 wide.
38c for regular 50-cent Bleached and Unbleached Sheets, 2-1/4 x 2-1/2 yards.

Special Sale on Flowers and Trimmed Hats

Another great lot of flowers received at a sacrifice. Manufacturers are anxious to close out their stock and many will take what they can get to dispose of their goods. Good saving chance here on Friday.

- 19c for Flowers of every description. None in the lot worth less than 25c, and some as high as 50c.
19c for English Walking Hats that were made to sell at from 75c to 90c each. Special for Friday.
Children's School Hats that are worth 30c, Friday only.
Children's Trimmed Hats, with ribbons and flowers, Friday.
Ladies' Trimmed Hats, that are positively worth \$3, Friday.
Ladies' Trimmed Hats, worth \$5.00, Friday only.

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evening from 6 to 9 o'clock in the church. Ice cream and cake will be served. All are invited.
Miss Eva Brown entertained a large number of friends at her home, on Capron street, last evening.
William Peterman, of Marion street, is seriously ill.

DUNMORE.

A large gathering witnessed the entertainment given by St. Mary's council, Young Men's institute, No. 25, at Washington hall last evening. The hall was prettily decorated with flags, hunting and plants. The programme, which was very interesting, was as follows: Piano solo, Miss Jennie O'Boyle; vocal solo, "The Sweetest Dream of All," Harry Yeager; recitation, Miss Nellie Charles; violin solo, "The Harp that Once Through Tara's Hall," Miss Mae Murphy; vocal solo, "Serenade," Miss Eva Barrett; vocal solo, Mr. J. McCormack; vocal solo, "The Banner of the Sea," Miss Edna Kelly; vocal solo, Miss Sadie Dougherty; selection, J. G. Carey, duet, Misses Sillie Gilligan and Alice Gilmarin; vocal solo, John Burke. The entertainment closed with the "Star Spangled Banner," in which the whole audience joined.

Mrs. Katherine Wynn, of Green street, died at 2 o'clock yesterday morning, aged 48 years. She is survived by eight children. The funeral announcement will be made later.

The Friendly circle of St. Mark's parish church met at the home of Mr. Thomas Marsh, of Pine street, Wednesday evening.

Last night Burgess Powell notified the deputies encamped in "Taylor's Woods" that they must leave Dunmore within twenty-four hours.

Miss Brennan, of Philadelphia, is the guest of Mrs. E. A. Boyle, of North Scranton.

Miss Margaret Kelley, of Bloomsburg Normal school, is spending her vacation with her parents on Drinker street.

Miss E. T. Mooney, of Chestnut street, is quite ill.

TRACY IS INSANE. That is the Statement His Wife Made in a Petition to Court. Mrs. Alice Reed Tracy, through her attorney, George M. Watson, yesterday filed a petition asking court to appoint a commission to inquire into the ability of Attorney W. J. Tracy to manage his estate. It is set forth in the petition that Mr. Tracy, who is the husband of the petitioner, has been insane for the last three years and is not a fit person to manage his property.

Judge Edwards named Attorney C. Comery as commissioner. Within a few days the latter will take steps to have a jury of six pass upon the question of Mr. Tracy's sanity as is required by law.

The latter is now in the county jail awaiting trial on charges of embezzlement preferred against him by a loan association of which he was attorney. His deficit is about \$5,000. It is asserted that he has not stolen any of this money, but that it has disappeared because of the loose manner in which he conducted his business on account of his mental condition.

Mr. Tracy's condition is charged to the use of opium and whiskey. His friends say he has been addicted to the use of opium for twenty years. Seven or eight years ago it was supposed that he had abandoned the habit but it has recently been learned that he was still addicted to the drug.

If it is found that Mr. Tracy is insane a certificate in proof of his insanity will be offered when the cases against him are called up for trial in quarter sessions court. That will be the defense to the charges against him.

GREEN RIDGE. Miss Lizzie Palmer, of Washington avenue, is spending a few days in Brooklyn, Rhode Island county.

Sergeant Harry Blinnick, of Company A, Thirteenth regiment, is spending a few days with his parents on Penn avenue.

The Baptist Young People's union will hold a meeting this evening in the church lecture room.

John F. Hopwood, of the Providence Register, who has been visiting at Washington and Philadelphia, returned home yesterday morning and filed.

A large throng attended the supper given by the Ladies' Aid society of the Providence Presbyterian church. The affair was a pronounced success in every particular.

The Colonel T. D. Lewis council, Junior Order of American Mechanics, has postponed its excursion which was to go to the State Fair at Scranton.

A free entertainment under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor society was given last evening at the church. A large audience was present and was highly pleased with the entertainment.

Mrs. John Keeny, of Thorsdale street, is visiting friends at Honesdale.

Globe Warehouse

Ladies' Summer Garments

Life without solid comfort is scarcely worth living, but there's more than comfort to be considered; a well dressed woman insists on style and elegance also, and until you have combined all then perfection has not been reached.

Our Goal

is perfection. We have reached it this season, and in asking your attention to our display of

Ladies' Summer Suits Skirts and Waists

we feel that we have something worthy your closest scrutiny. All the noblest fabrics are represented, while the set up and finish of all our garments is quite equal to the best that the highest priced labor can produce.

In Suits and Skirts

Light weight White Ducks and Plaques have first call. Dainty garments never left a workman, and when you consider the fact that there is not a suit or skirt in the lot that will not look just as well after it has been through the laundry a dozen times as it does in our store today, there is practical economy about them which cannot be doubted.

Blazer Jacket Suits, with or without colored tipping and cord finish. Skirts, with or without flaring flounces, in colors or white, while not a few are hemstitch finished.

Skirts from 85c to \$4. Very Handsome Suits, \$5. but many come much lower.

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Crash and Linen

Suits and Skirts, the coolest or airiest of the correct fabrics for hot weather wear, are here in abundance. Some are braided, some piped, some tucked and frilled, some entirely plain. Your taste must guide you here. Prices for suits

\$2.25 to \$7.50

Shirt Waists

New ideas are coming to hand daily, but there's no good reason for your waiting. All that fashion demands is here now. Full lines of the popular block checks, in all the right ways and shadings, besides fancy plaids or gingham effects in light and medium weaves. Then as to those dressy white lawn waists there's no such stock as ours in town. Plain or elegantly trimmed, as you may prefer.

Silk Waists

Still hold sway, and there's our stock which ought not to be overlooked. He made up in handsome French black silk, black and white, and many fancy color effects. No better waist in this city at \$7.50. Our price

\$5.00.