

LIVE NEWS OF WEST SCRANTON

WORK DR. JOSEPH PARRY IS NOW ENGAGED ON.

Much Interest is Being Displayed in the Coming Musical Competition. West Siders Gave an Entertainment at Lake Carey—Miss Mame Cooper Entertained Friends in Honor of Her Guest, Miss Margaret Devine, of Boston, Mass.—Miss Norma Powell Has Returned from Europe.

Dr. Joseph Parry, the distinguished composer of Cardiff, Wales, who is now visiting in this city, is engaged in compiling a book of hymns, which promises to be a most interesting and valuable work. In speaking about it to a Tribune reporter, Dr. Parry said:

I have been at work on my book of hymns for the past sixteen years. It will consist of 300 tunes in one hundred different metres with forty chants in forty meters. Forty-five of the chants are in English. It will be composed of new contributions to Welsh hymnology. The book will have two chief characteristics. First, both notations, with hymns and metrical chants will be in one book; second, it will be unique in its being the largest collection of hymn tunes ever published from one pen. The immediate publication of the book will entirely depend upon the acceptance of the national book by those who have been approached. If favorable it may be issued in the course of the coming year.

The tunes will mainly be full of Welsh characteristics expressive of that religious fervor which characterizes Welsh congregational singing. The aim of the book is not to detract any other denominational book, but simply aims to be a national supplement book. In order to make this book as truly national as possible, consistent with the title, "The National Hymn Tunes of Wales," I have been fortunate in securing original hymns as well as translations from all the best hymnologists of Wales of all denominations, the Episcopal, Methodist, Wesleyan, Baptist and Congregationalist. Another feature aimed at in the book is a greater variety of subjects for hymns many of which are not found in previous hymn books.

The greatest hymn writer of the past was the late Rev. Dr. Dykes, who wrote about 250 hymn tunes. Dr. Parry is the greatest of the present. He has written between 300 and 400 hymns.

COMING COMPETITION. The singers of this side are manifesting considerable interest in the coming contest to be held in the Jackson Street Baptist church on Wednesday, October 12, under the auspices of the choir of the above church. There are about to be organized several male choirs to contest for the prize of \$50. The competitors to sing "All Thro' the Night," composed by Professor T. J. Davis, of Pittsburg, formerly of this side. Those who have already been mentioned as conductors of the choirs are: David John Davis, David Smith, John Lewis, Hugh Jones. A male choir from Providence will also contest for the prize. D. J. Davis desires all those who think it advisable to forming a choir to meet at the Welsh Congregational church at 3 o'clock next Sunday.

AT LAKE CAREY. A number of West Side people gave

an entertainment at Lake Carey on Saturday evening. It was held at the Platex cottage owned by William Morgan, of Princeton college. The programme was opened with a duet by Thomas Richards and William Evans, who sang "The Minnet Gun at Sea." Their singing was of such a high quality that it elicited much applause. Mr. Thomas Richards sang a solo entitled "Rocked in the Cradle of the Deep," in an excellent manner. Miss Margaret Morgan, of Wilkes-Barre, sang "True Love" in a rich voice. She was heartily encored. "The White Squirrel" was rendered by Mr. William Evans, who won the praise of his hearers. Mrs. Pietz gave a lecture on the "Colonies of the New England States." She held the closest attention of her hearers. The programme closed with singing of "My Country 'Tis of Thee" by the audience.

VISITOR HONORED. Miss Mame Cooper entertained a few friends at her home on North Main avenue Friday evening in honor of her guest, Miss Margaret Devine, of Boston, Mass. The hours were spent in various amusements and at a late hour refreshments were served, after which all departed for home well pleased with their visit. Those present were: Misses Margaret Gallagher, Annie Cooper, Anna Mullen, Alice Cooper, Margaret Crow, of Binghamton, and Peter McCoy, Will Jones, Robert Duffy, John Jones, John Devine and Frank Cooper.

HOME FROM EUROPE. Miss Norma Powell, of Swetland street, daughter of William C. Powell, foreman of the Diamond mine, who left here about a year ago for a visit in England and Wales has returned home. Miss Powell was suffering with poor health when she left here but now returns with her health fully restored. She visited many places of interest while on the other side of the water and is thoroughly pleased with her trip. Miss Powell was met by her parents in New York. Mr. and Mrs. Powell have been sojourning at Atlantic City.

BANJO CLUB RETURNS. The Harwood Banjo and Mandolin club which is composed of John Clark and Charles Sproule, banjo; Charles Hawley, mandolin; and DeForest Mayo, guitar; have returned from Lake Ariel where they have been giving concerts at Hotel Pines. The playing of the club was of such a high order that it greatly pleased the guests. The members are all popular young men and have won much praise for the excellent quality of music which they have furnished.

P. O. S. OF A. DELEGATES. The delegates who were elected by the Patriotic Order Sons of America camps of this side to be present at the meeting of the state camp at York, left yesterday afternoon on the 2 o'clock Delaware and Hudson train for the convention city. They will support President A. J. Colborn for reelection, who will no doubt be a candidate against Mr. Reed, of Philadelphia. Those who went were: District President Frank J. Phillips, Elijah Savits and Alfred Bevan, who go in the interests of Camp 178, and D. J. Davis, who represents Camp 333.

PERSONAL MENTION. Second Lieutenant David J. Davis, of Company F, is spending a furlough

HOSTETTER'S Good Health proceeds from a good stomach. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is a good medicine for all ailments of the stomach, liver, and bowels.

with his family on South Hyde Park avenue. Mrs. Martha Vaughan, of a son street, has returned home from a sojourn at Asbury Park. Mrs. Thomas Layshon and children, of South Lincoln avenue, have returned from a stay at Lake Idlewild.

Mr. Thomas Eynon, of South Bromley avenue, spent Sunday at Lake Winola. Messrs. Andrew Swanston, of Jackson street, and Evan Thomas, of Koyser avenue, will leave today for a two weeks' visit in New York. Messrs. Will Myers, Fred Peters, J. W. Bunnell, Gus Weiss and Fred Weiss have returned from a pleasant two weeks' outing at Farview lake, Pike county. George Jones, of Erie street, has returned from a week's outing in Wayne county. Mrs. George Eynon and daughter, Jennie, of South Bromley avenue, have returned from a stay at Lake Idlewild.

MINOR NEWS NOTES. The Sherman avenue mission held a large picnic at Nay Aug park yesterday. The Epworth League of the Hampton street Methodist Episcopal church will hold a picnic at Nay Aug Park today. Cars will leave the Bellevue church at 9 o'clock. In case of rain the picnic will be postponed until notice is given. M. J. Larkin, of Clarke Bros.' store has returned from Hammondport, N. Y.

A. J. Davis, of South Main avenue, leaves this morning for a stay at Lake Winola. Go with the B. Y. P. U. to Glen Onoko, Aug. 24. Trains leave Delaware and Hudson station at 8 a. m. Fare—Adults, \$1.25; children, 75 cents. Tickets for sale at Grand Union Tea Co., South Main avenue. Clarence Davis, of North Sumner avenue, and Harry Singer, of Eighth street, have returned from New York. Keegan, of Seventh street, has returned from a visit to Binghamton. John, the 3-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Roberts, of 417 Decker's court, died Sunday evening after an illness of only five days' duration. The funeral will be held at the home tomorrow afternoon. The Sons of St. George will run a joint excursion to Lake Ariel tomorrow. The Hampton Street Methodist Episcopal Sabbath school will picnic at Nay Aug park today.

NORTH SCRANTON.

W. W. Wright was arraigned before Alderman Roberts last evening charged with larceny by bailiff, preferred by Joseph Dimer, son of H. Dimer, the butcher. The youth swore that he bought a plate of cream at Wright's store and tendered a dollar in payment. Wright, he said, refused him any change. At the hearing it turned out that he had treated several of his young companions in like manner, spent or lost the money. This acknowledgement cleared the accused and the case was dismissed. Steps were taken by the police last night toward breaking up a gang of toughs who congregated on the corner of Bloom avenue and West Market street and commit serious offenses. They are accused of throwing rotten eggs, stones and dirt at persons passing in vehicles. Persons traveling afoot are subjected to insults and in some instances been harmed bodily. The language used is vulgar and indecent and the feminine sex are the object of special attack. Complaints last night led to the arrest of a young man named Walsh. He was held for hearing. The police intend to prosecute their search for the offenders until the gang is entirely wiped out. Arthur Hobbs, a young man residing on Rockwell street, sustained a dangerous wound over the left eye by being kicked in the stomach in the Store mine yesterday afternoon. Hobbs is employed as a runner in the mine. He had occasion to pass the mule when it kicked him. The blow rendered him unconscious. The wound, which was diagonal shape, extends close to the eye and may prove serious. It took four stitches to close the wound. Joseph O'Donnell, employed as a utility man at the Leggett's Creek mine, received a broken arm while at work yesterday. He tripped and fell over a piece of machinery, fracturing his right arm below the elbow. A physician dressed the member and reduced the fracture at his home on Green street. Another large audience filled the gospel tent last evening. The service was led by Rev. Mr. Wilson. Rev. H. I. Higgins, well known for his services in connection with the gospel wagons, delivered a forceful sermon which deeply interested the assemblage. The meetings are becoming very popular and attracting universal interest among the church going people in this end for large audiences have attended the three services already held. Miss Emma Burns has returned from a long visit with relatives in Honesdale. Rev. William Edgar and family have returned from a three weeks' sojourn at Ocean Grove. Misses Sadie and Mollie Holmes, of Simpson, are the guests of Miss Jennie White, of William street. Miss Libbie Neary and brother, John, are visiting relatives in New York city. Mrs. John Cusick and daughter, Anna, are visiting relatives in Port Jervis. Mrs. John Lockett and two daughters, of Sayre, Pa., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Saltry, of West Market street. Thomas Williams, of Warren street, is enjoying his vacation in New York city. Armit Thomas and Valentine Birtley have returned from the Lebanon

convention. They represented the Parkside lodge, Knights of Pythias. Lieutenant J. Stielman called on Hawley relatives yesterday. Patrolman Jonathan Rodham is enjoying his vacation. Councilman Morris Morris was an observer of the naval parade in New York Saturday. Miss Libbie Davenport is visiting relatives in the country. The North End basket ball team held a meeting last evening. Company H army has been engaged for a series of games that will be held weekly throughout the entire season which commences next month. The congregation of the First Welsh Baptist church of West Market street, an engaged Company H army for November 9 and 10, when a fair and festival will be held. O. P. Miller spent yesterday at Lake Winola. Richard Latcham is a candidate for Third district of the First ward for delegates to the Republican county convention. Loyal council, Daughters of America, will enjoy a trolley ride Thursday evening, August 25. Members are requested to meet at the council chamber at 7:30 sharp. Go with the B. Y. P. U. to Glen Onoko, Aug. 24. Trains leave Delaware and Hudson depot at 8 a. m. Fare, adults, \$1.25; children 75 cents. William Berges, of Throop street, who enlisted with Captain Dentler and became a member of the Eleventh United States Infantry, is home on a furlough. Berges was a victim of typhoid fever at the time his regiment left for Porto Rico. He is now entirely recovered from the dread disease.

GREEN RIDGE. Miss Mitchell, of Maplewood, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. George Frisbe, of Capouse avenue, has returned home. E. B. Jayne, of Green Ridge street, has returned from a short visit in New York city. C. T. Bellamy, of Delaware street, is spending a few days in Pittsburg. Elburn Harding, of Fordham street, has returned home after spending a week vacation at Clifford. Miss Hattie Rollis, of Carbondale, is the guest of Miss Myrtle Remy, of Capouse avenue. Mr. and Mrs. Benson, of Marion street, have returned from a week's stay at Wyoming. Fred Bartz, of Sanderson avenue, is seriously ill. Mr. and Mrs. Kenyon, of New York street, have returned from a two weeks' stay at Lake Ariel. J. D. Stevens, of Capouse avenue, is spending a few days at Wyoming. Miss Churchill, of Marion street, has returned from a two weeks' stay at the Catskill Mountains. Fred Smith, of Monsey avenue, has returned from a four weeks' stay in New York city. C. H. Shedd, of Penn avenue, is spending a few days at Wyoming. James Parker, of Monsey avenue, is spending a few days at Geneva, N. Y. Merton Calkin, of Woodlawn Park, has returned from a week's stay at New York city. J. D. Williams, of Sunset avenue, leaves this morning for El Paso, Texas. James Atherton, of Capouse avenue, is spending a few days at Salem. Misses Fannie and Beale Theil, of Patterson N. J., are the guests of Mrs. Valentine Birtley, of Capouse avenue. Mrs. B. T. Jayne, of Capouse avenue, is spending a few days at Poyntelle. Rev. Mr. Ford will give a reception at the Baptist church this evening. Mrs. Parsons, of Green avenue, is spending a few days at Fernbrook. Mr. and Mrs. George W. Keat, of Monsey avenue, are spending the week at Porter's Lake, Pike county. Dr. J. S. Fordham is visiting relatives in Elmira. Mrs. C. S. Woodruff and little daughter are at Ocean Grove. Dr. and Mrs. James L. Rea, of Sanderson avenue, are at Asbury Park, where the doctor is recuperating after a severe illness. Mrs. C. J. Jones and daughter, Isabelle, are at Asbury Park. Master Harold Green, of Fairlawn Park, is the guest of Master Phillip Mattes, at Moosic Lake. Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hangel, of Dickson avenue, left yesterday for a ten days' outing at the sea shore. Rev. Dr. Brooks, of Wilkes-Barre, who preached two very able sermons in the Green Ridge Presbyterian church Sunday, was the guest of Colonel F. L. Hitchcock, while in Green Ridge. The families of Mr. E. F. Hull, Mr. W. F. Mattes and Dr. Van Cleaf are at Lakeside cottage, Moosic Lake. Mrs. H. B. Reynolds has returned from the Adirondack Mountains.

PARK PLACE. George Bohl visited relatives in Livingston Manor and Liberty, N. Y., last Sunday at Lake Ariel. William Smith, of Tripp street, spent Sunday at Lake Ariel. Park Place needs another policeman for night duty as "late drunks" are increasing much to the annoyance of the residents. Patrolman Amos Palmer's new house on Providence road is fast nearing completion. A number of people from Park Place attended a camp meeting at Wyoming Sunday. Mrs. I. B. Holley and son, Harry, are visiting relatives in Norwich, N. Y. The Sons of Veterans' drum corps who practice on North Main street are progressing finely, but still have some instances of Green haired bodies. Any of the brothers wishing to join the musical organization may do so by calling on Eugene Hollenback, 825 Court street. Albert Breig and Crates Miller rode their wheels to Elmhurst yesterday. Harry Hirst sold his new stand on Capouse avenue last week. Charles C. Tripp has the finest bird dog in Park Place. Mrs. Wade L. Finn and daughter have returned from Newport. A birthday party was tendered Maud Keisling at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Keisling, of Short avenue, yesterday between the hours of 3 and 7 o'clock. Several of her little friends were pleasantly entertained with games and refreshments. Those present were: May Rossine, Josie Ryan, Azuba Swartz, Maud Keisling, Annie and May Keisling, Lulu Haas, Albert Haas, Edgar and Frank Keisling, Walter and Arthur Jones, and others.

HAPPENINGS OF SOUTH SCRANTON. FUNERAL OF JACOB FRUECHTEL LARGELY ATTENDED. Services Were Conducted by the Rev. William Nordt—Winding Up of the Contests Arranged for the Benefit of the Century Hose Company. Marriage of Miss Minnie Demuth and August Mann Today Will Be of an Unusual Kind—Other Notes. The funeral of Jacob Fruechtel took place from the residence of his father, John Fruechtel, on Pittston avenue, yesterday afternoon. Long before the hour set for the funeral the house was thronged by friends, neighbors and associates who called to take the farewell gaze on the features of the deceased. The vast concourse in attendance silently attested the esteem and admiration entertained through life by his friends. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Nordt, who offered prayer. The quartette, Miss Lydia Nordt, Mrs. John Trester, Fred Herrman and Jacob Emlich, sang "Go Bury Thy Sorrow." Rev. Nordt then pronounced a pathetic and appropriate eulogy. Feelings were referred to the irreparable loss sustained by the parents, who were called upon by God to part with the last of their beloved eleven children. The speaker told of the good life spent by Mr. Fruechtel. His noble and sacrificing traits were pointed to as a motto for his brother society members to emulate. "Hold Thou My Hand" was rendered by the quartette as the remains were being borne from the house. The procession moved to the Pittston Avenue cemetery, where interment was made. At the grave prayer was offered and "The Christian's Goodnight" was sung. As the remains were being lowered to the grave the Junger Maennerchor rendered "Rest in Peace" in German. Plans for the grave were many carried some floral pieces, which were handled by Albert Westphal, John Neher, William Walter, Andrew Kibler, Charles Ash, Fred Smith, William Fleckus and Herman Stahlheber. The pall-bearers were: Walter Cape, Christ Wirth, Gerhard Bresser, George P. Miller, Fred Huesner and John Scholl, Jr.

CLOSE OF THE CONTEST. Natter's hall was crowded last night by the representative people of the West Side, North End and this side, in attendance at the ice cream social, in attendance at the ice cream social, in attendance at the ice cream social. The affair was a huge success, far beyond the expectations of the ladies' circle and the hose company. The affair was a huge success, far beyond the expectations of the ladies' circle and the hose company. The affair was a huge success, far beyond the expectations of the ladies' circle and the hose company.

BRIDE-ELECT IS ILL. Miss Minnie Demuth and August Mann, of Dover, N. J., will be married today at 2:30 o'clock. The ceremony of the wedding is that the ceremony will be solemnized at the bedside of the bride-elect. A week ago Miss Demuth was taken ill. Up to yesterday it was feared that the marriage would not only have to be postponed but that she would die. Dr. Kolb, her physician, stated last night that Miss Demuth's condition had improved wonderfully during the day, and the marriage will occur at the hour appointed. Rev. Father Christ will officiate.

NUES OF NEWS. Mrs. Schmidt, wife of Prof. Schmidt, was twenty-four years of age yesterday. The event was pleasantly celebrated at her home last night. Miss Anna Steinbach, of Locust street, and Max Blumcamp, of Remington avenue, will be married at St. Mary's church this morning. A nuptial mass will precede the ceremony. The Germania band will give an open air concert tonight in front of Schiller hotel to further advertise the excursion of the Scranton Athletic club, which runs to Harvey's Lake tomorrow. The funeral of the late Mrs. Patrick Troy, of 825 Birch street, will take place this morning. At 8:30 o'clock a requiem mass will be celebrated in St. Peter's cathedral. Interment will be made in the Cathedral cemetery. Mrs. William Dunn, of Pittston, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Christophel on Maple street. Electric City council of the Royal Arcanum, will meet in Storrs' hall tonight to make arrangements to attend the funeral of Jacob C. Large, who died yesterday at Philadelphia. This is the first member that the council has lost during its six years of existence.

DUNMORE. Mr. Robert Avery, of Lemon, Wyoming county, is visiting friends in town. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Krause, of West Drinker street, are visiting friends in Elm Dale. Born—August 21, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fuhr, of Grove street, a daughter. Mrs. Joshua Harfel and Miss Frances Shebbes leave today for Elmhurst where they will spend the next two weeks. M. J. Healey and family have returned from a month's sojourn at Lake Ariel. Mr. and Mrs. Alma Huff and child,

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