

EVENTS OF DAY IN WEST SCRANTON

MASS MEETING TONIGHT IN ST. DAVID'S HALL.

Number of Able Political Speakers Will Address the Gathering—Funeral of Miss Lulu Walter from Her Late Home on West Linden Street—Number of Interesting Social Events—Signal Honor Conferred on Robert Morris Lodge of Iovites—Notes of Minor Interest.

St. David's hall tonight will be the scene of the first political meeting of the campaign on this side of the river. It will be a notable gathering.

There is an earnest desire on the part of the voters to hear something about existing political conditions from persons competent to speak about them and tonight's meeting under the auspices of the Republican county committee will furnish the desired opportunity.

The speakers will be Hon. J. M. Evans, of Mercer, Hon. W. G. Thomas, of Mauch Chunk, Hon. John R. Farr, Attorney R. A. Zimmerman and Assistant District Attorney W. Gaylord Thomas. E. E. Robathan will be chairman of the meeting.

Mr. Evans is a distinguished Welsh scholar who has contributed many articles which enrich Welsh literature. Mr. Thomas is one of the most prominent of the younger members of the Lackawanna bar. Both are able political orators.

LODGE HONORED.

The regular meeting of Robert Morris lodge, No. 58, American True Iovites, last evening, in Iovite hall, South Main avenue, was well attended. When that order of business known as "communications" was reached among other things was one which raised every one's enthusiasm to a high pitch. The communication spoken of came from W. H. Hughes, of Poughkeepsie, Vermont, who is a prominent Welshman, and well known herabouts. The note stated that "a son had been borne to him on Saturday last. We have agreed upon a name. It is Robert Morris Hughes. This is in honor of your renowned lodge."

FUNERAL OF MISS WALTERS.

The funeral of the late Miss Lulu Walter, who died from carbolic acid poisoning last Monday night, was held yesterday afternoon from the residence, 216 West Linden street. Many friends of the bereft mother were in attendance, and the floral tributes were very beautiful. Rev. J. B. Sweet, pastor of the Simpson Methodist church, officiated and preached a short sermon.

MINOR NEWS NOTES.

A unique social and festival will be conducted this evening at the Hampton Street Methodist church by the young ladies of the C. H. W. club. These young ladies are famed for their royal entertaining and cordially invite the public to once more enjoy their hospitality. Refreshments will consist of ice cream, cake, pumpkin pie and clothes pins. Admission is 10 cents entitling the holder to the refreshments.

Thomas, the 4-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Sherman, of Frink street, was painfully injured while playing about the house yesterday afternoon. He fell and struck his forehead just above the right eye, cutting a ugly gash. Dr. G. B. Reynolds was called in and dressed the wound.

At a recent meeting of the O'Meara-Condon club a Hart and one of the North Main avenue officers for the ensuing term were elected. They are president, Patrick Crane; vice president, L. Duggan; corresponding secretary, J. Collins; financial secretary, J. J. O'Leary; and treasurer, Frank Crane. A meeting will be held next Wednesday afternoon at the hall, and every member is requested to attend.

The Thursday evening service at the Allis Memorial mission, on Keyser avenue, was conducted last evening by the Epworth league of the Simpson Methodist church. The attendance was large and the meeting spirited.

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Thomas Blanche was the victim of a serious accident yesterday by being crushed beneath a fall of rock in the Dickson mine of the Delaware and Hudson company. Mr. Blanche is a miner. He had fired a blast and entered his chamber when a portion of the roof fell upon him. He was fortunate in escaping from instant death. Most of the rock fell upon his right leg, badly lacerating and dislocating the hip joint. He was taken to the Lackawanna hospital in the company ambulance for treatment.

Reports are current relative to steps being taken to organize a hose company in the section known as Dutch Gap. There are several prominent young men interested in the matter. The services of a fire company have been much needed in that part of the city for some time.

Miss Anna Sherwin, of East Market street, entertained a small gathering of friends last night at her home. Pleasing diversions were indulged in and a substantial luncheon served. Miss Sherwin's guests were: Misses Bertha Finn, Violet Danvers, Bessie Powell, Susie Watkins, Thomas Powell, John Jones, James G. Bailey and Merten J. Emery.

P. J. Brennan, of Company H, who has been staying with relatives in the end for recuperation from an attack of typhoid fever, was tendered a farewell party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Dunn, of Bloom avenue, Monday evening.

The Welsh Philanthropic society will meet in the Welsh Calvinistic church tonight. An important feature of the meeting will be a debate. All are invited.

The Electric "Chauffeur" circle met at the home of Mrs. Charles Woodcock, on North Main avenue, last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Henwood, of North Main avenue, are entertaining Professor and Mrs. Warren Herman, of Eastman college, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

The death of Patrick Fitzsimons, of Schuylville, occurred Tuesday morning, after a few days' illness. The deceased was a highly respected resident in the community he lived. He was also well known in North Scranton. The funeral will be held yesterday morning from St. Catherine's church in Clark's Summit.

Lincoln lodge of Odd Fellows will hold a love feast next Monday night. The second organ recital in the series conducted at the Providence Presbyterian church will be held Oct. 23.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Williams, of Wayne avenue, and Theophilus Evans, of Summit avenue, have returned from a visit spent at Green Grove.

Three Doctors in Consultation.

From Benjamin Franklin, "When you are sick, what you like best is to be chosen for a medicine in the first place; what experience tells you is best to be chosen in the second place; what reason tells you is best to be chosen in the last place. But if you can get Dr. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, Dr. Reason to hold a consultation together, they will give you the best advice that can be given."

When you have a bad cold or influenza, you will find Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, because it is pleasant and safe to take. Dr. Experience would recommend it because it never fails to give a speedy and permanent cure. Dr. Reason would recommend it because it is prepared on scientific principles, and acts on nature's plan in relieving the lungs, opening the secretions and restoring the system to a natural and healthy condition. For sale by all druggists. Matthews Bros., wholesale and retail agents.

SOUTH SCRANTON.

From her late home, 214 Pittston avenue, the funeral of Mrs. Anna Scheible took place yesterday afternoon. At 2 o'clock the cortege moved to the German Presbyterian church, on Hickory street, where Rev. Mr. Nordt officiated. A fitting tribute was paid to the memory of the deceased, who was a life-long member of that congregation. At the close of the services the remains were borne to the Pittston avenue cemetery and interred. The pallbearers were: Alfred Nota, Rudolph Bueckel, John Zuerber, Henry Frey, Casper Frutegar and Rudolph Tropp.

Ex-Common Councilman Thomas McGrail, of the Twentieth ward, was removed to the insane department of the Hillside Home yesterday.

William Rode, bookkeeper at the Guthrie meat market, and family, Mrs. Conrad Pell and family have returned from Honesdale. The party has been visiting the Rode household, having gone there to celebrate the seventy-fifth anniversary of the birth of John Rode, father of Mrs. Pell, and William Rode, who was twenty-nine years old Saturday.

The funeral of John A. Miller, sr., will take place today at 2 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Nordt will conduct the services, which will be held at the home of his son, George Miller, 633 Birch street.

Henry Banuckel, of Cedar avenue, assistant superintendent of the Saugott mill, gave a party at his residence Wednesday night in honor of his wife.

A delightful Young Women's Christian association social evening is promised all those who attend the South Side Young Women's Christian association room, 121 Cedar avenue, tonight at 7:30 o'clock. The Loyalty club will give a flower social for which extensive preparation has been made. All the members of the club are urged to come. Gymnasium class will be

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organized Saturday night at 7:30 o'clock. Gospel meeting Sunday, 3:45 o'clock.

DUNMORE.

The funeral of George Walsh, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Walsh, of Bloom street, took place yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the home of his parents and was attended by a large number of relatives and friends. The pallbearers were: Joe Payton, Leo Hughes, Joe Walsh and Michael O'Malley. Interment in St. Mary's cemetery.

One woman in black has come to grief. It proved to be an Italian dressed in women's black clothes. The catch was made on Willow street Wednesday night. After being severely dealt with his captives allowed him to go.

Mrs. Royal Taft, of North Blakely street, is spending a few days as the guest of friends and relatives in the country.

Miss Lizzie Jones, of Jernyn, is the guest of relatives on Harper and Blakely streets.

Rex Moon, of Grove street, is spending a few days with his parents at Maplewood.

George Williams, of Peckville, called on Harper street friends yesterday.

Miss Emma Swartz, of Oswego, N. Y., who has been visiting her parents on Franklin street for the past few days, has returned home.

Miss Nellie Van Cleft, of Dudley street, who has been confined to her bed with illness, is able to be around again.

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RELIEF ASSOCIATION.

Discussed Whether or Not It Should Wind Up Its Affairs—Another Meeting Two Weeks Hence. Financial Statement.

Inasmuch as the war is over the question was debated at yesterday's meeting of the Soldiers' Relief association whether or not to dissolve and wind up its affairs. The members present were: Captain W. A. May, Luther Keller, Thomas H. Dale, Hon. John R. Farr, C. R. Manville, Charles S. Weston and Secretary Atherton. There is a balance of \$482 in the treasury and unpaid subscriptions amounting to \$257. The total is not more than enough to meet the orders of the next two weeks, and there is no more money in sight.

Independent of the low financial ebb some of the members thought the association might terminate its existence because the war is over. Mr. Weston advanced the argument that even if it is the soldiers are in camp yet with the likelihood of being there for their full term of two years, and while they may not be fighting, they are away from home unable to render much assistance to their families; and the approach of winter will bring on a greater necessity for relief than at any time since the soldiers went away. "Of course," said Mr. Weston, "if the public fails to contribute, then it would be no more than right to dissolve; but as long as anybody wants to contribute, the association should be continued."

A letter was read from Captain Gillman's company stating that eight applications for the discharge of married men had been recently made to the war department. Four of them came back refused and no answer was heard from the other four. In all forty or fifty applications in the Thirtieth regiment for the discharge of married men needed at home had been presented and as yet not a single one has been granted. The secretary was instructed to communicate to Adjutant General Corbin and ask whether the order has been revoked which provided for the discharge of soldiers whose application would be properly endorsed by a clergyman.

Mr. Dale made a motion that when adjournment was made it should be to adjourn until the next meeting. This action disposed of the question of dissolving without doing violence in any way to the resolution adopted at the previous meeting embodying the sentiment that the business should be closed up by Nov. 1 or as soon thereafter as might be practicable.

The finance committee was directed by motion to make a visit to the persons who have not paid their subscriptions. The financial statement is as follows:

Table with financial data: Total subscriptions paid to date, \$2,202.54; Vouchers drawn for relief, \$1,068.65; Vouchers drawn for post-expenses, 7.00; Vouchers drawn for printing, 23.00; Vouchers drawn for general expenses, 228.67.

Balance cash in treasury, \$38.82; Orders drawn and not procured for payment, 233.09; Cash assets, \$89.92; Murray subscriptions, 287.00; Available assets, \$267.12.

Total subscriptions to date, \$2,202.54; New Subscriptions—Marjori S. Platt, Jessie E. Cornell, Natall G. Cornell, Jenni Storrs, Ruth B. Hand, Latens society, \$41.

DEATH OF MRS. W. C. SMITH. She Passes Away Suddenly at Her Home at St. Albans, Vt.

Mrs. Worthington C. Smith died this morning at 4 o'clock, at her home at St. Albans, Vt. Her maiden name was Katherine Maria Walworth. Her father was Major John Walworth who entered the army of the United States in 1808 as a first lieutenant of infantry. At the commencement of the war of 1812 he was a captain in the Sixth United States Infantry and distinguished himself in the battle of Little York (now Toronto) and at Fort George in Canada.

In the first he led the advance which stormed and took the British battery. He was wounded in this battle by the blowing up of the stone powder magazine. He was promoted to the rank of major at the close of the war and then left the army and engaged in business at Plattburgh where he married in 1814, Catherine Maria Halley.

Mrs. Smith was born Dec. 12, 1822, in Plattburgh while her father was a resident of that place.

In 1829 Major Walworth received the appointment of assistant register of the court of chancery of New York of which his brother was chancellor, and the family removed to New York city. After his death in 1859 his widow and children returned to Plattburgh.

Here Mrs. Smith met her husband, Worthington C. Smith, who at that time was engaged in the foundry business there. Their marriage took place June 12, 1850. Soon after this date they removed to St. Albans where their home has been ever since. Her husband died Jan. 2, 1894.

The death of Mrs. Worthington C. Smith, which occurred at her residence on Smith street this forenoon, removes from the community where all the years of her married and widowed life have been passed, a lady of many graces of mind and character and one who had been closely identified with the social life of St. Albans until the falling health and death of her husband constrained an abandonment of social duties.

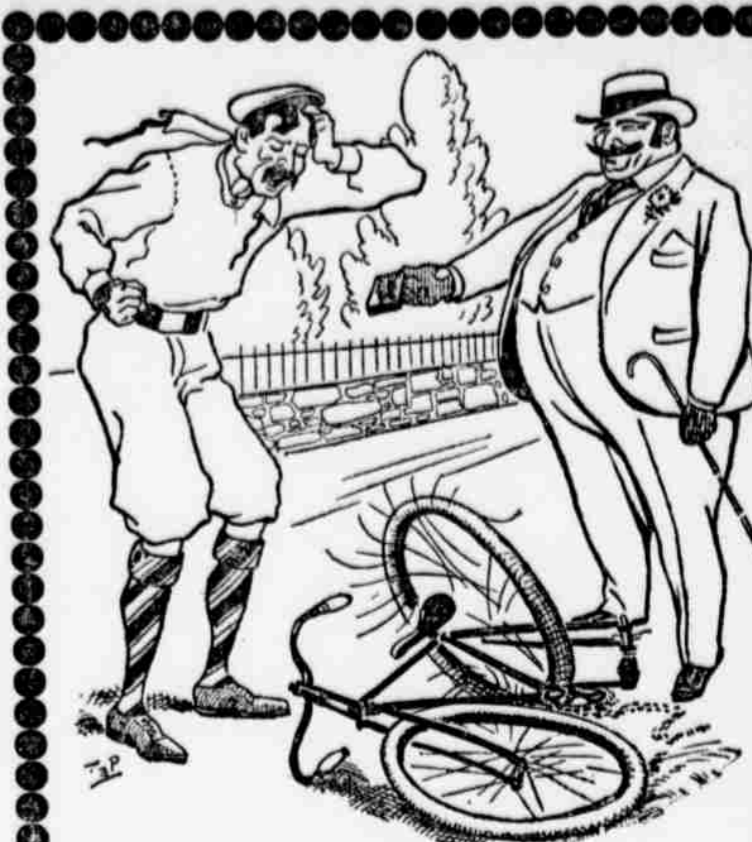
Mrs. Smith was a lady of education and refinement, a charming hostess, a model wife and mother. She has been seen in public life but little during the past few years, but those who were privileged to meet her occasionally of late were greeted with her accustomed courtesy and cordiality. To the younger generation she was comparatively a stranger, but the older and the middle-aged among our people recall the time when her home was the center of social activities of rare pleasure and elegance. For many years the party on New Year's eve at the home of Mrs. W. C. Smith was one of the more prominent social functions in the life of St. Albans.

The death of Mrs. Smith was as she would have wished instantaneous and painless, the result of heart failure. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. W. W. Seranton, of Scranton, Pa., and Miss Elsie, two sons, E. W. Walworth Smith and W. Tracy Smith, and two grandsons, Worthington S. Seranton, of Scranton, and an infant son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Tracy Smith.

The stricken household over which she presided so many years as wife, mother and hostess will have the deep and abiding sympathy of the entire community in the bereavement which has called from earthly joys and sorrows a good, gentle and gracious woman.

JERMYN AND MAYFIELD.

Dennis McGovern and Miss Barbara Speicher, of South Main street, were married on Wednesday evening in Sacred Heart church. Rev. M. E. Lynott



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ACADEMY OF MUSIC. BURQUONDER & REIS, Lessees. H. R. LONG, Manager. ALL THIS WEEK.

KING DRAMATIC CO. REFERTOIRE: Carmen, Thursday Matinee; Cotton King, Thursday Night; Hands Across the Sea, Friday Matinee; Cherry Pickers, Friday Night; She's a Soldier's Girl, Saturday Matinee; Last Stroke, Saturday Night.

ONE SOLID WEEK. COMMENCING MONDAY, October 24th. Matinees Daily, Except Monday.

New England Stock Dramatic Co. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday.

GAIETY THEATRE. THREE DAYS ONLY. THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY, October 20, 21 and 22.

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NEW YORK PHILHARMONIC CLUB AT High School Auditorium, Thursday Evening, Oct. 27, Eight O'clock.

OTHER NUMBERS: Nov. 18, Dr. Russell H. Conwell (Philadelphia); Dec. 1, Prof. John R. De Motte, A. M., M. D., Ph. D. (Bryn Mawr); Jan. 25, Lotus Club (Boston); Miss Elsie (Scranton); Feb. 21, Leland T. Powers.

Season Tickets \$1.50. Scholars in Scranton Schools 75c. Single Tickets 50c. Diagram at Powell's Monday morning, 8 o'clock. Tickets for sale at Powell's, or High School, or address High School Entertainment Committee.

EXCURSION. CENTRAL R. R. OF NEW JERSEY. Special Rates to Philadelphia, Pa., FOR THE PEACE JUBILEE. Oct. 25, 26 and 27, 1898.

For this occasion tickets from Scranton will be sold good to go on all trains Oct. 24, 25, 26 and 27. Good to return until Oct. 31st inclusive.

ONE FARE FOR ROUND TRIP, \$1.50 performed the ceremony. John Cahagan attended the groom and Miss Lizzie Speicher, of Archbald was bridesmaid.

C. L. Bell and George Avery arrived home Wednesday night from Dawson city. Mrs. Van Doran and Miss Foote, of Archbald, were visiting Mrs. S. D. Davis yesterday.

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