

EVENTS OF DAY IN WEST SCRANTON

SOCIAL SESSION OF DIVISION NO. 1, A. O. H.

Very Interesting Programme Was Rendered—Mr. and Mrs. George Eynon Entertained in Honor of Birthday of Their Son—Old Fashioned Festival in the Summer Avenue Presbyterian Church—Members of Nay Aug Council Elect Officers—Funeral of Owen Moran.

The members of Division No. 1, Ancient Order of Hibernians, met in regular session last evening in Hart-Gall hall, on North Main avenue, and after quickly discussing of the routine business, they and their guests, the ladies of Ladder Auxiliary, No. 4, Daughters of Erin, enjoyed the division's quarterly social affair.

M. H. Healey, president of the division, presided. Sandwiches, cake and coffee were passed, and the gentlemen enjoyed cigars. Chairman Healey made a few remarks in opening the social session and tendered their hospitality to their guests and any visiting brethren who might be present. Remarks of a general nature were made by J. H. Devine, J. C. Gallagher and M. B. Lavelle.

By special request Miss Catherine O'Hara, district president of the Ladies' auxiliary and president of Auxiliary No. 4, made an address which evoked much applause. Solos were sung by M. Donagan, L. McHugh, Nicholas Burke and Thomas Ford. Master E. Borketnick also sang, accompanied by Organist Theos.

Instrumental selections were given by Messrs. Gibbons and Watkins. C. T. Boland recited a comic selection and the feature of the evening was a cakewalk, in which John Hennigan and Robert McNicholas and Thomas Ford and Thomas Tierney were the participants. Miss O'Hara, who was acting as adjudicator, reserved her decision until after Lent, though the cake was marked with "Tierney, A. O. H." in small red candles. Several other interesting selections were given before the pleasant affair came to a close.

Mr. and Mrs. George Eynon, of 122 South Bromley avenue, entertained last evening at their residence in honor of the twentieth anniversary of their son, C. A. Eynon's, birthday. The affair proved to be a most pleasant one. Dancing, vocal and instrumental selections, and recitations were given by different members of the party. During the course of the evening Mr. Eynon was presented with a handsome watch chain, heart-shaped, of gold and set with a diamond. W. H. Robertson made the presentation speech in a felicitous manner in behalf of Mr. and Mrs. Eynon. The young man, though thoroughly surprised, responded in an excellent way in accepting this remembrance. At a reasonable hour refresh-

ments were served. Mrs. Eynon being assisted by Mrs. Thomas Anthony, Mrs. C. W. Franklin and Miss Mabelle Sweetser.

The guests present were Misses Jennie Davis, Bessie Morgans, Nora Schull, Josie Wicks, Lillian Morris, Jane Thomas, Cecilia Connors and Mabelle Sweetser, C. A. Eynon, Bert James, Henry Morgan, John Thomas, Sylvanus Savits, Thomas Boston, Luther Thomas, Peter Lewis, William H. Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Anthony, Mrs. C. W. Franklin, of Seattle, Wash.

FUNERALS OF YESTERDAY. The funeral of the late Owen Moran was conducted yesterday afternoon from the residence, 2121 Jackson street, and a large number of friends were in attendance. The remains were borne to St. Patrick's church, where a blessing was pronounced by Rev. D. A. Dunn. At the conclusion of the services the remains were borne to the Catholic cemetery, where interment was made. The pall-bearers were P. J. Kelly, Neil Campbell, John Gibbons, James English, M. McAndrew and J. Scott.

The remains of Charles Joseph, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Morrison, were interred at the Catholic cemetery yesterday afternoon. Short services were conducted at the residence, 5 Lackawanna avenue, by Father Dominic. Many friends attended the funeral. The pall-bearers were C. Cassese, F. Ferretti, A. Cassese and P. Laboranti. The flower-bearers were E. Morrison and P. Cassese.

The funeral of Robert James, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. James Threlfall, was held yesterday afternoon from the residence, 158 Jackson street, and many friends of the bereft parents were in attendance. Rev. J. P. Moffatt, pastor of the Washburn street Presbyterian church, officiated. At the conclusion of the services the remains were borne to the Washburn street cemetery, where interment was made. The pall-bearers were Misses Jeannette Nichols, Anna Jones, Mary Burns and Mabel Moss.

OLD FASHIONED FESTIVAL. An old fashioned fair and festival was opened last evening in the assembly rooms of the Summer Avenue Presbyterian church, corner of Summer avenue and Price street, and despite the inclement weather was very well attended. The affair will be continued this evening and is in charge of the board of trustees, its purpose being to raise funds to apply upon the church indebtedness.

All sorts of useful and fancy articles were artistically displayed for sale and many were sold. This part of the affair is in the direct charge of Mrs. L. R. Foster, who is assisted by a corps of young ladies of the church. The refreshment part of the affair is looked after by a committee of ladies comprising Mrs. Price, Mrs. Davis, Miss Sarah Reese, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. John Griffiths, Mrs. John L. James, Mrs. David Jones, Mrs. H. P. Evans, Miss Elizabeth Richards, Miss Elizabeth Griffiths, Miss Annie Evans, Mrs. W. H. Williams.

COUNCIL'S OFFICERS ELECT. Nay Aug tribe, No. 54, United Order American Mechanics, met in regular session last evening in Co-operative hall, on North Main avenue, and nominated officers for the ensuing term. Election will be conducted next Tuesday evening at the hall and every member of the council is urged to be present. The nominees are as follows: Coun-

cilor, S. T. Dwyer, vice-councilor, R. P. Tinkham, assistant recording secretary, E. M. Peet; inductor, Peter Rinker; examiners, J. W. Lee and A. S. Rhodes; inside protector, L. W. Cramer; J. W. Edinger, W. H. Harding, outside protector, T. H. Roberts; trustee for 18 months, Ruben Jones; representative to state council at Shamokin in May next, proxy, Ruben Jones; delegates to district convention in West Scranton, Jan. 16, 1899, G. A. Philo, Tuchen Jones, H. C. Schimmdar, E. G. Doyle and M. H. Darling.

OBSERVANCE OF CHRISTMAS. Active preparations are being made by the members of all West Scranton churches for a proper observance of Christmas day. In some instances the affair to be observed will be of an elaborate nature. Of course, these observances will be held at the several churches Monday evening, January 26, owing to the fact that Christmas comes on Sunday this year.

At the Simpson Methodist Episcopal church a very elaborate affair will be given. The members of the Sabbath school and a few of the older members of the church will conduct the affair. The committee comprises Mrs. J. B. Sweet, Mrs. Thomas Books, the Misses Nellie Feltz and Edna Saxe and Wellington Hagerman and Willis Sweet. It will be a two part form of entertainment; the first part will be devoted to choruses, drills and tableaux appropriate to the occasion and participated in by the members of the Sunday school.

The second part, which is styled an "Old Folks" concert, will be very interesting. Two elderly persons, man and wife, will be shown sitting in their home waiting for the coming of guests who are to make merry. The guests arrive in due time and the games which were enjoyed at such affairs in the olden days will be shown here.

The members of the Hampton street Methodist Episcopal Sunday school are rehearsing for their exercises, dialogues and tableaux. The carols will be those found in Rosche's Christmas carols. The remainder of the exercises will be taken from a new recitation tract for such occasions, entitled "The Angel's Message."

At the First Welsh Congregational church the exercises will be similar to those of last year. There will be a Christmas tree and presents. The program of the evening will be of some sort, such as books, etc. Recitations, vocal and instrumental solos, duets, etc., will be given, the members of the Sunday school and choir participating. David Jenkins will have charge of the singing.

The observance of Christmas at the Scranton street Baptist church this time will not be so elaborate. The ladies of the church being engaged in preparing for the observance of St. John's day by the Masonic lodge on this side. The members of the Sunday school will, however, have exercises comprising songs, recitations, etc.

A large committee of which Mrs. A. B. Eynon is chairman are arranging for the day's observance at the Plymouth Congregational church. The observance here will take the form of a cantata. "Uncle Sam and Santa Claus" is being rehearsed. The main character parts will be taken by adults and the lesser parts by the younger members of the Sunday school. Costumes will be worn.

Hugh Jones, chorister of the Tabernacle Congregational church, is conducting the rehearsals regularly of those who will participate in the Christmas exercises at that church. The beautiful cantata entitled "St. Peter" will be rendered and will undoubtedly be on an equal footing with other festivities.

The members of the Summer avenue Presbyterian Sunday school are busy preparing for their observance of the day. Chorus, dialogues, tableaux and charge, songs, tableaux and recitations will form the exercises.

The members of the Sunday school and of the several church young people's societies will act conjointly in giving Christmas exercises. Prof. Clark Thomas is in charge and these exercises promise to be unusually interesting.

The young people of the several church societies and of the Sunday school of the First Welsh Baptist church and South Main avenue Methodist churches will have the usual Christmas tree distribution of presents to the little children and short exercises, comprising recitations, songs, tableaux, etc.

Appropriate exercises will also be carried out at the Allis Memorial, Bellevue, Baptist and Sherman avenue mission schools. The pupils of the several public schools will have exercises on the Friday afternoon preceding the commencement of the usual holiday session for quittance.

PERSONAL MENTION. Mr. and Mrs. John R. Thomas have returned from their wedding tour and are at home at South Main avenue.

Miss Diana Morgan, of this side, is visiting in Warrior Run.

Mrs. Mary Lewis, of Jackson street, has returned from a visit in Kinton. Ernest Kitchen, of Lake Ariel, is visiting friends on this side.

Dr. and Mrs. T. W. Jenkins, of Albany, are the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Evan J. Davies, of South Main avenue.

Miss Margaret Jones, of Rock street, has as her guest Miss Elizabeth Howells, of Parsons.

Rev. David D. Jones has returned to Wales from a visit with friends here.

Benjamin F. Massey, of Forest City, a last year's graduate of the College of Pharmacy, and president of the '98 class, has accepted a position at Jenkins' Pharmacy, 101 South Main avenue.

Drs. P. F. Strupper and T. E. Eynon of this side, attended the monthly business session of the Luzerne, Wyoming and Lackawanna Dental association at Wilkes-Barre last evening.

Mrs. P. J. Mullaney, of Washburn street, and Miss Sarah Fagan, of Railroad avenue, are at Poughkeepsie, N. Y., attending the funeral of a relative.

MINOR NEWS NOTES. James S. Dougher, of the First district, Fifth ward, is out as a candidate for delegate to the Democratic city convention.

A special meeting of the Alumni Athletic association will be held tomorrow evening at the residence of Seymour Jones, on Jackson street. Every member is requested to attend.

The seventh annual ball of the Columbia Chemical Fire company, No. 5, will be conducted at Meigs' hall, on South Main avenue, this evening, com-

Young children, to avoid marasmus, scrofula, or rickets, and develop healthy tissues, bones and teeth, need fats and hypophosphites. Dr. W. Gilman Thompson, Prof. Materia Medica and Therapeutics, in the University of New York, asserts that Cod-liver Oil is the best fat for the purpose.

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menting at 9 o'clock. Every arrangement has been completed and it is expected that this affair will be the next yet conducted by this popular company.

The funeral of the late Peter Tierney will be held this afternoon from the residence, 520 Luzerne street, at 2:30 o'clock. Interment will be made in the Cathedral cemetery.

Frederick Pfeffer, a driver in the Bellevue mines, was painfully injured Monday afternoon. His right leg was crushed between a loaded car and a prop. He will be confined to his home for some time as a result.

Every member of the Ladies Auxiliary of Nay Aug council, No. 34, United Order American Mechanics, is requested to be present at the meeting which will be held in Co-operative hall, on North Main avenue, Tuesday evening, Dec. 27, next.

NORTH SCRANTON. Hiram Lodge, No. 261, Free Masons, will install their officers for the ensuing year Thursday evening.

Thomas Evans, of Deacon street; John Thomas, of Wayne avenue; and William Powell, of Spring street, visited friends in Taylor, Sunday.

The Crystal Literary society will present "Michael Strogoff" on Monday evening in the armory.

The Cumberland band gave a concert at the St. Mary hall last evening. A social followed.

The youngest daughter of William Pugh, of Green street, has the diphtheria.

Miss Rachel Evans, of School street, is confined to her home with inflammatory rheumatism.

Mrs. David Evans, of Rockwell street, is confined to her home by an attack of grip.

Miss Maud Chivers, of Lake Ariel, who has been visiting Mrs. Walter B. Clark, returned home Sunday.

Harry Hartshorn, a clerk at Mulley's store, is very ill with an attack of the grip, at his home on Boulevard avenue.

J. M. Berry, of Church avenue, spent last evening with his parents in Pocksville.

A meeting of the Liberty Hose company, No. 2, last evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, B. E. Evans; vice-president, Robert Richardson; secretary, J. K. Smith; treasurer, John A. Barr; trustee, John Fildiam; foreman, W. W. Simpson; first assistant, Evan Simms; second assistant, Bert Thomas; delegates to Fireman's Relief association, W. H. White and John Simms.

The members of the Welsh Baptist church of West Market street will hold their Christmas observance on Saturday evening from 7 to 9. The young ladies are requested to meet Santa Claus in the afternoon at 2 o'clock, to make final arrangements.

A baby daughter was born last night at the home of Patrolman Finlay Ross, of Reese street.

At the regular business meeting of the Odd Fellows last evening in Chappell's hall, nine candidates were initiated in the Royal Purple degree by a team from Hyde Park encampment. This is one of the best degree teams in the state. After the meeting was transacted, District Deputy Grand Patriarch George Hughes gave a very interesting talk on how to benefit the order. Among the visitors present were Francis K. Ludwig and Henry Meyers, of Lackawanna encampment, No. 16, of Carbondale. After the meeting was over a smoker was indulged in, during which short impromptu speeches were made by visiting members.

SOUTH SCRANTON. It is not probable that the fair of St. John's church there will be a larger gathering than was present last night. From every town in the valley there were delegations in attendance, it being "L. C. B. A." night. The invitations sent by Branch No. 24, of this side, to the various sister branches were responded to far in advance of expectations. The evening was spent in a very pleasant manner, many of the visitors being fortunate to win valuable articles chance off. An excellent programme of music was given. This afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock will be a ball sale.

James Jennings, of 517 Genet street, was injured while at work at the south mill of the Lackawanna Iron and Steel company yesterday. His duties are at the large "pusher" and while in the pursuit of routine duty his feet were caught in the "pusher," fracturing both ankles. Jennings was taken to the Lackawanna hospital.

Lottie, the four year old daughter of Peter Kuhn, of Cherry street, was injured in a painful manner Monday. The little one was running about her home in merry glee with a brass rod used in hanging lace curtains. She tripped and fell, one end of the sharp end entering her mouth and the other end struck the floor. The weight of the child was falling down the pointed piece into her rum, tearing it terribly. Dr. Walsh was hurriedly summoned and dressed the injury. The girl suffered the most awful pain for hours. She was much improved yesterday.

The funeral of Mrs. Theodore Klingbe took place from her late home on Cedar avenue yesterday morning. At 9:30 o'clock the remains were borne to St. John's church, where a mass of requiem was said by Rev. E. J. Melley. Interment was made in the Cathedral cemetery.

The committee of management of the country dance of the Century hose company held a meeting last night. Every detail incident to the event, which will be held Monday evening at the residence of Mrs. J. H. Barr, has been arranged. There are many assurances that the dance will be a big success. The committee in charge of the an-

nuual ball of the Neptune engine company, held Monday evening, met last night to close the accounts of the undertaking. In the neighborhood of \$100 was the net result of the ball.

Ex-recorder of Deed Charles Heister is confined to his home with grip.

Adam Capp, of Battery C, Fourth artillery, at Fort McHenry, is visiting his parents on Birch street.

A daughter was born yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haskins, of Prospect.

ROYAL ARCADE. Members of Electric City council are requested to meet at Storrs' hall, on Thursday, Dec. 22, at 1 o'clock p. m., to attend the funeral of our late brother, Robert Robinson. Wear white gloves. Brothers of sister councils invited. Emil Bonn, Secretary.

GREEN RIDGE. Mrs. Mary Fromer, who has been visiting friends in Binghamton, has returned home.

Miss Salanda Cann, of Honesdale, is spending the holidays with Mrs. M. C. Cann, of Dickson avenue.

Mrs. Barrowman, of Washington avenue, is ill with the grip.

There are two new cases of diphtheria reported today.

Corporal C. S. Geary, of Company D, Thirtieth regiment, is spending a seven day furlough in a trip through Florida. He expects to visit Jacksonville, St. Augustine and Emporium.

At the regular meeting of the Heptacosphy Monday evening a cantata was initiated. On the 16th of January the installation of officers will take place.

You will find Jackson's market, 1423 Capouse avenue, stocked with all kinds of poultry, Christmas beef and everything that pertains to a first class market. Give us a call.

Miss Lella Ross, of Adams avenue, is ill with the grip.

The young daughter of Attorney Walter Briggs is very ill.

Miss Rose Underwood, of Lake Como, who has been visiting her brother, Dr. Harvey Underwood, of Green Ridge street, has returned home.

DUNMORE. The Presbyterian Sabbath school will give a Christmas cantata on Tuesday evening, Dec. 27. The music will be catchy and the colloquial parts amusing. A small admission fee will be charged to those not connected with the school. Those attending will feel more than repaid in helping a good cause.

As the workers of the school have hosts of friends there is no doubt of a large attendance. A rehearsal will be held this evening after prayer meeting, and on this account the regular meeting of the teachers' class will be omitted.

The Senior Christian Endeavor society of the Presbyterian church conducted a social at the manse, on Elm street, last evening. Despite the bad weather, a large number was present and had an enjoyable social time. During the evening the Rev. Mr. Gibbons was presented with a handsome study chair by Charles Smith, in behalf of the Christian Endeavor society. Mr. Gibbons responded and thanked the members for their kindness, he being greatly touched by this act of the society. Lunch was served and at a seasonable hour all departed for their homes.

St. Stephen's commandery, No. 236, Knights of Malta, will not meet next Monday evening, as was their intention, on account of Christmas being celebrated that day.

Mrs. Fred C. White, of Hawley, is being entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Royal Taft, of North Blakely street.

Mrs. John Webber, of Harper street, is quite ill at her home.

The two following letters, held for some reason or other, are advertised at the postoffice: Miss Jennie Keller, Drinker street, Dunmore, and Mrs. Daniel Murray, No. 727 Howard Terrace, Montan.

The improvement made upon the sidewalks in the vicinity of the "Corners" is noticeable and appreciated.

Herman Ludwig is confined to his home, on West Drinker street, with illness.

The scholars in Prof. Gray's room will give an entertainment Friday afternoon in No. 11 room in No. 1 building, Fred Ehrsgood, formerly of the cruiser New York, will give an interesting talk.

Howard James, of Moscow, spent yesterday with friends on Cherry street.

Miss Nellie Hopkins, of Dover, N. J., who has been spending several days as the guest of Miss Hattie O'Neil, of Pine street, has returned home.

A meeting of the school board was to have been held last evening, but owing to the lack of a quorum they did not meet, Mr. Webber being the only member present.

The Indian foot ball team will run their first annual ball in Odd Fellows' hall next Monday evening. Great preparations are being made and a good time is in store for all who attend.

Night school in No. 2 building reached high-water mark last evening, about forty being in attendance.

Officers of Aurora Lodge. Elected at a Meeting Held Last Night in Jermyn.

The following officers for Aurora lodge, No. 525, of Masons, of Jermyn, were elected last night:

Worshipful master, Frank Hemelright; senior warden, John D. Williams; junior warden, William Ravling; treasurer, Calvin Vall; secretary, D. D. Day; trustees, John E. Nicholson, Andrew Carter, H. A. Willman; trustees to Hamby fund, S. D. Davis, Frank Hemelright, J. H. Wheeler; representative to grand lodge, C. Augustus Battenberg.

PARDELLO MEETS A TARTAR. Roeber's Wrestling Partner Nearly Got His Medicine Last Night.

A splendid exhibition of wrestling was given at last night's performance of the Ernest Roeber-Crane Bros. show, at the Gaiety theater. August Pflouat, an unknown, appeared and took advantage of Roeber's offer of \$25 to anyone whom Leo Pardello, Roeber's partner, failed to throw in 15 minutes, or \$50 if a fall was gained on Pardello.

Pardello not only failed to throw the unknown but the latter was as much on the offensive as defensive. They made a very breezy contest which put the audience in quite a ferment of excitement. Pflouat won the \$25.

At the conclusion of the match Pflouat

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Overworked—Run Down. Dr. Thos. Hay, of Cape May, N. J., writes: "Johann Hoff's Malt Extract is a valuable product and in my immediate hands here it has done much good service. In one case, I believe, it stopped a man, an editor of a weekly paper, from going rapidly to his grave from wearing of overwork. I have prescribed Johann Hoff's Malt Extract a great deal in my practice always with satisfaction and good results."

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GLOBE HOTEL'S LICENSE. Former Proprietor Hayden Claims It is Not Legal.

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Michael Manley, the proprietor, is charged by Thomas Hayden, a former proprietor, with selling liquor without license. Hayden's lease expired March 31. He could not get a new lease and when he applied for his license, it had been issued for the premises but in another name. Manley acquired the lease and Hayden claims he is doing an unlicensed business. Alderman Miller reserved his decision.

LADY COOK, STOCKBROKER. She Announces That She Will Go Into Business January 1.

London, Dec. 20.—Lady Cook, who as Miss Tennessee Claflin, married of R. B. Claflin, of New York, married Sir Francis Cook, head of Cook and Son, warehouseman of this city, announces that she is going to start the new

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