

EVENTS OF DAY IN WEST SCRANTON

PHONOGRAPH SOCIAL GIVEN BY MR. AND MRS. SWALLOW.

Affair Was Held at Their Residence, 124 Tenth Street—Alderman John Presented with a Handsome Office Chair by His Son—Marriage of Miss Rebecca Evans, of Prieberg, and Oscar Ayer, of Olyphant—Jug Breaking Exercises at Simpson Church—Funerals of a Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Swallow, of 124 Tenth street, gave a phonograph party to a number of friends at their new home last evening. The selections were given on one of Edison's improved phonographs, operated by R. A. Gillingsham, and were very entertaining. Refreshments were served during the evening and a most enjoyable time was spent.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Swallow, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Gillingsham, Mr. and Mrs. George Jacoby, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. William Bruning, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Polhamus, of Clark's Summit; Mr. and Mrs. Burris, Mrs. M. E. Keller, Mrs. Sarah Ackery, Misses Jennie Lawrence, Margaret Van Camp, May Ackery, Agnes Davis, Lillian Dawes, May Eaton, Helen Long, Jennie Morgan, Messrs. Charles Webb, Frank Clark, Nathan Evans, Mr. Early and Mr. Alexander.

JUG BREAKING EXERCISES.

At the jug breaking exercises at the Simpson Methodist Episcopal church tomorrow evening, the following programme will be given:

- Selections.....Epworth League Quartette
Retortation.....Marjorie Ut
Piano Solo.....Blanche Thomas
Retortation.....Bessie Mayo Sloat
Address.....Selected
Vocal Duet.....Edna Sax
Piano Solo.....Ethel Bevan
Retortation.....Charles Altemus
Fuging.....Bessie Mayo Sloat
Selection.....Mandolin Club
Piano Duet.....Lois Fellows, Bessie Phillips

The money thus collected will be used to defray the expenses of the church.

ALDERMAN JOHN SURPRISED.

Owen D. John, alderman of the Fourth ward, was agreeably surprised by his son, Alfred John, yesterday, when he was presented with a handsome high back office chair.

Mr. John is one of the most popular magistrates in the city. The presentation was a total surprise to him, and he appreciates the gift very highly.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup

From the best remedy for coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough, influenza, and all other respiratory ailments, Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup is the most effective and pleasant.

Prescriptions Compounded Carefully

And with purest drugs at the drug store of GEORGE W. JENKINS

Cor. Main Ave. and Jackson St.

ARRANGEMENTS for our Opening Display of Ladies' Spring Attire are now complete, and during the balance of this week we will be pleased to welcome visitors who wish to inspect our purchases.

Every possible effort has been put forward to make this exhibit worthy the attention of the most fastidious dressers in Scranton, and the advancement as regards perfection in labor, selection of materials and excellence in cut and finish is so marked that it now appears as though nothing was left to be desired. In fact the prudent woman of moderate means who fails to take advantage of the opportunities offered for perfection of style, certainty of fitting and practical economy that are now to be found in a really first-class Cloak and Suit Department does so because she does not fully understand its real benefits.

We had intended saying a word or two on fashion's new ways and fancies, for they are all here; but on second thought think it is better you should see them and form your own conclusion as to their merits and adaptability for your personal use.

The display now being made includes the latest novelties in Ladies' and Misses' Costumes, Skirts, Waists, Coats, Shirt Waists, etc., and we are safe in saying that the revolutionary changes in fashion's decrees since last year will surprise you.

Everything is now ready for your inspection. A call from you will be esteemed a favor.

Globe Warehouse

Important

Store will close Thursday at noon in recognition of festivities in honor of the gallant Thirteenth.

Keeps People Well

After Hostetter's Stomach Bitters puts a man's body in a healthy condition, an occasional dose will keep it there. Well people need the Bitters almost as much as those who are ill. This remedy maintains good digestion, and fights off dyspepsia, biliousness and constipation.

325 South Tenth street, parents of Willie Williams, the 13-year-old boy who ran away from his home on election day, and whose whereabouts were revealed through the columns of The Tribune, have sent word to Chief of Police Isaacs, of East March Chunk, to send the boy home.

EVANS-AYER WEDDINGS.

A very pretty wedding was celebrated at the residence of the Rev. James Hughes, on Lincoln avenue, yesterday. The contracting parties were Oscar Ayer, of Olyphant, and Miss Rebecca Evans, of Prieberg. The bride was neatly attired in a traveling costume. The couple were unattended.

MINOR NEWS NOTES.

The remains of the late Mrs. Mary Feeney will be borne from the house, 521 Third street, to Holy Cross church this morning, when a high mass of requiem will be celebrated by Rev. W. P. O'Donnell. Interment will be made in the cathedral cemetery.

The members of St. Brendan's council will hold a debate at their rooms over Jenkins' drug store this evening. The Columbian orchestra, a company will tender a reception to their soldier members this evening.

Electric City castle, No. 375, Knights of the Golden Eagle, will conduct a stag supper at 214 North Ninth street this evening.

The mass meeting under the auspices of St. David's Men's chapter, which was announced to be held at St. David's Episcopal church this evening, has been postponed, owing to the celebration in honor of the soldiers today.

The drug stores of West Scranton will be closed this afternoon between the hours of 2:30 and 5 o'clock, and the barber shops will close at noon. It is expected that all the other business places will be closed also during the afternoon.

A birthday party was tendered Miss Jennie Thomas, of North Fitzwaller street, on Tuesday evening, by a large number of friends. The affair was very enjoyable.

At the regular meeting of West Side Conclave, Improved Order of Heptasoph, last evening, an address was delivered by Daniel W. Phillips, president of the school, at which several matters were acted upon.

The committee of twenty-five of St. Brendan's Council, Young Men's Institute, held a meeting last evening and made arrangements to call upon the merchants of the city for contributions to their plum tree festival, which will be held in Mear's hall on Thursday evening, April 6.

Division No. 1, Ancient Order of Heberians, have decided to run an excursion to Harvey's Lake on Saturday, August 12th.

Mrs. Theodore M. Dawkins, of 313 North Sumner avenue, entertained a party of her friends at her home last evening.

Lenten services were held in St. Patrick's church last evening. Rev. A. T. Broderick was in charge.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Acker, of Fairview avenue, entertained Mrs. Garney and Miss Grace Boughton, of Kingston, yesterday.

Miss Hattie B. Eynon, of North Hyde Park avenue is seriously ill.

Mrs. Hayden Ashley, of South Main avenue, is visiting relatives in Mauch Chunk.

Miss Eva Roberts, a student at Bloomsburg State Normal school, is spending her Easter vacation at her home on North Garfield avenue.

Mrs. John Marsh, of North Rebecca avenue, is suffering from an attack of the grip.

John Jones, of Harrisburg, is the guest of Edward Harris, of North Main avenue.

FINE PAIR OF ANTLERS.

Passed Through This City Consigned to F. S. Potts, Philadelphia.

There arrived in this city yesterday via the Erie and Wyoming Valley Railroad company an elk's head with the largest pair of antlers yet seen by residents hereabouts. The antlers were fully four feet from tip to tip.

SOME FOOLISH PEOPLE

Allow a cough to run until it gets beyond the reach of medicine. They often say, 'Oh, it will wear away,' but in most cases it wears them away. Could they be induced to try the safe and reliable medicine called Kemp's Balsam, which is sold on a positive guarantee to cure, they would immediately see the wisdom of their taking the first dose. Price 25c. and 50c. Trial size free. At all druggists.

HAPPENINGS OF NORTH SCRANTON

STEEL GIRDERS AND HEAVY PLANKS FOR THE NEW ROOF

Which the West Ridge Coal Company Has Built in the Airway Beneath North Main Avenue—The Work of Filling in the Hole Is Practically Completed—Manager Clark's Statement—General Phinney Engine Company Elects Officers—News of Various Churches.

The cave-in on North Main avenue near Green Ridge street caused by the roof of a return airway falling in, is now practically a thing of the past. The West Ridge Coal company in whose workings the airway runs, have rapidly repaired the damage. Steel braces have been put in at certain distances apart and from and across the tops of these were run heavy timbers, thus making a very secure and substantial roof for many years.

Anent the proposition of building a stone arch, as was suggested by City Engineer Phillips, Manager Clark, when asked about it yesterday, said: "We will not put in a stone arch. The way we did it is all right and is a matter of protection for ourselves. The roadway is the city's lookout."

OFFICERS ELECTED.

The General Phinney Engine company of the Scranton Fire department held a business meeting Tuesday evening, at which officers were elected for the ensuing year. The officers elected are: President, A. R. Simrell; vice-president, J. W. Lisk; recording secretary, W. H. Lewis; financial secretary, George E. Bailey; treasurer, H. A. Altemus; foreman, W. H. Long; physician, G. W. Reynolds; first, second and third assistants, F. Goodwin, George Lutz and H. G. Boane; stoker, F. W. Andrews; director for five years, M. H. Biesecker; drivers, George E. Bailey and J. W. Lisk.

PRIMITIVE METHODIST CHURCH.

The Junior Wesley league is working hard to make the annual missionary effort a success.

The Senior Wesley league held a pleasant affair on Monday evening in the lecture room.

Three new members were received into the church on Sunday. The Green Ridge Knights of the Mystic Chain will attend service next Sunday morning to listen to the sermon on the "Weeping Patriot."

The pastor is giving a splendid series of sermons on the "Bible Weavers" which are intellectual and spiritual treat.

NEWS OF OTHER CHURCHES.

The Wayne Avenue Baptist church will conduct their services in the Christian edifice on North Main avenue this evening, when several young people will be immersed. The Rev. W. F. Davies will preside.

A grand organ recital will be held in the Presbyterian church Monday evening, April 3, when the widely known organist, W. C. Carl, and the celebrated soprano, Miss Shannah Cummings, both of New York city, will render a programme of choice selections.

TOLD IN A FEW LINES.

Peter Cavanaugh and Mr. C. Berry, who have for months past been working in the gold and silver mines of Butte City, Montana, returned home Tuesday. They will visit relatives here for a few months, but expect to return west. They brought with them many beautiful souvenirs of the mines and surrounding country.

The Eastern Star Commandery, No. 23, Knights of the White Shrine, held a concert in the auditorium Thursday evening, April 13.

The business place of this end will be closed this afternoon in honor of the returned soldier boys.

Miss Jessie Lees, of Archbald, and Mrs. Lena Matthews, of Olyphant, are the guests of relatives here.

The North End Stars are arranging for their basket ball team with the team from St. Leo's, West Scranton, to be held in the auditorium, formerly the armory.

Every member of the Father Whitey society who intends to parade will please meet at St. Mary's hall at 1:30 sharp in order that the society may proceed to the central city in a body.

The following stores in Providence will be closed today from 2:30 p. m. to 5:30 p. m., on account of the parade. W. F. Davis' two stores, C. Fenwood & Company, H. E. Griffin and William D. Davis.

Pea Coal Delivered, \$1.25.

To South Side, central city and central Hyde Park. Address orders to C. B. Sharkey, 1914 Cedar ave. Phone 663.

SOUTH SCRANTON.

At the banquet to be given this evening in honor of the soldier members of the Century Hose company, each member will be entitled to bring two ladies, such having become the wish of some of the members.

Lenten services were held at St. Mary's German Catholic church last evening. A sermon was preached by Rev. F. Stepper.

The trustees and elders of the Hickory Street Presbyterian church met in regular session last evening.



LOOK How We Save the FREE People's Money.

No Lottery, No Favorites, No Disappointed Customer. 1-4 BARREL. JOYCE'S BEST XXXX FLOUR Given Free.

WITH EVERY \$1.00 PURCHASE the customer receives a coupon. When their purchases amount to TEN DOLLARS (10 coupons) they will receive 1/4 barrel of Joyce's Best XXXX Flour—Free. Joyce's Best XXXX is made from the choicest varieties of Hard Spring Wheat, carefully selected. It is the HIGHEST PRODUCT of modern milling science, and ABSOLUTE in all desirable bread-making qualities. It is put up under our own special brand. One trial will convince the most skeptical of its superiority over all other flours. REMEMBER—You get a 30-pound sack of this flour FREE.

The position and reputation which we have gained by our LOW PRICES ON HIGH GRADE GOODS, as the leading grocers we fully intend to maintain. All lines of Groceries have been marked down and will be sold—some at less than half their value, making this sale and offer one of the most sensational ever conducted by any grocer in the city. It is not intended in this advertisement to mention a general line of bargains. Only a few. Handled as most as good as possible.

FLOUR, POTATOES, EGGS, Warranted Fresh, 2 doz 25c. \$4.22 per bu. 75c per bu. BUY YOUR GROCERIES FROM US AND GET YOUR FLOUR FREE. THIS GRAND OFFER GOOD FROM MONDAY, MARCH 20, UNTIL APRIL 30.

William P. Joyce, Cut-Price Grocer, 718 and 720 West Lackawanna Avenue.

GREEN RIDGE.

T. H. Davey, of Niagara Falls, returned home yesterday after a pleasant visit with his sister, Mrs. T. E. Bushnell, of Jefferson avenue.

Fred Stevens has accepted a position as assistant chief electrician of the Hubbell Electric Lamp company.

Rupert Walsh, of Adams avenue, is ill with the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rogers, of Kentucky, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Rogers, of Penn avenue.

Miss Myrtle Stevens, of Ross avenue, entertained a few of her friends at her home on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Seld will commence house-keeping on Monsey avenue, next week.

Mrs. George Loomis, of Oil City, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Frank E. Spencer, of Arlington Heights.

Mrs. A. F. Law and daughter, Miss Grace, of Adams avenue, will leave on Saturday for a trip to the Bermuda Islands.

The business places of this place will be closed this afternoon in observance of the half holiday.

A spring cleaner is always looked forward to at this time of the year and Marjorie Sarapartilla is the best. It not only cleanses the system of all impurities but invigorates the system, makes good blood and increases the appetite. Large size bottle, 50c., at Manners' Pharmacy, No. 929 Green Ridge street.

DUNMORE.

At the last meeting of the council, borough bonds Nos. 3 and 4 were called in. So far the holders of the bonds have paid no attention to the decision of the council.

A very successful social was held last evening at the home of Mrs. Daniel Powell, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist Episcopal church.

The members of the Arlington double quartette are practicing a song entitled "As the Boys Came Sailing Home," and will produce it on Dewey's Day.

Burgess Powell and Prof. Joseph Grey will leave here this morning for a visit at Pittsburg.

Miss Gertrude Beers, of Hawley, is the guest of Mrs. Fred Mitchell, of Butler street.

The following letters remain unclaimed at the post office for the period ending March 18, 1899. Persons calling for these letters will please say advertised in Scranton Tribune: Mrs. H. E. ...

Does Coffee Agree with You?

If not, drink Grain-O—made from pure grains. A lady writes: "The first time I made Grain-O I did not like it but after using it for one week nothing would induce me to go back to coffee. It nourishes and feeds the system. The children can drink it freely with great benefit. It is the strengthening substance of pure grains. Get a package today from your grocer, follow the directions in making it and you will have a delicious and healthful beverage for old and young. 15c. and 25c."

Insist that your grocer gives you GRAIN-O. Accept no imitations.

AMUSEMENTS.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC, BURROUGHER & REHS, Lessees, H. E. LONG, Manager. 3 Nights and 2 Matinees. Commencing Thursday, March 23.

The N. Y. Empire Theater Success, Sowing the Wind. The great sex against a drama, presented with the same company that has appeared in nothing but high priced theaters. First time in this city at these prices: PRICES—EVENING, 15, 25, 35, 50. PRICES—MATINEE, 15, 25.

LYCEUM THEATRE, REHS & BURROUGHER, Lessees, H. E. LONG, Manager. Tuesday Evening, March 28, James Whitcomb Riley. Assisted by some of the Best Musicians in Scranton, will appear in a variety of selections from his own works.

1. Annals of the Poor. 2. Hooper Verse. 3. Character Sketches. 4. Rhymes of Childhood.

COMING SATURDAY, MATINEE AND NIGHT APRIL 1. Klaw & Erlanger's Famous Operatic Extravaganza and Spectacle, JACK AND THE BEANSTALK. So People, brilliant ballets, gorgeous costumes.

GALEYS ONE SOLID WEEK. Commencing Monday, Matinee, March 20.

Matt J. Flynn's BIG SENSATION BURLESQUERS. Double Show—White and Creole Artists. 35—PEOPLE—35.

NEXT—Three days only. The Merry Widows Burlesquers, with George Dixon in scientific punning exhibitions. Commencing Monday, March 27.

Parlor sisters and the poor are now showing their "What tea to make" by the way they are appreciating the teas from Ceylon and India, from which is brewed the most seductive and charming of all harmless beverages.

FOREST CITY. Thomas Brown was a business visitor in Wilkes-Barre yesterday.

The Hillside collection at this place will be held today and Saturday. They will work three-quarters of a day tomorrow.

Mrs. Sarah Waters, of Jermyn, is the guest of her sons, James C. Alfred and Edwin Walters.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church held a social at the home of Mrs. W. J. Pentecost last evening that was socially and financially a very successful affair.

Enterprise Home company will hold its regular semi-monthly meeting at the fire rooms on Center street tomorrow evening.

The office of the Hillside Coal and Iron company was broken into by burglars on Tuesday night. Nothing was taken, but it was evident that a search for booty had been made. The work of the cracksmen seemed to indicate that they were not professionals. Access was gained by a window.

A notice has been put up warning loafers that they must not make the postoffice a place of assemblage, and that in the future smoking will not be tolerated.

The council will purchase two hundred and fifty feet additional hose for the use of the Enterprise Fire company.

A meeting of the official board of the Methodist Episcopal church will be held in the church edifice this evening.

Reuben Williams, of Scranton, who was formerly a resident of this place, will again take up his abode here. Beginning about April 1 he will be employed by Martin Muehlik as a bar tender at the Forest City house.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Bridget Guy, widow of the late Robert Guy, died early yesterday morning at her residence, 612 River street, after a short illness. Deceased was well known and is survived by the following children: William, Matthew, John J., Mrs. Frank Rutledge and Mrs. James Larkin, all of this city. The funeral will be held Saturday morning at 2 o'clock.

His Wife's Savings the Means of His Weathering a Financial Gale. From the Detroit Free Press. "I don't suppose you have forgotten the panic of '93," said Dodson. "I certainly have not, for I had that unucky year impressed upon me in a way that I will not soon forget.

"You remember how money disappeared when the crash came? Banks that were fortunate enough to escape going down in the general crash hoarded the money and refused to loan a cent, even upon the best security.

"I have always made it a rule never to talk business with my wife, and she, poor woman, never knew at the time the many anxious days that I had passed, for I tried to conceal my hopeless condition.

"At last it came to a point where I was even without a hope and I staggered home with bankruptcy staring me in the face. I had made the fight and lost, and then, seeing all the savings of a lifetime swept away, I gave up like a felled man to die, not knowing that no fate could ward off the blow.

"I knew that my wife must be told, so I took her in my arms and broke it to her as gently as possible.

"For several minutes she said not a word, and I began to fear that the shock had been too much for her. I had told her that if I could only raise a small sum it might see me through the worst and enable me to get upon my feet again.

"Finally she spoke. 'John,' she said, 'I have always had a presentiment that some day something might happen, and whenever I chanced to have a little money that I thought I would not need I put it away in one of Willie's discarded toy banks. I haven't the slightest idea how much there is, but I have been adding to it for years. I will get it and we will count it together.

"I never knew until that moment how a man feels when he is relieved from under the gallows.

"She placed the bank before me and I dumped the contents upon the table. There was a total of 73 cents, mostly in pennies.

"It was so comical that I had to laugh. But that laugh saved me. It drove away the gloomy thoughts which had surrounded me and I took courage again to look the situation in the face and finally won out.

"I am still paying my wife her usual allowance; but I haven't the face to ask her if she is again putting aside for a rainy day."

Paris Not Always First. The European edition of the New York Herald has a long article (reproduced in New York Herald of March 21) on the relative merits of China and Ceylon tea, and how tea is steeped in Paris—the city which is popularly supposed to lead the world in fashion and matters of taste. The article in question says:

"China tea has a coarser taste, and you might, under similar circumstances, think it stronger, but in reality it is not. It is perfectly certain that Ceylon tea is better and more popular, and can be made stronger than any other kind, though for ordinary tastes you would have to use a less quantity to make a strong cup of tea.

"Ceylon tea does not require to steep more than three minutes, while 'China' tea takes four minutes. To make tea at home, the proper way is to have two earthenware teapots, heating one first and then putting the tea in, pouring freshly boiled water on it, and steeping as above. Then pour off the tea into the other teapot, having the latter hot and dry. The tea thus made may stand as long as you like, and it is always good. Steeping tea too long releases the tannin, which gives the liquid a pungent, sometimes a bitter flavor."

This is given as a new departure in the art of tea brewing in say Paris. For years "five o'clock tea" have been a popular and pleasant social function in this country, and not only there, but at the daily meals, tea is brewed that way. The dainty and fastidious American ladies learned the art of "How to make tea" long before their