

GATHERED IN SOUTH SCRANTON

THE INSTALLATION OF THE REV. JAMES WITKE.

Will Take Place Tonight at Christ Lutheran Church—Rev. J. D. Schlenker Will Officiate and Other Clergymen Will Be in Attendance.

The installation of Rev. James Witke as pastor of the Christ Lutheran church, on Cedar avenue, will take place tomorrow evening at 7.30 o'clock.

Rev. Mr. Witke had arranged for his installation May 17 last, but the event was postponed.

An elaborate programme has been arranged for the occasion. Rev. J. O. Schlenker, of Hazleton, president of the Wilkes-Barre Lutheran conference, will officiate at the installation ceremonies.

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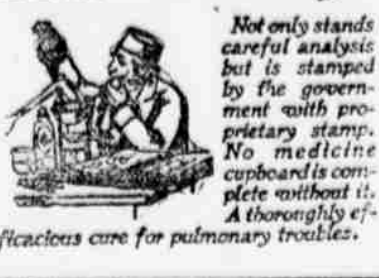
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Charles Stirell, John Sullivan and J. W. Berghauer.

The funeral of Charles Splinter, of Neptune court, whose brother, Peter, preceded him to the grave but three days ago, was held from his father's home yesterday afternoon.

Rev. G. J. Stopper, of St. Mary's church, conducted the services, which were held at the house.

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BOARD OF TRADE MET IN REGULAR SESSION LAST NIGHT.

Talk Over Several Matters of Interest to Property Owners—Outlook is Bright for the Location of a Silk Mill—Pianoforte Pupils' Recital Tonight—Children Entertained. Burglars on Eynon Street—Fire on South Main Avenue—Other Notes of Interest.

The West Side board of trade held a regular meeting last evening and passed upon several matters pertaining to this section of the city.

The members present were Hector Campbell, Joseph P. Phillips, William Farrell, Joseph Oliver, C. E. Daniels, Edward M. Clarke, Thomas F. O'Boyle, B. G. Morgan, A. B. Holmes, Thomas Watkins, T. Fellows Mason, Jenkin T. Reese, P. F. Strupp, S. R. Jones and John R. Farr.

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For many years he was postmaster at Providence post office. It is needless to say that they will receive the hearty congratulations of their many friends on the happy rounding out of a half century of wedded life.

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GENERAL NEWS NOTES. The Electric City Wheelmen met last evening and elected several new members and passed upon several other club matters.

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Immediately after the prayer meeting in the First Baptist church this evening a business meeting will be held. As many as can be requested to be present, as it is desired to sanction the action of the executive board in regard to means for obtaining money to begin building. Prayer meeting will begin at 7.30 and continue one hour.

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Regular \$1.75 "P. D." Corsets, No. 530..... 98c Regular 3.50 "P. D." Corsets, No. 248.....\$1.49 Regular 4.50 "P. D." Corsets, No. 97.....\$1.98

West Market street, and Mr. Edward Dean, of Bellevue, will be united in marriage in the Holy Rosary church.

PERSONAL NOTES. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kelly, of Carbondale, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Kelly, of Von Storch avenue.

Miss Katherine Jones, of Wales street, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Thomas Jones, of Taylor.

Mrs. H. C. Hatten, of Williams street, has left for Elmira, N. Y., where she will be the guest of her mother, Mrs. Samuel England, for a few weeks.

Mr. William Price, of Spring Brook, is visiting friends on North Main avenue.

Miss Margaret Vaughan, of West Market street, has returned from a visit with Carbondale friends.

Mr. and Mrs. George Price, of Hazleton, were the guests of friends on West Market street yesterday.

Miss Marion Sharples, of Philadelphia, is visiting Miss Nettie Robinson, of Delaware street.

Miss Ethel Davis, of West Market street, left yesterday for a week's stay at Harvey's Lake.

Messrs. Frank and Thomas Williams, of Thompson, are the guests of their sister, Mrs. James Watson, of Parker street.

Miss Mulherin is ill at his home on Laurel street.

Misses Della and Kate Dougherty, of Archbald, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Michael Barrett, of West Market street.

Mrs. J. P. Neary and Miss Mary Neary, of Mary street, are the guests of friends in Schuylkill county. After week's stay at that place they will visit relatives in New York city.

Thomas Jones, of North Main avenue, is in a dangerous condition. He received a paralytic stroke in the Storrs mine last week.

Miss Sarah Gilmore, of Schuylville, is the guest of friends on Stanton street.

Miss Caroline Reese, of Nanticoke, is the guest of Miss Elizabeth Reese, of East Market street.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thomas, of Wilkes-Barre, are the guests of friends on School street yesterday.

Thomas Harris, of Chappell's store, is at Lake Idlewild spending his vacation.

Miss Margaret Jones, of Wilkes-Barre, is visiting friends on East Market street.

Miss Esther Kennedy, of North Main avenue, is home from Mount Hope college, Rogers, Ohio, on her summer vacation.

Rev. R. J. Reese, of Arnot, will occupy the pulpit next Sunday at the Puritan Congregational church, West Market street.

Miss Nellie Smith, of Schuylville, is being entertained by Miss Nellie Morgan, of Meade avenue.

Miss Maud Warden, of Albany, N. Y., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Kenny, of Hank street.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Williams, of Plymouth, are the guests of friends on North Main avenue.

John Beltz, of Deacon street, is in Philadelphia.

A. L. Francois, of East Market street, is attending the Democratic convention at Harrisburg.

Miss Winnie Darling, of Richmond, spent yesterday with friends on Parker street.

Mr. Bart Williams, of Wayne avenue, was the guest of friends in Avoca yesterday.

T. S. Jones, of Plymouth, spent yesterday with J. P. Johnson, on Wayne avenue.

MINOOKA. John Costello, of Philadelphia, is the guest of John McCrea, of the St. Joseph's society will meet tonight.

P. J. Quinn is in Harrisburg. The Lackawanna township school board will meet tonight at 7.30.

TheConnell Coal company has a force of men at work opening a new road along the proposed race track.

GREEN RIDGE. Soda water at Manners' pharmacy, the best in Green Ridge; our sales prove it.

Imperial Queen Hair Tonic at Manners' pharmacy, 329 Green Ridge street, the greatest hair grower known. 50c a bottle.

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The Key to Health Beecham's Pills A Gentle Cathartic Beecham's Pills For Sick Headache, etc. Beecham's Pills Annual Sale, 6,000,000 boxes. 10 cents and 25 cents—Druggists.

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GOLD DUST The Best Washing Powder

Great Wealth in Cattle and Sheep Products Now Developing.

It is thought by many unformed people that the Black Hills produce nothing of value but products from the mines.

During the past year, says the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, there were shipped from the Black Hills ranges 2,500 carloads of cattle, with an estimated valuation of \$2,275,000.

From Rapid City about 500 carloads were shipped, valued at \$475,000. From the cattle district contiguous to Edgemont, in the southern part of the Black Hills, 2,000 carloads of cattle were shipped, with a value of \$1,800,000.

This makes a total valuation of the cattle shipped from the Black Hills ranges of \$4,750,000. The estimated value of the horses shipped is placed at \$200,000. The building alone \$200,000, the manufactured brick \$100,000, lumber \$1,000,000, lime and stucco \$25,000, and \$7,500,000 for the output of gold.

The sheep industry of the hills has assumed large proportions in the past year.

Five years ago there were not more than half a