

EVENTS OF DAY IN WEST SCRANTON

EXISTEDDPOD IN BELLEVUE ON CHRISTMAS DAY.

Will Be Held in the Welsh Calvinistic Methodist Church—Complete Programme of Events—Salvation Army Will Serve a Christmas Dinner to the Poor—Sunday School Christmas Exercises—Schools Will Close Tomorrow—Evans-Brown Nuptials—Smaller News Notes.

The annual esteddpo in the Bellevue Welsh Calvinistic Methodist church will be held on Christmas day and already great interest is manifested in the event.

CHORAL COMPETITIONS. Competition, "Good Night, Heaven," for choirs of mixed voices, not under 20 nor over 25 in number.

SOLO. "Oh, I Love to Talk with Jesus," for boys under 15 years of age, Gospel Hymns Nos. 5 and 6.

IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS. The public schools will close tomorrow for the Christmas holidays and will not be opened again until after New Year's day.

POETRY AND PROSE. "Christmas, 1899," not over sixty lines, suitable for recitation.

RECITATIONS. For adults, "Y Dymhestr yn yr Haf," Ollwyn Brace.

For girls under 15 years of age, "Gully or Not Gully," from Standard Recitations No. 1.

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Prizes No. 2. First prize \$1, second prize 50 cents.

FREE CHRISTMAS DINNER.

The great dinner to be given by the Salvation Army to the poor throughout the country on Monday next, Christmas day, will probably be the largest of its kind ever spread by any organization in the history of the world.

Dinner will be served at 2 p. m. Tickets for the dinner can be had from any Salvationist or at the officers' quarters on Price street absolutely free to the poor.

IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The public schools will close tomorrow for the Christmas holidays and will not be opened again until after New Year's day.

SPECIAL EXERCISES will be held in many of the rooms today and tomorrow and at the No. 19 kindergarten the teachers have arranged for the mothers of the pupils to visit tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

THE PRINCIPALS of the grammar A grades have also been kept busy during the week going over the examination papers.

CHRISTMAS EXERCISES. The primary department of the Simpson Methodist Episcopal church Sunday school will hold their Christmas exercises in the church Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

THE SUNDAY school of the Hampton Street Methodist Episcopal church are arranging for their Christmas exercises at the church next Monday evening.

The Continental Mission school will

HAPPENINGS OF NORTH SCRANTON

MICHAEL FINN HELD IN \$800 BAIL BY ALDERMAN MYERS.

In Charged with Attempting to Shoot Two Employees of the Providence Water Company—Jehu Dog Case Heard Before the Same Magistrate and Judgment Awarded Plaintiff.

Funeral of Mrs. Bridget O'Donnell. Other Interesting News Notes and Personal Mention.

Michael Finn, the owner of farm lands in South Abington, adjoining the "Mud Pond," or Summit Lake supply reservoir of the Providence Gas and Water company, was before Alderman Myers yesterday afternoon, charged with felonious shooting with intent to kill.

The shooting was done on Tuesday morning, and Finn claimed the men were trespassing upon his land.

The witnesses in the case were: John Miller, Cyrus Newman and Edward Reed, all of whom testified that Finn had shot at Miller and Newman four times, three of the shots being fired after the men had started away from the place where they were at work and were running to get away from the man with the gun.

Finn made no defense and he was held in \$800 bail to answer the charges at court.

THE JEHU DOG CASE. The case of Thomas Richards against Thomas Jehu, the Wayne avenue grocer, charging trespass and, and getting out of the finding of the former's little daughter, Ethel, by a large dog belonging to the latter, was up before Alderman Myers yesterday afternoon.

Testimony in the case was given by Mr. Richards, Dr. Bower, Edith Morgan, Officer Palmer, Dr. Dunne, Mr. Jehu and Jesse Morris.

Dr. Bower, who attended the child, testified to the injury sustained, and Edith Morgan gave evidence to the matter of the dog jumping upon and biting the Richards girl, with whom she was on the way to school.

Dr. Dunne appeared in behalf of the dog, and testified to examining the child during the day and that while the wound may have been caused by other means, it could also have been the result of a dog's bite.

The purpose of his evidence was to show that some other means had been employed to cause the wound.

Mr. Jehu claimed that he only had two teeth, but finally admitted the dog had bitten the little girl.

Judgment was rendered against him for \$4 and costs, and he has five days in which to settle the matter.

TOLD IN A FEW LINES.

The funeral of Mrs. Bridget O'Donnell will take place this morning at 9 o'clock from the home of her son, J. O'Donnell, of Green street.

A high mass of requiem will be celebrated at Holy Rosary church, and interment will be at Dunmore.

The Memorial Baptist church choir gives its centenary, "A Trip to Old Chris," at the Auditorium tomorrow evening.

The attraction is sure to be attended by a crowded house, as a large number of tickets have been sold.

Thomas Sullivan, who is a student at the Philadelphia Dental college, is home for the Christmas holidays, which he will spend at the home of his parents on Wayne avenue.

Louis Rockwell, a former resident here, now of New York city, was in town yesterday, calling on friends.

The Father Whitty society announce their second annual country dance to take place on the evening of Jan. 10, at the Auditorium.

This society takes pleasure in making all its affairs first class ones, and this country dance will be at the top of them all.

The arrival of a baby daughter at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Flynn, of Warren street, is causing rejoicing in that household, and bringing the congratulations of the season to the happy father.

George Martin, of Church avenue, who was at Carthage, Mo., where he was engaged with his father in opening up zinc mines, returned home yesterday to remain over the holidays.

Before his return west again he will become a bed-ridden.

The Christmas exercises of the Sunday school of the Providence Presbyterian church will be held at the church on Monday next.

SOUTH SCRANTON.

The Century Hose company on Monday received their hose wagon from Gilhooll's carriage shop, where it has been for the past few months, undergoing a complete overhauling.

It is now one of the finest hose wagons in the city.

The committee of arrangements for the New Year's watch-meeting of the Fourteen Friends will meet at Hotel Best on Saturday evening to complete arrangements.

Camp 439 drum corps are completing arrangements for their annual ball, which will be held at Music hall on New Year's afternoon and evening.

Michael Cavanaugh and Mrs. Mary Cavanaugh, of Carbondale, are visiting friends on Prospect avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis McDonough are rejoicing over the arrival of a son at their home on Palm street.

County Commissioner John Demuth returned home last evening from a two days' visit in Philadelphia.

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GREEN RIDGE.

Mr. and Mrs. P. K. Potter, of Monsey avenue, are visiting friends at Wallville, Pa.

Miss Carolyn Dorsey will have an exhibition and for sale some fine Japanese embroideries and curios Friday and Saturday at 821 Delaware street.

The annual congregational meeting and sale of pees will be held Monday evening, Jan. 8, in the Green Ridge Presbyterian church.

Will Blake, of Archbald, called on Green Ridge friends last evening.

Jonas Long's Sons Down Goes the PRICE TODAY ON ALL HOLIDAY GOODS While selling in every department is fast and furious, stocks are a-plenty. Not a dollar's worth must be left when the curtain rings down late Saturday night. So choose at Big Reductions on Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Jonas Long's Sons

OBITUARY. Loretta Estella, the 1-year and 2 months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Mantz died yesterday morning at the family home, 531 Maple street, after a brief illness.

AMUSEMENTS. LYCEUM THEATRE. CHRISTMAS MATINEE AND NIGHT. "ONE FOR ALL AND ALL FOR ONE." THE REALIZATION OF ROMANCE.

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