

EVENTS OF DAY IN WEST SCRANTON

SOCIAL MINERS BELIEVE STRIKE IS NOT PROBABLE

Reasons on Which This Belief is Founded—Vaduct Boomers Will Make an Effort to Get the Project in Such Shape as to Enable the City to Get a Contribution from the D. L. & W. Company.

The outcome of the conference of miners held in this city on Thursday is awaited with much interest by the resident mine workers of West Scranton, and whatever the determination of the leaders might be, it is safe to predict that there will not be a strike, as far as the majority of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western company's employees are concerned.

Another argument which is advanced against a strike is the fact that many of the employees own property in this vicinity and have large families dependent upon them, and now that the mines are working eight hours a day and six days a week, they are in a position to earn money to apply on indebtedness which was incurred during the past two years when work was very slack.

During 1897 the miners averaged about eleven days a month and in 1898 they worked on an average of fifteen days, and in 1899 about twenty days, and during the past three months they have earned more money than at any time in a similar period for several years.

As far as equalizing the scale in the various collieries is concerned, it would be practically impossible, it is said, as the existing conditions are far from being similar.

SLATTERY FUNERAL

The remains of the late Patrick Slattery, who died at the Lackawanna hospital from injuries received on the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad, were interred in the Cathedral cemetery yesterday afternoon.

Services were conducted in Holy Cross church by Rev. J. P. Dunne and a large number attended the obsequies. The pall-bearers were John McLane.

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GEORGE W. JENKINS, 201 S. Main Avenue

For Ladies Only and Just for Today

Every garment guaranteed worth \$1 and taken from the regular one dollar stock. Ladies' Fine Pure Natural Wool Underwear, in all sizes, properly made, beautifully finished and warranted to fit. Special price today, 69c

Ladies' Medium Weight Vests, made from purest Egyptian combed yarns and finished with silk ribbon trim. These vests represent the best 50c goods we know of. Thirty-nine cents for this day only.

That's the bargain price today for Ladies' Pure Wool Vests or Pants, in natural shades or white. We have offered the same thing as a leader at 86c, but at the new figure they are simply half thrown away.

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Mariani Wine—World Famous Tonic.

Written endorsements from more than 8,000 physicians. Never has anything received such high recognition from the medical profession; therefore Vin Mariani can be taken with perfect safety.

Sold by all Druggists. Refuse Substitutes.

Thomas Burke, Michael Dougherty, Patrick Sweeney, Miles Clarke and James Shay.

IN POLICE COURT.

John McNally and Morris Watkins, of Hampton street, were arrested by Patrolman Collins as an early hour yesterday morning for being drunk and fighting on South Main avenue, and while on the way to the station house both resisted and Watkins succeeded in breaking away from the officer.

McNally was locked up and was fined \$10 by Alderman John in police court for being drunk, fighting and resisting arrest. A warrant has been issued for Watkins' arrest.

William Rudis, aged 15 years, who was arrested at the instance of his parents as being incorrigible and for stealing money from the house, was committed to the county jail yesterday by Alderman John in default of \$200 bail.

WEBSTER SOCIETY MEETING.

The regular weekly meeting of the Webster Literary and Debating society was held last evening at the home of Professor Watkin Williams on Academy street. The literary exercises consisted of an evening with Irving. Sanford Phillips read a biography and the Knickerbocker's history of New York was given by W. H. Williams.

The other numbers were "Alhambra" by George Martin; "Chronicles of Conquest of Granada," by William Elias, and "The Sketch Book," by Forbes Eaton. The next meeting will be held at the home of William Elias on Washburn street.

THE VIADUCT PROPOSITION.

In view of the determined stand taken by the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad company relative to the location of the West Lackawanna avenue viaduct, it is said the West Side board of trade and councilmen from this side to take steps towards having the plans modified so that the crossing will be closed entirely.

The necessity of a viaduct is apparent to every resident of the city, the only question is to get it in such form as to receive substantial contributions from the railroad and trolley companies.

MINOR NEWS NOTES.

A good sized crowd attended the fair at St. Patrick's church last evening and enjoyed the entertainment provided. The Cumberland band will attend this evening.

Robert Morris lodge of Ivorites will celebrate St. David's day with a banquet on March 1. David J. Davis, Howell Harris, Daniel J. Reese, D. C. Williams and W. R. Lewis were appointed a committee to make the arrangements.

Joseph Dwyer, of North Garfield avenue, was injured recently while coast-

ing on Jackson street. His face and body were badly bruised.

William Beaumont, of Seventh street, is confined to his home by illness. Thomas Davis, of Fifth street, is suffering from an attack of rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Zimmerman, of Jackson street, are entertaining Miss Bina Hampton, of Nanticoke.

Charles Corless, sr., of South Main avenue, is recovering from an illness. Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Luce, of North Main avenue, entertained a number of young people at their home Thursday evening.

Rev. E. R. Lewis, of Scranton, will preach tomorrow morning and evening at the Olyphant Congregational church.

Branch 44, Daughters of Erin, will hold a country dance in Meers' hall on February 19.

A country dance will be given at the Electric City Wheelmen's club house next Thursday evening.

The new Traders' Building and Loan Association, \$5 per month, for about nine years, at \$1,000. Money paid in can be withdrawn any time with 6 per cent interest. Money to build, on easy terms. First pay night, Thursday evening, January 25, at Co-Operative hall. Invest at home and know what is being done with your money.

A Martha Washington tea will be given by the Ladies' Aid society of the First Welsh Congregational church on Thursday evening, Feb. 22, 1900.

Miss Jennie Davis, of Bromley avenue, entertained a number of friends at her home Thursday evening. Those present were Mrs. Margaret, and Edith Davis, Lillie Jones, Jennie Thomas, Margaret Thomas, Bertha Williams, Gordon and Bertha Thomas, Lizzie Yentzsch, Ray Davis, Eva Evans, Mrs. E. H. Evans and Mrs. G. W. Davis.

Master Walter Justin is suffering from an attack of scarlet fever. Douglas Ward, of North Summer avenue, has returned from visit with relatives in Paterson, N. J.

Rev. and Mrs. Harned, of North Bromley avenue, will spend Sunday with relatives at Newton.

The ladies of the Plymouth Congregational church whose names begin with S, V and W will serve a tea in the church parlors Wednesday evening, January 24.

GREEN RIDGE.

Mrs. J. L. Sherwood, of Poyntelle, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Underwood, of Green Ridge street.

Mrs. H. B. Reynolds, of Monsey avenue, is entertaining Mrs. James, of Brooklyn, N. Y.

Mr. Ellis, of Orange, N. J., is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Herbert Taylor, of North Park.

Green Ridge sub-postoffice, station No. 3, has passed the 500 mark, that is, in a little over a year more than five hundred postal money orders have been sold at this station and the volume of business is increasing right along.

Mrs. Harry Hull, of Seattle, is visiting Green Ridge friends. Mrs. Hull reports her father, Mr. Joshua W. Howell, of San Francisco, Cal., formerly Scranton agent for the North-western Life Insurance company, as being in very poor health.

The eighteenth regular monthly meeting of the Men's union of Green Ridge, was held Thursday evening in the chapel of the Presbyterian church, and proved to be one of the most interesting and enjoyable events in the history of this popular organization.

After music by the men's chorus, Dr. Lansing, acting as toastmaster, called upon the different members of the club who responded as follows: "The Men's Union—What Has It Done in the Past?" G. B. Dimmick; "Our Union—What Might We Do?" Its Future," R. A. Zimmerman; "The Woman's Club—congratulations," G. B. Davidson; "The Public Health Board," Dr. J. C. Bateson; "Municipal Reform—Present Opportunities," E. B. Sturges; "Our Younger Members—What We May Expect of Them," Andrew Fine; "The Kind of Men Whom We Do Not Wish to See Elected in February," C. S. Woodruff. Light refreshments were served in the church parlors.

At a full meeting of the Men's union of Green Ridge, at which the Women's club were represented, it was unanimously resolved that the mayor, district attorney and county detective be called to account by the men's union in the matter of closing saloons on the Sabbath and convicting unlicensed vendors of liquors, and that the president appoint a committee to call upon the officials above named. The committee named is as follows: Mrs. C. P. Davidson, Mrs. Hurley, Miss Ada Geveck, Mrs. Everett, E. Dwyer, Dr. Marth's Everett, R. A. Zimmerman and F. E. Beers.

The funeral of Roy E. Pearce will take place tomorrow afternoon. Services at 1 o'clock at the house, 613 East Market street, and 1.30 o'clock at the Asbury Methodist Episcopal church.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Edith Dennis, of Green Ridge, and Mr. George A. Litchfield, of Carbondale, the ceremony to take place at the home of the bride, 318 New York street, Jan. 24, 1900.

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A Card

The people of Scranton are cordially invited to attend at our store a Sampling demonstration of the merits of our new and very successful tonic and re-builder of strength and health—VINOL.

We have engaged Miss Marden, who is an expert in this line, and she will be in our store this week to talk on the subject of VINOL'S delicious qualities and the great good it is doing among weak, debilitated people, pale women and children, tired, run-down housewives and mothers, and everybody who needs strength and vigor.

This Week Only. Come Early. MATTHEWS BROS., WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DRUGGISTS.

NORTH SCRANTON.

A large party of young folks went to Clark's Summit last evening to enjoy themselves at a party. They occupied one of George Atherton's big wagons, and despite the damp weather felt assured of having a good time.

Those in the party were: Fred Deale, William Wallace, Conrad Snyder, Harry Wedeman, John D. Rick, Harry Von Storch, William Davis, Carl Green, Floyd Bissell, Henry Smith, Bert Green, Ray Saxton, Joseph Blasing, Albert Thomas, Charles Thomas, Henry Rodham and George Dohp.

Rev. E. A. Boyd, of Plymouth Congregational church, West Side, will exchange pulpits on Sunday morning with Rev. R. J. Reese, of Puritan Congregational church.

Mrs. David Morgan, of Wayne avenue, is reported seriously ill.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. John Payne, of William street, a son.

Married—William Hughes, of Wayne avenue, is convalescing from a severe sickness.

Mr. and Mrs. Sage and daughter, Lillian, of New York, have returned home after being called here to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. Watkins.

The marriage of Miss Katherine Peale, of Perry avenue, and Martin Nolan, of Oak street, is announced to take place on next Wednesday at Holy Rosary church.

Miss Katherine O'Boyle, of West Market street, is among the North Scranton victims of grip.

Miss Mary Hopkins, of West Market street, has gone to Archbald to spend a few days with friends.

The Rev. W. F. Davis will occupy his pulpit at the Memorial Baptist church tomorrow, both morning and evening, preaching Welsh in the morning and English in the evening. Bible school at 2 p. m.

A large sum of money was realized by the people of the Memorial Baptist church at their social last Wednesday evening.

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ANNUAL BANQUET AND BALL OF SCRANTON ATHLETIC CLUB.

Held Last Evening in Athletic Hall and Attended by Upwards of 180 Guests—E. C. Newcomb Was the Speaker of the Evening—Those Who Were Present—Ball of the Bachelors of 1900—Other Interesting News and Personal Notes.

Athletic hall was last evening the scene of a very pleasant social event, namely, the Scranton Athletic club's sixteenth annual banquet and ball. Decorator Fuhrman had been busy with the decorations for a week, and the interior of the hall was a bower of beauty. The ceiling was completely covered with the national colors and the decorations altogether were the most elaborate ever seen in this section of the city.

On the large stage sat Lawrence's orchestra of twenty-five pieces, almost completely hidden from view by palms and other potted plants.

The banquet was opened with a selection by the orchestra. Hereupon the chairman of the committee of arrangements, Charles Rosar, introduced the speaker of the evening, Attorney E. C. Newcomb, who delivered a very eloquent address.

Mr. Newcomb spoke of the progress the club had made during the sixteen years of its existence; how sixteen years ago a handful of men got together for the purpose of developing themselves through gymnastics and had made the club what it is today, one of the most prominent organizations in the city.

At 9 o'clock the numerous guests took their places at the tables, which were decorated with cut flowers, and partook of the following menu:

- Oyster Patties and Pettit Pals Olives Pickles Fried Veal a la Merton Stewed Potatoes Potato Salad Roast Turkey Cranberry Sauce Celery Head Lettuce Ice Cream a la Fantaime Assorted Cake. Coffee Fruits

During the entire evening Lawrence's orchestra discoursed excellent concert music. When all present had partaken of the good things to their heart's content, the tables were removed and dancing was indulged in.

The committee in charge of arrangements was composed of the following: Charles Rosar, chairman; A. F. Schneider, Peter Neuls, Chris Rose, A. L. Bahr.

The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. James F. Best, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Schneider, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Pryor, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas P. Daniels, Mr. and Mrs. H. Bergerhauser, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Zuleger, Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Ziesler, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rose, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Neuls, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reidenbach, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Wirth, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Spruks, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Hammen, Mr. and Mrs. Hen. F. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. William C. Klein, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Heuser, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Scheuer, Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Armbrust, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Fuhrman, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph G. Rosar, Mr. and Mrs. John Bergerhauser, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Kohnstamm, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kneller, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Hickey, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wirth, Mr. and Mrs. William Horbach, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Warnke, Mr. and Mrs. John Copeland, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wirth, Mr. and Mrs. George Haurath, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Newcomb, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Sando, Mr. and Mrs. William Koch, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Bonn, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mursch, Mr. and Mrs. William Reidenbach, Dr. and Mrs. Albert Kolb, Mr. and Mrs. George Wirth, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. George P. Hartman, Mr. and Mrs. Albert F. Westphal, Mr. and Mrs. William Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Ehrhardt, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Scheuer, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hess, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Robling, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Robert Evans, Jacob Schuler, E. J. Robinson, J. L. Bour, Jacob Schine, John Meyers, Henry Lessing, Charles Diesing, John Schunk, Charles G. Rosar, John Roth, Edward Frable, C. Langman, John Rorick, F. Wetter, Charles Miller, Albert Hoier, Frank Dambacher, Charles J. Mirtz, Joseph Heen, Fred C. Neuls, Peter Markor, Henry Scheuer, William Rader, H. P. Austin, Fred Jones, Misses Dora Rentscher, Emma Graebner, Hanna Meyers, Lena Herman, A. Weissman, Mamie Loftus, Lizzie Adler, Lena Kellerman, Katie and Mamie Storr, Lizzie Horbach, Freda Rose, Lila Frable, Clara Boser, Lena Lintner, Beatrice Barrett, Margie Carroll, Minnie Neuls, Mamie James, Elizabeth Lloyd, Julia Mirtz, Elizabeth Bollton, Nettie Phillips, Annie and Mamie Dippe, Annie Uhl, Freda Langman, Carrie Scheuer and Polly Heim.

THEIR FIRST BALL. Last evening at Pharmacy hall the Bachelors of 1900 held their first ball. The interior of the hall was artistically decorated by Decorator Fuhrman and presented a pretty picture.

Cusick's orchestra furnished music for dancing and the hall was well filled with the numerous friends of the bachelors.

Refreshments of all kinds, solid and liquid, were served in the rooms adjoining the hall. The affair was a success in every detail and all present voted the bachelors a jolly crowd.

TOLD IN BRIEF. The Welcome dancing class will conduct a country dance and mask ball at Snover's hall on next Wednesday evening.

Cusick's orchestra will conduct a dance at Pharmacy hall on Monday evening.

Camp 439 drum corps will hold their first annual masquerade ball in Athletic hall on Monday, February 19.

On January 22 "The Heart of Erin" will be presented at St. John's hall by the Young Men's Dramatic society.

Mrs. C. J. Hudly, of Fig street, has returned from a pleasant visit at Daleville.

There will be no Sunday meeting in the Young Women's Christian association rooms, at 1021 Cedar avenue, Sunday afternoon, but we will join in the mass meeting to be held in the First Presbyterian church, Washington avenue, at 3.45 p. m., where there will be

special music and a most able speaker. Both men and women are invited. The funeral of Mr. Vosburg, who died on Sunday last from pneumonia, was held on Tuesday afternoon in the Methodist church. Rev. Leacock was the officiating clergyman.

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Quite a number from this place attended the banquet of the Masonic lodge at Factoryville on Wednesday evening.

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