

DAY'S DOINGS IN DUNMORE BOROUGH

PRESENT STATUS OF POLITICAL SITUATION.

Republicans Have Established Headquarters in Tregger's Store, on South Blakely Street, and Are Making an Active Campaign. Charles Slack Injured Yesterday. Paris Dancing Class to Give a Country Dance—Other Interesting News and Personal Notes.

As the time draws near for the election of the candidates nominated last month for the different borough offices, interest is being manifested more and more in the outcome by the leaders and followers of both parties.

The Republican borough committee having decided that a suitable place, to serve as a general rendezvous of their party, would be beneficial, have rented the Tregger's store room and will use the same from the present time to the end of the campaign. The room, which is situated on South Blakely street, at the intersection of Brook street, will open early in the morning, and all interested in the movements of the Republican party are cordially invited to spend as much time as desired there.

The Democrats, having placed their ticket in the field, are working quietly though assiduously for the good of their nominees, and the coming contest will be anything but devoid of interest.

CHARLES SLACK INJURED.

Charles Slack is suffering at his home on East Drinker street from severe injuries sustained while engaged in his duties at the plumbing shop of C. P. Slack, in Green Ridge. The accident happened yesterday as Mr. Slack was drawing ashes out from under the boilers while cleaning the fires. Some clinders caught in the door so that when he attempted to close the same it refused to work. Trying it in a more violent manner the door suddenly descended, catching his hand in such a manner as to crush the thumb and several fingers. Dr. Murphy dressed the injured member, which will prevent any work being done with it for some time.

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A committee in active operation to make the necessary arrangements for their country dance, which will take place Friday evening, February 23. The affair will be held in the Independent Order of Odd Fellows' hall, and judging from the extensive preparations being made will prove a brilliant social success.

LITTLE NOTES OF INTEREST.

The regular monthly meeting of the school board will be held this evening. The meeting will be held in the directors' room in the central building. The many friends of W. E. Keider, of Dewey street, are pleased to see him able to be around after a sickness of four months at the Lackawanna hospital, Scranton.

YOU'LL GET COLLARED SATURDAY.

MINOOKA.

A letter received from Pittsburg yesterday morning by Mrs. John Mangan announced the death of her husband at that city. The deceased journeyed to Pittsburg about a month ago in quest of work, and upon arriving in the Iron City became ill and was removed to the hospital, at which place his death occurred, from an attack of typhoid fever. The remains were interred Saturday at Pittsburg. He is survived by a wife and child, who are in destitute circumstances.

The funeral of the late Miss Rosa Keuster took place Sunday afternoon and was largely attended. For hours previous to the time for the funeral the home of the bereaved family was crowded with many sorrowing friends and relatives, who came to pay a last farewell to the deceased. The remains rested in a beautiful casket in the center parlor of the residence on Main street, where hundreds viewed for the last time the remains of the deceased. The esteem in which she was held was ably manifested by the many floral offerings strewn about the casket. Among those who sent flowers were Mrs. C. E. Pryor, Mrs. F. A. Kane, Miss Jessie Connell, Mrs. A. Connelly, Miss Jennie Campbell and Mrs. F. C. Connelly. Services were conducted at the house by Rev. Mr. Dohy, of the Cedar avenue Presbyterian church, and Rev. Mr. Weber, of Taylor. At 3 o'clock the funeral procession moved to Taylor, where interment was made in the Presbyterian cemetery. The pall-bearers were Joseph Shorten, A. M. Barnes, A. G. Hewitt, P. C. Connelly, George Dierks and John Tindog. The flower bearers were E. V. Jones and T. K. B-hic.

EVENTS OF DAY IN WEST SCRANTON

BOARD OF TRADE VIADUCT MEETING.

Several Hours Devoted to Discussing the Plan of Campaign and Arranging the Necessary Details—An Appeal to the Voters Will Be Issued in a Few Days Asking for Their Support—The Weekly School Deposits—Personals and Other Items of Interest.

An enthusiastic meeting of the board of trade viaduct committee was held last evening, and was attended by several additional members of the board. The sub-committee appointed to draft an appeal to the voters urging support for the present project made its report, and submitted a petition similar to the one circulated three years ago. Several additional features will be added and the committee was authorized to have several thousand printed and circulated.

Another circular will also be issued, signed by prominent citizens, setting forth the advantages of the viaduct and the benefits to be derived therefrom. Large notices will also be printed and put up in conspicuous places to attract the attention of the voters. Arrangements were also made for bringing the matter to the attention of the different secret societies and organizations, and a committee was appointed to distribute funds to defray the advertising expenses.

Several of the gentlemen present volunteered to work at the polls on election day in behalf of the viaduct and others will be asked to assist in securing voters for the project. The committee adjourned to meet at the regular board meeting one week hence, when all who are interested in the movement will be invited to attend. The committee expects to issue their appeal in a few days.

WEEKLY SCHOOL DEPOSITS.

The following deposits were made at the West Side bank yesterday by the principals of public schools Nos. 12, 13 and 14:

- No. 12—David Owens, \$6.75; Martha Watkins, 25; Elizabeth Lewis, 35; Alice Evans, 35; Bernice Kelly, 41.23; Edna D. Evans, 29; Nellie Richards, 52; Catherine Phillips, 23.14; Nellie Kelly, 11.23; Eliza Price, 22.04; Sarah McDonald, 10; Mary Harris, 40; total, \$138.1.
- No. 13—Miss Lees, 22.55; Miss Murray, 15; Miss Nichols, 17.3; Miss Beamish, 32; Miss Kelly, 17.2; Miss Lender, 31; Miss Flynn, 79; Miss Evans, 75; Miss Kellow, 64; Miss Yost, 33.62; Miss Wade, 30; Miss Murphy, 36; Mrs. Ferber, 75; Miss Peck, 61; total, \$137.4.
- No. 14—H. L. Morgan, 14.40; Miss O'Connor, 39; Miss Ruddy, 89; Miss Freeman, 12.7; Miss Ruddy, 89; Miss Mullen, 15.51; Miss Carpenter, 2; total, \$85.7.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

Mrs. W. G. Reynolds, of Edward's court, gave a supper Saturday in honor of her brother, Walter Jones. An enjoyable evening was spent by all who attended. Those in attendance were: Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Reynolds, Miss Lizzie Richards, Miss Bertha Longworth, Miss Katie Jones, Miss Sara A. Thomas, Miss Emma Nichols, Walter Jones, Walter Jones, William Nichols and William Chelenger.

Services over the remains of the late Elizabeth Nichols will be held at the house, 115 North Main avenue, this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Interment will be made in Washburn street cemetery.

Miss Jennie Thomas, of South Main avenue, was tendered an agreeable surprise party at her home last Friday evening.

The West Side Card club was entertained by Miss Stella Shaw, of North Hyde park avenue, last Saturday. The occasion was one of much enjoyment. Superintendent and Mrs. Beemer, of the Hillside Home, entertained a large party of West Scranton people recently, who enjoyed a straw ride to Clark's Green.

A five-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Knowles, of Tripp street, narrowly escaped from being burned to death Saturday evening. A lamp exploded and set fire to the curtains in the bedroom, where the child was sleeping. The flames were extinguished after considerable burning.

The newly-elected officers of the Cht Upsilon society of the Washburn Street Presbyterian church were installed last evening.

Rippled, division No. 45, Sons of Temperance, met in Morgan's hall, corner Bellevue and Jackson street, last evening, where they will hold their meetings in the future.

The contest for a gold chalice between Rev. Father Dunne, of Wilkes-Barre, and Rev. Father McNally, of Georgetown, was won by the former. The sum received was \$3,311.44.

Miss A. W. Stephens, of Nicholson, is visiting relatives on Lafayette street. Miss Margaret Fleming was surprised by a number of friends on Friday evening and entertained them in a very pleasing manner.

Wilford Markley, engineer at the Bellevue mine, is suffering from a fractured wrist, the result of a plane falling on him recently.

Miss Mamie Walsh, of Pleasant street, entertained a large number of young people at a party last Friday evening.

The following prizes were won at St. Patrick's church fair Saturday evening: Box of cigars, Thomas Langan, Jackson street; statue, Miss Sadie Bolton, Sixteenth street; comb and brush.

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SOUTH SCRANTON NOTES.

Annual Masquerade of Scranton Saengerbund—Two Funerals Yesterday—Other Notes.

The Scranton Saengerbund held its nineteenth annual masquerade ball at Athletic hall last evening and it was a grand social success. The spacious hall was tastefully decorated and was thronged with the numerous friends of the popular organization.

The committee in charge of arrangements, who spared no time or expense to make this affair a success, can look back with pride on last night's grand event. This committee was composed of the following members: Gustav Reppert, Paul Heinrich, Nathan Jacobs, Otto Robinson and George Rockweiler.

FUNERALS OF A DAY.

From her late home on Cedar avenue, the funeral of Mrs. Timothy Madden took place yesterday morning. The remains rested in a beautiful casket and were viewed by the numerous friends of the deceased, who gathered at the family residence for hours previous to the hour of interment. At 9 o'clock the casket was closed, and the funeral cortege moved to St. John's church, where a requiem mass was celebrated. Rev. M. J. Fleming was celebrant of the mass and preached a very eloquent funeral sermon. At the conclusion of the funeral services the funeral procession moved to Cathedral cemetery, where the remains were laid to rest.

NORTH SCRANTON NOTES.

Mrs. R. J. Richards Entertains—Enjoyable Evening at Smoking Club—Other Notes.

A delightful time was spent at the home of Mrs. R. J. Richards, 220 Spring street, last evening, in honor of the seventy-fifth birthday of her mother, Mrs. Gevillian Evans.

The following persons were present: Mrs. Morgan James, Mrs. Lewis Roberts, Mrs. Edward James, Mrs. John James, Mrs. John James, Sr., Mrs. Thomas Jenkins, Mrs. Griffin Williams, Mrs. Thomas Collins, Mrs. William T. Williams, Mrs. David Evans, Mrs. Reese Morgan, Mrs. Alfred Powell, Mrs. George Jones, Misses Margaret Williams, Maggie Williams, Green James, Richard Phillips.

MENTIONED IN BRIEF.

There was a most enjoyable time spent at the rooms of the North End smoking club last Saturday evening. The North End quartette rendered several selections during the evening. Professor Derman, of Wilkes-Barre, furnished the instrumental music. Various games and addresses were the other features of the evening.

The Rev. George H. Price, formerly of the Pennsylvania Bible Institute, now pastor of the Baptist church, at Plymouth, will preach at the Gospel Tabernacle, North Jefferson avenue, tonight at 7.30 o'clock, on "The Lord's Second Coming."

On Thursday evening the Robert Emmet Historical society will hold a meeting in their rooms. The character of the Irish patriot, for whom the society is named, will be discussed.

M. J. Callahan, of Baltimore, is the guest of Undertaker A. P. O'Donnell, of Brick avenue.

Bert Sherman, of North Main avenue, is convalescing from the grip.

Benjamin S. Robinson, of Oak street, has returned from Harvey's Lake where he was the guest of his sister, Thomas Powell, of Keystone Academy, and fellow-student Benigno Guerrero, a native of Puerto Rico, have returned to their duties after spending the past few days with the former's mother.

Miss Nellie Brady, of Keiser avenue, and Mr. Edward Sweeney, of Sweeney street, will be married Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Holy Rosary church.

"Captain Jack, or the Irish Outlaw," will be produced by the Excelsior Literary and Dramatic club in the Auditorium Thursday evening.

Mrs. Benjamin Moyers, of Shultzville, is visiting relatives in this section.

Miss Mamie Thomas, teacher at No. 25 school, is ill at her home on Spring street.

AMUSEMENTS.

LYCEUM THEATRE

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Tuesday, February 6.

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TRIP TO THE CITY BURLESQUEERS

ago in one of the magazines, were models in their way.

The bachelorhood of Sir Isaac Newton was a puzzle to some of his contemporaries, but others knew he remained single solely on account of his mother. He thought the world of her, and her affection for him was unbounded; but her maternal love was marred by jealousy, and whenever son thought on marriage or evinced a passing interest even in a pretty face she swopt aside with her hands, and managed somehow to check true love's course. He finally told her he would give up all notion of marriage as long as she lived. After her death he found himself to deeply absorbed in his scientific work and too mature to think of matrimony.

READING ALOUD.

One of the Lost Arts Which Might Profitably Be Renewed.

From the Hartford Courant.

Reading aloud to the children and in the family circle—how fast it is becoming one of the lost arts. What multitudes of children of former days were entertained, and instructed, by this practice, and how few there are who are so entertained and instructed nowadays. Children now, after being taught to read, join that great army which takes in the printed word, swiftly and silently. Most parents, doubtless, are too busy to spare time to educate their sons and daughters by reading to them, and as the children grow older they find their hours too crowded to devote any of them simply to listening. What is the use? They would say, if asked, "Tastes differ, and we can read what we want in a fraction of the time that would be consumed if we had to sit still and hear it."

This is all true enough, but is there not something lost in having the custom of reading aloud lapse so entirely? As a sign of the times, the change is another proof of the rush and hurry of life, and in the family, it is more or less to be considered an evidence of the tendency to "independence" on the part of the younger members. Common interest in a good book, read aloud by a father or mother, is a factor in the home that is important enough to have some attention paid to it. The opposite of "skimming" a book, it develops certain mental faculties that it is well to have developed, and as an exercise in elocution for the reader it has distinct advantages. Books so read are remembered, and their influence on character far exceeds that of many a volume whose pages are turned in a desperate effort to reach the last. Reading aloud is a salutary check on the habits of reading too much and reading too fast.

It would certainly be worth while to take up the practice in families where the conditions favor it, as an experiment. The winter evenings are long, and as one looks back on them he can find at least a few hours that could have been devoted to reading, or to listening. Reading aloud is a quiet enjoyment, to be sure, but it is an enjoyment.

SOME GREAT BACHELORS.

Men of Mark in Politics, Art and Literature Who Never Married.

From the St. Louis-Globe-Democrat.

Samuel J. Tilden was the richest American who ever entered public life and remained single to the end of his days. His persistent celibacy was remarkable, for, unlike Sir Thomas, Mr. Tilden was born with money, and thus from his youth was considered eligible by the masses of many young women.

No Republican of half Mr. Tilden's prominence has gone through life without marrying, but, including David Bennett Hill, who seems to be a confirmed bachelor, Democracy's rolls show a noteworthy triumvirate of the distinguished celibates, James Buchanan, the only bachelor president, being the third member thereof. Buchanan is understood to have refrained from taking a wife because the girl upon whom he set his youthful affections was unfortunate in her marriage. He is said to have regretted the single state to the day of his death. Mr. Hill, the other half reported to be a bachelor from choice.

Literature has furnished a long list of names to the list of eminent bachelors. Possibly the best-known name is Henry James, the novelist. He maintains stoutly that the artist, no matter what the medium of his expression, should remain single, on the ground that the petty cares and carplings of domestic life tend to wear out delicately adjusted nerves and exhaust the mental fibres of genius, whether its possessor be a painter of pictures, a worker in words, a modeller of statues, a composer of music, a singer or one who amuses the people from the stage.

John Greenleaf Whittier was a bachelor, though not from the same cause as the brilliant fiction writer mentioned. Whittier was a great admirer of the married state, we are told, and in his boyhood was a blue-eyed, sweet-tempered, English girl for his sweetheart. Together they went to school as children, and when they grew to youth's estate he told her the story most girls like to hear. She heard it gladly, too, but he was poor and a poet, and love must wait for recognition. She promised, but waiting is wearisome; before recognition came to the gentle young versemaker she forgot him as a lover, and was married to some one else.

Edward Fitzgerald, the translator of Omar Khayyam's quatrains, was a bachelor, and there was a romance in his life, much like the one which saddened Whittier's, but there was little else which they had in common. The celebrity of Charles Lamb was full of pathos, for he remained single all his life that he might care for his sister, Venerable John Burroughs, naturalist as well as writer, and one of the most charming of men, has never been married. Mr. Burroughs was not even a woman-hater, neither has any one ever surmised that a romance caused his bachelorhood.

The only literary bachelor who is acknowledged to be a hater of women is the English poet, Algernon Charles Swinburne. His sentiment appears to be based upon the fact that a woman of little culture would be dull beyond description as a life partner, and the conviction that the clever, well-informed woman is the least attractive of her sex.

Only one noted Protestant divine has been a bachelor. He was Phillips Brooks, who finished life as a bishop of the Episcopal church, and seemingly possessed every quality desirable in a model husband. The cause of his remaining single appears never to have been understood, even by those who were closest to him. He did not avoid the fair, nor has any one been able to recall a romance in his life. In his student days and in his career as a clergyman he had many friendships with women, while his passionate fondness for children was remarked often. His letters to some of his juvenile friends, published a few years

The Day Is in Sight

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For the approaching Spring trade. Meanwhile, we're house cleaning, as it were. That is, we're getting everything in readiness for the reception of the new stock that is now arriving daily.

As might be expected, there's piles of short lengths, odds and ends, little lots, or special numbers that have been dropped in the new purchases, and so we've marked all goods coming under these various descriptions at figures so low that thrifty women will be glad to get a hold of as much as their means will allow. No undesirable weaves or styles are included in any of the lots offered, but changes in the markets and buying conditions have made several new departures imperative, hence our desire to make the clearance as complete as possible.

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One of the most fashionable weaves of the hour. A splendid 65c value.

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Extra finish and very fine make. A good value at 65c.

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OBITUARY

Elizabeth Nichols, aged 55 years, widow of the late George Nichols, of Peckville, died on Saturday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. M. Clarke, of 315 North Main avenue. The funeral will be held this afternoon with services at the house at 2.30 o'clock. Interment will be made in the Washburn street cemetery.

Alvin Davis, aged 14 years, son of Mr. and Mrs. William C. Davis, of Lafayette street, died yesterday morning. Pneumonia was the cause of death. Deceased was a member of the First Baptist church Sunday school and was a bright young man. The funeral will occur at 2 o'clock to-morrow afternoon.

Theresa, the bright and interesting daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Hagen, of 615 Prospect avenue, died yesterday afternoon after a brief illness with scarlet fever. The funeral will take place at 4 o'clock. Interment will be made in the German Catholic cemetery at No. 5.

This Sale Is Now On. Globe Warehouse