

EVENTS OF DAY IN WEST SCRANTON

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH FAIR CLOSED LAST EVENING.

After Two Months of Continued Pleasure and Profit the Event Has Been Terminated Until After Easter—Tenth Annual Banquet at Tabernacle Church—First Legislative District Fight—Chicken Thieves Caught—Funerals of a Day—Minor News Notes.

The fair and festival which has been in progress at St. Patrick's church since Dec. 22 last, was brought to a close last evening, owing to the approach of the Lenten season. Nearly all of the smaller articles have been disposed of and what remains will be removed from the church to the basement of the parochial school on South Main street.

The fair has been a disappointment insofar as the realization of sufficient money to liquidate the indebtedness on the parochial residence is concerned, but a snug sum has nevertheless been realized. The contest for father Whalen's horse netted considerable and it is expected the safe contest will largely increase the receipts. From a social point of view the fair was a grand success and the entertainments furnished were enjoyed by thousands of people.

The articles disposed of last night were as follows: Ricker, Miss Nora Kelly, 721 Scranton street; picture, Mrs. James McCann, Chestnut street; rosary, Miss Mary Morris, Piceburg; picture of Rev. J. B. Whelan, St. Joseph's Foundling Home; lace center piece, Miss Mary Cannon, Filmore avenue; lace handkerchief, Mrs. M. T. Howley, Irving avenue; Bible, T. F. Larkin, van Buren avenue; case of wine and pillow shams, Miss Emma Carey, North Main avenue; camera, Charles Poehner, Muldown; chair, Kate Salmon, Twenty-first street; guitar, Sisters of Immaculate Heart, Sumner avenue; statue of Blessed Virgin, Mary Brown, Seventeenth street; picture of sacred heart, Edith Hogan, shoulder cape, James Boyle, North Ninth street.

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DAY'S DOINGS IN DUNMORE BOROUGH

P. J. TEEVAN ELECTED CHIEF OF FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Was Chosen Last Evening at a Meeting of the Hose Companies—Received Forty Votes More Than His Opponent, W. S. Potter—Funeral of Esther Camin—Other Funerals to Be Held Today—Interesting News Notes and a Number of Personal Briefs.

The new chief of the borough fire department is P. J. Teevan. The delegates of the Neptune, Independent, John B. Smith, A. D. Spencer and Electric Hose companies elected him at a meeting held in the borough building last evening, at which considerable interest and enthusiasm was evidenced. The two nominees were W. S. Potter and P. J. Teevan, and the vote was: Teevan, 108; Potter, 63.

The newly-elected chief is a member of the A. D. Spencer Hose company, and has always taken part in all movements that in any way were of advancement to the borough fire department, and his record as a fire-fighter is one to be envied. He will no doubt adopt some new ideas and materially strengthen the fire department.

The retiring chief, James J. O'Hara, gave the fire laddies excellent advice, and was a general favorite among the men. He held the office three years, during which many noticeable improvements were apparent in the department. Had he not preferred retiring to private life, he would doubtless have been re-elected. The oath of office will be administered to the new chief at the first meeting of council.

THREE FUNERALS. The funeral of Esther, the three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Christ Camin, of Irving avenue, who died Sunday, after a very brief illness, occurred yesterday afternoon. After services at the home on Irving avenue, interment was made in the Peterburg cemetery. The funeral of little Hazel, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cowell, of Shoemaker avenue, who died Sunday, will take place this afternoon. Interment will be made in the Dunmore cemetery.

THE funeral of James Grady, the only son of Mr. Michael Grady, who died while visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James McAndrew, of Providence, Monday evening, will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Services will be held at the home on Apple street, and interment will be made in St. Mary's Catholic cemetery.

BRIEF NEWS NOTES. The St. Mary's Cadet society is requested to meet at the church library at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon and make arrangements to attend the funeral of one of their former members, James Grady, on Thursday afternoon.

PERSONAL NOTES. James S. Quick has gone to Binghamton, N. Y., where he contemplates making his future home.

Rev. A. J. Van Cleft, of South Blakely street, is home from Montross, where he had spent the last three days. There will be a reception at the Dudley Street Baptist church this evening to the new pastor, Rev. J. L. Kreamer.

Fea Coal \$1.25 a Ton Delivered to South Side, central city and central Hyde Park. Address orders to J. T. Sharkey, 1914 Cedar ave. Phone 6682.

SOUTH SCRANTON NOTES. Masquerade Ball of Company A. Patriotic Guards—Other Events Last Night—Other Notes.

Athletic hall was last evening thronged with the numerous friends of Company A. Patriotic Guards, on the eve of their annual masquerade ball. The interior of the hall was tastefully decorated with the national colors and every detail in the way of arrangements had been carefully attended to by the active committee in charge.

Prof. Johnson discoursed excellent dance music and the merry members of the society were given during the evening. At St. John's hall, an Alder street, the ladies of Augusta lodge, No. 98, D. O. H., last evening conducted an orchestra that was an enjoyable success. An excellent programme was rendered and refreshments of all kinds were served.

OTHER EVENTS LAST NIGHT. The pleasure club of the Deutscher Krieger Verein last evening conducted its annual masquerade ball at Workington's hall. The spacious hall was well filled with the numerous friends of the organization and the affair proved a success.

The Young People's society of Christ Lutheran church last evening gave a supper in the church basement for the members of the society. Solos were rendered by several of the members and other musical numbers were given during the evening.

TOLD IN BRIEF. Mrs. Phillip Klein, of Pittston avenue, is seriously ill. Special services were conducted at the Hickory Street Presbyterian church last evening by Camp No. 420, Patriotic Sons of America. Rev. William

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AMUSEMENTS. LYCEUM THEATRE

Thursday Evening, March 1, Daniel Frohman Presents. A Colonial Girl. Howard Gould. As the Patriot Spy. A Stirring Tale of Old New York. The Complete Lyceum Theatre Production. Prices—10c, 75c, 50c, 25c.

NORTH SCRANTON NOTES.

Elated to Be Held in Puritan Church—Little Boy Badly Injured—Other News Notes.

A classedford will be held in the Puritan Congregational church, West Market street, on Monday evening, March 12. Prizes will be given to the amount of \$42.

LITTLE BOY INJURED. The 4-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam McConnell, of North Main avenue, was seriously injured while at play in the yard Monday. The child was running, and stumbling fell on some bushes, under which was a pick standing with the sharp point up, which penetrated his neck, making a horrible wound.

MANHATTAN CLUB BURLESQUERS. Thursday, Friday and Saturday, March 1, 2 and 3. Miss New York, Jr. Big Burlesque Company.

OBITUARY. Willard, aged six years and nine months, the bright and interesting son of Mr. and Mrs. Irwin F. Price, of Montic, Pa., died Sunday at 2:30 p. m. which developed into spinal meningitis. The funeral will be conducted from the residence, Thursday morning at 10 o'clock, Rev. S. W. Young officiating. The remains will be taken on the 12:22 train to Laceyville, via Wilkes-Barre, for interment, which will be made in North Flat cemetery, Wyoming county.

John J. Mooney, one of the oldest street car conductors in this city, died yesterday at 2:45 p. m. at his home, 638 Prescott avenue, after a lingering illness of six weeks. Deceased is survived by his wife and six children: William G., Veronica, Florence, Alice, John J., Jr., and George, and the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. Mary Pryor, Mrs. Maggie Lett, Mrs. Sarah Sherman and Michael, of Butts City, Montana; Thomas, of Nanticoke, and James, of Scranton. Funeral notice later.

Josephine, the 3-months-old twin daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Davis, of 312 Prospect avenue, died on Monday afternoon. The funeral will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in the Minooka Catholic cemetery.

Help Wanted. Advertisements placed in the "Want" columns of THE TRIBUNE are read by the best class of seekers for situations.

PERSONAL BRIEFS. Annes Healy, of West Market street, has accepted a position in the Correspondence school.

PRICELESS INFORMATION in a small envelope. Mysterious diseases, cured, and all ailments, furnished on trial and approval. (Not a fraud) Send for free literature. Write to: ERIE MEDICAL CO., BUFFALO, N.Y.

New Silks For Spring...

Fashions may come and go, seasons may change and new generations may replace the old, but the time's vagaries and changes run as they may, there is one thing they never drive out, namely, Silks, for

Silks Are Always Fashionable

It is true, the weaves, the colorings and effects DO change and lead the way for inferior materials to follow, but Silk, as a fabric, will be a favorite for all time to come and under all circumstances for ladies' apparel, and there is not a well-bred woman on earth who would have it otherwise.

The Silks for 1900 Are Lovely

And we cordially invite you to come and see them. All the other stores in this city put together cannot show you such an extensive and exquisite assortment as we have prepared for your inspection, and as most of the novelties are exclusive the value of the present opening is vastly enhanced.

Among the Novelties Shown Are

New weaves for Waists in Hemstitched Cord Effects, Grenadines that you cannot find elsewhere, Mousselines in wonderfully artistic effects, Crepe-de-Chenes lovelier than ever, Poplins, Tattas of lovely finish and richness of hue, Peau de Soie weaves, etc. Add to these our latest shipments of Corded and Fancy "Jap" Silks for Spring Waists and the immense line of staples always carried in stock and brought right up to date for this display, and you have an event in the Silk Selling History of Scranton that stands without a parallel.

Need We Hope for Your Presence at The Special Show Days This Week?

