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FOR COMMENCEMENT WEEK.

Programme That Will Be Carried Out at Muhlenberg College.

Following is the programme of exercises for commencement week at Muhlenberg college at Allentown:

Saturday, June 27, 10:30 a. m.—St. John's Lutheran church, dedicatory services by the president, Rev. Theodore L. Sipp, D. D.

Sunday, June 28, from 9:15 a. m. and from 1:00 p. m.—Examinations of the lower classes for promotion, and of applicants for admission to college; 8 p. m., reception of the senior class by the president.

Tuesday, June 29—Examinations completed; 9 p. m., Academy of Music, freshmen class play.

Wednesday, June 30, 10 a. m.—Academy of Music, Junior oratorical prize contest; 2 p. m., in college chapel, annual meeting of the board of trustees; 2 p. m., reunion of the Rutgers and Sophomore Literary societies in their halls; 8 p. m., annual alumni meeting; promenade concert on the campus.

Thursday, June 31, 10 a. m.—Academy of Music, commencement, conferring of degrees and awarding of prizes; 2 p. m., in the college building, commencement address, given by the guests of Allentown to the alumni and invited guests, admission by card; 2 p. m., in the college chapel, annual meeting of the alumni; 8 p. m., banquet, annual meeting of the alumni.

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The programme follows:

Haydn—Symphony No. 4 in D Major.
I—Allegro presto.
II—Andante.
III—Menuetto—Allegretto.
IV—Finale—Presto.

Donaud—Valentine's Song from the Opera Faust, Gervilly, Miss Grier.
Mozart—Melodie Elegique, "Spring," for strings, Bonnard—Petite Serenade.
Schubert—March Militaire.
Wagner—The Swan from "The Ring."
Tchaikovsky—The Merry Wives of Windsor.

FIRE AT GLASS WORKS.

Buildings of the Company at Green Ridge Were Entirely Destroyed by Fire Saturday.

One of the largest fires seen in this city in a long time, and yet a fire that can be said to have caused very little financial loss, was the rather paradoxical spectacle afforded the residents of Green Ridge on Saturday afternoon.

The fire was confined to a number of the buildings formerly occupied by the Scranton Glass company, which have been unoccupied for over six years and which were practically worthless. They burned well, being as dry as tinder. The blaze started in some unknown manner in a pile of straw in what was formerly the packing house and spread with remarkable rapidity.

At one time a mass of flame extending over an area of over two acres might be seen, furnishing a magnificent spectacle. The wind was fortunately blowing in a southerly direction and the flames were accordingly directed toward a nearby culm bank. Instead of toward the Drop Forge works and other valuable buildings in the vicinity.

The firemen devoted their energies toward saving the building containing the glass molds, and in this they were very successful. An enormous crowd witnessed the conflagration, many thinking before arriving on the scene that the Manville breaker was on fire.

The buildings burned were erected some twenty years ago, when over \$250,000 was spent in acquiring the property and erecting them. The plant had lately greatly deteriorated in value, so that the loss will be very small. The late J. H. Steele was the president of the company, the other officers being, vice-president, E. P. Kinsbury, and secretary and treasurer, Charles Henwood.

VERY FUNNY BOY.

Likes to Ride from Wilkes-Barre to Scranton.

A very funny little boy is lodged in the central police station. He gives his name as Joseph Midlevitch, and he is about thirteen years old and especially bright and intelligent. He first came into prominence on May 25, when he was found in the Lackawanna yard at Kingston, and was placed in the hands of the United Charities society in Wilkes-Barre.

He told the Wilkes-Barre authorities that he lived in Scranton, and he was accordingly placed on a train for this city. He got off before reaching here, however, and was not seen again until picked up on the streets on Thursday last. He told Mrs. Dugan that he lived in Wilkes-Barre, and he was accordingly shipped back there, only to again fall into the hands of the United Charities society.

He escaped, nevertheless, and once more reached this city, and was arrested on Saturday night. He still persists that he lives in Wilkes-Barre, and says his father and mother are dead. Mrs. Dugan will make an effort to place him in some institution.

THIRD ANNUAL BANQUET.

Principals of the City Schools Had an Enjoyable Time.

The third annual banquet of the principals of the various city schools was conducted on Saturday evening at 8 o'clock, in the dainty private dining room at the Hotel Jermyn, and proved a very merry event.

Twenty-five of the principals were present, while the guests of honor were Superintendent Howell and his wife. After the excellent menu had been discussed, Professor H. Kemmerling, the president of the Principals' Round Table, introduced Professor D. A. Stone, who presided as toastmaster.

No regular list of toasts had been prepared, so that what might be termed an impromptu meeting was held, a number of those present relating witty anecdotes of their experiences in teaching the young idea. Among those who spoke were Superintendent Howell, Professor Grant, Professor Watkin Williams, Professor Fitzgibbon, Mr. Jones and Miss Josephine D. Lee.

WATER BATTERY WENT OVER.

Firemen Had a Narrow Escape From Injury.

While responding to the alarm of fire turned in at Green Ridge Saturday afternoon, a water battery which is kept at the Crystal house, upset at the corner of Penn avenue and Linden street and five men who were riding on it were sent flying in all directions. Fortunately none of them were injured.

The wagon on which the battery is mounted was considerably damaged. One of the axles was broken.

COURT HOUSE NEWS NOTES.

A verdict for the plaintiff was returned Saturday morning in the ejectment suit of Miss Lettie Fish against Charles and Ira Kato.

An arrest warrant returnable next Monday was issued Saturday to compel the city to permit Mrs. H. C. Mott to connect her property on South Main and Hyde Park avenues with the city sewers. There is a dispute between Mrs. Mott and the city over a claim of \$50 for interest and penalty on the sewer assessment. The city has decided in her favor, but the street commissioner refuses to see it this way.

THE APOSTLE OF THE NEW HEBRIDES.

WONDERFUL CAREER OF REV. DR. JOHN G. PATON.

He is One of the Most Noted Men of the Presbyterian Church and Has Spent the Most Valuable Years of His Life in Bringing the Words of the Savior of Mankind to the Nighted Inhabitants of the New Hebrides Islands—His Present Mission to This Country.

One of the most noted men of the Presbyterian church, Rev. Dr. John G. Paton, missionary to the Australian churches, was in the city yesterday and Saturday. He came to this country to attend the missionary conference in Washington last September and to make a tour of the United States, Canada and Great Britain in the interest of his mission.

The venerable missionary was received with exceptional enthusiasm. He appeared at four services and made a wonderful impression upon the people. In the first place his striking appearance is a sermon in his own right, and the atmosphere of his presence was instinctively felt as that belonging to sainthood. His head would be a study for the greatest painter or greatest sculptor that ever lived. Michael Angelo had no such model for any of his inspiring figures. Moses, Giorgione, Delarte or the more modern painters never represented an aged man whose face lives on canvas in such beauty. He looks as if he had walked out of the Old Testament with the gift of prophecy shining on his brow, or as if he were the apostle, old and saintly, had stepped silently into the new century's dawn with a divine message. He has thick, waving hair of the whiteness of snow, with a beard as white and soft. That he called "The Apostle of the New Hebrides" is most fitting.

A FAMILIAR NAME.

To Presbyterians and all actively interested in foreign missions, no name is more familiar than Dr. Paton's. His life-work among the savages of the New Hebrides is a story of self-sacrifice, perseverance and success that rivals the most thrilling tales of heroic adventure. It is related in two volumes of autobiography edited by his brother and published in this country by Lewis & Company of New York and Chicago. It is certainly a marvelously interesting story.

The savage and benighted people among whom he has labored and with wonderful success for forty-two years ago, without a gun, a knife, or any vicious human beings going to help make up the population of the earth. So absolutely depraved are they that they have made virtues of certain vices, particularly of treachery. To him practical treachery is as to them a thing to be lauded. Lying and deceit of all kinds can become in their eyes, a fault only when the purpose is not attained. Successful lying is an accomplishment that tends to put men forward in chief places.

They are cannibals of a very pronounced type and savages without any trace of civilization, without a literature and with a religion that is one of the lowest forms of fetishism known. The finger nails of ancestors are numbered among their deities. The missionaries went among them none of them ever had any idea of a God of mercy or grace. They only worshipped in fear. None but dead spirits inhabited their Olympia and most remarkable of all the brightest heaven they had any conception of was a city on the side of a volcano on one of the largest of the islands.

CUSTOMS OF THE PEOPLE.

A girl of seven years worn by the women was the most elaborate costume to be encountered. Some added a bracelet or necklace of shells, by way of adornment. The sacrifice of children, polygamy, the strangling and burial of widows, and the murdering of old and infirm persons are to be numbered among their common practices. War is the chief occupation of the men. The women are simply drudges.

At present there are, roughly estimated, 70,000 of these people inhabiting the thirty islands comprising the New Hebrides group. Half a century ago scarcely one of these natives but what practiced all these vices. Today there are 15,000 professed Christians among them, and on the island of Aniwa, where Dr. Paton's latest station is located, every adult is a member of the church and regularly attends school. There are yet, it is regrettable to say, anywhere from 40,000 to 50,000 of these poor humans eating the enemies slain in battle, killing widows, sacrificing children and worshipping in their religion of fear the cruelest of gods, trees, stones and volcanoes.

A Tribune reporter had a brief interview with the venerable Dr. Paton yesterday at the home of Rev. James McLeod, D. D., whose guest he is during his stay here. He spoke rather modestly of himself, but when it came to a discussion of the opportunities for work in this field he grew enthusiastic.

He recounted briefly the work that has been carried out and that which is contemplated, after which he branched

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THE EDUCATION OF MR. PIPP.

Tickets for the above entertainment at St. Luke's parish house, Thursday, June 7, for the benefit of the Free Kindergarten, can be had at Courson's and Powell's. Diagram opens at Powell's Tuesday, June 6, tickets, 75 cents, including reserved seats.

ATLANTIC LEAGUE HAS REORGANIZED.

CIRCUIT NOW CONSISTS OF SIX CLUBS.

The Cities Are Elmira, Scranton, Wilkes-Barre, Allentown, Reading and Harrisburg—A New Schedule Has Been Arranged to Last From Now Until June 23—By That Time It Is Expected That Atlantic City and Another Club Will Be in the League.

The Atlantic base ball league reorganized at Allentown last night with six clubs and adopted a new schedule. The delegates present were President Horace S. Fogel, Secretary George Zimmerman, William Sharke, Allentown; Walter Burnham, of this city; W. J. Clymer and H. G. Morrill, Wilkes-Barre; C. G. Puffer, of Allentown; and W. Alexander Miller, Reading.

A proxy and an encouraging telegram was received from H. C. Smith, of Elmira. The delegates attribute the league's trouble to the unfortunate move in admitting Jersey City and Newark and the unprecedented bad weather during May. The league decided to deal vigorously with the striking Reading and Athletic players and Jersey City's manager, again all of whom it is asserted, charges will be preferred before the national board of arbitration.

The Reading franchise was awarded to Charles V. Miller, with W. Alexander Miller as manager. The latter has organized a new team, Harrisburg was admitted in place of the Athletics and Manager Puffer, of that town, has secured players from the Jersey City and Athletic clubs.

The circuit now consists of Elmira, Scranton, Wilkes-Barre, Allentown, Reading and Harrisburg. Atlantic City and another town will probably be admitted within two weeks.

The league's new schedule is arranged only to June 23, as it is expected by that time to have Atlantic City and one other city in an eight-club circuit. The schedule as arranged is as follows:

June 4—Harrisburg at Allentown.
June 5, 6—Allentown at Wilkes-Barre.
June 4, 5, 6—Reading at Scranton.
June 7, 8, 9—Harrisburg at Scranton.
Reading at Wilkes-Barre, Allentown at Elmira.
June 11, 12, 13—Allentown at Scranton, Harrisburg at Wilkes-Barre, Reading at Elmira.
June 14, 15, 16—Scranton at Allentown, Elmira at Wilkes-Barre, Reading at Harrisburg.
June 15, 16, 17—Scranton at Reading, Wilkes-Barre at Allentown, Elmira at Harrisburg.
June 21, 22, 23—Allentown at Reading, Elmira at Scranton, Wilkes-Barre at Harrisburg.

IMPORTANT PERSONAGE.

Census Enumerator is Just Now Occupying a Good Deal of the Attention of the Public.

The census enumerator is just now the most important personage before the American public, and Supervisor Edwards' force working in this city are found early and late dodging in and out of dwellings, courts, livery stables and various other places, tabulating every man, woman, child and horse in his respective district. Thus far nearly all of them have been cordially received, and in very few places, among intelligent people, are any difficulties encountered.

Whenever newspapers are read, the importance of the census is pretty thoroughly understood, the people having become familiar with the questions by reading them in the press. The enumerator whose work takes him among the foreign element encounters more or less trouble on account of the subjects being unable to remember their ages and dates of birth, but the interpreters employed render valuable assistance, and succeed, in a measure, in bringing out the necessary facts.

People who are sufficiently interested in the work and aim to assist the enumerator, prepare the necessary information in advance, and when Uncle Sam's representatives call, they can answer the questions readily and greatly facilitate the work. Among the colored people, some have been encountered who remember that they were born "down south," but cannot state positively when or where.

The proprietress of a large boarding house in the central city, real averse to answering the questions when called upon recently, but the enumerator threatened to place her under arrest, she weakened and furnished him with all the data at her command. The work is being carried out at a surprisingly rapid rate, many of the enumerators being able to record upwards of two hundred names a day.

The people need not fear to encounter the census man, because he is pledged to secrecy and does not care whether you are married or single, or whether you own or lease your property. It is a matter of dollars and cents with him, and the more you try to evade him the more persistent will he be in securing answers to the questions which the law requires him to ask of you.

Don't lock your doors on him, because that necessitates a return trip and loss of much valuable time, and don't try to evade the necessary questions, because he is liable to encounter another member of the family who will volunteer the information.

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WILKES-BARREANS DEFEATED.

Scranton's Golf Team Beat Them on Their Own Links.

Scranton not only won honors from Wilkes-Barre on the ball field on Saturday, but won them on the golf links as well, for the golf team of the Scranton Country Club defeated the golf team of the Wilkes-Barre Country Club on the latter's links. The game was excellently played, the Scranton team winning with 8 up. The score:

F. C. Fuller 11 up
W. D. Johnson, Wilkes-Barre 4 up
T. H. Watkins, Scranton 4 up
A. J. Huntington, Wilkes-Barre 4 up
M. B. Fuller, Scranton 4 up
H. Pollock, Wilkes-Barre 4 up
H. C. Shafer, Scranton 11 up
Mr. Payne, Wilkes-Barre 11 up
James Blair, Jr., Scranton 8 up
Colonel Price, Wilkes-Barre 8 up
T. B. Brooks, Scranton 8 up
G. B. Hillman, Wilkes-Barre 8 up
P. H. Ringbary, Scranton 2 up
Mr. Fleck, Wilkes-Barre 2 up
W. J. Torrey, Scranton 2 up
Fred Hillman, Wilkes-Barre 2 up
F. E. Platt, Scranton 2 up
C. C. Jones, Wilkes-Barre 4 up
M. B. Thompson, Scranton 4 up
M. Tannor, Wilkes-Barre 4 up
John H. Brooks, Scranton 1 up
W. C. Woodin, Wilkes-Barre 1 up

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School of the Lackawanna Commencement, 1900.

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