

# WEST SCRANTON

## A STRONG SERMON TO YOUNG PEOPLE

REV. D. P. JONES AT TABERNACLE ON "A HAPPY MAN."

Happiness Cannot Be Obtained Only by the Way of Wisdom and Understanding—Union Excursion to Harvey's Lake—Camping Parties at Various Lakes—Constable Jones Assaulted—Death of a Former Resident—Young People in a Mine. Other Notes and Personals.

Rev. D. P. Jones, pastor of the Tabernacle Congregational church, preached a sermon to the young people of his church last evening on "A Happy Man," in which he gave some good advice, which should be heeded by many young people who were not privileged to hear the discourse. His text was taken from Prov. 10:12, "Happy is the man that findeth wisdom, and the man that getteth understanding." During the course of his remarks, Rev. Jones spoke as follows:

**Dufour's French Tar Has Won Success, It Cures Your Cold And Gives You Rest.** FOR SALE BY ALL DEALERS.

## HIGHEST GRADE SHIRT WAISTS AT CLOSE OF SEASON'S PRICES

Fabulous Reductions That Will Delight Late Buyers.

Every Shirt Waist offered in the following interesting lots, represents the highest type of this fashionable garment that skill and art can produce. The reductions stated are guaranteed, consequently the great cash saving is made apparent at a glance:

- Lot 1. . . . . 69c
- Lot 2. . . . . 98c
- Lot 3. . . . . \$1.25
- Lot 4. . . . . \$1.50

Other Shirt Waists Not Quoted Here, Go at Similar Reductions



The various societies identified with the Hampton, Simpson and Washburn Street churches will join in a union excursion to Harvey's lake on Wednesday. The following programme has been arranged for the day:

**Camping Parties at Lakes.** The Olympia camping club, composed of many well-known young men, has pitched tents on the shores of Lake Carey, six miles from Tunkhannock, where open house will be kept for the next month. The advance guard is now there and have everything in readiness for the other members.

**Constable Jones Assaulted.** Timothy Jones, constable of the Fifth ward, was assaulted last Friday night in the Carrol place, Lawrence street, while on duty. He was severely injured and is recovering in the hospital.

**Died Away from Home.** Edward Devney, a former resident of this city, who left here a short time ago to reside at Atlanta, N. Y., died at the latter place on Saturday morning. Deceased had been a resident of West cranton for thirty years and was well known.

**A Mine Party.** A party of young people were guided through the underground workings of the Central mines last Wednesday evening. Several flashlight pictures were taken and the working of the mine explained.

**Among the Churches.** The evening services at the Plymouth Congregational church yesterday were in charge of Rev. Frank J. Milman, pastor of the Summer Avenue Presbyterian church. L. M. Keene conducted the morning services at the Summer Avenue church.

**GENERAL NEWS NOTES.** Services over the remains of the late Mrs. Sarah Houser were conducted Saturday afternoon by Rev. Frank J. Milman. Burial was made in Forest cemetery.

**WHAT DO THE CHILDREN DRINK?** Don't give them tea or coffee. Have you tried the new food drink called GRAIN-O? It is delicious, healthy and takes the place of coffee. The more GRAIN-O you give the children the more health you distribute through their systems. GRAIN-O is made of pure grains, and when properly prepared tastes like the choicest coffee. It costs only about 1/2 as much. All grocers sell it.

## The New Store NISBET'S

308 Lacka. Ave

### August Sale of Shirt Waists

You could use a few more Shirt Waists if you buy them cheap enough, couldn't you? Now, then, is your chance to buy. We still have a splendid selection to choose from—in fact, our stock is entirely too large to suit us, and we are determined to reduce it at once, no matter how great the sacrifice. Read our prices and be among the first to secure the best of the offerings.

- 50c Shirt Waists, now.....33c
- 75c and 80c Shirt Waists, now.....50c
- \$1.00 Shirt Waists, now.....69c
- \$1.25 Shirt Waists, now.....83c
- \$1.39 Shirt Waists, now.....89c
- \$1.50 and \$2.00 Shirt Waists, now.....\$1.00
- \$2.25 and \$3.00 Shirt Waists, now \$1.50.

These are all bright, new, 1900 goods, in white lawns and colored percales, dimities and ginghams.

### Today==Monday==Our Great Bargain Day

We Offer You These Special Items:

- Table Oilcloth** A large assortment of patterns to choose from. Best table oilcloth, 35 inches wide, worth 25 cents a yard..... 19c
- Striped Linings** Fast black percale skirt linings, with fancy stripes of all colors, Full 36 inches wide and worth 18c yard..... 12c
- Beautiful Ties** Gents wide and four-in-hand or imperial ties. Best heavy silks and satins. All regular 50c goods. Marked down for two days to..... 33c
- Mercerized Umbrellas** There nothing that looks so much like fine lustrous silk as the mercerized cloths. We offer you a bargain in umbrellas of this material. Elegant assortment of handles. Worth from \$1 to \$1.50..... 84c
- Fancy Hose Supporters** Ladies' Fancy colored hose supporters, with band and side elastics..... 12c
- Beauty Pins** Good, durable beauty pins, one piece, fancy enamel tops, 7c per dozen..... 7c
- Boys' Caps** Children's linen and pique washable caps. The remainder of our 25c goods..... 16c
- White Laundered Shirts** Our best 50c white laundered shirts are sure bargains at the price, but we will offer them to you today—Monday, at 38c only..... 38c
- Puff Combs** An unexcelled assortment of puff combs for the back hair. Worth from 15c to 25c each. All styles..... 9c

## NISBET'S.

## GATHERED IN SOUTH SCRANTON

FUNERAL OF MRS. EDWARD MANNING SATURDAY.

Requiem Mass Celebrated in St. John's Church by Rev. E. J. Melley—Fire in the House on Hickory Street Occupied by Mr. and Mrs. John Phillips—Work Is Progressing Rapidly on the South Side Sewer—Miss Mulholland Entertains Friends.

Saturday morning at 9 o'clock the funeral of Mrs. Edward Manning took place from her late residence on Cedar avenue, and was largely attended. The members of Branch No. 228, L. C. B. A., of which organization deceased was an active member, attended the obsequies in a body. At 9 o'clock the casket was closed and the cortege moved to St. John's church. Rev. E. J. Melley, pastor of that congregation, celebrated a requiem mass and preached a touching funeral sermon.

**Fire on Hickory Street.** About 8:30 o'clock Saturday evening a lamp exploded in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Phillips of 418 Hickory street, setting fire to the house and damaging the furniture and household effects to the value of \$50. Mrs. Phillips was alone in the house and before retiring lit a lamp, placing it in the upper bed room. She was engaged in locking the lower door preparatory to retiring when she found the upper rooms ablaze.

**GREEN RIDGE.** Rev. N. F. Stahl preached from the pulpit of the Green Ridge Presbyterian church yesterday morning, taking for his text Rev. 12:1. "For I am persuaded that neither death nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor powers, nor things present, nor things to come, nor height, nor depth, nor any other creature, shall be able to separate us from the love of God which is in Christ Jesus our Lord." He prefaced his sermon with words of affectionate greeting to the members of his former congregation and of pleasure that he was able to take part in the message of the peace of the Gospel of Christ. In the evening he spoke at the mission on Capouse avenue, which is a branch of the Green Ridge church.

**DUNMORE DOINGS.** Meeting of School Directors Saturday Night—Business That Was Transacted—Other Notes.

The borough school directors met in special session Saturday night in their accustomed place, and proceeded to finish the meeting of the business session on their behalf. Spencer, Costello, Miller and Haggerty were present and in the absence of the president, Irvin, Director Spencer was elected president pro tem.

**FELL UNDER THE CARS.** John Page, Residence Unknown Fatally Injured at Heart Lake. An unknown man, supposed to be John Page, while attempting to jump on an engine at Heart Lake Saturday evening, fell underneath the wheels and had his left leg crushed between the knee and ankle. He was brought to this city on the Dodge Fund excursion train, but died before reaching the city from loss of blood.

**YESTERDAY IN THE CHURCHES.** Rev. Dr. Nichols, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, of Binghamton, N. Y., preached yesterday morning in the Presbyterian church in this borough. An attentive audience followed the discourse to its completion. In the evening, Rev. W. F. Gibbons, the pastor of the church, preached his first sermon after an absence of five Sunday days.

**OBITUARY.** Mrs. Henry Lucy died yesterday afternoon at 1 o'clock, at her home, 418 William street, Dunmore. She was 78 years of age, and is survived by the following sons and daughters: John Lewis, Henry Lewis, William Lewis, and Edward Lewis. Her husband is in this city, and Edward Lewis, of Colorado, is in Philadelphia, and Mrs. Christ Pfeiffer, of Philadelphia, and Mrs. George Hartman, of Dunmore, are in Dunmore. The funeral will take place Tuesday at 3 p. m. Services at German Presbyterian church on Cross street. Interment will be made in Dunmore cemetery.

**A Pleasing Lawn Party.** Mr. Stewart Bishop gave a lawn party to his most intimate friends on the pretty lawn surrounding his home on Brook street, last Saturday evening. The affair proved a most enjoy-

## SUMMER RESORTS.

### THE WINOLA

Lake Winola, Pa. This old and reliable summer hotel seeks your patronage. Fine grove of large trees surrounding house. Orchestra of four pieces in ball room each evening. Regular boarders admitted free. Rates reasonable. Illustrated booklet on application. Address, C. E. Frear.

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THE ARLINGTON The leading hotel. Extensive improvements service first class. Orchestra; special rates to families; booklet. C. H. MILLAR, Prop.

### Central R. R. of New Jersey

Ten Days at Seaside. Excursion to Long Branch, Ocean Grove and Asbury Park, OR Saturday, August 11, 1900. BY SPECIAL TRAIN.

Tickets will be good to go only on special train August 11, and for return on any train on or before Tuesday, August 12.

Fare for the round trip from all stations, \$1.50. Children five to twelve years of age, half fare. Train leaves at 8:15 a. m.

able and pleasing affair to both the guests and host.

Those present were: Misses Marjory Eden, Florence Dony, Myrtle Watrous, Nellie van Camp, Bertha Dion, Jessie Wertz, Mable Watrous, Mae Pinnell, Sarah Hughes, Ruby Yost and Genevieve Bieseker; Messrs. Benjamin Satterfield, Leslie Marsh, John Wert, George Oswald, Howard Satterfield, Harry Stevens, Harry Harper, William Zeigler and Charles Weber.

**News Notes and Personals.** The members of the Young Men's Institute of St. Mary's Catholic church, held their annual picnic Saturday night in Laurel Hill park. In conjunction with their friends a successful evening of pleasures was spent. Misses Kate McHale, Ella Lyden and Kate Conerton, are at Lake Ariel, where they will spend several days' vacation.

A Councilman Payton, of Bloom street, accompanied by Thomas Payton, of Apple street, are in Fall River, Mass.