

# WEST SCRANTON

## DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS WILL BE HELD TODAY

### TO SELECT DELEGATES TO FIRST DISTRICT CONVENTION.

Candidates Will Be Nominated to Oppose T. Jefferson Reynolds—T. D. Hayes, of North Scranton, the Probable Nominee—Miss Williams Kissed by a Kissing Bug—B. Y. P. U. Excursion to Harvey's Lake, Small Fire on Sixth Street—Notes and Personals.

The Democrats of the First legislative district will caucus this afternoon from 4 to 7 o'clock for delegates to the convention to be held in Golden's hall next Friday afternoon, when a candidate will be placed in nomination to succeed Hon. John R. Farr, the present incumbent.

The Republicans have placed in nomination T. Jefferson Reynolds, of South Main avenue, and from present indications his opponent will be T. D. Hayes, of North Scranton, who is the only candidate who has thus far announced himself.

Comparatively little interest is manifested in the primaries today and it is doubtful if many of the polling places will be open. Attorney M. J. McAndrew, who has been mentioned in connection with the nomination, will not be a candidate. This information was vouchered yesterday by one of his closest friends.

Mr. Hayes is a conspicuous figure in the ranks of the United Mine Workers of America and looks for his support among the members of the local unions in the district.

### Postoffice Improvements.

Now that the branch postoffice is in successful operation and is a source of much convenience to the general public, it would be well to have a suitable sign erected over the door to enable people to easily locate the office. The paint on the windows at present is unbecomingly old and should be removed. Another improvement which is needed is a larger letter or package drop in the door, which can be used after closing hours.

### Excursion to Harvey's Lake.

An unusually large gathering of young people attended the annual excursion of the Baptist Young People's Union of Northeastern Pennsylvania to Harvey's lake yesterday. The day was delightfully spent by the excursion-

ists in various ways, which included boating, fishing and other amusements. Delegations were present from all of the Baptist churches in this city, and representatives of the Olyphant, Pittston, Taylor, Wilkes-Barre and other societies were also on the grounds in large numbers. President David J. Davis deserves much credit for the able manner in which the excursion was conducted, as it was one of the most successful gatherings ever held under the auspices of the union.

### Slight Fire on Sixth Street.

A lamp was exploded last night at 10 o'clock in the house occupied by David Williams and family, on Sixth street, and in consequence an alarm was turned in from box 14, corner of West Lackawanna avenue and Seventh street, but before the firemen arrived the flames were extinguished with a few pails of water. The table cloth and wallpaper behind the table were damaged, but not very much. The Hook and Ladder company was ready for business, but their services were not needed. The damages are slight.

### Another Kissing Bug Victim.

Miss Margaret Roberts, of Hampton street, is the latest victim of the kissing bug, which has again made its appearance in this vicinity. She was severely bitten recently while seated on the porch at her home with a number of friends.

The young lady felt something biting her, which she thought was a mosquito, but her face began to swell and caused her much pain. A physician was called who reduced the swelling.

### GENERAL NEWS NOTES.

An infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Jones, of Van Buren avenue, was buried in the Catholic cemetery yesterday afternoon.

The Franklin Engine company held their regular monthly meeting last evening, and passed upon several matters pertaining to the company. A large representation was present at the meeting.

### Read the full description of The Tribune's Educational Contest on fourth page.

### SOUTH SCRANTON NOTES.

**James Flood Badly Bitten by a Dog.**  
Scranton Athletic Club's Coming Fair—Other Notes.

James Flood, of Elm street, a young man engaged as a driver for Casey & Kelly, was painfully bitten by a large St. Bernard dog last Saturday while delivering goods to a party named Slavoski, living on Prospect avenue.

Mr. Kelly was sent to the hospital about 8 o'clock at night, and upon entering the yard the dog made a spring for him, painfully lacerating the leg above the knee. He fought the dog off, until assistance arrived, when he was immediately taken to Dr. J. J. Manley's office, where the wound was cauterized. No serious results are anticipated.

### Athletic Club's Fair.

A well-attended meeting of the committee on arrangements for the coming fair of the Scranton Athletic club was held last night in their hall on Alder street, where plans were discussed to make this fair a most successful one. The exact time of the fair has not yet been decided upon, but it will take place some time next February or March.

The committee who are hustling about to make this a success are: George Wirth, Jr., Peter Niles, Gus Schneider, Matthew Bone, Benjamin Moore, James Best, Charles Heiler, Charles Ross, William Lewert, Henry Spruks and John Metz.

### PERSONAL BRIEFS.

Miss Frances and Lovetta Bearman, of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Miss Vera Flynn, of Pittston, are visiting Miss Mary Rudy, of Cedar avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Robinson, of Pittston avenue, and daughter, Helen, returned from a visit to Niagara Falls and Buffalo.

Mr. John Zang, of Alder street, is spending a week with friends in Peckville.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stark, of Cedar avenue, are spending a few days at Lake George.

Mrs. Nicholas Henry, of Stone avenue, leaves today for New York, where she will take a three months' course at the Female Medical school.

There will be a special meeting of St. Alloysius society at 7:30 this evening in St. John's church basement.

### Pea Coal \$1.25 a Ton Delivered.

To South Side, central city and central Hyde Park. Address: John T. Sharkey, 701 Cedar avenue. Phone 652.

### NORTH SCRANTON.

Miss Annie Kline, the young lady of North Scranton who had her eye severely injured by the explosion of the Merchants' and Mechanics' bank, is rapidly recovering. It was thought at first that Miss Kline would lose the sight of her eyes, but by the skillful treatment of her physicians she will recover her sight.

William F. Lynch, of West Market street, is spending his vacation in New York city.

Dr. J. P. Stanton, of West Market street, is visiting Philadelphia yesterday.

Mrs. Henry H. Hinton has returned from Glenburn, where they attended the Northrup reunion.

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### Change of life.

What will that change bring to me? Will it see me living in dreams of a happy past, a healthy woman who has given to the world fair daughters and strong sons? Or will it see me only the woman who was; a moaning invalid, a burden to those I love, broken of body and miserable of mind?

The pertinency of those questions to every woman lies in the fact that few of them pass through this period of functional change without suffering both physically and mentally. Like so much of womanly suffering, this, too, is accepted as the unavoidable penalty which the sex must pay to nature.

This view of suffering is a gross slander on nature, whose every season has its own charm, and who "hath made all things beautiful in their time." In a healthy condition there should be no suffering for women at this period of change. When there is suffering; when the body is in pain, and the mind is clouded by jealousies or darkened by fears, it is generally because the womanly organism is diseased and the nervous force exhausted.

It is at this crisis that the great medicine for women, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, proves its value anew. This medicine, which helps the maid, wife and mother, will carry the woman safely and happily through this critical period of change. It will preserve her from the chronic invalidism which claims so many victims at this period of functional change. It will give her physical strength, tranquil nerves, sound sleep, and a healthy appetite.

### A Woman's Recommendation.

Mrs. M. Barnes, of Balls Ferry, Shasta Co., Cal., writes: "My physician said I was suffering from the effects of 'change of life.' I had heart disease, uterine trouble, and rheumatism. My head was so dizzy I could hardly stand. When I began to use Dr. Pierce's medicine I improved right along. I took seven or eight bottles of the 'Favorite Prescription,' a teaspoonful three times a day, and the 'Pleasant Pellets' at night. I feel as well as I ever did. I take great pleasure in recommending Dr. Pierce's medicines to suffering women. I think they are the best medicines in the world. I can't say enough in their praise. The 'Favorite Prescription' cured me after I had been so sick for two years that I was hardly able to get up."

### The greatest advertisers of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription are the women who have used it and proved its remarkable power to cure womanly diseases. The testimony of a weak woman who has been made strong, or a sick woman who has been made well, by the use of "Favorite Prescription," is something real and tangible. It is not like the specious promises to cure which are held out in a certain class of advertisements. It is not prophecy, but history. When some woman says to a sister in suffering: "I know that Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription will help you, because it helped me; because it cured my diseases and banished my pains," the woman who hears the testimony instantly seizes hold of the fact that there is help and healing right within her reach.

### "Such a Wonderful Cure."

"I will give you a full account of my case as near as I can," writes Mrs. Maggie Morris, of Munson Station, Clearfield Co., Pa., Box 16. "I have been a very healthy woman, and this time has been very hard with me. I am come to the

# THE WOMAN WHO WAS.

time of change of life, and I have been sick a good deal, off and on. When Mrs. Hemmis moved beside me I was sick in bed, and when she came to see me and we were talking over the sickness, Mrs. Hemmis told me to try Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and also 'Pellets.' I got her to bring me a bottle of each from the drug store, and I used them. They did me a great deal of good, and I got two more bottles of 'Favorite Prescription.' That made three bottles of 'Prescription,' two of 'Discovery,' and two of 'Pellets.' I never saw such a wonderful cure. Before I commenced your remedies I was good for nothing. I had to send my washing out for I was not able to do it. Then I got worse and had to get a girl to do my work. I would have headache so badly; would bloat up, and was in such misery I hardly knew what to do with myself. I was ever so thankful to Mrs. Hemmis for letting me know what a grand medicine Dr. Pierce's was. I believe I would have been dead had it not been for this medicine. I was so sick and bloated that I did not know what was to become of me. Now I am better of all that. I can do all my work myself, and feel well now. That was the reason I wanted to get one of your 'Common Sense Medical Advisers.' I thought that when I received so much benefit from your medicines I would also receive more from your book."

It always helps. It almost always cures. The patient, persistent use of Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription results in a perfect and permanent cure in ninety-eight cases in every hundred. But in every case the use of this medicine greatly benefits, if it does not completely cure. In the case of Mrs. Bowman, given below, she was relieved of three-fourths of her pain. From a woman who was unable to do anything, and who feared that she would lose her mind because of the terrible pains in her head and neck, she has been changed by "Favorite Prescription" to a woman who can work every day in reasonable comfort.



Her Duty Done. "I feel it my duty to write you, as I have received so much benefit from the use of your medicine," says Mrs. Lizzie A. Bowman, of New Matamoras, Washington Co., Ohio. "I have taken four bottles of 'Favorite Prescription' for female weakness and change of life. Before I began taking it I could not do anything. I had such pains in my head and in the back of my neck that I thought I would lose my mind. Now I can work every day and do not suffer one-fourth of the pain. I recommend 'Favorite Prescription' to all females suffering in the period of change of life. It is the best medicine I have ever found."

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### TO EXTEND SCHOOL VACATION.

Many Controllers Don't Want Schools to Open Until Sept. 10.  
There is a growing sentiment among the members of the school board in favor of extending the school vacation this year until September 10. September 3 is the date fixed for opening the schools.

### OBITUARY.

Thomas Norton, aged 22 years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Norton, of Hillery street, died of heart disease yesterday afternoon at 12:30 o'clock at the home of his parents. Deceased, who was a young man of exemplary character, had been sick for nearly a year, and was confined to his bed for fifteen weeks. His sickness was so severe that he was unable to get out of bed for several months. He was buried in the St. Alloysius cemetery.

### AMONG THE POLICE.

In the absence of Mayor Blair, Alderman Kason yesterday morning presided over police court, Edward Salmon, of Krosner court, was one of the first prisoners arraigned before him and was discharged. He was arrested last Monday night at the complaint of his wife, who said that he treated her in such a brutal manner that she was afraid to remain the home with him. An amicable settlement of the case was yesterday morning made between man and wife and Salmon dismissed from custody.

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