

WEST SCRANTON

END OF THE STRIKE LOOKED FOR SOON

MINERS HOPEFUL THAT A SETTLEMENT WILL BE MADE.

Probable Adjustment Meets with General Approval Among the Mine Workers — Lackawanna Official's View of the Situation—Sudden Death of James O'Keefe at His Home on Luzerne Street—Simpson Church Meetings—Funeral Announcements and Other Notes.

The probable settlement of the strike among those interviewed on the subject last evening was to the effect that intervention on the part of men influential with the operators means a victory for the miners, and if their demands are recognized, the matter of recognizing the United Mine Workers as an organization will not interfere with a peaceable settlement of the existing grievances.

The men here are quite jubilant over the prospects of an early settlement, as many of them are desirous of returning to work, although they would not take steps to return to the mines without there being a general receding among the union men.

A prominent Lackawanna company official in speaking of the possibility of an early settlement, had this to say: "I believe there are many of our men who want to return to work, and would willingly do so, if it were not for their fear of being ridiculed by their fellow workers. If there is to be a settlement of existing difficulties, I am quite confident that it will be satisfactory to all concerned."

"There is no doubt in my mind but that the miners will be benefited by a settlement, and that such a move will redound to the credit of all concerned. Undoubtedly the miners have some grievances, which should be adjusted, and I hope that everything will be amicably settled to the satisfaction of all."

Sudden Death on Luzerne Street.

James O'Keefe, residing at 91 Luzerne street, died suddenly yesterday morning at his home, although no suspicious circumstances are connected with his death.

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tion, and a large assemblage of singers is expected. Prof. Daniel Protheroe, of Milwaukee, Wis., will be the conductor.

The Bible class meeting at the Young Women's Christian association rooms yesterday afternoon was addressed by Rev. George Alich, who gave an interesting talk along Biblical lines.

Another slight fire occurred yesterday morning in Charles Young's hotel, but was extinguished before much damage was done. The engine was engaged in repairing a leak in the gas pipe, when the woodwork became ignited. An alarm was turned in from Box 35, but the firemen were not needed.

The damage to St. Patrick's orphanage during the storm airt yesterday morning was not very extensive. A portion of the roof and ceiling was damaged, and several bricks were torn away from the outer wall.

Mrs. Frank Jones, of Jackson street, returned home the forepart of the week from an official visit in New York state in the interest of the Patriotic Order of Americans. She is now visiting the camps in New Jersey and Philadelphia.

Alderman Kellow, John Stover, William and Charles Dyckelick are fishing in Wayne county.

Miss Grace Peck will meet the kindergarten pupils of the Young Women's Christian association at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at 239 o'clock.

Miss Jennie Lewis and Margaret Davis attended a party in Pittston, Tuesday evening, which was given by Tallie Evans to the young people who journeyed across to the city. This afternoon the Socialist-Labor party.

The speaker dwelt mainly upon the government control of things in general, the suppression of trusts and the obliteration of all political parties but the Socialists. He used the strike among the miners as an argument against the trusts.

A Democratic mass meeting was also held last evening at the Five Corners in Bellevue.

There is a growing interest in the afternoon meetings now being held at the Simpson Methodist Episcopal church. Yesterday the address was made by W. W. Adair, secretary of the Railroad Young Men's Christian association. His subject was "God, the Solution of Life's Difficulties." This afternoon Mayor James Moir will be the speaker, and there will doubtless be a large attendance to hear him.

Rev. J. B. Sweet delivered a lecture in the church last evening on "Preventive History," which was very interesting throughout. He related incidents from the beginning down to the present time, and spoke with a thorough knowledge of his subject. The lecture was given under the auspices of the Epworth league of the church.

Services over the remains of the late Mrs. Lewis will be held at the house in Decker's court at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Burial will be made in the Washburn street cemetery.

The remains of an infant child of Mr. and Mrs. James Simms, of West Lincoln street, were interred in the Washburn street cemetery yesterday afternoon.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Catherine Davis will take place at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon. Services will be held at the house, 355 North Lincoln street, and interment will be made in Washburn street cemetery.

The funeral of the late Rev. William L. Evans will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock at Plymouth. A number of people from here will attend the services.

GENERAL NEWS NOTES.

The singing festival to be held in the Welsh Calvinistic Methodist church on Sunday is attracting much attention.

NORTH SCRANTON.

The funeral of Stewart M. Hufford, who died Wednesday, will be held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the family residence on Jadwin street. Interment will be made in Forest Hill cemetery. The deceased was a well-known resident of this section. He was thirty-eight years of age. He had been employed as an engineer at the Mt. Ridge mines for a number of years. Mr. Hufford was a charter member of Washington camp, No. 17, Patriotic Order Sons of America, and had held the office of treasurer of that society for some time. He also belonged to Company H, Thirtieth regiment. The deceased is survived by a wife, one child, a mother and two sisters, all of whom have the sincere sympathy of their many friends.

The funeral of Anthony Knight was held yesterday morning from his late home on West Market street. The remains were taken to the Holy Rosary church at 9:30 o'clock, where a high mass of requiem was celebrated by the Rev. J. V. Moylan. St. Mary's choir had charge of the singing. The service was thronged with friends and relatives. The deceased, who came to pay their respects to the departed. The floral emblems were many and beautiful in design. Interment was made in Cathedral cemetery.

The members of the West Ridge Accidental fund are requested to meet at Morris V. Morris' hall, North Main avenue, at 1 o'clock sharp, to attend the funeral of their late brother, Stewart Hufford. The funeral will take place at 1:30 p. m. Interment in the Forest Hill cemetery.

Miss Stella Benjamin, of North Main avenue, was pleasantly surprised by a number of her friends last evening by tendering her a party. Games, music and dancing were indulged in. Those present were Misses Anna Kissling, Azubia Swartz, Diana Watkins, Belle Robinson, Ida Bisbing, Amy Colvin, Rosser Price, Robert White, Joseph Watkins, Clarence McAllister, James Laid, Albert Benjamin and Jay Robinson.

John Early, of West Market street, was arraigned before Alderman Saltry, of the Third ward, on a charge of assault and battery, proffered by M. M. McNamara. In default of bail the defendant was committed to the county jail.

The Epworth league of the Providence Methodist Episcopal church held a meeting last evening and elected officers for the ensuing year.

The Ladies Aid society of the Providence Methodist Episcopal church held a meeting yesterday afternoon.

Last evening the members of the North Main Avenue Baptist church met in the church parlors and extended a call to their pastor, Rev. S. J. Beading, to return to them. They have given Mr. Beading a very liberal offer, and it is hoped that he will accept.

John Peil, of Keyser avenue, has returned home, after visiting friends in Carbonate.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Bryden have returned from their wedding tour, and

SOUTH SCRANTON

TWO PLEASANT SOCIAL EVENTS LAST NIGHT.

Miss Kate Kileyne Gave a Trolley Party in Honor of Her Birthday and Miss Meta Thoms Entertained Friends at Her Home—Arrangements Progressing for Athletic Club's Fair—First Entertainment of the Reorganized Loyalty Club to Be Given Tonight—Other Notes.

In honor of the birthday of Miss Kate Kileyne, of Pittston avenue, a trolley party was given last evening by a number of her friends, and a jolly evening was spent. Those participating were Misses Anna Burkhouser, Lena Burkhouser, Minnie Burkhouser, Kate Kirst, Kate James, Frances Lewert, Margaret Fritchel, Kate Fritchel, Kate Kileyne, Elizabeth Luther, Emma Luther, Lena Hartman, Minnie Hafner, Mrs. Weiser, Anna Sommars, Anna Hickey, Mary Stigleska, Anna Longenderfer, Lillian Reisch, Alice Jones and Mary Merman. The gentlemen present were Messrs. Henry Bellinger, Jacob Smith, Mr. Fisher, Louis Stigleska, Alex. Miller, Mr. Wentzel and Mr. Lovelass.

Miss Meta Thoms, of Willow street, very pleasantly entertained a number of her friends at her home last evening. Various amusements were indulged in and a very pleasant evening spent. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schweitzer, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kellerman, Miss Anna Faust, Miss Lottie Wirth, Miss Annella Koch, Mrs. Christina Koch, Miss Meta Schwam, Miss Lewis, Messrs. Joseph Schutz, Fred Lauber, Arthur Schwass and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schwass.

Athletic Club's Fair.

The fair committee and the ladies' executive committee of the ladies' Athletic club met in joint session last evening and various committee reports were heard.

The ladies' branch of the work is being accomplished very rapidly and there is a very spirited rivalry between the ladies of the different booths as to which shall secure the most subscriptions, and judging from the outlook the race will be good-natured, but exciting.

Next week there will be a gold watch contest started for the ladies, which will also be quite interesting. The club has purchased a sword and belt and there will be a contest between Mr. Hildebrandt, of a West Side Knights of the Golden Eagle, and Henry Moore, representing a lodge in this part of the city; the party securing the largest amount of money by popular subscription getting the prize.

Loyalty Club's Concert.

The Loyalty club of the South Scranton Young Women's Christian association, which reorganized last Friday evening, at a short session, will hold their first entertainment of the season tonight in the association rooms, Cedar avenue.

These entertainments have heretofore been unusually popular and as this is a new venture, it is expected that the evening will be no doubt a success. The programme to be given is as follows: Piano solo, Miss Anna Vorbees; vocal solo, Miss Gertrude Long; recitation, Miss Mildred Green; violin and piano, Miss Clara Long. Position, Miss Mildred Green; vocal solo, Miss Gertrude Long; piano solo, Miss Anna Vorbees; violin solo, Miss Clara Long.

Y. W. C. A. Notes.

The Loyalty club of the South Side Young Women's Christian association rooms, had a meeting Friday night and planned for the winter's work and decided to open the club work on Friday night, September 28, with a delightful entertainment, having some of the best talent the city affords. The musical and literary programme will be published in tomorrow's issue. All members of the Loyalty club are urged to be present on Friday night. "Come and bring a girl with you."

The educational department of the association will open the first week in October. All those who desire to study arithmetic, grammar, penmanship, German or to take piano lessons, should register at once. Register and register this week in the afternoon or evening.

BRIEF NEWS NOTES.

All persons desirous of joining the educational classes conducted by the South Scranton Young Women's Christian association are requested to register as early as possible as the instructions will commence the second week in October. Those desiring to embrace all common branches, with German, and all those desiring to take the piano course will please register Monday and Tuesday of next week.

Frederick Herrmann, of Birch street, the well-known pianist, has been elected member, celebrated his twenty-fifth birthday yesterday in an unostentatious manner by inviting a few of his friends to help him pass the quarter-century mark. They helped him, and also helped themselves, to many dainty dishes prepared by Mrs. Herrmann. A very pleasant evening was spent.

Albert Haberstroff, of Cedar avenue, has returned from a visit to New York. The members of the family are: Mrs. Emma Geigle, of Cedar avenue, has returned from a tour through Germany.

J. J. Schneider and son, Charles, of Cedar avenue, have returned from a trip to New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mills, of Hazleton, are visiting Mrs. Schall, of Neptune place.

OBITUARY.

Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Mary A. Hartman, one of the oldest and most respected residents of South Scranton, passed away at her home, 1009 Madison avenue, after a long illness for some time and was continually growing weaker until Thursday, when she died at the general hospital in this city. She was born in South Scranton, where she had lived for many years. Deceased is survived by five sons and two daughters. Three of the boys are residents of Danville, Pa.; the second oldest, Frederick, who was formerly postmaster for the Delaware and Hudson company, owns and operates a silk mill. The members of the family are: Frederick, Edward and Austin, of Danville; Albert, of Dunmore; and Miss Emily and Mrs. Louis Sanford, who reside at the family residence on Madison avenue. The remains of the family, who resides in Chicago. The remains of the deceased lady will be laid at rest this afternoon at 11 o'clock. Services will be in charge of Rev. Zischman, and interment will be made in the Forest Hill cemetery. The funeral will be private.

TELEGRAPHIC TIPS.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press.

The body of William Marsh Rice, the millionaire, whose death is the subject of universal inquiry, was cremated at Fresh Pond, N. Y., yesterday.

The commission on pneumatic tube service for the mails has gone to Washington to formulate its report.

Annie Hobson, aged 16 years, was killed yesterday near Bellefonte, by the accidental discharge of a gun.

In the wreck of a passenger train at Rock Creek, Texas, yesterday, one person was killed and eight were injured.

In a wreck on the Carolina and Northwestern railroad at Lenor, N. C., Engineer John Palmer and a colliery trainman were killed.

"Kid" Henderson, of Philadelphia, charged with stealing a tray of diamonds from a jewelry store on Eighth street in July, has been captured in Indianapolis, Ind., and handed over to the Philadelphia police.

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From the City of Mexico Herald.

It is astonishing what pulling power a locomotive has. In sixteen years it has hauled Mexico, plunged in crude provincialism, its dream interrupted by occasional cannon shot, up to the higher planes of wide international activities. Mexico, the prehistoric Mexico that Porfirio Diaz found, has gone forever. Old men and some clerical newspapers mumble their protest and lament the past, which was picturesque but incredibly backward. On the whole, the change is better for Mexico, which is now part of the great family of nations.

Mexico now has a national credit and an addition to its legitimate stock of self-respect. "This statesman, Porfirio Diaz, is something of a compound locomotive himself. We have seen him tugging at the inertia of a Mexico wedded to the past, trying to pull it over a steep up-grade. That was back in 1885, when the credit of the nation was nil, when the treasury was empty and employees were lucky if they got their pay at postponed dates. We heard men standing idly in their counting rooms predicting that the big Diaz locomotive would blow up, plunge down an embankment of revolution, and so on.

Mighty few were the capitalists here who then, in dark days, stood by the President of Mexico. He knows that; he can count over the roll of the pessimists, of the hidden critics, of the prophets of all he was worth, and that was sixteen, eighteen, twenty-four hours a day; his courage never failed him, and lucky it was for Mexico that he had a constitution hardened in many campaigns, a man of iron and fire.

Porfirio Diaz lived in steam and iron; his creed was a locomotive; he was ready to give chariots for railroads, he welcomed with glad hand the man of positive force. He surrounded himself with big-brained, hearty, resolute men. And they all pulled together. So this statesman of locomotives, this keen-eyed, undaunted believer in what they could do for Mexico, is vindicated. He sees Mexico prosperous and progressive; men everywhere believe in him; he is going to be president four years more, and he looks over the broad land, and discerning everywhere factory chimneys, and noting the trailing white banners of hundreds of hundreds of locomotives, he feels sure that his work has been for his country's good.

Some petty critics affect to depreciate the Mexican president; they would criticize a Napoleon reconstructing French institutions, a Bismarck making an empire out of petty duchies and principalities. If we had known Porfirio Diaz when the skies were all black, when he was in poverty, making a nation, when malignantly buzzed about him, and he tolled like another Hercules, we might believe some of the talk of the little critics. But having regarded the work of the man who let locomotives loose over the face of Mexico, we are glad to see that the would-be critics are reconstructing Mexico, we have no patience left to flatter to weaklings, who could not live here and make money if the president had not transformed Mexico and made it a place for healthful activities.

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