

WEST SCRANTON

FRANKLIN BOYS HAVE BANQUET

FEASTED AT FAIRCHILD'S HOTEL LAST EVENING.

Informal Affair in Which Chief Zielemann, Mayor Moir and Invited Guests, Together with Members of the Company, Participated. Republican Clubs Will Parade This Evening—Deaths and Funerals. St. Brendan Council Complimentary Social—Other News Notes.

The local fire companies covered themselves with glory yesterday in the annual parade, and rounded out the day in a creditable and enjoyable manner. The Columbus repaired to their quarters at 4:30 o'clock and enjoyed a roast beef lunch and a social session at which music was furnished by the Sons of Veterans drum corps. Later in the evening they attended the Crystal's ball in Music hall in a body.

The Hooks entertained their friends and guests at their quarters and listened to some excellent music by Alexander's Ninth regiment band, and the Franklin's held an informal banquet at Hotel Fairchild, which was one of the most enjoyable events in the history of the famous organization.

The guests of honor were Chief Zielemann, Mayor Moir, B. G. Mowman, A. B. Eymon, George W. Jenkins, George M. Wallace and John H. Fellos, and the following members of the company sat around the festive board: Thomas Allen, Charles A. Yous, Simon Thomas, John L. Lowry, Thomas P. Daniels, E. H. Evans, Roy Kime, J. W. Hall, Harry Greenwood, F. E. Hutchinson, William H. Kime, D. E. Nicholas, J. C. Brown, Richard Davis, S. H. Snyder, Benjamin Albright, David Collins, John R. Kime, Harry Wilkerson, G. B. Baumgardner, W. E. Kime, Daniel Clement, J. Maloney and Thomas R. Phillips.

The menu consisted of blue points on the half shell, consommé, blue fish, with tomato sauce, roast turkey with oyster filling and jellied, sweet potatoes, mashed white potatoes, brown sweet potatoes, green peas, chicken salad, celery, olives, red beets, pickles, cheese, crackers, fruit, cake, ice cream, gelatine and coffee. The service was superb and Manager Oldford is to be congratulated for the excellent dinner served.

Mayor Moir presided over the post-prandial exercises and paid a worthy tribute to the Franklin's for their excellent service and efficiency, and

said they are not excelled by any company in the department. He referred to the prospects of a paid department and seemed to think it was a long way off. The firemen, he said, receive no compensation and much abuse, and he is astonished at the meagre consideration extended them by councils.

Chief Zielemann was called upon and thanked the company for the invitation to attend the banquet, and expressed much pleasure at being permitted to join them in the feast. He congratulated them on their excellent showing in the parade, and hoped the company will remain together as long as the volunteer service is in existence.

Thomas P. Daniels, foreman of the company, was also called upon, but refrained from making any extended remarks. John H. Fellos recalled several reminiscences when he ran with the old machine. A. B. Eymon made a very entertaining speech, and referred to the time when he was active in the service. He said the Franklin's have always been faithful and their motto, "Where duty calls, there you'll find us," has never been violated.

B. G. Mowman also expressed his gratification in being a guest of the company, and congratulated the firemen on their noble efforts in saving life and property. George Wallace, George W. Jenkins and Thomas Allen, also spoke in pleasant terms of the event and the pleasure to be derived from such gatherings.

The affair was one of the most enjoyable events ever held by the company, and the boys are to be congratulated on the success of such an undertaking.

Republican Clubs, Attention!

The West Side Central Republican club, the T. J. Reynolds Republican club, of the Fifteenth ward, and all other local clubs will assemble at Main street, at 6:30 o'clock this evening, and proceed to the Central City, where they will join the Rough Riders and Union League.

The members will then go to South Scranton where they will participate in the Republican demonstration. Owing to these arrangements the meeting of the West Side club announced for this evening has been postponed until to-morrow evening, when a full attendance is requested.

Deaths and Funerals.
An infant child of Mr. and Mrs. James Wilson, of Garfield avenue, died yesterday and will be buried in the Washington street cemetery to-morrow afternoon.

Mrs. Kate Flannery, aged 53 years, died yesterday at her home, 1828 Washington street. The funeral will take place at 9 o'clock to-morrow morning, with a requiem mass at St. Patrick's cathedral church. Interment will be made in the Dunmore cemetery.

The funeral of the late John J. Mulherin will take place at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon from his late home, 1028 Pierce street. Services will be held at St. Patrick's cathedral church and

interment will be made in the Cathedral cemetery.

General News Notes.

John Wagner, sr., of Eymon street, celebrated his seventieth birthday on Tuesday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Foster. A large number of guests were present and enjoyed the occasion.

Charles Moore, of Jackson street, employed by the street railway company, was injured while at work on South Main avenue Tuesday. He was treated at the Lackawanna hospital.

C. R. Pitcher will preside at the Democratic meeting in St. David's hall this evening, and the speakers will be M. F. Conry, F. J. Fitzsimmons, George S. Horn, D. J. Reedy, J. B. Collins and C. Comegys.

William Ryan has been elected a member of the executive committee of St. Brendan's council, Young Men's Institute.

William Raymond, of Decker's Court, has announced himself a candidate for the Republican nomination for select council in the Fourth ward.

Miss Dorothy Roberts, of West Pawlet, Vt., is the guest of Mrs. J. J. Roberts, of South Main avenue.

Edward Evans, of South Main avenue, has returned from a seven weeks' trip to Wales.

William J. Thomas, of Eymon street, has accepted a position in New Castle, Pa.

Miss Viola Murphy, of Washington street, was tendered a surprise party at her home Tuesday evening by her friends. A long list of guests were in attendance.

An old fashioned social will be held at Camp 175, P. O. S. of A., this evening. An entertainment will be provided and sweet cider and doughnuts will be served. Representatives of all the city camps will be present to make arrangements for the parade and unloading of the soldiers' and sailors' monument.

Michael Stern, of Price street, has been appointed a special officer at E. Robinson's Sons brewery on Eighth street.

The social committee of the Electric City Wheelmen will meet this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Edwards, of West Elm street, are in Philadelphia.

The complimentary social given by St. Brendan's council to their lady friends last evening was attended by the representative young people of the city, and all transpired in the society event of the season. Lawrence orchestra furnished the music and Moore's hall was crowded with the members and their guests.

Harry Morgan, of Landis street, and Mrs. Gustave Bowman, of South Main avenue, were united in marriage last evening.

Local No. 213, United Mine Workers, will meet at James' hall, Jackson street, this afternoon at 2 o'clock, to attend the funeral of the late John Mulherin.

Mrs. Jane Richards, of Jackson street, is spending two weeks in Philadelphia.

The Columbus sent several handsome bouquets to the West Side hospital yesterday, for which the attendants express thanks.

An explosion of gas in the Scranton street sewer yesterday afternoon caused a break of ten feet in the gas mains and affected the lights during the early evening.

Western Rates Reduced.

Greatly reduced one-way and round trip second class rates will be in effect from Chicago via Wisconsin Central Railway, to points in Minnesota, North Dakota, Montana, Idaho, Oregon, Washington and British Columbia each Tuesday during October and November.

For detailed information inquire of nearest ticket agent, or address JAS. C. POND, Gen'l Pass. Agent, Milwaukee, Wis.

DUNMORE DOINGS.

Mysterious Disappearance of the Big Screen to Be Used for Stereopticon Views—Other Notes.

The large screen which was placed on the Swartz building facing Chestnut street, on Tuesday, for the purpose of showing stereopticon views in the interest of some of the Republican candidates, very mysteriously disappeared some time early yesterday morning.

How the screen could have been reached by any one wishing to appropriate it for themselves is a hard problem to unravel, as it was placed about forty feet from the ground.

The police say it was in position at 2 o'clock yesterday morning and must have been quietly removed between that hour and daylight. The stereopticon display will take place when a new screen can be secured.

NUBS OF NEWS.

The funeral of Laia Fondonella, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fondonella, of 228 Elm street, who died Monday, was held yesterday afternoon. The funeral services were held at St. Anthony's church, were largely attended. Interment was made in St. Mary's cemetery.

News has reached this city that Lewis Seagle, who entered Lafayette college at the beginning of the school year, has passed into "Class A," as a result of the competitive examinations held at that institution. This speaks well for both Mr. Seagle and the Dunmore High school. He was the valedictorian of the class.

The ladies interested in the coming celebration of the annual anniversary of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, will meet this evening to make arrangements for the supper and entertainment to be held. The meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. George W. Harper, 211 Cherry street.

Superintendent J. C. Taylor, of Scranton, spent yesterday morning visiting the different departments of the Dunmore High school. The regular monthly meeting of the Firemen's Relief association was held last evening and the routine of business transacted.

T. P. Letchworth has returned home from several days spent in Philadelphia on business. Mrs. E. D. Board, of North Blakely street, is a guest of friends in Jersey.

Miss Jessie Manly is home from an extended visit made with her relatives in Baltimore. This evening the first mass meeting of the Republicans of the borough will be held in the Independent Order of Odd Fellows hall. There will be several addresses, interspersed with music.

SOUTH SCRANTON

WEDDING BELLS PEALING JOYOUSLY YESTERDAY.

Marriage of Miss Catharine Durkin to John E. Coyne in St. John's Church—First Annual Banquet of Knights of St. George—Republican Mass Meeting Tonight—Miss Elizabeth Miller Wedded to John Lees by Rev. Peter Christ—Notes of a Personal Nature.

Another pretty wedding took place in St. John's church when Miss Catharine Durkin of Pittston and Brick avenues, was united in marriage to John E. Coyne of Cedar avenue. A nuptial high mass was solemnized by Rev. E. J. Melley, who also performed the wedding ceremony.

The bride and groom are both members of St. John's church choir, and as a token of their esteem the members of the choir sang the mass, Miss Elizabeth Durkin singing the offertory.

The bride was charmingly attired in a gown of white broadcloth trimmed with white lace and chiffon, with hat to match. Miss Mary Murray was bridesmaid. After the ceremony a reception was tendered the newly married couple at the home of the bride's mother, where congratulations were offered after the wedding dinner.

The bride and groom left on a wedding tour to New York. On their return they will commence housekeeping on Pittston avenue.

The groom is a collector for the Keystone Brewery, while Miss Durkin is well known and highly esteemed.

First Annual Banquet.

The first annual banquet of Branch 45, Knights of St. George, a prominent organization of St. Mary's parish, took place last evening in St. Mary's hall on River street, and was largely attended, covers being laid for 220 persons.

The tables were four in number and ran lengthwise along the hall, which was profusely adorned with flags, and potted palms, and presented a bright, cheerful picture.

The programme of the evening was as follows: Musical Prologues; John Jones, opening address; H. Weissler, toastmaster; Rev. Peter Christ; history of the society; Edward G. Kios; overture; Prof. Johnson; address; A. J. Rehner; toast; Rev. G. J. Stopper; remarks; Rev. Von Welden; laughing song; Rev. Johnston.

The committee in charge was as follows: Henry Weissler, Barney Radle, William T. Jonsson, A. J. Rehner, John Bailes, N. Jansen, James P. Best, Charles Haen, Edward C. Kios.

The reception committee was composed of the following members: John Madden, Joseph Schwarz, N. Theobald, Frank Hitz, Richard Redmiller, John T. McGrath and John Gernes, and the floor committee was made up as follows: W. T. Janssen, John Bailes and George J. Miller.

Mass Meeting To-night.
To-night a great Republican mass meeting will be held in Athletic hall on Cedar avenue, at which addresses will be made by Dr. Emil Schneider, a noted orator of Hoboken, N. J., and A. J. Colborn.

Prior to the meeting a parade of the Republican clubs of this city will take place through the principal thoroughfares. The address will be interesting and full of sound arguments in favor of the policy of the Republican party, so that it behooves every good Republican in South Scranton to be in attendance.

C. C. Carpenter, representing the county Republican committee with his stereopticon views entertained several hundred on Alder street.

Teas-Miller Wedding.

At 9 o'clock in St. Mary's church on River street, yesterday morning Miss Elizabeth Miller of Willow street was united in marriage to John Teas of West Scranton, by Rev. Peter Christ. The bride, who was attired in a white silk gown and who presented a charming appearance, was attended by her sister, Miss Mary Miller, while Matthew Miller attended the groom.

A wedding reception was tendered the couple at the home of the bride's parents on Willow street last evening.

BRIEFLY TOLD.

The Liederkreis, Junger Maennerchor and Sangerbund held a well attended practice last evening, in Germania hall, to prepare for the grand concert of the Sangerbund, to be given on Oct. 31.

Otto Gans, of Stafford avenue, a fireman at the blast furnace, had his left hand severely injured on Tuesday by getting it caught between the piston rod and a brick wall. Dr. J. J. Walsh attended to his injuries.

After the parade yesterday the Ringgold band gave a fine concert at the Neptune Engine company's quarters on Cedar avenue.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Milla Thomas and Miss Anna Faust left yesterday on a visit to friends at Danbury and White Mills.

Miss O'Brien, of Birch street, is dangerously ill at her home.

Miss Lillian Kelly, daughter of John Kelly, of Main street, Minchoa, is seriously ill.

Miss Stacy Clifford, who lives at the corner of Prospect avenue and Locust street, is ill with typhoid fever.

GREEN RIDGE.

Rev. J. W. Malone, assistant pastor of St. Paul's Catholic church, left yesterday for New York city, from which place he will sail for Rome, where he will pursue an extended course of study.

Mrs. C. Tachibana, of Housdale, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. William Omond, of Dickson avenue.

Mrs. W. H. Peck, of Money avenue, has returned from a visit to Philadelphia.

This is donation day at the Home for the Friendless. There will be an entertainment this evening, at which a silver offering will be taken.

A new line of water pipe has been distributed on Delaware street, between Sanderson and Dickson avenues.

Saturday evening, Oct. 27, District Deputy Grand Master Calvin and his assistants from Green Ridge lodge, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, will install the officers elect of Taylor lodge, No. 668. This completes the work of installation for the present term of six months.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Patrick Gratian, aged 65 years, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Peter Deane, of Brooklyn street, Carbondale, Tuesday, Oct. 23. She is survived by the daughter and four sons, Mrs. F. W. McAndrews, of New York city; Mrs. Fred Richards, of this city; Mrs. Edward O'Malley, and Mr. Frank May, of Housdale; Mrs. Peter Deane, of Carbondale; Henry Gratian, of this city; John and Frank, of Housdale, and George Gratian, of Carbondale. Funeral Friday at 9:30 a. m., at St. Rose church.

TEST FOR YOURSELF

The Wonderful Curative Properties of Swamp-Root.

To Prove What the Great Kidney, Liver and Bladder Remedy Will Do for YOU, Every Reader of The Tribune May Have a Sample Bottle Sent Free by Mail.

It used to be considered that only urinary and bladder troubles were to be traced to the kidneys, but now modern science proves that nearly all diseases have their beginning in the disorder of these most important organs.

The kidneys filter and purify the blood, that is their work. So when your kidneys are weak or out of order, you can understand how quickly your entire body is affected, and how every organ seems to fail to do its duty.

If you are sick or "feel badly," begin taking the famous new discovery, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, because as soon as your kidneys are well they will help all the other organs to health. A trial will convince anyone.

Among the many famous cures of Swamp-Root investigated by The Tribune, the one which is published today for the benefit of our readers speaks in the highest terms of the wonderful curative properties of this great kidney remedy. Mrs. Mary Roman, Manchester, Texas, writes: "I write to tell you that I am well and owe my health to Swamp-Root. I was so weak in my back that I could sit up but a little while at a time. Had to get up to urinate from seven to ten times a night, the night could sleep but a few minutes at a time; would wake up so tired I could hardly move; felt like a heavy weight on my chest; feet cold and swelled in day time; headache all the time."

Weak and unhealthy kidneys are responsible for many kinds of diseases, and if permitted to continue much suffering with fatal results are sure to follow. Kidney troubles irritate the nerves, makes you dizzy, restless, sleepless and irritable. Makes you pass water often during the day and obliges you to get up many times during the night. Unhealthy kidneys cause rheumatism, gravel, catarrh of the bladder, pain in the back, joints and muscles; makes you feel aches and back aches, causes indigestion, stomach and liver troubles, you get a sallow, yellow complexion, makes you feel as though you had heart trouble; you may have plenty of ambition, but no strength; get weak and waste away.

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