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# CARBONDALE DEPARTMENT

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THROWN FROM HIS WAGON.

Abe Sahm Sustains Severe Injuries

Going to a Fire.

South Main street, and one of the

most enthusiastic of the volunteer

firemen of tihs city, met with a bad

accident yesterday morning at about

half-past 3 o'clock. The alarm from

box 58 sounded, and Sahm, who is the

driver of the Columbia Hose company,

hustled into his clothes in his rooms

in the Anthracite building and rush-

ed for the hose house, a short dis-tance away. He was the first man to

get there and quickly hitchel up the horses and started for the fire. Near-

ly in front of his store the collar of

the horse on the right side became

unfastened and the horse plunged

ahead about half a length in front of

nis mate. It is thought that Mr. Sahm

put his foot up to put on the brake

struck on the brick pavement between

cleared of snow yesterday. The heavy wagon just missed him by a few

lay still where he had struck, uncon-

saw him fall, and shouted "Whoa!"

to the borses, who stopped immedi-

ately, bringing up on the sidewalk, the

horse completely turned around.

Firemen who were burrying along

Abe- was taken into Ike

also saw the fall and went to his as-

Burro's all-night restaurant and a

physician called. He was restored to

in the Anthracite. It was found that

two toes were broken, he was badly

injured about the head and painfully

bruised about the body. He is als:

rendered deaf in one car, the result f

striking on the side of it. Whether

this latter injury will be a permanent one is not yet known. A train-

ame to inquire as to his condition,

cross South Main street. An alarm

them down the street when the horses

went into the ditch, throwing him over

not more than twenty feet from where

he struck yesterday morning, and was

taken to the hospital for repairs, re-

maining there about three weeks. This

ceident did not seem to quench his

order as a volunteer fireman, and he

has continued to be among the first

The accident happened at an un

now being held by the company in the

Burke building owes much of its suc

ress to his executive ability, he being

chairman of the executive committee

up-to-date ideas in the conduct of it

DAUGHTERS OF REBEKAH.

Their Anniversary Celebration

Present.

evening.

served.

Edith Cornell.

Catholic church.

of this city.

Huge Success-Many Odd Fellows

About two hundred and fifty Odd

Fellows, members of the various

branches of the order from and with-

109. Daughters of Rebekah, to com-

memorate their eighth anniversary. A

short business session preceded the so-

cial features and the programme of the

The meeting was held in Cambrian

hall. After the business session an

ander sang a solo entitled "Sunshine"

elocutionist, attired in boyish costume

OBITUARY.

Mrs. William Bradley.

ley was formerly Miss Lizzie Connor. She was born in this city. A mute

over a year ago she and her sister

were the brides in a double wedding

A few weeks ago Mrs. Bradley gav.

birth to a child, but it lived but a shert

time and the grief-stricken mother be-

came III, the liners culminating in an

attack of pneumonia. She was a de-

out member of St. Rose's Roman

She is survived by her husband, her

father, Michael Connor: one sister

Mrs. James Grier, and three brothers

John, William and James Consor, all

The funeral procession will leave her

ate residence at 9 o'clock on Friday

morning and will proceed to St. Rose

church, where services will be held.

The interment will be in St. Rose ceme

Admitted New Members.

The Carbondale Bicycle club held its

regular monthly meeting on Tuesday

night. A number of matters of busi

ness of minor importance were dis-

cussed, and three new members were

Cold Pleasantries.

out the city helped Lucretia lodge, No.

to respond to an alarm.

onsciousness and taken to his room

Sahm, the shoe merchant of

### STRUCK BY A TRAIN.

A Young Silk Worker Terriby Injured by a Passenger Train.

ss Minnie Reese, 16 years old, was struck by passenger train No. 206, of the New York, Ontario and Western road, due in this city at 3.34 o'clock, and terribly injured.

Miss Reese is a step-daughter of Fred Wright, a painter, of 32 Farview street, this city. She is employed in the Klots silk mill at Simpson as a bander. Yesterday afternoon she left mill a little before 4 o'clock, having finished her work for the day, and started homeward, taking the railroad track for her path, as this route shortons the distance somewhat. It is said that the train was a little late, and so she did not use caution in watching for it. She had proceeded as far as the curve this side of Simpson when the train came whirling along, struck her that threw her some distance. The train was brought to a standstill aimost immediately and the crew hastened back to where she lay. She was then unconscious, with blood flowing from her mouth. She was put on the train and carried to the passenger station in Dundaff street and taken into

the station. Dr. J. G. Harper was telephoned for to come to the station in a hurry. When he arrived he saw at once that it was a most critical case, and he put the girl into his sleigh and took her to the Emergency hospital. On examination it was found that one leg was broken above the knee, both elbows badly injured, back terribly bruised and that she had sustained internal

How severe these latter are could to the extremely weak and critical condition of the patient. If possible an examination will be made today. It anesthetic to perform an operation,

This is the third accident that has happened to silk mill employes in as many days. On Monday Elmer Gritman was caught in the shafting and sustained severe injuries. On Tuesday Katle Moran got her fingers pinched in a roller, and yesterday this terrible disaster to one of the brightest girls in the company's employ. Before going there she had been employed in the office of Undertaker Purple.

### THE NEWEST UNION.

### The Retail Clerks' Protective Association, No. 116.

The latest up-to-date union was formed in this city on Tuesday evening and from the large number of enrollments and the enthusiasm that characterized the organization it can safely predicted that it will soon become a power. It is made up almost wholly of laborers in mercantile pursuits, the men and women clerks of the ity, and while none can say that the reforms that can be made which will yet at the same time will tend to im- their feet. prove their portion of the day, and among other benefits specially worth working for will be the early closing

About forty clerks attended the initial meeting of the new organization n St. Rose hall, which was called for the purpose of perfecting a permanent union and electing officers thereof. A committee from the Central Labor union, composed of John Hermes, Thomas Monaghan, Bennett J. Palanountain and James Fluellen, jucted the meeting, and Mr. Hermes, who is the authorized local organizer, nstituted the union.

No definite plan has yet been outlined as to the probable future work of the organization. The union expects to carry on its work in a conservative way and expects to receive the cordial support and sympathy of the Merhants' association. A working card will be issued to each member. The union will amalgamate with the Amercan Federation of Labor.

The following officers were elected: Chief clerk, David L. Walsh; assistant chief cierk, Elmer Brokenshire; accountant, Miss Mary McGarry: prothonotary, Frank P. Kelly; cashier, Frank Boylan: floor walker, Harr Hiller; guide, Fred Hauenstein; trus tees for six months, Miss Emm Swartz; for one year, M. J. Horan; for eighteen months, Miss Tillle Murphy.

### The Trial Postponed.

The trial of Constable Stephen Gilby, scheduled to come up yesterday in Scranton, was postponed until today, as it was not reached on the calendar. The constable is indicted on the charge of feloniously wounding Eddle Gorman, on New Year's night, by shooting him in the knee cap while Gorman was escaping from custody. Gorman went down to Scranton vesterday to appear as a witness, it being his first appearance outside the hospital since his injury. He was brought back here and taken to the hospital again last evening. He will make the jodrhey again this morning.

### A Hard-Luck Sleighride.

A party of twenty-seven young peochaperoned by Miss Rena Dafley and Mrs. C. R. Munn left this city about 7.30 o'clock Tuesday evening. omewhat wild when they left and it ment, returned home yesterday. It is grey wilder as they went up the moun-

At "Cape Horn" several of the boys who climbed out of the sleigh found a cutter overturned and a horse lying attacking frozen. A few minutes with the body of a man under a snow drift. He was hardly able to speak and too stiff with cold to move and a couple of them spent he restor the trip trying to bring him s. dis senses. All efforts to get the orse up were unavailing, so the boys



Mine Host Gruver did all he could to make things comfortable for them.

At 11 o'clock supper was served. When the chaperons decided that it was time to go home, the driver in-formed the party that he would not venture out until daylight and the party proceeded to make merry till morning. At 6.30 o'clock some of the young people started out, the others waiting for a train on the Honesdale branch. Later those who started in the sleigh were forced to return and the driver did not succeed in getting into town with the sleigh, alone, until half past ten this morning. Among those who enjoyed this eventful sleighing party were: Misses Ruth Bailey, Hazel Wheeler, Clara Watt, Helen Hathaway, Mina Frank, Nettie Bayley, Hazel Gardner, Edith Courtright, Gertrude Dennis and Florence Van Gorder, of this city, and Miss Blanche Whitney, of Honesdale: Messrs, John Newton, Max Shepherd, Rex Lathrop, John Morgan, Will Morgan, Fred Berry, Albert Crane, Charles Humphrey, Claude Olver, Robert Gardner, Frank Kirk,

## TWO HOUSES DESTROYED.

Dean Bassett and Leon Bly.

Early Morning Fire Does Great Damage-Firemen Nearly Frozen.

Fire broke out in the dwelling house of Nathan Kilanski at 3:30 o'clock yesterday morning, and before the flames were gotten under control they had ravished the house and one adjoining, occupied by James McDonough. These two houses were on Gordon avenue, away at the extreme end of the city, and the early morning hour, combined with the furious fey gale that was raging, were impedinot be determined last evening, owing | ments to a prompt getting at work by the firemen.

Jacob Kilanski, who occupied the basement of his father's house, was was also impossible to administer an awakened by the violent coughing of his baby, and found the room filled owing to the shock the system had with dense smoke. There was scarcely time to snatch some clothes and get out before the interior of the dwelling was a furnace. An alarm was turned in from box 58, near the

The Columbias at once responded, but by the time they could go the long distance the Kilanski house was beyond saving, and the flames were eating their way into the home of James McDonough. Only one hydrant was available, so the benumbed firemen turned all their attention on the latter dwelling and others near by, which of fire came in and Abe was driving were in grave peril. They were successful in checking the flames there. The furniture and fittings of both the dashboard. He struck on the road houses were destroyed. The Eilanskis were insured for \$1,000, but Mr. Mc-Donough carried none.

One of the Kilanskis' boarders was quite badly cut by jumping through the window of the second floor, ht arms getting gashed by the glass. It was a terrible experience for the firemen. Both the Mitchells and the Columbias went out. The zero weath- fortunate time, for Mr. Sahm is one of er offered extra inducements to remain the most energetic of the Columbia derks of this city are an especially in bed, but the volunteers responded Hose company's men, and the fair hard-worked class, it can also be said nobly to their duty. The intense cold benumbed them, sheets of ice formed on their coaked clothing and hands, inflict no losses on their employers and and it was hard for them to keep

### THE THIRD NIGHT.

Another Large Attendance at the Col-

umbia Hese Company's Fair. The Columbia boys are as popular is ever, and they deserve to be, for za their fair grows older it grows better, and undiminished crowds attended the third night of the successful attraction last evening. Burke's hall was crowded-that is the wordand the crowds enjoyed themselves, for it was a late hour before there was a noticeable diminution of the The entertainment provided throng. for the fair-goers was up to the standard set by the preceding pregrammes. At 11 o'clock the floor was filled with dancers, and the bumps and tolts encountered by them owing to the large audience were many, but

these inconveniences were borne with smiles. To-night will be souvenir night, and every lady attending will receive a present of a hatpin. In addition the following excellent programme will be

presented:

İ	SelectionThe Lackacenna Quartett
	Vennik solo
ŀ	Mandolin and Guitar selections-
	Mesers, Girls and Emprech
l	Vocal solo
	SelectionLackawanna Quartet
	Character song
Ì	Vocal solo
	Slumber songMiss Brown and Quartet

### A Badly Mangled Boy.

A boy named Jessup, from Jermyn, was received at the Emergency ho pital last evening. He is a slate-picker, aged 12 years, and was employed the Sherwood breaker at that place He somehow got in the rollers and was terribly mangled. It was said at the hospital last evening that his chances of life were extremely precarious, as he had sustained terrible lacerations of the muscles of the legs and abdomer and was severely injured internally.

May Recover His Sight Daniel Davis, who, as related in Th Tribune, has been suffering a painful injury to his eye, caused by a piece of steel penetrating the iris, and who has been in Scranton undergoing treat said that the prospects are now bright for his recovering the use of the in jured optic.

### A Washington Tea.

The ladies of the First Methodist Episcopal church will give a Washing ton tea in the lecture room of the George and Martha wil be represuted in the costumes of a century ago

### For the Fire Laddies.

Merchant D. W. Humphrey has sent checks for \$20 to both the local hose ompanies which did such good work admitted. The membership of the club n saving his Salem avenue store from is constantly increasing.

## Was Pay-Day.

The employes of the street car company received their month's remuneration yesterday.

an hour or so in town started home about 10 o'clock. They regaled the people along the route and amused themselves with a number of vocal selections.

### A Dreadful Accident.

A horse owned by a man named But-ler, from near Archbald, sustained such severe injuries while descending the Salem mountain, east of the city, recently that the beast had to be shot. The horse was going along at a lively rate, when in some manner its boof got fastened in a rut in the road. So tightly was it wedged in that the momentum of the horse tore the horn part of the hoof from the ankle. The torse suffered greatly and displayed its pain by distressing shricks. It fell over by the roadside, and the owner, to put it out of its misery, shot the

Change in Trolley Time. A change of schedule is to go into effect on the Carbondale branch of the Scranton Traction company tomorrow, which will be welcomed by the people of Forest City, if not by those living south of Carbondale. The schedule for a long time has only provided for a car every hour to Forest City, but after Friday they will go every half-hour. There has been a fifteen-minute service between Tannery switch and Jermyn. This will be discontinued tomorrow, giving half-hour service on of the line between Forest City and Peckville and no changes. and lost his balance. Anyhow, the horse's jumping ahead drew Mr. Sahm over the dashboard, and he

### Struck by a Whip Lash.

Michael Quinn, 17 years old, son of Thomas Quinn, of Powderly road, a George Peck, Frank Williams, Stanford the street car tracks, which had been driver, gave himself a severe injury a day or so ago. He was driving his incehs as it whirled by and Mr. Sahm team and snapped the whip at them. when in some manner the whip sprang back and the lash of it caught him in He struck on the right side of his the right eye. He will not be able to head. Edward Coddington, who was see from it for some time, but the also on the wagen, on the rear st p. physician who is attending him believes that the injury will not be per-

### A Miner Injured.

John McFadden is lying at his home on Gordon avenue quite seriously injured as the result of an accident at Powderly mine. McFadden is employed as a miner. He was running a car along when in some manner the car overturned and in falling pinned McFadden between it and the floor. Fellow workmen released the man and he was taken to the surface and conveyed to his home, where a surgeon dressed his injuries.

### Meetings Tonight.

ed nurse is in attendance and her or-George E. Randolph camp. No. 138, ders are to allow no one to see him, to a host of well-meaning friends were sons of Veterans. Branch No. 39, Catholic Mutual turned away yesterday when they Benefit association.

This is the second accident Mr. Sahm Carbondale council, No. 924. Royal as sustained in going to a fire. About seven years ago, while the Hotel An-Carbondale canton, Patriarchs Milithracite was being built, an uncovered ditch extended part of the way Columbia Hose company's fair

### The Passing Throng.

Thomas Duffy is home from Philadel John McDonald is in Binghamton for

few days. E. T. Philbin, of Archbald, was disitor in town Wednesday.

Mrs. J. Campbell is among the many people afflicted with the grip. Miss Rose Wheeler, of Orange, N. J. s spending a few days in town. Dr. J. R. Sitterly, of Scranton, a for

ner resident, was in town yesterday. Miss Blanche Whitney, of Honesdale, is spending a few days in town. Miss Mame Regan, of Scranton, at-

James Utley, of Clifford, spent Tues-

He devoted several days to decorating the hall and embodied many of his John Martin, a former resident, but

now of Scranton, is visiting Carbondale Marguerite, the little daughter of T. A. Carpenter, of Belmont street, is se-

lay with his sister, Minnie, on Belmont

T. P. Reilly, formerly local manager of the Traction company, spent last night with friends in town

Miss Bridget A. Mullady has returned home after a pleasant visit with the Misses Kelly on Park street.

Edmund Janeway, travelling passen-ger agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railway, was in this city yesterday on official business.

### JERMYN AND MAYFIELD.

entertainment was given. Mrs. Edith John Jessup, a fourteen-year-old boy, Cornell first read a paper detailing the son of William Jessup, of West Mayhistory of the degree of Rebekah. Miss field, met with horrible injuries yes-Moreen Huddy recited "Woodman, Spare That Tree." Mrs. W. H. Alexterday afternoon, while at work in the Sherwood breaker on the West Side. The boy was walking across the and Miss Nat Huddy, a diminutive breaker over a plank, which tilted, throwing him right into the rolls which told of "When the Minister Comes to crushed the coal. One of the breaker Tea." Misses Hazel Alexander and hands, who witnessed the accident Sarah Griffith rendered a duet: Miss Helen Watkins recited "How James with great presence of mind succeeded in throwing off the belt from the ma-Painted the Baby," and Miss Isabella Maxwell's solo was so well received chinery, and the boy was with great difficulty released from the cruel teeth that she rendered others. Refreshof the rolls. The lower portion of his ments in abundance and variety were body was torn and lacerated in a fear-The committee in charge of the successful affair were the Mesdames ful manner, and as soon as Dr. Davis and Dr. Shields, who had been sum-George W. Hughes, William Barber, S. moned, examined the boy they advised his removal to the Emergency hospital, Stillson, S. N. Bayley, Fred Price and where he was at once taken. The family have been sorely afflicted with sickness for some time and the boy's mother is at present very ill, having given birth to a child on Sunday. Much sympathy is expressed for them. Mrs. William Bradley, of Powderly The funeral of Grandma Hopkins road, died early yesterday morning o pneumonia, aged 22 years. Mrs. Brad-

will take place on Friday afternoon at daughter, Mrs. Job Williams, on Fourth

at the Ontario and Western depot, has been promoted assistant train dispatcher at the Mayfield yard

The school directors held their regu-Edmunds, Pritchard and Hunter were appointed the visiting committee for

street, was very critical last evening and her death was momentarily extaken with a relapse.

Benjamin Davis, of H street, is recovering from a severe attack of the Elmer, the child of George Blake, 1

improving from his severe iliness. The choir of the Welsh Congregational church of Forest City, who came here on a sleighride party on Tuesday evening and who had such a merry time during their visit, are to again

visit the borough in the near future, pleasantly located in their home on Waverly road and their many friends when they will be the guests of a are extending them a welcome and are prominent Main street merchant. The supper served by Mrs. Emory in pleased that they have decided to lo-St. James church basement last even-

receive a respectable sum.

was a caller here yesterday.

PECKVILLE.

future towards keeping up the fire alarm the insurance policy holders here will be obliged to stand a 25 per cent.

raise in insurance. The people of Peck-

ville have for the past five years en-

joyed the privilege of a fire alram sys-

tem that was put up and maintained

by the Wilson Fire company. All

wires have rusted and the system is

now out of working order. The matter

is now up to the borough council which

can for a small amount place the sys-

Reese. A mistake was made in yes-

terdaly's announcement of the date

which should have been February 14.

meets the 14th and 15th of this minth.

o take the store they have occupied

Mrs. G. A. Bell and son, Joseph, are

he guest of her sister, Mrs. M. E.

continue the practice as the burgess

has been instructed by council to ar-

rest all persons who are inclined to

disobey the ordinance forbidding the

DALTON.

Isaac Wehr, who died on Sunday last, will be buried on Thursday after-

soon. The interment will be in the

F. M. Tiffany visited triends in Sus-

quehanna county the early part of

Frank Colvin has been confined to

S. E. Finn is quite Ill with a severe

There is to be a school entertain-

ment in the Baptist church Friday

evening, February 22, 1901. An excel-lent programme is being prepared un-

ler the management of the principal,

and the affair promises to be very in-

eresting and entertaining. The price

of admission has been fixed at the low

sum of fifteen cents and ten cents for

children under twelve years of age

The programme will consist of solos,

dialogues, quartettes, recitations, etc.

Among the features to be presented is

teen young ladies dressed in beautiful

ostumes. A laughab'e dialogue, en-

ful daughters, who will entertain the

audience for a half hour. Don't fail

Jesse Cooper, a student of Wyoming

Seminary, spent Sunday with his par-

ents here, Rev. and Mrs. A. W. Cooper,

J. T. Coles lost a valuable horse a

tion as traveling salesman for the

Martin Hurd was a visitor in Scran-

In the Baptist church Sunday morn-

ing the pastor will preach by request

on the life of Frances Willard, In

the evening the subject of the dis-

course will be "Why I Should Become

Christian Early in Life." A cordial

On Monday afternoon last Mrs. John

B. Owens gave a thimble tea to a number of her friends in honor of her

guest, Miss Sickler, of Wilkes-Barre

Among those present were Mrs. Stan-ley Allen, Mrs. W. H. Hager, Mrs. A.

W. Price, Miss Kate Clark, Mrs. Frank

Watts and Mrs. A. R. Thompson, of

Dalton: Mrs. Barker and Mrs. J. M.

Miss Norton, of Scranton, was the

Miss Sickler, of Wilkes-Barre. A num-

thimble tea at her home yesterday af-

ternoon in honor of her sister, Miss

Clark, and Miss Eberly, of Denver,

Mrs. Stanley Allen and children spent

part of last week in Scranton as guests of her father and sister.

Jerry Foster was a recent visitor in

Several of our Dalton young men are

ecoming expert pedestrians. Midnight

walks from Clark's Summit in driving

Stanley Allen is absent on a two

Mrs. H. M. Ives is spending the win-

Prospects for a prosperous summer

are very bright. Few houses are like-

ly to be for rent. We hear of several

Scranton families anxious to locate

here permanently. If they come there

will be little chance for the late comers

as soon as the need of them is demon

Although doubtless our wide awake

snow storms has no terrors for them.

onths' European trip.

er months in California.

Many ladies from Dalton and

Miss Eberley, of Denver, Pa.

Cooper, Mrs. O. P. Stoll, Mrs. J.

ery." a short drama, entitled

Widow's Night: " a selection by

to attend this entertainment

few days ago from paralysis

Grand Union Tea company

invitation is extended to all.

Eberly, of Denver, Pa.

tendance.

Scranton attended.

guest of Mrs. J. E. Price

guest of Mrs. John Owens.

on vesterday

Oscar Rozelle has necepted a

Sunflower quartette.

his home this week with grip.

pending a few days at Carbondo

for a number of years.

Whiting.

above.

new cometery.

this week.

without cost to the borough.

should not be asked to do so.

If something is not done in the near

cate permanently in Dalton instead of Scranton. ing was a very enjoyable one, and was partaken of by a large number of peo-Much sickenss prevails among the little ones at the present time. Many ple. As a result the church funds will cases of measles are reported by the Mrs. Henry Cornell, of Carbondale,

physicans. If our energetic school board had decided to keep the schools closed for an additional month after the holidays the epidemic of measles might have been

Philip Colvin, the popular young representative of the Scranton Tribune, is igain smiling on his many friends after an absence of a week. We wish to say that The Tribune is fortunate in its selection of a carrier. Its regular patrons always find their papers at doors long before breakfast. Philip knows that when he delivers his route early he pleases his customers and materially helps his employers.

### TAYLOR.

tem in working order. The fire company members are not able to stand The sad intelligence was received the expense and furthermore they here yesterday from West Scranton by Burgess William P. Griffiths announc The following programme will be ren ing the sad death of his sister. Mrs dered at the valentine social at the John Reynolds (nee) Miss Jennie Grifhome of Lillian Hulse this evening: liths, who was the daughter of the de-Vocal solo, Mrs. E. W. Roberts; reciceased Mr. and Mrs. John P. Griffiths. tation, Edith Rooke; coon song, Freda who were well known residents of this Briggs and Edna Depew; reading, Pearl borough. She is survived by the fot-Brundage; vocal duet, Frances Squire, lowing brothers of this town: Burgess. Howard Brundage; recitation, Grace W. P., John and Tallle Griffiths, Mrs. Edward Farr, of West Scranton; Mrs. Hughes: vocal solo, H. W. Peck; recitation, Frieda Briggs; vocal solo, Flor Prickoum, of Binghamton, N. Y., and once Taylor; reading, Ethel Sherer; Gomer Griffiths, who resides in the male quartette, Howard Brundage

March the 6th is fast approaching. on that date the congregation of the Calvary Baptist church will hold forth their grand fair and festival at Web-J. C. Tuthill, school director and ber's ring to continue for four eventreasurer of the County Directors' asings. The display of quilts, pillows sociation, has gone to Harrisburg to and various other useful and fancy arattend the state association, which ticles will be unusually large and beautirul. The sewing circle comprising the young ladies of the church are Mr. Kestell and family are packing and getting ready to move to Niagara busily preparing the same. Admisison Fall the last of this month. There is to both fair and supper, 35 cents a grand chance for a first class milliner

The strike movement which has agitated the silk mill workers of Screaton and vicinty reached here yesterday and as a result the employes of the Renard & Son Silk company here quit york owing to certain grievances and ilso in sympathy with other striking People who are in the habit of using mill employes. the streets as a dumping ground for ashes and rubbish will do well to dis-

John R. Neeley was a delegate from the Methodist Episcopal church to the Avoca sub-district Epworth league convention held in the Brick church yesterday. Mr. Neeley read a very interesting paper on the league's interest in the workingman.

John Hart and John Newcomb, both employed as laborer and driver, respectfully at the Taylor mine, received painful injuries while at work on Monday. The former received painful injuries about the head while the latter was about the leg by being thrown from a mule. Mrs. Mary Evans. of this borough,

s visiting relatives in North Scranton, Lackawanna council, No. 81, Junior Order Uinted American Mechanics, will meet in regular session this evening. Mrs. Edward E. Davis, of Main street, was the guest of relatives in Providence yesterday.

Miss Annie Rose has returned home from a visit with relatives in Wilkes-Mrs. Edward D. Davis was the guest of relatives here the fore part of the

### **OLYPHANT**

An infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Patutiful Japanese fan drill by thir- on Tuesday evening. The funeral will again the car saw that he was looking Mrs. D. W. Harris is visiting friends

titled "Scene in a Photograph Galin Wilken-Barre. Rev. J. M. Smoulter, of Rock lake, ns a visitor here yesterday. The leading A meeting of Excelsior Hose comevent of the evening will be the prespany will be held Friday night. Mrs. Mary Probert returned yesterence of Mrs. Abinadab Sniggles and her talented family of seven beau i-

day from a visit at Edwardsville M. K. Harden is ill with the grip. A number of people from here ded the funeral of the late Rev. T. J. Matthews, which was held from the

nome of his son, T. J. Matthews, at Spring Brook, yesterday Miss Nettie O'Boyle, of Pittston, has eturned home, after a brief visit here, The stationary firemen have changed

### For Shattered Nerves.

Wednesday.

A remedy that will soothe, build up wasted tissues and enrich the blood is Indispensable. Lichty's Celery Nerve Compound has been wonderfulsuccessful in cases of nervousness, as thousands of grateful people will testify. Sold by Matthews Bros.

# ORDEAL OF BRIDAL COUPLE.

### Unembarrassed Young Man Astonishes Some Passengers.

The bridal couple boarded the train at Suspension bridge. He was a

smooth-faced, well-set-up young man Daly, of Scranton, and Miss Mary and she was a sweet, pretty girl of a bride. There was a large, very hilarious company of wedding guests to see them off, and as the pair struggled Miss Sickler, of Wilkes-Barre, is the from their carriage to the sleeping car they were almost lost to view in showers of rice and flying old shoes. Even guest of Mrs. John W. B. Coleman this this demonstration was not considered idequate, and a dozen or so young men Mrs. John Owens entertained a large followed them to their sents and party of ladies on Thursday afternoon poured streams of rice over them and at a thimble tea in honor of her guest, lown their backs until the train pulled out, while the crowd on the platform ber of guests from Scranton were in athowled joyfully. The young couple stood the ordeal Mrs. J. C. Price gave a delightful

with great courage, and after the train had started did so well that before long the rest of the passengers in the ar left off watching them and began turning in

them grew again, when section after section of the ear was made up until he bridal couple's section stood alone with its curtains still drawn. This was the state of things at 8 o'clock, and at 6.30 there had been no change. Nine and a quarter past, came round, and still there was no sign of life from the ridal section. When shortly after 9.30 slight, mysterious movement was apparent behind the curtains, almost sigh of relief went up from the rest of

the car. until suddenly, after an especially vio-lent agitation of the curtains, they parted sufficiently to let a young man slip between them into the aisle. His hair was rumpled and his coat coffar turned up, and he carried a traveling real estate men will build more homes bag and various articles of wearing apparel to be donned in the wash room. As the young man hurried forward he seemed somewhat puzzled by the almost smiling interest of the res of the car, but of embarrassment he showed not a trace.

When he had disappeared the ca settled itself to await the agress of the bride. But if she was about to make her appearance she showed no signs of

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t. Neither sound nor motion was disernible from the recesses behind the curtains. In a little while the young man came back, showing the freshened effect of cold water and hair brushes and moved the bottom of the curtains aside sufficiently to shove his bag under the berth. As he rose to his feet which covered the floor. He continued to regard it for some time, fixedly Then he raised his eyes and surveyed the car There was a more or less unsuppressed smile on every face, but the young man still showed no embarrassment. His eyes traveled down one side and back the other, and they were filled only a calm thoughtfulness. Then he arranged the folds of the heavy curtains with claborate solicitude, and finally went forward again and whispered something to the porter. The car, to passenger, would probably have gladly paid double fare to have heard those half-dozen whispered words. The pretty mystery was assuming proportions. But the porter only said; "Yes, sub." And then the young man went their meeting night from Friday to over and sat down gravely in an end wat from where he looked smack into the face of every soul in the car.

By this time it was no longer interest that moved the inmates of the car: was palpitation of the heart. The air was crisp with expectation-it seemed certain that the bride must now make her appearance.

The next moment the porter came down the aisle toward the bridal section. He was a fat and very black por-For an instant he paused before the silent curtains. Then a thrill of horror ran through the car and several men got half way to their feet With two swift movements he had pulled the curtains wide apart and was thumping and pulling at something within! Another ligstant and horror had given way to amazement, for the inside of the berth immediately ecame visible to all who cared to see, 'i'ne porter was making up the section,

The bilde had vanished The car turned swiftly to the hapless bridegroom on the front seat. At expression of Arcadian simplicity rest-

ed on his countenance A few moments later the porter start d toward his linen closet, but half way down the aisle he was held up by half dozen male passengers with onder-stricken faces

"What has become of the bride" they demanded. The porter scratched his head and

coked at them uncomprehendingly, Then he showed his teeth in a grin. "Oh, the bridal couple w'at got on at Suspension Bridge?"he said. done left the train late last night. They didn't have their section made up. That gentleman down in front of the car he had upper one, 'n he kicked so I shified him over soon as the bridal couple

The car turned again toward the young man on the front seat. The expression of Arcadian simplicity was still with him. But for the first time across his face there glimmered i faint, thoughtful smile.

The half-dozen male passengers and the porter held a moment's consultation in the middle of the car. Then they came forward, and one of their number said something in a low voice to the young man on the front seat The young man rose to his feet, still omiling thoughtfully

"I see," he said softly. "I don't care As the crowd filed toward the buffet

car some one in the rear of the proession began to whistle Mendelssohn's "Wedding March." Then the passen gers in the seats began to laugh.

To Prevent the Grip

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Archbald, composed of members of one of the church congregations, came to this city last night, and after spending

sieighload of young people from

o'clock. Services at the home of her Ralph Wheeler, the well-known agent

lar meeting Tuesday evening. There was little business outside of the regu lar routine transacted. It was decided to celebrate Washington's birthday with a short session and exercises The visiting committee reported the schools in excellent condition. Messrs

the ensuing month. The condition of Mrs. Jenkins, wife of Rev. Edward Jenkins, of Main Deceased, who was stricken with pneumonia several weeks ago, hovered between life and death for several days. When she apparently vas on the road to recovery, she was

strated. Why should we not make 1991 Dalton's banner year? Miss Foster of Scranton, guest of her sister, Mrs. Stanley Allen,

on Thursday. H. M. Ives, who is spending the friends here on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester E. Butts

month in Wyoming, was the guest of