

WEST SCRANTON

WHEELMEN AT TAYLOR

ENTERTAINED A LARGE AUDIENCE WITH MINSTRELS.

Weber's Rink Could Not Accommodate All Who Wanted to Attend the Performance—An Excellent Programme Rendered—Work on the First Baptist Church—Funeral of Joseph Ansley, Sr.—West Park Improvements—Additional Help Needed at West Side Hospital.

The Electric City Wheelmen's minstrel company entertained a large and enthusiastic audience at Weber's rink in Taylor last night. The vocalists and comedians went down early in the evening, followed by a crowd of thirty or forty folks, who lined up in front of the stage, joined in the choruses and kept the audience in good humor during the evening.

The opening chorus and introductory overture was well received, and David Owens opened the vocal part with a splendid rendition of "The Choir Celestial." He was followed by William Price, of Taylor, who sang "Every Race Has a Flag but the Coon" in an acceptable manner. Between the songs a number of jokes were worked in, all of which made a hit with the audience.

Walter Davis, Ben Allen, Tom Stephens, Arthur Davis, Earl Hollister, Luther Thomas, William Williams, Edward R. Davis and the chorus furnished the additional vocal numbers. Nick Neumius made a tremendous hit with his harmonica selections, and Ed. Morse was given a good hand for his mandolin selection.

G. A. Williams and Ben Allen did a monologue which caught the crowd, and they were accorded a warm reception. The end men were: Bones—Billy Williams, A. G. Davis, W. B. Davis; tambors, G. N. Teets, Luther Thomas and Edward R. Morse. "Pop" Florey acted as intercomedian. Following the show a dance was enjoyed.

First Baptist Church.

The stoppage of work on the First Baptist church building has been due to the serious illness of the contractor, A. A. Fletcher, who is now in a Chicago hospital, having undergone a serious surgical operation, from which he is not expected to recover for some weeks to come.

Inasmuch as the church is suffering

in many ways from this unfortunate delay, the building committee has taken steps to resume work under their own immediate direction and control. Within a few days they will begin the work and carry it on to a rapid completion.

Weekly School Deposits.

Nearly fifty dollars were deposited yesterday afternoon in the West Side bank for the pupils of public schools Nos. 13 and 19, by Principals David Owens and Josephine D. Lees. The fund is steadily growing, and the constant encouragement given to the project by the teachers and pupils, stimulates the little ones to economical tendencies. Yesterday's deposits were as follows:

No. 13—Miss Owen, \$1.50; Maria Watkins, \$1.50; Elizabeth Lewis, 75 cents; Alice Evans, \$1.50; Bertha Kelly, \$2.00; Edna D. Evans, 25 cents; Nellie Richards, \$2.00; Catherine Phillips, \$2.75; Nellie Kelly, \$2.75; Sarah McDonald, \$2.50; Elizabeth Price, \$1.25; Mary Harris, 75 cents; total, \$28.25.

No. 19—Miss Lees, \$2.65; Miss Murray, \$2.50; Miss Nichols, \$2.25; Miss Bamish, 50 cents; Miss Morgan, 75 cents; Miss Hutton, 75 cents; Miss Davis, \$2.50; Miss Evans, 25 cents; Miss Kelly, \$2.00; Miss Price, \$1.50; Miss Wade, \$1.50; Miss Murphy, \$2.00; Mrs. Fisher, \$2.50; Miss Price, 50 cents; total, \$23.65.

The publication of these financial reports, and the printing of averages obtained in studies by certain pupils has also added much interest to the school work. The Tribune would encourage the pupils to write legitimate news items, such as notes, personals, parties, socials, entertainments, etc., and sign their names and addresses to the same leaving the copy at the West Scranton branch of The Tribune, in Jenkins drug store, for publication in this department.

Additional Help Needed.

The crowded condition of affairs at the West Side hospital demands the appointment of additional help to carry on the work entrusted to the nurses and superintendent. Since the hospital was opened, several years ago, the work therein has steadily increased, until now it is more than Superintendent Smith, Nurses Powderly and Smith can conveniently handle.

It is expected that the state appropriation will be increased this year, to enable the employment of additional help, and thereby increase the usefulness of the institution.

Funeral Announcements.

Rev. B. I. Evans will conduct the funeral services over the remains of the late Mrs. Jane Anfield this afternoon. The services will be held at the house, 436 Fourteenth street, at 3 o'clock and interment will be made in the Washington street cemetery.

The remains of the late Michael Coggins, of 804 Eynone street, were interred in the Cathedral cemetery yesterday.

Building Improvements.

With the advent of spring comes the welcome announcement that many new homes are to be erected in West Scranton, especially on the Round Woods tract and in West Park and Tripp Park. Already many new homes have

been established in both these localities, and with favorable industrial and weather conditions the outlook is very bright.

In West Park, Colonel Reese Phillips' new home on Main avenue is nearly ready for occupancy, and a little further up on the opposite side D. J. Reese is having a substantial block erected. The Herlicker and Dolmetech blocks are almost ready for occupancy and ground is being broken nearly every day for new foundations.

Funeral of Joseph Ansley, Sr.
Services over the remains of the late Joseph Ansley, Sr., were held at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the family residence on Meridian street. Rev. J. P. Moore officiated at the church, Washington street Presbyterian church, conducted the services.

Many business and professional men and life-long acquaintances of deceased, were noticed at the service. The pall bearers selected were: William R. Williams, Frank Washburn, John Benore, H. C. Hinman, S. Y. Haupt and T. J. Snowden.

The remains will be taken away at 6 o'clock this morning to Paupack, Wayne county, where interment will be privately made.

GENERAL NEWS NOTES.

The Epworth League of the Hampton Street Methodist Episcopal church will tender an entertainment and social to the probationers and new members at the church on Thursday evening.

Next Thursday evening the Modern Woodmen of America, with the assistance of a degree team from the Green Ridge camp, No. 855, will initiate fifteen new members in the Providence camp. All members are requested to be present.

SOUTH SCRANTON NOTES.

Funeral of the Late William Stern Will Be Held This Afternoon.
Other News Notes.

The remains of the late William Stern arrived in this city yesterday afternoon. The funeral will be held at the residence of the family on Cedar avenue. Services will be held at the house by Rabbi A. S. Ansper, of the Linden street synagogue. Interment will be made in the Dunmore Jewish cemetery.

Patrick Judge Arrested.
Patrick Judge was arraigned before Alderman Lentes last evening on the charge of assault and battery, preferred by Joseph J. Brune.

The witnesses were Miss Lena Kilian and George Brune, and after hearing their testimony the alderman held Judge under \$300 bail, which was furnished by his brother, John Judge.

Later in the night Judge swore out a warrant before Alderman Brune for threatening his life.

BRIEFLY TOLD.
Comet lodge, No. 431, Knights of Pythias, will meet in regular session this evening at 8 o'clock in Hartman's hall.

Patrick Larkin, of Wilkes-Barre, is visiting Edward Boyle at the latter's home on Fig street.

Michael Smith and Stephen Duggan have returned from Lehigh, where they visited friends.

The members of the South Scranton base ball club will meet at Workingmen's hall this evening, for the purpose of reorganizing for the coming season.

The Junior Order United American Mechanics will meet in Schimpf's hall tonight.

The members of the Catholic Mutual Aid and Benefit association will meet this evening at 8 o'clock at Pharmacy hall.

The Knights of the Macabees met at Pharmacy hall last evening and transacted a considerable amount of business.

The St. Mary's church choir will meet for rehearsal this evening in St. Mary's hall.

GREEN RIDGE.
E. D. Jenkins, of Capouse avenue, is recovering from a severe attack of lumbago.

The annual convention of the Woman's Foreign Missionary societies of the Presbytery of Lackawanna will be held in the Green Ridge Presbyterian church next week. A large number of delegates are expected, and the ladies of the church are preparing for an interesting session.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Green Ridge Woman's club yesterday, the members were most delightfully entertained by Miss Mildred Green, who recited, and with piano selections by Miss Morrow. Officers were also nominated for election.

Thursday evening, April 11, the members of Green Ridge lodge, No. 602, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, will celebrate their fifteenth anniversary in an appropriate manner.

Miss Anna and Bertha Jenkins spent yesterday with their sister, Mrs. Chapman, of Monaca.

Mrs. C. F. Thorpe, of Forest City, is the guest of Mrs. Charles Toby, of Capouse avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Thomason, of North Park, are in Philadelphia.

E. R. Sturges will lecture this evening in the Capouse avenue church, on the subject, "China." Proceeds to go toward the literary department of the chapel. All should hear him.

The ladies of Christ church, North Washington avenue, will conduct an Easter sale, beginning Saturday afternoon and evening, April 6, and continuing for three evenings the following week. Many attractive things will be displayed, such as plain and fancy aprons for ladies and children, kitchen aprons, children's dresses, sweeping caps, broom covers, stocking bags and bags of every description, besides fancy articles. An interesting feature of the sale will be the display of gifts from guilds of other churches from Connecticut to California. In the collection are fancy aprons, handkerchiefs and bags. Many more promised have not yet been received. Entertainment and refreshments have been provided for the evenings following Easter.

are visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Davis.

Rev. Mr. Hughes will preach this evening at the Calvinistic Methodist church, on Wayne avenue. The services will start at 7 p. m.

All news matter will receive prompt attention if left at Davis' drug store, corner of Main and Market street.

The Keystone Literary and Dramatic club are holding nightly rehearsals for their play, "Hecuba She Loved Him So," which will be produced Easter week at the Auditorium.

This afternoon Bible study will be held at the Young Women's Christian association, under Rev. George L. Alrich, the subject being, "The Prophecies of Daniel." All are welcome to become members of the Bible class.

A social will be held this evening at the home of Ethel Watkins, on Parker street, for the benefit of the widows fund of the Christian church.

Thomas B. Powell, a student of Keystone Academy, will occupy the pulpit of the English Baptist church next Sunday, instead of the new pastor, Rev. Mr. Smith, who will occupy his old pulpit in the Berwick Baptist church. Rev. Smith's term as pastor of the English Baptist church will begin a week from next Sunday.

John R. Williams, the well-known wrestler, of this section, for a wrestling match, catch-as-catch-can, for any purse.

Tonight will be the beginning of the night fair, which will be held at the Court Street Methodist Episcopal church, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society. Several small articles, such as fancy work, made by the ladies, will be on sale at the different booths.

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or Davis prepared yesterday the blank commissions for each patrolman and fireman.

They are to be sworn in just as soon as possible after the new director of public safety assumes office. Those who are not invited to be sworn in will, of course, be numbered among the has-beens, but Recorder Moir assured matter was brought that there would be very few changes.

"It will simply be a re-organization," said he, "and there will be no general shake-up at all."

DUNMORE DOINGS.
Japanese Wedding Will Be Given Tonight at Baptist Church—Barbers Object to Shaving.

Tonight at the Baptist church occurs the widely heralded Japanese wedding and entertainment.

The coffee and the affair, for a nominal charge. The following is the complete programme:

Piano Selection, "Dance Calmness."
Miss Elizabeth R. Hughes.
Recitation, Selected.....Miss Lillian La Du.
Japanese Wedding.....Miss Lillian La Du.
Solo Selected.....Miss Elizabeth Lewis.
A Study in "Delirium".....Miss Lillian La Du.
Recitation, Selected.....Miss Eva Thomas.
Japanese Fantasy.....By sixteen Young Ladies.
Solo Selected.....Miss Elizabeth Lewis.
Recitation, Selected.....Miss Edna Proctor.
Chorus.....By Japanese Ladies.
Tableau, "Salute of the Fair."
By Twelve Young Ladies.

Accompanied—Miss Elizabeth R. Hughes.
Director—Miss Lillian La Du.

Object to Sunday Shaving.
The promised crusade against Sunday shaving took definite shape yesterday, when Michael Sullivan, of Grove street, was arraigned before Judge Cooney, charged by the members of the Barbers' International union, recently organized here, with Sunday shaving.

Evidence was produced by those in the employ of the union which proved such to be the case, whereupon he was fined \$1 and costs.

The union intends following up the matter and will force all the Sunday shaving shops in town to close on the Sabbath.

Borough Brevities.
The Epworth league will hold an important meeting tonight, when it is hoped a large number will be present.

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