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COUNCILS MEET.

Select Transacts Some Business. Common Only Listens to Names of Standing Committees.

The select and common councils of the city held meetings last evening. The select branch heard a number of resolutions read and did a little business. Chairman Fletcher named the committees for the ensuing year. In common council a quorum did not get together until 8.55, and the members present contented themselves with listening to Chairman Collins' appointment of committee places.

The select council was called to order by Chairman Fletcher at 8.10 o'clock. Every member was in his seat. After the reading of the minutes the first business done was the reading of the standing committees for the next year. They are:

Finance and taxation—Thompson, Davis and Mannion.

Streets, bridges and sewers—Battle, Fletcher, Thompson.

Public buildings—Fletcher, Battle, Davis.

Light, water and fire—Davis, Thompson, Barrett.

Treasurer's and collectors' accounts—Mannion, Davis, Barrett.

License—Thompson, Barrett, Battle.

Printing—Fletcher, Barrett, Mannion.

Rules—Barrett, Mannion, Fletcher.

Estimate—Barrett, Fletcher, Battle.

Judiciary and legislation—Mannion, Battle, Thompson.

Police—Battle, Thompson, Davis.

Vice and immorality—Davis, Mannion, Fletcher.

Thompson made a motion that the body be governed by the rules of last year. Carried.

Mr. Thompson introduced the first ordinance of the session, the appropriation ordinance. After the title was read he moved that the rules be suspended and that the estimate committee report forthwith. Barrett introduced an ordinance to provide for the levy of taxes for the year commencing April 1, 1901. The estimate committee held a brief consultation and reported favorably on the appropriation ordinance, and it was ordered printed. Messrs. Thompson and Davis, of the finance committee, reported favorably on the tax ordinance, while Mannion, the other member, suggested that the report be deferred until the next meeting. The majority report was adopted.

A resolution by Thompson that the secretary advertise for bids for lighting the streets of the city for the next year was adopted. A resolution by Fletcher that the joint building committees be instructed to have the platforms enlarged in each chamber so that they would extend to the west window and that a small window be cut through the drop curtain to enable the clerks to pass papers from one body to the other was adopted.

The requisitions of the hose companies for the coming year were referred to the light, water and fire committee; one from the police department to the committee on police and three requisitions from the fire companies for the month of March was sent to the first committee, with the exception that the requisition for feed and shoeing of the horses for that month was granted on motion of Davis.

An affidavit from Frank Molinari, made before Alderman Jones, was read. It stated that he had had $3.24 of taxes taken from his pay by the city treasurer because of his father's delinquency; that he was but 19 years of age, that his father had gone west a year ago, and he prayed to be reimbursed. The communication was referred to the treasurer's committee.

J. J. Davis presented a resolution designating the following places for the gas lamps that are to be erected by the Carbondale Gas company in this city, for the purpose of demonstrating their product. They will be erected without expense to the city:

One on the northwest corner of Lincoln avenue and Terrace street.

One on the southeast corner of Lincoln avenue and Washington street.

One on the eastern corner of Washington place.

One on the northeastern corner of Brook avenue and Terrace street.

One on the north end of Wyoming street and Garfield avenue.

One on the northeast corner of Ninth avenue and Spring street.

B. G. Guerrin, representing the gas company, gained the floor and stated that the company wished it stated that it will have the privilege of removing these lamps, which are to be of the latest Welsbach incandescent street lights, as soon as the bids for lighting are awarded, or at their discretion thereafter.

City Clerk Moon then read his bond. It was signed by N. L. Moon, F. E. Dennis and Frank E. Burr in $300 each The bond was accepted and placed on file.

A communication was received from the police department, signed by each member of the force, requesting action on the increase in their salaries, a bill for which was before the last councils, but was allowed to die without action. It was voted to suspend the rules and the police committee report forthwith. The committee recommended that the chief be paid a salary of $65 a month for the ensuing year and the rest of the force $62.50 per month. The report was adopted.

The rules were suspended again and the treasurer's committee held a conference on the matter of Molinari's taxes. No report was presented, but Mannion suggested that it lie over until next meeting. The select council then adjourned to meet next Thursday evening at 8.30 o'clock.

COMMON COUNCIL.

A quorum did not get together in common council until 8.55. Then Chairman Collins called the session to order. No business was done except the appointment of the standing committees for the ensuing year, and at 9.15 the commoners adjourned. The committees selected by Chairman Collins are:

Finance and Taxation—A. T. Thompson, Nealon, Evans.

Streets, Bridges and Sewers—Whitfield, Collins, Pugliano.

Public Buildings—Kennedy, Stone, J. Masters.

Light, Water and Fire—W. H. Masters, Loftus, Nealon.

Treasurer's and Collectors' Accounts—Murphy, Evans, Pugliano.

License—Stone, W. Masters, Loftus.

Printing—J. Masters, Stone Murphy.

Rules—Pugliano, Whitfield, Kennedy.

Estimate—Thompson, Pugliano, Kennedy.

Judiciary and Legislation—Murphy, W. H. Masters, Evans.

Police—Nealon, Thompson, Whitfield.

Vice and Immorality—Murphy, W. H. Masters, Nealon.

At 9.15 an adjournment was taken until next Monday evening.

TO MEET HERE.

The Next Session of the Wyoming Conference Will Be Held in Carbondale.

The next session of the Wyoming Methodist Episcopal conference will be held in this city. It was so decided at the recent meeting of the body in West Pittston. Two cities asked for the next conference, Waverly, N. Y., and Carbondale. It being the semi-centennial of the Wyoming conference the question elicited more than usual interest. The fact that the conference saw its birth in the Pioneer City fifty years ago gave to the place a stronger attraction, and it was selected, the vote standing 67 to 56 in favor of Carbondale.

Sorosis Meets Tonight.

Miss Martha Singer will entertain the Sorosis club at her home on South Main street this evening with a euchre party in honor of her cousin, Miss Leah Levy, of Springfield, O., who is her guest.

MR. COLLINS APPOINTED.

President John Mitchell Chooses Him for National Executive Board.

Henry Collins this morning received the following telegram:

Indianapolis, Ind., April 13, 1901.
Mr. Henry Collins, Carbondale, Pa.:

Have appointed you national board member, to take effect May 1.

John Mitchell.

This will be good news for the miners of Anthracite district No. 1, as it is the first time in the history of the present union that District No. 1, the largest in the anthracite region, has had a representative on the national board. There are but two anthracite district men on the board. They are Benjamin James and John Fahey.

The honor conferred upon Mr. Collins is a high one, as the position is one of great importance. He will be one of the ten men who direct the destinies of the greatest labor organization now in existence. It is the result of his hard work for the cause during several years past and the fact that it was wholly unsolicited by him, while others eagerly sought the appointment, makes the honor a greater one. It shows the faith the national president has in Mr. Collins' ability and integrity.

For some years he has been a member of the district board and took a prominent part in the conduct of the great strike of last fall. This year he is a member of the legislative committee and his work at the state capital in behalf of the miners has won praise from his superiors and fellow members of the union. The appointment of Mr. Collins is an honor to Carbondale, and that gentleman will receive hearty congratulations from all.

A CUT IN MILK.

John Williams Is Underselling the Milkmen's Organization.

Some time ago the milk dealers in this city, inspired with the prevailing fashion of organization which was going on all through the valley, decided to form a union of their own. The plan met with great favor among all the dealers and a meeting was held and a tariff of prices drawn up. Among the most radical of the results was a change in the price of milk for the summer months. Hitherto the price has been 5 cents a quart after April 1. This year the new organization decided to maintain a price of 6 cents after that date.

All dealers in the city, but one, have steadfastly stuck to this price for the past two weeks. The exception is John Williams, who, besides owning a large farm outside the city limits, is also part owner of the Hotel American here. He has kept his price at 5 cents and has thereby made himself disliked by the organization. A member of the latter body said yesterday afternoon that, although it was true that the price of milk has been advanced this spring beyond the rate of former years, yet the members of the association derived no benefit from the advance; it was the farmers who got the benefit, and if the price was lowered to meet Mr. Williams' figures it would be the farmer who would have to sustain the loss. While he would not say what action would be taken by the milk dealers he intimated that unless Mr. Williams quit selling below the union price measures might be taken soon to bring public sentiment to bear on the question.

Storm Doors Removed.

All the people who had occasion to visit the postoffice and city building after 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon had cause for rejoicing. The unsightly and cumbersome storm doors that have disfigured the front of the building since last November have been removed, and now entrance to the postoffice is not accompanied by fear of having a hat knocked off or discolored eyes from the slamming nuisances.

Begins This Morning.

The sessions of the Wyoming association of Congregational ministers opens this morning in the First Congregational church. To all the sessions the public is cordially invited. Some fresh, timely subjects will be handled that will be of interest to all who attend. This evening Rev. W. H. Stacey, of Lansford, will preach. The choir will give special music tonight.

Milk Thieves at Work.

A resident of Seventh avenue has been annoyed considerably of late by the depredations of petty thieves. Three times within the past week he has had his milk stolen before breakfast time from his rear porch. He threatens, if the thefts are continued, to fix up a dose of milk for the thieves that will have the effect of reforming them.

The Park Is Blooming.

The first flowers of the season in Memorial park are now in bloom. The tulips planted last fall are now well above ground and their white and blue blossoms give a pretty effect to the upper end of the triangle.

A Thimble Tea.

Invitations have been issued by Mrs. H. B. Jadwin, Mrs. M. J. Shields and Miss Jadwin, for a thimble tea at the home of the former, 58 North Church street, on Friday afternoon, at 4 o'clock.

Fortnightly Club Met.

The Fortnightly club was entertained at the home of Mrs. J. J. Thompson, on North Church street, last evening. The affair partook of the nature of a children's party.

At the Opera House.

Wednesday—Lyman Howe's Moving Pictures.

Thursday—Vogel and Deming's Minstrels.

Friday—American Opera company in "Faust."

Mr. Gramer Recovering.

Assistant District Attorney Louis Gramer, who has been confined to his home for several weeks with an abscess of the ear, was out yesterday for the first time. He is slowly recovering from his affliction.

Demolished in Quick Time.

The destruction of the old No. 1 breaker was commenced on Sunday morning and was finished yesterday noon. The lumber, which was composed of hemlock boards, most of them in sound condition, was allowed to be taken away by any one, and as a consequence a busy scene of harvesting firewood was enacted all day yesterday. Many homes will have no use for coal fires for some time to come. The men employed at the breaker are now idle for an indefinite time, or until the new breaker can be connected.

BASE BALL OUTLOOK.

Many Citizens Have Pledged Themselves to Subscribe for a Local Team.

The local base ball situation is beginning to look very bright. The young men who are promoting the organization of a thoroughly representative citizens' association are meeting with encouragement. Over one hundred have signified their willingness to subscribe the sum of $1 or $2 toward the project.

Scranton, Wilkes-Barre, Susquehanna and other nearby towns have organized strong teams and if the ideas of the local "cranks" meet with encouragement the city is assured of many exciting contests. This week will see many of the local players get into action, and there is a possibility of a match for the beginning of next week. Among the players who are getting ready are: George Cuff, Moran, Martin Rogan, W. Loftus, Jim McHale, Murray, Lynch, Emmett, Pidgeon, Richard Monohan, Gordon, Sheridan, Hadgins and Nealon.

An effort will be made to secure a game with Fordham college team when they come to this vicinity to play the strong St. Thomas team in Scranton. The latter will also be secured for an early date.

READ THIS LIST.

A Big Minstrel Company Coming on Thursday.

John W. Vogel and Arthur Deming's big minstrels are coming to the Grand on Thursday night. Arthur Deming will, of course, be the chief merrymaker on this occasion, and to our minds there is no comedian so well prepared to infuse spontaneous mirth as the genial Arthur. The Brothers Van, those unapproachable musical comedians; Rosaire, the wire marvel; Tommy Hayes, trick bone soloist; the O'Brien troupe of acrobats in their perily-defying act; John T. Hoffman, world renowned whistler and bird imitator; Lew Benedict, the clever comedian and parodist, an unsually large singing contingent, including the famous boy baritone, Master George Jones, Professor Norton's Double Symphony orchestra, and many others, comprise this large company.

A NEW HEARSE.

E. J. McHale Now Has the Finest Funeral Car in This Section.

E. J. McHale, the North Main street funeral director, yesterday afternoon received the most handsome funeral car in this city, if not in the county, from the Riddle Coach and Hearse company, of Ravenna, O. It is an extra large vehicle, black enameled, with rubber-tired wheels. There are no plumes or urns on the top of it, as these are now considered passe. Instead, the top is panelled in black. The outside of the car is graced with ten fluted Corinthian columns. The inside flooring is of rosewood, with silver rollers, and the mountings are also in silver. Ordinarily a hearse is not an object for enthusiasm, but Mr. McHale has cause to be proud of the latest acquisition to his business.

"The Christian."

Hall Caine's play, "The Christian," which has been applauded by more than a million people, is to be presented in this city soon. This is another of the great pieces that will make our theatrical season end in a blaze of glory. On Friday of this week we will be treated by the American Grand Opera company, in which are such artists as Madame Delmotta, Miss Rosemarie Campbell, Grafton Baker, Harry Williams, Henry C. Peaks and Alfred Kuttner.

Rev. Mr. Chaffee Reappointed.

The Rev. A. F. Chaffee returned from the Wyoming conference yesterday afternoon. It is a pleasure to announce that Mr. Chaffee has been continued in his charge for another year, at least. The First Methodist church in this city has grown spiritually and materially while he has been pastor of it and there is not a question but what the growth will be continued now that he has been sent back to it.

Rummage Sale to Be Held.

The Young Lady Workers of the First Methodist Episcopal church will open their rummage sale in the opera house block in about ten days. They will be glad to call for any articles of cast-off clothing, furniture, crockery, etc., which the people may wish to contribute, if word is left at Mrs. C. W. Fulkerson's, 62 Salem avenue, or at Miss Alice Butler's, 65 Salem avenue.

A Narrow Escape.

While Joseph Schermerhorn was loading ice machine coils in a box car yesterday afternoon for the Carbondale Machine company the mass of iron suddenly started. It looked as if he would be crushed and spectators shut their eyes. The coils, however, thereby shoved him to one side and out of the car, without damaging him further than to inflict some bruises.

Meetings Tonight.

William H. Davies' Women's Relief corps, No. 134.

St. Vincent de Paul.

Improved Order Red Men, Lackawanna tribe, No. 208.

Improved Order of Heptasophs, Carbondale conclave, No. 329.

Interred in St. Rose.

The body of George Kilpatrick, of Vandling, formerly a resident here, was interred in St. Rose cemetery yesterday morning. The Vandling Hose company attended the obsequies in a body and the Vandling miners suspended work for the day.

Will Attend Social.

A party of Episcopalians from this city are arranging to attend the Anglo-American social at Christ church, Forest City, this evening.

Very Ill.

Esther, daughter of Justice of the Peace and Mrs. Daniel Lynch, is very ill at her home in Simpson.

The Mission Well Attended.

The mission in St. Rose church, conducted by the Redemptorist Fathers, which began on Sunday, is drawing large attendances. Each morning during the week there will be masses at 5 and 8 o'clock, followed by instructions. Each evening at 7.30 there will be rosary, benediction and a sermon. The above services will be for the married and unmarried women. The children will have services at 8.30 and 3.30 each day. The men's mission will commence next Sunday night.

Leave for Duluth Tonight.

W. Hankins, of Duluth, Minn., has been in town since Saturday night. This evening he will return west, accompanied by his wife and their two sons, Wallace Watt and Nathaniel Reeve, who have been spending the winter with Mrs. Hankins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Watt, of South Church street.

A Great Exhibition.

Manager Byrne has been exceedingly fortunate in securing the original Lyman H. Howe Moving Picture company to appear at the Grand Opera house tomorrow night. This attraction is strictly high grade and is without any question of doubt the best of its kind in America, and is creating a furore in all large cities.

The Lockout Over.

The forty-two men who for ten days were discharged from the employ of the Delaware and Hudson company in the locomotive shops in this city, all returned to work yesterday morning. The day passed serenely and no further trouble is anticipated. The demands of the men were granted.

J. Pierpont's Nephew in Town.

John T. Morgan, the travelling passenger agent of the Anchor line of steamships from New York city to Europe, was a caller on James J. Gorman. Mr. Morgan is a nephew of the famed financier, J. Pierpont Morgan, and bears a resemblance to the man of many great interests.

Delegates to A. O. H. Convention.

J. P. Collins, Richard Kirwin, William Peel, John Killeen, Henry Loftus and James J. Gorman were in Scranton Sunday attending the convention of the Ancient Order of Hibernians of Lackawanna county. They report that considerable business of importance was transacted.

Sprained His Back.

While making repairs on the roof of the drafting room of the Carbondale Machine company yesterday afternoon Chauncey Feeney missed his footing and fell inside the room, landing in a heap on the floor. The only damage he sustained was a sprained back.

Special Meeting.

The members of the Mitchell Hose company will hold a special meeting this evening at their rooms.

The Passing Throng.

Fred Moses was in town over Sunday.

Dudley Gordon was in Scranton yesterday.

Miss Mame Farley spent Sunday in Jermyn.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Dougher visited friends in Archbald Sunday.

Charles Law, of Pittston, visited his daughter, Mrs. G. W. Cross, yesterday.

Frank P. Arnold, of Washington, D. C., formerly of this city, is visiting in town.

T. R. Durfee and Thomas Leirson have taken rooms at the Anthracite.

E. T. Corby, of Scranton, a former resident here, spent Sunday in town.

Miss Rebecca McCabe, of Norristown, visited friends in this city Sunday.

W. C. Ennis, foreman of the locomotive shops, has returned after two weeks' absence.

Miss Mary Weeks, of Honesdale, spent Sunday as the guest of Misses Maude and Emma Collins.

Albert Breese is a member of the jury deciding the fate of Frank Jansen, charged with murder, in Scranton.

Fred J. Lowry has left for New York, where he has secured a position on the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad.

Robert Sunderland, of Newark, N. J., is visiting relatives here for a few days. He was called to Carbondale by the death of Clyde Whitfield.

Charles Stephens, of Lorrain, Ohio, returned to his home yesterday morning, after a short visit with Messrs. A. V. and Charles Seaman, of this city.

Mrs. Watson Griffin, of Dickson City; Mrs. Howard Griffin, of Providence, and Mrs. H. S. Alworth, of Providence, were guests of Mrs. Ida Coleman and Mrs. H. A. Purple yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Laubshire, formerly of Port Jervis, now of Carbondale, arrived in Port Jervis on Erie train 38 this morning, for a visit to Matamoras and Port Jervis. Mrs. Laubshire will visit in this vicinity for about three weeks, but Mr. Laubshire will return to Carbondale Monday.—Port Jervis Gazette.

JERMYN AND MAYFIELD.

The degree staff of Honoria lodge, Daughters of Rebekah, of Archbald, will pay a visit to Mizpah lodge, of Jermyn, tomorrow evening and initiate seven candidates. A large attendance of local members is desirable.

John Forschner, of Main street, was arrested last evening on a warrant sworn out by Thomas Williams, on the charge of assault and battery, with intent to kill. The hearing was to take place at 9 o'clock last evening before Squire Keifer, but it was half an hour later before the case was opened, and too late to report in this issue.

Mr. and Mrs. James Allen and family, who have been residents of this borough for many years, moved yesterday to Carbondale, where they will make their home on John street.

Mr. and Mrs. William Gibbs, of West Mayfield, spent the past three days with Scranton friends.

John Lucas will in a day or two open a candy and peanut store in front of Bray's livery, on Main street.

Idras Edwards, of the Windsor hotel, left yesterday for New York and other points of interest.

Mr. and Mrs. James Evans, of Providence, former residents of Jermyn, were intown Sunday, calling on some of their old friends.

J. J. Cox and family, of North Main street, have moved to Carbondale, where Mr. Cox will open a barber shop on South Main street.

Miss Mabel Davis will shortly move to Middletown, N. Y., to join her father, who has secured a position as engineer there.

Bert Gabel, of Albany, N. Y., was a visitor here last Saturday.

The Electric Light company yesterday paid into the borough treasury $145, their pole tax for the past year.

There is but little hope for the recovery of the child of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hockaday, who is critically ill of pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Edwards, of Carbondale, were the guests of Jermyn friends Sunday.

There was a slight improvement yesterday in the condition of Insurance Agent David Hill, of Mayfield, who has been seriously ill the past week of internal trouble.

Thomas M. Griffiths, of Third street, who has been laid up with a severe attack of rheumatism, was able to sit up for a time yesterday.

PECKVILLE.

A very large audience was in attendance at the second concert given by the choir of the Presbyterian church last Sunday evening, when they repeated by request their Easter music. They were assisted by Mrs. Dr. Vandorn and Miss Eaton and Mr. Widowfield. The music was very fine and was rendered in a brilliant style Each number showed careful preparation and was thoroughly enjoyed by the very large congregation. The church can well feel proud of her singers.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist Episcopal church will serve a dinner in the church parlors Wednesday noon until all are served. Everybody invited to come and get a good dinner.

Class No. 9 will meet this Tuesday evening at the home of Thomas Warne, of Hickory street. All members are requested to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Broad and son, Winfield, returned home last night, after spending a few days with Wellsbridge, N. Y., relatives.

Mr. Charles Billings and Miss Rose O'Boyle will be married Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, by the Rev. E. J. Lafferty. In the evening Mr. Billings will give a free ball.

Frank Taylor is able to attend to his duties, after a few days' illness.

The employes of the Riverside received their pay yesterday, for the two weeks of March.

OLYPHANT.

A. V. Bower, esq., of Scranton, will deliver a lecture, illustrated with stereopticon views, in the Blakely Baptist church, next Friday evening. Tickets 25 cents. The proceeds of the lecture will be used to buy uniforms for the members of the Blakely Boys' brigade.

Miss Nellie McAndrew returned home yesterday, after spending a few days at Avoca.

Mrs. Ann McNally, of Dunmore street, is seriously ill.

Miss Georgia Thomas spent Sunday with Taylor friends.

Joseph Hannick, of Scranton, was a visitor at the residence of William Rogan, on Dunmore street, Sunday.

Hon. P. A. Philbin, of Archbald, was a caller in town yesterday.

S. J. Evans was a visitor at Hyde Park Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Parsons entertained the members of the Blakely Whist club at their home, on Main street, last evening. Card playing was enjoyed for several hours, and about midnight a delicious lunch was served by the hostess. The time was delightfully passed by all present.

Miss Maud Kelly is visiting her grandmother at Mill City.

C. M. Hathaway, jr., a student at Yale college, is home for a few days.

PRICEBURG.

Miss Belle Wrightson, of Providence, spent Sunday with her parents on the Boulevard road.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Schmidt and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schmidt, of Hyde Park, spent Sunday with Matilda Schmidt, of Albert street.

Miss Maud Vosburg, of Montdale, is visiting Mrs. Lizzie Dierks, of Carmalt street.

Misses Lizzie and Sarah Ellicott, of Scranton, were the guests of Mrs. Isaac Dawe on Saturday evening.

Walter Wieland and William Jones spent Sunday afternoon with friends in Providence.

Miss Alice Eley, of Albert street, visited relatives at Peckville on Sunday.

A pleasant party was given Saturday night at the home of Miss M. A. Caygill, on Albert street. Games were played, refreshments served an an excellent time enjoyed by all present. Among those in attendance were: John Gales, Thomas Gales, William White, John Maher, James Simons, William Cooper, James Caygill, Roger Wood, Fred White, George Bailey, Joe Williams, Thomas Reid, Delbert Vosburg, Joe Greatix, William Vessie, Thomas Neeshan, Dave Walk, Clara Barrett, Cordelia Barrett, Rebecca Wear, Mamie Bucklow, Annie Sumners, Maggie Hall, Bessie Morris, Adelaide Smailes, Sarah A. Cooper, Maud Vosburg, Norma Morgans, Mary A. Caygill, Lizzie A. Wrightson, Gertrude Walkiss, Lizzie Neestan, Matilda Schmidt, Mrs. A. W. Schmidt, Mrs. W. Cumners, Mrs. Teets, Mr. and Mrs. Caygill.

Isaac Cooper and Miss Rosanna Bentley visited friends at Lackawanna.

Mr. and Mrs. James Oakley spent Sunday afternoon with relatives at Providence.

MOOSIC.

Miss Stella Levan spent Sunday with relatives in Carbondale.

Miss Verna Carpenter, of Susquehanna, returned after spending a few days with Miss Vertie Dix.

The recital in the Methodist Episcopal church Saturday evening by Miss Lena Barrett, of Susquehanna, a student of King's School of Oratory, was enjoyed by a large and appreciative audience. Her programme was varied, ranging from humorous to pathetic, and showed to advantage her perfect control of voice. Her rendering of "The Creed of the Bells," and "The Spinning Wheel Song," were especially enjoyed. A brilliant career in her chosen profession is predicted for Miss Barrett by all who had the opportunity of hearing her.

A number of our townspeople attended the Wyoming conference at West Pittston Sunday.

Mr. Harry Capwell, of Philadelphia, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Frank Johnson.

Prof. T. G. Osborne was a caller in Kingston Saturday.

The Young Ladies' Mission Circle will meet this evening at the Presbyterian parsonage.

ELMHURST.

Dr. Knedler visited his parents at Alburtis, Pa., on Friday and Saturday.

Rev. J. J. Rankin spent several days in Newark last week.

Miss Schimerling and Miss Bessie Buckingham were guests at the home of L. C. Bortree at Moscow on Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. H. J. Stanton returned from a visit at Lake Ariel on Friday night.

Superintendent Taylor visited the graded school here on Friday.

Miss Helen Williams was the guest of Mrs. H. L. Gaige at her home in Moscow on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Easterle were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Wilcox on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mattison, of Binghamton, are visiting at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gideon Foote.

Fuller Evans, Will Jenkins Arthur Seeley and Neal Knickerbocker left on Monday of last week for Lestershire, N. Y., where they have obtained positions in the shoe factory.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Pelton, of Moscow, called on Elmhurst friends on Sunday.

The society of King's Daughters will hold a dime social on Thursday evening of this week.

C. M. Curtis is building a new barn and otherwise improving his property here.

Helen, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Cooper, has recovered from a very severe attack of pneumonia, under Dr. Knedler's treatment.

TAYLOR.

The funeral of William Davis occurred from his late home on Pond street yesterday afternoon and was quite largely attended. Services were held at his late home, Rev. John C. Evans, pastor of the Welsh Congregational church, officiated. Interment was made in the Forest Home cemetery. Taylor castle, No. 267, Knights of the Golden Eagle, of which the deceased was a member, attended the obsequies. The pall-bearers were: Benjamin Reese, David W. Williams, William Andrews, Richard Winters, Scott Carey and John Barron.

Work has been commenced on the removal of the old trestle which spans Oak street on the Keyser Valley branch of the Lackawanna company, preparatory to the building of a new iron trestling. The new structure will be as large again, which will necessitate the widening of the wagon road which passes underneath considerably. Workmen have been engaged daily in removing the old timber and have placed new timber temporarily, so as not to hinder the traffic for the present shipment of coal. The new trestling will be one of a double track, which will be connected with the extra track, which is now nearing completion, and if the present rate of speed continues in the work the structure will be completed during the summer months.

The Ladies' Aid society of the First Congregational church will conduct an ice cream social on pay night. Other delicacies will be srvd. Admission will be only 10 cents.

Miss Mae Elmer, of Carbondale, visited Miss Lizzie Owens, of Oak street, on the Sabbath.

Tonight the Bachelor Knights will conduct their grand ball at Weber's rink. Miss Kate Reardon, the accomplished pianist, will furnish music for the occasion.

AVOCA.

Forty Hours' Devotion opened in St. Mary's church on Sunday morning at 10.30 o'clock mass, Rev. Father McHale, of Pittston, preached the sermon on Sunday evening.

The marriage of Patrick McAndrew and Mary Davis, both residents of this town, will be solemnized in St. Mary's church tomorrow afternoon.

Rev. Mr. Wilcox, of New York city, and Rev. E. L. Van Hoesen, of Lake Ariel, occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian church on Sunday.

Rev. D. T. Smythe and John Connor are attending the Presbyterian synod at Scranton.

James Doran, of the West Side, has accepted a position as agent for the Prudential Life Insurance company.

Mrs. James Coggins, of Butte City, Montana, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Mary Doran, of the West Side.

Mrs. James McCabe and Mrs. Edward Dunleavy left last night to join their husbands, who have been in Butte City for several months.

Mrs. John Brennan, of Main street, is critically ill.

M. F. O'Brien has purchased a fine team of horses and will embark in the green grocery business this week.

Mrs. Margaret Shaughnessy, of Williamsport, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. T. P. McGrail.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Healey, of Plaine, spent Sunday at the Flannery residence on the West Side.

Miss Mary McCrindle is visiting friends in Carbondale.

Roy Bittinger, of Falls, and E. Borwick, of Weldon, spent Sunday in town.

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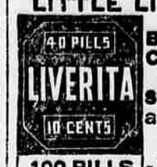

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