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Mr. and Mrs. George Tregeon, of Drinker street, are visiting friends in Chicago.

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**SOUTH SCRANTON NOTES.**

Division 22, A. O. U. W., will hold a special meeting on Saturday evening in Pharmacy hall, to make arrangements for the joint excursion which will take place June 26. All members are requested to be present at the meeting.

The members of Cornet Lodge, No. 431, Knights of Pythias, will meet in regular session this evening at Harman's hall.

The Catholic Relief and Beneficial association and Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. U. W., will meet in the St. John's church hall to make arrangements for the excursion which will be held by Rev. Father Melly, pastor of St. John's church. All members are earnestly requested to be present.

The St. Mary's church choir will meet for rehearsal this evening at 7:30 o'clock, at St. Mary's hall.

A very pleasant surprise party was tendered Miss Minnie Klein at her home on Alder street. Games and dancing were indulged in and refreshments were served. Those present were: Misses Minnie Klein, Emilie and Barbara Wildmer, Mary Kullna, Lillie Vanbergan, Clara Graver, Annie Myers, Carrie Klein, Annie Klippe, Lena Tannler, Sophie Hubert, Margie and Helen. Those who were not present were: Misses John Hahn, Albert Bruch, Philip Klein, Samuel Linder, George Gardner, Willie Gelshtar, Rude Cap, Arthur Graver, Philip Fisher, George Lauber. John Hahn sang a solo and acted as prompter for the dancing.

**IN A FEW LINES.**

William Bloch was the only prisoner in the Providence police station yesterday morning. He was arrested by Patrolman John Duggan for being helplessly drunk in the Christian church, on North Main avenue. Bloch was given a hearing by Magistrate Pidge and fined \$5, which he paid.

Miss Gertrude Deane, of Pittston, is the guest of Elsie Daventport, of North Main avenue.

Mrs. C. V. Hallstead, of Oak street, and Wayne avenue, has gone to Sunbury, Pa., where she is attending to her son who is seriously ill with typhoid fever, at the Sunbury hospital.

The alarm of fire sent in from box 82 yesterday morning was caused by the house owned by Margaret Dougherty and occupied by Frank Schukski, on McDonough avenue, catching fire.

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# WEST SCRANTON

## SUSHKO WAS ALSO SLASHED

### ALLEGED ASSAULT ON JOHN LUKAS VICTIM OF ASSAULT.

In Their Scrimmage Sunday Night, on Luzerne Street, the Alleged Victim Used a Knife Vigorously. Columbia Hose Company Members Celebrate Their Retirement from Volunteer Service—Noted Temperance Advocate Coming—First Legislative District Convention.

Michael Sushko and John Martin, the young men who were accused of assaulting John Lukas Sunday night, appeared before Alderman John last evening for a hearing, and told an entirely different story from that told by Lukas regarding the injuries he sustained.

"They made it out that Lukas was the chief offender, and Sushko exhibited violence to prove it."

Sushko alleges that Lukas stabbed him in the back and breast and slashed him across the face with a knife, and it was while Sushko was defending himself from Lukas' attack that the latter cut himself. He substantiated this Sushko showed the afternoon where he had been stabbed and his clothes cut, and his statements were corroborated by John Martin, who witnessed the affair.

The trouble originated over Lukas' failure to pay over money to Mrs. John Daneshin, who is now in Australia, which he owes her from the St. Peter and Paul society of the orthodox Russian church, as a death claim on her husband.

A woman case afterwards shown out for Lukas' arrest on the charge of assault and battery, preferred by Sushko and a double hearing will be held in the case Thursday evening.

**First Legislative District.**

The primary election in the First legislative district for the selection of two delegates to the Republican state convention to be held in Harrisburg, will be held at the regular polling places on Saturday, June 8, between the hours of 4 and 7 p. m. The convention to nominate the vote will be held in Cooper street, North Main avenue, at 10 a. m. on Tuesday, June 11.

The candidates will be voted for directly by the voters at the polls, and must register with the district chairman and pay their assessments.

**Columbians Celebrate.**

The Columbia Hose and Chemical company held a special meeting last evening to discuss what disposition shall be made of the property now held by them.

The matter was referred to the trustees, with power to act, and whatever equipment is wanted by the city will be sold to it and the remainder disposed of at public sale.

The boys afterwards adjourned to Knuch Evans' hotel, on Jackson street, where a social session was held to celebrate the disbandment of the company.

**Before Alderman Kellow.**

Two wives appeared before Alderman Kellow yesterday, invoking the aid of the law in bringing their respective husbands to justice. One was Mrs. Thomas Stuart, of West Luzerwanna avenue, who charges her husband with assault and battery, and the other was Mrs. W. W. Lathrop, who alleges desertion and non-support. Stuart is a well known junkie around town and Lathrop is not credited with having any particular

occupation. Constable Larry Rooney is looking for both of them, and when he finds them, the alderman will dispose of their cases.

**No Change in Police Force.**