WEST SCRANTON

MASONIC LODGE BANQUET HALL

FORMALLY OPENED UNDER AUSPICIOUS CIRCUMSTANCES.

Hyde Park Lodge, F. & A. M. Has Added a Long Felt Want to Their Well Equipped Building—Social Session and Visitors—Inquest in the Case of Edward Doyle Who Was Killed on the Railroad—A Chain of Sad Happenings in One Family.

The newly appointed social and banquet rooms of Hyde Park lodge, Free and Accepted Masons, were formally opened and dedicated last evening in the presence of a large number of the members and visiting guests of other lodges. The rooms are located on the second floor of the Masonic building, and consist of a parlor and cloak room, banquet hall, pantry and kitchen.

The parlor and cloak room are furnished with body brussels carpet, leather-upholstered chairs and oak tables, and will be used exclusively for the members of the Masonic fraternity, and will be opened as the occasion requires. They will serve as a club and social rooms for lodge members.

The kitchen and pantry are fully equipped with gas ranges, hot and cold water, dishes, etc., for the handling of large assemblages, and the banquet hall is 30x37 feet, and will accommodate several hundred people when seated. The rooms are exquisitely papered and painted and lighted with the Wellsbach lamps.

At the close of the regular meeting the members of the lodge and their visiting guests marched in twos from the lodge room on the third floor to the banquet hall, where they were seated and served with refreshments by Caterer Max Blume, assisted by the entertainment committee, Chas. Pitcher, Thomas B. Carey, James M. Eaton, Albert Davis and M. G. Dimmick, and the following members, who acted as waiters, Daniel J. Thomas, Harry Randolph, J. Gomer Evans, William E. Lewis and Albert Davis.

Worshipful Master W. Hayden Evans was master of ceremonies; Rev. H. C. McDermott, chaplain of the evening, and David J. Davis, chairman of the social session. After the refreshments were served, vocal numbers were rendered by Prof. W. W. Jones, Harry Wrigley and Harry Acker, of the Simpson Male quartette, accompanied on the organ by Prof. Walter Davis.

Remarks were made by Chairman Davis, Rev. McDermott, Dr. Heath, C. R. Acker and several other members of the Hyde Park and other lodges represented. In addition to an unusually large attendance of the lodge members, there were present the following from other lodges:

Fred E. Sykes, of Union lodge, 291; Ephraim J. Long, 291; R. N. Davis, King Solomon, No. 581; Alexander Campbell, Acacia, No. 579, Taylor; Fred S. Roberts, 291; Theodore Henty, 291; Harry W. Sexton, 291; George A. Millett, Peter Williamson lodge, No. 323; Philip H. De Witt, 323; Joseph H. Mathias, 291; Fred J. Brauer, 291; John R. Harris, 291; David H. Edelsohn, 291; George L. Bates, Potter, 441, Philadelphia; Herman Weil, No. 323; Eugene H. Kesge, 291; George Brandt, Schiller lodge; Edward S. Truesdell, 291; William L. Pryor, Peter Williamson lodge, No. 323; W. H. Roe, 323; Charles R. Acker, 323; Ernest J. Paine, 323; William C. Garrison, Ancient Landmarks lodge, No. 319, Indianapolis, Ind.; James P. McElroy, Garden City lodge, No. 141, Chicago, Ill.; Charles Gamewell, Potter lodge, No. 441, Philadelphia; George E. Frank, Green Ridge; Arthur Thomas, Barger lodge, No. 325, Stroudsburg; Reuben S. Gillingham, Conrad lodge, Alliance, O.; W. H. Bryant, Kingston lodge, No. 395, Kingston, Pa.; W. P. Estabrook, De Witt lodge, No. 84, Clinton, Ill.; John J. Reid, Waterville lodge, No. 33, Waterville, Me.; Lewis W. Williams, Minnesota lodge, No. 224, Minneapolis, Minn.; William Watson, Excelsior lodge, No. 175, Milwaukee, Wis.; John C. Bateson, Salem lodge, No. 330, Hamlinton, Pa.; Daniel W. Hughes, Green Ridge lodge, No. 597; Charles J. Haag, No. 341, Factoryville, Pa.; Charles F. Snyder, Raleigh lodge, No. 500, Raleigh, N. C.; Henry R. Banford, Plymouth lodge, No. 332, Plymouth; Henry L. Morgan, No. 98, Wyoming; W. A. Weegby, Otseningo lodge, Binghamton, N. Y.; Henry L. Edsall, Valley lodge, No. 499, Pittston; John R. Burns, Excelsior lodge, No. 176, Milwaukee, Wis.; Griffith T. Davis, Acacia lodge, No. 597, Taylor; Charles F. Neimeyer, King Solomon lodge, No. 581, Dunmore.

The rooms such as the lodge have just opened have been needed in West Scranton for a long time, and all the organizations which meets in Masonic hall will have the privilege of using the banquet hall for similar events.

Washburn Street Church.

Seven persons were united with the Washburn Street Presbyterian church on profession of faith, on Sunday, and fourteen were received by letter from other churches.

William Davis, formerly of Plymouth, and Rev. P. H. Brooks, a Presbyterian missionary, assisted in the services of the day.

The annual excursion of the Bible school will be run to Harvey's lake on July 31.

An open parliament session on Bible work will be conducted tomorrow evening at the close of the prayer meeting. An effort will be made to provide more teachers for the Bible school.

Those who have made pledges on the parsonage debt are requested to send their subscriptions to Treasurer Cruttenden before July 1.

The Gam a Nu society held their regular meeting last evening in the parlors of the church.

A Chain of Circumstances.

Mrs. David Rorar, whose husband died in Los Angeles, Cal., about five weeks ago, has returned here with her two children, and they are now stopping at the home of Thomas E. Jones, on Twenty-third street. Mr. Rorar was a barber and worked in many of the leading shops in this city prior to his departure for the west.

Nearly a year ago he went to El Paso, Texas, for the benefit of his health. He engaged in business out there and then sent for his family. For a time Mr. Rorar's health improved, but later failed again, and finally death relieved his sufferings. The funeral was conducted in Los Angeles under the auspices of the Masonic fraternity.

While Mrs. Rorar and her children were returning to Scranton, together with an aged lady relative, the latter was missed from the train, and upon investigation it was learned that she had fallen from the train in some unaccountable manner. A search was made for her and she was found several miles back on the railroad.

When picked up the old lady was quite painfully injured, and she was removed to a hospital, where treatment was accorded her. Upon her recovery the party resumed their journey and arrived here safely recently.

GENERAL NEWS NOTES.

The remains of an infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Orchard, of Jackson street, were interred in the Washburn street cemetery yesterday afternoon.

Burglars entered the confectionery store at 1601 Luzerne street, kept by Mrs. Foley, and carried away a small quantity of cigars. Entrance was effected by the removal of a pane of glass from one of the front windows.

Patrolman Conrad Marker is enjoying his annual ten days' vacation. Patrolman Thomas Jones has resumed his duties, after his vacation.

Miss Cassie Powell is seriously ill at her home on Eynon street.

The "Evening with Lincoln" entertainment, recently given at the South Main avenue Welsh Calvinistic Methodist church netted $100 for the church treasury.

Mr. and Mrs. David Jenkins, of Osage City, Kan., are visiting relatives and friends here, after an absence of thirty years.

Price & Son yesterday received a new white funeral car, which will be added to their already large equipment.

Rev. Thomas de Gruchy, D. D., will have charge of the Baptist Young People's union meeting this evening in the Jackson Street Baptist church.

Harry Williams, of South Main avenue; Eugene and Edgar Powell, of Jackson street, are home from Keystone academy, Factoryville.

Miss Margaret Williams, of Bloomsburg State Normal school, is at her home on South Main avenue, for the summer vacation.

Thomas J. Fleming, of Lafayette street, is spending a few days in Buffalo, N. Y.

Miss Laura Morris, of Forty Fort, has returned home from a visit with Miss Laura Davies, of South Main avenue.

Walter H. Jones, of Price street, is spending a few days at Bloomsburg State Normal school.

A lawn social for the benefit of the Jackson Street Baptist church will be held tomorrow evening at the home of Miss Ida Sayers, 310 North Rebecca avenue. All persons holding tickets dated June 14, will receive ice cream free of charge. Cream and cake will be for sale.

The children of the late Thomas E. Williams, who was killed in the Bellevue mine recently, yesterday received through Richard H. Williams a check for $1,000, in full payment for a policy held by the deceased in the Knights of Pythias Endowment Rank.

The members of the Columbia Hose and Chemical company met at their quarters, on Division street, last evening and disposed of many articles of furniture, pictures, etc., which adorned the hose house for many years. Most of the goods were bought by the members.

The ladies of the Simpson Methodist Episcopal church whose names begin with the letters S, T, U, V, W, X, Y and Z will serve one of their famous initial suppers in the church next Thursday evening. The usual excellent menu will be served between 6 and 8 o'clock.

A number of the Electric City Wheelmen met in the club house last evening and discussed the advisability of forming a glee club. Overtures have been made to Prof. W. W. Evans to instruct the singers, but no definite arrangements have yet been made.

Elmer Crane, one of the riders, who represented the Electric City Wheelmen in the century run at New York on Saturday last, was tendered a reception at the club house last evening. He proudly wore the sterling silver medal which he won in the race. Crane says the roads down around New York are a cinch for the "grade pluggers" around Scranton. His running mate, William Seagraves, has gone to Phillipsburg, N. J., to visit his mother, and will return the latter part of the week.

Alderman John P. Kelly and wife, of South Seventh street, returned home yesterday from a few days' visit with relatives in Aldenville, Wayne county.

Adolph R. Bruning, of North Hyde Park avenue, has been appointed the Scranton agent for the Frishmuth Bros. Tobacco company, of Philadelphia, succeeding J. J. Todd, who has represented the firm in this vicinity for a number of years.

Rev. Roberts, of Old Man's Creek, Iowa, who is the guest of S. R. Jones, of North Main avenue, preached in the Tabernacle Congregational church last evening, and will preach this evening in the First Welsh Congregational church, South Main avenue. Tomorrow evening he will speak at Taylor.

A five-year-old son of Robert Lance, of Decker's court, narrowly escaped injury on Sunday by falling from a Lafayette car on Swetland street. A boy named Willie Evans, aged fourteen years, residing on Seventh street, was arrested yesterday at Sixth street and West Lackawanna avenue, by Special Officer Stephen Dyer, for jumping on street cars. He will appear before Alderman Millar today.

Mrs. Isaac Davis, of Snyder avenue, who went to Youngstown, Ohio, recently to reside, has returned to Bellevue.

D. M. Jones, Benjamin G. Reese and John T. Lewis spent yesterday fishing at Maplewood. They returned last night with a fine catch of fifty pounds of perch and pickerel.

The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the Bellevue Welsh Calvinistic Methodist church will give an entertainment on Tuesday evening, June 18, 1901, commencing at 7.30 o'clock. A very good programme has been arranged, and it is in keeping with the work of the society. Everybody is given a hearty invitation. A free will offering will be taken.

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FOR SALE AT G. W. JENKINS'.

A Seasonable Topic

Hosiery and Underwear are always subjects of interest to well bred, intelligent women, when the subject of dress is under consideration, for without perfection in fit, weight and finish, real comfort is impossible.

The Questions of Styles and Materials

Are purely a matter of taste, governed by the purse, and whichever way your inclinations may run, rest assured of this, we can fill your every want.

At this season of the year

Light Weight Hosiery and Underwear

Are most in demand. People with luxurious tastes and ample means show a preference for silk weaves in plain and fancy styles, but science has come to the rescue of people of moderate means, and the latest styles in Mercerized Hosiery and Underwear make an excellent substitute for silk.

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Lisle Thread, Maceo Yarns, Cotton, Merinos, Light Wools, Etc., and there isn't a style that's popular today in any or all of these that you can't find here.

Next time you're thinking of Ladies' Hosiery or Underwear, just remember that you'll get it best at the

Globe Warehouse

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SOUTH SCRANTON NOTES.

Branch 226, Ladies' Catholic Association, Gives Euchre Tonight. Funeral of John Durkin.

The members of Branch 226, Ladies' Catholic Benevolent association, will meet this evening at 7 o'clock sharp at Pharmacy hall and all members are requested to be present. Immediately after the meeting they will leave for the Knights of Columbus hall, on Washington avenue, to hold their euchre contest, for which a large number of tickets have already been sold.

A number of valuable prizes are to be given to the lucky winners. Among the prizes offered are:

Ticket to the Pan American exposition, two ladies' silk umbrellas, silver chatelaine, two fancy rockers, two gentlemen's silk umbrellas, silver bon bon dish, pair of shoes, gentleman's watch guard, hammock, lady's gold pin, pair of vases, fancy cart, a pair of silver mounted brushes.

After the game and awarding of the prizes, a social will be held.

Funeral of John Durkin.

The remains of the late John Durkin, who met death at Nashville, N. C., recently were consigned to their final resting place in the Cathedral cemetery yesterday morning.

The funeral was held from the residence of his parents, on Pittston avenue, and was very largely attended.

At 9 o'clock the funeral cortege moved to the St. John's church, where a requiem mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Fleming.

NUBS OF NEWS.

John Cavanaugh, of 537 Orchard street, was arrested Sunday night for assaulting Patrolman Boland. At a hearing before Police Magistrate Storr he was fined $5 or ninety days in the county jail. He paid the fine.

The gymnastic exhibition which was given last evening at Workingmen's hall, by Prof. Carl Staiber's turning class, was very largely attended. An interesting programme was rendered and after the exhibition a very enjoyable social was held, for which Prof. Saft furnished the music.

Council No. 822, Junior Order American Mechanics, will meet for nomination of officers this evening at Schimpff's hall.

Miss Josephine Barnhart, of Cedar avenue, is visiting friends at Wilkes-Barre.

The Junger Maennerchor will hold a special meeting this evening at Germania hall. All members are earnestly requested to be present.

Lackawanna camp of the Modern Woodmen of America will meet at Hartman's hall Thursday night and an interesting session is assured.

A special committee is making industrious efforts to have the twelfth anniversary celebration of James Connell lodge, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, prove a great success. It will be held in the lodge rooms June 26, and will be attended by the members and their wives.

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NORTH SCRANTON.

What is expected to be one of the most successful excursions of the season will be the combination excursion of three churches, the Providence Methodist Episcopal church, the Green Ridge Asbury church and the Green Ridge Baptist church. These three churches will run their excursion to Lake Lodore June 29.

The members of the North End Basket Ball team are requested to meet at the Luzerne hotel on North Main avenue, next Friday evening.

John U. Hopewell and O. P. Miller, who have been attending the Heptasoph's convention at Boston, Mass., have returned home.

Rev. George L. Alrich will conduct a Bible study in the Young Women's Christian association rooms, 2048 North Main avenue, Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Subject, "The Prophecies of Daniel." The study to be continued in the eighth chapter of Daniel.

The Rev. W. F. Davies and wife and Miss Cora Roberts, of Summit avenue, will leave this morning for Lewisburg, Pa., where they will, this afternoon and tomorrow, attend the graduating exercises of Bucknell university. Miss Mary Protheroe Davies, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Davies, formerly a successful teacher at No. 27 school of this city, is one of the graduates at Bucknell this year. Miss Davies was granted a leave of absence to attend a college course in January, 1898. Since then she has succeded so well in her studies so as to complete the four years' course prescribed in the curriculum of the college. She also won the sophomore elocution prize offered to college students, for which both men and women were contestants, and in addition she has taken honorary studies in several languages, mathematics and English work. She is well versed in music and an excellent piano and guitar player. A host of friends will give her a hearty welcome home Wednesday and extend to her congratulations for the enviable record she has made during her whole collegiate course.

DUNMORE.

The Prohibition league held a largely attended meeting in Manley's hall last night. Several new members were added and the society is in a very flourishing condition. The following programme was rendered: Song, Mitchell quartette; prayer, Rev. W. F. Gibbons; recitation, Miss Lucretia Snyder; recitation, Miss Nettie Jones; solo, Gomer Reese; recitation, Mable Keast; address, J. D. Dabney; song, Mitchell quartette.

The Women's Christian Temperance union will hold a social at the home of Amos Washer, on Shoemaker avenue, Friday night. Refreshments will be served and the public is cordially invited.

The Boys' brigade of the Tripp Avenue Christian church will conduct an entertainment and social at the church tomorrow night.

The Women's Missionary society of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. Gilmore, of Elm street, Thursday afternoon.

Rev. Charles H. Newing leaves today for Wyoming seminary, where he goes as the official representative of the conference at the annual commencement exercises.

Charles Carroll, of Chicago, is the guest of his mother on Butler street.

James Moffatt, of Elm street, who has been with the Erie company at New York for some time, has accepted a position under Superintendent May, and will again take up his residence here.

P. J. Regan, of Drinker street, is ill.

Mrs. John Mooney and family have again taken up their residence on South Blakely street.

The Dunmore Lumber company has begun the erection of a new barn at the Exchange hotel on the site of the one recently destroyed by fire.

Samuel Palmer is in New York city on a business trip.

Albert Jenkins, of Waymart, was circulating among old friends here yesterday.

Henry W. Bloes, formerly of the Erie and Wyoming Valley railroad at Dunmore but now of Two Harbors, Minn., is succeeding very nicely at the latter place, where he has recently gone.

GREEN RIDGE.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Phillips and son, Thomas, of Sanderson avenue, have gone to their country place at Clark's Green for the summer.

Dr. Walter Fordham and Dr. J. Merritt Fordham, of South America, have returned from a ten day stay in Philadelphia.

Mrs. W. L. Carr, of Green Ridge street, left yesterday for a stay with friends at Moscow.

The members of the Women's Home Missionary society of Elm Park church, were entertained by Mrs. William H. Peck at her home on Monsey avenue yesterday afternoon. It being the last meeting of the year, officers were elected, after which a very interesting programme was given. The new meeting was well attended.

OBITUARY.

MRS. PHILIP HEISER, aged 58 years, died yesterday at the family residence in Rendham. The funeral will be held on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with interment in the Forest Home cemetery at Taylor.

Funerals.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Owen Finnegan will take place at 2 o'clock this afternoon from the home of deceased's mother, Mrs. Margaret Gerrity, 113 Garfield avenue. Interment will be made in the Cathedral cemetery.

MEETING OF MINISTERS.

Excellent Paper Read by Rev. J. L. Race Yesterday.

The Methodist Ministers' association of Scranton and vicinity met yesterday morning and listened to the reading of an excellent paper by Rev. J. L. Race on "The Best Method for the Average Preacher in Preparing a Sermon." The paper was discussed by Rev. J. N. Bailey, Rev. G. A. Cure, Rev. A. B. Conger and Rev. C. M. Griffin, D. D.

The meeting was presided over by Rev. C. B. Henry and Rev. A. B. Conger conducted the devotions. Members present were: Revs. J. L. Race, G. C. Lyman, E. B. Singer, C. M. Giffin, S. J. Dorsey, G. A. Cure, A. B. Conger, G. Bolslin, James Benninger, Joseph Madison, C. H. Newing, F. P. Doty, J. N. Bailey, C. B. Henry, G. H. Prentice, J. R. Austin.

RUNAWAY ON BOULEVARD.

Exciting Experience of Mrs. Gilhool and Her Sister.

Mrs. W. E. Gilhool and Miss Nellie Evans had a wild and exciting ride on the Elmhurst boulevard Sunday. They were on their way home when the horse became frightened and presently unmanageable and started at a mad pace toward the city, dragging the reins from the hands of Mrs. Gilhool, who was driving.

Down the boulevard the horse galloped, the women clinging to the sides of the carriage in terror. At the bridge above Nay Aug park the horse was stopped by running into a fence. Both of the women were thrown out and slightly injured.

TAX DUPLICATES READY.

Assessors Will Probably Turn Them Over Today.

The clerk employed by the city assessors to compile the tax duplicate for the present fiscal year have completed their work and the duplicates will be turned over to the city treasurer either today or tomorrow, so that the collection of taxes can be begun at once.

The assessors are now busy compiling a list of the resident taxables of each ward, to be used in figuring out the representation in the enlarged common council.

POLICE AND ALDERMEN.

Bert Evans was arrested yesterday at the instance of John Gilroy, who charges him with defrauding him (Gilroy) out of a small board bill. Evans paid the amount of the bill and the costs, whereupon he was discharged by Alderman Ruddy.

Mary Ann Kelly, of Carbon street, was arrested yesterday at the instance of Mrs. Mary Logan, one of her neighbors, on charges of using vile and obscene language, threats to kill and assault and battery. After a hearing Alderman Ruddy fined her $2 and costs on the first charge and discharged her on the last two.

Michael Augustinus, who created such a disturbance in a Providence car on Sunday night, was committed to the county jail for sixty days in police court yesterday morning in default of a $15 fine.

Owen Fitzpatrick, who was committed to the county jail two weeks ago for assaulting May Totten, was released on bail yesterday morning.

D., L. & W. BOARD FOR TODAY

The following is the make-up of the D., L. and W. board for today:

Scranton, June 18, 1901.

MONDAY, JUNE 17.

Wild Cats, East—8 p. m., P. Cavanaugh; 10 p. m., George Bott.

TUESDAY, JUNE 18.

Wild Cats, East—12.30 a. m., F. Hallett; 3 a. m., F. McCarthy; 10 a. m., J. A. Bush; 11 a. m., M. Finnerty; 1 p. m., Laughney; 5 p. m., Thomas; 6 p. m., W. W. Lillar.

Summits, etc.—6 a. m., east, J. Hennigan; 8 a. m., west, G. Frounfelker; 6 p. m., east, J. Carrigg; 8 p. m., east, W. H. Nichols; 7 p. m., east from Nay Aug, E. McAllister; 7 p. m., west from Cayuga, McLane; 7 a. m., west from Cayuga, Thompson.

Pushers—8 a. m., G. Houser; 10 a. m., S. Finnerty; 11.30 a. m., Moran; 7 p. m., Murphy; 9 p. m., Lamping; 10 p. m., A. Wideman.

Passenger Engines—7 a. m., Gaffney; 7 a. m., Singer; 10 a. m., S. E. Secor; 5.30 p. m., Stanton; 7 p. m., McGovern.

Wild Cats, West—3 a. m., Kingsley; 7 a. m., J. H. McCann; 8 a. m., J. Gahagan; 10 a. m., T. F. Duffy; 11 a. m., Carmer; 2 p. m., O. Carey; 4 p. m., T. Donahue; 6 p. m., E. Wall.

NOTICE.

Conductor P. J. Nealis takes his own run via 7.30 a. m. ... Monday, June 17.

Brakeman James McDonnell reports for Thompson.

Brakeman John Phillips will go out with P. Cavanaugh, June 17, until further notice.

Low Fares to the Pan-American Exposition via the Lehigh Valley Railroad.

Five day tickets, good only in day coaches will be sold Tuesdays and Saturdays from Scranton, at the rate of $6.00 for the round trip.

Ten day tickets will be sold every day, good on any train except the Black Diamond Express, at the rate of $8.00 for the round trip from Scranton.

Scranton, Pa., June 18, 1901.

The Carpet Sale Begins Tuesday Morning.

Jonas Long's Sons' Midsummer Sale of

CARPETS and RUGS

Begins Today, Tuesday Morning.

Some masterly merchandising movements make us the owners of some of the choicest productions of the carpet maker's art at prices much below actual worth.

In passing the good news along to you we'll simply say that every condition that was likely to affect a price reduction has been brought to bear on this great sale. The result is an aggregation of carpets and rugs that has already brought forth many favorable comments. See window display. Some idea of the good things can be gleaned from the following list:

Carpets.

Ingrain Carpets in new designs and color combinations. This is a good wearing, inexpensive carpet. Sale price........... 23c

A better quality ingrain is called the Granite. A good selection of colors. Sale price.......................... 25c

A good quality Union Ingrain. This is a firmly woven carpet and at its regular worth is considered good value. Sale price.. 30c

Good quality of All-Wool Ingrain Carpets. There is a good assortment of patterns and numerous color blendings. Sale price 54c

Tapestry Brussels Carpets in three qualities. The best of their kind in the various grades. At regular prices they are considered splendid values—the special prices will make them doubly interesting.

Lot No. 1—Especially adapted for halls, dining rooms and sitting rooms. Sale price.......................... 50c

Lot No. 2—Medium quality of Tapestry Brussels. It may not be quite so fine as the better grade, but it will wear just as well. There is a number of good patterns and some very pretty color combinations in the lot. Sale price.......................... 65c

Lot No. 3—Comprises a better quality of Tapestry Brussels. You are in the habit of paying much more than our sale price for this grade. There are some good patterns and some pretty color blendings in the lot. Sale price.......................... 75c

Bigelow and Lowell Body Brussels Carpet. You'll willingly pay $1.35 for this grade at any other time. Sale price $1.10

Velvet Carpets.

For less than one dollar a yard; during this sale you can buy a good quality of Velvet Carpet—It's well made, and there are some very pretty patterns in the lot. Sale price 90c

Just one pattern of a better quality of Velvet Carpet, the kind that usually sells for $1.50. Sale price.................. 95c

Rugs and Mats.

A Brussels Rug, size 27x54, in all the newest colorings, blendings and designs, value $1.50. Sale price.................. 99c

Persian Wilton Rugs, in a variety of Oriental effects, size 27x54; good value at $1.79. Sale price................ $1.19

Smyrna Rugs — This is a good heavy double-faced rug made in bright colorings: it is finished with heavy fringe and comes in one size only, 30x60; good value at $2.50. Sale price................ $1.49

Smyrna Mats in bright colors, Sale price.............................. 49c

Brussels Rug, large size, 9x12 feet. Splendid quality.......... $15.00

Matting

In all kinds from 12½c up to 35c, with every price between.

If you will bring your room measurements with you, much time can be saved.

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AMUSEMENTS.

SCRANTON.

Thursday, Friday, Saturday, June 20, 21 and 22.

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Darling's Congress of Trained Animals.

Acknowledge to be the swellest arenic achievement of the twentieth century. Pretty, prancing ponies. Diverting, diminutive dogs. Mirth-making monkeys. Known the wide world over as "Darling's Little Darlings." The big, little show! The delight of the little folks. Fairyland cavalcade of sumptuous splendor. Daily at 11 a. m. on the principal highways. Free to all. Two shows daily. Water-proof canvas, 5,000 seats. Prices reduced for this date only to adults, 20 cents; children, 10 cents.

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Oriental Diplomacy.

The presence of the Japanese crown prince in Paris has, says Snow Moments, reminded some one of a story.

It was at the time of the exhibition in 1867. A Japanese embassy went to Paris to treat for three free ports in France, in return for which France was to have three in Japan. The negotiations proceed short and amiable.

"Make your choice," said Japan, "we will choose afterward."

The minister of foreign affairs selected Yokohama, Yeddo and Hai-Yong.

The embassy made no objection, they simply smiled and went on their way.

Some time afterward Japan sent word that the three ports mentioned were agreed to, and in return Japan desired Havre, Marseilles and Southampton.

This last named gave the French officials fits. They never laughed so much before, and certainly never since. Southampton a French port! No, it was too good. Gently, but unmistakably they explained the situation.

"Why, Southampton is in England," they replied.

"We know that," came the cool response; "but then Hai-Yong is in Corea."

Whereupon the French officials collapsed.