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CARBONDALE'S TRIBUTE TO DEAD PRESIDENT

Solemn and Impressive Manifestation of Our Citizens' Sorrow and Grief Over the Loss of Their Beloved Ruler—Churches Filled to Overflowing with Those Who Were Intensely Eager to Pay Tribute to Memory of President McKinley.

Addresses by Hon. J. F. Reynolds, Hon. J. J. O'Neill and Rev. George Dixon—Exercises of South Side Citizens.

An unexampled showing of the patriotism of the citizens of Carbondale was made yesterday when hundreds poured into the churches of the national tragedy, and by soulful prayer and tender, warm-hearted tributes paid respect to the noble and illustrious ruler, William McKinley, who was yesterday laid in a martyr's grave.

The school children, too, joined in the spirit of the citizens in attending their schools and singing the favorite hymns of the departed president which dispersed many of them to swell the crowds of older folks that swarmed to the churches to express their reverent feelings for the illustrious man.

THE CAREER OF WILLIAM McKINLEY. The career of William McKinley furnished a life full of energy, activity and hope. No man ever lived who did not leave an impression on those about him.

THE LESSONS OF THE TRAGEDY. Speaking of the lessons that the tragedy of the nation taught Mr. Reynolds said that from it we learn of the stability of our government.

MR. O'NEILL'S THOUGHTS. Hon. James J. O'Neill, in his inspiring talk, touched at the beginning on the lesson that the nation's loss conveyed. The idea of American citizenship and American life, he said, is that of unity.

to whom was one of the bright virtues of his noble life. The tender sympathy that went out to her, in her heroic struggle to bear up under the crushing weight of her heartrending affliction, and what the speaker expressed found a warm-hearted response in the mind and soul of all whose love for the dead and the afflicted one and grief over the nation's loss brought them to the houses of worship.

Hon. John F. Reynolds' Eulogy. The eulogies were delivered by Hon. John F. Reynolds and Hon. James J. O'Neill. Both were in the touch with the spirit of the occasion and their tender words breathed the spirit that hovered over the land on this day.

At St. Rose Church. St. Rose church was almost filled when the church ceased its usual morning knell and the strains broke out of the mass that was about to be sung in observance of the nation's mournful day.

At Trinity Church. The service at Trinity Episcopal church consisted of the reading of the burial service, the singing by the vested choir of the litany and the psalms and the recitation of the prayer prepared especially for the occasion by Bishop Potter.

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charged to him. So true was he and so close a student of political events, he became skilled in diplomacy; he was first among the diplomats, and his astuteness of the questions that arose out of the Spanish war, attested this.

NATION WEEPS WITH MRS. McKINLEY. "There still remains on the horizon," concluded Mr. O'Neill, "a sad picture of a frail child weeping and mourning beside the bier of one who was more to her—and the nation weeps with her."

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THE PASSING THROUG. Martin Handley, of Scranton was a visitor to Carbondale yesterday.

JERMYN AND MAYFIELD. Seth Sprague, the dog carrier, who was bitten by a dog on Tuesday morning was visiting the Pastor yesterday evening where he will receive medical treatment.

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position in the store of C. D. Winter & Co. James P. Sampson, an esteemed resident of Second street, who has been seriously ill for some time, was in a very critical condition yesterday and it is thought he cannot survive for many days.

Miss Elizabeth Downing is at the Pan-American exposition and will visit Canada before returning.

THE WORDS A MAN UTTERS. The Average Per Day Is About Two Newspaper Columns.

PECKVILLE. Messrs. Floyd Keller, Gaylord Keller and Stanley Newton left yesterday on a ten days' trip to the Pan-American Exposition.

ELMHURST. Mrs. J. W. Kessler and children are visiting her parents at Alburtis, Pa. Miss Bessie Buckingham is attending school at Scranton business college.

na Huffsmith of West Pittston and Miss Cora Binker of Delaware Water Gap. Attorney eBate and family have taken possession of their new home here.

Miss Ethel Hutchings has returned after spending two months at Bermuda.

Rev. and Mrs. J. N. Bailey are attending the W. C. T. U. convention to be held in Peckville today.

The fifteenth annual convention of the Women's Christian Temperance Union will be held at the corner of Union and Main street this evening to make preparation for the football season.

John Powell of West Scranton visited relatives in the town yesterday.

Mrs. C. H. Hartman, of Roselle, N. J., is visiting her brother, William Edwards, of the East Side.

W. J. Bergan, of Mayfield, outside foreman at the Sterrick Creek colliery, located on the East Side, has moved his family to this place, and will occupy the company house on Main street.