# WEST SCRANTON

# **CHURCH FOLKS WERE EXCITED**

THOUGHT THEIR NEW EDIFICE WOULD BE DESTROYED.

Pot of Paint Became Ignited from a by Rev. John P. Moffatt, D. D., pastor man's Hair and Fire Department Was Called Out-An Unusually Wedding Announcements. of Interest.

The members of the new First Baptist church were thrown into a flutter of excitement yesterday afternoon, when an alarm of fire was turned in from Box 35. The painters engaged in painting the furnace pines were working with a lighted candle, when a pet of paint became ignited, and the flames threatened to consume the handsome

Fortunately, the loss was confined to the pot of paint, as the flames were Davis dressed the injury. extinguished before any damage was done. One of the workmen had his hair and moustache singed. Engine pany. No. 2, responded, but their services were not needed.

#### Bible Class Social.

The Bible class of the First Baptist church, taught by Rev. S. F. Mathews, held an entertainment and social at the parsonage, on Rock street, last evening. A large number were present. The programme consisted of selections by the Oriental quartette; recitations, Charles Codwgar, and Lottie Jones; solos, Via Jones and E. E. Lord; instrumental selections, the Robinson

Ice cream and cake were afterwards served, and the evening was spent in

#### Wedding Announcements.

George Vipond, of 1208 Academy street, and Miss Anne Jones, of Landis street, will be united in marriage 7.30 o'clock this morning at the home of the young lady's parents. Invitations have been issued for the wedding of Maurice T. Miller, of 1211 hand yesterday. Dr. Beddoe cauter-Washburn street, and Miss Mary Harlized the wound. ris, of 1004 Eynon street, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Job Harris, at the Washburn Street Presbyterian church on Tuesday evening, October 15, at 8

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formed by Rev. Hugh Davis, pastor of the South Main Avenue Welsh Calvinistle Methodist church, assisted by Rev. John P. Moffatt, D. D.

### Thornton-Hill Nuptials.

Frank H. Thornton, of 628 North Main avenue, and Miss Margaret Hill. daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Hill, of 301 Twelfth street, were united in marriage at 8 o'clock, last evening Candle, Flames Singed a Work- of the Washburn Street Presbyterian church, at the home of the bride's par-

The couple were unattended, and the ceremony was witnessed by a number Large Number of Accidents-Sev- of relatives and immediate friends of the contracting parties. Miss Jennie Reese played the wedding march. The Bible Class Social-Other Events bride was gowned in white mousseline

le soie, and carried bridal roses. Mr. and Mrs. Thornton are prominently identified with the Washburn Street Presbyterian church, and are well and favorably known in West street. They took possession yesterday. A Scranton. After a trip to the Pan-American they will reside in a newly furnished home on Washburn street.

#### A Number of Accidents.

John Lenahan of Paleciew avenue, an employe of the Scranton Bedding structure, which is about ready for oc- company, had one of his fingers aught in a folding bed at the shop, and severely injured. Dr. W. J. L.

Thomas Gilpin, of Scranton street, let a barrel fall on his foot. The foot was badly smashed. Herman Gothler, of Jackson street, had his knee joint lacerated by a fall

of coal, while at work in the mines on Monday. Dr. W. J. L. Davis is atending him Thomas Benge, of 1822 Price street, employed as a miner in the Continen-tal, was severely injured by being

struck by a car of coal while at work on Monday. His back was sprained and his leg fractured. William Deacon, of South Everett evenue, had one of the fingers of his

ight hand amputated at the West Side hospital yesterday. Andrew Greame, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Greame, of 328 North Rebecca avenue, who is employed as a door-tender in the Diamond, was struck by a car recently and severely

njured about the legs.

Evan L. Evans, of Thirteenth street, in employe at the Continental, had his ear split and head bruised by a fall of oof, while at work yesterday. Linton, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hettes, of North Garfield avenue, was bitten by a pet dog on the

### Details About Eisteddfod.

The William Connell Glee club was nwarded half the main prize in the ompetition at Pouliney, Vi., Satur-lay. It was a hard fight. The soloist The ceremony will be perof the William Connell far out-classed the soloist of the other party. The quartette of the William Connell club was far superior but their tempo, according to the judge, was not fast enough. The tonal effects were a revclation to all.

The \$14 prize for the baritone solo, "The Sailer Boy's Dreams," by R. S.

### Hughes, was captured by William Evans. The adjudicator said that Mr. Evans' effects were the most artistic. He had a better conception of the solo and he gave a more artistic rendering

### Events of This Evening.

The infant department of the Tabernacle Congregational Sunday school will hold an entertainment and social in the basement of the church this evening. Reese-Gardner wedding at Factory-

Maddock-Davis wedding, 1228 Eynon street. McHale-McLain wedding at St. Patrick's Catholic church at noon today.

#### GENERAL NEWS NOTES.

John E. Lewis, the well-known clothing salesman, formerly in partnership with Richards & Wirth, has accepted a position with Samter Brothers, where he was for a number of years

before engaging in business.

Thomas R. Williams and Miss Rebecca Thomas, and Thomas Lebley and Miss Mary E. Thruefalt, all of this city, were united in marriage recently by the Rev. Hugh Davis. The Nelson Morris Beef company's local branch is now located in the old Hunt & Connell buildstreet. They took possession yesterday. A number of improvements will be made on the premises, including a cold storage plant, smoke houses, retrigerators, and stables for twenty horses and wagons.

A large number of West Scranion people attended the concert in Taylor last evening, which was given for the benefit of Prof. Henry

John O'Brien, of Luzerne street, bookkeeper at the Times office, resigned on Monday and left yesterday for Chicago, where he will take a classical course in the Chicago university. He was presented with a gold watch by his fellow employes. Thomas Murphy, of Jackson street, who has been in charge of the North Scrant n department of the Times, has been appointed to succeed Mr. O'Brien,
Mail Carriers Edward J. Leonard and Henry

R. Edwards, of this side were receiving the congratulations of their many friends yesterday on their permanent appointment. A son was born on Monday to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ferber, jr., of North Bromley avenue. Sloan local, No. 125, United Mine Workers of America, held a meeting in D. D. Evans' hall last evening and received their working cards or October.

A meeting of the Railroad auxiliary of the Simpson Methodist Episcopal church will be held tomorrow evening at the home of Mrs. M. C. Wettling, on South Brondey avenue.

The Woman's Foreign Misionary society of Simpson Methodist Episcopal church will Friday evening at the home of Mts. C. s. DePoy. 524 North Lincoln avenue. Mcmers and iriends are invited to attend,
Mr. and Mrs. Scholl, of North Hyde Park e and Swetland street, gave a farewell Monday evening, in honor of their guest,

William Busse, of Brooklyn, N. Y., who rerried home yesterday. Miss Lettie Wagstaff entertained a number of er young friends at her home recently. The West Side Athletic Foot ball feam has seen organized for the season with the following players: George Seal, Edward McHugh, Wil-liam Mulgary, B. Hart, Lee Hughes, McHugh, Gallagher and Griffiths.

Invitations have been issued by Rev. S. F. Mathews, paster, for the dedicatory services of the new First Baptist church, 165 South Main avenue, on October 29. The services will be held at 10 a. m., 3 p. m. and 7 p. m. The members of the William Connell Glee club have returned home from Poultney, Vt., where they participated in an eisteddfod on Saturday, The boys were elated over their trip and sang excellently, although they were handicapped by competing against another choir selected from the best material in two counties within a radius of fourteen miles. William Evans, the baritone singer, has re-umed his musical studies in New York, under

he direction of Prof. H. Evan Williams,

### PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Rev. Albert Criwn, wife and daughter, layton, N. J., are the guests of old friends

on his return from an extended trip abroad.

Miss Hattie Cooper, of South Hyde Park avenue, is entertaining Miss Belle Smith, of Sheldon,

Insurance Agent Doniel J. Evany has returned home from a trip to the Pan-American.

James P. Harris, of North Hyde Park avenue, is nome from an enjoyable trip to Buffalo. Benjamin Evans is reported to be ill at his ome on North Bromley avenue. Miss Florence Harvey, of South Ninth street. ass been on a visit to Springville.
George Robinson, of Hampton street, has ac epted a position in Elizabeth, N. J.
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Davis have returned some from a trip to the Rainbow City.
Mr. and Mrs. Horatio Fellows, of Tenth treet, have been to Buffalo and seen the sights

f the exposition.

Miss Elizabeth Burnett, of Lincoln avenue, ha and Mrs. Dukesberry, of North Rebecc ivenue, have returned home from Buffalo,

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wiekliser, F. M. Sterling and daughter, of South Main avenue, are at he Pan-American. Miss Rachel Jones, of Morris court: Simon Jones and Thomas S. Davis, Miss Mary Flynn, of No. 19 school, have all returned from the Pan David Williams, of Rock street, has gone

John H. Phillips and wife, of Washburr street; Mrs. D. B. Thomas, of South Main avenue, and Evan Evaus, of the William Connell Glee

### club, are spending a few days in New York. NORTH SCRANTON.

The North End Stars and the Green Ridge Stars played a very scientific game of basket ball at the Auditorium last night. The ball was througed to its utmost with spectators, score was 20 to 0 in favor of the North End Stars. The line-up of the teams follows: North End Star—Right forward, J. McCluskey; left forward, Skillenton; center, J. Tigue; left cen-ter, F. Evans; right center, Jones and T. ter. F. Evans: right center, Jones and T. Evans: guards, B. Davis and T. McChisky, Green Ridge States-Right forward, E. Kelly; left forward, C. Klefer; center, E. Jehu; right center, J. Mahon; left center, R. White; guards, C. Shauhorn and Patrick Judge.

The Crackerjacks basket ball team and the

Patriots, of West Scranton, will play next Fri-day evening at the Auditorium. Mrs. M. H. Pinz, of Wood street, underwent a very successful operation at the Hahnemann hospital last Tuesday. George W. Bowson, of Wayne avenue, has

George W. Bowson, of Wayne avenue, has been appointed coal inspector at Storra mines. George E. Atherton, the livery man, is running hacks every half hour between the central city and Providence Square.
Yesterday afternoon, at the home of the bride's father, Mr. Richard Williams, of North Main avenue, Miss Hannah Williams was married to Thomas Reese, of Robert avenue. Rev. W. F. Davies, of the Memorial church, performed, the ceremony. The young couple are very popular in the North End. They will make their future home here.

### GREEN RIDGE. The annual meeting of the Women's Home

and Foreign Missionary accepts of the Asbury Methodist Episcopal church will be held at the home of Mrs. E. B. Reynolds, on Sanderson avenue, Thursday atternoon at 3 o'clock. The clos-tion of officers will take place, and a large atendance is desired.

Annie Straub, of 1429 Monsey avenue, was rought before Alderman Bailey last evening by Resie Yest, who lives in the same black, charged with throwing mud through the front door of the Yost residence. The father of the defendant paid

the costs and settled the case.

The case of James Moore, of Providence road, who was arrested Saturday for taking money from the cash drawer of the Poyntelle Lee company, was discontinued at the hearing Monday evening. owing to the non-appearance of the presentor.

The convention of the Epworth League societies will be held at the Ashury Methodist Episcopal church Thursday and Friday of this week.

A. B. Freas, the Markel street miller, has purchased a large grain elevator in Michigan and will go there to take charge of it in the near future. The business here will be cared for by Mr. Freas' son.

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ANNUAL MEETING OF CHURCH OF PEACE.

Elders and Trustees Were Elected for the Year-Reception Will Be Tendered to Officers of Knights of St. George Tonight by Branch 43. Funeral of Ernest Glosser Will Be Held This Afternoon-Wedding of Joseph Schultz and Miss Annie

Jordan Today. The officers and members of the rospect avenue Church of Peace met last evening in annual session and elected officers for the ensuing year as follows: Elders, Charles Saar, Jacob Maus, Philip Jung, and Phillip Brumbacher; trustees, Philip Ehrhardt, John Kunz, Henry Engle, Fred Naher, John Schroedel, and Charles Graf. The officers-elect organized and elected as president John Kunz; secretary, Chas. Graf, and treasurer, Henry Engle

Plans for the welfare of the church and congregation were discussed and the president will call another meeting in the near future.

# Tonight's Reception.

Branch 43. Knights of St. George. which is composed mainly of members of St. Mary's parish, has as guests Grand President Sebastian Sehmidt, and Grand Secretary Peter Yochum jr., both of Pitisburg. The above officers are making a tour of the state and a reception in their honor will be held this evening at Hotel Best Cedar avenue.

A supper will follow the reception and a fine literary programme has been arranged by the following committee: George J. Miller, August Rehner, Ed-ward C. Klos, William Janssen, and August Albert. Messrs. Schmidt and Yocum are both well known newspaper men, being connected with the Pittsburger Boebachter, the official organ of the Knights of St. George,

# Taxpayers.

State and county taxes of the Twenti eth ward can be paid every Friday night, between 7 and 9 o'clock, at Humphrey's pharmacy. J. F. Gibbons,

# NUBS OF NEWS.

The funeral of Ernest Glasser will take place this afternoon from the family residence on Fig. committee to street. The Hari Gari and Red Men societies will four-nament.

Mrs. George Mirtz, of Pittston avenue, who was recently operated upon at the Scranton Pri-vate hospital is home again. She is still weak, but expects to be soon entirely well.

John Schneider, Jr., son of Select Councilman John J. Schneider, left yesterday for Wesleyan university, Middletown, Conn., to complete his ourse of studies.

The wedding of Joseph Schultz and Miss Annie Jordan will take place today at St. Mary's

John, the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Accord of Pittston avenue, while still in a serious con-dition, has not been given up by the attending physician. Dr. Wehlau stated yesterday that if his present condition could be maintained torty-

eight hours he would recover. Motz Hoffman, a well known character, who has lived on this side thirty-five years, left at 1.40 this morning for Germany. He is 70 years of age, and, having tallen heir to \$1.500, is going back to enjoy it and spend the unset of life among the scenes of his boyhood, The marriage of Fred W. Keukes and Miss Mollie Weyard is to take place tomorrow even ing at the German Methodist Episcopal church on Prospect avenue.

Watkins Jones and his basom friend, James McGinty, were arrested Monday night by Patrol men Jones and Pantle and locked up for being drunk and disorderly. When brought before Al-derman Storr yesterday both pleaded guilty and enriched the city treasury by 85, in preference A well attended meeting of the Scruntor

Savingerrunde society was held last evening in Athletic hall, when preliminary arrangements were started for the regular mid-winter mouthly concerts, which for years have been so popular with the members and their friends. John Mais, John Schtoedel, John Schneider and John Griener were appointed a committee to prepare a schedule The following residents of this side returned

yesterday from Buffalo, where they onjoyed the sights of the Pan-American excessition: Adolph Hammen, George Wirth, William Egan, Mr. Buck and Philip Lewert.

Heun, to Mc, and Mes, M. J. Rafferty, of Pitts-

# OBITUARY.

20-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Sommar, of 828 Madison avenue. lied at 16.15 yesterday morning. The funeral services will be held Thursday morning at 9.39 o'clock at St. Peter's

The funeral of the late Mrs. Benjamin Bennett will take place this afternoon. Burial will be made in the Washburn street cemetery.

# BOWLING TOURNAMENT.

Arrangements Under Way That Indicate a Lively Season. Captains of the clubs representing he Eastern Bowling league met last

night at the Elk cafe, as a schedule

committee to arrange for the winter There were present Dr. Frank ( The employes of J. D. Williams spent a most Wardell, of the Scranton Bicycle club; the Backus club, and C. S. Fowler, of the Green Ridge Wheelmen. Captair John Hunter, of the West End Wheel men, the other member of the league

was unable to be present. It was decided to have each team play ten games; that Monday night of each week would be the time for the contests, and that the tournamen should begin on the first Monday nigh

in November. The work of arranging the schedule will be completed at a future meeting Another tournament is being ar ranged, with the Green Ridge Wheel men, Scranton Bicycle club and West End Wheelmen as contestants.

Tomorrow night the five teams of the Scranton Bicycle club will have the first of the proposed series of handicap matches.

#### DOCTOR'S OFFICE BURGLARIZED. Valuable Instruments Belonging to Dr. Furman Stolen The office of Dr. H. J. Furman, or

the second floor of the Carter building at Adams avenue and Linden street was burglarized on Monday night of early yesterday morning and instruments valued at about \$25 were taken There is some mystery as to the way entrance was effected. The door of the office was found to be locked, but one of the windows was open. It is believed that the burglar got out on a narrow ledge and worked his way along until he found a window which he could open. This must have been a rather risky proceeding, as the ledge is narrow, and Dr. Furman's window is over ten feet from the hallway window, out of which the burglar must

# LECTURE OF "BEN HUR."

have crept.

Rev. Dr. Robert F. Y. Pierce, pasto of the Penn avenue Baptist church last night delivered the first of a series of lectures to be given in that church under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor society. His topic Ben Hur." and his remarks were listened to by a large audience.

He devoted himself entirely to a ounting of the story of General Wallace's wonderful book, giving a general outline of the plot and reciting a length some of the more invilling and well known passages including the graphic description of the chariot race The lecture was illustrated throughout with a number of choice stereop

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