WEST SCRANTON

OBSERVANCE ST. DAVID'S DAY

CELEBRATION IN THE TABER-NACLE CHURCH.

After the Supper There Was an Entertainment, at Which Addresses Were Delivered by Rev. D. P. Jones and George W. Bowen-Robert Morris Cambro-American Society Also Had a Celebration-Surprise Party in Honor of Miss Grace Reid-Fire at Gas House.

A genuine old-fashioned observance of St. David's day, was the banquet and concert held in the Tabernacle Congregational church, which was enfoved by upwards of one thousand persons Saturday evening. The public reception began at 4.30 o'clock in the afternoon and continued until nearly midnight, and during that time supper was served continuously in the lecture room of the church.

The following ladies served the sup-

Table No. 1-Mes. Rev. D. P. Jones and Mrs. Thomas J. Williams, aided by Mrs. Gal. Morgan, Mrs. Powell, Mrs. E. W. Morgan, Mrs. William Thomas, Misses M. J. Reese, Carrie Reese and May Edwards.

May Edwards.
Table No. 2—Mrs. Sarah T. Morgan and Mrs.
Henry Evans, aided by Mrs. G. W. Jones, Mrs.
William J. Williams, Mrs. Themas R. Davies,
Mrs. Lizzie Thomas, Misses Tegwan Hopkins, Lillie Jones, Lettie Morgans, Edith Jones, Sarah Reese and Cora Jones.

Table No. 3-Mrs. Thomas D. Thomas and Mrs. Jennie Lawrence, aided by Mrs. D. J. Thomas, Mrs. Charles W. Moyle, Miss Margaret Jones, Lizzie Davies, Rebecca Davies, May Price, May Lewis, Rose Duggan, Jennie Duggan and Lizzie

Talle No. 4-Mrs. Benjamin Hughes and Mrs. Eleazer Jenkins, aided by Misses Lizzie Jenkins, Margaree Thomas, Bessie Jones, Lizzie Bowen, Jennie Williams, Edith Davies, Blanch Jones May Jenkins, Lizzie Cullen, Pearl Douse and Mes. William Deacon.

Table No. 5-Mrs. Owen Jones and Mrs. Robert Stenner, aided by Mrs. Phillips, Misses Jennie Williams, Lizzie Williams, Annie Jones, Alice Jones, Naomi Stenner, Beatrice Noyle and Mrs.

A host of others assisted in the preparation and serving of the supper. The interior of the church was decorated for the occasion, and all of the tables were adorned with flowers and pretty-shaded lamps. The service was roast pork, roast beef, brown gravy, mashed pootatoes, mashed turnips, cabbage, salad, green peas, celery, olives,

Dufour's French Tar

fee, cake and plum pudding.

Will promptly relieve and speedily cure coughs, colds and all lung trouble. For sale by G. W. JENKINS, 101 South Main

At 8 o'clock standing room only was

The evening session was presided over by Hugh A. Jones, who made a short address. The speakers of the evening were George W. Bowen, of North Scranton, and Rev. D. P. Jones, of West Scranton. The vocal numbers ere acceptably rendered by Thomas Abrams, Mrs. Fannie J. Evans, Mrs. Frank Brundage and John W. Jones.

Mr. Bowen, who is well-known as a writer of verse, made his initial public address on the subject of "The Kymry of the Past." He dwelt upon the Kymry of the past. He traced the origin of the Cymric race back to the year 1845 B. C., when, it is assumed, the Brythonic tribes emigrated from the banks of the Danube, invaded and subdued the inhabitants of Britain. The Brython was skilled in the manufacture of iron and tin, and excelled in music and the arts. He also traced the origin of the elsteddfod back three thousand years, when a trio of Welsh poets formulated a code of laws for the governing of the bards of the Isle of

In the world of literature, he said, the Welsh poets have achieved everlasting enown, and in the field of philosophy Welsh scholars have attained high

Britain.

In refuting the statements made by some to the effect that the Welsh language is dying out, Mr. Bowen said it has survived the vicissitudes of three thousand years, and is spoken today by a million and a half of people; it is taught in the public schools of Wales, and in the universities of England. Scotland and Wales, and is the living language of our eisteddfod, and will live as long as the eisteddfod lives.

Rev. D. P. Jones, pastor of the church, delivered a timely and thoughtful address on the subject of "The Model Citizen," a topic which implies character, which gives an idea and a meaning to everything that God hath brought into existence in all of His doings. Among other things, he said:

In commerce, politics and even in our religion we need more men and women of Bible spirit We have to take into our consideration, that society and the government, are made up of in-dividuals, and that every citizen has a force that bears upon the nation in some way or another. Therefore, the man that loves home, society, na ion and humanity at large, he should be a good

itizen in all respects.

Why is it that we have so many such characters as George Washington, Abraham Lincoln, James A. Garfield, William McKinley and others, that are us immortal spirits among us in the world today? It is because they were men of knowledge, and men of Christian spirit. Men that excellent, and the menu consisted of had in their minds and in their hearts the welfare of home, of society, of nation, and of the advancement of the church of Christ which contains the power of God, in human form, for the salvation of all nations. pickles, bread and butter, tea and cof-

The time will come when society, state and overnment will have to know the power and the rereoming influence of a good character. Every power on earth shall subdue itself before the great king of character. Wealth and honor shall e at the pleasure of character to do the will of God among the people. The Joseph of good char-acter will have his freedom from the prison; and

shall be the governor of humanity.

Knowing that, our labor is not in ve'n, t purify ourselves, our homes, our societies, our cities, state and government. Let us be stead-fast and unmovable from the path that leads us

stuff, up-to-date in every particular, stylish, fashionable and good. We don't keep anything else.

You want the goods as cheap as anybody can afford to sell them. We meet you here, too.

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Box of three Cakes, 26c

day after day nearer to the great model of life that is before all nations in the Gospel of Christ.

Robert Morris Lodge.

The members of the Robert Morris ambro-American society inaugurated a new era in their history Saturday evening by launching out as a full-Cambro-American society, fledged available. The supper provided was up to the usual standard maintained by the ladies of the church.

Bedged Cambro-American society, breaking away from the formalities of an organization of the Order of American True Ivorites, with which they can True Ivorites, with which they have been identified since their incep-

> The purpose of the society now is to promote sociability among its members, and annually celebrate the anniversary of St. David on March 1. The first annual was conducted in their own rooms along informal lines, and proved to be a jolly affair. The programme was, "Eat, drink and be

The first part was a pig roast, with other seasonable delicacies; the second part was transformed into a "smoke talk," and the third part resolved Itself into a period of singing, speechmaking and other diversions.

John H. Phillips presided over the post-prandial exercises, and short talks were given by W. Gaylord Thomas, E. E. Robathan, David J. Davis and others. The event was attended by the following:

D. Philip Williams, David T. Thomas, L. A. Howell, John Hughes, Will Jamieson, Emrys Jo-seph, Thomas P. Daniels, Thomas Leyshon, Ivor Lewis, Harry P. Davis, Ely Harris, Fred Evans, W. Gaylord Thomas, John Howell, Robert Rob-erts, C. E. Daniels, Walter Bevan, Will Fuller, J. M. Powell, D. M. Jones, John Beaumont, David Owens, D. J. Davis, Roger Evans, E. D. Jones, J. H. Phillips, Walter D. Evans, M. T. Miller, John R. Edwards, David J. Davis, Palner Williams, Tallie M. Evans, Dr. Hostetter, of ancaster; Watkin Williams, Edgar Allen Jones Howard Davis, Will Holgate, W. Rowland Davis,

Electric City Wheelmen.

The game scheduled for this evening at Wilkes-Barre, between the bowling team and the West End Wheelmen, has been postponed on account of the latter's alleys being under five feet of

An important regular meeting of the club will be held tomorrow evening to take action on a proposition received pertaining to the minstrel performance. The social committee will conduct a dance in the club house on Tuesday evening, March 18.

Miss Reid Surprised.

A birthday surprise party was tendered to Miss Grace Reid at her home, 1114 Jackson street, Friday evening. Games and other amusements were indulged in. Dancing was the leading feature of the evening. Refreshments were served at a late hour by Mrs. Reid, assisted by Mrs. Risewick. Those

Grace Reid, May Snediman, Florence Witman, Cora Camer, Hannah Risewick, Nena Miller, Messrs. Harry Phil-Thomas Morgan, David Dick, Floyd Witmore, Stanley Lewis, Frank Miller, Harry Snediman and Walter

Fire at the Gas House.

An alarm was turned in at 9.45 o'clock Saturday night from Box 31, at the intersection of Ninth and Robinson streets, for a fire at the gas house, fronting on Scranton street. The firemen hastened to the box, only to discover that their services were needed a half-mile away, and they quickly hustled off to the scene of the fire. Some one at O'Connor's hotel saw the blaze arising from the gas house, and turned in the alarm from Box 31. Fortunately the fire did not amount to much, and was easily put out. A portion of the roof was damaged as a result. The origin of the fire could not

Events of This Evening.

The Men's league of the Plymouth Congregational church will meet this vening at 8 o'clock, when all the men of the church are invited to attend. Council No. 159, Catholic Relief and Beneficiary association, will meet in Y. M. I. hall this evening.

The Swedish Citizens' club will meet n French Roof hall this evening. The monthly business meeting of the First Baptist church will be held this

The Oneita Social club will hold lance in Washington hall this evening.

GENERAL NEWS NOTES.

Charles Dougherty, the genial and obliging telegraph operator, who has been in charge of the Western Union's West Scranton office for some time, has peen appointed the company's agent at Summit, N. J., and will take charge there today. He will be succeeded by Mr. Murray, of Wilkes-Barre.

Hon. William Jennings Bryan will ecture on "A Conquering Nation," at the Lyceum, Friday night, March under the auspices of St. Brenden's council, Young Men's Institute.

The social committee of the West Side Central Republican club will hold their dance in St. David's hall on Wednesday evening, April 2. Bauer wil furnish the music.

The St. Leo's battalion met in reguar session yesterday afternoon. They and Prospect avenue which resulted are taking a rapid stride in membership. They initiated eighteen members | Thomas Mahon, the 14-year-old son of at their meeting yesterday. They have Mrs. Mahon. arranged to hold a smoker at their next o'clock on Sunday, March 16.

OBITUARY.

JOHN MAHON, a respected citizen f South Scranton, died Saturday night, after a short illness. He was born forty-eight years ago in South Scranton, and had lived there ever since. He is survived by a wife and four children Funeral will take place Tuesday morning. Interment in Dunmore cemetery

by his wife and the following sons and of the young man attended the party daughters: William, John, Margaret and all were royally treated. Games of and Marie.

FUNERALS.

The remains of Mrs. Margaret Davis who died in Devner, have not yet reached Scranton. The funeral will be announced later. The remains of Mrs. Bridget Cronin will be in-terred this morning in the Hyde Park Catholic cemetery. The funeral will take place at 0.30 from 630 Hemlock street and services will be conducted in St. Peter's cathodral.

The remains of Thomas Reap, whose death or curred last Thursday, will be placed in mother earth this morning. Services will be held it St. Peter's cathedral and interment will be made

THE HOMELIEST MAN IN SCRANTON

of Kemp's Balsom for the Throat and Lungs, a comedy that is guaranteed to cure and relieve all Chronic and Acute Coughs, Asthma, Bronchitis yesterday and conducted missionary

DUNMORE DOINGS church, at Prospect avenue and Beech street. The reverend gentleman was formerly secretary of the German

COUNCIL WILL REORGANIZE TO-

Positions to Be Filled-School Board Met in Regular Session and Transacted a Considerable Amount of Routine Business-Mrs. Arthur W. Close Entertained a Number of Little Folks Saturday Afternoon. Short News Notes.

The council will meet tonight when eorganization will take place. The ndications are that President McAllister will be opposed for a re-election by Mr. McLaughlin. Borough Clerk H. B. Gilligan is opposed by Michael McHugh, of Butler street, and John Flynn. The indications are that Mr. Gilligan will be found at his old post during the next year.

Borough Engineer Myron Knight' strength will be tested by James Horan, of Dudley street.

The change, if any, in the police de partment are being kept very quiet, but the outlook is that the present chief, P. J. Healy, will be continued in his present position with possibly some minor changes in the personnal of the

School Board.

The school board held a regular meeting Saturday evening. The report of Messrs, Gibbons and Flannelly who attended the directors' meeting at Harrisburg was received and ordered filed. Superintendent Boyard reported that expelled for refusing to comply with the board's order regarding vaccina-

Miscellaneous bills amounting to \$861.33 were ordered paid. Secretary was instructed to prepare the pay roll which will be approved at the next

meeting. The board decided to take some ac ive measures to better enforce the compulsory education laws. The matter of electing a teacher to fill a va-cancy at No. 4 school over which the poard have been a tie during the past four months, was not referred to and evidently none will be selected until the end of this term.

Mrs. Close Entertained.

Mrs. Arthur W. Close entertained on Saturday afternoon in honor of her little son, John Edward's first birthday. very pleasant afternoon was spent by those present.

The following little folks and their nothers were present: Mabel Bryden, Louis Neuffer, Helen Niemeyer, Margaret Bryden, Harry H. Winters, Arthur Alex. Warg, Arthur H. Bone, 'harles S. Ames, Russell Robins Robert Wiley, of Scranton,

SHORT PARAGRAPHS.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Pres byterian church will meet at the home of Mrs. M. H. Chemberlin on Blakely Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Rev. Harry Nye occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian church yesterday norning during the absence of the pastor, Rev. W. F. Gibbons. John Gibbons, of East Drinker street is indisposed at his home.

SOUTH SCRANTON NOTES.

Funeral of James Hughes Took Place Yesterday from the Residence of His Parents.

The funeral of the late James Hughes took place yesterday afternoon from the residence of his parents on Pittston avenue and was very largely attended. The funeral arrangements were cared for jointly by Pocono Tribe, No. 230, I. O. R. M., and local No. 134, of the Bartenders' Union. Both organizations being represented by a large number of persons notwithstanding the inclem-

ent weather. Services were held at the house by Rev. H. C. McDermott, pastor of the Simpson M. E. church of West Scranton, and interment was aftewards made in the Washburn street cemetery. The flowers which were both numer ous and appropriate to the sad occa-

sion were borne to the side of the grave by Gene Biesecker, Harry Shoff, Frank Haystringer and Harry War-The pall-bearers were Charles Johns,

J. W. Kamback, M. L. Townsend, John Stafford, John Hannaway and Arthur Evans. The pall-bearers were supplied equally by the Red Men and Bartenders as was the flower carriers.

A Serious Accident.

A serious accident occurred Saturday at the intersection of Willow street in a broken leg and severe bruises for

The little fellow was riding on Leonmeeting, which is to be held at 1.30 ard's bottling wagon alongside the driver when in making a sharp turn the front wheels "cramped" and tilted the vehicle. Mahon lost his balance as a present were: Mr. and Mrs. John Litresult and was thrown under the Before the horses could be stopped

leg causing a compound fracture be-

A Birthday Party. A pleasant affair was conducted at

the home of Mr. and Mrs. Freuhan at JOHN J. NEALIS, of 620 Orchard 731 Hickory street Saturday night, the street, died Saturday afternoon at 5 occasion being the eighteenth birthday o'clock, aged 44 years. He is survived of their son Herman. Many friends various kinds were indulged in and at a seasonable hour a dainty lunch was served.

The following were present: Lizzie Duebel, Katie Mirtz, Franc Klauminzer, Sadie Wilson, Margaret Wilson, Anna Brown, Ida Kibler, Jessie Eg-gleston, Frieda Kornacher, Messrs. Fred Kibler, George Stalheber, Selton Schaffer, Frank Walters, Fred Wurich, Herman Freuhan, George Freuhan, Peter Freuhan.

NUBS OF NEWS.

A regular weekly meeting of the South Side Bowling club will take place this evening and the present standing of the South Side team will be discussed. It is likely some changes will be made before the league game to be played Wednesday night. Rev. H. H. Lohaus, a distinguished

minister of the gospel was on this side

street. The reverend gentleman was formerly secretary of the German Young Men's Christian association in Buffalo, but has accepted a call from the North American Evangelical Synod as missionary and will leave shortly for India. There was a large attend-There Will Be Contests for Different ance and several other ministers took part.

> A special meeting of the Fourteen Friends was held in the parlors of Hotel Best Saturday night. Mary, the two-year-old daughter of

> Anton Bruning, will be interred this morning at 9 o'clock from the parents' home, 1018 Elm street.

Dr. Schley's Lung Healing Balsam is guaranteed to cure all coughs. "No cure; no pay." For sale by all dealers.** Alex, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Lentes, was laid at rest with appropriate ceremonies yesterday af-ternoon. The funeral took place from 1608 Stone avenue and services were held in St. Mary's church. Interment was afterwards made in the German Catholic cemetery at No. 5. The pallbearers were: Edward Maloney, John Fisch, Frank Phillips and Albert Ha-

THE STRIKES **WE HAVE HAD**

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building his home through the building and loan association, should be compelled to pay a man \$3 a day who was not entitled to more than \$1.50. "When the agent asked what to do if these incompetent men would organize themselves. I told him, if I remember rightly, that if a man wanted incompetent labor, let him go ahead and one scholar from No. 9 school had been hire it. I would say to workingmen not to be afraid to demand what is just. If you've exhausted every other means to obtain your just demands, then strike and strike like men, and stick to your leaders like men. Stand up in your unions and speak out, and demand your right of free speech.

IS MISINTERPRETED.

"I know that what I say will be misinderstood and misinterpreted," continued the bishop. "This is an unfortunate part of the present street car strike. Only two weeks ago, in Carpenters' hall, a man misrepresented me, I am told, with reference to the silk strike. Some say my desire to settle the street car strike is founded on the fact that I hold bonds or stock in the company. I do not own a bond or stock or mortgage of any kind. I wanted to see the strike settled, as all good citizens did. I wanted to find out the truth about the strikers' union. I was told that there were men who could not stand up in the union and be heard. I told these it was their right to be heard, and to demand it. I found that there were many in this way, and 1 asked them to bring me a list. I tried to bring together the insurgents and stalwarts, as they were called, to find out the truth. Some came; others didn't.

"I don't want to misjudge anybody, and I believe if the executive committee was in town that Sunday they would be present. I was told, but don't know how much truth there is in it, that someone interested in politics got them to leave town. I told them that we should settle this strike; that it was not a question of union or no union. President Clarke, himself, told me he recognized the union as a fact. The question of wages, either, did not come up until after it was discovered that it strike.

RIGHTS OF THE GIRLS. "I told them of the rights of the girls, the poor girls, who were walking after their hard day's work, some of them reaching home sick in body and sore in heart. I heard that certain of the men got money and were living in style, while others were in want. These

were the things that won my sympathy from them. "When Mr. Clarke came to see me. 1 told him I believed that the men deserved twenty cents an hour; that it required skill to run the cars over our streets. His reply was that the men in Philadelphia or Wilkes-Barre were not receiving this rate. If men would not knock down,' they would probably in time get more wages. These stories of dishonesty I have heard from both

NORTH SCRANTON.

sides."

William Jackson.

A very pleasant surprise party was given at the home of O. G. Cross, 1531 Mylert avenue, Saturday evening. Singing and dancing with the other party diversions were indulged in up to a late hour when refreshments were served. Those present were: Misses Nellie Tilson, Anna Davis, Jennie Jenkins, Alice Leonard, Margaret Wilis Jane Jehu, Eva Miller, Lizzie Hetterly Hannah Jones, Ruth Hopkins, Mrs. Cross and Messrs, Benjamin Bowen, Lewis Pearn, David Richards, Evan Jehu, John Richards, Daniel Thomas, Hayden Davis, Mr. O. G. Cross and

Miss Margaret Hodgson, of Parker street, was tendered a surprise party by a number of her friends Friday evening. Games and music were indulged in up to a late hour, when refreshments were served. Among those tlejohn, Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson Mr. and Mrs. Snyder, Mrs. Hodgson, Misses Ethel Watkins, Margaret Oliver, the wagon had passed over the boy's Mary McCullock, Sarah Hodgson, Ida Perry, Sarah Perry, Manles Hodgson tween the knee and ankle. He was Carrie Perry, Ethel Keller, Ella Hodg-taken to the Lackawanna hospital. Messrs, Thomas Hadgson, Gerald Cox, James Cousin, Benjamin Hodgson, James Webster, John Cox, Thomas Davidson, John Hughes, Thomas Jennings, Richard Bry, Thomas Edwards, William Howell, Thomas Chartis and

William Davidson. Dennis Bennett and Anthony Buckto were fined \$3 a piece and Michael Tonststi and Simon Coleman \$6 a piece for being drunk and disorderly; Anthony Minkel \$10 for beating his wife over

the head with a broom. Mike Metukas while under the infunce of drink Saturday night, was walking along Nay Aug avenue and fell into the river. Lieutenant Palmer hurried to the scene and saved Metukas' life. Yesterday morning he was fined \$3 for being drunk.

Misses Mame McHale and Loretta Morrison, of Putnam street, have been alling of friends in Taylor. Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Horan, Bloom avenue, are rejoicing over the

arrival of a baby boy. Mrs. M. W. Snyder, of North Main avenue, is confined to her home with a evere siege of rheumatism. The gospel service was largely at-tended at the Young Women's Chris-

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ing Experiment! Interesting Lecture tartling Experiment!

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return their swords at this evening's

Miss Anna Moran and Mame Jackson, of Putnam street, are visiting Archbald friends. Mrs. D. J. Edwards, of Brick avenue, who attended the marriage of her daughter at Slatington last week, re-Max Feldman, of West Market street,

elatives in New York city, C. T. A. U. ENCAMPMENT. Meeting Held Yesterday to Make

eft Saturday for a few days visit with

Arrangements for It. promoters of the First Regiment of the Catholic Total Abstinence Union of America met in St. Leo's hall yesterday afternoon to arrange for the encampment, which will be held nex

Representative men were present from St. Leo's Battalion, St. Paul's Pioneer Corps and the Father Whitty society, of North Scranton. The washouts on the rallroads. Walter McNicholls presided in the

August.

obsence of the president, Major Phil- ground floor, and the Keogh billiard lips, of Wilkes-Barre. Applications for membership were received from the St. John's, of Pine Brook: St. Aloysius. of South Scranton, and St. Vincent's

The regimental officers will be elected at the next meeting to be held in St. Leo's rooms on Sunday, March 16 A committee from the regiment will is a mystery. go to South Scranton next Thursday evening to organize the company from the St. Aloysius society.

Two companies have been organized by the Young Men's Drill Corps, of services at St. Paul's Evangelical Father Whitty society are requested to forty-five men. The Father Whittys ger of the Elmhurst dam giving away,

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CAUSED SOME CONSTERNATION. Alarm for a Fire Was Thought to

Be an Alarm for a Flood. At 2 o'clock yesterday morning, fire proke out in the unoccupied top floor Wilkes-Barre representatives were un- of the three story Gunster building at able to be present on account of the 221 and 223 Lackawanna avenue, occu-| pied by the New York Department store and Rose the hatter on the

cooms, on the second floor. Because of the dense smoke much difficulty was had in locating the seat of the fire. As a precaution, Superintendent Ferber sent in a second alarm calling four extra companies. The flames were easily subdued after being located. How they originated

The principal damage resulted from the water that soaked through to the billiard parlors and Rose's store. The sounding and repetition of the alarm Wilkes-Barre, with a full complement among the residents of the "flats" to of men, and Co. A. of the St. Aloysius whom the blowing of the fire gongs society, of Wilkes-Barre, will have was to be a signal that there was dan-