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## City Notes.

D., L. & W. PAYS .- The employes of the Diamond and Storrs' mines will be paid today, and those down the valley tomorrow.

FOOT BRIDGE -- A foot bridge is to be place. over the Lackawanna river at Race street, by Director of Public Works John E. Roche, to temporarily replace the bridge carried away

MR. JERMYN'S CONDITION,-Word received in this city on Saturday by Edward Jermyn cor-veyed the welcome news that the condition of his father, John Jermyn, who is ill in Cali fornia, is substantially improved.

LEROY IS IMPROVING,-Charles Leroy, who was rendered unconstions on Friday morning last by the inhalation of illuminating gas, was said vesterday to be much improved He being cared for at the Luckawanna hospital.

TEAM DRIVERS' MEETING .- There will be an open meeting of Locals 229, 232, 220, at Raub's hall, 184 Wyoming avenue, tomorrow evening. All persons interested in teaming are requested to be present, as business of viral importance to all concerned will be transacted.

conduct their second military Conduct their second military dance at the Thirteenth regiment armory. The slay evening, April 1. Music will be furnished by Bauer's Thirteenth regiment band. The patronesses of the affair are: Mrs. Ezra H. Ripple, Mrs. Louis A. Watres, Mrs. Thomas R. Brooks, Mrs. Willard Matthews, Mrs. Franklin Henshaw, Mrs. Georg C. Merriman, Mrs. F. F. Merriman, Mrs. D. W Powell, Mrs. Francis Lyach, Mrs. Harry V. Logan, Mrs. Frank Robling. The committee is composed of Licutenant Albert J. Breig, Sorgeant Chester L. Weiss, Sergeant Howard T. Yost, Sci-geant Leo Bariz, Sergeant Robert Bonney, Scigeant Robert W. Kiple, Corporal Will E. Powell, Corporal Clinton Price, Private Samuel Newton, Private Floyd Brutzman, Private Peter Grimes.

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Mears & Hagen. AT ST. LUKE'S CHURCH.

## Programme of Services Arranged for

Holy Week. Palm Sunday was observed yesterday at St. Luke's Episcopal church with a celebration of the Holy Communion at 7.30 a. m., followed with morning prayer and sermon by the rector, Rev. Dr. Hogers Israel, at 19.30 o'clock. doctor spoke from Matthew 21:2: "Saying unto them, go into the village over against you, and straightway ye shall find an ass tied and a colt with loose them, and bring them unto me." Dr. Israel also spoke at the night

On Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday the services will be conducted at the following hours: 7 a. m. 9 a. m., and 12 m. On Monday, Tuesday and Thursday afternoons there will be services at 4.30 o'clock and on Wednesday night at 7.45 o'clock.

On Good Friday there will be services at 6 a. m., 10.30 a. m., from 12 to 3 p. m. and at 7.45 p. m. There will be Holy Baptism on Easter even at the hours of 10 a. m. and 3 p. m.

On Easter Sunday there will be cele- the spring term.

brations of the Holy Communion a and 8 a. m. and 12 m.; morning prayer and sermon at 10.30 a. m.: children's festival at 3 p. m. and evening prayer and sermon at 7,30 sharp. The rector will preach both morning and night.

#### THIRD DISTRICT PRIMARIES. They Will Be Held on Saturday, April 26.

The Republican standing committee of the Third Legislative district met in the court house Saturday and fixed Saturday, April 26, and Tuesday, April 29, respectively, as the dates for the primaries and convention to select a legislative candidate and state dele-

T. S. Parker, of South Abington, was elected chairman, and James E. Watkins, of Taylor, secretary and treas-The resolution fixing the dates was offered by Mr. Watkins.

Those in attendance at the meeting vere: J. H. Welles, Benton; B. H. Wardell, Covington: Fred M. Francis, Dalton; E. H. Reid, Glenburn; R. C. Drum, Gouldsboro; Norman Kilmer, Greenfield; David D. Griffiths, Lackawanna township; R. H. Holgate, La-Plume; W. H. Swarts, Madison; Oscar Van Buskirk, Newton: N. Dale, Old Forge; Tobias Stine, Ransom; Stephen Smith, Ransom; Q. F. Miller, Scott; W. T. Williams, Scranton; T. S. Parker, South Abington; G. S. Griffen, South Abington; David Scull, Spring Brook; James Price, Taylor; W. J. Powell, Taylor; J. E. Watkins, Taylor.

Chairman George W. Jenkins, of the First district, said yesterday that a meeting of the standing committee of that district will be held this week, and that it is likely it will select the same dates as the Third district did.

There is a possibility that all four districts will have their primaries and conventions on the same dates, so as to permit of a congressman, Orphans' ourt judge, senator and county comnissioners being nominated, and thereby avoid two primaries this year.

#### PROPERTY OWNERS MEET.

Flood Victims Are to Bring Suits for Damages.

A well attended meeting of property owners, who sustained losses on the Scranton Flats during the recent freshets, took place yesterday afternoon in Central Park garden. The organization has been in a preliminary stage for some weeks, but yesterday it was completed, with a membership of eightyhree tax pavers.

The idea is to combine interests, find out who is responsible, if possible, for the damage done, and secure competent legal talent, and advice, and bring

suits for damages, Organization was perfected by the choosnig of the following officers: President, William Luther; secretary, Walter Scott; treasurer, Charles Greenberg. Each member agrees to pay an equal amount for the necessary expenses which will occur in the prosecution of claims, and a goodly sum has already been placed in the treasurer's

Attorney A, A. Chase, attended the meeting, he having agreed to take up the cases and gave his opinion as to this kind, it is true. There are also why the floods occurred, and who was instances, it can be added, where responsible. The matter was put en-

#### CARS WERE STONED.

Scenes of Disorder at Priceburg and

Saturday night a Carbondale car left he track at Priceburg and a crowd of men and boys instantly gathered, who broke nearly all of the windows n the car with stones. The men in charge of the car had a narrow escape from injury.

Scranton, Saturday night.

Acrowd of upwards of 100 young corner of Pittston avenue and Genet Several windows were broken but none patrolmen were dispatched to the scene by Lieutenant Zang but when they arrived the crowd had broken up.

#### FEAST OF PURIM.

Joyous Festival Observed by Jews Throughout the City Yesterday.

The Jews throughout the city yesterday celebrated the feast of Purim, one of the most joyous festivals on the calendar. Special services were conducted in the Linden street synagogue yesterday morning at 10.30 o'clock. Services were also conducted in the other synagogues during the day.

The feast of Purim is observed in celebration of the deliverance of Israel from the hands of those who plotted MILITARY DANCE.—Company F. Thirteenth their extermination in Persia, during infantry, National Guards of Pennsylvania, will the reign of a king called Ahashueras. their extermination in Persia, during who is probably the monarch known in history as Artaxerxes II. The special significance of the day, however, is not historic. It is considered as a holiday devoted especially to charity; a spring festival of good fellowship somewhat akin to the Christian festival of Christmas, if that festival can be considered part from its religious significance.

#### THE WEEK'S RECORD.

Scranton Business College. Monday, March 17-Miss Lillian M.

Baer, of Tunkhannock, goes to work or the books of the Household Outfitting

Tuesday, March 18-Wm, E. Korns of Hornellsville, N. Y., writes that he has secured a position with the Worden Bros.' Mfg. Co., at Dansville, N Y. Mr. Korns took a three months'

A gentleman called this evening for lady stenographer. Wednesday, March 19-Received Wednesday, March 19-Received a trict, but he could not hear it and called telegram from Buffalo for a first-class upon Judge Archbald to take it up. stenographer. Have not yet been able Originally it was arranged to have the to fill the place.

A corporation asks for a lady steno-Thursday, March 20-A gentlema writes that he requires the services of

competent stenographer. Learned that Miss Mattle Knapp has resigned her position with the Scranton Mercantile Co., to accept another with the Colliery Engineer Co Mr. Conry reports that he is now in

the office of Master Car Builder Canfield, of the Lacka. R. R. Fred Gray is in the same office Friday March 31-Herman Schmaltz of Pittson, has resigned his position with the N. Y., S. and W. R. R., at Stroudsburg, to accept another, as assistant book-keeper for the Williamsport Staple Co.

Students are already enrolling for

#### **BISHOP HOBAN** ON CHILD LABOR

FACTORY INSPECTOR IS NOT THE CULPABLE ONE.

Parents Who Perjure Themselves and Compel Their Children to Lie Are Mainly Responsible for This Evil-Advice to Catholic Workingmen in the Matter of Dealing with Evalution, Not Revolution, Means to the Desired End.

In a practical sermon to the men of the Cathedral congregation last night. Rt. Rev. Bishop Hoban dwelt extensively on pertinent phases of the labor

question: Child labor was one of the subjects which came in for a liberal share of liscussion. He took it up as a sub-diision of the theme, "Charity Should

Begin at Home." He began by saying that the eighthour movement was a movement which he heartily commended and hoped all vho wanted it would get it. He could not help, however, but begrudge a dral. short work-day to the man who was so intent on the eight-hour day for himself that he was willing to permit D. J. Bustin as deacon and Rev. Lalor as means to that end, that his wife McLaughlin as sub-deacon. The Passhould work fifteen hours, and his infant children be sent into the factory. St. Mark describing the betrayal, trial, mill and breaker.

It is often asked, he said, why it is vent child labor. In the parade which strike, little girls, apparently not over line years of age, carried banners on which were inscribed such legends as: Where Is the Factory Inspector When We Are in the Mill?"

BALKED BY PARENTS.

The bishop said these questions could be answered by the retort that the factory inspector is balked in his efforts to do his duty by perjured parents. A parent goes to the employer with a request for work for a little girl. The employer says he cannot give her a job because she is under age. The parent says the child is not under age, and is willing to make affidavit that she isn't. The affidavit is made, the child is instructed to say she is over thirteen, if anyone asks her, and she goes into the mill.

The inspector, in making his rounds, encounters this child and questions her. She replies that she is "thirteen going on fourteen." The office is interrogated, and the affidavit of the parent is forthcoming. When the question is asked: "Where is the factory inspector?" the answer is another question, "Where is the perjured par-

Of course, it will be said, the bishop roceeded, that the child may be the only support of a widowed mother and the child's pittance of wages is the widow's all. There are instances of instances, it can be added, where widowed mothers are working off their fingers to the very bone to prevent their children from being deprived of an education, and of having their vesterday morning. father who will squander its equivalent in one night's debauch.

BE CHARITABLE.

For the sake of the good Lord who so oved children, the bishop appealed, be charitable to these little ones. Even if the man must work a ten-hour day, let Stones were also thrown at cars at him be content with the extra labor if Palm street and Pittston avenue, South it will keep his child out of the breaker, the mill and the factory until that child has an education and its physique has men and boys who had gathered at the been sufficiently developed to withstand the rigors of arduous labor. They have street stoned two passing street cars long years of toil ahead of them. Don't last night between 7.30 and 8 o'clock. make them begin work sooner than nature intended and before their heads of the crew were hurt. A couple of and hearts have been given an opportunity of being developed.

The bishop also had some timely words on the labor question in general. One thing which he would particularly impress on Catholic workingmen was the necessity of thinking for themselves, and working out labor problems by the application of Catholic prin-

Don't be swayed by demagogues, he vent on to advise. Hold fast to truth Extreme socialism, like anarchy, can only bring a load of despotism on the neck of the workingman. Aim to reach your goal by evolution rather than revolution. Where you are honest and your claim is just, you can not be suc-cessfully resisted. Let not prejudice, myy or any other uncharitable motive sway you. Be ready to give and take.

RESPONSIBILITY IS GREAT. There is a great responsibility on the atholic workingman, the speaker declared. It is for him to work out the olution of the labor question by the application of the principles of right. justice and charity instilled in him by his church. What the Catholic church has done and is doing for the sanctity of the marriage vow and the rights of the unborn child is known to you all, The Catholic workingman can exert as widespread and efficacious an influence in the labor world by following Catholic teachings and refusing to be

#### NO REGARD FOR STATE LINES.

swayed by the demagogue and the un-

Pennsylvania Judge Hearing a Jersey Case in New York. Judge R. W. Archbald, of the federal court of the middle district left yesterday afternoon for New York city to conduct a hearing in a New Jersey

patent case. It is suit arising in Judge Gray's dishearing in Trenton, but a request from the attorneys, who are all from New York city, that the hearing be held in New York, was granted by Judge Gray and acquiesced in by Judge Archbald

when he came to have the case. The hearing will take place in one of the court rooms in the post office

#### BENEFIT FOR THE HOME.

Great Concert at the Armory on April 3.

The Home for the Friendless benefit on April 3 at the Armory is attracting much advance attention. Few such much advance attention. ombinations as Fritz Kreisler, Lillian Blauvett and Ben Davis have ever visited this city. Fritz Kreisler, as a violinist has few equals, and it is an event in any musical center to have him

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#### PALM SUNDAY.

Special Services in St. Peter's Cathedral Yesterday-Programme of Services for Holy Week.

Palm Sunday, one of the greatest festivals on the church calendar, was observed with special ceremony yesterday morning in St. Peter's cathe-

A solemn high mass was celebrated by Rev. J. J. Griffin, assisted by Rev. sion, or that postion of the Gospel of crucifixion and burial of Jesus Christ, was chanted by Rev. J. A. O'Reilly that the factory inspector does not pre- Rev. M. Loftus and Rev. Francis Straub. The palms were blessed by Rt. ollowed the settlement of the silk mill Rev. Bishop Hoban and distributed among the worshippers.

On Wednesday, Thrusday and Friday nights, the Tenebrae will be chanted by a choir of priests and a special chorus organized from among the students at St. Thomas' college. The oils for use during the coming year will be blessed at a mass to be celebrated at 9 o'clock on Holy Thursday morning. This service will be preceded by mass at 7 o'clock.

The mass of the pre-sanctified Host will be celebrated at 8 o'clock on Good Friday and the cross will be exposed for the devotion of the worshippers throughout that day. On Saturday morning at 8 o'clock the water and the pascal candle will be blessed. The full programme of services for Easter Sunday has not yet been completed.

#### RELIGIOUS NEWS NOTES.

"In an Emergency" was the tonic of the se-Presbyterian church, by the pastor, Rev. Dr. L.

Rev. I. N. Steelman, of Sidney, N. Y., preached at the Green Ridge Baptist church yesterday. The congregation has not yet fixed upon a paster Rev. Dr. Haynes, the evangelist, addressed large gathering of men yesterday afternoon in Guernsey hall, under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian association. He chose for bla

theme, "Judas Went to His Own Place. So Will

# ARE GRANTED

THREE HELD-OVER APPLICA-TIONS APPROVED.

Flaherty, Diskin and Healey Applications Which Were Held Under Advisement When License Court Was On Are Finally Granted. Langan Application Is Withdrawn and the Columbia Will Not Have a License-Two Verdicts Returned in Common Pleas Cases.

Three of the four liquor lincense applications held over at license court for future consideration were granted Saturday. They were the applications of P. F. Flaherty, of Penn avenue John J. Diskin, of Minooka, and Mary Healey, of Olyphant. The applicant in each case is a relative of a former licensee, whose license was revoked as the result of an attack by the Municipal league. The fourth of the held-over applications, that of P. F. Langan, who wanted to succeed his brother, T. J. Langan, at the Columbia, on Lackawanna avenue, was with

These applications were held over ecause the court was not satisfied that the parties applying made the applications in good faith. It was not intil the court was satisfied that the former licensees were not to conduct the places in the names of those applying, that it would consent to granting

Teday is the last day for taking out

#### In Common Pleas Court.

Two verdicts were returned Saturday orning by juries which went out the day before. In the case of L. P. Prodozek against M. E. Worden, in which there was a claim of \$300 on a sub-contract for slating the Blakely Baptist church, the jury awarded the plaintiff \$280.92. A verdict of \$38 was reported for the plaintiff in the case of D. R. Thomas, who sued Patrick Lyden, of Minooka, for damages done a sewing machine left on trial at Lyden's house. On application of Attorneys James M. Walker and Clarence Balentine, Judge Kelly granted a rule for a new trial in the case of C. H. Williamson

#### COURT HOUSE NEWS NOTES.

against M. H. Carpenter, in which a

verdict for the plaintiff was returned

William E. Jameison has registered as a law tudent in the office of Attorney Palmer L. Wil-

Hon, H. B. Jadwin was appointed by Judge Edwards, Saturday, to audit the accounts of the Carbondale poor directors. Application for a divorce was made Saturday by Barbara Erion, through Attorneys Beers & Grambs. She alleges unfaithfulness against her as co-respondent. She further alleges that he was sentenced in 1860 to serve five years for crim married Nov. 15, 1885, and lived together thir

#### MOTHER GRAY'S SWEET POWDERS

an education, and of having their growth stunted and health wrecked. It is true that the child's earnings may go to the support of a widowed mother, but it may be also that it will go to a but it may be als tial truths home to his hearers. He especially condemned the attitude of criticism assumed at times by persons who have no real interest in church work at heart.

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