

WEST SCRANTON

GEORGE COOPER LAID AT REST

FUNERAL SERVICES HELD YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.

Conducted at the House on South Hyde Park Avenue by Dr. Moffit—Easter Cantata at the Fourth Ward Mission School—Recent Mine Accidents—Church Socials—Last Evening—Aldermanic Cases—Other News Notes and Personal Paragraphs.

The large attendance at the funeral services over the remains of the late George Cooper yesterday afternoon bespoke, in a measure, the general esteem in which deceased was held. At 2 o'clock, when members of the Masonic fraternity assembled at the house, on South Hyde Park avenue, there was already many life-long friends gathered in and around the house, all of whom expressed their regrets over his death.

The service was conducted by Rev. John P. Moffat, D. D., pastor of the Washburn Street Presbyterian church. He referred to the life and character of Mr. Cooper as being worthy of emulation, and the kindness and sympathy of his genial nature.

The pastor also spoke consoling and comforting words to the daughter and orphan, who has been left alone in this world, bidding her trust in the God of all, who doeth things well. Mrs. Horatio Keller and Miss Cordelia Freeman sang at the bier, accompanied by Miss Julia Allen, violinist. The trio rendered several favorite hymns of deceased.

Four of the hall-bearers represented Hyde Park lodge, No. 329, Free and Accepted Masons, and two were honorary, all of them having been intimately acquainted with Mr. Cooper for many years. They were Charles E. Laming, A. B. Holmes, George Carson, Dr. W. E. Allen, Colonel E. H. Ripple and Joseph A. Mears. The flower-bearers were Alfred Twining and Charles Corless, sr.

The interment was made in Forest Hill cemetery, where the usual Masonic services were conducted, the ritual being recited by A. B. Stevens.

Church Socials.

A large number of young people representing the Simpson chapter of the Epworth league held a social at the home of William N. Chase, on North Bromley avenue, last evening, where

FREE. FREE. FREE. EASTER EGG DYES.

With every bottle of Dufour's French Tar bought at our store we will give away one package of Easter Egg Dyes.

Geo. W. Jenkins, 101 S. Main ave.

An interesting programme was rendered and refreshments were served. A social in aid of the painting fund was held in the Washington Street Presbyterian church last evening, under the direction of the Christian Endeavor society. Each attendant contributed a fresh egg, all of which will be donated to the Home for the Friendless.

Easter Cantata.

A cantata, "The Easter Promise," will be given next Sunday afternoon at the Fourth ward mission Sunday school, under the direction of W. W. Evans, Elizabeth R. Hughes and Catherine Davies, accompanied by the orchestra. The programme will be as follows:

- Prélude, "Hearts and Flowers".....Orchestra
Chorus, "Joy, Joy, Joy".....School
Recitation, "The Easter Promise".....Solo and Chorus, "Weeping Mary".....Thomas Bechler and School
Recitation, "The Two Marys".....Margaret Hopkins
Recitation, "Sweet Easter Bells".....Annie Jones
Exercise, "The Easter Bells".....Primary Department
Chorus, "Sweet Are the Promises of Easter".....School
Recitation, "Sweet Easter Day".....Besie Richards
Recitation, "We, Too, Shall Rise".....Penina Jones
Chorus, "A Mighty Saviour".....School
Recitation, "The Prince of Life".....Minnie Barth
Recitation, "The Crown of Easter".....Ethel Decker
Chorus, "The Shout of Triumph".....School

Recent Mine Accidents.

Benjamin Smith, of Evans court, sustained slight injuries while at work in the Oxford mine on Wednesday. William J. Thomas, of Eynon street, employed as a miner in the Hampton mine, was caught beneath a fall of roof recently and severely injured about the head and body.

Albert Martin, of North Hyde Park avenue, a driver in the mines, had his leg squeezed between cars while at work recently.

Aldermanic Cases.

Mrs. George Hennemuth, of Price street, was arrested on a warrant by Constable John Lane, issued some time ago at the instance of a resident of Priceburg, charging her with assault and battery. She was locked up in the station house to await a hearing.

Ernest Watkins, of North Bromley avenue, was arrested by Constable Timothy Jones yesterday, charged with stealing tobacco from S. R. Jones' grocery store on North Main avenue. He will be given a hearing today.

Cigars, Tobacco and Pipes.

All the popular brands of cigars and tobacco, together with a first class line of pipes, are to be found at John J. Becker's Capitol Cigar store. The pool tables and bowling alleys are the best in the city so the experts say.

GENERAL NEWS NOTES.

The Swedish citizens of West Scranton are invited to Co-operative hall this evening, where they will meet Dr.

Carl Sundbeck, of Sweden, and his old schoolmate, Harold Kjellstedt, principal of this school, are drawing for the International Text Book company.

Frank Hallett, of North Garfield avenue, who was injured in a wreck last Sunday, is reported to be recovering at the Moses Taylor hospital. His many friends will be pleased to learn this.

The West Side Pleasure club held their sixth anniversary at Kimmich's hotel last evening.

A raffle for the benefit of John O'Connor will be held next Monday evening in Cloberty's hotel, corner of Elm and Fourth streets.

A. B. Eynon, of the West Side bank, won the silver watch raffled off recently for the benefit of the widow of the late Jacob Laun.

Thomas J. O'Neal, supreme president of the Catholic Relief and Beneficiary association, of Scranton, N. Y., will arrive in this city tomorrow, and lecture before Council No. 129, South Scranton, Sunday evening. On Monday evening he will be the guest of the West Scranton council, and on Tuesday evening will speak at North Scranton.

The ladies of the Sherman avenue mission will serve a 15-cent supper on April 15.

The Colonial Dancing class will meet in Washington hall this evening.

The bowling team of the Electric City Wheelmen will go to Wilkes-Barre this evening to play three postponed games with the West End Wheelmen.

The forewell reception to Rev. E. A. Boyd and family will take place at the Plymouth Congregational church next Monday evening.

The supper to be served at the First Welsh Baptist church next Monday evening will be ready at 4 o'clock, and service will be rendered by the Ladies' Aid society until 10 o'clock.

The annual Easter social of the Irrepressible Drill club of St. Leo's battalion will be held at St. David's hall next Monday evening. Those who attend are assured of a good time.

The Delaware and Hudson dancing class will meet in Mears' hall next Monday evening.

Members of the Scranton Alumni Baseball team will meet at Robert Carson's home this evening.

The Wahnetta dancing class held a well-attended social in St. David's hall last evening. The class will meet in Mears' hall next Monday evening.

Harry Edwards, of South Main avenue, will entertain the Kamsgo Camping club this evening.

At the meeting of the West Side Driving club, held last evening, the proposition of obtaining a suitable place for a track was discussed. The club has an option on a very desirable piece of land.

The quarantine was raised yesterday from the home of Councilman Evan Evans, 537 Roberts court.

The Oxford Glee club will hold a meeting in Co-operative hall next Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Miss Emma Brooks, of Garfield avenue, who is visiting in Nicholson, will return home today.

Miss Margaret and Agnes Miller, of Johnston, N. Y., are visiting Miss Bertha Carson, of South Main avenue.

Miss Tessie Kessner, of North Ninth street, has been added to the clerical force at Clarke Bros' stores.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Kresky, of North Summer avenue, are entertaining Andrew Mack, of Tunkhannock.

Miss Della Cooper, of Courtdale, is visiting Miss May Davis, of Price street.

John U. Hopp, of Clarke Bros., is confined to his home by illness.

Chris. Powderly, of North Summer avenue, has returned home from a visit with friends in Plymouth.

Thomas James, of Rock street, is reported to be seriously ill at his home.

Mrs. Frank Belden and children have returned to their home in Hallstead, after visiting West Scranton relatives.

Miss Mildred Milnes, of North Summer avenue, is ill at her home.

The Misses Havenstrite, of Moscow, who have been visiting Mrs. John M. Dell, of North Garfield avenue, returned home yesterday.

Mrs. O. W. Beers, of North Rebecca avenue, is spending a few days with relatives in Tobyhanna.

NORTH SCRANTON

OFFICERS OF CAMP 9155, MODERN WOODMEN.

They Were Elected and Installed at a Meeting Held Last Night. Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reese Jones Slightly Injured by Being Struck by a Trolley Car—Surprise Party Tendered to Miss Nellie Davis at Her Home on Marion Street. Other Notes.

Camp 9155, Modern Woodmen of America, elected and installed officers for the coming year last evening. O. P. Clark, one of the traveling supervisors from Illinois, gave an interesting talk on the modes and methods of such an organization.

The following are the officers: Miller Fahringer, venerable council; H. B. Smith, clerk; Oswald Pelt, banker; Charles Williams, escort; Will Lathrop, worthy advisor; Nelson, Elby, manager; T. E. Terwilliger, watchman; J. Edgerton, sentry.

On the second Thursday evening in April there will be a progressive euchre party after the session, and the Green Ridge camp is invited to take part.

Narrowly Escaped Death.

Mary, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reese Jones, of 2808 North Main avenue, had a narrow escape from death Wednesday morning. The child was on the street in front of her home, with several of her companions, when a Carbonade car, inbound, came down the grade near the Marine crossing.

The little child ran directly in front of the car when it was only a short distance from the motorist. The driver reversed his brakes and stopped the car, but before the child had been struck by the fender. It was thrown some distance, but was not seriously hurt. A cut over the eye was the only wound.

Pleasant Party.

A very pleasant party was given in honor of Miss Nellie Davis, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Wilson, of 524 Marion street, Wednesday evening last.

The usual party diversions were indulged in until a late hour, when refreshments were served.

Among those who were present were: Mrs. J. Wilson, Misses Mary McClulloch, Margaret Oliver, Ethel Watkins, Blanche Williams, Charlotte Jones, Nellie Davis, Messrs. Arthur Bright, David Kenney, Lee Winters, David Work, Roger Wood, Thomas Davison, Robert Shotto and John Cox.

James-Evans Wedding.

Miss Annie James, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William James, of West Scranton, and John T. Evans, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony Wednesday evening at the Memorial Baptist church parsonage by the pastor, Rev. W. F. Davis.

The bride was attended by the groom's sister, Miss May Evans, and the groom by his brother, James Evans.

The young couple are well known and highly respected by a host of friends, who wish them a happy and prosperous life.

Told in a Few Lines.

Select Councilman Wade Finn and Alderman Meyers were in Archbald on a business trip yesterday.

The North Stars leave this afternoon for Patterson, where they will play a game with the representative team of that place.

The young son of Mr. and Mrs. William Evans, of Oak street, is seriously ill.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union will hold a mother's meeting in the Young Women's Christian association rooms this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. George A. Cure will have charge of the meeting. All mothers are cordially invited.

The Old Folks' Concert, under the auspices of the First Christian church, of North Main avenue, will be held this evening in the Auditorium.

The North Scranton Bowling Alleys will be opened for ladies this afternoon from 2 until 6 o'clock. The managers have decided to charge the ladies half rates for bowling from today on, and will continue giving them Friday afternoons.

The drill organizations of the Father Whitty society will on Monday evening compete with the Y. M. D. I. society of Wilkes-Barre at the military hall in the Ninth Regiment armory.

The members of the business men's class of the Institute of Human Development, are requested to meet in the gymnasium today at 11:15 o'clock.

SOUTH SCRANTON NOTES.

John Wiesniewsky was given a hearing before Alderman Lentz last evening on charges preferred by Mrs. Sophie Wiesniewsky, for assault and battery, and threats to kill. The parties live at 422 Elm street, and the prosecutor alleged that the defendant drew a knife and threatened to kill her, and then himself. Owing to the absence of corroborative evidence, the accused was discharged.

The Passion Play was again reproduced at the Church of Peace on Prospect avenue last evening, and was well patronized. The entertainment has been of great benefit, both morally and financially, and the Young Folks' society, under whose auspices it was given, will place a neat sum in the treasury.

The Junger Mauererchord held a well attended meeting in Schimpf's hall last night, and the prize song was given by the chorus. A meeting of the entertainment committee followed.

At the Church of Peace, Sunday, the pastor, J. E. Schmidt, Ph. D., will hold services at 10 a. m., preparatory to the Lord's supper at 10:30. The text will be taken from the first book of Moses, xxviii, "Let us hear Easter." The theme will be divided in two parts, "See what the Lord has done for us," and "See what we can do for him." In the evening at 7:30 p. m., services of song and praise will be held, in which the Sunday school children will participate.

A GREAT SURPRISE

In a store for all who use Kemp's Balsam for the throat and lungs, the great guaranteed remedy. Would you believe that it is sold on its merits and any druggist is authorized by the proprietor of this wonderful remedy to give you a sample bottle free? It never fails to cure acute or chronic coughs. All druggists sell Kemp's Balsam. Price, 25c and 50c.

EASTER SHOES.

Easter is but a few days off. We greet its coming and are prepared to meet the need of stylish dressers.

FOR LADIES

We have high and low cut Shoes, Oxfords, Colonials and Slippers. The very latest and popular styles are here.

FOR GENTLEMEN

We have Dress Shoes in lace or button Oxfords—just the Shoe for men who dress well.

Charity Ball Dancing Slippers

Lewis, Ruddy, Davies & Murphy

330 LACKAWANNA AVENUE.

SCANDAL IN DANISH SALE

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never heard of this man Christmas until today; he had no knowledge of information concerning him, but according to his own belief, he was a briber and worse.

"But he was accredited by the secretary of state," interposed Mr. Richardson, "and instructed to go to our minister in London."

"The gentleman artfully says the secretary of state made this man his agent," cried Mr. Cannon, indignantly. "I know nothing about it. If anything ought to be investigated, I am for an investigation. But I am not in favor of proceeding upon the extracts the gentleman has read. Let the documents be printed in full, then each member of the house can act intelligently. No one will be more swift than I to investigate charges affecting federal officials and members of the American congress."

"But these charges were printed in Denmark and were known here from January 28 to February 17," interposed Mr. Richardson. "Does the gentleman not think the secretary of state should have called the attention of the senate to the fact that \$500,000 was being spent to bring about a successful termination of the negotiations?"

"I do not know anything about it," responded Mr. Cannon warily, "and until I do, I will say nothing that would dishonor any one. I demand a vote."

Would Prevent Dishonor.

"I am not seeking to dishonor any one. I am seeking to prevent dishonor," replied Mr. Richardson.

"The gentleman fears to have the house examine the documents before it votes," retorted Mr. Cannon.

"I am not," insisted Mr. Richardson. "That is exactly what I desire. I ask unanimous consent now that this report be read in full from the clerk's desk."

But Mr. Cannon angrily objected, his objection being sustained by half a dozen other Republicans. The speaker then put the question on Mr. Cannon's motion to postpone. The Republicans generally voted for the motion, but such a stentorian chorus of "noes" came from the Democratic side that the speaker announced:

"The noes seem to have it." Mr. Cannon did not ask for the division and the speaker declared the motion lost.

The resolutions were then perfected by the insertion of "it is alleged" before all assertions of fact. At the suggestion of Mr. Lacey (Iowa) the reference in the resolution to newspapers was changed to read "newspapers or press associations."

With these changes the resolutions were put to a vote and were carried without a dissenting vote. The speaker immediately announced the investigation committee as named above. The excitement then subsided and the house turned to the consideration of the army appropriation bill, which, after brief discussion, was passed.

The president's message on the relinquishment of the control of Cuba was then laid before the house, and after adopting a rule making the senate bill to promote the efficiency of the revenue cutter service a special order until disposed of, the house adjourned until tomorrow.

SPORTING NOTES.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Baltimore, March 27.—Joe Gans knocked out "Jack" Bennett, of McKeesport, Pa., tonight in the fifth round.

Louisville, Ky., March 27.—The Southern Athletic club announces that it has matched Tommy Ryan and Jack O'Brien for a contest at Louisville being held May 3, for the middle-weight championship.

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Regular services will be held at the Hickory Street Baptist church at 10:30 a. m., and the pastor will speak on the "Resurrection of Christ." In the evening his theme will be "Baptisms."

Pennsylvania Postmasters.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Washington, March 27.—The president today sent to the senate the nomination of David M. Graham to be postmaster at Mahanoy City.

WINTER RESORTS. Hotel Sothorn

Sea end of Virginia avenue, the most fashionable resort in Atlantic City. Within a few steps of the famous Steel Pier. Complete with all conveniences, including steam heat, sun parlor, elevator, and hot and cold baths.

Table d'hôte, direct ocean view. Rates—\$2.50 to \$3.00 per day; \$12.00 to \$18.00 weekly. Write for booklet.

N. R. BOTHWELL, Formerly of Scranton.

GREEN RIDGE.

Miss Elizabeth Robinson, of Capouse avenue, left yesterday for New York city, where she will spend Easter.

Mrs. J. L. Best, of Sanderson avenue, will leave this morning for a ten days' stay at East Berlin, Pa.

Miss Mary Hitchcock, of Washington avenue, will spend Easter in New York city, where she will be the guest of Miss Louise Dismark.

Miss Myrtle Harvey, daughter of Councilman A. L. Harvey, of Wyoming avenue, will leave tomorrow for an extended stay in New York city.

The residents of Woodlawn avenue have prepared a petition, which they will bring before the city council, asking that the artificial lake in Woodlawn Park be abandoned, and through the summer months a flower bed adorn the space it now occupies. The objection to the lake is that the stagnant water breeds malaria and that the summer nights are made too noisy by the music of the frogs, with which it swarms.

The following programme will be rendered by the members of the Sunday school in the parlors of the Green Ridge Presbyterian church on Easter Sunday morning, beginning at 12 o'clock: Overture, orchestra; song, "Butterfly," school; response and prayer; school; quartette, Messrs. Wenko, Gunster, Kirkpatrick and Pilling; overture, orchestra; birthday exercises; offering; overture, orchestra; address, Prof. G. W. Phillips; secretary's report; duet, Miss Polhemus and Mr. Gunster; recitation, Adelaide Hunt; song, "Under the Starry Sky"; cradle rock exercises; closing song, "Little Fisherman"; school; march, orchestra.

A recent letter from Samuel E. Bailey, son of Thomas Bailey, of Dickson avenue, who is now in England, states he has a position in one of the largest shops in Nottingham, at which place nearly all the fine machinery that is used in the manufacture of Nottingham lace curtains is made. He is studying hard, and expects soon to return home, fully competent to construct the most complicated Nottingham machinery.

Luther P. Smith, one of the early settlers of Green Ridge, and a charter member of the Green Ridge Presbyterian church, is lying critically ill at his home, on Wyoming avenue.

Attorney and Mrs. T. F. Wells, of Washington avenue, are enjoying a southern trip.

Harry Dunning has returned to his home in Hartford, after a two weeks' visit with Green Ridge friends.

A very delightful entertainment was given by one of the classes of the Asbury Methodist Episcopal Sunday school in the church parlors last evening. The rooms were filled to the doors and the large audience gave every evidence that the entertainment was a successful one. Prominent on the programme were Charles Hartley, the ventriloquist; Mildred Green, elocutionist; Mrs. B. T. Jayne, soloist, and Miss Allen's orchestra.

At a regular meeting of Green Ridge lodge, No. 603, Independent Order of Old Fellows, held last evening in Masonic hall, on Dickson avenue, the following officers were elected to serve during the ensuing term: Noble grand, M. D. Furthman; vice-grand, E. H. Edred; secretary, F. S. Oliver; treasurer, Charles P. Jones; trustee, eighteen months, W. H. Treverton; medical examiners, Dr. Res. Dr. Treverton and Dr. Berlinghoff; degree master, F. G. Deany; relief committee, W. J. Heckman.

OBITUARY.

MRS. JACOB MILLER, an esteemed and respected resident, of 623 Maple street, passed away yesterday at the ripe age of 75 years. She was survived by one son and four daughters as follows: Mrs. Peter Hiltz, Mrs. Mary Schmitt, Mrs. Joseph Gardner, Mrs. William Schank. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2 p. m.

FUNERALS.

The funeral of the late Charles M. Harper will take place this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from his residence, 853 Adams avenue. Interment in Dunmore cemetery.

Fire Sale of Wall Paper and Shades.

Jacobs & Fasold, 505 Linden Street.

Lackawanna Railroad Low Rate Excursion to New York City, April 2nd, 1902.

On April 2nd special excursion tickets will be sold to New York city and return via the Lackawanna railroad, good going on all passenger trains of April 2nd and for return up to and including April 7th, at rate of one way fare plus one dollar, for the round trip. Children between the ages of 1 and 12 years, one-half the adult rate.

AMUSEMENTS. Lyceum Theatre

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Prices—25, 50 and 75 cents. Matinee, 25 and 50 cents. Seats now on sale.

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In Edward E. Rose's Dramatization of Maurice Thompson's American Romance.

Alice of Old Vincennes

Charles Frohman's newest big scenic production. Presented the same in every respect as at the Garden Theatre, New York.

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M. REIS, Lessee. A. J. Duffy, Manager. Thursday, Friday and Saturday with Matinee.

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and Super Company. This afternoon and evening, "A Night in China town." Prices 10, 20 and 30c; matinee, 10 and 20c.

EASTER WEEK.

Opening with a Special Monday Matinee.

Dainty Irene Myers

Prices 10, 20 and 30c; matinee, 10 and 20c.

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Easter Neckwear for Fair Women

Silk Ties of Crepe de Chine, Liberty Silk, Moire and Tafeta; the prices from, 2.50 each.25c to 1.50

Colored Silk Turnovers, fancy embroidered. Mercerized Cotton Ties, new shades; 50c prices from, each 15c to 50c

Golf Stocks in Pique and Madras, pink, blue and white. Each.25c to 50c

Fine Chiffon Jabots, Lawn and Mull Ties, Handsome Ruffs and Hair Ornaments, Corsage Bows in charming effects, and so on, "ad lib."

It's a pleasure for most women to look over this stock; a regret to overlook it.

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"Monopole" Gloves in New Pearl, Cream, Grey, Modes and White. A pair1.50