

WEST SCRANTON

Forty-Six New Members

ADDED TO BAPTIST YOUNG PEOPLE'S UNION.

Given the Right Hand of Fellowship by the President, Alfred Roberts. Funeral of Mrs. Mary E. Owens from Her Home on North Rebecca Avenue—Donations for St. Patrick's Orphanage—Many of the Streets in This Part of the City in Need of Immediate Repair.

The Baptist Young People's union of the Jackson Street Baptist church held a most interesting and instructive meeting in the church parlors last evening.

Forty-six new members received the right hand of fellowship from President Alfred Roberts. This was followed by Miss Edith Reddoe, who sweetly sang a solo. Miss Annie Thomas recited a revision of the twenty-third Psalm in a very neat manner. A quartette, composed of Mrs. Albert Davis, Miss Edith Reddoe and William Davis and John Lloyd also added to the evening's enjoyment with several well rendered selections.

Fine addresses were given by the pastor, Rev. Thomas de Gruchy, David Williams and William Nichols. These meetings are attended by about one hundred and fifty young people and are a great spiritual help.

Misinform.

The family of the late Mrs. O'Hara, of 1827 Lafayette street, who died on Monday evening at the home of Thomas Thomas, of North Hyde Park avenue, object to the statement made in some of the papers that Mrs. O'Hara had been working at the home of Mr. Thomas. They wish to state that the deceased had never worked out in her life, but at the time she was taken sick was on the way to her aunt's, Mrs. Rogers, of Hyde Park avenue.

A Timely Topic.

As the sunny skies of spring begin to show themselves again, the good people of Hyde Park begin to wonder when the pavements and streets are going to be fixed. On Washburn street, between Hyde Park and Main avenues, the pavement is broken in numerous places, and when a person goes over them with a carriage or a bicycle it makes their teeth rattle.

On South Main avenue, near Oxford

The Best Family Cough Remedy.
Dufour's French Tar,
 For Sale by
GEO. W. JENKINS,
 101 S. Main ave.

street, where the pavement ends, there is a deep hole, or at least a hole of sufficient depth to break the springs of a heavily loaded wagon, in case the driver passed over it, or rather in it, with any degree of speed.

On South Main avenue, also, beginning at Eynon street and extending almost to the city line, the road is in a deplorable condition. In many places the earth has been washed away, leaving the street car tracks several inches above the level of road.

At night, when the passing wagons get a wheel or two inside the rail it takes a clear head and a strong wagon to get out of the way of passing cars without tearing the wheels off.

The board of directors and sisters of St. Patrick's orphanage acknowledge with heartfelt gratitude the following donations from kind friends of the institution:

Right Rev. M. J. Hoban, D. D., eighty pounds of candy for St. Patrick's day, and same number pounds for Easter; George F. McCarthy, twenty dozen eggs; Miss Mary McCarthy, two pots lilles and one gallon maple syrup; Miss Ella McCarthy, basket of fruit; Mrs. M. McDonough, Minooka, chinaware amounting to \$12; a friend, Ed. Mary Kearney, Easter eggs; Mrs. Dr. Carroll, preserves, catsup and milk; Zelder's bakery, bread and cake, several times; a friend, 100 cakes maple sugar; Miss Maria Murray, set of chairs; Masters Harry Donegan and Harry Pugh, a generous supply of marbles for the orphan boys; Mrs. J. T. Kearney, wine; Hess' bakery, cakes and buns, several times; Mrs. B. J. Neville, two pairs shoes; Mrs. Montgomery, two pots hyacinths; Mrs. McAndrew, bread, cakes, ham and fruit.

They also extend to the board of health and Dr. W. E. Allen their sincerest thanks for the free vaccination of the one hundred and twenty-seven children of the orphanage.

"The Dialogue of Birds."
 Last evening in the Bellevue Welsh Calvinistic Methodist church a cantata, entitled "The Dialogue of Birds," was given in the Welsh language. The music was of a high order, and the solo and chorus work was superb. All who attended the cantata expressed themselves as being more than satisfied and desired to hear it again.

On April 16, the cantata will be repeated at the same place in the English language.

Yesterday's Funeral Service.

From the late home, at 354 North Rebecca avenue, yesterday, was held the funeral of the late Mrs. Mary E. Owens, wife of John Owens. Rev. Thomas de Gruchy, the pastor of the Jackson Street Baptist church, had charge of the services, and delivered an eloquent eulogy on the life of the deceased, speaking in glowing terms of the respect, love and esteem in which she was held by all who knew her.

A quartette feelingly rendered several sacred hymns, and after the friends had taken the last farewell the funeral cortège moved to the Washburn street

cemetery, where the remains were laid at rest.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Some time ago the Washburn Street Presbyterian Sunday school started out to raise money to repair the parsonage, and as a result of their efforts \$150 has been secured. To the intense delight of the earnest workers a kind friend has agreed to give another \$150, making a total of \$300.

The ladies' division of the Catholic Legion held a very interesting meeting in Young Men's Institute hall on Monday evening. A very pleasing programme was rendered, after which refreshments were served.

Miss Anna Durkin, of Academy street, delightfully entertained a few of her numerous friends at the parental home on Monday evening.

The missionary study class of the Simpson Epworth league met in the church parlors last evening, and a most interesting meeting was held.

The Colonial club held a dance in Washington hall last evening.

The tenor singers of the Oxford Glee club held their rehearsal in Co-operative hall last evening.

This evening, in St. David's hall, will be held the first annual dance of the West Side Central Republican club.

The committee in charge of the affair have made unusual preparations for the event. The handsome parlors of St. Leo's battalion have been secured for a reception room and dancing will commence at 8 o'clock.

SOUTH SCRANTON NOTES.

Engrossed Resolutions to Be Presented to John Scholl, Who Has Gone to Buffalo.

Engrossed resolutions were adopted at Monday night's session of Camp No. 409, Patriotic Order Sons of America, with reference to the departure from the city of John Scholl, who is to make his future home in Buffalo.

They have been beautifully engrossed by P. W. Costello, who has done a most artistic bit of work. The resolutions will be highly prized by Mr. Scholl. They are handsomely framed and will be placed on exhibition for a few days, prior to being sent to Buffalo.

Miss Miller's Popularity.

The esteem in which Miss Emma Miller, of 702 Pittston avenue, is held, was put to a thorough test recently, when she entered a contest for a diamond ring against a well-known young lady of West Scranton.

The contest was conducted under the auspices of the Eagle, the Signal and Drum corps, for whose benefit it was, and the young ladies have been canvassing the city for several weeks. The result was announced at the Drum corps ball, in Music hall, Monday night, and the figures showed that Miss Miller was an easy winner, having collected over a hundred dollars more than her competitor.

New Bowling Club Quarters.

A new business place, which will be known as Arlington hotel, was opened yesterday at Maple street and Pitts-

burgh streets. Phillip Roll, a well known member of the City Bowling league, has assumed charge, and he proposes to conduct a first-class hostelry. The house was thrown open to the public yesterday, and there was a steady stream of guests, including many bowling enthusiasts, who called to inspect the alleys and greet the new buface.

Among the Athletes.

The junior classes of the Scranton Athletic club have been getting a thorough drilling for several months past, under the direction of Professor Victor Neth, and some of the classes have reached a most satisfactory stage in physical culture.

To show the progress made, it has been announced that an exhibition will be given Wednesday, April 23, in Athletic hall, and an interesting programme is being arranged. Some of the men who will participate are not over 17 years old, and their work on the rings, bars and pyramids, reflect great credit on the instructor.

NUBS OF NEWS.

The St. John's Defenders will reopen the basketball season, in St. John's hall tomorrow night, by playing a game with the strong Pottsville team. A social and hop will follow.

Division 22, Ancient Order of Hibernians, held a regular meeting in Battle's hall last evening.

A meeting of the German Beneficial society will take place at Mirza's hall tonight.

Dr. Schley's Lung Healing Balsam is guaranteed to cure all coughs. "No cure, no pay." For sale by all dealers.

Midweek services will be held in the Hickory street German Presbyterian church this evening.

MINOOKA.

Miss Marie Laffey, of Stafford street, and Miss Mary Nee, of Cemetery street, left yesterday for Buffalo, N. Y., where they have accepted positions in the silk mill in that vicinity.

Miss Mary Nee, of Norristown, is visiting friends in Greenwood.

The Misses Celia Maloney and Mame Gordon, of Avoca, were guests of Minooka friends yesterday.

It seems base ball managers throughout the country have their eyes on the Minooka base ball team for players in the professional ranks. Two more of our prominent young men will leave next week. Patrick Phibbin and Michael Laffey will go to Lebanon, to play with the Lebanon club of the Pennsylvania State league. Mr. Laffey will play third base, and Mr. Phibbin left field.

Yesterday afternoon, John O'Neill and brother, Michael, both popular young base ball players of this town, left for St. Louis, where they will line up in St. Louis uniforms this season. Michael pitched for the St. Louis team last year and made a great success in the National league. He was known as Michael Joyce. When his identity became known to his many admirers in this vicinity on his return home last fall, a rousing welcome was prepared for him. John played with the Utica club of the New York State league last season, and had a good record as a catcher. This season he will be seen in faster company.

THE HOMELEST MAN IN SCRANTON

As well as the handiest, and others are invited to call on any drugist and get free a trial bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, a remedy that is guaranteed to cure and relieve all Chronic and Acute Coughs, Asthma, Bronchitis and Consumption. Price 25c and 50c.

Picture Framing Done on Short Notice 3rd Floor.

Jonas Long's Sons

Shopping News

Shades Made to Order 3rd Floor.

The Newark Shoe Company's Stock

of Men's, Women's and Children's Fine Shoes.

Will be placed on sale next SATURDAY AT 9 A. M SHARP. The best makes and all sizes, at such low prices that you can afford to buy a year's supply.

To accomodate the hundreds of buyers that will be here we have given over several aisles of the store and will make every effort to serve you all.

Sale Begins Saturday, 9 a. m. Sharp.



Dress Goods

Rich in variety style and weaves. All the latest novelties in Dress Goods for this spring's wear. Extamines hold popular favor. 45 inches wide, green, navy blue, gray, cadet blue, at a range of prices from

\$1.25 to \$1.75 yard

Millinery News

This has been one of our busiest Millinery openings. No wonder—the variety and quantity supercedes any previous display. The styles that will greet you are the best in this country.

Free demonstration on the Main Floor of the celebrated Ralston Purina Cereals this week.

Imported Challies

All Wool Challies, Polka Dots, Persian effects and Satin Stripe. Priced 35c, 50c, 59c a yard. Designs unique, coloring very rich, Black and White in staple patterns, Black and Tinted shades with an all over lace effect pattern, plain shades with dots. The Paisley patterns are noticed in Persian effects, very pretty and stylish, light and durable, and priced at very little for this class of goods

Wash Silks

The numerous style colorings in the large line of Wash Silks we are showing is more than attracting attention. Corded in clusters and single effects, oftentimes a space of one inch between, giving that appearance of oddity, which this well known line is noted for.

The values are 39c and 48c yard

Wall Paper

This is one of the busy departments at present, but never too busy to show you our handsome line of Wall Paper for Parlors, Libraries, Dining Rooms and Halls, Bedrooms and Living Rooms. Patterns dainty and cheerful. Called Empire Rococo, Colonial, Satin and Embossed effects, Oriental designs, floral cretons, chintz and small figures. **3rd Floor.**

We Sell Goods as a Matter of Business

We hope you buy goods on the same basis. You have the opportunities here. And the excellence of the assortments gives you a chance for quick selection.

Lansdownes

You are familiar with these fine fabrics, no doubt, but did you know of the collection of them here? It is a revelation, this aggregation of handsome shades and colorings.

Blues, Reds, Maroons, Citrons, Corn color, Reseda, Mousse, Olive, Myrtle, Plum, White, Cream, Pinks, Praline, Ocean, Lilac, Baby Blues, Nile, Greys, Tans, Castors, Modes, Browns and some others, but these are enough for today.

The regulation price is on these goods, of course.

\$1.25 a Yard

Silk Waists

Pretty enough to please anybody, rich and beautiful. All the perfections of fit and finish are embrodered in these Waists. Handsome Taffeta Waists, white tucked front, blouse effect, trimmed with black silk, woven buttons and beading with black velvet ribbon drawn through; three rows tucking on back.

\$5.00 Each

Peau de Cygne, hand embrodered, Gibson style, with standing collar, smoked pearl buttons. There's Old Rose, Pink, Green, White and Cadet Blue.

\$10.00 Each

Dress Trimmings

No scarcity of these here, enough to go around, and more, too. You can form a correct idea of the styles that will be prevalent this season by looking through this stock. Chiffon Applique for fine trimming.

75c, \$1, \$1.50 to \$8 yd

Batiste Applique and Allovers to match.

50c to \$3.50 a yard

Medallions for Applique in Batiste and Venise.

\$1.25 to \$3.50 a yard

Chiffon Tucking and Shirring in Black, White and Linen.

There are enough of the typical spring effects to show you that you can get full measure of style.

Globe Warehouse

NORTH SCRANTON

CRACKERJACKS DEFEATED BY NORTH END STARS.

Very Interesting Game of Basketball Played in the Auditorium Last Night—First of a Series of Five Between the Clubs—Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Leventhal Celebrated the Fifth Anniversary of Their Wedding—Notes Concerning the Y. W. C. A.

The invincible North End Stars defeated the Crackerjack team last night, by a score of 9 to 4. The game was one of the series of five which is to be played by these teams for \$100 a side, the winner to take seventy-five per cent. of the door receipts.

The game was one of the most interesting ever played in this section. During the latter part of the second half, Bert Hughes, one of the players, injured his leg by falling against one of the seats, which kept him from finishing the game. The star plays of the game were made by Tigie and J. McCluskie, for the Stars, and Hughes, for the Crackerjacks. The line-up was as follows:

North End Stars—R. Connelly, right forward; J. McCluskie, left forward; J. Tigie, center; D. Jones, right guard; T. McCluskie, left guard.

Crackerjacks—Benjamin, right forward; F. Davis, left forward; Hughes, T. Davis, center; Miller, Willis, right guard; H. Davis, left guard.

Goals were thrown from the field by J. McCluskie and Tigie, for the Stars, and Hughes and F. Davis, for the Crackerjacks. Umpire—Fred Buttin.

Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Leventhal, of Hollister avenue, celebrated the fifth anniversary of their wedding at their home, Monday evening. Singing and dancing, with other party diversions, were indulged in up to a seasonable hour, when refreshments were served.

Y. W. C. A. Notes.

Prof. Walkinshaw's orchestra will rehearse this evening in the association rooms.

The Sunbeam club will meet this afternoon at 4 o'clock, to plan and rehearse for an entertainment.

Next Sunday afternoon a specially interesting service will be held. Miss May Benedict will give a sketch of the life of Frances Ridley Havergal. Some of

HINTS ABOUT EGGS.

Ways of Telling Their Age to a Day. Cold Storage Experiments.

From the London Greecry. According to the Mackler and Klonditor Zeltung—a German bakers' and confectioners' organ—the age of an egg is now discovered by impinging it in a solution of salt containing, as far as I can gather, about eight ounces to the pint. When the salt has thoroughly dissolved the egg is to be tested by dropping gently into the glass containing the solution. If the egg is only one day old it sinks immediately to the bottom; if three days old it sinks just below the surface only, and from five days and upward it floats. Another process has just been awarded a medal in Saxony by the National Society of Poultry Breeders and is described in a German contemporary. It is well known that the air cavity at the blunt end of the egg enlarges as the age of the egg increases. Consequently, if the egg be placed in a solution similar to the one described above it will have an increasing tendency to float with the long axis vertical. A scale of angles is placed at the back of the vessel, and from the inclination of the egg to the horizontal the age can be gauged almost to a day. A new-laid egg lies horizontally at the bottom of the vessel. When three to five days old the egg raises itself from the horizontal, so that its long axis makes an angle of about 20 degrees with the horizontal. At eight days this angle increases to about 54 degrees; at fourteen days it is 60 degrees; at about three weeks it is about 75 degrees, while after four weeks it stands upright on the pointed end. If the egg is bad or is over five weeks old the angle is still greater.

The cold storage of eggs is extending considerably, and the New South Wales government especially has provided facilities for this purpose. I learn that in the eleven months ending July last 96,000 dozen eggs were stored in this manner. The charges made came to 3d. per case for receiving and delivery and 3d. per case per week for storage. This works out at 1d. per dozen eggs for eleven weeks. Special cases are used, each holding thirty-six dozen. It seems that while it is safer to use infertile eggs, fertile ones appear to keep equally well in cold storage. The temperature in the cold store varies between 31 degrees and 34 degrees Fahrenheit. A gentle current of air is necessary, sufficient to carry off the moisture which evaporates from the eggs. It seems that the yolk does not change its position when stored at a proper temperature, except it has been carried a long distance and over rough roads, when there is a tendency in this direction. This is especially the case when the eggs have been packed small end upward, as the air space prevents the yolk from floating up to the top when the blunt end is packed upward. Some experiments were carried out as to the temperature the eggs would stand without injury, and it was found that when it was reduced to 10 degrees Fahrenheit about half the eggs were burst by the expansion of the contents. No harm seemed to come to eggs at 30 degrees, but at 28 degrees it was found that if there was a crack the egg would freeze solid, while

AMUSEMENTS.

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 A. J. DUFFY, Business Manager.
 THURSDAY NIGHT,
Return Engagement.
 The Laughing Play of the Year, CHARLES FROHMAN presents E. E. Rose's Dramatization of Irving Bachelor's Great Novel,
Eben Holden
 With the Exact Same Cast and Effects as Seen for 100 night at the Savoy Theatre, Manhattan.
 Prices—25c. to \$1.50.
 Seats rarely Tuesday at nine.

Friday Night,
 Amer ica's most notable-Minnetri Organization
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Wm. H. West Jubilee
 Billy Van, John King, N. S. Carr, Clement Stewart, Zeb and Zarrow Trio. Prices 25 cents to \$1.00.

Saturday Matinee and Night,
 W. G. SMYTH presents.
EMMET DEVOY
 The Silver Voiced Comedian.
 In a comedy drama of Western Life entitled
FRIEND KARL
 Prices—25, 50, 75c, and \$1.00.
 Matinee—25 and 50c. Children to any part of house, 15c.

Academy of Music
 M. REIS, Lessee. A. J. Duff, Manager.
 ALL THIS WEEK.
 SPECIAL EASTER MONDAY MATINEE.

Dainty Irene Myers
 an excellent company in Repertoire. Presenting Monday afternoon, "New York Day by Day"; Monday night, "The Electrician"; Tuesday matinee, "Two Orphans"; Tuesday night, "The Showaway"; Wednesday afternoon, "The White Rat"; Wednesday night, "Through the Breakers".
 Prices—10, 20 and 30c.; matinee, 10 and 20c.
 Seats now on sale.

STAR THEATRE
 ALF. G. HERRINGTON, Manager.
 Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday,
 MARCH 31, APRIL 1 AND 2.

Weber's Parisian Widows
 MATINEE EVERY DAY.
 If the shell was unbroken the contents were un injured.