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In and About The City

Union Meeting, Elm Park Church. The union meeting of the Women's Foreign Missionary society of Elm Park church will be held Monday afternoon, June 3, at 3 o'clock.

Planning for Convention. Arrangements are under way for the big convention of the retail liquor dealers of Lackawanna and Luzerne counties, which is to be held in Music hall on June 21.

Service at Tripp Park Hose House. A service will be held in the Union church, Hose house, Tripp Park, this evening at 7.45. Bishop L. P. Stevens, of the Reformed Episcopal church, will deliver an address. The choir of Grace Reformed Episcopal church will be present and assist in the musical part of the service.

Second District Committee. Chairman J. F. Hamman has called a meeting of the Democratic committee of the Second legislative district to be held in the St. Charles hotel tomorrow night at 8 o'clock for the purpose of fixing a date for the holding of a convention to elect delegates to the state convention to be held at Erie on June 15.

Firemen's Summer Costume. Shirt-waists to be worn by the local firemen during the summer have been ordered by Director of Public Safety P. L. Wormer and will be received in a day or two. They are to be of dark brown material. The men will be permitted to wear straw hats to match a style similar to those worn by the New York firemen.

A Self-Tying Insulator. Clarence C. Johnson, of 517 Taylor avenue, has invented and patented a self-tying insulator for use in the construction of telegraph lines. Telephone wires, which at present fastened to the insulator by the wires, it is said that much time, labor and cost will be saved by the use of the new insulator.

Street Cars Collide. Nay Aug car No. 69, in charge of Conductor Moran and Motorman Early, and Green Ridge Suburban car No. 205, in charge of Conductor Boche and Motorman Dawkins, collided yesterday afternoon at Adams avenue and Linden street. The front vestibule of the Green Ridge car was badly stove in and the step on the side of the Nay Aug car was smashed. No one was injured.

Naval Recruits Wanted. Lieutenant J. P. J. Ryan, of the United States navy, has opened a recruiting office in this city and will receive applicants for enlistment up to and including next Saturday. Boys from 15 to 17 years old will be received as apprentices and those over 17 years as seamen or artificers. Special inducements are offered to machinists. The wages in this class range from \$10 to \$20 per month, including board, clothing, etc.

Dispute Over Music. An interesting case was heard before Alderman Ruddy Saturday when the dispute between Morris Faganbaum, of Old Forge, against John Cowlchink was argued. Morris is the leader of an orchestra of four pieces and claims he was hired to play at a ball to be given by a society of which Cowlchink professed to be a member. The orchestra showed up but the ball had been postponed. Morris sued to recover \$14, the amount he was to have received. A verdict in favor of the defendant was entered because it was not proven that Cowlchink had authority to hire the musicians on behalf of the



MR. PENNINGTON'S RECITAL. It Will Be Given Tomorrow Evening in St. Luke's Parish House.

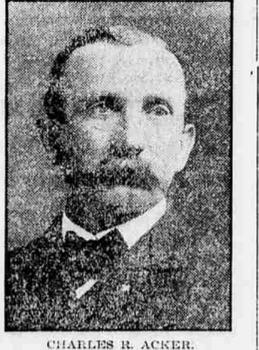
Mr. J. Alfred Pennington, director of the Conservatory, will give a pianoforte recital tomorrow evening in St. Luke's parish house auditorium, when he will be assisted by Mrs. Lenore Thomson, solo contralto of Elm Park church; Mr. F. H. Widmayer, violinist, and, in the last number, members of the Conservatory faculty. The following is the programme: Sonata for Piano and Violin, E. Major, Op. 10, No. 1, by Beethoven. Breethoven Allegro con brio. Theme with Variations. Rondo. Allegro. Novelties, E. Major, Op. 21, by Schumann. Schumann Schimmerlied E Flat Major, Op. 12, Schumann Impromptu, A Flat Major, Op. 30, Schubert Song, "Glockend" by Ponce. Ponce Prelude and Fugue, C Sharp Major, by Bach. (From "Well-Tempered Clavier.") Duo, from Songs Without Words, Mendelssohn Hunting Song, from Songs Without Words, Mendelssohn Invitation to a Waltz, Op. 65, by Van Weber. Nocturne, B Major, Op. 32, Chopin Prelude, D Flat Major, Op. 25, No. 15, Chopin Rigaudon, D Major, Op. 204, by Liszt. "Love's Years Are Brave and Long." "Nocturne of Love" by Yvonne Fantasy on Hungarian Airs, Piano-forte with Orchestra, Liszt. The orchestral accompaniment, arranged for three pianos will be played by Miss Clara M. Browning, Miss Mabel French and Miss Ethel A. Stone, of the Conservatory faculty.

FUNERAL OF WM. LA MONTE. The funeral of the late William La Monte was conducted yesterday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from the family residence at Madison avenue and Myrtle street.

There was a large gathering of friends at the services, which were conducted by Rev. Dr. James McLeod, pastor of the First Presbyterian church. During the services Miss Freeman sang two solos to a soft accompaniment played on the violin by Julia Clapp Allen. Dr. McLeod, in a brief eulogy of the deceased, spoke of his worthy Christian life and of the splendid example which he made his life for the young men to pattern after. The pallbearers were former business associates of the deceased, who was the head of the publication department of the International Text Book company. They were the Messrs. Krause, Croll, Gamewell, Marsh, Eatin and Megargue.

MEN OF THE HOUR. One of the men whose untiring efforts contributed largely towards the success of last week's Knights Templar convocation is Charles R. Acker, eminent

commander of Melita commandery and one of the most popular knights in the city. Mr. Acker labored certainly as hard as any member of the executive committee which had the arrangements in charge. He spent many days away from his business, assisting in the perfection of plans for the entertainment of the visiting knights and during the convocation was in charge of Melita headquarters, on Wyoming avenue, which were a sort of annex to the general executive committee's headquarters. He has apparently succeeded in imbuing his wife with some of his own enthusiasm for the order. Mrs. Acker spent the best part of the winter in embroidering seven elaborate silk banners to be used in connection with the conferring of the Order of Melita and presented them as her gift to the commandery.



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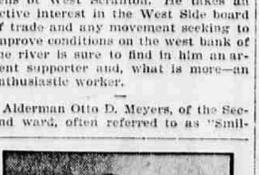
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ALDERMAN OTTO B. MEYERS.

ing Otto" is not only a good alderman, but one of the most popular men in North Scranton, as well. He has been alderman of the Second ward for about

MUSN'T BOTHER MEN WHO WORK

REV. LUTHER H. WARING ADVISES THE STRIKERS.

Declares That Strikes in This City Have All Been Attended with Lawlessness—To Interfere with a Man Who Wants to Work Is to Violate the Law of the State—We Have No Right to Infringe on the Freedom of Another—Christ Obedyed Laws of Heathen Nation.

Rev. Luther H. Waring, pastor of Grace Lutheran church, preached a sermon last night bearing on the mine strike, talking for his text Acts xix:28-30. "If therefore Demetrius and the craftsmen who are with him have a matter against any man, the courts are open; and there are magistrates: let them accuse one another. But if they seek anything about other matters, it shall be settled in the regular assembly. For indeed we are in danger to be accused concerning this day's riot, there being no cause for it; and as touching it, we shall not be able to account for this convulsion." Rev. Mr. Waring said, in part: "It is just three years ago today that the carpenters' strike, which is still 'on,' began. In close succession, during this period, we have had two street car strikes, a great mine strike, a railroad shopmen's strike, and now another great mine strike—not to mention innumerable smaller strikes; and there has not been a single strike in this city during this time without its attendant wrongs and lawlessness and crime. I am not going to assert at this time that labor has lost not only in wages in the long run, but also in the confidence and esteem of her employers and in moral worth, which is true. I need not say that a man who wants to force his services on another is a very poor specimen of humanity.

PRESENT DIFFICULTY.

"The difficulty confronting us in this city at this time is that there are too many people who do not have a proper respect for law and order and who do not respect other people's rights. I claim protection to a peaceful life in my home, and protection to my business and my property, and everyone else can expect and demand of me the same recognition and the same respect. If you have had a contract broken, or an agreement violated, you have your recourse at law. Be a man, and submit to the constituted powers that be. Render unto Caesar the things that are Caesar's. "It is beneath the historic and the

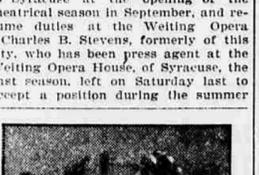
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four years and his even handed justice to all citizens has won high regard for him from all classes of people. He was active in the formation of the North Scranton Republican club and is a valued member of the fraternal societies of that part of the city.

months as advertising agent for the New York Central railroad. Mr. Stevens will be employed on the Rome, Watertown and Ogdensburg division and will be located at Watertown.

His territory will embrace the summer resorts reached by the Central, including Niagara Falls, Thousand Islands and the northern portion of the Adirondacks. Mr. Stevens will return to Syracuse at the opening of the theatrical season in September, and resume duties at the Welting Opera House.

Charles B. Stevens, formerly of this city, who has been press agent at the Welting Opera House, will be transferred to the past position, left on Saturday last to accept a position during the summer



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true American to try to regulate the rights and the liberties of another which he would never permit any one else for a moment to try to do toward him. It is not the American who asserts and retains his freedom to make his own contracts who is the industrial slave, but the man who places in the hands of other and irresponsible parties, with no legal status, his precious rights and liberties. If you need a guardian, secure a responsible one, who can be legally held to his trust. "The lesson that needs to be thoroughly impressed upon all organized and unorganized labor now, is the fact that it must not interfere with other labor. Let me remind and warn you, in the strongest terms, that when you seek to interfere with other laborers' and employers' rights to work when work for him, as you have to go to your store, or sit in your house; and the entire commonwealth is obligated to support that man in his rights, whether it means men or money, whether it means ballot or bullet. The same law that says you have to go to your store, or sit in your house; and the entire commonwealth is obligated to support that man in his rights, whether it means men or money, whether it means ballot or bullet. The same law that says you have to go to your store, or sit in your house; and the entire commonwealth is obligated to support that man in his rights, whether it means men or money, whether it means ballot or bullet.

THE RIGHTS EACH HAS.

"You have a right to acquire; you have a right to protect what you acquire, and you have a right to enjoy and defend it. These rights are guaranteed to every citizen of this broad commonwealth. A mine owner has as much right, legally and morally, to start his mine tomorrow, if he can get men to work for him, as you have to go to your store, or sit in your house; and the entire commonwealth is obligated to support that man in his rights, whether it means men or money, whether it means ballot or bullet. The same law that says you have to go to your store, or sit in your house; and the entire commonwealth is obligated to support that man in his rights, whether it means men or money, whether it means ballot or bullet.

ARIONS ENTERTAINED.

Singers Were Guests of the Scranton Liederkranz.

A grand reception was held in Music hall on Saturday night, in honor of the members of the famous Brooklyn Arion Singing society, who participated in Friday's celebrated at the armory.

The affair, which is known among Germans as a "Kommers," was given under the auspices of the members of the Scranton Liederkranz, who were winners of the Class B prize on Friday.

There was an abundance of refreshments provided, and the visitors were given a hearty, generous welcome.

Special invitations were issued to the winning Saengerbund society, and also to the Jaeger Maennerchor, whom the latter has vanquished the day previous. Both accepted and members were present in large numbers. The best of good fellowship prevailed, and to show that the Maennerchor boys took their defeat gracefully, they responded to a request made by prominent Brooklyn singers, and rendered "Einkeln" in faultless style.

They remedied the defect pointed out to them by Adjudicator Damrosch, and their interpretation of the prize song was pronounced perfect. Dr. Schuppe, president of the Arion, took them both in dress, paid the Scranton singers a high compliment. He said that for thirty-three years he had attended singing contests, and it was the first time he had had the pleasure of seeing defeat accepted so graciously, when both victors and losers had come together in a fraternal and kindly spirit. He hoped the good feeling would continue, and expressed a wish that they might all meet again.

Dr. Lindabury, Surgeon, diseases of women a specialty, 215 Connell building. Hours: 11 a. m. to 4 p. m.; 7 to 8.30 p. m.

DEATHS OF A DAY.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Cincinnati, June 1.—A. G. Correa, aged 61 years, president and principal owner of the Grand hotel and the Gibson house in this city, died today after an illness of three months. He had been in the hotel business here for more than forty-one years, as proprietor of the old Spencer house, an elite Broadway hotel in former years, and accumulated a large fortune.

BLIND BISHOP IN THE CITY

RT. REV. F. F. STEVENS, OF CHARLESTON, S. C., HERE.

Delivered Two Sermons in Grace Reformed Episcopal Church Yesterday—Repeated the Evening Lesson, Comprising Thirty-eight Verses, from Memory, and Preached a Sermon in Which He Declared That Works, as Well as Faith, Have a Valuable Place in the Church.

Bishop F. F. Stevens, of Charleston, S. C., who is in charge of the Southern missionary jurisdiction of the Reformed Episcopal church, preached at both services yesterday in Grace church, on Wyoming avenue. He also confirmed a class of ten persons at the night service.

The bishop is a venerable man, more than threescore and ten years old, and is entirely blind. His voice is wonderfully clear, however, and retains much of the fire and vigor of youth. Last night he took a part in the liturgical service and revealed his remarkable clearness of intellect by repeating from memory the lesson for the day, the thirty-eight last verses of the fifteenth chapter of I Corinthians.

He followed this with an eloquent sermon on the necessity of performing works acceptable to God, basing his discourse on I Corinthians, 15:58: "Therefore, my beloved brethren, be ye steadfast, unmovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, for as much as ye know that your labor is not in vain in the Lord." He spoke, in part, as follows:

"The testimony of St. Paul as to Jesus is remarkable and peculiar. St. Paul knew Christ only as the risen Christ. He had not followed him as had the others, through the course of His life among men. He met the Savior first as He was going to Damascus to persecute His followers, and he never got away from the brightness and the beauty of the risen Lord. He claims to have learned what he knew of the gospel from Christ himself, so that when we read Paul's epistles we know that they are not merely his own testimony, but Christ's own.

"He prays us to be unmovable. How sadly is this warning needed in the present day. How many come forward, year after year, and pledge themselves to be followers of the Lamb and soldiers of the cross. How easily they are moved aside by the seductions of the flesh and the short lived pleasures of sin.

"St. Paul tells us that we should be always abounding in the work of the Lord. For many years I was puzzled over the seeming contradiction of the teaching of the Scriptures on the subject of works. It confused and worried me for an exceedingly long time. There are constant urgings to men to repent; to keep the commandments; to serve and glorify the Master, as if eternal life depended upon our works and upon our obedience.

"Then there is that other teaching. Believe in the Lord Jesus Christ and thou shalt be saved, saved by faith in righteousness and that alone. How,

then, reconcile these two things? I think that we have swung so far away from the false teaching of the middle ages that salvation depends upon our works; I say, we have swung so far from that view to the other one—the belief in free salvation by Christ—that too many seem to think works of little consequence.

"According to the works which we do as right and save men, and not in ourselves, shall we be made righteous. I would have you always remember that the works of righteousness which we do as His children have merit in the sight of God. . . . It is possible for a soul to be saved and yet suffer a loss in heaven? We know not, but we do know that the unworking Christian is an anomaly, a contradiction, a something out of place.

"Works are valuable, my brethren. They have a place in our faith—not works for salvation, but works because we are saved, and because we wish to do all in our power to extend the kingdom of Him who saved with His blood."

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