

The News of Carbondale.

FOR RENT—The Corby house, 40 Belmont street; also small house in rear. Apply to D. M. Schoonover, 22 Cemetery street.

NOBLE LIFE ENDED.

Mrs. B. J. Murphy Succumbs to a Stroke of Paralysis.

A life filled with virtues and noble deeds came to an end yesterday noon, when Mrs. B. J. Murphy succumbed at her home, at No. 4, to paralysis, which rendered her partially helpless during the evening of May 25. In the meantime, she made an encouraging rally, but several days ago she began to weaken, until death came.

Mrs. Murphy was the daughter of the late John Walsh, of Honesdale, where she was born Oct. 12, 1812. After her marriage on April 8, 1832, Mrs. Murphy came to Carbondale with her husband, where she lived ever since. Her husband is the junior member of the firm of White & Murphy, who have conducted the general store at No. 4 for years.

Mrs. Murphy lived a truly Christian life. The good she wrought cannot easily be reviewed, but scores of families in the settlement near No. 4, can testify with warmth and affection to her gentle influence and her charity. She was truly an angel of charity, and the practice of the virtue alone, ought to merit for her the reward of the best. No home or hotel was too humble or was surrounded with anything that would keep her away when assistance was needed. This was so true, that there was scarcely a sufferer who did not seek for her aid.

Mrs. Murphy was at least sought, if only to have her comforting presence. Mrs. Murphy was a faithful and devoted member of St. Rose congregation, where the same charitable and generous spirit that she exercised among her neighbors was as fully shown in her offerings. She left her impress on all her undertakings, which will make her loss sorely felt. Indeed, her example and gentle influence, however, will survive.

Mrs. Murphy is survived by her husband, Bernard J. Murphy; three sisters, Miss Julia Walsh, Honesdale; Mrs. David Manning, of Bethany, and Mrs. John Walsh, of Kansas. Rev. John White, of Denver, Col., is Mrs. Murphy's nephew.

The funeral will take place on Monday. The procession will leave the residence at No. 4, at 9 o'clock. A solemn high mass of requiem will be sung in St. Rose church, and burial will be in St. Rose cemetery.

PARTY ON DUNDAFF STREET.

Mrs. Thomas Cornish Was Hostess to Merry Young Folks.

A gathering of light-hearted young folks passed a pleasant evening last night as the guests of Mrs. Thomas Cornish, at her home on Dundaff street. Dancing was the chief diversion, the music for which was provided by Bruce Thompson. Refreshments were served, and before the guests departed several flashlights of the gathering were taken. The guests were: Misses Blodwin Evans, Alice Brennan, Lucy Brennan, Mary McGowan, Matilda Evans, Florence Carey, Katie Cowell, Elizabeth Smith, Mrs. Emma Thomas, Mrs. Fred Miller, Mrs. Edmund Thomas, Mrs. David Smith, Mrs. Al. Sampson, and Messrs. Willis Wilson, Claude Oliver, Newell Stoddard, Will Thomas, George and Will Brennan, Michael Brennan, Al. Sampson, Joseph Herbert, Charles Swartz, Boyl Oliver.

DOCTORS TO MEET.

Will Assemble Tonight in Office of Dr. Meaker.

The Carbondale Medical society will meet in regular session in the office of Dr. Meaker, on Salem avenue. While important business will come up and be disposed of, the instructive feature of the evening is the presentation of a paper, will not be neglected. The paper tonight will be prepared and read by Dr. W. W. Fletcher. The subject will be "Hay Fever." A discussion of the paper and a social session will conclude the evening.

A FLASHLIGHT PARTY.

An Enjoyable Evening at Home of Miss Mennig.

A merry crowd of young people gathered at the home of Miss Mary Mennig, Wednesday evening, where

GONE FIVE YEARS.

When Coffee Left the Troubles Disappeared.

It is hard to make people understand that coffee really will do business for them if they stick to it long enough. It is almost a certainty that some little symptom of disease, stomach trouble, or kidney or liver trouble, caused by coffee drinking will ultimately develop into some fixed organic disease unless the cause of the disturbance is removed. An illustration may not be amiss.

A lady in Kearney, Neb., says, "I used coffee a great many years. Gradually my health broke down. I had dyspepsia and was extremely nervous. I passed many sleepless nights, but, like many others, did not know what was the cause of my invalidism.

Finally the trouble centered into a fatty tumor just over the stomach and in the region of the heart, causing acute pain in the stomach and a spasmodic action of the heart. A surgical operation was deemed necessary, but after all the preparations were made a good, old, honest doctor suggested that I take treatment a little longer and leave off coffee and eat Postum. I did so and Grape-Nuts Breakfast Food.

I began on Postum and had it made properly by long boiling and found it delicious and drank two cups the first morning. After two weeks I discovered a marked change for the better. In five months my supposed tumor had disappeared, my headache was gone and digestion wholly restored. My heart only gave me trouble a few times. That was five years ago. I have been a steady user of Postum ever since and am a new creature today. Am in strong and vigorous health and know exactly how to account for it.

The ignorance of people on the subject of coffee is a constant wonder to me, although, at one time, of course, I was just as much in the dark as any one could be, going along year after year putting into my body the poison that was killing me and never knowing it." Same given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

numerous diversions were provided for the amusement of the guests. Henry Huddy, of South Church street, took a number of flashlight pictures. Among those present were: Misses Florence Wasman, Anna Moran, Mary Kurlin, Annie Gallagher, Mary McDermott, Mary Mennig, Flora Garvey, and Messrs. Lee Becker, James Malone, Robert Mennig, Frank Kerins, John Murphy, Henry Huddy, Will Moran and William Huddy.

RICHMONDALE LAD GONE.

Twelve-Year-Old Peter Bosak Departs, After Stealing from His Parents.

Peter Bosak, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Bosak, of Richmond, is causing his parents heaps of trouble, though he is only in his thirteenth year. A few weeks ago, Peter left his father's house and remained away until Monday of this week, when he came back and renewed family relations by making away with a roll of bills. Wednesday he was seen about Simson, flush with money. He wears black coat and vest, black knickerbockers and a cap. Information as to his whereabouts will be gratefully received if sent at once to his father, to Justice of the Peace Thomas Holmes, Simpson, or Alderman Jones, of this city.

Meetings of Tonight.

Board of Health. Junior Order American Mechanics. Companions of the Forest. American Legion of Honor. United Mine Workers, No. 84. The Royal Circle. Crystal camp, Woodmen of the World.

The W. C. T. U. Meeting. The Woman's Christian Temperance union will meet in the lecture room of the Presbyterian church at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

William Swigert, who has been employed for the past year in the office of Superintendent Manville, of the Delaware and Hudson company, yesterday resigned his position and will in a few months leave for Ithaca, N. Y., to take a course of study.

As Oswald, the fifteen year old son of David James, of Ninth avenue, was taking a horse to Mr. James' barn last evening the animal kicked him. The boy was carried to his home, but it was found he was not seriously hurt. Mrs. S. H. Kupp, of this city, who is in the city hospital at Wilkes-Barre as a result of a hemorrhage, is expected home today.

Stanley Mitchell, who was tried yesterday on the charge of stealing \$8.65 from Mrs. Butler's hotel at Vandling, was acquitted, and the costs were placed on the county.

Messrs. Douthwaite and Kennedy, of the Mozart band, have been playing with musical organizations participating in a band contest at Delhi, N. Y. The cycle club baseball team accepts the challenge of the Tennis club to a game of base ball to be played Saturday, June 14, at 3.30 o'clock. James Allen, of the firm of Mulholland & Allen, is ill. He is threatened with measles.

James and John Conerton will leave tomorrow for Schenectady, N. Y., where jobs have been offered them.

THE PASSING THROG.

Miss Elizabeth Brennan and Miss Mary Crane are visiting friends in New York city.

Mrs. Annie O'Brien, of Oneonta, who has been visiting here, left to spend a few days with relatives in Scranton.

James O'Malley, of Olyphant, was a visitor to town yesterday.

Miss Mina Frank has returned from Syracuse university to spend the summer vacation.

Mrs. Haveland Wright and son, and Dr. George T. Coffey, of Carbondale, spent Sunday with friends in Honesdale.—Wayne County Herald.

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JESSUP.

Patrick Phillips, who has been a patient at the Lackawanna hospital the past week, died yesterday afternoon. He was moved to his home on Depot street by Undertaker William Sweeney, of Olyphant. Awaiting the arrival of their two sons, the funeral will not take place until Sunday afternoon. Interment will be made in the Olyphant cemetery.

Mrs. James Smith, of California, and Mrs. James Curtis, of Winton, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry Curtis of Depot street.

Mrs. P. J. Gaughan was a caller in Scranton yesterday.

Michael Donnelly, who went to West Virginia a short time ago, returned home last evening.

William Gillespie, of Colorado, formerly of this place, called on friends in town during the week.

Depot street is ornamented with the effigies of three men who are employed in and around the mines.

Mrs. M. J. Egan, of Second street, called on Mrs. Brow O'Malley, of Olyphant yesterday.

SEEKS LEGISLATION TO CLEAR A TITLE

Bishop Blenk, of Porto Rico, Asks Aid from Congress.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Washington, June 12.—Bishop Blenk, of Porto Rico, called at the state department today to consult with Solicitor Penfield, respecting certain convents and conventual lands in Porto Rico. It appears that there were two convents, one valued at \$100,000 and the other at \$70,000, with lands of the value of \$60,000 in the possession of the Spanish government when the United States assumed control over Porto Rico. The Catholic church claims those convents and lands, and it is understood that the governor of Porto Rico regards the claim as equitable, but is without authority to turn over the property which is now in his possession, to the church. Therefore Bishop Blenk is seeking legislation at the hands of congress to straighten out the title to the property.

Yorktown Station Robbed.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Hamilton, June 12.—The Yorktown station on the Lehigh Valley Railroad company was robbed by unknown parties some time during the night and goods to the amount of about \$50 were carried off.

A NEW COMPANY HERE IN SCRANTON

Arrangements Made to Lend Money on Furniture at Astonishingly Low Rates.

OFFERS GREAT ADVANTAGES TO THE POOR

Anybody Can Get from \$10 to \$300 on Household Furniture Two Hours After Application Is Made—Not Even the Borrower's Own Family Need Know of the Loan. Company Will Let You Arrange Payments to Suit Yourself.

There is no longer any need for the people of this city to be without ready cash in their pockets.

There is no longer any need for you to humiliate yourself by asking your friends to lend you money as an act of charity.

Those who have too much self-respect to let their friends know that they are hard up can now pay all their bills and keep up a good appearance and look prosperous before their neighbors and acquaintances.

This is a great advantage to most people, and the beauty of this new plan which makes all this possible is that it costs so little.

At 207 Wyoming avenue the Scranton Loan Guarantee company now has offices where anybody can get from \$10 to \$300 on household furniture. The loan may be had for one month or for a whole year, and those who apply will be told at first exactly what it would cost for any amount for any length of time. Naturally a great many would expect that they would be charged some interest under these circumstances. But the manager of this new company is particularly anxious that the public should know that no compound interest is charged

at all. He says, further, that there are no charges to be paid in advance, and hopes that no one who needs a small temporary loan will hesitate to take advantage of the company's offer because of any fear that the rates might be too high. They have been made so low that even the poorest can easily afford to get a loan.

The furniture is left with the borrower, and there is absolutely no publicity for the company realizes that that is just what the public are most anxious to avoid.

As for the payments, each borrower is permitted to say just when it would be most convenient to pay. Most of those who have taken out loans so far have preferred to pay in small monthly instalments. Some pay by the week, but in no case is the borrower compelled to pay all at once.

It will be noticed at once how much better it is to get a loan this way than by pawning things. With this plan you have the use of the goods while you also have the money. The company intends to make loans anywhere within twenty-five miles of Scranton. All applications should be made to the Scranton Loan Guarantee Co., 207 Wyoming avenue, near Spruce street.

LARGE CLASS OF GRADUATES

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES IN KEYSTONE ACADEMY.

They Were the Thirty-third Annual, and Were Held in the Grove on the Hillside, in the Rear of the Academy Buildings—The Class of Graduates Consists of Twenty-one Members, the Largest in the History of That Institution—The Alumni Dinner.

The thirty-third annual commencement exercises of Keystone academy, at Factoryville, were held yesterday. The weather was most favorable for such an event. Though the rays of sun from an almost cloudless sky poured forth considerable heat, the rain of the previous day and a light breeze which blew, tempered the temperature somewhat. As is the custom when the weather permits, the exercises were held in the grove on the hillside at the rear of the academy building, where a spacious platform and a large seating capacity were arranged on the gradual sloping ground. Nature did the chief decorating with its stately trees, verdant foliage and rippling, sparkling brook. But just above the platform and attached to a tree was a pretty floral design, made in the shape of a key-stone, with the figures '02 worked in it. From the branches of a tree to the body of another tree, and directly over the center of the platform, hung in an artistic manner, the American flag. Upon one side of the platform sat the members of the board of trustees and in the center on the side were the members of the faculty. At the right of them were the graduates. There was an immense audience present at the graduating exercises, many people had to stand at a large number of wagons stood about with many occupants in them.

At 11.40 in the morning the graduating exercises of the class of '02 of the academy were opened with a selection by Lawrence's orchestra, of this city.

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"Altruism vs. Egoism;" Lella J. Parker, "Educational Reform;" Linn C. Drake, "Platform vs. Press;" Nina C. Stark, "Amaranth;" Joseph L. Challis, the valedictorian, spoke on "The End of the World." The graduates had well-prepared orations and delivered them in a creditable manner. Lawrence's orchestra interspersed the addresses with pleasing musical selections.

DIPLOMAS PRESENTED. The presentation of diplomas was made by Principal Hulley and in doing so he made a brief speech, in which he emphasized the thought that the world did not owe them a living, but that they were indebted to the world and should give the world something. After the presentation to the class of diplomas, Principal Hulley announced the prizes awarded during the past year and gave them to the successful competitors. The Fred M. Reynolds prize, for best declamation, was won by Albert G. Suddam. The Daniel Langstaff gold medal prize, for best recitation among young lady competitors, was won by Sarah M. Suddam. The prize for best oration among young men of the middle class was won by John D. Strain, and the prize for best essay among the young ladies of the same class was won by Jennie Watkins. Bessie Smith was awarded the prize in Latin, a gold medal, given by James Leighton, and a prize of \$5, awarded by Rev. R. F. Y. Pierce, D. D., to the pupil showing the most improvement in penmanship, was won by Percy Seaman.

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Connolly & Wallace

Scranton's Shopping Center

Money making is not the only object of store-keeping. It is more gratifying to have raised the business standards of a community.

The store that serves you best today is the store that expects to serve you in the future. It can't afford to sell a poor thing.

Silks Silks Silks

A Great Sale Now On

One customer said today, "I never have seen good Silks so cheap."

No wonder we sold more than any day last June—more than any day so far this June.

39c will do as much as 50c anywhere else outside of Connolly & Wallace's.

79c will buy a yard of dollar Silk.

A HINT OF THE SALE

At 39c—Our entire stock of Wash Silks in the season's prettiest stripes, worth 50c.

49c—Choose from our regular line of 65c Foulards.

59c—A splendid assortment of new Foulards, formerly priced at 75c.

69c—Worth 85c. Mostly Foulards, some others that are worth even more.

79c—A great line of our regular one dollar Foulard Silks—the best collection we have had this season. Now at the cut price.

89c—Some choice lengths of our regular \$1.15 quality.

99c—These are the regular \$1.25 and \$1.35 grades, exclusive styles.

\$1.10—Our finest Foulards, in dress lengths and worth \$1.50 a yard. A beautiful assortment of new and exclusive styles.

Connolly & Wallace

Meldrum, Scott & Co. 126 WYOMING AVE.

A Dainty Gown FOR \$1.75.

An item of interest, isn't it? An actual fact, though, for every piece of cotton goods in the store has been marked down for Our Summer Dress Goods Sale.

One small lot of Foulards, sold at... 15c the yard. Regular 35c goods.

Batiste, Swiss and Dimity; dainty, new and exclusive designs, yd. 12c

Black and white striped Dimity, yd. 12c

Ox-blood Gingham, stripe and plaid, yd. 8c

French Percales, all styles, full patterns, per yard. 12c

Quality, value and satisfaction comprise the motive power in our business.

SCRANTON CORRESPONDENCE 804333 SCRANTON, PA.

T. J. Foster, President; Elmer H. Laval, Secy. R. J. Foster, Stanley P. Allen, Vice President.

given by Lawrence's orchestra and at 8 o'clock alumni reunion was held and an interesting programme was carried out. The officers of the alumni are president, Ruel V. Capwell, vice-president, Mrs. Bromley Smith; treasurer and secretary, Mrs. Loren Fasset; executive committee, Prof. Benjamin F. Thomas, Roy Kemmerer, Milo Reynolds, Prof. Ekanah Hulley.

In the afternoon a game of base ball was played on the athletic grounds between the academy team and St. Thomas' team of this city.