

The News of Carbondale.

THE EVANS HOME IS CLOSELY QUARANTINED

The School Board of Fell Township Acts Promptly and Within Few Hours Has Guards on Duty Around New Case of Smallpox—Mrs. Evans' Attack Is One of Exceptional Severity—Not Varioloid but the Virulent Type.

The home of Joseph Evans on Dundaff street, in Fell township, just beyond the city line, is effectively quarantined and is under a guard night and day.

The quarantine was immediately established yesterday morning by School Directors Edward Healey and Dougherty. The physician called into the care declared positively that Mrs. Evans had smallpox.

Last night the school board of Fell met in special session and approved of what Directors Healey and Dougherty had done towards establishing and maintaining the quarantine.

Mrs. Evans' attack is not of the mild type known as varioloid; it is genuine smallpox, the virulent type, the indications last night pointing to Mrs. Evans having a severe time of it.

The Thompsons are making as good progress as is looked for. Thomas, the worst sufferer, continues to improve his prospects of recovery, though he is not yet out of danger.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT.

Enthusiasts Who Will Contest on Independence Day. The Carbondale Tennis club will conduct their annual tournament on Friday next at their North Main street court.

The prizes offered the successful ones this year are more enticing than ever and no doubt they will be hotly contested for. The management cordially invites the public to be present.

SINGLES—First prize, pair gold cuff buttons set with diamonds; second prize, choice between solid silver watch fob and match safe.

CLASSES. Preliminary round—Oliver vs. Retew; Shepherd vs. McMullen.

First round—Holcomb vs. Crane; John Morgan vs. Swigert; W. Morgan vs. Rutherford.

CLASSES. Crane and Swigert (scratch) Rutherford, Morgan 6-15; W. Morgan, Oliver, 15-15; McMullen, Holcomb, 15-30; Retew-Shepherd, 20-20.

DOUBLES. Preliminary—Bassett and Bassett vs. Rutherford and Crane; Shepherd and Retew vs. Lathrop and Oliver; Swigert and Morgan vs. W. Morgan and McMullen.

CLASSES. Crane and Rutherford, (scratch) Swigert and John Morgan.

Third class: Oliver, Lathrop, Morgan, McMullen, 15-15; fourth class Bassett, and Bassett, Shepherd and Retew, 15-20.

LEAVE FOR VIRGINIA. Two of Mozart's Leading Men Off to Summer Resort.

William Lynott, violinist and leader of the Mozart orchestra, and Wallace Histed, clarinet soloist, of the same organization, left yesterday morning for the Ontario and Western for Goschen, Virginia, where, as previously stated in The Tribune, they will play at orchestras at two of the leading summer mountain resorts in that state.

Mr. Lynott will be given opportunities to develop his qualities as an orchestra leader.

Mr. Lynott is the leader of an orchestra in one hotel, and Messrs. Histed and Ackerman will be in the orchestra at another hotel, under the direction of Prof. Ernest Thiele, the well-known musical instructor of Scranton.

Men of Family Must Work, Sick or Well. Good food and the right kind will carry a man through almost anything.

Commenting on the power of Grape-Nuts, an Oakland wife writes of the experience of her husband.

Three years ago my husband had a pneumonia which left him in a sad condition, unable to work for several months.

My husband had a large family and he must work sick or well. Hearing that Grape-Nuts was the strongest nourishing food I could find he began on the food with one egg, which would be all he would eat for breakfast.

He left home at four-thirty every morning seven days in the week, and after two years' continued use of the food he is a well man. Even the cough has left him that troubled him so long after his sickness.

Our youngest child, a boy of four and a half, was a very delicate baby. As soon as he could eat anything we started him on Grape-Nuts and he has grown to be a large child, taking a suit for a boy six years old. He is a very strong, intelligent boy. My name is Mrs. Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

leader, and Messrs. Histed and Ackerman will have the rare advantage of being under the tutelage of so skilled a leader as Prof. Thiele is well reputed to be.

The trip of the trio to Virginia takes them over an interesting route. They went over the Ontario and Western, making connections at Scranton with the "Quaker City express" on the Central. From Philadelphia, they will go by boat along the Delaware and the Chesapeake bay to Baltimore, thence to Washington and from the capital to Virginia. Numerous wishes for their success go with them.

PREPARING FOR JAUNT.

Mitchell Hose Company Going to Port Jervis—Eighty Drilled Firemen to March for the Prize.

The Mitchell Hose company is getting ready for its jaunt to Port Jervis, a trip that the members are keenly anticipating.

The purpose of the trip is to visit the Excelsior hose company, of Port Jervis, N. Y., and make a business day exercise, which will be held Sept. 1 to 3. The Excelsiors are regarded as the crack hose company of Port Jervis and are celebrated for their hospitality.

The trip is going in full strength and will no doubt be a revelation to the "visitors." It is expected that over eighty members will be in the delegation, all arrayed in the striking grey uniforms that are so attractive. Furthermore, they will be well drilled, as they will commence at this work on Tuesday night of next week.

At an enthusiastic meeting, held on Tuesday night, the company, besides accepting the Port Jervis company's invitation, arranged to hold a drill each Tuesday and Friday night until the first of September. Captain George Auger will be in charge of the company in its drills, which is an assurance of the Mitchell's will be in prize-winning condition by the time they leave on their trip.

The drills will take place on Upper Main street, on the nights mentioned, Tuesday and Friday of each week, commencing with next week.

ROBERTS-MOSIER.

Pretty Home Wedding on Eastern Avenue. A pretty marriage ceremony was solemnized yesterday afternoon by Rev. A. F. Chaffee, when he united in bonds of wedlock Miss Maud C. Roberts and Amos D. Mosier.

The happy event took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Roberts, of Eastern avenue. The interior of the parlor, which was so tastefully decorated with potted plants and rhododendrons presented a pretty sight.

The bride was robed in a white mousseline de soie with ribbons and carried roses. Her maid, Miss Evelyn Granville, was attired in pink lawn with ribbon trimmings. Both presented a charming appearance. The best man was David Lewis. Two little misses, Jessie Granville and Mary Livingstone, acted as flower girls and were attired in white.

At the conclusion of the ceremony a reception was held at which the bride and groom received the congratulations of all present. Mr. and Mrs. Mosier, left last night on a two weeks wedding tour after which they will take up their residence at Starlight.

THE SEWER CONTRACTS.

One, Thorne Street Job, Let, but the Others Are Put Over One Week. The contracts for the one-third mile of proposed surface sewers in Carbondale were not let last night, as expected. This was due, however, to the confusing or perplexing figures in the bids.

It was decided, after the joint committee of councils took hold of the matter that there was much more figuring and calculating to be done than could be disposed of in a single night, and accordingly the contracts for the surface sewerage were put over until next week, when councils will again meet in joint session, the bids to be opened out and accurately determined by the committee in the meantime.

There was one contract let, however. This was for the Thorne street sewer, the lowest and therefore the successful bidder being Hugh Atkinson. His bid was 52 cents per lineal foot. This contract was let because it was a separate contract from the surface sewers.

The bidders on the surface sewers are Nolan & Collins, Hugh Atkinson, Thomas Killen, P. G. Moran, M. E. Gilmartin's bid was returned because of its being received too late.

O. & W. Firemen Again.

An extremely interesting game of base ball was played yesterday afternoon on the Alumni Park grounds, when the Ontario and Western Firemen defeated the Hillside Slayers by a score of 23 to 14. The batteries were J. Cannon and J. McKennan; M. Gentry and B. Hudson.

The teams will meet again next week some time, to try again for base ball honors.

Visitors at Crystal Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Dana and Mrs. Marcia Morse, of Utica, N. Y., are the guests of Mrs. Margaret Morse at Crystal Lake.

Miss Alice O'Malley, of Scranton, who is spending a part of the summer with relatives in Carbondale, spent yesterday at Crystal Lake.

Moved to Philadelphia.

Mrs. D. J. Jones has left for Philadelphia, where she will join her husband, who left this city during the first part of the strike and now has a lucrative position there.

A Birth.

A girl baby brought additional happiness to the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Myers, of Brook street, yesterday.

The Bon Ton Dance Tonight.

The dance of the Bon Tons will take place tonight in the Burke building. It is the purpose to have a dance to-night that will be just like the club's name. Firth will provide music and a genial, enterprising committee will re-

ceive the young people and provide for their social wants during the evening. A thoroughly enjoyable evening is anticipated.

At Ordination of Rev. Edw. Burke.

Among those who attended the ordination services at Scranton yesterday were the following friends of Rev. Edw. Burke, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Burke: one of the priests ordained; Misses Nellie Gallagher, Hilda Burke, Rozella Bushe, Agnes Burke, Margaret Finninen, John Finninen, Cella Coleman, Mary B. Burke, Mrs. Brown, John Brown, John Burke, E. P. Burke, Bryan Burke, James Burke, Mrs. J. A. Kelly, Dr. J. J. Kelly, Mrs. J. J. Kelly, Mrs. Thomas Burke, of Oneonta, N. Y., Misses Rose and Agnes Martin, of Niagara Falls, N. Y.; Mrs. J. J. Burke and daughter, Louise, of Binghamton, N. Y.

Rev. Fathers Ford, of Bridgeport, Conn.; Dermott, of Harrisburg; Fagin, of Herkimer; and Murphy, of Pittsburg, were the guests of Rev. Father Burke yesterday.

An Old Resident Returns.

John McGuire, of Denver, Col., is visiting relatives in this city. Mr. McGuire is a former resident, but for the past twenty-eight years has resided in the far West. On touring the city he was much surprised to find the numerous improvements and progress developed during his long absence.

Summer Residence at Farview.

Ex-Councilman John G. Evans and family have temporarily changed their residence from Belmont street to Farview, in the hope that the bracing mountain air will be a boon in recuperating the health of both Mr. Evans and his son, William, who have not been well of late.

Fishing at Crystal Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Tralles and E. W. Reynolds had an outing yesterday at Crystal Lake. The greater part of the day was spent in luring bass from the lake's crystal depths.

THE PASSING THROUGH.

Walter Brechtel, of Honesdale, is spending a few days here. Mr. and Mrs. John Doak, of Mitchell avenue, are visiting in Aldenville. Mrs. George Simpkins and daughter have left for a sojourn in New York state.

Mrs. C. E. Lathrop returned yesterday from a two weeks' visit in Paterson and Waterbury. Miss Sweeney, of Binghamton, N. Y., is the guest of Miss Florence O'Neil, on Brooklyn street.

Dr. Meaker and E. W. Pascoe left yesterday morning on their automobile trip to the seashore. Misses May Campbell and Loretta McCabe, of Canaan street, were Scranton visitors yesterday.

Miss Agnes Diebhorn, of Canaan street, is spending several weeks with relatives in Wayne county. Mrs. Mary Crane, of Lincoln avenue, is visiting her brother, W. W. Lathrop, of Scranton, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Smith and son, Raymond, of Carbondale, are visiting with relatives in Wayne county. Patrick McGuire, of Kansas City, is the guest of Poor Director John McCabe at his home on Canaan street.

Eugene Babbitt returned to his home at Honesdale after spending two weeks with friends in Carbondale and Scranton. Miss Carmel O'Hearn attended the commencement exercises of St. Paul's parochial school at Green Ridge Monday evening.

Wallace Snyder has returned from a brief visit to his wife, who is spending several weeks at the home of her parents in Wyoming.

JERMYN AND MAYFIELD.

Burgess Pendred has issued orders prohibiting the discharge of cannon firecrackers, small cannon or other dangerous explosives, containing dynamite, liberate of nitrate or gunpowder, on the borough streets. Any one violating the order will be arrested and subject to a fine of \$5.

Archdeacon Cox, of Alden, N. Y., preached a forcible sermon in St. James Episcopal church last evening.

Arrangements have been completed for the second annual banquet and reception of the High School Alumni, which will be held on Tuesday evening. The following programme will be observed: Toastmaster, George Harris, class of '99. Toasts: "Homes," W. L. Kennedy, '99; "Dreams," Miss Nellie Boudry, '99; "The Age of a Young Man," Arthur Winters, '95; "Our Aspirations," Frank Winters, '95; "Our Alumni," Miss Louise Moon, '01; "Permanence of Grant's Fame," Floyd Hunt, '02; "Elements of National Growth," Merton Wheeler, '01; "Reminiscences," Miss Carrie Vail, '02.

An interesting game of ball in Fowler's park, between the Hickories and Canadians was broken up in a wrangle yesterday afternoon.

The many friends of James Staples, of Waymart, a former Jermy resident, will regret to hear that he has become mentally incapacitated and is now confined in a sanitarium.

The Young Ladies' Cooking club had a delightful outing at Crystal Lake yesterday.

Prof. E. L. Kemp, the new principal of the Stroudsburg Normal school, was in town yesterday.

John H. Fellows, of Scranton, was a visitor here yesterday. Hickories and Canadians was broken up in a wrangle yesterday afternoon.

Prof. George B. Dutcher, of the Wesleyan university, at Middletown, Conn., is the guest of Rev. M. D. Fuller, D. D.

His Last Hope Realized.

(From the Sentinel, Gosh, Mont.) In the first opening of Oklahoma to settlers in 1889, the editor of this paper was among the many seekers after fortune who made the big race one fine day in April. During his traveling about and serving his camping upon his claims, he encountered much bad water, which, together with the severe heat, gave him a very severe diarrhoea which it seemed almost impossible to check, and along in June the case became so bad he expected to die. One day one of his neighbors brought him one small bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy as a last hope. A big dose was given him while he was rolling about on the ground in great agony, and in a few minutes the dose was repeated. The good effect of the medicine was soon noticed and within an hour the patient was taking his first sound sleep for a fortnight. That one little bottle worked a complete cure, and he cannot but but feel grateful. The season for bowel disorders being at hand, suggests this item. For sale by all druggists.

OLYPHANT

The following list of letters remain uncalled for at the Olyphant postoffice: Collins & Brennan, John Cortney, Maggie Davis, T. J. Evans, Sandy Ross, M. L. Thomas, Flossie Williams.

Miss Katie Kelly has returned home, after spending two weeks at Boston and New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Amburg Tinsley and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Lewley and family and Mrs. Lavina Patten spent yesterday at Lily Lake.

Mrs. Ellen Mahon and Miss Katie Hogan attended the ordination of Rev. Edward Burke at Scranton yesterday morning.

Miss Rose Van De Hough, of Port Allegheeny, who has been a guest at the residence of G. M. Hull, returned home yesterday.

F. A. Northrup, William Matthews and William Widdowell will leave today for a trip to New York and up the Hudson.

John Doherty, a student at the University of Pennsylvania, is home for the summer.

Misses Annie O'Boyle, Alice Gillespie and Annie Doherty, of Hill street, left yesterday to spend a few weeks at Mt. Pocono.

Miss Louise Brown, of Albany, N. Y., is visiting relatives here.

Miss Nellie Gallagher, of Carbondale, spent yesterday with Mrs. J. F. Cummings, of Hudson street.

Isiah Jones, of Lackawanna street, has returned home, after spending eight weeks in Susquehanna.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McHale, of Upper Dunmore street, have returned home from a visit with Montrose relatives.

Mrs. Albert Kershner and daughter, of Providence, were the guests of Mrs. E. W. Simpson, of Blakely, yesterday.

The Browns will cross bats with the Dunmore club on the local grounds this afternoon.

ARCHBALD.

The school board held a special meeting in the central school building to hear the report of the committee that went to Scranton to secure an architect to draw the plans for the new school house to be erected on "The Ridge."

Architect David G. Purdy was present and explained the plans satisfactorily. Sealed proposals for the building and masonry together, and each separate will be received on or before Monday, July 7, their regular meeting night. No bids will be accepted from contractors from out of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reedy were Scranton visitors yesterday.

Miss Annie Pforr is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. G. Williams, in Green Ridge.

Mr. Tim Burke was a business caller in Olyphant yesterday.

Office hours at the postoffice Friday, July 4, will be as follows: 8.00 to 10.00 a. m.; 5.00 to 6.00 p. m. No money order or registry business done.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Pforr have returned from their wedding tour and will begin housekeeping in Dickson.

Miss Nellie Pender, of Scranton, spent Tuesday with her parents on Main street.

Mr. Andrew Meehan, of Jermy, was a caller in town Tuesday evening.

JESSUP.

The Olyphant Browns met an easy defeat at the hands of the Peckville team yesterday afternoon. The score was 13-8. Harry Curtis, Jessup's favorite, handled the sphere for the Peckville team and had the Browns at his mercy throughout the game.

W. H. Dermody will leave this morning to spend the Fourth with friends in New York city.

The Mount Jessup Local, United Mine Workers of America, will hold a meeting at St. James hall this evening. Matters of importance will be discussed and all members are requested to be present.

Misses Della Judge and Katie McQuade is visiting friends in Scranton.

TAYLOR.

The Greys and Orioles, two local teams, played an interesting game on the river-side grounds on Tuesday. The latter team defeated their opponents by a score of 14 to 3.

Mr. and Mrs. John Davis, of Edwardsville, were guests of relatives in town recently.

William Powell, of West Railroad street, is recovering from his recent serious illness.

Mrs. James A. Johns, Mrs. William Bennett, of Mrs. David Bennett, of Duryea, visited friends in town on Tuesday.

Richard James will leave today for his home in Chicago, Ill.

Lackawanna Valley council, No. 81, Junior Order United American Mechanics, will meet this evening in regular session.

Thomas Jones and daughter, Miss Margaret, of Parsons, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bonner, of Kingston, attended the funeral of the late J. E. Davis here on Tuesday.

Archibald mine local, No. 1649, United Mine Workers of America, will meet this afternoon in the Odd Fellows' hall, on North Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar McHenry left yesterday for East Liverpool, O., where they will make their future home.

Pyne mine local, No. 901, United Mine Workers of America, met yesterday afternoon and delegates to the Indianapolis convention.

Mrs. John Davis, of Wilkes-Barre, is visiting relatives in town.

DALTON.

Miss Edith Miles, of Yonkers, N. Y., has been the guest of Miss Mary Dickson the past few days.

Rev. J. B. Sweet, D. D., presiding elder of the Binghamton district, preached an excellent sermon in the Methodist church on Sunday morning.

A lawn festival will be held on the lawn of the Baptist church on Fourth of July all day. Ice cream and other things will be on sale and at noon and night refreshments will be served for 15 cents each. In the evening at 8 o'clock a brief patriotic programme will be rendered consisting of singing and readings.

The strawberry crop which has been very good this season is about gathered. There will be quite a shortage in the hay crop and the corn is somewhat backward owing to the cold and wet weather during June. Other crops are looking well in this vicinity. There are prospects of prosperous times for farmers if the anthracite coal strike terminates by the time farm products are ready for market.

Secretary George G. Mahy, of the Scranton Y. M. C. A. and one of our fellow townsmen will preach in the

Connolly & Wallace

Scranton's Shopping Center

A Few Things About The Store Time Table.

The store will be closed Friday and Saturday, July 4th and 5th, in order to give our people a double holiday. Saturday closings thereafter during July and August will be 12 o'clock.

On account of this short business week we have decided to keep the store open on Thursday evening until 9 o'clock for the accommodation of those who wish to make purchases for the 4th.

This double holiday, which we give this week, will make our hundred and twenty-five persons fresher and stronger in heart and body for next week's work.

While the store is for the convenience of the people, yet is it not in the interest of the vast service to minister continued comfort and health to all who serve? The 12 o'clock closings which we have inaugurated for July and August, have met with such favorable comment that we are encouraged to think that the public is with us in the movement. Those who like the early closing plan, and wish to see it become general and permanent, will find a way to make early visits to the store--still more, they will endeavor to encourage universal early purchasing. Will you share with us in introducing in Scranton a shorter business week during the hot Summer months?

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ANNOUNCEMENTS OF THE RAILROADS

Very Low Rates to San Francisco and Pacific Coast Points via Southern Railway.

On account of the biennial meeting of the Knights of Pythias, to be held in San Francisco, Aug. 11th to 22d, the Southern Railway will sell round trip tickets to San Francisco, or Los Angeles, on Aug. 1st to Aug. 31st, good to return until Sept. 30, 1902, at greatly reduced rates. The round trip rate from Philadelphia will be \$66.75, and correspondingly low rates from other points, with generous stop-overs and privileges of returning a different route if desired, at rate of \$68.25. Passengers may avail themselves of either the standard sleeper in which berth rate is \$19.00 through from Philadelphia or the excursion sleeper in which berth rate is \$7.00 from Washington. The above rates apply to the general public.

The Southern Railway operates tri-weekly personally conducted tourist cars between Washington and San Francisco without change via Atlanta, New Orleans, El Paso and Los Angeles. Tourists leaving Washington on 8.45 p. m. every Monday, Wednesday and Friday. The route is through the most delightful section of the south and west. It is most interesting to see New Orleans, San Antonio and El Paso, the latter place which is just across the river from the old Mexican town of Juarez, where all the old customs prevail.

Chas. L. Hopkins, District Passenger Agent, Southern Railway, 828 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, will be pleased to furnish all information.

Fourth of July Excursion to Picturesque Mountain Park. Mountain Park is situated on the top of Wilkes-Barre mountain, overlooking the beautiful Wyoming valley. Trains will leave Scranton at 8.30 and 11.30 a. m.; 1 a. m. and 4 p. m. Rates, 75 cents; children, 50 cents.

Trains will leave Wilkes-Barre at 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 a. m., 12.00 noon, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00 p. m.

The Scranton trains will make all local stops between Scranton and Wilkes-Barre.

Amusements of all kinds will be provided: Bowling, merry-go-round, coasters, railroad, mirage and all athletic sports.

First class music for dancing; an abundance of refreshments of all kinds. Tickets will be sold at all stations. No tickets will be sold on the trains. J. S. Swisher, District Passenger Agent, Scranton, Pa.

National Delegation Association, Minneapolis, Minn., July 7th-11th. For the above occasion the Lackawanna Railroad will sell special excursion tickets to Minneapolis, good going July 4th, 5th, and 6th, at \$30.50 for round trip, and to be available for return passage leaving Minneapolis not earlier than July 8th, or later than July 14th, except by depositing tickets with Joint Agent at leaving Scranton on the Lackawanna Railroad, only one change of cars, Chicago, is necessary. A popular time is leaving Scranton at

6:50 p. m., arriving Minneapolis 7:45 the second morning.

Niagara Falls and Return. To Niagara Falls and return, only \$6.55. For all trains July 3 and 4, the Lackawanna railroad will sell special round-trip tickets from Scranton to Niagara Falls, good going on date of sale, and for return up to and including July 6, at \$6.55 for the round trip. Children between the ages of 5 and 12 years, one-half adult rate.

Independence Day at Niagara Falls. The Lehigh Valley railroad announces the low fare of \$6.55 from Scranton for the round trip. Tickets on sale July 3rd and 4th, limited to return to July 6th, and will be honored on any train except the Black Diamond express. See agents for further particulars.

THEIR JOINTLESS DEBATE. Parson Hopkins Got the Floor, and the Other Man Got No Chance. From the Washington Evening Star.

"I saw by the papers the other day that a new and bloody feud had broken out in the mountains of Kentucky," said a man from that state. "No one can fully appreciate these feuds unless he has lived in the counties where the trouble is located. There are many quaint characters in the mountain portion of the state. Of course, there are not many people in Washington who remember 'Parson' Hopkins, who was given a seat in Congress a number of years ago over Joe Kendall, whose father had been in congress before the son attempted to come here.

"'Parson' Hopkins was a Baptist minister in the Tenth district and was much loved by his people. The Republicans knew that he would be the only person who could win in a contest for the place, and so they nominated him. It was many days before the chairman of the district Republican organization could find where the parson was. At last he was located away up in a mountain county conducting a camp meeting. He refused to discuss politics until he concluded his meeting, three days later. Many Democrats who had never cast a Republican vote put in ballots for 'Parson' Hopkins, and became insulted if they were told they had voted Republican."

"Joe Kendall had tried every way possible to get 'Parson' Hopkins into a joint debate, but the parson would not consent. One day the parson went into a town where Kendall was to hold a meeting and unexpectedly ran into Kendall. The latter promptly challenged the parson to joint debate, and Mr. Hopkins reluctantly consented. His terms, however, were that he should have the opening. The Democrats were rejoiced, and declared that Kendall would wallow 'Parson' Hopkins roundly."

Which was the case. The parson debated to begin, the parson was introduced by the chairman. 'Parson' Hopkins opened the meeting with prayer, then read a long selection from the Bible, gave out a hymn and read more from the Bible. Finally he entered upon his speech. When dark came he was still speaking, by which time nearly all the men had gone to their homes to look after their cattle, horses, etc., and as no arrangement had been made for lighting the meeting place, Kendall never did get a chance to respond to the opening. 'The joke was on Kendall.'"

Porto Rico Laws Effective. San Juan, Porto Rico, July 2.—The new code of civil and criminal laws became effective in the island yesterday at noon. An automobile mail service between this city and Ponce was inaugurated yesterday.



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