

WEST SCRANTON

Enjoyable Ping-Pong Social Conducted by Electric City Wheelmen at Their Club House—Notes of Many Kinds.

Last evening at the cozy club house of the Electric City Wheelmen, was held one of the most enjoyable ping-pong socials of the season, which was presided over by the wheelmen and their lady friends. Ping-pong cards and bowling were the principal forms of amusement. At 10:30 o'clock dancing began, the music being furnished by Miss Kate Reardon.

At a late hour cake and cream were served by the club caterer. Judging from the bowling, the ladies of West Scranton will soon have numerous expert bowlers, and the gentlemen will have to look carefully after future laurels. The event was one of the most enjoyable in the club's history, and great satisfaction was expressed with the work of the committee in charge.

Those who enjoyed the event were: Mr. and Mrs. Pfeiffer, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Fellows, Mrs. C. M. Storm, Mrs. Ayres, Mrs. George Fellows, Mr. and Mrs. George Howell, Mrs. T. E. Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel McCracken, Dr. and Mrs. T. A. Eynon, Mrs. Bennett, Dr. and Mrs. W. Rowland Davis, the Misses Helen Reese, Belle McDonald, Jennie Davis, Mae Joseph, Mabel Boldy, Margaret Grossman, Louise Flynn, Laura Stubbline, Sarah Davis, Elizabeth Heiser, Nellie Fellows, Elizabeth Coombs, Elizabeth Sennebaugh, Mildred Thomas, Myrtle Fraunfeiler, Bessie Fraunfeiler, Bertha Davis, Laura Davis, Esther Davis, and Messrs. W. H. Williams, Thomas Skerritt, Samuel Jones, John H. Thomas, Dr. L. H. Raymond, Fred Evans, E. B. Davis, A. G. Davis, C. A. Eynon, W. B. Davis, Thomas Stephens, William Widener, H. P. Davis, John Howell, W. H. Roe, Walter James, W. H. Jones, E. D. Morse, Hugh Hughes, Eli Harris and Louis Howell.

Installation of Officers.
Last evening in Ivorite hall, Lodge No. 344, United American Mechanics, installed officers for the coming year. They were as follows:

Councillor, William Vosburg; vice councillor, J. R. Kester; recording secretary, R. Lee; financial secretary, S. F. Deyo; treasurer, W. H. Howard; examiner, William Mills; inductor, T. H. Roberts; protector, R. K. Jones; trustees, T. H. Roberts, J. T. Widener and Peter Kinker.

At the conclusion of the installation refreshments, consisting of cake, cream and lemonade, were served to the members of the lodge, their wives and lady friends. Music, both vocal and instrumental, was also enjoyed. The installation was one of the best attended and most enjoyable held for years.

Small Fire.
Yesterday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, the fire companies were called out to an alarm from Box 34, corner North Main and Lackawanna avenues. When the companies reached the scene it was found that some waste paper in the rear of the Scranton Bicycle company's store at 411 North Main avenue, had caught fire.

It was put out before the alarm had sounded. Engine company No. 1, Chemical company No. 3, and Hose companies 2 and 5 responded.

Burglars at Work.
The candy store at Meridian and Luzerne streets, conducted by Mrs. Healey, was burglarized Saturday night. After the family had retired for the night a pane of glass in the rear window was removed and entrance gained. A large amount of candy, a bunch of bananas, fifteen bottles of soft drinks and several dozen cans of canned goods were removed.

A crowd of young men whose ages range from 16 to 20 years are suspected.

Installed Officers.
Enterprise Lodge, No. 29, L. K. of A. held an important meeting in their rooms Monday evening. Arrangements were made for an outing at Harvey's lake, Aug. 14. A committee consisting of John R. Thomas, James Leshon, William A. Phillips, Walter Wilkins, and David R. Jones is in charge of the arrangements.

Alumni Reorganized.
A committee composed of Thomas Eynon, William Jenkins, G. W. Williams, Frank Williams, Samuel Phillips and William Elias, called together the members of the disbanded Alumni Athletic association at the home of Thomas Eynon, on South Bronty avenue, last evening for the purpose of effecting a reorganization of the alumni which was in existence for several years and enjoyed the reputation of being one of the strongest in the city.

Funerals of Children.
Yesterday afternoon from the parental home was held the funeral of the 6-months-old child of Mr. and Mrs. John Blekes, of 353 Evans court. After brief services at the house the remains were conveyed to the Cathedral cemetery.

The funeral of the little twin daughter of John Howell, of 116 South Garfield avenue, was held yesterday afternoon from the home. After short services the little one was laid at rest beside its mother in the Washburn street cemetery.

The funeral of the 1-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Sloan, of Meridian street, was held yesterday afternoon. The funeral which was private was held at the parental home, and after short services the remains were interred in the Cathedral cemetery.

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NORTH SCRANTON

RESOLUTIONS OF CONFIDENCE IN REV. W. F. DAVIS.

They Were Adopted by the Members of His Congregation—Joseph Parker, a Junk Dealer, Arrested for Buying Stolen Goods from Children—John Tetenki, of Lloyd Street, Arrested for Larceny—James Gallagher, of Wayne Avenue, and David Andrews Fined.

The following resolutions were adopted by the members of the Memorial Baptist church, of Church avenue, at a recent meeting, concerning the article published in last Sunday's Scrantonian regarding their pastor, Rev. W. F. Davis:

Resolved, That it is the unanimous opinion of this church that Mr. Davis did absolutely nothing in the matter but the plain duty delegated to and imposed upon him, as secretary, by the Welsh Baptist association of Northeastern Pennsylvania.

Resolved, That the foregoing preamble and resolutions be spread upon the church record and printed in the Scranton daily papers.

For Receiving Stolen Goods.
Joseph Parker, a junk dealer from Hickory street, South Scranton, was arraigned before Magistrate Fidler yesterday morning for receiving stolen goods. A number of Polish children, residing in the rear of the Delaware and Hudson market street shops, have been stealing the scrap iron from about the yards and selling it to Parker.

The children were arrested, but Superintendent Rose, of the Delaware and Hudson company, did not want to prosecute them. Parker was held in default of \$500 bail for his appearance at court.

Other Arrests.
John Tetenki, a resident of Lloyd street, was charged with larceny in police court yesterday morning. Tetenki lives in the vicinity of the British colliery and has been in the habit of taking scrap iron from about the place. Foreman Keeper notified him to stop, but he refused, and the foreman telephoned to the station house, and Patrolmen Jöhler and Watkins placed Tetenki under arrest. Magistrate Fidler placed him under \$500 bail for his appearance at court.

Frank Nolan was arrested by Patrolman Ross, last evening, for obstructing the sidewalks. Nolan was sitting on the wall in front of the Von Storch property on North Main avenue, when he was arrested. He was fined \$2, which he paid.

James Gallagher, of Wayne avenue, and David Andrews, of Brick avenue, the two young men who were engaged in a fight on Oak street, Monday evening, were fined \$3 and \$5 apiece, yesterday.

TOLD IN A FEW LINES.
Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Williams, of North Main avenue, have been called to Catskill, where Mr. Williams' father lies seriously ill.

Mrs. C. F. Crossman, of Throop street, spent yesterday evening at Waymart. Miss Margaret Thornton and Miss Margaret Gillespie have returned home, after spending their vacations at Lake Winola.

Mrs. J. Albert Hakes, of New York city, has returned home, after spending three weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Eynon, of Providence road.

Morgan Edwards, of Spring street, and Henry Jones, of Wayne avenue, leave today on a fishing trip to Lake Lodore.

Rev. W. F. Davis, pastor of the Memorial Baptist church, will visit New York, Ocean Grove and Asbury Park and other places of interest on the sea coast this week and next week.

SOUTH SCRANTON NOTES.

Members of the Choir of St. Mary's German Catholic Church Entertained at a Banquet.

The choir members of St. Mary's German Catholic church assembled last evening in St. Mary's hall, where a sumptuous repast, consisting of nearly every delicacy of the season, was served to the singers. The affair was held on the invitation of the pastor, Rev. Peter Christ, who takes this means, every year, of showing his appreciation of their services to the church.

The tables were laden with good things, and natural flowers of many varieties were used for adornment. The waitresses served the following menu:

Roast Beef. Chicken. Cold Slaw. Potato Salad. Bread Rolls. Mashed Potatoes. Pickles. Strawberries. Cake. Ice Cream. Coffee. Cigars.

After the members were seated, a few remarks appropriate to the occasion were made by Father Christ, who concluded by asking the blessing and indulgence of the Almighty for those present. After supper, the choir, led by Professor Henry Ackerman, gave several selections in sweet voice which were generally applauded, and a dance followed until midnight. The choir members are as follows:

Soprano—Meresa R. Miller, Tilly Werfe, K. Luxemburger, Mary Butterman, Tessie Kraft, Anna Winter, Anna Klein, Mary Neak, Theresa Robling, Clara Steil, Mathilda Taggen.

Altos—Louisa Demuth, Mary Rosar, Lottie Wetter, Louisa Reif, Rosie Kugler, Mary Klein, Lulu Schelle, Mary Miller.

Tenors—Alfred Miller, Frank Steinbach, Fred Wehrle, Frank Schelle, Adolph Moser, William Polesky, Henry Rempe, John Lonsdorf.

Bass—William Grambo, Leopold Albrecht, John Eiden, Joseph Albrecht, Joseph Fisch, Fred Polesky.

Flashlight photographs of the party were taken by Oscar Grambo, after supper.

Before the Alderman.
Frank Sharkey and Jacob Funstal, two bicyclists, were arrested by the police on Monday night for not having lights on their wheels. They gave a reasonable excuse to Alderman Storr yesterday and were discharged.

Bridget Sheehan, of Erie street, was arrested by Lieutenant Zang and Officer Quinnan for being drunk and disorderly. Alderman Storr sent her to the county jail for thirty days in default of a \$500 fine.

Percy Wagner, appeared before Alderman Lentes last evening on charges preferred by his wife for desertion and non-support. Mrs. Wagner stated that her husband had deserted her at the wedding, and had never contributed to the support of herself and baby since. In default of bail Wagner was committed to the county jail.

Peter O'Hara, of Dunmore, was given a hearing by Alderman Lentes yesterday on charges of false pretenses preferred by Mrs. Ruddy, an aged lady residing at 1314 Irving avenue. Mrs. Ruddy stated that in March O'Hara bought her cow agreeing to pay \$45. He paid \$25 on account and took the cow home, but has since refused to pay the balance. Alderman Lentes put the defendant under \$200 bail pending a settlement of the case.

NUBS OF NEWS.
A 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Lavelle, residing at 729 Cherry street, was thrown heavily while at play last evening. He sustained a bad lacerated wound on the knee, which required the attention of Dr. J. J. Walsh.

Fred Lewert, of Willow street, is spending his annual vacation with relatives in Philadelphia.

MOTHER GRAY'S SWEET POWDERS

FOR CHILDREN. Mother Gray, for years a nurse in the Children's Home in New York, treated children successfully with a remedy, now prepared and placed in the drug stores, called Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children. They are harmless as milk, pleasant to take and never fail. A certain cure for feverishness, constipation, head ache, teething and stomach disorders and remove worms. At all druggists. Do not accept any substitute. Sample sent FREE. Address: Alton S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.



It's Samter's Semi-Annual Clearing Sale

Here's a lot of Men's Oxfords of the famous "Hanan" make. You know this name means the best shoes—the best style, and the best leathers. You also know that the price is always \$5.00 a pair. Our Semi-Annual Clearing Sale makes no exceptions. We've decided to clear out small lots in our Shoe Department; \$5 "Hanan" Oxfords at... **\$3.75**

Men's Shoes \$3.50 Shoes—Quality and styles that are increasing our shoe business. In Vici Box Calf and Patent Enamel. Clearing Price..... \$2.50	Boys' Shoes \$2.50 and \$2.00 Boys' Shoes—A few small lots in sizes 2 1/2 to 5 1/2 in Patent Leather, Vici and Box Calf. Clearing Prices..... \$1.25 and \$1.50 "The Little Gent"—In \$1.25 and \$1.50 qualities, sizes 8 to 13 1/2, prices reduced on this popular shoe for boys to..... 75c, 85c and \$1.00
\$2.50 Shoes —In serviceable leather qualities of Vici and Box Calf. Clearing Price..... \$2.00	

Samter Brothers, Complete Outfitters.

able to be at his work again after a few days' illness.

Wesley Erhardt, of Deacon street, has returned from Waymart. George Foster, of Sanderson avenue, has returned home from a visit with Honesdale relatives.

W. W. Carr, of Green Ridge street, has returned from Waymart, where he spent Sunday with Mrs. Carr, who is summing there.

DUNMORE.
Alexander B. Campbell, of Riggs street, and Miss Elizabeth Jeffrey, of Grove street, will be married at the home of the bride's parents this evening.

Mrs. Friend C. Beisecker, of Church street, who has been seriously ill, is now convalescent.

Miss Maud Davis, of Taylor, is visiting her school friend, Miss Lucy Heal, of Church street.

Mrs. Thomas Dersheimer and son, Ralph, returned home yesterday from a stay of three weeks at Winwood, Pa. John Ryan has returned to his home at Williamsport, after a stay of several days with relatives here.

Norman Spencer, now of Binghamton, is renewing old acquaintances in town.

Herbert Plum, of Dudley street, has returned to Hawley, where he has secured a lucrative position in the knitting mill.

The various locals of the United Mine Workers in town will be represented at the Indianapolis convention by Samuel Haddon, P. Clifford, William Farfield, B. Sweeney and Patrick Dempsey.

Globe Warehouse.

The Store Closes Every Evening at 5 O'clock, Saturdays Excepted. Shirt Waist Weather Has Just Started. And ladies who have put off buying till now are in luck. No matter how forward the season may be, our stocks come just the same, for the orders are placed while the snow is yet on the ground. RESULT Heavy stocks and retarded sales, because of the cool, wet season. But they'll go now. The bright sunshine, high temperature and low prices, make a strong working combination which no woman of taste or discretion can resist. The Goods are all new. Prettier Waists cannot be had. The assortment is limitless. Crisp facts for busy readers. Colored Waists White Waists. Plain and fancy striped Gingham and Madras Waists, extra quality. Former price 85c. Now, 49c. Linen Colored Waists, polka dots and fancy figures, with white insertings. Former price \$1.00 each. Now, 75c. Mercerized Lawn and Gingham Waists and Chambray waists, fancy tucks and pearl buttons. White and colored trimmings. Gibson effects among them. Former price \$1.50 each. Now, \$1.00. Mercerized Waists in plain colors, tucked fronts. Former price \$1.75 each. Now, \$1.35. Fancy Madras Gibson Waists; knickerbocker Waists with polka dots; plain Chambray Waists with white hemstitching. Former price \$2.00 each. Now, \$1.50. White Lawn Waists with all-over tucks, neat and dainty. Former price \$1.00 each. Now, 75c. White Embroidery Waists, tucks and insertings, button back and front. Former price \$1.50 each. Now, \$1.00. India Linen Waists with tucks and embroidery, perfectly finished and sweetly pretty. Former price \$1.75 each. Now, \$1.50. White India Linen Waists, knickerbocker style, embroidered fronts. A special price on this lot. Now, \$1.85. Many other fine white Waists elaborately trimmed and stylishly made and finished. The price cutter has done his work with these, too.