

The News of Carbondale.

EVENTS OF CHRISTMAS.

How the Day Can Be Observed in a Social Way—Work Will Be Suspended.

The first general holiday in the mines since the settlement of the strike, excepting Mitchell day, will be today, Christmas day. There will be no work today in any of the workings hereabouts.

There is no public social affair scheduled for today, the theatre being the only attraction. It has been a custom in this city to conduct a dancing matinee and a social in the evening on Christmas day.

The religious services of the day will be in St. Rose church and Trinity Episcopal church. Splendid programmes of music, as published yesterday, will mark the observance of the past.

Postoffice and Express Companies Have Enormously Large Receipts. The holiday trade since Monday has been carried on with a rush that has not been witnessed in several seasons.

The opening of holiday trade this year was somewhat backward, but commencing Monday of this week, it has been brisk enough. At the postoffice the receipts were exceedingly light, the lightest in years, until Monday.

A REPORT FRIDAY. Bacteriologist Pitfield Sends Word to the Board of Health. The board of health expects to hear in a few days from Bacteriologist Robert Pitfield, of Germantown, with respect to the samples of water and milk taken from this city last week in connection with the investigation into the typhoid fever epidemic.

OSTRICH LOGIC. "When I can't see danger there is no danger." That's the logic of the ostrich which hides its head and exposes its body to the hunter.

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CHRISTMAS EXERCISES. Public School Children Give Entertaining Programmes. Among the public school exercises Tuesday afternoon, when the schools closed for the holidays were the following:

MISS KEBULLEN'S ROOM. Chorus, "Holy Night"; School Recitation, "Night Before Christmas"; Christmas Story; Chorus, "Christmas Carol"; B. Burrell, E. Wells, R. Knapp, T. Conant, M. Riley, H. Dimock, J. McCall, M. Manning, M. Burke, O. Sampson, M. Mills, M. Arthur.

AT NO. 2 SCHOOL. Opening Chorus, "Happy Bethlehem"; Recitation, "Words of Welcome"; Recitation, "A Christmas"; Recitation, "Nobody's Child"; Song by School, "Do You Know the Song?"; Recitation, "The Wise Builders"; Recitation, "A Most Obedient Sister"; Song, "Holy Night"; Recitation, "Anna and Willie's Prayer"; Recitation, "The Boy Who Didn't Pass"; Dialogue, "Castles in the Air"; Song, "The Power Behind the Throne"; Closing Song.

MISS SWIGERT ENTERTAINS. Members of High School Faculty Her Guests. Miss Sara Swigert was hostess at an entertainment which she provided for her associates in the High School faculty, at her home on Spring street, Tuesday evening.

OUT OF DANGER. Yanno Is Better, and His Assailant Released on Bail. Joseph Yanno, who was in the Italian mix-up in the Dundaff section on the night of December 11, and in whose condition dangerous complications from brain contusion were threatened, is regarded as out of danger.

AT THE POSTOFFICE. Only One Delivery on Christmas Day. No Money Order Business. Postmaster Thomas has issued the following notice giving the hours at the postoffice today:

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More Christmas Visitors. Patrick Munly, formerly of the West Side, returned home this week from Butte, Montana, to spend the Christmas with his relatives in Carbondale.

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Mildred Holland Friday Night. Mildred Holland, a great favorite here, comes to the Grand Friday evening, December 26, for her annual engagement.

OLYPHANT. The funeral of the late John Frichard, of Fern Hill, was held yesterday afternoon. The services were held in the Congregational church at 3 o'clock.

"Our New Minister" Monday. Denman Thompson and George W. Ryoer's best of all rural plays, "Our New Minister," more popular now than ever, and brighter and more attractive than before because of its new massive scenic environment, will make its annual visit to the Grand on Monday evening next.

PERSONAL MENTION. W. M. Lathrop, editor of the Waterbury (Conn.) Republican, is here to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lathrop, on Garfield avenue.

JERMYN - MAYFIELD. The Jermyrn schools closed at noon yesterday until January 5. The morning was devoted to exercises which were held in the high school building.

WESTMINSTER HOTEL. Convenient to Theatres and Shopping Districts. Take 23rd st. cross to own cars and transfer at 4th ave. direct to hotel.

NEW YORK HOTELS. ALDINE HOTEL. Convenient to Theatres and Shopping Districts. Take 23rd st. cross to own cars and transfer at 4th ave. direct to hotel.

Large advertisement for Merry Christmas To All. Connolly & Wallace. Includes text about holiday gifts, watches, jewelry, and roofing services.

Advertisement for Ehret's Slag Roofing. Guaranteed 10 Years. Applied Only By Warren-Ehret Company, 321 Washington Ave.