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OLD MAIDS' CONVENTION

Good Performance Given by Local Talent.

Crowded House Witnesses the Burlesque on Aged Spinster's Club Meeting. Young Ladies Make a Hit.

"The Old Maids' Convention and Its Results," as given at the Grand opera house last evening by local talent, pleased an audience which filled the auditorium, and at its conclusion many well deserved congratulations were extended to those who took part in the play.

The entertainment consisted of two parts, the first consisting of a burlesque on a club meeting of spinsters and purporting to give the public an insight into the subjects usually discussed and considered by old maids when they meet in regular session.

A number of the participants did remarkably well and showed true dramatic ability. They acted their parts in a most natural manner, while their costumes added greatly to the merriment of the occasion. The songs, dances and cake walk were also well rendered.

The second part consisted of statue posing, and very pretty stage pictures were made by the hundred or more little girls.

The entertainment was under the direction of Anna L. Dunkel, of New York city. The program was as follows:

PART I.

"The Old Maids' Convention and Its Results,"

Dramatic Personnel:

Josephine Jane Greene, Pres. Anna Salmon
Rovilly Abigail Hobbs, Sec'y. Mrs. Hensel
Ruth Jane Seck-no-Further, Treas. M. Brown
Peachy Pinky White. Aquilla Johnson
Merrillable Schreppehoischer. Mrs. F. Smith
Gloriana Celeste Popover. Bernice Dehman
Susan Jane Whoopemp. Carrie Wildick
Clara Arabella Prentice Price. Hattie Roth
Charity Ann Hopkins. Clara Scott
Portia Olivia Bennett. Edith Phillips
Penelope Gertrude Doolittle. Katie Winter
Serissima Ethel Bodkins. Rena Widdick
Anxiety Electrother. Jennie L. Seaman
Flora Mary Cox. Lizzie Welliver
Janet Viola Ketchen. Clara Frazer
Priscilla Hope. Martha Smith
Opheila Arvilla Hopkins. Mary A. Powell
Betsy Bobbitt. Mrs. Widdick
Sophronia Stueckup. Anna Birkbeck
Frances Lucretia Lasthope. Nettie Johnson
Patience Desire Longham. Bessie Shelhamer
Faithful Blossom. Mame Brown
Violet Anna Twaddles. Ada Powell
Gloriana Gadabout. Mrs. Sneddon
Charity Longface. Clemie Fieder
Professor Make Over. John MacFarland
The Man. David Phillips
The Man. Manuel Bror
The Man. John A. Smith

PART II.

Selection.—Jennie Defoy.

Vocal Solo.—Mr. Price.

Statue Poses:

1. Victory.
2. Sweet Slumber.
3. Cymbal Players.
4. Harmony.
5. Looking Backward.
6. Toilet of the Bride.
7. Home, Sweet Home.
Lizzie Jenkins, Mattie Lewis, Mabel A. Dehman, M. Lina Vanauker, Kathryn F. Sipple, Elsie A. Hartman, Mary S. Steward, Lily Greeby, Emily Bohlin, Laura M. Winter, Rachael Eastwood, Lizzie Miller, Cora Miller, May Johnson, Elizabeth Sachs, Mattie Lindsay and 100 Little Girls.

Former Resident Dead.

Edward Timony, aged 65 years, who was a resident of Upper Lehigh and Freeland for a number of years, died yesterday at Wyoming, this county, from kidney trouble. He is survived by the following daughters: Mrs. James C. Yetter, Mrs. Daniel McGee, Mrs. Peter McGovern and Mrs. Stephen Rogers, all of Wyoming; also one son, Patrick, Mr. Timony was related to several people in and around Freeland.

The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon. The remains will pass through town on the train leaving here at 4.42 p. m. on their way to Hazleton, where the interment will be made.

Thanksgiving Services.

Thanksgiving services will be held in several of the local churches tomorrow.

Union Services will be conducted in St. John's Reformed church. Rev. Murphy, pastor of the English Baptist church, will preach the sermon. Revs. Hall, Kuntz and Kerschner will assist. Special music will be rendered by the choir.

Wants Heavy Damages.

A suit to recover damages in the sum of \$40,000 has been entered by Rev. Vincent Dillon against Mayor Corcoran and the city of Pittston, and the matter has been referred by the court to a board of arbitration composed of P. H. Campbell, D. O. Coughlin and W. J. Trembath. Tuesday next was fixed as the time for a hearing. Rev. Mr. Dillon is a Lithuanian who has become

a Protestant and has been lecturing and preaching among his countrymen through the United States. During the summer he leased a hall at Pittston and issued an invitation to all Lithuanians to attend a meeting on Sunday, at which time he intended to talk about various things.

As the majority of the Lithuanians are Roman Catholics trouble was feared at the meeting and Mayor Corcoran, of Pittston, forbade Dillon from speaking. He insisted on doing so and was arrested, locked up and fined. The next Sunday he advertised another meeting and was again arrested and fined under a city ordinance.

Rev. Dillon alleges that the summary action of the Pittston authorities was in violation of the law and in violation of the laws guaranteeing free speech.

In Favor of Defendant.

Attorneys Brown, McBrearty and McLaughlin, sitting as arbitrators in the case of John J. Boyle vs. John M. Powell, of Allentown, in which the former sued to recover \$664.56 for labor performed on houses built for Mr. Powell, have rendered a decision in favor of the defendant. It was shown that the agreement made by Mr. Powell with the original contractor prevented the filing of mechanics' liens against the properties, and on this ground Mr. Boyle, who was a sub-contractor, lost his claim.

Died This Morning.

George Edward, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Setzer, died at 10.30 o'clock this morning at the family home on West Main street. Death was due to pleurisy. The child was aged 5 years, 1 month and 27 days. The funeral will take place on Friday afternoon. The corpse will be taken on the 1.20 o'clock train to Weatherly, where the interment will be made.

This is the second child Mr. and Mrs. Setzer have lost by death within the past five weeks.

Tonight's Ball.

The seventh annual ball of Jeddo Base Ball Club will be held this evening at Yannes' opera house. The committee has perfected all necessary arrangements to give the friends of the club and all who may attend the ball a very pleasant evening. Thanksgiving Eve balls are usually well attended.

Lehigh Valley Labor.

The Lehigh Valley Railroad and its employes have reached an amicable agreement and there will be no further friction. Brakemen employed on freight and coal trains will receive an advance in wages from 10 to 25 per cent. Other minor grievances were also settled to the satisfaction of the men.

Milk Routes Sold.

Daniel Krommes, of the Second ward, has disposed of his milk route to Joseph M. Hoffman, of Butler township. Albert Drasher has also sold his milk route. The buyer was H. Cook.

Postoffice Hours.

Freeland postoffice will be open to the public tomorrow between the hours of 9.30 and 10.30 a. m. and between 6.30 and 7.30 p. m.

Miss Annie Dougherty, a young lady residing at Plymouth, was walking through the house yesterday, when she tripped on a piece of torn carpet and was thrown violently to the floor. Her skull was fractured, and at the hospital it was thought she would die.

There is no pleasure in life if you dread going to the table to eat and can't rest at night on account of indigestion. Henry Williams, of Boonville, Ind., says he suffered that way for years, till he commenced the use of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure, and adds: "Now I can eat anything I like and all I want and sleep soundly every night." Kodol Dyspepsia Cure will digest what you eat. Grover's City drug store.

Daniel Thomas, Republican, of Mahanoy City, who was defeated by William J. Galvin, Democrat, of Shenandoah, for the legislature, has commenced proceedings in Schuylkill court to contest the election.

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The heavy rain storms during the forepart of the week proved a great blessing, breaking, as it did, the long continued drought in the coal region.

If you have ever seen a child in the agony of croup you can realize how grateful mothers are for One Minute Cough Cure which gives relief as soon as it is administered. It quickly cures coughs, colds and all throat and lung troubles. Grover's City drug store.

LOCAL NOTES WRITTEN UP

Short Items of Interest to All Readers.

Happenings of the Past Two Days in and Around Freeland Recorded Without Waste of Words.

Patrick O'Donnell, an old man from Sandy Run, was taken to Laurytown this morning. Mr. O'Donnell has been a resident of the Lehigh region for the past fifty years.

M. S. Kemmerer and family, after spending several months at Upper Lehigh, have returned to their Mauch Chunk residence.

Watch repairing at Kelper's. Miss Mame McGinley, of South Centre street, and August Zimmerman will be married tomorrow.

All the schools of the vicinity will be closed tomorrow. Foster schools will also be closed on Friday, when the teachers of that district will visit the borough schools.

Best cigar in town at Kelper's. Charles Boyle, of Bethlehem, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Charles Sweeney, on the Hill.

James Purcell, of Denver, is the guest of his son, William, on North Ridge street.

Gentlemen, for hats and caps go to A. Oswald. He has a nice variety.

Mr. and Mrs. James Brennan, of Long Island, N. Y., are spending the week with the former's parents in Coxo addition.

Plus Hoffner, of Scranton, is visiting his son, Joseph, who is dangerously ill at Drifton.

Rev. Francis Mack, of St. Ann's church, left yesterday to spend Thanksgiving with friends at Archbald, Lackawanna county.

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The train and mail services are becoming very irregular on the Lehigh Valley Railroad.

August Eilsbacher, of Scranton, is the guest of friends in town.

The remains of the late Mrs. Madge Gallagher, of Walnut street, were followed yesterday morning by a large number of her friends and relatives to St. Ann's church, where a requiem mass was read, after which the interment was made in the adjoining cemetery.

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Phillip Kerschner, of New Tripoli, Lehigh county, died last week at the age of 85 years. The deceased was the father of Mrs. A. Oswald, of town, who, with Mr. Oswald, attended the funeral this week.

A football game between Freeland and Hazleton clubs is being arranged to take place at the Tigers park next Sunday afternoon.

PLEASURE.

November 28.—Ball of Jeddo Base Ball Club at Yannes' opera house. Admission, 50 cents.

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White Haven people's fight against
exorbitant water charges will probably
result in a vote by the citizens on the
question of establishing a borough plant.