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PERSONAL

Leo Ross, of Pine street, leaves home today for New York, whence he will tomorrow leave for Europe on the French liner. He will visit Germany and also attend the Paris exposition.

Right Rev. Bishop John Moore, of the Roman Catholic diocese of St. Augustine, Fla., was stricken with paralysis while delivering a sermon in the pulpit of St. Mary's church, Longwood, last Sunday, and he is in a serious condition. Bishop Moore will be remembered as a visitor in this city about a year ago, when he spoke in St. Peter's cathedral in behalf of his work for the raising of funds for the rebuilding of the cathedral at St. Augustine, which had been destroyed by fire.

SEASON'S LAST CONCERT.

Will be Given by Symphony Orchestra on Monday Night.

Everything points to an artistic and financial success for the concluding concert of the Scranton Symphony orchestra's season. So many tickets have been sold that it now seems certain that the Lyceum will be filled to overflowing next Monday evening. The reserved seat sale begins on Friday morning at the Lyceum box office. The programme is essentially light and joyous. It possesses all the elements of the best popularity and still appeals to thorough musicians.

Gwilym Miles, the evening's baritone soloist, is creating a furor wherever he appears. The New Haven Morning Register, in a recent issue, said: "Gwilym Miles, the well-known baritone, was the soloist yesterday, and was cordially received. His voice is of a sympathetic quality, all too rare among singers. Intelligence and vitality are imparted to all he sings, and Mr. Miles possesses more than the ordinary command of the resources of artistic expression. Above all, there is a rare artistic honesty in his singing that is never sacrificed to trivial effects."

Smoke The Pecono, 5c. cigar.

FUNERAL OF ROBERT T. BLACK.

Interment Was Made in the Dunmore Cemetery.

The funeral of Robert T. Black, of Franklin avenue, took place yesterday from his late residence, services being conducted at the home at 1:30 o'clock and interment being made at the Dunmore cemetery.

At the house, Rev. James McLeod, D. D., of the First Presbyterian church, and Rev. S. C. Logan, D. D., officiated, the services being most impressive and touching.

Both Dr. McLeod and Dr. Logan made remarks concerning the life of the deceased and the great loss suffered by the family by his death. Each spoke in the most eulogistic terms. Dr. Logan told of his long acquaintance with Mr. Black and said that in all the time he had known him, he was ever a man of the most virtuous life and spotless purity.

At the cemetery Dr. McLeod conducted the simple burial service. There were numerous floral tokens of sympathy for Mr. Black and sympathy for his family. Beautiful wreaths, caskets and loose flowers were in abundance.

One of the most touching evidences of sympathy was a bunch of fine chenille cushions which were brought to the house in the morning by a large number of the children of the neighborhood, who had raised a sum among themselves and purchased the flowers for the man who had been a kind friend to them and who was universally loved. They brought them in with a simple card saying that they were accompanied "by the love and sympathy of Mr. Black's little friends."

The honorary pall-bearers were Abram Nesbitt, of Kingston; Preston Stevenson, of New York city, and Ben Dimmick, L. L. Wares, T. P. Wells, E. B. Sturges, George Sanderson and A. W. Dickson, of this city. The active pall-bearers were W. L. Turner, of New York city; F. L. Phillips, John Fowler, Fred Zislman, Hon. W. L. Connell and W. A. Kemmerer, of this city.

The services at the home were attended by a large number of the friends and relatives of the deceased, and all of the immediate family with the exception of Robert T. Black, Jr., who was detained in the state of Wyoming by the illness of his brother-in-law, Mr. Judson, whom he was visiting. Price had charge of the funeral.

FREE ART EXHIBITION.

Grand Public Opening of Schriever's Photo Studio Concert by Bauer's Orchestra.

On Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings, May 31st and June 3rd and 4th, will occur the formal opening to the public of the new photographic studio of Mr. J. B. Schriever, already well known among us as the "gold medal photographer" and "the children's artist," who has succeeded Mr. M. M. DeWitt, at 119 Wyoming avenue.

On these evenings, between the hours of 7 and 10 o'clock, the people of Scranton are cordially invited by Mr. Schriever to inspect this model establishment, view the art pictures and enjoy the strains of sweet music.

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THE OFFICIAL BALLOT.

Chairman Vosburg Is Engaged in Preparing the Form.

County Chairman A. A. Vosburg is preparing the form of the ballot which will be used at the Republican county primaries on June 11.

If the names of all the candidates were placed one after the other they would be so long as to be unwieldy, and Mr. Vosburg has decided to put the names in two columns, thus reducing the length of the ballot one-half.

The candidates for delegate to the national convention will have the place at the head of the ticket and others will follow in this order: Alternate, congress, sheriff, treasurer, judge, district attorney, clerk of the courts, promontory, recorder, register and jury commissioner. The rules provide that on the ballot the names of the candidates for each office shall be arranged in alphabetical form.

ALL DAY SHOOT.

Will Take Place Today at Spencer's Range, Dunmore.

The Scranton Gun club will conduct an all day shooting match today on the grounds, at Spencer's ridge, Dunmore. Clay and live pigeons will be shot at, the sport beginning at 9:30 o'clock in the morning, and continuing throughout the day. Over one hundred entries have already been made and considerable interest is being taken.

Several of the best shots in the county have entered and some pretty tall shooting is expected.

Grand Opening

of Schriever's Gold Medal Photo Art exhibition, Thursday, Friday and Saturday evening. All welcome.

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ASSESSMENT BY THE NEW METHOD.

SHOWS UP INACCUACIES OF CITY ASSESSORS.

On Wheeler Avenue, a Man with a Corner Lot Will Pay \$95.04 for Construction of a Sewer—His Neighbor at the Other Corner Pays \$171.40—On Colfax Avenue One Lot Owner Will Pay \$51.17 and the Man Who Holds the Next Lot \$102.88.

Much interest has been excited by the assessments made to cover the cost of building the sewer in the Seventeenth ward, now in process of construction. It is the first time in this city that assessments for a public improvement have been based upon the assessed value. It shows up inequalities of the city assessments of properties in a way that never before suggested itself to the property owners.

When the last triennial assessment was made some easy going property owners who found themselves assessed 100 higher than their neighbors let it go rather than wrangle with assessors or a board of revision. The \$100 in valuation would make little difference in their taxes, they thought. They have changed their minds now, for they find that little \$100 adds \$25.75 to their sewer assessment.

The sewer is to be laid in Schultz court, Harrison avenue, Stipp court, Wheeler avenue, Sherwood court, Colfax avenue and Okell court. The ordinance for the construction of the sewer provided that the assessment should be made in the following manner: "Immediately upon the passage of this ordinance the city engineer shall assess the cost and expenses of the construction of said sewer by an equal assessment, according to the assessed valuation of the properties abutting upon the street along which said sewer is to be constructed and such properties are assessed for the purpose of city taxation for the year 1900."

City Solicitor Vosburg said yesterday that the act under which this kind of a valuation of the property for public improvement is permitted makes no provision for an appeal if the assessment is considered unjust. The assessment against the different property owners is as follows:

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