

WEST SCRANTON

ELIAS E. EVANS IS NOMINATED

FOR SCHOOL CONTROLLER IN THE FIFTEENTH WARD.

In the Two Districts He Received a Lead of Seventy-nine Votes Over His Next Highest Opponent—C. M. B. A., Knights of Pythias and Foresters Install Officers—Week of Prayer in the Churches—Events of This Evening—Other News Notes and Personals.

A spirited contest was held in the Fifteenth ward yesterday for the Republican nomination for school controller, in which Elias E. Evans, the present incumbent, won out with seventy-nine votes to spare over his next highest opponent. The vote polled in the two districts was as follows:

Table with 3 columns: School Controller, Final, Second To. Lists candidates like Elias E. Evans, John M. Edwards, etc.

The nomination for school controller is equivalent to an election in the Fifteenth ward. During Mr. Evans' term of office he has served his constituents faithfully and creditably, and he is one of the best representatives of the ward ever had on the board.

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McColligan captured him a short distance away, and locked him up in the station house. The man had been seen in the neighborhood on several occasions, wearing a cap drawn down over his face.

His name is G. W. Borapough and Dufour's French Tar

Will promptly relieve and speedily cure coughs, colds and all lung troubles. The sale by G. W. JENKINS, 104 South Main avenue.

Surprising Values in Seasonable Underwear.

Here's a Sale Without a Parallel. Looked at from any viewpoint we say without the slightest fear of successful contradiction that the values offered below have never been equaled in the Bargain-giving Annals of the city of Scranton.

The Underwear Specified Is All Perfect and of the best makes known to the trade. Every bargain quoted stands for an irrefutable fact, and the only question you need consider is, how to get to the store in time enough to share in these incomparable bargains.

The Sale Begins This Morning. Crisp Facts for Bargain Hunters.

- Ladies' Underwear at 10c. Heavy weight Vest and Pants, in Jersey ribbed, with fine wool fleece lining. 25c. Quality at 10c. Ladies' Underwear at 25c. A wonderful collection of 50c. goods in Vests and Pants, including heavy lined, Jersey ribbed, very choice Egyptian, extra goods, etc. Ladies' Underwear at 33c. Fine Merino goods and extra quality Jersey Ribbed Underwear, complete range of sizes and no garment in the lot worth less than half a dollar. Choice 33c. Ladies' Underwear at 75c. The world-renowned "Tweed" make, in havana color, pure wool, full fashioned, etc. Ladies' Underwear at 79c. In white and natural wool, ribbed goods that sold at \$1.25 the garment. The size list is not quite complete; otherwise the price would not be 79c. Ladies' Union Suits at 98c. The celebrated "Onida" combination suits, in pure wool, full fashioned, ranging in value from \$1.50 to \$2.25 per suit. Children's Underwear at 15c. Jersey ribbed wool Vests, in all sizes; while they last, sale price only.

Children's Fine Scarlet Underwear Pure Wool in Shirts, Vests, Pants and Drawers, Sizes 16 18 20 22 24 26 28 30 32 34 Prices 15c 18c 20c 22c 25c 28c 30c 35c 40c 45c

Globe Warehouse As well as the handkerchiefs, and others are invited to call on our druggist and get free a trial bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, a remedy that is guaranteed to cure and relieve all Chronic and Acute Coughs, Asthma, Bronchitis and Consumption. Price 25c and 50c.

ords and seal, Edward Davies; master of finance, D. D. Lewis; master of exchange, D. Evans; master at arms, David S. Reese; inner guard, John J. Roberts; outer guard, Thomas J. Evans; master of work, David S. James; trustee for term of eighteen months, Thomas C. Williams.

Musical Reception. Mr. and Mrs. David M. Davis, of 101 North Filmore avenue, entertained with a musical reception Monday evening on a handsome piano which they had presented to their son, John, on Christmas.

The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. Thomas D. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel J. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen B. Price, Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Moyle, Mr. and Mrs. Griffith Price and family, Messrs. John and Jenkin Thomas, Misses Annie and Bessie Davis and Master Clayton Price. Refreshments were served, after an enjoyable evening.

First Baptist Church. The following officers will serve the First Baptist church for the coming year: Trustee, Robert Peckins; church clerk, Fred Gray; financial secretary, Mrs. D. C. Williams; treasurer, W. C. Davis; organist and chorister, Mrs. B. G. Beddoe; assistant organist, Dr. T. M. Sanderling; president of finance board, Mrs. B. G. Beddoe.

Events of This Evening. Meeting of the official board of the Simpson Methodist Episcopal church. The newly-elected officers of St. Paul's Pioneer corps will be installed and a smoker will follow. The Robert Morris lodge will meet in Ivorite hall. Officers will be installed. The ladies of the Washburn Street Presbyterian church will hold an all-day session today. Lunch will be served at noon. The Waltham Dancing class will hold an invitation social in Mearns' hall. A confirmation class will be formed at St. David's Episcopal church. The Christian Endeavor society of the Washburn Street Presbyterian church will meet and elect officers.

GENERAL NEWS NOTES. Dr. and Mrs. B. S. Sutton, of 130 Edwards court, welcomed a son at their home yesterday morning. Joseph E. Corey, of North Main avenue, has entered the Stroudsburg State Normal school, prior to entering the University of Pennsylvania. Mrs. Jones, of Decker's court, mother of Hugh Jones, clerk in the street commissioner's department, slipped and fell on the ice Tuesday evening, while returning from church and fractured her arm. A similar accident befell her a year ago.

The hearing in the speakasy cases against John Carson, Mrs. Sheridan and James Black will be resumed before J. W. DeLoach, judge of the court, at 10 o'clock tomorrow. Mrs. Titus was arrested yesterday on the charge of disorderly conduct and threats, given by Mrs. Thomas Welsh, and was given a hearing before Alderman Myers. Mrs. Titus, it is alleged, threatened to dash Mrs. Welsh's brains out. The alderman held her under \$300 bail for appearance at court and fined her \$1 and costs for disorderly conduct.

On Monday evening, Jan. 27, there will be an entertainment and social in the Auditorium for the benefit of the striking street car men. It is expected that some of the best local talent will participate. The entertainment will be in sympathy with the strike should turn out and help them. Admission, 25 cents. John Morgans, of Oak street, had his left leg badly squeezed between two mine cars while at work in the Marquette mine yesterday. He was removed to his home where he received medical attention. Tomorrow evening the strong representative Crackerjacks of this section will play the Frackville team, of Frackville, Pa. The game will be held at 7 o'clock at the Crackerjacks were on their tour, defeated them by a large score, and a good game is expected. The Crackerjacks putting their strongest team against them. Admission, 25c; ladies, 10c. Social after the game.

Last night the Independent orchestra conducted their weekly dance. This evening, the Crystals, of Priceburg, will have for their opponents the champion North End Stars, at the Auditorium. Admission, 15c; ladies free. Social after the game. The Meadow Brook basket ball team, headed by Bert Holt, of the Order Sons of America Bump-and-Drum corps will parade the principal streets this evening in fantastic gear to advertise their ball, which takes place Monday January 14.

Dr. Miliken, of Liberty, N. Y., is visiting Dr. Peck, of North Main avenue. Mr. Maher, of Wells street, slipped and fell on the ice near Parker street and sustained a sprained ankle. Yester day at 2 o'clock the funeral of Mrs. Anderson, formerly of the suburb of the station, is at 11. Anthony Vethkoske caused the arrest of Mrs. Betskoske, of the Marine Patch, for perjury. The case was set for hearing before Alderman Meyers. The late James Powell took place from his late residence, on Margaret avenue. Internment was made in the Washburn street cemetery.

GREEN RIDGE. The many friends of Miss Elizabeth Clark of Sanderson avenue tendered her a birthday surprise party last evening, at the home of Mrs. J. W. DeLoach. Misses Louise Warren, Elizabeth Casper, Anna May Moffitt, Polly Warren, Hattie Fields, Grace Bunting, Ada Mason, Mary Beegler, Mable Derishner, Ethel Pinner, Louise Irene Warren, Margaret Warren, Florence Clark, Messrs. Ed. Walters, Charles Walters, Jessie Garhan, Carl Garhan, Harry Wademan, Clyde Weichel, Harry Serfos, George Cook, William Getz, Geo. Stool, Frank Moffat, Paul Keifer, Philip Pinner, Ed. Cart, Garfield Trout, Bertrand Clark, Fred Lidstone, Fred Farnham, Miss Elizabeth Clark, Mrs. Cookson, Mr. and Mrs. Clark. A reasonable hour refreshments were served. During the evening dancing and games were indulged in. The first degree will be conferred this evening at the regular meeting of Green Ridge Lodge, Independent Order of Odd Fellows in Mason hall, Dickson avenue.

MISS VIRGINIA GRANES SOUTH SCRANTON

ALLEGED SPEAKEASY KEEPERS ARRESTED.

Conrad Linn Fined Fifty Dollars for Selling Without a License—A Woman Held for Criminal Libel—An Interesting Letter from Corporal William Rafter, Now Doing Duty At Samar, Philippine Islands. Maennerchor to Sing at Pro-Boer Meeting—Other Notes.

The police officers of this precinct were kept busy yesterday on orders received from headquarters, and two well known citizens were arrested for selling liquor without a license. The first arrested was Conrad Linn, of 629 Birch street, and shortly after, Joseph Kramer, of 929 Prospect avenue, was arrested, both being taken to the Alder street station house, where they were given a hearing before Police Magistrate Storr. The evidence in Linn's case was clear and he obtained his release by paying a fine of \$50.

There was a doubt, however, in the case against Kramer, and the hearing was postponed until next Monday so that the prosecutor can present more convincing testimony as to the violation of law. Before the Alderman, John Seigler, of 49 North Eighth street, lodged information before Alderman Lentes yesterday against Hetty Seegar for criminal libel. After the evidence was heard the defendant was required to furnish bail in \$1,000 for her appearance at the next quarter session. The bail piece was furnished by Dan W. Vaughan, of 127 South Garfield avenue.

News from the Philippines. A long interesting letter has been received from William Rafter, of the Eighteenth United States Infantry, now stationed at Samar, Philippine Islands, and one of the meanest places among Uncle Sam's recent acquisitions. Mr. Rafter is well known in this city, and with the writer was for many years affiliated with Company B of the old Thirteenth regiment.

His experience as a news writer on several of the Scranton daily papers gave him the necessary training to compose a newsy and interesting letter about the results of his observations in the land of Agulnido and the swarthy Tagal. His last letter is mostly of a personal nature, as he states that life is too short and uncertain just at present, where he is located, to do any extensive letter writing, but promises in the near future to send a long story especially for publication, as that is the only way he can hope to satisfy his many friends who send papers, stamps, etc., and who are of course like to hear from him personally.

Maennerchor to Aid the Boers. A large delegation of residents from this side will attend the pro-Boer meeting in St. Thomas' college hall next Sunday, because of the fact that the Junger Maennerchor has received and accepted a special invitation to sing on that occasion. This marks another period in the rapid advancement of this famous singing society, in which the residents of this section take a pardonable pride, and that this good will of the people is appreciated by the society is shown in their ever-ready willingness to participate in any charitable or worthy cause. Although nearly two years off, there is reason to believe that the society will take part in the next national convention which will be held at Baltimore, Md. If they do, it is to be hoped they will win their heart's desire—the first prize.

DUNMORE DOINGS. President Scranton of the Water Company Says the Increase of Water Rates Will Stand. The council held a special meeting last night, when the committee appointed to see President Scranton, of the Gas and Water company, in reference to the rebuilding of the Nay Ave bridge, reported. Mr. Scranton agreed to bear half the expense of erecting a new bridge, which was satisfactory to the borough, and work will be begun at once on the structure. In reference to the increase in the rate for fire hydrants the committee was informed that the \$29 rate would not be reduced. The raising of the household rate from \$6 to \$8 was also discussed and the committee was told that it would be impossible to have one rate for Scranton and another for Dunmore. Mr. Scranton admitted they had the privilege of taxing the receipts, but he also had the right to further increase the rate if he saw fit. The council postponed action on the report until the next meeting.

Ordinance No. 90, providing for the issuing of \$5,000 worth of bonds for the purpose of redeeming outstanding bonds which can be redeemed at the option of the borough, passed third and final reading. Ordinance No. 91, providing for the issuing of \$25,000 worth of bonds at 4 per cent, for the purpose of paying off the floating borough indebtedness, which amounts to about \$23,000, and upon which the borough has been paying 6 per cent interest, also passed third and final reading.

SHORT PARAGRAPHS. Class No. 41 of St. Mark's Sunday school will give another of their successful entertainments early in February. St. Mary's council, Y. M. C., will conduct their annual dance at Washington hall on Tuesday evening next. The Democratic borough committee met in the borough building, Tuesday evening, and decided to hold the primaries on Jan. 28, between 4 and 7 p. m., and the convention the same evening at 8 o'clock.

MISS VIRGINIA GRANES. President of Nurses' Association, Watertown, N.Y. most distressing cases of inflammation and ulceration of the ovaries and womb. I have known that doctors used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound when everything else failed with their patients. I have advised my patients and friends to use it and have yet to hear of its first failure to cure. "Four years ago I had falling of the womb, resulting in lifting a heavy patient, and knowing of the value of your Compound I began to use it at once, and in six weeks I was well once more, and have had no trouble since. I am most pleased to have had an opportunity to say a few words in praise of your Vegetable Compound, and shall take every occasion to recommend it." MISS VIRGINIA GRANES.—\$5000 forfeit if above testimonial is not genuine. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has stood the test of time, and has cured thousands. Mrs. Pinkham advises sick women free. Address, Lynn, Mass.

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RUBBER SPONGES—For beautifying the complexion, also develops the muscles and removes wrinkles. Price, each \$1

Reading Makes a Full Man. What an endless source of entertainment is furnished by conversations about books, by those who are well read. This education is within the reach of all. Some New Copyright Books: "In the Fog"—By Richard Harding Davis. "The Man from Glengowry"—Ralph Connor. "A Portion of Labor"—Mary E. Wilkins. "Supreme Crime"—Dorothea Gerard. "Cavaller"—By George Cable. "The Ruling Passion"—Henry Van Dyke. "Tysbeth," the latest book of H. Rider Haggard. "Around the Pan"—A humorous story of the Pan-American, by Thomas Fleming, 75 cents. All Copyright Books, \$1.10.

Our Annual Collar Sale Commences Saturday

Jonas Long's Sons

AMUSEMENTS. Lyceum Theatre. M. REIS, Lessee and Manager. A. J. DUFFY, Bus. Manager. Saturday Matinee and Night. "GRANDPA, YOU'RE A WONDER." Mr. William A. Brady presents for the first time, the new musical grandpa. FOX Y GRANDPA. By R. McVillie Baker, with Mr. Joseph Hart and Miss Carrie De Mar. Together with other specialties of unequalled quality. A play for young people of all ages. Prices—Evening, 25 to \$1.00; box seats, \$1.50. Matinee, 15 to 50 cents. Seats ready Thursday morning at nine.

Academy of Music. M. REIS, Lessee. A. J. DUFFY, Manager. FOR THREE DAYS. "The Secret Despatch." A Melodrama of the Civil War, by David Higginson, author of "Al. Piney Ridge," etc. Prices—Matinee, 15 and 25 cents. Night, 15, 25, 45 and 50 cents. Matinee Friday and Saturday.

STAR THEATRE. ALF. G. HERRINGTON, Manager. THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY. Little Magnet Burlesques. Matinee Daily. New Telephone, 591.

OBITUARY. MRS. THOMAS LYDON, of the South Side, died yesterday morning at 7 o'clock, after a short illness. She deceased was 49 years of age and a widow. A family of four sons and two daughters survive, as follows: Patrick, Michael, John, Thomas, Della and Mary Ellen. The funeral arrangements were not entirely completed and the date will be announced later.

EDWARD J. BROG, formerly of this city, died at Buffalo yesterday. The remains will arrive here at 6 o'clock this morning. The funeral announcement will be made later. He is survived by his wife. Brog was formerly an engineer in the No. 1 engine house of the Lackawanna Iron and Steel company in this city for twelve years.

PATRICK A. MORROW, of Blackman street, Wilkes-Barre, died yesterday at his residence. The funeral will take place tomorrow at 9 o'clock, with mass at Ashley and interment at Minooka cemetery. The funeral party will leave Wilkes-Barre on the 2:36 Delaware and Hudson train for Minooka.

THOMAS GORDON, an old and highly esteemed resident of North Scranton, died on Tuesday at the home of his niece, Mrs. John Kinney. The funeral will be held this morning at 9 o'clock from Holy Rosary church. Interment will be made in Archbald.

MRS. MARY HARDING, aged 80 years, died yesterday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Craig, of 817 Hampton street. Deceased was in feeble health and had been ill for some time. She is survived by two married daughters. The funeral will be held at Pockville this afternoon at 2 p. m. Services will be held in the Baptist church there.

Two Packages of Gold Dust Washing Powder, 25c. Every house keeper should know how good Gold Dust is—and its price. But for those who don't, we will say that, as an enemy of dirt, Gold Dust has no equal. Packed in two pound boxes, it is listed to sell for 25c. Some grocers have offered it for 19c, we have sold it for 15c, but for the balance of the week, Joyce will break all low price records by affording patrons an opportunity to purchase 2 Packages of Gold Dust for 25c.

For Sunday Dinner. We have an ample supply of fowl—raised nearby—to select from. Chicken, per lb - - 14c Turkey, per lb - - 16c

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