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The Intelligencer

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BRIEF MENTIONINGS.

Events in and About the City Given in a Nutshell... Criminal court will be in session today... Grand to-night—Daniel R. Ryan's company... Dennis Daly, of Mannington, an oil driller, died last night of typhoid fever... The venerable Cyrus Townsend Brady, archdeacon of Pennsylvania, will be to-night at St. Matthew's church... Mrs. Robert L. Frazier, living at 471 National road, slipped while walking in the yard at her home Tuesday evening and sustained a fracture of her left arm... The concert of the Woman's Club occurs to-night at 8 o'clock in A. O. U. W. hall, and is open to the public... The funeral of Frank Eberle, who was killed Monday morning, occurred yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of his daughter, Mrs. George Peterson, on Twenty-ninth street, South Side... Special Constable Watte, one of the defendants in the barrraty proceedings commenced by Harry E. Bachmann on Tuesday, was served with the warrant yesterday and was released on his own recognizance to appear in the court of Squire Greer next Tuesday... Chief Cline has added an improvement to the Eighth ward and other engine houses in the shape of an electric transmitter... Yesterday Intelligencer reached Wheeling of the death of Rev. William Burkemeier at New York... The funeral of Frank Eberle, who was killed Monday morning, occurred yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of his daughter, Mrs. George Peterson, on Twenty-ninth street, South Side... Special Constable Watte, one of the defendants in the barrraty proceedings commenced by Harry E. Bachmann on Tuesday, was served with the warrant yesterday and was released on his own recognizance to appear in the court of Squire Greer next Tuesday... Chief Cline has added an improvement to the Eighth ward and other engine houses in the shape of an electric transmitter... Yesterday Intelligencer reached Wheeling of the death of Rev. William Burkemeier at New York... The funeral of Frank Eberle, who was killed Monday morning, occurred yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of his daughter, Mrs. George Peterson, on Twenty-ninth street, South Side... Special Constable Watte, one of the defendants in the barrraty proceedings commenced by Harry E. Bachmann on Tuesday, was served with the warrant yesterday and was released on his own recognizance to appear in the court of Squire Greer next Tuesday... Chief Cline has added an improvement to the Eighth ward and other engine houses in the shape of an electric transmitter... Yesterday Intelligencer reached Wheeling of the death of Rev. William Burkemeier at New York...

PERSONAL NOTES.

Going and Coming of Wheeling People and Visitors... J. B. Reese is a Huntington guest at the Howell... M. A. Jones, of Wellsburg, was in the city yesterday... J. E. Smith, of Mannington, was at the Windsor yesterday... Dr. William Petrie has returned home from a two-weeks' trip to New York and Boston... J. L. Henry, of Buckhannon, and D. E. Allen, of Parkersburg, were arrivals at the Stamm last night... H. C. Meyer of Wellsburg; S. W. Matthews, of Moundsville, and J. H. Hamilton, of Parkersburg, were registered at the McLure yesterday... Mrs. P. J. Hoh's condition has improved to such an extent that the attending physician now extends the hope that she may recover... The annual children's masque carnival was given by the children of the members of the Mercantile club, at the quarters of that organization, on Main street, last night, and it was a neatly planned affair, bringing delight to the little ones and the fond parents looking on...

Teachers' Meeting.

The programme of the teachers' meeting at North Benwood Saturday afternoon, beginning at 1:30 o'clock, is as follows: Music—Prayer—Music... Report of secretary... Paper, "The Ideal School," C. E. Carrigan... Discussion—S. M. Crow and Miss Nora Dolbear, "Do pupils learn more from teachers or fellow pupils?"... Paper by Miss Lena Conner... Discussion—Miss Josephine Lander and M. L. Brown... Solo, Miss Charlotte Price... "Should the state teach morals in the public schools," paper, N. W. Crow... Discussion, J. T. King and Gilbert Conner... EVENING SESSION, 7:30... Quartette by pupils of the school... "Are teachers' examinations as now conducted, a drawback to popular education?" Paper, J. T. King... Discussion, Miss McCate, Miss Martin and Miss Whiteside... "How should numbers be taught in the primary grades?" Miss Annie Pelley... "How should language be taught in the primary grades?" Miss Catherine Hall, and Miss Ella Campbell... "Elements of a good teacher," Miss Dora Davis... Discussion, Miss Edwards and Miss Barob... In Clerk Robertson's Office... Yesterday in Clerk Robertson's office the following transfer of real estate was recorded... Deed made March 8, 1899, by Thomas O'Brien and H. M. Russell, surviving trustees of Phillip Rellily, to George W. John D. James F. Wylie T. Rellily and other heirs, transfers to the heirs a farm of 183 acres in Richland district... One deed of trust was recorded... A marriage license was issued to Edward T. Eagan, 22 of Piney Fork, Ft. Va., and Mayelda Evans, 21 of Mars, Pa... Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup is used by the best people in the land. It cures at once hoarseness and throat affection. Price 25c.

CRAWFORD BURIAL

Occurred Yesterday Afternoon in Martin's Ferry From

UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The Services Being Conducted by Rev. S. J. Bogle, of the First Church. Members of the Septuagenarian Club Were Honorary Pall Bearers. Mr. Bogle's Tribute to the Deceased, who was Wheeling's Oldest Citizen

The funeral of the late Captain Richard Crawford, Wheeling's oldest citizen, occurred yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock, from the United Presbyterian church of Martin's Ferry, Rev. S. J. Bogle, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, of that place, officiating. A number of old friends of the deceased attended. Mr. Richard Crawford Campbell, of Denver, a grand-son, was present. The choir of the First church, composed of Mrs. J. C. Gray, Mrs. John Turner, Miss May Thomas, Mr. J. C. Gray and Mr. George Rowland, sang "Lead, Kindly Light," after which Mr. Bogle read from the Scripture. Then the choir sang beautifully, "Thy Way, not Mine."

Rev. Mr. Bogle, who enjoyed the friendship of the deceased, spoke at some length of Captain Crawford's life in this community. It was not necessary, he said, to speak minutely of his life and works, these were well known to all present and had been chronicled in the newspapers. It had been his privilege to meet Captain Crawford first about five years ago, at a meeting of the Septuagenarian club. He had enjoyed that afternoon of converse with Captain Crawford, for it opened up to him the many excellent qualities of mind and heart that always characterized the man. He was a man of wonderful memory, well informed on many subjects, especially history and the Bible. In his conversation with the speaker he had drawn illustrations by passages from portions of the Holy Book that are not familiar generally; in fact he had shown an intimate acquaintance with the Bible.

While he was always drawn to the younger people of his acquaintance, they were not in sympathy with him at all times, and he felt his loneliness in the last years of his life. He was ever grateful for the attention shown him by younger people. He was well acquainted with the way of salvation; was the friend and supporter of Christ's church, and always in sympathy with His cause.

The speaker had been privileged to read the last letter penned by Captain Crawford, in which he spoke feelingly of the providence of God and felt thankful for the tender care he received during the last days of his life. He was a conscientious, honest man with warm attachments. Though he enjoyed a competence, yet his was a lonely life in late years. His friends passed away one by one, to his great sorrow. He clung lovingly to his Septuagenarian club associations, and he was always the most interested of those assembling at these meetings—but aside from this we find him lamenting his loneliness and old age. So life with him was unsatisfactory, there was always something lacking. The speaker be-

lieved that in his last days God's love was revealed to him in his loneliness and that he departed in the dear Lord. There are lessons to be found in his life and works; he was a man of character and earnest of purpose. We should remember not to drift along on the current of life; we should make provision for the future and for the next life. The end of this life is certain to come soon or late. If we do our best, we may be mourned as our dead friend is mourned. We should remember that we are indebted to God for everything in this life—health, success and all. We must give the best in our lives to God, resting all in Him, so that when the time comes we may rest in the loving arms of Jesus, there to go quietly to sleep and awake in the presence of the Lord, and there remain forever and forever.

The honorary pallbearers were: Messrs. James Kerr, James Gray, David Park and Rev. Samuel Boyd, all members of the Septuagenarian club. The active pallbearers were Messrs. John Frew, Augustus Pollack, E. J. A. Drennen, S. G. W. Morrison, E. C. Boyd and Kenworthy Hoge.

The service at the grave was brief on account of the inclement weather. Benediction was pronounced by Rev. Mr. Bogle. Of the Septuagenarian club the living members are now reduced to nine, Messrs. David Park, James Gray, Hiram W. Smith, James Kerr, Samuel Boyd, Ebenezer Rhodes, John McNeese, Hamilton Blackford and Kenworthy Hoge. The members deceased are Anderson Ralston, John Armstrong, Joel Wood, Elram Frazier, Elwood Ratcliff, Thomas Culbertson, James Drennen, W. Newton Holliday, William Clarke, Smith Hurst, John K. Botsford and Richard Crawford.

DIED.

LANG—On Tuesday, March 7, 1899, at 1 a. m., MAX M. LANG, in his 27th year. Funeral services at his mother's residence, No. 1625 Wood street, Thursday morning at 9 o'clock. Mass at St. Joseph's Cathedral at 9:30 o'clock. Friends of the family respectfully invited to attend. Interment at Greenwood cemetery. RHODES—On Wednesday, March 8, 1899, at 8 o'clock a. m., JULIA ANN REBECCA, wife of the late Jacob S. Rhodes, aged 77 years. Funeral from her late residence, No. 923 Main street, on Saturday, March 11, at 10 a. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited. Interment private at Greenwood cemetery. Please omit flowers.

Undertaking.

Louis Bertschy, FUNERAL DIRECTOR AND ARTERIAL EMBALMER. 1117 Main St.—West Side. Calls by Telephone Answered Day or Night. Store Telephone 635. Residence, 556. Assistant's Telephone, 625.

Alexander Frew, FUNERAL DIRECTOR AND EMBALMER. 1208 MAIN ST. Under Competent Management. Telephones—Store, 229; Residence, 753. BRUENNER & HILDEBRAND, Funeral Directors and Embalmers. Cor. Market and 224 Sts. Telephone 297. Open Day and Night.

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- Lot 2, Jackets. { A bunch of \$10.00 Silk Lined, Black Boucle Cloth Jackets, brought forth to be sold at this sale for..... \$3.98
- Lot 3, Capes. { Just think of \$7.50 Plush Capes, highly ornamented with braid and jet, fur trimmed, wide sweep, now for..... \$3.12
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