



I waited till the twilight, And yet he did not come, I stayed alone the brookside, And slowly wandered home...

lections which were most favorably received were "A Day With the Circus" and "The Musicians' Strike," both of which were descriptive pieces.

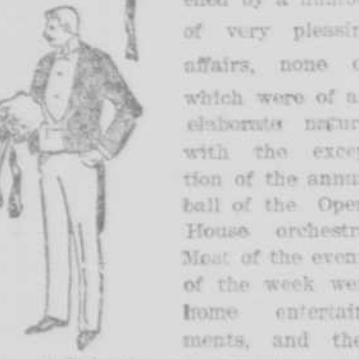
Thursday evening the ladies of the congregation of the Thomson M. E. Church, on the island, gave a supper at the church, which was followed in the evening by a bazaar and social.

Miss Bertha Burk was the victim of a very enjoyable masquerade surprise party, which was given Thursday evening in the rooms of the Silver Globa Club, on the South Side.

Mr. Charles Otte gave a birthday party to about twenty of his friends, Friday evening, at his home on South Chapline street.

Miss Lizzie, daughter of Mr. Max Gaus, was united in marriage to Mr. James Holloway, at the Church of St. Anthony of Padua, at Bridgeport, by Father Weigand, Friday morning.

Her feet are shod in marsh boots, Her hands are in a muff, Her coat is of the warmest fur, Her gown is heavy stuff.



HE past six days have been days of very pleasing affairs, none of which were of an elaborate nature, with the exception of the annual ball of the Opera House orchestra.

Next invitations have been received here for the annual military ball at the Morgantown University. It will be a swell affair.

Mr. Nathan Holloway, of Flushing, and Miss Minnie Gaus, a charming young lady of Bridgeport, were the parties to a quiet wedding ceremony Friday morning.

Thursday, at high noon, Mr. Charles A. Showers, an eminent young attorney of Mountsville, and Miss Sallie Cockayne, were joined in marriage.

Mr. Fred Helmbright and Miss Kate Fox, both of the North End, are to be married on February 12th, at four o'clock.

Mr. Samuel Hoffner was surprised last Tuesday evening at his home on South Chapline street, by a large party of his friends, in honor of his birthday.

There are many popular superstitions concerning marriage, which the brides and grooms will not admit that they credit, but nevertheless it is interesting to observe that they usually avoid the "unlucky" days, months, etc.

The most enjoyable leap year party which has been given since the arrival of the date which made such festivities possible, was the affair which took place at the rooms of the Island club Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Larn Nicholl were very pleasantly surprised at their home on South Eoff street, by twelve couples of their friends, Tuesday evening.

It was a charming and jolly assemblage that gathered at the home of Miss Etta L. Weltzell, on Fifteenth street, Thursday evening, to partake of the hospitality of Miss Etta.

Miss Laura Westwood, of Martin's Ferry, entertained a number of her friends Friday evening at her home on Fourth street with a phantom party.

Fred Eick and sister Miss Theodora, of Martin's Ferry, entertained a number of their friends at their home on "The Heights" last Thursday evening.

Miss Georgiana Watson was hostess to a party of her friends Tuesday evening at her home in Martin's Ferry.

ENTERTAINMENTS. I stole down by the brookside, The moon was bright, I stole a kiss from there, That wondrous night...

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Weidman, of North Wood street, celebrated the fifth anniversary of their wedding Monday evening by entertaining a large party of their friends.

Miss Clara Moran gave a party last Friday night in honor of Misses Annie and Amelia Himes, of Pittsburgh.

The "Pumpkin Seed" Club met last Friday evening at the home of Miss Loretta Truschel, on Fourteenth street.

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COURTS AND CRIMINALS.

The McNamee Jewelry Store Burglar Promptly Nabbed.

He is Probably Guilty of Several Robberies, One of Them Here First Made Public—Arrested for Flirting With Women in Jail—A Very Unusual Motion in the Circuit Court—Other Court News.

Early yesterday morning Officer Babb arrested Alie, alias "Puddin," Clark, on the charge of robbing McNamee's jewelry store, as detailed in the Register yesterday morning.

This is probably not the only robbery Clark has been concerned in of late. In fact, he robbed a South Side woman yesterday morning between the hours of half past one and half past three.

Frank H. Stamm has returned from Atlantic City, where he made preparations for retiring the hotel which he will conduct during the coming season.

For a long time past—ever since the new jail has been in use—men have been in the habit of congregating on the street in the vicinity of the building.

The authorities have gotten very tired of this practice, as there was no assurance that some devils were not being plotted, looking to an escape from the jail, or something else, and it was determined by Sheriff Franzheim that the first offender caught in the act should be arrested and made an example of.

Yesterday afternoon Deputy Sheriff Weisgerber caught John McNichol, of Martin's Ferry, talking to a woman, and at once placed him under arrest. He was taken before Justice George Arkie, on a warrant charging him with attempting to assist prisoners to escape, and was sent to jail on a hearing Monday afternoon at 10 o'clock.

The Liberty got away for Pittsburgh at 11 a. m. with a good trip. The Lexington cleared for New Orleans yesterday morning, on a good trip.

Today's boats will be the Ben C. Ruth for the same point about 10 o'clock.

Last night the marks on the shore showed a stage of 7 feet 7 inches falling. It is rising at present above.

The Keystone State for Philadelphia and Virginia for Cincinnati will be C. & P. packets yesterday, and delayed by the fog.

Yesterday was one of the best days for a year along the coast. There was scarcely any fog, and there was not a packet lost.

Freshing, Pa., February 1, 6 feet and four-tenths and strong dam; weather cloudy.

AN UNUSUAL MOTION.

Made in the Circuit Court, Yesterday.

Before Judge Campbell, in the Circuit Court, yesterday morning, Attorney O'Keefe made a very unusual motion in the case of Henry Wilson v. Alice Bradford, which was argued for a new trial. It was a motion for a new trial, which was argued for a new trial.

The claim that both the evidence and instructions of the Court were directed by the jury, and that Attorney O'Keefe made a motion for a new trial, which was argued for a new trial.

Business Transacted Before the Circuit Court, Yesterday.

Before Judge Paul, yesterday morning, Charles H. Heston, trustee of the Wilson, receiver, filed his petition for a writ of habeas corpus, and the Court directed the writ to issue.

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