

ALL AROUND THE STATE.

Interesting Happenings from all Sections.

ALL OF THE IMPORTANT EVENTS

More Business Enterprises Chartered at Harrisburg—Fires Raging in the Moun...

BRADFORD, Pa., April 1.—The Higgins Hotel, a long, narrow wooden structure, built on the bank of the creek directly across the track from the Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburgh railroad depot, and below the Main street bridge, caught fire at 4 o'clock this morning, and was burned to the ground.

The list of dead is: Miss Georgia Bond, servant girl, Bradford, body not recovered; Thomas Cullen, of Bradford; Frank Haviland, of Sunbury, body recovered; George Facke, of Bradford, body recovered; Tucker, two year old child of Mrs. Tucker, thrown into the creek and drowned.

SHAMOKIN, April 1.—By the explosion of a lamp in the hands of a Hungarian miner, ten men lost their lives at the Nelson shaft, near this place, early this morning. The dead are:

Joseph Bortax, single; John Gray, married; John Burt, married; Frederick Gister, single; Frank Shupis, single; Nicholas Dntah, married; John Ryan, single; James Brennan, single; Michael Brennan, single; John Robel, married.

The ill-fated miners were residents of Shamokin and Springfield, a small village adjoining the borough.

HARRISBURG, April 4.—The following pensions were granted to residents of this state during March: Original—William Anstock, Aaron Middleton, George Ream, Grayfield B. Swope, William Walter, John A. Speck, Alfred Shafer, John B. Mott, Casper Burger, John Beecher, John M. D. Thompson, Artemus Williams, Philip Nawn, Henry B. Williams, Elijah Stiely, John Rookay, David Montgomery, Jacob Sherman, Aaron Walker, William Siles, Levi Long, Michael Toohy, George Buck, William H. McCombs, Jonathan Morris, John Richards, George Neash, David Rosman, George Robertson, Joseph Rosmans, Jonathan Morris. Additional—William Martin, Daniel Sharif, Theodore Jones, A. Hejley. Increases—Stephen Studevant, Obed Robinson, John J. Miller, A. Cochran, Franklin Hutchings, B. F. Wallace, William L. Millham, Samuel Leach, William Irwin, Asaras Daniels, Itzamer Conrad. Re-issues—Henry Reed, W. Burdell, David K. Noll. Original widows, etc.—Margaret Truax, Amelia Stilles, Ida Wallace, Amanda Selemeyer, Maria Almir Steinfeld, Maggie Miller, Caroline Barth, Sydney Akins, Mary Beyer, minor of Martin Wagner, Emma L. Langdon, Margaret Keiner, Sarah Kinsley, Maggie K. Lake, N. J. Aart.

SCRANTON, April 4.—Guiseppe Giananelli, an Italian, was shot and instantly killed in Dunmore by Francesco Grippo, a fellow countryman. Grippo was stabbed several times with a stillnet. Guiseppe and Giovanni Giananelli, cousins, and Grippo were playing cards for beer, when the two cousins accused Giananelli of cheating them. A fight immediately followed. Guiseppe and his cousin drew stillnets and attacked Francesco. The latter retreated, but was followed by his antagonists and received a stab on the head and another on the temple over the left eye. Grippo then drew a revolver and shot Guiseppe dead, firing several shots into his body. Grippo is not expected to live.

HARRINGTON, April 5.—At an early hour this morning the statement was given out here that Richard Williams, William Trembath and Thomas Hudson, victims of Monday's Laurel Hill mine accident were still entombed. There is no hope of recovering Williams alive. It is believed that he now lies underneath the tons of debris which was carried down by the torrents of water from No. 3.

TAMAQUA, April 4.—The bridge on the Philadelphia and Reading railroad at Job's ice dam, near Barnesville, was burned Sunday night. The fire was caused by a hot coal from an engine. All traffic was delayed. A large force was engaged all day yesterday erecting a temporary structure and traffic was resumed last evening.

WILKES-BARRE, April 1.—A fire was discovered in the residence of Henry Shotwell here. His young son Ralph, who was alone in the house, had lighted some paper which set fire to the place. Before assistance could be rendered the boy was burned to death.

MORGANTOWN, April 1.—The Morgan-town Building and Investment Company has just contracted with a company of Titin, O., to establish a glass factory here, which is to cost \$20,000, with privilege to increase it to \$50,000.

ALTOONA, April 5.—The members of the baseball club here will report for duty on the 17th inst., and on the next day, the 18th, will open the season with an exhibition game with the Danforce of Harrisburg, at Juniata Park.

SHAMOKIN, April 5.—A terrific gas explosion occurred in the air shaft at the Terling colliery last evening, burning Thomas Jenkins and Petro Buccerle in a frightful manner, the former is feared fatally.

MOSONGARIELA CITY, April 1.—The local natural gas company has just completed drilling the Kelly No. 5 well deeper. None of the expected results followed. It was under. A deepening of No. 8 will not follow.

JOHNSTOWN, April 5.—Cote will not play with the club here this year. He has been observed by the Binghamton, N. Y., club, and, in consequence of a demand on him, must respond to the Empire state call.

READING, April 1.—The board of health is now engaged in fumigating the houses in which smallpox was reported in the past twenty-four hours, and the disease is rapidly disappearing.

CARLEISLE, April 4.—Milton Bashore, farmer, Samuel Kline and John C. Mosser, lumber dealers, yesterday made assignments for the benefit of their creditors. The liabilities are heavy.

BETHLEHEM, April 5.—The blooming and mill departments of the Bessemer mill of the Bethlehem Steel Company, shut down last night for an indefinite period.

NORRISTOWN, April 4.—George Zeigler, of Philadelphia, an inmate of the State Hospital for the Insane, was found dead yesterday, hanging from a post of his bed in a room which he occupied alone. Zeigler was sent to the hospital about two or three years ago. He was suffering from a mild type of insanity, and as there was no reason to suspect that his malady was of the nature of suicidal mania he was allowed a sleeping apartment alone.

Zeigler took the cords from the window curtains in his room, plaited them into a rope, one end of which he formed into a noose, and, after tying the end to the bed post, placed the noose around his throat and sat down to die, death resulting from slow strangulation. Zeigler leaves a widow and one daughter, both of whom reside in Philadelphia.

HARRINGTON, April 4.—While playing with matches at the home of her parents, little Madagi Pacakela ignited the box. Her parents were out visiting. Madagi's dress caught fire and she was soon enveloped in flames. Some neighbors saw the blaze of the fire through the windows and when they burst in the door the little girl was burned to a crisp.

HOLLIDAYSBURG, April 5.—Reservoir mountain, within sight of this city, is a mass of flames, and the final outcome is problematical, owing to the prevailing high winds. There has been much destruction of farm property and Pennsylvania railroad workmen are fighting the flames on the mountain side.

HARRISBURG, April 5.—There is little likelihood that the National guard of the state will encamp at Mt. Gretna this year, in fact it is generally understood that the annual encampment will be dispensed with and that about the 1st of August the troops will go to Chicago to camp at the Columbian exposition.

PITTSBURG, April 5.—James Campbell, aged 55 years, who suddenly disappeared from his home in the East End about three months ago, walked into the Allegheny police station last evening. When asked where he had been, he said he was "flagging" trains at Little Washington. He was locked up.

LANCASTER, March 31.—Two horses driven by Peter Arnold, a farmer of Wild Cat, ran away here. Arnold attempted to jump out of the wagon, but his feet got caught and he was dragged a half mile, receiving injuries which resulted in his death a few hours after.

PHILADELPHIA, April 4.—Ex-Justice Paxson said last night that there was no truth in the report that the Reading's indebtedness is \$24,000,000 instead of \$18,000,000, as reported by the receivers. He declares that \$18,000,000 is all the Reading company owes.

BETHLEHEM, April 5.—Fierce mountain fires are raging in close proximity to St. Luke's hospital and Lehigh university park. The fire was started by tramps. Scores of men are out battling the flames and endeavoring to save valuable property.

READING, April 1.—Michael Mayser, a well-known hotel-keeper of this city, died suddenly of acute pneumonia, aged 43 years. He was a member of a large number of social and beneficial organizations. He leaves a widow and four children.

MEADVILLE, March 31.—After two years, three months and twenty-four days the Delemater assignee has begun the payment to creditors of a dividend of 5.2 per cent. The prospects as to other payments are not stated.

POTTSVILLE, March 31.—Hon. John W. Roseberry, the oldest practitioner at the Schuylkill county bar and the president of the Bar association, is lying at his home in a critical condition with pneumonia.

WAS IT MURDER OR SUICIDE?

S. D. Leidy's Body found in the Ruins of a Burned Hay Press.

EASTON, April 4.—A special despatch to the Free Press from Point Pleasant, Bucks county, says: The hay press operated by S. D. Leidy & Company was burned there early Sunday morning, with all its contents including two horses, thirty-five tons of hay and considerable machinery. In the ruins have been found the charred remains of S. D. Leidy. He had been out collecting and was heard to return at eleven o'clock at night. Part of the articles he had in the carriage with him were found on a pile on the roadside. He never used a lantern about the place. No trace of the money he collected can be found. Two suspicious characters who were seen about the place in the evening are missing. Five feet from where Leidy's body was found was Leidy's revolver. Opinions differ as to whether it was murder or suicide. The fire did not break out until one o'clock.

ALLEGHENY GETS A SCORCHING.

Over \$250,000 Worth of Property Reduced to a Mass of Ruins.

PITTSBURG, April 5.—Late yesterday afternoon the paper warehouse of Godfrey & Clark, on South Canal street, Allegheny, together with a number of dwellings, grain elevator and a lumber yard, were destroyed by fire.

The total loss will amount to over \$250,000, on which there is an insurance of about half that amount.

The Judgment Affirmed.

PHILADELPHIA, April 4.—An opinion was handed down yesterday in the supreme court affirming the judgement of the court of common pleas of Lycoming county in the case of the Junction Passenger Railway Company. Hiram H. Rhoads, president, and James F. Starr, secretary, appellants. The opinion was delivered by Justice Dean with Justice Mitchell dissenting.

A Jail Bird Falls Heir to a Fortune.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., April 5.—By the death of an aunt in Brooklyn, N. Y., a prisoner in the Sheridan county jail, this state, is heir to a fortune of \$100,000. The man is James Swisher, a regular desperado. He turned bad after serving a term as sheriff. He is now under conviction for deadly assault and awaiting the action of the supreme court.

Place's Remains Cremated.

DETROIT, Mich., April 5.—The remains of Victor C. Place, formerly chairman of the Pittsburgh Commission Company, and for the last three years a prominent member of the Chicago board of trade, who died at Mt. Clemens Saturday, were cremated here.

Five Men Cremated.

HACKENSACK, N. J., April 4.—The barn of G. T. Jager, of Mayward, was burned yesterday. The remains of five men, supposed to be tramps, were found in the ruins.

She Died From Overwork.

The Woman Preachers.

IN FIFTY YEARS FROM NOW SHE WILL BE AT HOME IN THE PULPIT.

There seems to be no objection whatever to woman taking control of Sunday schools, benevolent institutions, church fairs, festivals and all other means of caring for the flocks and filling the ecclesiastical exchequer, but when it comes to woman in the pulpit there is trouble at once. This is only another of the relics of barbarism.

In old times if the church could get control of the women and little children they felt pretty sure of their ability to manage the rest of the human family.

Half a century ago a woman doctor was scarcely recognized in reputable circles, and a woman lecturer was a monstrosity. Contrasting that date with the present and taking note of the change in sentiment from one decade to another, it is scarcely too much to expect that by another fifty years we shall see a most wonderful revolution in matters of this sort. It is safe to predict that, before the end of the first decade of the next century, the woman preachers will be no more of a novelty than a woman doctor now is. Woman is specially fitted for such work, and even were she not so, it would be only the strictest kind of justice to give her some of the honor as well as most of the hard work of the church. When once it dawns fully upon the minds of the people of this generation that there is no sex in intellect or moral achievement, the first and most difficult part of this knotty problem will have been solved.

By all means, open the pulpit doors to woman as well as those of the Sunday school room, the hospital and the executive committee.—New York Ledger.

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An Open Letter to Women. Laurel Ave., San Francisco, May 18, 1892.

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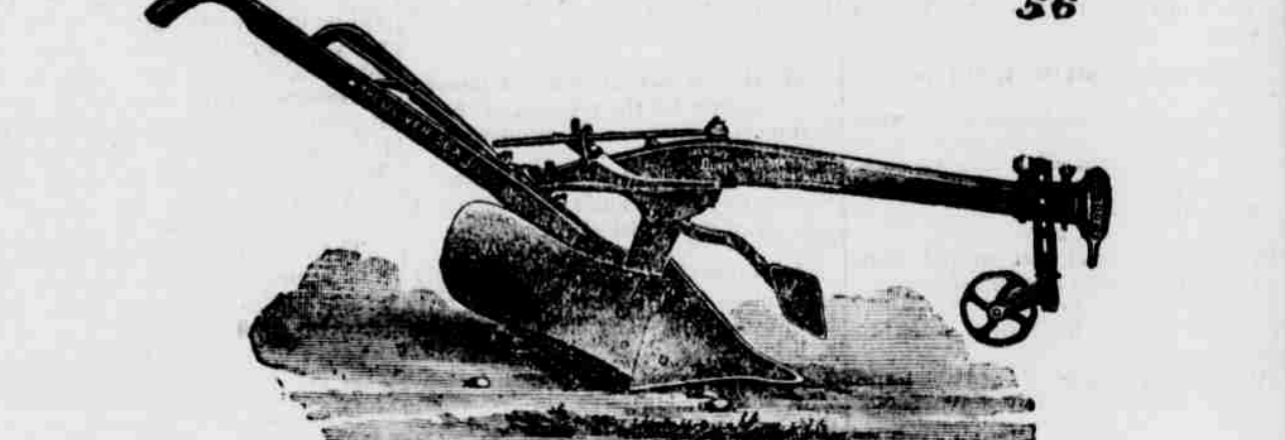
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