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The Central Pennsylvania Telephone Company is now in control of the seven independent companies which recently consolidated, including the Wilkes Barre, Scranton, Hazleton and Allentown companies.

The heaviest early winter snow storm in years set in on Tuesday. Accompanied by a stiff northeast wind it came down rapidly until in the evening it covered the ground to the depth of four inches. Traffic on the electric railway was greatly impeded. It was simply impossible to maintain the schedule. A force of men was put to work at two o'clock Wednesday morning clearing the track. Railroad trains were late.

The Nina Repertoire company is the attraction at the Opera House this week. Specialties of a pleasing nature are introduced between the acts by different members of the company, consisting of the wonderful Nina and Bruns, fancy paper tearers, illustrated songs and moving pictures. The company opened their engagement with "The Outlaw of '98." This piece had been given here so many times before under different titles, that it lacked interest. However, the performance on the whole, was a pleasing one. The electric dance by Miss Nina was well executed and called forth considerable applause. The plays and specialties will be changed nightly.

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**COURT IN SESSION.**

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Charge desertion. Case continued. Bail piece to issue for defendant.

Commonwealth vs. Peter Fetterman. Charge surety of the peace. Hearing in open court.

Caroline Fetterman, W. H. Fetterman, Elmira Fetterman and Chas. Fetterman sworn for the prosecution. Peter Fetterman, Daniel McHenry and Henry Beagle sworn for the defense.

Court sentenced defendant Peter Fetterman to pay costs of prosecution and enter into recognizance with one or more sureties in the sum of \$300.00 to keep the peace toward all good citizens and especially toward his wife and daughters. Stand committed, etc.

This case was rather amusing in a way. The couple was evidently poorly mated. This married life has been anything but pleasant. Married for thirty eight years, but according to the wife's story, only for the brief space of one year was there any happiness in the household. The son on taking the stand was asked by the District Attorney what cause he assigned for his father's conduct toward his mother. To be plain, said he, "there is too much devil there."

Grand Jury makes the following returns.

Commonwealth vs. Mabel Ellis. Not a true bill. Prosecutor Thomas Iddings to pay costs.

Court sentenced prosecutor Thomas Iddings to pay costs of prosecution, give bail to Sheriff for payment of same within ten days. Stand committed, etc.

Commonwealth vs. Robert Jones, James Miller and Claud Miller. Charge casting missiles on ear. A true bill.

Commonwealth vs. Robert Jones et al. Charge assault and battery. A true bill.

Commonwealth vs. Charles Davis. Charge f. and b. A true bill.

Commonwealth vs. Joseph Calvich. Charge assault and battery. A true bill.

Commonwealth vs. Cleveland Coleman. Charge breaking and entering, etc. A true bill.

Commonwealth vs. Adam Friday. Charge assault and battery. A true bill.

Commonwealth vs. John Ruginas. Charge surety of the peace. Hearing in open court.

Lewis J. Long, John Glover and John Ruginas sworn.

Interpreter Litwine was needed in this case. It proved to be one of those petty "scraps" for which the coal regions are famous, the result of too much "jig water" on the part of the principals.

Court sentenced prosecutor Lewis Long and defendant John Ruginas to each pay one-half the costs of prosecution and give bail to Sheriff for payment of same within ten days. Stand committed, etc.

Commonwealth vs. Jacob Evans. Charge murder. Motion for nolle pros. Order and opinion of Court filed. Motion granted. Nolle pros. allowed and defendant Jacob Evans discharged from custody of the sheriff.

Joseph Lettunix sworn and admitted as a citizen of the United States. M. R. Cox appointed tipstaff for rear of Court room.

Commonwealth vs. Robert Jones, James Miller and Claude Miller. Charge casting missiles, etc. A true bill. Plea not guilty.

Commonwealth vs. Robert Jones et al. Charge assault and battery. A true bill. Plea not guilty.

For the prosecution W. E. Hockenbroth, J. A. Cray and James McAnally sworn.

Defendants' attorney Harry Stees moves to withdraw plea of not guilty and enter plea of guilty and asked for the mercy of the Court.

Court sentenced the defendants that you and each of you pay the costs of prosecution, a fine of \$300 each and undergo imprisonment in the County Jail for a period of nine months. Stand committed, etc.

Commonwealth vs. John Valentine. Surety of the peace. Hearing in open court.

Prosecutor Joseph Tretter, Mrs. Joseph Tretter and Charles Laronozino sworn. Defendant John Valentine and John Patiski sworn.

Court dismissed the case and no further order made.

Grand Jury makes the following returns:

Commonwealth vs. J. H. Powlis. Charge larceny. A true bill.

Commonwealth vs. Peter Anderson. Charge larceny. A true bill.

Commonwealth vs. John Fry. Charge f. & b. A true bill.

Commonwealth vs. Charles Davis. Charge f. & b. A true bill. Recognizance forfeited and bench warrant to issue for defendant.

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