

THANKS TO A CHAM. A Discharged Postoffice Employee Anxious to Ascertain Whether a Civil Service Examination IS WORTH GOING THROUGH TWICE.

He Refused to Slide Out of the Pittsburgh Office When He Was Told He Had Better Do So, and WANTS TO KNOW WHY HE WAS FIRED.

Postmaster McKean insists that the Kicker Was Incompetent.

Frank G. Schlatter, of the carriers' distribution department of the postoffice, does not propose to quit the service without the most complete investigation he can get as to why and wherefore he was dismissed. He says he proposes to know what civil service means.

Mr. Schlatter lives in Coraopolis, and says he was always performed his duty faithfully and well, and that he knows just what he is talking about. He says he was asked for his resignation, to take effect June 15, and, as he could not get a hearing here, he memorialized the Civil Service Commission.

The statement, made June 2, is in brief: The application was made five years ago in August, not through political influence, but strictly in conformity with the civil service laws of the United States. After receiving notice from Mr. McKean, the petitioner says he courteously asked for a reason for the request for a resignation, and Mr. McKean gave none, but said it would be better for petitioner to resign than to be discharged, as he could then come back into the service without a re-examination that up to the date Mr. McKean had not given the slightest intimation that petitioner had broken the law or failed to do his duty.

He adds that in justice to himself, family and friends he should be made acquainted with the reasons for his discharge, and if there are none he wishes to avail himself of his legal rights.

WAS EXAMINED TWICE. Continuing, Mr. Schlatter tells the commission that he was made five years ago in August, not through political influence, but strictly in conformity with the civil service laws of the United States.

That, regardless of political affiliations, though in fact all Republicans of the borough of Coraopolis, he has the highest appreciation of Mr. Schlatter as a good citizen; that he had never taken a partisan part in politics; was incapable of doing anything, merit summary dismissal from his position, and that he had earned by his own merits, in strict accordance with and by examination under the law, and they end by requesting Mr. McKean to reconsider and recall his request for Mr. Schlatter's resignation, etc.

The petition was signed by Thomas McFadden, Jr., H. W. Burns, Rev. W. S. P. Ferguson, A. Z. Evers, Joseph W. G. Gracy, Jr., George M. Ferree, Charles B. Gracy, Jr., W. Watson, Jr., J. F. Ferree, W. E. Nesbitt, A. M. Stevenson, Alvin H. Smith, John G. Smith, B. J. Stewart, John M. McCabe, W. E. McCabe, W. P. McCabe, R. B. Kendall, J. M. Watt, W. S. Neely and W. G. McLean.

MORE INFORMATION WANTED. On the 6th inst. W. K. Schlatter, a brother of the ex-postoffice employee, again addressed the Special Agent of the Civil Service Commission, requesting him to ascertain why and wherefore the said employee being discharged or terminated, and who have for a number of years considered the most trustworthy and capable under the eyes of one of the most critical and thorough business men in the community as postmaster.

Mr. Schlatter next submits the appended note from Postmaster McKean: PITTSBURGH, Pa., June 14, 1920. Mr. F. G. Schlatter, Coraopolis, Pa.: Sir—One month ago I requested your resignation, and you refused to sign it. I have heard from you regarding the same, you are hereby notified that your services will be dispensed with after June 15.

Respectfully, JAMES S. MCKEAN, Postmaster. The first note was quite brief, reading simply: Franz G. Schlatter, Pittsburgh, Pa.: Sir—Your resignation will be accepted, to take effect June 15, 1920.

Mr. McKean's final communication was as follows: PITTSBURGH, Pa., June 15, 1920. F. G. Schlatter, Coraopolis, Pa.: Sir—I wrote you under date of June 14, saying that your resignation had been dispensed with from June 15 and that you were to be dispensed with after June 15.

peculiarity of the mails. Relative to this correspondence, Mr. Schlatter says—and exhibits envelopes in corroboration—on the morning of June 14, 4:30 P. M., '20, and stamped with a receiving stamp at Coraopolis 'June 18, 9 A. M., 1920, returned to me by express, of considerable importance to the apparent discrepancy of date, but does not say that there might not have been a defect in the stamp used in this city, making the date of mailing 4 instead of 14, but he insists that there could be no good reason why four days should be necessary for a letter to reach Coraopolis, only 11 miles distant.

As Mr. Schlatter persisted in reporting for duty, and was not assigned, he finally, on Thursday, the 19th instant, proceeded to swear to a statement to forward to the president of the Civil Service Commission, in which he says he is still at the command of the Postoffice Department, and expects to another man being placed on the payroll in his stead. He informed the envelope sent to him on June 14, as he says, "Mr. McKean claims," and asks that it be returned to Mr. McKean, and that he be notified in this order that he might investigate and ascertain why the communication made such slow time in getting to Coraopolis.

Mr. Schlatter's statement is in full, but the facts set forth are in brief as follows: I continued to do my work as faithfully and as well as I knew how up to the 15th of June. I have not responded to this date (the 19th). On the 14th the carrier's order book coming back to me as usual, I found that the carrier distributor should work, commencing Monday, the 14th, did not contain my name. I reported on June 14, at about my usual time, and as my name was not on the list, I called on the superintendent of the postoffice, and he told me that the carrier distributor should work, commencing Monday, the 14th, did not contain my name. I reported on June 14, at about my usual time, and as my name was not on the list, I called on the superintendent of the postoffice, and he told me that the carrier distributor should work, commencing Monday, the 14th, did not contain my name.

GETTING READY TO CAMP. Fishing Clubs Will Begin to Move About July 1. F. E. Randall, of the Detroit and Cleveland Navigation Company, has been doing some lively hustling among the local fishing clubs. He stated yesterday that the boys would begin to move about July 1.

Dr. B. M. HANNA, Eye, ear, nose and throat specialist, 170 Penn. ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

CITY PLAGUE SPOTS, PEDDLERS MUST PAY. Rank Growths of Humanity Awaiting Death's Garnering Sickle. HEALTH OFFICIALS POWERLESS. Places Reported Where 30 and 40 Persons Sleep in One Room.

DISMISSED FROM THE SERVICE. The next morning, after long waiting, Mr. Schlatter says, he found the postmaster and was told by him that he had no business in the office; that he was dismissed from the service. Schlatter said he did not know it; he had received no notice. Mr. McKean told him that he had not received a letter from him on the 14th, sent to Coraopolis, and said something about its being tampered with if it had not been received.

Here Mr. Schlatter says: I was called on Saturday, the 14th of June, and did not leave Pittsburgh until 8 o'clock, and I do not see why Mr. McKean should have wanted to see me. I am only about 11 miles from Pittsburgh, and it seems strange that it would take until 8 A. M. to get to Coraopolis, which time is shown by the receiving stamp on the envelope. Schlatter continues: Mr. Young told him on the 17th that he had nothing against him, and would rather work with old men than new ones. Schlatter says he has also been told by another man that Young told him that he had nothing against the notice asking for their resignations until the evening of the 15th of May, and that they had been made out in the morning.

Schlatter further says that the first time he called on Mr. McKean to get the reasons for the discharge, he reported what he had heard, and said: "So you leave all that to me to report to you? You are a man of honor, and you are answered affirmatively. "On the morning of the 18th he said he would not give me reasons, but finally, after further conversation, he said: "I'll give you the reasons—you are not competent. "When asked to put that in writing, he said: "I won't." In conclusion, Schlatter says: I believe I cannot substantiate the charge by competent people who understand the business of the postoffice, and who have standing in it, and, as I have already appealed to you for an investigation, I hereby renew that request for a fair and open investigation, in the hope that you will see the error of your way, and have them tell what they know, commendable or otherwise, of me.

Mr. McKean was asked what the other side of the matter is, and he replied that he did not care to discuss it very much, but he said Mr. Schlatter was incompetent, and had been reported so to him a month before action was taken, but he wanted to give him time to get ready for the charge. Further, Mr. McKean said Mr. Schlatter's complaint had been investigated by Mr. Doyle; that he (McKean) had gotten the case out of the hands of the department. Finally, Mr. McKean said that while the people who petitioned for Schlatter's retention were all right, they knew nothing of the business of the postoffice, or of the merits of the situation.

DIED ON THE DIAMOND. A Columbus Man Drops Dead While Playing Golf. At 7 o'clock last evening Charles J. Young, 20 years old, met with a sudden death. The young man was playing a game of baseball with a number of companions on old Cycle Park, opposite Exposition Park. Young had just finished making a run when he was suddenly seized with an attack that resembled fits. The young man fell to the ground and his companions sent for a doctor. He died in a few minutes. The cause of death is being investigated.

PACKED LIKE SARDINES. The Battery, on Webster avenue, supposed to contain 400 to 500 residents, and two off Tunnel street. These are literally packed, as many as 30 or 40 persons sleeping in one room. The alley on Grant street, near Second avenue. On Sunday, when the denizens of this place are awake and on their feet, there is actually not enough room for them in the house only had two small rooms. It keeps as tight as a drum, and the men who live there are packed like sardines. Several hundred Hungarians sleep and eat in a row of three small houses near Fifty-second street. These men sleep in a mill.

ON THE SOUTHSIDE. The way that the Poles are crowded in the houses on the Southside has long been talked of among police officials and citizens who have had occasion to visit the habitations of this class of citizens. The Hungarians, who are crowded in the same way, regard to crowding, with the exception that the Hungarians more often bring their wives with them, while the Poles all bunk together. Some time ago Captain Stewart and Detective Williams had occasion to make an arrest of a Slav on the Welsh road. The house only had two small rooms. In the upper room 11 men slept, and in the lower room 22. On entering, the stench that arose was so offensive that the men were almost overcome.

ALLEGHENY IN GOOD SHAPE. The Health Officials Don't Wait for Disease to Break Out. For some time past reports were entertained by Alleghenians that parts of the city were in a terrible state of wretchedness and squalor. It was blated that certain localities were in urgent need of sanitary inspection. Reports were circulated that several houses were overcrowded with people living in misery and filth. An investigation was instituted, and information elicited from reliable sources stating that there was no cause for alarm. Health Officer Bradley said: "There is not a bit of foulness in the city. Through inspection has been made of every locality and not a single case discovered that is open to complaint." Mr. Bradley's assistants stated that no complaint had reached them, and every ward was found to be in healthy sanitary order.

ROBBED A POOR WIDOW. Mrs. George Davidson and Her Four Children. Mrs. George Davidson, a widow, with four little children, are sleeping to-night in the hospital department of the Central station. She lives at Du Bois, and is on her way back from a visit to an elder son, who is a miser at Blossburg. Mrs. Davidson reached the Lake Erie depot yesterday afternoon and laid her suitcase, containing her purse, on a seat. While her attention was attracted for a moment, some sneaking thief walked away with her suitcase, leaving her penniless. The party will be sent home to-day.

Has a Baby to Give Away. Miss Porter, Actress of the Children's Aid Society, Dispensary building, Sixth avenue, has in her charge a bright and attractive little girl of 14 months of age, for whom the society is looking for a home in a family of kind and loving people. Her earnings, however, are not her own, and must be turned over as a part of his board.

LAWYERS FOR PAUPERS. Work Which Has Been Performed by the State Poor Commission. STARTLING DISCOVERIES MADE. Some Indigent People Put Out to Board to the Lowest Bidders. THE NORTHWEST YET TO BE VISITED.

A meeting of the State Poor Law Commission was called to be held in this city next Monday, but it has been postponed until September. Some of the members of the commission are expected to attend the Republican State Convention, and others find that business will claim their attention at present. It was intended to hold only a short session here, and then to visit Armstrong, Butler, Mercer, Lawrence, Venango, Crawford and Erie counties to look into the operations of the poor laws there. This tour of the western counties will now be deferred to September.

This commission and the work it is doing have been the subject of much criticism by the citizens of the Commonwealth. Its mission is one of much importance, not to taxpayers only, but to all the people. It was appointed by Governor Beaver, under an act of May, 1880, to prepare a general poor law which shall operate in all the counties of the Commonwealth alike or nearly alike. The members of the commission are: Hon. Lewis Pugh, President, of Scranton; John Nevin Hill, of Northumberland; William Lawson, of Philadelphia; William N. Appel, of Lancaster; William Edward Marshall, of York; and John G. McGinnis, of Allegheny. Elliott Rodgers, the young attorney of this city, is secretary of the commission. President Pugh was for two terms a member of the General Assembly and afterward was a delegate to the Constitutional Convention of the Commonwealth. He is a heavy manufacturer in Scranton and has for many years been a member of the Scranton Poor Board.

THE OTHER MEMBERS. Judge Rowe was formerly on the bench in Franklin county and is an experienced lawyer. Mr. Hill is a lawyer in Subury, and has made the study of poor law a specialty. After the death of the late Mayor of New York has such a law, which has been carefully studied by the commissioners, and they have found that it has operated to the benefit of the poor. The members of the commission have divided the work among themselves, each man being directed to study and prepare the law on a certain branch of the general subject. After the 1st of September it will not require much time to put the results into definite form. During the summer each member will pursue his special inquiries. The law must be ready to be introduced in November or December of this year, and the governor will transmit the bill to the General Assembly in January, 1891. The commission has studied the poor laws of those States which have recent general enactments, and has taken testimony from the State Board of Charities and the State Board of Health, and where their operations produce the greatest hardships and inequalities of justice.

CHARGE TWO PERSONS WITH KEEPING DISORDERLY PLACES ON WYOMING AVENUE. Alice Reppell, an Italian woman, who lives near the eastern extremity of Wyoming avenue, and M. N. Dougherty, of the same neighborhood, were lodged in jail last night on information entered by Captain Washart charging them with keeping disorderly houses. The informations were entered before Alderman Bell. Mrs. Reppell is a young married woman and has two children. On their account Agent Dean was obliged to keep them at the jail until the hearing on Monday.

NOT JUNE MEETING. President Holland, of the Academy of Science and Art, announced a circular stating that the call for a June meeting would be made. There is no business to be transacted. The academy has secured the Thaw mansion at a low rate.

MONTOUCH HEADQUARTERS. COR. FIFTH AVE. AND WOOD ST. The Committee on Transportation for the trip to convention at Harrisburg would announce that excursion train, a circular stating that the call for a June meeting would be made. There is no business to be transacted. The academy has secured the Thaw mansion at a low rate.

SHADYSIDE ACAD. The commencement exercises of Shadyside Academy will be held in the chapel of Shadyside Church Tuesday evening, June 24, at 8 o'clock. The examination of candidates for admission as pupils to that term will be held at the academy building Wednesday morning, June 25, at 9 o'clock. For further information apply to Prof. W. R. Crabbe, Principal, Shadyside.

Attention! Democratic Voters. Go to the polls Saturday afternoon, June 21, (Go to 7 o'clock and vote for the delegate to the convention of the Democratic Party.)

Little Benches for Little Darlings. 1,500 children's magnificent white lawn and gingham dresses, just arrived and where he care, save that he must depart out of their borders. If he moves into an adjoining township there also he will be harassed in the same manner. These little benches are supported in idleness. Some of the overseers, who were disposed to cling to the system, admitted that it would be better for such fellows if there was county poorhouse. They could be sent there and compelled to work. Still, the overseers said, "It would cost more to have a poorhouse." Before the commission went to Monroe county its members heard that papers were auctioned there. They could hardly believe it, but their investigations satisfied them that the system might be not incoherent spoken of as an anomaly. A terrible state of affairs was discovered.

When persons become a pauper the overseers immediately look about to find what family will board that pauper at the lowest rate. They generally have many other poor people in their charge, and regard to his character, gets the pauper and takes him away. The taxpayers of the township all are anxious to have that unfortunate pauper removed from their township without rate. Sometimes the overseers take the job themselves, especially if the pauper be a child.

WHAT BOARD COSTS. The boarding paid for adults is from \$1.50 to \$2.00 a week, and for children usually \$1.00 a week. One of the bad features of the system is that the people who take the pauper to board are often the meanest and poorest in the township, little better than paupers themselves. The unfortunate gets the worst kind of food and the meanest clothing, but must be kept out of the grave as long as possible, in order that he may bring revenue to the family. If he may never be able to get on his feet, he is sent to the almshouse, where he will be sold by the township.

WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH DAN McWILLIAMS? He's all right, and will be one of the Democratic nominees for County Commissioner. Here, Grier, This! Catch You. 900 beautiful white blouses, all the good and style, and will be sold by Kaufmann & Way at 75c.

A ROMANTIC SUICIDE. The Sad Fate of a Young German Girl Who Flew From Fatherland WITH THE LOVER OF HER CHOICE. After Several Separations She Becomes Utterly Despondent AND TAKES A BIG DOSE OF PARIS GREEN.

About noon yesterday Emma Schmetzer, a German girl, died at the Southside Hospital, in horrible agony, as the result of taking a very large dose of paris green. At the hospital she was very restless in regard to the cause of her suffering; the poison, and endeavored to cover up every clue to her identity. These facts, with several other curious things in connection with her death, led to an investigation last night, which resulted in disclosing some interesting facts of a romantic nature. For some little time the girl has been staying with Mrs. Kosky, a German friend living at No. 26 on the Welsh road. The latter lady could assign no cause for the death, and would not talk much regarding the matter. However, after some search a lady named Mrs. Kinzer, who lives nearby, was found, who knew the girl well and to whom she had told the story of her life.

Miss Schmetzer came to this country about two months ago on a strange quest. Her father is an attaché of the German Government, and it is said, stands high in social circles. His daughter was quite a belle, but cared naught for the suitors of her father's choice, and elastically met a young mechanic. At last they resolved to elope to America. After landing in Philadelphia, they became separated and followed each other to Camden, N. J. They finally reached Pittsburgh, where the girl and her lover expected to be married, but for some cause matters did not go right, and the young man went to Cleveland and left the girl behind. She has worked for some time to obtain money to allow her lover to go to Cleveland, and last Thursday night her trunk packed ready to start. She left her room at Mrs. Kosky's early in the evening, to get her ticket, as she said. The family heard her come in after they had retired, and did not imagine that anything was wrong until they heard screams about 5 o'clock yesterday morning and found her writhing in agony.

Whether she had received a letter from the young man which led her to the rash act, or was suddenly seized with a fit of melancholy as a result of her futile efforts to meet her lover, is a mystery, and probably will ever be, as she left no explanation.

Attention! Look! We are offering now the best bargains in pianos and organs that ever were offered in the city. Our special run of bright new upright pianos at \$100 has met with such favor and rapid sale that we have brought from the manufacturer and opened up a large lot of them in different styles of cases. All these pianos are warranted to be made of hard and solid domestic iron woods. We also have a very large stock of second-hand pianos and organs that are closing out regardless of price. When we say this we mean that we have organs from \$10 to \$25 and upward and piano at \$25 to \$50 upward, and everyone of these instruments is good for many years' use; in addition to the above, don't forget that we are the only place in the city where you can buy the matches Decker Bros., the superb Knabe artist piano and the sweet-toned popular Fischer piano, the world-renowned Easton and the artistic Story & Clark—constellation of stars in their line that cannot be found outside of Hamilton's of hard and solid domestic iron woods. We also have a very large stock of second-hand pianos and organs that are closing out regardless of price. When we say this we mean that we have organs from \$10 to \$25 and upward and piano at \$25 to \$50 upward, and everyone of these instruments is good for many years' use; in addition to the above, don't forget that we are the only place in the city where you can buy the matches Decker Bros., the superb Knabe artist piano and the sweet-toned popular Fischer piano, the world-renowned Easton and the artistic Story & Clark—constellation of stars in their line that cannot be found outside of Hamilton's of hard and solid domestic iron woods.

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