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LIVE NEWS OF TWO PITTSTONS

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BRUTALLY ASSAULTED.

W. J. Hepburn, of the Junction Office of the L. V. R. R., the Victim.

A dastardly attempt to murder W. J. Hepburn, of the Lehigh Valley telegraph office, was made late Wednesday night. Mr. Hepburn came to this place during the strike and obtained work in the company's offices at the Lehigh and Wilkes-Barre junction. He secured board with the family of Frank Zeigler on the West Side, near the west end of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad bridge. The bridge being on a direct line from the office, Mr. Hepburn made it a practice to take a short cut across the bridge, while going and returning from work, in deference to going around by way of the foot bridges. On the night in question he was returning from his boarding house to the office, and had gotten about three-fourths way across when he was accosted by three suspicious looking men, who were going in an opposite direction. As it is customary for people to cross the bridge, Mr. Hepburn paid no attention to the fellows until one of them upon reaching him suddenly let drive his hand, in what it is supposed was a "black jack," and caught Hepburn on the head.

The blow was so sudden and unexpected that Mr. Hepburn scarcely realized what happened to him until he found himself lying prostrate across the ties, with the blood streaming from a gash in the forehead. The would be murderers next pounced upon him and after kicking and beating him unmercifully, attempted to end him by throwing the unfortunate man into the rushing waters below.

The fact of the ties being several inches apart made it very difficult for the villians, as they were compelled to use much caution while pursuing their work.

Suffering terribly as he was, and realizing his life depended solely on his own exertion, Hepburn fought as best he could with what strength remained. He finally succeeded in tearing himself away and made his escape to the East side. The villians pursued him closely until they reached the end, when they gave up the chase.

The wounded man went to the Lackawanna and Bloomsburg Junction where he had his injuries dressed, after which he was removed to his boarding house where he lies in a precarious condition.

A number of men from the Junction hurried to the bridge, but failed to discover any clue of the villains who committed the assault; and notwithstanding the neighborhood has been thoroughly searched, they are still at large.

Hepburn is at a loss to known who his assailants are as it was too dark to obtain a clear view of their faces. The impression is they are sympathizers of the strikers who had determined an avenge for Hepburn going to work during the late udpleasantness between the railroad company and its employes. The case has been placed in the hands of the companys' detective and should their guilt be established the case will go hard with them as the officials of the company are determined to protect their employes at all hazards.

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DEATH OF GERALD HILLERS.

Heart Trouble Ends the Career of a Well Known Citizen.

After a year's illness Gerald Hillers, of the West Side, passed peacefully away yesterday morning at the advanced age of 73 years from heart failure. While not confined to his bed all the while he was never led to believe he would recover and when the final summons came it found him prepared.

He was a native of Enden, Prussia, but during a varied career travelled extensively, and he had visited nearly all parts of the world before he came to Pittston. This was twenty-five years ago and he has resided here ever since. He was a member of the Methodist church, and resided on Delaware avenue. He is susvived by Mrs. Hillers, one son, Charles W., of Tennessee, and one daughter, Mrs. Frank Williams of this place.

HENRY SCHOEPHALS, foreman Henry Krug Packing company, St. Joseph's, Mo., uses Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil with his men for sprains, cuts, bruises chapped hands, etc. It is the best. **

POSTOFFICE APPOINTMENT.

John H. Mullin Captures the Much-Coveted Prize After a Hard Fight.

The agony is over and there is much rejoicing among the friends of John H. Mullin over a telegram received here between 3 and 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon announcing his appointment as postmaster. The contest, which has been alluded to on several occasions in these columns, has been an exceedingly warm one and so active have been the several candidates that each aspirant felt confident up to the last. The struggle started after the fall election of 1892.

Mr. Mullin is fully qualified in every respect to handle the business of the office, having filled several offices of trust in the gift of the people. He has but a short time since retired from the office of tax receiver, which he filled with marked ability for the past two years.

THINGS OBSERVED AND NOTED.

Postmaster John H. Mullin, appointed yesterday, will find it difficult to make improvement on the administration and business methods that have marked the present incumbent's official conduct and discharge of his duties. During the four years that Colonel Campbell has held the office there has been maintained, thanks to his unceasing attention and vigilance, a high degree of excellence in the postal work of the Pittston office. Increased facilities for speedy communication with adjacent towns, with which this place has large dealings, additional deliveries and collections especially for the business portion of the town, uniform courtesy and attention on the part of the employes, are some few of the qualities which have characterized Postmaster Campbell's handling of the business of the office, and have established a high standard of excellence that will tax his successor to sustain.

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"Has the Seventh ward a representative in council" is the question that is being discussed by many of the residents of that ward. At the late election George B. Reap received an almost unanimous vote in the Seventh ward for the office of councilman. But was there a vacancy? A year ago Andrew H. Allen was elected councilman from the old Fourth ward. He was then a resident of that portion of the ward which today is the Seventh ward and after the new division of the borough into additional wards retained his seat in, and acted as a member of council. A couple of months prior to election Mr. Allen removed from this place to Dunmore. Even after his removal he attended council meetings. He, however, never formally resigned his membership, perhaps from lack of opportunity, as the council failed to meet to give him a chance to present his resignation. Therefore, as he was elected for a term of three years, never resigned and his seat was never declared vacant, the question naturally arises was there any vacancy in the Seventh ward for the electors to fill.

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How many of our new councilmen have been sworn in? The writer noticed at Monday evening's meeting that several of the new members who had taken no part in the afternoon proceedings at the Eagle hotel, took their seats and participated in the business of the council without going through the formality of either presenting a certificate of election or of taking an oath of office. Probably when the new machine takes a fresh start next Monday evening somebody will give Chairman Mangan a gentle reminder of the omission of this usually precedent formality. Of course, as the members who were not sworn, are not reformers, the necessity for the rectifying of this very grave omission will at once impress itself upon the vigilant and watchful reform officials who are now steering our local ship of state.

Chemical Action of the Sea.

A little consideration will show that all the known chemical elements—and even the unknown ones, too—must be contained in solution in the waters of the ocean.

Rivers flowing over the land are continually taking up mineral matter in solution, and these substances are all added to the mass of materials dissolved in the oceanic waters. The Thames every day carries to the North sea some 2,000 tons of dissolved material, and if all the rivers of the globe work at something like the same rate 20,000,000 tons of mineral matter must day by day be added to the store of materials held in solution by the ocean.

It is true that the chemist, by his most refined methods of analysis, is unable to detect the proportion, even if he is able to determine the presence, of the rarer elementary substances which occur only as "minute traces" in sea water. When a large quantity of sea water is evaporated, we get a mass of chlorides and sulphates that can be separated by analysis, but even the very delicate tests of spectral analysis fail to make manifest many of the rarer metals and other elementary bodies that must certainly be present in the mass. In a well known case the copper sheathing of a vessel has been proved to have taken up silver from the sea water by electro-chemical action, though it is probable that all our ordinary analytical processes would have failed to reveal the existence of the metal in the water itself.—Fortnightly Review.

Flying Foxes and Bats.

The flying foxes are relished as food by the inhabitants of the countries where they are found, and certainly a creature which lives on fruit ought to be good eating. Their heads are wonderfully like that of a miniature fox, and their large eyes suggest that they find their way by sight, of which sense the small insectivorous bats would seem to be almost independent, as blinded specimens, in the experiments of Spallanzani, proved to be able to avoid obstacles to their flight as easily as those which could see.

This power bats owe to their highly developed sense of touch, the large sensitive surface offered to the atmosphere by the broad naked wings enabling them to perceive an object before they touch it, probably by the difference in the resistance of the air. And the huge ears and complicated nose appendages found in so many insectivorous species also subserve the purpose of guidance, though they certainly do not add to the animal's appearance, the facial aspect of some bats being past description hideous, while they are just as offensive to the nose as to the eye.—Chambers' Journal.

Mother—Back already? Well, I'm glad it's over. Did the tooth hurt much when it was pulled?

Small Son—I—I didn't have it out.

"What? Didn't you go to the dentist?"

"Yes'm, but there was two people ahead of me."

"Why didn't you wait?"

"I—I was 'fraid they'd feel 'shamed if I staid and heard them holler."—Good News.

Criticising a Young Lady.

"She would be a pretty girl for but one thing."

"What's that?" asked Charley.

George—Her face is always covered with purple and red blotches.

Charley—Oh, that's easily enough disposed of. Used to be the same way myself, but I caught on to the trouble one day, and got rid of it in no time.

George—What was it?

Charley—Simply blood eruptions. Took a short course of P. P. P. I tell you, it's the boss blood corrector. The governor had rheumatism so bad that you could hear him holler clear across the country every time he moved. He tried it, and you know what an athletic old gent he is now. If somebody would give Miss Daisy a pointer, she would thank them afterwards. All the drug stores sell it. **

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New York Produce Market.

NEW YORK, March 8.—FLOUR—Steady, light demand.

WHEAT—Dull, easier; No. 2 red store and elevator, 62⅞a63⅜c.; afloat, 63⅜c.; f. o. b., 63a64⅛c.; ungraded red, 59a64c.; No. 1 northern, 69½c.; options closed firm at ⅛a⅝c. under yesterday: March, 62⅛c.; May, 64¼c.; June, 65⅝c.; July, 66⅝c.; August, 67⅝c.; September, 68⅝c.; December, 71⅝c.

CORN—Dull, firm: No. 2, 43⅛c.; elevator, 44⅛c., options, dull, firm, with prices ½c. down; March, 43⅝c.; April, 43⅝c.; May, 42¾c.; July, 44⅝c.

OATS—Irregular, active; options, dull, steady; March, 36c.; April, 35⅝c.; May, 35⅝c.; No. 2 white, March, 39½c.; spot prices No. 2, 37⅞a37⅝c.; No. 2 white, 39a39½c.; No. 2 Chicago, 38⅝c.; No. 3, 36⅝c.; No. white do. 37a⅞a38c.; mixed western, 38a38½c.; white do., 40a43c.; white state, 40a43c.

BEEF—Steady.

BEEF HAMS—Quiet.

TIERCED BEEF—Inactive, steady.

CUT MEATS—Dull, easy.

LARD—Quiet, easy, unchanged; refined, dull; continent $7.80; South America, $8.820; compound, 6a6½c.

PORK—Dull, steady.

BUTTER—Steady; western dairy, 12a16c.; elgins, 21a21½c.; Pennsylvania creamery, 21½a22c.

CHEESE—Firm, fair demand; state large, 9¾a12c.; fancy, 11¾a12c.; do. small, 10¼a10c.

EGGS—Firm, fair demand; Pennsylvania, 18a18½c.; western fresh, 18c.; southern, 15½a16c.

Philadelphia Tallow Market.

PHILADELPHIA, March 8.—Tallow was quiet and steady. Prices were. Prime city, in hogsheads, 4⅛c.; prime country, in hogsheads, 4⅛c.; do. dark, in hogsheads, 4⅛c.; cakes, 5c.; grease, 4¼c.

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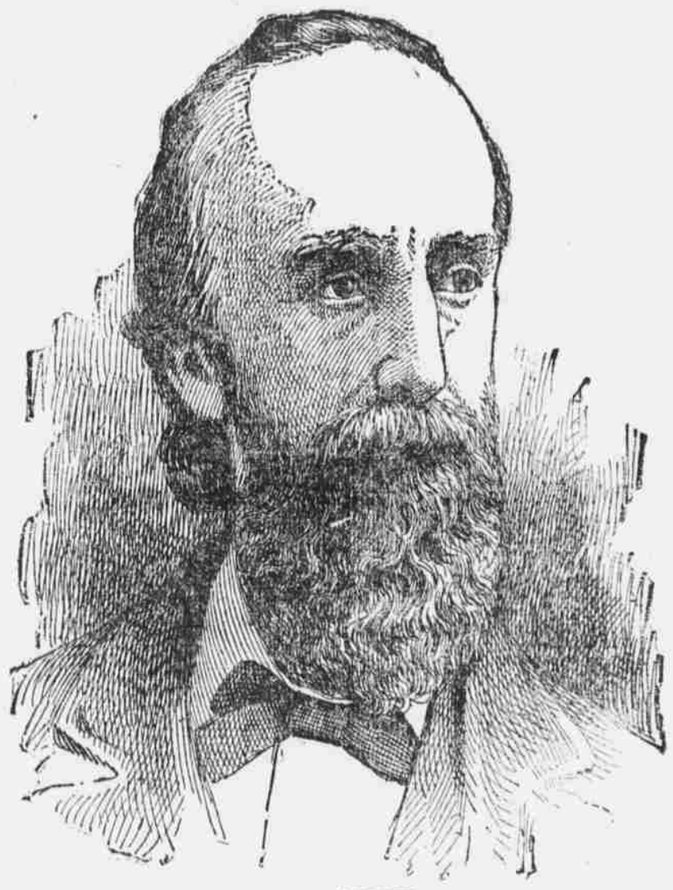

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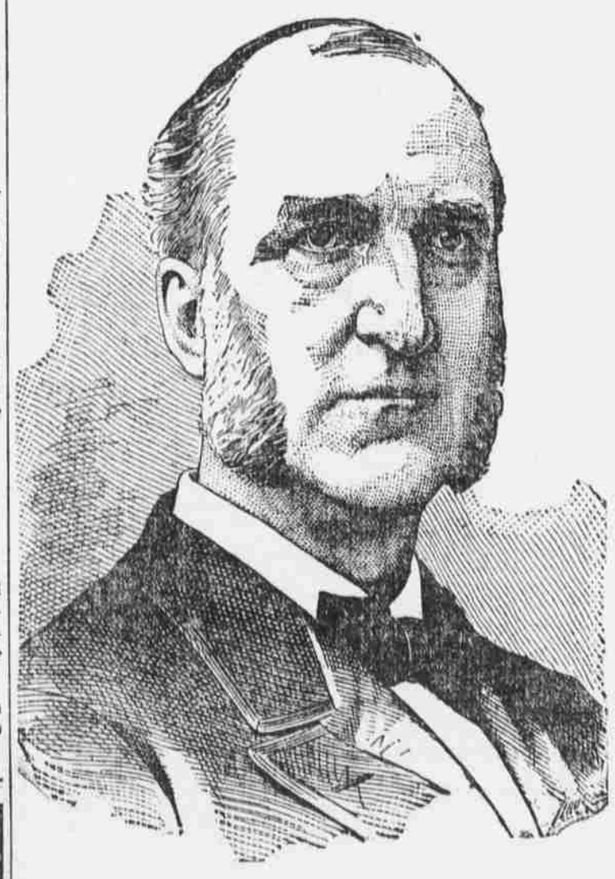

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