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PERSONAL.

F. A. Miller, of Binghamton, is at the Westminister. W. Kittredge, of Tonkhanock, was in this city yesterday. J. D. Weston, of Honesdale, was in Scranton yesterday. John Hickey, of Binghamton, is spending a few days in the city. Miss Estelle Edmiston, of Lock Haven, is visiting friends in the city. Fred Forbes, of the Carbonate Herald, was in the city last evening. Thomas English, of Pittston, was engaged on business here yesterday. Frank Ames, of Binghamton, was yesterday calling on Scranton friends. Alderman S. S. Jones, of Carbonate, paid a business visit to this city yesterday. E. F. Forber, chief of the fire department, has returned from a business trip to New York city. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Award, of Bloomsburg; John A. Miller, of Brantford, and C. W. Lamb, of Binghamton, are at the Valley House. L. F. Camp, Mrs. C. D. Camp, W. D. Beers, C. E. Lipscomb, E. N. Ernie and William Leverett, all of Wilkes-Barre, were in Scranton yesterday. John J. Murphy, of the South Side, who is taking a law course at Georgetown college, Washington, D. C., is in the city. Mr. Murphy came with P. H. O'Donnell, the Georgetown orator, who delivered an address in College hall last night, under the auspices of the Young Men's institute. Samuel B. Palmer, of Scranton, representing the Horseheads, N. Y., bridge company, was in Scranton yesterday, accompanied by Frank Miller, county commissioner of Monroe county. Mr. Palmer's visit was for the purpose of investigating for his company this city's contemplated bridge construction.

NORTH END.

The funeral of Mrs. Margaret Lovren took place from the home of her son-in-law on West Market street yesterday and was very largely attended. Her remains were conveyed from her home to St. Mary's church, where a high mass of requiem was celebrated. Interment was made in Hyde Park Catholic cemetery. Samuel Lewis, late of the First Artillery, United States army, has accepted a position with the Commonwealth insurance company, of Philadelphia. John Banford was arraigned before Alderman Horan on the charge of assaulting an old man named Patrick O'Horo, living on North Main avenue. The assault took place in the Bristol house. Banford was held in \$300 bail for his appearance at court. Joan J. Morris went his bail. E. I. Richards visited friends in Olyphant on Wednesday. Frank Getts, of Dickson city, had Lucas and Ralph Lake, of the latter place, arrested and taken before Alderman Horan for assaulting him near Carter's factory. The quarrel arose over Getts paying attention to Lucas's daughter. The father was apparently opposed to him and hence the row. The weapon used by Lucas was a short sword, which caused several cuts, testing to the indiscriminate use of same. Defendants were held in \$300 bail, W. E. Carter becoming their bond. David Jones, of North Main avenue, returned home from Philadelphia yesterday. Michael Paul, formerly of this place, has returned home from Tombstone, Ariz., where he has been sojourning for the past two years. A boy named Anthony Rochford found a new box such as is used on trains, set opposite Miller's beef house, in the bushes along the track. Five Wilkes-Barre records of March 12 were in the box, also a number of novels and magazines, and a boy's Western Union cap. Apparently there must have been a theft. Sergeant Spellman was notified and duly reported the matter.

DUNMORE.

Pequet Tribe, No. 387, Improved Order of Red Men and the many friends crowded the Old Fellows' hall last night, the occasion being in honor of the tribe's first anniversary. The celebration opened with a grand entertainment. The Red Men appeared in costume and entertained the audience in genuine Indian style. Speeches by prominent members on the methods and purposes of the order were made and musical selections, recitations, etc., were interspersed throughout the program. After the entertainment an elaborate supper was served. The guests of the tribe were about 100. The tribe was organized just one year ago, and since then has enjoyed enviable prosperity. Its members are composed of Dunmore's most prominent persons and about ninety are enrolled upon the records as members in good standing. The ladies of the Baptist church will give a supper on the evening of March 20. Mrs. Carey Hensen and Mrs. Duffrey, of Carbonate, are visiting at the home of Mrs. S. J. Knapp. Officer Phillips' Statement. Special Officer Phillips has addressed the following letter to Mayor Connell: Dear Sir—On Saturday morning, March 10, at about 3 o'clock, while standing on the corner of Clay avenue and Vine street, I heard two gun shots discharged. I thought they came from the corner of Webster avenue and Vine street, and looked up and down the street, but could see no one. I then gave one tap with my club and walked about fifty yards down Webster avenue, when Mr. Bradbury's son raised the window of his residence, and inquired of him where the shooting was. He acknowledged that he had done it himself, and in answer to my questions said that he had chickens stolen on several nights previous, and that hearing a noise in the chicken coop he took it to be a thief at work and fired two shots with the intention of frightening him away, but discovered immediately after shooting that it was only a man and two large dogs, which at once ran to the premises. I then recalled having seen the dog run down the street a few minutes before, and went on about my business. Yours truly, JOHN PHILLIPS, Special Officer.

NEWS FROM WEST SIDE

Happenings of a Day That Will Interest Hyde Park Readers.

ENTERTAINMENT BY CHI UPSILONS

Dedication of Company F's New Armory—Obsequies Over the Remains of Mrs. Mary Campbell and Mrs. Margaret Harney—Supper Given to the Members of Miss Jennie Lewis' Sunday School Class.

[The West Side office of the SCRANTON TRIBUNE is located at 125 South Main avenue, where subscriptions, advertisements and communications will receive prompt attention.]

The friends and members of the Washburn Street Presbyterian church were treated to an entertainment of a most novel nature last evening in the church parlors. The affair was given free, under the auspices of the Chi Upsilon society, an organization under the charge and direction of the pastor. A large number assembled, and the entertainment throughout was of a very pleasing nature. During the performance selections were well rendered by the Harvis string quartette and the Morse mandolin and guitar club, consisting of Messrs. Morse, Rodrick Carr and Ed. Vall. A trio, consisting of the Messrs. Sanders, Jones, and W. J. Davies, sang sweetly. A violin solo by Fred Widmayer was well given. Walter Davies was the accompanist.

Soldier Boys Ball.

Company F dedicated their new armory last evening by giving a grand ball to their friends. The hall is handsomely decorated, being neatly papered and painted. In addition to this the soldier boys had made elaborate decorations and contrived every means for the pleasure and comfort of their guests. About 9 o'clock the grand march was begun and soon after the merry dancers were fitting around the room to music by Professor Johnson on the piano. It was far into the morning before the party dispersed.

Mrs. Campbell Buried.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Campbell, an aged lady, who came to an untimely death on Tuesday morning by burns, took place yesterday morning from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Cavley, on Grant avenue. The remains were taken to St. Patrick's church, where Rev. Father Duane celebrated a high mass of requiem. Interment was made in the Hyde Park Catholic cemetery. The pallbearers were John Cavley, Patrick Gibbons, Thomas Hart, Peter Larkin, Patrick McIlough and Hugh Gerrity.

Funeral of Mrs. Harney.

The funeral of Mrs. Margaret Harney, who died at the home of her son, Michael Harney, of Ninth street, on Wednesday afternoon, will occur tomorrow morning at 7 o'clock. Rev. Father Walsh will officiate. The remains will be taken to Stroudsburg on the 8 a. m. train for interment. Mrs. Harney was 73 years of age and the mother of Morris Harney, section boss at Lehigh. She was a woman of firm Christian principles and well known on this side.

Class Entertainment.

Miss Jennie Lewis, of Ernon street, who conducts a Sunday school class at the Plymouth Congregational church, invited its members, which consisted of Messrs. W. E. Johns, Albert Carson, Thomas Erwin, John Stover, Gomer Reese, Robert Harris, Erwin and Lewis, Daniel Higgins, to supper at her home on Wednesday evening. The men were an excellent one and was most heartily enjoyed. The remainder of the evening was spent in a social manner. A vote of thanks was tendered Miss Lewis for her generosity.

Miscellaneous News Notes.

Mrs. H. S. Brown, of North Sumner avenue, who has been under an operation at a medical hospital at Philadelphia for several weeks, returned home on Wednesday evening much recovered. George Bonars, of South Main avenue, who has been confined to his home for several weeks with a broken bone in his leg, was able yesterday to make his first appearance at the office since the accident. A surprise party was given John Hale at his home on South Main avenue on Wednesday evening by his friends in honor of his term of twenty-five years as foreman at the Ballerine shaft. The Bellevue Glee club furnished music. Refreshments were served at a seasonable hour. The Epworth league of the Simpson Methodist Episcopal church will hold an entertainment and social on March 23. A private masquerade party will be given in Meers' hall on March 28 by the Sir Knights of Pleasure. The Twilight Social club will give their seventh annual ball in Meers' hall on Monday evening, March 30. The closing exercises of No. 31 night school were held last evening, commencing at 7 o'clock. An interesting program was rendered. Mrs. Sarah Jones, of Wanamie, is the guest of friends on South Sumner avenue. Miss Genevieve Reynolds, of Jackson street, is ill.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

[Under this heading short letters of interest will be published when accompanied for publication by the writer and if the Tribune will not be held responsible for opinions here expressed.]

As to Sunday Closing.

DEAR SIR—Look not every man to his own good only, but also to the good of others. Please permit me to say to the many readers of THE TRIBUNE, regarding the Sunday closing movement, recently inaugurated by the Pastor's Union of Scranton, that it is not only to close "places offensive to the community on Sundays," as one paper reports it, but its chief object is to help the many who desire to rest on the Lord's day but cannot without giving up their employment every day. An objection to their doing unnecessary work Sundays by employees would in most cases probably result in immediate discharge. But a protest, or request, backed by the law, from thousands of Christian men and women, in behalf of those who need such assistance, will have a very different effect. Therefore, the writer hopes church forces and other organizations of every name will so combine their great influence and efforts in favor of the protection of the day for worship and rest—for employes as well as employers—that no one in Scranton nor Duane will have cause to cry out, "No man careth for my soul."

J. G. BONE.

Dunmore, Pa., March 15.

A GRAND BALL will be held tonight by Division No. 7, A. O. H., at Music Hall. Tickets 50 cents. Mammoth excursion to St. Patrick's Day parade in Wilkes-Barre, over D. & H. road, 9:30, Bridge street depot. Tickets 50 cents, good until Monday.

IDEA BEEN ABANDONED

Excelsior Athletic Club Will Not Conduct an Association Tournament.

THE USUAL MEET WILL BE HELD

Entries from New York, Brooklyn, Philadelphia, Baltimore, and Washington, D. C.—Will Eclipse All Former Tournaments of the Scranton Excelsior Athletic Club—The Atlantic Events Abandoned.

The Excelsior Athletic club, of this city, has abandoned the intention of managing the annual events of the Atlantic Association of Amateur Athletes. The Atlantic association comprises Pennsylvania, New Jersey south of Trenton, and the rest of the southern states bordering on the coast. Athletic clubs are organized within this territory are eligible to membership in the Atlantic association. Every year the association conducts a general tournament in the city on the circuit, guaranteeing a successful affair.

This year the Excelsior club was invited to conduct it, and the Academy of Music was rented for two nights, April 9 and 10, from Manager Burgunder. When a club takes this responsibility from the association, a guarantee of 50 per cent of the profits must be made to the association's treasurer, of the officers of the club, and no compensation is expected for this bonus. The club having the tournament on hand must labor singly and secure all entries on its own accord. Up to date not a single entry has been received by the Excelsiors and no brighter prospect is seen. Therefore, at a meeting held Wednesday night it was decided to abandon the idea of an association tournament and on the dates already mentioned run one of their own, such as they have done in the past.

WILL ASK FOR RELEASE

President Joseph J. McNally will leave for Philadelphia next Wednesday, accompanied by John J. Collins, of the club, and advise the officers of the association of the change in the program. Mr. Collins will ask the board of directors to release the Excelsior Athletic club from the contract. It is expected to come off here, all boxes entering the lists are required to pay their own expenses. The most of the amateur working men unable to attend the outlay necessary, especially in coming from a distance. This is the reason advanced for the lack of interest in the championship tournament proposed for this city.

It will be different with them in the case of a club tournament. There is no percentage of gate receipts guaranteed to anybody outside the club, and all the proceeds go into the club's treasury. Consequently all who desire to enter the contest are sure at the outset that their expenses to and from home will be paid in case they carry off the honors in their respective classes. Defeat is one's lot, and expect nothing. President McNally will go from Philadelphia to Trenton, thence to New York and Brooklyn. He will pick up entries as he goes along and expects to get some first class men before returning. The Metropolitan Union of New York City, which was debarred from the association tournament will furnish some first class entries. Mr. Collins assured a TRIBUNE reporter that the coming event under the auspices of the club will eclipse anything that could have been done by them if they pushed the association tournament.

WEIGHTS OF FIGHTERS

The weights arranged are as follows: 105, 120, 135, 145, and 155 pound boys. As yet nothing in the wrestling line has been looked for, and it is hardly possible that there will be any arrangements made for such bouts. Seven numbers will be given each night.

AMUSEMENT NOTES.

Of Frank Mayo's "Davy Crockett" but little need be said. It is a character peculiarly his own, and its subdued quality, its numberless fine shades of feeling, its wholly new sense of the more masculine quality of heroism and yet its admirable and constant suggestions of physical prowess, its nice presentation of the traits of the backwoodsman, his dialect, his manners and his mental simplicity, all strike one as evidence of unusual talent and fine artistic method. Tomorrow night Scrantonians will have an opportunity of seeing Mr. Mayo.

HOYT'S BRASS MONKEY.

Among other things for which "A Brass Monkey," Charles A. Hoyt's satire on superstition, is noted, is the famous Razzle-Dazzle song that so hit the popular fancy. The famous song is still a feature of "A Brass Monkey," and when that most popular of Hoyt's plays comes to the Academy on Saturday evening next it will be given with its old time vim.

MR. AND MRS. KENDAL COMBO.

There will be but one attraction at the Academy next week, but that will prove one of the best of the season. Manager Burgunder having secured Mr. and Mrs. Kendal for Thursday evening. The sale of seats will begin at the box office Monday morning at 9 o'clock. Their coming has been anticipated with a lively interest for months past, and there is little doubt that this will be one of the most brilliant social as well as artistic dramatic events of the present season. Mr. and Mrs. Kendal will present their leading play, "The Ironmaster."

PARDON FOR FITZPATRICK.

Attorney R. J. Beamish Will Make an Appeal. Application for It. On March 27 Attorney R. J. Beamish will apply to the board of pardons for a pardon for Thomas Fitzpatrick, of Bellevue, who is serving a ten years' sentence in the eastern penitentiary for highway robbery. Fitzpatrick, with a young man named James Sheridan, was convicted in this county of having robbed Patrick Winn on December 23, 1877, in one of the streets of the Eighteenth ward. Judge Hand, on May 3, 1888, sentenced each of them to ten years imprisonment. James Sheridan was pardoned in January.

Special Excursion Rates

To Wilkes-Barre March 17, on account of St. Patrick's day parade and the extended. The Central Railroad of New Jersey will sell tickets from Scranton for 20 cents. Tickets good to go on any train March 17, and good to return on any train to and include March 19, 1894.

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NOTES OF SOUTH SIDE

Happenings of a Day That Will Interest Many Tribune Readers.

WILL COUNCILMEN BE HAMPERED

It is Feared That Connell and Battle Will Meet With Opposition in Proposed Improvements—Stole a Dog. Dr. King to Leave—Personal and News Notes Concerning Events of the Day.

The information given in this column that the councilmen of the Twentieth ward have instructed the city engineer to give estimates for the intended improvement of the principal streets, has set the people talking. There is a disposition to hamper the councilmen on the ground that the streets are good enough for the present. Whether any considerable number of the taxpayers are of this opinion it cannot be reliably stated. It is not many years ago that the streets of the Twentieth ward were in a shape that made traffic over them hazardous. A man could not be found who was willing to invest in building property, and that the condition of the streets had everything to do with keeping home seekers away can not be disputed. At length the more enterprising and aggressive residents, headed by C. J. Boland, M. J. Donahoe, John Gibbons and Thomas J. Moore, organized a crusade, or "war," as it was styled, against the existing inertia. Little by little improvements were made and an epoch of building boom came to hand, and by many the activity of the different industrial plants was credited with the agreeable change. The simple truth is that the improved streets brought about the result. It may be true enough that Charles Pitts and Frank Stevens are able to stand as they do at present, but the expense that will fall on each taxpayer will not be so burdensome that it will cause any groaning.

A Taylor Thief Takes a Dog.

Casper Schelle is looking for the thief who stole his dog. The canine has a pedigree that antedates the French and Indian war, and Casper would not sell it for any price. The thief lives in Taylor and will not be able to make much use of the hound, because Schelle will be vigilant.

A Learned Doctor to Leave Shortly.

Dr. J. W. King will move away from here on Tuesday, March 27. He will locate in either Canador or Akron, N. Y. Dr. King came to the South Side about two years ago. He is a physician of deep learning and has contributed many scientific treatises to the leading medical magazines.

Putting Stones in the Guard Rails.

The employees on the cars on the South Side are not pleased with the capers of certain persons who, among other things, put cobblestones in the space between the main and guard rails. It is fun for the boys, but not for the street car men.

Funeral of Patrick Reilly

The funeral of Patrick Reilly was a very large one yesterday morning. The remains were borne to St. John's church and a high mass of requiem solemnized. Rev. Father Moffit preached a very touching sermon on the uncertainty of death and the need of being at all times prepared. The pall bearers were Joseph Ruane, Martin Langan, John McElough, and John McVarrish.

Picked Up on the Way.

About 900 people from this side are expected to journey to Wilkes-Barre tomorrow. The parade will move from the court house square, in Luzerne's capital, at 11 o'clock. A high mass will be solemnized tomorrow in St. John's church at 8:30 o'clock. Mulhern & Judge added a blooded animal to their stable yesterday afternoon. The equine is said to have a mark of 28. Andrew White, in the employ of the firm, tested the horse's speed yesterday and predicts a successful season for the thoroughbred if its owners place it on the Grand circuit.

Personal.

Patrick Roche's father, from Waverly, N. Y., is visiting him at his residence on Pittston avenue. Mrs. J. W. King is visiting in Plymouth. Mrs. Herman, a sister of the late Stephen Gutwirth, will leave this morning for her home in Manhattan, Ill.

Scranton's Business Interests.

The TRIBUNE will soon publish a carefully compiled and classified list of the leading wholesale, banking, manufacturing and professional interests of Scranton and vicinity. The edition will be bound in book form, beautifully illustrated with photographic views of our public buildings, business blocks, streets, etc., together with portraits of leading citizens. No similar work has ever given an equal representation of Scranton's many industries. It will be an invaluable exposition of our business resources. Sent to persons outside the city, copies of this handsome work will attract new comers and be an unequalled advertisement of the city. The circulation is on a plan that cannot fail of good results to the city as well as the city at large. Representatives of THE TRIBUNE will call upon those whose names are desired in this edition and explain its nature and value. Those desiring views of their residences in this edition will please have notice at the office.

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HORACE E. HAND, Attorney and Counselor.

I have carefully examined the reprint of the Edinburgh edition of the Encyclopedia Britannica offered by THE TRIBUNE, in 35 volumes, and find it thoroughly reliable, being a copy of the original with American articles and supplemental matter written up to date and later maps, besides being in volumes more convenient to handle.

CHAS. S. E. ROBINSON, Pastor Second Memorial Presbyterian Church.

I am always glad to recommend a good thing. I have used with great satisfaction the ninth edition of the Encyclopedia Britannica, and it would be among the very last of my books with which I would consent to part. Its articles are written by men entitled to speak with authority. It is a storehouse of information which was rarely valuable in vain. The opportunity to consult such a work daily is certainly valuable, and association with such men as its index catalogues can be but ennobling. WALTER H. BEKLE, Principal school of the Lackawanna.

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