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CITY NOTES.

—Tribune readers leaving for their summer's vacation can have their favorite paper sent to them without extra cost, by notifying this office of the desired change in the paper's address. Additional local on page 1.

This evening a special meeting of the board of control will be held.

Today the Hook and Ladder company will hold its annual picnic at Wabler's grove.

Edward O'Malley, M. T. Howley and M. E. Handley spent yesterday afternoon at Mill Creek.

"Critics" interesting letter on local military matters will be found on the eighth page of this issue.

Messrs. Roll-Ex, Sharp, Douglas, Murphy and McLaughlin, of Wilkes-Barre, were visitors to the city yesterday.

Two yard engines collided in the Erie and Wyoming Valley yard, at Danmore, Saturday. Both were badly damaged.

A South Side car became unmanageable on Lackawanna avenue yesterday morning and ran into a Green Ridge car, slightly damaging it.

Miss Kramer led the gospel service at the Young Women's Christian association rooms yesterday afternoon. The topic discussed was, "Bible."

The Scranton Traction company has begun the work of laying a cross over at Penn avenue and Linden street to connect the sections of its Linden street double track.

The funeral of Maggie, the 2 years and 6 months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Murray, of Linden street, took place yesterday afternoon. Interment was made in Hyde Park Catholic cemetery.

The exchanges at the Scranton Clearing house last week were as follows: July 16, \$104,361.35; July 17, \$124,430.92; July 18, \$131,101.87; July 19, \$132,242.29; July 20, \$117,276.94; July 21, \$104,700.55; total, \$715,166.94.

The Plymouth Tribune pays a handsome compliment to Professors Buck and Whitman, the proprietors of the new Scranton Business college. It says that "they are ripe in experience and as they are wide-awake, progressive and honorable young men who will see to impart the most thorough, practical education at minimum cost, their success seems certain. They will give full value in education for every dollar paid for tuition."

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A MALE SHOP LIFER.

A Man Caught in the Act of Stealing Stockings and Handkerchiefs.

Officer Lewis arrested John Carey Saturday night on complaint of John Pierra, proprietor of the novelty store at 111 Penn avenue, who charges Carey with having purloined various articles from the store during the afternoon and early part of the evening.

He was seen in the store a number of times and as various articles were discovered missing it was decided to watch him when he next came in. This was done and Carey was caught in the act of making away with some stockings and handkerchiefs.

He was given a hearing yesterday morning, but owing to the absence of witnesses he was remanded for a further trial.

The Success which Hood's Sarsaparilla has had in freeing old and young from afflictions caused by impure blood is really remarkable.

Hood's PILLS are purely vegetable and do not purge, pain or grip. Sold by all druggists.

ELEVEN BRIGHT MINERS

They Were Successful in Passing the Mine Foreman's Examination.

SEVEN PASSED AS ASSISTANTS

Only Four Applicants Failed to Secure the Proper Percentage—Names of the Successful Candidates—The Thirty Questions That the Applicants Were Required to Answer—Deal with All Phases of Mine Work.

A class of twenty-two miners stood the examination for mine foreman's certificates on July 10 and 11, which was conducted in the common council chamber of the municipal building, by the board of examiners of the Second Anthracite district. The board consists of James Young, superintendent of the Danmore mines of the Pennsylvania Coal company; Philip Molderig, of Minokas; Benjamin Griffiths, of West Side, and Mine Inspector Patrick Blawie.

The law of Pennsylvania requires that those having charge of mines, either as foreman or assistant foreman, must pass an examination before the board of examiners of the district. The members of the board are appointed by the governor and with the mine inspector are expected to prepare annually a set of examination papers for the benefit of enterprising miners desirous of becoming foremen.

The examination held on July 10 and 11 was a successful one for the miners, eleven of them receiving mine-foreman certificates and seven certificates as assistant foremen. There were but four applicants who failed to pass. Appended is the list of names of those who will be recommended for foreman's certificates.

THE SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES.

John Connolly, Reese Thomas, Isaac Watkins, Thomas E. Jones, Howill G. Reese, Francis E. Reese, Francis E. Cugrove, Alfred Powell, Edmund D. Davis, David A. Jones and R. Bert E. Osawa.

The following will receive certificates as assistants: Charles Hainsworth, Edward E. Davies, Evan Walters, John Debraux, Frank Campbell, Daniel Mathias and Lewis P. Davies.

There were thirty questions given. A complete answer to the first entitled an applicant to twenty points; the remaining twenty-nine were rated at ten points each, providing a correct solution was given to each one, or, more properly speaking, ten points was marked down for every correct answer to any one of the twenty-nine. Then if the solution did not warrant more than three points, that number would be credited to the applicant, and from that to five and eight points.

Each applicant was required to make a total of 85 per cent. to be successful; that is, there were a total of 310 points in the list of questions and they must receive 264 points. If the applicant fell below 85 per cent. and made 60 per cent, which would be 186 points, he was entitled to an assistant's certificate.

The board finished looking over the papers on Saturday and the percentage of each applicant will be forwarded to the mine department at Harrisburg. As soon as the certificates arrive the board of examiners will give notice through THE TRIBUNE. The following is a list of the questions:

QUESTIONS PUT TO APPLICANTS

Give your experience in the anthracite coal mines of Pennsylvania.

What are the duties of a mine foreman under the Pennsylvania law?

What are the conditions necessary to produce ventilation without any mechanical appliances?

Describe the best grade of hauling road in use in the anthracite district, and how far the rails ought to be from the ribs, etc.

Will air diffuse with or dilute an accumulation of fire damp quicker than an equal accumulation of black damp? Give reasons in full.

Give the plan or system of ventilation adopted in some mine at which you have worked, and state the difficulties that may be encountered when final robbing takes place to maintain the ventilation.

In mines where fire is liable to occur, what precautionary measures would you adopt in your system of plan of ventilation so as to guard against serious accident to life or property?

State fully how you would use the safety lamp in mining, and under what circumstances it is unsafe.

State the law regarding shaft sinking.

Your main entry from bottom of second shaft runs due north 3,000 feet; a cross-cut is started due east at a distance of 300 feet from the face and driven 2,463 feet. What length of roadway started 250 feet from shaft will be required to connect with the face of the cross-cut?

How would you establish a ventilating current before sinking an escapement shaft, and what method do you consider best?

If three-horse power passes 15,000 cubic feet of air per minute, what horse power would be required to double the quantity?

What is the fan shaft in a fan shaft is 3 feet 6 inches in diameter; the belt wheel on an engine is 5 feet 6 inches in diameter; the large wheel is revolving at the rate of 70 revolutions per minute. How many revolutions is the fan making per minute?

With a water gauge of six-tenths of an inch the quantity of air passing is 24,000 cubic feet; what water gauge will be required to pass 36,000 cubic feet?

What should mainly be observed by a mine foreman when he takes charge of a mine?

What are the necessary precautions in order to prevent accidents from falls of coal and roof?

PRECAUTIONS CONCERNING AIR.

What precautions are necessary in order to maintain a good current of air in all the working parts of coal mines?

If you were sinking a shaft from one vein to another, the mines working on coal in the day and sinking at night, explain how you would dump the material from bucket with safety to the men working at the bottom, the rock to go in the old workings; also explain how you would connect the wires to make a blast of several holes at one time, and where would you make the best connection so as to be safe all around? Explain fully.

A gangway is driven on a pitch of 5 degrees, 10 feet wide, 6 feet high, and a current of 15,000 cubic feet of air is passing per minute thus keeping the place free from gas; if the width of the gangway was increased to 18 feet wide, what effect would it have on the air with the same amount passing per minute, and would it keep the place free from gas? If not, why? Explain fully.

If you were remembering a shaft, how would you do it, if the faces were 80 feet perpendicular above bottom of shaft and no chance for a bore hole, pitch of old workings 15 degrees?

Is there any difference between endless and tail rope systems of haulage? If so, what is it? Explain fully.

According to your experience, which of the two systems would you recommend for the mines of this district, and why? Explain fully.

Is there a way by which either or both of those systems that cars could be hauled from different sections of a mine to foot of shaft? If so, explain fully and give diagram of ropes.

Can you recommend or suggest a better

kind of safety block for heads of planes and slopes than those now in use in this district?

Describe how you should make your morning examinations in mines where gas is evolved.

Suppose you had 70,000 cubic feet of air passing in a mine, the water gauge being nine-tenths of an inch, what is the horse power of fan?

CONDUCT OF MINE FOREMAN.

What should be the conduct of a mine foreman towards the workmen, and how can he most effectually promote the interests of his employer?

An airway a mine has the following dimensions, at the top 6 1/2 feet and at the bottom 7 1/2 feet wide, by 6 feet high, and 10,000 cubic feet of air passing per minute; what would be the velocity of air per minute? This question requires the diagram of question No. 24.

GREAT ENDEAVOR CONVENTION.

Rev. George Guild Gives a Graphic Description of the Great Cleveland Gathering.

The Endeavor rally at the Presbyterian church last evening was a great success, the spacious edifice being crowded. The choir gave an excellent rendition of Professor Davies' quartet, "The Radiant Morning," after which Charles Chandler, one of the convention delegates, read a paper on the work in general followed by Miss Cora M. Decker, who read a very interesting paper on the detailed arrangements of the convention.

After a solo by Rev. George E. Guild, as one of the delegates, gave an excellent address, and began by describing the consecration services, which he said were magnificent. He asked them to picture the large hall where they were held, with a large platform raised behind the president, his assistants, 300 singers, thirty members of the orchestra and two pianofortes completing the musical arrangements. There were over 11,000 on the floor of the hall, all of whom were Endeavorers, inasmuch as they could not be admitted without the necessary passes. He then stated how the singing society "Bringing in the Sheaves," was sung by the multitude and asked his audience to render the same song upon similar lines. This was done by the right section taking one part of the refrain, which was then taken by the left section, the choir rendering the principal part of the chorus.

The reverend gentleman then proceeded with his discourse. One newspaper of Cleveland had called the convention a "sublime" one and "that it rolled on like a mighty wave" and this he endorsed heartily. At the preparatory services the evening before were overcrowded. The convention was a great one, owing to the attendance, 18,700 delegates were registered outside the state of Ohio and 21,000 were registered and received their badges within the state of Ohio, so that there were about 40,000 authorized delegates assembled within one city. The attendance was wonderful as the times were "hard" and people would not travel for pleasure and not unless compelled to. It was held soon after the great exposition, where people were satisfied for many years, and the fact that the strike was in full force tended to militate against the attendance also. The western delegates were guarded by forty deputies.

The convention was great in the second place owing to the object for which it was convened. It was not for political purposes, for any great problem of education, but for "Christ and His church," and it was remarkable that the 40,000 comprised the richest culture of America gathered together in a single city.

The convention was great in enthusiasm. Representatives enthusiastic in the cause came from all parts of the United States, Canada, the islands of the sea, Japan, China and the mission fields of the world. In fact, said the speaker, it represented all the Christian nations in the world. They were enthusiastic also for the reason that ninety-nine out of every hundred attended the almost continual sessions despite the temptations to lounge after their travels or to walk to see the sights of the great city, and especially when many of the delegates had to travel four or five miles to their boarding houses.

The convention also was great in character and the theme of addresses. Think of these subjects: "Glorifying God," "What Has Your Society Done for Educating Good Citizens?" "Common Sense in Church Life and Work," "Strategic Work in Missions," "Women in Temperance," and "The Movement Among the Jews." The convention also was the representation of two million people to that held in Montreal or New York. One feature that made an impression upon him was that there were more men than women. Men of 35 years are generally so engrossed in business that they think if they went into any religious work the business would go to smash. They ought to remember that the first thing in life was to serve God and he was glad to observe the very numerous class of men of that age who were present.

The conference was great in what it represented. The 40,000 had all taken the solemn pledge of the league, but did not know what it represented two millions who also had made that pledge and this must be a means of great influence wherever it was exercised. The speaker also referred to the good impressions made by the convention. Special hymns in connection with the Endeavor league were afterward sung.

HON. JOHN H. FELLOWS

Candidate for the Republican Nomination for Congress.

SKETCH OF HIS ACTIVE CAREER

From a Farmer Boy to Mayor of the Electric City—His Record in Public Life—An Aggressive and Honest Administration of the Chief Municipal Office of the City of Scranton.

Hon. John H. Fellows, candidate for the Republican nomination for Congress, whose cut is presented below, is one of those active, aggressive men whom the electric city so proudly numbers among her citizens. Although born without a silver spoon in his mouth he has by dint of hard labor and that live progressiveness of which he is famed won for himself a place among the first men in the city of Scranton. From a farmer boy to



EX-MAYOR JOHN H. FELLOWS
Candidate for the Republican Congressional Nomination.

mayor of the fourth city of Pennsylvania is the record of his life's work so far.

Mr. Fellows was born in the township of Providence, now the West Side, on July 23, 1849. His father, the late John Fellows, was a farmer, and the son worked on his father's farm until he was 15 years of age, attending the public schools during the winters, as is the custom of farmer lads. At this age he was apprenticed to a painter and after faithfully serving his apprenticeship of three years he launched out in the business for himself, which, however, he was obliged to relinquish after two years application owing to ill health. He then purchased a scholarship in the old Gardner Business college from which he graduated in due season.

At the age of twenty-one he engaged in the insurance business, establishing the well known agency now conducted by Norrman & Moore.

After leaving the insurance business Mr. Fellows became the agent for Hon. W. H. Jessup, trustee of the estate of Joseph Fellows, which was then in a state of litigation from which it appeared it would never be retrieved. Mr. Fellows by his sagacity and hard work settled the litigation and as a consequence the heirs received several thousand dollars each. From that time on Mr. Fellows continued to follow up the real estate business and has been very successful.

In 1881 he entered public life, his first office being that of school controller, to which he was elected from the Fifth ward by a large majority. During his term on the school board he served as chairman and was a leader in many of the reforms which have made the public school system of Scranton the pride of its people.

In February, 1890, he was nominated by the Republicans for the mayoralty. Owing to certain circumstances existing at that time it was thought that no Republican could be elected, but nevertheless Mr. Fellows triumphed, having a majority of over 700 votes. His term as mayor was marked by fair and fearless dealing. Reforms were always his motto and the great good which he accomplished during his incumbency won for him the respect and confidence of the people in all walks of life. His whole energy was bent toward serving the people, and his popularity attests the success which attended his efforts.

Mr. Fellows' character has never been assailed and his home life has been of the model order. In 1875 he was married to A. Genevieve Overfield, the daughter of Benjamin Overfield, of Meshoppen, Wyoming county, and on July 21, 1893, he suffered the sad bereavement of her death. He is the father of seven bright children of whom he is very fond. His eldest son, who is 19 years of age, has just completed his first year in college.

Mr. Fellows is very popular with the masses of the people, always giving the poor workmen as much consideration as those occupying the higher

QUARTER OF A CENTURY

That is the Length of Time That the Liederkrantz Has Been in Existence.

SOLID, SUBSTANTIAL SOCIETY

From its Inception It Has Been One of the Prominent German Organizations of the City and Numbered Among its Members Many of Our Most Influential and Progressive Germans—Proposed Celebration.

The recent announcement of the Scranton Liederkrantz society that they would celebrate the quarter-centennial of their organization August 1 and 2, offers a fruitful opportunity of reading between the lines. Beyond the bare statement of an event and two dates appears the opportunity for prolific retrospect amid the history of a society whose stability of character is re-iterated by the fact that their organization has retained its purpose and character through twenty-five years.

The Liederkrantz is the leading German club and singing society in this city, and since its inception in 1869 its membership roll has contained the names of the best known German residents. All of them, in a greater or less degree, contributed proportionally by their good citizenship toward making Scranton the premier city of her class and the third in rank in Pennsylvania. At present Conrad Schroeder, one of the foremost builders of the city is its president. Preceding him were Dr. E. J. Gunter, Joseph Ober and Colonel Herman Oshann. Professor F. E. Kopf, the talented violinist, is its musical director, and A. Conrad, another noted musician, was its predecessor.

ORIGINAL SIXTEEN MEMBERS.

A glance at the following list of sixteen members, some deceased, some removed, but all substantial citizens, gives an idea of what manner of men founded a purely local society which could thrive and celebrate its twenty-fifth birthday. Camille Crojel, Andrew Conrad, Peter Haettich, Philip Geiger, George Wahl, Caspar Zwald, Frederick Winkelman, Christian Keller, Joseph Ober, Charles Robinson, Nicholas Diekelnick, John Brocker, Frederick Cook, Frank Kiefer, John Merz, Charles Fisher. Four of these founders are still active and steadfast members of the Liederkrantz.

It seems appropriate, after a consideration of the brief historical comments above, that the society should choose a method of celebration which will entertain others as well as themselves, and perpetuate the feeling which made the 25 year life of a local society a possibility. The arrangements are being perfected by competent committees, and every part of the entertainment is sure to prove enjoyable, as do all the public events of the Liederkrantz.

All the details have not been arranged, but at present it is known that among the prominent features of the celebration will be a Concert, at the Liederkrantz rooms on Lackawanna avenue on the evening of Wednesday,

ENGINEERS VISIT DRIFTON.

Scranton Experts Enjoy the Hospitality of Eckley B. Cox and Inspect His Fine Property.

A delegation consisting of members of the Scranton Engineers' club spent Saturday as the guests of Cox, Bros. & Co. Upon their arrival at Drifton they were conducted to the famous iron breaker where, under the direction of Messrs. Wagner, Boland and Salmon, inspection was made of the various processes of coal preparation.

At noon lunch was served in the

company's office, Hon. Eckley B. Cox presiding in his usual happy manner. The afternoon was spent in inspecting the technical library, laboratories and shops; the party being "personally conducted." Mr. Cox made the visit doubly enjoyable with his clear explanations and vast store of technical information concerning the production, handling and use of fuel. The day was pronounced by all a most enjoyable and profitable one, and the members of the club are already anticipating with much pleasure the next trip of inspection to one of the many interesting industrial fields of this and neighboring states.

The following gentlemen constituted the party: A. H. Stora, O. C. Burkhart, F. Henshaw, A. E. Sloan, A. R. Livingston, F. C. Whitmore, H. R. Gough, H. W. Rowley, M. S. Knight, E. K. Sancton, Henry Webber, N. G. Robertson, C. W. Parsons, F. K. Tracy, Edward Bolerick, John Pank. All of this city, and A. P. Transwain, Carbondale; Thomas Grier, Dickson City; Harry Myers, Pittston, and A. L. LeGrand, Wilkes-Barre.

NOTICE.

To the officers and members of the Scranton Fire department: You are hereby requested to meet at the rooms of the Crystal Hose company, Tuesday, July 24, at 1 o'clock, sharp, with white gloves, coat and fatigue cap, to attend the funeral of H. R. Madison, late member of the Crystal Hose company and ex-chief of the Scranton Fire department. By order of H. F. FENNER, Chief Engineer.

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OWEN CUSIC'S CONDITION.

He is Resting a Trifle Easier Than on Saturday.

Dr. Dolan, who is attending Owen Cusick, reports that he is resting quietly and somewhat easier than on Saturday. This is about the only change in his condition.

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