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PERSONAL. P. J. Lynett has accepted a position with the Scranton Brewing company. M. J. O'Toole, of the Republican, is in Harrisburg attending the inauguration.

NEWS OF THE SOUTH SIDE. George J. Griswold, of Cedar avenue, returned home yesterday from Philadelphia. John Morrison, of Crown avenue, returned yesterday morning to resume his studies at St. Bonaventure's college, Allegheny, N. Y.

The Democratic caucus of the South and Southwest districts of Lackawanna township will be held Thursday night, that of the first named district at No. 3 school house, and of the last at the office of Justice of the Peace P. F. O'Hara.

Common Councilman Daniel P. Battle, of the Twentieth ward, who is also chairman of the Democratic vigilance committee, has issued a call for a Democratic caucus to nominate a candidate for the unexpired term of Representative Alex. T. Connell in select council.

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THE UNSPEAKABLE TURK

Subject of Rev. Dr. McLeod's Address at Armenian Meeting. FOREIGN POLICY CRITICISED

The Reverend Speaker Said That He Was Convinced Turkey Would Not Have Answered England as She Did America in the Jewett Matter.

Following is the text of the thoughtful but spirited address delivered by Rev. James McLeod, D. D., at the Armenian meeting in Elm Park church on Saturday night:

"The Unspeakable Turk"—This characterization of the Turk is severe; but it is not too severe. Carlyle hit the nail on the head and lashed the monster.

It is not yet twenty years since Turkey assumed the position of injured innocence, and stoutly denied her guilt, when she was charged with the Bulgarian atrocities. But the whole world knew she was guilty; and the penalty she then paid for her cruel crimes was the subdivision of a part of her territory.

Beaconsfield's Course of Action. But Beaconsfield was prime minister of England then, and his sympathies were with the Turks instead of the Christians. If, at that time, the prime minister had been Gladstone instead of Beaconsfield we would not be here to-night, to utter an indignant protest against the massacres of the Christians of Armenia.

He demanded in the name of justice, in the name of humanity, in the name of England, and in the name of Bulgaria, must stop, and that, henceforth, Bulgaria as well as Bosnia and Montenegro and Herzegovina must be put beyond the reach of Turkish tyranny.

He is a Merciful Man. Mr. Gladstone's opposition to the Turk is easily explained. Mr. Gladstone is a merciful man and full of tenderness, but the tender mercies of the Turk are cruelty. Mr. Gladstone believes in civil and religious liberty; the Turk believes in the sword and religion.

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to protect her consuls in any part of the world. Jewett Epistle Discussed. I am not well versed in political diplomacy, but I think I know enough about it to warrant me in saying that if our president or secretary of state, upon the sultan refused our request, had induced Mr. Jewett to go to Sassoon and investigate the reported Turkish outrages, Mr. Jewett would have been protected, too, and he would have been protected, too, and our president and secretary of state, by issuing that order to our consuls, would have won the approval of England after that fashion? Not much; even Turkey knows it.

We are told not to speak evil of dignities, and we must not do it. Yet an occasion has arisen, a white, arched, when we may be justified in imitating Michael, the archangel, who, in the case of a celebrated dispute, refused to sign a treaty which would have been a rallying accusation, but he did say: The Lord rebuke thee! That was a righteous rebuke, and that same rebuke might, with great propriety, be administered, in a diplomatic way, of course, to "The Unspeakable Turk."

The incidents of the case are so well known as to render any recital of the details superfluous. The case was called on May 28, 1894, and tried before Judge Schuyler, of Easton. A verdict of \$1,167.57 was rendered which was for the full amount of the claim with interest from 1885, the year the suit was first brought. On July 29 of last year Judge Schuyler heard arguments for a new trial and on the same day granted it. Attorneys John F. Soraggi and Edward Merriam, of Easton, were for the plaintiff and Attorney C. Comings and W. Gaylord Thomas for the defendant.

Suit About Wages. Judge Gunster presided at the trial of the suit for wages of the Elk Hill Coal and Iron company, defendant, and Patrick Swift, of Richmond, plaintiff. Swift claims there is a balance due him for work done at the mines of the company in Richmond, and the company alleges that the balance is in their favor, that Swift's family traded more than his wages and those of his son in groceries and provisions and other incidental expenses, such as rent, fuel, etc. The case was given to the jury at adjournment.

In court room No. 3 Judge Edwards heard another wage suit, that of Charles Patchen against Levi Snyder, in a trial one, but the jury had not agreed upon a verdict at adjournment, although they retired to deliberate early in the day.

A little while before adjournment the trespass suit of James O'Horo against Judge Edwards. The suit is for the seizure of the plaintiff's land on North Washington avenue growing out of the opening of that thoroughfare. City Solicitor J. H. Torrey appeared for the city and H. M. Hannah for the plaintiff.

Disposition of Other Cases. Other cases on the list were disposed of as follows: Margaret Hughes vs. Delaware and Hudson Railroad company, trespass, continued; B. A. Welch vs. Allen Cigar Manufacturing company, interpleader, continued; Eagle Cigar Manufacturing company, interpleader, continued; Peter Cerini vs. Roche & Fadden, replevin, continued; Jackson Merryweather vs. city of Scranton, trespass, continued; C. L. Rice vs. Pidelity and Casualty company of New York, trespass, continued; Catherine Campbell, administratrix, vs. William Coughlin, judgment opened, settled amicably; J. H. Gunster, assignee, vs. George A. Jessup and others, assumption, continued; M. F. and M. E. Handley, vs. Mary Barrett, objection, continued; Thomas Monaghan vs. Borough of Blakely, trespass, continued; Thomas O'Neill vs. city of Carbondale, trespass, continued; Morris and Essex Mutual Coal company vs. Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad company, trespass, continued; William Marcy vs. Hillside Coal and Iron company, election, continued; Edward Toner vs. Central Railroad of New Jersey, trespass, settled off list.

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FIRST DAY OF THE TERM

Three Judges Presiding in Common Pleas Court. CASES HEARD DURING THE DAY

Suit of S. B. Mott Against C. P. Jadin Again on Trial—James O'Horo After Damages from the City of Scranton.

January term of common pleas court, which will continue in session for the coming three weeks, opened yesterday. Judge Gunster presiding in the main court room, Judge McPherson, of Harrisburg, in No. 2, and Judge Edwards in No. 3.

The most interesting matter called for the attention of the court and jury was the trial of the case of James O'Horo against Judge Edwards, plaintiff, and the city of Scranton, defendant. This case was called before Judge McPherson at 1.30 in the afternoon and at adjournment the evidence of the plaintiff was all in and the defendant's side of the case was opened.

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