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AGAINST THE NEW TAX.

Court House Square.

Scranton Board of Trade Passes Strong Resolutions Protesting Against the Passage of House Bill No. 239.

A special meeting of the members of the board of trade was held last evening for the purpose of protesting against that portion of house 5ill No. against that portion of house bill No. teenth ward. Accordingly, court speci-239 so far as it applied to the taxing of fied that today would be specially set municipal corporations, Captain W. A. May presided and a report of the manufactures committee was read by Secretary D. B. Atherton, after which the recommendations of the committee were supported by J. A. Lansing, H. E. Paine and J. H. Kemmerer. The following resolutions were then unanimously adopted:

The Scranton board of trade, as repre senting the manufacturing interests of the city of Scranton, hereby enter their protest against the passage of house bill No 239 so far as it applies to the taxation of manufacturing corporations.

The development of Pennsylvania in general, and the northeastern portion in particular, is due to the encouragement offered under its laws to manufacturing industries. We deem it unwise to arrest this development and progress in any respect. Any act which tends, as this act does, to unjustly discriminate as between individuals and an aggregation of indi viduals (which is all that constitutes a corporation) engaged in the same class of business, is against public policy and will render inadvisable and impossible such combinations of capital as are necessary to carry on and develop large indus tries, and consequently to develop the property of the whole state. This act also places on such corpora-

tions the burden of not only paying interest for the use of capital received from residents of other states and represented by its bonds, but also imposes a tax upon that same capital which must be paid directly by the corporations. Resolved, That a copy of this action be forwarded to the members of the legisla-

ture from Lackawanna county, J. A. Lansing, Frank W. Martin, H. E. Paine,

D. B. Atherton. Members of Committee.

THE ARMORY BENEFIT.

Committees Are Now Down to a Working Basis.

A meeting of those interested in the new armory movement was held yes-terday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the parlors of the Central Republican club, Colonel Ripple presided, and others present were Lieutenant Colonel Coursen, Major Mattes, Captain Barnard, Adjutant Millar, Lieutenant Mattes, Sergeant Major Rice, W. A. May, ex-Lieutenant Governor L. A. Watres. executive committee will consist of the chairmen of sub-committees. It is made up of Colonel Ripple, president Colonel Coursen, vice-president; L. A. Watres, ways and means; Major Mattes, ticket; Adjutant Millar, programme; C. E. Bradbury, printing; E. P. Kingsbury, dramatic, and a chairman of the ladies' committee yet to be

decided upon. The executive committee will be rmanent organization up to the time petition, which was allowed. that the armory shall have been completed. They will meet each Monday night at the armory. The sub-commit tees will be subject to call of its chair-The opening performance will be given Monday, April 22, to continue one week with matinees each day.

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OPENING LICENSE

Large Number of Applications Heard by Judges.

THIS IS THIRTEENTH WARDDAY Applications and Remonstrances from That Part of the City Will Be Considered Today-Hearings in Court

Yesterday.

License court opened yesterday morning to continue during the present week until the applications of persons to manufacture and sell intoxicating liquors, as provided for under the laws of the commonwealth, are passed upon. ludges Archbald, Gunster and Edwards were on the bench and disposed of the petitions in alphabetical order.

The list of retailers in Archbald borough were the first to receive consideration. As soon as the name of an applicant was read, his attorney would state to the court whether or not the place had been licensed last year. If it had been, court would pass to the next name, unless a remonstrance had been filed. Then the case would be argued and the testimony of witnesses on ooth sides heard. In cases where licenses were asked for the first time. the attorney representing the appliant would plead to the court the reaons on which the privilege for selling anor was asked.

Remonstrances were filed against the applications of every one desiring a license at the Ridge in Archbald borough. Last year there were six licensed dram shops there and now the number petitioning has been increased to ten. Potter's Petition Opposed.

D. Potter's petition for a license in Benton township was represented by Attorneys John P. Kelley and W. W. Baylor. The firm of Hulslander & Vosburg appeared for the remonstrants. The charges against Potter were that he sold liquor on election day, is given to using very profane language, and among his daily customers are two habitual topers, Several witnesses gave testimony of the good character

A. M. Robinson's application for a hotel license in the First ward of Blakely borough was opposed with a remonstrance represented by Attorney John 3. McAskle. Attorney E. C. New-comb urged the court to grant the li-

Attorney J. Alton Davis appeared for M. D. Betts, of Peckville, A letter was read from Judge Sittser, of Tunknannock, in which Betts was recomnended as a highly moral man and had many years of experience in the hotel business. Mr. McAskie, for the remonstrants, alleged that Doud's hotel, at Peckville, is sufficient to accommodate the traveling public. Attorney H. L. Taylor asked for a license for Charles Alben, a new house on Ninth street, Blakely. Mr. McAskie opposed it on the plea that the place was not necessary. No remonstrances were filed against the petitions for licenses in either Carbondale city or town.

Not a Fit Person, 'Tis Said. The petition of Joseph Sanklewicz, of Dickson, was the last one heard before noon. He wants a license for the first The residents adjacent to the loation he proposes to occupy complain that he is not fit to run a legalized rum shop, and, moreover, that his place is

not a necessity.
Attorney W. W. Lathrope asked the permission of court to fix a time for the hearing of the remonstrances against the applications in the Thirapart for the hearing of these cases. The remonstrances against petitions from Dickson City were next heard C. H. Gallagher wants a license to onduct a hotel in that district and

Attorney A. J. Colborn was his repre-Mr. Lathrope represented sentative. the remonstrants. William H. Richmond is the moving impulse against the saloon in Dickson. Dunmore borough was the next or

the list. John Powell, a Slav, was the first one whose license was objected to, principally on the ground that the place is not a necessity. Attorney M. E. McDonald appeared for a license for Patrick Melody for a hotel in Johnson's Patch, in the South ward of Dunmore, Attorney R. A. Zimmerman spoke against granting the license because it is a new house and not a necessity. Mr. Zimmerman said that the late Judge Connolly once re marked that there was no more need of a licensed saloon at Johnson's Patch than an ice house at the North

Different kind of Melody. Attorney McDonald argued that the

Scranton Stove works are situated there and there are other industries, and therefore a hotel is necessary Judge Edwards wanted to know if Melody was the same man who had been before court charged with violating the liquor law. Melody came for ward and denied the impeachment. He said it was another Melody.

P. J. Lynott wants a license at the corner of Adams avenue and Larch street. Mr. Taylor was his attorney. Mr. Zimmerman opposed the petition to the court that Lynott means to transfer the license to another man.

When Fell township was reached the name of Joseph Gluck was called out. A sweeping remonstrance was filed against him, but no attorney represented the objectors. Ex-Judge W. H. Stanton spoke for Gluck. In the remonstrance there is a charge that brawls and riots were frequently carried on at Gluck's place. Mr. Stanton said that the vandals who broke Gluck's windows were hired to do it by the proprietor of a rival establishment. The ruffians, Mr. Stanton said, are now repenting their folly in the county

Sold Without Permission.

S. T. O'Neil, of Richmondale, was represented by Attorney John P. Kelly. On cross-examination by Mr. Lathrope, Mr. O'Nell admitted that he sold wine and whisky last year without a license. Mr. Kelly asked the permission of court to withdraw the

William J. Dunn, of Richmondale, who desires to sell liquor for a living. is applying for the first time for a li-Attorney John M. Harris interceded to the court for Dunn and Attor ney Lathrope remonstrated against granting the license for the reason that the place is not a necessity, Major Everett Warren appeared for a license for Stephen Beresch, who wants to run a hotel on Main street in the Warren tract in the upper end of Fell township and only a short distance below Forest City. Mr. Lathrope op-posed the license on the ground that the place is not a necessity. He also opposed the applications of Peter J. Healey and John Banks for bottler's

The application of J. H. Curran for a hotel license in Fell township was opposed by Mr. Lathrope and urged

by City Solicitor R. D. Stuart, of Carbondale. The charge against Curran is that he is his own best customer. Two witnesses swore they saw Curran frequently drunk and that he was

drunk as usual yesterday. Remonstrance Against Pizer, The last petition heard yesterday against which there was a remon strance filed was Lewis Pizer's for a hotel in Jermyn. Pizer proposes to sell liquor in a building on Main street, formerly occupied by Coal Operator John Jermyn. Attorneys J. Alton Davis and Taylor & Lewis appeared for the petitioner and Attorney C. S Woodruff for the remonstrants. The main reason and the only one ad-vanced against the petition was that ive of the fourteen men who signed Pizer's application do not reside in the

same ward he does. Mr. Davis, for the petitioner, sub-mitted the act of assembly to court. The act reads that applications must be signed by citizens residing within the ward, borough or township. Davis argued that the meaning of the act did not make wards apply to boroughs, only to cities; that as long as the signer lived within the borough it was sufficient. Court then adjourned until 9 o'clock this morning.

DEATH WAS NATURAL.

Silas Belles, of Oak Hill, Not Hurried Off. the Jury Says.

Chemist Charles Koempel was present at the meeting of the coroner's jury last night and explained that he had made a chemical analysis of the contents of the stomach of Silas Belles, of Oak Hill. Mr. Koempel stated that he first made a test to discover any traces of arsenic and found none, then looked for strychnine, after that for poisoning by atropia. He found none of these drugs. But he found that there were very minute traces of morphine; not e jough, however, to arouse even a susp cion that the powder was the cause of death.

Mr. Koempel said that the only poison which would not linger in the stomach, but which would be almost instantly absorbed, is hydrocyanic acid. But the presence of this poison in the system ould be instantly detected by the exhalation from the body.

The jury deliberated after hearing the report of the chemist and rendered a verdict that the death of Belles was due to natural causes.

CLEANING UP THE STREETS. Removing the Winter's Accumulation of

Ice and Snow. Streets in the central part of the city are beginning to assume their normal condition. The last blizzard and the following severe weather left great mounds of ice and snow along all the streets, adjacent to the gutters, and in some instances even the gutters were choked, which caused water to lodge and increase the quantity of ice.

For the last week workmen under the direction of the street commissioner, have been engaged removing this accumulation of ice with such good sucess that nearly all of the streets in the central part of the city, as well as the important thoroughfares in the subburbs are again passable for their full

CONSTABLES SWORN IN.

They Also Filed Their Bonds to Faithfully Perform Their Duties.

qualified and took their oaths of office before Clerk of the Courts John H. Thomas vesterday.

Mr. Conn's bond in the sum of \$1,000 | shall not merge 1895 specific improveis signed by J. W. Merchon and Jesse ment appropriations unless the work is A. Case, and that of Mr. Sherman in a completed; that unexpended balances like amount has W. D. Spencer and A. | for general items and departments shall C. Mackey as sureties.

NEWS OF THE RAILROADS.

Conductor John Brock has recovered ifter a severe attack of grip. Conductor Martin Case was able to

take outdoor exercise yesterday. Ticket agent McDonald, of the Delaware and Hudson, returned from New

York yesterday. Since March 1, over 100 mileage books have been sold at the local depot of the Delaware and Hudson company.

Last night's members' rally was a suc ess in attendance and the excellent entertainment provided. Frank D. Glover, of the car shop office, made a competent chairman and opened the meeting with a few felicitious remarks

after which the audience was treated \$25 or thirty days in jail had been im to some selections by the phonograph. Reports were made by chairmen of committees as follows. Will D. Kressler presented a glowing report of the expansion of the membership, and the manner in which the members were increasing beyond the capabilities of the room. His "tidings of good joy" were enthusiastically received. George D. Nicol reported as to the machine shop meetings, and paid a warm tribute to Frances Feenie. the city pastors for their readiness to assist in the good work; F. D. Glover, on behalf of the entertainment committee, painted a great word-picture as to their doings and wound up with the acceptable news that they had a good sum invested in the bank; A. H. Masters submitted his report of the Sunday meetings, and showed how they were increasing each week in attendance, usefulness and value; Secretary Pear sall gave a pleasant resume of the work of the musical committee and clearly demonstrated that the Railroad quartette was the greatest musical society in the city, which stirred up the phonograph, and "After the Ball" was given for a change, followed by reproductions of banjo solos, orchestra music, yocal, cornet and trumpet solos, the best of which was the orchestra number "Dream Faces." Refreshments were then in order, and the reception committee brought in trayfuls of ice cream. cake, etc. After the majority of mem-

nembers of the committee, A machine shop man was victorious. Reduced Rates Authorized on the Nickel Plate Road.

bers had left a competition in dispos-

ing of ice cream was held among the

April 2, account Home Seekers' excursions. Ask your city ticket agent for detailed information, or address F. J. Moore, general agent, No. 23 Exchange street, Buffalo, N. Y.

DIED.

JOHNS.—In Scranton, March 10, Thomas W. Johns, at his home on the West Side. Funeral Wednesday afternoon at 1.30 from family residence. Interment in Marsh's cemetery, Duryea.

KELLY.—In Jessup, Sunday, March 10, 1895, Ellen, only daughter of John E. and Bridget Kelly, aged 4 years and 4 boths. Interment in Archbald Catholic cemetery on Tuesday at 3 p. m. SANDERS.-In Scranton, March 11, 1895 SANDERS.—In Scranton, March II, 1885, Simeon D. Sanders, at his residence, 512 East Market street, of pneumonia, aged 76 years. Funeral Wednesday at 2 o'clock p. m. Interment private. O'HORO.—In Scranton, March 10, Mrs. Margaret O'Horo, wife of Anthony O'Horo, at 1340 Washington avenue, Fu-

HAS FINISHED ITS WORK

Committee Reduces Appropriation Ordinance to Proper Size.

WHERE THE KNIFE WAS USED

The \$5,000 Asked for the Opening of Wyoming Avenue Stricken Out-Rearrangement of the Appropriation for Nay Aug Park.

After having already held five meetings, the estimates committee of coun-cils last night succeeded in bringing the estimated city expenditures for the fiscal year 1895 to within \$538,64 of the revenue estimated by the city controller. The estimated revenue is \$275,-899, which does not include \$67,320 for special purposes and the interest and sinking fund. By a rising vote the committee, after completing its labors, pledged itself to support its six-time amended report which will be made to the select branch tonight. The excess of \$538.64 will be offset by a resolution directing the city controller to transfer certain 1894 balances.

One of the most important features of the final meeting of the committee was its business-like proceeding and an absence of quibbling. This is in a measure accounted for by the fact that most of the members had, previous to the session, arrived at an understanding of what should be done. The first five meetings had been conspicuous chiefly for debates, mistakes and getting mixed.

Park Appropriation Changed. In the street commissioner's department the item for repairs of bridges and culverts was reduced from \$4,000 to \$3,700; the maintaining of fire department horses was increased \$420.

Mr. Williams, the select councilman from the Fifth ward, received unanimous support in his advocacy of a change in the Nay Aug park appropria-tion and which was suggested editorially in yesterday's Tribune. This department had been amended to contain \$600 for a policeman, and \$2,000 for labor. Mr. Williams' motion prevailed to reduce the labor item to \$1,500 and appropriate \$650 for landscape engineering. It was contended that the labor appropriation would not have been ap-plicable without definite landscape

Several large improvement items were stricken out as follows: \$3,200 for a culvert over Stafford Meadow brook, on Elm street; \$5,000 for opening Wyoming avenue, between Phelps street and Ash street: \$2,000 for repairing Palm street, between Cedar and Pittston ave-

Eleven electric lights, at \$91.25 each, for specified localities in Bellevue, at a total cost of \$1,003.75, were stricken out and an appropriation of \$365 made for four lights to be located according to a resolution to be introduced in coun-

The Seventeenth ward appropriation for street repairs, which at a previous meeting had been reduced from \$1,066 to \$666, was restored.

Did Not Favor Amendments An amendment offered by Mr. Durr, of the Eighth ward, that \$3,000 be ap-

propriated for paving Penn avenue, between Lackawanna avenue and Spruce street, was laid on the table. Mr. Almon M. Coon, constable of North | Lauer's motion that the pole tax be ap-Abington township, and George A. Sher-man, constable of Waverly borough, nue, between Phelps and Ash streets nue, between Phelps and Ash streets was lost.

The 1894 amendment was duplicated which provides that the city controller be carried forward to the corresponding account for 1895; appropriating outstanding claims, not otherwise provided for, to general incidentals and judgments for 1895; transferring unexpended balances on appropriations to general incidental and judgment fund for

NOT ONE OF THE GANG.

Therefore the Sentence Imposed on SALE FOR 30 DAYS ONLY Joseph Grimes Was Revoked. Joseph Grimes, the Bellevue youth who was arrested Saturday night for

fighting and in whose pocket was found a black jack, was yesterday released from the central police station. He was supposed to be one of the famous "dead line" gang and a sentence of posed upon him. It was later ascertained that Grimes was not one of the

gang and sentence was remitted. AFTER THE HONEYMOON.

Mrs. William Feenie Left Her Husband and Did Not Return. William Feenle yesterday began pro

eedings to secure a divorce from Amy

The libel in the case was filed by At torney John M. Harris with Prothono tary Pryor and sets forth that the couple were married on May 31, 1887. They lived together until Dec. 29 of the same year, when Mrs. Feenle left her husband and has not since returned to



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