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CITY NOTES.

Jermyn No. 2 colliery at Rendham has shut down for an indefinite period.

The members of St. Patrick's choir are requested to meet at 8 o'clock tonight.

Regular monthly meeting of Home managers tomorrow morning at usual hour and place.

N. Gard, proprietor of White House cafe, was not arrested, as recently announced, but an employee, N. C. Spring.

The Misses Collins, of Jefferson avenue, were tendered a surprise party by a number of friends Tuesday evening.

There will be a regular meeting of the board of health at the rooms in the municipal building Friday at 3 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Reese, of 418 Fifth avenue, are receiving congratulations over the arrival of a bright little girl at their home.

Another adjournment of the sale of the Carbondale traction company's effects was held yesterday. The sale is now set down for Friday.

The weekly union Bible class will meet at Grace church this evening at 7:45 for the study of the Sunday school lesson, Topic, "Caleb's Reward," Joshua, xiv, 6-11.

Rev. Professor T. E. Roth, D.D., president of Theological Seminary, delivered his famous lecture, "Plymouth Rock and Other Rocks," in Trinity church this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schubert, of 617 Adams avenue, entertained a number of friends Tuesday evening in honor of their guests, Miss Sallie E. Meitz and Miss Mame Schaefer, of Allentown.

The Scranton Yacht Association held a regular meeting last evening at their hall, twenty members being present. Six new members were admitted into the association and four new names were balloted for.

A number of men have recently been put to work in the Delawares, Western and Western car repair shops. There is an abundance of work in that department at present, twelve hours being worked each day.

The Scranton Bicycle club will enjoy a run to Elmhurst on Friday evening, Sept. 6, leaving the club house at 7:30 p. m. Dinner will be served at Hotel Elmhurst and the return trip will be made by moonlight over the new boulevard.

Marriage licenses were granted yesterday by the clerk of the courts to Michael J. Burke, New York, and Essie Coleman, Scranton; Thomas Robinson and Mary Jane Cummings, Scranton; Thomas H. Barnes, Scranton, and Alice E. Soyer, Delawares.

The will of G. Renschbacher, late of Clifton township, was admitted to probate yesterday and letters were granted to Emma Gerschbacher, in the estate of Sarah J. Smith, late of this city, letters of administration were granted to George H. Smith and Calvin Smith.

A letter from Miss Mary S. Garrett, just received at The Tribune office, makes special request on Monday of the women's commission of Pennsylvania for both "portraits and autograph letters of historical interest in the life of the Pennsylvania building at the Atlanta exposition. All exhibits, she adds, must be in Philadelphia and in the hands of such persons or letters that Scranton people are willing to loan must therefore be sent to Mrs. C. L. Frey, 225 Pine street, by Saturday morning at latest.

GREEN GOT RUN OVER. Laid Down on West Market Street and Went to Sleep.

Poor Director Thomas Shotten, of the North End, had Jonathan Green, of West Market street, removed to the Lackawanna hospital last night. Green is a married man, 45 years of age, and accustomed to looking on the wine when it is red.

Beneath a heavy load of intoxicants he staggered along West Market street about 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. He was weary of his burden, selected the middle of the road to step it off and got run over by a hay wagon. His leg was fractured very seriously.

He kept the other patients awake last night by his maudlin and remorseful groanings.

GREAT SALE OF CLOTHING. Martin & Delaney's Stock Being Sold.

The sale of Martin & Delaney's immense stock is attracting a large crowd of purchasers daily. The bargains offered are exceedingly rare. This entire stock, which is the finest in the city, will be sold in thirty days on account of financial difficulties. A most complete line of women's and children's clothes of elegant pattern and latest style may be found among this handsome stock, which is being sold at a discount of from 25 to 50 per cent. In the merchant tailoring department a fine line of cloth pieces, suitings, coatings and vestings are for sale, considerably below the actual cost.

Now in the line, and Martin & Delaney's Wyoming avenue store is the place to buy your fall and winter clothing, thereby saving about 25 or 30 per cent. on your purchases. Don't forget our fine line of overcoats at prices simply surprising.

Meats and Cold Lunchees. Meals and cold lunches served at all hours at Lohmann's, Spruce street. Regular dinner 4 cents. Imported and domestic wines, cigars and liquors.

Guestmen's Driving Club will conduct races at the Driving park Saturday afternoon. The best local horses are entered. Ladies free to the park and grand stand.

In response to applications Colonel Fairbank consented to give the practical, scientific method of painting at People's Book Store.

LOOKING FOR A MATE

Hon. John T. Williams Sought Not Mr. Scranton's Endorsement.

W. PENN MORGAN IS SELECTED Not Known, However, Whether or Not He Will Accept—Connell and Scranton Have an Interview, But It Does Not Affect the Situation.

Another meeting of the friends of Hon. J. A. Scranton was held in Durr's hall last night. There were fifty-five present, all but a few being from the city.

Reese G. Brooks presided and Alderman S. S. Jones, of Carbondale, acted as secretary.

The object of the meeting was announced to be the selection of a running mate for Mr. Scranton for the national delegation, he having been named as a candidate by this same assemblage last Monday night.

It was decided on that occasion to give Hon. John T. Williams an opportunity of casting his fortunes with the Scranton committee and an embassy was sent to inform him to that effect.

Mr. Williams, so the committee reported, informed them that he would honor their proposition with due deliberation, and if he had anything to communicate would advise them at their next meeting.

Mr. Williams was notified that the committee would hear him Wednesday (last) night, the date to which Monday night's session adjourned. Mr. Williams evidently had nothing to communicate, for no message was received from him.

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MR. PARTRIDGE WILL GO

Congregation of Penn Avenue Baptist Church Has Accepted Resignation.

HIS DEPARTURE REGRETTED Resolutions That Were Adopted Last Night by the Members of His Congregation—Express Their Heartfelt Appreciation of His Services.

A meeting of the congregation of the Penn Avenue Baptist church was held last night at which the resignation of the pastor, Rev. Warren G. Partridge, was presented and accepted.

Deacon H. A. Browning presided. H. A. Storer and W. Lowry were appointed a committee to formulate resolutions expressing the sentiments of the congregation toward the retiring pastor.

Nothing was done in regard to issuing a call for a successor. That will not come for, perhaps, a month yet. Luther Reese was appointed moderator to preside at all church meetings during the period beginning with the departure of the pastor on Sept. 5, and until a new pastor is installed. The occasion was the regular weekly prayer meeting, and many gave testimony of the esteem and reverence the pastor had gained in the hearts of the congregation. The resolutions adopted were as follows:

Whereas, Rev. Warren G. Partridge has been our pastor for the past five years, and during that time he has labored strenuously to preach the true doctrine of Jesus Christ and Him crucified, and has labored for the redemption of sinners, and his daily life has been a noble example of noble Christian manhood, and in all his ministerial duties, he has shown a rare and noble tolerance, humility, firmness, blamelessness, zeal and devotion, and through all this time of stress and difficulty, under his guidance has remained united, harmonious and prosperous, growing in faith, in holiness and spirituality, and his family have become endeared to our hearts; and

Therefore, we, the members of Penn Avenue Baptist church, of Scranton, hereby express our heartfelt appreciation of his services as pastor to us and to our church, and of his noble qualities as a man, a friend and a counselor, and that we deeply regret losing his ministrations and his new field of labor offers to him a sphere of action in the advancement of the great Master, and we unite in hearty wishes for his happiness and success.

Resolved, That his resignation and resolution be spread in full in the minutes of the church and an engraved copy be presented to the pastor, duly attested by the church clerk.

"PUDD'NHEAD WILSON." The reader of Mark Twain's recent magazine serial who last evening, at the reading of the first time saw it presented upon the stage was probably more than once impressed with the skill and effectiveness of Mr. Mayo's dramatization. He has taken the familiar figure which, in its original form, fell almost dead and made of it a live and artistic characterization—a drama which, in its legitimate combinations of personal grotesquery, scientific coloring and historic background stands out as one of the few thoroughly American plays to-day being acted on the American stage.

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MRS. ROBERT STUART DEAD.

She Was the Mother of Colonel Ripple and Mrs. Mary Doster.

Mrs. Elizabeth Stuart, mother of Colonel E. H. Ripple, and wife of Robert Stuart, general car inspector of the Reading railroad, died at her home in Allentown Tuesday night from an apoplexy attack.

She is survived by her husband, one son, Colonel E. H. Ripple, and three daughters, Mrs. Mary Doster, of this city, and Misses Lizzie and Emma Stuart, of Allentown. The funeral will take place at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon in Allentown.

FINE RESIDENCE BURNED.

Fire Originated in Some Unknown Manner in the House of Luther Keller on Clay Avenue—Loss Over \$10,000.

Luther Keller's residence, on Clay avenue, near the corner of Vine street, was partially destroyed by fire at day-break yesterday morning. The four-part of the house will have to be rebuilt, and the remainder, where the flames did not reach but which was soaked with water, will have to be renovated. The entire loss will approximate \$10,000.

About two-thirds of the damage resulted from the destruction of the household effects. Mr. Keller having spared no expense in the furnishings.

The flames originated in the pantry on the first floor from some mysterious cause. Mr. Keller does not know what to think about it. There was no fire in the house at the time, and nothing more inflammable than oatmeal. He remarked that a mouse and a box of matches might form a combination which would start a fire, and that the cause of the fire could be explained in that way.

The servant girl, who sleeps in an apartment on the second floor directly above the pantry, was awakened by the smoke and she called Mr. Keller. He hurried down stairs but was almost overcome while trying to get to where the fire was burning. His first thought was to get his little daughter out, who was sleeping upstairs. Mrs. Keller was not at home, being away on a visit to relatives in Portland. Mr. Keller got his child out and took her across the street to the residence of Colonel H. M. Bates.

An Alarm Run In. Meanwhile the colored coachman, who had been summoned to the house, sent in an alarm of fire from the box at Clay avenue and Vine street. Without any delay the Relief Engine and company of Peasbury was on the scene and got a stream of water on the flames. Mr. Keller, knowing the plan of the house, directed the efforts of the firemen.

The fire burned fiercely in the pantry and ate its way upstairs. The first story of the residence is brick. The flames fed on the woodwork inside for a time and finally broke through the ceiling. When the fire company arrived the blaze had begun to find its way around the corners of the first story.

It did not take long to subdue the fire, but the building was almost entirely destroyed in the west part and every article of furniture and clothing was ruined. All of Mrs. Keller's clothing and the baby's clothing were destroyed by the fire, and much of Mr. Keller's effects were burned up.

The house had just been returned and redecorated. The carpets and furniture had cost more than \$4,000, besides the contents of the kitchen, works of art, pieces of bric-a-brac, and so forth. The ceilings and walls were very recently decorated in stereo relief and fresco.

Mr. Keller will rebuild. Enough of insurance was carried to go a good way toward reimbursing him for the damage. Mr. Keller is the owner of the house. Attorney M. W. Lowry, the insurance, amounting to \$10,000, was carried in the following agencies: I. L. Post, Robertson & Co., Newark, N. J.; H. Birdsall and Charles Scholzer, Mr. Keller lost a valuable draught horse yesterday that died through sickness.

OARSMEN FROM CANADA.

Champion Four and Senior Sculler Are to Row in the Lake Erie Regatta.

The entry list is now completed for the great regatta that is to take place at Lake Erie Saturday, with the entries from Canada and England in yesterday's issue of The Tribune being received. There are from the Don Rowing club of Toronto, and include a senior four-oared shell crew, which is the champion crew of the world, and the champion single sculler of Canada, a junior single and a junior double, and with a four-oared gig crew from the International Newark, make a total of fifty-two entries for the different races of the day.

This is a record not surpassed by any regatta held in the United States this year, and the entries are sure to be hotly contested and in every respect satisfying to the great crowd of people expected to go to the lake on this state holiday.

The following telegrams are self explanatory: Toronto, Sept. 4. M. E. Sanders, Scranton, Pa.: Will leave Buffalo 9 o'clock tomorrow morning. Secretary Don Rowing Club.

This will bring these oarsmen to Scranton by the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. New York, Sept. 4. M. E. Sanders, Scranton: Metropolitan with three boats leave tomorrow at 1:30 via Erie railroad. M. I. Kelleher, Vice President Metropolitan Rowing Club. This will bring the oarsmen to this club to Lake Erie at 8:45 o'clock this evening.

HELD AS A SUSPECT.

The Filmflammer Sent to Jail to Answer at Court.

Chief Simpson regards with an eye of suspicion the slick individual giving the name of William Ward, who was arrested for working the film-flam game, and accordingly had him held under \$500 bail for his appearance at court. He made no effort to secure a bondsman.

Two men were arrested in Wilkes-Barre on Monday for the same kind of swindling. They were fined and ordered out of town, and came to this city. It is believed that Ward is one of the pair.

REVEE JONES' STUDIO.

The Brilliant Pianist Is Now Located in the Raub Building.

Professor Reeve Jones, the well-known pianist, has opened a studio in the Raub building, where he may hereafter be found by pupils and those who desire his services for concert work.

Mr. Jones is celebrated as one of the most brilliant pianists in the country, and his many friends will be pleased to know that he has decided to again give instruction in this city.

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