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CITY NOTES.

The first snow of the season fell here yesterday. The funeral of Mrs. S. P. Walter will take place from St. Luke's church Friday at 2 o'clock.

The St. Aloysius society will meet to-night in College hall, on Wyoming avenue. Every member is requested to attend. At the Young Women's Christian asso-ciation classes will be organized at 7.30 this evening in both the elementary and advanced courses.

The Girls' Friendly society of St. Luke's church will present "The Deestrict Skule" at Young Men's Christian association hall Thursday evening, Oct. 17.

Thursday evening, Oct. II.

The confluctors, motormen, linemen, car barn and power house employes of the Scranton Traction company received their September earnings yesterday.

Charles Bosturi, a Hungarian, who sustained a sprained back by a fall of roof in Waters' mine, Peckville, was yesterday received at the Lackawanna hospital. Charles M. Hathaway, jr., a graduate of the School of the Lackawanna, has been awarded first prize in a class of 323 for the entrance examination in Greek at Yale university.

The county commissioners yesterday in-spected and approved of a new stone arch in Scott township, which has just been finished for the county by Contractor Gardner, of that place.

Mrs. Arthur Curtis extends her thanks their kindness in helpin kindness in helping her in her late rement, the death of her husband. Stock transfers amounting to about \$30,-500, which does not represent the par value of the securities, have been made through the board of trade since it has publicly displayed quotations of local stocks in its rooms.

The "Poverty Social" at the First Presbyterian church this evening promises to be a very enjoyable affair. The church choir, under the direction of Tallie Morgan, will sing a number of glees, and Miss Baller will sing a solo.

On Nov. 12, at Turner's hall, there will be a ball under the auspices of the Conductors' and Motormen's union. The music will be furnished by Hayes Bros'. orchestra, Each ticket will entitle the holder to a chance on a gold bracelet.

John Ford, indicted for an attempt at burglary, was vesterday surrendered to

John Ford, indicted for an attempt at burglary, was yesterday surrendered to the sheriff on a bail piece. Ford's bondsmen felt that he intended to run away. William Kunz, of the Tenth ward, charged with misdemeanor in office, was also surrendered. Kunz is constable of the ward. The Taylor Herald, the Peckville Independent and the Summit New Era are now published jointly by a stock company headed by P. J. Moran, H. J. Daniels, of Taylor; Leander B. Thompson, of Peckville, and Willard Vosburg, of Clark's Summit, who edit and manage the sditions in these towns.

Judge Scarle vesterday handed down an

Judge Searle yesterday handed down an order granting a new trial in the case of Owen Connolly against John S. Jenkins and Anthony Shannon, in which he had given binding instructions to the jury to find a verdict for the defendant. The arfor a new trial was made by At-

Marriage licenses were granted yester-day by Clerk of the Courts Thomas to Ed-ward Joyce, of Scranton, and Katie F. Feye, of Nanticoke: Joseph Smie and Mary Krepela, of Scranton: David Jones and Laura Simpson, Scranton: David Da-vis and Celia McDonough, Scranton: John R. Orgill and Jessie Cousin, Sqranton.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Archbald Water company the stockholders of the Archbald Water company the stockholders of the Archbald Water company the stockholders of the following were elected to serve as directors: James J. Williams, W. A. May, Thomas Law, Thomas Healy, John Sweeney, S. W. Arnold, L. A. Meixell, J. Bishop and William Law, the directors organized by electing James J. Williams, president; William Law, vice president; John Carroll, treasurer; Thomas Law, secretary; J. Bishop and S. W. Arnold, superintendents.

Intendents.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Lavelle, of Pear street, were before Alderman Millar yesterday charged by their neighbor, Mrs. Barah Corley, with making threats. They were held in \$500 bail each, C. G. Boland becoming bondsman. When the Lavelles heard there was a warrant out for them they had Mrs. Corley arrested for surety and taken before Alderman O'Malley, who held her in \$2,000 bail for court. Notwithstanding the large amount she furnished the security.

the security.

Frank Shiffer, who was arrested recently for assaulting his neighbor, George Shea, had Shea arrested last night for the theft of a saw. It developed at the hearing before Alderman Millar that the Shiffers and the Sheas occupied a barn in common. One day about five years ago Mrs. Shea used a saw which she found in the barn and when she got through with it forgot to return it. Shiffer, after his trouble with the Sheas, discovered his saw in their cellar and proceeded to have them arrested for stealing it. The alderman dismissed the case.

Secretary E. D. Fellows of the board of

dismissed the case.

Secretary E. D. Fellows, of the board of control, is in receipt of five more applications for the position of school superintendent soon to be made vacant by the retirement of Professor G. W. Phillips. They are: James A. Stewart, A. M., of Holidaysburg, Pa.; Charles B. Kelly, principal of the graded schools of Port Alleganey, Pa.; A. P. Marble, of Omaha, Neb.; T. F. Fitzgibbon, superintendent of public schools, Elwood, Ind.; F. Strong, Yale Post Graduate school, New Haven, Three of the applicants stipulate in their letters that they will agree to take the position if the conditions are favorable to them. No applications have been received from this cty.

then there followed in succession, a recitation by Miss inex Broadbent, a vocal duet by Misses Thomas and Fisher, a selection by Mrs. Palmer, banjo solo by Mr. Cole, a recitation by Miss Olive Price, vocal duet by Misses Thomas and Fisher, recitation by Miss Mary Hazleton, recitation by Mrs. Palmer, violin solo by Professor Lepp and Miss Lepp, and a short talk by A. E. Sherman. In conclusion the audience was highly entertained by a representation of Mrs. Jarley's wax works. The attendance was quite large, and the occasion was highly pleasing to all.

The semi-annual meeting of the Asso-

was quite large, and the occasion was highly pleasing to all.

The semi-annual meeting of the Associated Boards of Health of this county will take place on Tuesday, Oct. 15, at 2 p. m. in the rooms of the board of health in the municipal building. This organization was formed last February. Dr. J. K. Bentley, of the North End, is president; Dr. F. L. Van Sickle, of Blakely, is vice president, and Martin C. Judge, of Taylor, is secretary and treasurer. Papers on hygiene and the better sanitary government of cities and boroughs will be read by Mayor W. L. Connell, Dr. Benjamin Lee, of Philadelphia, secretary of the state board of health; D. W. Atkinson, of Philadelphia, secretary of the state associated boards of health; Health Officer W. E. Allen, of this city; Dr. Van Sickle, of Blakely, and Assistant District Attorney John M. Harris,

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DIED OF HEART DISEASE.

Gearge Jayanski Expired Suddenly Last Evening After Supper.

After eating supper last evening George Jayanski, a Hungarian boarding at No. 16 Green's alley, in Pine Brook, retired to his room, complaining of not feeling well, and in less than a quarter of an hour he expired. He was a young man about 30 years of are and a young man about 30 years of age and unmarried. Coroner J. A. Kelley was notified. He

went to the house and empaneled a jury comprising Dr. J. F. Saltry, J. J. O'Boyle, John Grady, James Harrison, James H. Collins and John Hayes. The testimony of the folks with whom the deceased boarded was that he appeared to be in good health until soon before his suddlen death.

this sudden death.

The coroner made a post-mortem examination and found that the man's death was due to heart disease. A ver-dict was rendered accordingly.

SEWER CAUSED A CAVE-IN. Tons of Earth Fall Into a Pit Which Men

Had Just Deserted. The sewer extending alongside of the excavation for the new board of trade building broke yesterday, and by washing away a large quantity of earth caused the bank of the cellar to cave-in. The accident occurred a few minutes after the men who had been at work in a pit at that point quit for dinner. The pit was filled with dirt and had the cave-in occurred while the men were it work they would have been buried

The contractor, D. S. Williams, will ask the city to settle for the damage caused by the accident. The sewer pipe was found to be of a poor quality and in a badly dilapidated condition.

THIS IS THE DAY OF PRAYER. Special Services Will Be Held at the Y. W. C. A. Rooms.

This is the day when members of Young Women's Christian associations everywhere and all interested in their work are asked to specially remember

them in prayer.

The meetings at the central rooms today are at noon, service from 12.30 to 1
p. m., which will be led by Miss McGaughey, missionary of the Second
Presbyterian church; a prayer meeting
at 4 o'clock, to be conducted by Mrs.
L. M. Gates, and an evening service at 7.45, which will be in the charge of the president, Mrs. E. H. Ripple An ad-dress will be made by A. V. Bower.

The Great Sale Will Continue.

Dear Sir—The great sale of Martin & Delany's large Clothing stock will con-inue for a while longer. It was the in-cation of the creditors to give the people Delany's large Clothing stock will continue for a while longer. It was the intention of the creditors to give the people of Scranton and the surrounding towns the benefit of a thirty days' sale when this stock of clothing was purchased at sheriff's sale, of such bargains as never were heard of before in Scranton, and after thirty days sell it to some purchaser in bulk, to satisfy the creditors and realize their money as soon as they could. The creditors have, this first day of October, extended the time longer, to give the people of Scranton and surrounding towns a new lease of life to reap the benefits of this great sacrifice sale of Clothing for a while longer. We have, this first day of October, opened up the large Overcoat and Ulster stock reserved in the basement for this Fall and Winter's trade, which consists mostly of new goods never shown before. We have boys', youths' and men's Overcoats and Ulsters of the very latest makes and styles of Fur Beavers, Chinchillas, Shetlands, Fritze, Kerseys, Cheviots and Unfinished Worstels of the highest grades, that must be sold in a short time, and to please and satisfy the people of Scranton and surrounding towns we will give them one-quarter off on all new goods they purchase.

The Merchant Talloring Department of Martin & Delany's, which was one of the largest in the city, has all been turned into ready-to-wear Clothing to realize the cash in shorter time. It consists of some of the finest Imported Clay and Fancy Worsteds, Cheviots, Scotch Goods, Homespun, Fancy and Staple Cassimere, ever shown in Scranton, Suits that were to be sold in the Merchant Tailoring Department of the seast and cheapest goods in the market for the least money. Every article in this department is equal to custom work in make and trim, and cut in the latest styles. If you want some of these bargains you will have to come early to select them, as these goods are all of the best makes. There is no cheap, shoddy goods among them. They are all straight, honest goods.

Our Children's Knee Pants

among them. They are all straight, honest goods.
Our Children's Knee Pants at 15c., 25c., 30c., 35c., 40c., 50c., 55c., 75c., 85c. and 81.60 are the greatest bargains in the city. Also children's, boys' and youths' Overcoats and Uisters are bargains such as never were given before, and to reap the full benefit of the bargains come early, as they are selling very fast. Don't forget to bring your neighbors.

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iling very tast, your neighbors, MARTIN & DELANY, Coal Exchange, Wyoming ave., Scranton, Pa.

Miss Genevieve Rommell is prepared to take pupils in plano and theory at her studio, No. 295 Washington avenue, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday of each week. Entrance through J. W. Guernsey's music store.

Ae regular meeting of Scranton lodge, 123, B. P. O. E., will be held this evening. A large attendance is requested, as business of importance will be transacted. P. F. Gunster, M. D., Exalted Ruler, W. S. Gould ,Secretary.

Meals and Cold Lunches Meals and cold lunches served at all hours at Lohmann's, Spruce street. Regular dinner 40 cents. Imported and domestic clients and liquors. tic wines, cigars and liquors.

Fine writing paper 15c, per lb. Pratt's Pigeon Match.

All day shoot will commence 10 a, m. Friday, Oct. 11, at Base Ball park. Wilkes-Barre has entered four of their crack shots. \$300 in cash prizes. Wall paper at your own price. Pratt's Book Store.

The dressmaking parlors of Madame L'Amoureaux, 612 Spruce street, are now open. She has just returned from the city, and is prepared to furnish all the latest styles. Prices reasonable; satisfac-tion guaranteed.

THE DEFENSE HAS OPENED

Perretto Was Unarmed.

ATTORNEY BROWN'S REMARKS

are to the Effect That Perretto Could Not Have Committed the Murder. Closing Testimony on the Part of the Defense.

As the court house clock was toiling the hour of four yesterday afternoon District Attorney John R. Jones anounced to Judge Archbald that the commonwealth's side of the case where Pasquela Perretto is on trial for his life was finished. A very strong case against the defendant has been made

Angelo Cameroto, the boarding boss whose house the murder happened, was the first witness called yesterday morning. He did not see the stabbing nor did he see Perretto go upstairs for his revolver and stiletto. The witness said he had his hands full, ejecting from the house those who were quarreling. But before the scuille ended he heard shots that had been fired by Charley Wardo, and he saw the defendant flourishing a big stilletto. Cameroto shoved Perretto out on the street, and not more than a minute after that Michael Demarko shouted for mercy. Perretto ran down the street, a crowd after him. The witness was one of the crowd that chased Perretto, and was of the impression, as were all of them, that Perretto was the murderer of Michael Demarko.

cross-examination Attorney Brown asked Cameroto where he was on Aug. 20, 1892. The witness replied that he was serving a term of twenty months in Dannemora penitentiary, N. Y. He denied that he swore he would kill Dominick Demaio if he would not swear that Pasquella Perretto killed Michael Demarko. Cameroto was senthat Pasquella Perretto killed tenced for attempt at criminal assault. Demaio Told What He Saw.

Dominick Demaio was the next witness. He described the preliminary scenes in the shanty the Sunday of the murder. John Corelio was drunk and flaunted money. Some one, the witness was not sure who it was, advised Corello not to sport his money in that way. This bit of repartee provoked a quar-rel. Peter Perretto brandished a knife and Pasquella Perretto went upstairs for the revolver and stiletto. He did not waver much from his story on cross-examination.

On redirect examination the witness was asked by District Attorney Jones if his testimony before the coroner's jury was not in direct contradiction to the testimony being given now on the trial. He admitted that there may thought that it would go hard with him if he told to the coroner what he knew about the murder.

District Attorney Jones asked Demajo whether or not he told a different story a week ago at the jail to him. The object of this was to show that Perretto's friends have been using intimidation to prevent the witnesses of the commonwealth from testifying to the commonwealth from testifying to the truth. Demaio swore before the coroner's jury to facts that would es-tablish the guilt clearly and forcibly of Perretto and he told the district at-torney a week ago at the county jail that he saw the shouting but on the that he saw the shooting, but on the witness stand yesterday he knew nothing except about the preliminary trouble. He did not see the fatal encounter between Perretto and Demarko

Perretto Won the Knife. Louis Cicero, a swarthy and dirty-looking middle-aged Italian, took the stand at 3.30. He was shown the case and handle of the missing stilletto with which Perretto statued Demarko. The

about three years ago. He bet it on a game of cards with Perret and lost. They boarded at the same ouse and played cards together, sometimes for beer, sometimes for money, often-times for nothing, and but once for knives. Cicero got the knife from a man in Carbondale, who left it as a token of remembrance as he was about to go back to Italy.

Attorney Martin tried to show on cross-examination that Cicero was mistaken about the knife; that the leather case and wooden handle shown to him by the district attorney were not the ones that belonged to the knife Perretto won from him on the game of District Attorney Jones here ex-

plained to the court that diligent search had been made by the county detective for Peter Perretto and Charles Wardo, the two Italians who were eye wit-nesses of the murder. These men have taken themselves away to some distant and unknown clime, and that is the reason they were not put on the wit-ness stand. The commonwealth rested after offering the revolver, stiletto handle and case in evidence.

Opened for the Defense. At 4 o'clock Attorney Joseph Brown opened for the defendant. (He said that it is a deplorable fact that murders have been amazingly frequent within the last ten years, but what the jury must decide is whether or not Perretto did the killing. He hoped to be able, he said, to prove that there was a free fight and that knives were freely used to such extent that the murdered man was slashed in several places on the head, breast and lower limbs; therefore that the killing did not take place as commonwealth's witnesses testified and that Perretto did not strike

Grorge Bell and Michael Sweeney, Winton, were sworn for the defendant. They were character witnesses and testified that Perretto always was regarded as a peaceable citizen. A point court adjourned for the day. At this

IN THE OTHER COURTS.

Large Number of Cuses Disposed of Be fore Judge Noyes and Judge Craig. fore Judge Noyes and Judge Croig.

Cases were disposed of with dispatch in the two other court rooms before Judge Noyes and Judge Craig. A verdict of guilty was returned against Jessie Hall in the two cases of selling liquor on Sunday and selling without a license. After the verdict was recorded she was again put on trial for maintaining a bawdy house. Patrolman Thomas Lewis swore that he saw persons of lewd reputation frequent the Pleasant View hotel during the administration of Miss Hall. The jury acquitted her of this charge and divided the costs equally between her and the county.

and the county. The following verdicts were taken by agreement before Judge Noyes: Steve Judge and Patrick Convey, larceny and Judge and Patrick Convey, larceny and receiving: Charles Stone, pros., defendants not guilty but required to pay the costs; Charles Thiel, maintaining a bawdy house; John Glibride, pros., not guilty, county to pay the costs; Clinton Potter, aggravated assault and battery; W. T. Simpson, pros., not guilty, county to pay the costs.

They Assaulted a Dennity Secrif.

They Assaulted a Deputy Scerif. Michael Sapp, John Palfry, George Sofek, Mrs. John Palfry and Mrs. And Bellin were corralled as defendants in two cases wherein Deputy Sheriff J. D. Ferber was the prosecutor. One charge was for obstructing a legal process and the other for assault and battery upon sublic officer. the other for assault and battery upon a public officer. Assistant District Attorney John M. Harris and Attorney H. C. Reynolds appeared for the commonwealth, and Attorney Joseph O'Brien for the defendant.

Mrs. Bellin, the fomentor of the strife, was not around when the case was called and a capias was issued. Mr. Ferber went to Jessup a few months ago to levy on the household goods of the best. At Guernsey Bros.

the Bellins. The housewife asked for an hour's time before the sale would begin so that her husband might go out and get the money to pay the debt. Mr. Ferber agreed to this, but the hour passed and the husband did not come, and he proceeded to make the sale. Mrs. Bellin went out and rallied the neighbors around and the result is they are now in court. The case was on at adjournment.

McDonough and Dougherty Go Free. Will Endeavor to Prove That Pasquela

McDonough and Dougherty Go Free. in a verdict of not guilty in the cases of assault and battery and alding a prisoner to escape where Malachy McDonough and John Dougherty were defendough and John Dougherty were defend-ants and Abraham Shapira prosecutor. Verdicts of not guilty were taken in three cases against John Mitchell, John Salka and John Peters, indicted for aiding a prisoner to escape. Constable John McHale, of Olyphant, was the prosecutor, and the costs were placed upon him, as he did not trouble to come around and prosecute. Thomas McDonough, sr., Thomas Mc-

Donough, Jr., and Claude English were tried for feloniously wounding A. Brown. Attorney L. P. Wedeman rep-resented the commonwealth and Attor-ney George M. Watson the defendants. The elder McDonough owns a farm at Tompkinsville, McDonough, jr., is his son, and English is a hired man. One evening last September, in the early part of the month, Brown took a ramble through the McDonough farm, and as he was passing the homestead, the three defendants were out on the back

forbidden and allowed to pass on his way, with the caution to take the public highway on his return. He disregarded the caution, and came back over the same path. Walking up to where the lord of the manor was sitting. Brown wanted to purchase two tons of butter at 5 cents a pound. His story was that his overtures toward such a large deal in butter were met with felonious wounding. The case was given to the jury a short time before adjournment

Judge Archbald Refused Plea of Guitty. Annie Loske, Eva Bonoske, Kate Samalanio, Sallie Kelley, Mary Boery, Annie Zeznodix and Josie De Bredno, the seven women who were indicted for receiving stolen goods, desired to plead They are the women guilty. Smith, who stole the goods from the Four Cent store, Cohen's store and Finley's store, Schultz and Smith plead guilty on Monday. Judge Archbald decided not to impose sentence on them men who sold these women the goods The court wished to know whether the purcheses were made with a full knowledge of the gravity of their offense

The boys were brought before the bar of justice in the afternoon. They said that three of the women induced them to steal the goods. This sent a chill throught the unfortunate women, and they showed that they feared the court would be very severe. Judge Archbald observed the utter discomhave been a vast disparity between his statements then and now, owing to the fiture of the defendants and refused fact that he was afraid of his life, and

Accordingly the seven women named and Carto Guskill and Joseph De Loskey were put on trial late in the ifternoon before Judge Craig in No. 3 The case had not gone beyond the opening stage at adjournment,

DON'T GIVE UP THE BOOKS.

That Is the Expiring Cry of the City Assessors.

There will be a clash and a noisy one at that when the newly created board of revision and appeals attempts to exercise its supervisory and dictatorial power over the board of assessors. This new board virtually takes all power away from the assessors and makes of them mere servants. This is a bitter pill for the assessors to swallow but they don't intend to gulp it down without a struggle.

According to the provisions of the new law the board of revision and apnew law the board of revision and appeals shall have possession of the assessors' books, and shall have the power to raise or lower an assessment, and what is most objectionable of all, they have the power to order a new assessnent if in their opinion the assessors have not judged well and true. This will leave the board of assessors with less than three months' work to do each year, and besides will obliterate any importance that may at present be

attached to the office.

The assessors will fight the law. D. Jones, one of the assessors, stated yesterday that he and his colleagues, Charles Yoos and Rudolph Buenzli, have considered the matter carefully and have come to the conclusion that they are the proper custodians of the books, and do not intend to give them up. Court, the said, would probably be

called upon to settle the matter.

The board of revision and appeals will organize tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock, in the council rooms, by selec-tion of a chairman. City Clerk Lavelle, by the provisions of the law, is secre tary of the board. Councils is em powered to fix his compensation, but so far has neglected to do so. The head-quarters of the board will probably be in the city clerk's office. The fun is liable to commence Friday morning if the board attempts to remove last year's assessment books from the assessors' office to the city clerk's office. The test may take the form of injunction

The assessors' clerk, George Heusner will, it is likely, be left uninstructed, and when the demand is made for the books he will answer the demand by nforming them that he has no auth ity to allow the assessment books to leave the office. Then the board of revision and appeals can take what-ever method of procedure they see fit

A FISHERMAN'S LUCK.

ireen Ridge Amateurs Give a Very Clever Dramatic Performance.

St. Paul's Literary and Dramatic association of Green Ridge entertained a large audience in the parochial hall last evening with a very creditable production of the drama, "A Fisherman's Luck."

The presentation was, on the whole, much above the average amateur standard. The characters were nat-urally portrayed and evidenced care-ful and painstaking coaching. The stage settings were on a very preten-tious order and everything was carried out without any bitches of delays so

out without any bitches or delays, so common to amateur performances. The parts were portrayed as follows:
Tom Manly, a poor fisherman,
A. J. Fitzpatrick
William Farren, alias 'Squire Hammond,
John J. Varley
James Hammond, Farren's son,
Henry F. Hart
David Morris, known as Uncle Davie. James Hammond, Henry F. Hart David Morris, known as Uncle Davie, William B. Hicks Silas Kidder, stage struck P. Daly Niland Rev. George Medhurst....Joseph Mitchell Rose Prescott, Hammond's ward, Miss Agnes Monghan Mrs. Manly, Tom's mother, Miss Anna Jordan Ruth Manly, Tom's sister,
Miss Kathryn Fitzpatrick
Little Nellie, a waif of the ocean,
Miss Margaret Sweeney Bauer's orchestra furnished the

John Raymond Institute Classes John Raymond Institute Classes.

The management did not anticipate so large a demand for the classes announced, and have had to increase their orders for material and equipment for the class rooms. The following classes will meet this evening: Penmanship, bookkeeping, arithmetic, correspondence, grammar, mechanical drawing, architectural drawing, wood working, electricity and German.

than Scranton is Scheibel's hotel at the end of the new Elmhurst boulevard road, You can get the best of meals at all hours, also refreshments of all kinds.

FAHEY HAS THE COMMITTEE

Priends of Judge Smith Made an Effort to Get It Away from Him.

Ex-Sheriff Was Firm in His Resolve to Have Itis Enemies a Hopeless Minority and the Candidate for Coroner Swung Into Line.

Ex-Sheriff John J. Fahey's Democratic county committee, which was given to the public Tuesday, was decided upon only after many conferences,

of the chairmanship; he was fighting for the control of the local organization and his success warranted him in beporch enjoying a smoke and sampling some new cider.

Brown was told that trespassing was direct Democratic affairs in Lackawanna for the next year.

but found that he did not yet have the reins in his own hand. The fight that he was unfriendly to Judge Smith and that the latter should have a coun-

Tried to Get the Committee. nomination.

majority of those honored with a place on it would be his staunch and loyal

Candidate Dunning was not expected to give any trouble, as he had been all too anxious to keep entirely out of the squabble. When the time came for Fahey, Dunning and Dr. Kelley to meet and name the county committee the ex-sheriff found that he had some breakers still ahead. Mr. Dunning had little to say one way or the other, but Dr. Kelley had been seen by members of the Smith faction, who talked harmony to him, and he thought it a good idea to give that division of the party a big representation on the committee. This would make Mr. Fahey's control of it extremely problematical.

Right at this point is where the latter arose and declared himself.

To the Victor Belongs the Spoils.

To the Victor Belongs the Spoils. He plainly informed the doctor that he had been on the fence long enoughto defeated contingent. It would be a graceful act, he admitted, but, fearing his opponents would not appreciate it fully, he decided to be practical and

day.

Then Dr. Kelley was summoned to Judge Smith's office, where he met several of the leading men of that wing of the party and they told him to be firm and fear not; that he was entitled to a voice in the make-up of the committee, and that he should insist on his righter.

do it. There's no use in making a fuss about it."

"But are you going to allow him to usurp your right?" he was asked.

"Better to lose some of my rights than lose the office." was the doctor's laconic rejoinder, "and that's what will happen, I'm afraid, if I act stubborn in this matter."

Arguments was unavailing to induce the doctor to believe that he was taking the doctor to believe that he was taking

too serious a view of the trouble The Committeemen Endorsed. Efforts were also made to induce A B. Dunning, jr., to insist on the appoint-ment of men who would neutralize the Fahey influence on the committee, but it was not very successful. After several meetings and adjournments to try

and make terms, the committee was finally made up Tuesday, as announced in yesterday's Tribune. It is headed by Attorney James J. O'Nelli, of Carbondale, who is a warm friends of Fahey's and has fought with sistant district attorney under John P. Kelly, who is one of Fahey's warm sup-porters. The fact that Attorney O'Neill read law in Judge Smith's office is pre

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THEY PLAYED ON DR. KELLEY

some threatening and not a little cajol-ing. As named, however, it is a Pahey committee; of that there is no doubt, although ex-County Chairman John E. Roche, who led the opposition to Mr. Fahey for chairman of the committee, is given a place on the committee, which consists of forty members, fifteen more than Mr. Fahey originally intended it should.

When Mr. Fahey made his dashing and successful battle for the chairmanship of the Democratic county convention he did not do it for the empty honor of the observations have a successful battle for the empty honor of the observations have a successful battle.

He won his battle in the convention.

against thim was made on the ground ty chairman and a committee at his home who would accept his advice in conducting the campaign. This issue was raised, Mr. Fahey and his friends did not hesitate to say, that the real ob-ject his opponents were fighting for might be concealed. The ex-sheriff said he was not unfriendly to Judge Smith and would do what in his power lay to secure his election, but that did not end the fight.

There was an exciting struggle in the convention and the Smith people only acknowledged defeat after they were squarely beaten. Then another test was taken. In the preliminary strug-gle over the chairman, A. B. Dunning, ir., the candidate for surveyor, took no part whatever. He had no opposi-tion and refused to become embroiled in the factional fight. Dr. Kelley was not in such a fortunate position. While he in such a fortunate position. While he tried to keep aloof from the chairman-ship fight, circumstances drew him to a certain extent into the Fahey camp, and the latter's victory resulted in his

Then it was that his troubles began. Fahey naturally concluded the doctor would lend a willing ear to his suggestion regarding the men to compose the county committee, for the ex-sherin had determined that at least a great

friends. Candidate Dunning was not expected

A committee was not named that

rights.

"It's all right for you to talk about standing firm," replied the doctor, "but Fahey is determined to control that committee, and I tell you he's going to do it. There's no use in making a fuss

nim in several campaigns. He was as

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sumed to make him acceptable to that wing of the party.

John J. Gaffney, the secretary of the committee, has for years been Fahey's most trusted lieutenant, and there is no doubt as to where he stands. Other well-known Fahey men on the committee are: John J. Durkin, B. Moses, M. P. Flynn, John J. O'Boyle, Joseph O'Brien, John J. Shea, M. J. Cadden, T. C. Melvin, W. W. Baylor, P. E. Timlin, E. J. Ward, George C. Griswald, Miles McAndrew and James Boylan.

Of the forty members of the committee only eleven are said to have been sumed to make him acceptable to that

tee only eleven are said to have been members of the anti-Fahey faction. It will be a great surprise if the con-trol of it is wrested from the ex-sheriff.

LYNETT IS AT THE HELM. He Has Purchased the Times Outright from Bell & Watkins.

E. J. Lynett, recently editor of the Sunday Free Press, yesterday pur-chased of Bell & Watkins the Scranton Evening Times and will today as-sume control of the paper. Mr. Ly-nett's control is absolute. No person has any reserve interest in the paper. The present business office, press room and editorial rooms will be con-tinued in use and the business and editor;al staffs will be continued until new quarters are obtained. This Mr. Lynett stated yesterday and intimated that the Times' new home will be in The Tribune's new bullding, on Wash-

ington avenue.

The Sunday Free Press, beginning The Sunday Free Press, beginning with its next issue, will be under the control of the administrators of the estate of F. A. Beamish and will be edited by Richard F. Beamish, of this city, a well-known writer and newspaper man and recently editor of the Carbondale Anthracite. The Free Press will be increased from eight to twelve pages and eventually to sixteen pages. Its make-up will be altered and a policy of current, live, up-to-date local news and current, live, up-to-date local news and comment established.

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