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CITY NOTES.

Michael Bell was yesterday granted a license to peddle in this county. He served in the late war.
The Royal Welsh Ladies' choir will give a grand concert at the Frothingham Tuesday night, Oct. 15.
Colonel H. A. Couston and officers of the Thirtieth regiment will hold an important meeting Monday night, Nov. 4.
St. Luke's Industrial school will open on Saturday, Oct. 12, at 2.30 p. m. in parish room, corner of Adams avenue and Linden street.
This afternoon the first meeting of the children's chorus will be held at the Young Men's Christian association building at 2 o'clock.

The gospel meeting at the Young Women's Christian association will be led by the assistant secretary, Miss Lora E. Perry. It will be a purpose meeting.
Fritz Fourcock, a Dickinson City pianist, was committed to the county jail for malicious mischief by Justice of the Peace Logan. Fourcock could not give bail.
Deputy Sheriff J. D. Ferber yesterday laid the effects of a taxidermy business, company, Attorney W. J. Tracy bought the stock in for the execution creditors. The sale brought \$50.
A most interesting gospel meeting will be held at the Young Men's Christian association rooms tomorrow afternoon. The song services will begin at 8.45 and the address will be given at 10.
"The American Girl," H. Gratton Donnelly's new play, which will be seen at the Academy of Music tonight, was produced at Wilkes-Barre last night and proved a delightful entertainment.
Rev. Dr. McLeod will speak tomorrow evening at the First Presbyterian church on "Whether the Sunday Laws Ought to Be Repealed or Relaxed in the Interest of the Saloons," a topic of especial interest in view of the pending political campaign in New York state.
The reading circle of St. Cecilia's Academy has reorganized and will meet at the convent every Friday evening hereafter, except the first Friday of the month. The officers elected are as follows: President, Ida Murphy; secretary, Mary Niland; financial secretary, Nellie O'Donnell; treasurer, Mary Moyles.

On Tuesday the tablet erected to the memory of the members of the One Hundred and Forty-third regiment, who fell in the final repulse of the battle of Gettysburg, will be unveiled on Cemetery Ridge. An excursion will be conducted by the members of the regiment to the battlefield, the train leaving this city at 8.30 Monday morning.

The will of Edward J. McCormick, late of Scranton, was admitted to probate yesterday and letters of administration were granted. The will of Edward Gallagher, late of Dunmore, was admitted to probate and letters granted to Honora Conroy. In the estate of Catherine Conroy, late of Scranton, letters of administration were granted to Catherine Brown.

A gaseous flame shot out from the fire beneath the boiler of the blast furnace last night about 2 o'clock and burned on the face and hands John Gau, who is employed in the furnace. He was taken to the Mount Taylor hospital. The burns are not dangerous, but will prevent him from work for a month. His home is on Bradford avenue, South side, where his wife and family reside.

A drunken Polandier stepped off a moving street car on Lackawanna avenue last evening and took a few somersaults on the asphalt. He gathered himself up and went to the dispatcher's office of the traction company on Franklin avenue, where he vigorously demanded \$100.00 for his collision with the street. He was ushered into the arms of a policeman, who conveyed him to the lockup.

New Goods.
We open this morning a new line of Dress Goods and Ladies' Coats. A large assortment of the very latest styles at moderate prices. MEARS & HAGEN.

AFTER THE FLOOD.
Debris is All Cleared Off the Street and Repair Yard Cleaned Up.
A large force of workmen were busy yesterday arranging matters where the flood that swept from the Mattes street reservoir left its wreckage. Mattes street was cleared of all the iron and that was swept down on it, and the material in the repair yard of the Delaware and Western railroad was gathered together.
The blast furnace had to shut down yesterday morning and will be idle for but a few days. The South works also suspended operations temporarily.

Assignee's sale of furniture at Hull & Company's today. J. L. Hull, assignee.
The finest line of wines, cigars, malt and other liquors in the city at Lohmann's, Spruce street. E. Robinson's, Milwaukee and Feigenbaum's on draught.
Taylor's New Index Map of Scranton and Dunmore.
For sale at Taylor's Directory office, 12 Tribune building, or obtain with an order for the Scranton Directory 1896.
The Eagle hotel at Gettysburg is one of the best hotels in the state. Rates \$2 per day.
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There is no change of cars of any class between New York and Chicago via West Shore and Nickel Plate roads.
Gold and fountain pens 50c. to St. Pratt's Book Store.
If you want a mild, fine 10c. cigar call for Popular's.

The Nickel Plate Road runs along the shore of Lake Erie and through Erie, Cleveland, Ploveria and Fort Wayne.
Holiday books in sets and single volumes at half price. Pratt's Book Store.

OFFICER ELLIS' MURDER

Notorious Judd Wolcott Accused of the Crime by Bill Kent.

TELLS A PLAUSIBLE STORY

Wolcott boarded with him at Time and Burned Revolver in His Store—Can Produce Two Other Witnesses to Whom Wolcott Confessed Crime.

On a Sunday evening in the December of 1888 Police Officer John Ellis was shot and killed at the water tax on the Keyser Valley branch of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western road. Four men, supposed to be tramps, had taken possession of the tank and the water tax. They were arrested and taken to the West Side police station for assistance. John Davis, now police lieutenant; Thomas V. Lewis, John Smith and William Keating were the men who were taken there to capture the gang and went thither never suspecting that resistance would be offered. As the police were about to gain entrance the tank the quartet inside made a bold dash for liberty. One of them, who was first to rush forth, fired two shots into the body of Officer Ellis, who was standing by the tank. He was all but four escaped. Although big rewards have been offered and the best detective talent in the country engaged on the case no one has ever been openly charged with the crime until yesterday when Bill Kent, the ex-burglar, counterfeiter and general all-around criminal, accused his old pal, the notorious Judd Wolcott, of being the murderer. Kent, as announced in yesterday's issue, was arrested Wednesday for passing counterfeit money. He is 68 years of age and has served three terms in the penitentiary during the last years in the Eastern penitentiary for arson, did eighteen months in the Western penitentiary for counterfeiting and on Aug. 2 last was released from the Eastern penitentiary after serving four years, minus nine months, on account of good behavior, for complicity in the burglarizing of Rev. William Ediger's residence in Dunmore.

Fastened the Crime on Kent.
Kent, Judd Wolcott and Paddy Devers, who was killed in the Baldwin locomotive works four years ago, were suspected of the burglary. Wolcott became a stool pigeon for the detectives and fastened the crime on Kent. It afterwards developed that the burglars hid their swag in an old deserted mine and that Wolcott stole it from the hiding place and hid it in a culm pile in Dunmore, where it was afterwards discovered by Chief Simpson.

Kent was a shoemaker by trade, and kept a shop in Dunmore near the corners. His place was the rendezvous for these and other bad men, and was the scene of the concoction of many a bold and daring criminal plot. Wolcott was the worst of the lot, it is believed, and later events establish that this belief was about correct. Kent worked every day and was apparently an honest, industrious man, and in no way a criminal except that of harboring Wolcott, who was ever fastened upon him, except on the evidence of this same Wolcott.

Kent, as may be readily believed, knew of the doings of his pal, Wolcott. This, Kent now says, was what sent him to the penitentiary the last time. Wolcott had a disreputable manner and it was through fear of disclosure that Wolcott swore him into prison so that he might be out of the way, and his testimony, which he had no intention of making a disclosure, might be discredited. It is a significant fact that on July 25 last, eight days previous to Kent's release from the penitentiary, Wolcott disappeared from Dunmore and has not been seen since.

He Told Chief Simpson About It.
The startling disclosure of the Ellis murder was made by Kent to Chief of Police Simpson yesterday morning, and in the first interview he told the reporter to a Tribune reporter, but at the time he did not know that he was talking for publication.

On the following the Ellis murder Wolcott came to the shop, greatly excited and said to Kent, "For God's sake keep this date in your mind, and if you are ever asked about it, tell me that I told you about it." Kent asked him what the trouble was, and at first he refused to tell, but finally confessed to him that he had shot a policeman, and that he had been taken to Hyde Park to "tap" a place, and wishing to come in by the back way, went around from Dunmore to Providence and then down Keyser Valley. At the place he was to hide and keep warm until nightfall, when they intended to steal up through the fields to the place which they were going to rob. Kent did not inquire what he had in mind, but he saw the police swooped down on them, and they had to use their revolvers to get out. Wolcott said he hit one of the cops, but not the leather, and the other man killed him. Wolcott took a revolver from his pocket removed the shells, three of which were loaded and two discharged, and stirring up the coals in the stove, shoved the revolver in.

Kent says the revolver had a red-wood handle, on which the name "J. Price" was cut in large letters. He did not know the name of the maker. When the fire had totally disfigured the revolver, Wolcott picked it out of the bucket of water, which the cobbler used to coolen the leather, and after it cooled sufficiently to be handled, took it up and started out saying he would "put it where Jesus Christ himself would not find it." He was gone about three-quarters of an hour, and upon his return went to bed.

Wolcott's Midnight Visit.
A spell after this, as he put it, Kent gave up his shop, and went to live in the country just beyond Dunmings, boarding with J. R. Martin, late of Scranton. One night about 11 o'clock Wolcott came there and asked for him. Mrs. Martin, who was sleeping on the ground floor, admitted him after arousing Kent, and he went to the second-hand did not get up, but Kent went downstairs to see what the trouble was. The two men sat down in the front room, and when Mrs. Martin threw Wolcott told Kent that the police were after him for the burning of Savage's building in Dunmore; he had come out into the country at night, believing he would not be seen, and asking Kent to help him establish an alibi.

The fire in Savage's building occurred while Wolcott and Kent were staying in the shop in Dunmore. Kent commenced to murder Savage, being drawn into all of Wolcott's crimes and a long interview occurred, during which the murder and other matters were discussed. After getting Kent's word that he would not be seen, and asking Kent upon a story to tell in case of arrest, Wolcott drove away and got back to Dunmore before daylight.
Mrs. Martin, like any ordinary woman, was curious to know what the business could bring a man to the house at that unreasonable hour, and during the conversation in the front room she was posted at Kent's coming to the hallway which separated the front room and her bedroom. Although they spoke in guarded tones, she heard all that was said, and the next morning she told Kent that she knew the Savages in Dunmore, and she was going to tell who set fire to their building.
Kent asked her if she had heard anything else and she said: "I know what I heard, and I know what I am going to tell." The woman told Squire Letchworth of the incendiarism, but not of the murder; why, Kent could not explain. It was over the woman that Kent and Wolcott had the quarrel.

REGARDING A CONJUTOR

Rev. M. J. Hoban, of Ashley, Is Prominently Mentioned.

HE IS NAMED MOST WORTHY

The Holy Father Is Likely Soon to Announce Upon Whom Pallium Will Be Conferred—Father Finnen Did Not Want the Honor.

COAL PRICES GO UPWARD.

Another Jump in the Selling Prices of Black Diamonds.

Anthracite coal prices, which were advanced by the Pennsylvania Railroad, raised still higher yesterday at Philadelphia; that is, for two sizes. Broken was elevated from \$3.35 to \$3.50 per ton, and the other from \$3.40 to \$3.55. The explanation of the supplementary rise as given by a leading operator is that "broken and nut were lower than they should have been. But, so far as the supply is concerned, it is believed that the market may as well have been advanced \$5 a ton. "They are not to be had—not a pound. The drought is at the bottom of the business." "York says" the operators for the want of water. "The new prices will go into effect early next week.

DEATH OF A DETECTIVE.

Ex-Chief Brooks of the United States Secret Service Expires from Heart Failure—Story of His Life.

Pittsburg, Pa., Oct. 11.—Ex-Chief of the United States Secret Service James J. Brooks, died at 4.35 o'clock this morning at his home, No. 1843 Bluff street, Pittsburg. Death was due to heart failure. The veteran detective having carried for over sixteen years in the case of his heart a violent, the result of vindictiveness of violators of the law who were afraid to permit Mr. Brooks to live. Mr. Brooks was in his seventy-second year. His career in his chosen profession covers a most interesting experience of forty years. He was born in the town of Pittsburg, Pa., in the United States when quite young. Mr. Brooks first gained great fame during the whiskey ring's supremacy in Philadelphia. The story of his attempted assassination by the hirelings of that clique is most thrilling. Mr. Brooks first served as chief of the United States secret service under President Garfield. He occupied the head of the department for thirteen years and was permitted the unique and highly gratifying privilege of choosing his own successor, and succeeded A. L. Drummond, now a resident of New York city. He was a member of the federal service. Mr. Brooks became the general manager of Gilkinson's American Detective Bureau, with headquarters in Pittsburg. He was a rare man in character and a thoroughly conscientious Christian, a prominent member of the Baptist church in Washington, D. C.

Brooks leaves a widow and several children. F. V. Brooks is a physician of prominence in Washington; Alfred Brooks is a chief of the internal revenue service, New York division; Walter Brooks is a special examiner in the bureau of pensions. Of the four daughters, two reside in Washington, D. C., one in Maryland and the other in Maryland. The funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow. The interment will be at Washington, D. C.

CROWDED TO THE DOORS.

Black Crook Proved a Great Attraction at Academy of Music.

"The Black Crook" is just the show for Scranton theater-goers, at least it was a great attraction for as many as 1,000 people who crowded into the Academy of Music last evening for the regular attendant of the gallery was there, and had his friends with him. Society was well represented in all parts of the house, and the red-headed row was at a premium, and was not solely occupied by that class, either. There was a surfeit of ballet and an abundance of musical specialties. The efforts of James Marbu in this line were truly wonderful. Miss Madeleine Marshall's singing of popular airs was a pleasing and frequent feature. There were also some of the best of the Spanish serenades, musical dolls, the Walhalla spiders and quadrille. The latter was encored several times. There were other specialties, all worthy, but too numerous to mention. Bright scenery and all the appliances required to give the show its effect were brought into play in the weird incantation scenes in the Hartz mountains. There are some of these in each of the four acts, but the greatest part of the spectacular production consisted of ballet, tableaux, Amazonian marches and other specialties.

CHARGES ARE ALL DENIED.

Special Agent Detailed to Investigate Those Made Against Herring.

A United Press dispatch received by The Tribune last night from Washington was as follows: "Commissioner Miller of the internal revenue bureau, treasury department, has detailed a special agent to investigate charges made against Grant Herring, collector of internal revenue for the Twelfth district of Pennsylvania, with headquarters at Scranton, by William J. Burke, until recently an employe in Collector Herring's office.

"He reflect upon the collector's personal habits and also upon him in his official capacity. Both Collector Herring and Mr. Burke have been to Washington this week and confronted each other in Commissioner Miller's presence.
"Mr. Burke reiterated orally the charges he had previously made in writing against the collector, and the latter denied them point blank."

INJURED IN A RUNAWAY.

Four Women Suffer from an Accident Caused by Imperfect Horses.
Newark, N. J., Oct. 11.—Four women were seriously injured in a runaway accident at Summit last night. Mrs. George H. Williams had her spine sprained; Mrs. James M. Woodruff was cut about the face, and will lose the sight of one eye; Miss Fanny Conkling was cut about the head and internally injured, and Miss Fanny Jones had her ankle broken. The driver and Mrs. Newton Woodruff and Miss Ida Williams escaped injury. The party had driven from their homes in West Summit to a social in the Baptist church, at Summit.

On the return, while going down the Springfield avenue hill, a trace broke and the horses started on a mad run. The carriage struck a rock and was demolished. Some of the occupants were thrown out, while the others were dragged in the wreck for a hundred yards, or until the horses were stopped.

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Buy the Weber. At Guernsey Bros.

NASH'S REAL ESTATE OFFERS.

Interesting Advertisement Can Be Seen by Turning to Page 2.

The reader's attention is directed to the advertisements on page 2 of The Tribune today, setting forth the remarkably liberal offers made to intending purchasers of real estate and property.

S. M. Nash has a varied list of desirable and valuable properties for sale on the market, and which he offers to sell at figures that cannot fail to suit even those of limited capital.

W. W. Berry, Jeweler, 417 Lackawanna Avenue.

High Grade Pianos.

and Holiday Goods are coming every day.
LOOK IN OUR WINDOWS
CHINA CLOCKS as low as \$2.00.

J. Lawrence Stelle, 303 Spruce Street.

FOR SALE

The Great Sale Will Continue.
Dear Sir:—The great sale of Martin & Delany's large stock of clothing and costumes 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 the bargain price. It is believed that these goods were heard of before in Scranton, and after thirty days sell it to some purchaser in order to satisfy the creditors and realize their money as soon as they could. The creditors have, this first day of October, extended all the Catholics of the diocese, lay, clerical and religious should pray to the Holy Ghost to enlighten the appointing power to select for us a bishop who will govern us and administer the spiritual and temporal affairs of the diocese, when these burdens shall be entrusted to him, to the greater glory of God and to the edification and sanctification of souls."

Prayers Are Asked for.
"The appointment of the coadjutor may be made at any time now and the meeting of the cathedral chapter of the diocese, lay, clerical and religious should pray to the Holy Ghost to enlighten the appointing power to select for us a bishop who will govern us and administer the spiritual and temporal affairs of the diocese, when these burdens shall be entrusted to him, to the greater glory of God and to the edification and sanctification of souls."

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We Make Things Hum

In Furs and Cloaks we are offering for one week, commencing Oct. 7,

BLACK CONY CAPES

30 inches long and 3 yds. sweep,
For \$9.98
Formerly \$16.00

ELECTRIC SEAL CAPES

30 inches long and 3 yds. sweep,
For \$15.98
Formerly \$25.50

ASTRAKHAN CAPES

30 inches long and 3 yds. sweep,
For \$17.00
Formerly \$30.00

WATER MINK NECK SCARFS

One hundred dozen
For 98 cents
Formerly \$2.00

CHILDREN'S GRETCHENS

From \$2.98 up

CHILDREN'S REEFERS

From \$2.00 up

We have a larger and handsomer line of Ladies' Cloth Coats and Capes than ever before.

J. BOLZ, THE ONLY FURRIER IN SCRANTON, 138 WYOMING AVENUE. NEXT TO THE DIME BANK.

The Crystal Palace

Just arrived and now on exhibition the most handsome line of the latest decorated and newest shaped

CARLSBAD CHINA, DINNER AND TEA SETS.

NEARLY ALL STOCK PATTERNS.

INSPECTION WILL CONVINCE.

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231 PENN AVE., OPP. BAPTIST CHURCH.

A heavy duty Florida steam heater, No. 61, with all the trimmings and connections, including gate valves, two 36-inch fire pots, two 3 1-2-inch steam connections, two 3-inch returns. Will heat 3,200 square feet direct surface. Only used one year.

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