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CARBONDALE.

THE CONTRACT AWARDED.

Flannahan & O'Hara Get It—The Various Bids.

Those present at the meeting of Common Council were Messrs. Mills, Baker, Devine, Glennon, Kane, Smith, Colwell and McDonough. The amount of business transacted was considerable, and bridge plans for Eighth avenue were received and John Gibbs, whose horse was injured through negligence of the city, was given an order for \$22.50.

Considerable discussion took place on the matter of opening the bids for the extension of the main sewer. Mr. Mills said there was no money on hand to meet the project and did not think the contract should be let under those conditions. Mr. McDonough thought the work would be cheaper if received this fall, as other jobs were plenty. Mr. Baker then suggested that the bids be opened and the checks of all but the lowest bidder be returned and the lowest bidder be executed. This was approved, and the award was made as follows:

- Flannahan & O'Hara, \$184 per lineal foot; Dunn Bros, \$185 per lineal foot; Luskay & Van Loan, \$183 per lineal foot; Fox Bros, for entire job, \$14,238.

Flannahan & O'Hara's bid was declared the lowest and they will be communicating with the city engineer to take the contract. If these parties take the contract they are also prevailed upon to take the Park street sewer.

The public library committee also reported at the meeting. They said that the delay in getting the room in the city building ready for the library was caused by the committee wishing to consult with the library association.

One of the most important things done by the council was the introduction of an ordinance which will increase the bonded indebtedness of the city \$20,000. The measure was introduced by H. G. Baker.

ITALIAN SOCIETY MEET.

Mr. Puglione Re-Elected President—Other Action Taken.

At the annual meeting of the "Young Italy" society, most important business was transacted. Nearly the whole society was present, and showed much enthusiasm in their work. This was caused by the fact that it was the occasion of the yearly election of officers. Many different candidates were in the field, and the voting was close and exciting.

It resulted as follows: President, Gabriel Puglione; vice president, N. Rugiero; recording secretary, Ettore Barbiero; treasurer, B. Lavarella; Dr. D. L. Bailey was elected medical examiner.

This organization has done a great deal of work in the past year, over \$200 being paid out for benefits.

A NEW ORGANIZATION.

The Republicans of the Sixth Ward Form a Permanent Organization.

The question of the formation of a new Republican club in the Sixth ward has been agitated for some time, and Tuesday night it came to a head, when about seventy enthusiastic Republicans met in J. J. Lowery's hall, Belmont street, and organized a Sixth ward Republican club. Fifty names were enrolled as members, and many more it is thought will join on Tuesday evening next, when the second meeting will be held at the same place.

Twenty-four dollars was raised to start out with. J. J. Lowery was elected chairman, R. J. Debevan secretary and Joseph Riddolls treasurer. The headquarters of the club will be in Lowery's building.

WORK IS SUSPENDED.

Delaware and Hudson Employees to Be Idle for Some Time.

Owing to necessary repairs needed at No. 3 shaft, work has been ordered suspended for some time. The timbering in the mine has been old and rotten, and the repairs will consist in putting new timbering throughout the entire mine. These old timbers were in such a condition that it was not considered safe to work in some parts, hence the order. The number of men placed upon the work is as large as may conveniently be handled. The work will be pushed as rapidly as possible so as to have the mine in operation as little time as possible. The repairs will probably take about two weeks.

JOHN BARRETT HURT.

A Fall of Top Coal Crushes Him at Vandling.

John Barrett, who is employed in the Delaware and Hudson mine at Vandling, is suffering from severe injuries which were caused by a fall of top coal.

The coal hit him upon the head and knocked him down, then fell upon him in his side and breaking several ribs. Mr. Barrett was removed to this city, where he resides, and is doing as well as possible under the conditions. This is the second time he has been so badly hurt while working at the Vandling colliery.

ODD WAGERS.

From the Chicago News.

An ancient English manuscript gives an account of a man who had himself strapped to a cart-wheel and in that position was to be taken round the streets, all to win a solitary guinea.

Dr. Goldsmith is responsible for the story of a young man of fortune who was to be taken round the streets of four feet of a famous bulldog, one after another, when the dog was attacking a bull, and made a subordinate bet that the dog would continue to worry his enemy until the amputation had taken place. He won both bets.

It is told that recently two blue youths decided to run a raffle against each other, over two furlongs, for 500 a side. The parents knew nothing of the bet at the time, and upon the plan being divulged to them one of them instantly fell in a fit and died. And the son of the surviving contestant brought suit against the first young man for failure to keep his part of the contract.

Everybody has heard of the two inventors who were to be tried in a trial morning by staking their fortunes on the comparative outcome of the descent of pairs of rain drops on the splashed window-panes outside.

A fabulously rich marquis one day, in course of conversation, declared that one of his listeners would sell a specified number of coverlets at 5 shillings apiece if he were to disguise himself as a beggar and hawk the coverlets on the streets of London for twenty-four hours. Of course he was to offer them for sale as spurious ones. The marquis won the bet.

A comparison.

The small and silent things count up; For the men really feel.

The peal of thunder can't compare With the banana peel.

Strill with us.

Although no crackers now rebound, No rockets are exploded, The first young man for failure to keep his part of the contract.

Which no one knew was loaded.

—Washington Star.

Powderly, P. F. Connor and A. F. Farrell. Burke's hall has been secured for the dancing, and the affair will be the most notable in the history of the club.

A Young Lady Surprised.

Laura Dix was surprised at her home on Dickson street by a number of her young friends and they enjoyed a most happy time together. Those present were: Aida Ketchum, Minnie Ketchum, Eva Ketchum, Martie Chilton, Fildis Cooney, Florence Jany, Cora Spangenberg, Rose Cherry, Arthur Pierce, Charlie Hollis, Albert Hollis, Willie Davies, Irving Davis, George Avery and Robert Joyce.

PERSONAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

George Mahfeldt, boss plumber for S. A. Purdy & Son, ran the blade of a penknife into his knee Tuesday, and today is suffering much from the wound.

Dr. Bailey was in Wilkes-Barre yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Moran, of Providence, spent Tuesday in this city.

George Mitchell, of Green Ridge, was a visitor in this city Tuesday.

Mrs. Gordon and son, Dudley, spent yesterday in Nicholson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Reynolds are in New York city.

Mr. and Mrs. James Herbert, who have been spending a portion of the summer in this city, returned to their home in Jersey City yesterday.

John R. Shepherd, who has been confined to his home, on Wyoming street, with illness for several days, is worse and is now threatened with an attack of typhoid fever.

E. J. Kane, J. J. Wandell and **G. A. Farnham**, of Saratoga, prominent officers of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, were in the city Tuesday. Yesterday they enjoyed a trip over the gravity.

Misses May Milne and **Maggie Walsh** and **Michael Brennan** enjoyed a ride to Dunbarton yesterday.

Rev. J. J. Curran, of Wilkes-Barre, and **Father Fagan**, of Susquehanna, were guests at the parochial residence yesterday.

Mrs. Clarence Paiman and **Little daughter, Beatrice**, returned to their home in New York yesterday, after a week's stay with her brother, **G. W. Paiman**, at his home, on Columbia Heights.

William Griffiths, a young man from New York city, has accepted a position with **J. B. Shannon & Co.** He is leaving at 10 o'clock.

Michael Marony, of this city, will leave here today for New Jersey, where he will make his future home.

Mr. and Mrs. Walsh and son, **John O'Glavin**, attended the funeral of **Thomas Walsh**, of this city.

Miss Maggie Lynch is spending a few days with friends in Olyphant.

Miss Mary Collins, of Scranton, is visiting at the home of **Miss M. L. McCann**, of Sand street.

Miss Theresa Cooke, of Scranton, will spend a few days with **Miss Della Williams**, of Williams avenue.

Mrs. J. Odell is lying very ill at her home, on Pike street.

Theodore Elmer, of Church street, called on friends in Forest City yesterday.

Mrs. Rafferty, a former resident, now of Vancouver Island, B. C., is spending a short time with friends in this city.

Mrs. George McMyne, of Lincoln avenue, who was hurt in the wreck on the gravity, is growing worse, and is now confined to her bed.

Mrs. F. J. Thomas and **Miss Margaret Thomas** spent Tuesday in Scranton.

Mrs. Henry Krantz is ill at her home, on Terrace street.

Miss Mary Mahoney entertained a large number of her friends at her home, on Gordon avenue, Tuesday evening. Music and games of all sorts were indulged in, which made the party a very enjoyable one. Refreshments were served and the party broke up at an early hour.

The officers of the Ladies Aid society held a meeting at the paragonage, on Terrace street, on Tuesday evening, and assigned work to the different committees in the different districts of the city for the ensuing year.

The **Diamond Lodge, Shield of Honor**, will hold their annual masquerade ball in the Burke building Tuesday evening, Nov. 12. This event is always looked forward to with much interest, and this year promises to be doubly interesting.

The **Carbondale Cycle club** will conduct an "at home" on Halloween, when partying, cards and billiards and other sports will be among the pastimes. Invitations have been sent out, and an enjoyable time is anticipated. The 21st of October is the date, 8 p. m. to 11 o'clock. Each invitation includes a "yourself and ladies" committee in charge is composed of **G. B. Sampson, M. K. Harden** and **A. J. Mitchell**.

At 7 o'clock yesterday afternoon the marriage ceremony that united **Thomas Murphy** and **Miss Katie Battle**, took place at St. Rose's church. **Rev. T. P. Coffey**, the pastor, tied the nuptial knot in the presence of many friends. The young couple are well-known and popular, and have the good wishes of many friends.

TAYLOR.

Mr. and Mrs. David Griffiths, of Scranton, were visitors in this place yesterday afternoon.

The board of trade, of this place, will hold a meeting tomorrow night at the Price Library hall for the first time since its adjournment in the early part of the summer. **A. B. Dunning, Jr.**, the county surveyor, will be present and address the board on good roads. There will be many subjects of interest discussed at the meeting, and all citizens are requested to attend.

The **St. Joseph's Irish Catholic Benevolent union society**, of this place, will meet at 7 o'clock Sunday morning at Taylor hall to attend holy communion in St. Joseph's Catholic church, Minkooka, in a body.

Walter Williams, of Barbertown, sustained serious injuries at the Pyne mines yesterday morning from which it is feared he will not survive. He was employed as a miner in the above named mines, and was engaged at his work at the time of the accident. A large piece of rock fell upon him covering him completely under its huge weight. When the rock was removed from his body he was still alive, but in a precarious condition.

Mrs. David T. Harris, who has been visiting in Wales for the past three months, is expected home tonight.

A quarrel between **James T. Du Bois** and **Fred W. Church** near the creek, Judge **H. M. Edwards**, of Scranton, will deliver a lecture at the Welsh Baptist church under the auspices of the Congregational church on Nov. 8, on his recent trip to Europe.

HALLSTEAD.

Fred W. Church was in Windsor on Wednesday.

A number from this place attended the **Old Fellows' encampment** at Susquehanna on Tuesday evening.

The subject for debate on Saturday evening is "Resolved, That Doctors Are More Useful Than Lawyers." The affirmative will consist of **Rev. John Day** and **Fred W. Church** and the negative will consist of **William Clifford** and **Fred D. Lamb**.

H. E. Bernstein, manager of the Textile company, and **Hon. James T. Du Bois** left Wednesday evening for New York city, to consummate the operation of the Textile company.

The **peninsula State Land and Loan association**, of Lancaster, Pa., Secretary **B. P. Bernstein**, paid their third installment, \$1,000, to the treasurer of the Presbyterian church on Tuesday afternoon.

Prof. Biele arrived in Montrose on Wednesday. He will instruct the institute upon literature.

James Healdy lectured last evening at the Armory, subject, "Kingly No."

Rev. E. A. Warriner returned unexpectedly from the archdiocese in Homestead to officiate at the funeral of **Daniel Brewster** Wednesday afternoon.

WATERVILLE.

Walter Williams was seriously hurt yesterday in the Pyne shaft, "Kingly No." **John Hewitt**, of this city, sails on Saturday next for England.

E. S. Sullivan's company of players will be at the Columbia Hall to-night.

PECKVILLE.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Stone, of Oneonta, N. Y., are the guests of **Mrs. Smedley**.

The funeral of **Thomas Prosser**, a young man of twenty-one summers, who died at the Ridge last Monday of pneumonia, was held yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by **Rev. William Morgan**, of Hyde Park. Interment was made in the Ridge cemetery.

Mrs. George Phillips, of Taylor, is visiting at the home of **Mr. and Mrs. David X. Davies**, at the West End.

Matthew Griffiths, of Durvea, is visiting friends in town.

Thomas Bembo and **Stephen Griffiths**, of Scranton, spent Sunday with **Mr. and Mrs. John H. Bembo**.

Mrs. Richard Uren and **Mrs. Henry Chapman** were in the Electric City yesterday.

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Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with Perfect Success. It soothes the Child, Softens the Gums, Always All Pain; Cures Wind Colic, and is the Best Remedy for Diarrhoea. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

Mrs. Ruth Gardner spent a few days last week with relatives in Elmhurst.

O. E. Vaughn returned from Gettysburg last week.

Next week is the regular county institute, so the schools will have a vacation.

Mrs. Parry, of Tunkhannock, called on her sister, **Mrs. J. W. Sayre**, on Saturday.

On Sunday morning **Rev. David** preached to a large congregation of mechanics, who seemed to appreciate his excellent sermon. In the evening he preached to the W. C. T. U. and there has been a long time since there has been as

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good a temperance sermon delivered in the church. All the ladies extend their thanks to him for it and hope he will give another in the near future. The music was by a quartette choir of young ladies, the **Misses Pyle, Cannon, Bourc and Decker**, who rendered some excellent music.

NO WISH TO INTRODUCE.

Tom Mason in Life.

"He lives!"

As the doctor spoke, the man who but a few moments before had been struck by a passing cable car, and who was now lying prostrate in the rear room of the corner drug store, moved unassisted and slowly to his feet, and looked wonderingly around him on the faces of the men who had carried him away from the path of death.

"Am I hurt?" he queried vaguely, as he made an effort to move, and then sank back again, his face pale from the unusual pain.

"Yes," said the doctor, "don't you remember you were trying to cross the street and did not see the car behind you? It's a wonder that you were not killed. We were going to take you direct to the hospital, but I thought when you came to you might wish to go home. I think you can be moved now."

A look of great anxiety came over the injured man's face.

"What time is it?" he asked.

"The doctor consulted his watch. "It is now," he said, "just a quarter past 5."

"Would it be any harm," said the sufferer, with an expression of deep earnestness, "if I stayed here for an hour or so yet?"

"I don't want to go home just now," he replied, "I would like to be home now or an hour from now."

"It makes a great difference," exclaimed the man on the couch, with a look of intense anguish. "You may not know it, but I went on, his voice rising with excitement, as he clutched the physician by the arm and winced visibly at the thought of what might be his fate, "but his wife is sitting at her sewing table, and I thought I would rather wait until it is over with."

ADVICE GOT TIRED SOME.

"I've got a horrible headache," said **Berkner**, "had it for three days."

"Is that so?" exclaimed **Munloy**, with sudden interest. "Well, you just skip around to a drug store and take—"

But even as he talked **Berkner** dropped his head wearily and muttered between his teeth: "That's the 38th."

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