

CARBONDALE.

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GLUCK-M'GEEVER.

The Jury of Six Divide Costs in an Assault and Battery Case.

A very interesting assault and battery case was that of Joseph Gluck against Detective McGeever, of well known town. It was tried before Alderman Baker, of the First ward, Wednesday morning, and the following six persons attended as jurors: Jesse Hughes, John Von Beck, Henry Berry, Thomas Scott, John Gubbart and J. Stuart. Attorney H. D. Stuart appeared for the prosecutor and Attorney H. C. Butler had charge of the defense.

The prosecutor alleged that an assault and battery on his person had been committed on Dec. 25 last by the defendant in Leven's jewelry store, on Main street. A number of witnesses were called and all the evidence appeared to be corroborated. In fact, the prosecutor and defendant were agreed as to the main and essential points. The facts appear to be as follows: That Detective McGeever had been previously engaged by Mr. Bolton to seek evidence for his purpose in a divorce case through some means, Bolton was informed that Mrs. Bolton had a pull on the detective, and Gluck was named by Bolton to McGeever as his informant. McGeever in turn called upon Gluck at the store of Mr. Levene, where he is employed, and asked him why he gave this story to Bolton, demanding an explanation and a retraction. Then it became a tug of war and they were separated by the proprietor Mr. Levene; it was only a trial of strength, and no great damage was done.

The witnesses who testified told their tales, and the attorneys faithfully discharged their duties, each one standing up to the jury with great ability and eloquently pleaded for their clients. The jury returned the following verdict: "We find the defendant not guilty. The prosecutor shall pay one-third of the costs and the defendant two-thirds."

Opening of the Columbia Mozart Fair. With great eclat this social fair was opened last evening. The Columbia Hose company and Mozart band paraded the streets. They formed in line at the corner of Third and Second streets, through Main street to Lincoln avenue, then through Church street, Seventh avenue, Main street and Eighth avenue, and counter-marched to the hall. They attracted an immense concourse, who lined the streets, and the populace feel a large amount of interest in the success of the fair. The decorations of Burke's hall are what is considered by those that have been privileged to view it prior to the opening, as beautiful, and the artist has excelled undoubtedly in his art. The door price of each evening will be a valuable one.

At the Opera House. The melodrama, "One of the Bravest" was the attraction at the Opera House Tuesday night and attracted a large audience. The play was very well received and encores were given several of the artists. It goes without saying that the music rendered by the Mozart's orchestra was a special feature of last evening's performance and the artist has excelled undoubtedly in his art. The door price of each evening will be a valuable one.

Mitchell Hose Uniforms. The Mitchell Hose company held a special meeting at their rooms on Lincoln avenue Tuesday evening when the committee on their uniforms reported. The contract was awarded to Messrs. Collins & Hackett of the county seat. They will furnish the company the cloth, which will cost over \$2 per yard, the bids being simply for the making of the material into garments. The lowest local bid for making a coat and trousers was \$12.50. The contractors are prepared to do the same for \$17.75.

Church Societies in Order. The Ladies' Aid society of the Berean Baptist church will meet at the Baptist parsonage on Friday evening from 5 to 10 p. m. Refreshments will be served and music will be discoursed. The thirteenth annual report of the society will be given and will give an account of their year's work in the service of the Master.

Coal Prospecting. Superintendent T. Kerry, on behalf of a Scranton company, is busy prospecting for coal on the mountain south of Carbondale. He has driven in a tunnel and has struck a good vein of coal. He is of the opinion that it will be his good fortune to reach other veins that will prove remunerative.

First National Bank. At a meeting of the First National Bank directors the following were elected as officers: W. W. Brown, president; Edward Clarkson, vice president; James Stott, cashier; Robert A. Judwin, teller.

Pension Money. Mrs. Ella Robbins, who lives on the Greenfield road, received yesterday a check for the handsome sum of \$1,862 pension money. Her father was a soldier in the Civil war.

PERSONAL AND OTHER ITEMS. James Evans, of Wilkes-Barre, paid a business visit to this city yesterday. The employees at the Hendrick Manufacturing works and of the Van Bergen & Co. shops were paid yesterday. Mrs. T. V. Collins entertained a large party of her friends yesterday, among whom were Miss Durkin, of Wilkes-Barre.

The fee at Anthracite park is affording excellent sport and is largely patronized. Mrs. William Shannon is confined to her home at the corner of Second and Third streets. Miss Mary Griffiths, of Peckville, is a visitor at the home of Mr. Watkins, on Wyoming street.

The largest party roll for a long period was that paid today to the employees of the Delaware and Hudson company at

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FOREST CITY.

Mrs. L. F. Wells and E. C. Dunbar, of Delaware street, will open their house on Tuesday evening next for a dime social for the benefit of the Daughters of the American Revolution. A programme of merit has been prepared by the ladies and will be rendered on the occasion. Heroes of '76, an opera of merit, will be presented by the talent at Davis' opera house sometime in April. Rehearsals are being held twice a week now, on Tuesdays and Fridays. The Philharmonic society has charge of the matter, and have secured good local talent to assist them in its production. Elaborate costumes will be procured in order to make the best presentation possible. The members of the Philharmonic society are: Leader, John L. Morgan; Thomas O. Jones, William Conroy, D. O. Jones, Samuel May, Ida Pearsall, May Watkins and Beulah Hines. The manager is M. D. Evans, a gentleman of good judgment and much business ability.

Gomer Roberts, who was brought to trial this week at Montrose for assaulting W. H. Leak, received very lenient treatment from the jury, and was fined \$5 and costs. He returned to his home in Forest City yesterday morning.

John Maxey is storing ice. It is ten inches thick and a force of men are now cutting it from Spring Brook pond, west of this borough. Mr. Maxey's ice house is near the pond and has a capacity of 2,000 tons.

H. L. Manzer, of Susquehanna, a cousin of T. C. Manzer, of this borough, is a candidate for the Republican nomination for local county treasurer. He is a very genial and popular gentleman, and the Republicans would have difficulty in finding a man more qualified to fill the office, but one who is more popular with people throughout the county.

James F. McAndrew is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for constable in the First ward. He would make a good constable.

The qualified Republican voters of the First ward of Forest City borough will hold a caucus at the office of W. J. Maxey on Tuesday, Jan. 21, from 7 to 8 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of holding in nomination candidates for the next borough officers to be voted for at the February election. The Second ward Republicans will hold their caucus on the same evening at the same hour and place. At 8 o'clock p. m. the caucus will be held to nominate candidates for the offices that are to be filled by a concurrent vote.

William Burdick is very ill with the mumps.

CLARK'S GREEN. Misses Jennie and May Courtright returned from a visit from an extended visit in the South, which included Washington, Atlanta and St. Augustine. George Loder still continues to improve.

Rev. G. B. Young, of Trenton, N. J., a prospecting Baptist minister, called on leaders of the church on Tuesday last. He is a preacher of some standing and an able man.

Electric Star Lodge No. 496, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, will hold a social on Saturday evening, January 18, to which all brothers are invited to bring their wives and families and enjoy the pleasures prepared for them.

The meetings begun in the Methodist church last week are still continuing. Those who attend and should be attended more generally. Congregations are growing in size and interest.

Our new school building is rapidly assuming form and is now receiving its coat of shingles. It is much larger than its predecessor, which was destroyed by lightning last fall. The size of the new one is sixty-two by seventy-two feet upon the ground. It will contain eight rooms, including the basement.

The W. S. Rogers encampment No. 221, of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, held a banquet at the Odd Fellows' hall on Thursday evening last, the guests being limited to the members and their families. Those present were served with roast turkey, sandwiches and the many delicacies of the season by a committee of waiters, of whom the following were in the majority: Dr. H. F. Evans, James S. Wagner, A. L. Ackerville, W. S. France and J. W. Rhodes, who were elegant costumed representing the different nations and to whom much credit for the success of the evening is due.

AVOCA. The death of John Cawley, a respected citizen of the town, occurred at the Pittston hospital yesterday morning after a lingering illness. Deceased was about 40 years of age and leaves a wife and four small children, the eldest being only 12 years old. The body was removed to his home in the North End for burial. Funeral announcement will be made later.

Martin Healey, and son of the North End, were seriously injured in the Hillside colliery yesterday morning by a fall of rock. They were removed to their home and medical aid summoned. They are suffering from internal injuries.

The regular monthly sociable of the Ladies' Missionary society of the Langlois church, will be held next Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. George.

John P. Boose, of South Main street, will leave today for Philadelphia, where he will undergo medical treatment. Revs. J. J. McCabe and M. F. Crane attended the funeral ceremony of Rev. Zlotomych at Pittston yesterday.

Miss Eliza Shields, of Scranton, is the guest of Mrs. G. Hook, of School street. The Hillside Coal company paid their employees yesterday.

The entertainment presented at St. Mary's fair last evening consisted of solos, quartettes and recitations, delivered by home talent. The participants were J. H. George, James Alexander, Mamie McCrindle, William Jennings, B. Dempsey, and Masters John O'Malley and Robbie Webber. A large number of people were in attendance.

If the Baby is Crying Teeth. 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, Allays all Pains, 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.

BERNARDS, of which the deceased was a member, attended the funeral in a body.

The funeral of the late Miss Mary Cawley took place yesterday morning from the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Cawley, of Pine street. The body lay in a white casket in the front parlor of the residence and it was surrounded by floral offerings from the acquaintances and friends of the deceased. Chief among them was a large design, "Gates Ajar" from the Anglos-Social Club. The deceased was a perfect, a pillar from her sister, Mrs. Dr. J. J. Kelly, a cross from her cousin, Miss Della Coyne, and a wreath from Miss Katie Moots. The remains were taken to St. Thomas' church, where the rector, Rev. T. J. Comerford, solemnized a high mass of requiem. The remains were interred in the Catholic cemetery. The pall-bearers were J. A. Kearney, J. A. Fouts, P. J. and J. F. McAndrew, William Cummings and William Neenan. The floral offerings were carried by Aggie and Mamie McAndrew, Mamie Clark, Mamie Cronin, Jennie O'Boyle, Mamie Brown and Nellie Burke. The Anglo-Social Club attended the funeral in a body.

MONTROSE.

Edwin Stebbins, an esteemed resident of Montrose, died on Tuesday evening. A brother of Mr. Stebbins, living in Tunkhannock, died on Tuesday. Mr. Stebbins' funeral took place at the home of Mrs. Lathrop fell and broke her ankle one day this week.

Mr. Falkenberg, of Susquehanna, is stopping in Montrose on Tuesday. Mr. Falkenberg, of Hallstead, spent Sunday here.

Mrs. George Danne spent Sunday in Forest Lake, the guest of Miss Ruth Wagoner.

G. C. Howell, of New Milford, editor of the Advertiser, was a visitor in Montrose this week.

L. D. Parter, of Hickory Grove, is a guest of S. S. Wright.

S. Moore, of the Great Bend Planing Dealer, spent Monday here.

George Wagoner, of Forest City, was in attendance at the Republican county committee meeting on Monday.

Henry Craver, of Brookling, spent Monday in Forest City. George B. Tiffany, of Gibson, was prominent among the many visitors here the first of the week.

Mrs. John S. Lewis is in New York this week.

At a meeting of the stockholders of the Honedale National bank held on Tuesday the old board was re-elected as follows: Henry Z. Russell, Edwin P. Torrey, Horace T. Menner, Louis J. Dorfing, Andrew Thompson, Homer Greene, James C. Birdsell, J. Martin Bauman and John H. Smith.

Rev. J. J. Griffin, of Carbondale called on Honedale friends Tuesday.

Colonel Brown is serving temporarily as night clerk at the Hotel Smith, resigned. Mr. Brown is a competent man and understands his duty. He should receive the appointment of a permanent position.

GLENBURN. The Glensburn and Benton polo teams will contest for supremacy at Glensburn lake Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

W. S. Palmer is preparing to fill his three immense ice houses, which will give employment to 100 men.

Willard Smith, who has been working at Parsons, has returned home.

J. W. Moore made a business trip to Scranton yesterday.

BOUQUET OF ANECDOTES. Those who read the society columns of the newspapers will no doubt remember that Major General Schofield went out to Keokuk, Iowa, not long ago, and married one of the belles of that town, a Miss Kilbourne. Arthur Clarke, comedian, recalls the incident through a rather singular side happening, and this has come out by good fortune, which we will relate to you. It appears that Clarke's father is editor and proprietor of Keokuk's leading paper, the Gate City, and his counting room had a particularly energetic Hebrew, by name Joe Klein. Joseph is a hustler in every sense of the word, and the day is black when he gets left. He heard of the approaching wedding of Miss Kilbourne with the distinguished officer, and he got busy on the making of the date set for the happy event he called at the Kilbourne household, and the door was opened by Mrs. Kilbourne, mother of the bride. He was informed by the servant that Mrs. Kilbourne was waiting for her husband at the time, but he must see her on important business. In a moment she came half way down the stairs, and she said to him, "I can't see you now, Joe; I'm dressing for the wedding. Call another time."

"But I can't wait, Joe," said Mr. Kilbourne. "The general is dressing for the church," but the soldier had overheard the conversation from an upper landing, and rather than create trouble he came down and was duly presented.

"General," began Klein, impressively, "do you realize that you are about to take from me one of the fairest flowers we have in Keokuk? Do you know that when she goes hence with you she will long for news of the old neighborhood? Do you know that she will be happy to see the findings I ask you to place your honored name under the subscription for the Gate City?"

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Held in Bondage.

All Her Life—Happy Release at Last of Miss Alice Young, Who Resides at 392 Alexander Street, Rochester, N. Y. (From the Rochester Democrat and Chronicle.) Our representative was received very pleasantly at 392 Alexander street, by Miss Alice Young, who told how since childhood she had been held in the bondage of pain from her back never remembering the time that she had not suffered pain or aches in the region of the kidneys. Many were the means she used to find relief, but there seemed no remedy for her case and she remained a captive; then along came these little enemies to backache, Doan's Kidney Pills, and a half box released the bonds, as one by one the aches and pains disappeared, she finds herself a slave to pain no more, by their continued use. She says: "I was entirely relieved of all my suffering and now I am perfectly strong, healthy and well."

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