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Started in a Breaker That Has Not Been Used for the Preparation of Coal for Some Time—May Be Rebuilt.

Breaker No. 1 of the Johnson Coal Company, formerly known as Jernyn No. 4, at Pottsville, was totally destroyed by fire last night, together with the surrounding outbuildings. The loss is estimated at \$100,000, which is probably nearly, if not entirely, covered by the insurance. The amount of the insurance could not be obtained, as Mr. Johnson attended to that part of the business, and he is now in California.
The fire was discovered shortly before 10 o'clock. In a short time thousands of persons were attracted to the vicinity of the burning breaker, which was surrounded by flames, which lighted up the country for miles around. The fire, and it soon became evident that not only the breaker, but the boiler and engine houses, blacksmith shop and other adjoining buildings would be destroyed. The breaker collapsed about 10 o'clock, but the fire continued to burn fiercely until after 1 o'clock in the morning. At one time it was thought that the store, across the road from the breaker, would also be destroyed. The buildings which were burned covered an area of over an acre in extent, and they were all on fire at the same time. The fire was extinguished by the fire department, which arrived in the city about 11:30 p. m. in train. The five who will represent the Scranton club at the tournament are: Prof. F. E. Kaufe, Professor F. E. Kaufe, H. J. Anderson, Henry Wilkens, and Dr. E. J. Pierce. The matches will be played at the residence of Dr. Pierce on Lackawanna avenue.

CHIMNEY WAS BLOCKED.

Escaping smoke broke up a Women's Christian Temperance Union Meeting.
The janitor of Professor Schilling's music school, on Washington avenue, opposite the court house, started a fire in the furnace about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, all unconscious of the fact that the flue was defective. The smoke not finding vent through the chimney, came back where it started, pouring out of the furnace in dense volumes, it filled the building and broke up a meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Union next door to the music school.
The women rushing out of the building in great consternation attracted the attention of Patrolman Monizer, who, with great good sense despatched a still alarm to the Phoenix chemical engine company, and then began an investigation. The fire company arrived in the true condition of affairs was discovered and the trouble rectified.

POOR BOARD WILL BURY HIM

Remains of John Phillips Will Be Interred in Forest Hill Today.
The body of the man who died Friday afternoon at the Lackawanna hospital from injuries received the same morning on the Jersey Central railroad near Taylor, was removed to the undertaking establishment of A. R. Raub on Saturday.

HONORS COME THICKER.

Another Great Celebrity Honors the Town with His Presence.
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On Saturday their store was constantly thronged with a crowd of purchasers who admired the pretty decorations of the place as much as they appreciated the rare bargains offered.

APPEALS FROM STATE TAXES.

The following days have been fixed by the county commissioners for hearing appeals from state taxes: April 7, for Archibald, Mayfield, Winton and Jernyn; April 8, for Blakely, Olyphant, Dickson, Fall and Greenfield; April 9, Benton, Glenburn, La Plume, North, South and West Abington, Scott, Waverly and Dalton; April 10, Carbondale city and township, Fall and Greenfield; April 11, Roaring Brook, Jefferson, Madison, Covington, Clifton, Lehigh, Elmhurst

CLOSE OF ENGAGEMENT.

Huntington Company Produced Moths and the Pink Domino Saturday.
Saturday night the Wright Huntington stock company closed its engagement at the Academy of Music by the production of the "Pink Domino." The audience was large and it is needless to add highly pleased. In the afternoon the only matinee of the week was given when "Moths" was produced.
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