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CITY NOTES.

'Join the Blues.' Work was yesterday begun on the Kedon court sewer. Colonel Farran has just completed a life-size oil portrait of John J. ... The Central Women's Christian Temperance union will hold a meeting at the Florence mission this afternoon at 3 o'clock. ... There were twenty-three deaths in the city last week and six new cases of contagious diseases, four being diphtheria and two typhoid fever. ... The Green Ridge Women's Christian Temperance union will meet Tuesday at 2:30 p. m. at 1610 Dickson avenue. ... A reception to members of the press of the city will be tendered by Lebeck & Co. ... A joint meeting of the men and women of the Wesley League will be held this evening at 7:30 o'clock to perfect arrangements for holding a concert on April 11. ... Thomas Hughes, arrested on Cedar avenue Sunday night while in a drunken delirium, was sent to the county jail for thirty days by Alderman Fuller yesterday. ... Tuesday evening, April 7, A. V. Bower of this city will give his illustrated stereopticon lecture on "Pompeii" in the parlors of the Penn Avenue Baptist church. ... Grace Reformed Episcopal Church. Special service tonight, 7:45 o'clock; subject, "Prayer." All welcome. The meeting in charge of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor. ... Thursday of this week is known in the calendar of the Catholic church as Holy Thursday and at 10:30 on that morning Rt. Rev. Bishop O'Hara will bless the oils and sing the midnight mass. ... Oscar Blackmore, who was arrested upon the charge of being a burglar in Lackawanna county jail and taken to Wilkes-Barre upon the charge of burglary, was discharged Saturday evening at the preliminary hearing. ... Michael Pennell arrested for stabbing Joseph Gilmond in the arm on Main street, Sunday night was yesterday held to bail by Alderman Fuller in the sum of \$200, in default of which he was committed to await trial. ... A farewell reception will be tendered Rev. Dr. and Mrs. H. Pearce this evening in the society room of Elm Park church, at 8 o'clock. The friends generally of Dr. and Mrs. Pearce are cordially invited to be present. ... Dr. E. G. Dean will deliver a talk on "Care of the Eyes" at the Young Women's Christian Association this evening. Music, both vocal and instrumental, as well as a pleasant social time, have also been planned for. ... The railway committee of select council yesterday went over to Ninth street to look over the proposed route which the Traction company is to establish along Ninth and Swedland streets. They were met on the ground by a delegation from the West Side board of trade. ... The joint streets and bridges committee will meet at Linden street bridge this afternoon at 10 o'clock to make an investigation as to the merits of Muldoon & Fowler's claim for extra work on the abutments. The contractors, City Engineer Phillips will also be on the ground. ... In St. Luke's church this week services will be held every day except Good Friday at 10 a. m. and every evening except Wednesday and Good Friday at 7:30 o'clock. Wednesday the evening service will take place at 7:30 o'clock. Holy communion will be served every day except Friday at 8 a. m. ... Marriage licenses were granted by Thomas of the Courts Thomas yesterday to Charles Hennessy and Agnes M. Earles, of Fell township; William M. Hobbs and Lydia Wool, of Carbonade; Benjamin C. Ross and Lulu A. Keith, of Clark's Summit; Samuel Nichols and Mary Hennessy, Scranton; George M. Williams and Margaret Morris, Scranton. ... This will be observed as a week of prayer at the First Presbyterian church. The week of prayer usually held in January will be observed instead. Rev. Dr. McLeod, the pastor, will be assisted at different evenings by Rev. Mr. Swan, of Pileton; Rev. Lee, of Carbonade; and Rev. Dr. Hodges, of Wilkes-Barre. The first service was held last night at 7:45 and another service will be held tonight. A warrant bearing the charge of obtaining money under false pretenses was yesterday sworn out before Alderman Fuller by Colonel H. M. Boies against P. A.

ANOTHER RUTHVEN RIOT. Stones Thrown and Shots Fired at a Peckville Car. LECTURER ALONE WAS HURT. Was Knocked Senseless by a Stone. Three Women and Other Passengers Save Themselves by Falling on the Car Floor.

Ruthven, the lecturer, and his bodyguard of two men just after boarding an inward bound car in the North End last night were stoned and fired at by a crowd of several hundred men and boys. The others aboard the car were three well-dressed ladies and their escort, a Tribune reporter and another passenger. Ruthven alone was seriously injured. His scalp was badly cut and he bled profusely. That the others were not hurt, and perhaps murdered, was no fault of the motorman, who, after shutting off the electric current, jumped from the platform and returned to his post only after ardent urging.

CALL FOR A CONVENTION. The Republicans of the First legislative district of Lackawanna county will assemble in convention in St. David's hall at Scranton, Pa., on Tuesday, April 7, 1896, at 7 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing two delegates to the Republican state convention, which will meet at Harrisburg April 23, 1896. Election for delegates to the convention will be held at the regular polling places on Saturday, April 4, 1896, between the hours of 4 and 7 p. m. Election districts are entitled to representation as follows: First ward, First district; Second ward, Second district; Third ward, Third district; Fourth ward, Fourth district; Fifth ward, Fifth district; Sixth ward, Sixth district; Seventh ward, Seventh district; Eighth ward, Eighth district; Ninth ward, Ninth district; Tenth ward, Tenth district; Eleventh ward, Eleventh district; Twelfth ward, Twelfth district; Thirteenth ward, Thirteenth district; Fourteenth ward, Fourteenth district; Fifteenth ward, Fifteenth district; Sixteenth ward, Sixteenth district; Seventeenth ward, Seventeenth district; Eighteenth ward, Eighteenth district; Nineteenth ward, Nineteenth district; Twentieth ward, Twentieth district; Twenty-first ward, Twenty-first district; Twenty-second ward, Twenty-second district.

Violence committees will please take notice and govern themselves accordingly. Chairman: W. A. Fahey, Secretary: J. H. Reynolds.

Fourth Legislative District Convention. The Republicans of the Fourth legislative district will take notice that a convention will be held in Linden hall in the borough of Archbold on Tuesday, the seventh day of April, 1896, at 7 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of choosing two delegates to represent said district in the Republican state convention to be held at Harrisburg, April 23, 1896. Vigilance committees will hold the primaries in the following election districts at the regular places on Saturday, April 4, 1896, between the hours of 4 and 7 o'clock p. m. Chairman: J. A. Jones, Secretary: Gomer S. Loomis.

LAWYER DIDN'T RESPOND. One Chapter of the Winton Borough Councilman's Muddle. There are all kinds of trouble in Winton borough over the right of Bernard Giles to a seat in the borough council. Giles, who has not paid borough tax within a year preceding his election. He was elected on Feb. 15 over James Strong and on Monday, March 2, the council organized and he took his seat.

AN ILLUSTRATED LECTURE. Delivered at the Last Members' Rally at R. R. Y. M. C. A. Hall. At Railroad Young Men's Christian Association hall the last members' rally of the season was held last night and there was a large attendance. Secretary Pearson had provided an excellent program and the entertainment was a fitting finale to the course of rallies that have been held during the winter months.

MOTORMAN LEFT THE CAR. Then Motorman Mastrianni lost his presence of mind and shut off the current and jumped from the platform. By this time the scene was one of wild disorder. At least two pistol shots were fired, by whom or in what direction is not known; the women screamed and many in the crowd gave vent to curses, hisses and loud hurrahs. The motorman returned to the car and continued to rain against the side of the car and through its already shattered windows. The motorman was coughed and threatened with a mass of stones, collar, shirt and coat was a mass of blood. He was pale from loss of blood, but gave no sign by word or manner that he had been unerved by the exciting episode.

THE WOMEN ALIGHTED. A block further down the women and the man accompanying them alighted. It was not until the Diamond flats, near the Base Ball park, was reached that Ruthven's wound ceased to bleed. His face, collar, shirt and coat was a mass of blood. He was pale from loss of blood, but gave no sign by word or manner that he had been unerved by the exciting episode.

BODY LIES IN STATE. Funeral of Rev. Gerald McMurray Will Take Place This Morning. Last evening the body of Rev. Gerald McMurray was removed from the parochial residence to St. Mary's church where it will lie in state until this morning.

MILITARY OPENING. Mrs. Cushman will display originality in styles, also novelties unsurpassed in beauty and design. 610 Spruce street, opposite Court House.

THE FINEST LINE OF WINES, CIGARS, MALT AND OTHER LIQUORS IN THE CITY AT LOHMAN'S, SPRUCE STREET. E. ROBINSON'S, MILWAUKEE AND FEIGENSPANN'S BEERS ON DRAUGHT.

the neck by flying glass. Young Withers had been hit on the chest by a stone, but suffered no injury. His stiff derby hat saved him from what might have been a serious wound on the head. No arrests had been made up to an early hour this morning, nor does their severity in this case to the incidence of the ringleaders. The presence of only two policemen during the riot was due, so Lieutenant Spellman says, to the fact that the rioting patrolmen in the precinct were on two West Market street hill and he was on duty among the many groups at the square.

THEY FOUGHT ABOUT IT. After the excitement had subsided two men named McDonald and Morgan engaged in a fight in front of the Bristol house. The fight was started by their discussion of the riot. The police thought McDonald the aggressor and arrested him. Morgan, however, with some friends soon appeared at the police station and asked that McDonald be released, consenting to be friends with him.

SUPREME COURT DECISIONS. Case of Councilman James J. Flynn, of Olyphant, Will Not Come Up for a Year. Two decisions in Lackawanna county cases were yesterday handed down by the Supreme court. One is in reference to the contested election of James J. Flynn, councilman of the Third ward of Olyphant. James J. Flynn was Flynn's competitor and was defeated on the face of the returns by two votes. A contest was instituted and on a rehearing in the Supreme court, the court allowed four votes to be counted for Burke that the election officers set aside because they were imperfectly marked. The addition of these four votes gave Burke a majority of two, and the contest resulted in his favor.

TWO REVOLVER SHOTS HEARD. While the lecture was in progress two revolver shots were fired by either one or two persons in the crowd, which struck the sidewalk on each side of the street. The flash of the discharges showed that the shots were fired in the air and not at the lecturer. The shots were fired from an object, was not learned by Patrolmen Joller and Hawkes the only policemen in the vicinity during and after the lecture, although two other patrolmen and six police officers and six men were present earlier in the evening.

PROTHINGHAM ARRESTED. Street Commissioner Kinsey Charges That the Riot is a Nuisance. Street Commissioner Kinsey yesterday ordered that the rioting be treated as a nuisance, in declining to tear down the barricade on the street. The street commissioner notified Mr. Frothingham to meet him at Alderman Miller's office at 4:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon and that hour both were on hand to argue their differences in a Blackstone. By agreement the hearing was postponed until April 15, and in the meantime Mr. Frothingham is held in his recognizance.

NEW RIFLE RANGE. F. M. Spencer Makes a Proposition to the Thirtieth Regiment. Ground for a rifle range has been offered by the Thirtieth regiment by Frank M. Spencer and the matter will be considered by a meeting of the regiment's board of officers next Monday evening. The plan is to buy a tract of land and to have a rifle club which in the next future will be organized and have non-military marksmen. The plan is approved by Lieutenant H. B. Cox, inspector of rifle practice.

EXHIBITION OF Spring - Millinery YESTERDAY AND TODAY. The Exhibition of Spring Millinery yesterday attracted throngs of the fair sex. It was like a step from Winter into Summer. And from comments heard on every side we are out of the crowd in Stylish Headwear. We have clever Milliners ready to adopt your own ideas and trim a hat in any style you say.

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FILLING THE OFFICES Mayor-Elect Bailey Said to Have Decided on Appointments. ROBLING FOR CHIEF-OF-POLICE O. P. Miller It is Thought Will Be Chief of the Fire Department, Thomas N. Cullen Food Inspector and Dunning Street Commissioner.

Next Monday will witness the induction into office of Mayor-elect James G. Bailey, City Treasurer-elect C. G. Boland and City Controller-elect Edmund Robinson. It is safe to say that each of these officials has already made up his mind as to the personnel of the appointments which he will make. It is difficult, however, for the public to obtain this information as all of the incoming officials maintain a strict secrecy in the presence of newspaper reporters.

Mr. Bailey will make the most sweeping changes in his department of the city government. It has already been announced that he has selected Editor Richard J. Beamish, of the Free Press, to be his private secretary. In addition to this information the public may as well know that the next chief-of-police will be Frank Robling, jr. Mr. Bailey is not quite ready to announce this but one of his closest friends said to a Tribune reporter yesterday afternoon that "he could bank on it." For captain of police Mr. Bailey's choice will lay between John Fitzsimmons, of the Evening News, and Patrolman John Moir, with the chances at the present time in favor of Mr. Fitzsimmons apparently.

CULLEN FOOD INSPECTOR. For the office of food inspector three names over a dozen different applicants but all indications point to the selection of Thomas N. Cullen, of the Ninth ward. Mr. Cullen is a brother-in-law of Editor E. J. Lynett, of the Times, and Mr. Bailey, by his appointment, will pay a debt which he owes to the editor of the Times for the services which he rendered him during the campaign. Patrolman Dominic Boland, another brother-in-law of Editor Lynett, will be retained on the force.

DETAILS OF MILLER DEAL. It is said that Miller's appointment is urged by Select Councilmen Wade Finley and Finley Ross and that they, in consideration hereof, will vote in a select council to confirm Mr. Bailey's other appointments. A part of this deal is said to be the re-election of Henry Hutton as clerk of the common council. Finley Ross's son is also to be appointed patrolman.

For the office of street commissioner it is said that Mr. Bailey has selected A. B. Dunning, jr. It is his belief that Mr. Bailey has at least in one instance taken into consideration the eternal fitness of things. It is succeeded by all that Mr. Dunning would make an excellent street commissioner and some of Mr. Bailey's friends who are urging his appointment say that it will strengthen his administration more than any appointment which he is likely to make.

F. J. Ruane will be retained in the city controller's office and Edward Eschle in the city controller's office.

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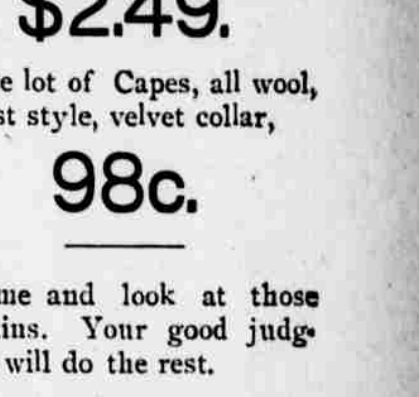
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