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CITY NOTES. Join the Blues and eat Turkey. Next Wednesday the trout season will open. Spring term of the School of the Lackawanna commences Monday next. Ex-Patrolman Thomas Mills yesterday secured the \$250 bond to him by counsel. On Saturday, May 9, an examination for permanent certificates will be held in No. 2 school, this city. Monday evening the "Old Folks" Concert will be given at the Young Men's Christian Association hall. Criminal court will begin Monday. Judge Gunster will be on the bench in the main court room and Judge Edwards in No. 2. A charter was granted at Harrisburg yesterday to the Grocers' Supply and Produce company of Scranton; capital, \$10,000. Loren Arthur, of Carbondale, was received at the county jail last night. He was committed by Alderman S. S. Jones in default of bail on the charge of larceny. The funeral of Patrick Cannon took place yesterday morning from his late residence, on Railroad avenue. A requiem mass was celebrated in St. Peter's, where interment was made in Hyde Park Catholic cemetery. G. L. Boyd, representing Barnum's circus, came to the city yesterday in a range for the parade. He is desirous of having his procession start before the Templar parade, and it is likely that such an arrangement will be effected. Andrew Miller and John Bark, two Hungarians who got into a fight; Lipowicz's pool room was broken up yesterday night and broke a lot of cues, were fined by Alderman Fuller yesterday. They paid the fines and retired for the cues and were discharged. The building committee of the board of central held a meeting last night and decided to put dry closets in new No. 19 school, on the South Side. The secretary of the board was instructed to advertise for sealed proposals for heating, ventilating and dry closets in that building. Florence Flanagan, of Raymond court, was sent to the county jail last night for her appearance at court on the charge of larceny. This is the first time since she was inmate of the "Drug Store" when it caught her recently. She is charged with taking money belonging to another woman in her class. The constable's sale advertised for April 8, at 1039 Dickson avenue, at the room rented by Arthur Dorsey, was postponed until April 13. The Green Ridge Woman's Christian Temperance union and the Loyola Legion rented of Dorsey and paid their rent to him, but their effects were also levied on to satisfy the claims of the landlord. Marriage licenses were granted yesterday by Clerk of the Courts John H. Thomas to John Tinko and Annie Drake, Taylor, John Kaska and Annie Soloko, Pencilville; Dominick Lowinski and Justa Maciowski, Scranton; Joseph Kurak and Mary J. Buzard, Olyphant; John James and Lizzie Jarvis, Dickson City; Constant Karjans and Agnes Schuller, Scranton. Rev. John Griffith has been requested to deliver again his lecture on "The Welsh Pilgrim Fathers of Pennsylvania," which he will do next Monday evening at Summer Avenue Presbyterian church. The lecture, first delivered in two sections, has been considerably modified in order to make it thoroughly intelligible to all classes of people. An admission fee of 10 cents will be charged. Thomas Griner, of Mayport, was committed to the county jail yesterday by Alderman Fuller to await trial for robbery. Griner was arrested at Mayport, Pa., above Carbondale, by Special Officer Bannon. He is charged with having broken into the Ontario and paid their bill at Mayfield on the night of March 21, and stealing therefrom several cases of underwear valued at \$25, which were consigned to Louis Spitz. The glassware for the Hotel Jernyn was furnished by Welch & Millar, China Hall, which consisted of 40 dozen of 5,000 pieces of handsome needle etched ware, which is an exact copy of famous Baccarat French glass. The ware for her is a new design in pattern, for dining rooms a Greek pattern, the water bottles, of which they received over 200, are special glass for freezing water in the bottles. Many other furnishings which go to beautify the hotel were furnished by Welch & Millar, such as jardiniere, trays, etc. Ernest W. Jackson, represented by Attorney S. J. Strauss, of Wilkes-Barre, brought suit in district yesterday at the office of Prothonotary Fryer against the Lehigh Valley Railroad company.

Scranton Women's Paper Will be Issued in This City on May 14. MAN TO BE LEFT OUT OF IT. To Be a Gigantic Issue and Will Be Created Exclusively by the Gentler Sex—Editorial and Other Staffs Selected.

A number of Scranton's best known women have completed arrangements for issuing on May 14 a mammoth newspaper, which, in its circulating, business, editorial, news and other departments, will be solely the work of women. It will consist of 16 to 20 pages, and the proceeds from its sales and advertising will be made the nucleus of a building fund for the Young Women's Christian association.

Close of the Institute. Instructors That Were Heard at the Last Session—The Resolutions Adopted. Mrs. Booths Talk on Color. The teachers' institute, which has been in progress since Monday in the Young Men's Christian association hall, closed at noon yesterday. During the morning, addresses were given by Dr. Winship, Mrs. Lucy Booth and Mrs. Brumbaugh and a long set of resolutions were adopted.

Institute Resolutions. The annual institute of the Scranton teachers is about to close its sessions and thus interrupt our mental and social recreations that we have been permitted to enjoy during the week; therefore be it Resolved, First, That we extend to our earnest and devoted Professor Howell, whose energy and zeal have contributed so largely to the success of the institute, our sincere thanks; his preference for home talent where it was possible to obtain it, his wise selection of our efficient lecturers, his fearless championship of what he considers right commend him favorably to his teachers. Second, That we extend to the able corps of instructors that have been with us during the institute our sincere thanks for their benefit to this city, so far as inasmuch as they have in many instances opened up new lines of thought and inspired us with their noblest and most instructive. Third, That we thank the board of control for furnishing music books and other real and useful encouragement. Fourth, That the thanks of this institute be extended to the daily press for their detailed and accurate reports of the proceedings. Fifth, That we sincerely deprecate our apparent discussions to the Superintendent Dr. Schaeffer and Superintendent Howell in not being present at the hall Monday evening to hear the lecture on "The High School Question." Sixth, That we demand the prompt and strict enforcement of the compulsory education act; we also recommend the introduction and passage of an additional act for the employment of teachers while their efficiency is at its height. In our opinion the enforcement of the former and the enactment of the latter would be step towards perfecting that grand institution, the public school system of the United States. Seventh, That increased efficiency in the school work of this city, so far as it is mandated by the times, cannot be secured except by a substantial increase in the salaries of the teachers; the best talent will be attracted and held by a rate of compensation commensurate with that in other professions demanding no higher order of ability. We respectfully invite the attention of all interested in our public schools to this matter, believing that justice will then be done where justice is due. Eighth, That we, as teachers, be more alert in our minds, ready to improve the opportunities presented to us from time to time for our mutual improvement and professional advancement. Ninth, That as Miss Sarah Rogers, Miss Maria Walsh and Mrs. Connell, three of our faculty members, have been removed from our ranks by death, we extend our deepest sympathy to their relatives and friends. Mrs. Marian Bloom, Mrs. M. A. Tierney, Mrs. J. M. Keirick, J. M. Beaumont, D. A. Stone.

Mrs. Booth's Talk. Mrs. Lucy Booth, teacher of form drawing in this city's schools, gave a very comprehensive talk on "The Blind," in which she asserted that color blindness is really color dullness and is aggravated by the universal use of black and white and color dullness is color ignorance. Remove the ignorance and there is no dullness nor blindness. A conception of color cannot be expected if colors are not used; it is a matter of cultivation. Remove the ignorance and originality Mrs. Booth's talk was received with no little appreciation. Dr. Brumbaugh, whose wit and fund of local knowledge have made him one of the most popular of the corps of institute instructors, gave the closing lecture. His topic was "The Function of Nature in Education." He earnestly advocated object lessons from nature, and gave as his chief argument the child's knowledge of nature. For object lessons he said that it is useless unless the pupil is familiar with it. A vocal selection closed the session.

A Successful Firm. New Quarters of the Rexford Company at 303 Lackawanna Avenue. In another part of the paper will be found notice of the Rexford company who re-open for business at 303 Lackawanna avenue Monday, April 8. This firm moved here a little over two years ago from Washington, D. C., and occupied a modest part of the store at 213 Lackawanna avenue. Within a few months the business so increased they took the entire store. Quarters again became too small and still greater space had to be provided. The property at 303 Lackawanna avenue, known as the Fuller building, was secured for a long term of years and the store extended through to Center street. Other improvements including new front with modern windows and several innovations, notably the gift boxes and the arrangement so as to light up with soft beautiful lights. Wedding and other gifts can here be seen as they would look at the home of the recipient. They occupy the whole building, making a floor space of 12,240 square feet. Besides Watches, Jewelry, Pictures and Frames they open several new departments, the most important being Pianos. All are invited to come and see the store; beautiful souvenirs for ladies.

Examine our wash chamolis gloves and our four-button kids. Best values in the market, at 49 and 98 cents. Pillsbury's Flour m.l.s have a capacity of 17,000 barrels a day.

Was Largely Attended. Funeral of Mrs. Gilligan of Danmore Yesterday Morning. The funeral of Mrs. Hannah Gilligan, wife of William Gilligan, of Danmore, Richard Gilligan, of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western, was attended yesterday morning from St. Mary's church, Danmore, by a large congregation of mourners and sympathizers, which taxed the capacity of the church, assembled to attend the last sad rites over the remains of the widely beloved woman. A high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Dr. Lucas. His funeral discourse was eloquent and pathetic. He paid a beautiful tribute to the deceased, saying among other things that while he was a stranger among them and it was the first time he had been privileged to pray for the dead in that church, he judged from what had been told him by his associates who had known the deceased for many years that she lived an exemplary Christian life and that she had gone to a bright reward. Interment was made in Moscov Catholic cemetery. The funeral took place in the accommodation of the friends was furnished by Trainmaster George M. Hallstead, of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western, and the services were given by Owen Kearney, Mr. Hennigan, Thomas Burke, Charles Boland, Frank Dougherty, Matthew Stanton. The many beautiful floral tributes were borne by Francis Berry, Thomas Hastings, M. Harney, Vincent Dougherty and John Flannery.

Good Roads Meeting. Held Under the Auspices of the South Side Wheelmen's Club. There was not a large audience present at German hall last night, but the meeting was a success. The prominent residents of the South Side, and a deep interest was taken in the subject of highway improvement. City Controller Edmund Surry presided. The speaker didn't know whether this was meant as a joke or as a libel on the street commissioner and councilmen, and why he made the remark. He did not pass through the experience pictured, yet he left an impression that he might have to wade through seas of mud if he came over at certain seasons.

Some of the Articles. An article on library work by Mrs. Carr, some unpublished poems by "Stella of Lackawanna," full reports of what the women are doing in church and of all the philanthropies and charities, splay news or society and life in the city generally, favorite recipes, the latest in household decoration, a symposium on colleges which Scranton girls attend, some articles of historical value on the first women of the city and Scranton's early history, a list of names of women who have been well-known Scranton women, Miss Stella Seymour, Mrs. McCarroll (sister of Mrs. Moffatt), Mrs. Daniel, and others. The list of names written by the city's lady teachers and singers; a bright children's page, fiction, written by popular women authors; physical culture, by lady physicians and teachers in gymnastics; industries for women.

Tried to Bully a Boy. He Was a Bully Boy with His Fists and Sharp Tongue. A lively scene was created in Ross' blacksmith shop, Adams avenue, yesterday afternoon, about 2 o'clock. At that hour the shop was in charge of a boy, Henry Decker, Mr. Ross being at dinner. A drunkee fellow named George Haynes, entered the shop and was preparing to go to sleep in a corner when young Decker ordered him to leave. Instead of obeying the command, Haynes tried to bully the boy and falling in this he seized a hammer and attempted to strike him. Decker, who is a very courageous and unusually strong even for a blacksmith, caught his assailant on the jaw with a swinging right hander and sent him sprawling into the street. As he was falling his head came in contact with a stone tie post and two large lugs resulted. The young fellow then got astride the prostrate bully and held him down till Chief Simpson came along and took both of them in tow. Decker was released until this morning at 9 o'clock and Haynes was locked up.

Elevator Struck Him. Thomas Nolan Painfully Injured in the Mears Building. Thomas Nolan, a plasterer, was injured in the Mears' building yesterday morning. Mr. Nolan resides at 221 Railroad avenue, and called at the Mears' building to see his son, who is employed there. While on the third floor he leaned over and looked down the elevator shaft, and the elevator descended and struck him on the head. The force of the blow painfully bruised Mr. Nolan, but his injuries are not of a dangerous character.

Death of George H. Stark. Was a Well-Known Employee of the Scranton Traction Company. George H. Stark, a well-known employee of the Scranton Traction company, died yesterday at his home, 629 Breck court, after a short illness. Deceased was 34 years of age, and is survived by a wife. Funeral notice will appear later. Mr. Stark was the eldest son of George W. Stark, of Denver, Col.

Go to Konecny's Hairdressing parlors and see the great bargains in hair switches at 317 Lackawanna avenue. Pillsbury's Flour m.l.s have a capacity of 17,000 barrels a day.

Loftus Verdict Reduced. Judge Gunster Lowers It from \$2,486.60 to \$1,500. THIS IS IN LIEU OF NEW TRIAL. Plaintiff's 4-Year Old Son, Willie, Was Killed by a Street Car on Capouse Avenue March 5, 1894—New Trial Asked in Everhart Case. Judge Gunster handed down an opinion yesterday afternoon in the suit of Patrick Loftus vs. Capouse avenue, against the Scranton Traction company reducing the verdict found by the jury from \$2,486.60 to \$1,500. If the plaintiff is not satisfied with this amount a new trial will be granted by the court on the ground that the amount of judgment is excessive and not sustained by the fair weight of the evidence. On March 5, 1894, Willie, aged 3 years, 11 months, and 11 days, son of the plaintiff, was killed by a Green Ridge People's street car on Capouse avenue near New Street. The company was sued for damages and on Feb. 1, 1896, a verdict for \$2,486.60 was returned for the death of the boy. Attorney Ward & Horn represented the plaintiff and Attorney Horace E. Hand appeared for the defendant. The latter asked for a new trial and argument was made before Judge Gunster. The judge in his order of yesterday states that the evidence of the plaintiff showed that it was a case for the jury. But he thinks the sum of damages was too high and agreed to let the verdict stand if the plaintiff agreed to throw off \$986.60 otherwise a new trial will be granted. Attorney George S. Hora was seen by a Tribune reporter and he was not prepared to say whether his client will agree to abide by the decision of the court. Mr. Hora will have a consultation with Mr. Loftus today and they will talk the matter over.

ADJUDGED A LUNATIC. An inquisition in lunacy took place before Judge Gunster in the main court room. Six jurors from the list attending court were sworn to hear the case of William Henry Peckens. The jurors were J. McAndrew, William G. Leslie, Christian Pfeiffer, John Rafter, Marshall Keller, and Dominick McGowan. Attorney C. R. Pichey appeared for the plaintiff, and Attorney J. McAndrew for the defendant. Peckens, who is at present an inmate of the Hillside asylum. The testimony was brief and the jury found that the defendant has been a lunatic for a year past.

Major Everett Warren, representing the defendants in the ejectment suit of James M. Everhart against George F. Nesbitt and G. Mortimer Lewis, was granted a rule for a new trial returnable at next argument court. A verdict for the plaintiff was rendered Thursday by the jury for \$185 balance on the contract price of building an addition to the stove works. The case was just opened and will be proceeded with today. In court room No. 1 the appeal suit for a small balance which Jockey Frank Hannis alleges is due him from Dr. William H. Gregory on a horse deal was called. Attorney Richard G. Gunter represented the plaintiff and Attorney E. C. Newcomb the defendant. On account of an irregularity in the plaintiff's case Judge Edwards on the motion of Dr. Newcomb withdrew a juror and continued the case until next term.

Vienna Ladies' Hairdressing parlors have moved to 317 Lackawanna avenue, next to Woolworth's. The Nickel Plate Road runs from Buffalo to Chicago, via Cleveland and Fort Wayne. A Few Words About Pianos For Your Benefit. THE MOST IMPORTANT Part of a Piano is the Interior. You want service as well as tone and appearance. Our selection we aim to give all these qualities. AN EXAMINATION SOLICITED.

Best Sets of Teeth, \$8.00. Including the painless extracting of teeth by an entirely new process. S. C. SNYDER, D. D. S., 321 Spruce St., Opp. Hotel Jernyn.

Tomorrow's World. Twelve Pages of Interesting and Exclusive News of the City. The best Sunday paper printed in Scranton is the World. Tomorrow's issue will eclipse any heretofore in the matter of exclusive news of the city. Be sure you read the World's article upon ex-Mayor Fellows and William Connell. The most strutting and sensational charges ever brought against an official in Scranton are those preferred against William Connell, collected by W. J. Burke. The story in full is given in tomorrow's World. The charity ball is written up in an entertaining manner. A full page of horse ball and sporting news. A feature of the World. Be sure you get the Scranton Sunday World tomorrow. Insist on having it from your newsboy. They all have it. Special attention and private dining rooms for dinner parties at Lohmann's, Spruce street. Service and cuisine unexcelled in this city. Miss McLane is now in her new store, 201 Washington avenue.

DEAD. DE WALT—In Scranton, April 8, 1896, Mrs. Rebecca De Walt, at the home of her father, John T. Widener, 601 Washington avenue. Funeral on Sunday afternoon at 11 o'clock, Grace church, Wyoming avenue.

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IN OUR MILLINERY DEPARTMENT. We offer one lot of Trimmed Hats for \$1.98, worth \$4.25. One Lot of Flowers, with Foliage, 5c. Bunch, worth 25c.

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