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120 Wyoming Ave.

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Marked Down Sale

Real Brussels Lace Curtains:

\$4.70, Former Price \$8.00

5.30, Former Price 6.70

5.65, Former Price 7.00

5.85, Former Price 7.50

6.25, Former Price 8.50

7.65, Former Price 10.00

The Above Prices Are for This Week Only.

WILLIAMS & McANULTY
CITY NOTES.

On Tuesday, June 16, the Epiphania Guild will conduct an excursion to Lake Arad.

Parcell's Turkish bath rooms, at 503 Linden street, will be open to ladies today from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.

The sales at the Seranton postoffice for the month of May were \$3,369.02, an increase of \$243.50 over May, 1895.

Phoebe H. Quirk, of Throop street, Dunmore, yesterday had her husband, James A. Quirk, held before Alderman Wright for assault and battery.

The Central Women's Christian Temperance union will hold their regular meeting this afternoon at 4 o'clock in their rooms, corner Washington avenue and Linden street.

Mayor Bailey yesterday signed the resolution directing the light and water committee to inquire into the economy of supplying the Municipal building with gas-burners.

James Clarke, of Germantown avenue, Philadelphia, asked to be locked up at the station house yesterday that he might be kept out of temptation. He was accommodated and his pledge is still whole.

The dispatcher's office of the Seranton Traction company has been moved from Franklin and Lackawanna streets to the basement of the Trader's National bank building, at Lackawanna and Penn avenues.

The Green Ridge Women's Christian Temperance union will meet Tuesday, at 2:30 p. m., in their rooms, near the corner of Penn avenue and Marion street. It is a business meeting, a good attendance is desired.

Chris Boyer, of 322 Oakford court, was sent to jail yesterday in default of bail on the charge of threatening his wife and refusing to support her. He was before the police magistrate two months ago on a similar charge, but was let off on his wife's plea.

Mrs. Angley will give a musicale at the Young Women's Christian association tonight at 7:45 o'clock. A musical to be given in the hall of the association will meet Friday night, instead of 7:30 as was announced. The affair will be held on account of the adjournment of the association.

Officer Frank Robling returned from Havre de Grace, Md., yesterday with Theodore Myers, who stole the horse from Liverman Frank of Providence. The defendant was given a hearing before Alderman Wright and in default of \$500 bail was committed to the county jail.

The report of Weather Agent H. E. Paine sent to Washington yesterday shows that during May 222 rain-falling days, that quantity two and one-half inches fell last week. There were twelve cloudy days, eight clear and partially clear in May. The winds were westerly. The hottest days were May 9 and 10, when the mercury reached 87 degrees. The coldest day was May 21, when the temperature was 71 degrees.

Mrs. Eveline Cottle, of Sport Hill, Dunmore, swore out a warrant yesterday before Alderman Millar against William and Rose Cottle, man and wife, living on Jessup street, next door to her, on the charge of malicious mischief. She informed the alderman that the defendant had been in her house with such violence that a cyclone would have passed by with less fury. Cobblestones were used as ammunition. The defendants waived a hearing and entered bail before Justice of the Peace E. W. Rooney in the sum of \$500 each for their appearance at court.

Ex-Constable Thomas Burke, of the Twelfth ward, residing at the corner of Moscoe street and Second avenue, swore out a warrant yesterday for the arrest of his son, William, on the charge of discharging firearms. The father, in his information before Alderman Millar, swore that while they were at dinner Sunday the boy pulled out a seven-shooter and fired twice at him. When the defendant was brought before the alderman's office the prosecutor followed as far as the doorway, and with "I don't want to prosecute him" he fled down the stairs before any one could question him. Mrs. Burke is present and she denied that the boy fired at his father.

CHANGE AT HILLSIDE HOME.

Dr. Strang succeeds Dr. Evans as Resident Physician.

Dr. Ben F. Evans, who for so many years has ably filled the office of resident physician at the Hillside Home, retired yesterday, and was succeeded by Dr. A. Strang, formerly outdoor physician for the Providence district. Dr. Evans resigns to take up general practicing, having tired of the confinement and routine of the asylum.

Notice to Telephone Subscribers.

The employees of the Central Pennsylvania Telephone and Supply company are furnished with a badge. Admit no one to your premises under pretext of repairing instruments on lines unless they display the same.

Hotel Warwick.

Ocean end of South Carolina avenue, Atlantic City, N. J. Fine lawn and good view of the ocean.

Daniel Coleman, Prop.

Ask Your Dealer.

For McGarragh's Insect Powder, 25 and 50-cent boxes. Never sold in bulk, 100-cent boxes.

MISSING FROM HOME
NEARLY SIX WEEKS

Relatives of Jacob Gabers, of Dunmore, Are Worried.

LIVED WITH HIS SISTER'S FAMILY

Was a Shoemaker by Trade but Was Out of Work—He Has Not Been Seen Since April 28—He Left His Best Clothes, Watch and Chain, and a Good Sum of Money Behind.

Corner S. P. Longstreet received a letter a few days ago from Fred Dreyer, of 122 First street, Dunmore, asking if he had conducted any inquiries since April 27 on unknown persons, and if so, whether among them there were any of New York. The letter was accompanied by a photograph which accompanied the letter.

On April 28, Jacob Gabers left home and has not been heard from since.



JACOB GABERS, Who Disappeared from Dunmore April 27.

The missing man is a brother of Mr. Dreyer's wife, is about 35 years of age, unmarried, and is a shoemaker by trade.

He came to this country last October from Elshorn, Germany. Dunmore did not prove a good location for another shoemaker, and instead of moving his bench to some other town, he concluded to obtain some other kind of employment, but even that he found hard to get.

WHEN LAST SEEN.

The day of his disappearance he went out in the morning looking for work and applied for the position of assistant in the Dunmore cemetery. He did not secure it, and returned home before noon. After removing a pair of overalls, which he wore over his trousers, he left the house and has not been seen or heard of since.

Upon leaving he said nothing about when he would be back or where he was bound to go. He was well educated in German and a very fluent speaker of that tongue, his knowledge of the English was limited, and being of a retiring nature he would be greatly embarrassed in getting along away from friends.

His relations with his sister's family were so cordial that they think he would hardly remain silent so long if something had not happened to him. They feel sure that if he is alive and well he would write; and not having heard from him the only conclusion in their minds is that he is dead, perhaps, in the woods.

LEFT MONEY BEHIND HIM.

When he went he had about \$5 in his pockets, but he left behind him a good suit of clothes, his watch and chain and a large sum of money in a bank in bank. At no time did he utter a word conveying an intention to commit suicide.

Coroner Longstreet replied to Mr. Dreyer's letter and promised to let him know if he hears anything concerning the missing man.

CHANGE OF MANAGEMENT.

E. J. Maloney Promoted to Position of Assistant Superintendent.

E. J. Maloney, manager of the exchanges in this city and Carbondale of the Central Pennsylvania Telephone and Supply company, has been promoted to the position of assistant superintendent of the North Pennsylvania division of the company's system extending from Carbondale to Danville. Mr. Maloney has been successful as manager in this city and Carbondale by John Bailey, of Williamsport. It has not yet been decided whether the new assistant superintendent will have his headquarters in Seranton or Wilkes-Barre.

Mr. Maloney has been in the employ of the Central company for about a year. He was sent to Altoona to manage the exchange there, and later had charge of the Wilkes-Barre exchange, which has done much to give the Seranton exchange a better management in this city many permanent improvements have been made and the service has been greatly extended to the position of a well known and thorough knowledge of the business he has a genius for appreciating the value of attending to the smallest details, which has done much to give Seranton the fine telephone service she enjoys.

His selection for the high position of assistant superintendent is a broader field of usefulness.

THERE WILL BE NO DELAY.

High School Committees Say Everything Will Be Ready by Sept. 1.

The high school committee of the board of control met last night and decided to visit the new building in the Thursday afternoon, with a view of finding out what furniture is needed. The advertisement for bids for supplying the furniture will then be prepared and in the course of a meeting or two the contract will be awarded.

The committee gives out that the building will be complete and ready for occupancy Aug. 1, one month before the fall term begins. The high and training school committee, of which Superintendent Howell is an ex-officio member, is at work arranging the curriculum and selecting the staff of teachers. They say there will be no delay in the opening of the school on their account.

ELKS WILL RUSTICATE.

Seranton Lodge with Bauer's Band Goes to Wilkes-Barre Tonight.

The Seranton Elks go tonight to Wilkes-Barre, where their brethren will tender them a reception. Bauer's band of thirty pieces will go along to let the Luzerneites know they are there. The members will meet at the lodge rooms at 6:45 o'clock p. m. at the 7:10 Jersey Central train. Arrangements have been made to bring the party back after the reception.

Francis Fitzgibbons Fails.

Deputy Sheriff J. D. Forber closed the cloak case of Francis Fitzgibbons in the Burr building on Washington avenue, yesterday morning, on an execution of \$5,000 entered up in court by the Commercial Bank of Rochester, N. Y., represented by Attorneys Watson & Dehl. Mr. Fitzgibbons came to this

STATE COMMISSION
HERE INQUIRING

As to Number of Aliens in Public Institutions.

CHAIRMAN FOCHT INTERVIEWED

A Great Imposition Which It Is the Intention of Our Legislators to Wipe Out if Such a Thing Is Possible—Taking the First Step in That Direction Now.

Representatives Benjamin K. Focht, of Union county, and S. S. Staples, of Luzerne county, members of the commission appointed to investigate the public institutions of Pennsylvania to ascertain the percentage of aliens being cared for by the commonwealth, came to this city yesterday to prosecute their inquiries here and in the adjoining places.

They will start in today on the Carbondale hospital and will then return here to make investigations at the Lackawanna hospital, county jail and Hillside home. Other members of the commission which is composed of two senators and three representatives, are working in other parts of the state. Messrs. Focht and Staples have the eastern part of the state as their territory and have already gone over a large part of their work.

The purpose of the commission is to show the extent of this evil and set at rest the minds of the public. Mr. Focht, the father of the resolution and chairman of the commission, in conversation with a Tribune reporter last evening said:

"Only those who have looked into this matter carefully have any conception of the great imposition inflicted on this commonwealth in common with other pauper and lunatic of other countries. A large percentage of the inmates of every charitable institution is alien and as a consequence the citizen and taxpayer for whom these institutions were established are in many instances denied admission or at least proper care and attention owing to their overcrowded condition. Being unable, or unwilling, but most generally unwilling, to pay for the trouble and expense of caring for their sick or injured friends the lower class of aliens cart them to a hospital and leave them there to be buried, in case they die, at the expense of the commonwealth."

ALDERMEN WILL ROTATE.

Each Will Be Given a Turn at Police Court.

Alderman John T. Howe, of the Twelfth ward, will hear the police cases during the month of June. Alderman Wright presided last month and Alderman Fuller the month before. Next month Alderman Millar will take a turn at it.

It is the intention of Mayor Bailey to divide this work among the various aldermen. If the courts do not interfere an objection. Judge Edwards has denied upon a writ of certiorari the letter of the law no alderman can hear cases in the police court at city hall, but by straining a point Alderman Wright in Wilkes-Barre, the police station is located, can be permitted to hear cases there.

The mayor hopes to be able to strain this point a little more and make it possible for any alderman to preside in the police court room. If this can not be done he will direct that the prisoners be taken to the office of the alderman assigned to hear the cases.

The mayor yesterday consulted with Alderman Wright, whose objection brought about Judge Edwards' ruling. The same thing should be done if the objection the mayor's plan of having the aldermen preside in the police court room will be attempted.

AGAINST SUNDAY CONCERTS.

Pastors' Union Believes That They Are Demoralizing.

A blow at the Sunday sacred concert was delivered by the City Pastors' union at a meeting yesterday morning in Young Men's Christian association hall. Rev. F. A. Dony embodied the attack in a resolution, claiming that the same is demoralizing rather than beneficial to the city. The resolution also called for the appointment of a committee of five to wait upon the trustees of the city and urge responsible and endeavor to secure the immediate discontinuance of the concerts of the good.

Rev. G. T. Price moved the adoption of the resolution, but a substitute motion was carried by which action was postponed until Monday morning of next week at 11:30 o'clock, when a special meeting will be held to act on the matter. This was done for the purpose of attracting a larger attendance of the ministers.

Rev. A. C. McGee, pastor of the African Methodist Episcopal church, read a paper. His subject was "The Negro Problem."

DIVIDING THE HONORS.

How the Members of the High School Class Will Fare.

Miss Lulu Sylvester, as announced yesterday's Tribune, has captured the highest honors of this year's graduating class of the Seranton high school. Her average is 87.5. Her record is salutatorian. His average was a fraction of one per cent. above Arthur Phillips, who receives third rank. Miss Nellie Buel holds fourth. The remaining six honors have not yet been decided upon. The commencement exercises promise to be interesting. The graduating class contains in its membership several of our best scholars, both in science and in literature.

John McCourt, of the class, has been selected to represent his class mates at the annual meeting of the Young Men's program committee in charge of the affair met last evening and selected the participants in the post-prandial exercises. Tickets are \$1.00. The price this year is \$1.25 for admission.

NO CHANGE MADE YET.

Chief Simpson, However, Is Preparing to Move Out.

Chief Simpson was engaged yesterday in preparing to move out, and will in a day or two retire from the office, to be succeeded by Frank Robling. It was expected that the change would take place yesterday, but for some reason or another it did not.

There was a rumor about yesterday that the force in the position of captain, but it was squelched when Mayor Bailey was asked about it. He said that John Fitzsimmons will be captain if he can be confirmed, and that his name will go into select council next Thursday night.

If the Baby Is Cutting 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, Relieves the Gums, "Lays 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.

Meals and Cold Lunches.

Meals and cold lunches served at all hours at Lohmann's, Spruce street. Regular dinner 40 cents. Imported and domestic wines, cigars and liquors.

The New Lager.

Call for Casey & Kelly's extra fine lager beer. Be sure that you get it. The best is none too good.

BOARD OF FIRE ENGINEERS.

Reorganization at a Meeting Held Last Evening.

A meeting of the board of engineers of the Seranton fire department for reorganization was held last evening.

SAWYER'S
Trimmed Hat Sale

This great opportunity should make happy buyers. Cutting prices, as we are doing, so early in the season, is unusual, but the trade is not to be won by extraordinary efforts. The values are here; see if we overestimate!

Ladies' Misses' and children's Trimmed Hats, value \$2.00 for \$1.50. Ladies' Misses' and children's Trimmed Hats in better qualities, \$3.19 Trimmed Hats that will compare favorably with what you pay \$4.00. \$2.00 Stylish Hats that sold early in the season at \$5.00.....\$2.50 Pattern Hats, in fine materials, reduced from \$5.00 to \$3.00.....\$4.00 Every Trimmed Hat, value \$2.00 at one-half its original value. This means much to you, more to us. Here's a store full of bright new millinery for you to select from.

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We keep in stock every Color, Quality, and width of Shading, with Fringes and Laces to match. We have SHADES two yards long, mounted on spring rollers at 18 cents each.

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100 Children's Trimmed Leghorn Hats, with fancy edge, \$3.50; sale price.....\$1.49

250 Ladies' and Children's Untrimmed Leghorn Hats, \$1.50; sale price.....\$0.70

100 Ladies' Untrimmed Hats, 98c; sale price.....19c

10 dozen Children's Lawn Hats, 40c; sale price.....15c

10 dozen Children's Lawn Caps, 25c; sale price.....10c

20 dozen Children's Sailors, 40c; sale price.....15c

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