CARBONDALE.

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RIOT AT A CHRISTENING.

One Man Is Nearly Killed and Others Are Injured.

A christening was held near Simpson Sunday which ended in a grand debauch lasting until yesterday morning. The debauch was only ended by several of the participants disagreeing among themselves and then proceeding to wipe out their grievances with blood.

All present joined in the fracas, and all kinds of weapons were used, clubs, axes, stones, fence rails, and in fact anything which would do injury in some manner.

John Crozah wielded a heavy club and that he did it with evil intent is shown by the condition of Andrew Commick. Commick was hit a terrible blow on the head and fell senseless. This only added fire to the anger of the furious Huns who went at it with renewed fury. In the meanwhile Alderman Gleun had been notified and he, with several other men, rushed to the spot. The foreign element in the fight were by this time getting enough and they fled soon after the alderman's party put in its appearance. They were pursued and two captured. With the assistance of Constable Healey two others were captured, among them being Joseph Zuran who has just served a three years' sentence for causing a riot. Commick was the only man injured to any extent, but his injuries are severe. He is still unconscious and spits blood, and he may die at any moment.

INJURED ON THE WEST SIDE.

Little Hugh Neisen Falls Into the Deep Cave-in.

A little boy named Hugh Neisen was badly injured on the West Side by falling into the deep hole caused by the ground falling into the mines. The boy with several companions was standing about the place where several foreigners came up. The boys at once commenced to annoy them and finally began to throw stones. The foreigners became enraged and drew revolvers. In the efforts of the boys to escape, young Neisen fell into the hole which at that point is twenty-five deep, the bottom being covered with jagged rocks. He was knocked insensible by the fall and lay for nearly an hour unconscious.

He was then rescued and carried home. He is covered with bruises and his leg is badly injured, but it is considered to be very fortunate that he escaped so easily.

CAUGHT IN AN ELEVATOR.

A Young Man Narrowly Escapes with His Life.

James Swift, of the Pioneer laundry, is a wiser man today. At least he learned one thing yesterday, and that is that it is exceedingly dangerous to get out of an elevator while it is in motion.

Yesterday Swift had occasion to use the elevator and was evidently not used to such concerns, for he started it very quickly. The elevator is provided with appliances for such cases, and brought it to a stop, frightening Swift so that he tried to get out. In some manner he caught his head and for a moment those who saw the occurrence shut their eyes. Fortunately the elevator began to descend and the young man's head was released. His wounds were dressed by Dr. Everett, who found that the nose was broken and a large gash on the head.

BIG CAVE-IN.

Large Area of Ground Sinks Nearly Thirty Feet.

The land near the fan house on the West Side is full of cave-ins but the largest which has been seen in this city for some time occurred Saturday night.

It was very fortunate that the accident occurred when it did or otherwise there would have been many miners killed. At present it is very easy to hear the workmen below and sometimes make out what they are saying.

The cave-in is about thirty feet long and twenty feet wide. It is very deep as the ground has sunk nearly thirty feet. Work has not been stopped as it will effect only the chambers immediately over the fall.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL NOTES.

Francis H. Crago and Ralph Hawkins, of Aldenville, Pa., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Willmarth at the home of George Hughes on Wayne street yesterday.

Mrs. Henry B. Jordan, of Scranton, is being entertained at the home of her brother, Mr. Anthony Horan of Fallbrook street.

Miss Lillian Darke, of Aldenville and Mr. A. Patridge, of Clinton, Wayne county, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Giles, of Brook street.

Henry Brunig at one time employed in H. B. Jadwin's drug store left for New York Saturday where he will take a course in the college of pharmacy.

Howell Phinney of Chicago, passed through town yesterday on his way to Dundaff where he will visit relatives.

Mrs. Reese Lewis, of Nanticoke, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. John J. Reese, of South Main street, has returned home.

Misses Mary Haley, Rose Loftus and Nellie Munley have returned from West Brookville, N. Y., where they have spent a portion of the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Joyce and Mr. and Mrs. John James drove to Lake Ariel Sunday where they spent the day.

Miss Mary A. Burke is the guest of her cousin, Miss Sallie Spellman of Honesdale.

E. D. Yarrington left last evening for New York, Boston and other cities.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson have returned from a visit with friends in Honesdale.

Miss Lizzie McDonough, of Pike street, is entertaining Miss Grace Gorman, of New York city.

Mrs. Nancy Race is visiting friends in Clifford.

Mrs. William Johnson is visiting in Albany.

Mrs. John Garvey and daughter, of Avoca, and Miss Mamie Dougherty of Pittston, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. James McHale, of the South Side.

Mr. and Mrs. William Frederici and daughter Janey, of Garfield avenue, spent Sunday with friends in Clifford.

George James is rusticating at Lanesboro.

Mrs. Levi Schoonover and daughter Angie, who have been the guests of friends in this city, returned to their home in Honesdale Saturday.

J. S. Miller, of Honesdale, was in town yesterday visiting his brother, B. F. Miller, who is ill.

B. F. Parry, of Terrace street, returned home Sunday from a trip which included Toronto, Niagara Falls, Buffalo and Hornellsville.

Miss Minnie Mohrs entertained a number of her friends at her home on Park street last evening in honor of Miss Kalkman, of Honesdale, who is her guest.

Mrs. Smith and son and daughter, of Philadelphia, are guests at the home of Mr. C. E. Rettew on John street.

Dr. and Mrs. A. F. Gillis and son Roderick, and Misses May Boyle, of New Milford and Mary Bridgett visited the Erie shaft yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Sidney Colwell, of Seventh avenue, is ill.

TAYLOR.

The funeral of the late Walter Williams, whose death occurred on Saturday last, took place yesterday from his late home in Old Forge, and was largely attended. He was a member of the Emblem Division, Sons of Temperance, Pyne Keg fund, and the Tribe of Red Men of Plymouth. Interment was made in Plymouth.

Pride of Lackawanna lodge, No. 18, of this place, will meet this evening, when they will elect officers.

John Pugh, who was injured at the Archbald mines last week, has been taken to the Moses Taylor hospital.

Any items given to the Tribune carrier will be gladly received by our Taylor correspondent.

The Lackawanna Valley council, No. 8, Junior Order United American Mechanics will have a smoker Thursday evening at their regular session.

Rickaby and Dove played an interesting game of alley ball against McGowan and Maloney of Providence on O'Malley's court Saturday afternoon for a purse of $50. The game was well played. It was close and interesting until near the end when Rickaby and Dove made a sprint and won by a score of 41 to 31. Both sides had many admirers, and a large amount of money changed hands on the result of the game.

On Saturday afternoon a shooting match took place in the vicinity of the Archbald mines which was very interesting. The score was as follows:

Thomas Jones	1	1	1	1	1–5
John Canterbury	0	0	1	1	1–3
Ben Fern	1	1	1	0	1
David R. Davis	0	1	1	1	1–4
Will Fern	0	1	0	0	0–1
George James	0	0	1	0	0–1
David Jones	1	0	0	1	1–3
William Lavender	0	1	0	0	1–2
John Jones	0	0	0	1	1–2

PECKVILLE.

The Young People's society of the Methodist Episcopal church will hold an ice cream social in the church parlors tomorrow evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William Warne spent Sunday at Freeland.

Regular communication of Oriental lodge, Free and Accepted Masons, will be held this evening.

Rev. Aaivaing Azderian, an Armenian, who occupied the Methodist Episcopal pulpit last Sunday morning, will by special request give a free lecture in the above named church next Friday evening on the ways and costumes of his country. A silver offering will be taken up at the door.

Mrs. Joslin and Mrs. William Walker, of Plainville, spent Sunday with friends in town.

The Keystone quartette of this place were in attendance at the special exercises at the Presbyterian church last Sunday evening.

Miss Grace Barber entertained the following young ladies at her home on Main street last Friday evening: Misses Dana Rymer, Anna Gentle, Clara Davis, Josephine Davis, of Jermyn, and Lou Holmes, of Albany.

Mr. and Mrs. William Page and Mr. and Mrs. Columbus Hartman spent Sunday with relatives at Elmhurst.

Miss Grace Ayres is visiting friends and relatives at Carbondale.

D. J. Beardslee is visiting his parents near Honesdale.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Whittig spent Sunday in Wayne county.

FOREST CITY.

While in the act of oiling an overhead wheel at the new blacksmith shop at No. 2 shaft, yesterday morning, Richard O'Brien, the blacksmith, had the misfortune to have his apron caught between the belt and wheel, which threw him to the floor, a distance of eighteen feet, causing a severe wrenching of the knee cap and other injury to the knee. He was removed to his home on Main street, and upon the advice of Dr. Blakeslee was afterwards taken to the Emergency hospital, at Carbondale.

Forest City people have entertained large numbers of delegates who have attended the different conventions, associations, etc., held in this place during the year. The next convention to meet here is the white ribbon brigade, known as the Women's Christian Temperance union. This will be the twenty-first annual convention of Susquehanna county unions, commencing Tuesday evening, Sept. 29, and closing Sept. 30. Mrs. N. M. Hammer, state president, will be present during all the sessions, giving a Bible reading Tuesday evening, a school of methods, Wednesday afternoon, and will lecture Wednesday evening. A full delegation is desired from every union in the county. The programme of the sessions will appear in The Tribune later.

About 200 persons from this place accompanied by two bands, attended the Republican rally at Susquehanna, Saturday evening. Among the enthusiastic Republicans was Thomas Evans, of this place, who had an experience that he will remember. He was standing on one of the platforms of the train and as the excursionists were nearing Jefferson junction at a high rate of speed, Thomas fell off. One or two persons saw him fall, but did not act promptly in having the train stopped, so no one went back in search of Thomas, who has had a number of daring leaps, falls, etc. While the bands were playing, and the politicians gathering, Thomas was gathering himself to the station at the junction, and was soon in the blissful region of dreamland. The train upon returning found Thomas at the station with his face wreathed in smiles and decorated with a few scratches, not much the worse for his fall. When he fell he wore a black soft hat, but was now the possession of a silver cap. That was one of the things that was worrying him. He remarked that if he were a Democrat he surely would have been killed.

MONTROSE.

Selden A. Woodruff, a brother of George E. Woodruff and William Woodruff of this place died in New York on Friday last. His remains were interred at Moriches, L. I., on Sunday.

The remains of the late Dr. S. S. Mulford arrived here last Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. They were immediately taken to the cemetery where Rev. E. A. Warriner conducted the services of the Episcopal ritual.

A Montrose citizen while at the Binghamton fair last week took several counts of those present 98 to the political badges or buttons worn; his report is as follows: First count of 100, McKinley 78; others, 22; second count of 100, McKinley, 93; others, 7; third count of 100, McKinley, 64; others, 36. These counts were observed from the entrance gate and at different hours during the day. The old saying, "Straws show which way the wind blows" evidently holds good in Broome county.

The fire laddies expect to have a red letter day Tuesday next. They deserve all the support which Montrose can give them.

In the Montrose "Illustrated" Republican Dimock D. Searle and an unknown, "Visitor" by name, but none other than Prof. Fayette McKenzie, an old Montrose boy, have had for several weeks a controversy regarding sound gold money and free silver. "Visitor" has, metaphorically speaking, broken every one of the 278 bones in the body of "D. D. S." Mr. Searle while in Montrose has advocated free silver in a respectable manner. He has not, like those of his following, told his adversaries that they were liars, brainless and fools, but has advanced his theories in a cool, dispassionate manner—but to no avail. This is commendable in Mr. Searle, but he found no solace in Montrose while advocating free silver. The people here cannot be fooled.

Speaking of free silver, a traveling man who has for some time been in the south, recently visited Montrose and told The Tribune man that there in Georgia, Alabama and other southern sections, the larger towns in a county were already agitating the question as to which would have the mint. In their ignorance they suppose that if Bryan is elected each county will have a mint for the free and unlimited coinage of silver. This is a sample of what the free silver men do to secure votes.

A Bryan and Sewall club was formed Saturday night. About thirty or forty Free Silver Democrats, Popocrats, Populists and others met in the arbitration room at the court house. Dr. Johnnie Wilson was made president and "Congressman" W. C. Cruser secretary. After hearty cheers for a 53 cent dollar and some vague remarks regarding a cross of gold and crown of thorns the meeting adjourned.

Among the arrivals at the Tarbell House are: G. A. Gardner, George H. Winans and W. E. Decker, Scranton Bicycle club; N. J. Fuller, Reading; J. H. Caffrey, New York, and J. L. Ross, Hallstead, Pa.

AVOCA.

The Ladies' Guild of St. James' church, Pittston, will conduct a social at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. James McKane tomorrow evening. Those who are not members of the guild will be welcome.

The Ladies' Missionary society of the Langcliffe church will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Snyder tomorrow evening.

The St. Aloysius society have decided to participate in the parade at Scranton on Oct. 10. They will be accompanied by the Moosic band.

James Jennings, sr., and son, William, left yesterday for Baltimore, where Mr. Jennings will attend the national game, in which his son, Hugh, has achieved success.

Mrs. Mary Van Tassell, of New York city, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James McKane.

J. F. Connolly, of Dunmore, was a caller in town yesterday.

The funeral of Patrick, the 5-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Ryan, took place yesterday afternoon. Interment was made in St. Mary's cemetery.

The L. C. B. A. will banquet in T. F. Herbert's hall on Thursday evening, Sept. 24. An excellent entertainment will also be rendered.

The Hillside Coal company will pay its employes today.

James Lavin and sister, Mrs. P. Gallagher, are visiting friends in Newark.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Walsh, of the North End, are rejoicing over the arrival of a daughter.

The marriage of Archbald McQueen, a prominent young man of this place and Miss Ellen Thomas, of Scranton, is announced. Also the marriage of Miss Anna Osborne, of this place, and John McPeak, of Old Forge.

The Sons of Temperance will hold an entertainment and supper in O'Malley's hall on Thursday evening, Sept. 24.

Mart Buckley, of the North End, is critically ill of pneumonia.

Miss Mary Earley, of Dunmore, spent Sunday at the Meade residence, on the West Side.

Miss B. Moraham is visiting friends in Jermyn.

Mrs. John Curran is attending the funeral of a relative in Hawley.

David Cranston, of the North End, is moving his family to West Pittston today.

Simon Deeble, of the West Side, is seriously ill of typhoid fever.

Miss Dora Dempsey is visiting friends in Pittston.

Michael Dempsey, of the West Side, will leave this week to visit friends in Boston.

J. J. Walsh, formerly of Jermyn but at present employed as mine foreman in Simpson & Watkins' colliery in Duryea, spent Sunday with friends in town.

Miss Margaret McGeehan, of Hazleton, has returned home after a few weeks' visit at the Quinn residence.

OLYPHANT.

The Olyphant Record is located in its new building on Hull avenue. The building is a substantial one, being constructed of Hudson river brick and trimmed with Hancock blue stone, and is fitted up with all the necessary appliances for getting out that live and up-to-date weekly. The Tribune congratulates the Record on its enterprise and wishes it many years of prosperity.

At noon yesterday a team of horses owned by William Adair became frightened at Scotch street and ran down Lackawanna avenue at breakneck speed. When near Watkin's drug store the team came in contact with a telegraph pole, throwing the driver, Joe Noysky, violently to the ground. He sustained a broken arm and dislocated wrist and had his head bruised. Steve Noysky, who was also in the wagon, was severely shaken up. The vehicle was smashed and the horses badly scratched up.

The Olyphant Browns will cross-bats with the Harmonies, of Scranton, at Olyphant, today.

Walter Hutchings, ticket agent at the Ontario and Western station, will leave tomorrow for his vacation New York state.

Miss Ollie Murphy, of Scranton, is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Z. D. Edwards.

Some of the wheelmen of this place will go to Wilkes-Barre tomorrow morning to witness National bicycle races.

There will be a meeting of the McKinley-Hobart club tomorrow evening in Owen's hall, Blakely.

Leo Lynch left yesterday for Georgetown university to resume his studies. He was accompanied by his sister, Miss Grace Lynch, who will take up a course of studies in the Visitation convent.

Arthur Widdowfield and Frank Northup rode on their bicycles to Stroudsburg Sunday. They returnted by way of Port Jervis.

J. T. Thomas and family are visiting relatives at Montrose.

Edward Ferguson left yesterday for Allegheny, N. Y., where he will enter St. Bonaventure's college.

Walter B. Davis spent a few days with his brother at Lennoxville last week.

Miss Dora Levy, of New York, who has been spending the summer months at this place, will return home today.

Miss Jennie Kennedy entertained the members of the Presbyterian church choir at her home Friday evening.

Mrs. Stackhouse is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Matthews, of Delaware avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. John Knapp spent Sunday at Green Ridge.

WYOMING.

The funeral of Henry C. Jones was largely attended yesterday with the following societies in line: Junior Order United American Mechanics, Sons of Veterans, Improved Order of Odd Fellows, Masons and Grand Army Republic. Rev. Wilson Treible officiated, assisted by Rev. John Labar. The pall bearers were: J. I. Shoemaker, M. V. Rozelle, Lewis Durland, of the Grand Army; Fisher Gray, Hughey Christworth and C. F. Wilson, of the Masonic order. Interment was in Forty Fort cemetery.

Miss Clara Smith, of Kingston, was visiting friends in town Sunday.

T. H. Rinker, assistant agent at the Lehigh Valley depot, is spending his vacation at Buffalo and Niagara Falls this week.

Miss Josie Harrington was calling on friends in Kingston Saturday evening.

Mrs. Joseph Greenfield and son, George, were at Wilkes-Barre Saturday.

NICHOLSON.

The ball game yesterday afternoon between Nicholson and Scranton Reserves was quite a warm game as the Reserves came loaded for our boys, having had a most adverse experience with them about two weeks ago. After a hard fought contest the game resulted in a score of 7 to 10 in favor of the Scranton Reserves.

The funeral of the five-months-old child of J. B. Cornell was held yesterday in the Presbyterian church at one o'clock, Rev. S. Dwight Waterbury officiating. Interment was made in Starkville cemetery.

Mrs. E. Stevens is spending a few days in Scranton, with her daughter Mrs. G. A. Shoemaker. Mrs. C. B. Williams spent the Sabbath with them.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Driggs, of Brooklin, N. Y., spent Saturday and Sunday here with relatives and friends. Mr. Driggs returned to New York Sunday night. Mrs. Driggs will remain here for a week or two.

MARRIED ON TOP OF A MONUMENT.

W. W. Byers, of Chicago, and Miss Ida Smith Wed in the Air.

Indianapolis, Sept. 14.—Two hundred feet above ground, at the foot of the statue surmounting the top of the soldiers' monument, the adjutant general of Indiana giving the bride away and the custodian of the monument acting as master of ceremonies, William W. Byers, of Chicago and Miss Ida May Smith, of this city were united in marriage today. The ceremony was performed by a magistrate.

They gave no explanation for chosing such a strange place save a desire for a wedding out of the ordinary, and they had it. A half-doen witnesses were present by invitation of the adjutant general, and a medal commemorating the unusual event was presented to the bridal pair.

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