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CARBONDALE.

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CAPTURED A SHOE THIEF.

An Exciting Chase Through the Streets.

A man giving his name as James G. Price was tried before Alderman Jones yesterday morning charged with stealing a pair of patent leather shoes from Ehrlich's shoe store on Main street. He was easily proved guilty and committed to the county jail.

The shoes were stolen last week. The man entered the store and asked to see some shoes. While he was looking at them the clerk's attention was drawn to some one else who had entered. Price then slipped a pair of expensive patent leather shoes into his pocket and left the store. It was several days before the shoes were missed and then the queer actions of the customer coming to the mind of the clerk he at once concluded that he was the one who took them.

FELL INTO A MINE.

Sudden Cave-in Nearly Causes the Death of Two Horses.

An accident occurred in the vicinity of the Northwest mines which nearly resulted in the death of two valuable horses, the property of Frank Hiltelbeck. The accident was of a rather peculiar nature. The team driven by Frank McCawley had just taken a load of coal to the Northwest and were returning when suddenly the ground caved in precipitating the horses to the bottom where they lay struggling violently to free themselves.

Death of Mrs. Thomas Barrett.

The sudden death of Mrs. Catherine Barrett, wife of Thomas Barrett, a well known merchant of the city, occurred yesterday morning. Mr. Barrett had apparently recovered from an illness of some three weeks duration and had been conversing in her usual cheerful manner when she was seized with heart failure and passed away.

Wreck at No. 1 Mine.

A wreck occurred at No. 1 mine yesterday of the nature of the one at the same place some time ago. A switch was left open and a train of cars coming down the gravity ran into it and several cars were derailed. The damage was small.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL NOTES.

Miss Jennie Fox, of South Main street.

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will spend this week with friends in Pittston and Wilkes-Barre. John Burns, of Honesdale, was the guest of friends in town Sunday.

Rev. J. Malone, of Scranton, was a visitor at St. Rose rectory yesterday. James Duggan, of Brooklyn street, is ill with rheumatism.

Rev. John Holmes visited friends in Honesdale yesterday. Henry McHale, of Pittston, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James McHale.

L. M. Bennett, of Scranton, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd over Sunday.

Dr. W. F. Morrison, of St. Joseph's hospital, Reading, Pa., returned to his duties last evening, after a short visit with his parents.

Rev. Michael E. Loftus was the guest of Rev. J. J. Curran, of Wilkes-Barre Sunday.

Mrs. S. A. Roch and two children, of Canaan street, are ill with diphtheria.

Rt. Rev. Bishop O'Hara was in town yesterday. Yesterday being the "Feast of the Holy Innocents," the bishop made his accustomed visit to the novitiates at St. Rose convent.

Mrs. Edward Clark, of the West Side, is entertaining Mrs. W. J. Donlan and daughters, of Kingston.

T. J. Gilmarin, who has been sick with typhoid fever, is able to set up.

Rev. J. Moses, of Scranton, was a visitor in town yesterday.

Miss Mary Killeen, who has been visiting friends in New York for several months, has returned home.

Mrs. Daniel Williams, of Dunmore, was the guest of Mrs. Joseph Wilson Sunday.

Miss Alice Bridgett is confined to her home on Darte avenue by illness.

The wife of Aneurin Jones, formerly of Carbondale, died at the family home in Brooklyn on Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Butterworth, of Brooklyn, N. Y., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wilson, on Belmont street.

Miss Ella Bira has returned from a lengthy visit in New York city.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Epes and Mrs. C. M. Epes and grandson, Charlie, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Benson on North Wyoming street over Sunday.

Miss Hattie Cooper, of Hyde Park, is visiting at the home of Miss Hattie Hutchins on Washington street.

J. J. Simpson and Isaac Hollenback are confined to their homes by an attack of fever.

Some of our young men have been so persistent in ringing doorbells, and committing other malicious mischief about town, that they have aroused the indignation of some of the citizens, and it looks like trouble brewing for two or three of the boys that have been caught at it.

Attorney and Mrs. Fred R. Stark, Mr. Reynolds, of Reynolds Bros., of Scranton, was calling on our merchants yesterday.

Miss Electa Capwell and George Warner, of Nicholson, Miss Minnie Capwell, of Dixon, and Mr. Burns, of Bloomsburg, were calling on friends in town Sunday afternoon.

Mr. A. A. Brown was visiting friends in Nicholson last Saturday.

Our well-known townsman, J. Wesley Reynolds, had an attack of congestion of the brain last Saturday afternoon. Doctor Fitch was summoned and soon succeeded in getting him to rest quietly and at the present writing Mr. Reynolds is much improved and rapidly regaining his former health.

On and after Jan. 1st, 1897, there will be 5 per cent. added to all taxes unpaid. Those who yet have taxes not paid will do well to call on Collector Fred Chase and pay the same and save a nickel on a dollar.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lewis, formerly of this place, but now of Ithaca, N. Y., are visiting relatives in town.

Meetings will continue all this week (except Saturday night) at both the Baptist and Methodist churches.

Janitor E. L. Watkins was a caller to the "Electric City" yesterday.

Mrs. A. J. Gilmore was shopping in the city Monday.

Prof. George Trassus, wife and children, of Pottsville, are visiting the holiday week with E. S. Hinds.

Rev. C. E. Van Woert, of Nicholson, will assist Rev. H. H. Wilbur in the revival work at the M. E. church this week.

Six degrees below zero yesterday morning was the average register here on and after Jan. 1st, 1897, the D. L. & W. railroad company will prohibit the free transportation of individual milk cans or cans going to the employes of the railroad. This will materially effect one of the largest milk dealers in this place as heretofore the milk for employes will be shipped to Scranton in bulk and then put into individual cans, incurring considerable more expense to the shippers as well as to the consumer as the shipper will have to get more for his milk. Four or five hundred individual cans have been coming into the depot at Scranton every morning and often trains had to be held on account of them. The company has decided that it has grown to be a nuisance and has concluded to stop it.

TAYLOR.

By a peculiar coincidence four houses were destroyed by fire in Old Forge at about 10:30 a. m. yesterday morning. The fire company of this town quickly responded, but when the firemen reached the scene the fire was bursting through the roofs, and by that time the buildings were completely destroyed. The fire started in the hotel owned by James Smith. The loss will be about \$4,000, most of which is covered by insurance.

Mrs. Reese, of Priceburg, visited friends and relatives in this town on Sunday.

The board of health will hold a meeting on Wednesday evening at the office of the burgess.

The Independent Social club will conduct their regular weekly social this evening at Weber's rink.

JERMYN AND MAYFIELD

On New Year's evening the parish hall will be formally opened to the congregation of Sacred Heart church.

The pastor, Rev. M. E. Lynott, deserves a great deal of credit for the interest which he has taken in the improvement of the hall. They have now a reading and recitation room, which is unexcelled by any in the valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Soly spent the latter part of the week with the latter's parents at Forest City.

Bert Dix called on friends in town yesterday.

Professor Stevens, Joseph Tennis and Thomas Douthwaite played with the Gilroy orchestra at the Archbald opera house last night.

George Tennis and Frank Giles spent Saturday in Scranton.

Rev. Mr. Fessenden, rector of St. James church, spent part of yesterday in Scranton.

John Carey made a business trip to Moscow yesterday.

Miss Emma Scott spent Sunday in Scranton, the guest of her sister, and while there attended the Christmas exercises at Elm Park church, and is loud in her praises of the music.

The following were installed as officers of Aurora lodge, No. 523, Free and Accepted Masons, on Saturday evening by Past Master S. D. Davis: Isaac Mendleson, worthy master; C. August Battenberg, senior warden; Frank Hemelright, junior warden; Calvin Vall, treasurer; S. D. Davis, secretary.

The appointed officers will be announced at the next meeting.

Stephen Whitmore will start this morning to draw the lumber to Crystal Lake for the erection of cottages at that place. William P. Bray is assisting him.

Mr. Eugene Goodrich, of South Gilson, and Miss Dunn, of Forest City, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Dunn, on Main street.

Jesse Snyder and daughter, of North Main street, are quite sick with diphtheria.

The Misses May Pongelly and May Kilpatrick, of Carbondale, were callers in town yesterday.

Albert Crane and sister, of Carbondale, called on friends in town last evening.

The young people both of Jermyrn and Carbondale are enjoying the excellent skating on the new reservoir near Rushbrook road. They are taking advantage of it now as the ice dealers will soon be gathering their harvest.

The society of this and surrounding towns are out on the quilt-vive for all arrangements for the Crystal fire company's grand ball on New Year's eve, are now complete. Every detail has been carefully arranged, and all that remains to be done, is for the invited guests to turn out en-masse, and enjoy the good time, and things prepared for them by the committee.

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The Mayfield school board will meet this evening. Considerable business will be transacted.

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"The Fast Mail" was presented at the Father Mathew opera house last evening before a fair sized audience.

Mrs. John O'Malley returned home yesterday from a visit in Pittston.

Excelsior hose company, No. 1, will hold a social in the Club of '95 hall Friday evening, January 8.

Rev. Peter Roberts returned home

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opinion is that Priceburg is the only town he now could content himself in. James G. Nicholson has accepted a position with the Traction company and will be the best paid in the city.

Miss Libbie Henwood, of Second street, spent the Sabbath with the Misses LaRue, of Carbondale.

On Christmas day four of our young men thought they would like to have their photos taken together so having got the best price offered by the photographer decided the price was very reasonable and went and sat for their pictures. But alas when they came to settle for them they were charged an extra 25 cents and they were at loss to know the cause of the advance and upon their finding that the extra charge was made for photographing a ball that grew upon one of the quartette. The interesting part of it is the fact that the owner of the ball refuses to pay the extra charge while the others cannot see the reasonableness of their paying for it and unless Sam can see it in the light of the other view it must be content with being assessed to help pay for photographing of the ball that grew on Sam's face.

Richard Friend, who has been visiting friends at Como, returned home Sunday evening.

At the evening service in the M. E. church Sunday evening the sacrament of the Lord's supper was administered by Presiding Elder Thorpe who also delivered an appropriate sermon. Pastor Gendall officiated in like capacity at the evening service.

Patrick Mullin, who left here thirteen months ago for Pittsburg, is visiting his parents on Lackawanna avenue.

Watch night services will be held at the M. E. church Thursday evening. The services will commence at 8:30 p. m. The program of the evening's services will be conducted by the Epworth League and at 10 p. m. a sermon by the pastor. All are cordially invited to be present.

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