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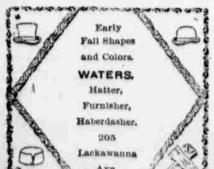
BEFORE BREAKFAST. !!!

A Scranton girl has returned from her summer outing with a number of trophies in the shape of spoons "collected" from hotels, steamers, yachts, swell Pullman cars, and other points on her tour. They are frankly displayed and are the object of much envy among her friends. You needn't look so shocked; she isn't any worse than a Scranton man who brought home "souvenirs" in the shape of brass candlesticks and sundries from old French, England and Weish inns. His feminine friends and relatives were unaffectedly delighted to receive them as gifts, and they display their ill-gotten gains with much pride, although the purloiner made no secret of the way in which they were acquired. He reasoned that the innkeepers charged him for candles and things that he didn't use, so he had to reimburse himself in some manner.

He was a peach vender and he had big voice and a big load of peaches, yesterday afternoon, warranted "large, solid yellow Delaware peaches." sold a great many baskets on the 'Hill," and a great many housewives, in examining their purchase after his departure, decided that he had "sold" as many women as baskets of fruit. The bottom of each receptacle was well filled with peaches the size of olives.

It wasn't long until there was an unusual spectacle in that locality. Several of the buyers were discovered streaking down the avenue in search of their bunco man. On the way they decided to be foxy in their approach and not tell him the real errand upon which they were bent, but lead him to believe that they wanted more fruit. So one woman went on ahead and he returned to her house with alacrity. Then the others gathered about and volubly explained their grievance and demanded their money. The man looked a little scared, but he was pretty against Sunday ball players of the brave after all, for after considering same place was postponed from 10 the matter a moment he remarked: "Nit, I don't give no money back on a Wednesday, it's bad luck; couldn't think of it, but—" as they began to alleged violations of the Blue laws, but berate him for a fraud, he hastened to only three were present for the hearing add, "Tell you what I'll do. I'll swop baskets with every one of ye," which he did forthwith, pouring out the contents and proving that he really had some honest merchandise. Then he went off muttering: "Derned if I'd 'a thought it! Catch me comin' up among the swells again. Stingy as p'ison!"

There were some women not designed by Providence to ride a bicycle, if a



short skirt must be part of the combination. For such, however, a boon seems to have been devised in the tall tan boots, nicely padded in the correct place, which can now be bought. The only worse thing than wearing the clumsy cloth overgaiters or leggings, which button over the shoes, is not to wear them, but to appear on a wheel in low ties and stockings which are often scarcely modest. The pretty, laced boot, coming well to the knee, is the only sensible and attractive footgear for the wheelwoman's wear,

A small Mulberry street girl, all gay in her prettiest frock, was asked where she was going last Sunday. "Why, to the Second Presbyterian church, of course," she answered, with dignity 'I'm going to hear Dr. Nichols preach He's the man that advertised me. Evidently the rites of baptism and success in business were slightly mixed in her little head.

PERSONAL.

Miss Mamie and Annie Stanton have re-Misses Ida and Victoria Gruener have returned from Hartford, Conn. Mrs. Spencer and daughter, Miss

of Pine street, are home from As-Superintendent George Howell is in Wilkes-Barre today lecturing at the teachers' institute,

Judge P. P. Smith has gone to the Thou-sand Islands for rest and recreation until the fall session of the Superior court. Rev. F. W. Whippen, of All Souls' Universalist church, has returned from his vacation outing and services will be reumed next Sunday.

Thomas B. Howe has returned from Colorado. C. S. Seamans, who was with Mr. Howe in the west, will not return to Scranton for several weeks.

DUNNING'S MEN WILL MARCH.

Employes of the Street Commission. ers' Department Are Appreciative. To show their appreciation of the successful efforts of the Central Labor union in giving them the benefits of the eight hour law, the employes of the street commissioner's department will turn out in a body in the Labor Day parade, next Monday, International Journeymen Horse shoers union, No. 78, of Scranton, met last evening in A. O. U. W. hall to make arrangements for participating in the parade. The union was decided to have a big representation in line, and to complete arrangements. Another meeting will be held next Saturday night at 334 Penn avenue at 8

The parade will start at 1.30 o'clock p. m., and not 10.30 o'clock a. m., as erroneously stated. The first division will form on Linden street, right resting on Mifflin avenue. The second division will form on Mifflin avenue, right resting on Linden street. The line of march will be up Linden to Wyo ming to Spruce to Franklin to Lack-awanna to the bridge, countermarch to Washington to Pine to Quincey to Laurel Hill park.

RAILROADERS WILL PICNIC.

Y. M. C. A., Railroad Branch, Will Go

to Heart Lake Sept. 7. The members of the Railroad depart-Montrose branch of the Delaware, denominations here. Lackawanna and Western railroad, on Tuesday, Sept. 7. It will be a complimembers of the association and their

game between the married men, capraces, for which prizes have been of-

The generosity of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western management has made it possible for the Railroad department to offer this treat to its members. The committee in charge of the outing are Frank Bryant, W. G. Young, D. J. Whiteford, George M, Hallstead, C. W. Dunn, Adam Frounfelker, E. T. Swartz, Frank Reif and F. D. Glover.

FUNERAL OF DANIEL SILKMAN.

Laid at Rest Yesterday in Forest Hill Cemetery.

The funeral of the late Daniel Silk man was attended yesterday afternoon from the family residence, 2059 North Main avenue. The large throng of mourners and sympathizing friends contained many of the city's most prominent men.

The services were conducted by Rev. William Edgar, of the Methodist Episcopal church. Music was furnished by a quartette.

The pall-bearers were selected from Mr. Silkman's business associates, They were: Ambrose Mulley, J. T. Nyart, Henry Hurlburt, G. W. Griffin and William Love. The remains were then conveyed to

Forest Hill cemetery, where they were laid to rest beside those of his wife.

SUNDAY BALL PLAYING.

Olyphant Clergyman Are Trying to Prevent Sabbath Games.

The case of Olyphart ministers o'clock yesterday morning to next Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Two games are scheduled for next

Sunday, but the clergymen say they will stop them if possible.

At the Lyceum. Tomorrow evening at the Lyceum the "Twin Saints" will be presented by the self same company that will launch it on its New York run after its preliminary road tour. The organization is said to be the most expensive that will leave New York this season.

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BISHOP RULISON DIES IN GERMANY

Notice of His Demise Reaches Bethiebem from Manheim.

VISIT ABROAD INEFFECTUAL

Short Sketch of the Noted Protestant Episcopal Churchman Who Went to Europe in Search of Health Only to Expire on Foreign Soil -- He Was Well Known in Scranton, Where He day's Wilkes-Barre Times. Had Hosts of Friends.

Word was received in this city yesterday that the Right Rev. Nelson Somerville Rulison, D. D., bishop of Central Pennsylvania, died in the morning, after a brief illness, at Manheim, Germany. Bishop Rulison had been indisposed for several months and by the action and desire of the diocesan convention, held in June last, he was given leave of absence for six | nue, lying on a heap of stones, half

ing disposition and was well liked by his men. Most of his leisure time was spent with his family.

He was a veteran of the late war, a private in Company G, Third regiment, Pennsylvania Volunteers. He was 52 years old last April. He is surviyed by his wife and one son, Arthur, weighmaster at No. 5, Delaware and Hudson He had also three sisters and two brothers living. The sisters are Mrs. E. R. Peckens, of Plymouth; Mrs. P. D. Wambold and Mrs. B. F. Fillmore, of Scranton. The brothers are located

The funeral will be held Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Rev. O. L. Severson will officiate and interment will be made in Forty Fort cemetery.-Yester-

MYSTERIOUS ASSAULT.

Duffy Says He Was Waylaid by an

Unknown Man. A young man on his way to his homon West Market street, late Friday night, heard groans coming from the foot of the embankment near the Mary street intersection and climbing down discovered John Duffy, of Kiser ave-



RT. REV. NELSON SOMERVILLE RULISON, Bishop of the Protestant Episcopal Diocese of Central Pennsylvania, Who Died at Manheim, Germany, Yesterday.

months for restoration to health. Accompanied by one of his daughters, he sailed for Europe on July 27, and has een under treatment at Manheim. frequent visits to Scranton during the past fifteen years, both

as bishop and as assistant to the venerable Bishop Howe, who died a few years ago, were always occasions of welcome from the several Episcopal ment of the Young Men's Christian as- parishes and missions in this city. He sociation and their families will enjoy had many hundreds of warm friends a day's outing at Heart lake, on the

An Associted Press dispatch from Bethlehem last night confirmed the nentary affair, no tickets being sold, earlier reports of Bishop Rulison's and the attendance will be limited to death received by prominent Episcopalians in this city.

The dead bishop was born at Carth-Most of the railroad people will take age, N. Y., in 1843. He graduated at their lunch baskets and picnic in the the General seminary in 1866, and held beautiful woods surrounding the lake. rectorships at Morris, N. Y.; Jersey In the morning there will be a base ball City and Cleveland. In 1885 he was elected assistant bishop of the Centained by Conductor George Froun- tral Pennsylvania diocese of the Profelker, and the single men, under the testant Episcopal church and four leadership of Frank Reif, of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western car of the diocese. The church of the Nashops. In the afternoon there will be tivity, in South Bethlehem, was made his pro-cathedral a few years ago, when the bishop took up his episcopal residence there.

Bishop Rulison was president of the board of trustees of Lehigh university and of the library committee. He is survived by four daughters, Mrs. C. P. Coleman, Mrs. Rev. Dr. Elwood Worcester, of Philadelphia; Miss C. Constance Rulison, a student at Bryn Mawr college, and Miss Edith Rulison. His body will be brought to this country for interment.

CARPET MILL FOR SCRANTON.

One Proposed -- Will Be Considered by Board of Trade.

A carpet manufacturing concern wants to establish a mill in this city. A meeting to consider the matter will be held this evening by the manufac turers' committee of the board of trade. Secretary Atherton, of the board of trade, has already carried the negotiations through the preliminary stages, but the question of free site and other matters will now have to be considered by the committee.

NEW LATE MAIL.

Letters for Lebigh Valley and Southern Points to Leave at 11 p. m.

A recent change in railway timetables now enables the Scranton postoffice to lispatch a mail for Philadelphia, lower Lehigh valley points and southern cites as late as eleven o'clock p. m. on week days. The evening street letter box col-

ections for the Green Ridge, Providence, Hyde Park, Cedar avenue and Sanderson Hill setions of the city will be in time for this new late mail.

DROPPED DEAD AT PLYMOUTH.

James Atherton Suddenly Expires Last Evening Near His Home. Last evening James A. Atherton, outside foreman at No. 4 Delaware and

Hudson mine, dropped dead on the sidewalk in front of his residence. Mr. Atherton has been ill for the past month and yesterday was the first day that he worked. After eating his sup-per he started down town for some medicine. He had walked but a little distance when he reeled and fell to the sidewalk directly in front of his residence on Willow street. Owen Morgan and William D. Lewis saw him and rushed to his assistance. He was carried into the house and a physician and 802 Mears Building, Scranton, was summoned. He had, however, expired before Dr. Whitney arrived. The physician pronounced death due to apo-

Mr. Atherton was a well-known citizen of Plymouth. He had been foreman for the Delaware and Hudson company for the past fifteen years. First as foreman at No. 4, then transferred to old No. 5. When old No. 5 was abandoned he was transferred to No. 5 and during his recent illness he was again transferred to his old post at No. 4. He was of a retir- oming avenue.

unconscious and badly bruised and cut. Duffy, according to the story he told when he recovered, was set upon by five men about an hour previous and knocked over the embankment with a stone. He does not know his assailants and can't explain why he was assaulted. His injuries, except for a bad contusion on the knee, are not of a serious nature.

WAS HE AN EX-SCRANTONIAN?

a Theatrical Manager Stabs Her Alleged Rival.

According to an Associated Press dispatch from Chicago, Mrs. Fran-Middleton, the wife of George Middleton, a theatrical manager, stabbed Belle Carmen, a variety actress, perhaps fatally. Jealousy was cared for at the hospital. Cusick lives the cause assigned.

George Middleton was associated with George E. Davis, now proprietor of Davis' theatre, in the management of the old Wonderland theatre and museum. It is not known whether or not the identity of the Chicago Middleton and the ex-Scrantonian Middleton are

L. A. W. WILL PROSECUTE. Bicyclist Who Ran Down Mrs. Healey

Is to Be Punished. The League American Wheelmen, through its local consul, R. J. Beamish, will prosecute at law the case of Mrs. John Healey, who was run down and injured by a bicyclist at the corner of Washington avenue and Olive street,

This will be the first case of the kind rosecuted by League officials in Scranton, Mrs. Healey is still suffering from her injuries. She has been attended by Drs. Burge and Kearney.

BURIED IN A TRENCH.

Workman Was Caught in a Fall of Earth and Injured.

Michael Hepulla, of Dunmore, a la orer, had a narrow escape from death by being caught in a fall of earth in a sewer trench on South Washington avenue yesterday. The earth pinioned Kepulla, who was

buried up to his neck. He was extri-cated by fellow-workmen after ten minutes of rapid work, and was taken to the Lackawanna hospital in an ambulance. His arm was sprained and his body bruised.

Marriage Licenses.

Thomas Williams and Jennie Evans, of Scranton; Louis Fritz and Sarah Ann Bussert, of Clifton; John W. Bennett and Gussert, of Children, John Katle Brody, of Carbondale; George T. Pendered, of Jermyn, and Gertrude A. Powell, of Scranton; Alfred Powell and Margaret J. Davis, of Scranton, were yes-terday granted marriage licenses.

The Tarrytown Widow.

Whe Lyceum will have a noteworthy attraction next Saturday, September 4th, when "The Tarrytown Widow" will be produced. The play is of the farce comedy order and was one of the notable successes of last season.

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TRICK OF HIS OWN

He Fooled the Police to Escape Impending Punishment.

PLAYED POSSUM FOR FIVE HOURS

He Snapped a Revolver at Special Officer Harry Courtright in Raymond Court and When Arrested Dropped as if Seneseless -- At the Hospital His Attempt to Escape Was Frustrated -- Sent to the County Jail to Await Trial.

For ways that are dark and tricks that are vain John Scaldema, the man who attempted to shoot Special Officer Harry Courtright in Raymond court Tuesday night, may be safely matched against Bret Harte's heathen Chinee. He was sent to the county jail yesterday in default of \$500 bail by Mayor Bailey, but it was only the watchful eye of an orderly at the Lackawanna hospital which gave his honor the chance to umpire the case at all.

When Scaldema fell to the sidewalk on Penn avenue as he saw the star on Patrolman McMullen's chest and was taken in the patrol wagon to the Lackawanna hospital the man was playing one big game of bluff.

ably knew that the offense was a se breathed regularly and showed no unusual haste.

The mystery was explained when a ew hours after the doctors had left Scaldema, an orderly happening to look at the fellow's bed saw Scaldema lift his head and peer cautiously about the darkened room. The only light was from the ante rooms and these threw shadow on the orderly, while Scaldema was in plain sight.

Several times during the night the man with the patent-medicine name attempted to escape, but the orderly was by his side at all times. At 5 o'clock a. m., as if tired of playing possum, Scaldema sat up and askêd for something to eat.

police station and given the very proper kind of medicine-a berth at the county

AT MOSES TAYLOR HOSPITAL.

M. T. Raudenbush, aged 42 years, of 1122 Mulberry street, a fireman on the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western, was taken to the hospital yesterday, suffering from slight injuries, John Cusick, aged 31 years, a miner in the Oxford mine, was suddenly taken ill while at work yesterday. He was

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Scaldema snapped a revolver twice at Courtright, and once leveled his gun at the hero of many a tilt at law Ferdinando Arrigoni. Scaldema probvere one so with remarkable cleverness he feigned unconsciousness. The police remembering of one Washington Davis were only too glad to cart Scal-dema to the hospital. He was placed in a bed in the main room but the physicians could find nothing about him on which to administer. Scaldema

MYSTERY EXPLAINED.

The man after satisfying himself that here was no one in the room, carefully and slowly moved one foot from under the bed-clothes and then the other. He was about to step upon the floor when the orderly sprang to him and by main force threw him back into the bed. Scaldema at once relapsed into his fake unconsciousness.

At 8 o'clock he was taken to the

Two Accident Cases Were Received There Yesterday.

on South Seventh street.

DIED FROM HIS INJURIES.

Anthony Goldrick, was injured by a fall of roof at William A. colliery, Duryea, yesterday, and died a few hours after he had been taken to the Lackawanna hospital. The man's legs were fractured and

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