

Lackawanna County.

CARBONDALE.

The Carbondale correspondence of The Tribune has been placed in the hands of Mr. C. R. Munn, Salem avenue and Church street, to whom news items may be addressed. All complaints as to irregular delivery, etc., should be made to W. T. Roberts, news agent.

AFTER "GIBRALTER."

Substantial Step Toward Razing the Hump—Other Court Notes. Court yesterday appointed Louis Gramer, John Booth and Henry Carter as viewers to assess benefits and damages that will accrue from grading Salem avenue, between Terrace and Wyoming streets. The spot in question is the famous "Gibraltar" that has occupied so much time in councils and attention from the public. The viewers will meet Jan. 29 at the decision of interest to our people were handed down by court. An order was given that the last report of viewers relative to widening Duffy street be restored and City Solicitor Watrous immediately made a motion that judgments be entered against all persons on the street who had been adjudged benefits by the improvement.

The rule to compel Jasper Vail to support his father was discharged. The court refused the request of the Traction company for a new trial in the case recently decided in favor of Miss Gilmartin for injuries received. The report of the Sixth avenue viewers, Messrs. George Giles, C. O. Melton and J. P. Reynolds, esq., was confirmed nisi.

DEATHS.

Patrick Flannery Succumbs to Grip. Prof. Cornell's Mother Dies.

Patrick Flannery, a well-known resident of Sand street, passed away yesterday. Death was due to la grippe, with which he had been suffering for a little more than a week. Deceased was born in the parish of Scriven, County Sligo, Ireland, fifty-six years ago, and came to Carbondale during the year 1862. He was married twenty-three years ago to Miss Mary Purcell and she, with one son, Joseph, survives him. He leaves two sisters, Mrs. Mary McLaughlin, of Broadway, and Mrs. George Mortimer, of Pittston. Mr. Flannery was a quiet, industrious citizen, who had the esteem of many acquaintances. The funeral will be held on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The last services will be celebrated in St. Rose church, and interment will be made in St. Rose cemetery.

Professor J. F. Crowell was called to Sherburne, N. Y., yesterday by the death of his mother. She was nearly eighty years old. The funeral will occur today.

NEW CENTURY CLUB.

The new Century club met at the home of Mrs. G. S. Kimball yesterday afternoon between the hours of 3 and 4 o'clock. Mrs. H. C. Wheeler read an interesting paper on "American Orators." Mrs. Charles Lee gave a dissertation on "Slavery," and Miss Alice Butler delivered a popular paper on "Magazine Review." All the subjects were ably treated, and much valuable information was imparted.

PURELY PERSONAL.

Misses Branch, Slavson and Guinart, who expected to return to Port Jervis yesterday, prolonged their visit a day. A farewell dance was given in their honor last evening by a select few. The charming young ladies have made many friends here, who will gladly welcome them on their next visit. During their stay they have been entertained by Misses Helen Shields and Grace Munroe. Mrs. R. Marville is entertaining her daughter, Mrs. David Zoley, of the Greater New York.

Misses Mame and Lizzie Donnelly, of Honesdale, are spending a few days at the home of John Gilroy, of Fairview street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Frank, of Gilbert street, are entertaining the former's sister, Miss Emma Frank, of Scranton.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Ely have returned from a visit at Brockton, Pa.

Miss Emma McLaughlin returned home from Providence yesterday.

Miss Marion Crane returned to New York yesterday to resume her art studies.

Fred. Moses, of Wilkes-Barre; H. B. Singer, esq., of New York City; and Henry B. Moses, of Scranton, spent Sunday at the home of S. Singer, on South Main street.

Mrs. T. J. McTigue and children, of

Expert bicyclists have already succeeded in riding a single wheel, or unicycle, for short distances. In years to come the unicycle may become as common as a mode of locomotion.

Only a few years ago people would have laughed at the idea that all the world could be carried on wheels.

It is not in mechanics alone that the world is making rapid progress. Not many years ago all physicians pronounced consumption an incurable disease. To-day a large proportion of people recognize that it is a distinctly curable disease. Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures 90 per cent. of all cases of consumption. It has stood the test for thirty years. Thousands of people who were given up by their doctors, and had lost all hope owe their lives to this marvelous remedy. It acts directly on the lungs, driving out all impurities and disease germs. It restores the appetite, corrects all disorders of the digestion, strengthens the weak stomach, makes the assimilation of the food perfect, purifies the blood and tones the nerves. It is the great blood-maker and flesh-builder. It does not make flabby flesh like cod liver oil, but the firm, muscular tissue of absolute health. An honest dealer will not offer you an inferior substitute for the sake of a little added profit.

Miss Mary Whymore, of East Dickinson, Franklin Co., N. Y., writes: "For nearly ten months I have had a bad cough and incessant getting better, it grew worse. I was said to have consumption. I tried Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and when the second bottle was empty I had no cough and was cured."

Good temper is largely a matter of good health. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation. They are so light and speedy, and once taken do not have to be taken again. They never "pull" or "draw" the bowels. They are a gentle cathartic. Use little "Pellets" in a gentle grip. Despatch, set them.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets.

Hotel American, Scranton, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Clime.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Berryman, of Onondaga, have taken up their residence on South Main street, this city.

Mrs. Menzo Williams, of Scranton, is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. H. C. Wheeler, of this city.

Among those from this city who attended the Ingersoll lecture in Scranton last evening are Dr. H. C. Wheeler, J. B. Hoyt and C. R. Munn.

LOCALS.

The Grand opera house will remain dark until Jan. 15, when the legitimate Irish comedian, William Barry, appears.

The Christmas offering at St. Rose church amounted to \$1,383.10.

One of Dr. Shields' horses indulged in a little run this afternoon. He came to a halt on the corner of Main street, and made his way to the barn on John street, without doing any damage.

The park commissioners will meet in the mayor's office, Thursday evening at 7 o'clock, to hear the annual report of the secretary before it is submitted to council.

The funeral of Miss Mary Doak took place at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon and was very largely attended. Rev. Charles Lee conducted the services at the house. The pallbearers were: George Spauld, Thomas Vannan, Jr., T. E. May, R. H. Reynolds, Thomas Herbert, N. F. Stephens. Interment was made in Maplewood cemetery.

It has just been announced that Thomas Thomas and Miss Laura Cornell, of this city, were married at Windsor, N. Y., New Year.

Several changes were made in the Delaware and Hudson offices on North Main street yesterday. Among others the dispatchers go to the office formerly occupied by trainmaster McMullen, and Engineer Mason took up quarters in the old library room.

"Eight Bells" played to an immense audience at the Grand last evening. Several new features which have been added to their very entertaining performance, enhanced the pleasure of the audience.

Select council met in regular session last evening. A list of routine business was attended to.

ARCHBOLD.

The Knights of Father Mathew, at their regular meeting Sunday afternoon, elected the following officers: President, Thomas Swift; vice president, Thomas Kieley; financial secretary, P. J. Kearney; treasurer, L. J. Flynn; sergeant-at-arms, John Gilgalton, jr.; captain, P. J. McAndrew.

"The New England Home" will be presented at the Father Mathew Opera house Thursday evening, Jan. 6.

Miss Nellie Moffitt, of South Scranton, was a visitor in town Saturday.

Judge Alfred Ehlson, the poet-judge of Indiana, will lecture in the Father Mathew Opera house Thursday evening, Jan. 13, for the benefit of the school library.

The fall of St. Thomas' congregation, which has held since Christmas closed last evening to reopen Monday evening, Jan. 10. Last evening the Catholic Mutual Benefit association and the Hose company attended the fair in a body. Monday evening the Knights of Father Mathew will attend in a body.

On Friday night at 10:30 o'clock the dwelling house of Constable J. R. McHale, of the East Side, was destroyed by fire. An alarm was given as soon as the fire was discovered, and the Hose company promptly responded. The deep snow and the distance of the fire from the hose caused unusual delay so the firemen were obliged to exert themselves to save the adjoining property. This they succeeded in doing. Mr. McHale's loss will be heavy. In addition to the loss nearly all his furniture and some money were burned. The house was insured for a small amount. The cause of the fire is not known.

There is a slight improvement in the condition of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Carolan, who have been sick for several days.

The funeral of the late Timothy Kelly, of Railroad street, took place on Saturday afternoon. The remains were taken to St. Thomas' church, where services were held by Rev. T. J. Comerford. The body was followed to the cemetery by a large number of people. The honorary pall-bearers were: James O'Rourke, Thomas Maye, B. H. O'Hara, Richard Kieley, Thomas Kieley and Patrick O'Rourke. The active pallbearers were: Patrick Moran, James Gilroy, Anthony Gillespie, Thomas Finemery, Patrick Kelly and Patrick Maye. The flower-bearer was William Hunt. A solemn high mass was celebrated in St. Thomas' church yesterday morning at 8:30 o'clock.

Mr. Devin, an aged lady who lived for a long time on Pine street, in this borough, died at the Blakey Poor Farm on Saturday, and was buried in St. Thomas' cemetery yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Durkin was the mother of Thomas Durkin, who is now at Danville.

Miss Lydia Barrett, of Scranton, spent Sunday with friends here.

Saturday evening a sleigh load comprising Misses Jennie, Mary and Mollie Williams, Alice Fryer, Ada Wallace, Annie Indian and Letitia Winters, Messrs. Wallace, Pratt, Harris, Williams, Fryer and Williams, enjoyed the sleighing to Archbald, where they stopped at the home of William Klees, where games were indulged in and refreshments were served.

OLYPHANT.

The funeral of Mrs. John Penman, whose death occurred on Sunday evening, will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence on Susquehanna street. Rev. B. F. Hammond, pastor of the Presbyterian church, will conduct the services. Interment will be made in Union cemetery. Mrs. Penman was one of the pioneer residents of this town, having come here with her parents from Edinburgh, Scotland, over thirty-five years ago. Her maiden name was Ellen Pettigrew. She was a woman of many admirable qualities and had many friends. A husband and three children survive her. They are: Mrs. W. Watkins, Miss Jennie Penman and John Penman.

The fair of the C. Y. M. T. A. and B. society, which has been in progress for some time, closed Saturday evening, but will reopen again next Thursday evening.

Grant Padrick has returned home, after a week's visit with friends at Honesdale.

Miss Mary McGinness, of Scranton, is visiting relatives here.

Miss Lucy Farrell, who has been spending the past week at Dunmore, has returned home.

Miss Anne Lynch, of New York, who

has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Shields, has returned home.

James J. Lynch is seriously ill at his home on Delaware street.

Misses Anna and Mary Dougher, of Wilkes-Barre, are visiting their aunt, Mrs. John O'Malley, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wheeler and John Quinn, of Voca, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Lally, of Lackawanna street.

The choir and altar boys of St. Patrick's church enjoyed a sleighride to Carbondale last evening.

Two sleighloads of young people from Bellevue and one from Avoca enjoyed a ride to this place last evening. They stopped at the Mahon House, where supper was served.

TAYLOR NEWS.

The Jr. O. U. A. M. Social Sessions, News Notes and Personal Matters.

The Junior Order United American Mechanics are congratulating themselves on Friday night's entertainment and reception. The occasion was an impromptu affair. The members resolved to see the old year out and the new year in, and right well did they succeed. It seemed that for the time being they had cast aside all business vexations and had turned down all past differences. This social session was inaugurated at 10 o'clock, at the conclusion of business hours, and when the excited conductor, John Francis, sounded the gavel, everybody present responded. It was not necessary to announce the nature of the occasion, the chairman and his assistants blew the clarion notes and then came the responses. Space will not permit of details, but the selection of the Junior Order United American Mechanics' quartette ought to go on record as one of their best efforts. All members then partook of refreshments, after which they talked out the old year and smoked in the new.

James Cleary, of Scranton, was here on business yesterday.

The different churches in this borough are holding a week's service of prayer this week, commencing Monday, Jan. 3.

Thomas Powell, of the Second ward, is making an active canvass for high constable. Mr. Powell has been on the police force ever since it originated, and has always upheld the office with honor.

Miss Susie Moses, of the Beech, is visiting her parents in this place.

The Taylor Choral union will meet this evening at the residence of the secretary of the Welsh Congregational church to share the proceeds of the Christmas extended at this meeting. It will also be decided whether they will enter the competition at Providence on March 17.

The Ladies' Aid society, No. 18, American Protestant association, will meet this evening in Reese's hall.

Miss Sarah Samuels, of Scranton, was the guest of her mother in this place on Sunday.

The Delaware, Lackawanna and Western paymaster made his monthly visit to the Archbald colliery yesterday.

Charles Lenthold, a popular young man of this place, has launched into the laundry business. He is connected with the Model Laundry company, of Scranton. Charlie is very pleasant and accommodating, and deserves the patronage of every one in this line.

The funeral of Mabel, the bright and interesting child of Mr. and Mrs. Griffith T. Davis, of Greenwood, whose death was mentioned in this department yesterday, occurred yesterday afternoon. Services were held at the house.

The fine sleighing of yesterday was taken advantage of by many motorists. The merry jingle of the bells could be heard continuously during the day.

Thomas Elias, who has been confined to his home in North Taylor by sickness, is now convalescing.

David Hopkins, of Hyde Park, was a Taylor visitor yesterday.

PRICEBERG.

John Wesley castle, No. 39, Knights of the Golden Eagle, elected the following officers for the ensuing six months term at their meeting on Friday evening: Past Chief, John D. Bray; noble chief, Matthew Haurex; vice chief, W. J. Oliver; high priest, William Weir; venerable hermit, Benjamin Williams; master of records, James Marston; clerk of exchequer, John Sovaika; keeper of exchequer, George Cooper; Sir Herald, Edward Jackson; trustees, John Bosh and Eli Cox, representative to the grand castle, Benjamin Jarvis. These officers will be installed on Friday night, Jan. 7, 1898, at 8 o'clock. The installation will be public. Tickets, 15 cents. Doors open at 7:30 p. m.

At a meeting of the teachers of the Primitive Methodist Sunday school, on Sunday last, the following officers were elected for the coming year: Superintendent, Ed. Jones; clerk, W. T. Perrie; secretary, Francis Moore; assistant secretary, William Wilson; treasurer, W. R. Wilson; librarian, Frank Perrie; assistant librarian, John Moore; organist, Ed. Jones; assistant organist, Alice Hawkins.

George Robinson, of Yatesville, spent New Year's day with his sister, Mrs. Thomas Palmer, of Dundaff street.

Miss Clara Barrett is ill.

Mrs. Edward Owens and Mrs. David Owens were in Scranton yesterday.

JERMINS.

John B. Griffiths left yesterday for Wesleyan university to resume his studies, after spending the holidays at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas M. Griffiths, on Fourth street.

Thomas Jones, of Mayfield, is improving after a severe attack of pneumonia.

All the churches in town commenced last evening to observe, as usual, the first week of the year in prayer.

Mrs. George Hetchings, of Mayfield, is able to be about, having recovered from her recent illness.

The team of the Odd Fellows lodge will meet at 7:30 this evening for practice.

Mr. Thomas E. Griffiths, of Main street, made a business trip to Carbondale yesterday.

James Maxwell, of Carbondale, who took charge of the George hotel last Friday, moved his household goods here yesterday.

Messrs. Frank Pugh, John Franklin and Isaac Isaacs, of Mayfield, were on business in Poughkeepsie yesterday.

A pigeon shooting match was held on the East Side Saturday afternoon. A good sum of money changed hands.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Patten, of Olyphant, spent New Year's with Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Hubbard, at the Powder Mills.

Misses Sarah Mullen, Cora Davis, Carrie Murry and Annie McCarthy, who have been spending the holidays with their parents here, returned to Poughkeepsie State Normal school yesterday.

The following are those who were delegates to the Catholic Temperance

convention on Sunday last at Davier Hill, St. Patrick's, Carbondale: M. J. McDonald, Thomas Quinn, Thomas Cummings, Thomas McDonald and John Walsh; St. Aloysius, Jermyn, Frank McCafferty, P. T. Kilker, George Gannon, Andrew Meehan and John Burke; St. Rose, of Carbondale, John Kelly, Richard Kilpatrick, James Fiegan, P. M. Campbell and Eli Beers; Knights of Father Mathew, of Archbald, W. T. Cummings, Michael Neary, Thomas Collins, Michael Kelly and John Durkin and Thomas Finney, St. Rose, of Carbondale, John Kolben, Thomas Devaney, William Mulloy, John Kignallon, John Meekan; St. James, of Jessup, M. P. Mirry, B. E. Fegan, M. A. Lawler, John Condy and H. B. Lawler; St. Rose Ladies, of Carbondale, Mrs. J. Reardon, Mrs. E. Kelly, Ellen Haney, Lavinia and Nora Mooney. The St. Rose Ladies' society, of Carbondale, invited the convention to hold their next meeting in the Knights of Father Mathew hall at Carbondale, on the first Sunday of April. Following programs were rendered: Piano solo, Mr. Patrick Murray; recitation, A. Meehan; piano solo, Patrick Murray. No further business, the convention closed.

Miss Ida Carter and Miss May Hendon were visiting in Carbondale yesterday.

A VEGETARIAN RESTAURANT.

How Vegetables Are Neglected in the Ordinary Eating Houses.

From the New York Tribune.

Boy over a vegetarian restaurant in Boston will by no means be confined to vegetarians. If it is established according to the announcement and is successful it will confer benefits on the whole body of suffering humanity which is compelled to obtain its daily nourishment at the tables of restaurants and hotels. Boston is a center of light and learning, given to the work of education, and it is fitting that from Boston should come a practical demonstration to restaurant managers of the beauty and holiness of well-cooked vegetables.

To the restaurant chef the cooking of meats comes by nature, but not so the cooking of vegetables, even potatoes. The large, well-known superior market generally make the steaks and roasts of the restaurant superior to those of the average private family, but the vegetable, even in the restaurants of the better class, are generally a delusion and a snare. If they are not the cooking is inferior and the other process of association makes them all taste alike. The potatoes are mostly soggy boiled or saavy mashed, the corn and peas are overripe and overdone and may be properly described as "fodder." The egg plant is cooked in the tin and squash is misplaced and no one can tell them apart. The number of vegetables is generally few, the variety of cooking slight, and being commonly regarded as side dishes used to fill up the menu, they are carelessly prepared, and, once cooked, are kept indefinitely in a steamer waiting service.

What is wanted is an object lesson in vegetables which will educate the public taste and force restaurant-keepers to make the most, instead of the least, of the important class of food products. This can best be done by an establishment which serves nothing else. Under such circumstances it will be compelled to give its patrons the largest possible choice of vegetable products and prepare them in the most varied and attractive manner. If restaurant patrons once learn what good vegetables are and where to obtain them they will not be content to eat the masses often put before them elsewhere, and restaurants will be compelled to respond to the new demand for a vegetable menu which will do well to carry out their plan. One does not need to accept their doctrine as a whole to admit that American eat too large a proportion of meat. This is largely because vegetables are not made attractive. The restaurant upon which a vegetarian is a tempter. If the Boston enterprise can spread the demand for better cooked vegetables it will convert numbers into partial followers, and perhaps do more good than by making converts who give up all animal food.

271,560 Miles on a Street Car.

From the St. Louis Republic.

Mike Dooley, a St. Louis car driver, has traveled 271,560 miles in thirty-one years, all on one street. Practically his entire working life has been passed in this way.

Next day's absence because of sickness constitutes the only interruption in his monotonous career on the front platform.

For one other day he was laid off because he was caught smoking a cigar while on duty.

For White Haven, Hazleton, Pottsville, and Philadelphia; and for Sunbury, Harrisburg, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington and Pittsburgh and the West.

3.12 p. m., daily, for Sunbury, Harrisburg, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington, and Pittsburgh and the West.

5.00 p. m., week days, for Hazleton and Pottsville.

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For White Haven, Hazleton, Pottsville, and principal points in the coal region via D. & H. R. R., 6:45, 7:50 a. m., 12:05, 2:25, 4:41 p. m.

For Bethlehem, Easton, Reading, Harrisburg and principal intermediate stations via D. & H. R. R., 6:45, 7:50 a. m., 12:05, 1:25, 2:25, 4:41 (Black Diamond Express), 11:30 p. m.

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Our Bargain Tables are loaded with quick sellers at one-half to one-quarter their worth, and are being rapidly picked up by the hundreds of seekers of good bargains who throng our store daily.

Ladies' and Men's 25c Polish, two Bottles for a Quarter. Boy's and Ladies' Best Arctics.....83c Men's Arctics, best.....\$1.09 Misses' Best Arctics.....66c Men's Mining Shoes.....1.09 Child's Best Arctics.....49c Men's Mining Boots.....1.79 Ladies' Rubber Boots.....98c Men's Rubber Boots.....1.79 Men's Heavy Leggings, for warm wear, 49 cents.

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