

# 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 communications to its regular delivery, etc., should be made to W. T. Roberts, news agent.

### ONE INTO BUSINESS.

Frederick Topping, who retired from the foremanship of the Delaware and Hudson weeking gang, this morning purchased the market of V. V. Fuller on North Church street and will take charge at once. Mr. Fuller has done a rushing business since he opened the store about a year ago and Mr. Topping will doubtless hold the trade and add many new customers. Mr. Fuller informs us that he has imbibed the gold fever and will start for the Klondike on the first of April.

### PRETTY MISS MASON ENGAGED.

An article has been going the newspaper rounds announcing the engagement of Miss Adelaide Mason and Charles Dana Burrows, a nephew of Speaker Reed. Miss Mason played with her mother, Manola Mason, in this city, Christmas, and was considered one of the most beautiful stage beauties ever seen in Carbondale. She is 17, has been on the stage less than a year, and is a daughter of Henry Mould, a wealthy iron manufacturer of Pittsburg, from whom her mother was divorced several years ago.

### CHARMING ENTERTAINMENT.

A charming entertainment was given last evening in the lecture room of the Presbyterian church at 8 o'clock. The following programme was rendered: Instrumental duet, Misses Corby and Copeland; rainbow of flowers; violin duet, Mr. Crane, Professor Thomas; Japanese drill; the family album, life portraits.

### SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Superintendent of the gas works, John Moon, is confined to his home on Belmont street, by illness. Mr. and Mrs. George Fowler, of Gilbert street, spent yesterday with friends in Scranton. Misses Emma McLaughlin and Julia Gerrity, attended the funeral of Martin Carey in Scranton yesterday. Edward Frisbie, of Wilkes-Barre, is visiting in this city. Mrs. U. S. Whinnott and Mrs. Byron Peck have returned from a two weeks' visit with Philadelphia friends. Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Harrison have issued invitations to a birthday party in honor of their little son, Donald's, birthday. The event will occur on Thursday of this week from 2 to 6 in the afternoon. One of the brilliant social affairs of the season will be the pre-lenten social of the Crescent club which will be held in the Burke building on Feb. 21. The young men will have no detail unattended to make the event a pleasant one.

### JERMYN.

Steps were taken yesterday afternoon to try and reveal the whereabouts of Eddie Cordier, who left his home on the 6th of September last in company with six other boys whose names are as follows: Julian Sanford, Jacob Miller, Willie Mainard, David Sanford, Edward Forkel and Ernest Brown. George Cordier, the father of the missing boy, swore out a warrant for the arrest of the boys for concealing the whereabouts of the whereabouts of his boy. The case came up before Judge Helmes yesterday and a large number of witnesses were heard. Jacob Miller was the first witness to testify and he said that on the above date he and the boys were at the lake, and he urged Cordier to go home with him, but the other boys refused to let him go. On cross-examination by Attorney H. D. Cary the evidence was considered incapable. Mrs. Baker was the next witness called and she swore that she and the boys were in the direction of Chaplin lake on the above date, and that on the 11th of the same month the boy Brown confessed that he could go to the spot where the boy was within an hour and that he would never return home to his parents alive. Mrs. Shedd was the next called and she said that she was at the Baker house at the time of the conversation between the parties and no such conversation passed between them. She also swore that the boy had not gone farther than the barn that afternoon. The case closed as it commenced, a mystery.

George Hennehan and sister, Miss Annie Hennehan, of Peckville, spent Sunday with friends here. The funeral of Charles, the 2-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gavin, took place from their home on Second street yesterday afternoon. It was very largely attended. Interment was made in Archbold cemetery. There was a citizens' caucus at the Edmonds and Snyder's hall, first ward, last evening, when the following candidates were nominated: School director, William Merritt; councilman, Timothy Martin; assessor, Edwin Timmerman; judge of election, John Mason; inspector, T. F. Martin. There was a Republican caucus in the Edmonds' hall, Mayfield, last evening, when the following were nominated: Councilman, 3 years, James Hardesty and Theodore Wachna; councilman, one year, William Edmonds; school directors, Lafayette Matthews and M. J. Cavanaugh; tax collector, John McGarry; poor directors, Henry Reeves and D. J. Williams; judge of election, Harry Langman; inspector, Peter Corby.

### OLYPHANT.

Yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock a pretty wedding was celebrated in St. Patrick's church, when Mr. John C. Grier, of Carbondale, was united in marriage to Miss Elizabeth Healey, daughter of William Healey, of Dunmore street. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. P. Jordan, a cousin of the bride. The ushers were Messrs. Martin White, Thomas McGrath, of Archbold; Thomas Grier, of Carbondale, and William Healey, who performed their duties in a most satisfactory manner. The strains of the wedding march announced the coming of the bride party, which arrived punctually at the hour appointed for the ceremony. The bride's gown was of rich cadet blue cloth, trimmed with lace. She also wore black velvet hat with plumes which completed a most stylish costume. Annie Healey was similarly dressed. The groomsmen were James Grier, a brother of the groom. After the ceremony a reception was held at the bride's home at

which only relatives of the contracting parties were present. They were remembered by many beautiful presents. Mr. and Mrs. Grier left on a late train for a brief tour to Boston, Albany and New York. On their return they will reside in Pittston, where Mr. Grier is engaged in business.

A large number of people attended the entertainment and social held in the Presbyterian church last evening. The programme presented was participated in by some of the best local talent. After the entertainment a social time was enjoyed by those present.

Miss Agnes Williamson is visiting relatives at Wilkes-Barre this week.

Miss Lizzie Farrell, who has been spending the past week at Park Place, returned home Monday.

George Benton, of Carbondale, was a visitor in town yesterday.

A caucus of the Citizens party of the Fourth ward was held last night at the Fourth Ward House. The meeting was called by James C. McAndrew, elected chairman. The nominations made were as follows: Council, Henry Shaw; school director, James J. O'Malley, esq.; assessor, George G. Webb; judge of election, John McFischnuck; inspector, Patrick McLarin.

The indications are that Eddy Creek colliery will resume operations in about a week, after a month's idleness, owing to repairs.

The Lyphant base ball club will hold a social in the Club of '95 hall, Friday night.

Miss Barbara Davis, of West Scranton, is the guest of Miss Alice Patten, of Delaware street.

Charles Hohan has accepted a position with the West Side laundry.

### ARCHBOLD.

The marriage of Miss Mary A. Kennedy to Mr. A. J. McAndrew was celebrated at 9:30 o'clock yesterday morning. The ceremony was performed in St. Thomas' church by the pastor, Rev. T. J. Conover. The bride was attended by Miss Mary Bond. She was dressed in brown broadcloth with pearl trimmings and hat to match. She carried a beautiful ivory-bound prayer-book. The bridesmaid also wore brown broadcloth with pearl and carried a bouquet of Miss Mary Bond. The groom was attended by his brother, Captain P. C. McAndrew, and they wore the customary black. The ceremony over, a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride on Laurel street, to several relatives and intimate friends, and at 11:30 the wedded couple set out on a wedding tour which will include a trip to Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington and other places of interest. On their return they will live in a cosy house on Laurel street. The wedded couple are well and very favorably known. The groom is an energetic and progressive young man who is held in the highest esteem by all who know him. Mrs. McAndrew is an estimable young lady who will prove a fit companion for her worthy husband. They begin wedded life with the good will of everybody.

Four Director E. A. Jones has gone to Erie on business.

Miss Catherine Sullivan, of Washington, N. J., is the guest of Miss Mary Foote, of Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. William Brown and Miss Katie McNeil attended the Grier-Healy wedding at Archbold yesterday.

### WAVERTY.

At the citizens' caucus held at the band room last Saturday night to place in nomination candidates to be voted for at the coming election, it was decided to place two tickets in the field. The following were chosen: School directors to serve three years, Dr. N. C. Mackey, John Hall, George E. Stevenson, J. P. Sherman. For two years term, A. E. Cowles, Lester Stone, Com. W. D. Spencer, C. A. Mahoney, Assessor, E. H. Bailey and D. L. Doty, Auditor, George Steegs, Harry B. Miller, Poor director, George Perry and Simon Hieseker, Judge of election, A. D. Dean, J. H. Balkins, Inspector of election, John Perry and W. G. Leason. High constable, Ed. Keys and Oliver Smalley.

Samuel Whaling, who has been seriously ill, is convalescing.

Thomas B. Smith has returned from a week's visit with relatives and friends at Wilkes-Barre.

The regular services which have been held alternately at the Methodist Episcopal and Baptist churches for the last two weeks are being very successful. Attendance is very large every night. Prayer meetings are held every afternoon at 3 o'clock. The services are closed every evening at 7:30. A great many new converts are made. Services will be held this week at the Methodist church, and alternately for an indefinite period, Rev. A. Bergen Broome, of the Baptist church, and Rev. J. H. Estamer, of the Methodist Episcopal church, officiating, assisted by Rev. A. Reynolds, Rev. J. W. Brown, and Rev. John Cavanaugh, of the Free Methodist church.

### A STEAMBOAT CAPTAIN.

His Long Experience with Dangers Seen and Unseen.

The life of a steamboat captain is fraught with many dangers. Exposed to climates of all sorts, irregular and broken sleep, and every night, standing at his post of danger in storm and sunshine, cold and heat, regardless of himself; such a one is Evan E. Twomey, of Eminence, Ind., for many years a steamboat captain. During all these years of exposure he has kept himself sound, active and in splendid health. How did he do it? He says: "Whenever I take a little cold a few doses of Pe-ru-na sets me all right. Pe-ru-na has been a great help to me. I always keep it on hand." Prevention is better than cure. So great is his gratitude to Dr. Hartman for the benefit that Pe-ru-na has done him through his many years of battle with the elements that he says at the close of one of his letters to the Doctor: "I trust that God will bless you in blessing the people with good health." Thousands of such letters are received by the Doctor. Pe-ru-na is a specific for catarrh, coughs, colds, influenza and all other febrile diseases.

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## TAYLOR NEWS.

The Animatroscope Coming - The Board of Trade to Meet - Personal News.

The next extraordinary attraction to be placed before the Taylor public will be presented at the Calvary Baptist church on Saturday evening, Jan. 29, when the famous animatroscope will be shown, accompanied by music, musical sketches, etc. Don't miss it. Admission, reserved seats 35 cents; adults, 25 cents; children under 12, 15 cents.

Taylor lodge, No. 462, Knights of Pythias, will meet this evening in Reese's hall.

This evening our prosperous board of trade will meet in its rooms in the Price Library hall, on Main street. The committees on streets, light and banquet, have encouraging reports to make. The manufacturing committee also has cheering news. This meeting will be one of much importance. There is no reason why every citizen should not be present at this meeting.

Morgan Harris, of Scranton, circulated among friends here on Monday.

This evening the Junior Baptist union of the Calvary Baptist church will meet, instead of Saturday evening. This union is progressing rapidly and is becoming the strongest union of children in this town. Rev. Dr. H. H. Harris is their instructor.

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### PRICEBURG.

J. W. Houser is confined to his home by sickness.

Miss Susie Harris, of Moscow, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David T. Harris, of Union street.

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

Mrs. Edmond Carter, who has been confined to her home by sickness, is rapidly recovering from her illness.

Miss Leah Evans, of North Main street, is slightly indisposed.

This evening Miss Susie Davis, the accomplished daughter of ex-Councilman and Mrs. Thomas M. Davies, and George Evans, a popular young man, will be united in marriage. Rev. Ivor Thomas will officiate.

William Kennedy, of Lincoln street, was a visitor in Scranton, Monday.

Special meetings will commence in the Primitive Methodist church this evening. Mrs. Catlin, an evangelist, will commence a series of meetings on Sunday, Feb. 6.

Fred Smith died yesterday morning at his home on Lincoln street. Deceased was the son of the well-known farmer, W. H. Smith, of Dickson. He is survived by his wife and one child, and his parents.

A jolly crowd tendered Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Simms their party Saturday evening at their home on Carmalt street. An enjoyable time was had by all present, when refreshments were served. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Albert Simms, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Simms, Mr. and Mrs. Edith Haney, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Revels, Mr. and Mrs. James Langan, Mrs. David Chapman, Mrs. Edward Wilson, Mrs. Thomas Palmer, Mrs. Mary Wilson, Mrs. Robert Davis, William Bway, John Revels, Eli Box, Edward Simpler, B. T. Snyder, Albert Dunn, Eliza Daw, Maggie Simms, Alice Dunn, Hattie Revels and Mrs. Joseph Fossil, of Sibley.

Mrs. Thomas Cook, of Williams-town, who has been spending the holidays with her parents, returned home during the week.

### OLD FORGE.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Brick church will meet on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Jacob Adams.

Rev. Joseph Santee, of Dalton, occupied the pulpit at the Brick church on Sunday evening.

A large number of friends and relatives gathered at the home of Mr. James Rolls on Friday evening to celebrate the birthday of Mr. Rolls.

The last quarterly meeting of the year will be held in the Brick church next Sunday evening, Jan. 30. Love feast at 9:30; preaching by Rev. J. G. Eckman at 10:30, followed by the sacrament.

Mr. George Innes has moved his family into the house recently vacated by Mr. William H. Fox. Mr. Innes' Malena Atherton, of West Pittston, is visiting at the home of Mr. M. V. Stark.

Mr. C. W. Broadhead, of Montrose, visited at the home of his parents on Monday.

## AN OPEN LETTER

From Miss Sachner, of Columbus, O., to Ailing Women.

To all women who are ill - It affords me great pleasure to tell you of the benefit I have derived from taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I can hardly find words to express my gratitude for the boon given to suffering women in that excellent remedy. Before taking the Compound I was thin, nervous, and I was troubled with leucorrhoea, and my menstrual periods were very irregular. I tried three physicians and gradually grew worse. About a year ago I was advised by a friend to try Mrs. Pinkham's Sanative Wash and Vegetable Compound, which I did. After using three bottles of the Vegetable Compound and one package of Sanative Wash, I am now enjoying better health than I ever did, and attribute the same to your wonderful remedies. I cannot find words to express what a Godsend they have been to me.

Whenever I begin to feel nervous and ill, I know I have a never-failing physician at hand. It would afford me pleasure to know that my words had directed some suffering sister to health and strength through those most excellent remedies. - Miss MARY SACHNER, 343 1/2 E. Rich St., Columbus, O.

on the right of the room. There he found a glass of milk and a huge sandwich of raisins and butter which he proceeded to devour while listening to the Colonel's oration. Between bites and sips he would peer around the corner of the projecting door to keep track of the speaker. Just before reaching the climax of his effort Ingersoll happened to look in that direction, his eyes caught Harlan in the act of introducing the last slice of sandwich in his capacious mouth and standing ready to wash it down with the last drink of milk, and he stopped short. The sight was too much for him. He forgot what he intended saying and broke out in a snicker.

Harlan wiped his lips and returned to his seat with dignified composure.

TRIUMPH OF LOVE IN ART.

A Story of How Love Produced a Masterpiece.

From the Humanitarian.

A century since, in the north of Europe, stood an old cathedral, upon one of the arches of which was a sculptured face of wondrous beauty. It was long hidden, until one day, the sun's light, striking through a slanted window, revealed its matches features. And ever after, year by year, upon the days when for a brief hour it was thus illuminated, crowds came and waited eagerly to catch but a glimpse of that face. It had a strange history. When the cathedral was being built an old man, broken with the weight of years and cares, came and besought the architect to let him work upon it. Out of pity for his age, but fearful lest his failing sight and trembling touch might mar some fair design, the master set him to work in the shadows of the vaulted roof.

One day they found the old man asleep in death, the tools of his craft laid in order beside him, the cunning of his right hand gone, his face returned to this other marvelous face which he had wrought there—the face of one whom he had loved and lost in his early manhood. And when the artists and sculptors and workmen from all parts of the cathedral came and looked upon that face they said: "This is the grandest work of all; love wrought this!"

His Wife's Credulity.

"Mary," said Mr. Bancks to his wife as he went out with his friend after supper, "if I were you I wouldn't let the children play out much later."

"Why, John it's not going to rain, is it?" asked Mrs. Bancks thoughtfully. "No. But this is the season of the year

## GERMANY'S DEVELOPMENT.

From an Inconsiderable European Nation in 1870 It Has Advanced to One of the First Magnitudes.

From the Philadelphia North American.

Nothing is more remarkable in the history of Europe during the last quarter of a century than the financial, commercial and industrial development of Germany. In 1870, when the war with France broke out, Germany was a relatively poor country, whose population of some forty million persons was chiefly engaged in agricultural pursuits, and of whose inconsiderable exportations foodstuffs formed by far the largest proportion. The fruits of its enormous triumph over France gave it the impetus which started it upon the path of progress and prosperity, which it has since followed with such an astonishing measure of success. When, in May, 1871, the treaty of peace between France and Germany was consummated at Versailles, France became bound to pay to the Berlin government a war indemnity of \$1,000,000,000 in gold.

Princess Bismarck's proposition had been that France would not be able for a long time to raise so large a sum, and that in doing so her financial resources would be so thoroughly exhausted as to reduce her to a condition of national impotence. His intention, as expressed in his own language, was to bleed the conquered country to the white, and he thought he was doing it. But he had underestimated the capacity of the peasant stocking. The indemnity was paid with an ease and promptitude which amazed the world, and with the treasure thus acquired Germany started upon the new career which since then has carried her so far. With the French milliards in its treasury the government was able to check a great expansion of industry for the reformation of the currency. The silver thaler as the unit of value was abandoned, the gold standard was established, and the first step toward a period of prosperous growth which scarcely has a parallel in the history of nations had been taken.

Only our own experience during the decade of 1880-1890 can be compared to the experience of Germany since the close of the war with France. Within that time the German population has increased from 40,000,000 to 52,000,000, an astonishing growth when it is remembered that it has taken place in spite of an enormous emigration which the authorities have vainly sought to check; while the expansion of industrial and commercial activity is shown in the circumstance that whereas in 1882 42 per cent of the German population lived by farming, the percentage now is only a little over 36. So complete is the revolution that, from being a cereal exporting country, Germany now imports foodstuffs to the amount of about \$100,000,000 every year in excess of its exportations.

The immense industrial expansion thus indicated has been accompanied and largely stimulated by like expansion of finance. The Deutsch bank of Berlin, founded in 1870 with a capital of \$3,500,000, has steadily enlarged the scope of its operations until, with more than 1,300 employees and a capital of more than \$2,000,000 and an annual business of considerably over \$1,000,000,000, it has become one of the great banking institutions of the world. It is the most conspicuous example of German financial progress, but it is not the only one. There has been a parallel advance all along the line, and the accumulation of savings which is going on is reflected in the immense development of life insurance, as indicated by the growth in the assets of the life insurance companies, which now aggregate \$2,000,000,000.

For some time Germany has been England's most dangerous competitor in the markets of the world, but France and England have heretofore held well to the front in finance. It seems that there also Germany is already pressing them hard.

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when the mountain lion and the bold eagle are about and they might carry the children off."

"That's so," said the wife earnestly. "I read only yesterday of a case of a child that was carried off by an eagle, but that was in Italy."

"It doesn't make any difference where it happened; it might just as well have been here. Eagles fly too high for the naked eye to discern them until they swoop down, and then it is too late."

"But what is your object? Why do you want to believe in such stuff?"

"I'll tell you if you'll promise not to give it any longer as my wife believes those stories, she'll believe mine when I'm detained in town until the cars have stopped running. She'll believe it," said the husband thoughtfully. "I see,"—Chicago Times-Herald.

## CATARRH OF THE STOMACH.

A Pleasant Simple, but Effective Cure.

Catarrh of the stomach has long been considered the next thing to incurable. The usual symptoms are a full or bloating sensation after eating, accompanied sometimes with sour or waterbrash, a formation of gases, causing pressure on the heart and lungs and difficult breathing; headache, flake appetite, nervousness and a general played out, languid feeling.

There is often a foul taste in the mouth, coated tongue, and if the interior of the stomach could be seen it would show a slimy, inflamed condition.

The cure for this common and obstinate trouble is found in a treatment which causes the food to be readily, thoroughly digested before it has a time to ferment and irritate the delicate mucous surfaces of the stomach.

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According to Dr. Harlanson the safest and best treatment is to use after each meal a tablet, composed of Diastase, Aseptic Pepsin, a little Nux, Gold-seal and fruit acids.

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