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PERSONAL.

Sheriff Martin, of Wilkes-Barre, was in the city yesterday.

Miss Hortense Coyne, of Adams avenue, is home from a five weeks' visit in Baltimore.

Reese E. Phillips, familiarly known as "Colonel" Phillips, has been removed from his position as inside foreman at the Oxford mine to a similar position at the Pettibone mines at Kingston. Reese Lloyd, of North Main avenue, formerly inside mine foreman at the Archbald, succeeds Colonel Phillips at the Oxford mines.

A party of Scranton ladies, wives of the locomotive engineers, left this morning for New York, where they will attend a union meeting of the O. R. A. They expect to remain in the city several days. Those who went were: Mrs. Thomas Coleman, Mrs. William Yohe, Mrs. Charles Seeley, Mrs. Merritt Gardner, Mrs. John Loomis, Mrs. E. L. Barylar, Mrs. George Smith, Mrs. Roger Cox, Mrs. Charles Stephens, Mrs. Frank Pool, Mrs. Edward Hand, Mrs. George Carr, Mrs. Edward Swarts, Mrs. Charles Garigan and Mrs. J. Shiffer.

ANOTHER CHARGE MADE.

Lumber Thieves Are Now Accused of Chicken Stealing.

More trouble has come to Amos Nash, of Elmhurst, one of the men under bail on the charge of having stolen young maple trees from the timber land of the Scranton Gas and Water company. He and his brother, Thomas, were arrested yesterday for chicken stealing.

The brothers were arraigned before Alderman Howe, where they were charged by James Hall, of Elmhurst, with having stolen thirty chickens from the latter's barn last August. Amos was held in $200 bail and Thomas was committed to jail in default of bail.

Reduction in Price of Milk.

Commencing April 1st, 1898, the price of milk will be four cents per quart; skimmed milk, five cents per quart. On account of this reduction in price, a strictly cash system will be adopted on April 1st. Scranton Dairy Company.

APPOMATOX DAY IS CELEBRATED

Patriotic Exercises Under the Auspices of Camp 242, P. O. S. of A.

SPEECH BY THE STATE PRESIDENT

Mr. Colborn Interestingly Reviews the Events Leading Up to the Civil War, Describes the Great Conflict and Deals with the Surrender of Lee—Alderman Howe, Edward Haas and William Widenor Also Make Patriotic Addresses.

Appomatox Day was very appropriately celebrated by Camp 242, Patriotic Order Sons of America, at Odd Fellows' hall, Wyoming avenue, last night. Patriotic exercises made up the programme.

Invitations had been extended to the sister camps of the district and the responses were so liberal as to fill the spacious hall. Company A, Patriotic Guards, headed by Camp 430 drum corps, came over in a body from the South Side and as they marched through the city on their way to and from the hall attracted no little attention, as may be imagined, many supposing upon hearing the fifes and drums and seeing the glistening bayonets that there was a squad sent out to summon the Thirteenth together.

The most appropriate feature of the exercises at the hall was the arrangement of the speeches. There was an opening address of welcome by George Phillips, who presided, and then in succession were heard addresses on the Grand Army of the Republic by Alderman John T. Howe; on the Union Veterans' Union, by Edward Haas; on the Sons of Veterans, by William Widenor, and a summing up address by A. J. Colborn, jr., state president of the P. O. S. of A.

Mr. Colborn interestingly outlined the events that led up to the civil war, described the outbreak progress and cessation of the struggle and then treated of the results of Lee's surrender and the lessons to be drawn from the story as a whole. It was a lesson in history rather than a speech and in no mean way must have had the effect the speaker intended "to inculcate the spirit of patriotism in the young and revive it in the old."

The remainder of the programme was made up of patriotic songs by the assemblage, recitations by Charles Weber and Robert Colborn and a stereopticon exhibition by J. F. Baumeister and M. L. Wage, in which some excellent views of the battleship Maine and other vessels were shown.

At the conclusion of the exercises W. A. St. John announced that Camp 242 is organizing a company of Patriotic Guards and urged the other camps to do likewise, that a regiment might be formed and put in shape for active service from the first, if a call to arms should come. The announcement was received with ringing cheers.

The celebration was arranged and carried out by a committee consisting of M. L. Wage, Joseph F. Baumeister and W. A. St. John.

THE MISSES RINSLAND ENTERTAIN.

A Pleasant Evening Passed at Their Residence, 245 Wyoming Avenue.

It was a merry party of young people who gathered at the residence of the Misses Mary and Christie Rinsland, at 245 Wyoming avenue, last evening and tendered the young ladies a pleasant surprise. The evening was passed in the enjoyment of the diversions usual on such occasions. Vocal and instrumental selections were given by several members of the party. Dance music was furnished by Floyd Smith. Later refreshments were served by Caterer Huntington.

The guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. P. Einsland, Mrs. M. McManness, Mrs. G. R Suydam, and the Misses Gertrude and Lillian Weisenfluh, Gertrude Dawkins, Mattie Jones, Gertrude and Grace Suydam, Bessie Airey, Margaret Phillips, Winnie Stevens, Gertrude Davis, Maud Blakely, Laura Scott, Marion Powell, Blanche Dolph, Jennie Owens, Lulu Butts, Mamie Jones, Agnes Davis, Josie Davis, Elizabeth Coons, Florence Yeager, Lillian Eshlebaum and Jennie Lawrence. William Marsh, Frank Howard, Henry Williams, Dewi Williams, George Wetzling, Oscar Oswald, John Lloyd, G. Airey, Ray Fuhrman, George Dolph, Ora Evans, Thomas Williams, Nat Evans, Fred Petrie, Floyd Smith, Clarence Meyers, John Evans, Harry Adams, Charles St. John, Harry Griffin, Gus Grabble, Lester Butts, Arthur Beggs, Frank Major, S. Feinberg, Shopland and Robert Reifenberg.

TWO WELL-KNOWN WRESTLERS.

May Appear Preliminary to the Mullens-McFadden Bout.

It is possible a wrestling bout may be added to the preliminary entertainment at next Tuesday night's glove contest between McFadden and Mullens at Music hall. Negotiations are in progress for the wrestling match between a pair well known in this valley. They may wrestle for a purse and a side stake of $50 each.

The old and new styles of boxing will be seen to great advantage in the twenty rounds between Mullens and McFadden. The former is a follower of the new school. He depends on his legs, feet and body as much as upon his arms and hands and prefers to get away from a lead rather than stand and take it in hopes of making a return.

McFadden is the opposite. The guard he uses is high and close. In-fighting is his forte. In preference to tiresome leg work he follows the old method of meeting a blow with a blow. Though this style of boxing isn't much fancied nowadays, it was good enough to make a draw of the meeting between McFadden and "Spike" Sullivan.

THEY WERE RE-ARRESTED.

Alleged Assailants of Motorman Gleason Once More Held.

William Conroy, Thomas Coyne and Thaddeus Walsh, the three Minooka youths charged with aggravated assault and battery on Motorman William Gleason at Oak Hill near Moosic, Jan. 5 last, were held for court again by Alderman Millar last night.

When the case was before the last session of the grand jury, no prosecutor appeared, owing to a misunderstanding and the case was ignored at the cost of the prosecutor. The Scranton Railway company, which is the complainant in fact, was not satisfied to allow the case to thus go by default and resolved to have the trio arrested again.

They were once more arraigned before Alderman Millar and the story of the assault was gone over in detail. Gleason and Conductor Julius Languth testified.

Hon. John P. Quinnan, attorney for the defendants, contended that as the only assault committed on Gleason was the one by which he sustained the gash, and that no one, not even Gleason himself, could say who did it, there was nothing on which to hold the accused for court. P. W. Gallagher, attorney for the prosecution, argued that an assault had been committed in which all three participated and that a prima facine case having been made out, it was the duty of the alderman to submit the matter to a jury.

Alderman Millar took this view of the case and held each of the defendants in $300 bail for court. All secured bondsmen and were released.

TOWANDA BOY MISSING.

Is the Son of Arthur Head, a Court Stenographer.

The Scranton police department has received circulars describing Joseph Head, a Towanda boy, who disappeared last Thursday. He is 17 years old, a son of Arthur Head, a court stenographer, and is thought to have left home with the intention of enlisting in the army or navy.

When last seen young Head wore a dark blue suit, a red sweater, a light overcoat and a fedora hat.

ACCIDENT UNAVOIDABLE.

So Declared the Jury Sworn to Ascertain the Cause of the Death of Owen Davis.

A verdict by the coroner's jury in the Green Ridge Iron works fatality, by which Owen Davis lost his life, was reached by the coroner's jury late yesterday afternoon. It fails to fix any blame or responsibility for the accident. The verdict was as follows:

We find that the suspicious circumstances surrounding the violent death of Owen Davis, who was killed by flying debris at the Green Ridge Iron works on March 29, 1898, are such as would render an inquest necessary, and, are to wit:

That the fly wheel which burst and caused the debris was in use for twenty years; that allegations were made by reliable persons that the wheel was cracked in one of the dowells, the soundity of which was material to the safety of the wheel and the men working near it; that it was alleged that the wheel was not properly secured to the shaft; that the engine was being run at a greater speed than it could normally attain, and that this increased speed was attained by weighting the governor balls, etc., etc.

After hearing voluminous testimony from thirty-two witnesses and viewing the scene of the accident and wreck we find that the preponderence of the testimony was against the theory of criminal negligence, and we therefore find:

That the said Owen Davis came to his death by being struck by flying debris, caused by the bursting of a fly wheel in said works, and we further find that the bursting of the wheel was an accident, unforseen and unavoidable.

The jury visited the mill and made a careful and complete examination of the scene of the disaster at noon yesterday. Particular attention was given to the breaks in the big fly wheel and in the counter shafting and to the engine and other machinery.

The search was made to determine if possible the primary cause of the bursting of the fly wheel concerning which much conflicting testimony was heard.

At 4 o'clock the jury met in Coroner Longstreet's office and prepared the verdict. An unusual interest was attached to the case from the fact that the family of young Davis alleged criminal negligence on the part of the mill people. The testimony of nearly thirty witnesses was heard.

The jury were A. E. Vorhis, J. D. Keator, M. J. O'Toole, W. G. Moser, T. J. Duffy and A. T. Raynsford.

DOES NOT LIKE THE HULL BILL.

Colonel C. Bow Dougherty Writes a Letter Protesting Against It.

Colonel C. Bow Dougherty, of Wilkes-Barre, has sent to Congressman Williams, of that district, a letter protesting against the Hull bill for the reorganization of the army.

Colonel Dougherty states that the passage of the bill would be a deathblow to the National Guard and that he makes the request on behalf of his regimental officers.

"Its passage," he says, "will deprive the government in the time of war of the American volunteer who so nobly contributed during the War of the Rebellion to the saving of the nation, and it will also deprive the men who now make up the splendid organization of the National Guard of all the states of fighting for their country under officers of their own choosing. No longer can a patriot hope to rise to honor and distinction fighting for the flag of his country, as the army will be officered wholly during war times by officers of the regular army. It is contrary to the spirit of our institutions and the constitution of our country to destroy the militia."

RFQUIEM MASS AT CATHEDRAL.

Funeral of Michael J. Howley from His Late Home on Gordon Street.

From the home of his parents, on Gordon street, the funeral of Michael J. Howley took place yesterday morning. It was very largely attended.

At St. Peter's cathedral a requiem mass was celebrated by Rev. D. J. MacCloldrick and afterwards interment was made in Minooka Catholic cemetery.

New Palace Music Store.

Headquarters of the high grade Lehr Pianos and Organs, are located at 538 Spruce street, opposite court house, with F. Santee, art studio, will hold its first grand opening April 8-9. All are cordially invited. Music furnished for the occasion. J. N. Maxwell, General Agent. **

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You will find an entirely new line of art novelties, suitable for Easter and wedding gifts. **

Don't miss Waldron's Big Horse Sale today at Electric City stables. **

Violets for Easter.

Leave your order today at Clark's, Mears' building. **

BOLDLY ALLEGED ATTEMPTED FRAUD

Somewhat Sensational Defense in a Common Pleas Case.

DAVIS AGAINST CUSICK ESTATE

In Contending Against Plaintiff's Claim for Borrowed Money, It Is Charged That Suit Is a Bolstered One and That an Attempt Is Being Made to Take Unfair Advantage. Another Charge of Fraud in a Suit for a Cigar Bill.

A somewhat unusual and bold defense was offered yesterday in the trial of the case of John Davis, of Taylor, against the estate of the late Owen Cusick. It was nothing less than an unequivocal allegation of an attempt to defraud.

Mr. Cusick, in his lifetime, had extensive business dealings with Mr. Davis, each being in the undertaking business and frequently, almost daily, having occasion to rent carriages one from the other. According to the accounting at the time of Mr. Cusick's death in 1894, he was owing Mr. Davis $651.55, and this amount the heirs have offered to pay. Davis, however, claims that in addition to this there is owing to him $2,200 representing cash borrowed from him at different times by Mr. Cusick.

He has no note or receipts to show for it, but in substantiation of his claim he offered in evidence his cash book, showing the dates and amounts of the various loans, and also put witnesses on the stand who swore to having been present at various of the meetings between Mr. Cusick and Mr. Davis when the loans were negotiated and made, Andrew White, a former employe of Mr. Cusick being among them.

OUTLINE OF THE DEFENSE.

The defense began by putting on the stand A. H. Christy, cashier of the Scranton Savings bank and Trust company, who showed by reference to his books that at the various times when it is alleged Mr. Cusick secured loans from Mr. Davis he had a cash balance in the bank ranging from $1,000 to $3,000.

Next it was shown by Mrs. Cusick and Senator J. C. Vaughan, attorney for the estate, that the claims for borrowed money made to them shortly after Mr. Cusick's death differed very materially from that on which the suit is brought, Mrs. Cusick alleging that Mr. Davis stated to her that it was $1,000 Mr. Cusick had borrowed.

Lastly, it was pointed out to the jury that the entries in Mr. Davis' cash book were evidently made on the same day instead of at various times, covering a period of several years. Senator Vaughan also gave testimony to the effect that Mr. Cusick's Washington avenue property alone would cover all his liabilities and leave a balance of over $70,000.

The testimony was concluded at adjourning time. This morning the speeches of attorneys and charge of Judge Simonton will be made. S. B. Price and W. R. Lewis, of Taylor & Lewis, represent the plaintiff. O'Brien & Kelly and Hon. J. C. Vaughan are for the defense.

ANOTHER CHARGE OF FRAUD.

Another charge of fraud developed in the case of McCoy & Co., of New York, against Joseph Levy, trustee for the creditors of E. Moses, the Wyoming avenue cigar dealer.

It is alleged by the plaintiffs that Mr. Moses induced them to send him on credit a $350 shipment of cigars at a time just previous to his failure, when he knew he was insolvent.

W. H. Jessup, jr., and A. V. Bower are the plaintiff's attorneys. George S. Horn and George D. Taylor represent the defense. The case was on at adjournment.

Megargel & Connell, the wholesale grocers of this city, and G. L. Waltz, one of their customers, whose place of business is at Newfoundland, Wayne county, were the parties in a rather dry suit that took up all of Judge Archbald's day. Megargel & Connell sue on a bill for $250 for merchandise. Waltz puts in an offset of $240 for fifty tubs of butter. The plaintiffs deny that they ever received the butter, and on this contention the suit turned.

Major Everett Warren and Hon. C. P. O'Malley represented the defense, while Hon. W. W. Watson and W. S. Diehl looked after the plaintiffs' interests.

The jury in the case of Williams against the Crystal Lake Water company went out at 2 o'clock, but up to adjourning time had not reached an agreement.

Fifty-three cents was the amount of the nominal damages awarded against H. Zeiltz, the defendant in the Ransom cow case.

WANTS THE ELECTION LEGALIZED.

Taylor Man Claims to Have Been Elected Constable.

William Price, claimant of the office of constable of the Third ward of Taylor, through his attorney, James E. Watkins, obtained from court yesterday a rule on Edward Allen, who is exercising the duties of the office in question, calling upon him to show cause why the office should not be declared vacant and the petitioner, Price, appointed to the vacancy.

Price alleges that he was elected to the office at the February election, receiving eighty-seven votes to Allen's thirty-one, but the county commissioners refused to certify to his nomination, declaring that it was not according to law, and in view of this Allen refuses to give over the office.

Court will hear arguments in the case on Saturday, April 18.

EASTER SERVICES IN GRACE CHURCH.

Programme That Has Been Arranged for That Day.

The following programme will be observed at the Easter services in Grace Lutheran church next Sunday morning:

Te Deum ..... Ives
Invocation.
Gloria Patria.
Kyrie.
Gloria in Excelsis.
Hymn, "All Hail the Glorious Morn."
Hymn, "Joy to the World."
Anthem, "I Am the Resurrection," McGranahan
Baptism, reception of members and holy communion.
Hymn, "According to Thy Gracious Word."
Quartette,
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