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CONVENTION CALL. Third Legislative District. In pursuance of the provision of rule 4, section 1, of rules governing the Republican party in said district, the undersigned members of the standing committee, will meet in the arbitration court, court house, Scranton, on Saturday, April 9, 1898, at 2 p. m.

YALE GLEE AND BANJO CLUBS. The Lyceum, Tuesday, April 12. Diagram opens today. G. H. Clarke & Co. Invites everybody to their great Easter flower display, Mears' building, big stores.

NEW CITY ESTIMATES FOR THE YEAR 1898. Approved in Committee for Consideration by Councils. IMPROVEMENT ITEMS ARE SLASHED. Fourth District Sewer Item Cut from \$2,500 to \$611 and the Cumberland Hose House Item Bill Entirely Subtracted—For Asphalt Repairs an Increase of Nearly \$1,000 Was Made—Ward Street Repair Items Are Cut Over \$1,000.

The city appropriations for 1898 were definitely decided upon last night. The business was concluded after a session of nearly three hours by the joint estimates committee of the re-organized Council. The only absentee was Mr. Prable, who, with Mr. Coyne, both of the select council, are the only Democrats on the joint committee.

City Hall Department—For tiling, painting and repairing the first floor of the city hall, \$1,500 added. Increase, \$1,500. City Engineer's Department—One month's salary, \$90, deducted from salary of assistant engineer. Decrease, \$90. WARD APPROPRIATIONS CUT. Street Department—Repairs asphalt pave, from \$6,249.25 to \$10,000; ward appropriations for street repairs, Third ward, from \$85 to \$90; Seventh ward, \$50 to \$20; Eighth ward, \$48 to \$29; Fourth ward, \$12 to \$49; Eighteenth ward, \$50 to \$20. Increase, \$2,617.75.

The following new items were added: Fire alarm, Tewel and Gilbert streets, \$125; repairs, Luzerne street, \$200; new electric lights at Luke and Ash streets, Harrison and Pine streets, Webster avenue and Linden street, Genet street and Pittston avenue, Dean street and Apollo avenue, and one in the Sixth ward, \$267.75; Bromley avenue sewer repairs, \$445.98.

CITY TREASURER'S STATEMENT. Was Read at Thursday Night's Meeting of Select Council. City Treasurer Boland's financial statement for March was read as follows at Thursday night's council meeting:

Table with columns for items and amounts. Balance cash on hand March 1, \$162,685.88. Receipts: From delinquent tax collectors, \$1,997.65; From city auditor (item omitted), \$ 8.55; From street commissioner, \$7.00; Mayor's fines, \$599.00; Building permits, \$40.00; City license, \$12.00; 1897 city taxes, \$75.41; Penalty on above, \$60.17; Sewer assessments, \$22.78; Pavement assessments, \$27.50.

BRIEF SESSION OF COURT. Two Verdicts from Juries That Went Out the Previous Day. In the case of John Davis against the estate of Owen Cusick, deceased, the jury yesterday morning returned a verdict for the plaintiff in the sum of \$738.42. This is the amount that the defendant admitted was due. The claim for borrowed money, amounting

to \$2,300, was not established, according to the jury's view. A verdict for the defendant was rendered in the case of C. L. Rice against A. H. Allen, of Dunmore. No evidence was heard in the case of Roland & England against J. L. Hall, yesterday, on account of the holiday. The case, it is expected, will be finished tomorrow.

TEACHERS' INSTITUTE. Programme That Has Been Prepared by the Superintendent and Advisory Board for Next Week. The final arrangements have been completed for next week's city teachers' institute. It is the fifth annual institute and will be held in the auditorium of the High school building.

Superintendent of Schools Howell has directed all the preparatory work with the assistance of an advisory board composed of H. L. Burdick, H. L. Morgan, Anna B. Nankin, Nellie Pickett and Maggie Murphy. The committee on resolutions are J. B. Hawker, Mary A. Knapp, Sarah Williams and E. A. Crutchen.

Following are the names of some of the instructors and their departments: M. G. Brumbaugh, language, geography and history; Homer B. Sprague, literature; Kathryn Haggerty, correspondence; F. Loomis, classics; Geo. W. Phillips, high school; H. J. Hoekewerry, elocution; A. H. Wells, elementary chemistry; Mattie H. Gregg, geometry; George P. Bible, principal of the East Stroudsburg Normal school will deliver addresses on Thursday afternoon and Friday morning. The opening addresses Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock will be by President A. L. Francois, of the board of control, and A. B. Stevens. Among the vocal and other entertainers will be: No. 25, school chorus; No. 22, school chorus; Messrs. Stone, Hughes, Edwards and Owens quartette; No. 14, school chorus; Misses Rose, Vipond, Munson, Rose Niemeyer, Smith, Harris and Evans, octette; Cora M. Griffin, recitationist; No. 13, school chorus; No. 19, school chorus; Misses Lewis and Griffin, and Messrs. Edwards and Owens quartette; No. 25, school chorus, Hannah Harris, recitationist.

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ARE THOROUGHLY TRAINED. Mullens and McFadden Nearly Ready for Their Boxing Bout. Mullens and McFadden, who are to box twenty rounds next Tuesday night in Music Hall, are having the benefit of work with two of the best men in the business in their training. They ought to enter the ring in first-class shape and they undoubtedly will.

Excelsior Club Occupies Its New Quarters for the First Time. The Excelsior club had its opening smoker at its new home on North Washington avenue, Thursday night. It was a very informal affair, there being no exercises or entertainment out of the ordinary, the members simply getting together to congratulate one another on the completion of their handsome new house.

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REMAINS HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED. Man Found in McKeever's Field Case from New York.

HE REGISTERED AS A. J. PLUM. Told Night Clerk Griffin, of the St. Charles, That His Name Was Jackson, Not Plum, and That He Was a Real Estate Lawyer Doing Business in New York City—Spent Monday Night at the Arlington Hotel—New York Police Notified.

P. J. Griffin, night clerk at the St. Charles hotel, visited Price's undertaking establishment, on the West Side, last evening and identified the remains of the man found in McKeever's field at noon Thursday with a bullet hole through his head. Mr. Griffin was positive the remains were those of a man who came to the St. Charles Tuesday night and registered as A. J. Plum. He was assigned to room 42, and immediately after registering retired to his room. About 3:30 Wednesday morning he came down to the office, where Mr. Griffin and several other men were talking. He joined in the conversation, and during the course of his talk, informed Mr. Griffin that his name was Jackson, not Plum, and that he left his home in New York, with a trunk, on Monday, that was a real estate lawyer in New York, and the inference was that he arrived in this city on Monday. He said he had \$125 when he left home, but that most of it was spent there; that he had only enough left to take him home.

LEFT THE HOTEL. Before the party broke up Jackson became engaged in conversation with A. L. Dunleavy, of the South Side, and left the hotel with him, saying he would walk as far as Mr. Dunleavy's home. He did so and then started to retrace his steps to the hotel, but did not arrive there until late in the afternoon. When he was leaving the hotel he took a revolver from his pocket and giving it to Mr. Griffin asked him to keep it until he called for it. When he reappeared at the hotel in the afternoon he asked for his revolver and was told to wait until Mr. Griffin came on duty, as the clerk then acting did not know where the weapon was.

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Fall in Line. With the procession of customers to the Five Brothers tomorrow for Easter shoes. Everybody who pays "spot cash" for shoes should join the ranks. 5 Brothers open late Saturday night.

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DISASTROUS RUNAWAY. One of Col. Boies' Horses Killed and Harroche Wrecked.

A valuable horse belonging to Colonel H. M. Boies was killed, and his barouche badly wrecked in a runaway on Vine street, yesterday morning at 10 o'clock. Mrs. Boies and Miss Boies alighted from the carriage at Adams avenue to make a call and the coachman turned down Vine street to drive about while waiting for them. Turning the corner one of the horses got the bit in his teeth and could not be controlled. The other horse also took fright and off they dashed at a break-neck pace. At Washington avenue one wanted to turn to the right and the other attempted to keep straight ahead. The consequence was they took to the sidewalk and dashed into the fence surrounding Richard O'Brien's residence.

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