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THIS AND THAT.

H. B. Chamberlain, assistant general freight traffic manager of the Erie railway, announces the following appointments on the New York, Susquehanna and Western and Wilkes-Barre and Eastern railroads: James Leeming, general freight agent; Henry Adams, acting assistant general freight agent; M. W. De Wolf, general Eastern freight agent; H. C. Barlow, freight claim agent; Frank E. Smith, division freight agent; G. F. Geagan, live stock agent; George Zinn, milk freight agent; J. H. McElroy, assistant milk freight agent. Frank E. Smith is also made freight agent of the New York and New Jersey railroad, and of the Greenwood Lake division. Mr. Smith is known quite extensively among the business men of this city, having met them while he was general freight and passenger agent of the New York, Susquehanna and Western. Mr. McElroy who, under the new regime, becomes assistant milk freight agent, was formerly freight claim agent of the New York, Susquehanna and Western. It is understood that C. D. McKelvy remains as general superintendent.

Michael F. Sweeney, the champion high jumper of the world, is in the city, and will do his training at Athletic park for his exhibition on July 4. He was at Athletic park yesterday afternoon and had the ground arranged to suit him for his work. Mr. Sweeney is in excellent form this year, having cleared 6 feet 6 inches last Saturday at Trenton, N. J. He believes he can lower this record, and will probably make an attempt on the Fourth if the conditions are favorable.

Willis Howell, son of David Howell, of Martin's Creek, has been appointed by Collector T. F. Penman, of Scranton, assistant deputy internal revenue collector for this, the Third division of the Twelfth district. The duties of the deputy collector for this district, Sylvanus Weaver, who has charge of Northampton, Monroe and Pike counties, will be greatly increased by the new war tax, and it is necessary to appoint an assistant to help him levy and collect this tax.—Stroudsburg Times.

Says the Washington Post in its Camp Alger notes: "Ex-Judge W. H. Jessup, of Scranton, has provided a large supply of cheese cloth in green and orange for the men to wear in their hats to counteract the effect of the sun. This means of preventing heat prostration has been tried for some time, and is found to have the desired result."

The following members of the Thirteenth regiment arrived in this city yesterday morning on a four days' furlough: Sergeant Charles Zeidler and Corporal John James, of Company B; Corporal Edward Coons, Company D, and Private Willard Lathrope, of Company A.

School Controller T. J. Jennings has been asked to read a paper before the national convention of teachers at Washington next Month. He will decline on account of lack of time to prepare the paper, but intends being present at the sessions.

The home of Rush Wright, one of the employes of the Scranton post office, was brightened early yesterday morning by the arrival of a baby boy.

PERSONAL.

A. J. Duffy and William Hanaway spent Tuesday at Harvey's Lake.

Miss Mary Kelly, of Olive street, is visiting relatives in New York.

Mrs. Jacob Emery, of Ithaca, N. Y., is visiting Mrs. Falkner, of Linden street.

J. W. Conley, of Wyoming avenue, who has been seriously ill for the past week, is convalescent.

Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson, of Carbondale, were registered at the St. Charles hotel last night.

Attorneys Everett Warren and George S. Horn appeared before the pardon board at Harrisburg yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Archbald and daughters, Misses Augusta and Ruth, went to Cottage City yesterday.

Mrs. De Gontard, formerly of this city, more recently of Atlanta, Ga., is the guest of Mrs. M. J. Andrews, on Mulberry street.

C. J. Manley, a student at St. Michael's college, Toronto, Canada, has returned to his home in this city to spend the summer vacation.

Dr. and Mrs. George Lugemberger have returned home from their wedding tour, which included a visit to Philadelphia and New York.

Registered at the Hotel Jermyn yesterday were John Welles Hollenback, Wilkes-Barre; A. D. W. Smith and C. H. Reynolds, Kingston; Mrs. G. Hickok and Miss Hickok, Morristown, N. J.; E. R. W. Scarle, Susquehanna.

MEETING OF PAVEMENTS COMMITTEE

Property Owners of Hyde Park Avenue Had a Hearing.

The pavements committee of select council last night met and heard several property owners who object to the laying of the Hyde Park avenue pavement for much the same reasons as prevailed in connection with the proposed Providence pavement.

The ordinance for paving Hyde Park avenue between Lafayette and Division streets is now on its passage. Property owners between Jackson and Washburn street recently petitioned councils not to permit the laying of the pavement until the sewer on the avenue was enlarged or some other steps taken to increase the present sewer facilities which are undoubtedly inadequate. The sewer is only twelve inches in diameter and performs a service wholly out of proportion to its size.

It was suggested by the property owners last night that if the sewer could not be enlarged some relief might be obtained by making a connection with the Jackson street sewer.

The committee could not encourage the latter proposition as the Jackson street sewer, which empties into the Main avenue sewer, is but eight inches in diameter and is none too large to properly serve the territory dependent upon it. It does not extend to the Hyde Park avenue corner, its western terminus being thirty feet away from the latter thoroughfare.

While the pavements committee was anxious to accord the property owners every possible consideration they were unable to reach any definite conclusion last night in the absence of information from the city engineer. It is possible that he may be consulted today and a report may be made to select council tonight.

Chairman O'Boyle and Messrs. McAndrew and Williams were the members of the committee present to hear the property owners last evening.

TONIGHT'S PIANO RECITAL.

Mrs. Genevieve Baker Will Be Heard in Penn Avenue Baptist Church.

The following programme will be rendered at the piano recital to be given tonight in the Penn Avenue Baptist church by Mrs. Genevieve Baker, assisted by Miss Julia C. Allen, violinist, and Ralph D. Williams, vocalist:

Sonata Op. 79, No. 4 .....Weber
Moderato, Minuetto, Andante, Prestissimo (Tarantella).
Mrs. Baker.
(a) Oh Fair, Oh Pure and Holy....Cantor
(b) Cannot Help Loving Thee, Clayton Johns
Mr. Williams.
(a) The Lake,
(b) The Fountain .....Bennett
Mrs. Baker.
Second Adagio Pathetique .....Godard
Miss Allen.
Prelude and Fugue No. 21 .....Bach
Impromptu Op. 90 .....Schubert
Concert Mazurka .....Blumenberg
Mrs. Baker.
(a) When Love Is Gone,
(b) Two Eyes of Brown .....Hawley
Mr. Williams.
Nocturne No. 9,
Waltz No. 13 .....Chopin
Mrs. Baker.
First Caprice de Caprice .....Musin
Miss Allen.
March Militaire ..... Schubert-Tausig
Mrs. Baker.

Mrs. Baker is a pupil of Haydn Evans.

SOLDIERS' RELIEF COMMITTEE.

Regular Weekly Meeting to Be Held This Afternoon.

The regular weekly meeting of the executive committee of the Soldiers' Relief association will be held this afternoon in the board of trade rooms.

It was expected that a report from Chaplain N. F. Stahl would be on hand and from which the committee might get information of families in need. However, in response to a telegram sent him yesterday Chaplain Stahl answered that only half of the men in the regiment had replied to his inquiry as to the needs of those dependent upon them.

War. War.

Its always war in the shoe business and the store with the best bargains gets the trade. The Martin shoe stock will stir up things for a time. Opens this morning at the Five Brothers. **

ELEVEN RECRUITS FOR THE ENGINEERS

Were Secured and Sworn in Yesterday by Captain Ellicott.

HE WILL CLOSE HIS RECRUITING STATION AT NOON TODAY AND PROCEED TO EASTON—MEN WILL BE SENT THIS MORNING TO PEEKSKILL—LAST DETACHMENT OF MEN FOR THE REGULARS WAS SENT SOUTH YESTERDAY BY LIEUTENANT DENTLER.

Eleven men sworn in at the Adams avenue armory to serve in the First Volunteer corps, United States Engineers, were sent from here via the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western road yesterday morning to the mobilizing camp at Peekskill, on the Hudson.

Captain Eugene Ellicott, of Philadelphia, who is conducting the recruiting, and Dr. C. L. Ferrish, also of Philadelphia, the medical examiner, were at the armory all day yesterday and accepted twelve out of eighteen applicants. They will leave here for Peekskill via this morning's 8 o'clock Delaware, Lackawanna and Western train with a number previously accepted. The whole party will number twenty-seven. Their names follow: Arley H. Gilroy, Charles R. French, Benjamin F. Butterfield, Charles D. Eagen, James B. Machette, Samuel Emery Moyer, Joseph A. Wagner, Thomas W. John, Thomas Harris, Owen Grogan, Evan F. Davis, Patrick Siron, David W. Thomas, Wilber E. Fisher, Ephriam S. Gregory, Joseph H. Duggan, Ralph W. Hoffecker, John J. Liney, Rowland Rhodes, James J. Ryan, William H. Hunter, Henry Schoonover, John F. Davies, Adelbert E. Yorhis, Charles Felton, William H. Loughney, William E. Rafter.

CLOSES AT NOON TODAY.

Captain Ellicott proposes to close the engineer recruiting office at noon today and go to Easton. Up to noon he will be glad to receive any person of good character, intelligence and physically sound. For the engineering branch of the service extreme care is used in recruiting only moral men. Others are not wanted. The last opportunity for such to enlist from Scranton will be afforded this morning.

The last detachment of regular army recruits to go from Scranton were sent out yesterday by Lieutenant Dentler. They numbered thirty-one, and were in charge of Recruit Ignatius Nealon, an ex-member. Following are their names: Edward J. MacAndrew, Taylor; John J. Mulligan, Scranton; M. J. Burke, Dunmore; D. F. Moran, Scranton; Charles W. Evans, Factoryville; Rex Weidman, Wallsville; Owen J. Hughes, Scranton; P. B. Klaun, Priceburg; Ziba Hinds, Factoryville; Alfred Montenaro, Scranton; John M. Reynolds, Factoryville; Samuel C. Reynolds, Factoryville; Lester Wright, Forkston; H. W. Cade, Scranton; John A. Reinhardt, Taylor; L. E. Reed, Taylor; W. H. McNeal, Elmhurst; John T. Austin, Olyphant; Michael Walsh, Scranton; Walker Allen, Scranton; W. H. Bryden, Scranton; D. C. Williams, Scranton; Lawrence Murphy, Wilkes-Barre; E. A. Vanston, Scranton; Michael Phillips, White Haven; J. W. Lusk, Lycoming county; William Riddall, Dunmore; William W. Peck, Simpson; Oscar Y. Ace, Scranton; Jacob J. Yakle, Scranton.

THEY LEAVE TODAY.

Lieutenant C. E. Dentler, Sergeant George Harrington, Private Edeson I. Small and Thomas Brown, jr., of Forest City, and Robert A. Barnett, of Kearney, Neb., the two latter recruits, all comprising the recruiting detail, will leave for the south today. They will go together as far as Washington, from where the two recruits will continue to the equipping station at Fort McPherson and the others to Tampa, where their regiment, the Eleventh infantry, is stationed.

THEY TORE THE FLAG.

Three Bellevue Boys Have Got Into a Heap of Trouble.

"Injuring, removing, polluting and mutilating an United States flag" was the rather serious charge on which three Bellevue boys were yesterday arrested on a warrant issued by Alderman Millar.

The boys, Thomas Forkin, Robert Walton and Thomas Jones, from 12 to 14 years old, are accused of hauling down a flag from a pole in the yard of the Jewish church in Bellevue and tearing the colors. Fortunately for them their act was suggested by spite against the owners of the flag and not against the emblem itself or more severe punishment would await them. They pulled the flag down and tore it Sunday afternoon. E. Weiss and J. Brandt, of the congregation, are the prosecutors in the case.

Patrolmen Walsh and Feeney made the arrests. The boys' parents waived a hearing for them before Alderman Millet, who held them under $500 bail to appear at court. John C. Jones and P. J. Mahon became their bondsmen.

The charge is one of the most serious in the statutes. The act of April, 1897, provides severe punishment for the offence, which is a felony.

A LABOR YEAR BOOK.

Central Labor Union Has Authorized Its Publication.

At a recent meeting of the Central Labor union, the following resolution was adopted:

That the secretary of the Scranton Central Labor union be and is hereby instructed to publish a year book containing a complete list of all labor organizations in Scranton and vicinity, with the time and place of meeting, presidents and secretaries and their addresses; history of trades-unionism, its objects and purposes; factory laws, lien laws and all other laws of interest to the working classes of the state of Pennsylvania; also the history of the organizations affiliated with the American Federation of Labor and any other information that the American Federation, other national labor organizations or United States Commissioner of Labor Carroll D. Wright may furnish fit for publication.

AMENDMENT ALLOWED.

Bill of Particulars in the Election Contest Changed.

In the Langstaff-Kelly contest the court made an order yesterday allowing the bill of particulars to be amended by striking out a number of names.

The voters examined yesterday were from the Third district of the Nineteenth ward and first district of the Eighth. They were: Patrick Durkin, Louis Kline, Anthony Walsh, Frank Bonao, John Margotta, John Bobnal, Bert Flannigan, John P. O'Connor, Joan Walsh, David Klein, Joseph Falkowitz, John Grevy, Richard Grimes, James H. Burns, Frank O'Hara, Joseph Brier, John Bullion, Fred Dumbaugher, Edward Maloney, Roger Grimes, Frederick Kell, John Allis, Stephen Mullen, Bennie Kline, William Foley, Thomas Maloney, John Cear, John Brennen, Patrick Reap, George Kirchaff, Felice Salerno, Samuel Jerkovitz, Michael McGuire, John Langan, Owen Walsh, W. Newman, Adam Huffinen, Henry Wolfrom, Frank Wrest, Joseph Rosensway, Charles G. Levert, Andrew Conway, Adam Jinerloff, Amiel Melvin, Joseph Devers, Patrick Mulvaney, Patrick McDonnell, Thomas Susaney, James Hannon.

DEATH OF BRILLIANT HAL LEACH.

He Had Many Friends and Relations in This City.

The news which reached here yesterday of the sudden death of "Hal" Leach in San Francisco shocked many people in this city where he was born and where he lived for many years. It is but a few months since residents of Scranton called upon him during a visit to California and found him pleasantly situated and enthusiastic over his journalistic work.

Harold Leach younger son of the late Ebenezer Leach, of Providence, was born in 1856. He graduated from Wyoming seminary and studied law in Judge Willard's office, being admitted to practice in 1880. He had a remarkably fine mind and was a gifted orator. His political speeches were quoted far and wide and won much commendation. His many brilliant qualities were so well recognized that a great career seemed to await him.

He always had a fondness for newspaper work and for a time was a valued writer on several Philadelphia papers. Later he returned and took up the practice of law in F. B. Collins' office. About twelve years ago he went to San Francisco, was admitted to the bar and also did important work on the Chronicle of that city.

In Harrison's campaign he made a record for his impassioned political speeches and for his newspaper articles. Since that time he has continued his journalistic work, achieving a prominent place in the fraternity of San Francisco. One of the latest communications received from him was a newspaper containing a poem from his pen and sent to J. F. Scragg, esq. The remains will not be brought east for interment.

PLEASING SONG RECITAL.

Miss Eva Morris Gave Her Friends a Delightful Surprise.

One of the most pleasant informal recitals heard for some time in this city was that of last evening at Perry Brothers' music rooms when Miss Eva Morris delighted a discriminating audience with a brief programme of song. The young lady is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Morris, of Washington avenue, and has been studying only during the past year with Mrs. Clarence Balentine.

Her work of last evening was a surprise to many of her listeners. Her voice is a mezzo soprano, possessing an unusual quality of freshness and flexibility and blent with great sweetness. She sang DeKoven's "Lapo Maiden's Song," the dainty little "Du Bist wie eine Blume" and the "Moorish Serenade," besides other unhackeneyed selections.

The best exhibition of her proficiency was the staccato song, which showed remarkable taste and interpretation, and was a credit to her teacher's ability. A number of beautiful trios were sung by Mrs Balentine, Miss Kann and Miss Anna Rose. Among these was Mascagni's "Ave Maria" and "Post Thee," by Smart.

OLD RELIABLE GAMES.

The Caledonians to the Front for the Fourth of July.

For thirty-one years the Caledonian club, of this city, has run games here annually, and none can say that they yet failed in an agreement they made with the public. For this reason when they announce a startling attraction it can be relied upon to be as advertised. A more startling attraction was never announced in recent years than they advertise for the Driving Park on July 4. It combines all the excitement of a balloon ascension and parachute drop, together with the firing of a cannon which has for a shot the aeronaut, who afterwards descends with the parachute. The usual games, with larger prizes than ever, will be given. Remember and go to the Driving Park on the Fourth. The admission is only 25 cents.

National Educational Association Excursion--Washington, D. C.

A large party, composed of Superintendent Howell and friends, will leave for Washington, D. C., at 8 a. m. Wednesday, July 6, route Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad to Manunka Chunk and Pennsylvania railroad Pullman vestibuled coaches will be provided for their use, same to run through from Scranton to Washington without change. Fare for the round trip, $9.81. Tickets will be sold good going July 4 to 7 inclusive, good for return until July 15, or by depositing ticket with joint agent return limit may be extended until August 31. **

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TO REORGANIZE THE THIRTEENTH

Major Whitney, of Honesdale, Has Issued His Instructions.

HE IS NOW THE RANKING OFFICER OF THE REGIMENT HEREABOUTS. BATTALION ADJUTANT STRATTON HAS BEEN DIRECTED TO ORGANIZE A BATTALION IN THIS CITY. THERE WILL BE FOUR COMPANIES OF FIFTY MEN EACH—OBJECT OF THE REGIMENT.

The Thirteenth regiment of the National Guard will be reorganized.

The plans for the formation of the regiment, which, however, will be a provisional one in character to replace the old body during the war, are now under way.

Major Whitney, of Honesdale, the ranking officer of the regiment hereabouts, has notified Battalion Adjutant Stratton, of this city, to proceed at once to reorganize the old battalion in this city, which comprised Companies A, B, C and D.

A meeting will be held at the armory tonight and steps necessary to reorganization will be made.

Lieutenant Raub, of Company C, Captain James Dimmick, former commander of Company A, ex-Lieutenant Scott, of Company B, and former Sergeants Branda and Pross, of Company D, will be present at the meeting tonight and assist in the formation of the four companies. They will assume command of the companies until they are filled, and then the members will elect officers. Each company will be limited to fifty men.

Major Whitney will form a second battalion and it is stated that a company will be organized at Stroudsburg. It is also stated that the West Side military company and ex-members of company F will consolidate and form a company which will be attached to the second battalion.

In the event of another call for volunteers being made the regiment will not be volunteered, but the members can enlist individually.

RECITAL OF REEVE JONES' PUPILS.

Programme That Will Be Rendered Tonight in Perry Bros.' Store.

Reeve Jones' pupils will give a recital tonight in Perry Brothers' music store. They will be assisted by Miss Cordelia Freeman, soprano soloist. The programme is:

Piano—Sonata (op. 13) .....Beethoven
(a) Grave, Allegro, Conbrio.
(b) Hunting Song .....Mendelssohn
(c) Necette .....Bachman
Miss Lena Reichart.
Song—Selected ....Miss Cordelia Freeman
Piano—Fantasie .....Mozart
Thomas Marshall.
Piano—
(a) Etude No. 9 (op. 25) .....Chopin
(b) La Mort d'Ase.
(c) La Danse d'Anitre .....Grieg
Miss Amy Decker.
Song—Selected ....Miss Cordelia Freeman
Piano—
(a) Sonata, Adagio, Final (op. 13), Beethoven
(b) An den Fruhling .....Grieg
(c) Etude (op. 10, No. 5) .....Chopin
(d) "If I Were a Bird" .....Henselt
Miss Anna Bone.

RECITAL AT POWELL'S TONIGHT.

Programme That Will Be Rendered by Albin Korn's Pupils.

At the recital to be given tonight in Powell's music store by the pupils of Albin Korn an interesting programme will be rendered. They will be assisted by Gustave Repert, tenor. Following is the programme:

Minuet from Sonata, Op. 49....Beethoven
Mr. William Houck (blind, 11 months' instruction).
(a) Melodie, Op. 10, No. 2...Jules Massenet
(b) Corrente.....G. F. Haendel
(c) Fughetta, Op. 48, No. 3, Alex. Guilmant
Miss Katie Napka.
(a) Nocturne, Op. 50.....C. Gurlitt
(b) Graziella Waltz.....A. Schmoll
Mr. Willie States.
Danse antique (By gone days) ..Houseley
Master Charles Goebel.
Polka, for four hands, Op. 292 ..H. Engel
Polka, for 4 hands, Op. 292 .H. Engelmann
Misses M. Camin and M. Goebel.
O bitt' euch, liebe Voegelein.....Gumbert
Mr. G. Repert.
Twilight Bells..... Goerdeler
Miss Elsie Powell.
(a) Allemande .....Haendel
(b) Flittergold ..... Bohm
Miss Minnie Lange.
(a) Nocturne (On the Bay), Robert Goldbeck
(b) H. Valse.....Godard
Miss Mariam Smith.
Tarantella ..... Sherwood
Miss Mary Goebel.
The Fountain .....Bohm
Miss Mamie Camin.
Rock of Ages.....J. Bischoff
Mr. Repert.
Tarantella .....L. B. Mills
Miss Lizzie Weller.
Polish Dance.....X. Scharwenka
Miss Flora Levi.
Polacca Brillante, Op. 72 ..K. M. v. Weber
Mr. Albin Korn.

Excursion to Niagara Falls.

On July 2, 1898, the Lehigh Valley Railroad company will sell tickets from Scranton to Niagara Falls and return at rate of one fare for the round trip, limited for return to, and including July 5. Consult ticket agents for further particulars. **

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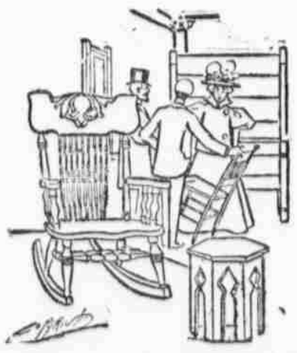

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