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PERSONAL. Judson Woolley sailed yesterday for a sojourn in Europe. Miss Jennie Weir, of Phelps street, is entertaining Mesdames J. Hicks and F. Hayden, of New York city.

July 4th, Trains to Lake Ariel. On July 4th, trains will leave Scranton for Lake Ariel at 5.00 a. m., 7.30 a. m., 8.45 a. m., 9.45 a. m., 11.00 a. m., and 1.35 p. m., 2.25 p. m., and 3.35 p. m.

HAGEN-DEPPEN NUPTIALS. Ceremony Performed in the Simpson M. E. Church. Miss Alice Francis, the talented daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac M. Deppen, of 915 Price street, was united in marriage to Frank C. Hagen, of Tenth street, yesterday at high noon.

Charles Crothall and George Holbert, of this city, Frank Remmel, of Kingston, and D. D. Parken, of West Pittston, ushered the way. Miss Lou Deppen, a sister of the bride, as maid of honor, followed and immediately afterwards the bride, leaning on her father's arm. The wedding march, a military one, was played by Professor Gross. The groom in company with the officiating clergyman, Rev. J. B. Sweet, stepping from the retiring room at the left of the altar, joined the bride at the railing where the ceremony was performed.

HAND SEEKS DIVORCE. He Alleges That His Wife Beat Him and Reviled Him in the Courtroom.

Michael Hand, the well-known brewer, yesterday began proceedings to secure a divorce from his wife, Bridget Hand. The libel in the case filed with Prothonotary Copeland would indicate that Mr. Hand is a much-abused man and that his matrimonial experience with the present Mrs. Hand has been everything but pleasant.

SWEENEY, THE HIGH JUMPER. Will Give an Exhibition at Athletic Park on July 4.

A performer who makes a standing jump of six feet six inches in the air is a wonder. Such a man is now in this city. He is M. M. Sweeney, champion high jumper of the world. He will be the star attraction of the Irish-American games at Athletic park on July 4.

NO MORE RECRUITING. Regular Army and Engineer Details Have Left the City.

For almost the first time since war was declared, recruiting in Scranton has stopped. Lieutenant Dentler and his regular army detail left yesterday at noon for Tampa, and Captain Eugene Howard and Dr. C. L. Furbush returned to Philadelphia last night after enlisting a half hundred men for the first regiment, volunteer engineers.

National Educational Association Excursion--Washington, D. C. A large party, composed of Superintendents 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 vestibule coaches will be provided for their use, same to run through from Scranton to Washington without change. Fare for the round trip, \$8.15. 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.

MR. DUNNING'S SUCCESSOR NAMED. Select Council in No Hurry to Confirm P. J. O'Boyle.

HE IS MAYOR BAILEY'S CHOICE FOR STREET COMMISSIONER BUT THE CANDIDACY OF E. A. FITZSIMMONS UPSETS THE ADMINISTRATION'S PLANS--ATTORNEY REIDY THE SCHOOL BOARD SOLICITOR. CONTINUES TO WRITE LETTERS WHICH SELECT COUNCIL IGNORE.

Several matters of import developed, as had been expected, at last night's meeting of select council, but each was disposed of with more expedition and less obstruction than was anticipated. It being close to the date on which, it was understood, Street Commissioner A. B. Dunning intended to resign, no surprise was occasioned by Mayor Bailey's communication nominating P. J. O'Boyle to succeed the present head of the street department on July 1. Mr. McAndrew moved that the nomination be considered and Mr. McCann moved to refer. President Chittenden ruled that the former motion had precedence and that the nomination would be referred by rule if the former motion did not prevail.

PROVISIONAL GUARD. Work of Organizing a Battalion for It Was Taken Up at the Armory Last Night.

There was quite a stir at the Thirtieth regiment armory on Adams avenue last night where the work of organizing a battalion for the provisional National Guard was taken up by Battalion Adjutant Stratton, who is Major Whitney's representative in this city. The major is now the ranking officer of the regiment and therefore its commander.

GAS COMPANIES UNITED. Consolidation of the Wilkes-Barre and Consumers Effected.

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

SPRINKLING ORDINANCE. The ordinance prohibiting the sprinkling of asphalt pavements and repeating any previous action inconsistent therewith was reported favorably by the committee and its passage was later moved on first reading by Mr. Sanderson. Mr. Roche opposed this action on the ground that councils had given the Dunn Sprinkling and Street Cleaning company a franchise, permitting the company to sprinkle streets paved or unpaved. The franchise, he said, was a contract and the city might make itself liable by repudiating it through the passage of the ordinance under consideration. This view was supported by Mr. Kearney.

SPRINKLING ORDINANCE. Mr. Sanderson and Mr. Lansing spoke against the practice of sprinkling asphalt during the day, claiming that it disintegrated the surface. Flushing the pavement at night, they argued, did not affect the pavement as the dirt and other substances were washed off and did not remain to be ground into grit nor did the sun act upon the dampened surface. Ammonia, they said, was generated by the action of the water and sun and rotted the surface.

STREET CLEANING BIDS. From Street Commissioner Dunning was received and filed his deductions from the pavement cleaning bids. The figures, according to the street commissioner, are as follows: W. J. Burke,

\$1,244.64 per month for cleaning and \$1,352.29 for flushing. James Kearney, \$1,548.88 for cleaning and \$1,740.00 for flushing, city to pay cost of water; Dunn Bros., \$8,500 for eight months for cleaning and \$1,200 for water.

Among the concurrent resolutions adopted were the following: Directing the removal of street railway tracks from the middle to the side of Swetland street between Main and Bromley avenues; directing the city engineer to estimate the cost of a sewer on Railroad avenue.

Ordinances passed first and second readings as follows: (Common) providing for sidewalks, curbstones, etc., on certain Ninth ward streets; (select) providing for sidewalks on Pleasant street.

As has been explained by The Tribune, Mr. Dunning's resignation is caused by the exacting duties to be required of him in promoting the Dunning Engineering and Construction company. The company is now arranging its suite of offices in the Meers building and receiving supplies with which to begin work. The opportunity afforded for a successful business venture and the attention it would require obliged Mr. Dunning to relinquish his municipal office. He will act until his successor is appointed.

MR. REIDY'S LETTER. I would respectfully call your attention to the resolution of the Scranton board of control of June 28, 1898, assigning a copy of the city assessment introduced into the select council June 23 and referred to a committee.

HUNTER WAS A RECKLESS DRIVER. At Least, That is the Allegation Made Against Him.

MINE FIRE AT PLYMOUTH. Accumulation of Gas Caused Mishap in the Parish Mine.

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CLOSING OF THE SCHOOL YEAR. Exercises Conducted by Pupils of St. Patrick's Parochial School.

THEY WERE OF AN ENTERTAINING CHARACTER AND WERE WITNESSED BY A LARGE NUMBER OF THE PARENTS AND FRIENDS OF THE SCHOLARS--PARTICULARS OF DIVERSIFIED PROGRAMME THAT WAS PRESENTED FOR THE EDIFICATION OF THE AUDIENCE.

The parents and friends of the pupils of St. Patrick's parochial school gathered in the lecture room of St. Patrick's church last evening to witness the observance of the closing exercises of the school for the termination of the twelfth and most successful year. The Sisters of the Immaculate Heart who conduct the school, were in charge and deserve great credit for the unqualified success which attended the affair.

The platform was entrancingly decorated with ferns, palms and cut flowers. Interspersed here and there in conspicuous places were the national colors, either in flag or bunting form. Upon the platform were seated Rt. Rev. Bishop Hoban, Rev. J. B. Whelan, Rector of St. Patrick's, Rev. D. A. Dunne and Rev. A. T. Broderick. The exercises throughout were patriotic in sentiment, deeply so, in fact.

There was a song by a class of girls; motion song by boys; chorus by children, and a march by Masters W. Dougher, M. Crane, M. Giblin and E. McAndrew. "Blue Bell," a juvenile operetta was nicely given by Master J. Fadden, as Blue Bell; Miss M. Gilroy, as Lily Bell, and Miss Anna Wymba and Masters F. Burke, J. McKenna and R. Lawless, as attendants.

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