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CITY NOTES.

Cards of thanks, resolutions of condolence, obituary poetry and the like will be inserted in The Tribune only when paid for in advance, at the rate of 10 cents per line.

Edward Hisingan, of Priceburg, was received at the county jail last evening committed on the charge of felonious wounding. He is 35 years old.

Arthur Reese, of Lafayette street, who sustained a broken arm three weeks ago in a mine accident, was discharged from the Moses Taylor hospital yesterday.

The Knights of Columbus of this city are invited to be present in Memorial hall, Wilkes-Barre, tonight when the council of that city will confer the first and second degrees.

There was a good sized crowd at Farview yesterday, where Bauer's band gave a concert and furnished music for dancing. The excursion train, which left the Delaware and Hudson station at 5:20 a. m., consisted of eleven coaches.

The Traders' National bank has opened for the public subscription list for the new issue of the United States government bonds. Any person desiring to subscribe for these bonds may now do so and the subscription will be handled by this bank without charge. The bonds will be issued in denominations of \$20, \$50, \$100, \$5.00 and \$10.00. The subscriptions must reach the treasury department, Washington, D. C., before Thursday, July 11. Any one desiring to subscribe should do so not later than Monday, July 11.

HAND WAS BADLY INJURED.

Willie Thomas held a Big Cracker When It Exploded.

Willie Thomas, of 911 Elm street, held a large cannon fire cracker in his hand until it exploded last night, and the thumb and forefinger were all blown off.

The Lackawanna hospital ambulance went after him. Dr. Newbury sewed up the wound. It is probable that he will have very little power in these two digits any more. He is 14 years old.

COUNTRY CLUB CELEBRATION.

There Was an Elaborate Display of Fireworks Last Night.

The Country club celebrated last evening. About 70 persons had supper at the club house and later over 200 witnessed an elaborate display of fireworks and enjoyed the music.

At 8 o'clock Bauer's band began an open-air concert which was followed by the fireworks and dancing.

FIREWORKS AT PROVIDENCE.

Display Took Place at the Store of Ambrose Muller.

The Providence section of the city was treated to a splendid display of fireworks provided by Ambrose Muller.

They were in charge of a number of his clerks and were set off from the roof of his store on Providence square.

Excursion to D. & H. R., July 4th.

Excursion to Farview at 9:30 a. m. Bauer's band will give concert with following programme:

1. March, Belford's Carnival, Alexander.
2. Overture, Hunting for Luck, Sappe.
3. Selection from Sorcerer, Herbert.
4. Medley Overture, Gay Old Time, Eyer.
5. Dance Des Odaliques, Tracy.
6. Selection, The Bride-Elect, Sousa.
7. Patrol Blue and Gray, Dalbey.
8. Overture, Stradella, Flotow.
9. Selection, The Idol's Eye, Herbert.
10. March, Raw Recruits, Delbey.
11. Star Spangled Banner.

To Riverside Park, Lanesboro, 7:30 a. m. The famous Susquehanna band, William C. Mosher, trick cyclist, merry-go-round, toboggan slides, bathing, launches and steamers on Susquehanna river.

STRANGE VISION OF WASHINGTON

The Language in Which He Related It to a Companion.

"WHILE THE STARS REMAIN AND THE HEAVENS SEND DOWN DEWS UPON THE EARTH SO LONG SHALL THE REPUBLIC LAST," ARE THE WORDS THAT WERE SPOKEN TO THE FATHER OF THIS COUNTRY. TRIALS IT MUST ENDURE.

Dr. C. W. Roberts has in his possession an ancient paper containing an alleged vision of George Washington which is especially interesting at this time. Washington is reputed to have related the details of his vision to a companion in the following language: "I do not know whether it was owing to the anxiety of my mind, or what, but this afternoon, as I was sitting at this very table engaged in preparing a dispatch, something in the apartment seemed to disturb me. Looking up, I beheld, standing exactly opposite me, a singular beautiful female. So astonished was I for I had given strict orders not to be disturbed—that was some moments before I found language to inquire the cause of her presence. A second, third and even a fourth time did I repeat the question, but received no answer from my mysterious visitor other than a slight raising of her eyes. By this time I felt a strange sensation spreading through me. I would have risen, but the riveted gaze of the being before me rendered volition impossible.

"I essayed once more to address her, but my tongue was paralyzed. A new influence, mysterious, potent, irresistible took possession of me. All I could do was to gaze steadily vacantly, at my unknown visitor. Gradually the surrounding atmosphere seemed filled with light and grew luminous. Everything about me appeared to rarify, the mysterious visitor herself becoming more airy, and yet even more distinct to my sight than before. I now began to feel as one dying, or rather to experience the sensation which I have sometimes imagined accompany dissolution. I did not think, I did not reason, I did not move; all were alike impossible. I was only conscious of gazing, fixedly, vacantly at my companion.

A STRANGE SCENE.

"Presently I heard a voice saying, 'Son of the Republic, look and learn!' while, at the same time, my visitor extended her arm and forefinger eastwardly. I now beheld a heavy white vapor at some distance, rising fold upon fold. This gradually disappeared and I looked upon a strange scene. Before me lay stretched out in one vast plain all the countries of the world, Europe, Asia, Africa and America. I saw rolling and tossing between Europe and America the billows of the Atlantic, and between Asia and America lay the Pacific. 'Son of the Republic,' said the same mysterious voice as before, 'look and learn!'

"At that moment I beheld a dark, shadowy being like an angel, standing, rather than sitting, in mid-air between Europe and America. Dipping water out of the ocean in the hollow of each hand, he sprinkled some upon America with his right hand, while he cast upon Europe some with his left. Immediately a dark mist arose from each of the continents, and joined in mid-ocean. For a while it remained stationary, and then moved slowly westward, until it enveloped America in its murky folds. Sharp flashes of lightning now gleamed throughout at intervals, and I heard the thundered groans and cries of the American people.

"A second time the angel dipped from the ocean and sprinkled as before. The dark cloud was then drawn back to the ocean, into whose bosom it sank from view. A third time I heard the mysterious voice saying, 'Son of the Republic, look and learn!'

"I cast my eyes upon America, and beheld villages, towns and cities springing up one after another, until the whole land from the Atlantic to the Pacific was dotted with them. Again I heard the mysterious voice say, 'Son of the Republic, the end of a century cometh, look and learn!'

"At this the dark, shadowy angel turned his face southward, and from Africa I saw an ill-omened specter approaching our land. It fitted slowly and heavily over every village, town and city, the inhabitants of which presently set themselves in battle array, and fought the other. As I continued looking, I saw a bright angel on whose brow rested a crown of light on which was traced the word Union, bearing the American flag, which he placed between the divided nation, and said, 'Remember ye are brethren!'

"Instantly the inhabitants, casting from their weapons, became friends once more, and united around the mysterious voice saying, 'Son of the Republic, the second peril is passed—look and learn!'

"I believe the villages, towns and cities of America increased in size and numbers, till at last they covered all the land from the Atlantic to the Pacific, and their inhabitants became as countless as the stars in Heaven, and as bold as the seashore. Again I heard the mysterious voice saying, 'Son of the Republic, the end of a century cometh—look and learn!'

SPECTER APPROACHED.

"At this, the dark, shadowy angel placed a trumpet to his mouth, and blew three distinct blasts, and taking water from the ocean sprinkled it out upon Europe, Asia and Africa.

"Then my eyes looked upon a fearful scene. From each of those countries arose thick, black clouds, which soon joined into one; and throughout the mass gleamed a dark red light, by which I saw hordes of armed men, who, moving with the cloud, marched by land and sailed by sea to America, which country was soon enveloped in the volume of the cloud. And I dimly saw these vast armies devastate the whole country, and pillage and burn the villages, cities and towns that I had beheld springing up. As my eyes listened to the thunder of cannon, clashing of swords, and the shouts and cries of the millions in mortal combat, I again heard the mysterious voice saying, 'Son of the Republic, look and learn!'

AN INTENSE LIGHT.

"Instantly a light, as from a thousand suns shone from above me, and pierced and broke into fragments the dark cloud which enveloped America. At the same time I saw the angel upon whose forehead still shone the word Union, and bore our national flag in one hand and a sword in the other, de-

scended from heaven, attended by legions of bright spirits. Those immediately joined the inhabitants of America, who I perceived were well high overcome, but who immediately taking courage, again closed up their broken ranks and renewed the battle. Again, amid the fearful noise of the conflict, I heard the mysterious voice saying, 'Son of the Republic, look and learn!'

"As the voice ceased, the shadowy angel, for the last time, dipped water from the ocean and sprinkled it upon America. Instantly the dark cloud rolled back, together with the articles it had brought, leaving the inhabitants of the land victorious. Then once more I beheld the villages, towns and cities springing up where they had been before, while the bright angel, planting the azure standard he had brought in the midst of them, cried in a loud voice to the inhabitants: 'While the stars remain and the heavens send down dew upon the earth, so long shall the Republic last!' And taking from his brow the crown, on which still blazed the word Union, he placed it upon the standard, while all the people, kneeling down, said 'Amen!'

"The scene instantly began to fade and dissolve, and I at last saw nothing but the rising curling white vapor I had first beheld. This also disappearing, I found myself once more gazing upon the mysterious visitor, in that same mysterious voice I had heard, before, said, 'Son of the Republic, what you have seen is thus interpreted: Three perils will move upon the republic. The most fearful one is the second, passing which the whole world against her. Let every child of the Republic learn to live for his God, his Land, and his Union!'

"With these words the figure vanished. I started from my seat, and felt that I had been shown the birth, progress and destiny of the Republic of the United States. In union she will have her strength, in disunion her destruction."

HIS HEART AFFECTED

Patrick McHale Died in Mt. Pleasant Ravine Early Sunday Morning. He Was 65 Years of Age.

Lying as though in a deep sleep, which was in reality the sleep of death, Patrick McHale's body was found yesterday morning about 6 o'clock by Samuel Stanford, of Fourteenth street, in the little ravine formed by two sections of the Mt. Pleasant culm dump. The spot is a rather secluded one, being about six hundred feet from Love road, which passes down from West Linden street to the river's edge, and between the police and they notified Coroner Longstreet. Owing to the meagre directions left by Stanford it was some time before the coroner, accompanied by Undertaker Raub, could locate the remains, and it was 9 o'clock before they were discovered. The remains were in a position such as would indicate that death had overtaken the man as he was sleeping. He was fully dressed, having on a negligee shirt, plain black clothes and an ordinary pair of working shoes.

Detected by the police, examined the remains and found a small memoranda book and a piece of a comb in a vest pocket. The book contained some newspaper clippings, pencil notes and a one dollar bill. Also the address of Patrick McHale, 112 Washburn street, Superintendent Sprague and Foreman Bevans, of the Mt. Pleasant mines, identified the dead man as being Mr. McHale.

The remains were removed to Undertaker Raub's establishment and a post-mortem was held by Coroner Longstreet. The man died from fatty degeneration of the heart. He had probably been dead about twenty hours or since early Sunday morning. Decomposition had already set in, owing to the intense heat of yesterday. The dead man's son, John McHale, of 630 Blakely street, Dunmore, was notified and further identified the remains. He ordered them removed to his home, from whence the funeral will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made at the cathedral cemetery.

As to how McHale got in the ravine, where he died, is a mystery. He was in the habit of staying with either of his sons, John or Henry, or with his daughter, Mrs. Arthur Mullen, whose residence is at 1812 Washburn street. Just as the notion seized him. Deceased was about 65 years old and came to Scranton about forty-five years ago. His two sons and one daughter above survive him.

MEYERS WAS THROWN OUT.

His Horse Became Frightened During the Rain Storm.

Peter Meyers, of Little Eneland, was the victim of a runaway accident in the hail storm yesterday afternoon. His horse took fright crossing the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western tracks near Nay Aug tunnel and he was pitched out of the carriage. His right ankle was injured and a swelling grew around the joint so large that it is not possible to say whether or not the bone was broken. He was taken to the Lackawanna hospital. His age is about 15 years.

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LIVELY TIME AT D. AND H. STATION

Excursion Committee Sold Too Many Tickets for Blightman.

HAD NOT ARRANGED WITH DELAWARE AND HUDSON COMPANY FOR A SUFFICIENT NUMBER OF CARS AND OVER A THOUSAND PERSONS WERE LEFT AT THE STATION IN THIS CITY—ASSISTANCE OF MEMBERS CITY POLICE FORCE HAD TO BE ASKED.

There was a scene of wild disorder at the Delaware and Hudson station on Lackawanna avenue yesterday morning because a thousand or more persons who wanted to go to Blightman could not be furnished with transportation. It was probably due to the efforts of station policeman Spellman that no one was injured.

Sometime ago the Knights of Pythias of Jersey and Carbondale arranged to run an excursion to Blightman yesterday and fixed the fare at \$1. They had evidently no idea of what a popular excursion it would prove to be for their contract with the Delaware and Hudson company was for only thirty cars about half of that number to start from this city and make stops at the various stations along the valley. A large number of tickets were sold in advance and yesterday morning the conductor indicated only thirty cars about half of that number to start from this city and make stops at the various stations along the valley. A large number of tickets were sold in advance and yesterday morning the conductor indicated only thirty cars about half of that number to start from this city and make stops at the various stations along the valley.

Soon afterwards the rushing business was resumed but the time it was of a different nature. The committeemen were doing their best to keep out of the way of the irate ticket holders.

THE FIRST SECTION.

The first section of the excursion train left this city at 7:30 a. m. and consisted of twelve passenger coaches and one combination car. Every car was crowded, the fact so dense was the throng that the conductor induced a number to leave the cars and wait for the next section. At 8 o'clock the second section of five cars were loaded with their human freight and again the crowd was so dense that the conductor had to get out of the passenger cars to vacate the cars before he would allow the train to leave the station.

Those who left did so under the belief that another section would follow immediately. Their rage, and that of the other clamorous ticket holders, when they learned that another train would not leave for Blightman until 2:30 p. m. knew no bounds and they yelled and demanded in no uncertain tones that their money be returned to them.

The Delaware and Hudson officials had received none of the money and were of course powerless to give relief in that direction. They had furnished all the cars contracted for and a few besides and were unable on such short notice to furnish additional cars.

During this time the thousand and more ticket holders were surging through the station demanding transportation to Blightman or the return of their money. Finally one of the would-be excursionists espied Stephen Summerhill in the crowd. He was one of the men who sold the tickets and a rush was made for him.

STARTED FOR SUMMERHILL.

He started up the steps toward Agent White's office, followed by a detachment of the crowd. Instantly he was surrounded by the throng and the return of money was made.

During all this time Officer Spellman was doing his best to preserve order and when he saw the rush for Summerhill he went to his rescue and got him into the main body of the station and while the attention of the crowd was distracted he told Summerhill to go.

The advice did not have to be repeated. Summerhill went.

While these exciting events were going on a telephone message for officers was sent to the central police station to which there was a prompt response by four officers. By the time they arrived, however, the excitement had in a measure subsided and the crowd was leaving the station.

About 100 of the ticket holders went to Blightman on the afternoon train. The first section of the excursion train which left this city at 7:30 a. m. reached Blightman at 12:30 p. m. and the excursionists who left here at 8 a. m. arrived in the Parlor City at 1:30 p. m.

At all the stations along the valley there was much disappointment because all those who desired to go to Blightman could not be furnished transportation. Altogether thirty-four cars left Carbondale on the various sections.

Nearly as many more cars would have been required to accommodate those who could not go. It was late last night when the excursionists returned to the city.

BOY DROWNED IN SUSQUEHANNA.

Philip Evans, a 17-year-old boy, who resided at 189 Parrish street, Wilkes-Barre, was drowned in the Susque-

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WAS A QUIET FOURTH

Observance Was Not of the Old Fashioned Kind—The Weather Largely Responsible.

Altogether yesterday was one of the quietest Fourth's of July the city has had for years. The weather was in part responsible for this. In the morning it was so intolerably warm that it was hard to find any person who had ambition or energy enough to celebrate in the old-fashioned style. At noon down came the rain and hail and at 3 o'clock there was another shower. These had the effect of cooling the atmosphere, but also kept hundreds from leaving their homes. The elements interfered at a very inopportune time and practically broke the back bone of the celebration.

At night the heavens were lit up in all directions by rockets and the snapping and hissing of crackers was heard on every hand. A good deal of satisfaction was taken by the persons who conducted these private exhibitions for were they not celebrating the glorious victory at Manila as well as the glorious Fourth.

Notwithstanding the weather the various picnics about the city attracted good sized crowds and as a rule were quite successful. All of the shops, mines and mills were closed down and only a few of the merchants of the city were unmerciful enough to keep their places of business open.

THOUSANDS ATTENDED IT.

Success of the Picnic of the Church of the Holy Cross.

Laurel Hill park attracted the largest crowds yesterday, and Rev. W. P. O'Donnell, pastor of Holy Cross church, Bellevue, is correspondingly happy. The picnic conducted there was for the benefit of the church fund, and will realize close to \$2,000 profit.

At 9 o'clock in the evening about one hundred and ten tickets fewer than 6,000 had been sold, and pleasure-seekers were still coming in. Of this number 2,900 were adult tickets for which an admission fee of 25 cents each was charged. The children had to pay 15 cents. The refreshment stands, merry-go-round, dancing pavilion and games were liberally patronized. The Lawrence orchestra furnished the music.

At 6 o'clock a chorus of 150 children's voices under the direction of Prof. Haydn Evans sang the "Star Spangled Banner," "America," "O Erin, a Tear in Thy Eye" and "Bring Liberty to Cuba." Each singer had a small flag and waved it to the time of the music. Their voices were well trained and the singing was highly and deservedly praised.

The rain put a damper on the games that were scheduled. The base ball game in the forenoon between two local clubs of junior players from Bellevue was the only event of an athletic nature.

HAVE CLOSED SALOONS ON SUNDAY.

Action of Holy Name Society of Jersey Is Heartily Endorsed.

At the quarterly convention of the First district of the Catholic Total Abstinence union of the Diocese of Scranton in Archdiocese Sunday, the following resolution was adopted: Be it resolved that we, the delegates representing the societies comprising the First division of the C. T. A. union of the Diocese of Scranton, do hereby endorse the recent action of the Holy Name Society of the Sacred Heart church, of Jersey, in their action which resulted in the closing of the hotels and restaurants of Jersey on Sunday.

The following officers were elected to serve for the ensuing year: President, J. J. Dougher, of Archdiocese; secretary, George Gammon, of Jersey; treasurer, William Peil, of Carbondale; board of directors, M. A. Lawler, of Jessup and P. M. Campbell, of Carbondale.

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