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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. The shops of the Dickson Manufacturing company will be closed today to enable the employees to attend the Machinists' excursion to Lake Ariel. Joseph Chrensky, charged with larceny, was released on bail yesterday before Judge Archibald. Joseph Torofski became his bondsman. Michael Durkin, of the North End, in jail awaiting trial for selling liquor without a license was released yesterday on bail in the sum of \$50. William Davitt is his bondsman. The complimentary band concert tendered by the Scranton Lodge of Elks, will be given at the band stand opposite Fairchild hotel, West side, this evening. Music by Bauer's band. The members of the Railroad Young Men's Christian association and their families will go to Heart Lake on a free excursion August 20 through the kindness of General Manager Hallstead. Clerk of the Courts Daniels granted marriage licenses yesterday to Marcello Baruth and Michael Laskowski at Scranton; Thomas F. Bohlen, of Clifton, and Margaret Gilroy, of Winton. The nuptial committee of councils will meet Monday evening in the city clerk's office. The joint fire department committee will meet on Wednesday evening. The having committee will meet on Tuesday evening. A quilt match between Thomas Symons, of Clifton, and James Small, of Dunmore, for \$100 a side, to be played on July 24, two-inch pins, ten yards, at Allison hotel on Saturday, July 23, 1898, at one o'clock sharp. The watch presentation to Lona B. Day will be made the same time that the sword and belt will be presented to Captain Robling at Camp Alger. By a misunderstanding the announcement was made that the presentation to Mr. Day would be made yesterday. The following officers have been elected by St. Paul's parish, an independent society of Green Ridge: President, W. E. Ryan; vice president, John P. Gavin; financial secretary, Joseph H. Mahon; recording and corresponding secretary, Thomas J. Gavin; treasurer, Frank Mahon and Vincent Housinger; sergeant at arms, James Dempsey.

CHASE IS IMPROVING.

Engineer is Still in a Serious Condition, However. Engineer George Chase, of North Main avenue, who so unfortunately backed his engine against the caboose early Thursday morning by which Conductor George Hammet was fatally injured, is still seriously ill at his home. Mr. Chase was overcome with grief over the sad accident, and later in the day developed extreme hysteria. Dr. F. C. Hall was in constant attendance nearly all of Thursday night, and during yesterday the patient began to rally. The hysterical emotion which was fast wearing his strength out began to subside and as a consequence, hopeful improvement is noted. Dr. Hall is still in attendance. Captured at Susquehanna. Edward Murphy, who escaped from the Broome county jail at Binghamton, N. Y., recently, was captured at Susquehanna, Thursday.

DIED.

SCHOLL—In Scranton, July 22, 1898, Mary, wife of Frank Scholl. Funeral notices later. JAMES—in West Scranton, July 20, 1898, Mrs. Dorothy James, 42 years of age, at the residence, 208 North Main avenue. Funeral tomorrow afternoon. Services at the First West Congregational church, South Main avenue, at 2:30 o'clock. Interment at the Washburn street cemetery. PHILLIPS—in West Scranton, July 22, 1898, Miss Rose Phillips, 21 years of age, at the residence, 218 North Rebecca avenue. Funeral arrangements later.

CONTRACT WILL BE CERTIFIED TODAY

DUNN BROS. CAN BEGIN CONSTRUCTION OF SEWER.

South Side's Much Needed Improvement Seems to be Very Near at Hand—Schedule of Assessment That Has Been Certified to the City Treasurer by the City Solicitor. City Official's Belief That Judge Edwards' Decision Sets a Most Dangerous Precedent.

In the city controller's office this morning the mandate of the court will be obeyed and the contract of Dunn Brothers for the construction of the Seventeenth district main sewer in South Scranton certified.

Before City Controller Robinson left for Europe he provided for such possible objection of the court by signing a blank certificate and placing it in the hands of his deputy, Edward Ziele. This morning the latter will fill out that certificate and give it to Dunn Brothers.

Apparently there is nothing further to delay the construction of the much needed sewer for the select council has instructed the city solicitor not to take an appeal to the supreme court from the opinion of Judge Edwards in the mandamus proceedings.

While all this is true and every city official is heartily in favor of the construction of the sewer not a few of them believe it will not be done right away, although they give no reasons for the faith that is in them. Nearly all of them are outspoken in their belief that Judge Edwards' decision is a most dangerous one for the city and because of the precedent it establishes should be called to the attention of a higher court. One of them said yesterday:

ONE OFFICER'S OPINION. "Judge Edwards can compel the city controller to certify the contract, but where is the money coming from that will pay for the work? There is no general or special fund it can be drawn from and there is not a cent of the city's revenue for this year that has not already been appropriated. If councils can go ahead and direct work to be done with no money in sight should the city will suffer in a nice financial condition. We will have plenty of improvements, no doubt, and mountains of judgments as well. I can't help but think that Judge Edwards' decision is most dangerous for the city in the possibilities it opens up."

Yesterday afternoon the city solicitor certified to the city treasurer the schedule of assessments for the payment of the sewer and it will now be the duty of the city treasurer to notify the various property owners of the amount of their assessment and the terms of payment. One-third is to be paid on the beginning of the work, one-third six months afterward and the balance one year from the beginning of the work.

The total estimate cost of the sewer is \$35,989.70 and of this amount the viewers direct that the city must pay \$22,963.45. The remainder is divided as follows: Henry Armbrust, \$23.97; Casey & Kelly, \$332.07; Casey & Kelly, \$332.07; John Schaefer, \$145.49; Anna Butler, \$50.00; Henry J. Butler, \$23.85; Lena Van Buskirk, \$25.72; P. Van Buskirk, \$25.72; Charles Heuster, \$47.70; John Koepfle, \$47.70; Joseph R. Dominis, \$23.85; Conrad Pessler, \$17.83; Mary Ann Gelbke, \$35.40; O. L. Heinze, \$47.70; William S. F. Kiehn, \$47.70; Magdalena Schaefer, \$47.70; Christ Schaefer, \$47.70; Charles Schaefer, \$47.70; Charles Scheiber, \$47.70.

LARGE ASSESSMENT. Philip Kirtz, \$22.98; Ann Gschwendler, \$23.85; Charles Kirtz, \$23.85; John Schaefer, \$145.49; Mina Mutchman, \$23.85; Thomas Moyer, \$23.85; Thomas Moyer, \$50.00; William Meister, \$23.85; Henry Sames, \$22.98; Thomas Moore, \$23.85; Mina M., \$23.85; Anna Wuench, \$35.78; Joseph Pelsig, \$35.78; Joseph Oswald, \$23.85; John Fruchtel, \$47.70; Frank Neitner, \$10.00; Jacob Sohn, \$47.70; Frederick Zang, estate, \$47.70; Adam Vockroff, \$47.70; Frederick Zang, estate, \$50.63; Jacob Luther, \$58.52; Charles Hartman, \$47.70; George P. Hartman, \$45.22; Bridget Lavelle, \$25.17; Henry Klein, \$33.67; Jacob Klein, \$46.52; Mary Shunk, \$47.70; Frederick Miroh, \$23.85; Lizzie Botscheller, \$46.52; John Schumacher, \$45.22; Andrew Miller, \$47.70; Theodore Lever, \$47.70; Benedict Bremley, \$47.70; Charles Kelper, \$47.70; Margaret Kelper, \$47.70; Mrs. Charles Kelper, \$47.70; Charles Koepfle, \$47.70; Philip Dippert, \$23.85; Casper Haas, \$23.85; Johanna Steinwock, \$23.85; George Lohman, \$47.70; Fred Schwenker, \$23.85; Charles Steinwock, estate, \$22.98; Fred Miller, sr., \$307.20; Fred Martin, \$71.56; John Westphall, \$119.20.

UNIFORM AMOUNT. Scanton school district, \$129.52; Mary Evans, \$47.70; Mary Kraft, \$47.70; Peter Kuhner, \$47.70; Bernard Bohn, \$47.70; John Nalin, \$33.67; Stephen Spruke, \$23.87; Charles Sant, \$47.70; Mrs. August Heilriegle, \$47.70; Mrs. Dennis Kelly, \$47.70; Margaret Barrett, \$31.25; Anna Helm, \$47.70; James O'Boyle, \$45.61; Lackawanna Iron and Steel company, \$325.52; \$46.50; Mary Dougher, estate, \$72.55; Catharine Caffery, \$70.83; John J. Heffern, \$47.70; John Dewey, \$40.73; Patrick Neale, \$23.87; David Langan, \$47.70; Catharine May, \$47.70; Patrick Barrett, \$47.70; Ann Murphy, estate, \$47.70; Patrick Brogan, \$47.70; Michael J. Corcoran, \$33.67; Mrs. Beesophal, \$23.87; John Murphy, \$47.70; Church of Peace, \$47.70; Mary Hartman, \$47.70; Peter Smith, \$47.70.

THE LOT OWNERS. Mrs. A. M. Detempel, \$17.79; Theodore Kline, \$88.19; John Kennedy, \$58.62; Thos. Kelly, \$47.70; Albert Zesemer, \$47.70; Margaret Lavelle, \$47.70; Mary Hartman, \$47.70; George Rorer, \$47.70; Charles Spruke, \$47.70; August H. Rehner, \$29.63; William Publ, \$47.70; Henry G. Bull, \$47.70; John Herman, \$47.70; Ferdinand Hagen, \$47.70; Christian Rorer, \$47.70; Joseph Schreiber, \$47.70; Charles Depree, \$29.51; William Mause, \$47.70; Fred Rarick, \$47.70; Spruke Brothers, \$43.93; Amelia Hans, \$47.70; Peter A. Snyder, \$47.70; Mrs. Mary Westphal, \$47.70; Caroline Snyder, \$47.70; John Vaughan, \$47.70; Philip Wirth, \$47.70; George Wirth, \$23.85; Andrew Kloss, \$47.70; Mrs. Kate Gilmer,

GEORGE SANDERSON.

The Energetic and Conservative Ex-Chairman of the Select Council.



Dunn Brothers will lose no time in beginning work on the sewer. An inspector of the work will be appointed by Mayor Bailey. It will be a nice fat plum.

SCRANTON NEEDS CASH.

City Treasury Is Now in a Very Depleted Condition. Scranton's treasury is at a low ebb just now, in fact the general city fund is in such a depleted condition that City Treasurer Boland is at a loss to know where he will get the cash to pay the salaries of all the city employees this month.

Ordinarily the collection of taxes is in progress at this time but there has been delay this year because of the dispute about the manner in which the school duplicates should be prepared. It will be at least ten days more before these duplicates will be in shape to place in the hands of the city treasurer, and it will be some days later before the amount of taxes paid in will be worth mentioning.

Even the most patriotic of men do not make a wild rush toward the city treasurer's office in the early days of the collection of taxes when the city is sorely in need of ready cash. Oftentimes the man who brings the largest American flag does not settle his obligation with the city until the last hour of the last day before the penalty is imposed.

ALL WERE DISCHARGED.

Law and Order League Failed to Make Out a Case Against Persons Arrested on Thursday.

The hotel keepers arrested at the instance of the Law and Order league were discharged yesterday by Alderman Fuller because of failure to make out a case against them. At 10 o'clock in the morning the hearings of the men and one woman, charged with the sale of liquor on Sunday and without a license, took place. The case of James J. Padden, charged with having sold liquor on Sunday, July 17, was the first one taken up. Hon. John P. Kelley appeared for Mr. Padden.

George Watson, a young man whose home is at Fairfield, near Gettysburg, and who reached the city May 5 last, was the first witness for the prosecution. Watson swore that on the date noted, he went into Padden's hotel and asked for a glass of whiskey. His request was granted and before leaving he purchased a pint of the best he drank he took to his home and labelled it for future reference. It was produced as evidence at the hearing, but upon objection of Mr. Kelley, its admission was not allowed. Watson could not positively state that it was Mr. Padden who sold him the whiskey.

Walter Dewitt, of Dunmore, and William E. Jones, of Adams avenue, the latter also a recent acquisition to the population of the city, were the other witnesses called by Attorney Dunn for the prosecution. The testimony of Jones brought out the fact that the plan of campaign against the saloonmen, was mapped out in Watson's room.

While Watson went to Padden's the others visited Anthony Walsh, Jr.'s saloon, at the corner of Erie and Washington whiskeys there, Jones stated. Attorney Dunn did not have records from the clerk of the court's office to show that Mr. Padden was the proprietor of a licensed saloon. Dewitt, a witness examined by the defense, said he would get the necessary proof of the proprietorship of the hotels and have the accused arrested again.

WALSH'S VIEWS OF CONTEST.

Inate Citizen Compared Election Contests to Spanish Lays.

In the Langstaff-Kelley contest the voters examined the names of the voters were from the Twentieth ward. John Walsh, of Pittston avenue hill broke the monotony in the afternoon by a speech he made before his departure. In his opinion the system of law which regulates the city's day's work, attend a contested election hearing, and there answer questions which pertain to a man's secret business, is not a bit better than the sway of the Spaniards over the poor starving millions of China that the witnesses reconnoitered of the contest. Martin Burke, of upper Cedar avenue, admitted he never paid any taxes.

Those examined were: Edward Murphy, Michael Lavelle, Richard O'Donnell, James Lavelle, Frank McGulgan, Anthony Lynch, Thomas Tierney, Peter O'Rourke, Patrick J. Walsh, Mike J. O'Malley, James Gannon, John Holleran, Richard O'Donnell, John R. O'Malley, Michael Thornton, Bryan Scallih, Michael Thornton, James McCoy, Michael Sullivan, Michael Susick, John Padden, Peter Cusick, James Gibbons, John Walsh, Martin M. Lavelle, Pat McNamara, Thomas Davany, Leon Lopchanski, Alex Craig, James Reap, Martin Reap, Thomas Kane, Peter Mahon, Edward Maher, Joseph Brown, James Boland, John Barrett, Michael M. Walsh, John O'Neil, John Gosher, Michael McVarnish, John B. O'Malley, John Butler, Joseph Hickey, Patrick Gannon, Richard Callary, George Sheehan, Patrick Wallace, James Dunleavy, Patrick Vesey, Thomas Dougherty, Patrick Lowery, John Sullivan.

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The present George Sanderson, whose portrait The Tribune prints today, has arrived in Pittston from the Berk Lane station at noon yesterday, and was interred with military honors. A squad of ex-members of Company C, Pittston, met the remains at the station and conveyed them to the home of Mrs. Robert McMath, on South Main street.

FUNERAL OF JOHN R. THOMAS.

Interred with Military Honors at Pittston Yesterday Afternoon. The remains of the late John R. Thomas, of Company A, Ninth regiment, Pennsylvania Volunteers, who died of typhoid fever at Chickamauga, Ga., on August 22, 1864, were held in the station at noon yesterday, and was interred with military honors. A squad of ex-members of Company C, Pittston, met the remains at the station and conveyed them to the home of Mrs. Robert McMath, on South Main street. The casket, however, was not taken from the undertaker's van, and when all was in readiness the cortege moved to the Pittston cemetery, where services were held and interment made. The funeral was headed by the Alton Cornet band of Avoca, which played the funeral dirge. Following the band came the ex-members of Companies C and H, members of Nugent post, Grand Army of the Republic, members of the new West Pittston military company and a host of friends and acquaintances.

At the cemetery the services were in charge of Rev. Claude G. Langford, pastor of the First Baptist church of Pittston, who made an address. There was also congregational singing. A volley was fired by a squad of ex-members of Company C, as follows: Messrs. Weathers, Hepburn, Schoonover, Borer, Carroll, Froux, Mitchell, Buns and Henry Ives, of Company D, Thirteenth regiment. The last named came to Moosic as an escort to the remains of the late Walter Porter, who died at Camp Alger.

The pallbearers were also ex-military men. They were: David Williams, J. D. Fear, E. Smalley, Lee Frame, G. D. Morris and Fred Fordham. The deceased was a son of Simon Thomas, of North Scranton, and formerly resided here.

Arranging a Match.

Negotiations are now being made by which Frank Bartley, Binghamton's

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EXCURSIONS.

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This will be a great family outing.

Tickets, Adults, \$1.00 Children, Under 12 Years of Age, 25c

Toilet Set Bargains

might interest you; eleven left from a large stock; in handling were slightly chipped, but not hurt. This one has been filled in decoration of 3 colors, newest shape, full gold stripe; they were \$4.98, little chips change the price to \$4.24

Tea Set of plain, white American china, 56 pieces, ought to be more, but they're \$2.24

Cream Pitcher, good china, large enough to hold a pint; all fired in decorations; was 19c, to move them quickly, they're \$10c

Tea Cup and Saucer, Scalloped top, Austrian china, decorated and gold stippled, sold for 24c; it will change places for \$10c

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