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PERSONALS.

F. S. Godfrey has returned from a business trip to New York city. Hon. William Connell left here Saturday morning for Washington.

COLLIDED WITH TROLLEY CAR.

Doctor's Outfit Run Into—Brogan, the Driver, Was Hurt. Matthew Brogan, a driver for Dr. Roos, was badly jostled about in a collision between a trolley car and a buggy in which he was riding Saturday noon on Franklin avenue.

FIREMAN DAVIS KILLED.

Storm Caused a Fatal Wreck on the N. Y. O. & W. Railroad Near Peckville Station Last Night. David Davies, of Carbondale, a fireman on the New York, Ontario and Western railroad, was killed at 6:30 last evening by an accident at a quarter of a mile this side of the Peckville station. He was a married man and leaves a wife and children.

CANNOT UTTER A SYLLABLE.

Peculiar Case of Harry Murray, of South Washington Avenue. Harry Murray, a 14-year-old boy who resides at 323 South Washington avenue, is proving a great puzzle to the surgeons at the Moses Taylor hospital.

SHIPPER GETS A VERDICT.

Jury Allows Him \$265.50 for the Black Pacing Mare. In the case of Henry L. Shiffer, of Stroudsburg, against George Jacobus and Thomas Moore, of this city, the jury, on Saturday, brought in a verdict for the plaintiff in the sum of \$265.50.

MEETING OF TRAINMEN.

Officers Elected for Ensuing Year by Moses Taylor Lodge. At a meeting of Alaska Taylor lodge, Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, in Ancient Order United Workmen hall yesterday afternoon, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year.

Japanese Delicacies

Crystallized Ginger, Pineapple, Kumquats, Liche Nuts, etc. Courten's. Smoke the Popular Punch cigars, 10c.

DIED.

REIGSE—in West Scranton, Dec. 2, 1898, Herbert Reese, 6 years of age, at residence of parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Reese, of Frink street. Funeral Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment at the Washburn street cemetery.

DESPERATE WORK OF MASKED MEN

SHOT AND KILLED MICHAEL F. CORCORAN, OF DURYEA.

They Entered His Hotel Early Saturday Morning for the Purpose of Robbing It and When He Resisted Their Effort They Murdered Him in the Most Cold-Blooded Manner. He Was One of Duryea's Most Prominent Citizens—Murderers Still at Large.

Michael F. Corcoran, proprietor of the Anthracite hotel at Duryea, Luzerne county, was shot and almost instantly killed by masked burglars at 2:30 Saturday morning. The burglars secured about \$50 by blowing open a small safe in Mr. Corcoran's bedroom and rifling the cash register.

THE BURGULARS ENTER.

Soon after 2 o'clock Saturday morning the burglars entered the building. They forced open a window on the south side of the building and through this one of the burglars entered the house. They went to have been well acquainted with the manner in which it is laid out. The man who entered the building found himself in a small sitting room, in which the body was laid out Saturday, and from this he passed into the kitchen and thence into the hallway, from which a door leads to the yard in the rear of the hotel.

COLD-BLOODED MURDER.

Mr. Corcoran was a man of magnificent physique and probably relying on his giant strength he neglected to pick up his revolver as he jumped for the door. He got his shoulder against it and forced it shut for an instant but the combined weight of the four men was too much for him and the door was gradually forced inward again. The room is a narrow one and the door when opened, was almost against the wall.

POSTMASTER OF DURYEA.

During President Cleveland's last term he was postmaster of Avoca and other posts in Luzerne county. He was a Democratic nomination for sheriff of Luzerne county. He was a member of the Pittston lodge of Elks and of the council of the Young Men's Institute of the same place.

HABES CORPUS PROCEEDINGS TO GET HIM OUT OF JAIL.

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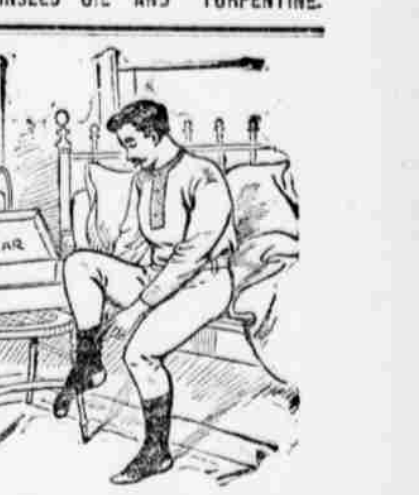
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