

CARBONDALE.

TRACTION COMPANY'S FIGHT.

Much Opposition to Overcome in Narrowing the Gauge.

The Carbondale Traction company in meeting with considerable opposition in its effort to narrow the gauge of its road between Parkville and Forest City. It will have clear sailing through Carbondale, however. Both councils have passed the ordinance giving permission over the mayor's head.

Archibald was the seat of war yesterday. Just as Buchanan Michael O'Hill, Michael McEneaney, Mark Price, Chief of Police John McFarlane and Deputy P. Cunningham and John Flanagan attempted to stop work in that borough yesterday, O'Connell's party, of the city, revealed them on warrants issued at the instance of General Manager Flynn, charging them with obstructing the work and interfering with the company's employees.

The offenders were taken to Justice Gilday's office, where they entered bail, after waiting two hours while a messenger summoned the justice from the mines. During the interim the work of narrowing was extended eighteen hundred feet.

Late in the afternoon the borough authorities arrested General Manager Flynn and Track Foreman William Gordon for violating a borough ordinance.

It is expected that the fight will be resumed this morning. When the workmen were obliged to quit yesterday they had reached the top of Dutch Hill.

THE FAIR OPENS.

The fair of Andrew Mitchell Hose company, No. 1, was opened in the Watt building last night. The programme consisted of a selection by the Mozart band, vocal solo by Miss Frances Maxwell, selection by German Singing society, sketch by Miss Edith Leitch, recitation by Miss Edith Leitch, all of which were well received. The attendance was large and dancing was enjoyed until a late hour. This evening the following programme will be carried out: Selection, Symphony orchestra; vocal solo, Mrs. Samuel Goodwin; recitation, Miss Edith Leitch; vocal solo, David Lewis; violin solo, Miss Maggie Maxwell.

IT WAS FRANK O'BOYLE.

The man who fell off a retaining wall to his death in the Lackawanna river a short distance below Eighth avenue and who was found Sunday afternoon, has been identified by his wife as Frank O'Boyle, who formerly resided here, but who has been west. Twenty-three dollars were found in his pockets. The coroner's jury was unable to reach a conclusion and adjourned to meet again Wednesday.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Miss Edith Little, who has been the guest of Miss Ethel Robbins, has returned to Honesdale.

The work of sinking an artesian well at Reizenhursht will be commenced this week by Contractor Barton.

Miss Sophia Mahoney is spending this week in Forest City.

Annie Hurd, of Canaan street, has suffered a third attack of paralysis.

Miss Minnie Samson, of Canaan street, has returned from Scranton.

G. A. Ayle has returned from New York city.

John Aiken, Jr., has entered the Chester Military school.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Holgate, of Belmont street, are visiting in Chin-chilla.

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DALTON.

Mrs. Melville Sherman spent a part of last week in Scranton.

Mrs. Stell, a former resident of this place, but now of Morristown, N. J., is visiting friends here.

There was quite a large attendance at the funeral of the late William C. Keller on Saturday. The services were in charge of Rev. Lenock, of the Methodist church, and interment was made in Dunmore cemetery.

Professor H. L. Morgan, wife and daughter, Emily, of Scranton, were in town Saturday last visiting relatives.

A. M. Finn has been making improvements about his property by laying a stone walk about his house.

Thieves have been making raids upon chicken houses in this vicinity and have relieved residents of some of their poultry.

Thanksgiving day will be appropriately observed by the churches of this place.

A meeting of the Ladies' Aid society, of the Baptist church, will be held on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Mason.

JERMYN AND MAYFIELD.

The Artisan Hose company's fair will continue to attract large crowds of people every night. The hall was well filled again last evening and with the exception of the violin solo the programme as previously announced was carried out. The saxophone solo played by Fred Stephens was particularly pleasing being perhaps the best thing yet heard at the fair. The Crystal Fire company were present throughout the evening and were busily sought after by the fair canvassers. The entertainment tonight will be given by the Glee club.

In connection with the coming fair

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The Bostonians Coming.

The Bostonians will make their appearance at the Lyceum Thursday evening in "The Serenade," by far the best of all the comic operas produced in recent years and a worthy successor of the ever popular "Robin Hood." "The Serenade" is as well known that it is unnecessary to point out the abundant musical merits of the composition.

Old favorites of the company, like Barnabe, Frothingham and MacDonall give imitable performances and Miss Helen Bertram as Yvonne, a singer of the Royal Opera of Madrid, captivates every one with her vivacity, charm and exquisite soprano voice, while Miss Van Dresser in the role of Isabella, a coquette senorita, the ward of an old Spanish duke (H. C. Barnabe), has a pleasing contralto voice which renders her a hit in the rendition of "The Angelus." This exceptionally brilliant company is supported by a strong chorus of sixty voices and a special orchestra under the direction of S. L. Studley.

"Kidnapped in New York."

In "Kidnapped in New York" Howard Hall has done work that is said that he can be justly proud of. This play is spoken of as being interesting, brightly written, vigorously assertive and full of human interest. Many of the characters are sketched from nature. Barney Gilmore, who is starring in the above named play, is a singer of the Lyceum and a first-class actor. He is a perfect gentleman, with money in his pocket. Address: J. S. Berry Mfg. Co., 429 Cincinnati, O.

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