NORTHEASTERN PENNSYLVANIA

CARD GAME ENDS IN ONE PLAYER'S DEATH

DELL KOONTZ STABBED BY A COMPANION.

The Assailant, Named Whipple, Gives Himself Up and Is Placed in Jail at Tunkhannock-Scene of the Homicide Is the Village of

Special to The Scranton Tribune. Montrose, Dec. 20 -News received here today tells us of a fatal fight that occurred at Lynn, a small station on the Montrose branch of the Lehigh Vailey railroad, and situated about lifteen miles from Montrose, and which resulted in the death of one Dell Koonts, a noted character living there. From information received it appears that Koonts, with some friends, including a man named Whipple, had, last evening, gone to a friend's house and the evening was passed in card playing, and during the game Whipple and Koonts entered into a dispute. which ended in a fight. During the encounter Whipple draw a large knife and dealt a vicious blow at Koonte. who fell dead,

Whipple gave himself up to the au thorities and claimed he acted in selfdefense. The fight occurred only thirty rods over the county line between Susquehanna and Wyoming. It was also learned that Whaple had been removed to Tunkhannock and placed in the county fall at that place. The location in which the fight occurred has always been neted as rather tough. Dell Koontz is well known here, and in years past held the reputation of a fighter. At one time h - was employe! as a hostler at the Exchange hotel barns. Nothing is known of Whipple.

Another Version.

By Associated Press. Tunkhannock, Pa., Dec. 20.-During a quarrel last night at the house of Willfam Clark, in Lemon township, th's county, where a party of neighbors had assembled and were drinking cider. Dillis J. Koonts was stabbed in the jugular vein and also in the heart. dying almost instantly. Either wound would have killed him. A warrant was sworn for Otis Whipple and he was captured in the woods today and placed in Jall here.

TAKEN FROM THE JURY.

Mrs. Libbie Loses Her Damage Case Against the Erie.

Special to the Scranton Tribune Honesdale, Dec. 20.-In the case of Mrs. Libbie vs. the Eylo Philipa-4 company to recover damages for the death of her husband, tried before Judge Purdy last week. After the evidence was all in Jude Purdy took the case from the Jury, as the plaintiff did not furnish evidence to show that the railroad company was to blame for the accident which caused the death

Grand Trunk flat bottom car. The brake was of the kind that drops down on a level with the bottom of the car. The brake dropped while he was sitting on it. no was thrown between the cars and killed.

HONESDALE NOTES.

Special to the Scranton Tribune. Honesdale, Dec. 20.-Dodge Brothers, new delivery wagon which they will put on the road.

Christmas exercises will be held in everybody. the chapel next Tuesday evening. Work was commenced today on the

ets, which are to be located in the rear of the Independent building, on the west side of the railroad track. George and Orno Wright are home from a Philadelphia medical college

for the Christmas holldays, The Ford Brothers' Farce company afternon and evening.

Both the Honesdale and the Durland and Thompson Shoe companies are losing down their factories for their annual inventory,

Captain C. P. Mitchell and wife, of Keuka college, N. Y., are visiting their daughter, Mrs. H. J. Whalen. The slate roof is now being put on the new passenger station.

UNDERWEAR FACTORY.

Building Already Enclosed and Work to Begin Next Month.

Special to the Scranton Tribune. Honesdale, Dec. 20.-The factory building of Kotz brothers at the foot of Sixth street is enclosed. The machinery will be placed, ready for the manufacture of ladies underwear, by the fifteenth of January. Fifty machines will be used at the start and more added later. The capacity will

The first week in January the Texas Fire company, No. 4, will dedicate the building with a grand ball.

be 125 machines. Electric power will

BOLD WORK OF MASKED BURGLARS

By Torture They Extort from an Old Couple the Hoarded Savings of Many Years and Make Their Es-

Shamokin, Pa., Dec. 20 .- Five masked turglars broke into the residence of Andrew Lockwood, between here and Mt. Carmel, last night, and, after subjecting him to blows and kicks because he would not reveal the hiding place of his money, they tied him to a chair. The gang stripped his wife to the waist and, fearful that she would meet with further indignities, Lockwood showed the burglars to a box where \$875 was cancealed. The burglars took the money and escaped over the mountain.

The Lockwoods are prostrated over their brutal treatment and the loss of the money, which was the savings of many years. Lockwood is 75 years ord and his wife is three years younger.

Used by British Soldiers in Africa. Captain C. G. Dennison is well known all over Africa as commander of the forces that captured the famous rebel Galishe. Under date of November 4. 18997, from Vryburg, Bechunaland, he writes : "Before starting on the last campaign I bought a quantity of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoen Remedy, which I used myself when troubled with bowel complaint, and have given to my men, and in every case it proved most beneficial." For sale by all druggists, Matthew Bros., wholesale and retail agts.

WYOMING COUNTY.

Special to The Scranton Tribune Factoryville, Dec. 20 .- John Henry, a farmer, of East Lemon, Pa., was necldentally thrown from his wagon while en route to Scranton, and seriously injured, one wheel of the wagon passing over his body.

The original Fisk Jubilee singers will appear here for one night only, Wednesday evening, Dec. 2, at the Methothe bakers, have just received a fine dist Episcopal church. To miss hearing these world-renowned artists is omething one will surely regret. The The Presbyterian Sunday school price of admission is within reach of

James Mitchelltree, aged eighty-one, recently walked from his home in Willnew Delaware and Hudson coal pock- lamsport to Noxen, to visit his daugh-

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MEARS & HAGEN

ter. Last Wednesday he started on the return trip, which he expects to make in about a week. The old gentleman is not much of a friend to the cars, and

prefers traveling the old way. Tunkhannock has a new gun club, composed of the following well-known vnamen: Spencer D. Reed, E. N. one, George Dershimer, W. H. Moris, J. F. Wiggins and L. E. Mead, Mrs. Ruth Dixon, an aged lady of this place, accidentally slipped on the frosty ground last Wednesday morning, fracturing a bone in her ankle, be-

sides spraining it severely. Frank S. Harding, who has held the position of county commissioner's clerk for the present board of commissionwill be at the opera house Christmas | ers, has been re-appointed for a term of three years.

Company M, of the National Guard, located at Tunkbannock, are preparing to hold a fair some time in January. The schools of Wyoming county are having a two weeks' vacation.

The foundations for the new canning factory at Tunkhannock are about

The Masonic lodge of this place will hold their annual banquet some time next month, in Odd Fellows' hall.

SUSQUEHANNA COUNTY.

Special to the Scranton Tribune. Susquebanna, Dec. 28.-The funeral of the late Mrs. Polly A. Allpaugh took place and was largely attended this afterneon from the residence of William Allpaugh, on Maple avenue. Rev. Charles Henry Newing, pastor of the First Methodist church, officiated, The Order of the Eastern Star and the Womans' Relief corps attended in a body. The remains were interred in the Grand street cemetery.

The funeral of the late Bradley Beebe, of Oakland township, will take place from the family residence on Thursday afternoon. Interment will take place in the South Windsor cem-

place and was largely attended this morning from St. John's Catholic church. Requiem high mass was celebrated, and the remains were interred in Laurel Hill cemetery.

Belmont, the fake United States inbefore United States Marshal Hall, in Bingbamton, on Tuesday, and was held to ball in \$1,000 for his appearance for trial.

At Uniondale, tast Sunday, Misses Lucy and May Crandell narrowly es- fine day. caped drowning while skating on the girls were precipitated into the water. Some young men went they had been in the water half an

dent, is ill at her home on Willow | fer. street Rev. Charles W. Boot will preach in

Grace Episcopal church, in Great Bend, on Sunday evening. Frank Quick, whose contention with is wife was noted in The Tribune on gess Williams on Tuesday afternoon, charged with disturbing the peace. He was fined \$5, which he paid. Today ne will be tried for assaulting his wife.

divorce Mrs. Welling Perrle is severely ill it her home on East Church street. Melvin Larrabee, of Jackson, bas had his pension increased from \$10 to \$14 per month.

Mrs. Ouick will bring an action for

Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Palmer, of

ugo exchanged his office for a farm at | fatal, bion. N. Y., has exchanged the farm for property in Binghamton. Barton, who is a native of Susquehanca, recently took the position of circculation manager on the Bingham-

on Republican Miss Grace Bonhus will render several contralto solos in Grace Episco-

general master mechanic of the Pittsburg. Bessemer and Lake Erie rall-Years ago he resided in relatives.

Miss Clara Gilbert, of Greenville, Pa., the has been visiting Susquehanna relatives, returned home last evening. Susquehanna camp, No. 497, Modern Woodmen of America, will have a pathetic Installation of officers, Jan. 9. when several prominent woodmen will

There will be Christmas services in Christ Epigeopal church on Sunday

Mrs. J. W. Olmstead, of Arcole, Ill., the guest of Mrs. Rev. George W. each, in Oakland,

J. James Eagan, the convicted neurerer, who is in the Montrose jail. waiting execution for the murder of armer A. Jackson Pepper, is said to be breaking down

A barn belonging to Jackson Chandier, situated in Thomson township, burned on Friday night, together with the contents, including thirty tons of hay and a resper and binder. fire is supposed to have been the work f an incendiary.

FOREST CITY.

pecial to The Scranton Tribune. Forest City, Dec. 21.-Harry Goodich, of Scranton, is visiting at the

home of S. F. Miller. Will Woodmansee and E. A. Stoddard, of Carbondale, were visitors at Henry Weed's vesterday.

Mrs. Oliver Coyle is on the sick list. James Jennings has just returned from Ridgeway, Pa., where he has been in the interests of the Hillside Coal and Iron company.

The public schools close Friday for

the Holiday vacation. Miss Retta Farrell, who is attending the State Normal school at Stroudsourg, Pa., and Irving Penticost, a stulent at the Mansfield State Normal school, are at home on their vacations Rev. Father Walsh will administer communion to all of the societies in the church at the 8.39 o'clock mass Sunday morning, the C. M. B. A., the A. O. H., the Father Mathew and the

St. Agnes Pioneer corps.

Mrs. Edward Rafferty spent yesterlay in Scranton. Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Maxey were Carbondale visitors yesterday.

Delos Eichenberger and family, of Hancock, N. Y., will spend Christmaa

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with the family of Wilfred Eichen-Miss Edith Brown will spend part of her vacation with friends in Susque-

hanna Cecil Manzer returns from Cornwall on the Hudson today to spend the holidays with his parents.

Lizzie Harling is paying a visit to Frank Van Hoosen, of Starrucca, a former resident of this place, is in town on business.

MONROE COUNTY.

Special to The Scranton Tribune.

Stroudsburg, Dec. 29.-William and Edward Rome, father and son, resid-ing near Spragueville, were discharged at a hearing before Justice Drake, on The funeral of the late Margaret complaint of the Lackawanna railroad Conroy, who died on Monday, took of stealing brass, S. B. Stillwell, of Scranton was a witness.

Losses to the amount of \$14,559.00 were sustained by the Farmers' Mutual Fire insurance company, of this county, for the year just closed. It is the heaviest since the company was ternal revenue officer had a hearing organized. Several of the largest fires, in which their company figured, was the result of incendiarism.

Although but two years less than 100, William P. Frutchey, near this town, walks two or three miles every

Cards have been issued for the aplake. The thin ice gave way proaching marriages of Ira L. Kinney and Miss Mary B. Kaul, both of East Stroudsburg, and Joseph M. Fetherman out in a boat and rescued them after and Miss Fannie M. Eartleson, of Mt.

A son has been born to Deputy Pro-Mrs. Richard Smith, an aged rest- thonotary and Mrs. William A. Sha-

Mrs. J. W. Oplinger is visiting her mother at Nanticoke. A few nights ago the residence of Mr. Mathew Bush, near Gilberts, was almost destroyed by fire. Mrs. Bush not being able to sleep on account of a Tuesday, was arraigned before Bur- sprained ankle, hearing a noise and smelling smoke, quickly aroused Mr. Rush, who, with the aid of some of the neighbors, succeeded in extinguishing the flames, but not without the less of the small building attached to the

back of the main building. Frank Ruster, a well known employe of the Elkhorn tannery was badly squeezed between a car of bark and a post while at work. Ruster was forced through a space about six inches wide and, while no bones were Kansas City, are visiting Mr. Palmer's broken, it is feared that he has been parents, Erie Conductor and Mrs. Polk internally injured. Dr. Lesh looked This is the fourth acci-Former Editor Nelson E. Barton, of dent of the kind at the tannery, one of the Afton Enterprise, who two years them, that of Joseph Warner, being

AVOCA.

Mrs. Mary Lyons, a life-long and respected resident of this town, died at the family residence on Pittston avenue yesterday morning, after a week's illness. When it became evident that pal church, in Creat Pend, on Sunday an operation was the only hope of saying her life she was removed to the E. B. Gilbert, of Greenville, Pa., Pittston hospital, but it was afterward deemed inadvisable, as her condition would not allow it. She was removed road, is the guest of Susquehanna to her home, where her death came peaceably. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Thomas Golden, and Patrick at home; John Lyons, in the west, and Thomas and James Preston. of Dunmore, and also one sister, Mrs. Preston, of Dunmore. The funeral will take place on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Interment will be in St. Mary's

emetery. At a meeting of Avoca conclave, No. 246, Improved Order of Heptasophs, held on Monday evening, the following officers were elected: Archon, G. W. Rolls: provost, Frank Shalls: secretary. H. M. Steever; treasurer, W. H. Welter; financier, J. L. Harris; prelate, T. J. O'Malley; warden, N. E. Hoskins; sentinel, John Boone. The next meet-

ing will be on Friday, Dec. 29. Miss Leah Laird is suffering from a severe attack of intermittent fever. Mrs. John Frederick, of Vine street. seriously ill of typhoid fever. Prof. C. F. Hoban was elected to the office of advocate at the recent election of the officers of the officers of the

seriously III. Deafness Cannot Be Cured

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NEW MILFORD.

Mrs. F. W. Boyle attended the funeral of a relative in Susquehanna

last Tuesday. Mrs. D. Van Buskirk, teacher in the primary department of our graded chool, has been confined to her home by illness the past week.

Floyd Axtell, of Stevens Point, spent Sunday with his brother in town, The young ladies' hand of Christian Workers, from Hallstead, took charge of the regular weekly prayer meeting at the Methodist church last Thursday

The ladies of the Maguzine club spent one day last week with Mrs. H. A. Lyons in Montrose M. J. Crane, who has been a resident of New Milford for the past twentyfive years, has moved his family to

ket gave a demonstration of improved

New York, Dec. 20 .- The stock mar-

cepted a slump of 13% points in Brooklyn Rapid Transit, accompanied by sympathetic weakness in other stocks illed to it. It cannot be said that this violent decline was viewed with indifference, for it effectually checked the advancing tendency in the general market and worked a re-action extending to over two points in a number of standard railroad stocks and from four to seven points in some of the in-dustrials. Thanks to the earlier rise in the market, however, and the rally following the slump, net losses are in nearly all cases small and some substantial net gains are shown by important stocks. The break in Brooklyn Rapid Transit was attributed to the forced liquidation of a very large inside account, concerning many unfavorable sumors of Monday were revived in full force and aggrarated by the bears with a view to showing the acute weakness. Money at no time rose above 9 per cent, and in the late dealings fell to 2 per cent., or yesterday's low level. The tone of the market during the early hours was nearly normal, except that trading was very active and fluctuations rather wide. Prices had advanced and received an additional impulse upwards with the announcement of the increase in New York Central dividend rate, that stock rising to 130½. Extreme declines from the level were sugar, 7½; Federal Steel, 6; People's Gas, Manhattan and Tennessee Coal about 5, and tobacco and Metropolitan.

4. The weakness in the railroad stocks, which showed the largest declines, could be traced in part to the same sources as those which were responsible for the break in Brooklyn Rapid Transit. The declines extended to two points only in Rock Island, Atchinson preferred, Burlington, St. Paul and Louisville. In the Brooklyn Transit, rugar, Federal Steel, Tennessee Coal and People's Gas the recovery reached from 3 to 6½ points. The market closed strong at the rally at mixed net changes. Total sales, 901,700 shares.

The bond market was rather active and showed little re-action from early strength, making the tone irregular. Total sales par value, \$3,150,600.

United States 2s, 3s and old 4s and 5s ing was very active and fluctuations

Total sales par value, \$3,150,000. United States 2s, 3s and old 4s and 5s advanced 1/2 in the bid price.

The following quotations are furnished The Tribune by M. S. Jordan & Co., rooms 705-96 Mears building. Telephone

ck Island Southern R. R., Pr. Tenn., C. & Iron U. S. Leather U. S. Leather, Pr. Union Pacific 12% 70% 14% 2016 8614 130 4736 7134 43

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE. WHEAT. CORN. January 5.35 May 5.60 LARD.

Scranton Board of Trade Exchange Quotations-All Quotations Based on Par of 100.

STOCKS.

First National Bank 500
Seranton Savings Bank 225
Seranton Packing Co.
Third National Bank 425
Dime Dep. & Dis. Bank 220
Economy Light, H. & P. Co.
Seranton Ill. H. & P. Co.
Seranton Ill. H. & P. Co.
Seranton Paint Co.
Clark & Snover Co., Com. 400
Clark & Snover Co., Com. 400
Clark & Snover Co., Pr.
Ser. Iron Fence & Mfg. Co.
Seranton Paint Co.
Seranton Axle Works
Lacka. Dairy Co., Pr.
Co. Savings Bank & Trust Co.
Star.dard Drilling Co.
Star.dard Drilling Co.
Seranton Pass. Railway, first
mortgage, due 1929 115 STOCKS. Bid, Asked, 95

Scranton Wholesale Market (Corrected by H. G. Dule, 27 Lackawanna

Butter—Creamery, 24a27c.; print, 25a
27c.; dairy, tubs, 28c.
Eggs—Solect western, 164c.; nearby
state, 23c.
Cheese—Full cream, new, 134c.
Beans—Per bu., choice marrow, \$2.30;
medium, \$2; pea, \$2.
Ontons—Per bu., 55c.
Potatoes—Per bu., 56c.
Lemons—83.56a3.75 per box.
Flour—\$4.36.

New York Grain and Produce Market New York, Dec. 20.—Flour—Very quiet and nominally easier. Wheat—Spot weak, No. 2 red, 1754c. f. o. b. afleat; No. 1 north-ern Duluth 75c. f. o. b. afleat, nominal, No. 2 red, 1354c. elevator; outlons opened ern Duluth, 75c. f. o. b. afloat, nominal; No. 2 red, 735c. elevator; options opened firm and 4c. higher, but weakness soon developed and prices broke a cent a bushel during this; closed weak at \$4c. decline; March closed Tate, May, 735c.; July, 747c.; December, 72c. Corn-Spot casy; No. 2, 255c.; O. b. afloat and 254c. elevator; options opened steady and unchanged and aithough quiet all day, ruled fairly steady; finally sold off and closed casy at \$4a4c. net decline; May closed 384c.; December, 384c. Oats-Spot dull; No. 2, 25c.; No. 3, 254c.; No. 2 white, 314c.; No. 3 white, 204c.; track mixed, western, 25a204c.; track white, 31a345c.; options dull and lower. Butter-Firm; western creamery, 25a27c.; do. factory, 154a26c.; June creamery, 22a27c.; do. factory, 154a26c.; June creamery, 22a27c.; do. factory, 154a26c.; June creamery, 25a27c.; do. factory, 15a23c.; June creamery, 25a27c.; do. factory, 15a23c.; June creamery, 25a27c. do. factory, 15a25c.; do. creamery, 25a27c. cheese-Firm; full made fancy small, 125a12c.; late do. small, 15a125c.; large late made, 134a12c. Eaga-Stendy; state and Pennsylvania, 25a25c.; western, ungraded, at mark, 16a214c.

Philadelphia Grain and Produce Philadelphia, Dec. 20.—Wheat—Steady; outrast grode, December, 70a7tc. Corn Jac. lower, No. 2 mxed December, 374a 74pc. Oats—Steady; No. 2 white clipsed, 15ja32c.; No. 3 do. do., 30t_a31c.; No. 2

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Chicago Grain and Praduce. Chicago, Dec. 20.—A sinck demand and small clearaces at the seaboard took the starch out of wheat today, May clearaces at the seaboard took the starch out of wheat today, May clearace and eats to lower. Provisions closed unchanged. Cash quotations were as follows: Flour-Steady: No. 3 spring wheat, 64a636c.; No. 2 yellow corn, 20%c.; No. 2 corn, 20%c.; No. 2 yellow corn, 20%c.; No. 2 corn, 20%c.; No. 2 yellow corn, 20%c.; No. 2 oats, 22%a2%c.; No. 2 white, 23%a2%c.; No. 2 shifted, 25%a2%c.; No. 1 flax seed and No. 1 morthweatern \$1,400.; timothy seed, \$2.50; meass port, 857aa36c; salted shoulders, 5%a3%c.; clear iddes, baxed, \$3.5a5.55; whiskey, \$1,250; sugars, unchanged.

New York Live Stock New York, Dec. 23.-Beeves-Dema New York, Dec. 23.—Recrees—Dem Bittle more active, prices unchang closed dull; some late arrivals uns steers, \$1,650,22. exen. \$2,750,170. in \$1.40. Calves—Good to choice veels, fl others steady; barrivard stock firm; a late arrivals unsaid; veals, \$4,550,255, (\$2.50) Hittle calves, \$4a4,25; barriyard, \$2.750,250; westerns, \$1,124. Sheep lands, \$100,000.



THE PATENT RECORD. firm; others steady to 10c. lower; nine cars unsold; sheep, \$2.5a.159; culls, \$2a2.55; lambs, \$4.524.65.55; Canada lambs, \$5.65; culls, \$4a.150. Hogs-Nominally weak.

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Buffalo Live Stock Market. Buffalo Live Stock Market.

East Buffalo Doe, 20.—Cattle—Steady and pretty well cleared up. Veals, Ea 7.75. Hegs - Fairly active for good weights, riew for others; best heavy strades, 34 Mat.30; mixed, 34 Mat.30; Yorkers, 34 Mat.30; mixed, 34 Mat.30; vorkers, 34 Mat.30; mixed, 34 Mat.30; cuis to good \$1.735.55; mixed sheep, tops, \$1.70 ar.90; others, \$20.7.90; wethers and year-lings, \$1.45.50.

East Liberty Cattle Market.

East Liberty, Dec. 29.—Cattle—Slow; extra, \$5.99,6.15; prime, \$5.545.89, common, End.99. Hogs.—Lower: prime heavy hogs, \$4 1554.29; prime medium weights, \$4.29; best heavy Yerkers, \$4.15a4.29; good light Yorkers, \$4.15; pigs, as to quality, \$4.194, 6.15; good roughs, \$2.602.79. Sheep—Lower: prime wethers, \$4.254.49; culls, common, \$1.504.2; choice to extra handy weight himbs, \$5.694.59; good to choice lambs, \$4.15a5.49; fair to good lambs, \$4.75a5.15; culls to fair tambs, \$2.504.59; year calves, \$537.59. East Liberty Cattle Market.

Oil Market. Oil City, Dec. 21.—Credit balances, \$1.95; certificates closed, cash oil offered, \$1.65; shipments, \$5.533 barrels; average, 72.34 barrels; runs, 129.697 barrels; average,

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