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CITY NOTES

PAY DAYS.—The Delaware and Hudson company paid their employees yesterday on the Nineveh branch and at the Clinton mines, Vandling.

WATER COMPANY.—T. H. Watkins, president of the Cambria County Water Supply company which was chartered at Harrisburg yesterday.

RECEIVED A BOUNTY.—Harry Hoeklein, of Madison township, received a bounty yesterday afternoon from Alderman Howe for killing a fox and a mink.

NEW ILLUSTRATED PAPER.—Smiles, an illustrated paper, made its initial appearance yesterday. M. Burger and J. Hirschfeld, of New York, are its proprietors.

R. ERNEST COMEGYS, real estate agent, has just sold four lots at corner of Mulberry street and Prescott avenue. A large apartment house will be built on them at once.

OFFICERS CHOSEN.—The annual meeting of the Stevens Coal company was held at the Hotel Jermyn on Thursday, and the following officers were elected: President, J. A. Wisner; vice president and treasurer, C. W. Wisner; general manager, H. W. Kingsbury.

IN TROUBLE AGAIN.—Robert Stewart was arrested in Philadelphia this week for picking pockets and the local police were asked to furnish his record. Stewart is the man who was convicted here several years ago of stealing the diamonds of ex-Sheriff Robinson and Dr. Longshore.

HEARING POSTPONED.—The hearing in the case of Mr. and Mrs. Roberts of Dickson City, charged with violation of the health laws, by Dr. Kennedy, health officer of the borough, which was to take place last evening in Alderman Millar's office, was postponed until 7 o'clock next Thursday evening.

DISORDERLY CONDUCT.—A man who gave his name as Mike King, was yesterday morning arraigned before Mayor Moir, in police court, charged with disorderly conduct. He was brought to the central police station about 1:30 o'clock yesterday morning by Fred Bartoli, of Penn avenue. The latter had heard King battering at his door, and going down stairs seized him and led him

to the station. King was fined \$5 by the mayor. CARRIERS KEPT BUSY.—Business at the postoffice has been unusually heavy the last few days owing to the large amount of election matter sent through the mails. Superintendent of Mailing Louis Schantz yesterday gave as his opinion that between four and five thousand circulars, announcements, etc., have been handled in the last few days.

ILLUSTRATED LECTURE.—Colonel Long will deliver a lecture on the Battle of Gettysburg, in St. Luke's Parish house, on the evenings of Feb. 22, 23 and 24. Illustrations will be presented, the affair, which is conducted by Colonel Montes post, Grand Army of the Republic, promises to be a successful one. The proceeds will be devoted to charitable purposes.

WAGON UPSSET.—One of the delivery wagons of the Crystal laundry was almost totally wrecked Thursday noon. It was standing outside the laundry on Mulberry street when suddenly the horse took fright and started down the street. The vacant lot near the Municipal building the wagon was upset. Its roof was broken in, windows broken and general damage done.

JOSEPH GOWER SCALDED.

Three-Year-Old Child Terribly Burned by Boiling Water. Little Joseph Gower, the 3 years and 6 months old child of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gower, of 400 Fourth street, Bellevue, was terribly scalded by boiling water yesterday in such a manner that at first it was feared the burns would prove fatal. His mother was washing clothes, when suddenly the little fellow pulled over a boiler full of boiling water. The heated water, splashing, inflicted burns all over the little fellow's body and also scalded his mother's hands.

IGO DIED OF PNEUMONIA.

Coroner's Jury So Decided Yesterday Afternoon. Coroner J. J. Roberts held an inquest yesterday afternoon in the mayor's office in the city hall to inquire into the cause of the death of P. F. Igo, who died Monday night in the central police station. Coroner Roberts told the jury that he had performed an autopsy and found that the man's vital organs were greatly enlarged and in bad condition. The jury, which was composed of Joseph Bloch, John Howell, Simon Thompson, M. V. Morris, William Thompson and Henry Hatton, gave as their verdict that Igo died of double pneumonia, both of his lungs being afflicted.

CONVENTION CALLS.

Second Legislative District. Notice is hereby given to the Republic voters of the Second Legislative district that a primary election will be held on Saturday, March 17, 1900, between the party nominees of the various districts for the purpose of electing two delegates to represent said legislative district in the coming Republican state convention to be held in Harrisburg and to nominate a candidate for the legislature. The convention to compute the vote will be held on Tuesday, March 20, 1900, at 1 o'clock p. m., in the court house in Scranton. In accordance with the rules governing the election the candidates will be voted for directly by the voters at the polls. Each candidate must register with the district chairman his full name and post-office address and pay his assessment twenty days before the election or his name will not be placed in the official ballot, neither will any votes cast for him be counted.

Third Legislative District. Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the standing committee of the Republican party of the Third legislative district of Lackawanna county, will be held at the Arbitration room, Court House, Scranton, Pa., on Saturday, the 24th day of February, 1900, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of fixing time and place for holding the district convention and disposing of such other business as may properly be brought before it. The following comprise said committee: Benton—George Freeman. Clinton—James E. Boyle. Covington—William Cobley. Dalton—J. A. Woodbridge. Glenburn—E. J. Northup. Gouldsboro—J. B. Gardner. Greenfield—Frank Kenyon. Lackawanna township, South district—David D. Griffiths. Lackawanna township, East district—William J. Williams. Lackawanna township, Northeast district—Louis Reinhardt. Lackawanna township, West district (Musick borough)—John McCrindle. Lackawanna township, Southwest district—E. P. Anderson. Lehigh—R. H. Holgate. Lehigh—Jacob Knecht. Madison—Eugene Noack. North Abington—J. H. Baskirk. North Abington—Stephen Aylesworth. Old Forge township, First district—H. Willis Rees. Old Forge township, Second district—James Salmon. Old Forge township, Fourth district—William Bennett. Ransom, First district—Tobias Stein. Ransom, Second district—Geo. R. Wandell. Scott township—George Miller. Scranton, Sixth ward, Third district—W. B. Davis. South Abington—T. S. Parker. Spring Brook—T. J. Matthews. Taylor, First ward—John H. Evans. Taylor, Second ward—J. E. Watkins. Taylor, Third ward—John Francis, Jr. Taylor, Fourth ward—James Price. Taylor, Fifth ward—John P. Thomas. Waverly—John W. Miller. West Abington—J. C. Northup. By order of the Chairman, Matthews. Attest: J. E. Watkins, Secretary. Scranton, Pa., Feb. 14, 1900.

A Card. We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Curative Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory, or money refunded. J. G. Bone & Son, Dunmore. J. W. Davis, Providence. J. B. Doherty, Scranton. Herberman & Co., Avoca. W. H. Manners, Moosic. E. A. Ryan, Minooka.

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ESTIMATES FOR NEXT FISCAL YEAR

WERE SUBMITTED TO SELECT COUNCIL BY CONTROLLER.

He Estimates That the Total Revenue for the City for the Year Will Be \$311,925—Estimates Sent in by the Heads of the Different Departments Show That the City Will Need \$368,769.10 to Pay the Running Expenses of Its Departments During the Next Year.

Following are the estimates of the city controller and the heads of departments for the next fiscal year, which were submitted to the select council last night.

Table with columns for Department, Estimate, and Total. Includes Mayor's Department, City Treasurer's Department, Street Commissioner's Department, and City Engineer's Department.

MAYOR'S DEPARTMENT. Salary of mayor, per annum...\$ 2,500 00. Salary of secretary of mayor... 1,200 00.

CITY TREASURER'S DEPARTMENT. Salary of treasurer, per annum...\$ 4,000 00. Clerk hire... 1,500 00.

STREET COMMISSIONER'S DEPARTMENT. Salary of street commissioner...\$ 1,500 00. Salary of three assistants... 2,100 00.

MEETING OF THE POOR BOARD. Movement on Foot for Building of a New Conservatory.

CITY SOLICITOR'S DEPARTMENT. Salary of city solicitor...\$ 2,000 00. Salary of assistant solicitor... 1,200 00.

CITY ENGINEER'S DEPARTMENT. City engineer, per annum...\$ 2,000 00. Assistant city engineer... 1,100 00.

CITY CLERK'S DEPARTMENT. Salary of city clerk...\$ 1,500 00. Salary of assistant clerk... 1,200 00.

CITY JAIL. Salary of janitor, \$60 per month...\$ 720 00. Salary of three janitresses, \$25 each per month... 750 00.

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Mrs. Pinkham's Advice Saved Mrs. Hayes From an Operation.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM—Words cannot express my thanks to you for your kind advice to me in regard to my health. I had been running down in health for about seven years. I had doctored with good doctors and taken a great many patent medicines. My trouble began when my first child was born. I had a very hard time and after its birth would have severe flooding spells. After my second child I had very good health until last winter when I again became pregnant and suffered very much and miscarried. I came very near dying, and the doctor said I must have an operation, which frightened me very much, and concluded to write to you for your advice, and take your medicine. Was troubled with the whites, great pain in back and hips, sometimes when lying down or sitting was unable to get up. Would have such pain in groins could hardly walk. I can say I have never seen anything so wonderful as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Senna-tive Wash. Your remedies have done wonders for me. Hoping that many of my suffering sisters may be led to take your medicine from reading this letter. I remain, sincerely yours, MRS. MARY HAYES, HARRISBURG, KY."

Letters like the foregoing should convince everyone that Mrs. Pinkham's advice is certain help.

Incidentals... 340 00. Printing and stationery... 200 00. Telephone... 50 00. Repairs of asphalt, as per ordinance... 17,520 00.

Total... \$34,000 00. The contract for the paving of North Main avenue to do any work last summer, I was able to get along without expending the amount of \$45 per month.

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ANOTHER CHANCE FOR ATTORNEY BEALE

RULE REINSTATED ON MOTION OF ATTORNEY SCRAGG.

The Rule for a New Trial Was Called Up After the Hour When Court Usually Adjourns and Mr. Scragg Being Absent There Was Nothing Offered in Support of the Rule, Whereupon Court Discharged It—Three New Suits Instituted. Interesting Case Discontinued.

Attorney George W. Beale will not be called up for sentence today, as expected. Court has reinstated the rule for a new trial, which was discharged Wednesday, and, at a time, to be later on fixed by the court, a hearing will be had.

Wednesday when the Beale case was reached on the argument list it was nearly 5 o'clock. Court adjourns usually at 4:30, and Mr. Scragg, who had the argument for a new trial in hand, having gone away, there was no one present to offer anything in support of the rule, and court was constrained to strike it off the list. In taking this action, court was more or less prompted by the fact that Attorney L. P. Wedeman, one of the attorneys for Beale, was present and indicated that he had nothing to offer.

When these facts and some lateral circumstances were set before the court, the rule was reinstated and the attorneys directed to hold themselves in readiness to argue it at the court's convenience. The argument will likely take place some time week after next. To clear himself not only legally but morally, Mr. Beale proposes to make good the \$1,500 which he is accused of embezzling. The question in the case was whether Mr. Beale invested this money for himself or for Mrs. Meade. The prosecution held that he invested it for himself in a coal company of which he was a promoter. He held that he invested the money for Mrs. Meade and at her request.

Mayfield Case Is Discontinued. The case of the Commonwealth ex rel. Bergen against Edmunds and others, which was appealed to the Supreme court by the defendants, has been discontinued.

This is commonly known as the Mayfield council case. Bergen was a member and at the spring elections secured a re-election. When he went to take his seat, the faction to which he was opposed, and which was in the majority, refused to let him in, alleging he had disqualified himself by moving out of the borough.

Bergen had moved out of the district, but it was only a temporary move. He married a girl from Jermyn, and while waiting to secure possession of his own house in Mayfield, went on a visit with his wife to his mother-in-law's home, just across the borough line.

When court heard the story in full it decided that the action of the council was unwarranted and issued a mandamus, directing the council to seat Bergen. The respondents took an appeal, but after thinking the matter over and hearing the attorney's estimate of the expense of presenting a case to the Supreme court, they decided not to prosecute the appeal.

Three New Cases Started. Three new suits were filed yesterday in the office of Prothonotary Copeland. One was for slander, the other to collect insurance and a third the inevitable divorce case.

Jane Reap and Ellen McHale, of Providence, are parties to the slander suit. Mrs. Reap alleges that on February 13, 1900, in the course of a hearing before Alderman Thomas Saltry, of the Third ward, Mrs. McHale said of and concerning her, Mrs. Reap: "You are not making false faces now as you were when you were making them rob the paymaster." This was intended, so Mrs. Reap contends, to hold her up to suspicion of having aided, abetted or participated in the robbery of a paymaster, all of which,

REPUBLICAN HEADQUARTERS. Opened by Alderman W. S. Millar in His Office.

Alderman W. S. Millar, of the Eighth ward, chairman of the Republican city committee, has opened headquarters in his office on Wyoming avenue and Tuesday evening will receive the returns there.

He requests the watchers in the various districts to forward him the returns on the votes for controllers, the viaduct and sewer as soon as they conveniently can, either by phone or bringing them in.

Marriage Licenses. Peter Kolenasz... Mayfield. Nast... Dunsmuir. Mayfield. John Winokur... Dunsmuir. Anna Lonatka... Dunsmuir. Thomas F. Smith... Archbald. Mary E. Manley... Archbald. Adam Tordotowski... Archbald. Solt... Tulkowski. Dunsmuir. William Friend... Dunsmuir. John Warren... Dunsmuir. Jennie Leister... Lackawanna township. Albert F. Birkett... Carbondale. Ada R. Sedden... Susquehanna.

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the plaintiff avers, is a false accusation. She asks for \$5,000 damages and Attorney Clarence Balentine is to help her secure the same.

By Attorneys Vosburg & Dawson, Patrick J. Keegan yesterday instituted suit against the Hartford Life Insurance company, of Hartford, Conn., to recover \$1,000 which is claimed as due on a policy issued to his mother, Mrs. Mary Keegan, and made payable to him.

The policy was issued March 19, 1895, and on October 3, 1899, the mother died. Proof of death was in due time submitted, but the company has failed to pay the policy or give any good and sufficient reason for withholding payment.

Thursday last Mrs. Katie Mohr, learned, so she says, that her husband, John Mohr, was unfaithful to her. Yesterday by Attorney George S. Horn she went into court and applied for a divorce, alleging unfaithfulness and cruel and barbarous treatment.

Court House News Notes. Attorney T. P. Hoban yesterday filed an application for a charter for the Clerical Fund society of the Roman Catholic diocese of Scranton, Pa.

Court yesterday declined to grant a petition for the change of the Vandling borough polling place from Peter Suter's hotel to the Vandling school house on the ground that it is too near election time.

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