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PERSONAL J. Dillman Raymond, head clerk at Hotel Crandall, Binghamton, is at Hotel Jermyn, this city, for a few days.

OFFICERS INSTALLED. Meeting Held by Anthracite Commandery, Knights of Malta. Deputy Grand Commander Sir W. S. Bartlett last evening installed the newly-elected officers of Anthracite commandery, No. 211, Ancient and Illustrious Order of Knights of Malta, at Malta Hall, in the Guernsey building, on Washington Avenue. He was assisted in his duties by several past commanders.

Real Estate For Sale and Rent We have for sale an elegant colonial residence, Linden street, facing Clay Avenue; another at Green Ridge, opposite residence of Mrs. Bessell; these two residences are of the very highest class houses in the city.

FOR RENT. Two flats, 7 rooms each, city steam and all other improvements; \$25.00 each, Madison Avenue. A store on Madison Avenue for a first class meat market. House, Irving Avenue, \$15.00; one on Oakwood place, \$12.50, and others. TRADER'S REAL ESTATE COMPANY Charles Schlager, President. Call at Traders Bank Building, or Store of Lackawanna Hardware Co.

PLANS FOR THE NEW TELEPHONE COMPANY ARE BEING PREPARED BY ENGINEER DUNNING.

They Will Show Where the Underground Conduits Are to Be Laid. Switchboard Has Been Ordered and is to Be Delivered Not Later Than Sept. 1.—It is of the Latest and Most Improved Make—Out-of-Town Connections the Company Will Have.

A. B. Dunning has accepted the position of constructing engineer for the Lackawanna Telephone Company, and will supervise the installation of the company's system in this city. He is now engaged in mapping out the various streets in which the company's conduits will be placed.

The work of preparing these plans is one that entails an enormous amount of work. The location of every pipe underneath the streets to be traversed must be ascertained as accurately as possible that it may be learned how near or how far from the surface the conduits must be placed.

SWITCHBOARD ORDERED. The switchboard which the company will use in this city before Sept. 1 under penalty of \$100 a day off the contract price. This contract price is the net list figure of \$45,000.

The system to be used is what is known as the central energy system and is essentially modern. Wilkes-Barre has had it in operation for some six months now. The central energy part means that there are no batteries but those in the central telephone building.

LAMP GOES OUT. This, as mentioned above, causes the subscriber's little lamp to go out, and when the exchange girl has obtained the number of the subscriber wanted she rings him up and keeps ringing him up until his lamp goes out, indicating that he has answered by taking his receiver off the hook.

OUT OF TOWN CONNECTIONS. He also stated that connections could undoubtedly be made with New York and Philadelphia within not more than one year's time, and that connections with the western states was a condition that two or three years might realize.

ALLEN IS OUT OF DANGER. Moistic Man Will Recover from Gun-shot Wounds. County Detective Thomas Leyshon yesterday received from Dr. F. W. Berge, of Avoca, a certificate to the effect that Martin Allen, the Moistic man who was shot by David S. Davis, at Oak Hill, Feb. 23, is out of danger and on a fair road to recovery.

SPECIAL MEETING CALLED. Street and Bridges Committee to Confer with Engineer. A special meeting of the joint streets and bridges committee of councils has been called for next Saturday afternoon in City Solicitor Voseburg's office.

E. G. COURSEN Best Goods for Least Money. Mr. Winklow's Soothing Syrup. Has been used for over FIFTY YEARS by MILLIONS of MOTHERS for their CHILDREN while TRICKLING WITH PERFECT SUCCESS. IT SOOTHES THE CHILD, SOFTENS THE GUMS, ALLAYS PAIN; CURES WIND COLIC and is the best remedy for DIARRHOEA. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winklow's Soothing Syrup" and take no other kind. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

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WAGNER FOR CHAIRMAN. Republican Selections Agree Upon Him as Their Unanimous Choice. After last night's special meeting of select council the Republicans who will be in the next select council held a caucus in the council chamber and unanimously agreed upon C. F. Wagner, of the Tenth ward for chairman.

BAUER'S BAND TO ENLIST Will Join the Thirteenth in a Body and Will Be the Official Regimental Band. The members of Bauer's band, twenty-four strong, have decided to join the Thirteenth regiment in a body, and the organization will hereafter be known as Bauer's Thirteenth regiment band.

INCREASED PRICE. This council now proposes to pay this company the same price for 1,600 candle power lights as the city has been paying them for 2,000 candle power lights; in other words, it is taking from the taxpayers of this city between \$25,000 and \$50,000 and presenting it to the corporation.

A DOUBLE-BARRELED CASE. Julius Troy and John Brown Arrest and Re-arrest Each Other. Julius Troy, of South Scranton, was arrested before Alderman John T. Howe yesterday on the charge of larceny of a wagon, preferred by John Brown, of Prospect Avenue, and after the case had been heard, was discharged. This was a counter action to one brought in Alderman Lentz's office Saturday, when Walsh was charged by Troy, with assault and battery.

ROBINSON THE LUCKY MAN. He Won the Bicycle at the Conrad Club Drawing. The Conrad Bicycle Club held its first drawing Monday night at 243 Wyoming Avenue. Sixty numbers were placed in a hat with the understanding that the owner of the last number drawn should be the winner of the wheel.

10c WILL BUY Fine Stringless Beans. Fine Maine Corn. Fine Arbutus Peas. Tin of Sliced Dried Beef. Tin of Smoked Sardines. Tin of Potted Ham. Glass of Currant Jelly. Bottle of Olives. E. G. COURSEN

DIDN'T LIKE ELECTRIC LIGHT ORDINANCE MR. CHITTENDEN BITTERLY OPPOSED THE MEASURE. Remarks Made at Last Night's Special Meeting of Select Council When Measure Was Up on Second Reading—Said Council Proposed to Give Nearly \$150,000 to the Scranton Company and Didn't See How Any Member Could Vote for the Measure.

TO BEGIN THIS WEEK. House Registration of Letters to Commence Soon. The local post office authorities received word yesterday that the necessary receipt books and other material for the registration of letters at private houses are on their way here and it is expected that by the end of the week the system will be put in operation here.

COMMITTEES WERE DINED. Those Soliciting for Y. M. C. A. Building Met at Scranton Club. About thirty members of the several soliciting committees in charge of the work of raising funds for the construction of the new Young Men's Christian association building dined at the Scranton club last evening at 6 o'clock and held a short meeting after the excellent menu prepared had been discussed.

LECTURE AGAIN POSTPONED. Liquid Air Could Not Be Shipped from New York. Again has the high school liquid air lecture been postponed, and for the same reason, inability to get the liquid air.

POLICE PICKINGS. Michael Buzant, arrested on a like charge by Patrolman Parry, was sent to the county jail for ten days. William Hughes, arrested by Sergeant Reese Jones, accused of drunkenness and disorderly conduct paid a \$5 fine. John Anderlarris, arrested Monday on the charge of drunkenness and disorderly conduct, was arraigned before Mayor Moir in police court yesterday morning and in default of a \$5 fine was committed to the county jail for fifteen days.

RESOLUTIONS PASSED. The following resolutions were introduced and passed: By Mr. Thomas—Directing the city engineer to prepare plans for the construction of a main sewer in the Twelfth sewer district. By Mr. Melvin—Directing the city engineer to prepare plans for the construction of an overflow sewer in the First sewer district. By Mr. Fellows—Directing the street commissioner to notify John Finnanigan to remove certain rubbish placed by him on Twelfth street.

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