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131 Wyoming Avenue, next door to Holy Trinity Church.

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NEW HOUSE SURGEON.

Dr. C. W. Wunder Will Accept Position at the Lackawanna.

Beginning with next week the resident surgeon force of the Lackawanna hospital will be increased by another physician.

Dr. Wunder has been holding a position at St. Christopher's hospital, in Philadelphia.

Keystone Book Beer on Tap. Saturday, March 17.

Book Wurst at the Brunswick tonight.

The best of all Pills are Beecham's.

\$1.98 is the dissolution price of men's dress patent leather shoes for Easter Sunday.

Clear, Pure—Keystone Book Beer. Will be on tap Saturday.

Buy Quick

Only a few days more and we will close our store to the retail trade.

We have lots of bargains for Carpenters, Contractors, Plumbers and Manufacturers.

Lackawanna Hardware Co., 301 Lackawanna Avenue.

EXCELLENT ENTERTAINMENT.

Conducted Last Evening in the Hall at Holy Cross Church.

A St. Patrick's eve celebration was last evening conducted by Division No. 26, Ancient Order of Hibernians.

The feature of the evening was an excellent address by Rev. James Malone, of St. Paul's church.

A piano solo was given by Miss Rose Conway, and vocal solos were rendered by Master Waghburn, Thomas Thornton, Frank Riley, John Lyott and James Cummings.

HEAVY SNOW STORM.

Employees of Street Railway Company and the Street Commissioner's Department Kept Busy.

The heaviest snow storm of the year since between 4 and 5 o'clock yesterday morning after having continued almost unceasingly for over twelve hours.

The snow had drifted in many places to a depth of three and even four feet and extra work was furnished in the clearing of sidewalks.

Street Commissioner Thomas didn't begin the work of clearing the crossings in the central city until the early part of the afternoon.

The walking was, as a general rule, very bad, the snow melting quickly under the sun's rays.

HAT TRIMMING SOCIAL.

Was Given Last Night at All Souls' Universalist Church.

The Young People's Social society of the All Souls' Universalist church met in the church on Pine street last night and conducted a highly enjoyable hat trimming social.

After this enjoyment and pleasure reigned supreme. The hat trimming consisted in each male member of the party compounding a hat from the various elements, such as ribbons, feathers, etc., assigned to him.

Refreshments were served and the party broke up about 10:30 o'clock.

FOREHEAD WAS CUT.

Man Injured in a Drunken Brawl on Penn Avenue.

About 6 o'clock yesterday afternoon two men engaged in an altercation at Penn avenue and Linden street.

Dr. Fulton was summoned and he put three stitches into the cut in the man's forehead.

CONFERENCE TODAY.

Welsh Congregationalists to Meet in North Scranton.

The sessions of the Welsh Congregational conference of Lackawanna and Luzerne counties will be held today in the Welsh Congregational church on West Market street.

At Leading Hotels Saturday. Keystone Book Beer.

All ladies who desire first-class tailoring will do well to call and consult me.

E. Robinson Sons' Celebrated Book Beer.

On tap today and all next week.

Keystone Book Beer on Saturday.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup

Has been used for over FIFTY YEARS by MILLIONS of MOTHERS for their CHILDREN WILLINGLY.

E. G. COURSEN,

429 Lackawanna Avenue

IRA H. BRADER CHOKED TO DEATH

WAS EATING A HAM SANDWICH AT THE TIME.

The Distressing Accident Occurred in the Lunch Room at Penn Avenue and Linden Street at 10:30 Last Night—Physician from Lackawanna Hospital Were Summoned but When They Arrived Brader Was Dead—He Resided at 817 Olive Street and Was Married.

Ira H. Brader, of 817 Olive street, choked to death last night about 10:30 o'clock in Burroughs's Lackawanna lunch room at Penn avenue and Linden street while eating a ham sandwich.

Brader entered the lunch room shortly before 10:30 o'clock and called for a ham sandwich. The lunchman says that while eating this Brader called for a glass of water.

He continued to eat until he suddenly fell over on the counter in an unconscious condition. Someone nearby ran to the Lackawanna hospital and summoned Dr. Busch, the house surgeon.

The doctor says that Brader's mouth was full of chewed-up food and that his face was purple, one of the always present indications of food in the wind-pipe. The doctor believes that he must have been afflicted with heart disease and that there existed in his chest a clot of blood which he coughed up.

POOR BOARD MEETING.

Contract for New Greenhouse Was Awarded to Hitchings & Company of New York for \$3,975.

The poor board in regular session yesterday afternoon awarded the contract for the construction of a new greenhouse at the Hillside Home to Hitchings & Co., of New York.

The bill of \$13 sent in by Brown, the druggist, at the last meeting, and which was then held up, was ordered paid. The bill was for antioxin, which was ordered by the agent for the Associated Charities.

The quarterly expense bill for the care of state insane was sworn to by the members and will be sent to Harrisburg. Upwards of a dozen applications for outdoor relief were heard and acted upon.

SCRANTON BUSINESS COLLEGE.

Many New Students Now Enrolling.

Because of the fact that there will be no summer vacation many new students are now enrolling. Very many teachers and students will be returning in the months of April, May and June.

A number of good positions filled recently. Several \$35, \$40 and \$50 positions Professors Buck and Whitmore had to let go.

Lakewood, the Great Pine Belt Resort The new life that always awakens at Lakewood when autumn tints fade has dawned and the famous hotels and boarding houses, large and small, are wide awake.

Steam Heating and Plumbing. P. F. & M. T. Howley, 231 Wyoming Ave.

Coursen's Fresh Creamery Butter

The only Butter in the city received FRESH daily. Forty and 60 pound packages to cut

26c per lb

Three and 5 lb. boxes 28c per pound.

JERSEY EGGS

Direct shipments semi-weekly from Stillwater, N. J., 30c per doz. 25 Navel Oranges, 25c. The regular 40c grade for 25c per doz.

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Most effective, agreeable and reliable Tonic Stimulant for Body, Brain and Nerves.

HON. W. E. STANTON DYING.

Is in a Critical Condition at His Home on Pine Street.

Hon. William H. Stanton lies dying at his home, 638 Clay avenue, after having been confined indoors since last June. The ex-judge was then stricken with nervous prostration, but it was only recently that he received a terrific paralytic stroke.

All yesterday he was delirious and at times unable to see those before him. Last November he received his first paralytic attack.

A DAY OF PRIMARIES.

Republicans and Democrats Will Have a Lively Time of It Today in This County.

This is to be a day of great political activity in Lackawanna county, all four legislative districts having either Republican or Democratic primaries scheduled, some of them having both.

The lines are clearly defined in both districts, each candidate having allied himself with candidates for state delegate, who are avowedly for or against party wrecking.

In the First district Mr. Farr has for his running mate Charles H. Von Storch and D. E. Evans. On the ticket with T. Jefferson Reynolds, the anti-Quay standard bearer, are William H. Reese and Harry Bierbeck.

The second district anti-Quay has suspended banners across the streets at various points announcing that they are the representatives of the Crawford system, whatever they mean by that.

The Crawford county system of primaries will be used for the first time in these districts.

The Fourth district Democrats will have primaries for the election of delegates to a convention in Cosgrove's hall Tuesday afternoon.

The Fourth district Democrats will today choose men who will select state delegates at a convention to be held in Fadden's hotel, Pottsville, next Tuesday.

Every Man Has a Peculiarity of Idea as to His Hat. Some Wear Them One Way, Some Another.

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Are the very best ever made. Best in style, best in quality, best fit and all-around satisfaction. See the Spring Styles.

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WAREHOUSE—Green Ridge

GRAND JURY IS TO LEXOW CITY HALL

SESSION CONTINUED TO NEXT WEEK FOR THAT PURPOSE.

Following the Example Set by New York, the Grand Inquest of Lackawanna County Proposes to Summon Before It Witnesses Who May Be Able to Throw Some Light on Alleged Corruption, and if a Prima Facie Case Is Established, to Return Indictments.

The grand jury will investigate the alleged corruption in city hall. This was decided upon yesterday, after the matter had been discussed daily since the jury convened last Monday morning.

Witnesses will be subpoenaed through County Detective Layson, and if sufficient evidence can be secured to establish a prima facie case in any instance, an indictment will follow and the accused will have to face a jury of his peers and whatever incriminating evidence the commonwealth, in the interim, can secure.

Just what evidence the grand jurors expect to be able to lay their hands on is not known, but it is said that certain newspapermen, claiming to have indisputable evidence of gross frauds, have signified their willingness to allow the grand jury to avail itself of their records for the insurance.

Yesterday afternoon, when the jury had made its third return, Judge Edwards, in his charge, Monday morning, said that he would see to it that the interests of the public, either in the county at large or any municipality within its boundaries.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

Dewey Day Elated. Editor of The Tribune.

Sir: A slight mistake appeared in your otherwise excellent report of the program prepared by the committee for the above elated day to be held at the First Welsh Baptist church.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Joseph Schneider, of 728 Beech street, an aged and respected resident of the South Side, passed away on Thursday evening after a short illness.

William Stokes, the 7-year-old son of Attorney P. W. Stokes, died at his father's home at the corner of Washington and Mulberry street late last night.

THE TRADERS NATIONAL BANK

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Capital that in the four years ending February 13, 1900, its deposits have increased from \$73,231.70 to \$1,283,077.98.

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An Assortment of Spring Home Furnishings Unequaled Anywhere Now on Display

HEYWOOD

Go Carts AND Baby Carriages

Are ready, too, for your choosing.

Credit You? Certainly

THE ECONOMY

321-323-325-327 Wyoming Ave

THE DECASED WAS A BRIGHT AND INTELLIGENT CHILD.

His death is mourned by all who knew him.

A four-months-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Barth, of 1822 Price street, died yesterday.

Anthony, the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Engle, of South Washington avenue, died yesterday and will be buried in Washburn street cemetery this afternoon.

EXTRA ELECTRIC LIGHTS.

City Controller Will Sign for Payment of Only \$10.

City Controller Howell states that he will positively refuse to sign during the coming year for any more electric lights than are included in the general appropriation ordinance, namely, \$10, the number paid for during the past year.

There have been during the year ordinances providing for four lights signed by Mayor Molr and he now has ordinances providing for four more in his hands.

There are now pending in council ordinances providing for upwards of twenty more lights, and whether council will heed the controller's warning and refuse to pass them before reorganization is a thing to be seen, although it is pretty safe to prophesy that they will be passed for various reasons.

Free Book Wurst Lunch. All day at Fish's, 217 Penn avenue.

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A Card.

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MANY KINDS OF BRUSHES.

Are here for you to choose from—all good.

Paint Brushes... 15c to 15c

Counter Brushes... 35c to 75c

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Varnish Brushes... 5c to \$1.25

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The Popular House Furnishing Store.

Can you afford to be without a wringer when one costs such a small amount if bought of us?

For a short time we can sell you a wringer with ten-inch rolls and ball bearings, guaranteed for three years, for \$2.50.

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