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## CITY NOTES

**POST FUNERAL.**—The funeral of Norman B. Post will take place at the home of his father, Isaac Post, on Clay avenue, Thursday, March 29, at 2.30 p. m.

**HUGHES FUNERAL.**—The funeral of Mrs. Alice M. Hughes will take place this afternoon at 5 o'clock with services at the late residence, 175 Penn avenue, and interment in the Forest Hill cemetery.

**MEETING THIS AFTERNOON.**—The Ladies' Aid society of All Souls' Universalist church will meet at the residence of Mrs. F. E. Loomis, 545 Madison avenue, this afternoon. Tea will be served at 5 o'clock.

**WILL ELECT A DELEGATE.**—The members of Clearwater's union, No. 25, will hold a special meeting tomorrow night at their regular meeting place for the purpose of electing a delegate to the coming state convention at Lancaster.

**BRODIE FUNERAL.**—The funeral of the late Frederick Brodie, of 516 South Washington avenue, will take place tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. Services will be conducted at the cathedral and interment will be made in the Cathedral cemetery.

**MANDREW FUNERAL.**—The funeral of Mrs. Kate Mandrew took place yesterday morning from her late home on Wyoming avenue. A requiem mass was celebrated at St. Peter's cathedral and interment was made in the Cathedral cemetery.

**CONWAY INQUEST.**—Coroner Roberts made an autopsy yesterday in the case of Frank Conway, the boy who died at Bendham from injuries received by falling from a wagon. A jury was empaneled and an inquest will be held at Dougherty's hotel Friday evening.

**PHOTOGRAPHIC EXHIBITION.**—The finest exhibition of photographic art ever shown in central Pennsylvania, will be opened by a "private view" Thursday, March 29, at the club house of the Wilkes-Barre wheelmen, 139 South Main street. The exhibition will be open to the public March 30, 5 to 10 p. m., March 31, 2.30 to 10 p. m.

**BENEFIT FOR HOSPITAL.**—All persons interested in the good work being done in our midst by the Habernemann hospital are earnestly requested to be present at 3 o'clock on Friday, March 30, at the residence of Mrs. T. H. Watkins, on Monroe avenue, when plans will be discussed for the series of entertainments to be given in May for the benefit of that institution.

**DEBORAH VEREIN.**—The regular meeting of the Ladies' Deborah Verein which was to have taken place on Wed-

nesday evening, is postponed until Thursday evening at the same time and place. This postponement is caused by the entertainment to be given to the children of the Sunday school of the Hebrew Congregation of Anshe Chesed, which will take place this Wednesday evening at the Excelsior Social club at 7.30 o'clock. All the members of the congregation and their families are cordially invited.

### UNCALLED FOR LETTERS.

Those That Await Owners at the Postoffice.

List of letters remaining uncalled for at the Scranton postoffice, Lackawanna county Pa. March 25, 1900. Persons calling for these letters will please say "advertised" and give date of list.

Burt Adams, Mrs. L. S. Andrews (2), Miss S. E. Archibald, E. A., The Art Work for Women, Box 1258, Brown, Mr. Bowman, Mr. Bailey, P. W. Brown.

Charles E. Clark (2), Mrs. N. S. Collins, Carpenter Steel company, Master George Crawford, Charles M. Jeffries, Miss Nellie Doherty, Mrs. Minnie De Pister, David Davis.

E. L. Everett, Mrs. Fox, Miss Helen Fowler, Miss Loretta Flynn.

Miss C. Galpin, William Gill, Mrs. Etta Garrity, Mrs. Ollie Gundum, Dr. P. Hagelocher, L. G. Heth, Dr. Charles D. Jackson.

Elvin Kuschel, W. H. Krickbaum, Jr., Charles Kane, Edward Kenny, Miss Mrs. A. F. Neice, Charles A. Place, Mrs. Andrew Parlam, John A. Powers, George W. Pendleton, H. E. Robinson, Miss Nellie Regan, Dr. A. J. Richards, E. W. Ronneberger, Rudolph Robert.

William H. Shoffer, William F. Smith, F. W. Stark, C. E. Smith, Patrick Scanlan, Martin Tucker, Ruby Thomas, Mrs. T. Thomas for Mrs. Albert, Miss Mary Thompson, Mrs. J. D. Thomas.

Adolphine Vetter, Dr. George Vanicko, J. J. Weaver, W. Williams, L. Wood, Mrs. Mary Williams, R. H. C. Watkins, Mrs. Della Wetzel, Miss C. A. Westcott, Miss Agnes Walsh.

Robert Yarrow.

### THEY HAVE ORGANIZED.

#### Wilkes-Barre Has a Camp of the Spanish War Veterans.

Officers for the local camp of the Spanish-American War Veterans' association were elected at a meeting held at the armory last evening. They are as follows: Commander, Colonel C. B. Dougherty; senior vice-commander, Major F. L. McKee; junior vice-commander, Color Sergeant Boldt; adjutant, H. B. Alworth; chaplain, Sergeant Thomas Haggerty; officer of the day, William McCarthy; officer of the guard, Sergeant J. F. Tate, U. S. marine.

Several more were taken into the camp, among them Sergeant Tate, of the United States marine recruiting station in this city; Sergeant McFarland, John McGuintz, Charles M. Jeffries. An invitation is extended to all who saw service either in battle or in camp to join. A special meeting will be held the last Monday in April.

A committee on law was appointed consisting of H. B. Alworth, Harold Frantz, Charles M. Jeffries. A recruiting committee composed of Sergeants Tate, Reichard and Smith was also appointed.—Wilkes-Barre Record.

### JAMES GILDEA DEAD.

#### Was an Irish Comedian of Some Note with Many Friends Here.

James Gildea, an Irish comedian who was well known in this city, died a few days ago at Sumner, Ore. He was born in Carbondale and lived there until he became a young man. John Gildea, one of his brothers, resides in Clifton. He had been on the stage for the last seventeen years and was considered one of the most entertaining of the army of Irish comedians. His "turns" were always enlivened by something original. His last appearance in this city was with a vaudeville company which filled at the Casino at Music hall about three years ago. The police were last night informed by the police of Sumner and asked what disposition was to be made of the remains.

### ATTEMPT AT INCENDIARISM.

#### Firebug Tried to Set Fire to William Nichol's Store.

An attempt to set on fire the grocery store of William Nichol at the corner of Hampton and Tenth streets, was made early this morning, but was luckily discovered before the flames had gained any headway.

A couple of passersby saw the tiny blaze and immediately extinguished it. Investigation then showed that the boards had been saturated with oil. The matter was reported to the West Scranton police and efforts were made to locate the firebug.

### MR. JONES IS IMPROVING.

#### Gratifying Report Last Night from the Hospital.

Inquiry from the Habernemann hospital last night brought the gratifying report that District Attorney Jones is improving. His temperature was lower than on the previous day and his general condition much better. The hospital physicians more firmly hope to be able to avoid amputating his hand.

### TAKEN TO HOSPITAL.

#### Ex-Judge Stanton Is Now Dangerously Ill.

Hon. William H. Stanton was yesterday morning removed to the Lackawanna hospital from his home on Clay avenue.

The ex-judge has suffered from paralysis for some time and is now dangerously ill. He was resting quite easily late last night, however.

### To the Republicans of Lackawanna.

After mature deliberation, I present myself as a candidate for the nomination of recorder of deeds. As a steadfast Republican, I have taken an active part in every campaign during the past ten years and my efforts speak for themselves. In my official capacity, I have come in contact with people from every part of the county, and as it has always been my aim to render the greatest possible assistance to all, I appeal to my friends at this time for some consideration at the coming Republican primaries. Emil Bonn.

### Millinery Opening.

Tomorrow, Friday and Saturday, Dougherty & Thomas, 133 Wyoming avenue.

Becham's Pills will dispel the "blues."

# ABSENT WITNESSES EXPECTED TODAY

## GRAND JURY COUNTS ON AN IMPORTANT SESSION.

Superintendent E. J. Maloney, of the Telephone Company, and General Manager Frank Silliman, jr., of the Scranton Railway Company, Likely to Be on Hand—Nothing New of an Important Nature Developed Yesterday—Work of Passing on Transcript Cases Is Cleared Up—Many Bills Ignored.

Nothing new of an important nature developed yesterday in the grand jury room, or at least, if it did, it failed to leak out.

Most of the morning was spent in preparing the return of the big budget of ignored bills and the hitherto unimportant indictments, reported below, the sheriff having requested that action be taken in those matters, as a number of defendants against whom these indictments are directed, and in which the bills were ignored, are in the county jail, in default of bail.

The Seldman, Charles Sommers, Edward Knight, P. G. Walsh, Alderman John T. Howe and Constable Ira Mitchell were the only witnesses examined. The return of the grand jury was devoted to the consideration of the indictments that are to be returned against the oculmen and those mixed up in the slot machine scandal. The evidence material to the drawing up of the indictments is being condensed and systematically arranged by a sub-committee of the jury, so as to facilitate the work of the district attorney. The returns will not be made today and probably not till Friday.

Edward James Barry did not appear yesterday, as expected. He was called to Waverly by the serious illness of his mother.

Superintendent Edward J. Maloney, of the Central Pennsylvania Telephone and Supply company, upon being informed by a telephone message, to his office in Williamsport, that he was wanted by the grand jury and that an subpoena would be sent for him with a subpoena, replied that he would come without the subpoena and be on hand today.

General Manager Frank Silliman, jr., of the Scranton Railway company, is also expected to testify today. Carl W. McKinney has been subpoenaed to appear again and is also likely to be among today's witnesses. Appended is the return made yesterday morning:

### TRUE BILLS.

Malignous Mischief.—Robert Moyses; Lavinia Moyses, pro. M. J. Kishpaugh; Thomas Henry, pro. M. J. Kishpaugh; William Lester, pro. M. J. Kishpaugh; Aggravated Assault and Battery.—David J. Thomas, jr.; Steve Gont, pro. Perjury.—David E. Evans; Obadiah Duhant; Richard Morris; William T. Jones, pro.

### IGNORED BILLS.

Assault and Battery.—William McLaughlin; Benjamin Lupini, pro. to pay costs. William Shucus, James Bruns, pro. to pay costs. Frank Rotel; Patrick Gerrity, pro. to pay costs. Paul Mosen; Andrew Lukas, pro. to pay costs. J. W. Hoover; Helen Walleka; John Hannah, pro. to pay costs. Frank Yahunitz; Joseph Gileshik, pro. to pay costs. John Jordan; Elizabeth Jordan, pro. to pay costs. John Stanton, Harry Stanton, Frank Bruns; G. S. Brock, pro. to pay costs. Charles Kovatch; Ann Kovatch, pro. to pay costs. John McCoy; J. F. Reles; Lemmon, John, pro. to pay costs. Thomas Harrington; Anthony Corbett, pro. to pay costs. Alice in Clifton; Michael Koskove; Anna Hale, pro. to pay costs. Frank Seconda; John McCoskey, pro. to pay costs. John Collick; Stephen Schmitt, pro. to pay costs. Tony Chiland; John Heppson, pro. to pay costs. Frank Shimsky; Harry Freedman, pro. to pay costs. Charles M. Jeffries; Anthony Puntanavitch; Joseph Smith, pro. to pay costs. George Hakon, Mrs. George Hakon; Michael Wanuschick, pro. to pay costs. John Reilonik; Stephen Verba; Paul Woritz, pro. to pay costs. Anna Vaughn; Rosa Davis, pro. to pay costs. John Widner; Michael Shandly; John R. Vanduser, pro. to pay costs.

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### First Ball Game.

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### Conspiracy.

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Fraudulent Voting.—John Howard; Obadiah Day, pro. county to pay costs.

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Denims and Cretonnes, were 18c, now..... 12 1/2c

Silkolines and Madras, were 15c, now..... 9c

Rods, were 10c, now..... 5c

Poles, white, were 18c, now..... 12 1/2c

Double Width Tapestries, were 50c, now..... 35c

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