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PERSONAL

Mrs. M. Weiss and daughter, Annie, are visiting friends in New York city.

Mrs. M. A. Friedlander will sail Saturday for a three months' European tour.

Mrs. J. S. Schuster and daughter, Frances, are visiting friends in New York city.

Miss Lena Feldman, of Nashville, Tenn., is spending the summer with relatives in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon D. Hines, of Hart Lake, are spending a few days at Hurst Lake.

Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Ware, of Bridgeton, N. J., are visiting their son, Dr. H. B. Ware, of Clay Avenue.

Lawrence Hinesly Waters, son of Colonel L. A. Waters, graduated on Wednesday from the Hill school at Pottstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Elfinger, of North Main Avenue, are entertaining their daughter, Mrs. William H. Davies, of Trenton, N. J.

A. W. Dickson attended the graduating exercises at Princeton university yesterday. His son, James Rie, Dickson, was one of the graduates.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Barrett on Wednesday evening entertained a number of friends at their home on Grandview Avenue in honor of the seventeenth anniversary of their marriage.

Rev. James T. Kendall, of Reading, Pa., is spending several weeks with his daughter, Mrs. J. P. Graybe, of Marion street, this city. He will fill the pulpit of the Grace Lutheran church next Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Brooks, their daughter, Mrs. Willard Matthews, and Mr. and Mrs. James A. Lansing will sail from New York on Saturday on the Trave for a five weeks' visit to London and the Paris exposition.

Superintendent of Blast Furnaces Lee and Chief Engineer Ernst of the Lackawanna Iron and Steel company returned yesterday morning from a six weeks' tour of European industrial centers, undertaken for the purpose of securing technical information to be utilized in the construction of the new plant at Buffalo. Their impressions of the Paris exposition was not differing to the exposition officials. In their opinion the Paris show does not come up to the Chicago big fair.

Miss Minnie E. Peck, of Capose Avenue, has returned from Wyoming seminary, having spent the past year there in the study of music. Miss Peck is an artist of ability. Of one of her selections the Wilkes-Barre Record says: "Harmony in music was never better displayed in Kingston than last night in the Nelson Memorial hall at the commencement concert. A thorough understanding of the Paris exposition was not differing to the exposition officials. In their opinion the Paris show does not come up to the Chicago big fair."

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## RETURN JUDGES HAD A BIG JOB ON HAND

### COMPELLED TO DELEGATE PART TO OFFICERS AND CLERKS.

Convention Adjourned Late in the Afternoon and It Was 10 O'clock Last Night Before the Tabulations Were Completed—Footings Not Yet Ascertained—No Evidence Offered to Sustain the Contests Instituted—Some Minor Changes in the Rules Offered and Adopted.

The Republican return judges who assembled for the purpose of tabulating the returns met in this city yesterday to compile and compute the vote cast. It was a big task, owing to the number of offices and number of candidates, and late in the afternoon the return judges adjourned sine die, after delegating to the officers and clerks of the convention the task of completing the work of ascertaining the number of votes cast for each candidate.

The task of tabulating the returns was not completed until 10 o'clock last night, when an adjournment was taken until today, when the footings will be ascertained. The official returns tabulated yesterday vary but slightly from the unofficial returns printed in the Tribune Wednesday.

Some slight modifications of the rules were made by the convention.

At 10 o'clock the rooms of the Central Republican club were crowded and it was apparent they would not be large enough to accommodate the convention. At 10:15 Attorney A. A. Vosburg, the county chairman, called the convention to order and suggested that it was plain the room they were in would not be suitable for the convention. He therefore asked that the delegates suggest some more commodious room. Music Hall was selected and the delegates at once adjourned to that place.

It was 10:30 when the convention re-assembled in Music Hall and proceeded at once to business before it. On motion of C. E. Chittenden of this city, A. A. Vosburg was unanimously chosen temporary chairman of the convention. In accepting the office he said:

**MR. VOSBURG'S SPEECH.**

"I am thankful for this honor you have conferred upon me. I feel we have today in this nation a far different proposition confronting us than we had four years ago. Then the Republican party was opposed by a party with a leader and an issue. Now it has probably the same leader but it lacks an issue. The silver question is beyond resurrection.

"Opposed to Bryan will be that matchless Republican from Ohio, our present magnificent president, William McKinley. Between those men there ought to be little doubt about the result. McKinley's victory will be decisive.

"Whatever our individual opinions may be about the primary system which we are now operating we must all admit that it has given us a splendid ticket. It is our duty to lay aside whatever individual preferences we may have had before the primaries and work as a unit for the success of the ticket we selected Monday. If we do this a sweeping victory awaits us in November."

After Mr. Vosburg concluded the secretary of the county committee, Walter E. Davies, and J. H. Willman, of Jermyn, were elected temporary secretaries and Chairman Vosburg then announced the following committees:

Resolutions—C. E. Chittenden, John F. Hopewell, Fred Burr, George F. Millet and C. V. Terwilliger, all of Scranton.

Contests—T. F. Penman, John R. Edwards, George W. Jenkins, of Scranton; B. H. Wandell, of Covington, and B. E. Ackerly, of South Abington.

On motion of B. E. Ackerly the temporary organization was made permanent and the convention then proceeded to receive the reports of the return judges.

The report of the committee on resolutions was read by Secretary Willman and was adopted. The resolutions follow:

**THE RESOLUTIONS.**

The Republicans of Lackawanna county, by their representatives in convention assembled, set forth the following:

**RESOLUTIONS.**

We declare our unwavering loyalty and allegiance to the principles and the policies of the Grand Old Republican Party. Her platform we endorse, both national and state. Her administration we sustain, and we point to with pride and satisfaction. The pledges of the party in 1897 at St. Louis have been redeemed. The promises have been fulfilled. The planks of our national platform are today the laws of the land. The miserable Wilson-Gorman revenue, the tariff-making tariff, backing our industries and paralyzing our commerce, has given way to the Dingley Law, which has not only provided revenue sufficient to run the government in time of peace and protect American thrift and industry, but has broadened new life into trade and industry, loaded our commercial relations everywhere and, by reciprocal treaties, sent the products of our mills and factories the wide world over.

The almost forgotten, the bonds of the government are not lawed around to maintain the supply of gold in the treasury as in the days of Cleveland. Today they are being exchanged for 2 per cents and at a premium. Our financial credit, the highest and most valuable of our possessions, has been sold for a few cents and is being redeemed at a loss of 90 per cent.

The tax levied down at Hawaii, Cleveland, under McKinley's tariff, today over the island and its liberty loving people are sending a message to the national convention of our party at Philadelphia.

The blight of Spanish rule has been removed from Cuba and its history will be written in Spain and its consequences, while yet to be written.

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## OVERWORKED MEN, DELICATE WOMEN, SICKLY CHILDREN,

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## WANTED MORE MONEY.

### Return Judges Not Pleased with the Compensation Allowed by Executive Committee and Said So.

"We get more money or we leave the convention" was the cry of the return judges of North Scranton, who concluded a speech at the meeting of the return judges of the Republican party of the county at Music Hall yesterday.

For a minute or two it seemed as if the return judges would make good their threat.

During these few minutes Chairman A. A. Vosburg had troubles of his own, but he eventually succeeded in pouring oil on the troubled waters and got the return judges to refrain from going on strike.

When the arrangements for the primaries were being perfected the executive committee decided to allow each member of the board conducting the primaries the sum of \$1 for that service and the return judge \$3 additional for the day he would be in attendance at the meeting of these officials.

When the convention met yesterday morning there were murmurs of dissatisfaction over the compensation allowed and during the noon recess the delegates met and appointed John Wolf to formally present their grievance to the convention.

Mr. Wolf did so.

He said he thought the compensation was very small, especially in view of the amounts allowed by the candidates for their workers around the polls. He understood there was lots of money in the treasury of the county committee and he could see no reason for refusing to allow them decent compensation. Warning up to his work Mr. Wolf said: "We get more money or we leave the convention!"

William Corliss thought the compensation too meagre. "There is no reason," he said, "why the Republican party should ask men to work eight hours for \$3, as many members of the vigilance committees had to do on Monday."

Charles Bray, of the Northeast district of Lackawanna township, was vociferous in his demands for higher compensation. He has a good voice and it was at its best yesterday, when he said: "We want an answer to our demand right away!" everybody heard him.

Chairman Vosburg explained that the convention had nothing to do with fixing the compensation. That was the duty of the executive committee. He believed the committee would do the primary ought to have a higher compensation and had suggested such action at a meeting of the executive committee. He stated that he would issue a call at once for a meeting of the executive committee and lay the matter before them. He was sure the request would be granted.

"We want that committee called together right away!" said Bray in his loudest voice.

"It can't be done," replied Mr. Vosburg; "the members of it are scattered all over the county."

"Then the convention will come to an end," said several, but finally wiser counsel prevailed and the judges drew up the following petition, which will be presented to the executive committee.

To the Chairman of the Convention:

We, the return judges of this convention request payment of \$5 for today's services with \$2 for each of the other days, and \$100 for those of the outside of the city and booth rent of \$3.

Most of the judges took the compensation offered them, and if an additional amount is allowed by the executive committee it will be forwarded by mail.

## THE WEATHER OBSERVER.

### William E. Donaldson Is to Have Charge of New Station.

Postmaster Ripple yesterday received an official communication from H. S. Williams, acting chief of the weather bureau, informing him that after July 1, a weather station will be established here, in charge of Observer William E. Donaldson. Just who Mr. Donaldson is no one knows as yet.

Chief Willis Moore, of the bureau, will also be in the city about July 1, and will decide where the station is to be located. It seems to be a town square between the Connell and the Board of Trade buildings, as it is generally conceded that the federal building is not high enough.

## POLICE PICKINGS.

James Moutaugh, of Hickory street, was taken into custody early yesterday morning by Patrolmen Walsh and Fenney while beating his wife, whose screams for aid brought the policemen to the spot. He was fined \$5 yesterday morning and in default will go to the county jail for twenty days.

Henry Barton, who Wednesday night accosted Mounted Officer Burke on Penn Avenue and asked to be arrested, was arraigned before Mayor Mok yesterday morning and paid \$5. James Mallon and James Hasset last Wednesday night were ejected from a Lackawanna Avenue saloon. They immediately became disorderly and conducted themselves in such a manner that Patrolmen Day and J. D. Thomas, who were nearby, arrested them and took them to the Center street police station. They were fined \$5 apiece yesterday morning by Mayor Mok.

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## ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Y. W. C. A.

### HELD LAST NIGHT IN THE ASSOCIATION ROOMS.

Mrs. E. H. Ripple Was Re-elected President for the Tenth Time and the Majority of the Other Officers Were Again Chosen—Reports from the Various Branches Read Showing the Excellent Work Done During Past Year—Miss Savage Wants a Girl's Boarding Home.

The annual meeting of the Young Women's Christian association was held last night in the association rooms on Washington Avenue, and the reports of the several secretaries which were read showed the splendid work done by this organization during the past year. The old officers were all re-elected, with one exception.

The exercises proper were opened with an inspiring sacred song, after which Miss Florence Tompkinson, of Edwarddale, who was formerly the secretary of the South Scranton branch, gave a Scripture reading. The election of officers then took place, the following being unanimously chosen: President, Mrs. E. H. Ripple; vice-president, Mrs. D. W. Kennedy; recording secretary, Mrs. C. B. Derman; treasurer, Mrs. F. D. Watts; managers, terms to expire in 1903, Miss S. C. Kriehbaum, Mrs. William Hanley, Mrs. L. M. Gates and Mrs. George Howell.

All of the above were re-elected with the exception of Mrs. Howell, who was chosen in place of Mrs. R. J. Foster, who has resigned. Mrs. Ripple said that she had a great many objections to being elected president for the tenth time and said she would willingly decline the honor, should any young woman be willing to take the place.

**SECRETARY'S REPORT.**

Miss Charlotte Savage, the secretary, then read her annual report. In beginning, she told of the splendid work which she knew had been accomplished by the association but which it was hard to estimate. The great and good purpose had been to present Christ as a personal Lord and Savior. There were four different Bible classes taught, all being largely attended.

The educational work was not as great a success last year as it has been in the past, she stated, but better results were hoped for in the future. The gymnasium classes were largely attended and new methods of instruction will be introduced during the coming year. Another successful feature has been the luncheon and rest rooms, which are being worked in the central city may get a lunch at the lowest prices possible and may lie down and rest for a time in the middle of the day.

Miss Savage spoke very encouragingly of the domestic science school which has recently been established with marked success. In the line of suggestions she said that there is a great and pressing need in this city of a young women's boarding home, and she suggested that the association should endeavor to secure such a home for the city of town who are working in the city for meagre salaries could live in comfort away from the cheap boarding house with all its annoyances and discomforts. She stated that, in her opinion, such an institution could be made self-supporting.

## THE YEAR'S WORK.

In concluding her remarks, Miss Savage read an interesting set of statistics regarding the year's work in the central city branch, from which the following are culled: Total attendance, 61,024; attendance in lunch room, 34,586; attendance at Sunday afternoon meetings, 1,182; at Saturday afternoon, 2,587; at noonday prayer meetings, 347; at board meetings, 137; at Bible classes, 432; new members, 128; renewals of memberships, 192; attendance at elementary English classes, 482; situations secured by attendance at cooking school, 683; total membership, 570.

The reports of the North Scranton and South Scranton branches were also read and showed the excellent progress made in those parts of the city.

Among the special features of the work in North Scranton are the work among the girls in the lace factory and the girls' industrial school, the latter comprising sewing and domestic science classes, in which 124 girls are enrolled. In the South Scranton branch the educational work was especially successful, but the association is rapidly outgrowing its quarters.

The total attendance at the South Scranton branch for the year was 16,586 and in North Scranton, 124. The treasurer's report, which was read last night, includes the receipts and disbursements at the central city and all of the three branches. It was as follows:

RECEIPTS.	
Cash on hand per annual report	155 29
From memberships	919 00
From contributions	3,014 17
From educational department	10 25
From Young Women's	125 75
From lunch room	1,029 43
From entertainments and rentals	349 22
From gymnasium	349 75
From domestic science department	228 92
Miscellaneous	146 05
Total receipts	\$6,790 09
DISBURSEMENTS.	
For rents	\$1,422 60
For fuel	2,332 82
For educational department	81 90
For postage, printing and stationery	326 02
For lunch room	553 00
"Our Young Women"	352 00
For repairs	101 64
For insurance	24 89
For gas and electric light	220 00
For domestic science department	644 48
For miscellaneous	373 00
Total disbursements	\$6,763 08
Cash on hand	27 01

## REE-DIMMICK WEDDING.

### Impressive Nuptials in the Church of the Good Shepherd.

Among the notable weddings of the year will long be remembered that of Miss Lavinia Dimmick, eldest daughter of the late E. C. Dimmick, to Dr. Alfred Ree, of Manchester, England, which took place yesterday at 5 o'clock in the Church of the Good Shepherd, in Green Ridge. The distinction of the bride's family and the social position of all concerned, as well as the affection in which the bride is held by a large circle of friends brought together an exceptionally brilliant assemblage.

The church was elaborately decorated. The ceremony was performed by Bishop Creighton Coleman, of Delaware, assisted by Rev. E. R. Bateman, the rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd. The wedding music was very effective. Mrs. E. P. Price presided at the organ and a vested choir sang as the processional

## THEY WANT MR. ADAMS.

Hughes Bros., Liverymen, of Kingston, Buncoed by a Stranger.

A horse and buggy was stolen from Hughes Brothers' livery stable in Kingston by a very shrewd swindler, Wednesday morning, who is supposed to be heading this way. He went into the place of business and asked to have a horse and buggy. He was well dressed and had a general air of respectability about him. He was given a turnout, and after giving his name, Henry A. Adams, left. He has not been found yet, nor has the roan horse and black-top buggy he took with him. The horse weighs about 1050 pounds, and is blind in one eye. The man wore a light suit and slouch hat, is about six feet tall, weighs around 180 pounds, and seems to be about forty-five years of age.

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