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PERSONAL

James Knapp and Herman Ernst left for White Haven yesterday, advised.

Mrs. M. L. Jackson visited her son at Nantuxet Beach last Thursday.

Miss Nettie Severny, secretary of the board of health, spent yesterday at Binghamton.

Frederic H. Jones, city editor of the Dunkirk, N. Y., Herald, returned to Dunkirk, Saturday night.

Robert Crossen, of New York, is visiting his mother and sisters at their home on Madison Avenue.

Harry Pond, of the Scranton Forge and Iron Co., and Larry Rowland, of the Pine Bank, leave for the Thousand Islands today.

Attorney R. L. Gramla returned on Saturday from a two weeks' business and pleasure trip to Rochester, Buffalo, Erie and the Great Lakes.

Select Councilman Peter McCann and family, of West Scranton, have returned from Atlantic City, where they were guests of the Alderman.

Mrs. Mary Pierson, of Roanoke, Va., who was the guest of her mother, Mrs. W. H. Williams, of 514 Adams Avenue, left for her home Saturday.

Mrs. Frank W. Davis and family, of St. Clair, Pa., are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Archbold, 1925 Wayne Avenue.

Edmund Melbourn, of Scranton, a trumpeter in Troop B, seventh cavalry, left on the 10:00 Delaware, Lackawanna and Western train Saturday morning for New York en route to join his regiment at Quantico, Cuba. His furlough of forty days has now expired.

FELL FROM HIS HAMMOCK.
James Grady Also Fell a Distance of Twenty Feet.

James Grady, of Spruce street, was taken to the Lackawanna hospital in a badly bruised state yesterday, as the result of falling from his porch.

Late Saturday night Grady was reclining in a hammock, and while asleep rolled out and fell from the porch, a height of about twenty feet.

He was fortunate in that he was not more seriously injured.

WYOMING SEMINARY.

The seminary is one of the great preparatory schools of the country. Boys are thoroughly fitted here for Yale, Harvard, Wesleyan, Princeton and Syracuse universities; girls are fitted for Bryn Mawr, Vassar, Wellesley, Smith and the Woman's College, of Baltimore. The certificate of the school is accepted by all universities and colleges admitting students on certificates. Courses are offered also in literature, business, art, music and elocution. Fine dormitories. Science building with some of the best laboratories in the state. Beautiful chapel and first-class gymnasium. Thorough teachers, average- ing from ten to fifteen years' experience. Year opens September 12. For catalogue, address L. L. Sprague, D. D., president, Kingston, Pa.

A Capital Idea.

Goethe said that "One should see a fine picture and hear some good music every day." Busy people, who need most the relaxation and tonic of music, can have evening piano lessons at the Conservatory of Music, 604 Linden. Courses begin next week. Office, with telephone connections, open from 9:30 to 12 and 3 to 5.

Madame Timberman-Randolph's Vocal studies, Conservatory of Music, and 948 Prescott Avenue, reopen Monday, September 10th, 1900.

Read the full description of The Tribune's Educational Contest on fourth page.

LABOR DAY PARADE.
Today's Demonstration Will Be a Notable Event.

All arrangements are now completed for today's big labor demonstration, and from all indications the day will be observed as never before in the history of the valley.

Letters have now been received from Hon. George W. Harris, of Reynolds, Pa.; Rev. J. C. Spalding, of Latimer, and Eugene De Nedry, of Washington, D. C., who will deliver addresses during the afternoon and evening, assuring their presence and the various associations have all reported to Grand Marshal Gotthier.

The order of the parade will be as follows: The parade will be reviewed by the grand marshal and staff, and then on to the park. The parade will start at 10 o'clock.

The city will present an ornate appearance today, as in response to the request of the Labor Day committee, buildings will be lavishly decorated by city merchants. Practically all the stores, mills and factories will be closed in recognition of the day.

MEN'S UNION IS AGAIN ACTIVE

Causes the Arrest of a Number of Alleged Violators of the Liquor Laws—Accused Entered Jail.

After resting on their oars for awhile, the members of the Men's union have again started hostilities on the speak-easies, and Saturday marked the arrests of eight proprietors of tipping houses. With one exception the warrants were issued by Aldermen Miller and Howe, and the parties upon whom they were served were all held in \$500 bail. They are as follows: Annie McHale, 329 South Ninth street; John McGilbride, 1819 Brink street; John Morfitt, 1625 Brick street; Thomas Coyne, 1717 Luzerne street; Stephen Flanagan, 1717 Luzerne street; Thomas Flanagan, 1717 Luzerne street; Thomas Gerety, 556 Broadway; Abner Habernock, Olyphant.

Agent Robert Wilson, of the Men's union, appeared in court in all the cases. Several more warrants were issued which have not as yet been served. Many of the parties arrested have already been arraigned before Mayor Moir, and heavily fined for keeping speak-easies. Of those arrested were Stephen Flanagan, of 1717 Luzerne street, is one of the most notable. He was one of the first men arrested in the mayor's crusade, and was given a hearing and fined \$75. He continued keeping an unlicensed place, it is said, however, and this resulted in his arrest by the Men's union.

Kilbride and Coyne entered bail before Alderman Miller, and Moffitt before Alderman Myers. Abner Habernock, of Olyphant, entered bail before Alderman Howe, and all the others arrested gave bail before Alderman Miller.

The Men's union is making an especially strong effort to root out the speak-easies in North Scranton, as this section of the city is now more infested with the evil than any part of Scranton.

Besides these arrests, Mrs. Andrew Houghton, of the Ridge, Archbald, was taken into custody by Detective Will Clifford, of the Interstate Detective Agency, and was held in \$500 bail by Alderman Howe, on the charge of keeping a tipping house.

E. G. Burke, of the Hotel English, better known as the "White House," on Penn Avenue, was arrested Saturday, at the instance of County Detective Leshon, and held in \$500 bail by Alderman Howe, on the charge of selling liquor without a license. The defendant claimed to be selling under the license of Jifkins, the former proprietor. Mrs. Mary Jane Phillips, of 800 South Main street, already fined by Alderman Howe, on the charge of selling liquor, was held in \$500 bail by Alderman Miller, on the same charge, preferred by the county detective.

Patrick Walsh, of 504 South Main Avenue, was arrested on Saturday, at the instance of Constable John Lance, who charged Walsh with keeping a speak-easy. Bail was furnished before Alderman Moses in the sum of \$500.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT TODAY.

It Will Be One of the Labor Day Events at Carbondale.

The arrangements for the tennis tournament on Monday have all been made, and some hard fights are expected. Four Carbondalians, four from Scranton and one Montrose man have entered.

The last practicing went on this morning, and this afternoon the clubmen are fixing their courts. New dividing tapes are being placed and necessary leveling done. The way the play will go follows:

Rutherford, of Carbondale, and Russ, of Scranton, will do the preliminary match. The winner will meet Morris, of Scranton. The winner of this will, in the second round, meet the winner of the sets between Aitken, of Carbondale, and Lathrop, of Scranton.

Swigert, of Carbondale, will meet Shaffer, of Scranton, and the winner here will, in the second round, meet the winner between Crane, of Carbondale, and Shaffer, of Montrose. The man who are undefeated in the second round will play for position in the final.

In the doubles Aitken and Rutherford will play the Shaffer brothers, and the winning team will meet the winners of the play between Crane and Swigert and Russ and Morris.—Carbondale News.

CENTRAL LABOR UNION MEETS

Arrangements Completed for Today's Big Parade.

A meeting of the Central Labor union was held yesterday afternoon in Carpenters' hall at which the general routine business was transacted and arrangements were made for today's big Labor day parade.

Reports were also made showing that the recent action of the association in deciding to boycott all merchants employing non-union clerks has already borne fruit.

Union men throughout the county approve heartily of the move and since the adoption of it the Clerks' association has been augmented by forty-five new members. The Central Labor union officers declare that this method is no an arbitrary one, but is merely intended to better the present conditions of both the male and female workers.

WHAT DILCHER SAYS ABOUT A STRIKE

DENIES THAT IT IS FOR BENEFIT OF SOFT COAL REGION.

Believes the Union Is Strong Enough to Tie Up the Anthracite Region if Necessary—Views of an Operator About the Present Condition of Affairs—Suggests That Miners Make a Visit to the Bituminous Region and Ascertain the Exact Conditions There.

Fred C. Dilcher, a member of the National executive board of the United Mine Workers at Wilkes-Barre yesterday denied emphatically that the threatened strike in this region is for the purpose of benefiting the soft coal trade. He said: "In case of a strike here not a pound of soft coal will find its way into the anthracite markets—not if we have to shut down every soft coal colliery in the country."

"It is desired," he said, "that there shall be no strike, but there will be a strike, undoubtedly so, if the operators do not meet us. The position we give in this respect to the contrary. The delegates there favored a strike at once, but we advised that no hasty action be taken. If the operators do not meet us, the consequences of the strike will be on them."

Asked if the union was strong enough to tie up all the miners in the anthracite region, he said: "If there has to be a strike it can close down every colliery in the three anthracite districts, from Carbondale to Shamokin, despite all reports to the contrary. This anthracite district is now one of the best organized. Over five thousand new members have joined the union during the past week. One local union, which formerly had thirty-five members, increased to 900 in two weeks. We can close down every colliery here in forty-eight hours."

BRYANT ROBBED AND THEN STABBED

Unknown Colored Woman Committed Both Crimes—Disappeared During the Excitement Following the Cutting.

William Bryant, of 716 Court street, North Scranton, an employe in the Scranton Stove works, lay in a hospital at the Lackawanna hospital yesterday, suffering from several stab wounds, which he says were inflicted early yesterday morning by a colored woman, who first picked his pocket, and then stabbed him with a small dagger on his attempting to recover his stolen pocketbook.

Bryant has a bad cut in the middle of his back, where the point of the weapon penetrated, another wound in his neck, and one in the back of his head. His right hand is badly gashed across the back.

The story of the stabbing can best be told in his own words. The version he gave to a Tribune man yesterday was as follows:

"I was standing at Penn Avenue and Linden street, about 12 o'clock, waiting for a Providence bound car, when a colored woman came up to me and asked for the time. My arms were full of packages, which I then had to hold together with the other. The woman brushed against me, as I looked at the watch, but I thought nothing of it at the time. She then asked me the way to some street, I can't recall the name, and walked off hurriedly. Something in her actions aroused my suspicion, and I put my hand in my coat pocket, where my pocketbook, containing a pretty large sum of money, was a moment before.

"The woman was gone, and I hastened after her. She walked as far as Myrtle Avenue and then turned sharply and began walking toward Mulberry street. I caught up to her and, gripping her by the arm, said, 'Here, my friend, I want my pocketbook.' She denied having it, but I saw her outline in the bosom of her dress, and grasped at it. She struck me in the back, and for the time I felt no pain, being excited by such a pitch. I could feel her strike me again and again, but, strange to say, did not know I was stabbed until the blood pouring down my hand.

"A colored man, who had followed us, here interfered, but I lunged on to the woman until some men arrived, who were standing at Penn Avenue at the time she snatched my purse, and who came on to see what would develop.

"On their arrival the woman handed over the pocketbook, and one of the men went for the police. Before he got back, I fainted away, and all the while she was running away. I was bleeding, rushed to help me. The woman took advantage of this, and managed to escape before the officer arrived.

"She was a small woman, and wore a black dress. She had a wig on, and while wrestling with her, I pulled it off."

The police have not as yet arrested the woman, but are on her track. Many complaints have been received at headquarters of late, of cases of property being picked. In a similar manner to that in which Bryant was victimized, and his assailant is thought to be the guilty party in many instances.

AT THE MOSES TAYLOR.

D. L. and W. Employes Received Injuries Saturday.

Leonard Sharpe, a brakeman on the Lackawanna, had his right foot crushed Saturday, as the result of slipping while trying to board an engine at Spencer's mine, Dunmore. He was taken to the Moses Taylor Hospital.

Edward Kerrigan, of South Scranton, was squeezed between two coal cars at the Cayuga mine Saturday and received slight injuries. He is being attended to at the Moses Taylor hospital.

REAR D IT WITH HORROR.

Those who have seen the results of previous strikes regard the coming trouble with a prospect of horror. It is a fact that there is great unrest in the anthracite region—in fact, more than for years—but there is still a large and conservative element that believes that a clash can be averted by compromise. Very little has been attempted in this regard, and the general opinion of many that both sides can yet be brought together, though the operators did refuse to meet the miners' delegates a few days ago, which action has necessitated, if not aggravated, the present difficulty.

One feature has up to this time been over-

THE SECRET WAS OUT.

"How did you become so great a player?" asked a lady of Mendelssohn, "By working like a horse, my dear," he replied. The average piano student does not work to that extent, but he will work harder, with greater enthusiasm, and attain quicker results, at less expense, under the Facien method, at the Conservatory of Music, than under any other. Private lessons are also given to those who prefer lessons of half the length, at more than double the expense, with less than half the advantages. Courses begin next week. Office, 604 Linden, open from 9:30 to 12 and 3 to 5. Telephone connections.

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