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DR. TAYLOR, DENTIST... 131 Wyoming Avenue, next door to Hotel Jermyn... LACKAWANNA "THE" LAUNDRY... THE WEATHER YESTERDAY.

PERSONAL... City Detective John W. Moir is back at work again after a short vacation... WYOMING SEMINARY... Change in Time Schedule... Alfred Wooler is Now Ready for pupils in Vocal Culture and Harmony.

ECHO OF THE EXPLOSION. Valuable Searf Pin, Stolen by One of the Workmen, Is Recovered. Attorney P. F. Loughran yesterday recovered a diamond set opal scarf pin that was among the most valuable he and his family lost in the Merchants and Mechanics' bank building explosion, August 4, last.

NOT PUTTING LIGHTS AROUND COLLIERIES Superintendent Loomis Denies a Story That Has Been Going the Rounds—Colliers Are Now Working Full Time.

A Tribune man interviewed Superintendent Loomis yesterday afternoon, with reference to the printed report that the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western company is placing lights about its collieries for the purpose of affording light in the event of a strike, when there is possibility of acts of vandalism being committed after dark.

The only lights being put in place are at the Diamond washery, and these were ordered long before the strike was ever thought of, says Superintendent Loomis. Electric lights have been in general use at many of the collieries for a long time, and such an idea has never been thought of by the officials as is rumored. Regarding the statement published in an afternoon paper that the company's bosses went around to all of the repair men and asked them if they would act as deputies in the event of a strike, and that two hundred men employed at the car shops have expressed their willingness to act as deputies, Mr. Loomis says there is absolutely no truth in such statements.

DETECTIVES BROUGHT HERE. Fifteen More to Help Along the Men's Union Work. Fifteen additional detectives were brought to this city from New York and Philadelphia agencies yesterday and set to work by the Men's union.

WYOMING SEMINARY. The seminary is one of the great preparatory schools of the country. Boys are thoroughly fitted here in Yale, Harvard, Wesleyan, Princeton and Syracuse universities; girls are fitted for Bryn Mawr, Vassar, Wellesley, Smith and the Woman's College, of Baltimore.

J. T. Watkins' Studio of Vocal Art. Mr. Watkins has resumed instruction in voice culture and singing, and is now ready to arrange with former and new pupils for lessons. Voices heard free, at L. B. Powell & Co.'s music rooms.

The Misses Merrill's Private School for Primary and intermediate pupils, will open Monday, September 10th, 413 Jefferson Avenue.

GALLAGHER TOLD ABOUT THE COMBINE Councilmen Wanted to Be Put on Railway Company's Pay Roll

SENSATIONAL TESTIMONY. Gallagher Said He Was Invited to a Conference at the St. Charles Hotel Where Four Selectmen, Who Claimed to Represent Fourteen, Demanded That Each of Them Receive \$25 Per Month to Look After the Scranton Railway Company's Interests in the Way of City Legislation—Gallagher Also Said That Councilman McCann Handled the Money for the Selectmen in the Telephone Deal—Specific Denial Was Made by McCann.

There was another hearing before Alderman Frederick Fuller yesterday afternoon in the cases against Councilmen Thomas C. McKin and James J. Grier charged with soliciting bribes for their votes and giving bribes to other city officials, and Carl W. McKinney, charged with giving money to councilmen for their votes.

Two witnesses were examined. They were P. W. Gallagher, former claim agent of the Scranton Railway company, and Peter F. McCann, select councilman from the fourteenth ward for the last twelve years. Gallagher gave some damaging testimony against McCann and others. McCann entered a specific denial of everything Gallagher had said about him.

McCANN MADE DENIAL. Peter F. McCann was then called, and denied that he ever had any business dealings with P. W. Gallagher about city legislation; that he ever handled any money to be paid to councilmen, or that he ever received anything from the telephone or Scranton Railway company for his vote. He never told Gallagher, he said, that he had paid \$200 to R. H. Williams for the telephone deal, or that he ever agreed with Gallagher that councilmen should have \$150 for their vote on that measure.

THE TELEPHONE DEAL. "I did," was the reply, and in reply to subsequent questions he said he did some lobbying for the Central Pennsylvania Telephone and Supply company to secure assignments to an ordinance granting a franchise to a rival company of which Hon. W. L. Connelley was a prominent stockholder.

WALLACE SINGER SCALDED. Wallace Singer, of Fourth street, was badly scalded yesterday at noon, while attempting to repair a leak in a steam pipe, leading up to a boiler owned by the Scranton Coal company. The company is engaged in pumping the water out of No. 2 shaft, which is near the Dunmore station of the Erie and Wyoming Valley railroad.

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delivered to him in the office of the Scranton Railway company, and was a currency. He could not remember the amount. He gave no receipt for and never made a report to Maloney as to what it was expended for.

MERELY SAW THEM. "I can remember a few I saw, and if I mention them it would look as if I was singling them out." After a good deal of urging, the witness finally admitted that he saw Hon. W. L. Roche at his home on the ordinance with Richard H. Williams at the Central mine, where he is employed. He did not offer or pay these men anything.

On Thursday at 10 a. m., there will be a procession and parade on the trotting course of all horses, carriages and all harnesses. Entries will be taken around the course. At 2 p. m., there will be more speed trials, among them the 240 class trot and pace, purse, \$100; 2:30 class, trot and pace, purse, \$200; a sack race, premium \$5, and a wheelbarrow race for a \$5 premium.

BALLOON ASCENSION. At noon Friday Aeronaut Baker will ascend again in his mammoth balloon and at 2 o'clock a contest for horses in the 2:33 class, trotter or pacer, will take place, for which a purse of \$125 is hung up, as well as a free-for-all trot and pace for \$200.

THE ANNUAL RIFLE MATCH. Thirteenth Regiment's Rifle Team Yesterday Left for Mt. Gretna. The Thirteenth regiment's rifle team left the city early yesterday morning for Mt. Gretna, where the annual rifle match is being shot this week.

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ANNUAL FAIR AT WALLSVILLE PARK OPENS THIS MORNING AND LASTS FOUR DAYS.

There Will Be Racing on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, When a Number of Good Horses Will Contest—Aeronaut Baker Will Give Balloon Ascensions on Tuesday and Friday—On Friday the Feature of the Day Will Be an Automobile Race.

The fifth annual exhibition and agricultural fair of the Maitland Fair and Driving Park company, which is held every September at Wallsville, Lackawanna county, opens today and will continue for three more days, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of this week.

Tomorrow the gates will be opened to the public at 7 a. m. At noon there will be a balloon ascension by Aeronaut Baker. The features for the day will be a three-minute class trot and pace for a purse of \$100, a 2:27 class trot and pace for a purse of \$125, a sack race of 100 yards for a \$10 premium, divided into two prizes of \$7 and \$3.

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THE PREMIUMS. The list of premiums for agricultural, farm and home exhibits is divided into sixteen departments, subdivided into various classes in each department. The following brief summary shows how extensive the premium list is and how many objects of interest the onlooker will have to gaze at:

Department 1—Horses—Class 1, standard horse; class 2, coach horse; class 3, road horse; class 4, light horse; class 5, miscellaneous, including ponies and saddle horses.

Department 2—Thoroughbred Cattle—Including Jersey, Holstein, Guernsey, Ayrshire, Devon, etc.

Department 3—Poultry—including chickens, turkeys, ducks, geese, pea fowl, white and parti guinea fowl, English pheasants, ring-necked pheasants and silver pheasants, rabbits and pigeons.

Department 4—Swine. Premiums of \$3 for first and \$2 for second for eight varieties of hogs and sows and pigs.

Department 5—Fruit and canned fruits. Department 6—Vegetables—including twenty-seven varieties of potatoes, beets, carrots, kohlrabi, onions, peppers, pumpkins, squash and all the staple products of the field and garden.

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Department 9—Fruits and canned fruits. Department 10—Dairy products. Department 11—Bread and pastry. Department 12—Domestic Manufacture—Best display of rag carpets, rugs, washes, yarn, hand soap and soft soap, all to be made by exhibitors; crocheted work, knitted work, etc., embracing everything that can be made in the way of knitting from a pair of cotton lamp matts to a slimmer robe or a pair of silk stockings.

Department 13—Fancy Work (Work to be made by exhibitors)—Including table scarfs, lace doilies, best drawn and pressed gloves, trays and carving clubs, Kensington and Roman embroidery, Dutch point, Irish point, netted work, Battenberg or renaisance, Brazilian point, outline work, applique work, rag carpets, rugs, washes, yarn, hand soap and soft soap, all to be made by exhibitors; crocheted work, knitted work, etc., embracing everything that can be made in the way of knitting from a pair of cotton lamp matts to a slimmer robe or a pair of silk stockings.

Department 14—Painting, etc.—Best oil painting, water color, painting on china, satin, silk or plush, organ portiere, paper, portrait, studio, cartoon or caricature, wax work, artificial flowers, etc.

Department 15—Special prizes limited to the public school children of Lackawanna county under 15 years of age. Best fresh-hand drawing, best fresh-hand drawing map of Pennsylvania, best mechanical drawing, best specimen of penmanship.

Department 16—Horse plants, etc.

Department 17—Horse plants, etc.

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