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THE WEATHER YESTERDAY.

Local data for Oct. 31, 1900.

Highest temperature	52 degrees
Lowest temperature	45 degrees
Humidity	81 per cent.
8 a. m.	81 per cent.
5 p. m.	81 per cent.

PERSONAL.

Miss Alice Warner, of Muller's street, is visiting friends in Washington, D. C.

Thomas Tomlinson, of this city, has been elected secretary of the junior class at the Dickinson Law school.

Miss M. E. Healey, of Wyoming avenue, is in Philadelphia, attending the wedding of her brother, James W. Healey.

Richard R. Windsor, traveling passenger agent of the Old Dominion Steamship company, was in the city yesterday on a brief business mission.

Dr. Harry Van Bergen and wife, formerly of this city, and Miss Katherine Van Bergen, of Carbonate, have gone to Los Angeles, Cal., where they will make their home.

Mrs. Henry Sively gave a Halloween party to sixteen invited friends at the Speedway home on Tuesday evening. A splendid roast dinner was served, and the guests were handsomely entertained with vocal and instrumental music.

ADDITIONAL CONTRIBUTIONS.

Money Still Flowing in for Home for the Friendless.

The contributions to the Home for the Friendless fund are still coming in and are thankfully received. The following are acknowledged:

Elm Park church	\$5.21
(In addition to amount previously credited)	
Thomas Hickson	1,000.00
T. H. Watkins	500.00
Joseph J. Jernyn	500.00
Mrs. W. B. Kennedy	100.00
J. P. Carter	20.00
T. C. Von Stern	25.00
A. D. Stoll	25.00
Mrs. Mary W. Cullin	25.00
George H. Cattell	20.00
Casey Bros.	10.00
W. B. McClave	10.00
Christ church	3.50

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

Under this heading short letters of interest will be published when accompanied, for publication, by the writer's name. The Tribune does not assume responsibility for opinions here expressed.

The Bible Man.

Editor of The Tribune—

Sir: I am quite sure that many of your readers will be interested in a new word from "The Bible Man."

I have just returned from a tour of six months in four counties—Bradford, Sullivan, Wyoming and Susquehanna—having traveled 1,200 miles with horse and carriage, with my survey changed into a real "Bible Depository,"—making 3,440 calls at homes and business places of the people, distributing 2,463 volumes of the Scriptures, 2,200 by sale and 264 by gift; supplying 180 destitute families and 200 individuals that were not personal owners of a Bible or Testament.

It was my privilege also to visit many of the churches of the different denominations, and to deliver 104 sermons and addresses in the interest of the work of the Bible society. The pastors and friends of the Bible gave us a welcome and encouragement almost without exception. We found a greater demand for the Scriptures and distributed more volumes than ever before in a half year.

In three years and a half I have traveled 12,017 miles, while engaged in this home missionary work, distributed 9,112 volumes of the Scriptures, supplied 220 destitute families and 3,517 individuals and delivered 566 sermons and addresses.

I expect to spend a month in Chicago visiting our daughters, Mrs. Dr. J. W. McGuire and Miss Maude Payne, and then return to resume the "Bible work" in Lackawanna county about the last of November.

Yours truly,
G. HARNED.

DRIVER BOY KILLED.

William Walburne Struck by a Falling Slab of Rock.

William Walburne, a driver boy in the Cayuga mine, was instantly killed by a fall of rock yesterday morning about 10 o'clock. The boy was waiting for the men to load the car in the chamber and was sitting on the ground, when a slab of rock, without the least warning, fell, killing him instantly.

The men removed the boy quickly, but he was dead when picked up. The limp body was removed to the surface and the mine ambulance summoned. The physician said that death had been instantaneous. The remains were taken to the boy's home, on Brick avenue. Young Walburne was 15 years of age and well liked among his comrades.

MAY SECURE AN INJUNCTION.

Mayor Doesn't Believe That Dyer Should Be Paid.

Should common council tonight pass the resolution providing for a settlement of the claims of ex-Patrolmen Dyer and Saul against the city, over Mayor Moir's head, it may be that his honor will go into court to secure an injunction restraining the city from paying the claim of Dyer.

He believes that while Saul may be entitled to his money, having filed a claim, that Dyer is not, inasmuch as there is no claim of his to settle. It is pretty definitely understood that the mayor will apply for such an injunction if the resolution is passed.

KILLED BY A FALLING DERRICK

John Butterman, Jr., Crushed Beneath It in the E. & W. V. R. R. Yard Yesterday.

John Butterman, Jr., of 1007 Paul street, Petersburg, was killed yesterday afternoon by being struck by a falling derrick at the Erie and Wyoming Valley railroad yards at Dunmore.

Butterman, who was the son of Alderman John Butterman, of Petersburg, was doing his first day's work as a laborer in the employ of the McClintock Marshall Construction company, which is building several new shops in the yard for the Erie company. A large derrick was erected near the railroad tracks, and one of the ropes which held this in place extended across the tracks.

The men employed on the job were busy at work about 2 o'clock, when one of the Erie and Wyoming engines came down the track, and passing over the rope severed it. The instant the cable was cut there was a terrific crash, as the big derrick pole fell to the ground. Butterman, who was working under it, was struck full in the head by the huge timber, and with a loud cry prostrated beneath the derrick.

James Kearney, John Mavor, Michael O'Hara, James Mulherin and John O'Donnell, who were working nearby, with his assistance and extracted him from his position. A physician was summoned, but before he arrived Butterman was dead, his skull having sustained a compound fracture. Coroner Roberts was notified, and the remains were removed to the deceased's late home.

Butterman is survived by his wife, a two-year-old daughter, Loretta, and his father, two brothers, Frank and Michael J., and three sisters, Katherine, Elizabeth and Mable.

He was thirty-one years of age, and lived in this city through out his entire life. For many years he was employed by J. D. Williams & Bro., and until recently was one of the employes of M. J. Kelly. The date of the funeral has not yet been decided upon.

WINTER EXCURSION TICKETS ON THE PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

On November 1 the Pennsylvania Railroad company will place on sale at its principal ticket offices excursion tickets to all prominent winter resorts in New Jersey, Virginia, North and South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Cuba and Central America. The tickets will be sold at the usual low rates, with the usual liberal return limits.

The magnificent facilities of the Pennsylvania railroad, with its many connections and through train service, make this the favorite line for winter travel.

An illustrated book, descriptive of winter resorts, and giving routes of travel and rates for tickets, will be furnished free after November 1 on application to ticket agents.

Card of Thanks.

I desire to thank my many friends for their expressions of kindness and able assistance during my recent bereavement and especially to the choir of the Methodist Episcopal church of Dunmore and Presbyterian church of Petersburg for the services so kindly rendered and so freely given.

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When You Get a Headache

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Resolutions.

At a meeting of the Vestry of St. Luke's church held October 30, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, by the reason of the removal of his business and residence from Scranton, Mr. Anthony D. Holland has resigned his positions as a member of St. Luke's Vestry, and as Junior Warden of the Parish, therefore be it Resolved, That the Vestry and Vestry of St. Luke's church do hereby give, with unfeigned regret, the resignation of our friend and long time associate.

In doing so, we feel it a privilege to place on record our sense of the great loss the Parish of St. Luke's, the diocese of Central Pennsylvania and the general community as well will experience from this severance of relations which have been so pleasant during the 24 years or more, of Mr. Holland's connection with St. Luke's church and vestry.

And not only in that relation, but as a friend and helper of the rectors of the parish, and on all who came within his knowledge, as meeting advice, sympathy and prayers, we wish to express our sincere appreciation. We wish for him and his family much happiness in their new home, a maintenance of the pleasant personal relations he has had with us, and pray that God's richest blessings may always accompany them.

Yesterday's Marriage Licenses.

Martin Wittig.....Scranton
Annie Belle Carr.....Scranton
Christ Schillingler.....Scranton
Ella Heinen.....Scranton
Michael Hooch.....Scranton
Annie Hevel.....Scranton

MORE MINERS RESUME WORK

FOREST AND GREEN RIDGE COLLIERIES STILL TIED UP.

Obnoxious Boss at the Clark Tunnel Removed to Satisfy the Demands of the Employees—Nay Aug Colliery Men Return Upon Being Brought to Understand the Terms of the Offer—President Mitchell Leaves with Many Tokens of Regard—Greeting from Dilcher.

By Monday at the latest it is confidently expected all the miners will have returned to work in the Lackawanna region. The only men still idle are those of the Forest Mining company at Archbald and the Green Ridge Coal company in this city. Conferences have been held between operat-

ors and employes in both instances, and an adjustment is expected to be reached at any hour.

The Clark Tunnel men returned to work yesterday morning. George Speeder, the objectionable assistant foreman, which is building several new shops in the yard for the Erie company. A large derrick was erected near the railroad tracks, and one of the ropes which held this in place extended across the tracks.

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CALL FOR FOUR YEARS MORE.

Hon. John T. Williams, a man of sterling worth, and a business man of the best type, tells why McKinley should be elected in the following language:

"I believe in the country's custom of re-electing a successful president. Mr. McKinley's administration has been such and hence I favor his re-election. There cannot now be any doubt of his qualifications for the place at the head of the nation. He has integrity, energy and firmness and experience in the affairs of the government.

"I am in favor of the re-election of President McKinley because the gold standard and prosperity have proved a blessing all over the country, and I have more confidence in facts than I have in theories.

"I believe the industrial portion of the country demands the re-election of Mr. McKinley. The business and the laboring men call for four years more of his administration."

EXPLOSION AT PANCOAST MINE

Thomas King, Peter McKetrick, Geo. Barnes and an Italian Laborer Were All Seriously Burned.

At 9:30 o'clock yesterday morning a pocket of gas in one of the chambers at the Pancoast mine became ignited and in the explosion which followed, Thomas King, of Parker street, North Scranton; Peter McKetrick, of Princeton; George Barnes and an Italian laborer, named Peters, were all seriously burned.

King was taken to the Lackawanna hospital, and the other men were removed to their homes. The explosion occurred some time after the men had entered the chamber and begun work. There was a loud report, a fierce blaze and every one of the four laborers was more or less injured. King, whose injuries were the most serious, was immediately taken to the Lackawanna hospital. He was badly burned about the face and arms.

McKetrick's burns were of a similar nature. All the men were last night reported to be resting easily.

A MEMORIAL SERVICE.

Presbyterians Honor Memory of Their Martyred Missionaries.

A memorial service was last evening conducted in the lecture room of the First Presbyterian church in honor of the Presbyterian missionaries massacred by the Boxers in China who have lately lost their lives in China.

The services were well attended and were presided over by the pastor, Rev. James McLeod, D. D., who made a brief address. He read the names of the Presbyterian missionaries massacred by the Boxers in commencing his remarks.

"We ought to thank God," said he, "for giving us such loyal Christian men and women, and I take great pride in saying that, as far as I have been able to learn, they all belonged to the synod of Pennsylvania."

Continuing, he said: "The present persecutions in China are slight compared with the persecutions which Christians have endured in former ages. All attempts to overthrow Christianity have always failed and always will fail, because Christianity is of God and cannot be overthrown."

A brief address was also made by Judge Alfred Hand, who expressed the belief that the martyrdom of these noble men and women in China would inspire Christians in all parts of the world with a truer and a better Christianity.

ARRESTED ON SUSPICION.

Frank Sloane and George E. Davis Had Too Much Jewelry.

Frank Sloane and George E. Davis, two men of ragged gait and rather disreputable appearance were yesterday afternoon arrested on suspicion by Detective Moir, Mounted Officer Bloch, and Constable Will Thomas. The men were secretly trying to dispose of an amount of jewelry, and this came to the ears of the police.

The two were arrested yesterday afternoon in a Penn avenue hotel and were found to have in their possession a package containing an amount of cheap watch-fobs and scarf pins, and some jewelry which was of considerable value. They were taken to the Central station, and to-day will be given a strict examination.

RECEIVING THE RETURNS.

Arrangements Made by Republican County Committee.

On election night the Republican county committee will receive returns in the large unoccupied store room on the first floor of the Burr building on Washington avenue.

Telephone and telegraph instruments will be put in and the returns from county, state and nation will be read as received.

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TO WIPE OUT JUDGMENTS

ROCHE WANTS A SPECIAL BOND ISSUE OF \$100,000.

Will Introduce an Ordinance Providing for a Special Election to Secure Taxpayer's Consent—There Are Now About \$83,000 of Outstanding Judgments Which Are Drawing Six Per cent. Interest, Whereas Bonds Could Be Floating at Probably Three and a Half.

Select Councilman John E. Roche, of the Seventh ward, will introduce in council tonight an ordinance providing for a special election for the purpose of submitting to the vote of the taxpayers of the city a proposal to issue bonds in the sum of \$100,000 for the purpose of paying off all judgments and all other adjudicated claims now outstanding against the city.

The issuance of \$100,000 worth of bonds for such a purpose, while being technically an increase of the city's indebtedness, is not in reality an increase, inasmuch as it would be merely the substitution of one debt for another. Nevertheless, as it is a technical increase, it cannot be done without the consent of a majority of the taxpayers of the city.

The necessity of having such an issue of bonds has long been apparent to those who have any knowledge of municipal affairs. There are now outstanding against the city some \$83,000 worth of judgments and other adjudicated claims. By the latter are meant damage claims which councils have authorized settlement of.

Each and every one of these judgments and claims bears interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum until paid. Each year there is appropriated for the purpose of paying them a sum averaging about \$12,000, known as the judgment fund, which is appropriated to pay off the judgments. This appropriation is generally diverted to other purposes and very little of it is ever used in paying off judgments.

Now, municipal bonds generally bear interest at the rate of three and a half or four per cent, so that the issuance of \$100,000 worth of these bonds to pay off the judgments is purely and simply a business proposition, which means the saving of two per cent. interest annually on that amount.

Mr. Roche believes that there can be no possible objection to the proposition, either on the part of councilmen or taxpayers, and hopes to see the ordinance speedily passed and the issuance of the bonds authorized by the voters.

The \$100,000 will not quite wipe out the total amount of judgments with their accrued interest, but it is expected that if a liberal appropriation is made for judgments and incidentals next year that this can be done.

The question of providing for such an issue of bonds has been discussed in and around city hall for the past year, but Mr. Roche is the first one to take any active step in the matter.

TONIGHT'S WRESTLING MATCH.

Frank Gehle Arrived in the City Last Night.

Frank Gehle, of Piqua, O., who is to wrestle M. J. Dwyer tonight at the Scranton Bicycle club, made his appearance at the Tribune office last night, looking hale and hearty. He reports himself in the pink of condition and looks the part.

Mr. Dwyer last night posted his \$100 bet with the Tribune, and this morning Mr. Gehle will post the \$75 balance of his side wager.

Bets for tonight's match can be secured at Flannery & Co., 117 Broadway, Phelps' drug store, Connolly & Wallace's store, and from members of the Bicycle club.

MADAME DAVENPORT'S TALK.

She Addressed a Number of Women at the Jermyn.

The parlors at the Jermyn were crowded yesterday morning to hear Madame Charlotte Davenport's talk on health. She gave a most interesting exposition of the possibilities which are neglected by the average woman—possibilities which will not only keep her young but permeate the beauty and charm which all women covet. She declared that if they took the proper

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Madame Davenport's method is adverse to the use of drugs and cosmetics, but advocates taking advantage of natural opportunities, and by the proper exercises and diet, and correct care of the body to regenerate it to a great degree. She believes that warts, moles and hair on a woman's face are but ugly excrescences which no one need suffer, that most of the ailments may be overcome by pursuance of a correct system of living.

Madame Davenport will have a class this morning at Guernsey hall, which will be instructed in her methods. This evening she will speak to lady teachers in the city and county schools and of private schools and of music are asked to attend.

REPUBLICAN MASS MEETING.

Was Held Last Night in Tompkinsville.

An enthusiastic Republican meeting was held last night in Tompkinsville. A crowd of large proportions was gathered in the principal hall of the town when the meeting was called to order by Chairman John Cure.

Excellent addresses were made by W. B. Lewis, G. M. Watson, H. C. Hubler and H. R. Van Dusen. The enthusiastic manner in which their remarks were received would indicate that a big Republican majority will be rolled up next Tuesday in the pretty little town.

MORE ELECTION OFFICERS.

They Were Appointed Yesterday by the Court.

The following election officers were appointed by the court yesterday:

John J. Jones, majority inspector, Third district, Fourth ward, Scranton.
Arthur Long, majority inspector of Second district, Sixth ward, Dunmore.
Griffith T. Price, judge of election, Third district, Fourth ward, Scranton.
William G. Gayn, judge of election, First district, Old Forge.
R. A. Zimmerman, judge of election, Second district, Sixth ward, Dunmore.

Change in Time Table.

After Nov. 3 the N. Y., O. & W. railroad will discontinue running their trains Nos. 203, which leaves Scranton at 3.45 p. m., and 304, arriving here at 10.45 a. m., until further notice.

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