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TWO SOUTH SIDE MEN CHARGED WITH RIOTING

Warrants Issued for Alleged Principals in the Traction Car Disturbance—One of the Pair Arrested.

Division Superintendent Kelly, of the Traction Company, has taken action against the accused principals in the street car disturbance of Tuesday night by having warrants issued for the two who, it is claimed, incited the riot.

Both of the accused are from the South Side, and one of them, Patrick Casey, was arrested early yesterday morning, just as he was leaving the house in his mining clothes to begin his day's work.

Constable Moran, of Alderman Atkinson's court, made the arrest. Casey was to have appeared at a hearing in the afternoon, but he failed to come in. His hearing is expected to take place today.

The warrant for the arrest of Casey's companion has not been served as yet. Constable Moran has not been able to locate him. He will likely be apprehended today.

The accused have two charges against them, committing an assault on Conductor Brownell, on whose car the disturbance took place, and inciting a riot.

The happening took place on Tuesday night, while the car was carrying a number of men, of whom the accused were a part, to the cocking mill at Monkey Run. There was a disgraceful exhibition on the car, during which one of the women passengers was subjected to indignities.

Conductor Brownell, who is well known to the residents in the vicinity, and several passengers on the car also identified the accused as the principals of the disturbance.

LIVELY TIME AT LAST CHANGE.

Simon Cisco Causes Arrest of Two of His Neighbors Whom He Feared.

There was a lively time in the settlement about the Last Change workings on Thursday night, when two of the residents stirred up excitement by stoning the house of Simon Cisco, against whom the accused pair, George Salska and Jacob Santos, held a grudge because of his hauling from a different court than themselves.

This is the story that Cisco told Alderman Atkinson, when he came for a warrant for their arrest. Santos and Salska were unfriendly to him since they argued some time ago about their respective holdings. On the night of the trouble, Cisco continued, the accused came home intoxicated and in a boisterous and quarrelsome mood. They taunted and jibed at him and followed this with a volley of stones, which fell in profusion, not unlike raindrops in a spring shower.

After the accused finished their storming, they retreated, leaving the accused pair were accordingly taken to the county jail by Constable Moran.

Later, Salska's wife entered a counter charge. She averred that Cisco, after the accused finished their storming, threatened her bodily harm. On this information a warrant was issued for Cisco, and he will likely have a hearing some time today.

SEMI-CENTENNIAL COMMITTEES

The Preliminary Work of the Big Celebration Is Making Good Progress.

The advent of fair weather which is so suitable for outdoor demonstrations, has aroused a keen interest in semi-centennial celebration.

The societies throughout the city are taking an earnest interest in that part of the programme which has been assigned to them and some surprisingly good features are promised the public.

Dr. Humphreys

Similia Similibus Curantur. Let likes be treated by likes. The mild power cures. Humphreys' Homeopathic Specifics.

P. Boylan, Charles Curtis, John Toole, Harry Hall.

Civic parade—W. B. Chase, George Beattie, J. P. Collins, Carl Rosenberg, Gabrielle Pugliano, J. E. Brown.

Panoramic parade—T. K. Lee, E. J. Mazz, C. D. Keeney, Joseph Jenkins.

The arrangements for the firemen's parade and contests will be left to committees from the department and the Central Labor union will have charge of the parade and special features of the labor demonstration.

The membership of the committees named above is not yet complete as other delegates to the general committee will undoubtedly be received soon and their names will be used to fill out the vacancies.

C. S. Keeney having removed from the city, the Patriotic Order Sons of America are requested to send another delegate to the general committee. On account of J. B. Rowland being employed out of the city the name of William Myers has been substituted as delegate from the Mitchell Hose company.

A few societies yet remain unrepresented. Among these are the Clerks' association and several of the new branches of united labor. They are earnestly invited to name at once delegates to represent them.

THE SIEGE OF PEKIN.

Thrilling Event to Be Described by Miss Miranda Croucher at M. E. Church.

Miss Miranda Croucher will speak in the Methodist Episcopal church of this city next Sunday morning. Her visit to this place is of great interest, since she was in the siege of Peking, and her story is thrilling.

The following is from a recent article by her:

Two letters in the strange Chinese characters before me. They were received a month ago. One is from a preacher in our Esplanade district, the other from a former servant in our mission. They are strangely alike in that they contain a list of the names of those who were known to us all, and after each name the sentences read like this: "He was stoned to death."

ACCEPTABLE IMPROVEMENT.

The New Bridge Over Racket Brook Practically Completed.

A most acceptable improvement—one that will be fully appreciated—is the new iron bridge over the Racket brook that has just been completed.

Contractor Moran has completed the concrete on one side of the street car tracks, and so soon as the cement and stones become firmly set, so as to allow teams to pass over the new roadway, the force of men will be put to work on the other side.

The improvement has wrought a desirable change in that locality. The street car tracks are removed to the west side, and while the roadway on that side is somewhat narrower, it will meet every demand, as heretofore there was only one driveway over the bridge instead of two, as now.

Teachers Paid.

Will Reside in Philadelphia.

Moved to Schenectady.

THE NEW STREET LIGHTS.

The Wellsbach Lighting Company's Lamps Will Be Put in Operation Tonight.

The lamps of the Wellsbach Street Lighting company, which the Carbondale Gas company hopes to have supersede the arc lights now in use, will be placed in service tonight at six points in the city, in order to demonstrate their efficiency before the members of the council and the citizens generally.

The lamps, which Superintendent Guerin of the company has erected, are located at the following places: Corner Lincoln avenue and Terrace street, corner Lincoln avenue and Washington street, Washington place, and Wyoming street, corner Tenth street and Brook avenue, corner Ninth avenue and Spring street.

The lamps will be lighted this evening and will remain lighted each evening until after the opening of the bids for street lighting—which will take place before the committee on Monday evening, May 13—and as long thereafter as the company deems fit.

A wide interest has been aroused over the proposed lighting contract, which councils will let on the night mentioned, and there has been a varied discussion as to which will give the better service, the present arc lights or the new idea of gas illumination embodied in the Wellsbach invention.

The Carbondale Gas company, through Superintendent Guerin, claims that a better quality of light and a better distribution will follow the use of the Wellsbach lamps, and at no increased cost over the arc light, and it is anxious to demonstrate this claim through the exhibition or test which will be commenced this evening.

Children's Deaths.

Elizabeth, the six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Neuser, of Forty-second street, died Thursday, after a short illness. Interment will be made today in St. Rose cemetery. The funeral services will be held at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Margaret, seven-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Henry, of Belmont street, after a short illness with brain fever, passed away Thursday. The funeral will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock, interment in St. Rose cemetery.

In Police Court.

In police court yesterday, Milton McKinney, who is the most frequent visitor in police court, was again before the mayor. The day preceding he was in the same straits, but was released on promising to keep sober.

Close Season Tonight.

The "Christian" company, which have Carbondale one of the best productions of the season, will close their season at Newburgh, N. Y., tonight.

Was with Sothern's Company.

The coming of E. H. Sothern, who is to appear in Hamlet at the Lyceum, in Scranton, tonight, has a local interest inasmuch as one of the late members of the company, Miss Paul, was a frequent visitor in this city.

To Visit Washington.

The Misses Jadin, of Church street, will leave in a few days on a visit to Washington, D. C. The party is taking advantage of the opportunity to enjoy a trip to the capital when Washington is most interesting.

Home from Wedding Tour.

FLANNAGHAN IN THE TOILS.

A Character of the Town Charged with Assaulting His Mother.

James Flannaghan, who is known about town as "Rip" Flannaghan, was arrested and jailed last night on the charge of beating his mother, Elizabeth Flannaghan.

Flannaghan was located by Constable Neary in the house of "Ab" Stills, at No. 4, with whom he makes his quarters. He was in hiding and tried to make his escape through the back door, but he was caught and taken to jail.

Fair Closes Tonight.

The fair of the Cottage Hose company, which thus far has been a great success, will come to a close tonight. The members anticipate as large an attendance as on Monday night, the opening.

Sunday at St. Paul's.

Sabbath school, 9:30 a. m.; services, 10 a. m. Church council meets in the church at 11 a. m. to decide several matters, as the president of the Wilkes-Barre conference, Rev. J. O. Schlenker, of Hazleton, will pay a visit to this mission on Tuesday.

Car and Wagon Collide.

A traction car, manned by Motorman Dittore and Conductor Grogan, came in collision with a dray driven by a man named Davis, from Scranton, on Belmont street, above the Ontario and Western crossing, Thursday night.

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PE-RU-NA THE WORLD'S TONIC ENTHUSIASTICALLY PRAISED BY A HERO OF THIRTEEN WARS:



General McIver has seen active service as field officer under fourteen different flags. He is a soldier by instinct and training. He has been the hero of a great many sensational newspaper sketches.

Henry Ronald D. McIver is a man of Scottish parentage, who has suffered all kinds of peril on sea and land and today is a hearty, vigorous man, whose love of adventure is as keen as ever.

Having received much benefit from Peruna I hereby certify that as a tonic I feel confident it could not be surpassed by any other, and heartily recommend Peruna to any one in want of an invigorating tonic.—Henry R. D. McIver.

W. E. Birch, fruit grower, Atton, Va., writes: "The country is so flooded with patent medicines of very kind worthless and a humbug, that I am glad for one to be able to say I have found one that is everything and more than is claimed for it."

Miss Mary Gooding, of Medford, Wis., writes: "I take great pleasure in acknowledging the cure of my nervous system, and as an appetizer and restorer of lost strength and vitality of worn-out women, it is very superior."

Mr. Charles E. Shellhammer, 506 East Mount street, Cleveland, O., writes: "I suffered for three years with something that the doctors could not account for. One said that it was stomach trouble, one that it was bad blood, one malarial fever, and another...

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