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**CITY NOTES**

D. L. & W. PAY.—The trainmen employed on the Lackawanna railroad received their April earnings yesterday.

D. & H. PAY DAYS.—The Delaware and Hudson company paid wages at the Boston and Plymouth, Nos. 2, 3, 4 and 5.

UNITED IN MARRIAGE.—Fred Leitner and Mrs. Lena Houck, both of this city, were married yesterday by Magistrate W. S. Miller.

TALENTS WANTED.—All members of the Young Women's Christian association holding "talents" will please turn them in at once.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

BOWLING TONIGHT.—There will be a unique and interesting bowling match on the Buffalo Club alleys tonight, when the club team, Jenkins in the Northeastern Pennsylvania tournament, will play the "Indians," the most recently organized team among the bowlers of the club.

MONTHLY MEETING OF DIRECTORS.—The monthly meeting of the directors of the Reson Mission was held last night, and the reports of the treasurer, superintendent, read. The latter's statement made the men think that meetings at which sixty persons were attending. There was one conversion and twelve persons asked for prayer. Twelve old offerings were given and one hundred and five new offerings given. Fourteen free meals were given and ninety-eight visits made. There were one hundred and seventy-three testimonies and nine sixty official calls made.

ANNUAL CONVENTION.

Delegates Representing C. T. A. U. Will Gather Here Tomorrow.

In St. John's hall, Pine Brook, tomorrow the annual convention of the Catholic Total Abstinence union of the diocese of Scranton will open. It will be an interesting gathering, and a large amount of business will be transacted, including the election of officers and delegates to the national convention to be held in August and the selection of a place for the Oct. 10 parade.

Wednesday night the delegates will be given a trolley ride about the city and its suburbs by the members of St. John's society and afterwards will be tendered a reception at the society's hall on Capoose avenue.

LECTURE TONIGHT.

Senator Dowling Will Talk Before Catholic Historical Society.

Senator V. J. Dowling, of New York city, will tonight deliver the first of the May course of lectures planned by the Catholic Historical society. His topic will be "Catholic Landmarks in America" and the sale of tickets indicates that there will be a large number in attendance.

Immediately after the lecture the senator will be tendered a reception by the members of the Historical society and of the Knights of Columbus, of which organization he is a member.

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DISTRICT'S FIRST ARREST.

Deputy Marshal Snyder Arrests Hazleton Man for Opening Letter.

The first arrest made by an officer of the new Federal court district occurred Friday, when Deputy Marshal J. W. Snyder arrested Charles Bruch at Hazleton on the charge of opening another man's letter. He had delayed a hearing before Commissioner C. E. Hill, at Hazleton, and acquitted, as the evidence was not sufficient to hold him.

A man named Smith swore out the warrant. He was formerly employed in the same business house as Bruch but recently left it and started up a venture of his own. The particular letter in question by mistake went to the place where Smith was formerly employed, and was there opened, and taken back to the post office.

Smith, on receiving it, suspected Bruch of opening the letter, but at the hearing the latter proved an alibi by showing that he was at Philadelphia on the day the letter was opened.

PLANS OF NEW BUILDINGS

Board of Control to Consider Them Next Monday Night at a Special Meeting.

The members of the board of control spent nearly three-quarters of an hour last night going through a mass of routine business and in listening to a report on the annual meeting of the Pennsylvania Art association, presented by Miss Alice Morse, superintendent of drawing, who attended at the expense of the district.

Applications for permanent certificates were received from Miss Molie Helm and Miss Margaret Remmick. Applications for Normal school diplomas were presented by Miss Mary L. Forging, Miss Besse L. Easton, Miss Mary Beaman, Miss Catherine A. Coyne, Miss Gertrude Freeman and M. E. Jamison. The applications were, in all instances, granted.

The resignation of Mrs. Harry A. Pierce, formerly Miss Rose, was presented by President Gibbons and was accepted by the board.

Mr. Shireen presented a communication from Mrs. M. M. Jones, principal of No. 25 school, in which that teacher set forth that he receives a lower salary than any other principal of a similar-sized building in the city. The communication was referred to the teacher's committee.

On recommendation of the building committee the interest on the purchase price of a lot in the Third ward was refunded. Edward O'Malley, having paid the district for the property before the payments were due.

The building committee reported that the plans and specifications for the new five-building recently provided for would be ready for the approval of the board next Monday night, and it was accordingly decided to hold a special meeting on that occasion. The setting of a time for the closing of the schools will also come up at this meeting.

The teachers' pay roll for the month just ended was passed by the board.

WILL SILLIMAN RETIRE?

Report to That Effect Is Being Circulated.

In street railway circles it has been persistently reported for several days that General Manager Frank Silliman, of the Scranton Railway company, will retire from that position on June 1. Circumstances have come to light during the last few days which would seem to lend color to the report.

Mr. Silliman, when seen last night by a Tribune man, denied the truth of the rumor.

LIQUOR LICENSE TRANSFERS.

On motion of Attorney D. G. Reedy, court yesterday transferred to John Quinn the liquor license issued to John Grelka, of 822 Keyser avenue.

Attorney James E. Watkins made application for the transfer of the license of Andrew Koval, of the First ward of Taylor, to George Hamarski. May 25 was fixed as the time for the hearing.

SITUATION UNCHANGED.

The local situation remains the same. The Scranton council authorities are in communication with the unions along the line and have received a communication from the business agent of District 15, in which the latter states the men are pledged to abide by the constitution. This means a strike on May 20 unless the nine-hour day petition is granted. The district takes fifteen days to decide a strike, so if the petition is granted it will be for the nine-hour day as presented and that this council and the lodges comprising it agree that if such petition is granted their members shall continue to work until nine hours. The men in the lodges, however, when a half-holiday is usually granted, but the men represented by this council shall not be prevented by this council from ceasing work in those shops who do not agree to our petition and so notify them not later than 7 a. m. Monday, May 29, 1901.

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