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CITY NOTES

PAY DAYS.—The Delaware and Hudson company paid yesterday at the Marine, Legett's Creek, Dickson and Von Strich mines.

FAIR AND FESTIVAL.—There will be a sale of needlework, etc., in the Adam Avenue chapel, New York street, on the 25th, 26th and 27th of this month.

COMPANY D INSPECTION.—The members of Company D, Thirtieth regiment, are instructed to present themselves at the old army tonight at 7:45 o'clock for inspection.

SUBSTITUTE CLERKS APPOINTED.—Three substitute clerks were appointed yesterday at the postoffice. They are Henry A. Mutchman, William F. Nelson and Richard Watkins.

D. L. & W. PAY DAYS.—The employees at the Diamond and Stone mines were paid yesterday and the lay-off will go down the valley today. Tomorrow all the local colliery employees will be paid.

EXCURSION TO BUFFALO.—The Scranton Locomotive will run an excursion to Buffalo on Monday, June 11, over the Lackawanna railroad. Over two hundred people have already arranged for the trip.

PHISH HELD IN BAIL.—George Polish, who is charged with hitting off the finger of his cousin, Michael Polish, was arrested before Magistrate Miller yesterday afternoon and was held in \$1,000 bail for a hearing to be held next Monday afternoon.

EARLY MORNING FIRE.—The alarm of the fire in the 21st street, fell out of the door of the City hotel, on Penn avenue, at 11:30 o'clock and striking against the pavement, received a wound in the head which rendered him unconscious for fully half an hour. He was taken to the Lackawanna hospital, where up to an early hour this morning a successful diagnosis of the case was found, impossible.

STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL.—Those who attend of the strawberry and ice cream festival held by the Epworth league of the Elm Park church last evening were well repaid for facing the storm. A delightful musical programme, consisting of vocal and instrumental numbers, was rendered. The church parlors were prettily decorated with flags and bunting, which, with the floral decorations, made a handsome appearance. The festival will be continued this evening and doubtless all who can will avail themselves of the opportunity.

Col. W. F. Cody, "Buffalo Bill," will be present Friday and Saturday and will appear at both performances and will be the central figure in the parade on Saturday. The next most important feature aside from "Buffalo Bill's" appearance and one now the subject of a great amount of talk is the low priced and exceptional quality of summer shoes and Oxford shoes shown by Lewis Ruddy, Davies and Murphy, 330 Lackawanna avenue.

The "Crisis" by Churchill, author of "Richard Carvel," at Norton's, opposite Hotel Jermyn.

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Meeting of the board this afternoon. The managers of the Home for the Friendless will hold a regular meeting this morning at 9:30. A full attendance is desired.

The teachers' committee will resume its inspection of the schools this morning, when the carriage will leave the city hall at 8:45 o'clock.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the First Presbyterian church will hold their regular monthly meeting at the church lecture room today at 8 o'clock.

The annual meeting of the Young Women's Christian association will be held this evening at 7:45 o'clock, when reports of the past year's work will be given, officers elected and plans made for the coming year.

MRS. BOYD IS NOT GUILTY

COMMONWEALTH FAILED TO MAKE OUT A CASE.

Could Not Show That She Had Endeavored to Illegally Practice Medicine, the Charge on Which She Was Indicted—Hutton Case If Not Likely to Be Tried at This Term—Cases Tried Before Judge John P. Kelly and Judge H. M. Edwards.

By direction of Judge J. P. Kelly in court room No. 2 yesterday a verdict of not guilty was returned in the case of Mrs. Clara S. Boyd, who was charged with the illegal practice of medicine by Coroner J. J. Roberts. The commonwealth was unable to present any incriminating evidence against the accused and the costs were placed on the county.

Mrs. Boyd is a Dowlite and a believer in the tenets of that form of religious worship. Mrs. Lydia Newell, of Throop, was also a believer in Dowlism. On March 24, 1900, Mrs. Newell was shot and killed and sent Mrs. Elizabeth Kramer for Mrs. Boyd to come and care for her during her illness. According to Mrs. Kramer's testimony yesterday Mrs. Boyd said she did not know that she could be of any service to Mrs. Boyd, but she decided to go and see her. Three days later Mrs. Kramer called upon Mrs. Newell and found Mrs. Boyd there. She did not see her do anything but pray for the sick woman.

EVIDENCE RULED OUT. Mrs. Eilhardt and Mrs. Houtz were called but their evidence was ruled out by the court as incompetent. It was shown that Mrs. Newell died soon after giving birth to a child and that the latter died three days later.

Assistant District Attorney Gramer said the commonwealth had nothing additional to offer after the evidence of the witnesses above named was ruled out and the court ordered a verdict of not guilty. It is not known shown in any way that Mrs. Boyd attempted to practice medicine or represented that she intended to attempt anything of the kind. From the showing made in court yesterday the verdict is that Mrs. Boyd was ever indicted. One of the witnesses for her who was here yesterday was Rev. Gideon Hammond, who has charge of the Philadelphia Dowlite church.

Mrs. Boyd was represented by former District Attorney John R. Jones and Attorney George S. Hutton. Mr. Hutton, the district attorney's office, appeared for the commonwealth. The death of Mrs. Newell caused a great sensation here in March of last year. Her husband was a Methodist minister and his wife had assisted him in that work until she became a convert to Dowlism and joined the Christian Alliance church. He desired that she should have the attendance of a physician, but she refused to have one present at the birth of her child.

WILL NOT BE TRIED. It is as good as certain that the Hutton and other Municipal league cases which are on the list for this week will not be tried, which means they will have to go over until October, unless some special arrangement is made to try them.

District Attorney Lewis said yesterday that the Hutton case will be called today if the murder case on trial in No. 3 goes to the jury in time to do so. It is as good as certain that the murder case will consume all of today. The Municipal league cases cannot go on while the murder case is on trial in court for the reason that O'Brien and Martin, who are defending Billott, will also defend Hutton and others who are accused by the league.

BEFORE JUDGE EDWARDS. For the greater part of the day the case against William Bruning, the agent of the Adams Express company, charged with forgery, was on trial before Judge H. M. Edwards and a jury. Bruning, as was stated in a Tribune yesterday, it is alleged, conspired with a man named Dorsey, shipping clerk for the Colliery Engineer company, and by means of fraudulent receipts collected almost \$2,000 from the Colliery Engineer people. Dorsey has disappeared.

The defense was heard yesterday and was a general denial of the fact that Bruning had taken any money unlawfully; that the apparent shortage was due to mistakes about weight of packages he received from the Colliery Engineer and to charges being made for packages which were intended to be franked. In rebuttal J. W. Titman, the agent of the Express company, who is also the prosecutor in the case, said the total cost of the packages which the company permitted the Colliery Engineer to frank would not exceed \$10.

When the evidence was all in Bruning's wife, who sat beside him, fainting, and it required some time to revive her. The jury was given to the jury at 3 p. m. The jury had not agreed upon its verdict at adjourning hour.

Verdicts of not guilty were taken in the following cases: William G. Smerdon, assault and battery; Edward Edwards, the prosecutor, did not appear and was directed to pay the costs.

W. M. Van Gorden, false pretenses; R. M. Lindsay, the prosecutor, is dead and the costs were placed on the county.

Joseph Galavitz, assault and battery. In the case of Andrew Boraski did not appear to prosecute and was directed to pay the costs.

Antonio Skolkopski, attempt to rape. Rose Kowalski, the prosecutor, was placed on the county.

In the case of Andrew Havance, charged with selling liquor without a license by former County Detective Thomas Leyshon, a nol pros, was entered upon payment of the costs. Havance was retired from the business and is, moreover, a triple.

C. E. Weise, a property owner at Clark's Summit, and Constable Edward Chapman, of the same place, were put on trial charged with forcible entry and detainer. The prosecutor was Joseph Walker, an old man who leased four rooms from Weise. He alleges that on December 22 last the defendants broke into his apartments with axes and leveled on his goods. Excitement incident to the breaking in prosecuted his wife, who was out of her mind for four days in consequence.

The defense is that the apartments of Walker were not broken into. It

was a room adjoining them not locked by Walker, they entered. In this Walker had goods stored. The case will be resumed this morning.

BEFORE JUDGE KELLY.

John Walsh and John Harris were tried on a charge of statutory burglary. Chief of Police Robling was the prosecutor. The evidence of the commonwealth was to the effect that on the evening of March 13, between the hours of 11 and 12:30 the defendants stole a slot machine attached to the front of Everett Brothers' store on Adams avenue. Patrolman Conroy was the vicinity at the time of the occurrence and succeeded in arresting Walsh, whom he caught in Kressler's court, near the store. At the time of his arrest Walsh had a cold chisel, Jimmy and several drills in his possession, which the commonwealth claimed had been used by him in taking the slot machine from its fastenings.

Harris was not arrested until four days afterwards, but it was shown that he had been in Walsh's company just prior to the theft. No testimony was offered on the part of Walsh by way of defense, but an effort was made to show that Harris was not present, on the contrary was at home in bed at the time. By way of rebuttal the commonwealth offered the records of the Quarter Sessions, showing the conviction of Walsh on two similar occasions on a similar charge in each of which cases he was sentenced to three years in the penitentiary. Attorneys H. L. Taylor and E. W. Thayer represented the defendants and Mr. Gramer conducted the case for the commonwealth. The jury agreed upon its verdict soon after adjourning hour and will report it today.

A verdict of not guilty was taken in the case of C. P. Powderly, charged by Mrs. Bridget Geary with assault and battery. The prosecutrix had no desire to prosecute. The county will pay the costs.

J. Larkin had Harry Bacon and his wife arrested, charged with assaulting and robbing him of \$10 in one of the courts of this city, but did not appear yesterday to prosecute them. Verdicts of not guilty were taken and in the case of assault and battery Larkin was directed to pay the costs.

Nol pros were entered upon payment of costs in these cases: Dominick Vacaro, selling liquor on Sunday; Mary Malino and Angelo Malino, selling liquor without a license. In both cases Rev. H. Williams was the witness for the defense. He lives in Dunmore and promises to hereafter observe the law.

Yesterday's Marriage Licenses.

Angelo Destefano	Patton
Angela Bonca	Pittston
Anna Bonca	Arbuthnot
Mary Ganand	Arbuthnot
Peter Bonawitz	Old Forge
Victoria Bonawitz	Old Forge
Frederick Bonca	Scranton
John Bonca	Scranton
F. C. Bazen	Scranton
Marie B. Spoder	Scranton
Louis B. Collins	Scranton
Annie Toole	Scranton

ARE TAKING PRECAUTIONS

Health Officials Want to Prevent the Possibility of Small Pox Entering the City.

The health department of this city has begun to take steps to prevent any local breaking out of the small-pox epidemic now prevailing in Luzerne county. Director of Public Safety E. L. Womersley yesterday afternoon appointed a number of communications bearing on this matter sent out by Dr. W. E. Allen, superintendent of the Municipal hospital, who has heard that several of the railroad men were contemplating the running of excursions from places down the valley to this city to attend Buffalo Bill's show here to-day and to-morrow.

Accordingly sent the following letter to the officials of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Railroad company, the Central Railroad of New Jersey and the Delaware & Hudson Railroad company:

In view of the fact that smallpox is prevalent in Elmton, Kingston, Wilkes-Barre and adjacent places in Luzerne county, and in view of the advice of the state board of health, I hereby respectfully inform you that the running of excursion trains carrying crowds of people from the several districts would be a source of great danger to this city. You are therefore requested and notified not to run any such excursion trains until the disease is declared abated throughout the entire Wyoming valley.

Very respectfully,
Dr. W. E. Allen,
Superintendent of Bureau of Health.

E. L. Womersley,
Director of Public Safety.

The other communication was addressed to the proprietors of the big laundries and directed them not to receive any laundry from any part of the infected district until the disease is officially declared to have been abated.

Dr. Allen stated to a Tribune man that he had been in communication with the state board of health for over a week and that he had taken this action upon the advice of the state health officer. The doctor said that there was no reason for the people of this city to be alarmed and that the measures he is taking are merely precautionary measures.

OPENING ANOTHER'S LETTER. Mrs. Mary Geisler, before Commissioner Taylor on That Charge.

Mrs. Mary Geisler, of South Scranton, was arraigned before United States Commissioner George D. Taylor yesterday on the charge of opening a letter sent to Charles H. Nicodemus, last December. Both persons then lived at the residence of John Hirschling, of 923 Willow street, the father of Mrs. Geisler, and Nicodemus claims that a letter sent him by relatives in Germany was opened and read by the defendant and never reached him.

At the hearing the defense claimed that the letter was an open one and that Mrs. Geisler opened it and afterwards read it to convince herself that it was not for her, gave it to a boy to deliver to Nicodemus, by the bed. Commissioner Taylor discharged the defendant, who was represented by Attorney George D. Taylor, and Attorney Clarence Balentine was present for the prosecution.

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LOOKS BRIGHT FOR BILLIOTT

WITNESSES TESTIFY IN HIS BEHALF.

Saw He Was at His Boarding House When Herbert Was Stabbed—Others Saw Tollergo Running Away from the Scene of the Stabbing After It Occurred—He Has Not Been Seen Since—Strong Testimony Given by Dr. N. Y. Leet About Herbert's Wounds.

There is a possibility that the Billott murder case will be given to the jury late this afternoon, but it is only a possibility. When court adjourned yesterday afternoon the attorneys for the defense said they had a half dozen more witnesses to be heard and the commonwealth will have something to offer by way of rebuttal.

Some very strong evidence was introduced yesterday to show that Frank Tollergo was the man who stabbed Edward Herbert and not Sam Billott, the man now on trial. Several witnesses testified that Billott was some distance away from the place where the stabbing was done at the time it occurred.

Joe Nicolletti, Angelo Cherril, Mrs. Sculzo, Mrs. Mary Williams, Mary Nicolletti, Mrs. Scarpino, Clementine Scarpino, Rosa Rocco, Tony Sculzo, Carmen Coleno, M. J. Lavin and Tony Pettino all testified that Tollergo was at Scarpino's house on the Sunday of the wedding; that he disappeared that same day and has never been seen hereabouts since. Two of the witnesses swore they saw Tollergo running away from the place where Herbert was stabbed upon the approach of the police.

Some of the witnesses testified to a remarkable similarity in appearance between Billott and Tollergo. As one of the witnesses tersely put it, "when you were a little way from Billott you thought it was Tollergo, but when you were near you saw he was different."

Sam Greco, with whom Billott boarded, testified that the latter came home from the wedding about 6 o'clock on the Sunday night of the stabbing and remained there until 3 o'clock. He was quite positive that it was 8 o'clock when he left. If this is correct Billott is not the man who did the stabbing, for it occurred at 7:20 o'clock. Greco said that Tollergo is his cousin and that he looked much like Billott at that time. He has never seen him since the day of the stabbing. Louis Gundell swore that he saw Billott at Greco's house on the night of the stabbing from 6 until 8 o'clock.

Billott was recalled to say that he had never worked for Hall White at Scranton. The latter swore then sworn and said he knew Billott at Tollergo well. The former worked for him on the construction of the Honesdale branch of the Delaware and Hudson. The men looked very much alike.

When Constable Neary gave him a description of the murderer he wrote a list of twelve Italians he knew who would answer the description. On this list Billott was seventh.

DR. LEET'S OPINION. Dr. N. Y. Leet was called and testified that if the facts as related in court with reference to the treatment Herbert received after the stabbing were true the surgery was bad and that the man would have stood a better chance for his life if he had not had a doctor.

On cross-examination the doctor said that Herbert would have recovered if properly treated.

BUFFALO BILL SHOW. Will Give Its First Exhibition Here Tonight.

Messrs. Cody and Salisbury have never failed each season to give us some novelty of interest and instruction, and this season they have taken another page from current history that in interest, thrilling excitement and spectacular splendor outdoes anything they have heretofore attempted, even their former novelty, the charge of San Juan Hill. This novelty is the relief by the forces of the allied powers, of the ministers and other Christian representatives who were so recently at the mercy of the Chinese Boxers in Peking. Historical accuracy as to detail marks this representation of the battle of the world, as it has always done with everything presented by this management.

This is made easier for Messrs. Cody and Salisbury than for others, because of the employment by them at all times of representative soldiers from the various armies of the world, and this season their agents have scoured America, Europe and Africa to get fresh material for the entertainment; at the same time seasoned soldiers of these armies. In this they have succeeded and they are thus enabled to give a review, march and attack that for picturesque beauty, excitement and spectacular effect, is greater than anything that has ever heretofore been presented.

The Buffalo Bill Wild West show will exhibit here tonight and again tomorrow afternoon and night. There will be no parade to-day or afternoon performance. The parade will take place Saturday morning.

RECITALS OF PUPILS. Given in Guernsey Hall Yesterday Afternoon and Last Night.

Very enjoyable recitals were given in Guernsey hall yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock, and last night at 8:15 by the pupils of Charles Doersam. The programme as arranged and carried out showed taste and art in the arrangement of a programme. Each section seemed to belong to the one who was playing it. Mr. Doersam surely has talent as a teacher, as well as solo performer.

The afternoon recital was given by the younger pupils who gave their selections charmingly. The following pupils played: Helen Bator, Arlington Frutcher, Ophelia Hershfield, Edna Eldredge, Edgar Morgan, Bella Reisman, Paul Holgate, Stella Hershfield, Franc Klumizer, and a duet by Milton Poole and Mr. Doersam.

At the evening recital the more advanced pupils were on the programme and the work done was of the highest order. The players showed talent which had been trained artistically and in good style. The different numbers were given without hesitancy and with much force of expression.

The following pupils gave the programme: Duet by Nellie Fulton and Freda Nord, solos by Bertha Guernsey, Ruth Stiles, Wilbur Poole, Freda Nord, Hazel Davis, Nellie Fulton, Harriet Kline and Pearl Barnes.

Miss Lida Garagan, the popular contralto soloist of the Second Presbyterian church, gave selections at the evening recital. Her songs were delightfully given and thoroughly enjoyed. This talented artist has a voice of rare beauty and under excellent control.

DIED WITHOUT ATTENDANCE. Coroner Roberts Will Investigate the Death of a Child.

Undertaker Golden, of Dunmore, was yesterday called to prepare for burial the body of a child whose parents are Hungarians and reside on Ash street in Little England. The child died apparently from diphtheria and without medical attendance.

As there was no death certificate the undertaker notified the coroner, who will make an investigation this morning.

AN EVENTFUL WEDDING DAY. R. Willis Goslin Arrested a Few Hours Before the Ceremony.

R. Willis Goslin, a prominent young Wilkes-Barre man, was married Wednesday night to Miss Blair. A few hours before the ceremony he was arrested.

You May Think Us Enthusiasts

Regarding Rookwood, but we defy any lover of art to study the form, coloring and realistic flower painting of a single piece for a day (it takes years to discover all its beauties), and not become enthusiastic over this wonderful American work of art. Just now there is on exhibition an unusually beautiful collection at

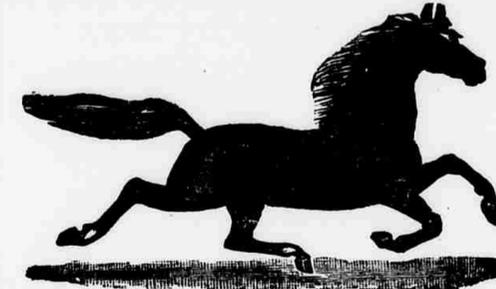
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charged with being the father of the four-year-old son of Miss Kate Heery, of Grove street, Wilkes-Barre. He was also served with papers in a \$500 breach of promise case.

Goslin's prospective father-in-law became his bondsman, and the wedding was proceeded with.

HOSPITAL EXAMINATIONS. Four Physicians Apply for Places at the Lackawanna.

Examinations were conducted at the Lackawanna hospital Wednesday afternoon by the examining board, the position of house surgeon, there being four applicants for the places, which will be vacated in January by the resignation of the three members of the present staff.

Those who took the examinations were: Dr. B. Wallace Hamilton, of Harrisburg; Dr. Harry Young, of Dunmore; Dr. W. H. Wilson, of Dr. J. L. Saldy, of Williamsport. Dr. Young and Dr. Wilson have both acted as substitutes at the hospital. The examining board consists of Dr. J. L. Rea, Dr. W. G. Fulton and Dr. Louis Frey.

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