NEW MANAGER IS SELECTED

L. F. BOWER HEAD OF THE ALLIS-CHALMERS WORKS.

Former Secretary-Treasurer of the Dickson Manufacturing Company Retained as Manager of the Executive and Administrative Departments of the Local Plants of the New Company—Superintendent McLaren and Engineer Rowley to Remain in Former Positions.

The organization of the executive, administrative and operating forces of the local branch of the Allis-Chalmers company was effected yesterday.

L. F. Bower, who for five years was secretary-treasurer of the Dickson Manufacturing company, is retained as general manager, in charge of the executive and administrative departments. M. W. McLaren, who was general superintendent in charge of the operating department, is continued in his position. H. W. Rowley, who was in charge of the Dickson company's draughting department, is made mechanical engineer. M. L. Wilcox, who was connected with the fiscal department of the Dickson company, mainly at Wilkes-Barre, is made local treasurer. These officers are for both the Scranton and Wilkes-Barre shops.

The new organization effects the withdrawal of C. H. Zehnder, who was president of the Dickson Manufacturing company, and A. E. Fletcher, who was vice president. The services of Mr. Fletcher, it is understood, have been secured by a large Philadelphia manufacturing concern.

RESULT OF MERIT.

The engaging of Mr. Bower as general manager is a result of merit only, as he was a perfect stranger to the Allis-Chalmers people before they came here to take control of the Dickson works. Superintendent McLaren's retention is equally complimentary. He had been with the E. P. Allis company before the consolidation, and while there and here proved to the satisfaction of his employers that he is the possessor of exceptional ability. Mr. Rowley and Mr. Wilcox, like Mr. Bower, were selected solely on their merits, being strangers to their new employers until the amalgamation.

No changes are contemplated in subordinates in the offices and operating department.

W. J. Chalmers, chairman of the executive committee of the Allis-Chalmers company, and Edwin H. Reynolds, the company's chief engineer, have been in the city for several days past. Their visit, it was stated, had nothing to do with the strike, the company maintaining its old position that the works are open, at any time, for the men to return to work, subject to the company's rules.

POLICY OF COMPANY.

During their stay, several matters of local importance, were decided upon. It was announced by them that it will be the policy of the Allis-Chalmers company to continue at Scranton and Wilkes-Barre the same line of business as now. Local trade will be solicited, and especial attention will be given, at these two plants, to coal mining machinery for home and export trade.

It was given out that a number of contemplated improvements will not be undertaken at present. The final decision, in this regard, will depend on the general policy of the company and local conditions.

THE NEWSIE'S PICNIC.

The Paper Boys to Enjoy Themselves at the Park Tomorrow.

The committee having in charge the picnic of the newsboys, which is to be held in Nay Aug park tomorrow, held a final meeting yesterday morning at the office of ex-Park Commissioner A. P. Bedford for the purpose of completing all arrangements.

The programme of races and other events was mapped out, and it was decided to have the parade start at 9 o'clock in the morning. A drum corps has been engaged to head it. Following is a list of the contributions up to date:

William Boyer, 1 ham; Clarke Bros., 1 ham; Scranton Packing company, 3 hams; Connell & Son, 1 watch; P. B. Finley, 1 umbrella; Flores & Brooks, watch and knife; Abington Dairy company, ice cream and milk; N. Y. Herald, cash $5; Chas. Schadt, 500 pounds ice; J. L. Connell, 50 pounds sugar; J. Cleland, cash $5; Philadelphia Inquirer, cash $2; C. L. Woodworth, 800 spoons; W. H. Pryor, lemons; H. J. Reckman, 2 hams; Stowers Packing company, 5 hams; D. McAvoy, $1; Foote & Fuller, 1 watch; Rolerwasser bakery, 250 buns; Scranton supply and Machinery company, watch; M. J. Kelly, 10 gallon cream; a friend, cash $5; Globe store, 8 rolls ribbon; Scranton Traction company, 500 railroad tickets; J. S. Schuyler, printing badges; Megargee Bros., plates and cups; Edward Siebecker, sugar; Matthews Bros., prize; Andrew Campbell, cash $1; Scranton Carpet and Furniture company, prize; The Paris, 4 prizes; Madison Shoe store, 1 pair shoes; M. J. Horan & Son, 1 prize; Reichard Jewelry store, prize; Frank Mangan, cash 50c; J. D. Scott, cash $1; T. D. Reese, pair boys' pants; N. Norton, 1 set books; P. B. Durkin, cash $1; H. J. Collins, prize; Charles Robinson, 1 prize; Rice Levy & Co., cash $1; J. O. Ackerman, groceries; T. J. Kelley & Co., sugar; J. R. Odell, cash 50c; David Spinks, prize; J. L. Northup & Son, 1 box candies;; Goldsmith's Bazaar, prize; J. T. Porter, bananas; A. F. Michalowski, cash $1; D. W. Vaughan, cash $1; Goodman Shoe store, 1 pair shoes; a friend, cash 50c; Lewis, Ruddy, Davies & Murphy, pair shoes; Richard & Wirth, 1 pair boy's pants; J. F. Ladwig, 1 watch; Goldsmith's Shoe store, pair shoes; Richard O'Brien, cash $1; M. F. Reilly, lemons; Wentz & Duffy, sugar; C. P. Matthew, cash 50c; H. Burgunhoff, bananas; Dickson Mill and Grain company, sack flour; O. Jones, 1 pound tea; Griffin & Collins, prize; A. D. Pierson, cash 50c.

THAT FOREIGN INSURANCE TAX

Andrew Holmes and D. J. Newman Wait Upon the Recorder.

Andrew Holmes and D. J. Newman, representing the Firemen's Relief association, waited on Recorder Connell yesterday afternoon with reference to the money that has heretofore been turned over to that association. This is the city's share of the state tax on foreign fire insurance companies.

The recorder told them that he thought public money should not be turned over to private corporations and that he would refuse to sign any warrant for the turning over of this money to the relief association. He maintained that under the law the sinking fund commissioners were the proper custodians of this fund, and that he would have to continue to take that view of it until the courts tell him to do otherwise.

Messrs. Holmes and Newman explained the situation from the relief association's point of view, but did not succeed in changing the opinion of the recorder on the subject.

BURGLARS ABOUT AGAIN

They Secured Considerable Plunder at the House of H. J. Schubert on Prescott Avenue.

The home of H. J. Schubert, on Prescott avenue, was robbed early yesterday morning by two men, who, from the stories told by Mr. and Mrs. Schubert, must have been no amateurs at the gentle art of housebreaking.

Mr. and Mrs. Schubert and the members of the family retired about 12 o'clock, and the night being warm, Mrs. Schubert arose from bed about 1 o'clock and took a seat by the window. She had been seated there for about fifteen minutes when she glanced toward the door. She was startled to behold a man standing motionless in the doorway, as if sizing up things preparatory to entering.

Mrs. Schubert screamed to her husband, telling him there was a man in the house, and he jumped from the bed and made for the door. The burglar dashed down the stairs and when Mr. Schubert made to follow him, he fired his revolver into the floor to show that he was prepared to shoot in case he was followed.

This caused Mr. Schubert to remember that he had no revolver with him and he went back to his room to get one of two which he had in he house, both of which were, unfortunately, unloaded. By the time he succeeded in loading one, the man had escaped. There were undoubtedly two men in the house, for neighbors, who were awakened by the shot, say they saw them both running up Olive street toward Nay Aug park.

When a search was made of the house, to see what had been taken, it was discovered that a large amount of jewelry had been removed from the dresser in the room occupied by the Misses Mamie and Susan Schubert. In order to get to this dresser, the burglars had to pass the beds of both young women, neither of whom were aroused.

The jewelry taken included two gold watches, and several rings, brooches and stick pins, valued in all at about $200. The man whom Mrs. Schubert saw she describes as being about five feet six inches tall and of stocky build, with dark hair and a full, clean-shaven face. He wore a light coat and a light shirt. The police have been notified and are investigating.

Just how the men entered the house is a mystery, though they are supposed to have got in during the night by the cellar, which was found open just before the family retired.

CITY NOTES

PREACHING THIS EVENING.—The gospel will be preached by William E. Davis, in the grove, corner of Green Ridge street and Quincy avenue, this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

ENTERTAINMENT AND SOCIAL.—An entertainment and social will be held at Mears hall, July 30. It will be for the benefit of the Sanquoit Hand Silk Department local 256.

A SLIGHT BLAZE.—Some clothes in a closet at the home of Patrick Morrisey, on Railroad avenue, were set on fire yesterday morning by some children who were playing with matches. The damage was slight.

LAWN SOCIAL.—The ladies of Grace English Lutheran church will hold a lawn social on Thursday evening of this week, at the church, corner Madison avenue and Mulberry street. The public is cordially invited.

CARPENTER REUNION.—The third annual reunion of the descendants of Amos and Cynthia Carpenter and Joseph and Rhoda Carpenter will be held at the home of Gilbert L. Davis, in Nicholson, Pa., on Thursday, Aug. 22, 1901.

HAS NOT REMOVED.—An item in the Green Ridge department of yesterday's Tribune, stated that Samuel J. Dorsey and family had removed to Chicago. Mr. Dorsey desires us to say that he has not moved to Chicago and that he does not propose to. Scranton is good enough for him he says.

SECOND LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT.—Chairman J. F. Hammes has called a meeting of the Democratic committee of the Second Legislative district for tomorrow night at 8 o'clock at the St. Charles hotel. The meeting is called for the purpose of deciding upon a time and place for the holding of a convention to elect delegates to the state convention.

FUNERAL OF JOSEPH O'DONNELL.—The funeral of Joseph O'Donnell, who was drowned in Lily lake on Sunday, was held yesterday from St. Peter's cathedral, with Rev. J. J. Griffin officiating. The pallbearers were as follows: William Davis, John Cohen, Daniel Clarke, Thomas Barrett, James Fleming and Thomas Kilpatrick. Interment was made in the Cathedral cemetery.

D., L. & W. PAY DAYS.—The semi-monthly pays for the first half of July at the Lackawanna collieries will be made as follows: Thursday, July 25—Avondale, Auchincless, Bliss, Hallstead, Petrobone, Woodward. Friday, July 26—Diamond and Storrs. Saturday, July 27—Archbald, Bellevue, Brisbin, Cayuga, Continental, Dodge, Hampton, Holden, Hyde Park, Oxford, Pyne, Sloan and Taylor.

FIFTEEN MINUTE SCHEDULE.—Beginning today, cars on the Lafayette will be run at fifteen minute intervals from noon until 9 p. m., instead of every twenty minutes as heretofore. It is intended by this increase in service to compensate for the delays at the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western crossing, and by giving the cars a longer time for a round trip to represent the schedule with greater regularity.

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INTEND TO FIGHT IT OUT

CAR BUILDERS ARE NOT AT ALL DISCOURAGED.

At a Meeting Held Yesterday Afternoon They Unanimously Decided to Remain on Strike Until a Reasonable Concession Is Granted. President McAndrew Says Strikers Will Now Take the Aggressive. Wealthy Citizen Said to Be Ready to Advance Money to the Strikers.

The striking car builders met yesterday at 4 p. m., in Carpenters' hall, and after hearing the report of Secretary P. S. Coyne, of his futile effort to effect a compromise with President Truesdale, voted unanimously to stay out on strike until a reasonable concession is secured.

The proposition made to President Truesdale was that the men should recede from the nine-hour demand if the company would reinstate them at a reasonable increase in wages. President Truesdale refused to make any concessions whatever, saying he had never lost in a strike conflict and didn't propose to lose in this.

President McAndrew said to a Tribune reporter at the conclusion of the meeting:

"It was the most enthusiastic meeting we ever held. There was not as much as a word to indicate the slightest wavering anywhere. We have more money in our treasury than we had when the strike was declared, and the men are more determined than ever to gain a victory, if it takes all summer. Thus far, we have been on the defense. From this out we will take the aggressive. We have plans in mind that will surely lead to victory. Before putting them into execution we want to consult with our national officers. President A. T. Fish, of Buffalo, was telegraphed for today, and will be with us tomorrow. After we have had a conference with him, we will be ready to act."

President McAndrew reported to the meeting that a wealthy citizen had offered to advance money without interest to meet the payments that so many of the members, especially those from the South Side, are making in building and loan associations.

Secretary Coyne reported that while in New York he had interviews with national officers of various labor organizations, including the garment workers, and that they pledged themselves to secure aid from their respective organizations to help the car builders win.

SURFACE AGAIN SETTLING

Breaker at the Bull's Head Mine Is Damaged to a Considerable Extent.

An extensive cave-in occurred early yesterday morning at the colliery of the Bull's Head Coal company, near the corner of Providence road and North Main avenue.

A squeeze in the lower vein, known as the "rock" vein, was noticed on Sunday, and though steps were taken to prevent its spread, they were of no avail and it continued all day Monday. On Monday night it could be seen that the surface in and around the breaker was slowly settling into the Diamond or upper vein. It slowly settled all night and at 5 o'clock yesterday morning the crash came, the surface settling about one foot all at once.

The boiler room was principally affected by the cave. The brick foundations on which the boilers rest partly caved in, throwing the latter all out of position. The walls of the boiler room are about a foot out of plumb and threaten to fall any moment.

The track leading up to the breaker from the slope is built on a pile of culm and underneath it there are many deep holes, produced by the cave, which will have to be filled in before any cars can be taken up.

The hoisting engine was thrown out of place by the cave and there are numerous cracks in the walls of the engine room. There are deep cracks for several hundred feet up the road leading from Main avenue to the mine and fear is expressed that a large portion of this may fall in. The ground is still settling, and every now and then an ominous crackling can be heard in the breaker, which would seem to bode ill for its safety.

Mine Superintendent Evans, however, is of the opinion that all danger is past, and an effort is to be made at once to clean up the debris and re-prop the mine. A serious cave-in at this same mine a short time ago succeeded in depopulating the old red barn which had been a residence for Italians for so many years back. The red barn at that time was split in two by the cave-in.

EVERIST HELD IN BAIL.

He Is the Young Man Who Tried to Work a Street Car Conductor.

Harry Everist, the young man arrested on Monday night by Special Officer Dyer and Superintendent Patterson, of the Scranton Railway company, charged with impersonating an employe of the company and securing money under false pretences, was held in $300 bail yesterday morning for his appearance in court, after a hearing held before Magistrate Howe.

Clarence Myers, a conductor, was the principal witness against Everist. According to Myers' story, Everist boarded a Dunmore Suburban car on Monday night and told him (Myers) that he was a "spotter," but that if Myers would agree to give him half the proceeds he'd close his eyes if any "knocking down" was done. Myers said he'd think the scheme over, and left Everist on Washington avenue, while he journeyed on to the company's office.

Here he informed Superintendent Patterson and Officer Dyer of Everist's proposition. Myers was directed to "knock down" some fares on the trip to Dunmore, and to divide up with Everist if he was aboard the car.

Patterson and Dyer boarded the car, which picked up Mr. Everist on Washington avenue. The conductor "knocked down" about half the fares collected, and when the car was stopped near the county jail, called Everist to one side and gave him $1.15, according to his own story. When Everist attempted to leave the car, a little later, he was arrested.

Everist claimed in defense that Myers owed him a dollar and a half, and had promised to "knock down" enough fares to pay him.

The following well-known gentlemen are the directors:

C. D. Jones.	A. B. Warmas.
G. F. Reynolds.	C. S. Woolworth.
Thos. Sprague.	M. J. Healey.
Richard O'Brien.	W. G. Fulton.
Samuel Sanier.	Arthur Dunn.
T. C. Von Storch.	M. P. Carter.

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FINAL WORK OF TRANSITION

Fire Department Now a Truly Paid Institution.

Director of Public Safety Wormser yesterday completed the final work in the transition of the fire department from a volunteer to a paid basis. This work consisted in closing with the different companies for the purchase of such articles belonging to them as the city desired for the furnishing of the hose houses.

Altogether, about $900 worth of furnishings were purchased from the volunteers. This, however, only represents a portion of what it has cost to furnish the houses, as many new beds, mattresses, bed clothing, etc., had to be purchased. There is now an average of six beds in each hose house of the department.

There is nothing lavish about the present furnishings of the hose houses. They are plain, business-like and comfortable. In purchasing articles, Director Wormser has kept in mind that the best is the cheapest, and has secured articles that will not have to be replaced each year. Practically all of the furniture and furnishings owned by the volunteers has been moved out of the various hose houses.

OPINIONS OF COURT.

Judge Edwards Deals with the Cases of Fallon Against Costanzo and Spruks Against Connell et al.

Two opinions were handed down by President Judge Edwards yesterday, one in the case of Mary Fallon against Antonio Costango, and the other in the case of David Spruks against J. L. Connell & Co.

The first was a suit to secure the correcting and reforming the contract for the purchase of an Old Forge property.

Mrs. Fallon owned three adjoining lots. Two of them were conveyed by deed in 1886 to her son, W. J. Fallon. In contracting to sell to Costango in 1897 her attorney included a description of all three lots in the contract. Costango upon making the final payment proceeded to take possession of all three lots. Mrs. Fallon then for the first time, so she says, discovered the alleged mistake in the contract. Costango held that it was no mistake, that it was all three lots, and not only one, that Mrs. Fallon bargained to sell him.

Judge Edwards finds in favor of Mrs. Fallon. He says it is evident the comment of the parties. That a mistake tract does not express the true agreewas made in drafting the contract, he says, is clear, precise and indubitible.

The judge directs that each party pay his or her own costs, and that the other costs be equally divided.

The case of Spruks against Connell & Co. was an injunction proceeding to restrain the sale of a brand of cigars known as "Quaker Girl" on the ground that it was an imitation of the brand of cigars known as "Pennsylvania Quaker."

The judge finds that the plaintiff's case rests mainly on this allegation—the imitation of the name. There is nothing, he says, in the boxes, labels, device or picture, in color or form, connected with the "Quaker Girl" cigars showing an attempt to imitate the other brand. Indeed, the bill does not specifically allege this. When the two brands were submitted for inspection the dissimilarity was instantaneously perceived. Therefore the only question in the case is the right of the defendatns to use the word "Quaker" in the designation "Pennsylvania Quaker."

Further he says: "There is no evidence tending to prove that the defendants adopted the 'Quaker Girl' as a designation of their brand of cigar with the intent to imitate the plaintiff's 'Pennsylvania Quaker;' nor can I find that anybody has been misled into buying one cigar for another.

"The trade-mark 'Quaker Girl' does not infringe upon the trade-mark 'Pennsylvania Quaker' because it is not calculated to deceive, mislead or confuse persons of ordinary intelligence using customary caution."

The bill is dismissed at the costs of the plaintiff.

In the Register's Office.

Letters af administration were yesterday granted in the estate of Cornelius Compton, late of Scranton, to his brother, Jacob J. Compton.

In the estate of J. L. Fordham, late of Scranton, letters of administration were granted to Walter H. Fordham.

Marriage Licenses.

Patrick McHugh .....Dunmore
Mary Crane .....Dunmore
William Watkins ...26 Acker avenue
Harriet Bowen ..... Taylor

COURT HOUSE NEWS NOTES.

The bond of George H. Haverly, tax collector of Throop, was approved yesterday, by Judge Edwards. It was in the sum of $28,000, and had the Fidelity and Casualty company, of Maryland, as surety.

The plans submitted by Architect Brown for improving the main court room have been accepted, and the work will be begun August 13, the day after the midsummer session.

MRS. ROBERT JONES BURIED.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Robert Jones was conducted yesterday afternoon from the home of deceased's daughter, Mrs. Thomas J. Price, on North Washington avenue. The services were in charge of Rev. D. D. Hopkins, pastor of the First Welsh Baptist church.

Many life-long friends of deceased from West Scranton were in attendance at the funeral. The pall-bearers were Thomas J. Price, John Davis, Palmer Price, James Protheroe, John R. Jones and Fred Davis. The remains were interred in the Forest Hill cemetery.

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TOWNFOLK SAY IT IS MURDER

NICHOLSON WOMAN MYSTERIOUSLY DISAPPEARS.

Mrs. Albert White, Nee Harris, Formerly of This City, Reported Missing—Her Husband Leaves Town and When Neighbors Look Into Their Home They Find the Furniture Smashed and Some of Mrs. White's Clothing Burned—Letter Received by the Girl's Father.

Mrs. Arthur White, of Nicholson, has been missing for a week, and the people of the village are filled with the belief that she has met with foul play.

A report reached here last night that she had been found hanging in the woods, but this proved to be only a rumor.

Shortly after she disappeared her husband left the town. When the neighbors visited his home they found the household furniture smashed, the whole interior in disorder, and that some of her clothing had been burned.

Mrs. White's maiden name was Harris. She is a daughter of Thomas Harris, who lives on Parker street, near the fan house of the Leggett's Creek colliery. Mr. Harris yesterday received the following letter:

LETTER FROM NICHOLSON.

Nicholson, Pa., July 23.

Mr. Thomas Harris:

I thought I would write you and tell you what has happened. Albert White and wife moved up here the first of April and a week ago last Saturday they were missed. No one has seen anything of them since. We went up to their house and all their furniture was broken; also the stove. We found where their clothes had been burned. We went down to Scranton, but could not find anything of them. But one fellow said he saw Albert going toward Wilkes-Barre on a freight train. We think he has murdered her, by the way things look up in their house. We would like to have you come up right away. If you come, send a dispatch and we will meet you at the train. Address,

Joseph Winters,
Nicholson, Pa.

LIVED IN PARK PLACE.

Before moving to Nicholson the Whites lived in Park Place. Inquiry among the neighbors there developed the information that White had the reputation of being ugly when drunk, and was wont to seize an ax and smash things around the house.

Lieutenant Lona Day last night made some inquiries in Park Place, and was told that both White and his wife were seen there last Friday.

YOUNG ELDRIDGE INJURED.

Small Boy Run Down on Lackawanna Avenue Yesterday.

A young boy named Eldridge, residing on North Lincoln avenue and employed by Connolly & Wallace, was run down yesterday afternoon about 1 o'clock at the corner of Lackawanna and Wyoming avenues, by a team of horses belonging to M. F. Wymbs, the undertaker.

Eldridge tried to cross in front of the horses, but was not quick enough and was knocked down. The startled bystanders imagined that he would be crushed to death, but the driver pulled up the horses quickly, probably succeeding by so doing in saving the lads' life.

The boy's face and arms were cut and skinned, but none of his injuries were very serious, and after they had been dressed by Dr. Leet, he was able to ride home on a street car.

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Leather Belts—Green, brown, russet and castor. All were high class goods, to close..... **15c**

Chantilly Black Serpentine Laces—A chance at another lot of dainty new goods. This is the best bargain of the season. 10c, 12½c, 15c, 18c and..... **25c**

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MURRAY USED A KNIFE.

Slashed Patrick Reap Across the Face, Inflicting Several Gashes. Murray Is Under Arrest.

Patrick Reap was stabbed yesterday morning on Lackawanna avenue by Patrick Murray, of Bellevue, who was arrested last night and lodged in the Centre street police station.

According to the story told by an eye witness of the affair, Reap was in front of Music hall yesterday morning engaging some Italians to do work at the new St. Mary's academy. Murray was standing nearby and protested to Reap, telling him that he shouldn't hire "scabs."

Reap remonstrated with Murray, but only succeeded in angering the latter. Murray, it is said, made for Reap, as if to strike him, which caused the latter to shoot out his fist. As soon as Murray felt the blow he drew a pocket knife and viciously slashed at Reap's face, cutting several long gashes.

He managed to make his escape through the crowd, which appeared to have more interest in the victim than in his assailant. Reap went to the Lackawanna hospital, where his injuries were dressed. He later went before Magistrate Howe and swore out a warrant for Murray's arrest.

This was placed in the hands of Patrolman Feency, who captured his man last night in Bellevue and brought him to the Centre street station.

MEETING OF MACHINISTS.

They Refuse to Say What Was Done at It.

A meeting of Electric City lodge of machinists, that was attended mainly by the Allis-Chalmers, Finch and McClave & Brooks men, took place yesterday afternoon in Hulbert's hall.

What was done would not be divulged. Another meeting is to be held at 10 o'clock this morning. President Campbell said that after this meeting he would likely have an announcement to make.

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