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CITY NOTES

KILLED WILD DOG.—Park Officer McNamara yesterday killed the wild dog which has been terrorizing people at the park.

D. L. & W. PAYS.—The Lackawanna railroad train men were paid yesterday, which completes the pay in this vicinity for July.

PITTSBURG COUPLE MARRIED.—Thomas F. Hooper and Miss Mary V. Rowane, of Pittsburg, were married yesterday by Magistrate Hooper.

MEETS TODAY—LADIES' AID SOCIETY OF THE NEW YORK UNIVERSITY.—All society of the New York University church meets with Mrs. W. Esterbrook, of Pine street, this afternoon.

BANKRUPTCY PETITION.—Joseph F. H. Nicely, of Williamsport, yesterday filed with the clerk of the United States district court for this district a voluntary petition in bankruptcy.

MINE'S LEG BROKEN.—Joseph Pedellici, of Freeburg, was caught in a fall of rock yesterday morning while at work in Johnson's mine and sustained a fractured thigh. He was taken to the Lackawanna hospital.

RELEASED ON BAIL.—Daniel Evans, charged with assault and battery and desertion by his wife, Jane Evans, Antecedent bail in court yesterday, William B. Rose and William Mosley are his bondsmen and the sum is \$200.

ITALIANS TO PICNIC.—The North Italian society will hold a picnic in Walker's grove today. In the evening there will be a display of fireworks. The picnic is in charge of V. Artigiani, P. Ferretti, S. Gondola and M. Peruzzi.

MEETING SATURDAY.—The W. V. R. U. of Scranton will meet in Guernsey's hall Friday afternoon, Aug. 16, at 2 o'clock to make arrangements for the picnic for the U. V. U. to be held at Nay Aug park Saturday at 3 o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

SILK MILL EXCURSION.—The Parsington silk mill will on an excursion to Mountain Park, Saturday, Sept. 7, with Bauer's band in attendance. It is expected to be the only silk mill in the city giving their employees an excursion this year, and is done voluntarily by this firm, whose name was the last to close down in the big strike last spring and the first to open.

DUFFY HAS RESIGNED.

He Was the President of the Newsboys' Union.

President James Duffy, of the Union Newsboys of Scranton, has resigned his position as president. They will hold a special meeting on Saturday next for the purpose of electing a new president and the discussion of matters concerning the New York Sunday papers.

Duffy resigned because there were some charges made against him, which he could not prove to be false.

Liederkranz Annual Excursion.

The Scranton Liederkranz will run their annual excursion to Lake Lodore on Monday, August 26th. Many special attractions are offered for the day. The ball game, the fat man's race, the boys' race and the tug of war will be full of interest.

The repeating of the prize song sung by this society at the Pan-American exposition last June will be one of the feature of the day.

SCHEDULE FOR BUCKNELL.
Foot Ball Games Team Will Play During Season.

Following is the foot ball schedule of Bucknell university for the season of 1901:

HORSE IN A GROCER SHOP.
Runaway Dashes Into a Store and Causes Havoc.

A spirited horse, belonging to Dr. John O'Malley created no end of excitement and not a little havoc on Spruce street and Washington avenue yesterday morning.

The horse was being driven by Frank Kennedy, a student in the doctor's office. He lost the animal at the Mears building while he went into the People's bank, and on returning was in the act of loosening the strap when the horse took fright at a passing automobile and suddenly swerving to one side, broke away and was off at a gallop.

The carriage overturned, with Kennedy underneath it. He was being dragged along the pavement, unable to extricate himself, and threatened with a ride that might cost him his life, when the horse collided with a telegraph pole and freed itself from the shafts.

The horse dashed diagonally across Washington avenue and against a horse belonging to Butcher O'Donnell, which was knocked to the pavement. Dr. O'Malley's horse was halted not white by this second collision, but instead seemed to be given renewed spirit, for with a bound it jumped over the prostrate horse, kicked about for awhile on the sidewalk, and then dashed into the open door of the grocery store of J. D. Boyer.

Harry Boyer and Harry Beane, two of the clerks stopped the horse after it had reached the middle of the store. They clung to the bridle and strove hard to subdue the maddened animal, but try as they would, they could not control his hind feet, and the consequence was that it kicked and smashed about a hundred jars of various kinds of pickles that were piled up in front of the counters at the point where they were holding the horse.

Kennedy, who was only slightly injured, came along shortly, and succeeded, after a great deal of trouble, in getting the horse out of the store.

WHITNEY BRAGS A BIT.

Says That He Did It All in This City.

In its story about the police scandals in New York, the Sun of that city yesterday had the following about E. A. Whitney:

"Whitney spent most of the afternoon walking back and forth in the small ante room adjoining Justice Jerome's chambers. He was so nervous that he felt called upon to declare that he was not serving all."

"I am spending twelve hours every night in the Tomb," he said. "That's more sleep than I get at home. It would take more than this to stir me up."

He was told of a story printed in the evening paper about his work as an employee of the Municipal League of Scranton, Pa., in exposing corruption in the Scranton city council several years ago.

"Yes," he said, "I got the evidence that put four of those fellows out of office and now I suppose they are laughing at me."

From this it will be seen that Whitney is capable of stretching the truth. It will be remembered that Detectives Whitney and Anderson did the key-hole accompaniment to Detective Hartigan's sleuth work when the city councilmen of this city were led to their undoing.

SHOT BY FOOTPADS.

Alexius Romyonick Held Up by Three Men and Fired Upon.

Alexius Romyonick, a Polisher, residing on Green street, Dunmore, was received at the Lackawanna hospital yesterday with a bullet in his left foot.

According to his story, he was shot early yesterday morning, while walking along the Lackawanna tracks, near Scranton.

REPUBLICANS WOULD GAIN.

This, Mr. Gurrell explained would mean that if another election was held the Republican would make a gain of one, if the results were the same as before in other wards, and this gain of one would give the Republicans control of the lower branch as well as the upper.

As it now stands the Democrats have thirteen common councilmen and the Republicans eight. The seventeenth "extras" are made up of eleven Republicans and six Democrats. With the "extras" seated the vote would be a tie, nineteen Republicans and nineteen Democrats.

On joint ballot the Republicans would have thirty votes to the Democrat's twenty-nine and as council is select by joint ballot a number of important officials after the term of the governor's appointed recorder expires, it is very important which party has the majority.

The Democrats have figured considerably on this and think they have evolved a means of overcoming the Republicans' lead of one and, incidentally, securing a majority in the lower branch.

Their scheme is to refuse to seat E. E. Robathan one of the "extras" from the Fifth ward on the ground of ineligible.

Section 6, article XIV, of the Municipal charter, dealing with the eligibility of members of council reads as follows:

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NO FURTHER FIGHT TO BE MADE AGAINST THEM.

AN EFFORT WILL BE MADE, HOWEVER, TO KEEP E. E. ROBATHAN OUT, ON THE GROUND THAT HE HOLDS A PUBLIC POSITION WHICH, UNDER THE RIPPER BILL, DISQUALIFIES HIM FROM SITTING IN THE CITY COUNCILS—HIS ANSWER, IT IS BELIEVED, WILL DISPOSE OF THIS CHARGE.

Tonight the "extra" common council, armed with Judge Edwards' mandamus, will present themselves at a special meeting of the lower branch of the city legislature and renew their demand to be seated. Their demand will be granted.

The only way the Democrats could possibly be "extra" from being seated would be to take an appeal from Judge Edwards' finding and have the appellate court make the appeal a supersedeas. It is very questionable if a supersedeas could be secured, and it is likely that it will always remain questionable as to whether the Democrats are not disposed to contest the matter further.

The call for the special meeting was issued yesterday by five of the Democratic members, and its object was to call forth as "general business." The purpose of the meeting, it is understood, is the passing of the ordinance providing for a \$12,000 a year contract with the Scranton Gas and Water company.

A caucus of the Democratic members was called for last night, for the purpose of formulating some plan of action regarding the admission of the "extras." Only a few of the members showed up, however, and no action was taken.

READY TO QUIT.
Attorney M. J. Martin, of O'Brien & Martin, counsel for Democratic members in the mandamus proceedings, stated yesterday that they had not yet had any conference with their client's but he felt assured from expressions heard before the decision was rendered, that they did not propose to carry the test farther than the local court.

Mr. Martin said he would not advise an appeal as there was little if anything to be gained by securing another ruling from an appellate court. The expansion of common council must come at all events, next April, and the most that would be gained by delaying it, would be a possible chance of strengthening the Democratic representation by another election.

Councilman William Gurrell, who was one of the foremost of the Democrats in the opposition to seating the "extras" said to a Tribune man that he would not by any means, favor taking an appeal. The apportionment made from the return of 1900, the one under which the "extras" were elected, gives the Sixth and Fifteenth two members and the Fifteenth one. The apportionment made three weeks ago, from the returns of July of this year, reversed the order of things as regards the Sixth and Fifteenth wards.

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WHAT THE ACT SAYS.

From and after the passage of this act, no person shall be elected to the office of select or common council in cities of the second class who has not been a citizen of the state of Pennsylvania, the county in which said city is located or in such city, except that of any public or commissioner of deeds, and if any person who shall hereafter be elected by reason of his election to the office of select or common councilman shall during the term for which he was elected take, accept or hold any office, position or emoluments of any kind, he shall forfeit the office of councilman and shall hold such during the time for which he was elected to the office of select or common councilman, and if any person who shall hereafter be elected to the office of select or common councilman shall during the term for which he was elected take, accept or hold any office, position or emoluments of any kind, he shall forfeit the office of councilman and shall hold such during the time for which he was 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