

SERVICES AT CANTON EXQUISITELY SIMPLE

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MRS. M'KINLEY IS BEARING UP

Canton, Sept. 19.—The friends of Mrs. McKinley thought do not regard her as being upon the verge of a collapse. On the contrary they express themselves as quite confident that she will be spared to them for a long time in at least as good a state of health as she has enjoyed for the last five years.

Mrs. McKinley is bearing up as well as could be expected under the circumstances. She has and is still suffering intensely from her bereavement, and has frequently given way to sobs and tears, but for all that she has been doing as well as any woman could do under similar circumstances. We have no immediate expectations of anything but favorable conditions in her case.

OFFICIALS RETURN TO WASHINGTON

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Pittsburgh, Sept. 19.—Flourishing, wearing President Theodore Roosevelt, the members of the cabinet and other high government officials, representing every department of the government, tonight passed through Pittsburgh via the Pennsylvania, en route to Washington from Canton, the scene of the obsequies of the late President William McKinley. The strain of the past week was marked on the faces of all who were connected with the administration of the late executive, as well as those who had been assigned, by reason of their station, to participate in the last honor due the ruler of this great country.

A FLORAL DISPLAY WITHOUT PRECEDENT

Canton, O., Sept. 19.—Never before on any public occasion as that in Western cemetery this afternoon. The vaults were lined with red and white flowers, a multitude of floral pieces were spread on the ground before the door of the vault and for one hundred feet to the right and left of the doorway and for half an hour to the rear of a line passing through the front wall it was impossible to tread, so thick did the tributes lie. Nearly every county in both Pennsylvania and Ohio was represented by floral tributes. The number of those from the United States, almost past counting. They came from every state in the Union and there is scarcely a man in public life whose tributes were not to be found in the vault this afternoon.

ITALY'S OFFERING ESPECIALLY STRIKING

The great wreath in the center was the offering of the Italian government and king of Italy and was one of the largest pieces seen. Upon a great wreath of black satin, which came from the hands of deep green leaves, was the following inscription: "Requiescat in pace dominus noster Jesus Christus, cuius regni non erit finis." The black and white wreath was made of white and blue, the colors of the United States, and another of red, white and green, the colors of Italy.

FLAG OF UNION COMES FROM CUBA

From the republic of Cuba came an enormous representation of the flag of union. A wreath of red roses and lilies of the valley came from the republic of Haiti. The colors of the flag were red and purple, and the wreath of the Knights Templar of Minnesota came a great field of red and white flowers, formed entirely of white satin. In the center was the red cross of the Knights Templar. A wreath came from the Knights of Tennessee. An elaborate offering of roses and lilies came from Mrs. E. E. Stone, of New York. There were wreaths from Savannah, Ga., from San Francisco, from Duluth, New Orleans and from dozens of other cities.

RESOLUTIONS PASSED BY ASSOCIATED PRESS

New York, Sept. 19.—At the annual meeting of members of the Associated Press in this city today, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted by a rising vote:

Whereas, The late President of the United States, William McKinley, beloved and honored by the people of the whole country, has been murdered by the ruthless hand of an anarchist assassin, and

Whereas, His noble qualities and his conspicuous example as a brave, generous, sympathetic and able man, his virtues as a citizen and officer of the republic, his deeds as a nation's inspired love and sympathy between the sections and the people of our common country, had endeared him to the whole union, therefore, be it resolved by the Associated Press, that it do hereby—

First—That in common with the whole country it deplore his tragic death as a national calamity.

Second—That the sympathy of this body be expressed to the bereaved wife, who, deprived of his loving care and comfort and of his affectionate solace, should be, so long as it is needed, the ward of the nation in all that properly devolves upon her as a widow.

Third—That we call upon the states and the nation to take prompt and appropriate legislative steps to deal adequately with the advances of the insidious disease which threatens that the law and order must be overthrown, and which, the world over, nearly admits assassination as the instrument of the law and order and should be made to understand that he will be dealt with in the same manner as any other plague or pestilence which threatens the nation.

Fourth—That we facilitate the country in having met so fittingly the dying end of the great week, in which the enduring strength and security

of its institutions have been again so strongly manifested. That in like, as in all our national calamities, the patriotic, the heroic and the brave of the nation, should hold in such even balance the vast commercial and other interests which rest upon popular confidence in our government, is a tribute to all worthy men of great spirit in the government which their devotion has made the greatest of governments of the earth.

LABOR SOCIETY DENOUNCES ANARCHY

Syracuse, N. Y., Sept. 19.—The State Workmen's Federation of Labor at 12:30 this afternoon adjourned out of respect to President McKinley until 8:30 o'clock tomorrow. Strong resolutions were adopted denouncing the assassination, deploring the crime and calling upon all organized workmen to stand firm and crush anarchy out of their organization and to elect known anarchists or advocates of anarchy from the labor organizations. The delegates tonight attended in a body the memorial exercises held by the city of Syracuse.

PLANNING CHANGES IN WHITE HOUSE

Washington, Sept. 19.—Mr. Lusk, President Roosevelt's private secretary, was at the White House today, busy engaged with a great mass of correspondence, and the president, it is reported, has been seated in the White House during the day and occupying the official position of the mansion.

BRITISH SYMPATHY CLEARLY INDICATED

London, Sept. 19.—The London papers again appeared with their headlines and accessories in respect of the tragedy in Ohio. "Whom do you know?" says the Standard, "has a common sorrow bound expression in its many lands." The Daily News made this spontaneous manifestation of mourning deeply suggestive and impressive, being paralleled only at the death of Victoria.

COUNTING COST OF BIG STEEL STRIKE

Men. It is Estimated, Lose \$10,000,000 and Companies \$15,000,000. Shaffer Preparing Statement.

THE RAILS SPREAD

Nearly a Hundred Passengers Shaken Up by Train Accident.

PRETTY EVENING WEDDING

Miss Susie Knapp, of Delphion, and George King United.

A very pretty wedding took place Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas King, 125 South Seventh street, when their son, George King, and Miss Susie Knapp, of Delphion, Pa., were united in marriage by Rev. Thomas De Gruchy. The wedding march was rendered by Miss Lillian M. Bannfield, of West Pittston.

RIGHT FOOT CUT OFF

Serious Accident Early This Morning on the Lackawanna.

FIRST CLASS CONCERT

To Be Given by Members of William Connell Glee Club.

white ribbon and lace. She carried a bouquet of white roses. The bridesmaid, Miss Lillie King, sister of the groom, wore a dress of the same material and carried a bouquet of cream roses. The groom was attended by W. E. Harris, of Bellevue. After the ceremony, a repast was served. The bride was the recipient of many handsome presents.

Among the guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. Cathy, of Wilkes-Barre; Mrs. George Hamford, of Pittston; Rev. and Mrs. De Gruchy and family; Mrs. Hoobner and son, Mr. and Mrs. Beaumont, Mr. and Mrs. Harris, the Misses Annie and Mamie Rafter, Mamie and Julia Evans, Mamie Connell, Mr. and Mrs. Colomoni, Mrs. Buckley, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Williams and daughter, Jennie, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kelly, Mr. C. Miller and Miss Rhoda Hopper, of Moosico.

SCHOOL EXERCISES

Singing of the Dead President's Favorite Hymns the Feature of the Observances.

In pursuance with the resolution passed by the board of control at its last meeting, all the public schools were opened at the usual hour this day morning for the purpose of conducting memorial services in honor of the dead president and thus inculcate in the minds of the rising generation a respect for those who are chosen by the people to fill positions of public trust.

Brief exercises were conducted in each school room. No general uniform programme had been arranged by Superintendent of Schools Howell and each teacher was accordingly left to arrange her own programme. The exercises in the majority of the schools were of a simple nature and consisted of the recitation of the Lord's prayer, the singing of "Nearer My God to Thee" and "America" and the reading of a biography of the late president, telling of his rise from a struggling young attorney to the highest position of trust in the gift of the people.

The exercises at the high school were of a more elaborate nature. The thousand pupils were convened at the usual hour in the auditorium. Seated upon the stage, the rear of which was draped in black, were Prof. Joslin, the principal, and the members of the faculty, together with superintendent of Schools Howell and Captain W. A. May, school controller from the Ninth ward. All three of these gentlemen made brief addresses.

Superintendent Howell paid a beautiful tribute to the late president, whom he said would always rank in history as one of the best men America ever produced. He devoted himself largely to a resume of his personal virtues and his voice broke and he became deeply affected at the end of his loving and reverent devotion to his wife and of his beautiful Christian death.

Prof. Joslin spoke along similar lines and expressed the hope that young Americans all over the land would seek to emulate this simply yet great man, who gave up his life for his country.

Captain May, after paying his personal tribute to President McKinley's memory, said that he believed the assassination might have the effect of turning the attention of the American people to something more noble and enduring than the wild scramble after wealth and power the virus of which seems to have infected the blood of people of all classes.

If a Divine Providence ordained the death, he said, it might be with this end in view, and the terrible deed might be the pivotal point on which the nation may swing into a sweeter and a purer atmosphere. He commended the attention of the American people to something more noble and enduring than the wild scramble after wealth and power the virus of which seems to have infected the blood of people of all classes.

Irvin Cameron, of Ohio, a fireman employed by the Lackawanna Telephone company, was found lying alongside the Lackawanna tracks, near the Phoenix Engine house, at 2:45 o'clock this morning with his right foot crushed.

He was found by a passerby, who was attracted by his cries of pain, and was removed to the Lackawanna hospital, where it was stated that the foot would probably have to be amputated. The injured man said that he was riding on a freight train and was thrown under the wheels in attempting to alight.

The concert, which will be held on Tuesday evening, will contain many of the standard selections of some of the most noted composers of the day, and will be of a rare treat to all whose privilege it will be to attend. The programme will appear in these columns later. The following comprises a list of the officers and members of the club:

James M. Anshutz, president; John H. Phillips, vice president; Joseph P. Phillips, treasurer; Daniel Lewis, Edward Evans, Sidney Higgins, David B. Evans, Edward Taylor, Thomas Watkins, A. Jones, John Evans, William A. Davis, William R. Williams, Thomas Thomas.

First Bass—Joseph P. Phillips, Daniel Phillips, Thomas Thomas, William Evans, Eugene Williams.

Major Fred—St. you refuse me, Miss Finkler, and I am very sorry, Major Fred, but you are not engaged to me and I accepted you.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON SALES.

OF SURPASSING INTEREST TO HUNDREDS OF PEOPLE ARE Our Great Friday Afternoon Sales

Next to the littleness of prices the best news about our Friday Afternoon Sales is the kind of goods we offered. Everything new—the sparkle of freshness everywhere—new styles, new patterns, new shapes, new ideas; in fact, a wealth of sensible novelties. Those who attend this Friday Afternoon's Sale will depart better pleased than ever. All manner of furnishings for the home, all kinds and styles of wearing apparel at prices that cannot be equaled or duplicated in Scranton or any other city.

If you would practice true economy examine carefully the following interesting price list, then come and have your wants supplied.

 <p>Sale No. 1 Begins Promptly at 2 O'clock.</p>	 <p>Sale No. 2 Begins Promptly at 3 O'clock.</p>	 <p>Sale No. 3 Begins Promptly at 4 O'clock.</p>
<h3>Housefurnishings</h3> <p>In Basement</p> <p>The irresistible bargains in House Furnishings should attract the attention of thrifty housekeepers who need the useful articles we advertise for this Friday Afternoon Sale.</p> <p>1c for Kitchen Knives—Used for paring, solid wood handle and turned blade, the regular value is 5c, but for this one hour sale the price is, each..... 1c</p> <p>Old Table Knives for 4c each—Knives with polished handles and steel riveted, always sold in sets for 50c, for this hour price is, each..... 4c</p> <p>Dinner or Breakfast Plates, 3c each—These plates are white, semi-porcelain, handsome looking and good size, was exceptional good value at 5c, for this hour price is, each..... 3c</p> <p>Imitation Cut Glass Tumblers, 2c each—Splendid Glass Tumblers for table use, sold at 4c and considered bargains. For the hour sale, each..... 2c</p> <p>Scrubbing Brushes go at 7c each—Made in the improved style of genuine tampico, standard price 10c, here for the hour at, each..... 7c</p> <p>Here's a Grand Free Choice Tin Bargain</p> <p>You can take your pick of the following: Pie Plates, Jelly Pans, Bread Pans, Pudding Dishes, Wash Basins. Your choice... Every article good tin and worth at regular prices 5c, 6c and 7c.</p> <p>12 Quart Wood Fiber Pails at 10c—Strongly made and will not split. Regular price 30c; for the hour sale 19c</p> <p>Gray Steel Enamel Chamber Pails, 40c—Pails with covers of genuine steel gray enamel, good size and worth fully \$1.00. Here for the hour at 40c</p> <p>Gray Steel Enamel Drinking Cups, 5c—These cups are ten times better than tin, regular value 9c. Here for the hour at..... 5c</p> <p>12 Bars of Soap for 25c—N. K. Fairbank's Mascot Soap, for this hour sale, 12 bars for..... 25c</p>	<h3>Dress Goods, Etc.</h3> <p>Main Floor</p> <p>Indigo Blue Long Cloth, 8 1/2c—About 2,000 yards of Blue Long or Century Cloth, suitable for Ladies' and Children's Dresses. Coats or Skirts, assorted patterns, warranted fast colors. Regular price 12 1/2c. For the hour sale, yard..... 8c</p> <p>Pillow Cases at 12 1/2c—Hemstitched Pillow Cases of fine quality muslin with 3 inch hems, size 45x36. Regular price 15c and 18c. Here for the hour sale at..... 12 1/2c</p> <p>A Strong Notion Bargain.</p> <p>1 set of Dress Stays, assorted sizes, all colors..... 5c</p> <p>Stockinet Dress Shields, all sizes, each..... 5c</p> <p>The Eureka Hooks and Eyes, made with a hump, 3 cards.....</p> <p>Sewing Silk, 50 yard spools, your choice, 2 spools.....</p> <p>Bed Spreads at \$1.05.</p> <p>Full size, fringed borders, imitation Marseilles, regular price \$1.50. For the Hour Sale..... \$1.05</p> <p>Amazing Shoe Bargains.</p> <p>Shoes for Boys' and Girls', 89c—All sizes up to 2. Made of Calf Skin, Box Calf and Sturdy Kid. Soles of solid oak leather with back protection stays; service giving and comfortable. Price never less than \$1.25. For the Hour Sale..... 89c</p> <p>All Wool Dress Goods, 15c Yard</p> <p>About 1,200 yards of Wool Dress Goods and Heavy Tweeds. The wool plaids are suitable for Children's Dresses and are worth fully 37 1/2c. The tweeds are in plain and stripes, also brown, greys and blues. These two tremendous bargains are here for the Hour Sale at, yard..... 15c</p>	<h3>Wrappers</h3> <p>Second Floor</p> <p>Ladies' Flannel Wrappers, 68c—Here's a welcome bargain. Ladies' Wrappers in handsome dark patterns—the materials are flannels, percales and calicoes, with yoke and pleated back and flounced bottom, full size and length. Regular price \$1.00 and \$1.25; for this hour sale 68c</p> <h3>Stationery Bargain</h3> <p>Main Floor</p> <p>1 Lot of Box Writing Paper—Of the following styles: Royal English Linen, Glazed Bond, Vatican Velour and Grecian Parchment—comes in cream and white; 24 sheets of paper and 24 envelopes, standard price 25c, and never sold for less; in the hour sale, a box..... 15c</p> <h3>Furniture Bargains</h3> <p>Third Floor</p> <p>Parlor Rockers, \$1.65—Genuine oak and mahogany finish, with saddle and cobbler bottoms; seven spindles and carved panel back. Regular price \$2.25; for this hour sale..... \$1.65</p> <h3>Domest Skirt Patterns, 19c</h3> <p>Main Floor</p> <p>They are 84 inches wide and 36 in length. The colors are pinks, blues, greys, tans, etc. Embroidered edge stitch with silk floss to match border. Regular price 20c. For this hour, each... 19c</p> <h3>Children's Sleeping Garments, 19c</h3> <p>Main Floor</p> <p>Grey Ribbed Sleeping Garments for fall wear. Fleece lined, full length with feet, all complete. 30-cent value; for the hour sale at..... 19c</p> <h3>Ladies' Rubbers, 24c</h3> <p>Main Floor</p> <p>New stock of Ladies' Desirable Rubbers that always sell for 30c. Here for the hour at, per pair..... 24c</p>

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Some Men of the Hour

Edward F. Robathan, one of the new additional common councilmen from the Fifth ward, does not have to be "broken in," as do many of his colleagues. He got accustomed to the harness a number of years ago when he represented his ward as a regular common councilman and when he was recognized as one of the leaders of the common branch. Mr. Robathan has not allowed his interest in municipal matters to wane since his return to public life, and he is already becoming one of the most active members of the common council.

He is looked upon by the Republican leaders as one of the best workers for the success of that party among the younger element and his counsel is often heeded when grave issues are at stake. He has been actively interested in the work of the State League of Republican clubs since its organization and has attended nearly every state convention.

8 Brinckerhoff Thorne, general superintendent of the Temple Coal and Ice company, who was recently brought prominently before the public by the determined stand he adopted on the dockage question, when visited by a grievance committee of the company's miners, is one of the youngest men at the head of large coal mining companies in the anthracite field, but since his appointment to the position a few months ago, has amply proved his ability to handle it successfully. Pushing and aggressive in his manner of doing business, he has earned the respect of competitors, and ever courteous and genial in manner, he has won the respect and friendship of his subordinates and the kindly feeling of the mine workers in the collieries operated under his supervision.

He has been actively engaged in the coal business practically since his graduation from Yale university, and he has displayed in the same cool-headed, fighting spirit which in his college days made "Brink" Thorne one of the idols of the Yale campus and the hero of many a hard-fought football game. Shortly after his graduation he accepted the position of controller of the Pennsylvania Coal company, and when the Erie railroad absorbed that concern became superintendent of the Temple company.

J. G. Seaman is a valuable member of the board of city assessors. He is a clean-cut and aggressive business man, who has never taken a very active interest in politics, but who has been for years recognized as one of the leading citizens of the sixteenth ward. He didn't take him very many days to "find" himself after he was sworn in, and he was not at all backward in expressing his opinion when he felt that such an expression was necessary, for he is not at all modest when it comes to bowing to the line of his convictions.

He is a member of the grocery firm of Seaman Brothers, doing business on Penn avenue, and that his account as a business man is recognized is attested by the fact that he was recently chosen president of the Retail Merchants' Protective association.

Why Not?

Mr. Crimmonbeak—When a man applies for a license to run a boat he has to prove that he can manage her, doesn't he?

Mr. Crimmonbeak—Certainly.

Mr. Crimmonbeak—Well, why shouldn't I have to do the same thing when I apply for a license to marry a woman?—Yonkers Statesman.

Just as Easy and Cheaper.

"Do you go over this summer?"

"No, we've taken a smaller boat, and as things can be just as comfortable at home as we can in a fashionable hotel anywhere."—Chicago Record Herald.