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CITY NOTES.

BANK MAN SWORN IN.—Louis Meyers was yesterday afternoon sworn in as a bank man for the Relief Chemical Company.
FAIR AT MONTROSE.—The fifty-fifth annual fair of the Susquehanna County Agricultural Society will be held at Montrose today and tomorrow.
RE-BUILDING BOARD HOUSE.—A force of workmen were put to work yesterday tearing down the old to make way for the new board house in the Lackawanna railroad yard.
DO-GHILTY DISCHARGED.—John E. Dougherty, of Carlisle, Cumberland county, was yesterday granted his discharge in bankruptcy by Judge R. W. Archbold, in United States court.
GRAND OFFICERS HERE.—Grand President S. Smith and Grand Secretary Peter Lochman, Jr., of the Knights of St. George, are in the city, and will address the local lodge at Hotel Best, South Scranton, tonight.
BURIED YESTERDAY.—Mrs. Patrick Watson, late of Fifth avenue, died yesterday morning in Catholic cemetery. A large concourse of friends attended the funeral. A high mass of requiem was sung at Holy Cross church by the pastor, Rev. W. P. O'Rourke.
TO SPEAK ON "HEN HUR."—Rev. Dr. Robert Y. Pierce will deliver a lecture tonight in the Penn Avenue Baptist church on "Hen Hur," General Law Wallace's celebrated historical religious work. The lecture will be splendidly illustrated with stereoscopic views made from scenes in the play.
OFFICERS CHOSEN.—The congregation of the York Fellows band at the Railroad Young Men's Christian association will be opened Thursday evening, Oct. 3, at 8:30 p. m. A special list will be served and a try again for a successful play. At 8 o'clock an informal reception will be tendered to Mr. W. A. Burton, the retiring assistant secretary, and his successor, Mr. B. E. Stone.
YOUNG WOMAN IN THE CAUSE.—Wallace Muser and Joseph Deffen, of West Scranton, got into a hot row in front of the government building late last night when the affections of a young lady, Miss Inez Jeffrey, were the issue. Muser knocked Jeffrey over the fence, just as Patrolman Thomas Jones happened along. He placed them both under arrest, but they were later released upon leaving a deposit.
POLICE AND ALDERMEN.
Henry Moran was arrested yesterday, charged with being implicated in the theft of \$100 from M. Silverman a few weeks ago. He was discharged by Magistrate Miller for lack of sufficient evidence.
Joseph Hughes, of Bellevue, was arrested at the Lackawanna station early yesterday morning for begging from passengers alighting from trains. Magistrate Miller committed him to the county jail in default of a fine of \$10.
Oscar Norton, a hunchman employed by the Lackawanna Telephone company, was yesterday committed to the county jail by Magistrate Miller in default of \$200 bail on the charge of detaining Mrs. Beach, of Mulberry street, out of a board house amounting to \$8.
William Keno, of Prospect avenue, was arrested yesterday at the instance of George Oehl, of the Lackawanna Iron and Steel company for stealing old iron from the company's South mill. Magistrate Miller committed him to the county jail in default of \$200 bail. Fern was convicted of a similar charge some time ago, but the sentence was suspended by the court.
A man who was slightly under the influence of liquor was noticed standing at the corner of Lackawanna and Franklin avenues yesterday afternoon by Patrolman Potter. As a green hulk he had in sight he could be taken as a hunchman of grapes from the fruit stand on the corner and made a dash for the car. The patrolman followed and placed him under arrest. He will have a chance to explain things in police court this morning.

METHODIST MINISTERS MEET.

Rev. Dr. Sweet, of Oneonta, N. Y., Read a Paper.
The regular meeting of the Methodist Ministers' association of Scranton and vicinity was held in Elm Park church Monday morning at 10:30. President C. B. Henry presided, and Rev. Joseph Wardle conducted the devotions. Rev. John B. Sweet, of Oneonta, N. Y., presented a beautiful and instructive paper, entitled "Christ Versus Satan." Rev. G. A. Cure opened the discussion. Revs. H. C. McDermott, R. M. Pascoe, Austin Griffin and S. J. Dorsey also participated.
The sermons present were: Revs. James Benninger, F. P. Doty, H. C. McDermott, Austin Griffin, R. M. Pascoe, S. J. Dorsey, G. A. Cure, J. B. Sweet, Joseph Madison, Joseph Wardle, D. S. Bentley, J. N. Bailey, C. B. Henry, C. M. Surland and J. R. Austin.

LECTURE ON PASSION PLAY.

Rev. Dr. Robert F. Y. Pierce Spoke to Baptist Ministers Yesterday.
Rev. Dr. Robert F. Y. Pierce, pastor of the Penn avenue Baptist church, delivered an interesting lecture on the Oberammergau Passion Play yesterday morning before the Abington Baptist Pastors' association. The doctor was a witness of this religious spectacle in the summer of 1900 and his lecture was illustrated with stereoscopic views made from photographs, a large number of which were taken by himself.
The work for the coming year was mapped out by the association. The meetings will be held every Monday morning in the Penn avenue church as in the past and a paper on some religious topic will be prepared for each meeting by one of the members.

SOLICITORS FOR THE M'KINLEY MEMORIAL

Number of Them Were Appointed. Will Meet at Board of Trade Rooms Wednesday Night.

The work of districting the city and appointing solicitors to gather funds for the McKinley memorial was taken up early yesterday morning by Chairman Luther Keller of the general committee, Secretary C. R. Sanderson and Captain D. B. Atherton. The following districts were mapped out and solicitors named:
River to Boaring Brook, Monroe to Jefferson—John Brown.
Jefferson to Washington, Pine to Mulberry—Dr. G. L. Merriam.
Jefferson to Washington, Mulberry to Lackawanna—Dr. C. W. Long.
Mulberry to Pine, Pine to Washington—E. E. Pesor.
Mulberry to Lackawanna, Washington to River—J. Bannister.
Pine to River, Mulberry to Pine—P. J. Vetter.
River to Court, along Providence road, down Court street to River—Rosmond Vail.
Plunge to River, between River to Adams—Captain A. R. Foote.
Adams to Webster, between Pine and Poplar—Ernest L. Payne.
Adams to Webster, Pine to City Line—George May.
Arthur to Duane and City Line—John L. Schroeder.
Present to Clay, Boaring Brook to Pine—Joseph Schultz.
Pine to Boaring Brook, Clay to Monroe—John T. Howe.
River to Sanderson, between Marion and Delaware—A. Atkin.
Sanderson to Washington, between Marion and Delaware—L. L. Bowdon.
Washington to Quincy, between Electric and Marion—C. R. Sanderson.
North Park and Victoria—John Williams.
Delaware and Hudson Railroad on Market to River, between Delaware and Race—W. C. Meade.
Washington to River, between Larch and Phelps—T. D. McLaughlin.
South Main to Garfield, Division to City Line—T. Kelly.
Garfield to Keyser, Division to City Line—John Biddon.
Hampton to City Line, River to South Main—Eliot E. Ryan.
South Main to Delaware, Lackawanna and Western, Hampton to Oxford—A. B. Holmes.
Delaware, Lackawanna and Western to River, between Delaware and Race—W. C. Meade.
South Main to River, Oxford to Scranton—R. J. Williams.
Scranton to West Linden, North Main to River—Ebenzer Williams.
North Main to Keyser, Jones to Cooney—George Evans.
West Park to Petitioner, North Main to Keyser—Edward M. A. Phillips.
North Main to Garfield, Petitioner to Lafayette—P. J. McCann.
Garfield to Keyser, Lafayette to Petitioner—W. A. Phillips.
North Main to Garfield, Lafayette to Jackson—A. B. Eyles.
Garfield to Sherman, Lafayette to Jackson—W. H. Johns.
Garfield to Sherman, Jackson to Division—William Entell.
Court to Jones, North Main to River—Dr. J. B. Cozier.
Jones to Providence Square, North Main to River—John H. Hopewell.
North Main to Bloom, Market to Putnam—Thomas Norton.
Market to Weston Place, River to Wayne—D. R. Atherton.
Weston Place to Parker, North Main to Wayne—E. J. Foster.
River to North Main, Pond to Parker—J. N. Cornell.
Bloom to City Line, High Works to City Line—John L. Hopewell.
High Works to River, Market to River—River to Prospect, Maple to Hickory—James Manley.
Prospect to Meadow, Maple to Hickory—Dr. W. W. Humphrey.
Maple to Cherry, Prospect to River—Hon. John Scherer.
Prospect to City Line, Boaring Brook to City Line—W. H. Johns.
Prospect to River, Cherry to City Line—A. L. Carey.
Maple to Prospect, Maple to City Line—John F. Gibbons, Jr.

In the few districts in which solicitors have been selected they will be named. The above list today receive the official notification of their appointment and will be requested to attend a meeting to be held in the board of trade rooms Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. The solicitors will have charge of the house-to-house canvass and will be authorized to appoint such assistants as may be necessary to have the work done thoroughly and expeditiously.
The following each sent in \$1 yesterday for the monument fund:
A. W. Dickson, Taylor Foster, Mrs. W. H. Dickson, Mrs. Everett Warren, Mrs. G. B. Blanchard, Mrs. Margery Warren, James B. Dickson, Miss Dorothy Warren, Emma L. Fuller, Mrs. Dorothy Warren, Hugh B. Robinson, Master E. W. Warren, A. B. Stevens, D. W. Powell, Mrs. W. L. Schlager, Mrs. D. W. Powell, Mrs. W. L. Schlager, Wm. E. Powell, Nellie Schlager, Bertha Powell, Emma Schlager, Helen S. Powell, M. W. Lewis, M. J. Gurnsey, Robert Kosty, Mrs. M. J. Gurnsey, E. J. Foster, Mrs. E. A. Snyder.

There Is Still Time.

Students are registering daily for the Conservatory's courses in piano. Office, 694 Linden street. Open all day.
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STRIKE OF TROLLEY MEN SEEMS CERTAIN

Discharged Conductors Have Not Been Reinstated by General Manager Silliman and Men Will Refuse to Handle Cars This Morning.

Unless something unexpected intervenes before 5:30 a. m., there will be no trolley cars running this morning. Efforts to settle the differences between the company and the men proved futile, and the men declared they would follow the decision of Sunday morning's meeting, that unless their demands were granted they would not go to work Tuesday morning.

Early yesterday afternoon the employees committee received the following letter from General Manager Silliman:
Sept. 29, 1901.
Mr. P. J. Shea, President Division No. 168, A. of Street Car Employees.
Dear Sir: With reference to the demand made by you and your committee on yesterday afternoon that this company, before tomorrow morning, reinstate Martin Gordon and P. J. Carden, recently discharged, pending a decision by arbitration on the facts which occasioned their discharge, and notifying us unless this is done the members of your organization will strike work on tomorrow morning, I beg to say that we cannot agree to this.
We will, however, in order that a quick disposition may be made of this matter, agree to refer to Bishop Hoban, or to one of his priest or not, under our contract with you, our discharge of these men was proper and as already agreed by us, we will, in case the decision is favorable to the men, pay them for the time they would have made in had they were at work on their regular runs. Very truly yours,
Scranton Railway Company.
By General Manager.

COMMITTEE'S STATEMENT.

In response to General Manager Silliman's letter, the committee prepared the following statement:
Scranton, Pa., Sept. 29, 1901.
To the Public:
With reference to the answer to the executive committee of Division No. 168, in regard to the men that were discharged, we can see nothing more in it than the first proposition to the committee. Mr. Silliman did not state whether he would or would not bring his witnesses before the arbitration board in order that our men would have an opportunity to question them. Moreover, Mr. Silliman did not state whether he agreed to arbitration that is at issue as we have both agreed to that, but the reinstatement of these men.

A FINAL EFFORT.

Last night the employees' committee waited on General Manager Silliman to make a final effort at settlement. They agreed to have Bishop Hoban arbitrate the question as to whether or not Gordon and Carden were guilty of the charges preferred against them, providing the accused men should be given opportunity to make a defense before the arbitrator, either in person or by a representative, and that they should be put back to work pending the decision, the union men on their wages if the decision was in the company's favor.
Mr. Silliman would not agree to go any further than indicated by his letter, that is, "to refer to Bishop Hoban the question as to whether or not, under our contract with you, our discharge of these men was proper."

WHAT CHAIRMAN SAID.

A Tribune man saw Chairman Shea, as he came from a meeting of the committee at which the answer was considered, and he unreservedly declared the men were not satisfied with the company's offer.
The company does not choose to regard the proposed arbitration as an investigation by a court of the first instance, but rather as a review by an appellate court, the question at issue being whether or not the company offered against any provision of the contract when it discharged Gordon and Carden, rather than whether or not there was sufficient cause to remove them. It is the company's purpose, however, to go further and prove to the arbitrator that there was sufficient cause.
In other words, the two discharged men are accused of having been either negligent or dishonest. A clause of the contract says that the company may discharge men for dishonesty or

THE POOL TOURNAMENT.

Result of Games Between Bicycle Club and Wheelmen.
Another of the series of pool matches being played by the Scranton Bicycle club and Green Ridge Wheelmen took place last night.
At the Scranton Bicycle club, Wednesday, the Wheelmen, defeated Kays, of the Bicycle club, 100 to 83, and Dunsberry, of the Bicycle club, defeated Monie, of the Wheelmen, 100 to 49.
At the Green Ridge Wheelmen's club, Tuesday, of the Wheelmen, defeated Duffield, of the Bicycle club, 100 to 88, and Taylor, of the Wheelmen, defeated Gorman, of the Bicycle club, 100 to 82.
The next games will be played on Thursday night. Seventeen games is the goal sought. The score at present is: Bicycle club, sixteen games; Wheelmen, eight.

T. H. WATKINS THE WINNER.

Made the Best Score in the Handicap Golf Match.
The handicap golf match played Saturday at the Country club links was won by T. H. Watkins, in the play off after a tie with Mr. J. L. Peck.

In the ladies' putting contest, in which twenty-five contestants took part, Miss Archibald, Mrs. A. H. Stors and Miss Gladys Watkins all tied for first place at ten strokes. In the play-off Miss Archibald and Mrs. Stors again tied with ten, while Miss Watkins took eleven and dropped out. Playing again Miss Archibald made ten and Mrs. Stors eleven. Miss Archibald, therefore, took the handsome silver medal which was coveted by all.

OPENING SESSION OF SEMI-ANNUAL MEETING

Representatives to Wilkes-Barre. Evangelical Lutheran Ministerium Gathers in St. Mark's.

The opening session of the seventeenth semi-annual convention of the Wilkes-Barre Evangelical Lutheran Ministerium was held last evening in St. Mark's Lutheran church at Washington and Fourteenth streets. The visitors were entertained at supper by the Woman's Guild of St. Mark's church, after which the confession and absolution services were held in the Sunday school room. The clergymen then marched to the auditorium, where the opening session of the conference was held. The sermon was preached by Rev. H. F. J. Seneker, of this city, on the subject of "Christ, the Head of the Church." His text was taken from Ep. 4-15. The church choir rendered an anthem and Mr. Phelps sang a solo. The clergymen in attendance are:

- Rev. V. J. Bauer, Summit Hill, Pa.
Rev. E. E. Blohm, Coopersburg.
Rev. J. F. Bruch, Hopewell.
Rev. A. J. L. Breinig, Boonstown.
Rev. E. M. Beyer, Sayre.
Rev. H. H. Beiler, Wilkes-Barre.
Rev. H. H. Brunning, D. D., White Haven.
Rev. B. Conrad, West Pittston.
Rev. E. F. Eitner, Pittston.
Rev. E. C. Eshelby, Carbondale.
Rev. A. O. Ewert, Anderson.
Rev. C. J. Gable, Lanford.
Rev. J. J. Kuntz, Pottsville.
Rev. George S. Kunkle, Lehighton.
Rev. J. H. Kuder, Lehighton.
Rev. C. A. Karschner, Conyngham.
Rev. E. J. Keuling, Wethersville.
Rev. A. L. Koenig, Lehighton.
Rev. W. C. L. Lauer, Scranton.
Rev. L. Linderstrath, Wilkes-Barre.
Rev. H. E. Meyer, Apushicola.
Rev. J. M. Moore, D. D., Scranton.
Rev. William M. Rehrig, Ph. D., Mauch Chunk.
Rev. John W. Randolph, Scranton.
Rev. E. P. Ripper, West Hazleton.
Rev. A. L. Ramer, Ph. D., Scranton.
Rev. P. F. Schindler, Hazleton.
Rev. William H. Strause, Lehighton.
Rev. H. F. J. Seneker, Wilkes-Barre.
Rev. C. G. Spicker, Scranton.
Rev. M. B. Schuwer, East Mauch Chunk.
Rev. A. G. Wheeler, Gilbert.
Rev. J. D. C. Wylie, Scranton.
Rev. Theodore Zuber, Pittston.

Following are the lay delegates: A. W. Moser, Summit Hill; A. H. Rumble, Audenried; John Griepel, Wilkes-Barre; J. Wazleke, Mauch Chunk; Wm. Jones, West Hazleton; Lewis Betz, Lehighton; Ernest Frank, Hazleton; William N. Nien, Pittston; D. W. Moser, Scranton.

The visitors are being entertained at the homes of Dr. Ramer's parishioners, and today they will be entertained at dinner and supper by the Woman's Guild.

The business session will convene at 9 o'clock this morning, when the official reports will be received, officers will be elected and other matters pertaining to the conference will be discussed and acted upon.

This afternoon the discussion of doctrine and practical subjects will be taken up by the clergymen. Vespers services will be held this evening, and Rev. L. Linderstrath, Rev. H. H. Brunning and Rev. J. H. Kuder will be the speakers on important subjects.

The sessions will be continued tomorrow morning, afternoon and evening. Rev. A. L. Ramer, Ph. D., the pastor of St. Mark's church, where the convention is being held, is secretary of the conference.

CHALLENGE ACCEPTED.

Sim Davis Wants to Shoot with Clem Marsh.
The Tribune is in receipt of the following acceptance of the recent challenge of Clem Marsh, the well known marksman:
Scranton, Pa., Sept. 29, 1901.
Sporting Editor of The Tribune.
Seeing that Clem Marsh has challenged anybody in the county to shoot him according to any rules, I hereby offer to shoot him a fair match, fifty holes, according to either Schenck county or American Association rules, for \$500, the match to be shot at Athletic Park on Oct. 19, and the gate proceeds to go to the Associated Charities of Scranton. My only money can be found on Oct. 2 at 8 p. m. at 519 South Main avenue. If this offer is not taken I will ignore all other challenges which Mr. Marsh may make.
Sim Davis.

MEETINGS.

All believers in Prohibition are requested to meet at Gurnsey hall Tuesday evening, Oct. 2, at 8 o'clock to take action on the Oct. 10 parade.
The Central Women's Christian Temperance union will meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock in Gurnsey hall. Subject, "Relation of the Local Unions to the State and County."

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WOMAN DROPPED DEAD.

Mrs. Mary Patrusky, a Polish woman, residing in the rear of 228 South Washington avenue, fell dead on Saturday afternoon in front of her home. Mrs. Patrusky had heard a child crying in the street, and rushed hurriedly out to see if it was hers. As she

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