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The passage of a certain resolution by select council on Thursday night is perhaps the best evidence of the fact that the majority of the councilmen have not yet awakened to the full meaning of the new order of things.

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NEWS OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

INSURANCE RATES MAY SOON BE REDUCED. President Jackson of the Middle Department's Board of Underwriters...

President Jackson of the board of fire underwriters for the Middle Department, was in the city this past week, securing information regarding the condition of the fire department...

Director of Public Safety F. L. Wormser had a conversation with Mr. Jackson, in which the latter stated that it was very likely that the board would take up the question of the reduction of the local rates at the next meeting.

"I feel," said Director Wormser yesterday, "that the rebate question is what is agitating the insurance people. They promised, when the rates were advanced, that they would refund the amount of the increase when they were again reduced."

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MORE MARINES ENLISTED.

Three Sent from This City to League Island Navy Yard.

A trio of young men were enlisted at the marine recruiting station, 134 Wyoming avenue, this week, by Major G. Barnett. They will be sent to League Island navy yard, Pa., Monday next.

It is expected that the coming congress will increase the marine corps to ten thousand men, thus affording the young men now enlisting a good chance for promotion as they will be well trained by that time.

SPEAKEASY ARRESTS.

Ex-Councilman Edward Frable and Patrick Cawley Fined \$100 Each by Magistrate W. S. Millar.

The agents of the Municipal League again demonstrated yesterday that they are still in business by causing the arrest and securing the conviction of Ex-Select Councilman Edward Frable...

Magistrate Millar imposed the full penalty of the law, a fine of \$100 and \$750 costs. In imposing the fine he said:

"I feel that there are no mitigating circumstances in this case. The licensed saloon-keepers have protested against the speakeasies and this organization has taken upon itself the task of wiping them out of existence."

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HUNTER SHOT BY COMPANION

SAD TRAGEDY ON THE SHORES OF LAKE SCRANTON.

William Pilger Shot and Instantly Killed by His Cousin, George Ringelstein—Gun Was Discharged Accidentally by the Trigger Catching in a Button of Ringelstein's Coat—Charge Entered at the Back of the Neck with the Victim Only Two Yards from the Gun.

William Pilger, aged 29, of Richter street, Peterburg, was shot and instantly killed yesterday by his cousin, George Ringelstein, aged 27, while they were out hunting near Lake Scranton.

It is almost certain that the shooting was accidental. Pilger started out together yesterday morning at 7:30 o'clock to hunt duck at Lake Scranton.

When Pilger saw a duck and called to Ringelstein to hurry up, while the latter was on his way to catch up with Pilger, he met a young man from Dunmore, whom he knew slightly, but not by name, and who, like themselves, was hunting.

Just about the time of this meeting the hunter called out that the duck had disappeared. Ringelstein thereupon stopped to converse with the young man he had encountered.

He did not notice his cousin until he saw him fall. In a frenzy of grief he rushed to his side, and finding him mortally wounded, picked up his own gun and broke it into a dozen pieces.

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HAD NO BURIAL CERTIFICATE.

Coroner Roberts Was Called to Carbondale Yesterday.

A lad named Edward McDermott, of Carbondale, was injured in the Coal Brook breaker on Wednesday and died a few hours afterwards at the Emergency hospital.

Arrangements had been made for the funeral yesterday afternoon, but at the eleventh hour it was learned that no burial certificate had been issued.

The parents of the lad allege negligence, and demanded an investigation. The coroner decided that an inquest was necessary, and consequently will hold one.

THE FUND IS GROWING.

Additional Contributions to the McKinley Memorial Fund Are Acknowledged.

The following contributions to the McKinley Memorial fund were received yesterday:

R. Stillel ..... \$1.00 William O'Brien ..... 1.00 Mrs. B. Stillel ..... 1.00 Mrs. A. R. Moffat ..... 1.00 Mrs. M. J. O'Brien ..... 1.00 Mrs. G. M. Milroy ..... 1.00

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ELEVEN VOTES IS JONES LEAD

HAS THAT MANY MORE THAN P. W. COSTELLO.

Progress of the Count Yesterday Was Watched with Great Interest by the Friends of the Two Candidates. When the Work of Compiling the Vote Was Discontinued Last Night the Twentieth Ward of This City Had Been Reached—Ballot Box Brought in.

Edward A. Jones was eleven votes ahead of P. W. Costello when the work of counting the vote cast Tuesday stopped at 8:30 last night.

Early in the morning Tipstaves Anthony Waller and David C. Powell were sent to Carbondale to bring in the ballot box of the Third district of the First ward of that city.

When the Second ward of Dickson City was reached, the count was found to be as follows:

There were 78 tally marks on the sheet for Costello, but 76 was the total given. When the ballot box was opened yesterday, by direction of Judge Edwards, and in his presence, it was shown that 76 votes were the number cast for Costello in that district.

There were no returns of any kind from the Second district of the Eighth ward of this city, and count made an order to have the ballot box brought in this morning.

ASSAULTED HIS MOTHER.

Thomas O'Donnell Committed to the County Jail.

"You're a brute; that's what you are," said Alderman Howe yesterday morning in police court, as he held Thomas O'Donnell, of Capouse avenue, in \$500 bail for his appearance in court.

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FRYOR'S NEW POSITION.

Has Begun His Duties with the Delaware and Hudson.

W. L. Fryor, formerly with the Lehigh Valley Railroad, has assumed his new duties as district passenger agent of the Delaware and Hudson Railroad.

FOOT BALL TODAY.

Lackawanna and Hillman Will Play at the Park Today.

At athletic park this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock the School of the Lackawanna and the Hillman of the Lackawanna will play a game of football.

When You Order Your Market Goods

for Sunday dinner bear in mind that the best goods may be had from us.

Fancy Pillows in all conceivable designs—immense stock—the like of which can be found nowhere else in Scranton.

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CONRAD'S "A Gentlemen's Furnisher" 305 Lackawanna Avenue.

We Are Known hereabouts as the leading retailers of LADIES' GLOVES.

Fall Stock Is more complete than ever and the values better.

Washable Kids at..... \$2.00 Glace and Swede at..... \$1.00 Genuine Mocha, in tans, pearls and reds, at..... \$1.00

Price & Jenkins, 130 Wyoming Avenue.

Ladies' Tailoring Jackets, Etons, Raglans and New-market Dress—walking and rainy-day Skirts.

King Miller, Merchant Tailor, 432 Spruce Street.

Picture Frames Wall Paper Shades and Paints

Jacobs & Fasold, 209 WASHINGTON AVENUE, Opposite Court House.

A Second-Class City with a First-Class Stock of Cut Glass, Sterling Silverware Clocks, Etc.

Suitable for Wedding Gifts, Mercereau & Connell, 132 Wyoming Avenue.

The Natural Bridge is the only one of its kind. This is the only CONSERVATORY OF FORESTS west of Boston.

Smoke the new Kleon 5c. cigar.

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Mi Favorita Brevas..... 10c Vanceito..... \$1.90 box 6 for 25c. El Rocio..... \$2.50 box Garcia Couclas..... \$3.00 box 4 for 25c. Charles the Great, \$2.90 box 4 for 25c. Sweet Violet..... 7 for 25c Club House..... \$1.00 box 8 for 25c. Sweet Belle..... 75c 10 for 25c. E. G. CIGARS

FATAL FALL OF ROOF.

Andrew Barkowski Killed in Bellevue Mine.

Andrew Barkowski, aged 26 years, employed in the Bellevue mine, was killed by a fall of roof while at work yesterday.

Runnag Sale. The Green Ridge Baptist church will hold a runnag sale at 329 Spruce street for three days, Saturday, Monday and Tuesday.

Oils, Paints and Varnish Maloney Oil & Manufacturing Company, 141-149 Meridian Street. TELEPHONE 26-2.

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