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PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Connel, who were at the horse show last week, returned Saturday night.

Miss Roberts, of Wilkes-Barre, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. H. Stock, on Quinn avenue.

Mrs. William Connel, who was in New York the past week consulting a specialist for an affection of the throat, has returned.

ESTIMATES NOW READY.

Will Be Considered by Recorder Connell's Cabinet on Wednesday.

The estimates of the several heads of city departments have now been fully prepared, and are ready for submission at Wednesday's special meeting of Recorder Connell and his cabinet.

It is expected that the meeting will consume the best part of the day and that when the estimates are finally through with that they will be pared down to the lowest possible figure.

Platinum Pictures Free.

Beginning today, and throughout the week, we will give as a souvenir to every lady visiting our store a genuine platinum reproduction of a famous painting. We have secured a large assortment of reproductions of the world's most famous pictures for this event.

Better come while the assortment is large. See our display advertisement on Page 2 of this issue.

Jacobs & Pasold, 205 Wyoming avenue.

First National Bank, Scranton, Pa.

We desire to inform the public that on and after Friday, November 29, 1901, the business of this bank will be conducted in the building formerly occupied by Commercial Chemicals & Co., located at No. 422 Lackawanna avenue, Scranton, Pa.

This temporary removal is necessary for the purpose of erecting a new bank building on the present premises, which we will reoccupy when the building is completed.

J. A. Linsen, President, Isaac Post, Cashier.

Monday Bargains...

Ladies' Fleece Underwear..... 25c
Warm Soft Outings..... 45c
Good Outings, new patterns..... 7c
Good Unbleached Muslin..... 4c
Best Hill Muslin..... 7c
Dark Outing Skirtings..... 7c
Best Indigo Blue Prints..... 45c
Shetland Eiderdown Flannels..... 15c
Nappkins, 17-inch pure linen, dice patterns..... 60c
Nappkins, 23-inch pure linen, dice patterns..... 98c
Nappkins, extra heavy German, \$1.75 value..... \$1.25
Table Linen, old time Pure Linen Damask..... 25c
Table Linen, heavy, dice pattern..... 57c
Curtain Scrim, bleached..... 7c
Ginghams, pink stripes and checks, 12 1/2c goods..... 8c
Light Lawns and Dimities, 12 1/2c goods..... 5c
Children's Fleece Underwear..... 15c to 30c

Mears & Hagen

415-417 Lackawanna Avenue.

THEY STILL HAVE HOPES

BUSINESS MEN'S COMMITTEE TO MEET TODAY.

Members Still Believe They Can Settle the Strike and Chairman Burns Hints That Negotiations May Be Opened Up with President Clarke—Mr. Silliman Announces That He's Done with the Committee for Good—Mr. Burns Replies to Mr. Silliman's Attack.

The committee of business men which has been endeavoring during the past week, without success, to effect a settlement of the street railway strike will meet this afternoon at 2 o'clock in the office of the chairman, Ira H. Burns, and will decide upon plans for the future.

Chairman Burns intimated to a Tribune man yesterday afternoon that the committee has not at all given up hope of settling the strike. He was asked if any of the members of the committee would be sent to Philadelphia to confer with President Clarke.

"I hardly think so," he replied, "but it is possible that a judicious use of the long distance telephone may be made. Further than that I will not say."

General Manager Silliman, when seen last night, announced that he was done with the business men's committee and will have no further dealings with it under any consideration whatsoever.

"If this committee wants to make another try at settling the strike," said he, "the members will have to open up negotiations with some one else besides me. I'm through with them and will positively refuse to have any further dealings with them."

WHAT BURNS SAID.

Chairman Burns gave out for publication on Saturday a characteristically tart letter in reply to the interview with Mr. Silliman, published in Saturday's Tribune, in which the general manager referred to the members of the committee as a pack of small, mean rascals.

Mr. Burns pays his respects to the general manager in opening his letter in the following strain: "Mr. Silliman's idea of what constitutes an honorable man and a gentleman seem to be somewhat peculiar to himself. Of course he considers himself one, and yet I presume that the business men's committee are content to differ with him in some respects. So far as I am aware, no one of them is under indictment in our criminal court, or is hesitating about taking his chances of a prison cell or engaging in some foreign country where there is no extradition law in force."

The issue in which the public is interested, he points out, is, however, not anybody's personal characteristics, but rather the settlement of the strike and which they are entitled. Mr. Burns states that the majority of laboring men in this valley are members of labor unions who desire that union labor shall be employed on the cars and whose wishes are entitled to at least some consideration from the company. Continuing he says:

"Suppose that every corporation in the valley should import laborers from Philadelphia or China, men who have no families or homes, and pay no taxes, and who are lodged and fed in barns. He is the public who want them? Take the places of the men who have? There can be but one answer."

REST WILL BE EASY.

In conclusion Mr. Burns pleads with Mr. Silliman to forget his "school boy petulance and bad manners" and be "an honorable man." "If he does this," he writes, "the rest will be easy. If he cannot do this, let him go away for a week and leave some one like W. P. Hallstead, for instance, in charge, and when he returns he would find his road running and the public satisfied. He is the stumbling block in the way. What he wants is to get rid of himself."

When Mr. Silliman was asked last night if he had any reply to make to Mr. Burns' letter he said that he had no desire to enter into a controversy with the gentleman.

"I've had my say," said he, "and I'm content to let it rest with that."

A letter from John V. Metzler, Jr., appeared in the Republican yesterday which set forth that he is one of the striking street car men and that he would like to return to work if he dared.

He also made some serious charges concerning the manner in which the strike was declared and concerning the fairness of the strike. In

RED CROSS DEGREE CONFERRED ON A CLASS OF TWENTY-ONE CANDIDATES



THE MALTA COUNTY DEGREE TEAM.

The appendant red cross and sepulchre degree of the Knights of Malta, was conferred on thirty-one candidates from Anthracite commandery on Saturday night in the spacious and beautiful temple, on the fourth floor of the Guernsey building.

The degree was worked by the county degree team, robed in historical costumes, and the ceremony was witnessed by over 200 members of the order from this city, Wilkes-Barre, Binghamton and a number of other smaller towns. The ceremony took over two and a half hours to perform and the costumes and paraphernalia used cost over \$2,500.

The degree was conferred on the following candidates: Grand Commander Sir E. G. Foreward, of Bloomsburg, Grand Recorder Sir George H. Pierce, of Philadelphia, and Grand Generalissimo Sir James L. Jackson, of Williamsport.

Following the conferring of the degree, an informal banquet was served during which addresses were made by the visiting officers and Sir Knights George M. Watson, James Mohr and John G. McAfee.

IN HONOR OF "MABON"

Informal Dinner Given at the Jersey Saturday Night—The Visitor's Position in Wales.

"One thing must be taken for granted in this country. One thing should, I believe, be recognized by the managers of enterprise, by legislatures, by courts and by public opinion generally. That is that labor unions are here to stay. If pending, not to try to put them out of existence, but that would simply be a waste of energy at the cost of needless strife, but to bring out of them the best uses in them—the best for their members, the best for those who employ labor, the best for the general welfare. This is the one great, pressing duty lying in the pathway of the people of this country and especially of this valley; and, gentlemen, it must be met."

Five Weeks—Then Christmas. You surely want photographs for the holidays. Do you realize, though, that the time is growing short. Artistic portrait work, like that which comes from Schreyer, cannot be hastily produced.

Moral: Come to the studio at once, or arrange for a sitting by phone.

The popular Punch cigar is still the leader of the 10c cigars.

Its immensity and its manifold proofs of greatness and popularity. But he found it difficult to reconcile what he had been taught at home about the American's innate love of equality and fair play with the evidence visible here of strife and suspicion between those who work for wages and those who employ. He would regard it as one of the greatest pleasures of his life if during his visit to this country and valley he might in any way aid in bringing the relations of capital and labor to the plane of a better understanding and mutual confidence.

Addresses by others in the company gave notice that the intelligent thought of our people is being directed along the lines of "Mabon's" counsel and example.

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Mr. Edwards introduced Hon. William Abraham, M. P., to a small company at a dinner informally given by a number of exiles in the city of London in honor of the Jersey Saturday night. Judge Edwards went on briefly to outline how the labor problem, under "Mabon's" guidance, has been solved in Wales. He described the successive steps by which the operators and miners' work in the country had been induced to substitute conciliation through a regularly appointed board, equally divided between the two groups, for the costly, dangerous and barbarous strike method of settling difficulties. He told how, in twenty-three years of "Mabon's" guidance, the Welsh hosts of organized labor, during six weeks of which he has been the special representative of their interests in the British parliament, there has not been a single colliery strike; and only one time when an appeal of a difference had to be taken from the board of conciliation to the court of law. He said, "I want to say to you, gentlemen, that in Wales there is no question of the right of labor to organize and to wish on the part of the mine-owning interests that they should disorganize, for under 'Mabon's' leadership organized labor in Wales has won recognition as being practically synonymous with organized peace and prosperity. The labor situation in this country will not become tranquil until we have more 'Mabons' like the great confederate of the men who toll and of the men who hire."

In response Mr. Abraham modestly depreciated the high credit given him but spoke earnestly in favor of maintaining efforts to preserve peace and good will between employers and employees. He said they frequently had many warm friends in the conciliation board meetings in Wales, but inasmuch as each knew in his heart that the opposing side wanted to be fair and that simply differences in the point of view prevented immediate unanimity, they threshed those differences out on the part of the conciliation board until they reached common ground. This he added, was his first visit to the United States and he was literally amazed at

FUNERAL OF MRS. HENWOOD.

Services Conducted at the Residence by Rev. C. M. Giffin, D. D.

The funeral services of Mrs. Walter Henwood took place yesterday at 4 o'clock at her late residence, 28 Quincey avenue. Rev. Dr. Charles M. Giffin, of the Elm Park church officiated, spoke in most appropriate terms of the dead, so dearly beloved, so sorely missed. Entirely though her departure from the young wife left was so beautiful, sweet and gentle in its influence that her presence must long be felt.

The music was exquisitely pretty. A quartette, composed of John T. Watkins, David Stephens, Mrs. Joseph O'Brien and Mrs. A. E. Connell, sang "I'm a Pilgrim and I'm a Stranger" and "Lead Kindly Light." Miss Florence Richmond was accompanist.

The gloomy day outside and the gloom within many hearts were not symbolized by the bright and lovely flowers in which the young wife lay embowered. Countless testimonials from loving hearts surrounded her last rest in her home.

Interment will take place today at Honesdale. The funeral party will leave at 10:15 a. m. The burial services will be conducted by the Knights Templar. The bearers will be A. E. Connell, Eugene Healy, David Davis, Edward Evans, Charles W. Matthews and Willard Matthews. Among the out-of-town friends present at the funeral were Dr. Will Henwood and Miss Helen Wood, of Moscow, Shrewsbury and Smith, of Buffalo, N. Y., and Mrs. Pictor, of Brooklyn, N. Y. A pathetic incident in connection with the last named, who is the mother of the deceased, was that by some error she arrived unannounced, late on the night of her daughter's death, the first information she received being the ominous crape on the door.

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Benefit of Young Ladies' Society. Miss Beatrice Herford, the monologist, will give an entertainment at the bicycle club house, Tuesday evening, Dec. 5, under the auspices of the Young Ladies' society of the First Presbyterian church.

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CHARGED WITH ARSON.

Mrs. Louisa Weaver Held Without Bail, on the Charge of Firing Her Home on Saturday.

Mrs. Louisa Weaver, an elderly woman about 50 years old, was committed to the county jail without bail yesterday by Magistrate Howe, on a charge of arson, preferred by Superintendent of Police Frank Robling, Jr.

Mrs. Weaver is accused of having set fire, early Saturday morning, to the house which she occupied at 1229 Sanderson avenue. The fire originated on the second floor, and when the firemen and police arrived it was found that kerosene oil had been liberally sprinkled around the rooms on that floor, nearly all the furniture having been removed. The blaze was easily extinguished, and the matter was reported to Superintendent Robling.

The latter started an investigation, which resulted in Mrs. Weaver's arrest on Saturday. When arraigned in police court yesterday morning, she claimed that the fire was caused by the explosion of a lamp which she had accidentally let fall on the floor. When asked to explain the presence of oil about the floors of the other rooms, she became confused and said she dropped the lamp more than once. The house which she occupied belongs to A. Conrad, with whom she is known to have been on bad terms. She had \$500 insurance on the furniture.

An attempt will be made today to have her released on bail before one of the judges.

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